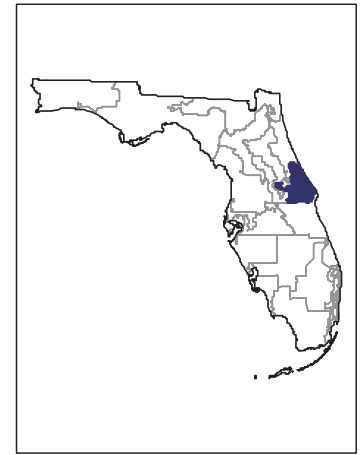


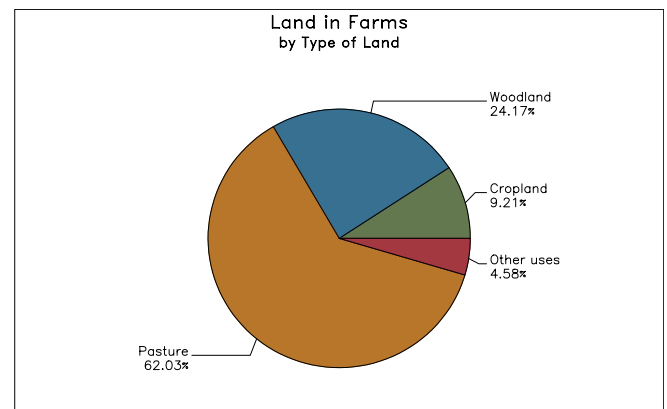
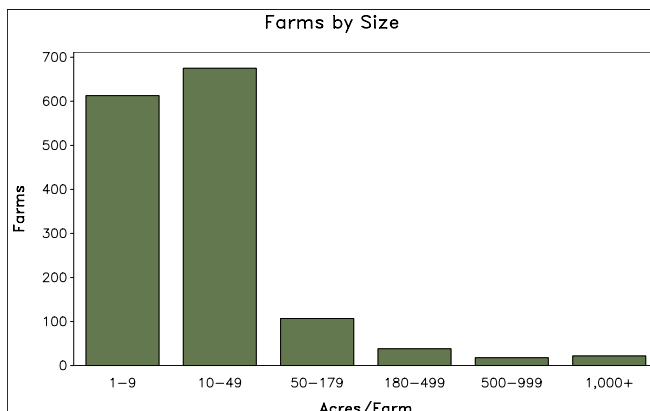
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Congressional District Profile



Florida 24th District

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,318	1,983	+ 17
Number of Farms	1,473	1,285	+ 15
Land in Farms	208,426 acres	126,714 acres	+ 64
Average Size of Farm	141 acres	99 acres	+ 42
Irrigated Land	7,881 acres	12,250 acres	- 36
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$181,950,000	\$155,873,000	+ 17
Average Per Farm	\$123,524	\$121,302	+ 2
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$3,775,000	\$2,054,000	+ 84
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Government Payments	\$22,000	\$44,000	- 50
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,966	\$2,771	- 29



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Florida 24th District

Ranked items among the 25 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	181,950	14	25	226	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	172,644	11	25	154	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	9,306	15	25	299	415
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	0	19	19	370	371
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	3	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	20	24	(D)	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	15,492	12	25	83	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	154,141	2	25	14	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	7	8	(D)	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	16	23	321	389
Poultry and eggs	136	12	25	299	395
Cattle and calves	4,382	12	24	266	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	18	18	343	343
Hogs and pigs	30	15	21	309	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	76	13	24	299	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,296	13	24	230	401
Aquaculture	1,980	10	23	99	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	8	25	(D)	395
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Oranges, all	3,957	11	24	21	102
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,713	14	24	306	398
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	15	24	(D)	401
Sod harvested	(D)	10	16	(D)	296
Nursery stock	1,188	13	25	116	404
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	18,989	12	24	261	396
Colonies of bees	5,502	10	25	94	389
Layers	4,455	10	25	275	395
Horses and ponies	3,996	11	25	246	416
Goats, all	2,200	8	24	222	393

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	471	Farming	728
\$1,000 to \$2,499	147	Other	745
\$2,500 to \$4,999	132	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	131	Male	1,063
\$10,000 to \$19,999	133	Female	410
\$20,000 to \$24,999	67	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	84	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	42	American Indian or Alaska Native	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	79	Asian	73
\$100,000 to \$249,999	85	Black or African American	36
\$250,000 to \$499,999	44	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	58	White	2,127
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	126,280	More than one race	13
Average per farm (\$)	85,730	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	77
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	59,466		
Average per farm (\$)	40,371		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.