



Polk County Florida

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	2,197	+6
Land in farms (acres)	559,699	+15
Average size of farm (acres)	255	+9
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	303,726,000	+2
Government payments	8,335,000	+272
Farm-related income	24,521,000	+105
Total farm production expenses	288,999,000	+4
Net cash farm income	47,583,000	+39
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	138,246	-3
Government payments ^a	58,285	+524
Farm-related income ^a	51,514	+99
Total farm production expenses	131,542	-1
Net cash farm income	21,658	+31

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	79
Livestock, poultry, and products	21

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	141,588
Pastureland	269,459
Woodland	98,958
Other	49,694

Acres irrigated: 77,650

14% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	770	35
\$2,500 to \$4,999	209	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	249	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	273	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	166	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	145	7
\$100,000 or more	385	18

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	469	21
10 to 49 acres	946	43
50 to 179 acres	411	19
180 to 499 acres	181	8
500 to 999 acres	74	3
1,000+ acres	116	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	303,726	8	67	493	3,078
Crops	238,431	10	67	280	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	215	30	61	2,385	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	14	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	18,441	24	66	180	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	158,046	2	67	34	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	55,674	16	65	84	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	6,054	19	65	575	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	65,296	9	67	921	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	9	65	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	30,480	3	67	590	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	20	28	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	182	9	62	772	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	203	12	65	927	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	215	31	62	1,079	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	6	50	48	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	5	66	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	3,825	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	Oranges, all 63,900
Male	2,375	75	Forage (hay/haylage), all 18,803
Female	1,450		Tangerines 2,776
Age		Farm organically	Vegetables harvested, all 2,334
<35	250	1	Land in berries 1,639
35 – 64	2,001		
65 and older	1,574		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	4	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 3,404
Asian	45		Cattle and calves 109,225
Black or African American	81	Hire farm labor	Goats 1,757
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	7	29	Hogs and pigs 675
White	3,667		Horses and ponies 1,631
More than one race	25		Layers (D)
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	241	89	Sheep and lambs 613
With military service	367		Turkeys 78
New and beginning farmers	1,141		

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.