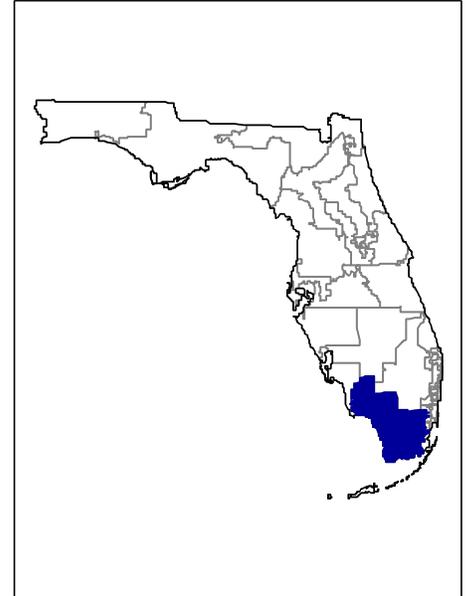




# 2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



## District 25, Florida

**Number of farms:** 1,930

**Land in farms:** 220,096 acres

**Average size of farm:** 114 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 79,000 acres

**Total Number of Farm Operators:** 2,830

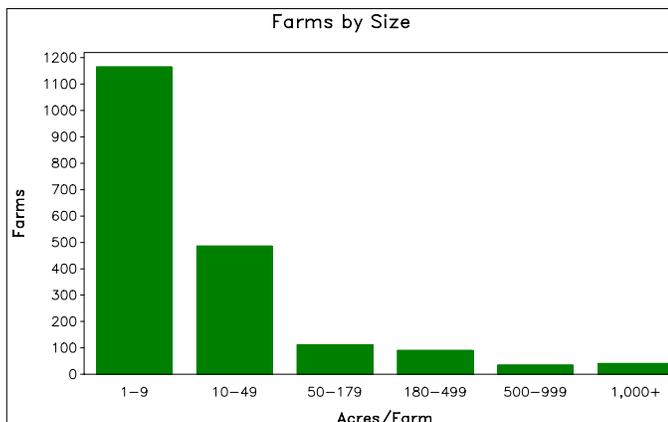
**Market Value of Production:** \$671,577,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$347,967

**Government Payments:** \$84,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$4,938

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources:** \$2,614,000



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**District 25, Florida**

**Ranked items among the 25 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	671,577	2	25	88	418
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>2</sup></b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	371
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	3	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	168,298	2	24	18	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	100,834	6	24	24	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	394,079	1	25	2	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	17	-	349
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	23	(D)	382
Cattle and calves	3,208	14	24	276	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	206	16	19	315	339
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	26	12	23	315	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	709	13	23	255	398
Aquaculture	2,420	7	20	76	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	18,155	13	24	263	394
Colonies of bees	8,220	9	23	66	387
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,031	13	23	294	387
Horses and ponies	1,563	15	24	301	408
Hogs and pigs	754	11	22	278	371
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Vegetables harvested	41,215	1	24	19	398
All Oranges	28,928	6	23	8	89
Snap beans	14,924	1	20	3	353
Tomatoes	12,071	1	21	8	381
Nursery stock	5,998	1	25	8	404

**Other Congressional District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	303
\$1,000 to \$2,499	214
\$2,500 to \$4,999	142
\$5,000 to \$9,999	192
\$10,000 to \$19,999	234
\$20,000 to \$24,999	86
\$25,000 to \$39,999 <sup>3</sup>	162
\$40,000 to \$49,999 <sup>3</sup>	64
\$50,000 to \$99,999	142
\$100,000 to \$249,999	113
\$250,000 to \$499,999	109
\$500,000 or more	169
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <sup>3</sup>	480,801
Average per farm (\$) <sup>3</sup>	245,934
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	189,483
Average per farm (\$) <sup>3</sup>	96,922

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	987
Other	943
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,637
Female	293
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.9
All operators <sup>4</sup> by race:	
White	2,611
Black or African American	23
American Indian or Alaska Native	12
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	106
More than one race	5
All operators <sup>4</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	1,073

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>3</sup> Value corrected January 2005.

<sup>4</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.