

1997 Census of Agriculture Profiles

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United States Department of Agriculture, Florida Agricultural Statistics Service

GULF FLORIDA

Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	359	66	67	3,036	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	312	64	67	2,981	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	47	65	67	3,046	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Colonies of bees and honey	192	22	63	191	1,992
Cattle and calves	115	62	67	2,966	3,063
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	14	64	64	2,147	2,739
Nursery and greenhouse crops	(D)	65	67	2,539	2,790
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	(D)	61	65	2,970	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	317	63	67	2,964	3,063
All goats sold	(D)	56	62	2,021	2,686
Horses and ponies sold	(D)	60	66	2,910	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Colony of bees inventory	2,298	23	65	262	2,588
Cattle and calves inventory	393	64	67	2,996	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	66	63	67	2,933	3,066
All goat inventory	(D)	61	64	2,679	2,983
Rabbit inventory	(D)	42	61	1,809	2,456
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	195	64	67	3,008	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	30	42	52	2,517	2,691
Land used for vegetables-acres	22	57	64	1,922	2,741
Land in orchards-acres	(D)	66	66	2,356	2,693
Potatoes-acres	(D)	20	35	1,069	1,733

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	24	19	26
\$10,000 or more	9	8	13
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	311	1,318	-76
Average per farmdollars..	9,433	48,815	-81
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	48	(D)	
Average per farmdollars..	1,443	(D)	
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	28	22	27
Partnership or corporation	5	5	
Other			
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	9	7	29
Other	24	20	20
Operators by sex:			
Male	31	27	15
Female	2	-	
Operators by race:			
White	33	27	22
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	53.7	55.6	-3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.