

**Florida Floriculture: Producers, Production Areas, and Value for Operations with \$10,000+ Sales, 2003 through 2012**

Year	Number of producers <sup>1</sup>	Total covered area (1,000 square feet)	Open ground (acres)	Expanded wholesale value <sup>2</sup> (1,000 dollars)
2003.....	1,106	373,654	9,572	830,824
2004.....	1,020	387,210	9,477	884,126
2005.....	932	382,551	8,736	956,580
2006.....	832	347,187	8,344	804,854
2007.....	869	346,769	8,918	967,944
2008.....	887	316,974	6,587	763,566
2009.....	811	322,637	9,805	814,895
2010.....	749	307,854	6,538	826,077
2011.....	702	287,463	5,881	835,233
2012 <sup>3</sup> .....	634	284,371	5,411	811,814

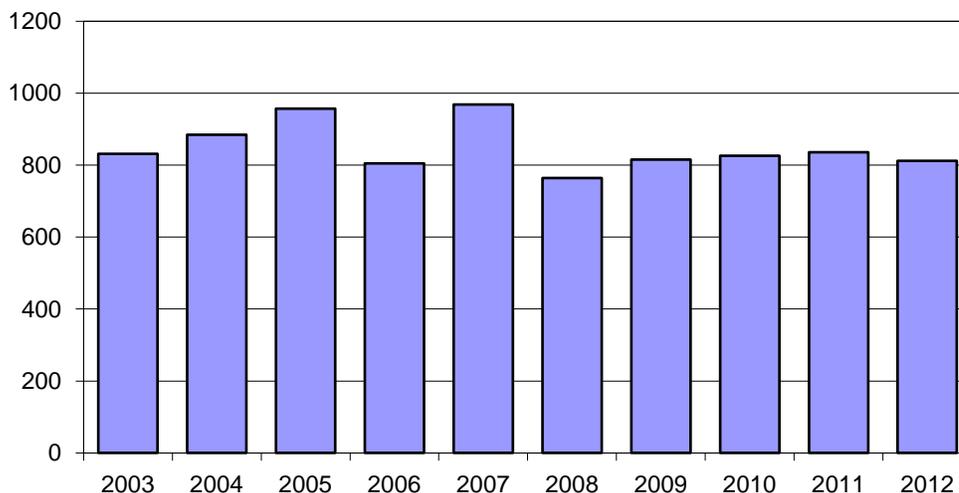
<sup>1</sup> Does not include woody ornamentals, trees, shrubs, and sod.

<sup>2</sup> Value of all crops grown with sales of \$10,000 or more, combines the wholesale value of sales as reported by operations with \$100,000 or more and an estimated value for operations with sales between \$10,000 and \$99,000. This is derived by multiplying the number of producers in each range of sales by the mid-point of the range.

<sup>3</sup> Preliminary.

**Florida Floriculture Wholesale Value**

Million dollars



(Survey of producers with sales over \$10,000. Does not include woody ornamentals, trees, shrubs, and sod.)

### Florida Cut Cultivated Greens: Producers, Quantity Sold, and Value for Operations with \$100,000+ Sales, 2003 through 2012

Years	Number of producers		Quantity sold		Value of all sales at wholesale <sup>1</sup>	
	Leatherleaf ferns	All other cut greens	Leatherleaf ferns	All other cut greens	Leatherleaf ferns	All other cut greens
			(1,000 bunches)	(1,000 bunches)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2003.....	97	105	56,786	( <sup>3</sup> )	47,132	33,940
2004.....	91	97	52,368	( <sup>3</sup> )	45,560	31,462
2005.....	85	91	47,464	( <sup>3</sup> )	48,413	30,452
2006.....	87	93	43,205	( <sup>3</sup> )	44,501	33,650
2007.....	77	87	39,120	( <sup>3</sup> )	38,338	36,056
2008.....	77	84	34,001	( <sup>3</sup> )	32,981	36,133
2009.....	76	72	31,162	( <sup>3</sup> )	29,292	26,704
2010.....	67	69	27,780	( <sup>3</sup> )	28,613	30,781
2011.....	68	69	25,779	( <sup>3</sup> )	25,006	29,678
2012 <sup>2</sup> .....	69	67	32,110	( <sup>3</sup> )	31,468	26,344

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent wholesale value of all sales.

<sup>3</sup> Bunches are not comparable as units differ depending on crop variety.

<sup>2</sup> Preliminary.

### Florida Foliage Plants: Producers and Value for Operations with \$100,000+ Sales, 2003 through 2012

Year	Hanging baskets		Potted plants	
	Producers	Value of all sales at wholesale <sup>1</sup>	Producers	Value of all sales at wholesale <sup>1</sup>
		(1,000 dollars)		(1,000 dollars)
2003.....	142	30,712	381	393,170
2004.....	122	26,316	355	443,412
2005.....	123	46,301	319	447,727
2006.....	112	30,709	290	326,154
2007.....	107	36,515	310	457,401
2008.....	107	25,685	301	326,308
2009.....	72	32,393	276	367,378
2010.....	71	40,531	252	383,572
2011.....	96	41,033	239	401,617
2012 <sup>2</sup> .....	86	37,565	250	426,070

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent wholesale value of all sales.

<sup>2</sup> Preliminary.

### Florida Honey: Number of Colonies, Yield, Production, Price, Value, and Stocks, 2003-2012

[Producers with 5 or more colonies. Colonies which produced honey in more than one State were counted in each State.]

Year	Honey producing colonies <sup>1</sup>	Yield per colony	Production	Average price per pound <sup>2</sup>	Value of production <sup>3</sup>	Stocks December 15 <sup>4</sup>
	(1,000 colonies)	(pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(cents)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 pounds)
2003.....	210	71	14,910	132	19,681	1,491
2004.....	205	98	20,090	100	20,090	2,009
2005.....	160	86	13,760	86	11,834	2,477
2006.....	170	81	13,770	101	13,908	1,790
2007.....	160	71	11,360	99	11,246	1,363
2008.....	150	79	11,850	132	15,642	1,304
2009.....	170	68	11,560	142	16,415	1,618
2010.....	200	69	13,800	156	21,528	1,794
2011.....	180	61	10,980	168	18,446	988
2012.....	199	64	12,736	181	23,052	1,274

<sup>1</sup> Honey producing colonies are the maximum number of colonies from which honey was taken during the year. It is possible to take honey from colonies which did not survive the entire year.

<sup>2</sup> Average price per pound based on expanded sales.

<sup>3</sup> Value of production is equal to production multiplied by average price per pound.

<sup>4</sup> Stocks held by producers.

## Aquaculture

Florida aquaculture producers reported sales in 2012 of \$69 million based upon a survey conducted for the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Aquaculture. This survey was administered by the Florida Agricultural Statistics Service.

Reported sales in 2012 were above those of \$66 million reported in 2005, the last time this survey was conducted. There were 686 operations that reported being in business during 2012; of those, 404 operations reported appreciable sales. The operations without sales reflect either new operations which have not yet sold a product or operations in business that did not market any product in 2012.

Florida aquaculturists produced animals or plants for ornamental, food or miscellaneous markets. Ornamental sales totaled \$35.5 million and consisted of freshwater or marine animals and plants that included freshwater fish, crayfish or marine fish, corals, live rock, snails, and shrimp sold to the aquarium or water garden markets. Sales of aquaculture products for human consumption totaled \$24.1 million and included freshwater or marine fish, clams, oysters, shrimp, prawns, alligators, and turtles.

### Florida Aquaculture: Value of Sales, 2012 and 2005

Item	Value of Sales		Operations with Sales	
	2012	2005	2012	2005
	(dollars)	(dollars)		
Ornamental Fish.....	27,269,000	33,232,000	101	133
Mollusks.....	11,889,000	10,694,000	139	153
Alligators.....	7,995,000	4,070,000	10	14
Aquatic Plants.....	5,327,000	8,360,000	19	17
Other Food Fish.....	2,978,000	1,731,000	31	19
Tilapia.....	1,227,000	477,000	47	18
Catfish.....	390,000	1,434,000	17	23
Live Rock.....	373,000	341,000	12	6
All Other Aquaculture.....	11,303,000	5,436,000	(NA)	(NA)
Total.....	68,751,000	65,775,000	404	359

(NA) Not Available

### Florida Aquaculture: Value of Sales by Category, 2001, 2003, 2005, and 2012

Year	Total	Ornamental Fish	Aquatic Plants	Mollusks	Alligators	Other
	(1,000 dollars)					
2012.....	68,751	27,269	5,327	11,889	7,995	16,271
2005.....	65,775	33,232	8,360	10,694	4,070	9,419
2003.....	82,800	47,229	7,733	12,970	2,450	12,418
2001.....	86,200	42,424	8,102	18,264	3,250	14,260

## Florida Aquaculture: Value of Sales, 2012

Type	Operations With Sales	Value of Sales
		(dollars)
Freshwater Ornamental Fish .....	90	26,035,000
Egg Layers .....	78	19,485,000
Live Bearers .....	45	6,550,000
Marine Ornamental Fish .....	15	1,234,000
Freshwater Ornamental Invertebrates.....	12	437,000
Marine Ornamental Invertebrates .....	47	2,439,000
Coral.....	27	1,052,000
Live Rock .....	12	373,000
Clams.....	8	200,000
Other Marine Ornamental Invertebrates <sup>1</sup> .....	7	814,000
Food & Bait Fish.....	74	4,595,000
Tilapia.....	47	1,227,000
Catfish.....	17	390,000
Other Food Fish <sup>2</sup> .....	31	2,978,000
Mollusks .....	139	11,889,000
Hard Clam .....	137	11,594,000
Other Mollusks <sup>3</sup> .....	8	295,000
Shrimp/Prawn/Crayfish .....	18	7,603,000
Shrimp.....	13	7,489,000
Crayfish.....	7	114,000
Reptiles .....	33	9,192,000
Alligator Live Animals .....	7	1,412,000
Other Alligator Products <sup>4</sup> .....	5	6,583,000
Turtles and Turtle Products.....	28	1,197,000
Aquatic Plants .....	19	5,327,000
Aquarium Plants .....	11	4,844,000
Other Aquatic Plants <sup>5</sup> .....	12	483,000
<b>Total Reported Aquaculture Sales .....</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>68,751,000</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes shrimp, snails, and others.

<sup>4</sup> Includes eggs, hides, and meat.

<sup>2</sup> Includes bream, bass, trout, sturgeon, and others.

<sup>5</sup> For water garden and wetlands restoration.

<sup>3</sup> Includes sunray venus clams and oysters.

## Florida Aquaculture: Water Acreage, Size of Operation, 2012

Water Acreage	Operations	Acres	Percent Operations	Percent Acres
Under 3 .....	420	413	61.3	9.2
3 to 5.9 .....	112	465	16.3	10.4
6 to 19.9 .....	107	1,042	15.6	23.2
20 to 49.9 .....	31	891	4.5	19.8
50 and up .....	16	1,679	2.3	37.4
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>4,490</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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