

Helping the world grow the food it needs.



Strengthening the local economy. It's what we do.

For more than a century, Florida's phosphate industry has been a major economic driver for the Tampa Bay and Central Florida regions. In any given year, Mosaic's North America Phosphate operations accounts for approximately 50 percent of North America farmers' supply of granular phosphate fertilizer, and 12 percent of the global supply.



Phosphate fertilizer is one of Florida's leading export commodities with a 2020 value totaling **\$1.4 billion**

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Florida's phosphate companies have paid approximately \$1.5 billion in state severance taxes cumulatively since 1971. Mosaic currently pays a state tax of \$1.61 per ton of phosphate rock extracted, a portion of which is returned to the counties where phosphate is mined. Certain counties, designated by the state as "Rural Areas of Opportunity," received a larger distribution to support their economic development. In 2022, Mosaic paid approximately \$18.9 million in severance taxes.

According to Port Tampa Bay, phosphate and fertilizer products supported almost 46,000 jobs and generated nearly \$3.1 billion in personal income in the regional economy. Overall, phosphate business benefits Florida suppliers. Mosaic spent over \$1.07 billion with over 420 Florida-based suppliers and contractors in 2022. Over 80 percent of Mosaic's Florida spend is with suppliers based in Hillsborough, Manatee, Polk, Hardee and DeSoto counties.



Mosaic directly employs more than 3,000 Floridians with an additional 3,000 contractors working at our sites every day. Mosaic supports tens of thousands more jobs in related fields such as manufacturing, maintenance, engineering, horticulture, environmental science and transportation.

Learn more about our impact in Florida below with information from a recent economic impact study done by Florida State University.

During the 2022 calendar year, Mosaic's economic impact in Florida included:

