



Okaloosa County Florida

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	481	+1
Land in farms (acres)	46,588	-24
Average size of farm (acres)	97	-25
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	8,330,000	-19
Government payments	992,000	+1
Farm-related income	2,035,000	+78
Total farm production expenses	9,813,000	-20
Net cash farm income	1,544,000	+1039
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	17,319	-20
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	14,373	+115
Farm-related income	14,961	+86
Total farm production expenses	20,401	-21
Net cash farm income	3,210	+1030

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	70
Livestock, poultry, and products	30

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	29
Pastureland	16
Woodland	41
Other	14

Acres irrigated: 414

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	2
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	271	56
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	60	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	55	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	4
\$100,000 or more	13	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	58	12
10 to 49 acres	252	52
50 to 179 acres	120	25
180 to 499 acres	41	9
500 to 999 acres	5	1
1,000 + acres	5	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	8,330	57	67	2,723	3,077
Crops	5,854	53	67	2,293	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	304	25	57	2,339	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	7	13	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	151	50	65	1,382	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,012	35	65	474	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	55	65	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,051	27	65	1,178	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,476	54	67	2,678	3,073
Poultry and eggs	984	20	64	739	3,007
Cattle and calves	695	57	65	2,480	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	13	61	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	45	43	63	1,813	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	390	19	66	548	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	33	55	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	229	36	67	490	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	823
Male	493
Female	330

Age	
<35	45
35 – 64	507
65 and older	271

Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	32
Asian	27
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	750
More than one race	14

Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15
With military service	240
New and beginning farmers	290

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **72**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **8**

Hire farm labor **12**

Are family farms **98**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	4,079
Cotton, all	3,064
Peanuts for nuts	2,179
Corn for grain	403
Pecans, all	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	60,406
Cattle and calves	3,354
Goats	1,257
Hogs and pigs	662
Horses and ponies	851
Layers	2,888
Pullets	257
Sheep and lambs	349
Turkeys	193

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.