



**LEWIS COUNTY**

***Economic Contribution of Missouri Soybeans***

**Output: \$133.6 million**

**Value-Added: \$38.7 million**

**Jobs: 245**

**Labor Income: \$15.8 million**

**Taxes: \$6.4 million**

	Output (\$M)	Jobs	Value-Added (\$M)	Labor Income (\$M)	Taxes (\$M)
<b>Soybean Farming</b>	\$38.7	132	\$28.3	\$10.4	\$3.6
<b>Soy Processing</b>	\$94.9	113	\$10.4	\$5.4	\$2.8

**Output:** The broadest measure of economic activity – often referred to as “sales”; **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; **Labor Income:** Sum of Employee Compensation (wages) and Proprietor Income (self-employed) – a sub-component of value-added; **Taxes:** Includes taxes paid at the federal, state and local levels

**2016 Soybean Acres: 74,900**  
**Number of Farms: 729**  
**Average Size of Farm: 390**  
**2015 Population: 10,207**

