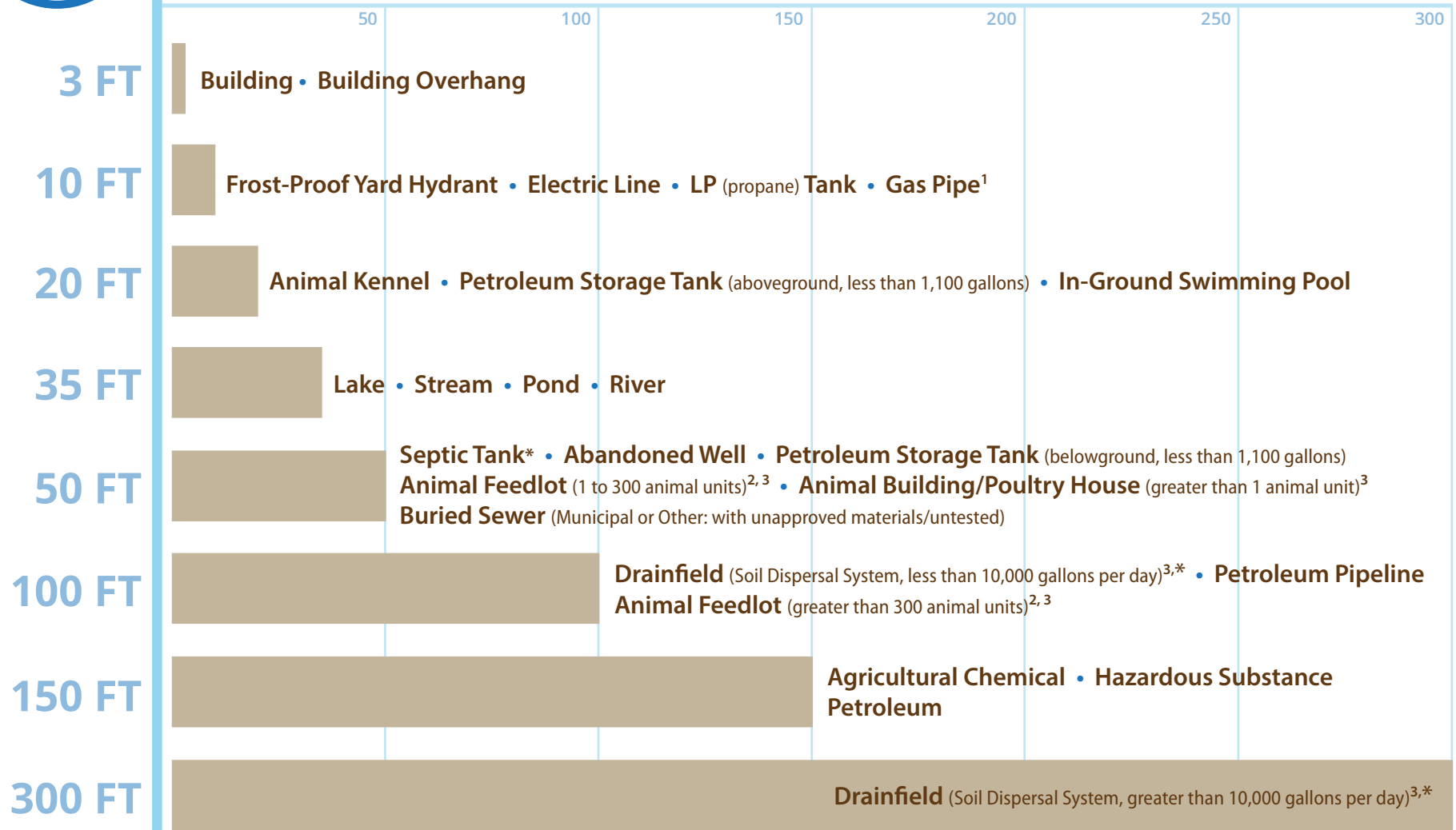




# Private Water Well Setback Distances

Distances shown here are minimum setback distances. If possible, greater setback distances are preferred.



\* As stated in 41-67-7 (2)(d) of the Mississippi individual on-site wastewater disposal law.

<sup>1</sup> A well between 5 and 10 feet from an electric transmission line, gas pipe, or liquid propane (LP) tank must be placarded, and work must not be performed on the well unless the line is de-energized and grounded or shielded, and the LP tank does not contain flammable gas.

<sup>2</sup> "Animal unit" is the average weight of the animal divided by 1,000 and is equal to one slaughter steer or one horse.

<sup>3</sup> A water-supply well that has less than 50 feet of watertight casing and is not cased through a confining layer, such as a clay layer, at least 10 feet thick is considered to be a "sensitive water-supply well," and it must be located at least twice the indicated distance from the potential contaminant source.