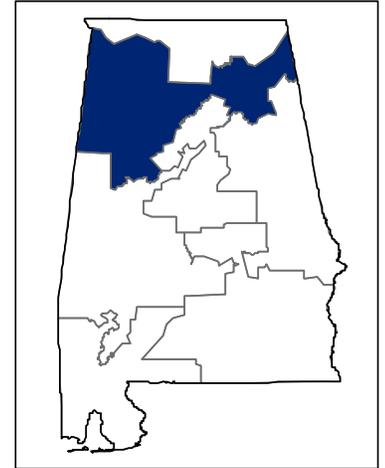


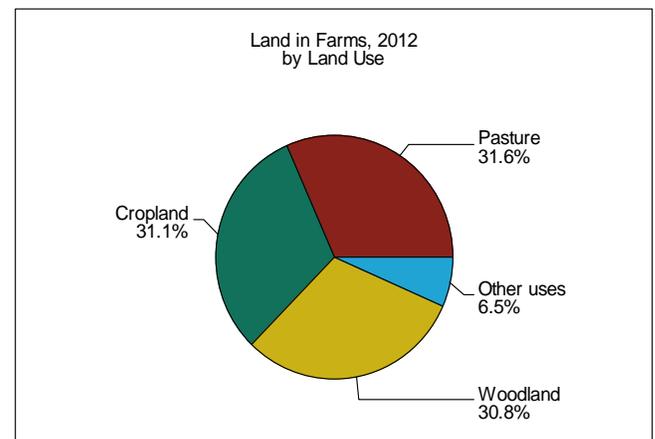
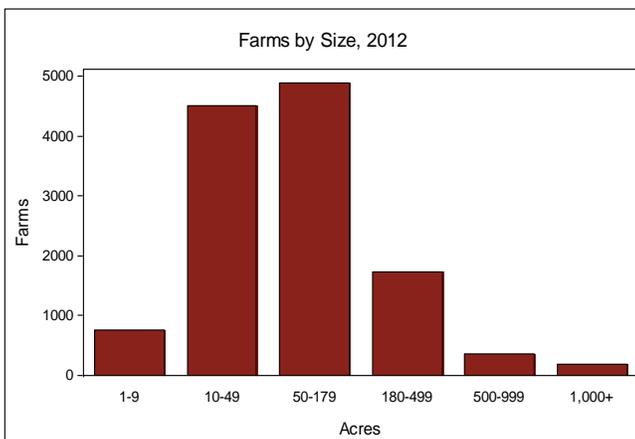
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



Alabama 4th District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	18,545
Number of Farms	12,450
Land in Farms	1,691,155 acres
Average Size of Farm	136 acres
Irrigated Land	11,693 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,879,383,000
Average Per Farm	\$150,954
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$22,724,000
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Government Payments	\$15,683,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,528



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Alabama 4th District

Ranked items among the 7 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,879,383	1	7	53	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	182,110	4	7	180	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,697,273	1	7	23	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	117,249	2	7	115	387
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	24,322	5	7	44	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	9,124	2	7	170	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	960	7	7	289	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,083	6	7	313	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	190	2	7	142	332
Other crops and hay	22,182	3	7	130	398
Poultry and eggs	1,578,540	1	7	4	405
Cattle and calves	87,493	3	7	108	393
Milk from cows	(D)	1	6	(D)	310
Hogs and pigs	12,341	2	7	93	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,961	1	7	87	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	4,620	1	7	71	402
Aquaculture	(D)	4	7	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	899	1	7	194	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	214,334	1	7	79	401
Corn for grain	90,055	2	7	99	356
Soybeans for beans	77,805	2	7	93	276
Wheat for grain, all	37,082	2	7	86	324
Winter wheat for grain	37,082	2	7	81	317
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	73,578,807	1	7	4	365
Layers	4,299,566	1	7	20	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,617,977	1	7	8	361
Roosters	465,662	1	7	3	333
Cattle and calves	307,653	1	7	76	397

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,530	Farming	5,479
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,330	Other	6,971
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,519	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,782	Male	11,078
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,306	Female	1,372
\$20,000 to \$24,999	325	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	483	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	161	American Indian or Alaska Native	385
\$50,000 to \$99,999	332	Asian	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	211	Black or African American	179
\$250,000 to \$499,999	211	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
\$500,000 or more	1,260	White	17,617
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,614,457	More than one race	200
Average per farm (\$)	129,675	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	101
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	303,333		
Average per farm (\$)	24,382		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.