Taylor County
Florida

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	240	+33
Land in farms (acres)	58,713	+57
Average size of farm (acres)	245	+18
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	11,787,000	+102
Government payments	10,000	-47
Farm-related income	1,072,000	+136
Total farm production expenses	8,818,000	+53
Net cash farm income	4,052,000	+653
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	49,113	+53
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,142	-41
Farm-related income	25,535	+125
Total farm production expenses	36,742	+16
Net cash farm income	16,882	+468

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	21
Livestock, poultry, and products	79

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	8
Pastureland	27
Woodland	59
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 167

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	113	47
$2,500 to $4,999	34	14
$5,000 to $9,999	31	13
$10,000 to $24,999	24	10
$25,000 to $49,999	30	13
$50,000 to $99,999	1	(Z)
$100,000 or more	7	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	18	8
10 to 49 acres	81	34
50 to 179 acres	87	36
180 to 499 acres	23	10
500 to 999 acres	9	4
1,000 + acres	22	9

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

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	**11,787**	**53**	**67**	**2,609**	**3,077**
Crops	**2,492**	**58**	**67**	**2,619**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	14	46	57	2,552	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	203	53	65	1,016	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	32	36	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**9,295**	**39**	**67**	**2,150**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	7,314	15	64	593	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,522	49	65	2,276	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	47	22	61	1,122	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	32	48	63	2,001	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	379	20	66	568	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	55	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	2	62	67	1,737	2,878

Total Producers [c]   388

Sex
Male — 238
Female — 150

Age
<35 — 13
35 – 64 — 210
65 and older — 165

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native — -
Asian — -
Black or African American — -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander — -
White — 388
More than one race — -

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin — 11
With military service — 73
New and beginning farmers — 133

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access — **75**

Farm organically — **-**

Sell directly to consumers — **3**

Hire farm labor — **23**

Are family farms — **98**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,472
Tangerines	68
Cultivated Christmas trees	51
Field/grass seed crops, all	(D)
Pecans, all	30

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	6,646
Goats	475
Hogs and pigs	86
Horses and ponies	247
Layers	1,729
Pullets	110
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	13

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.
[a] May not add to 100% due to rounding. [b] Among counties whose rank can be displayed. [c] Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.
[d] Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. [e] 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.