



Florida 9th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	1,290
Land in farms (acres)	816,015
Average size of farm (acres)	633
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	238,917,000
Government payments	1,739,000
Farm-related income	8,923,000
Total farm production expenses	212,054,000
Net cash farm income	37,526,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	185,207
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	14,374
Farm-related income	31,755
Total farm production expenses	164,383
Net cash farm income	29,090

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	76
Livestock, poultry, and products	24

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	13
Pastureland	60
Woodland	20
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 86,673

11% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	470	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	112	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	124	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	165	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	91	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	105	8
\$100,000 or more	223	17

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	349	27
10 to 49 acres	479	37
50 to 179 acres	221	17
180 to 499 acres	107	8
500 to 999 acres	51	4
1,000 + acres	83	6

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	238,917	12	27	213	431
Crops	180,610	12	27	179	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	10	23	(D)	381
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	3	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	13,829	15	27	143	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	99,631	6	27	35	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	65,261	10	27	63	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	326
Other crops and hay	(D)	14	24	277	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	58,307	6	27	230	422
Poultry and eggs	75	17	26	248	404
Cattle and calves	55,883	3	26	132	396
Milk from cows	-	-	16	-	312
Hogs and pigs	260	4	24	176	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	256	9	26	237	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	499	17	27	253	393
Aquaculture	176	19	26	142	328
Other animals and animal products	1,158	15	27	156	413

Total Producers ^c

2,212

Sex

Male
Female

1,395
817

Age

<35
35 – 64
65 and older

126
1,258
828

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native
Asian
Black or African American
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
White
More than one race

4
62
14
6
2,117
9

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin
With military service
New and beginning farmers

166
251
702

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **73**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **7**

Hire farm labor **32**

Are family farms **91**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Oranges, all 42,300
Forage (hay/haylage), all 10,172
Sod harvested 8,894
Vegetables harvested, all 2,963
Field and grass seed crops, all (D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 1,860
Cattle and calves 159,713
Goats 1,557
Hogs and pigs 512
Horses and ponies 1,350
Layers 2,736
Pullets 145
Sheep and lambs 636
Turkeys 25

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.