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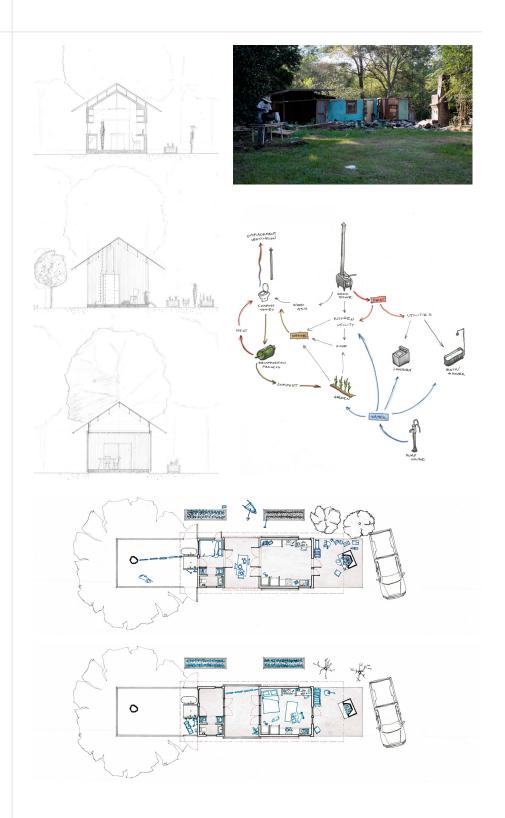
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Reggie's Home

Design Development

This self-sufficient single family home in Newbern, Alabama is designed to lower living costs through efficient spatial planning and sustainable features. The home is divided into two main volumes: one dedicated to utilities like the kitchen and bathroom, and the other providing private living spaces such as the bedroom, desk area, and living room. A flexible porch connects these volumes, opening in the summer for outdoor relaxation and closing in the winter to conserve heat. A wood stove not only provides heating but also generates wood chips that are repurposed for compost, enriching a garden where the client grows fresh produce.



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Ree's Home

Design Development - Framing

Single Family Home in Newbern, Alabama. As part of Rural Studio's 20K research project, the studio was tasked with iterating one of the 20K Product Line Homes. This project aims at developing housing models that can provide homes at an affordable rate. Throughout the process, meetings with the client were conducted to understand her needs and preferences. Once this was done construction began on the house which included laying the foundation and framing the exterior walls.









