



Country Fact Sheet Poland

LAND AND POPULATION	Year	Value	Unit
Area			
Country total area	2014	31 268	1 000 ha
Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops)	2014	11 304	1 000 ha
Population			
Total population	2015	38 612	1 000
Population density	2015	123.5	inhab/km ²
Rural population	2015	15 473	1 000
Economically active population in agriculture	2014	2 647	1 000
As % of total economically active population	2014	15.44	%
RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR)	Year	Value	Unit
Long-term average annual precipitation			
Depth		600	mm/year
Volume		187.6	km ³ /year
Long-term average annual RWR			
Internal (IRWR)		53.6	km ³ /year
External (ERWR)		6.9	km ³ /year
Total Actual (TRWR)		60.5	km ³ /year
Dependency ratio		11.4	%
TRWR per capita	2014	1 567	m ³ /year
Total dam capacity	2015	2.956	km ³
WATER WITHDRAWAL	Year	Value	Unit
By sector			
Agricultural	2012	1.102	km ³
Municipal	1997	2.292	km ³
Industrial	1997	9.425	km ³
Total	2012	11.48	km ³
Total water withdrawal per capita	2012	297.3	m ³
By source			
Surface water withdrawal	2012	8.824	km ³
Groundwater withdrawal	2012	2.644	km ³
Total freshwater withdrawal	2012	11.47	km ³
Desalinated water produced	2009	0.007	km ³
Direct use of treated municipal wastewater	2000	0.003	km ³
Direct use of agricultural drainage water		-	km ³
Pressure on water resources			
Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR	2012	18.96	%
Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR	2012	1.821	%
IRRIGATION AREAS	Year	Value	Unit
Area equipped for irrigation			
Full control irrigation	2013	75.81	1 000 ha
surface irrigation (2007)	102.7	1 000 ha	
sprinkler irrigation (2007)	5	1 000 ha	
localized irrigation (2007)	8	1 000 ha	
Equipped lowland areas		-	1 000 ha
Spate irrigation		-	1 000 ha
Total area equipped for irrigation	2013	75.81	1 000 ha
As % of cultivated area	2013	0.6706	%
Area actually irrigated	2013	45.55	1 000 ha
As % of area equipped for irrigation	2013	60.08	%

Notes: 1 km³ = 10⁹ m³; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m²