

What is the 2015 Mid-South Irrigation Survey

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In 2016 a survey representing the 2015 crop year was undertaken to gather information on current irrigation practices in four mid-South states: Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Missouri. The study was, funded with support from the United Soybean Board (USB) and the Mid-South Soybean board and carried out by extension staff in agricultural engineering and agronomy from each of the states' land grant universities. Specifically, the result of the project's survey report is referred to as the USB Irrigation Survey (USBIS). There were 8,572 contacted with a total of 466 completed phone interviews of irrigators in the region (Figure 1) with a margin of error of 4.6%. It is believed to be the most extensive survey completed of irrigation practices for any region in the world.

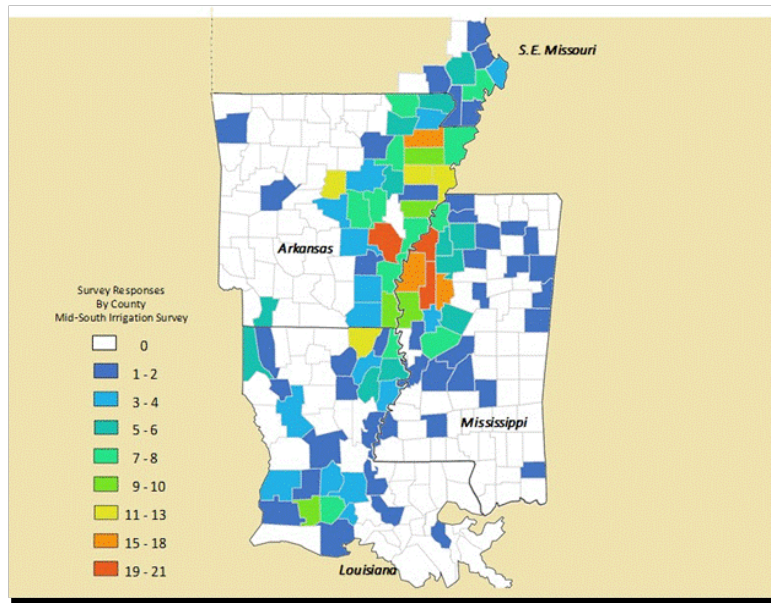


Figure 1.

Detailed information about the study can be found in the final report and dataset.

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