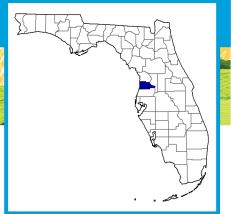


Hernando County Florida



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	747	-7
Land in farms (acres)	50,285	-19
Average size of farm (acres)	67	-13
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	20,400,000	-28
Government payments	313,000	-29
Farm-related income	2,884,000	+168
Total farm production expenses	24,679,000	-37
Net cash farm income	-1,081,000	+89
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	27,309	-23
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	8,249	-74
Farm-related income	28,003	+352
Total farm production expenses	33,037	-33
Net cash farm income	-1,448	+88

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)		
Crops	74	
Livestock, poultry, and products		
Land in Farms by Use (%)	1	
Cropland	16	
Pastureland	58	
Woodland	21	
Other	5	
Acres irrigated: 1,967		
4% of la	and in farms	
Land Use Practices (% of fa	rms)	
No till	2	
Reduced till	-	
Intensive till	3	
Cover crop	3	

Farms by Value of Sale	S		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	434	58	1 to 9 acres	171	23
\$2,500 to \$4,999	85	11	10 to 49 acres	431	58
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	10	50 to 179 acres	98	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	73	10	180 to 499 acres	30	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28	4	500 to 999 acres	10	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	3	1,000 + acres	7	1
\$100,000 or more	24	3			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

Total	Sales (\$1,000) 20,400	Rank in State ^b 47	Counties Producing Item 67	Rank in U.S. ^b 2,363	Counties Producing Item 3,077
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Crops	15,057	43	67	1,826	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1	53	57	2,604	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	135	54	65	1,423	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,205	25	65	260	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	10,698	30	65	237	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	84	5	36	295	1,384
Other crops and hay	934	35	65	1,941	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,343	43	67	2,414	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,711	43	65	2,021	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	31	38	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	242	4	61	722	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	87	25	63	1,381	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,910	5	66	78	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	36	55	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	267	33	67	450	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,244	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	692 552	Have internet access	78	Forage (hay/haylage), all Nursery stock crops Oranges, all Floriculture and bedding crops	5,337 525 485 320
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	56 723 465	Farm organically	(Z)	Other floriculture	317
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	7 15 11 - 1,211	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	10 16	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs	(D) 9,457 1,166 210
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	81 217 383	Are family farms	95	Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,408 3,206 516 312 314

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Citrus County Florida



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	609	+9
Land in farms (acres)	55,764	+38
Average size of farm (acres)	92	+26
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	13,470,000	-4
Government payments	197,000	+35
Farm-related income	1,433,000	+60
Total farm production expenses	21,486,000	+30
Net cash farm income	-6,385,000	-374
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	22,119	-12
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	12,337	+69
Farm-related income	17,063	+77
Total farm production expenses	35,281	+20
Net cash farm income	-10,485	-335

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)		
Crops	6		
Livestock, poultry, and products			
Land in Farms I	oy Use (%) a		
Cropland	1		
Pastureland	40		
Woodland	30		
Other	•		
Acres irrigated: 8	75		
	2% of land in farms		
Land Use Pract	ices (% of farms)		
No till	;		
Reduced till			
Intensive till	;		
Cover crop			

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	348	57	1 to 9 acres	182	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83	14	10 to 49 acres	276	45
\$5,000 to \$9,999	72	12	50 to 179 acres	98	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	51	8	180 to 499 acres	24	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	3	500 to 999 acres	16	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	2	1,000 + acres	13	2
\$100,000 or more	22	4			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	13,470	49	67	2,555	3,077
Crops	9,059	48	67	2,089	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	55	57	2,613	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	149	53	65	1,391	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	5,068	23	65	205	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,080	42	65	503	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	24	36	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	756	38	65	2,109	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,411	45	67	2,495	3,073
Poultry and eggs	51	38	64	1,239	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,147	41	65	1,951	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	51	20	61	1,091	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	285	4	63	572	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	255	32	66	816	2,970
Aquaculture	141	24	55	218	1,251
Other animals and animal products	481	22	67	300	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,105	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	601 504	Have internet access	81	Forage (hay/haylage), all Field/grass seed crops, all Land in berries Nursery stock crops	5,821 (D) 370 214
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	68 652 385	Farm organically	-	Blueberries, all	200
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	3 38 2 1,052	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	12 22	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs	216 8,294 1,373 279
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	54 152 408	Are family farms	97	Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,082 3,955 318 538 132

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