



Florida 1st District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	2,929
Land in farms (acres)	349,886
Average size of farm (acres)	119
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	125,902,000
Government payments	9,336,000
Farm-related income	11,225,000
Total farm production expenses	118,749,000
Net cash farm income	27,715,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	42,985
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,322
Farm-related income	16,316
Total farm production expenses	40,542
Net cash farm income	9,462

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	61
Livestock, poultry, and products	39

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	42
Pastureland	18
Woodland	33
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 5,722

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	1,574	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	321	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	329	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	326	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	105	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	83	3
\$100,000 or more	191	7

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	410	14
10 to 49 acres	1,312	45
50 to 179 acres	804	27
180 to 499 acres	267	9
500 to 999 acres	70	2
1,000 + acres	66	2

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	CDs Producing Item
Total	125,902	17	27	252	431
Crops	76,811	18	27	243	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,982	5	23	257	381
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	23,838	2	3	44	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	21	27	(D)	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,676	17	27	183	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	14,101	21	27	234	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	326
Other crops and hay	30,803	6	24	101	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	49,091	10	27	241	422
Poultry and eggs	20,256	6	26	138	404
Cattle and calves	19,656	9	26	207	396
Milk from cows	(D)	7	16	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	166	6	24	192	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	268	8	26	233	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,122	14	27	204	393
Aquaculture	(D)	14	26	134	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	8	27	(D)	413

Total Producers ^c

4,782

Sex

Male 2,927
Female 1,855

Age

<35 249
35 – 64 2,718
65 and older 1,815

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 125
Asian 38
Black or African American 48
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 1
White 4,478
More than one race 92

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 96
With military service 1,052
New and beginning farmers 1,434

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **76**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **8**

Hire farm labor **15**

Are family farms **98**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Cotton, all 39,336
Peanuts for nuts 37,316
Forage (hay/haylage), all 25,548
Wheat for grain, all (D)
Corn for grain 3,040

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Cattle and calves 47,674
Goats 4,638
Hogs and pigs 1,098
Horses and ponies 4,722
Layers 32,365
Pullets (D)
Sheep and lambs 1,762
Turkeys 402

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

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

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

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