

MISSOURI AGRICULTURE

2016 Economic Contributions of Agriculture & Forestry

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MERCER COUNTY

Economic Contributions of Agriculture, Forestry & Related Industries:

Sales: \$73.6 million

Jobs: 693

Value-Added: \$47.6 million

Labor Income: \$32.7 million

Inputs: \$26.0 million

Taxes: \$5.4 million

Sales: The broadest measure of economic activity - often referred to as "output"; **Employment (Jobs):** A measure of job positions without regard to whether they are full-time equivalents; **Value-Added:** Sales (output) minus the cost of inputs; **Taxes:** Includes taxes paid at the federal, state and local levels.

Economic Contributions						
	Inputs (\$M)	+	Value-Added (\$M)	=	Sales (\$M)	Employment
Ag Inputs & Services	N/A		N/A		N/A	N/A
Crops, Livestock, Forestry, & Fisheries Production	\$25.9		\$47.6		\$73.5	692
Food & Kindred Products Manufacturing	\$0.1		\$		\$0.1	1
Forestry Products Manufacturing	N/A		N/A		N/A	N/A
Total	\$26.0		\$47.6		\$73.6	693

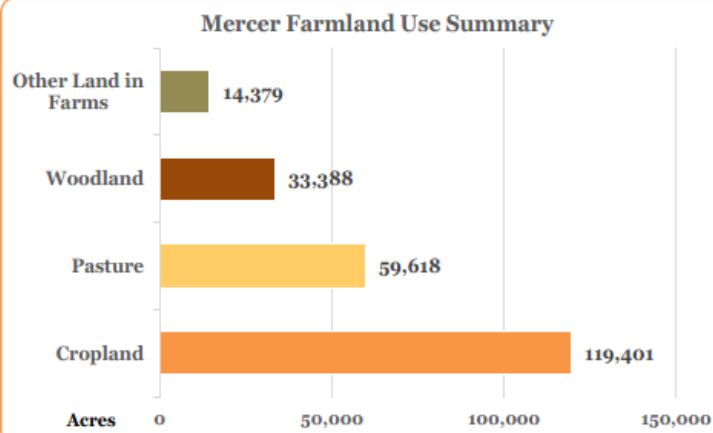
Number of Farms: 567 farms

Average Size of Farm: 400 acres

Total Land Area: 290,454 acres

Total Land in Farms: 226,786 acres

Population (2015): 3,694



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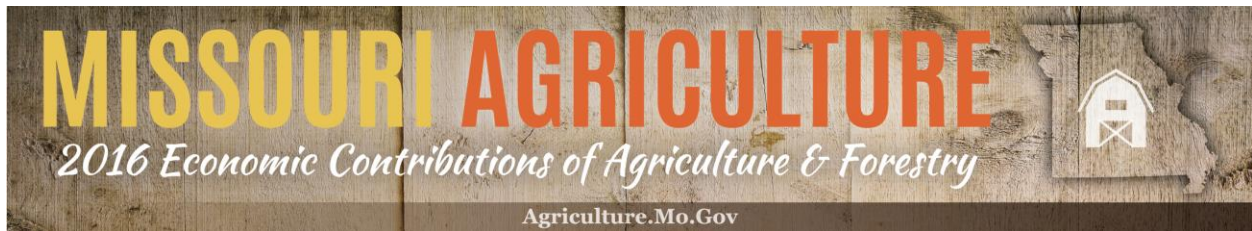
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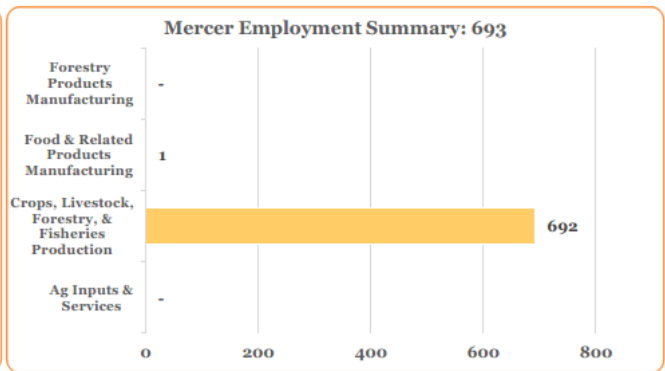
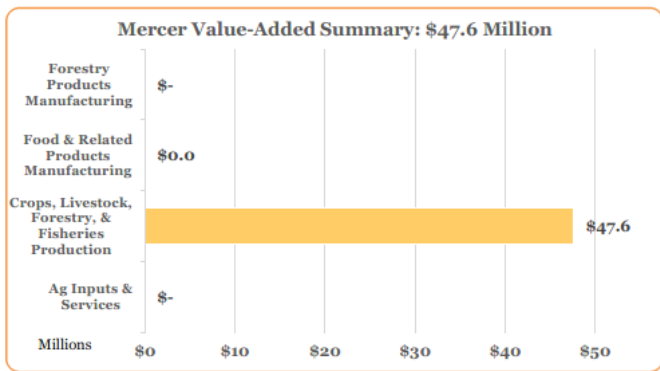


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Overall Top Three Contributors (Ranked by Value-Added)						
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Hogs	\$1.3		\$13.4		\$14.7	207
Oilseed farming	\$4.4		\$10.7		\$15.1	56
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Note: Totals in tables may not sum due to rounding.

Overall Contributions to Mercer County

Agricultural, forestry, and related industries support 693 jobs in Mercer County. Additionally, these industries contribute \$73.6 million in sales, which translates to \$47.6 million in added value to the area after \$26.0 million worth of inputs are purchased. Of this \$47.6 million, \$32.7 million is comprised of labor income. Tax revenues generated by the agricultural, forestry, and related industries in Mercer County are \$5.4 million.