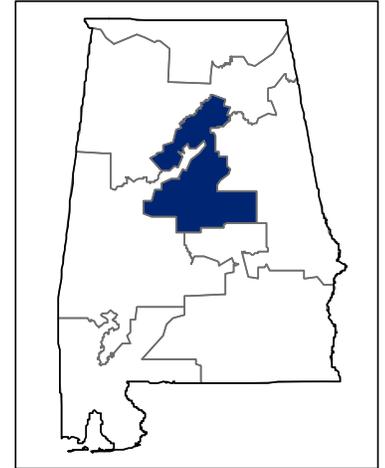


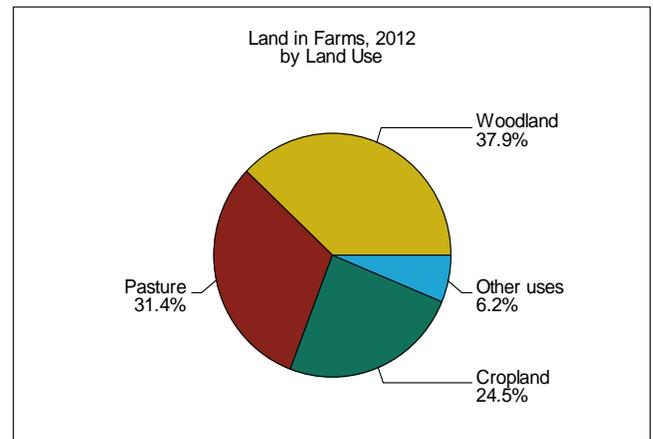
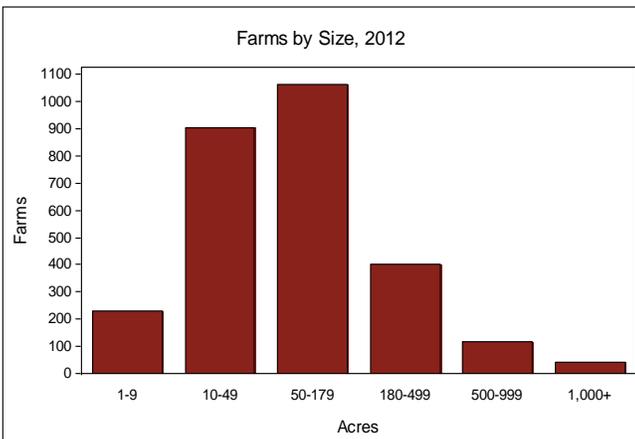
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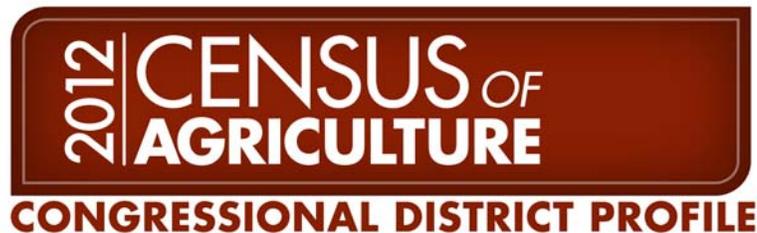
CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Alabama 6th District



	2012
Number of Farm Operators	4,082
Number of Farms	2,759
Land in Farms	414,441 acres
Average Size of Farm	150 acres
Irrigated Land	2,353 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$211,764,000
Average Per Farm	\$76,754
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$6,124,000
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Government Payments	\$2,073,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,498





2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Alabama 6th 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	211,764	7	7	223	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	35,000	7	7	304	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	176,764	6	7	171	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,776	7	7	257	387
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	7	7	70	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	7,211	3	7	198	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	5,020	3	7	158	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	7	7	318	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	112	4	7	187	332
Other crops and hay	5,319	7	7	239	398
Poultry and eggs	153,261	6	7	72	405
Cattle and calves	21,738	7	7	209	393
Milk from cows	-	-	6	-	310
Hogs and pigs	58	6	7	279	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	313	7	7	245	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,098	6	7	248	402
Aquaculture	20	6	7	278	336
Other animals and other animal products	276	5	7	269	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	53,150	6	7	186	401
Cotton, all	(D)	7	7	69	108
Upland cotton	(D)	7	7	68	108
Soybeans for beans	5,195	7	7	189	276
Corn for grain	3,842	7	7	235	356
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	8,819,584	5	7	44	365
Layers	259,842	7	7	151	405
Quail	(D)	2	7	7	280
Cattle and calves	63,538	7	7	198	397
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	5	7	158	361

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	857	Farming	1,268
\$1,000 to \$2,499	315	Other	1,491
\$2,500 to \$4,999	344	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	348	Male	2,382
\$10,000 to \$19,999	323	Female	377
\$20,000 to \$24,999	79	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	131	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	42	American Indian or Alaska Native	23
\$50,000 to \$99,999	108	Asian	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	54	Black or African American	78
\$250,000 to \$499,999	27	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	131	White	3,918
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	189,818	More than one race	20
Average per farm (\$)	68,799	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	23
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,143		
Average per farm (\$)	10,925		

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.