

# MISSISSIPPI FORESTLAND

## FACTS



MISSISSIPPI HAS

**19.8  
MILLION  
FORESTED  
ACRES**



FORESTLAND

COVERS

**65%**

OF

MISSISSIPPI



It would take 15 million  
football fields to fill 19.8  
million acres!



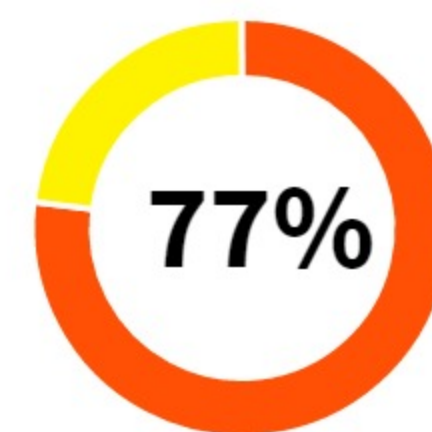
Most of Mississippi's  
forestland is **privately  
owned**

**350,000**  
people

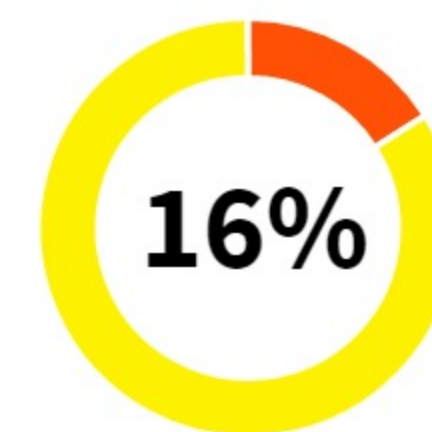
## TYPES OF FORESTLAND



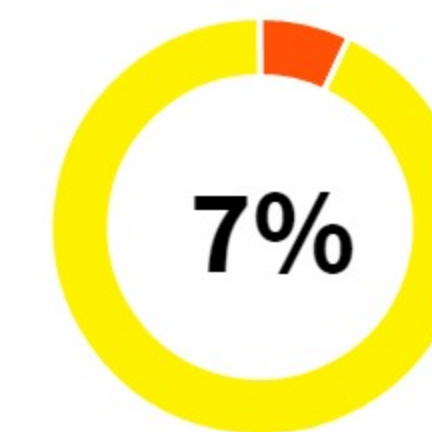
- ✓ **Hardwood, 45%**
- ✓ **Pine, 29%**
- ✓ **Regeneration, 17%**  
(young reforested acres, not yet classified as a forest type)
- ✓ **Mixed, 9%**  
(pine & hardwood)



77% of Mississippi's forestland is owned  
by **private citizens**.



16% of Mississippi's forestland is **publicly  
owned** by federal, state, and tribal  
entities.



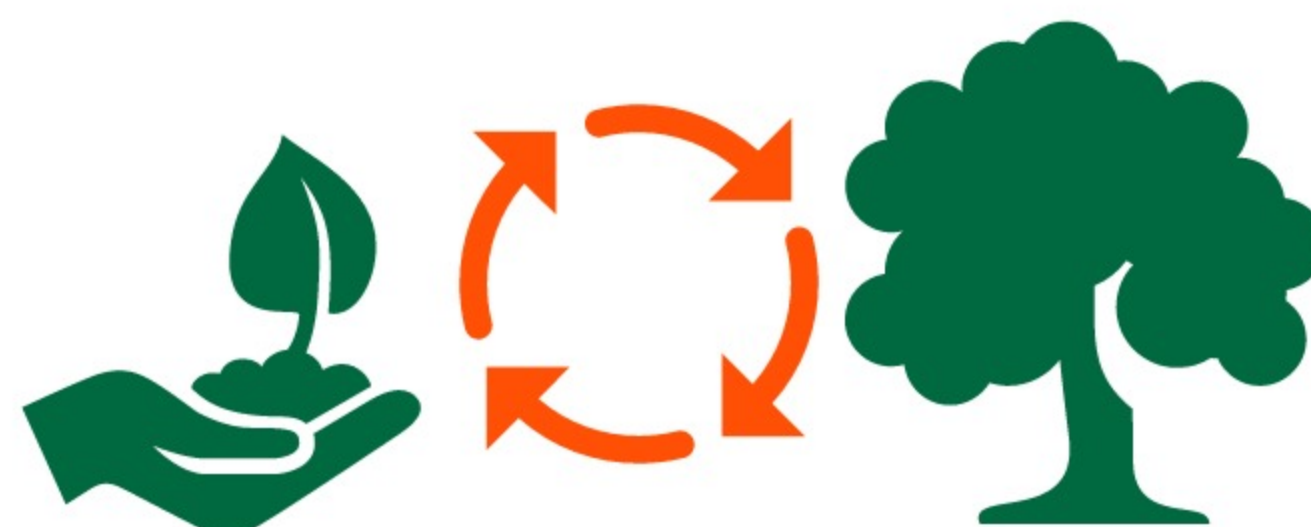
7% of Mississippi's forestland is  
**corporately owned**.

## PLANTING MORE THAN WE HARVEST IN MISSISSIPPI

GROWTH-TO-HARVEST RATIO

**PINE**

**3:1**



GROWTH-TO-HARVEST RATIO

**HARDWOOD**

**6:1**