

2010-2011 SEASON VEGETABLE HIGHLIGHTS

Production was up for many vegetables compared to the previous year, but prices were down and resulted in a lower total value of production. Prices were up for cucumbers, squash, and blueberries.

Value

The 2010-2011 value of production for the seven major vegetable crops, potatoes, berries, and watermelons totaled \$2.01 billion, down three percent from the 2009-2010 value of \$2.06 billion. The ranking from the highest to lowest value of the published vegetable and berry crops are: (1) tomatoes, (2) strawberries, (3) peppers, (4) sweet corn, (5) snap beans, (6) potatoes, (7) watermelons, (8) squash, (9) blueberries, (10) cabbage, and (11) cucumbers. Crops that increased in value and percentage increase included squash (67%), blueberries (46%), cucumbers (9%), potatoes (2%), and strawberries (1%). Crops that decreased in value and percentage included bell peppers (16%), tomatoes (9%), sweet corn (8%), cabbage (7%), snap beans (3%), and watermelons (1%).

Acreage

The harvested acreage for the 2010-2011 season of the major vegetable crops, watermelons, potatoes, sweet potatoes, strawberries, and blueberries totaled 237,400 acres, up from the 224,000 acres harvested the previous year. Crops with increased acreage included, squash (+26%), snap beans (+24%), strawberries (+13%), potatoes (+12%), blueberries (+9%), tomatoes (+5%), and sweet corn (+2%). Crops with less acreage and percentage decrease included cucumbers (-18%), cabbage (-16%), sweet potatoes (-12%), bell peppers (-1%), and watermelons (-1%).

Production

Despite the harvested acreage being up just six percent, production was up 11 percent. Production increased for squash (58%), sweet potatoes (36%), blueberries (30%), strawberries (28%), snap beans (24%), tomatoes (20%), sweet corn (9%), peppers (8%), potatoes (4%), cucumbers (2%), and watermelons (1%). Cabbage had a five percent decrease in production.

Weather for the 2010-2011 growing season

August 2010 began with hot and dry weather. Rain near the end of the month provided some relief. Producers prepared field and laid plastic mulch for fall vegetables.

September 2010 began with seasonal temperatures and heavy rains in central and southern Florida. Land preparations and planting continued between showers. The harvest of watermelons was in progress in Suwannee County. At the month's end, Miami-Dade County producers were planting snap beans. Growers near Quincy were harvesting tomatoes. Cabbage planting was active in Flagler County and sweet corn planting was underway in the Lake Okeechobee area. Producers in Orange County harvested pickles and sweet corn in addition to planting cabbage.

October 2010 began with above normal temperatures, but cooler temperatures at mid-month prevailed and delayed the maturity of crops. Producers delayed planting some fall vegetables because fields were too dry. Producers planted cabbage and prepared fields for planting strawberries. At month's end, cucumbers and tomatoes were harvested. Land preparations for winter vegetables was underway.

November 2010 began with warm, dry weather. At mid-month, a cold front caused frost damage that ended vegetable production in Washington County. Dry conditions continued throughout the remainder of the month. Vegetable harvesting gained momentum as growers tried to meet the Thanksgiving Day demand. Potato field preparations were in full swing in St. Johns County.

December 2010 was a dry month. A cold front brought frigid temperatures into the 20s. Vegetable producers covered plants with freeze cloths and ran overhead sprinklers for freeze protection. Only light shipments of vegetables were available for marketing.

January 2011 began with abundant rains and seasonal temperatures. Then sub-freezing temperatures averaging 10 to 20 degrees below normal continued for nearly two weeks. The strawberry harvest was greatly reduced and growers in south Florida reported losses in fields of beans, squash, sweet corn, and tomatoes. While most fields of vegetables survived the cold temperatures, many had delayed plant development and lower yields.

In mid-**February 2011**, temperatures dropped below average and rains hindered field work and harvesting of some vegetables. Producers were harvesting strawberries in the Plant City area. Light supplies of vegetables were marketed. Spring vegetable planting and field preparations were delayed by the cold weather and rain. Strawberries were recovering from the cold temperatures and the supply increased. The month ended with temperatures 4 to 8 degrees below normal.

March 2011 began with warm temperatures and dry weather. Production levels for sweet corn, endive, escarole, and tomatoes were below expectations due to drought and previous cold conditions. The strawberry harvest was in full swing in the Plant City area. Cabbage harvesting was ongoing in St. Johns County. Market movement included snap beans, broccoli, cabbage, celery, sweet corn, endive, escarole, bell peppers, radishes, squash, tomatoes, and strawberries.

April 2011 began with heavy rains and above normal temperatures. At mid-month, the vegetable harvest reached normal seasonal volumes. Producers harvested snap beans, sweet corn, sweet potatoes, squash, and tomatoes. Watermelon planting was underway. Low water tables impacted irrigation in some areas. At month's end the blueberry harvesting peaked, and squash supplies declined seasonally. Watermelon picking increased slowly with light volumes available.

In **May** warm temperatures and substantial rainfall continued throughout most of the month. The warm weather caused many vegetables to mature earlier than normal. Harvesting continued for sweet corn, bell peppers, tomatoes, and watermelon. At month's end, bell pepper, blueberry, cabbage, cucumbers, snap bean, and tomato production declined seasonally. A good supply of sweet corn continued. Sweet potato planting progressed.

June 2011 began with hot, dry weather. Sweet corn growers completed harvesting the spring crop. Tomato harvesting was active in central and northern counties. Watermelon harvesting concluded early due to melons being scorching in the heat. Producers in the Quincy area increased tomato picking as harvesting from central areas had declined seasonally.

In **July 2011** most vegetables were finished for the season. There was some tomato harvesting in western and central Florida. In Okeechobee County, irrigated sweet corn harvesting continued. Northern Peninsula growers were still harvesting light supplies of watermelons as the season concluded.

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Planted Acreage is the total acreage which has been planted for harvest during the crop year. Acreage lost and replanted to the same crop in time for harvest in the same quarter is counted only once. Acreage harvested and planted again to the same crop is counted twice.

Harvested Acreage is the acreage partially or completely harvested. Acreage lost before or at maturity through natural or economic causes is not included in the acreage for harvest.

Yield is the average production per harvested acre of merchantable quality harvested and sold or utilized for human consumption.

Production is the quantity actually harvested and sold or utilized for human consumption.

Unit Value for fresh market sales is the equivalent price received, f.o.b. shipping point basis and encompasses all grades and sizes marketed or utilized. Included are packing charges, selling charges, precooling, top ice, or other costs which contribute to the value of the product at shipping point. The value per unit for quantities sold to processors is the average value paid for usable quantities, on a "delivered to plant door" basis. This value includes transportation and other normal costs incident to delivery at plant door.

Total Value is the equivalent value of production sold or utilized based on the unit value. Cullage and other quantities not sold or utilized because of natural or economic factors are excluded.

Other Counties include harvested acreage for all counties for which either published data would result in the disclosure of individual operations or acreage totals for specific commodities of minor importance in the State.

Production And Price Unit - The official USDA vegetable crop estimates are published on a weight basis. For this bulletin, the official estimates for most vegetable crops have been converted to what is believed to be the most commonly used containers. If changes in container weights are necessary, all data pertaining to the production of the commodity in question are revised to maintain comparability between years. The table below gives the net weight used per container and the number of containers per hundredweight for Florida produce.

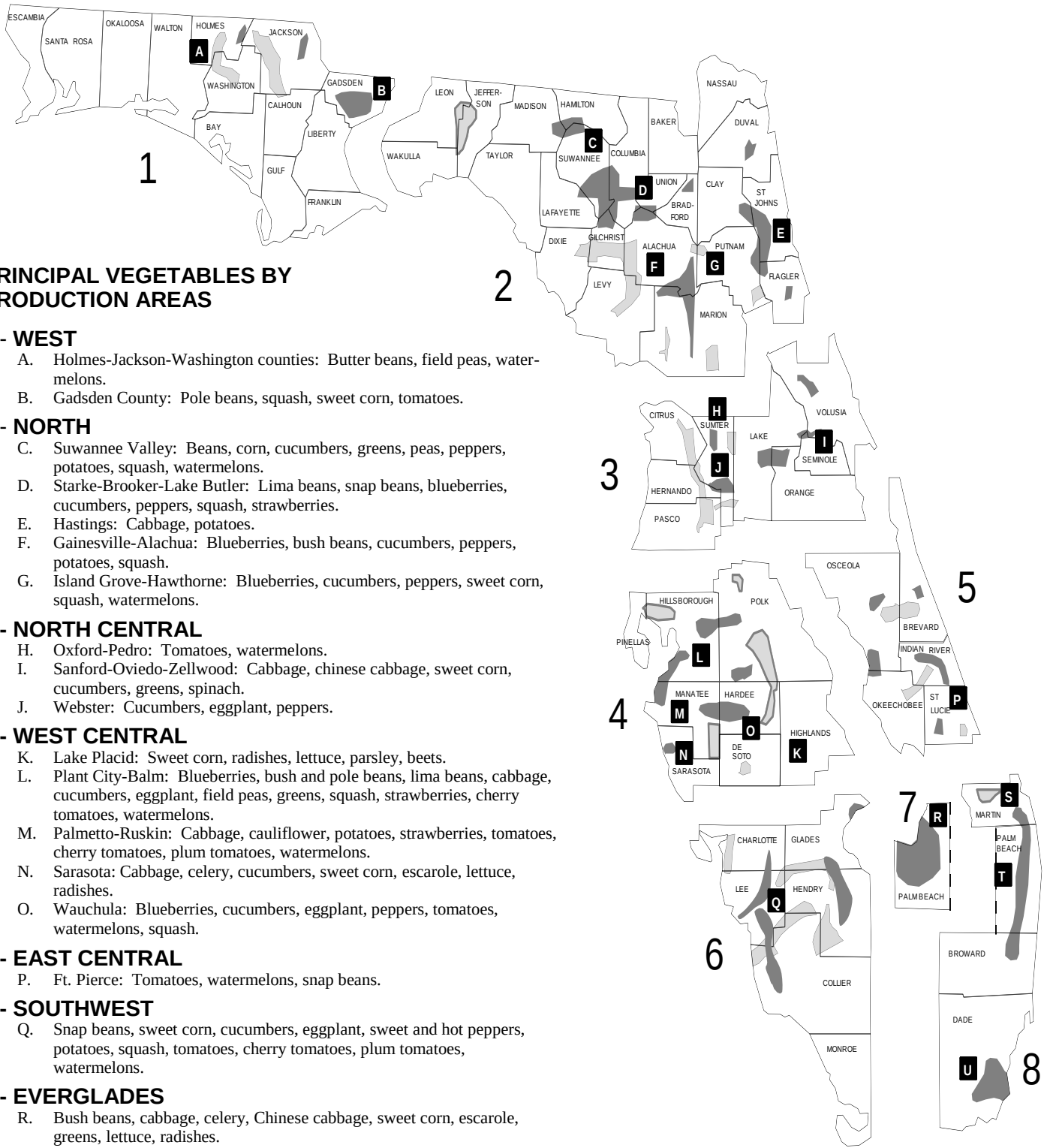
Florida Produce

[Most common unit, estimated net weight, and units per hundredweight, 2010-2011 crop season]

Commodity	Unit	Estimated net weight	Number of units per cwt	Commodity	Unit	Estimated net weight	Number of units per cwt
		(pounds)				(pounds)	
Snap Beans	Bushel	30	3.333	Lettuce, Iceberg.....	Carton	50	2.000
Blueberries.....	Flat	11	9.090	Lettuce, Romaine	Carton	40	2.500
Cabbage	Crate	50	2.000	Lettuce, Leaf.....	Carton	25	4.000
Carrots.....	Sack	48	2.083	Okra	Bushel	30	3.333
Cauliflower.....	Carton	25	4.000	Parsley	Crate	21	4.762
Celery	Crate	60	1.667	Bell Pepper.....	Bushel	28	3.571
Chinese Cabbage	Crate	50	2.000	Potatoes	Sack	100	1.000
Sweet Corn	Crate	42	2.381	Radishes	Carton	15	6.667
Cucumbers	Bushel	55	1.818	Squash.....	Bushel	42	2.381
Eggplant.....	Bushel	33	3.030	Strawberries	Flat	12	8.333
Escarole.....	Crate	25	4.000	Sweet Potatoes	Crate	50	2.000
Lettuce, Bibb.....	Carton	10	10.000	Tomatoes	Carton	25	4.000
Lettuce, Boston.....	Carton	20	5.000	Watermelons	Cwt	100	1.000

CONFIDENTIALITY OF COLLECTED DATA

All information collected from individual agricultural producers is held strictly confidential. Data provided by individual producers or other agricultural firms are used only to compile and publish statistics at the county, State, and national levels. Statistics at the county and State level are not published if they will potentially disclose information about an individual or operation. In addition, all names and addresses obtained by this office are held confidential.



Florida Vegetables, Watermelons, Potatoes, and Berries: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, Crop Years 2009-2010 and 2010-2011

Crop	Planted acreage		Harvested acreage		Yield per acre	
	2009-2010	2010-2011	2009-2010	2010-2011	2009-2010	2010-2011
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(cwt)
Vegetables						
Snap beans	36,400	46,000	32,200	40,000	60	60
Cabbage	10,500	8,800	9,700	8,100	300	340
Sweet corn	45,100	50,500	42,100	43,000	140	150
Cucumbers	12,000	10,000	11,600	9,500	200	250
Bell peppers	18,800	18,700	17,700	17,600	230	250
Squash	9,500	12,500	9,100	11,500	120	150
Tomatoes	32,000	32,000	29,500	31,000	290	330
Total	164,300	178,500	151,900	160,700	(X)	(X)
Watermelons	25,900	25,900	24,600	24,400	305	310
Potatoes ¹	33,200	36,400	31,800	35,600	250	256
Sweet potatoes	3,500	3,300	3,400	3,000	130	160
Strawberries	8,800	9,900	8,800	9,900	220	250
Blueberries	(X)	(X)	3,500	3,800	47	56
Total, all crops	235,700	254,000	224,000	237,400	(X)	(X)

Crop	Production		Value per cwt		Total value	
	2009-2010	2010-2011	2009-2010	2010-2011	2009-2010	2010-2011
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Vegetables						
Snap beans	1,932	2,400	69.90	54.70	135,047	131,280
Cabbage	2,910	2,754	24.10	23.60	70,131	64,994
Sweet corn	5,894	6,450	32.10	27.00	189,197	174,150
Cucumbers	2,320	2,375	20.60	21.90	47,792	52,013
Bell peppers	4,071	4,400	72.60	56.30	295,555	247,720
Squash	1,092	1,725	52.00	55.00	56,784	94,875
Tomatoes	8,555	10,230	72.50	55.20	620,238	564,696
Total	26,774	30,334	(X)	(X)	1,414,744	1,329,728
Watermelons	7,503	7,564	15.00	14.80	112,545	111,947
Potatoes ¹	7,151	7,463	17.40	15.90	126,782	129,495
Sweet potatoes	352	480	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Strawberries	1,936	2,475	187.00	148.00	362,032	366,300
Blueberries	164	214	288.00	323.00	47,272	69,122
Total, all crops	43,880	48,530	(X)	(X)	2,063,375	2,006,592

X Not applicable.

D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ 2011 data is preliminary.

Florida Vegetables, Watermelons, Potatoes, and Berries: Harvested Acreage, Crop Years 2000-2001 through 2009-2010

Crop year	Harvested acreage				
	Vegetables ¹	Watermelons	Potatoes ²	Berries ³	Total
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)
2001-2002	222,600	23,000	33,000	8,500	287,100
2002-2003	217,200	24,000	34,400	9,000	284,600
2003-2004	219,800	25,000	30,000	9,400	284,200
2004-2005	155,100	26,000	29,000	9,800	219,900
2005-2006	135,900	25,300	28,100	9,900	199,200
2006-2007	163,400	22,800	27,200	9,200	222,600
2007-2008	153,590	26,100	27,900	9,900	217,490
2008-2009	157,300	25,800	32,100	12,000	227,200
2009-2010	151,900	24,600	35,200	12,300	224,000
2010-2011	160,700	24,400	38,600	13,700	237,400

Florida Vegetables, Watermelons, and Berries: Value of Production, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

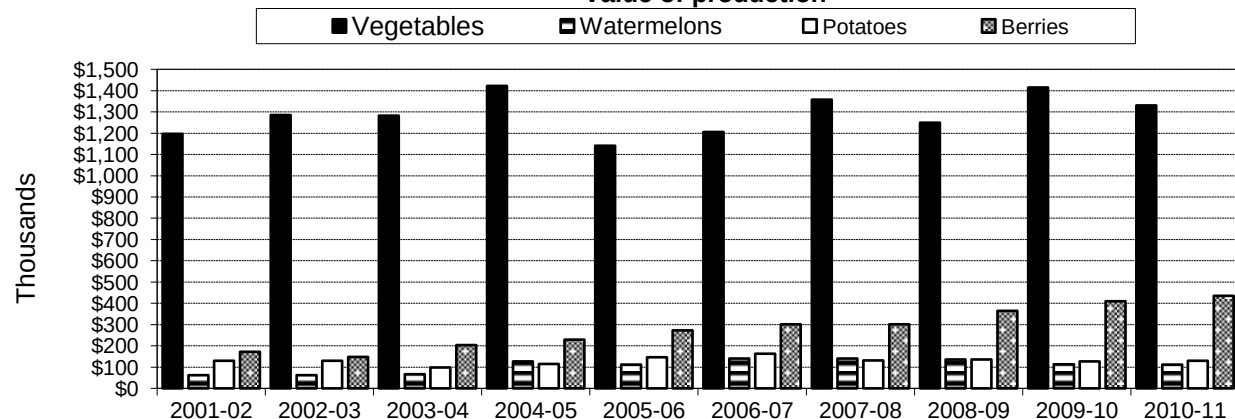
Crop year	Value of production				
	Vegetables ¹	Watermelons	Potatoes ²	Berries ³	Total
	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	1,196,381	62,238	129,471	172,032	1,560,122
2002-2003	1,285,334	61,920	129,261	147,377	1,623,892
2003-2004	1,282,339	67,200	97,652	203,197	1,650,388
2004-2005	1,421,756	126,945	114,347	229,550	1,892,598
2005-2006	1,140,846	111,042	146,462	272,048	1,670,398
2006-2007	1,205,066	140,173	163,175	300,888	1,809,302
2007-2008	1,357,021	140,392	131,040	301,306	1,929,759
2008-2009	1,249,150	135,771	135,201	364,932	1,885,054
2009-2010	1,414,744	112,545	126,782	409,304	2,063,375
2010-2011	1,329,728	111,947	129,495	435,422	2,006,592

¹Vegetable crops include snap beans, cabbage, sweet corn, cucumbers, bell peppers, squash, and tomatoes.

²Includes sweet potatoes, estimates began in 2009.

³Includes only blueberries and strawberries.

**FLORIDA VEGETABLES, WATERMELONS, POTATOES AND BERRIES:
Value of production**



Florida Snap Beans: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per crate	Total value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(30-pound bushel)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	34,500	34,000	287	9,764	13.72	134,006
2002-2003	32,400	31,800	277	8,797	17.16	150,951
2003-2004	33,800	33,200	283	9,407	14.16	133,198
2004-2005	34,800	34,000	217	7,367	19.32	142,324
2005-2006	33,400	28,700	317	9,090	15.60	141,804
2006-2007	39,000	38,000	300	11,400	21.00	239,400
2007-2008	37,800	33,200	267	8,853	17.58	155,642
2008-2009	33,700	32,800	217	7,107	15.87	112,783
2009-2010	36,400	32,200	200	6,440	20.97	135,047
2010-2011	46,000	40,000	200	8,000	16.41	131,280

Florida Snap Beans: Production Sold in 30-pound Bushels, for Fresh Market Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	November ¹	December	January	February	March	April	May	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	1,439	1,796	944	1,131	2,360	1,529	565	9,764
2002-2003	1,411	1,398	880	1,229	2,026	1,318	535	8,797
2003-2004	941	1,035	939	1,599	2,258	1,882	753	9,407
2004-2005	1,314	882	816	889	1,109	1,326	1,031	7,367
2005-2006	267	1,158	1,249	1,306	1,825	2,281	1,004	9,090
2006-2007	1,300	1,660	1,985	1,397	1,700	1,927	1,431	11,400
2007-2008	886	1,546	878	1,089	1,674	1,684	1,096	8,853
2008-2009	878	1,091	1,214	629	1,000	1,446	849	7,107
2009-2010	773	1,546	773	⁽²⁾	450	1,352	1,546	6,440
2010-2011	1,200	560	160	1,120	2,560	2,080	320	8,000

¹ Includes October.

² Combined with March.

Florida Snap Beans: Average Value per 30-pound Bushel for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	November ¹	December	January	February	March	April	May	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	15.09	12.30	17.61	16.14	12.63	12.42	11.55	13.72
2002-2003	17.34	18.81	22.59	18.42	11.58	19.83	15.09	17.16
2003-2004	12.69	14.31	22.86	13.05	12.75	14.52	10.62	14.16
2004-2005	15.33	14.31	21.42	23.34	25.59	18.00	18.51	19.32
2005-2006	30.00	24.87	13.20	16.80	13.47	13.20	11.82	15.60
2006-2007	15.51	19.68	19.47	24.69	30.60	19.14	15.93	21.00
2007-2008	27.09	12.06	20.64	29.49	11.31	17.10	14.85	17.58
2008-2009	13.56	20.70	11.22	25.86	20.64	11.79	9.63	15.87
2009-2010	17.80	20.00	31.50	⁽²⁾	29.30	23.30	13.80	20.97
2010-2011	13.02	26.19	39.30	14.55	14.64	17.16	16.68	16.41

¹ Includes October.

² Combined with March.

Florida Cabbage: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per crate	Total value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(50-pound crate)	(1,000 crates)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	8,200	8,000	613	4,901	5.79	28,371
2002-2003	7,800	7,600	620	4,712	4.90	23,089
2003-2004	7,900	7,600	740	5,624	5.50	30,932
2004-2005	7,900	7,800	680	5,304	5.90	31,294
2005-2006	7,800	6,200	660	4,092	7.50	30,690
2006-2007	9,900	9,500	660	6,270	9.65	60,506
2007-2008	10,400	9,190	700	6,434	6.75	43,430
2008-2009	10,100	9,500	770	7,316	8.25	60,357
2009-2010	10,500	9,700	600	5,820	12.05	70,131
2010-2011	8,800	8,100	680	5,508	11.80	64,994

Florida Cabbage: Production Sold in 50-pound Crates, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	November ¹	December	January	February	March	April	May	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	(²)	140	819	1,056	1,893	993	(³)	4,901
2002-2003	(²)	401	707	895	1,578	1,037	94	4,712
2003-2004	(²)	263	1,238	1,255	1,854	900	114	5,624
2004-2005	(²)	424	1,220	1,061	1,697	796	106	5,304
2005-2006	(²)	352	557	680	1,316	1,187	(³)	4,092
2006-2007	376	439	815	1,066	1,756	1,818	(³)	6,270
2007-2008	(²)	306	1,332	1,494	2,356	946	(³)	6,434
2008-2009	(²)	263	1,680	1,563	2,336	1,282	192	7,316
2009-2010	(²)	1,048	465	640	1,048	1,280	1,339	5,820
2010-2011	(²)	220	936	1,212	1,708	1,212	220	5,508

¹ Includes October shipments.

³ Included in April.

² Included in December shipments.

Florida Cabbage: Average Value per 50-pound Crate for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	November ¹	December	January	February	March	April	May	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	(²)	6.28	5.26	4.74	5.91	7.04	(³)	5.79
2002-2003	(²)	4.00	4.73	4.78	5.52	4.68	3.18	4.90
2003-2004	(²)	6.50	5.70	5.00	5.50	5.75	4.55	5.50
2004-2005	(²)	6.30	5.35	4.85	5.55	8.25	9.75	5.90
2005-2006	(²)	8.10	8.80	8.20	7.60	6.20	(³)	7.50
2006-2007	5.00	8.75	11.50	13.45	10.65	6.80	(³)	9.65
2007-2008	(²)	6.05	7.00	6.00	7.20	6.80	(³)	6.75
2008-2009	(²)	6.75	9.29	8.52	9.61	7.80	8.46	8.25
2009-2010	(²)	9.50	13.90	14.30	16.40	11.80	9.20	12.05
2010-2011	(²)	16.84	16.24	12.36	11.51	8.14	7.50	11.80

¹ Includes October.

³ Included in April.

² Included in December.

Florida Sweet Corn: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per crate	Total Value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(42-pound crates)	(1,000 crates)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	42,100	40,800	319	13,010	7.73	100,517
2002-2003	39,400	38,800	345	13,395	6.72	90,016
2003-2004	38,900	38,700	369	14,283	7.73	110,382
2004-2005	35,100	33,600	381	12,800	8.44	108,058
2005-2006	33,000	26,300	441	11,586	10.12	117,271
2006-2007	40,000	39,000	405	15,786	9.45	149,175
2007-2008	45,300	42,000	381	16,000	9.91	158,592
2008-2009	46,900	43,100	369	15,907	14.28	227,154
2009-2010	45,100	42,100	333	14,033	13.48	189,197
2010-2011	50,500	43,000	357	15,357	11.34	174,150

Florida Sweet Corn: Production Sold in 42-pound Crates, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	(1)	599	385	676	811	1,351	3,919	4,999	270	13,010
2002-2003	(1)	716	858	134	672	1,930	4,607	4,478	(2)	13,395
2003-2004	417	556	695	573	717	1,820	3,914	4,874	717	14,283
2004-2005	208	208	727	1,048	806	1,582	3,254	4,967	(2)	12,800
2005-2006	(3)	(3)	389	571	1,028	1,600	3,130	4,525	343	11,586
2006-2007	(3)	(3)	1,568	1,192	1,063	1,589	3,765	6,609	(2)	15,786
2007-2008	(3)	(3)	800	1,600	1,440	1,760	4,800	5,600	(2)	16,000
2008-2009	(1)	1,909	1,113	1,909	954	3,181	1,750	5,091	(2)	15,907
2009-2010	(1)	1,684	2,245	982	281	702	1,544	6,595	(2)	14,033
2010-2011	(3)	(3)	1,075	461	614	1,536	5,375	6,296	(2)	15,357

¹ Included with November.

² Included with May.

³ Included with December.

Florida Sweet Corn: Average Monthly Value per 42-pound Crate for Fresh Market Sales, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	Total
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	(1)	11.17	9.74	10.00	9.62	10.58	7.31	6.22	5.42	7.73
2002-2003	(1)	6.34	6.89	11.63	10.08	7.94	6.09	6.22	(2)	6.72
2003-2004	8.53	10.46	11.93	12.73	8.78	8.53	7.18	6.51	5.21	7.73
2004-2005	12.39	11.42	6.47	8.95	12.01	10.96	8.90	6.64	(2)	8.44
2005-2006	(3)	(3)	10.96	14.70	14.70	14.28	11.26	6.34	7.94	10.12
2006-2007	(3)	(3)	8.40	11.51	9.91	12.68	9.96	8.44	(2)	9.45
2007-2008	(3)	(3)	14.24	12.94	9.66	12.01	8.44	9.11	(2)	9.91
2008-2009	(1)	16.38	10.67	10.46	19.49	24.91	12.73	9.11	(2)	14.28
2009-2010	(1)	7.94	9.53	17.68	24.57	26.33	21.38	11.89	(2)	13.48
2010-2011	(3)	(3)	13.27	26.12	21.76	17.81	9.16	9.20	(2)	11.34

¹ Included with November.

² Included with May.

³ Included with December.

Florida Cucumbers: Acreage, Production and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per bushel	Total Value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(55-pound bushel)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002.....	7,500	7,500	701	5,284	10.63	56,178
2002-2003.....	11,500	11,300	436	4,931	12.21	60,206
2003-2004.....	11,000	10,700	427	4,573	11.06	50,552
2004-2005.....	11,000	10,500	491	5,155	14.30	73,710
2005-2006.....	10,000	9,700	455	4,409	17.10	75,418
2006-2007.....	15,700	15,200	491	7,462	14.74	109,987
2007-2008.....	12,000	11,600	509	5,905	12.05	71,131
2008-2009.....	11,600	11,300	427	4,829	16.28	78,618
2009-2010.....	12,000	11,600	364	4,218	11.33	47,792
2010-2011.....	10,000	9,500	455	4,318	12.05	52,013

Florida Cucumbers: Production Sold in 55-pound Bushels, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002.....	291	890	733	(3)	(3)	1,297	1,140	933	(4)	5,284
2002-2003.....	(5)	1,078	795	(3)	(3)	687	1,335	1,036	(4)	4,931
2003-2004.....	(5)	1,006	457	224	97	503	1,280	1,006	(4)	4,573
2004-2005.....	(5)	881	572	155	314	614	1,337	1,077	150	5,155
2005-2006.....	(5)	485	265	529	88	617	1,587	838	(4)	4,409
2006-2007.....	224	1,045	1,045	(3)	(3)	1,194	2,388	1,566	(4)	7,462
2007-2008.....	184	962	1,164	212	183	886	1,443	871	(4)	5,905
2008-2009.....	(5)	680	426	482	(6)	(6)	1,565	1,676	(4)	4,829
2009-2010.....	169	506	675	127	169	253	1,097	1,095	127	4,218
2010-2011.....	(5)	734	173	(6)	(6)	(6)	2,418	993	(4)	4,318

¹ Includes September.

² Includes July.

³ Included in March.

⁴ Included in May.

⁵ Included in November.

⁶ Included in April.

Florida Cucumbers: Average Value per 55-pound Bushel for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	5.45	12.30	6.90	(3)	(3)	12.60	11.82	9.40	(4)	10.63
2002-2003	(5)	9.19	14.52	(3)	(3)	12.21	11.83	14.08	(4)	12.21
2003-2004	(5)	7.70	11.00	15.40	12.10	16.50	12.65	8.25	(4)	11.06
2004-2005	(5)	11.55	10.45	11.00	9.35	18.15	15.95	15.95	15.95	14.30
2005-2006	(5)	19.80	29.15	13.20	15.40	22.55	15.95	12.10	(4)	17.10
2006-2007	17.60	14.30	14.85	(3)	(3)	18.70	11.55	13.20	(4)	14.74
2007-2008	11.55	13.75	10.45	20.90	19.25	11.55	13.20	8.80	(4)	12.05
2008-2009	(5)	22.77	22.72	21.51	(6)	(6)	15.73	7.48	(4)	16.28
2009-2010	16.50	12.40	11.10	8.00	8.30	10.20	14.60	8.00	11.00	11.33
2010-2011	(5)	7.98	10.84	(6)	(6)	(6)	14.52	9.30	(4)	12.05

¹ Includes September.

² Includes July.

³ Included in March.

⁴ Included in May.

⁵ Included in November.

⁶ Included in April.

Florida Bell Peppers: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per bushel	Total Value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(28-pound bushel)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(\$1,000)
2001-2002	17,250	17,100	1,142	19,532	8.68	169,482
2002-2003	17,800	17,700	1,000	17,700	10.05	177,920
2003-2004	18,500	18,300	1,107	20,261	10.78	218,411
2004-2005	19,400	19,000	861	16,357	13.05	213,428
2005-2006	19,800	16,500	876	14,450	12.96	187,330
2006-2007	19,500	19,300	803	15,500	11.82	183,148
2007-2008	19,000	17,800	1,000	17,800	14.22	253,187
2008-2009	18,900	18,200	875	16,007	12.40	198,553
2009-2010	18,800	17,700	821	14,539	20.33	295,555
2010-2011	18,700	17,600	893	15,714	15.76	247,720

Florida Bell Peppers: Production Sold in 28-pound Bushel, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Average
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	581	1,941	2,709	2,446	2,823	3,199	3,417	2,228	188	19,532
2002-2003	531	1,947	1,947	2,101	2,124	2,478	4,271	2,124	177	17,700
2003-2004	(³)	1,417	1,824	2,240	2,440	4,043	4,865	3,238	194	20,261
2004-2005	(³)	1,473	2,126	1,636	2,126	2,617	3,271	2,944	164	16,357
2005-2006	(³)	1,011	867	1,300	1,878	2,890	3,613	2,746	145	14,450
2006-2007	(³)	2,015	2,170	2,015	1,860	2,480	2,790	2,170	(⁴)	15,500
2007-2008	(³)	1,476	2,912	2,852	2,449	2,999	3,286	1,826	(⁴)	17,800
2008-2009	(³)	1,359	2,259	2,444	1,918	3,066	3,120	1,841	(⁴)	16,007
2009-2010	(³)	1,454	2,908	1,454	1,890	1,454	2,617	2,762	(⁴)	14,539
2010-2011	(³)	1,100	1,100	1,571	1,886	3,929	4,243	1,885	(⁴)	15,714

¹ Includes September.

³ November includes October.

² Includes July.

⁴ May includes June.

Florida Bell Peppers: Average Value per 28-pound Bushel for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	6.08	6.80	6.13	8.23	8.34	11.93	7.17	12.63	8.68	8.68
2002-2003	9.86	11.06	9.04	14.31	10.22	12.35	6.94	9.24	10.70	10.05
2003-2004	(³)	10.50	10.61	18.06	11.68	12.60	7.76	7.78	6.97	10.78
2004-2005	(³)	10.53	11.16	17.60	12.03	12.70	8.07	8.13	7.11	13.05
2005-2006	(³)	19.80	23.63	17.72	12.68	11.00	7.84	8.18	7.81	12.96
2006-2007	(³)	9.80	8.93	10.02	14.42	13.41	15.40	10.19	(⁴)	11.82
2007-2008	(³)	14.98	8.82	14.64	14.62	15.31	12.60	22.20	(⁴)	14.22
2008-2009	(³)	13.42	10.67	13.66	14.48	14.37	11.54	7.73	(⁴)	12.40
2009-2010	(³)	15.51	9.91	15.90	23.86	43.90	30.55	11.65	(⁴)	20.33
2010-2011	(³)	7.08	9.74	11.12	28.84	20.50	11.56	14.73	(⁴)	15.76

¹ Includes September.

³ November includes October.

² Includes July.

⁴ May includes June.

Florida Potatoes: Production Sold, Monthly, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

[Includes processing]

Crop year	January	February	March	April	May	June ¹	Total
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
2002	(2)	582	1,183	1,611	5,394	838	9,608
2003	(2)	277	1,107	635	4,390	2,941	9,350
2004	(2)	296	717	1,202	3,933	3,050	9,198
2005	(2)	273	1,105	1,652	3,300	1,510	7,840
2006	(2)	(3)	1,367	2,058	2,979	1,340	7,744
2007	(2)	(3)	950	1,594	3,222	1,954	7,720
2008	(2)	(3)	612	2,001	3,976	1,176	7,765
2009	236	439	608	1,370	3,155	1,343	7,151
2010	(2)	336	414	1,218	3,886	1,609	7,463
2011	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)

¹ Includes small quantities sold in July.

² January included with February.

³ February included with March.

⁴ 2011 data will be released September 2012.

Florida Potatoes: Average Value per cwt for all Sales, Monthly, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

[Includes processing]

Crop year	January	February	March	April	May	June ¹	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2002	(S)	25.60	31.00	10.70	10.40	11.90	14.00
2003	(S)	27.50	23.50	13.90	12.20	11.10	13.80
2004	(S)	20.50	25.00	14.50	8.15	7.65	10.60
2005	(S)	25.50	27.60	13.50	10.80	11.80	14.40
2006	(S)	(S)	40.00	18.70	11.90	12.20	18.80
2007	(S)	(S)	36.70	33.80	13.40	12.80	20.90
2008	(S)	42.10	37.80	17.00	15.30	19.10	16.50
2009	17.00	25.60	28.90	18.20	15.30	15.40	17.70
2010	(S)	38.50	36.70	18.00	14.70	13.90	17.40
2011	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	15.90

S Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

¹ Includes small quantities sold in July.

² 2011 data will be released September 2012.

Florida Potatoes: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

[Includes processing]

Crop year	Area		Yield per acre	Production	Production Sold	Value per cwt	Value of sales
	Planted	Harvested					
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Winter							
2002	6,800	6,700	265	1,776	1,765	29.20	51,538
2003	6,100	5,800	240	1,392	1,384	24.80	34,323
2004	5,700	5,500	285	1,568	1,559	21.70	33,830
2005	6,000	5,800	240	1,392	1,378	27.20	37,482
2006	5,700	5,500	250	1,375	1,367	40.00	54,680
2007	(1)						
2008	(1)						
2009	(1)						
2010	(1)						
2011	(1)						
Spring (Hastings)							
2002	21,500	21,000	275	5,775	5,750	10.70	61,525
2003	21,500	20,300	280	5,684	5,661	10.50	59,441
2004	18,200	18,000	320	5,760	5,736	7.45	42,733
2005	17,300	17,000	280	4,760	4,713	10.50	49,980
2006	17,000	16,600	285	4,731	4,684	14.20	66,513
2007	16,500	16,200	285	4,617	4,552	18.00	81,797
2008	17,400	17,000	285	4,845	4,705	13.90	65,167
2009	20,000	16,500	260	4,290	3,775	15.30	57,822
2010	21,500	20,300	250	5,075	4,875	14.60	71,260
2011	23,400	23,100	270	6,237	(2)	13.90	(2)
Spring (Other)							
2002	7,500	7,300	220	1,606	1,593	10.30	16,408
2003	8,500	8,300	280	2,324	2,305	15.40	35,497
2004	6,600	6,500	295	1,918	1,903	10.80	20,552
2005	6,300	6,200	285	1,767	1,749	15.00	26,235
2006	6,100	6,000	285	1,710	1,693	14.20	24,041
2007	11,300	11,000	290	3,190	3,168	25.10	79,583
2008	11,100	10,900	285	3,107	3,060	20.50	62,708
2009	12,600	12,400	275	3,410	3,376	20.40	68,960
2010	11,700	11,500	250	2,875	2,588	22.50	58,235
2011	13,000	12,500	230	2,875	(2)	20.20	(2)

¹ Winter potatoes combined with spring beginning in 2007.

² Data will be released in September 2012.

Florida Sweet Potatoes: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2009 through 2011

[Estimates began in 2009]

Crop year	Area		Yield per acre	Production	Value per cwt	Value of production
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2009	3.3	3.2	110	352	30.00	10,560
2010	3.5	3.4	130	442	(D)	(D)
2011	3.3	3.0	160	480	(D)	(D)

D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

Florida Squash: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per bushel	Total value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(42-pound bushel)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	12,000	11,700	321	3,757	11.86	44,543
2002-2003	10,200	10,000	310	3,095	15.37	47,580
2003-2004	10,500	10,300	310	3,188	14.24	45,392
2004-2005	8,500	8,200	310	2,538	18.90	47,970
2005-2006	10,500	10,200	238	2,429	15.96	38,760
2006-2007	8,000	7,800	219	1,710	22.17	37,910
2007-2008	8,600	8,300	286	2,371	22.26	52,788
2008-2009	9,100	8,800	310	2,724	18.90	51,480
2009-2010	9,500	9,100	286	2,600	21.84	56,784
2010-2011	12,500	11,500	357	4,107	23.10	94,875

Florida Squash: Production Sold in 42-pound Bushels, by Month, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	99	534	444	398	507	797	797	181	3,757
2002-2003	217	526	402	279	588	464	464	155	3,095
2003-2004	⁽¹⁾	382	287	355	542	606	766	250	3,188
2004-2005	⁽¹⁾	306	283	279	405	278	557	430	2,538
2005-2006	⁽¹⁾	194	340	316	321	486	651	121	2,429
2006-2007	⁽¹⁾	222	214	224	212	260	367	211	1,710
2007-2008	⁽¹⁾	214	379	290	460	354	395	279	2,371
2008-2009	⁽¹⁾	220	390	393	298	438	598	387	2,724
2009-2010	78	286	806	156	78	260	494	442	2,600
2010-2011	82	411	205	287	534	1,150	1,191	247	4,107

¹Included in November.

Florida Squash: Average Value per 42-pound Bushel for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	9.70	15.10	8.10	14.22	11.99	13.98	9.57	7.82	11.86
2002-2003	13.09	9.96	8.03	24.58	16.06	19.19	19.87	11.94	15.37
2003-2004	⁽¹⁾	12.05	11.87	20.56	19.36	13.57	12.29	7.81	14.24
2004-2005	⁽¹⁾	13.27	15.54	21.38	19.66	21.71	18.65	21.29	18.90
2005-2006	⁽¹⁾	21.29	21.34	15.83	18.56	13.94	12.14	14.41	15.96
2006-2007	⁽¹⁾	16.80	21.63	27.38	35.41	26.38	16.55	14.78	22.17
2007-2008	⁽¹⁾	21.34	29.95	33.94	18.94	25.91	27.47	17.26	22.26
2008-2009	⁽¹⁾	30.59	13.22	19.31	28.17	23.90	11.67	11.74	18.90
2009-2010	20.12	16.02	19.41	26.04	43.20	25.33	27.12	17.18	21.84
2010-2011	11.60	19.29	29.24	25.40	44.06	28.01	16.09	18.64	23.10

¹Included in November.

Florida Strawberries: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per flat	Total value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(12-pound flat)	(1,000 flats)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002.....	6,900	6,900	2,126	14,667	10.46	153,472
2002-2003.....	7,100	7,100	1,833	13,017	9.92	129,177
2003-2004.....	7,100	7,100	1,917	13,608	13.08	177,997
2004-2005.....	7,300	7,300	2,042	14,908	13.20	196,790
2005-2006.....	7,400	7,300	2,333	17,033	14.04	239,148
2006-2007.....	6,600	6,600	2,667	17,600	14.88	261,888
2007-2008.....	6,900	6,900	2,167	14,950	16.68	249,366
2008-2009.....	8,800	8,800	2,250	19,800	15.84	313,632
2009-2010.....	8,800	8,800	1,833	16,133	22.44	362,032
2010-2011.....	9,900	9,900	2,083	20,625	17.76	366,300

Florida Strawberries: Production Sold in 12-pound Flats, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	December ¹	January	February	March	April	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002.....	2,925	2,807	3,694	5,241	(2)	14,667
2002-2003.....	1,614	3,194	4,095	4,114	(2)	13,017
2003-2004.....	1,105	3,131	3,401	5,971	(2)	13,608
2004-2005.....	1,645	3,434	4,617	4,914	298	14,908
2005-2006.....	1,400	4,614	4,733	5,811	475	17,033
2006-2007.....	2,496	4,002	4,066	6,572	464	17,600
2007-2008.....	2,606	2,623	5,081	4,514	126	14,950
2008-2009.....	2,574	9,900	4,950	2,376	(2)	19,800
2009-2010.....	3,387	2,420	1,291	4,356	4,679	16,133
2010-2011.....	1,031	3,506	7,425	8,663	(2)	20,625

¹ December includes November.

² March includes April.

Florida Strawberries: Average Value per 12-pound Flat for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	December ¹	January	February	March	April	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002.....	13.56	11.04	9.48	9.12	(2)	10.46
2002-2003.....	19.44	13.56	9.72	5.28	(2)	9.92
2003-2004.....	20.40	18.12	14.28	8.40	(2)	13.08
2004-2005.....	20.88	17.65	12.72	8.39	6.29	13.20
2005-2006.....	29.40	15.48	13.68	9.68	11.71	14.04
2006-2007.....	21.84	15.48	17.64	10.75	10.64	14.88
2007-2008.....	20.52	23.88	17.40	11.45	9.25	16.68
2008-2009.....	24.36	14.40	16.08	12.12	(2)	15.84
2009-2010.....	24.37	24.65	30.62	25.70	14.59	22.44
2010-2011.....	39.72	29.76	15.48	12.24	(2)	17.76

¹ December includes November.

² March includes April.

Florida Tomatoes: Acreage, Fresh Market Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

[Includes round and plum or pear-shaped varieties, and U-Pic]

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production ¹	Value per carton	Total value ¹
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(25-pound cartons)	(1,000 cartons)	(dollars)	(\$1,000)
2001-2002.....	43,500	43,500	1,351	58,750	8.07	474,284
2002-2003.....	43,300	43,000	1,320	56,760	9.70	550,572
2003-2004.....	42,400	42,000	1,440	60,480	8.28	500,472
2004-2005.....	45,200	42,000	1,480	62,160	12.95	804,972
2005-2006.....	41,200	38,500	1,400	53,900	10.23	551,128
2006-2007.....	38,200	34,600	1,540	53,284	7.98	424,940
2007-2008.....	32,400	31,500	1,328	41,832	14.88	622,251
2008-2009.....	34,600	33,600	1,464	49,192	10.57	520,205
2009-2010.....	32,000	29,500	1,160	34,220	18.13	620,238
2010-2011.....	32,000	31,000	1,320	40,920	13.80	564,696

¹ Fresh market only.

Florida Tomatoes: Production in 25-pound Cartons, Monthly, for Fresh Market, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002.....	1,808	8,701	7,826	7,506	4,619	5,674	6,927	11,647	4,042	58,750
2002-2003.....	3,193	5,530	6,762	5,733	5,159	4,651	8,026	13,693	4,013	56,760
2003-2004.....	1,969	8,818	6,973	8,836	4,941	5,372	8,747	10,119	4,705	60,480
2004-2005.....	1,883	3,756	10,681	8,253	5,575	7,434	8,622	10,381	5,575	62,160
2005-2006.....	1,077	5,925	4,848	4,852	4,435	9,165	8,625	10,243	4,730	53,900
2006-2007.....	1,066	5,861	9,591	5,861	5,328	6,394	5,861	10,125	3,197	53,284
2007-2008.....	1,255	4,602	5,856	5,438	4,183	4,602	6,693	6,693	2,510	41,832
2008-2009.....	⁽³⁾	5,972	8,278	7,030	5,077	6,449	6,262	7,664	2,460	49,192
2009-2010.....	1,027	2,395	7,186	4,106	1,027	3,422	2,738	8,897	3,422	34,220
2010-2011.....	1,637	6,138	7,775	4,092	2,046	2,864	7,775	5,729	2,864	40,920

¹ Includes September.

³ Included in November.

² Includes July.

Florida Tomatoes: Average Value per 25-pound Carton for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	October ¹	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June ²	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002.....	8.98	7.35	6.45	9.55	7.00	10.43	8.58	7.30	8.88	8.07
2002-2003.....	8.75	12.08	13.30	12.73	7.93	13.90	7.50	5.93	11.50	9.70
2003-2004.....	9.53	8.08	8.08	6.18	8.08	10.25	11.05	8.05	5.65	8.28
2004-2005.....	23.40	33.75	13.03	3.85	10.23	10.18	16.28	12.35	11.10	12.95
2005-2006.....	10.48	8.80	22.85	20.68	11.63	6.20	8.60	5.83	7.25	10.23
2006-2007.....	8.35	7.38	5.30	8.90	7.80	6.58	13.15	8.90	6.00	7.98
2007-2008.....	16.03	17.93	20.30	14.55	11.38	16.53	11.85	12.05	14.95	14.88
2008-2009.....	⁽³⁾	16.83	9.48	7.33	8.18	10.38	11.35	8.30	18.80	10.58
2009-2010.....	12.78	22.35	17.38	15.38	21.15	27.25	25.85	16.30	10.28	18.13
2010-2011.....	11.05	9.53	9.33	12.98	27.00	24.68	16.90	12.28	12.20	13.80

¹ Includes September.

³ Included in November.

² Includes July.

Florida Watermelons: Acreage, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Value per cwt	Total value
	Planted	Harvested				
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2001-2002	25,000	23,000	330	7,590	8.20	62,238
2002-2003	25,000	24,000	300	7,200	8.60	61,920
2003-2004	27,000	25,000	320	8,000	8.40	67,200
2004-2005	26,000	26,000	315	8,190	15.50	126,945
2005-2006	25,900	25,300	330	8,349	13.30	111,042
2006-2007	23,300	22,800	327	7,456	18.80	140,173
2007-2008	26,700	26,100	330	8,613	16.30	140,392
2008-2009	27,700	25,800	317	8,179	16.60	135,771
2009-2010	25,900	24,600	305	7,503	15.00	112,545
2010-2011	25,900	24,400	310	7,564	14.80	111,947

Florida Watermelons: Production Sold in cwt, Monthly, Crop Years 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	April	May	June	Total
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)
2001-2002	1,214	5,010	1,366	7,590
2002-2003	461	4,939	1,800	7,200
2003-2004	481	4,639	2,880	8,000
2004-2005	-	4,095	4,095	8,190
2005-2006	501	5,677	2,171	8,349
2006-2007	522	4,548	2,386	7,456
2007-2008	1,120	4,565	2,928	8,613
2008-2009	260	5,939	1,980	8,179
2009-2010	-	3,676	3,827	7,503
2010-2011	1,021	4,968	1,575	7,564

- Represents zero.

Florida Watermelons: Average Value per cwt for Fresh Market Sales, Monthly, 2001-2002 through 2010-2011

Crop year	April	May	June	Average
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2001-2002	9.90	8.32	6.26	8.20
2002-2003	11.51	9.11	6.46	8.60
2003-2004	10.54	9.37	6.48	8.40
2004-2005	-	15.50	15.50	15.50
2005-2006	19.50	12.90	13.00	13.30
2006-2007	23.40	20.60	14.20	18.80
2007-2008	19.90	17.50	13.10	16.30
2008-2009	21.00	17.40	14.40	16.60
2009-2010	-	19.10	11.10	15.00
2010-2011	16.10	12.80	20.25	14.80

- Represents zero.

Planting and Harvesting Seasons of Selected Florida Vegetables, Berries, Melons

CROP	Usual Planting Dates ¹					Usual Harvesting Dates							
						Begin	Most Active				End		
	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL
Snap Beans ²													
Blueberries.....													
Cabbage													
Carrots													
Cantaloupes.....													
Celery													
Sweet Corn													
Cucumbers.....													
Eggplant.....													
Escarole/Endive													
Lettuce/Romaine													
Peppers													
Potatoes.....													
Radishes.....													
Squash ³													
Strawberries.....													
Tomatoes.....													
Watermelon.....													
	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL

¹ Usual date direct seeded or transplanted.

² Includes pole beans.

³ A small acreage of summer squash is marketed locally during July and August.