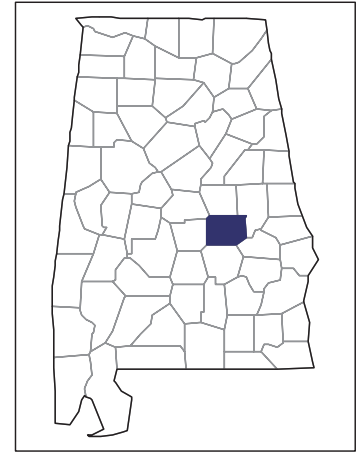


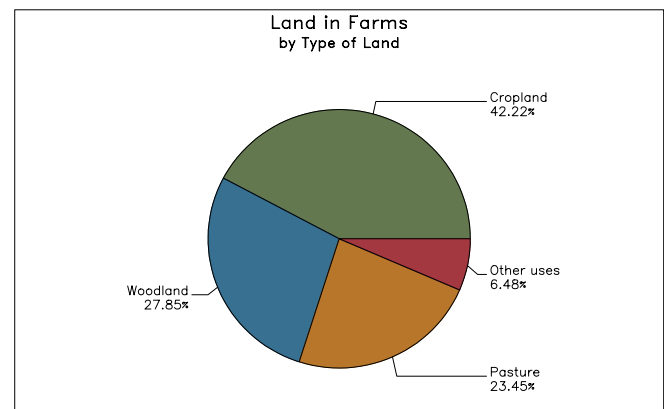
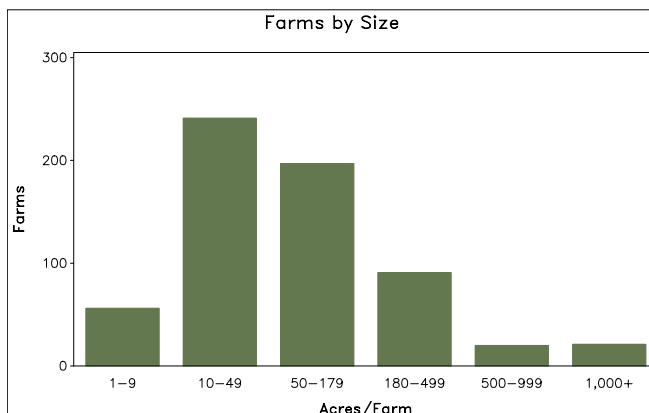
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Elmore County Alabama



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	626	633	- 1
<b>Land in Farms</b>	102,816 acres	104,316 acres	- 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	164 acres	165 acres	- 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$14,962,000	\$11,999,000	+ 25
Crop Sales \$9,405,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,557,000 (37 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$23,901	\$18,957	+ 26
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,526,000	\$1,412,000	+ 8
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,507	\$13,070	- 4



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### Elmore County – Alabama

#### Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	14,962	54	67	2,417	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	9,405	22	67	1,896	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,557	56	67	2,389	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	872	28	67	2,021	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	4,164	10	51	221	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	17	67	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	676	8	67	593	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,890	18	62	677	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	30	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	56	67	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	51	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,318	38	67	1,804	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	51	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	41	24	65	1,664	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	39	29	67	1,850	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	54	56	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	16	30	64	1,870	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	12,316	13	51	202	627
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	11,753	29	67	1,561	3,060
Corn for grain	2,176	30	67	1,665	2,634
Soybeans for beans	(D)	37	55	(D)	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	460	29	53	1,860	2,481
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	26	65	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	12,291	42	67	1,834	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,328	27	67	1,020	3,066
Goats, all	1,176	21	67	612	3,023
Layers	695	48	67	1,917	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	241	Farming	247
\$1,000 to \$2,499	73	Other	379
\$2,500 to \$4,999	79	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	82	Male	551
\$10,000 to \$19,999	69	Female	75
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	16
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15	Black or African American	51
\$250,000 to \$499,999	13	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	867
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	18,997	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	30,347	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	12
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,547		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,471		

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.