



# Hillsborough County Florida

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	2,265	-8
Land in farms (acres)	180,300	-16
Average size of farm (acres)	80	-9
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	447,625,000	+18
Government payments	584,000	-32
Farm-related income	15,799,000	+8
Total farm production expenses	360,250,000	+3
Net cash farm income	103,759,000	+128
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	197,627	+29
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,471	-39
Farm-related income	36,320	+14
Total farm production expenses	159,051	+13
Net cash farm income	45,810	+149

## 6 Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	92
Livestock, poultry, and products	8

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	42
Pastureland	40
Woodland	11
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 25,831

14% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	3

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	1,263	56
\$2,500 to \$4,999	211	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	175	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	207	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	110	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	62	3
\$100,000 or more	237	10

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	988	44
10 to 49 acres	906	40
50 to 179 acres	235	10
180 to 499 acres	83	4
500 to 999 acres	30	1
1,000 + acres	23	1

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>447,625</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>409,997</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	116	34	57	2,431	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	81,762	5	65	42	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	203,666	1	65	28	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	123,817	6	65	21	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	70	7	36	324	1,384
Other crops and hay	567	43	65	2,264	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>37,628</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,155</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs (D)	(D)	25	64	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	10,823	16	65	1,196	3,055
Milk from cows (D)	(D)	19	38	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	379	1	61	669	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	260	6	63	626	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	3,827	4	66	41	2,970
Aquaculture	17,356	1	55	23	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,880	10	67	97	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>3,819</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	76	
Male	2,222			
Female	1,597	Farm organically	1	
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	8	
<35	270	Hire farm labor	23	
35 – 64	2,130	Are family farms	96	
65 and older	1,419			
<b>Race</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	20		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,916
Asian	109		Cattle and calves	38,898
Black or African American	60		Goats	2,031
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	(D)
White	3,575		Horses and ponies	3,361
More than one race	55		Layers	10,784
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Pullets	2,526
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	310		Sheep and lambs	828
With military service	473		Turkeys	899
New and beginning farmers	1,122			

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.