



# Pasco County Florida

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,165	+9
Land in farms (acres)	191,517	+12
Average size of farm (acres)	164	+2
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	64,966,000	-12
Government payments	876,000	+147
Farm-related income	2,726,000	+11
Total farm production expenses	74,862,000	+1
Net cash farm income	-6,294,000	-325
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	55,765	-20
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,392	-53
Farm-related income	12,224	+10
Total farm production expenses	64,259	-7
Net cash farm income	-5,403	-305

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	23
Livestock, poultry, and products	77

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	14
Pastureland	61
Woodland	22
Other	3

**Acres irrigated: 3,564**

2% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	1

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	628	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	107	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	133	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	116	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	51	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	54	5
\$100,000 or more	76	7

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	301	26
10 to 49 acres	534	46
50 to 179 acres	201	17
180 to 499 acres	57	5
500 to 999 acres	25	2
1,000 + acres	47	4

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>64,966</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,540</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>15,022</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,829</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	26	43	57	2,531	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	472	42	65	983	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	8,199	20	65	158	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	4,793	38	65	394	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,533	31	65	1,489	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>49,945</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	2	64	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	10,483	17	65	1,216	3,055
Milk from cows	3,195	18	38	727	1,892
Hogs and pigs	14	39	61	1,472	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	137	15	63	1,056	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,826	6	66	83	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	18	55	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	114	46	67	712	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>1,982</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	78
Male	1,170		
Female	812		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	127		
35 – 64	1,168		
65 and older	687		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	7
American Indian/Alaska Native	1		
Asian	32		
Black or African American	46		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4		
White	1,889	Hire farm labor	23
More than one race	10		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	94
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	163		
With military service	316		
New and beginning farmers	669		
		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,568
		Cattle and calves	35,182
		Goats	1,070
		Hogs and pigs	159
		Horses and ponies	2,354
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	(D)
		Sheep and lambs	515
		Turkeys	219

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.