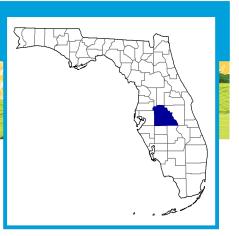
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Polk County

Florida

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	2,080	-14
Land in farms (acres)	487,128	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	234	+9
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	297,722,000	-15
Government payments	2,242,000	+436
Farm-related income	11,943,000	+48
Total farm production expenses	277,648,000	+3
Net cash farm income	34,259,000	-62
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	143,136	-1
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	9,341	-24
Farm-related income	25,851	+15
Total farm production expenses	133,484	+20
Net cash farm income	16,471	-56



4 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	19

Land in Farms by Use (%) a

Cropland	27
Pastureland	47
Woodland	14
Other	12

Acres irrigated: 88,603

18% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	1

Farms by Value of Sales	6		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	765	37	1 to 9 acres	446	21
\$2,500 to \$4,999	175	8	10 to 49 acres	868	42
\$5,000 to \$9,999	216	10	50 to 179 acres	430	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999	267	13	180 to 499 acres	169	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	163	8	500 to 999 acres	68	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	151	7	1,000 + acres	99	5
\$100,000 or more	343	16			



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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^ь	Counties Producing Item
Total	297,722	6	67	257	3,077
Crops	241,251	6	67	90	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	31	57	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	17,122	15	65	145	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	169,556	2	65	32	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	48,647	7	65	63	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation		10	20		4 204
woody crops	(D)	16	36	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	18	65	438	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	56,471	8	67	866	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	5	64	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	21,080	7	65	758	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	23	38	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	242	5	61	724	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	245	7	63	656	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	337	24	66	644	2,970
Aquaculture	8,141	3	55	47	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	8	67	(D)	2,878

Total Producers °	3,493	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex Male Female	2,231 1,262	Have internet access	71	Oranges, all Forage (hay/haylage), all Sod harvested Tangerines	69,410 16,462 4,071 2,298
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	178 1,898 1,417	Farm organically	(Z)	Grapefruit	2,230
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	4 55 27	Sell directly to consumers	5	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2017) 1,796
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 3,397 10	Hire farm labor	31	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	83,642 1,856 533 1,489
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	168 475 1,081	Are family farms	90	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	(D) (D) 792 43

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.