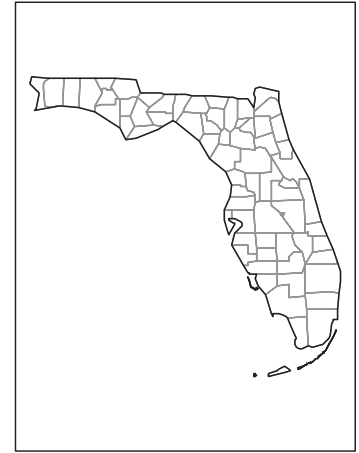


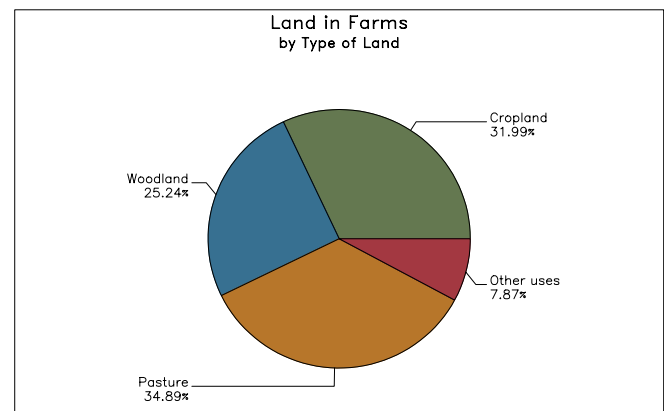
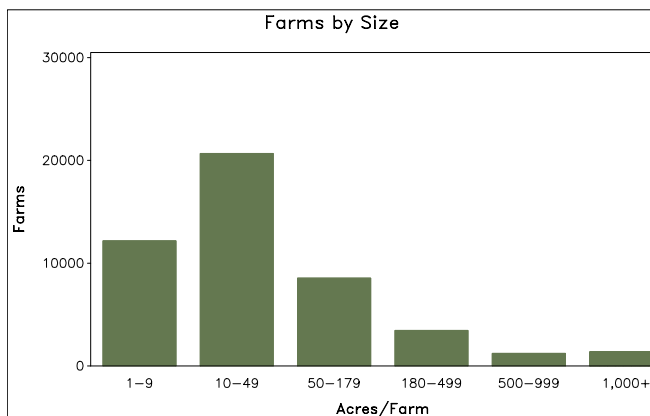
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## State Profile



## Florida

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	47,463	44,081	+ 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	9,231,570 acres	10,414,877 acres	- 11
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	195 acres	236 acres	- 17
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$7,785,228,000	\$6,242,272,000	+ 25
Crop Sales \$6,256,228,000 (80 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,529,000,000 (20 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$164,027	\$141,609	+ 16
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$45,343,000	\$21,818,000	+ 108
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$9,722	\$8,543	+ 14



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#### Ranked items within U.S., 2007

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	7,785,228	11	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,256,228	7	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,529,000	30	50
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	33,344	40	50
Tobacco	4,715	13	17
Cotton and cottonseed	28,469	14	17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	1,422,150	2	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,144,718	2	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,115,641	2	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	390	39	49
Other crops and hay	506,801	7	50
Poultry and eggs	410,148	22	50
Cattle and calves	436,193	29	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	412,211	17	50
Hogs and pigs	2,220	39	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	2,419	37	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	167,784	2	50
Aquaculture	61,340	7	50
Other animals and other animal products	36,686	7	50
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Oranges, all	561,324	1	7
Sugarcane for sugar	378,587	2	4
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	354,860	37	50
Vegetables harvested for sale	265,835	5	50
Peanuts for nuts	118,637	4	16
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	14,123,694	18	50
Layers	11,787,758	10	50
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,582,653	14	50
Cattle and calves	1,711,011	18	50
Quail	283,073	7	49

#### Other State Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	16,150	Farming	20,904
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5,379	Other	26,559
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4,839	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4,668	Male	37,034
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,093	Female	10,429
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,311	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2,301	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,054	American Indian or Alaska Native	670
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,435	Asian	964
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2,103	Black or African American	1,772
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1,063	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	101
\$500,000 or more	2,067	White	67,569
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,762,883	More than one race	639
Average per farm (\$)	121,418	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4,869
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,268,275		
Average per farm (\$)	47,790		

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of states in U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.