



Florida 27th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	339
Land in farms (acres)	3,172
Average size of farm (acres)	9
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	19,925,000
Government payments	(D)
Farm-related income	2,151,000
Total farm production expenses	23,180,000
Net cash farm income	-1,099,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	58,777
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)
Farm-related income	22,172
Total farm production expenses	68,377
Net cash farm income	-3,241

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	80
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	15

Acres irrigated: 1,937

61% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	1
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	135	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	61	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	6
\$100,000 or more	36	11

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	264	78
10 to 49 acres	67	20
50 to 179 acres	8	2
180 to 499 acres	-	-
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	-	-

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	19,925	23	27	336	431
Crops	19,410	22	27	326	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(Z)	23	23	355	381
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	3	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,852	19	27	282	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,514	18	27	196	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	14,034	22	27	235	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	10	9	20	206	326
Other crops and hay	-	-	24	-	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	515	24	27	357	422
Poultry and eggs	47	21	26	260	404
Cattle and calves	(D)	26	26	377	396
Milk from cows	-	-	16	-	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	20	24	270	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	25	26	(D)	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	173	22	27	290	393
Aquaculture	(D)	16	26	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	34	25	27	294	413

Total Producers ^c

545

Sex

Male 330
Female 215

Age

<35 39
35 – 64 323
65 and older 183

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 13
Asian 5
Black or African American 5
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 520
More than one race 2

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 317
With military service 20
New and beginning farmers 226

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **66**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **18**

Hire farm labor **43**

Are family farms **91**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Vegetables harvested, all 582
Avocados 543
Sweet potatoes 520
Nursery stock crops 467
Floriculture and bedding crops 197

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 390
Cattle and calves 62
Goats 28
Hogs and pigs 22
Horses and ponies 574
Layers 1,732
Pullets 186
Sheep and lambs 171
Turkeys 42

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.