

**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Alabama	Autauga	Baldwin	Barbour	Bibb	Blount
<b>FARMS</b>						
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	43,223	389	989	571	189	1,241
.....2007	48,753	415	1,139	623	211	1,414
.....acres, 2012	8,902,654	111,504	192,320	204,258	56,276	146,189
.....2007	9,033,537	110,464	189,815	199,129	38,093	151,282
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	21,283	204	564	227	85	641
.....2007	23,336	196	603	251	97	706
.....acres, 2012	2,158,026	29,676	91,571	22,915	7,872	27,598
.....2007	1,994,743	18,548	82,402	22,810	5,372	28,504
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners .....farms, 2012	30,909	249	719	457	143	872
.....2007	35,069	270	859	486	158	1,058
.....acres, 2012	4,756,004	55,866	82,935	149,253	32,829	76,238
.....2007	5,053,998	52,595	73,020	143,358	21,460	91,853
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	12,581	102	354	142	51	394
.....2007	13,920	100	397	152	64	452
.....acres, 2012	464,327	5,607	9,485	5,543	(D)	8,951
.....2007	498,344	4,298	10,743	9,108	(D)	11,422
Part owners .....farms, 2012	10,180	93	216	96	39	300
.....2007	11,454	113	232	111	46	317
.....acres, 2012	3,670,234	39,819	96,344	52,663	23,038	64,967
.....2007	3,550,745	36,351	104,246	50,965	15,092	55,683
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	1,740,760	14,955	37,309	24,797	17,078	29,986
.....2007	1,640,411	16,387	46,577	24,873	10,054	24,124
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	1,929,474	24,864	59,035	27,866	5,960	34,981
.....2007	1,910,334	19,964	57,669	26,092	5,038	31,559
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	7,570	70	170	75	32	221
.....2007	8,323	77	172	84	31	227
.....acres, 2012	1,444,355	16,671	72,386	16,782	6,048	17,701
.....2007	1,307,441	8,820	62,107	11,698	2,626	16,202
Tenants .....farms, 2012	2,134	47	54	18	7	69
.....2007	2,230	32	48	26	7	39
.....acres, 2012	476,416	15,819	13,041	2,342	409	4,984
.....2007	428,794	21,518	12,549	4,806	1,541	3,746
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	1,132	32	40	10	2	26
.....2007	1,093	19	34	15	2	27
.....acres, 2012	249,344	7,398	9,700	590	(D)	946
.....2007	188,958	5,430	9,552	2,004	(D)	880
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>						
Total operators ..... number	64,054	563	1,499	812	268	1,854
Farms by number of operators:						
1 operator .....	25,712	251	576	371	118	714
2 operators .....	14,976	110	338	171	63	461
3 operators .....	2,076	21	66	22	8	47
4 operators .....	333	6	3	5	-	18
5 or more operators .....	126	1	6	2	-	1
Total women operators ..... number	18,615	155	470	215	78	552
Farms by number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	16,739	135	397	197	72	510
2 operators .....	804	4	34	9	3	21
3 operators .....	75	4	-	-	-	-
4 operators .....	4	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	5	-	1	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>						
Total operators ..... number	70,959	594	1,722	837	302	2,143
Farms by number of operators:						
1 operator .....	30,182	262	654	442	128	824
2 operators .....	15,790	138	406	155	77	506
3 operators .....	2,220	11	66	21	4	47
4 operators .....	395	1	8	4	2	25
5 or more operators .....	166	3	5	1	-	12
Total women operators ..... number	20,692	157	572	222	88	677
Farms by number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	18,631	144	475	203	82	591
2 operators .....	838	5	44	8	3	37
3 operators .....	105	1	3	1	-	4
4 operators .....	15	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	2	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
<b>Sex of operator:</b>						
Male .....farms, 2012	37,809	349	815	501	161	1,102
.....2007	42,309	355	931	526	184	1,237
.....acres, 2012	8,109,804	101,396	182,535	177,240	52,751	132,337
.....2007	8,215,222	101,196	174,501	165,705	35,547	136,110
Female .....farms, 2012	5,414	40	174	70	28	139
.....2007	6,444	60	208	97	27	177
.....acres, 2012	792,850	10,108	9,785	27,018	3,525	13,852
.....2007	818,315	9,268	15,314	33,424	2,546	15,172
<b>Primary occupation:</b>						
Farming .....2012	19,114	199	453	263	73	605
.....2007	19,416	150	478	227	80	606
Other .....2012	24,109	190	536	308	116	636
.....2007	29,337	265	661	396	131	808
<b>Place of residence:</b>						
On farm operated .....2012	33,570	290	773	325	138	1,013
.....2007	37,966	284	900	394	163	1,212
Not on farm operated .....2012	9,653	99	216	246	51	228
.....2007	10,787	131	239	229	48	202

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Item	Bullock	Butler	Calhoun	Chambers	Cherokee	Chilton
<b>FARMS</b>						
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	273	407	592	301	561	543
..... 2007	277	490	735	336	654	645
..... acres, 2012	164,600	88,398	81,265	96,341	124,241	91,373
..... 2007	133,951	92,581	76,201	104,973	132,918	100,217
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	120	210	301	134	294	290
..... 2007	138	229	355	144	341	308
..... acres, 2012	13,229	13,448	18,519	9,916	53,001	15,315
..... 2007	10,231	14,626	17,567	8,051	44,402	14,957
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	178	298	437	225	393	376
..... 2007	201	373	562	280	457	446
..... acres, 2012	104,224	49,113	42,504	48,028	58,789	48,413
..... 2007	89,331	59,926	38,652	67,748	70,815	55,517
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	60	128	183	86	158	157
..... 2007	91	138	231	104	197	174
..... acres, 2012	2,717	4,299	5,259	2,837	11,592	4,231
..... 2007	3,534	(D)	5,277	(D)	9,203	4,837
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	71	102	127	68	154	134
..... 2007	58	96	143	53	157	178
..... acres, 2012	48,523	38,136	37,267	46,873	61,960	40,702
..... 2007	31,871	26,644	34,771	(D)	54,763	43,792
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	30,531	21,114	18,788	27,297	24,423	24,027
..... 2007	20,397	15,131	18,634	(D)	22,039	26,300
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	17,992	17,022	18,479	19,576	37,537	16,675
..... 2007	11,474	11,513	16,137	19,232	32,724	17,492
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	46	79	99	48	127	115
..... 2007	40	83	108	38	123	126
..... acres, 2012	8,989	8,844	12,763	7,079	38,600	9,779
..... 2007	5,756	7,149	11,181	4,271	30,969	9,839
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	24	7	28	8	14	33
..... 2007	18	21	30	3	40	21
..... acres, 2012	11,853	1,149	1,494	1,440	3,492	2,258
..... 2007	12,749	6,011	2,778	(D)	7,340	908
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	14	3	19	-	9	18
..... 2007	7	8	16	2	21	8
..... acres, 2012	1,523	305	497	-	2,809	1,305
..... 2007	941	(D)	1,109	(D)	4,230	281
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>						
Total operators .....number	372	582	888	445	843	809
Farms by number of operators:						
1 operator .....	197	250	315	168	323	322
2 operators .....	63	141	259	122	204	178
3 operators .....	9	15	17	11	26	42
4 operators .....	3	-	1	-	7	-
5 or more operators .....	1	1	-	-	1	1
Total women operators .....number	93	165	297	135	232	246
Farms by number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	87	151	272	117	202	225
2 operators .....	3	7	11	9	15	9
3 operators .....	-	-	1	-	-	1
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>						
Total operators .....number	391	670	1,067	490	956	948
Farms by number of operators:						
1 operator .....	189	327	439	195	406	384
2 operators .....	68	146	264	128	205	225
3 operators .....	16	17	28	13	35	30
4 operators .....	2	-	4	-	5	6
5 or more operators .....	2	-	-	-	3	-
Total women operators .....number	104	182	305	151	251	291
Farms by number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	92	169	279	147	228	271
2 operators .....	6	5	10	2	10	10
3 operators .....	-	1	2	-	1	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Sex of operator:						
Male ..... farms, 2012	235	362	506	258	514	459
..... 2007	241	423	667	288	587	541
..... acres, 2012	143,201	81,941	67,700	90,092	117,531	83,094
..... 2007	124,105	83,665	72,237	96,228	124,417	91,865
Female ..... farms, 2012	38	45	86	43	47	84
..... 2007	36	67	68	48	67	104
..... acres, 2012	21,399	6,457	13,565	6,249	6,710	8,279
..... 2007	9,846	8,916	3,964	8,745	8,501	8,352
Primary occupation:						
Farming ..... 2012	111	184	273	117	256	223
..... 2007	135	219	299	117	216	297
Other ..... 2012	162	223	319	184	305	320
..... 2007	142	271	436	210	438	348
Place of residence:						
On farm operated ..... 2012	178	322	489	221	447	445
..... 2007	186	393	606	255	524	533
Not on farm operated ..... 2012	95	85	103	80	114	98
..... 2007	91	97	129	81	130	112

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Item	Choctaw	Clarke	Clay	Cleburne	Coffee	Colbert	Conecuh
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	248	263	401	341	899	687	346
.....2007	264	321	432	380	971	736	401
.....acres, 2012	68,489	47,496	77,871	50,204	202,255	152,767	93,709
.....2007	55,016	73,737	74,415	49,493	211,150	128,905	86,293
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	90	126	188	172	423	352	186
.....2007	121	158	183	170	388	357	187
.....acres, 2012	5,673	6,195	8,633	5,877	60,570	56,420	15,143
.....2007	5,535	6,988	7,866	5,739	51,372	45,278	12,360
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....farms, 2012	168	180	279	267	674	475	223
.....2007	187	249	328	293	756	520	288
.....acres, 2012	33,810	30,552	35,428	32,130	96,379	60,699	60,569
.....2007	41,000	58,051	44,563	33,376	127,240	62,426	54,116
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	51	70	111	115	253	211	88
.....2007	69	107	122	112	231	222	93
.....acres, 2012	2,068	1,554	(D)	(D)	9,122	9,734	3,996
.....2007	2,648	3,908	(D)	3,030	15,915	13,046	3,920
Part owners .....farms, 2012	65	66	115	65	190	173	109
.....2007	60	58	97	74	180	177	98
.....acres, 2012	32,601	15,768	42,035	17,286	99,634	85,580	31,542
.....2007	11,104	14,626	29,109	15,430	77,112	60,955	31,267
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	17,458	8,774	23,735	10,309	49,651	33,297	20,438
.....2007	6,520	7,210	13,942	8,867	34,258	19,890	19,297
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	15,143	6,994	18,300	6,977	49,983	52,283	11,104
.....2007	4,584	7,416	15,167	6,563	42,854	41,065	11,970
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	33	49	75	55	155	121	85
.....2007	45	43	59	51	134	122	85
.....acres, 2012	1,917	4,198	6,060	2,528	49,445	45,538	10,344
.....2007	2,403	2,910	3,830	2,604	31,230	29,997	8,089
Tenants .....farms, 2012	15	17	7	9	35	39	14
.....2007	17	14	7	13	35	39	15
.....acres, 2012	2,078	1,176	408	788	6,242	6,488	1,598
.....2007	2,912	1,060	743	687	6,798	5,524	910
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	6	7	2	2	15	20	13
.....2007	7	8	2	7	23	13	9
.....acres, 2012	1,688	443	(D)	(D)	2,003	1,148	803
.....2007	484	170	(D)	105	4,227	2,235	351
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	367	380	578	532	1,324	983	511
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	146	161	251	186	536	426	202
2 operators .....	85	90	130	126	304	232	132
3 operators .....	17	9	16	25	56	25	3
4 operators .....	-	3	1	2	3	3	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	3	2	-	1	9
Total women operators ..... number	110	112	157	157	391	254	151
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	92	104	141	155	353	250	141
2 operators .....	6	4	8	1	16	2	5
3 operators .....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	345	463	652	569	1,439	1,033	533
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	191	194	249	237	602	482	287
2 operators .....	65	113	157	117	284	220	98
3 operators .....	8	13	17	17	76	29	14
4 operators .....	-	1	7	3	6	3	2
5 or more operators .....	-	-	2	6	3	2	-
Total women operators ..... number	96	131	191	159	418	264	152
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	96	129	160	133	351	252	138
2 operators .....	-	1	14	4	19	6	7
3 operators .....	-	-	1	6	7	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male .....farms, 2012	221	240	368	315	761	618	303
.....2007	225	285	392	340	819	645	340
.....acres, 2012	64,731	42,580	72,491	47,369	184,738	145,987	85,573
.....2007	46,148	66,747	69,494	46,113	189,036	118,013	74,433
Female .....farms, 2012	27	23	33	26	138	69	43
.....2007	39	36	40	40	152	91	61
.....acres, 2012	3,758	4,916	5,380	2,835	17,517	6,780	8,136
.....2007	8,868	6,990	4,921	3,380	22,114	10,892	11,860
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	100	93	159	163	454	252	155
.....2007	112	101	169	188	355	247	182
Other .....2012	148	170	242	178	445	435	191
.....2007	152	220	263	192	616	489	219
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	195	199	335	308	695	541	246
.....2007	211	241	349	328	670	539	286
Not on farm operated .....2012	53	64	66	33	204	146	100
.....2007	53	80	83	52	301	197	115

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Item	Coosa	Covington	Crenshaw	Cullman	Dale	Dallas	DeKalb
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	152	1,051	575	2,007	487	506	2,035
..... 2007	207	1,096	638	2,465	528	555	2,426
..... acres, 2012	35,946	208,556	129,893	194,083	129,788	255,114	229,294
..... 2007	45,403	200,141	132,385	229,791	138,197	257,015	235,246
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	59	469	253	1,065	225	220	1,072
..... 2007	72	475	276	1,304	231	210	1,310
..... acres, 2012	3,307	49,093	18,771	49,623	36,738	49,019	61,577
..... 2007	4,423	40,491	13,717	54,052	32,447	39,537	63,371
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	117	838	423	1,365	369	307	1,400
..... 2007	163	881	473	1,672	390	348	1,743
..... acres, 2012	22,790	138,150	80,573	88,467	62,696	135,137	106,792
..... 2007	32,098	128,638	84,584	113,386	74,650	142,778	125,870
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	42	304	145	607	134	95	605
..... 2007	45	308	165	744	133	99	836
..... acres, 2012	(D)	10,206	4,732	14,833	2,985	6,585	15,022
..... 2007	(D)	10,025	4,031	17,753	5,629	7,856	22,286
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	29	178	123	566	92	147	552
..... 2007	38	184	146	707	116	148	595
..... acres, 2012	8,191	63,851	39,808	100,029	59,175	99,938	116,674
..... 2007	11,195	66,962	44,370	112,041	59,112	101,049	105,017
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	3,736	30,016	21,875	49,447	32,593	51,946	61,210
..... 2007	4,752	32,465	27,170	52,262	28,751	47,371	52,877
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	4,455	33,835	17,933	50,582	26,582	47,992	55,464
..... 2007	6,443	34,497	17,200	59,779	30,361	53,678	52,140
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	16	138	94	421	74	101	427
..... 2007	26	149	106	521	82	96	447
..... acres, 2012	1,397	33,405	9,144	32,564	28,681	32,494	44,258
..... 2007	2,845	27,891	8,658	34,961	24,350	29,234	39,838
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	6	35	29	76	26	52	83
..... 2007	6	31	19	86	22	59	88
..... acres, 2012	4,965	6,555	9,512	5,587	7,917	20,039	5,828
..... 2007	2,110	4,541	3,431	4,364	4,435	13,188	4,359
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	1	27	14	37	17	24	40
..... 2007	1	18	5	39	16	15	27
..... acres, 2012	(D)	5,482	4,895	2,226	5,072	9,940	2,297
..... 2007	(D)	2,575	1,028	1,338	2,468	2,447	1,247
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	219	1,485	825	3,066	733	744	3,040
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	101	656	362	1,113	281	329	1,129
2 operators .....	39	361	181	752	171	148	823
3 operators .....	8	29	27	119	32	22	67
4 operators .....	4	5	5	23	1	2	16
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	2	5	-
Total women operators .....number	59	454	259	1,007	230	188	912
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	43	410	239	905	190	144	862
2 operators .....	8	22	7	51	20	20	25
3 operators .....	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	282	1,534	911	3,723	756	817	3,540
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	142	722	399	1,385	332	363	1,433
2 operators .....	55	324	209	935	166	145	892
3 operators .....	10	40	26	119	28	33	86
4 operators .....	-	8	4	19	2	11	12
5 or more operators .....	-	2	-	7	-	3	3
Total women operators .....number	78	472	297	1,189	221	234	1,087
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	70	443	273	1,080	205	190	1,036
2 operators .....	4	13	10	50	8	14	21
3 operators .....	-	1	-	3	-	4	3
4 operators .....	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male ..... farms, 2012	139	902	487	1,748	420	435	1,838
..... 2007	180	910	530	2,162	446	462	2,129
..... acres, 2012	34,641	182,845	116,686	180,078	109,355	229,466	215,498
..... 2007	40,392	177,761	113,510	210,619	122,252	233,563	217,177
Female ..... farms, 2012	13	149	88	259	67	71	197
..... 2007	27	186	108	303	82	93	297
..... acres, 2012	1,305	25,711	13,207	14,005	20,433	25,648	13,796
..... 2007	5,011	22,380	18,875	19,172	15,945	23,452	18,069
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	80	424	231	976	150	231	1,031
..... 2007	76	440	224	1,115	187	202	1,042
Other .....2012	72	627	344	1,031	337	275	1,004
..... 2007	131	656	414	1,350	341	353	1,384
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	126	836	439	1,767	355	275	1,696
..... 2007	150	830	461	2,162	378	322	2,052
Not on farm operated .....2012	26	215	136	240	132	231	339
..... 2007	57	266	177	303	150	233	374

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Elmore	Escambia	Etowah	Fayette	Franklin	Geneva	Greene
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	552	454	853	414	825	1,017	304
.....2007	626	502	1,004	401	958	1,108	316
.....acres, 2012	90,346	107,369	86,137	81,087	150,496	218,805	120,390
.....2007	102,816	112,841	94,201	78,799	140,861	220,676	135,652
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	264	219	410	229	401	427	134
.....2007	253	257	446	226	431	453	152
.....acres, 2012	26,763	41,843	17,118	22,343	28,302	67,510	10,558
.....2007	28,202	46,805	19,001	15,798	18,008	55,217	11,346
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....farms, 2012	404	296	638	291	591	799	212
.....2007	442	343	759	267	691	878	210
.....acres, 2012	42,926	50,947	52,658	47,705	84,718	135,053	83,785
.....2007	41,885	58,880	58,973	47,498	92,607	137,594	80,681
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	162	104	272	128	230	256	87
.....2007	142	124	284	120	255	263	86
.....acres, 2012	4,915	4,761	6,491	4,115	10,013	23,192	5,446
.....2007	5,496	8,545	(D)	3,707	7,141	15,264	4,795
Part owners .....farms, 2012	112	136	180	101	206	184	61
.....2007	144	128	214	127	228	200	78
.....acres, 2012	34,752	52,047	31,645	31,956	63,827	75,824	32,706
.....2007	43,420	49,966	32,734	31,042	44,936	77,026	44,296
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	16,206	23,881	15,741	12,105	37,416	37,863	18,661
.....2007	19,132	18,076	16,560	15,878	23,870	33,563	24,613
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	18,546	28,166	15,904	19,851	26,411	37,961	14,045
.....2007	24,288	31,890	16,174	15,164	21,066	43,463	19,683
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	78	104	125	83	157	151	42
.....2007	90	115	153	103	165	168	50
.....acres, 2012	13,687	33,134	10,310	17,400	17,828	37,763	4,072
.....2007	15,452	35,237	11,363	12,026	10,420	35,912	4,534
Tenants .....farms, 2012	36	22	35	22	28	34	31
.....2007	40	31	31	7	39	30	28
.....acres, 2012	12,668	4,375	1,834	1,426	1,951	7,928	3,899
.....2007	17,511	3,995	2,494	259	3,318	6,056	10,675
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	24	11	13	18	14	20	5
.....2007	21	18	9	3	11	22	16
.....acres, 2012	8,161	3,948	317	828	461	6,555	1,040
.....2007	7,254	3,023	(D)	65	447	4,041	2,017
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	841	625	1,321	585	1,193	1,481	436
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	315	305	465	266	498	623	204
2 operators .....	197	127	325	132	289	340	79
3 operators .....	33	22	48	11	35	45	14
4 operators .....	2	-	14	3	3	6	3
5 or more operators .....	5	-	1	2	-	3	4
Total women operators ..... number	258	195	415	156	311	407	102
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	228	173	370	150	287	358	84
2 operators .....	15	11	21	3	9	20	6
3 operators .....	-	-	1	-	2	3	2
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	959	682	1,439	551	1,345	1,544	442
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	363	339	625	268	621	750	218
2 operators .....	213	148	335	120	292	298	77
3 operators .....	36	13	34	9	41	50	19
4 operators .....	8	2	8	4	3	7	-
5 or more operators .....	6	-	2	-	1	3	2
Total women operators ..... number	283	185	402	132	364	455	110
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	248	177	376	121	326	402	93
2 operators .....	10	4	11	4	17	22	7
3 operators .....	5	-	-	1	-	3	1
4 operators .....	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male .....farms, 2012	473	370	754	370	756	864	266
.....2007	551	439	909	356	850	921	271
.....acres, 2012	79,580	92,848	79,884	75,956	137,562	196,341	105,878
.....2007	94,922	104,903	85,190	70,556	126,004	199,373	125,200
Female .....farms, 2012	79	84	99	44	69	153	38
.....2007	75	63	95	45	108	187	45
.....acres, 2012	10,766	14,521	6,253	5,131	12,934	22,464	14,512
.....2007	7,894	7,938	9,011	8,243	14,857	21,303	10,452
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	226	180	344	161	392	438	153
.....2007	247	223	336	128	399	449	157
Other .....2012	326	274	509	253	433	579	151
.....2007	379	279	668	273	559	659	159
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	424	278	740	314	642	725	164
.....2007	482	346	854	318	773	751	205
Not on farm operated .....2012	128	176	113	100	183	292	140
.....2007	144	156	150	83	185	357	111

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Hale	Henry	Houston	Jackson	Jefferson	Lamar	Lauderdale
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	456	498	816	1,376	394	353	1,466
..... 2007	479	478	841	1,523	470	422	1,697
..... acres, 2012	160,500	169,809	197,974	231,845	39,003	82,282	211,589
..... 2007	169,287	165,699	204,645	242,850	40,455	84,645	227,692
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	199	231	402	744	164	201	731
..... 2007	205	221	411	830	168	206	842
..... acres, 2012	17,729	61,909	86,755	75,946	6,645	9,455	86,455
..... 2007	20,475	56,660	83,890	82,433	6,040	9,029	80,454
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	294	341	566	980	273	243	1,059
..... 2007	331	326	586	1,036	319	294	1,187
..... acres, 2012	86,670	72,940	73,045	126,022	26,905	45,711	88,760
..... 2007	96,113	70,075	74,950	114,731	23,855	45,881	102,690
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	106	114	191	435	91	117	426
..... 2007	116	100	208	469	89	122	479
..... acres, 2012	6,765	5,737	10,639	21,114	2,504	2,507	15,118
..... 2007	6,025	6,263	8,162	15,922	1,874	2,439	15,888
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	127	112	204	330	82	96	363
..... 2007	120	121	195	415	106	109	453
..... acres, 2012	69,053	81,893	104,504	92,293	10,233	35,720	117,251
..... 2007	67,311	84,665	117,439	116,869	12,535	36,878	116,919
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	34,713	34,651	53,798	34,759	4,692	26,264	38,911
..... 2007	33,647	33,375	42,041	42,505	5,411	26,394	41,394
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	34,340	47,242	50,706	57,534	5,541	9,456	78,340
..... 2007	33,664	51,290	75,398	74,364	7,124	10,484	75,525
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	81	88	181	264	51	75	283
..... 2007	79	104	161	313	59	75	331
..... acres, 2012	10,184	44,963	60,071	47,183	3,818	6,537	68,597
..... 2007	13,678	42,348	67,640	60,430	3,688	6,324	60,433
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	35	45	46	66	39	14	44
..... 2007	28	31	60	72	45	19	57
..... acres, 2012	4,777	14,976	20,425	13,530	1,865	851	5,578
..... 2007	5,863	10,959	12,256	11,250	4,065	1,886	8,083
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	12	29	30	45	22	9	22
..... 2007	10	17	42	48	20	9	32
..... acres, 2012	780	11,209	16,045	7,649	323	411	2,740
..... 2007	772	8,049	8,088	6,081	478	266	4,133
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	640	700	1,208	2,095	555	521	2,151
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	315	328	474	778	247	214	906
2 operators .....	106	145	299	497	134	115	474
3 operators .....	30	22	39	85	12	20	69
4 operators .....	3	1	3	13	1	3	9
5 or more operators .....	2	2	1	3	-	1	8
Total women operators .....number	153	190	408	577	163	145	549
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	125	180	353	535	151	137	484
2 operators .....	8	5	26	21	6	4	31
3 operators .....	4	-	1	-	-	-	1
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	647	691	1,154	2,250	664	634	2,460
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	349	305	575	902	296	232	1,070
2 operators .....	98	145	224	549	156	174	527
3 operators .....	27	22	38	60	16	12	77
4 operators .....	4	3	3	8	2	2	19
5 or more operators .....	1	3	1	4	-	2	4
Total women operators .....number	144	181	346	643	191	180	672
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	119	157	304	612	183	174	616
2 operators .....	9	6	21	14	4	3	25
3 operators .....	1	4	-	1	-	-	2
4 operators .....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male ..... farms, 2012	402	426	665	1,226	348	316	1,323
..... 2007	424	420	690	1,354	412	385	1,502
..... acres, 2012	144,635	152,332	174,398	210,899	36,713	77,526	198,136
..... 2007	154,480	150,654	192,242	227,119	36,688	78,578	210,176
Female ..... farms, 2012	54	72	151	150	46	37	143
..... 2007	55	58	151	169	58	37	195
..... acres, 2012	15,865	17,477	23,576	20,946	2,290	4,756	13,453
..... 2007	14,807	15,045	12,403	15,731	3,767	6,067	17,516
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	227	214	363	514	184	118	657
.....2007	216	213	341	489	181	128	579
Other .....2012	229	284	453	862	210	235	809
.....2007	263	265	500	1,034	289	294	1,118
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	320	313	588	1,050	302	288	1,209
.....2007	317	294	599	1,194	374	310	1,340
Not on farm operated .....2012	136	185	228	326	92	65	257
.....2007	162	184	242	329	96	112	357

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Lawrence	Lee	Limestone	Lowndes	Macon	Madison	Marengo
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	1,551	315	1,230	441	352	1,033	499
.....2007	1,601	356	1,352	405	385	1,187	555
.....acres, 2012	243,840	59,024	246,697	217,760	103,317	209,352	165,436
.....2007	222,401	63,188	237,188	186,823	116,758	199,294	178,157
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	719	130	673	173	148	590	229
.....2007	682	132	688	176	175	671	266
.....acres, 2012	94,915	8,672	134,083	31,411	12,496	112,636	21,288
.....2007	85,869	7,556	124,969	23,413	17,182	102,592	22,547
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....farms, 2012	1,128	226	842	294	251	714	342
.....2007	1,153	254	931	263	289	808	350
.....acres, 2012	106,335	31,274	68,780	91,711	68,668	66,519	98,458
.....2007	109,692	41,147	71,478	89,367	78,921	74,164	107,619
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	417	77	380	101	95	352	132
.....2007	395	85	381	97	119	386	150
.....acres, 2012	11,524	1,568	13,662	9,657	3,386	14,979	7,049
.....2007	14,989	(D)	16,222	7,004	5,801	17,799	7,408
Part owners .....farms, 2012	351	78	318	98	74	266	116
.....2007	361	81	361	111	83	294	140
.....acres, 2012	100,194	26,148	152,679	101,269	30,770	115,877	55,173
.....2007	84,568	19,942	141,536	88,938	33,084	108,673	61,031
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	33,957	14,876	37,872	55,667	18,099	35,253	29,800
.....2007	28,597	10,421	38,339	52,134	18,695	34,801	33,242
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	66,237	11,272	114,807	45,602	12,671	80,624	25,373
.....2007	55,971	9,521	103,197	36,804	14,389	73,872	27,789
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	260	46	248	51	40	206	78
.....2007	249	44	276	68	48	226	92
.....acres, 2012	51,925	6,122	100,883	14,607	6,768	81,136	11,187
.....2007	46,733	4,659	93,828	14,774	9,181	72,771	12,544
Tenants .....farms, 2012	72	11	70	49	27	53	41
.....2007	87	21	60	31	13	85	65
.....acres, 2012	37,311	1,602	25,238	24,780	3,879	26,956	11,805
.....2007	28,141	2,099	24,174	8,518	4,753	16,457	9,507
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	42	7	45	21	13	32	19
.....2007	38	3	31	11	8	59	24
.....acres, 2012	31,466	982	19,538	7,147	2,342	16,521	3,052
.....2007	24,147	(D)	14,919	1,635	2,200	12,022	2,595
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	2,279	460	1,866	675	529	1,616	755
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	933	206	687	287	205	553	289
2 operators .....	537	86	459	113	126	404	172
3 operators .....	60	17	77	25	16	58	33
4 operators .....	15	1	6	9	2	12	2
5 or more operators .....	6	5	1	7	3	6	3
Total women operators ..... number	704	125	547	153	143	505	178
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	635	120	493	117	135	432	164
2 operators .....	24	1	24	6	1	35	2
3 operators .....	7	1	2	4	2	1	2
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	2,349	536	1,978	573	559	1,729	825
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	976	210	830	278	242	735	359
2 operators .....	537	118	445	96	119	385	145
3 operators .....	66	25	56	22	17	50	36
4 operators .....	15	1	16	8	7	11	11
5 or more operators .....	7	2	5	1	-	6	4
Total women operators ..... number	749	167	575	137	147	502	232
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	669	153	513	116	138	442	192
2 operators .....	40	7	22	9	3	27	13
3 operators .....	-	-	6	1	1	2	2
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male .....farms, 2012	1,359	264	1,086	385	307	879	467
.....2007	1,358	304	1,175	342	346	1,050	472
.....acres, 2012	218,524	51,058	234,304	209,225	90,958	200,886	158,496
.....2007	194,357	56,849	225,353	172,349	110,470	189,795	153,086
Female .....farms, 2012	192	51	144	56	45	154	32
.....2007	243	52	177	63	39	137	83
.....acres, 2012	25,316	7,966	12,393	8,535	12,359	8,466	6,940
.....2007	28,044	6,339	11,835	14,474	6,288	9,499	25,071
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	670	117	573	214	170	511	169
.....2007	640	165	474	186	126	521	223
Other .....2012	881	198	657	227	182	522	330
.....2007	961	191	878	219	259	666	332
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	1,227	218	964	306	211	826	341
.....2007	1,253	279	1,098	276	257	929	339
Not on farm operated .....2012	324	97	266	135	141	207	158
.....2007	348	77	254	129	128	258	216

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Marion	Marshall	Mobile	Monroe	Montgomery	Morgan	Perry
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	715	1,505	698	480	603	1,237	389
..... 2007	787	1,731	876	505	620	1,457	390
..... acres, 2012	113,773	162,980	88,789	140,597	220,066	152,567	157,250
..... 2007	117,206	154,548	113,653	118,805	223,079	161,531	165,773
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	298	781	390	275	263	692	171
..... 2007	368	948	469	284	252	745	154
..... acres, 2012	12,993	35,349	31,637	45,651	34,182	44,430	27,258
..... 2007	18,922	38,563	27,535	35,413	29,008	45,038	15,306
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	552	1,062	561	281	395	839	268
..... 2007	593	1,216	693	312	413	983	257
..... acres, 2012	82,814	89,334	47,024	80,283	84,604	72,841	95,950
..... 2007	78,681	81,948	67,331	66,716	123,046	78,463	98,704
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	206	469	302	127	148	388	97
..... 2007	233	578	351	129	156	421	81
..... acres, 2012	5,393	11,516	(D)	6,762	9,689	11,505	7,857
..... 2007	5,639	13,367	7,936	4,392	12,003	12,352	3,685
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	132	401	113	159	148	317	87
..... 2007	163	433	165	155	151	422	90
..... acres, 2012	28,317	68,570	34,288	54,479	107,156	66,926	52,087
..... 2007	34,840	64,559	40,353	46,369	86,897	75,922	51,481
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	13,868	31,032	17,324	23,806	37,849	27,296	25,771
..... 2007	19,689	29,068	13,473	18,443	41,992	32,846	32,603
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	14,449	37,538	16,964	30,673	69,307	39,630	26,316
..... 2007	15,151	35,491	26,880	27,926	44,905	43,076	18,878
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	78	292	78	123	83	251	58
..... 2007	117	330	106	133	79	302	60
..... acres, 2012	7,108	22,206	16,858	35,360	21,237	24,386	13,234
..... 2007	11,117	20,796	17,026	27,464	14,712	29,820	7,039
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	31	42	24	40	60	81	34
..... 2007	31	82	18	38	56	52	43
..... acres, 2012	2,642	5,076	7,477	5,835	28,306	12,800	9,213
..... 2007	3,685	8,041	5,969	5,720	13,136	7,146	15,588
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	14	20	10	25	32	53	16
..... 2007	18	40	12	22	17	22	13
..... acres, 2012	492	1,627	(D)	3,529	3,256	8,539	6,167
..... 2007	2,166	4,400	2,573	3,557	2,293	2,866	4,582
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	1,077	2,230	1,126	646	875	1,798	574
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	392	865	364	342	364	751	253
2 operators .....	292	570	272	115	210	428	99
3 operators .....	24	56	53	19	25	48	32
4 operators .....	6	13	5	3	4	6	3
5 or more operators .....	1	1	4	1	-	4	2
Total women operators .....number	330	649	369	157	246	511	153
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	306	609	321	141	228	477	119
2 operators .....	12	20	20	6	9	17	8
3 operators .....	-	-	1	-	-	-	6
4 operators .....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....number	1,140	2,546	1,340	686	938	2,155	592
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	493	1,027	494	359	371	899	241
2 operators .....	247	608	324	120	197	474	114
3 operators .....	36	85	44	19	40	61	25
4 operators .....	10	8	10	6	11	13	5
5 or more operators .....	1	3	4	1	1	10	5
Total women operators .....number	329	722	421	173	279	598	160
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	277	667	383	150	241	535	114
2 operators .....	23	23	19	5	19	21	14
3 operators .....	2	3	-	3	-	7	6
4 operators .....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male ..... farms, 2012	652	1,360	571	416	519	1,092	315
..... 2007	694	1,518	746	440	522	1,289	328
..... acres, 2012	104,896	150,790	83,104	125,625	207,839	140,381	141,234
..... 2007	106,923	142,377	103,290	103,594	207,266	146,658	151,721
Female ..... farms, 2012	63	145	127	64	84	145	74
..... 2007	93	213	130	65	98	168	62
..... acres, 2012	8,877	12,190	5,685	14,972	12,227	12,186	16,016
..... 2007	10,283	12,171	10,363	15,211	15,813	14,873	14,052
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	268	631	339	214	304	521	155
.....2007	280	684	348	210	261	551	171
Other .....2012	447	874	359	266	299	716	234
.....2007	507	1,047	528	295	359	906	219
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	579	1,301	577	332	400	1,023	239
.....2007	648	1,456	725	348	446	1,222	255
Not on farm operated .....2012	136	204	121	148	203	214	150
.....2007	139	275	151	157	174	235	135

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Pickens	Pike	Randolph	Russell	St. Clair	Shelby	Sumter
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	433	600	611	280	540	401	428
.....2007	503	709	610	303	621	474	431
.....acres, 2012	102,646	167,272	113,918	117,351	67,447	58,452	239,820
.....2007	130,751	179,175	114,717	94,155	71,574	54,810	180,931
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	177	296	283	117	271	196	203
.....2007	214	348	264	113	264	236	200
.....acres, 2012	16,428	24,326	11,155	21,145	11,028	16,281	17,146
.....2007	15,694	26,625	8,480	11,591	11,456	14,516	13,805
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....farms, 2012	336	455	430	219	418	311	286
.....2007	365	534	470	236	467	340	304
.....acres, 2012	73,564	106,368	68,586	84,751	40,000	34,437	155,525
.....2007	88,437	109,121	75,303	64,169	43,882	32,450	128,276
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	106	187	173	74	189	131	109
.....2007	124	215	175	71	172	154	127
.....acres, 2012	8,789	7,191	5,227	(D)	4,783	4,203	4,786
.....2007	8,105	7,489	4,462	(D)	5,113	4,279	7,364
Part owners .....farms, 2012	89	125	151	51	102	75	113
.....2007	124	144	122	58	135	119	95
.....acres, 2012	27,019	58,263	42,931	26,127	25,451	20,123	79,534
.....2007	38,672	63,443	37,627	21,979	25,723	20,529	46,457
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	16,830	37,491	26,369	11,406	11,591	7,756	55,902
.....2007	19,294	33,953	24,666	15,816	12,189	6,043	21,110
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	10,189	20,772	16,562	14,721	13,860	12,367	23,632
.....2007	19,378	29,490	12,961	6,163	13,534	14,486	25,347
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	67	105	101	37	70	58	82
.....2007	83	116	77	35	87	76	61
.....acres, 2012	7,146	15,695	5,676	12,589	5,701	10,429	11,517
.....2007	7,175	17,765	3,622	5,048	6,103	9,533	5,866
Tenants .....farms, 2012	8	20	30	10	20	15	29
.....2007	14	31	18	9	19	15	32
.....acres, 2012	2,063	2,641	2,401	6,473	1,996	3,892	4,761
.....2007	3,642	6,611	1,787	8,007	1,969	1,831	6,198
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	4	4	9	6	12	7	12
.....2007	7	17	12	7	5	6	12
.....acres, 2012	493	1,440	252	(D)	544	1,649	843
.....2007	414	1,371	396	(D)	240	704	575
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	653	853	903	423	892	609	638
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	260	390	358	174	292	223	277
2 operators .....	137	184	218	93	217	160	111
3 operators .....	28	10	32	5	21	14	33
4 operators .....	5	15	2	5	4	-	3
5 or more operators .....	3	1	1	3	6	4	4
Total women operators ..... number	170	241	268	119	240	225	184
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	158	198	254	86	224	189	163
2 operators .....	3	20	4	11	8	15	7
3 operators .....	2	1	2	2	-	2	1
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators ..... number	724	1,030	894	471	948	687	605
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	319	458	375	161	345	295	288
2 operators .....	150	206	195	120	240	153	118
3 operators .....	32	28	32	20	25	21	20
4 operators .....	1	10	7	-	7	3	4
5 or more operators .....	1	7	1	2	4	2	1
Total women operators ..... number	195	314	242	139	268	228	188
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	180	260	222	127	257	191	180
2 operators .....	6	7	10	6	4	15	4
3 operators .....	1	8	-	-	1	1	-
4 operators .....	-	4	-	-	-	1	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male .....farms, 2012	395	512	548	247	458	322	350
.....2007	453	605	552	272	553	380	337
.....acres, 2012	86,348	152,793	107,428	109,142	61,945	50,741	206,531
.....2007	112,641	159,108	107,763	86,445	64,673	48,850	151,884
Female .....farms, 2012	38	88	63	33	82	79	78
.....2007	50	104	58	31	68	94	94
.....acres, 2012	16,298	14,479	6,490	8,209	5,502	7,711	33,289
.....2007	18,110	20,067	6,954	7,710	6,901	5,960	29,047
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....2012	203	237	319	99	276	179	197
.....2007	240	267	251	119	246	187	175
Other .....2012	230	363	292	181	264	222	231
.....2007	263	442	359	184	375	287	256
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....2012	330	470	492	196	480	305	236
.....2007	390	523	495	234	550	387	253
Not on farm operated .....2012	103	130	119	84	60	96	192
.....2007	113	186	115	69	71	87	178

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Talladega	Tallapoosa	Tuscaloosa	Walker	Washington	Wilcox	Winston
<b>FARMS</b>							
Land in farms .....	519	345	497	482	371	316	520
..... farms, 2012	625	377	613	629	473	368	626
..... acres, 2012	99,836	60,953	85,985	54,518	95,567	119,620	57,959
..... farms, 2007	119,042	64,078	110,588	70,382	83,610	168,849	64,541
Harvested cropland .....	289	133	237	219	208	138	258
..... farms, 2012	327	132	293	285	276	150	313
..... acres, 2012	33,323	6,039	21,423	11,874	9,576	12,351	9,900
..... farms, 2007	32,072	5,793	22,212	15,129	11,329	16,471	11,653
<b>TENURE</b>							
Full owners .....	362	283	375	347	299	214	400
..... farms, 2012	459	298	449	446	349	278	449
..... acres, 2012	47,159	44,363	49,321	29,446	75,596	74,492	37,592
..... farms, 2007	69,388	47,354	67,810	37,080	55,840	96,150	37,997
Harvested cropland .....	177	94	156	129	149	81	170
..... farms, 2012	206	80	178	161	169	100	183
..... acres, 2012	6,860	(D)	4,038	3,558	3,714	3,409	5,066
..... farms, 2007	10,629	(D)	4,792	4,425	4,109	5,322	5,058
Part owners .....	131	58	94	122	66	84	97
..... farms, 2012	140	75	127	155	112	70	148
..... acres, 2012	49,797	16,320	31,442	23,781	19,043	43,888	16,474
..... farms, 2007	47,222	(D)	37,952	30,981	26,650	68,355	24,624
Owned land in farms .....	18,584	8,493	13,698	11,626	12,602	22,833	8,658
..... acres, 2012	17,613	(D)	17,792	14,269	15,678	43,286	12,409
Rented land in farms .....	31,213	7,827	17,744	12,155	6,441	21,055	7,816
..... acres, 2012	29,609	8,200	20,160	16,712	10,972	25,069	12,215
Harvested cropland .....	98	38	66	87	54	51	75
..... farms, 2012	106	49	92	114	100	44	112
..... acres, 2012	24,894	3,747	14,514	7,536	5,637	8,774	4,321
..... farms, 2007	20,143	3,047	14,879	9,306	7,022	10,328	6,197
Tenants .....	26	4	28	13	6	18	23
..... farms, 2012	26	4	37	28	12	20	29
..... acres, 2012	2,880	270	5,222	1,291	928	1,240	3,893
..... farms, 2007	2,432	(D)	4,826	2,321	1,120	4,344	1,920
Harvested cropland .....	14	1	15	3	5	6	13
..... farms, 2012	15	3	23	10	7	6	18
..... acres, 2012	1,569	(D)	2,871	780	225	168	513
..... farms, 2007	1,300	(D)	2,541	1,398	198	821	398
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....	746	517	722	716	549	451	802
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	329	187	307	278	225	209	290
2 operators .....	158	144	163	174	117	84	190
3 operators .....	31	14	19	30	26	18	28
4 operators .....	-	-	8	-	3	5	12
5 or more operators .....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total women operators .....	196	156	211	214	148	116	249
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	171	146	177	210	134	98	225
2 operators .....	11	5	11	2	7	3	6
3 operators .....	1	-	4	-	-	4	4
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>							
Total operators .....	898	559	948	928	678	500	964
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator .....	399	219	345	385	295	260	343
2 operators .....	188	136	209	206	152	86	248
3 operators .....	29	21	52	31	25	20	24
4 operators .....	9	-	6	3	1	2	2
5 or more operators .....	-	1	1	4	-	-	9
Total women operators .....	243	164	299	276	201	146	321
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator .....	225	148	254	242	185	138	287
2 operators .....	9	8	18	9	8	4	17
3 operators .....	-	-	3	2	-	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Sex of operator:							
Male .....	478	308	431	420	337	263	452
..... farms, 2012	560	342	534	551	427	295	535
..... acres, 2012	95,975	58,168	77,836	51,688	68,534	108,514	52,297
..... farms, 2007	113,598	60,079	103,404	65,882	77,125	156,126	56,637
Female .....	41	37	66	62	34	53	68
..... farms, 2012	65	35	79	78	46	73	91
..... acres, 2012	3,861	2,785	8,149	2,830	27,033	11,106	5,662
..... farms, 2007	5,444	3,999	7,184	4,500	6,485	12,723	7,904
Primary occupation:							
Farming .....	261	145	184	163	161	142	265
..... 2012	253	122	253	264	187	196	257
..... 2007	258	200	313	319	210	174	255
Other .....	372	255	360	365	286	172	369
Place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	397	278	400	413	316	239	463
..... 2012	518	293	461	549	404	241	551
..... 2007	122	67	97	69	55	77	57
Not on farm operated .....	107	84	152	80	69	127	75
..... 2012							
..... 2007							

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Alabama	Autauga	Baldwin	Barbour	Bibb	Blount
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Days worked off farm:						
None .....2012	16,775	157	370	223	72	508
.....2007	17,262	127	442	270	77	522
Any .....2012	26,448	232	619	348	117	733
.....2007	31,491	288	697	353	134	892
1 to 49 days .....2012	3,033	17	68	82	14	63
.....2007	4,666	35	144	60	12	109
50 to 99 days .....2012	1,523	31	41	15	6	71
.....2007	2,613	43	51	34	11	73
100 to 199 days .....2012	4,200	43	86	69	15	88
.....2007	4,464	38	100	47	18	135
200 days or more .....2012	17,692	141	424	182	82	511
.....2007	19,748	172	402	212	93	575
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....2012	1,425	20	36	17	13	50
.....2007	2,230	23	39	19	9	65
3 or 4 years .....2012	2,205	25	37	43	14	44
.....2007	3,423	40	80	43	18	107
5 to 9 years .....2012	6,195	57	122	83	18	229
.....2007	8,093	68	207	111	34	216
10 years or more .....2012	33,398	287	794	428	144	918
.....2007	35,007	284	813	450	150	1,026
Average years on present farm .....2012	22.6	21.9	22.6	22.7	23.0	21.6
.....2007	20.5	20.0	21.9	21.4	18.9	19.9
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less .....2012	1,056	9	30	12	9	35
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	1,790	29	19	34	13	38
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	5,473	52	111	76	16	205
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	34,904	299	829	449	151	963
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	24.4	24.0	24.7	24.6	24.9	23.5
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:						
Under 25 years .....2012	231	12	1	-	-	8
.....2007	240	6	-	5	4	15
25 to 34 years .....2012	1,814	20	28	19	9	101
.....2007	2,259	27	24	19	19	58
35 to 44 years .....2012	4,289	42	59	79	18	123
.....2007	5,959	59	107	56	21	172
45 to 54 years .....2012	8,683	65	212	72	35	241
.....2007	11,251	77	236	105	53	300
55 to 59 years .....2012	5,991	36	157	70	37	180
.....2007	6,947	56	141	96	25	217
60 to 64 years .....2012	6,388	68	142	87	20	196
.....2007	6,818	70	212	85	27	192
65 to 69 years .....2012	5,764	56	141	76	17	130
.....2007	5,661	36	151	85	28	168
70 years and over .....2012	10,063	90	249	168	53	262
.....2007	9,618	84	268	172	34	292
Average age .....2012	59.3	58.2	60.8	61.2	59.5	57.6
.....2007	57.6	56.2	60.4	60.9	55.2	57.5
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Internet access .....2012	27,925	246	677	333	117	817
.....2007	24,457	224	650	230	103	725
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	2,613	22	50	26	17	82
DSL service .....farms, 2012	11,978	51	478	147	38	446
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	5,564	52	42	58	11	151
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	658	2	4	7	2	11
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	5,027	69	105	47	16	128
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	4,427	69	61	45	34	63
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	435	2	11	22	-	6
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	344	1	5	-	-	9
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012						
.....acres, 2012	42,203	381	957	551	183	1,204
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	8,209,594	101,863	162,895	183,296	41,698	137,994
.....acres, 2012	1,651	16	56	30	13	35
.....farms, 2012	920,093	8,606	31,413	34,851	12,529	13,393
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	39,417	357	848	505	165	1,148
.....2007	45,014	368	996	550	194	1,327
.....acres, 2012	6,542,453	83,879	99,422	133,512	(D)	123,249
.....2007	7,085,414	82,655	119,688	150,829	28,950	132,974
Partnership .....farms, 2012	2,107	19	58	38	14	57
.....2007	2,377	32	92	44	11	61
.....acres, 2012	1,415,100	18,751	44,708	58,051	17,960	18,508
.....2007	1,278,960	15,870	49,218	30,670	7,136	11,528
Corporation:						
Family-held .....farms, 2012	1,177	8	57	16	8	32
.....2007	894	8	35	26	3	25
.....acres, 2012	690,184	6,372	25,614	9,026	8,992	3,619
.....2007	494,942	10,457	17,172	17,585	1,380	(D)
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	139	3	2	4	2	1
.....2007	123	2	4	1	3	1
.....acres, 2012	52,105	(D)	(D)	261	(D)	(D)
.....2007	34,428	(D)	1,295	(D)	627	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012						
.....2007	383	2	24	8	-	3
.....acres, 2012	345	5	12	2	-	-
.....farms, 2012	202,812	(D)	(D)	3,408	-	(D)
.....2007	139,793	(D)	2,442	(D)	-	-

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Bullock	Butler	Calhoun	Chambers	Cherokee	Chilton
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Days worked off farm:						
None ..... 2012	83	169	219	100	218	176
..... 2007	94	195	234	118	222	263
Any ..... 2012	190	238	373	201	343	367
..... 2007	183	295	501	218	432	382
1 to 49 days ..... 2012	23	20	43	10	27	64
..... 2007	30	47	70	25	81	52
50 to 99 days ..... 2012	20	11	25	11	20	9
..... 2007	15	22	27	18	18	36
100 to 199 days ..... 2012	35	30	71	39	26	58
..... 2007	25	39	76	25	64	81
200 days or more ..... 2012	112	177	234	141	270	236
..... 2007	113	187	328	150	269	213
Years on present farm:						
2 years or less ..... 2012	6	17	17	11	16	16
..... 2007	8	23	33	20	30	26
3 or 4 years ..... 2012	9	22	25	16	27	42
..... 2007	28	36	40	17	51	47
5 to 9 years ..... 2012	39	52	89	30	79	71
..... 2007	39	89	108	49	135	113
10 years or more ..... 2012	219	316	461	244	439	414
..... 2007	202	342	554	250	438	459
Average years on present farm ..... 2012	23.0	23.0	23.4	23.9	24.0	21.7
..... 2007	22.2	21.0	20.4	23.0	19.7	21.3
Years operating any farm (see text):						
2 years or less ..... 2012	5	8	12	8	15	16
..... 2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years ..... 2012	5	17	21	13	23	32
..... 2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years ..... 2012	37	46	89	30	66	66
..... 2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more ..... 2012	226	336	470	250	457	429
..... 2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm ..... 2012	25.1	24.4	24.6	25.5	25.4	23.6
..... 2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:						
Under 25 years ..... 2012	-	-	3	5	6	7
..... 2007	1	-	2	-	-	9
25 to 34 years ..... 2012	11	15	22	13	9	32
..... 2007	3	24	34	25	42	20
35 to 44 years ..... 2012	23	47	75	29	80	50
..... 2007	25	48	94	45	99	89
45 to 54 years ..... 2012	59	75	111	67	116	92
..... 2007	63	82	181	81	147	134
55 to 59 years ..... 2012	33	40	95	55	58	83
..... 2007	58	74	134	22	95	87
60 to 64 years ..... 2012	49	65	101	20	121	66
..... 2007	36	84	108	41	93	89
65 to 69 years ..... 2012	24	67	63	39	57	87
..... 2007	37	64	67	43	88	107
70 years and over ..... 2012	74	98	122	73	114	126
..... 2007	54	114	115	79	90	110
Average age ..... 2012	59.8	59.7	58.8	58.6	58.6	58.6
..... 2007	59.7	60.0	56.3	58.3	56.0	57.5
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Internet access ..... 2012	164	270	400	228	388	340
..... 2007	112	238	451	178	374	281
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2012	20	16	46	22	26	30
DSL service ..... farms, 2012	73	181	124	74	218	173
Cable modem service ..... farms, 2012	25	49	108	45	28	28
Fiber-optic service ..... farms, 2012	21	3	3	12	4	26
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone ..... farms, 2012	23	31	62	41	58	57
Satellite service ..... farms, 2012	20	32	69	47	77	50
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) ..... farms, 2012	7	-	6	14	8	5
Other Internet service ..... farms, 2012	3	5	7	5	-	-
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... farms, 2012						
..... acres, 2012	264	401	586	300	544	533
Limited Liability Corporation ..... farms, 2012	131,869	80,515	79,298	96,091	110,893	87,973
..... acres, 2012	16	3	16	12	22	11
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Family or individual ..... farms, 2012	236	383	551	269	498	500
..... acres, 2012	231	466	688	300	592	606
Partnership ..... farms, 2012	81,573	74,876	64,804	(D)	90,274	71,889
..... acres, 2012	92,305	84,072	65,779	73,351	100,231	84,152
Corporation: ..... farms, 2012	17	15	24	19	45	22
..... acres, 2012	27	13	26	22	43	17
..... farms, 2012	17,855	5,930	12,155	21,832	30,018	8,618
..... acres, 2012	18,957	6,335	3,655	18,729	24,506	7,173
Family-held ..... farms, 2012	16	4	13	11	13	17
..... acres, 2012	12	4	11	10	15	14
Other than family held ..... farms, 2012	45,438	(D)	3,874	2,894	1,670	10,479
..... acres, 2012	10,180	(D)	4,791	10,716	7,852	6,260
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	3	1	2	1	2	-
..... acres, 2012	2	-	4	-	1	1
..... farms, 2012	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
..... acres, 2012	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
..... farms, 2012	1	4	2	1	3	4
..... acres, 2012	5	7	6	4	3	7
..... farms, 2012	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	387
..... acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,177	(D)	(D)

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Choctaw	Clarke	Clay	Cleburne	Coffee	Colbert	Conecuh
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	112	79	135	140	388	217	154
2007	104	98	139	158	397	244	152
Any .....2012	136	184	266	201	511	470	192
2007	160	223	293	222	574	492	249
1 to 49 days .....2012	14	22	25	26	74	52	37
2007	30	36	45	20	108	102	38
50 to 99 days .....2012	4	8	15	17	49	28	26
2007	15	11	21	30	56	25	15
100 to 199 days .....2012	13	44	45	21	46	106	33
2007	27	28	55	25	62	70	36
200 days or more .....2012	105	110	181	137	342	284	96
2007	88	148	172	147	348	295	160
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	13	7	4	8	32	17	8
2007	6	5	5	20	31	18	16
3 or 4 years .....2012	19	11	30	18	43	42	17
2007	28	18	19	32	60	71	21
5 to 9 years .....2012	42	42	36	51	120	106	43
2007	37	38	86	47	186	134	37
10 years or more .....2012	174	203	331	264	704	522	278
2007	193	260	322	281	694	513	327
Average years on present farm .....2012	21.1	22.6	22.7	24.4	23.7	22.4	24.4
2007	22.9	21.1	21.5	21.4	21.0	20.4	24.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	4	6	4	7	26	12	4
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	20	10	28	15	33	35	14
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	41	34	32	41	106	106	42
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	183	213	337	278	734	534	286
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	22.2	24.7	24.1	26.5	25.2	23.6	26.8
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	-	-	2	-	4	6	-
2007	-	-	2	6	3	2	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	11	7	15	23	26	30	3
2007	9	20	15	20	54	30	11
35 to 44 years .....2012	22	22	34	35	93	99	45
2007	21	27	40	43	104	91	38
45 to 54 years .....2012	64	50	81	68	144	116	45
2007	60	77	101	82	187	162	53
55 to 59 years .....2012	25	51	75	44	113	103	38
2007	36	39	60	44	141	123	38
60 to 64 years .....2012	43	34	56	44	116	102	36
2007	38	59	71	76	153	98	71
65 to 69 years .....2012	24	46	56	62	163	71	56
2007	45	40	54	46	114	79	57
70 years and over .....2012	59	53	82	65	240	160	123
2007	55	59	89	63	215	151	133
Average age .....2012	58.8	59.7	58.6	58.6	61.1	58.5	62.9
2007	59.8	57.9	58.6	57.3	58.5	58.1	62.7
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	158	139	264	231	580	426	198
2007	111	140	206	176	471	372	144
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	20	10	13	28	40	41	19
DSL service .....farms, 2012	81	41	182	136	274	91	74
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	7	10	27	6	150	96	19
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	2	2	3	9	13	17	2
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	30	15	31	44	104	93	32
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	40	64	49	26	56	102	77
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	-	-	-	4	21	7	3
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	-	2	-	-	4	17	-
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012	245	257	396	337	880	673	340
acres, 2012	68,486	46,332	77,268	49,737	192,239	142,168	72,735
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	15	22	9	7	23	29	7
acres, 2012	16,288	3,705	5,274	(D)	20,763	17,978	2,410
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	228	250	386	320	794	634	318
2007	252	305	401	362	869	682	360
acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	73,728	45,157	151,798	114,102	(D)
Partnership .....farms, 2012	47,838	(D)	66,981	47,004	176,583	100,497	67,941
2007	16	10	12	10	48	36	18
acres, 2012	12	15	26	11	70	37	30
2007	19,794	(D)	2,477	2,476	35,853	22,631	2,942
Corporation:							
Family-held .....farms, 2012	3	2	3	9	43	12	8
2007	-	1	5	7	15	12	5
acres, 2012	2,626	(D)	1,666	(D)	9,364	15,570	3,382
2007	-	(D)	4,099	451	5,717	5,314	675
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
2007	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
acres, 2012	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
2007	-	-	-	-	130	-	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012	1	1	-	2	13	4	2
2007	-	-	-	-	13	5	6
acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2007	-	-	-	-	3,775	732	2,714

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Coosa	Covington	Crenshaw	Cullman	Dale	Dallas	DeKalb
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....	46	438	254	851	163	189	729
2012	78	454	231	862	162	204	845
Any .....	106	613	321	1,156	324	317	1,306
2012	129	642	407	1,603	366	351	1,581
2007	28	68	36	189	24	29	253
1 to 49 days .....	21	132	44	175	50	59	197
2012	13	35	10	41	14	12	57
2007	12	44	44	126	26	17	129
50 to 99 days .....	10	165	41	152	50	27	204
2012	23	94	63	216	79	37	216
2007	55	345	234	774	236	249	792
200 days or more .....	73	372	256	1,086	211	238	1,039
2007							
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	2	31	13	76	28	13	67
2012	6	48	24	114	23	24	127
2007	11	58	32	74	27	28	74
3 or 4 years .....	13	89	40	138	40	30	200
2012	12	151	73	222	65	68	273
2007	28	182	128	392	63	80	343
5 to 9 years .....	127	811	457	1,635	367	397	1,621
2012	160	777	446	1,821	402	421	1,756
2007	24.2	23.0	23.2	23.2	22.3	24.7	23.3
Average years on present farm .....	21.1	20.6	19.6	20.0	21.4	22.4	19.8
2007							
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....	2	22	10	61	24	7	62
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007	9	54	22	47	17	23	63
3 or 4 years .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2012	7	130	71	187	69	63	235
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....	134	845	472	1,712	377	413	1,675
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007	26.4	24.3	24.3	24.8	23.5	26.7	25.1
Average years on any farm .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007							
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....	-	5	7	10	-	2	13
2012	-	9	5	5	-	-	20
2007	3	30	27	93	11	23	139
25 to 34 years .....	9	30	42	137	23	30	166
2012	6	97	48	215	62	32	226
2007	15	108	65	379	56	60	341
35 to 44 years .....							
2012	23	171	98	425	94	111	409
2007	31	237	125	636	115	125	667
45 to 54 years .....	17	154	65	257	54	74	320
2012	32	143	98	373	79	67	310
2007	25	164	99	321	73	57	343
60 to 64 years .....	35	167	108	335	70	79	290
2012	25	143	100	283	61	60	235
2007	33	151	71	252	41	59	264
65 to 69 years .....	53	287	131	403	132	147	350
2012	52	251	124	348	144	135	368
2007	64.1	61.1	59.9	58.1	60.5	60.5	57.0
Average age .....	61.3	59.4	57.7	55.4	59.4	59.3	55.0
2007							
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....	88	688	392	1,327	309	315	1,394
2012	79	547	277	1,354	255	245	1,257
2007	5	46	32	119	13	27	66
Dial-up service .....	32	274	232	404	141	110	730
DSL service .....	16	233	43	315	94	58	177
Cable modem service .....	3	9	10	31	6	7	128
Fiber-optic service .....							
Mobile broadband plan for computer							
or cell phone .....	17	94	66	316	38	69	301
2012	29	93	42	265	35	52	123
2007	-	15	5	35	1	4	33
Satellite service .....	-	5	-	17	1	19	10
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....							
Other Internet service .....							
2012							
2007							
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held							
by operator and/or persons related to operator by							
blood/marriage/adoption .....							
2012	150	1,030	571	1,973	476	483	2,012
2007	35,688	201,995	127,453	190,004	121,180	227,197	227,039
Limited Liability Corporation .....	6	33	24	48	27	30	35
2012	6,015	21,520	10,496	10,811	8,173	42,593	4,888
2007							
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual .....	144	976	532	1,878	452	440	1,943
2012	190	1,005	576	2,369	490	481	2,310
2007	28,768	161,653	107,373	171,646	104,260	173,715	209,479
Partnership .....	35,446	160,808	112,806	218,374	116,558	170,964	217,525
2012	5	40	27	63	19	39	47
2007	13	63	50	55	19	46	76
2012	2,278	34,146	14,162	12,599	20,520	56,496	8,524
2007	7,218	24,797	13,936	6,502	14,052	52,614	10,660
Corporation:							
Family-held .....	3	22	11	47	9	21	32
2012	4	22	6	30	10	20	17
2007	4,900	10,587	7,914	8,546	4,096	22,067	10,041
Other than family held .....	2,739	12,646	3,977	4,486	6,509	28,754	3,810
2012	-	2	1	7	2	1	3
2007	-	2	1	6	4	3	13
2012	-	(D)	(D)	208	(D)	(D)	(D)
2007	-	(D)	(D)	139	180	562	1,597
Other - cooperative, estate or trust,							
institutional, etc. ....	-	11	4	12	5	5	10
2012	-	4	5	5	5	5	10
2007	-	(D)	(D)	1,084	(D)	(D)	(D)
2012	-	(D)	(D)	290	898	4,121	1,654
2007							

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Elmore	Escambia	Etowah	Fayette	Franklin	Geneva	Greene
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	213	206	339	159	297	399	119
.....2007	218	168	280	148	343	464	131
Any .....2012	339	248	514	255	528	618	185
.....2007	408	334	724	253	615	644	185
1 to 49 days .....2012	35	38	50	18	48	84	12
.....2007	41	58	77	41	103	115	32
50 to 99 days .....2012	16	21	18	15	18	34	16
.....2007	21	49	58	25	52	46	26
100 to 199 days .....2012	34	49	96	44	81	78	28
.....2007	53	48	81	33	89	72	23
200 days or more .....2012	254	140	350	178	381	422	129
.....2007	293	179	508	154	371	411	104
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	13	9	18	8	33	38	6
.....2007	29	20	46	21	39	79	15
3 or 4 years .....2012	33	43	51	27	42	49	10
.....2007	31	25	84	18	52	76	20
5 to 9 years .....2012	99	47	150	70	119	139	27
.....2007	82	70	176	54	139	129	60
10 years or more .....2012	407	355	634	309	631	791	261
.....2007	484	387	698	308	728	824	221
Average years on present farm .....2012	21.9	24.6	21.9	25.8	23.1	22.6	23.6
.....2007	21.7	21.2	19.4	21.9	21.7	20.3	20.7
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	13	5	13	8	24	23	6
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	20	27	36	9	33	47	2
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	92	40	141	70	98	126	24
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	427	382	663	327	670	821	272
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	23.6	26.5	23.7	28.2	24.8	24.3	26.0
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	-	-	7	-	10	5	-
.....2007	2	2	10	3	1	5	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	27	15	38	27	47	31	11
.....2007	17	26	58	12	35	40	13
35 to 44 years .....2012	47	39	94	29	68	82	30
.....2007	71	45	161	45	128	112	42
45 to 54 years .....2012	108	90	161	80	153	183	44
.....2007	139	126	248	101	208	224	63
55 to 59 years .....2012	92	60	149	50	136	119	46
.....2007	86	51	152	54	142	157	50
60 to 64 years .....2012	69	44	153	71	105	137	65
.....2007	94	70	104	48	150	188	30
65 to 69 years .....2012	64	58	82	44	107	158	26
.....2007	68	82	115	52	98	133	26
70 years and over .....2012	145	148	169	113	199	302	82
.....2007	149	100	156	86	196	249	92
Average age .....2012	59.9	62.3	58.0	60.0	59.2	61.4	61.0
.....2007	59.2	58.6	55.2	58.1	58.0	59.1	58.8
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	367	238	584	239	501	634	177
.....2007	299	232	575	185	466	522	128
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	24	31	52	39	98	71	27
DSL service .....farms, 2012	111	100	186	116	176	350	56
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	131	22	180	29	59	136	30
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	9	7	3	2	6	10	6
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	78	39	108	24	110	82	30
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	53	67	91	45	131	48	57
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	5	4	6	-	4	8	3
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	4	-	4	-	4	2	2
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012							
.....acres, 2012	539	439	829	405	813	991	284
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	82,287	87,197	81,812	78,160	145,409	202,963	104,989
.....acres, 2012	22	5	35	21	18	38	45
.....acres, 2012	7,492	2,139	11,813	9,769	5,570	23,478	34,873
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	499	419	797	379	770	900	248
.....acres, 2012	583	475	960	369	878	1,003	287
Partnership .....farms, 2012	66,970	74,591	72,704	(D)	132,373	172,392	74,507
.....acres, 2012	(D)	79,408	(D)	63,319	123,610	180,326	(D)
Corporation: .....farms, 2012	28	14	35	21	31	45	32
.....acres, 2012	28	11	30	20	56	52	18
.....acres, 2012	13,401	14,964	9,768	10,832	15,325	22,534	26,890
.....acres, 2012	23,898	10,770	8,507	12,505	13,809	23,824	20,865
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	18	14	14	11	15	58	12
.....acres, 2012	11	8	10	6	13	31	10
.....acres, 2012	9,523	7,813	(D)	8,182	1,789	19,976	16,501
.....acres, 2012	6,209	6,657	652	1,665	2,225	10,611	15,786
.....acres, 2012	2	-	2	1	4	1	3
.....acres, 2012	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	1	2	-
.....acres, 2012	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	296	(D)	(D)
.....acres, 2012	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012	5	7	5	2	5	13	9
.....acres, 2012	4	8	4	6	10	20	1
.....acres, 2012	(D)	10,001	(D)	(D)	713	(D)	(D)
.....acres, 2012	(D)	16,006	(D)	1,310	(D)	(D)	(D)

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Hale	Henry	Houston	Jackson	Jefferson	Lamar	Lauderdale
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	174	198	378	529	144	147	435
None .....2007	211	206	380	472	152	129	544
Any .....2012	282	300	438	847	250	206	1,031
Any .....2007	268	272	461	1,051	318	293	1,153
1 to 49 days .....2012	24	19	40	81	21	27	79
1 to 49 days .....2007	56	32	73	151	40	50	217
50 to 99 days .....2012	15	13	28	48	18	13	57
50 to 99 days .....2007	21	28	44	62	20	15	83
100 to 199 days .....2012	44	47	39	108	21	16	263
100 to 199 days .....2007	42	41	44	175	43	29	172
200 days or more .....2012	199	221	331	610	190	150	632
200 days or more .....2007	149	171	300	663	215	199	681
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	19	41	25	58	10	8	28
2 years or less .....2007	32	36	57	86	12	12	77
3 or 4 years .....2012	9	37	40	81	23	15	72
3 or 4 years .....2007	17	28	57	137	31	26	148
5 to 9 years .....2012	60	92	141	276	66	55	224
5 to 9 years .....2007	75	73	142	303	81	94	287
10 years or more .....2012	368	328	610	961	295	275	1,142
10 years or more .....2007	355	341	585	997	346	290	1,185
Average years on present farm .....2012	24.7	18.7	21.8	21.1	22.4	23.7	23.0
Average years on present farm .....2007	22.5	20.7	20.9	19.1	20.1	20.1	20.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	13	28	22	47	7	7	21
2 years or less .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	8	37	33	78	21	13	55
3 or 4 years .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	48	84	125	217	54	51	206
5 to 9 years .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	387	349	636	1,034	312	282	1,184
10 years or more .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	27.2	20.4	23.8	23.6	24.0	25.5	24.5
Average years on any farm .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	6	-	7	10	-	-	4
Under 25 years .....2007	7	3	1	14	-	-	8
25 to 34 years .....2012	16	20	15	67	4	9	65
25 to 34 years .....2007	25	25	44	65	8	29	68
35 to 44 years .....2012	50	63	92	137	42	53	128
35 to 44 years .....2007	53	66	90	223	50	43	218
45 to 54 years .....2012	80	99	136	296	76	72	372
45 to 54 years .....2007	128	86	163	389	146	110	411
55 to 59 years .....2012	82	72	95	193	61	43	196
55 to 59 years .....2007	70	68	104	249	75	80	242
60 to 64 years .....2012	63	70	132	222	82	61	183
60 to 64 years .....2007	40	58	149	202	66	37	220
65 to 69 years .....2012	42	61	138	191	52	26	163
65 to 69 years .....2007	44	62	84	172	51	39	204
70 years and over .....2012	117	113	201	260	77	89	355
70 years and over .....2007	112	110	206	209	74	84	326
Average age .....2012	59.6	58.7	60.6	57.9	59.9	59.0	59.0
Average age .....2007	57.5	58.4	59.2	55.7	57.8	56.7	57.4
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	294	374	574	808	277	210	909
Internet access .....2007	163	241	417	775	266	203	851
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2012	25	12	98	83	14	9	145
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2007	78	165	253	419	132	142	159
Cable modem service ..... farms, 2012	27	69	136	131	84	22	233
Cable modem service ..... farms, 2007	8	7	6	21	9	3	5
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone ..... farms, 2012	61	79	81	104	40	29	285
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone ..... farms, 2007	104	72	36	109	20	29	135
Satellite service ..... farms, 2012	6	4	4	19	3	4	6
Satellite service ..... farms, 2007	13	11	2	29	1	2	11
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) ..... farms, 2012							
Other Internet service ..... farms, 2012							
Other Internet service ..... farms, 2007							
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... farms, 2012							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... farms, 2007	443	478	782	1,350	380	352	1,436
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... acres, 2012	156,102	154,031	181,251	224,558	29,743	69,982	200,843
Limited Liability Corporation ..... farms, 2012	43	16	50	34	15	25	41
Limited Liability Corporation ..... farms, 2007	35,904	10,097	11,792	18,781	(D)	3,921	12,646
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual ..... farms, 2012	388	412	718	1,273	350	337	1,365
Family or individual ..... farms, 2007	423	413	753	1,448	447	398	1,600
Family or individual ..... acres, 2012	116,608	105,581	153,250	179,923	(D)	62,125	168,792
Family or individual ..... acres, 2007	(D)	107,493	163,590	209,320	38,970	(D)	183,982
Partnership ..... farms, 2012	37	31	52	81	18	8	69
Partnership ..... farms, 2007	29	35	58	48	10	17	80
Partnership ..... acres, 2012	21,135	34,686	25,779	47,809	6,946	3,323	33,383
Partnership ..... acres, 2007	21,524	28,369	35,859	24,137	(D)	3,912	36,173
Corporation:							
Family-held ..... farms, 2012	23	33	22	11	22	8	17
Family-held ..... farms, 2007	21	17	22	14	7	3	14
Family-held ..... acres, 2012	18,780	20,275	11,219	1,687	5,879	16,834	3,806
Family-held ..... acres, 2007	19,459	21,599	4,521	6,819	445	(D)	6,737
Other than family held ..... farms, 2012	-	7	6	5	2	-	3
Other than family held ..... farms, 2007	1	4	1	2	3	-	-
Other than family held ..... acres, 2012	-	5,480	171	952	(D)	-	3,540
Other than family held ..... acres, 2007	(D)	932	(D)	(D)	15	-	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012							
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2007	8	15	18	6	2	-	12
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	5	9	7	11	3	4	3
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2007	3,977	3,787	7,555	1,474	(D)	-	2,068
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2007	(D)	7,306	(D)	(D)	(D)	266	800

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Lawrence	Lee	Limestone	Lowndes	Macon	Madison	Marengo
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	666	96	449	167	107	417	173
.....2007	619	117	439	140	125	416	164
Any .....2012	885	219	781	274	245	616	326
.....2007	982	239	913	265	260	771	391
1 to 49 days .....2012	80	32	76	20	37	66	38
.....2007	144	49	136	50	51	112	71
50 to 99 days .....2012	34	4	26	21	12	38	15
.....2007	89	22	75	38	19	79	36
100 to 199 days .....2012	175	30	207	30	46	162	36
.....2007	173	25	118	32	44	107	47
200 days or more .....2012	596	153	472	203	150	350	237
.....2007	576	143	584	145	146	473	237
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	45	2	46	11	5	44	22
.....2007	77	28	62	13	12	69	24
3 or 4 years .....2012	74	16	78	25	12	50	19
.....2007	110	30	113	13	25	102	43
5 to 9 years .....2012	240	71	175	52	37	167	78
.....2007	242	55	241	56	61	218	105
10 years or more .....2012	1,192	226	931	353	298	772	380
.....2007	1,172	243	936	323	287	798	383
Average years on present farm .....2012	22.8	22.0	20.9	24.3	22.5	20.7	22.3
.....2007	21.4	19.8	19.1	23.1	20.2	19.0	20.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	33	2	32	7	5	39	18
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	54	12	66	7	9	43	13
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	219	61	139	39	34	141	69
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	1,245	240	993	388	304	810	399
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	24.8	24.1	23.3	26.6	24.3	22.7	23.7
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	10	6	5	-	-	2	3
.....2007	10	-	1	1	-	3	1
25 to 34 years .....2012	91	21	45	21	8	25	32
.....2007	59	20	68	14	24	34	37
35 to 44 years .....2012	171	42	146	37	18	81	44
.....2007	257	36	144	49	32	145	64
45 to 54 years .....2012	376	63	253	79	60	276	93
.....2007	351	91	387	98	72	267	128
55 to 59 years .....2012	188	33	160	77	61	103	82
.....2007	183	58	212	42	53	174	88
60 to 64 years .....2012	157	47	164	54	57	130	83
.....2007	181	35	155	73	73	174	83
65 to 69 years .....2012	211	35	143	78	56	187	71
.....2007	199	25	132	31	46	137	75
70 years and over .....2012	347	68	314	95	92	229	91
.....2007	361	91	253	97	85	253	79
Average age .....2012	58.2	57.5	59.0	60.1	61.8	60.0	58.0
.....2007	57.9	58.1	57.2	58.8	59.0	58.4	56.5
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	968	229	794	287	209	804	310
.....2007	809	219	799	183	175	668	233
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	111	15	79	20	20	33	16
DSL service .....farms, 2012	223	105	267	131	73	334	187
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	141	50	240	36	45	266	21
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	10	-	8	5	9	16	4
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	329	52	123	60	55	137	45
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	240	24	125	62	29	81	67
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	23	3	6	6	3	17	3
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	12	9	12	3	-	3	6
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012							
.....acres, 2012	1,513	305	1,188	430	332	1,010	485
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	217,905	54,698	213,344	189,361	87,966	199,081	156,525
.....acres, 2012	46	30	26	41	41	45	38
.....farms, 2012	37,457	7,989	15,329	32,473	16,745	17,805	24,788
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	1,437	276	1,101	388	292	929	429
.....acres, 2012	1,501	321	1,226	365	341	1,087	501
Partnership .....farms, 2012	155,053	(D)	138,491	(D)	68,203	143,917	106,739
.....acres, 2012	156,636	(D)	134,532	(D)	(D)	139,478	122,665
.....farms, 2012	67	23	85	35	46	48	32
.....acres, 2012	80	20	98	25	28	50	29
.....farms, 2012	64,879	11,213	89,254	44,613	19,147	46,005	32,216
.....acres, 2012	59,632	8,112	92,140	32,448	19,259	44,515	36,845
Corporation:							
Family-held .....farms, 2012	28	7	27	15	9	33	30
.....acres, 2012	9	11	16	11	12	25	20
.....farms, 2012	13,577	1,529	4,960	18,488	4,272	11,435	23,157
.....acres, 2012	2,779	3,576	2,235	10,309	9,941	8,519	18,055
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	-	6	5	1	2	8	-
.....acres, 2012	1	-	3	3	2	6	-
.....farms, 2012	-	684	527	(D)	(D)	2,911	-
.....acres, 2012	(D)	-	(D)	1,785	(D)	3,647	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012	19	3	12	2	3	15	8
.....acres, 2012	10	4	9	1	2	19	5
.....farms, 2012	10,331	(D)	13,465	(D)	(D)	5,084	3,324
.....acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,135	592

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

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Item	Marion	Marshall	Mobile	Monroe	Montgomery	Morgan	Perry
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	238	605	319	231	241	447	125
None .....2007	243	600	335	174	193	498	123
Any .....2012	477	900	379	249	362	790	264
Any .....2007	544	1,131	541	331	427	959	267
1 to 49 days .....2012	43	62	59	44	34	78	40
1 to 49 days .....2007	71	170	79	53	50	141	46
50 to 99 days .....2012	34	46	25	29	25	45	10
50 to 99 days .....2007	22	75	51	42	56	80	12
100 to 199 days .....2012	33	124	70	31	65	123	45
100 to 199 days .....2007	107	140	81	53	53	112	44
200 days or more .....2012	367	668	225	145	238	544	169
200 days or more .....2007	344	746	330	183	268	626	165
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	33	35	41	17	34	31	1
2 years or less .....2007	23	77	35	26	33	72	20
3 or 4 years .....2012	49	75	42	27	23	77	21
3 or 4 years .....2007	49	112	66	32	30	111	14
5 to 9 years .....2012	99	236	106	57	68	196	37
5 to 9 years .....2007	143	270	171	71	86	288	88
10 years or more .....2012	534	1,159	509	379	478	933	330
10 years or more .....2007	572	1,272	604	376	471	986	268
Average years on present farm .....2012	21.2	21.6	21.2	22.5	22.6	22.5	23.6
Average years on present farm .....2007	20.4	19.7	20.3	20.7	21.8	20.4	19.9
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	21	24	32	8	21	16	1
2 years or less .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	45	66	32	26	19	69	20
3 or 4 years .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	86	211	91	46	58	175	28
5 to 9 years .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	563	1,204	543	400	505	977	340
10 years or more .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	22.5	23.4	22.9	23.9	25.2	24.1	26.3
Average years on any farm .....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	4	2	-	9	-	-	4
Under 25 years .....2007	3	6	-	4	6	11	5
25 to 34 years .....2012	29	58	29	15	16	77	10
25 to 34 years .....2007	67	81	30	28	18	82	11
35 to 44 years .....2012	83	178	46	53	45	134	28
35 to 44 years .....2007	108	233	85	75	64	203	47
45 to 54 years .....2012	165	306	155	105	105	294	77
45 to 54 years .....2007	167	420	215	122	119	351	85
55 to 59 years .....2012	99	234	110	74	84	145	86
55 to 59 years .....2007	114	248	156	50	74	182	52
60 to 64 years .....2012	109	217	112	61	103	158	54
60 to 64 years .....2007	109	244	117	65	121	197	53
65 to 69 years .....2012	92	199	92	44	83	185	42
65 to 69 years .....2007	111	192	76	67	70	164	41
70 years and over .....2012	134	311	154	119	167	244	88
70 years and over .....2007	108	307	197	94	148	278	96
Average age .....2012	57.8	58.7	59.6	58.9	61.3	57.8	59.6
Average age .....2007	55.4	56.9	58.7	56.7	59.4	56.4	58.4
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	436	1,009	471	299	408	788	184
Internet access .....2007	376	920	487	235	330	776	155
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2012	25	66	39	26	58	92	29
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2012	294	350	297	206	209	283	37
Cable modem service ..... farms, 2012	39	410	64	17	80	215	35
Fiber-optic service ..... farms, 2012	3	39	22	4	12	16	5
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone ..... farms, 2012	55	132	49	37	73	111	37
Satellite service ..... farms, 2012	55	84	45	51	35	112	60
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) ..... farms, 2012	1	15	3	4	5	24	-
Other Internet service ..... farms, 2012	3	4	8	-	1	9	3
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... farms, 2012							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... acres, 2012	708	1,487	673	463	585	1,210	376
Limited Liability Corporation ..... farms, 2012	110,295	160,641	77,938	124,008	212,313	142,250	150,731
Limited Liability Corporation ..... acres, 2012	20	38	21	12	43	27	43
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual ..... farms, 2012	672	1,426	601	436	530	1,155	348
Family or individual ..... acres, 2012	748	1,629	776	458	537	1,386	335
Partnership ..... farms, 2012	82,982	150,603	51,487	(D)	177,947	125,846	125,807
Partnership ..... acres, 2012	110,552	134,271	73,778	90,155	168,282	139,406	(D)
Corporation: Family-held ..... farms, 2012	30	49	35	36	37	48	18
Corporation: Family-held ..... acres, 2012	20	71	41	37	54	54	35
Corporation: Other than family held ..... farms, 2012	27,547	9,085	30,442	25,140	16,619	16,670	19,801
Corporation: Other than family held ..... acres, 2012	4,699	16,981	28,623	19,427	30,150	(D)	15,881
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	10	24	46	7	22	19	18
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	14	21	44	2	15	9	12
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	2,248	5,370	6,840	16,646	22,230	6,633	10,922
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	1,761	2,456	6,840	(D)	13,055	726	24,836
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	-	5	4	-	2	4	2
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	2	4	4	3	3	1	6
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	-	(D)	688	-	(D)	406	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	125	957	2,860	(D)	1,686
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	3	1	12	1	12	11	3
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	3	6	11	5	11	7	2
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012	996	(D)	802	(D)	(D)	3,012	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... acres, 2012	(D)	(D)	4,287	(D)	8,732	(D)	(D)

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Pickens	Pike	Randolph	Russell	St. Clair	Shelby	Sumter
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	145	265	263	100	240	144	171
.....2007	167	263	200	104	227	156	167
Any .....2012	288	335	348	180	300	257	257
.....2007	336	446	410	199	394	318	264
1 to 49 days .....2012	25	40	33	17	27	24	55
.....2007	44	52	52	31	50	41	52
50 to 99 days .....2012	17	22	23	6	24	16	20
.....2007	45	53	21	16	23	44	26
100 to 199 days .....2012	44	44	55	14	28	35	31
.....2007	37	55	68	28	58	46	38
200 days or more .....2012	202	229	237	143	221	182	151
.....2007	210	286	269	124	263	187	148
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	13	17	15	12	17	21	14
.....2007	15	31	15	9	37	40	11
3 or 4 years .....2012	16	17	32	14	20	18	19
.....2007	26	50	55	16	34	25	16
5 to 9 years .....2012	44	82	110	24	74	60	36
.....2007	99	122	90	48	135	90	77
10 years or more .....2012	360	484	454	230	429	302	359
.....2007	363	506	450	230	415	319	327
Average years on present farm .....2012	24.1	25.1	23.1	23.5	21.7	20.7	23.7
.....2007	19.5	20.9	21.7	21.5	19.2	18.1	21.8
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	9	17	11	9	16	17	5
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	13	15	25	12	15	13	19
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	44	65	96	23	67	54	25
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	367	503	479	236	442	317	379
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	25.2	27.9	24.8	25.7	23.0	23.0	25.9
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	3	3	5	-	8	-	-
.....2007	2	3	1	-	2	2	2
25 to 34 years .....2012	8	14	25	10	16	9	27
.....2007	16	25	47	12	29	7	24
35 to 44 years .....2012	21	35	81	26	45	36	37
.....2007	66	78	55	43	74	54	45
45 to 54 years .....2012	123	92	136	57	117	81	59
.....2007	146	130	150	50	159	118	101
55 to 59 years .....2012	58	69	75	51	59	45	65
.....2007	90	113	66	37	77	80	59
60 to 64 years .....2012	68	89	71	34	81	77	68
.....2007	52	117	95	44	78	55	57
65 to 69 years .....2012	46	113	86	39	71	56	56
.....2007	45	87	70	29	91	67	31
70 years and over .....2012	106	185	132	63	143	97	116
.....2007	86	156	126	88	111	61	112
Average age .....2012	60.0	63.1	58.1	60.1	59.7	61.0	60.7
.....2007	56.1	59.3	57.5	59.3	57.1	58.8	58.4
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	273	367	339	191	350	313	255
.....2007	231	347	280	162	343	270	158
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	20	46	31	18	20	17	25
.....farms, 2012	142	131	219	74	248	130	91
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	41	109	28	32	41	69	46
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	2	10	13	7	3	1	-
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	27	44	37	68	59	80	50
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	61	51	29	34	29	35	57
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	2	2	6	-	5	3	-
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	-	8	5	1	3	3	5
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012							
.....farms, 2012	416	592	601	260	534	385	408
.....acres, 2012	98,785	166,235	112,464	95,517	66,812	55,182	177,242
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	19	20	13	23	18	24	23
.....acres, 2012	17,610	10,451	2,794	28,108	1,326	11,537	17,600
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	378	541	574	236	499	347	370
.....farms, 2012	459	638	581	266	577	422	380
.....acres, 2012	71,290	138,554	102,854	59,197	62,319	46,360	124,754
Partnership .....2007	111,611	149,713	105,195	(D)	59,664	(D)	125,729
.....farms, 2012	27	28	19	30	22	24	34
.....farms, 2012	18	44	18	22	23	25	36
.....acres, 2012	23,116	16,654	8,246	39,596	3,438	5,960	21,811
.....2007	7,362	19,815	7,059	12,590	9,349	7,408	22,619
Corporation:							
Family-held .....farms, 2012	24	20	13	10	11	22	16
.....farms, 2012	20	17	10	10	14	20	12
.....acres, 2012	7,622	7,951	2,268	14,808	930	5,707	91,209
.....2007	10,121	5,962	(D)	15,513	2,426	3,353	30,180
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	-	3	-	3	5	4	1
.....farms, 2012	2	1	-	3	1	6	-
.....acres, 2012	-	540	-	(D)	(D)	265	(D)
.....2007	(D)	(D)	-	430	(D)	1,817	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012							
.....farms, 2012	4	8	5	1	3	4	7
.....farms, 2012	4	9	1	2	6	1	3
.....acres, 2012	618	3,573	550	(D)	(D)	160	(D)
.....2007	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,403

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Talladega	Tallapoosa	Tuscaloosa	Walker	Washington	Wilcox	Winston
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>							
Days worked off farm:							
None .....2012	231	158	202	151	161	125	211
.....2007	204	98	246	197	163	144	202
Any .....2012	288	187	295	331	210	191	309
.....2007	421	279	367	432	310	224	424
1 to 49 days .....2012	29	22	40	43	22	28	35
.....2007	52	43	50	48	39	53	28
50 to 99 days .....2012	9	11	21	23	17	10	21
.....2007	37	19	32	31	30	28	43
100 to 199 days .....2012	49	25	42	56	52	30	53
.....2007	70	36	40	42	50	44	92
200 days or more .....2012	201	129	192	209	119	123	200
.....2007	262	181	245	311	191	99	261
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....2012	29	6	16	14	10	9	13
.....2007	45	23	22	47	18	6	17
3 or 4 years .....2012	26	15	55	27	10	8	20
.....2007	48	31	52	56	35	20	53
5 to 9 years .....2012	79	60	67	86	50	28	38
.....2007	84	69	112	127	85	56	89
10 years or more .....2012	385	264	359	355	301	271	449
.....2007	448	254	427	399	335	286	467
Average years on present farm .....2012	21.3	23.4	20.0	20.2	25.6	24.8	25.6
.....2007	19.5	19.0	20.6	18.2	20.7	23.7	21.3
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less .....2012	23	3	9	12	3	4	12
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	28	13	45	26	11	8	13
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	76	56	60	78	45	22	31
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	392	273	383	366	312	282	464
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	22.1	24.9	22.4	21.1	26.8	27.1	26.5
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:							
Under 25 years .....2012	6	-	16	4	1	-	-
.....2007	8	15	-	4	-	-	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	27	18	15	25	9	5	17
.....2007	15	22	20	36	16	9	52
35 to 44 years .....2012	35	36	59	65	44	20	28
.....2007	78	41	85	83	80	30	55
45 to 54 years .....2012	121	60	71	98	67	67	133
.....2007	138	89	141	166	99	71	161
55 to 59 years .....2012	70	34	92	45	45	38	81
.....2007	105	56	79	97	66	71	97
60 to 64 years .....2012	90	51	78	94	43	53	80
.....2007	100	59	55	82	71	55	75
65 to 69 years .....2012	70	68	58	73	51	49	56
.....2007	69	45	98	61	54	45	93
70 years and over .....2012	100	78	108	78	111	84	125
.....2007	112	50	135	100	87	87	93
Average age .....2012	58.3	59.8	58.2	57.3	60.9	61.9	59.8
.....2007	57.5	54.9	58.4	55.5	57.3	60.5	56.4
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Internet access .....2012	349	252	318	273	238	193	343
.....2007	358	193	269	323	230	123	282
Dial-up service ..... farms, 2012	32	26	42	43	41	19	40
DSL service ..... farms, 2012	114	65	47	74	177	105	117
Cable modem service ..... farms, 2012	86	120	83	46	22	20	25
Fiber-optic service ..... farms, 2012	2	5	11	5	3	1	3
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone ..... farms, 2012	78	38	35	79	12	15	73
Satellite service ..... farms, 2012	60	26	127	54	28	51	98
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) ..... farms, 2012	-	4	-	2	-	-	13
Other Internet service ..... farms, 2012	5	2	5	7	3	1	28
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption ..... farms, 2012							
..... acres, 2012	508	332	491	470	368	309	516
Limited Liability Corporation ..... farms, 2012	96,403	50,440	84,003	51,058	92,677	115,128	57,359
..... acres, 2012	6	16	27	7	8	8	15
(D)	3,928	3,161	2,273	(D)	6,807	1,275	
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>							
Family or individual ..... farms, 2012	484	325	445	453	355	279	501
..... acres, 2012	571	363	549	596	453	334	607
(D)	79,963	(D)	(D)	48,717	(D)	91,327	52,841
Partnership ..... farms, 2012	(D)	49,265	83,849	60,970	76,355	129,714	60,741
..... farms, 2012	21	14	30	8	9	23	9
..... acres, 2012	40	11	30	16	11	27	11
..... acres, 2012	9,763	11,506	12,842	(D)	4,723	17,708	2,229
..... acres, 2012	19,744	12,081	17,160	4,393	4,804	32,582	2,634
Corporation:							
Family-held ..... farms, 2012	6	4	20	14	5	9	10
..... acres, 2012	7	2	29	11	8	3	6
(D)	4,106	4,630	10,053	3,174	(D)	8,453	2,889
Other than family held ..... farms, 2012	4	(D)	8,633	3,746	(D)	(D)	(D)
..... acres, 2012	3	-	1	2	1	1	-
..... acres, 2012	1,680	-	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	-
..... acres, 2012	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms, 2012							
..... acres, 2012	4	2	1	5	1	4	-
..... acres, 2012	4	1	4	5	1	3	2
(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)