



Jefferson County Iowa

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	681	+7
Land in farms (acres)	211,552	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	311	-4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	153,715,000	+42
Government payments	7,986,000	+42
Farm-related income	6,560,000	-10
Total farm production expenses	128,250,000	+35
Net cash farm income	40,010,000	+51
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	225,719	+32
Government payments ^a	18,969	+50
Farm-related income ^a	16,863	-18
Total farm production expenses	188,327	+26
Net cash farm income	58,752	+41

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	73
Livestock, poultry, and products	27

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	167,974
Pastureland	11,965
Woodland	18,306
Other	13,307

Acres irrigated: 220

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	22
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	15

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	265	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	66	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	71	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	7
\$100,000 or more	150	22

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	40	6
10 to 49 acres	148	22
50 to 179 acres	265	39
180 to 499 acres	144	21
500 to 999 acres	50	7
1,000+ acres	34	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	153,715	89	99	1,035	3,078
Crops	111,599	89	99	760	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	108,512	89	99	583	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	160	35	98	1,549	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	272	30	96	1,161	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,250	27	90	879	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	51	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,404	49	99	1,768	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	42,116	88	99	1,230	3,076
Poultry and eggs	627	60	99	850	3,027
Cattle and calves	11,744	87	99	1,170	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	52	66	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	27,810	80	99	270	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,100	8	99	170	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	35	96	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	25	51	99	1,497	2,909

Producers ^d	1,198	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	77
Male	781		Corn for grain 65,423
Female	417		Soybeans for beans 61,353
Age		Farm organically	4
<35	86		Forage (hay/haylage), all 10,196
35 – 64	586		Wheat for grain, all 424
65 and older	526		Corn for silage/greenchop 396
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
Asian	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 450
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	19
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		Cattle and calves 14,189
White	1,194		Goats 2,013
More than one race	3	Are family farms	95
Other characteristics			Hogs and pigs 61,147
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		Horses and ponies 585
With military service	102		Layers 10,595
New and beginning farmers	364		Pullets 100
			Sheep and lambs 1,405
			Turkeys 45

^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.