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# **Florida Citrus Production Projections and Consumption Scenarios: 2016-17 through 2025-26**

## **Introduction**

In this report production projections and consumption scenarios for Florida round oranges, grapefruit and specialty citrus are provided for the 2016-17 through 2025-26 seasons. The production projections are based on the Florida Agricultural Statistics Service (FASS) commercial citrus tree inventory<sup>1</sup>. The inventory report provides the number of trees and acres, by age, for different varieties of citrus. These data are combined with FASS yield data on boxes of fruit per tree, by age. Future production is projected by applying average yields to projected tree numbers, by age. Both production and consumption in upcoming years will depend on a number of factors difficult to predict. For production, assumptions are made related to acre-loss rates, planting rates, and yields per tree. Consumption scenarios are based on a given production projection and are calculated to provide insight on potential impacts to presumed consumption and on-tree values from a specified production level.

The projections in this report are intended to indicate possible future trends in production and consumption as opposed to actual production or consumption in any given season. The same average yields, by age, are used in estimating production levels in each season to obtain the projection (many factors determine yields in a given season, and this analysis does not attempt to estimate season-specific yields). Yields can vary significantly from year to year. Hence, for each of the upcoming seasons considered, actual yields could be significantly different than the average yields used here,

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with the result that the season's production projection in this report may be significantly different than the actual production that occurs. Given this issue, production projections are not provided for the upcoming 2015-16 season. The first forecast for the 2015-16 season will be made in October, 2015, by the USDA, FASS. For oranges only, alternative consumption scenarios were considered.

The citrus industry in Florida, as well as a number of other citrus-growing regions in the world, including Brazil, has been confronted with the citrus disease Huanglongbing (HLB) (also known as citrus greening). This disease eventually hinders infected trees from producing viable fruit, and has had severe economic consequences throughout all sectors of the Florida citrus industry. The disease does not discriminate in terms of citrus variety, region, and tree age. Best estimates are that every commercial block of citrus in Florida suffers from some level of HLB infection. Several research efforts related to HLB are ongoing, some are already available, and grower practices are evolving as more is learned about the disease. The ultimate goal is to develop disease-resistant trees and suppress ACP populations, but it is assumed in this report, that disease resistant trees will not be available over the ten-year projection period evaluated. There are a number of short-term solutions including heat treatment, use of anti-microbial compounds, and broadening the establishment of Citrus Health Management Areas (CHMAs)<sup>2</sup> are on the horizon, and could offer some relief from the deleterious effects of HLB.

The HLB disease, however, has contributed to substantial declines in yields per tree and, consequently, reduced crop production. The 2014-15 orange crop of 96.8 million boxes is substantially smaller than that realized five years ago, and future crop projections remain uncertain under current conditions. The analyses in this report evaluate alternative yield scenarios and replanting rates.

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<sup>2</sup> Citrus Health Management Areas (CHMAs) are geographic zones in which growers coordinate their efforts to suppress the Asiatic Citrus Psyllid (ACP), the vector that spreads HLB. CHMAs have shown some success in suppressing psyllid populations.





## **2014 Commercial Citrus Inventory Overview**

The September 2014 *Commercial Citrus Inventory* suggests that Florida's total citrus acreage decreased by 1.8% from 524,640 acres in 2013 to 515,147 acres in 2014 (Table 1). Similarly, the number of citrus trees decreased by 1.3% from 69 million in 2013 to 68.1 million in 2014. Tree density increased from 131.5 trees per acre in 2013 to 132.3 trees per acre in 2014. Acreage and tree inventory data for individual varieties of citrus – round oranges, grapefruit, and specialty citrus – are shown in Tables 2, 3, and 4, respectively. Tree density by tree age group and variety are shown in Figures 1 and 2 for oranges and in Figures 3 and 4 for grapefruit.

The FASS commercial citrus inventory indicates that the population of bearing and nonbearing round-orange trees was 60.5 million trees in 2014 (Table 2). As indicated in Table 5, the orange tree population continues to become relatively mature with nearly 65% of the tree population having an average age of 14 years or older. The orange tree population is likely to continue to mature in upcoming years given recent levels of new plantings.

The total number of bearing and nonbearing grapefruit trees decreased from 5.25 million trees in 2013 to 5.19 million trees in 2014 (Table 3). This decline extends the downward trend in grapefruit tree numbers that began in 1996 with total tree numbers now approximately 1/3 the level that were present at that time. The grapefruit tree population is also relatively mature, as indicated in Table 6, with over 74% of the trees having an average age over 14 years. The age distribution for grapefruit trees by variety is shown in Table 7. Note that over 83% of white grapefruit trees are 14 years of age and older.

The 2014 tree inventory indicates that the acreage of specialty citrus (tangelos and tangerines) decreased by 6.1%, from 2013 to 2014.

## **Methodology and Assumptions**

The production forecasts discussed in this report are based on projecting the tree numbers in each of the 24 tree-age categories for the upcoming ten seasons, by variety. Projections are reported for oranges, grapefruit, and specialty citrus. These projections are based on separate estimates for early and midseason oranges, late oranges, white seedless grapefruit (including a small amount of seedy grapefruit), red and pink seedless grapefruit, tangelos, and tangerines. Assumed annual acreage loss and planting rates are used to project citrus tree numbers from year to year, and average yields per tree by tree age are applied to the projected tree numbers to obtain production projections.

Orange production projections are made using the same methodology that has been used by the Florida Department of Citrus for the past 40+ years. Strategic supply assumptions made in applying these models in the present analysis are discussed in the next three sections. In the base version of the model, it is assumed that demand is held constant at 0% growth rate. Alternative consumption scenarios are provided with a modest 1% annual growth rate in consumption in orange juice. The analysis did not include alternative consumption scenarios for grapefruit.

## **Yield Assumptions**

The production estimates were made by multiplying the projected number of trees in each age category by the yield or number of boxes per tree for that age category and summing the results across age categories. Estimated yields from the 2014-15 season are used to establish a baseline level of production. The widespread adoption of higher per acre tree densities along with the use of irrigation (either microspinkler or drip) suggests that most trees planted after the freezes of the 1980s exhibit a yield profile that flattens out around the 13-15 age range. Historical per tree yields for oranges and grapefruit reported by FASS are shown in Tables 11 and 12, respectively. Average tree yields by tree age by variety are given in Figures 5 and 6 for oranges and in Figures 7 and 8 for grapefruit.

Three alternative yield assumptions are considered. Under the “increasing yield” scenario, yields are assumed to increase by two percent across all tree age categories for five years beginning in the 2017-18 season and then remain constant beginning in the 2022-23 season after reaching a level of 10 percent above 2014-15 yields. Under the “decreasing yield” scenario, a similar yield profile is used except yields are decreased by two percent per year until 2022-23 which the yield decline has reached 10 percent, and then remain constant thereafter.

In the third yield scenario, statistical techniques were employed to extrapolate the downward trend, expressed in terms of per tree yields, beginning in the 2010-11 season. The “extrapolated yields” scenario attempts to capture the effect of the downward trend in in yields that, in part, have resulted from the continued spread of HLB. The “extrapolated yields” scenario serves to highlight the impact of HLB on long-term viability in the absence of adequate mitigation strategies.

### **Planting Assumptions**

Production projections are dependent upon assumed future acreage-planting rates. Planting levels by variety, based on the commercial citrus inventories, are shown in Table 9. Significant declines in planting levels have occurred in recent years with the destruction of nursery trees exposed to citrus canker, re-establishment of the nursery industry in screen houses, and the risk of planting in an HLB environment. In other studies, citrus prices have been important factors in projecting planting levels, but recently the risk of losing new plantings to HLB appears to have become a primary factor underlying many grower planting decisions. Three planting scenarios are considered in this report. The first scenario assumes the planting level will be half (50%) the replacement level (the number of trees lost). This assumption roughly corresponds to the average planting level in recent years. The second and third scenarios assume planting levels are higher at 100% and 125% of the replacement level, respectively. It is assumed nurseries will be able to supply the trees required, although the current number of nursery trees in inventory may not be sufficient to accommodate

some of the high-planting scenarios in the immediate upcoming years. These scenarios, thus, require that nurseries respond relatively quickly to grower demand for trees.

### **Production Projections and Consumption Scenarios**

Given the different assumptions on magnitudes of planting and yields, nine different scenarios for projecting future production can be defined. These scenarios are summarized in Table 13. The worst-case scenario can be defined as one with low planting and declining yields (upper-left) and a best case scenario can be defined as one with high planting and increasing yields (lower-right). The remaining scenarios represent a range of in-between possibilities.

The orange and grapefruit production projections are shown in Tables 14 and 15, respectively. The table footnotes describe the assumptions. The scenario with declining yields and low plantings (far left column) is the scenario that is most representative of the current situation. As seen, if replantings remain at half the replacement, as they have been, total production is on a steady declining trend. Although increasing the planting rate to 100% replacement dampens the decline, the downward trend remains. Only when the planting rate exceeds the loss rate is production growth realized. Moreover, given the time lapse for new trees to become productive, if the planting rate were to become 125% of replacement, production still declines even in the near-term. Projections for specialty citrus, under the assumption of constant yields and 100% planting levels, are shown in Table 16. The projections for specialty citrus are similar to those for oranges and grapefruit.

Given the recent downward trend in per tree and per acre fruit yields for both oranges and grapefruit, a separate production projection was analyzed. This scenario is called “extrapolated yields”. In Figure 11, both observed and projected orange yields (aggregated across varieties) are shown. The dashed line in the figure separates observed data from projections. Statistical techniques were employed in an attempt to extrapolate recent per tree yields which are being adversely affected

by HLB. Under this analysis, the implicit assumption is that no remedy for HLB will be found in the next ten years. The results for extrapolated yields for oranges are shown in Table 17 and for grapefruit in Table 18.

These results give a highly pessimistic outlook for the Florida citrus industry with orange output declining to 27 million boxes by 2025-26 and grapefruit production at just under 4.5 million boxes in that same season. Production at these levels would have severe ramifications for industry. These results point to the urgent need to find resolution(s) to HLB.

Scenarios for U.S. presumed consumption of orange juice and grapefruit juice, as well as on-tree values, are shown in Tables 19 and 20, respectively. The assumption of the model are outlined in each table accordingly. The status quo production projection of declining yields and low planting is shown under flat (unchanging) market conditions (scenario 1). The “ideal situation” for the citrus industry is depicted in scenario 3, which is defined as increasing yields and high replanting rates. As prices for both fresh and processed citrus products have not responded to smaller crops, future price assumptions are for little increase in FOB and grower prices.

### **Conclusions**

The 2014 Florida Citrus Tree inventory<sup>3</sup> provided the baseline for the projections in this report. Based on this report’s production projections, Florida orange, grapefruit, and specialty production is expected to be moderately declining over the next ten years under constant yields and recent rates of tree loss and new plantings. On-tree prices are expected to remain relatively constant over the forecast period as prices for both oranges and grapefruit have risen little over the past two seasons in the face of declining crops.

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<sup>3</sup> The FDOC would like to thank the Florida Agricultural Statistics Service (FASS) for access to the required data essential to conducting the long-run projections of this study.

As such, the long-run outlook of the Florida citrus industry continues to be in a precarious state. The persistent trend of tree mortality rates exceeding tree planting rates sets a downward course for production levels. Declining per tree yields, realized in recent years, further depress production and adversely affect grower profitability. In the long-run, the industry risks losing relevance and economic impact without sufficient reinvestment. Long-run sustainability, relevance, and impact can be realized with reduced tree mortality, improved per tree yields, new tree plantings, and modest market growth.

Reduced mortality involves sustained efforts to control the psyllid; the application of current/future research to maintain tree health & HLB resistance. As new measures become available to mitigate the impact of HLB, there is promise of better fruit yields. Increased plantings will be influenced by stable on-tree prices high enough to attract investment and an expectation that trees will survive to generate returns over time. Market growth will depend on effective marketing programs by the FDOC and the brands to maintain and grow the market for Florida citrus.

# TABLES



Table 1. Florida citrus acreage and tree numbers by commercial inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Number of Acres | Percent Change from Previous Acre Inventory | Number of Trees | Percent Change from Previous Tree Inventory | Tree Density   |
|-------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|----------------|
|                   | - thousands -   | - % -                                       | - millions -    | - % -                                       | - trees/acre - |
| 1970              | 941.5           | 1.1   | 76.7            | 3.1   | 81.5           |
| 1972              | 878.0           | -6.7  | 72.1            | -6.0  | 82.1           |
| 1974              | 864.1           | -1.6  | 71.3            | -1.1  | 82.5           |
| 1976              | 852.4           | -1.4  | 70.5            | -1.1  | 82.7           |
| 1978              | 831.2           | -2.5  | 69.1            | -2.0  | 83.1           |
| 1980              | 845.3           | 1.7   | 70.7            | 2.3   | 83.6           |
| 1982              | 847.9           | 8.5   | 71.6            | 1.3   | 84.4           |
| 1984              | 761.4           | -10.2                                       | 66.0            | -7.8  | 86.7           |
| 1986              | 624.5           | -18.0                                       | 57.5            | -12.9                                       | 92.1           |
| 1988              | 697.9           | 11.8  | 69.3            | 20.5  | 99.3           |
| 1990              | 732.8           | 5.0   | 78.9            | 13.9  | 107.7          |
| 1992              | 791.3           | 8.0   | 92.0            | 16.6  | 116.3          |
| 1994              | 853.7           | 7.9   | 103.7           | 12.7  | 121.5          |
| 1996              | 857.7           | 0.5   | 107.1           | 3.2   | 124.9          |
| 1998              | 845.3           | -1.4  | 107.1           | NC  | 126.7          |
| 2000              | 832.3           | -1.5  | 106.7           | -0.4  | 128.2          |
| 2002              | 797.3           | -4.2  | 103.2           | -3.3  | 129.4          |
| 2004              | 748.6           | -6.1  | 97.9            | -5.1  | 130.8          |
| 2006              | 621.4           | -17.0                                       | 81.9            | -16.4                                       | 131.8          |
| 2008              | 576.6           | -7.2  | 75.4            | -8.0  | 130.7          |
| 2009              | 568.8           | -1.3  | 74.1            | -1.7  | 130.3          |
| 2010              | 554.0           | -2.6  | 72.2            | -2.6  | 130.3          |
| 2011              | 541.3           | -2.3  | 70.6            | -2.1  | 130.5          |
| 2012              | 531.5           | -1.8  | 69.6            | -1.5  | 130.9          |
| 2013              | 524.6           | -1.3  | 69.0            | -0.9  | 131.5          |
| 2014              | 515.1           | -1.8  | 68.1            | -1.3  | 132.3          |

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 2. Florida round-orange acreage and tree numbers by commercial inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Number of Acres | Percent Change from Previous Acre Inventory | Number of Trees | Percent Change from Previous Tree Inventory | Tree Density   |
|-------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|----------------|
|                   | - thousands -   | - % -                                       | - millions -    | - % -                                       | - trees/acre - |
| 1970              | 715.8           | 0.3   | 57.8            | 2.1   | 80.7           |
| 1972              | 659.4           | -7.9  | 53.7            | -7.0  | 81.4           |
| 1974              | 642.4           | -2.6  | 52.5            | -2.3  | 81.7           |
| 1976              | 628.6           | -2.1  | 51.6            | -1.8  | 82.1           |
| 1978              | 616.0           | -2.0  | 50.8            | -1.5  | 82.5           |
| 1980              | 627.2           | 1.8   | 52.0            | 2.2   | 82.9           |
| 1982              | 636.9           | 1.5   | 53.5            | 2.9   | 84.0           |
| 1984              | 574.0           | -9.9  | 49.9            | -6.8  | 86.9           |
| 1986              | 466.3           | -18.8                                       | 43.5            | -12.9                                       | 93.3           |
| 1988              | 536.7           | 15.1  | 54.5            | 25.5  | 101.5          |
| 1990              | 564.8           | 5.2   | 62.6            | 14.9  | 110.8          |
| 1992              | 608.6           | 7.8   | 72.8            | 16.3  | 119.6          |
| 1994              | 653.4           | 7.4   | 81.6            | 12.1  | 124.9          |
| 1996              | 656.6           | 0.5   | 84.2            | 3.1   | 128.2          |
| 1998              | 658.4           | 0.3   | 85.4            | 1.5   | 129.8          |
| 2000              | 665.5           | 1.1   | 87.2            | 2.1   | 131.0          |
| 2002              | 648.8           | -2.5  | 85.8            | -1.7  | 132.2          |
| 2004              | 622.8           | -4.0  | 83.0            | -3.2  | 132.2          |
| 2006              | 529.2           | -15.0                                       | 70.9            | -14.6                                       | 133.9          |
| 2008 <sup>a</sup> | 496.5           | -11.3                                       | 65.8            | -7.2  | 132.5          |
| 2009 <sup>a</sup> | 492.5           | -0.8  | 65.0            | -1.2  | 132.0          |
| 2010 <sup>a</sup> | 483.4           | -1.8  | 63.8            | -1.9  | 131.9          |
| 2011 <sup>a</sup> | 473.4           | -2.1  | 62.5            | -2.0  | 132.2          |
| 2012 <sup>a</sup> | 464.9           | -1.7  | 61.6            | -1.4  | 132.6          |
| 2013 <sup>a</sup> | 459.3           | -1.2  | 61.2            | -0.8  | 133.2          |
| 2014 <sup>a</sup> | 452.4           | -1.5  | 60.5            | -1.0  | 133.8          |

<sup>a</sup> Includes Temples oranges; in prior years, Temple oranges included with specialty citrus.

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 3. Florida grapefruit acreage and tree numbers by commercial inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Number of Acres | Percent Change from Previous Acre Inventory | Number of Trees | Percent Change from Previous Tree Inventory | Tree Density   |
|-------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|----------------|
|                   | - thousand -    | - % -                                       | - million -     | - % -                                       | - trees/acre - |
| 1970              | 124.1           | 3.5   | 8.92            | 4.9   | 71.9           |
| 1972              | 124.1           | NC  | 9.01            | 0.9   | 72.6           |
| 1974              | 130.3           | 5.0   | 9.65            | 7.0   | 74.1           |
| 1976              | 137.9           | 5.8   | 10.40           | 7.8   | 75.4           |
| 1978              | 136.3           | -1.2  | 10.41           | 1.3   | 76.4           |
| 1980              | 139.9           | 2.6   | 10.77           | 3.4   | 77.0           |
| 1982              | 139.9           | NC  | 10.83           | 0.6   | 77.4           |
| 1984              | 134.7           | -3.7  | 10.58           | -2.3  | 78.5           |
| 1986              | 117.8           | -12.5                                       | 9.62            | -9.1  | 81.7           |
| 1988              | 119.6           | 1.5   | 10.08           | 4.7   | 84.3           |
| 1990              | 125.3           | 4.8   | 11.19           | 11.0  | 89.3           |
| 1992              | 135.2           | 7.9   | 13.12           | 17.2  | 97.0           |
| 1994              | 146.9           | 8.7   | 15.00           | 14.3  | 102.1          |
| 1996              | 144.4           | -1.7  | 15.12           | 0.8   | 104.7          |
| 1998              | 132.8           | -8.0  | 14.08           | -6.9  | 106.0          |
| 2000              | 118.1           | -2.6  | 12.67           | -2.3  | 107.2          |
| 2002              | 105.5           | -10.7                                       | 11.33           | -10.6                                       | 107.4          |
| 2004              | 89.0            | -15.6                                       | 9.75            | -14.0                                       | 109.5          |
| 2006              | 63.4            | -28.8                                       | 6.97            | -28.5                                       | 109.9          |
| 2008              | 56.9            | -10.3                                       | 6.24            | -10.5                                       | 109.7          |
| 2009              | 53.9            | -5.3  | 5.86            | -6.1  | 108.8          |
| 2010              | 50.2            | -6.9  | 5.45            | -7.1  | 108.5          |
| 2011              | 49.0            | -2.4  | 5.35            | -1.8  | 109.2          |
| 2012              | 48.2            | -1.6  | 5.27            | -1.4  | 109.4          |
| 2013              | 47.7            | -1.1  | 5.25            | -0.4  | 110.2          |
| 2014              | 45.9            | -3.6  | 5.19            | -1.2  | 113.0          |

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 4. Florida specialty citrus<sup>a</sup> acreage and tree numbers by commercial inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Number of Acres | Percent Change from Previous Acre Inventory | Number of Trees | Percent Change from Previous Tree Inventory | Tree Density   |
|-------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|----------------|
|                   | - acres -       | - % -                                       | - million -     | - % -                                       | - trees/acre - |
| 1974              | 74,446          | -3.4  | 7.0             | -2.1  | 93.84          |
| 1976              | 67,485          | -9.4  | 6.2             | -10.9                                       | 92.24          |
| 1978              | 62,723          | -7.1  | 5.8             | -7.1  | 92.23          |
| 1980              | 60,360          | -3.8  | 5.6             | -3.9  | 92.07          |
| 1982              | 55,163          | -8.6  | 5.1             | -8.8  | 91.88          |
| 1984              | 34,619          | -37.2                                       | 3.2             | -37.7                                       | 91.17          |
| 1986              | 30,155          | -12.9                                       | 2.9             | -7.7  | 96.60          |
| 1988              | 30,284          | 0.4   | 3.0             | 4.1   | 100.09         |
| 1990              | 33,347          | 10.1  | 3.7             | 21.1  | 110.04         |
| 1992              | 37,507          | 12.5  | 4.6             | 24.0  | 121.36         |
| 1994              | 45,768          | 22.0  | 5.9             | 30.4  | 129.69         |
| 1996              | 50,950          | 11.3  | 7.0             | 17.1  | 136.40         |
| 1998              | 48,556          | -4.7  | 6.7             | -3.1  | 138.70         |
| 2000              | 45,355          | -6.6  | 6.3             | -6.4  | 139.00         |
| 2002              | 39,844          | -12.2                                       | 5.6             | -11.0                                       | 140.80         |
| 2004              | 33,547          | -15.8                                       | 4.8             | -15.0                                       | 142.14         |
| 2006              | 26,098          | -22.2                                       | 3.7             | -22.5                                       | 141.59         |
| 2008              | 22,920          | -12.2                                       | 3.2             | -12.3                                       | 141.37         |
| 2006 <sup>b</sup> | 23,556          |   | 3.4             |   | 144.42         |
| 2008 <sup>b</sup> | 20,780          | -11.8                                       | 3.0             | -11.9                                       | 144.24         |
| 2009 <sup>b</sup> | 20,233          | -2.6  | 2.9             | -3.0  | 143.64         |
| 2010 <sup>b</sup> | 18,340          | -9.4  | 2.6             | -9.8  | 143.00         |
| 2011 <sup>b</sup> | 17,510          | -4.5  | 2.5             | -4.3  | 143.40         |
| 2012 <sup>b</sup> | 16,725          | -4.5  | 2.4             | -4.1  | 144.05         |
| 2013 <sup>b</sup> | 16,093          | -3.8  | 2.3             | -3.1  | 144.50         |
| 2014 <sup>b</sup> | 15,108          | -6.1  | 2.2             | -5.5  | 145.50         |

<sup>a</sup> Temple oranges, tangelos and tangerines; fallglo tangerines not included prior to 1996.

<sup>b</sup> Excludes Temple oranges; beginning in 2008, Temple oranges included with round oranges. 2006 and 2008 restated to reflect the removal of Temple oranges from this classification.

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 5. Age distribution of Florida round-orange trees by year of inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Tree Age      |      |      |      |       |      | Total Trees        | Bearing Trees |
|-------------------|---------------|------|------|------|-------|------|--------------------|---------------|
|                   | ≤2            | 3-5  | 6-8  | 9-13 | 14-23 | ≥24  |                    |               |
|                   | ----- % ----- |      |      |      |       |      | ---- thousand ---- |               |
| 1970              | 9.1           | 20.6 | 17.6 | 14.8 | 13.4  | 24.4 | 57,801.5           | 49,404.2      |
| 1972              | 5.5           | 11.1 | 20.2 | 22.0 | 14.1  | 27.0 | 53,731.1           | 49,786.5      |
| 1974              | 4.0           | 5.9  | 16.9 | 27.8 | 16.9  | 28.4 | 52,521.7           | 49,466.9      |
| 1976              | 4.0           | 4.8  | 7.5  | 29.7 | 24.1  | 29.8 | 51,595.3           | 48,373.8      |
| 1978              | 5.2           | 4.5  | 4.7  | 23.4 | 31.5  | 30.6 | 50,843.2           | 47,454.5      |
| 1980              | 7.2           | 4.7  | 3.8  | 13.0 | 39.1  | 32.2 | 51,977.8           | 47,366.3      |
| 1982              | 12.0          | 5.1  | 3.7  | 7.2  | 40.2  | 31.8 | 53,504.7           | 46,078.5      |
| 1984              | 17.5          | 7.1  | 4.5  | 5.8  | 35.2  | 29.9 | 49,884.7           | 39,777.7      |
| 1986              | 20.0          | 12.4 | 6.1  | 7.1  | 28.7  | 25.7 | 43,461.4           | 32,708.0      |
| 1988              | 30.7          | 13.9 | 7.8  | 5.7  | 17.7  | 24.1 | 54,536.6           | 35,537.3      |
| 1990              | 35.1          | 14.3 | 10.7 | 6.7  | 10.0  | 23.3 | 62,613.4           | 40,666.0      |
| 1992              | 31.9          | 23.4 | 9.9  | 8.4  | 6.7   | 19.7 | 72,826.3           | 49,577.1      |
| 1994              | 24.4          | 24.6 | 16.7 | 11.0 | 6.5   | 16.9 | 81,614.4           | 61,707.7      |
| 1996              | 10.5          | 26.9 | 24.0 | 14.7 | 8.2   | 15.7 | 84,155.4           | 75,286.6      |
| 1998              | 8.0           | 15.5 | 26.7 | 23.0 | 11.5  | 15.3 | 85,430.6           | 78,586.5      |
| 2000              | 9.7           | 7.2  | 21.4 | 33.7 | 13.6  | 14.4 | 87,200.1           | 78,721.0      |
| 2002              | 9.5           | 8.6  | 9.3  | 37.0 | 22.5  | 13.1 | 85,751.1           | 77,595.9      |
| 2004              | 9.1           | 9.4  | 8.1  | 29.0 | 32.4  | 12.0 | 82,987.5           | 75,391.7      |
| 2006              | 6.9           | 9.4  | 10.1 | 17.1 | 44.9  | 11.5 | 70,849.4           | 65,954.4      |
| 2008 <sup>a</sup> | 6.1           | 8.2  | 10.1 | 13.3 | 49.7  | 12.5 | 65,775.3           | 61,740.6      |
| 2009 <sup>a</sup> | 6.6           | 7.6  | 9.3  | 14.7 | 48.8  | 13.1 | 64,992.7           | 60,752.9      |
| 2010 <sup>a</sup> | 6.6           | 6.7  | 9.7  | 14.6 | 48.6  | 13.8 | 63,776.7           | 59,560.8      |
| 2011 <sup>a</sup> | 7.0           | 6.5  | 8.0  | 16.2 | 46.3  | 16.0 | 62,528.9           | 58,160.4      |
| 2012 <sup>a</sup> | 6.8           | 7.1  | 7.4  | 15.5 | 42.9  | 20.2 | 61,640.1           | 57,460.4      |
| 2013 <sup>a</sup> | 6.6           | 7.5  | 6.6  | 15.2 | 40.9  | 23.2 | 61,167.0           | 57,146.1      |
| 2014 <sup>a</sup> | 7.7           | 8.1  | 6.2  | 13.5 | 36.7  | 27.9 | 60,545.5           | 55,891.7      |

<sup>a</sup> Temple oranges were included in the round orange category beginning in 2008.SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 6. Age distribution of Florida grapefruit trees by year of inventory.

| Year of Inventory | Tree Age      |      |      |      |       |      | Total Trees          | Bearing Trees |
|-------------------|---------------|------|------|------|-------|------|----------------------|---------------|
|                   | ≤2            | 3-5  | 6-8  | 9-13 | 14-23 | ≥24  |                      |               |
|                   | ----- % ----- |      |      |      |       |      | ----- thousand ----- |               |
| 1970              | 15.1          | 21.7 | 4.2  | 3.9  | 14.1  | 41.1 | 8,925.4              | 6,746.5       |
| 1972              | 6.9           | 21.9 | 14.0 | 5.5  | 10.6  | 41.1 | 9,012.7              | 8,032.1       |
| 1974              | 11.5          | 8.2  | 25.1 | 7.6  | 8.1   | 39.4 | 9,647.2              | 8,362.6       |
| 1976              | 13.9          | 7.9  | 13.3 | 20.8 | 6.8   | 37.2 | 10,398.1             | 8,598.9       |
| 1978              | 8.5           | 13.8 | 6.8  | 28.9 | 7.1   | 34.9 | 10,412.5             | 8,969.7       |
| 1980              | 8.9           | 10.5 | 10.7 | 21.6 | 15.8  | 32.5 | 10,768.7             | 9,586.2       |
| 1982              | 7.5           | 7.4  | 12.8 | 12.6 | 29.1  | 30.6 | 10,833.2             | 9,753.9       |
| 1984              | 11.4          | 6.7  | 7.5  | 15.7 | 32.1  | 26.7 | 10,582.9             | 9,192.8       |
| 1986              | 9.7           | 7.8  | 7.9  | 17.0 | 35.7  | 22.0 | 9,624.0              | 8,367.7       |
| 1988              | 11.0          | 9.7  | 6.5  | 13.8 | 38.3  | 20.7 | 10,081.2             | 8,654.7       |
| 1990              | 21.8          | 6.2  | 8.0  | 9.1  | 31.4  | 23.5 | 11,193.2             | 8,748.5       |
| 1992              | 27.2          | 14.0 | 5.5  | 8.6  | 19.1  | 25.6 | 13,119.2             | 9,556.9       |
| 1994              | 23.3          | 21.3 | 7.6  | 8.3  | 16.0  | 23.5 | 15,004.0             | 11,514.1      |
| 1996              | 9.8           | 25.3 | 17.8 | 8.2  | 15.3  | 23.6 | 15,116.9             | 13,632.8      |
| 1998              | 4.3           | 16.7 | 24.6 | 13.8 | 14.8  | 25.8 | 14,079.1             | 13,469.6      |
| 2000              | 3.7           | 6.2  | 22.7 | 27.2 | 13.6  | 26.7 | 12,668.6             | 12,204.1      |
| 2002              | 4.1           | 4.7  | 9.7  | 38.3 | 16.7  | 26.5 | 11,329.2             | 10,869.7      |
| 2004              | 8.0           | 4.0  | 4.9  | 32.1 | 27.0  | 24.1 | 9,748.3              | 8,967.9       |
| 2006              | 6.1           | 5.9  | 3.8  | 18.5 | 41.8  | 23.8 | 6,971.4              | 6,543.2       |
| 2008              | 4.0           | 6.9  | 4.3  | 7.7  | 50.8  | 26.2 | 6,241.0              | 5,989.7       |
| 2009              | 3.9           | 6.3  | 4.8  | 6.4  | 49.8  | 28.8 | 5,861.0              | 5,633.8       |
| 2010              | 4.5           | 5.5  | 5.5  | 5.7  | 50.1  | 28.8 | 5,445.9              | 5,201.0       |
| 2011              | 5.9           | 4.4  | 5.4  | 6.2  | 48.3  | 29.8 | 5,349.6              | 5,036.4       |
| 2012              | 6.4           | 4.2  | 5.7  | 6.3  | 44.9  | 32.5 | 5,272.3              | 4,934.6       |
| 2013              | 6.8           | 5.4  | 5.0  | 6.5  | 40.3  | 36.1 | 5,251.20             | 4,896.10      |
| 2014              | 7.3           | 6.3  | 4.4  | 7.6  | 31.5  | 42.9 | 5,118.00             | 4,744.00      |

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 7. Age distribution of Florida grapefruit trees by variety, 2014 inventory.

| District/Variety            | Tree Age |     |     |      |       |      | Total<br>Trees |
|-----------------------------|----------|-----|-----|------|-------|------|----------------|
|                             | ≤2       | 3-5 | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | ≥24  |                |
| ----- % <sup>a</sup> -----  |          |     |     |      |       |      | - thousand -   |
| White Seedless <sup>b</sup> | 1.6      | 2.4 | 2.6 | 9.9  | 30.6  | 53.0 | 1,509          |
| Red & Pink Seedless         | 6.7      | 6.5 | 4.9 | 8.7  | 24.9  | 48.4 | 4,000          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                | 5.4      | 5.8 | 5.0 | 9.2  | 28.3  | 46.3 | 5,509          |

<sup>a</sup>Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.<sup>b</sup>Includes seedy grapefruit.SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *2014 Commercial Citrus Inventory*.

Table 8. Age distribution of Florida specialty citrus trees by variety, 2014 inventory.

| Variety       | Tree Age |     |     |      |       |      | Total<br>Trees |
|---------------|----------|-----|-----|------|-------|------|----------------|
|               | ≤2       | 3-5 | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | ≥24  |                |
| ----- % ----- |          |     |     |      |       |      | - thousand -   |
| Tangelos      | 2.9      | 2.2 | 2.7 | 10.9 | 34.3  | 47.7 | 478.6          |
| Tangerines    | 3.8      | 3.6 | 3.8 | 6.8  | 49.7  | 32.2 | 1,719.4        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | 3.6      | 3.3 | 3.5 | 7.7  | 46.4  | 35.5 | 2,198.0        |

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *2014 Commercial Citrus Inventory*.

Table 9. Annual citrus plantings by variety<sup>a</sup>

| Variety <sup>c</sup>           | Annual Plantings |                |                |              |                |                   |
|--------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                                | 1000 Trees       |                |                |              |                |                   |
|                                | 2009             | 2010           | 2011           | 2012         | 2013           | 2014 <sup>e</sup> |
| <b>ORANGES</b>                 |                  |                |                |              |                |                   |
| Early & Midseason <sup>b</sup> | 523.5            | 409.3          | 514.7          | 321.2        | 581.4          | 581.9             |
| Late                           | 474.5            | 451.2          | 499.4          | 422.1        | 499.0          | 500               |
| Unidentified <sup>d</sup>      | 242              | 209.7          | 188.1          | 232.4        | 445.1          | -                 |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                   | <b>1,239.0</b>   | <b>1,405.3</b> | <b>1,202.2</b> | <b>975.7</b> | <b>1,525.5</b> | <b>1081.9</b>     |
| <b>GRAPEFRUIT</b>              |                  |                |                |              |                |                   |
| White Seedless <sup>e</sup>    | 1.7              | 1.0            | 1.9            | 2.3          | 0.2            | 1.2               |
| Red & Pink Seedless            | 92.2             | 107.6          | 40             | 99.8         | 55.3           | 56.3              |
| Unidentified                   | 13.3             | 13.3           | 10.3           | 15.7         | 27.7           | -                 |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                   | <b>107.2</b>     | <b>124.4</b>   | <b>52.2</b>    | <b>117.8</b> | <b>83.2</b>    | <b>57.5</b>       |
| <b>SPECIALTY</b>               |                  |                |                |              |                |                   |
| Tangelos                       | 1.8              | 0.2            | 2.4            | 5.1          | 3.7            | 4.7               |
| Tangerines                     | 16.3             | 14.1           | 16.5           | 18.6         | 16.1           | 18.3              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                   | <b>18.1</b>      | <b>14.3</b>    | <b>18.9</b>    | <b>23.7</b>  | <b>19.8</b>    | <b>23.0</b>       |

<sup>a</sup> Based on various *Commercial Citrus Inventories*.<sup>b</sup> Includes Temples<sup>c</sup> Orange and grapefruit trees and acres listed as “unidentified” by the USDA/FASS will later be classified into one of the other categories.<sup>d</sup> Includes seedy.<sup>e</sup> The data source was used for 2014 that did not include any trees categorized as “unidentified”.



Table 10. Historical citrus tree- and acreage-loss rates by variety<sup>a</sup>

| Variety  | 00-02 | 02-04 | 04-06 | 06-08 | 08-09 | 09-10 | 10-11 | 11-12 | 12-13 | 13-14             |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------|
| ----- Annual Tree Loss Rate (%) <sup>c</sup> ----- |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| <b>ORANGES<sup>d</sup></b>                         | 3.8   | 4.3   | 9.3   | 5.6   | 3.5   | 3.8   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.8   | 2.1               |
| <b>GRAPEFRUIT<sup>e</sup></b>                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| Indian River                                       | 5.8   | 9.5   | 17.2  | 5.7   | 6.5   | 10.1  | 3.1   | 2.2   | 1.0   | 4.9               |
| Interior   | 9.4   | 10.8  | 16.6  | 8.5   | 8.2   | 5.7   | 6.7   | 5.1   | 6.8   | -0.7 <sup>g</sup> |
| <b>SPECIALTY<sup>f</sup></b>                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| Tangelos   | 8.3   | 8.2   | 16.2  | 8.8   | 2.2   | 10.9  | 6.6   | 5.5   | 4.5   | 6.1               |
| Tangerines   | 6.6   | 9.6   | 10.8  | 6.5   | 3.6   | 10.9  | 4.7   | 5.3   | 3.2   | 5.3               |
| ----- Annual Acre Loss Rate (%) <sup>b</sup> ----- |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| <b>ORANGES<sup>d</sup></b>                         | 4.2   | 4.8   | 9.7   | 5.2   | 3.1   | 3.7   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 1.3   | 1.5               |
| <b>GRAPEFRUIT<sup>e</sup></b>                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| Indian River                                       | 6.1   | 10.2  | 17.4  | 5.3   | 5.7   | 9.5   | 3.0   | 2.2   | .6    | 4.8               |
| Interior   | 8.8   | 11.7  | 16.2  | 8.9   | 7.7   | 5.7   | 6.7   | 5.1   | 2.5   | 0.2               |
| <b>SPECIALTY<sup>f</sup></b>                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |                   |
| Tangelos   | 9.2   | 10.3  | 15.3  | 8.4   | 2.3   | 10.4  | 7.4   | 5.7   | 4.5   | 7.2               |
| Tangerines   | 6.7   | 9.8   | 10.6  | 6.4   | 3.1   | 10.5  | 4.9   | 5.9   | 3.5   | 5.7               |

<sup>a</sup>Losses due to all factors.

<sup>b</sup>Based on the bearing trees reported in *Citrus October Forecast, Maturity Test Results and Fruit Size*, Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, October 11, 2012.

<sup>c</sup>Based on various *Commercial Citrus Inventories*.

<sup>d</sup>One loss rate for round oranges (early and midseason and late oranges) was estimated due to the unidentified (by variety) young round-orange trees.

<sup>e</sup>One loss rate for seedless grapefruit was estimated due to the unidentified (by variety) young grapefruit trees.

<sup>f</sup>Loss rates based on bearing trees or acres due to unidentified nonbearing specialty citrus.

<sup>g</sup>A small increase in tree numbers were reported for 2014..

Table 11. Average orange yields by age.

| Season                                  | Early and Midseason Oranges |     |      |       |     |                     | Late Oranges |     |      |       |     |                     |
|---|-----------------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|-------|-----|---------------------|
|   | 3-5                         | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | 24+ | wt avg <sup>a</sup> | 3-5          | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | 24+ | wt avg <sup>a</sup> |
| ----- 1-3/5 bushel boxes per tree ----- |                             |     |      |       |     |                     |              |     |      |       |     |                     |
| 1993-94                                 | 1.4                         | 3.2 | 3.8  | 4.5   | 5.2 | 4.1                 | 1.0          | 2.0 | 2.7  | 3.5   | 4.0 | 3.1                 |
| 1994-95                                 | 1.2                         | 3.1 | 4.1  | 4.6   | 5.2 | 4.2                 | 1.4          | 2.7 | 2.5  | 3.6   | 4.2 | 3.3                 |
| 1995-96                                 | 1.3                         | 2.9 | 3.8  | 4.1   | 4.9 | 3.8                 | 1.2          | 2.0 | 2.5  | 3.2   | 4.0 | 2.9                 |
| 1996-97                                 | 1.3                         | 2.8 | 3.7  | 5.1   | 5.3 | 4.4                 | 1.1          | 2.3 | 2.5  | 3.3   | 4.2 | 3.0                 |
| 1997-98                                 | 1.3                         | 2.7 | 3.8  | 4.8   | 5.3 | 4.2                 | 1.1          | 2.2 | 2.6  | 3.8   | 4.9 | 3.4                 |
| 1998-99                                 | 0.8                         | 1.9 | 2.9  | 3.8   | 4.2 | 3.3                 | 0.8          | 1.5 | 1.9  | 2.2   | 3.2 | 2.1                 |
| 1999-00                                 | 0.9                         | 2.1 | 3.4  | 4.7   | 5.2 | 4.0                 | 0.9          | 1.7 | 2.4  | 3.1   | 4.5 | 2.9                 |
| 2000-01                                 | 1.0                         | 2.0 | 3.2  | 4.2   | 4.6 | 3.6                 | 0.9          | 1.7 | 2.3  | 2.7   | 3.7 | 2.6                 |
| 2001-02                                 | 1.4                         | 1.8 | 3.0  | 4.2   | 5.2 | 3.7                 | 0.9          | 1.7 | 2.4  | 2.8   | 4.5 | 2.7                 |
| 2002-03                                 | 0.7                         | 1.8 | 2.7  | 3.8   | 4.3 | 3.3                 | 1.0          | 1.6 | 1.9  | 2.6   | 4.0 | 2.5                 |
| 2003-04                                 | 1.8                         | 1.9 | 3.2  | 4.1   | 5.3 | 3.7                 | 1.7          | 2.1 | 2.5  | 3.0   | 5.1 | 3.0                 |
| 2004-05                                 | 1.2                         | 1.7 | 2.2  | 2.9   | 2.8 | 2.5                 | 1.1          | 1.2 | 1.7  | 2.0   | 2.1 | 1.8                 |
| 2005-06                                 | 1.8                         | 1.8 | 2.0  | 2.8   | 3.7 | 2.7                 | 0.8          | 1.8 | 1.8  | 2.1   | 3.0 | 2.1                 |
| 2006-07                                 | 1.1                         | 1.8 | 1.8  | 2.5   | 3.6 | 2.4                 | 0.6          | 1.5 | 1.5  | 1.9   | 2.7 | 1.8                 |
| 2007-08                                 | 0.8                         | 1.9 | 2.5  | 3.4   | 4.8 | 3.1                 | 0.7          | 2.1 | 2.5  | 2.5   | 4.1 | 2.6                 |
| 2008-09                                 | 1.2                         | 1.8 | 2.9  | 3.5   | 4.7 | 3.2                 | 0.9          | 1.8 | 2.3  | 2.3   | 3.4 | 2.3                 |
| 2009-10                                 | 1.0                         | 1.8 | 2.1  | 2.8   | 4.0 | 2.7                 | 1.0          | 1.4 | 2.0  | 1.9   | 2.9 | 1.9                 |
| 2010-11                                 | 0.8                         | 1.6 | 2.1  | 3.0   | 4.2 | 2.8                 | 0.5          | 1.2 | 2.1  | 2.2   | 3.1 | 2.1                 |
| 2011-12                                 | 0.7                         | 1.8 | 2.7  | 3.1   | 4.2 | 3.0                 | 0.9          | 1.4 | 1.9  | 2.3   | 3.0 | 2.2                 |
| 2012-13                                 | 0.9                         | 1.5 | 2.2  | 2.6   | 4.1 | 2.7                 | 0.5          | 1.4 | 1.8  | 2.1   | 2.9 | 2.1                 |
| 2013-14                                 | 0.7                         | 0.9 | 1.7  | 2.2   | 3.2 | 2.2                 | 0.5          | 0.8 | 1.4  | 1.6   | 2.2 | 1.6                 |
| 2014-15 <sup>b</sup>                    | 0.7                         | 1.3 | 1.9  | 2.0   | 2.2 | 2.0                 | 0.4          | 0.9 | 1.6  | 1.7   | 1.8 | 1.6                 |

<sup>a</sup> Weighted average based on 2013-14 tree distribution. <sup>b</sup> Estimated based upon 2014-15 crop.

SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service.

Table 12. Average grapefruit yields by age.

| Season                                  | White Grapefruit |     |      |       |     |                     | Colored Grapefruit |     |      |       |     |                     |
|---|------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----|------|-------|-----|---------------------|
|   | 3-5              | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | 24+ | wt avg <sup>a</sup> | 3-5                | 6-8 | 9-13 | 14-23 | 24+ | wt avg <sup>a</sup> |
| ----- 1-3/5 bushel boxes per tree ----- |                  |     |      |       |     |                     |                    |     |      |       |     |                     |
| 1992-93                                 | 2.3              | 3.9 | 7.5  | 7.1   | 7.0 | 6.9                 | 2.5                | 4.9 | 5.6  | 5.7   | 6.4 | 5.6                 |
| 1993-94                                 | 2.2              | 3.6 | 4.4  | 6.6   | 6.7 | 6.2                 | 2.3                | 3.7 | 4.6  | 4.6   | 5.4 | 4.6                 |
| 1994-95                                 | 3.2              | 2.5 | 5.2  | 7.1   | 6.4 | 6.4                 | 2.0                | 3.5 | 4.9  | 5.3   | 5.1 | 4.9                 |
| 1995-96                                 | 2.0              | 4.3 | 3.5  | 6.3   | 5.7 | 5.7                 | 2.7                | 3.5 | 5.1  | 4.0   | 5.4 | 4.3                 |
| 1996-97                                 | 2.3              | 4.8 | 3.3  | 6.7   | 6.3 | 6.1                 | 1.6                | 3.8 | 4.8  | 5.7   | 5.6 | 5.2                 |
| 1997-98                                 | 1.7              | 4.2 | 5.2  | 8.0   | 5.3 | 6.6                 | 2.3                | 2.8 | 4.2  | 5.4   | 5.2 | 4.9                 |
| 1998-99                                 | 1.5              | 3.1 | 4.2  | 4.8   | 5.0 | 4.7                 | 1.7                | 3.2 | 3.5  | 4.7   | 4.8 | 4.4                 |
| 1999-00                                 | 1.3              | 3.1 | 4.6  | 5.2   | 6.3 | 5.3                 | 1.4                | 2.9 | 4.2  | 5.3   | 5.7 | 4.9                 |
| 2000-01                                 | 2.2              | 2.9 | 3.8  | 7.1   | 5.4 | 6.0                 | 1.8                | 3.3 | 3.6  | 4.7   | 4.9 | 4.4                 |
| 2001-02                                 | 1.3              | 3.3 | 3.6  | 7.0   | 5.8 | 6.0                 | 2.0                | 2.3 | 3.9  | 4.7   | 5.2 | 4.5                 |
| 2002-03                                 | 1.9              | 3.0 | 3.2  | 4.8   | 5.3 | 4.7                 | 1.6                | 1.8 | 3.0  | 4.0   | 4.8 | 3.9                 |
| 2003-04                                 | 2.5              | 3.5 | 3.5  | 4.4   | 6.9 | 5.1                 | 2.9                | 3.5 | 3.6  | 4.6   | 6.0 | 4.8                 |
| 2004-05                                 | 1.0              | 0.8 | 1.1  | 1.4   | 1.3 | 1.3                 | 0.8                | 2.0 | 2.2  | 1.9   | 1.5 | 1.7                 |
| 2005-06                                 | 1.9              | 2.5 | 3.0  | 2.3   | 3.8 | 2.9                 | 0.3                | 1.2 | 2.9  | 3.1   | 3.8 | 3.0                 |
| 2006-07                                 | 0.3              | 2.9 | 4.0  | 4.2   | 5.9 | 4.6                 | 1.0                | 2.7 | 3.4  | 4.2   | 5.9 | 4.3                 |
| 2007-08                                 | 1.6              | 4.1 | 3.2  | 4.5   | 6.3 | 4.9                 | 1.6                | 2.9 | 3.2  | 4.0   | 6.3 | 4.4                 |
| 2008-09                                 | 1.1              | 2.3 | 2.8  | 3.8   | 5.1 | 4.0                 | 1.4                | 1.3 | 2.8  | 3.7   | 5.2 | 3.8                 |
| 2009-10                                 | 0.9              | 1.9 | 3.3  | 3.7   | 5.4 | 4.1                 | 1.3                | 3.0 | 2.8  | 3.6   | 5.3 | 3.8                 |
| 2010-11                                 | 1.6              | 2.6 | 2.0  | 3.7   | 5.5 | 4.1                 | 1.8                | 1.4 | 3.4  | 3.5   | 5.0 | 3.9                 |
| 2011-12                                 | 1.3              | 2.6 | 3.1  | 3.1   | 5.5 | 3.9                 | 1.4                | 2.2 | 2.9  | 4.0   | 4.4 | 3.8                 |
| 2012-13                                 | 2.6              | 2.8 | 2.0  | 3.6   | 4.9 | 4.0                 | 1.7                | 1.6 | 2.6  | 3.6   | 4.7 | 3.7                 |
| 2013-14                                 | 1.0              | 1.9 | 1.5  | 3.5   | 3.5 | 3.3                 | 1.3                | 1.7 | 2.4  | 3     | 4.3 | 3.3                 |
| 2014-15                                 | 0.8              | 1.3 | 2.0  | 2.5   | 2.9 | 2.7                 | 1.0                | 1.6 | 2.3  | 3     | 3.2 | 2.8                 |

<sup>a</sup> Weighted average based on 2011-12 tree distribution.SOURCE: Florida Agricultural Statistics Service, *Commercial Citrus Inventory*, various issues.

Table 13. Florida orange production projections, actual for 20014-15 and FDOC estimates for 2016-17 through 2025-26.<sup>a</sup>

| Season  | Declining Yields   |                                 |                               | Constant Yields              |                                 |                               | Increasing Yields            |                                 |                               |
|---------|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|         | Low<br>Planting <sup>b</sup>   | Middle<br>Planting <sup>c</sup> | High<br>Planting <sup>d</sup> | Low<br>Planting <sup>b</sup> | Middle<br>Planting <sup>c</sup> | High<br>Planting <sup>d</sup> | Low<br>Planting <sup>b</sup> | Middle<br>Planting <sup>c</sup> | High<br>Planting <sup>d</sup> |
|         | ----- thousand boxes -----   |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |
| 2014-15 | 96,700   |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |
|         | A forecast for the 2015-16 season will be made in October 2015 by the USDA, Florida Agricultural Statistics Service. |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |                              |                                 |                               |
| 2016-17 | 94,394   | 94,394                          | 94,394                        | 96,321                       | 96,321                          | 96,321                        | 98,247                       | 98,247                          | 98,247                        |
| 2017-18 | 92,105   | 92,105                          | 92,105                        | 95,943                       | 95,943                          | 95,943                        | 99,780                       | 99,780                          | 99,780                        |
| 2018-19 | 89,567   | 89,802                          | 89,919                        | 95,284                       | 95,534                          | 95,659                        | 101,001                      | 101,266                         | 101,398                       |
| 2019-20 | 87,003   | 87,617                          | 87,925                        | 94,568                       | 95,236                          | 95,571                        | 102,133                      | 102,855                         | 103,216                       |
| 2020-21 | 84,289   | 85,402                          | 85,962                        | 93,654                       | 94,891                          | 95,513                        | 103,019                      | 104,380                         | 105,065                       |
| 2021-22 | 83,411   | 85,152                          | 86,029                        | 92,678                       | 94,613                          | 95,588                        | 101,946                      | 104,074                         | 105,147                       |
| 2022-23 | 82,313   | 84,895                          | 86,287                        | 91,458                       | 94,327                          | 95,874                        | 100,604                      | 103,760                         | 105,462                       |
| 2023-24 | 81,218   | 84,710                          | 86,629                        | 90,242                       | 94,122                          | 96,255                        | 99,266                       | 103,534                         | 105,880                       |
| 2024-25 | 80,047   | 84,539                          | 87,033                        | 88,941                       | 93,933                          | 96,704                        | 97,836                       | 103,326                         | 106,374                       |
| 2025-26 | 78,908   | 84,471                          | 87,576                        | 87,676                       | 93,857                          | 97,307                        | 96,444                       | 103,243                         | 107,038                       |

<sup>a</sup> Assumes yields are average from 2009-10 through 2011-12.

<sup>b</sup> 50% of replacement planting level (roughly average planting level in recent years).

<sup>c</sup> 100% of replacement planting level.

<sup>d</sup> 125% of replacement planting level.

Table 14. Florida grapefruit production projections, actual 2014-15 and FDOC estimates for 2016-17 through 2025-26.<sup>a</sup>

| Season  | Decreasing Yield   |                              |                            | Flat Yield                |                              |                            | Increasing Yield          |                              |                            |
|---------|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
|         | Low Planting <sup>b</sup>  | Middle Planting <sup>c</sup> | High Planting <sup>d</sup> | Low Planting <sup>b</sup> | Middle Planting <sup>c</sup> | High Planting <sup>d</sup> | Low Planting <sup>b</sup> | Middle Planting <sup>c</sup> | High Planting <sup>d</sup> |
|         | ----- thousand boxes -----   |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |
| 2014-15 | 12,950   |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |
|         | A forecast for the 2015-16 season will be made in October 2015 by the USDA, Florida Agricultural Statistics Service. |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |                           |                              |                            |
| 2016-17 | 12,351   | 12,351                       | 12,351                     | 12,603                    | 12,603                       | 12,603                     | 12,855                    | 12,855                       | 12,855                     |
| 2017-18 | 11,921   | 11,921                       | 11,921                     | 12,418                    | 12,418                       | 12,418                     | 12,915                    | 12,915                       | 12,915                     |
| 2018-19 | 11,507   | 11,557                       | 11,582                     | 12,241                    | 12,295                       | 12,322                     | 12,976                    | 13,033                       | 13,061                     |
| 2019-20 | 11,097   | 11,208                       | 11,263                     | 12,062                    | 12,182                       | 12,242                     | 13,027                    | 13,157                       | 13,222                     |
| 2020-21 | 10,694   | 10,874                       | 10,964                     | 11,882                    | 12,082                       | 12,183                     | 13,070                    | 13,290                       | 13,401                     |
| 2021-22 | 10,530   | 10,792                       | 10,924                     | 11,701                    | 11,991                       | 12,138                     | 12,871                    | 13,191                       | 13,352                     |
| 2022-23 | 10,355   | 10,728                       | 10,932                     | 11,506                    | 11,920                       | 12,147                     | 12,656                    | 13,112                       | 13,362                     |
| 2023-24 | 10,195   | 10,675                       | 10,938                     | 11,328                    | 11,861                       | 12,154                     | 12,460                    | 13,047                       | 13,369                     |
| 2024-25 | 10,037   | 10,632                       | 10,960                     | 11,152                    | 11,813                       | 12,178                     | 12,268                    | 12,995                       | 13,396                     |
| 2025-26 | 9,874  | 10,591                       | 10,988                     | 10,971                    | 11,768                       | 12,209                     | 12,068                    | 12,944                       | 13,430                     |

<sup>a</sup> Assumes yields are average from 2014-15.

<sup>b</sup> 50% of replacement planting level (roughly average planting level in recent years).

<sup>c</sup> 100% of replacement planting level.

<sup>d</sup> 125% of replacement planting level.

Table 15. Florida specialty production projections, actual for 2011-15 and FDOC estimates for 2016-17 through 2025-26.<sup>a</sup>

| Season               | Tangelos  | Tangerines | Total |
|----------------------|---|------------|-------|
|                      | ----- million boxes -----   |            |       |
| 2009-10              | .90   | 4.45       | 5.35  |
| 2010-11              | 1.15  | 4.65       | 5.80  |
| 2011-12              | 1.15  | 4.29       | 5.44  |
| 2012-13              | 1.00  | 3.28       | 4.28  |
| 2013-14              | .88   | 2.90       | 3.78  |
| 2014-15              | .68   | 2.30       | 2.98  |
|                      | A forecast for the 2015-16 season will be made in October 2015 by the USDA,<br>Florida Agricultural Statistics Service. |            |       |
| 2016-17 <sup>b</sup> | 0.67  | 2.18       | 4.40  |
| 2017-18              | 0.65  | 2.12       | 4.16  |
| 2018-19              | 0.64  | 2.06       | 3.94  |
| 2019-20              | 0.63  | 2.02       | 3.74  |
| 2020-21              | 0.62  | 1.99       | 3.55  |
| 2021-22              | 0.62  | 1.96       | 3.37  |
| 2022-23              | 0.62  | 1.95       | 3.20  |
| 2023-24              | 0.62  | 1.93       | 3.03  |
| 2024-25              | 0.61  | 1.93       | 2.88  |
| 2025-26              | 0.61  | 1.93       | 2.54  |

<sup>a</sup> Assumes 100 percent replant rate

Table 16. Projected Orange Production Using Extrapolated Yields

| Season  | Early-Mid Oranges       | Late Season Oranges | Total Production |
|---------|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|         | ----- 1,000 boxes ----- |                     |                  |
| 2016-17 | 39,625                  | 40,703              | 80,328           |
| 2017-18 | 35,183                  | 35,971              | 71,154           |
| 2018-19 | 31,250                  | 31,836              | 63,086           |
| 2019-20 | 27,772                  | 28,202              | 55,974           |
| 2020-21 | 24,674                  | 24,989              | 49,663           |
| 2021-22 | 21,925                  | 22,155              | 44,080           |
| 2022-23 | 19,485                  | 19,636              | 39,121           |
| 2023-24 | 17,312                  | 17,409              | 34,721           |
| 2024-25 | 15,383                  | 15,429              | 30,811           |
| 2025-26 | 13,669                  | 13,683              | 27,352           |

Table 17. Projected Grapefruit Production Using Extrapolated Yields.

| Season  | White seedless          | Red seedless | Total Production |
|---------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------|
|         | ----- 1,000 Boxes ----- |              |                  |
| 2016-17 | 2,897                   | 8,230        | 11,127           |
| 2017-18 | 2,570                   | 7,413        | 9,983            |
| 2018-19 | 2,293                   | 6,705        | 8,999            |
| 2019-20 | 2,053                   | 6,070        | 8,123            |
| 2020-21 | 1,842                   | 5,501        | 7,343            |
| 2021-22 | 1,655                   | 4,987        | 6,642            |
| 2022-23 | 1,490                   | 4,525        | 6,015            |
| 2023-24 | 1,343                   | 4,108        | 5,451            |
| 2024-25 | 1,211                   | 3,731        | 4,942            |
| 2025-26 | 1,094                   | 3,390        | 4,485            |



Table 18. Florida orange juice US presumed consumption and processed orange on-tree price/revenue projections

|                           |         | 16-17   | 17-18   | 18-19   | 19-20   | 20-21   | 21-22   | 22-23   | 23-24   | 24-25   |
|---------------------------|---------|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                           |         | Scenario 1: Declining Yields with 50% Plant Rate <sup>a</sup>   |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption   | mil gal | 753   | 750     | 750     | 750     | 745     | 745     | 743     | 741     | 736     |
| Processed On-Tree Price   | \$/box  | \$10.42   | \$10.44 | \$10.44 | \$10.44 | \$10.48 | \$10.48 | \$10.49 | \$10.50 | \$10.53 |
| Processed On-Tree Revenue | mil \$  | \$984   | \$962   | \$935   | \$908   | \$883   | \$874   | \$863   | \$853   | \$843   |
|                           |         | Scenario 2: Flat yields with 100% Plant Rate <sup>b</sup>       |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption   | mil gal | 778   | 776     | 773     | 771     | 770     | 770     | 768     | 768     | 767     |
| Processed On-Tree Price   | \$/box  | \$10.78   | \$10.80 | \$10.82 | \$10.83 | \$10.84 | \$10.84 | \$10.85 | \$10.85 | \$10.86 |
| Processed On-Tree Revenue | mil \$  | \$1,039   | \$1,036 | \$1,033 | \$1,031 | \$1,028 | \$1,026 | \$1,024 | \$1,022 | \$1,020 |
|                           |         | Scenario 3: Increasing Yields with 125% Plant Rate <sup>c</sup> |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption   | mil gal | 829   | 829     | 829     | 831     | 835     | 833     | 833     | 833     | 834     |
| Processed On-Tree Price   | \$/box  | \$11.46   | \$11.46 | \$11.45 | \$11.44 | \$11.41 | \$11.42 | \$11.42 | \$11.42 | \$11.41 |
| Processed On-Tree Revenue | mil \$  | \$1,696   | \$1,696 | \$1,697 | \$1,699 | \$1,703 | \$1,702 | \$1,702 | \$1,701 | \$1,703 |

<sup>a</sup> Assumes loss rates are at the average level in recent years (about 4%), planting rates are at the average level in recent years (about 2% or half the replacement level), and a 0% growth rate for US consumption and exports.

<sup>b</sup> Same as scenario 1 except US consumption and exports are projected to grow at 1% per year.

<sup>c</sup> Same as scenario 2 except planting rates are at the 125% of the replacement level (about 5%).

Table 19. Florida grapefruit juice US presumed consumption and grapefruit on-tree price/revenue projections

|                         |         | 16-17  | 17-18   | 18-19   | 19-20   | 20-21   | 21-22   | 22-23   | 23-24   | 24-25   |
|-------------------------|---------|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                         |         | Scenario 1: Declining Yields, Low Plant Rate   |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption | mil gal | 38.3   | 37.0    | 35.7    | 34.4    | 33.2    | 32.6    | 32.1    | 31.6    | 31.1    |
| Processed On-Tree Price | \$/box  | \$3.35   | \$3.40  | \$3.45  | \$3.55  | \$3.60  | \$3.60  | \$3.65  | \$3.70  | \$3.75  |
| Fresh On-Tree Price     | \$/box  | \$14.45  | \$14.85 | \$15.25 | \$15.75 | \$16.25 | \$16.35 | \$16.45 | \$16.65 | \$16.75 |
| Total On-Tree Revenue   | mil \$  | \$93.5   | \$92.4  | \$91.3  | \$90.8  | \$89.9  | \$88.9  | \$88.2  | \$87.8  | \$87.2  |
|                         |         | Scenario 2: Flat Yields, Medium Plant Rate     |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption | mil gal | 39.1   | 38.5    | 38.1    | 37.8    | 37.5    | 37.2    | 37.0    | 36.8    | 36.5    |
| Processed On-Tree Price | \$/box  | \$3.35   | \$3.30  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.25  |
| Fresh On-Tree Price     | \$/box  | \$14.25  | \$14.45 | \$14.65 | \$14.85 | \$15.05 | \$15.15 | \$15.21 | \$15.25 | \$15.45 |
| Total On-Tree Revenue   | mil \$  | \$94.4   | \$93.6  | \$93.2  | \$93.4  | \$93.2  | \$92.9  | \$92.6  | \$92.7  | \$92.8  |
|                         |         | Scenario 3: Increasing Yields, High Plant Rate |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| US Presumed Consumption | mil gal | 39.9   | 40.0    | 40.5    | 41.0    | 41.5    | 41.4    | 41.4    | 41.4    | 41.5    |
| Processed On-Tree Price | \$/box  | \$3.30   | \$3.25  | \$3.25  | \$3.20  | \$3.20  | \$3.20  | \$3.20  | \$3.20  | \$3.20  |
| Fresh On-Tree Price     | \$/box  | \$14.05  | \$13.95 | \$13.89 | \$13.85 | \$13.79 | \$13.75 | \$13.73 | \$13.73 | \$13.69 |
| Total On-Tree Revenue   | mil \$  | \$94.9   | \$94.5  | \$95.3  | \$95.8  | \$96.8  | \$96.2  | \$96.2  | \$96.3  | \$96.3  |

# FIGURES

Figure 1. Historical Early-Mid Orange Tree Density, by Age of Tree

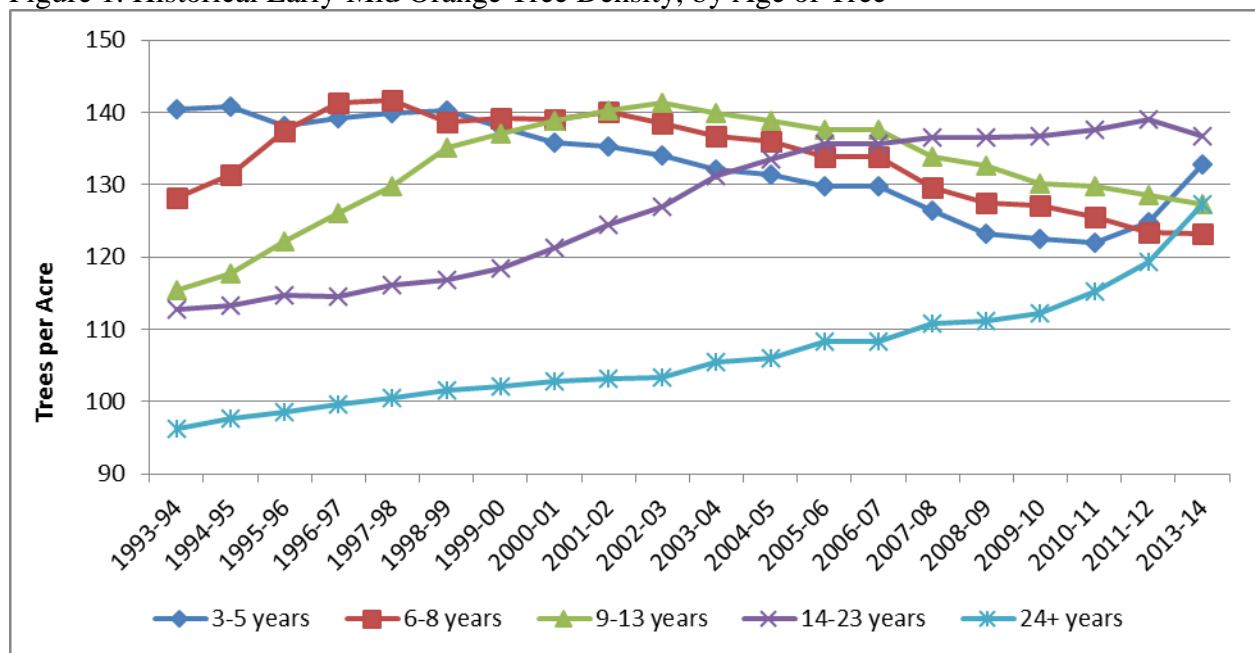


Figure 2. Historical Valencia Orange Tree Density, by Age of Tree

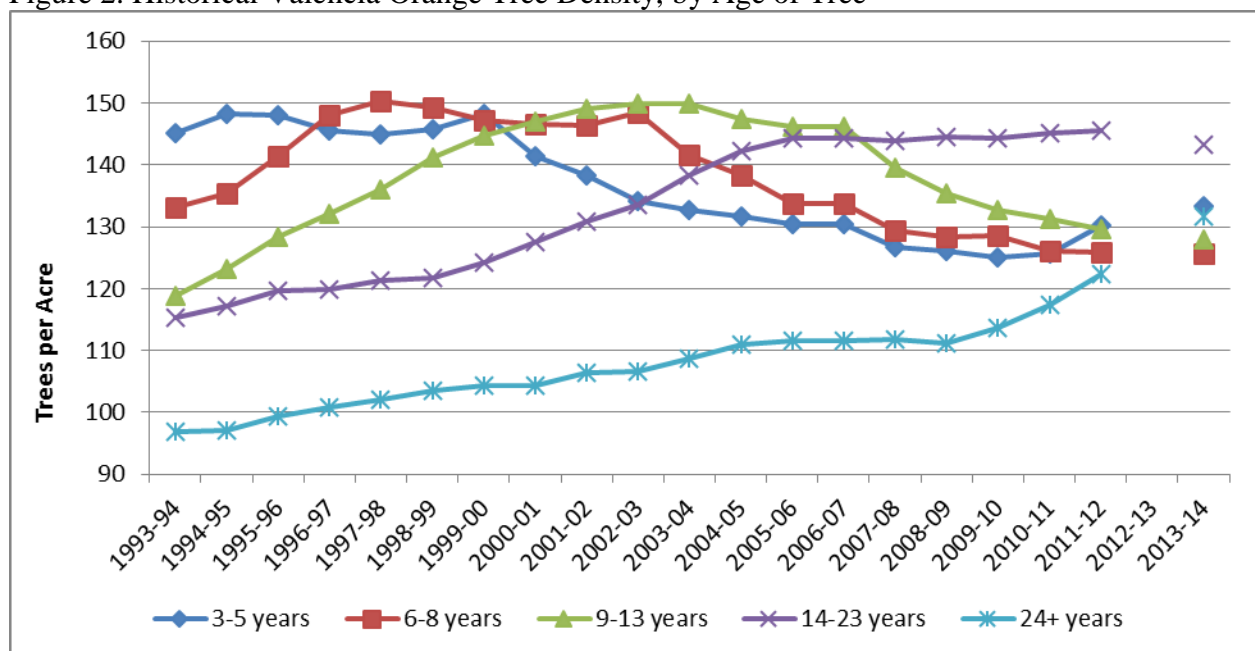


Figure 3. Historical Early-Mid Orange Tree Yields, by Age of Tree

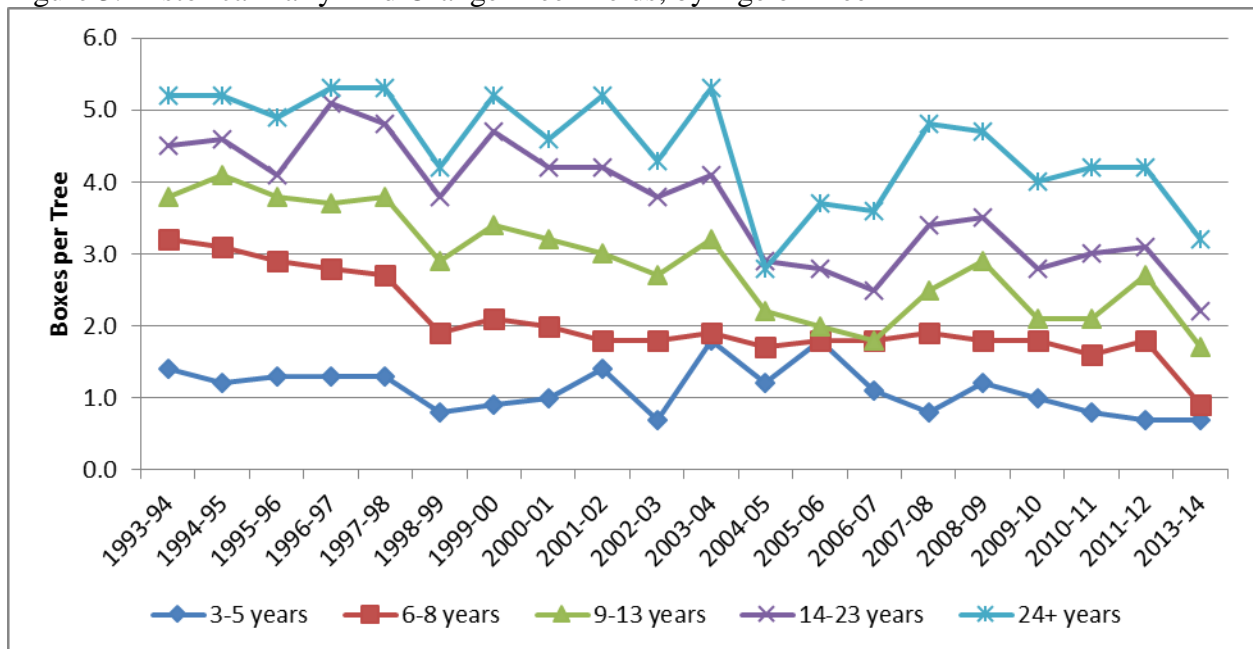


Figure 4. Historical Valencia Orange Tree Yields, by Age of Tree

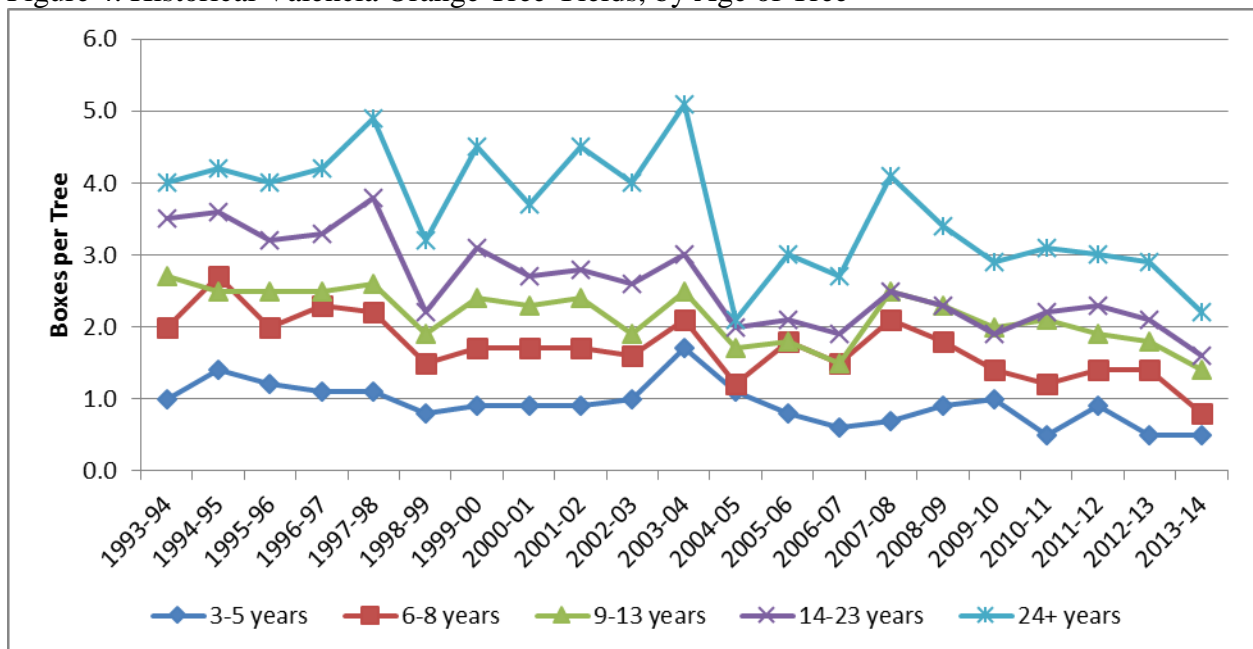


Figure 5. Historical White Grapefruit Tree Density, by Age of Tree

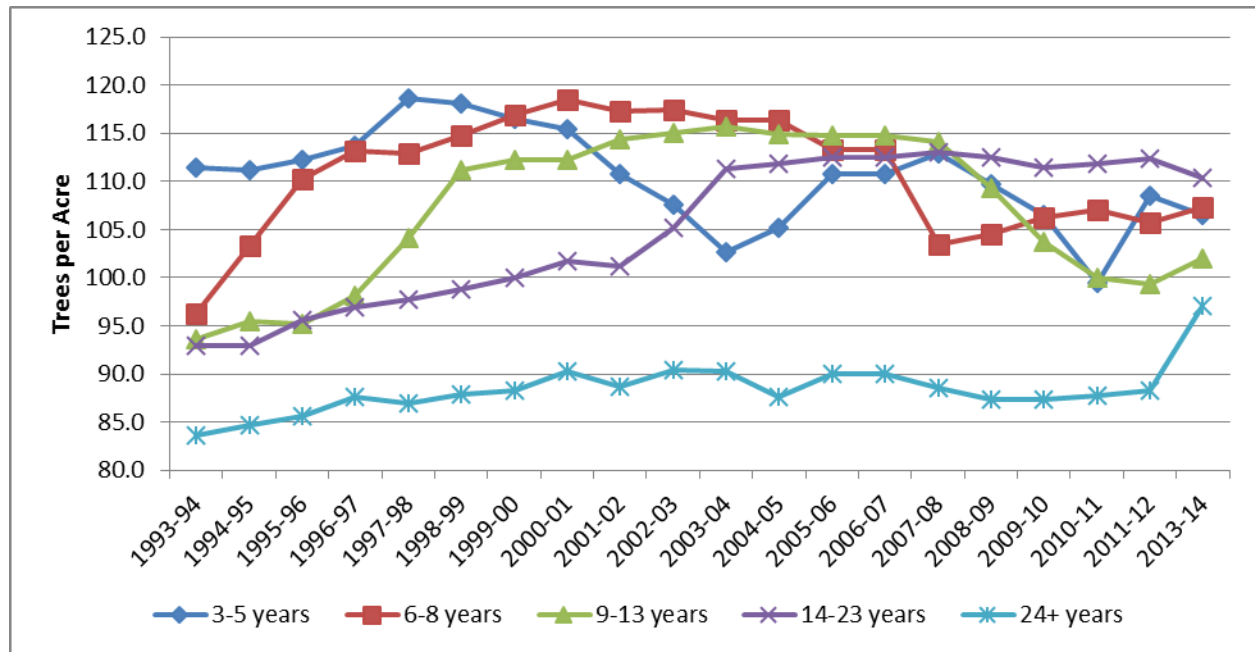


Figure 6. Historical Red Grapefruit Tree Density, by Age of Tree

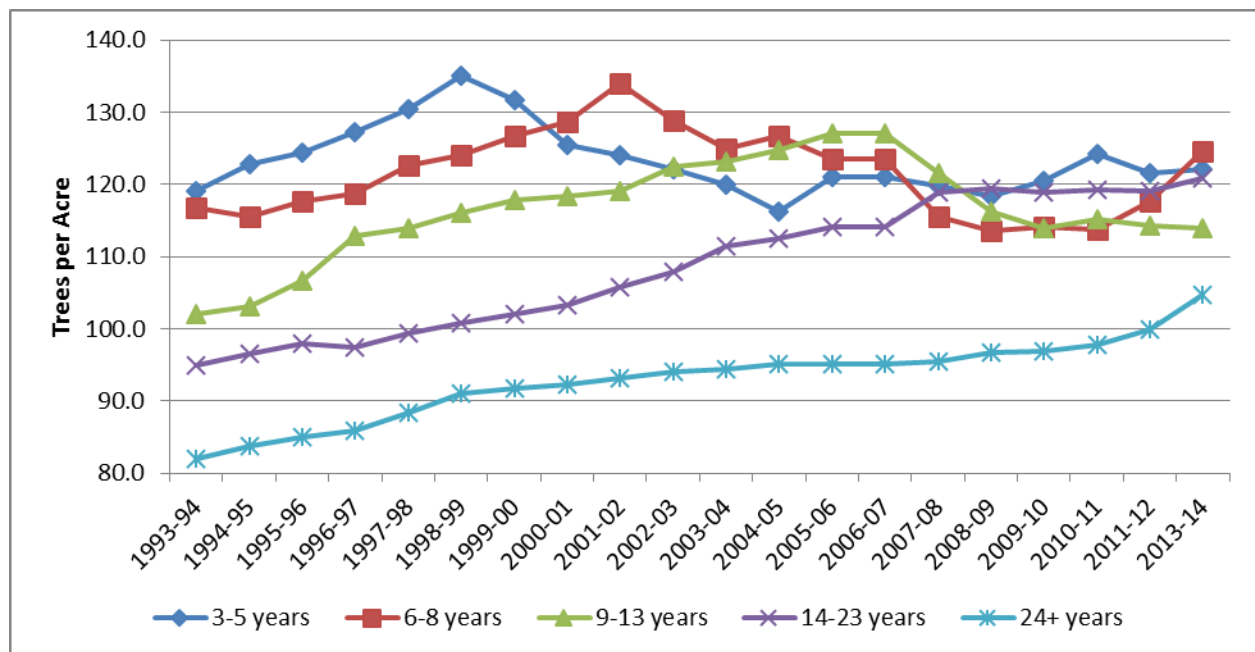


Figure 7. Historical White Grapefruit Tree Yields, by Age of Tree

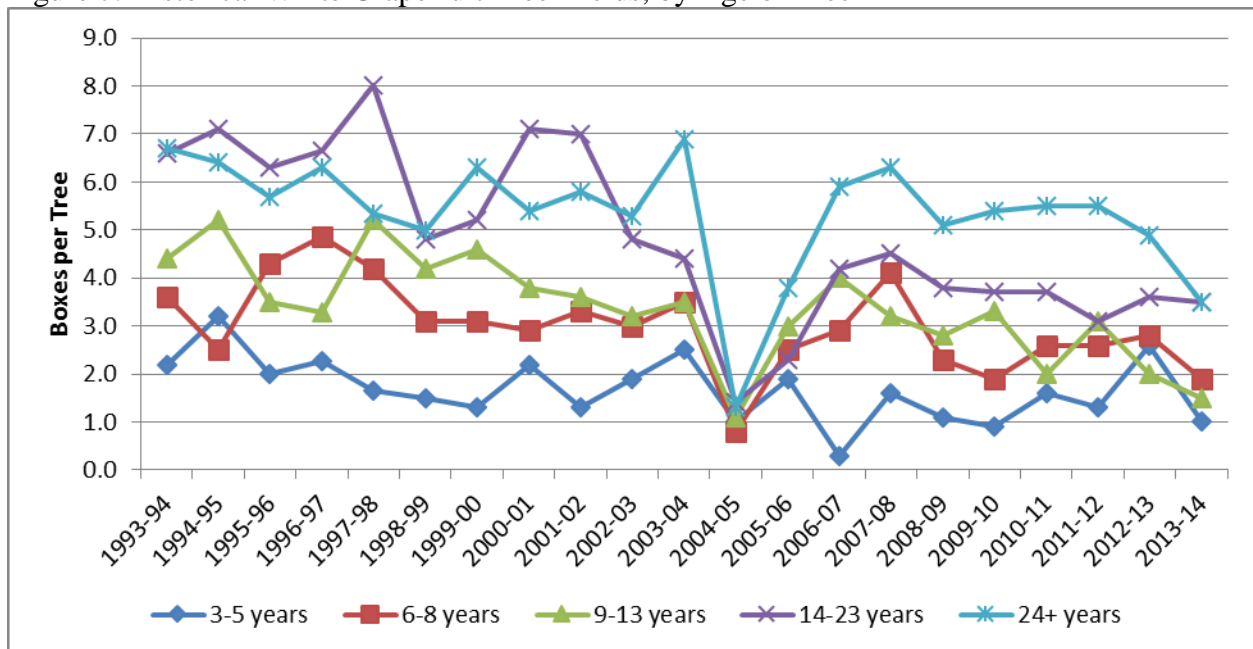


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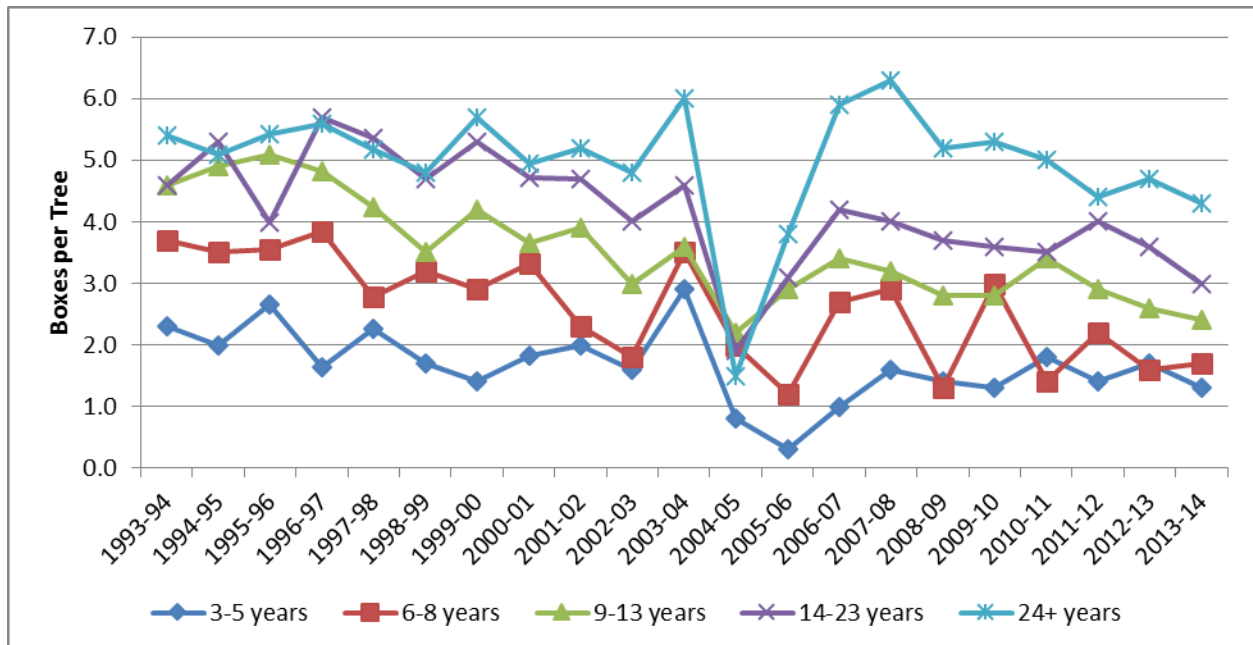


Figure 9. Scenarios for Production Trends.

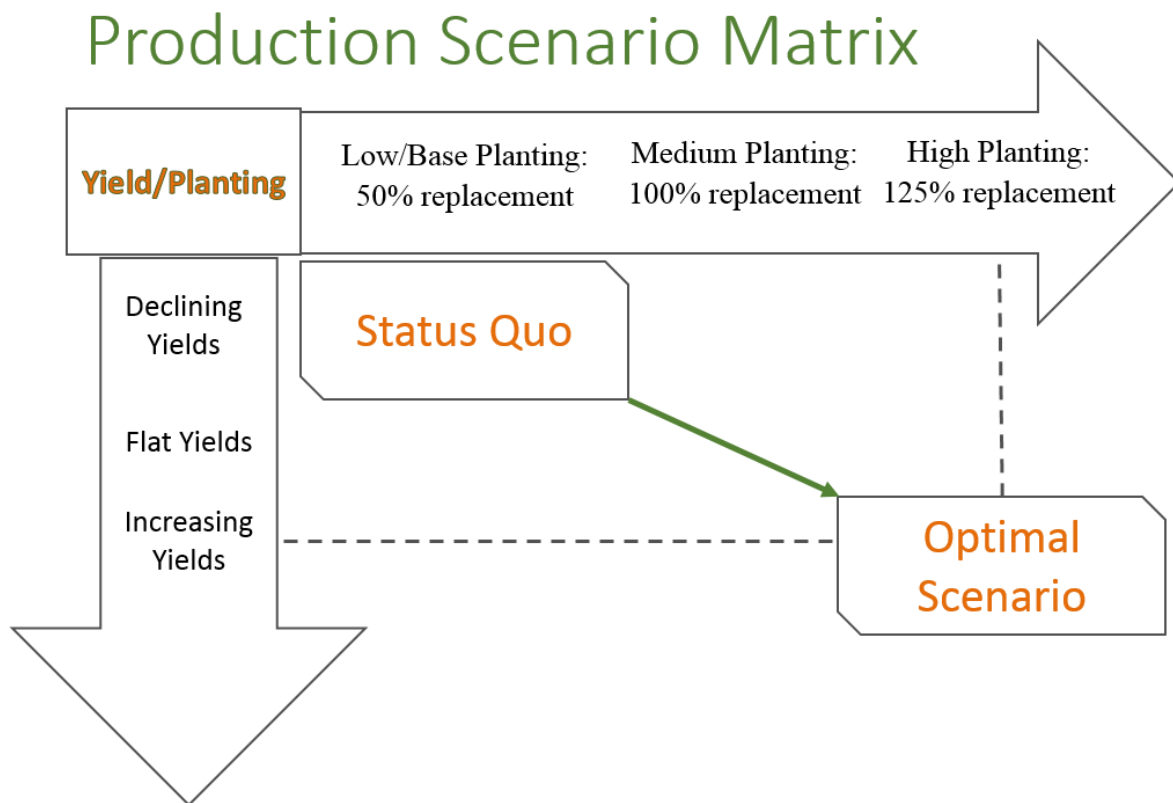




Figure 10. Forecasted Orange Production Using Extrapolated Yields.

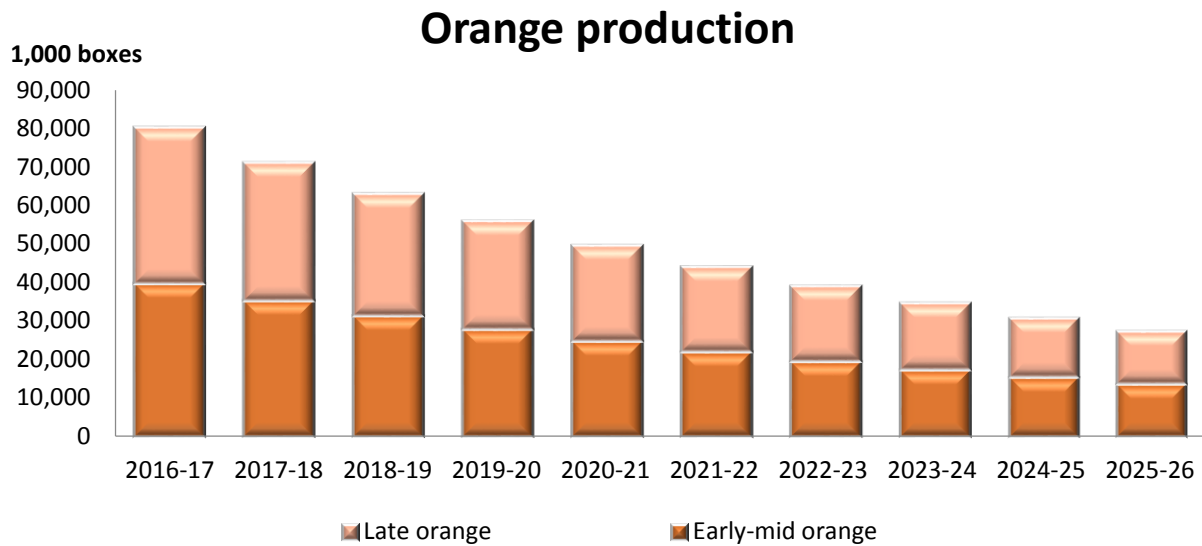


Figure 11. Forecasted Grapefruit Production Using Extrapolated Yields.

