



## Alabama 5th District

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022

	2022
Number of farms	5,076
Land in farms (acres)	936,068
Average size of farm (acres)	184
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	713,748,000
Government payments	4,147,000
Farm-related income	15,752,000
Total farm production expenses	537,956,000
Net cash farm income	195,690,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	140,612
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,362
Farm-related income	10,156
Total farm production expenses	105,980
Net cash farm income	38,552

**8** Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	43
Livestock, poultry, and products	57

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	55
Pastureland	19
Woodland	17
Other	9

**Acres irrigated: 36,382**

4% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	14
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	5

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	1,973	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	552	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	703	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	754	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	367	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	179	4
\$100,000 or more	548	11

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	432	9
10 to 49 acres	2,035	40
50 to 179 acres	1,584	31
180 to 499 acres	679	13
500 to 999 acres	161	3
1,000 + acres	185	4



Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>713,748</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>429</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>307,940</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>429</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	210,999	1	7	93	380
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	66
Cotton and cottonseed	64,055	2	7	25	105
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	7	7	265	423
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	4,085	5	7	221	411
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	11,042	6	7	292	424
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	6	7	(D)	319
Other crops and hay	13,264	6	7	197	394
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>405,808</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>420</b>
Poultry and eggs	356,530	4	7	56	403
Cattle and calves	43,408	5	7	169	390
Milk from cows	(D)	6	6	276	301
Hogs and pigs	1,253	3	7	142	361
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,966	2	7	116	388
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	5	7	227	384
Aquaculture	1,230	3	7	125	325
Other animals and animal products	371	6	7	257	409

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>8,389</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 162,194
Male	5,560	<b>78</b>	Corn for grain 108,013
Female	2,829		Forage (hay/haylage), all 102,627
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Cotton, all 72,027
<35	715	<b>(Z)</b>	Wheat for grain, all 59,853
35 – 64	4,639		
65 and older	3,035		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	139	<b>5</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 11,962,881
Asian	25		Cattle and calves 113,270
Black or African American	216	Hire farm labor	Goats 7,245
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>20</b>	Hogs and pigs 2,041
White	7,895		Horses and ponies 4,859
More than one race	114		Layers 321,101
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	39	<b>96</b>	Sheep and lambs 12,884
With military service	925		Turkeys 310
New and beginning farmers	2,836		

See 2022 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/croplnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/croplnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.