

2020 FIELD CROPS HIGHLIGHTS

Value

The 2020 total value of production for corn, cotton, cottonseed, hay, and peanuts totaled \$319 million, a decrease of 6 percent from the previous year's total of \$340 million. The value of hay production increased 4 percent and was valued at \$123 million. The total value of corn production increased 3 percent and was valued at \$39.1 million. The total value of peanut production decreased 4 percent and was valued at \$114 million. The value of cottonseed production decreased 30 percent and was valued at \$4.76 million. The value of cotton production decreased 34 percent and was valued at \$38.0 million.

Acreage and Production

Acreage harvested in 2020 for corn, cotton hay, and peanuts totaled 599,000 acres, up 2 percent from the 289,000 acres in 2019. Increased acreage was estimated for corn (61,000) by 13 percent, peanuts (165,000,) increased 6 percent, and hay (280,000) by 4 percent. Harvested acres for cotton for lint (93,000) decreased 15 percent.

Sugarcane

Florida producers harvested 423,300 acres of sugar cane for sugar and seed in 2020, up 3 percent from 2019. Production was up 7 percent in 2020 from 2019.

Field Crops Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value by Crop Years – Florida: 2011-2020

[All 2020 estimates are preliminary]

Crop and year	Area		Yield	Production	Season average price	Value of production
	Planted	Harvested				
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Corn ¹						
2011.....	70	33	104	3,432	6.65	22,823
2012.....	75	40	115	4,600	7.50	34,500
2013.....	115	78	133	10,374	4.51	46,787
2014.....	75	40	135	5,400	3.65	19,710
2015.....	80	50	141	7,050	3.80	26,790
2016.....	80	40	145	5,800	3.93	22,794
2017.....	75	37	161	5,957	4.47	26,628
2018.....	95	62	157	9,734	4.47	43,511
2019.....	95	54	161	8,694	4.39	38,167
2020.....	100	61	138	8,418	4.65	39,144
			(pounds)	(1,000 bales)		
Cotton, Upland ²						
2011.....	122	118	744	183.0	0.978	85,908
2012.....	108	107	897	200.0	0.763	73,248
2013.....	131	127	661	175.0	0.820	68,880
2014.....	107	105	878	192.0	0.667	61,471
2015.....	85	83	885	153.0	0.733	53,832
2016.....	103	102	922	196.0	0.678	63,786
2017.....	99	98	759	155.0	0.729	54,238
2018.....	117	93	532	103.0	0.709	35,053
2019.....	112	110	895	205.0	0.589	57,958
2020.....	98	93	532	103.0	0.633	37,980
				(1,000 tons)		
Cottonseed						
2011.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	53.0	218.00	11,554
2012.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	61.0	211.00	12,871
2013.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	38.0	197.00	7,486
2014.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	53.0	170.00	6,800
2015.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	41.0	208.00	8,528
2016.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	55.0	157.00	8,635
2017.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	44.0	100.00	4,400
2018.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	27.0	110.00	2,970
2019.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	57.0	120.00	6,840
2020.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	28.0	136.00	4,760

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Crop and year	Area		Yield	Production	Season average price	Value of production
	Planted	Harvested				
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Hay, All ³						
2011	(X)	260	2.40	624	164.00	102,336
2012	(X)	320	2.50	800	167.00	133,600
2013	(X)	300	2.20	660	167.00	110,220
2014	(X)	320	2.60	832	152.00	126,464
2015	(X)	290	2.80	812	150.00	121,800
2016	(X)	300	2.70	810	160.00	129,600
2017	(X)	300	2.50	750	157.00	117,750
2018	(X)	280	3.10	868	153.00	132,804
2019	(X)	270	2.90	783	151.00	118,233
2020	(X)	280	3.00	840	147.00	123,480
			(pounds)	(1,000 pounds)		
Peanuts ⁴						
2011	170	157	3,500	549,500	0.292	160,454
2012	210	195	3,900	760,500	0.281	213,701
2013	140	131	3,950	517,450	0.242	125,223
2014	175	167	4,000	668,000	0.215	143,620
2015	190	180	3,600	648,000	0.188	121,824
2016	155	146	3,800	554,800	0.193	107,076
2017	195	185	3,450	638,250	0.229	146,159
2018	155	143	3,950	564,850	0.207	116,924
2019	165	155	3,800	589,000	0.201	118,389
2020	175	165	3,400	561,000	0.203	113,883
			(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)		
Soybeans ⁴						
2011	18	16	27	432	11.00	4,752
2012	21	20	39	780	14.00	10,920
2013	32	30	41	1,230	11.80	14,514
2014	39	37	43	1,591	8.90	14,160
2015	33	29	38	1,102	8.00	8,816
2016	31	29	36	1,044	8.75	9,135
2017	15	14	34	476	8.85	4,213
2018	18	12	37	444	8.10	3,596
2019 ⁵	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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	Planted	Harvested				
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Sugarcane for Sugar and Seed						
2011.....	(X)	397.0	37.6	14,930	(NA)	673,343
2012.....	(X)	413.0	36.9	15,220	(NA)	677,290
2013.....	(X)	416.0	34.6	14,400	(NA)	505,440
2014.....	(X)	408.0	38.6	15,738	(NA)	579,158
2015.....	(X)	413.0	42.7	17,653	(NA)	628,447
2016.....	(X)	417.0	40.5	16,904	(NA)	654,185
2017.....	(X)	412.7	41.1	16,942	(NA)	642,102
2018.....	(X)	412.3	41.9	17,256	(NA)	536,662
2019	(X)	410.7	43.0	17,644	(NA)	647,534
2020.....	(X)	423.3	44.4	18,795	(NA)	(NA)
Sugarcane for Sugar						
2011.....	(X)	380	37.5	14,250	45.10	642,675
2012.....	(X)	396	36.6	14,494	44.50	644,983
2013.....	(X)	400	34.3	13,720	35.10	481,572
2014.....	(X)	392	38.4	15,053	36.80	553,950
2015.....	(X)	398	42.5	16,915	35.60	602,174
2016.....	(X)	400	40.3	16,120	38.70	623,844
2017.....	(X)	397	40.9	16,237	37.90	615,382
2018.....	(X)	397	41.7	16,555	31.10	514,861
2019	(X)	397	42.8	16,992	36.70	623,606
2020.....	(X)	409	44.3	18,119	(NA)	(NA)
			(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)		
Wheat, Winter						
2011.....	12	8	46	368	6.60	2,429
2012.....	20	15	42	630	6.30	3,969
2013.....	25	19	59	1,121	5.75	6,446
2014.....	15	10	39	390	5.10	1,989
2015.....	25	15	43	645	4.15	2,677
2016.....	22	15	30	450	3.90	1,755
2017.....	20	10	37	370	4.00	1,480
2018.....	15	10	36	360	4.40	1,584
2019 ⁵	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

NA Not available.

X Not applicable.

¹ Planted for all purposes; harvested for grain.

² Production in 480-pound net weight bales.

³ Baled hay.

⁴ Planted for all purposes; harvested for dry nuts or beans.

⁵ Estimates discontinued in 2019.

Pecan Production and Price by Variety – Florida: 2011-2020

Crop Year	Utilized production			Price per pound		
	Improved varieties ¹	Native and seedling	All pecans	Improved Varieties	Native and seedling	All pecans
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
2011.....	1,400	2,600	4,000	1.850	1.400	1.560
2012.....	1,100	900	2,000	1.100	0.750	0.943
2013.....	700	(D)	(D)	1.720	(D)	(D)
2014.....	100	(D)	(D)	1.750	(D)	(D)
2015.....	190	(D)	(D)	2.170	(D)	(D)
2016 ²	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2017.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2018.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2019.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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NA Not available due to program change dropping from Federal estimating program.

¹ Budded, grafted, or top-worked varieties.

² Estimates discontinued in 2016.

Pecan Value of Utilized Production by Variety – Florida: 2011-2020

Crop Year	Improved varieties ¹	Native and seedling	All pecans
	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2011.....	2,590	3,640	6,230
2012.....	1,210	675	1,885
2013.....	1,204	(D)	(D)
2014.....	175	(D)	(D)
2015.....	412	(D)	(D)
2016 ²	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2017.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2018.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2019.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Peanuts Acreage, Yield, and Production by District and County – Florida: 2019 and 2020

District and county	Planted for all purposes		Harvested for dry peanuts		Yield per acre		Production	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
District 10								
Calhoun	(D)	7,300,	(D)	6,720	(D)	3,740	(D)	25,130
Escambia	8,200	9,400	8,200	8,810	3,988	3,405	32,700	30,000
Jackson	34,800	39,900	31,800	37,800	3,333	3,106	106,000	117,420
Santa Rosa	(D)	20,500	(D)	19,400	(D)	4,180	(D)	81,090
Washington	3,400	(D)	3,200	(D)	3,906	(D)	12,500	(D)
District 30								
Columbia	(D)	3,300	(D)	3,120	(D)	2,939	(D)	9,170
Suwannee	(D)	13,300	(D)	12,600	(D)	3,690	(D)	46,490
District 50								
Levy	(D)	17,400	(D)	16,500	(D)	3,066	(D)	50,590
Marion	(D)	5,400	(D)	5,110	(D)	2,838	(D)	14,500
Other counties total	118,600	58,500	111,800	54,940	3,916	3,397	437,800	186,610
State Total	165,000	175,000	155,000	165,000	3,800	3,400	589,000	561,000

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Cotton Acreage, Yield, and Production, by District and County – Florida: 2019 and 2020

District and county	Planted		Harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019 ⁽¹⁾	2020 ⁽¹⁾
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(bales)	(bales)
District 10								
Escambia.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jackson.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Santa Rosa.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other, District 10.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
District 30.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other districts total.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
State Total.....	112,000	98,000	110,000	93,000	895	532	205,000	103,000

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¹ 480-lb net weight bale.

Sugarcane for Sugar Acreage, Yield, and Production by County – Florida: 2018 and 2019

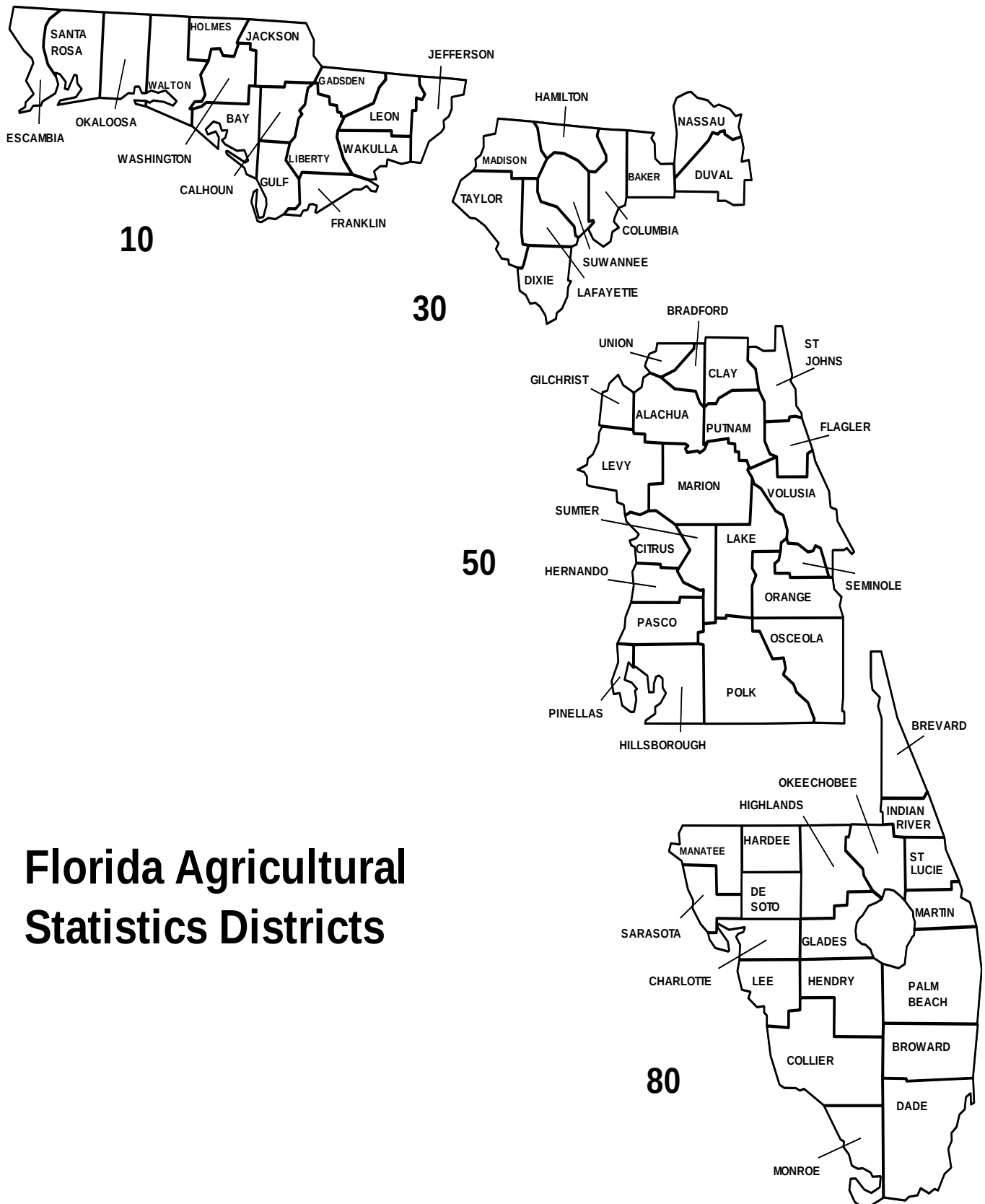
County	Harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
	(acres)	(acres)	(tons)	(tons)	(tons)	(tons)
Glades.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Hendry.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Palm Beach.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Other.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
State Total.....	397,000	409,000	42.8	44.3	16,992,000	18,119,000

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Planting and Harvesting Seasons of Selected Florida Field Crops

Crop (Principal producing areas - Agricultural Statistics Districts or Counties)	Usual Planting Dates						Usual Harvesting Dates					
							Begin	Most Active				End
	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
Corn for grain												
(10, 30, 50)												
Corn for silage												
(10, 30, 50)												
Corn for forage												
(10, 30, 50)												
Cotton												
(10, 30)												
Peanuts for nuts												
(10, 30, 50)												
Potatoes												
(30, 50, 80)												
Soybeans												
(10, 30)												
Sugarcane												
(3 counties*)												
Tobacco												
(10, 30, 50)												
Winter Wheat												
(10, 30)												
Hay												
(Statewide)												
	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb

* Palm Beach, Hendry, and Glades



Florida Agricultural Statistics Districts