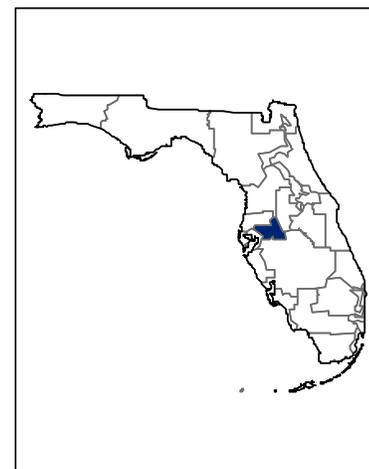


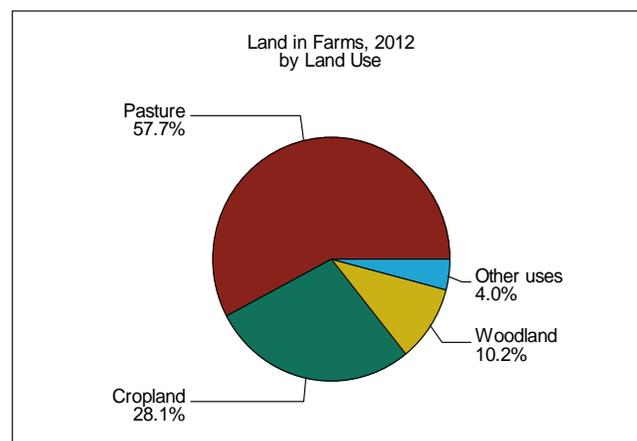
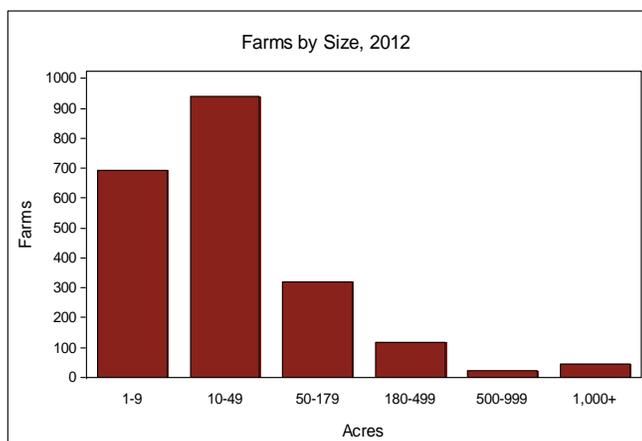
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



### Florida 15th District

	2012
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	3,406
<b>Number of Farms</b>	2,141
<b>Land in Farms</b>	222,673 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	104 acres
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	19,924 acres
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$237,271,000
Average Per Farm	\$110,823
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$10,131,000
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$569,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,116



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### Florida 15th District

Ranked items among the 27 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

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	237,271	9	27	217	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	196,663	10	27	170	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	40,608	9	27	247	423
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	16	19	353	387
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	5	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	17,314	14	26	119	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	144,113	4	27	24	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	34,224	15	27	113	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	12	17	(D)	332
Other crops and hay	940	16	25	302	398
Poultry and eggs	(D)	6	27	(D)	405
Cattle and calves	12,607	10	27	231	393
Milk from cows	(D)	11	13	(D)	310
Hogs and pigs	19	13	23	308	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	88	13	27	296	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,094	7	27	177	402
Aquaculture	12,021	4	24	29	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	26	(D)	413
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,613	6	26	249	401
Oranges, all	9,977	8	25	11	109
Land in Berries	8,036	1	25	14	381
Strawberries	7,057	1	21	4	355
Other oranges	5,366	7	25	10	102
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	(D)	5	27	(D)	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	6	24	142	361
Cattle and calves	53,720	8	27	206	397
Colonies of bees	7,996	9	26	78	412
Quail	(D)	6	16	(D)	280

### Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	693	Farming	1,049
\$1,000 to \$2,499	237	Other	1,092
\$2,500 to \$4,999	277	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	176	Male	1,711
\$10,000 to \$19,999	180	Female	430
\$20,000 to \$24,999	69	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	83	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	41	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	143	Asian	62
\$100,000 to \$249,999	99	Black or African American	47
\$250,000 to \$499,999	62	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
\$500,000 or more	81	White	3,184
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	230,322	More than one race	28
Average per farm (\$)	107,577	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	232
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	17,650		
Average per farm (\$)	8,248		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.