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Agriculture and Natural Resources in Florida



State Facts

Florida's 42,500 commercial farms, utilizing 10.0 million acres, continue to produce a wide variety of safe and dependable food products. From the citrus groves and plant nurseries in central and southern Florida, to the vegetable crops, cattle and forestry throughout the state, these farms and ranches provide Florida with a large and stable economic base.

These farms supply over 280 essential commodities to households throughout North America and to 100 international trading partners. Florida's agriculture industry creates over 756,993 jobs and has an overall economic impact of \$87.6 billion annually.

Economic Impact

Nursery, Greenhouse, & Landscape Services

\$9,761.6 million
118,017 jobs

Other Food Product Manufacturing

\$14,020.4 million
22,792 jobs

Forestry, Wood & Paper Product Manufacturing

\$1,349.3 million
32,443 jobs

Livestock, Dairy, & Animal Products Manufacturing

\$5,711.8 million
24,544 jobs

Fruit and Vegetable Farming & Processing

\$11,280.6 million
38,634 jobs

Other Agriculture

\$17,147.4 million
49,075 jobs

Agricultural Inputs & Services

\$14,233.2 million
104,246 jobs



Data Sources:

- Florida Agriculture Statistical Directory 2006.
http://www.florida-agriculture.com/pubs/pubform/pdf/Florida_Agricultural_Statistical_Directory.pdf

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