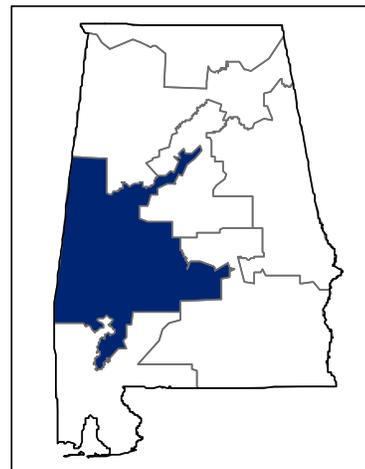


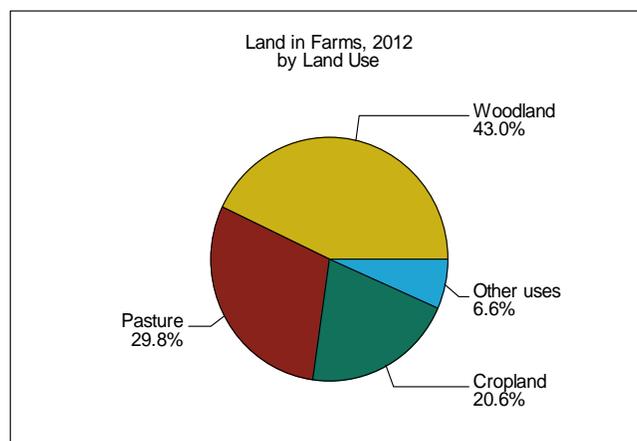
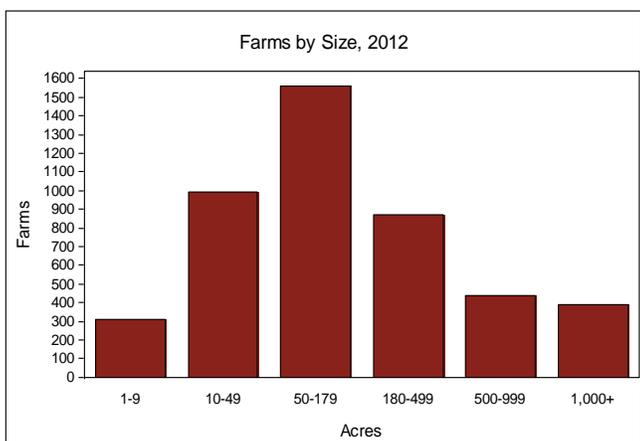
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Alabama 7th District



	2012
Number of Farm Operators	6,716
Number of Farms	4,556
Land in Farms	1,691,071 acres
Average Size of Farm	371 acres
Irrigated Land	11,577 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$472,151,000
Average Per Farm	\$103,633
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$24,124,000
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Government Payments	\$10,736,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,201



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Alabama 7th 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	472,151	5	7	172	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	79,679	6	7	246	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	392,472	4	7	120	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	39,943	4	7	178	387
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	6	7	60	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,906	6	7	249	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,845	5	7	241	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,083	5	7	311	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	6	7	(D)	332
Other crops and hay	14,849	5	7	156	398
Poultry and eggs	155,166	5	7	68	405
Cattle and calves	101,224	1	7	95	393
Milk from cows	4,421	3	6	235	310
Hogs and pigs	14,831	1	7	91	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	338	6	7	238	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,642	4	7	205	402
Aquaculture	(D)	1	7	2	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	7	7	(D)	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	124,924	3	7	106	401
Soybeans for beans	43,063	3	7	119	276
Wheat for grain, all	21,700	4	7	120	324
Winter wheat for grain	21,700	4	7	116	317
Cotton, all	(D)	6	7	56	108
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	7,502,505	6	7	52	365
Layers	(D)	6	7	(D)	405
Cattle and calves	207,037	3	7	99	397
Quail	181,506	3	7	8	280
Roosters	82,405	4	7	27	333

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	1,624	Farming	2,004
\$1,000 to \$2,499	458	Other	2,552
\$2,500 to \$4,999	488	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	499	Male	3,970
\$10,000 to \$19,999	421	Female	586
\$20,000 to \$24,999	129	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	245	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	99	American Indian or Alaska Native	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	165	Asian	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	116	Black or African American	1,957
\$250,000 to \$499,999	90	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	222	White	4,565
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	426,061	More than one race	22
Average per farm (\$)	93,517	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	69
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	80,950		
Average per farm (\$)	17,768		

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.