



# Bremer County Iowa

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,009	+5
Land in farms (acres)	240,688	-8
Average size of farm (acres)	239	-12
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	337,683,000	+47
Government payments	6,599,000	+12
Farm-related income	14,635,000	+22
Total farm production expenses	255,422,000	+34
Net cash farm income	103,495,000	+81
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	334,671	+40
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	11,110	+42
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	25,675	+24
Total farm production expenses	253,143	+28
Net cash farm income	102,572	+72

## 1 Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	67
Livestock, poultry, and products	33

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	222,606
Pastureland	2,615
Woodland	8,612
Other	6,855

### Acres irrigated: 571

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	30
Intensive till	30
Cover crop	7

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	294	29
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	42	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	66	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	108	11
\$100,000 or more	396	39

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	94	9
10 to 49 acres	289	29
50 to 179 acres	296	29
180 to 499 acres	200	20
500 to 999 acres	86	9
1,000+ acres	44	4

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>337,683</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>224,823</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	222,393	54	99	199	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	646	11	98	1,021	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	36	96	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	268	45	90	1,298	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	3	51	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,219	57	99	1,884	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>112,860</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	29,478	21	99	442	3,027
Cattle and calves	14,779	81	99	1,020	3,047
Milk from cows	15,363	21	66	393	1,770
Hogs and pigs	52,739	63	99	168	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	167	63	99	1,094	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	126	45	96	1,398	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	13	20	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	39	99	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>1,825</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	<b>85</b>
Male	1,218		Corn for grain 125,856
Female	607		Soybeans for beans 72,964
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	<b>(Z)</b>
<35	135		Forage (hay/haylage), all 4,979
35 – 64	1,006		Corn for silage/greenchop 2,041
65 and older	684		Oats for grain 127
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>3</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	1		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
Asian	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	<b>25</b>
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves 16,877
White	1,821		Goats 550
More than one race	3		Hogs and pigs 229,788
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	<b>95</b>
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	13		Horses and ponies 513
With military service	157		Layers 2,798
New and beginning farmers	532		Pullets 58
			Sheep and lambs 819
			Turkeys 293,030

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