

FARMWEEK

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Feature: U.S. Farmers Go To Brazil - MTM

<u>Story Length</u>	<u>Story Type</u>	<u>Writer/ Photographer</u>	
	Video VO/SOT	Ford / File	TONIGHT ON FARMWEEK
		Ford	HURRICANE SEASON - Tropical storm Cindy hits south Mississippi. Hurricane Dennis is set to follow. The rain will hopefully help the dry areas of Mississippi. The winds, however, could cause damage.
		Ford	WEEKLY CROP REPORT - July 3 report says topsoil is short-to-very short in 54% of Mississippi.
3:18	Video Pkg	Ford / Ford	GRAIN BIN SAFETY - EM #40 - Delta Rice Services of Cleveland and Webb, Mississippi, have developed a way to unclog grain bins without endangering its employees. Appearing: Red Smith / Delta Rice Services. Herb Willcutt / Agricultural Engineer / Mississippi State University Extension Service. Contact Information: Delta Rice Services, Telephone 662.375.8580 Cleveland and Webb, Mississippi
2:08	Video Pkg	Gair / Lack	SOUTHERN GARDENING - Bananas - Appearing: Norman Winter / Horticulturist / Mississippi State University Extension Service. Telephone 601.857.2284
		Spann	MARKETS INTRODUCTION
		Spann	STEP 2 COTTON - The U.S. Department of Agriculture has called for cancelling the Step 2 Cotton Marketing Program in order to comply with World Trade Organization's Brazil ruling. The National Cotton Council says the program can be saved if NCC-suggested changes are followed. The program presently pays nine cents per pound.
		Spann	CAFTA-DR PRO AND CON - U.S. Senate approves the Central America Free Trade Agreement-Dominican Republic. The National Corn Growers Association supports it. R-CALF says no. The bill goes to the U.S. House of Representatives for consideration.
		Spann	TRIVIA QUESTION - When do wildfires occur most often in Mississippi? February and March.
	Video VO	Ford / File	BREAK PREVIEW
	Video	Lack	PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT - 4-H Museum
		Spann	USDA REPORT CALENDAR
		Spann	PANAMA BANS U.S. BEEF IMPORTS - Follows announcement of

second BSE case in the United States.

Video SOT	Spann / UTC	MARKET INTERVIEW - Cattle - U.S. market weathers BSE announcement with little effect. Appearing: John Anderson - Agricultural Economist - Mississippi State University Extension Service.
Video SOT	Spann / MTM	HOGS ANALYSIS - The BSE announcement combined with the newest USDA Hogs and Pigs Report are giving the hog market a chance to bottom out - Appearing: Alan Brugler / Brugler Marketing and Management, LLC.
	Spann	TRIVIA ANSWER
	Ford	CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Video Feature	Ford / MTM	BRAZIL IOWA FARMS - Iowa investors tell what it's like to farm in Brazil. Contact Information: Iowa Public Television's "Market to Market" See the story's script
Video VO	Ford / File	PREVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S SHOW Feature: Oregon II Gulf of Mexico research work. Mississippi Farmers Markets. Southern Gardening: Butterfly Gardening