



Mills County Iowa

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	451	-13
Land in farms (acres)	210,969	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	468	+17
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	173,097,000	+75
Government payments	1,478,000	-71
Farm-related income	8,012,000	-7
Total farm production expenses	122,042,000	+56
Net cash farm income	60,545,000	+76
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	383,808	+102
Government payments ^a	8,795	-35
Farm-related income ^a	33,109	+17
Total farm production expenses	270,603	+80
Net cash farm income	134,247	+103

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	99
Livestock, poultry, and products	1

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	192,439
Pastureland	4,174
Woodland	4,239
Other	10,117

Acres irrigated: 1,898

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	44
Reduced till	17
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	130	29
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	40	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	6
\$100,000 or more	174	39

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	52	12
10 to 49 acres	108	24
50 to 179 acres	110	24
180 to 499 acres	66	15
500 to 999 acres	56	12
1,000+ acres	59	13

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	173,097	84	99	949	3,078
Crops	171,085	71	99	473	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	169,300	71	99	340	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	18	78	98	1,998	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	41	62	96	1,751	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	272	44	90	1,294	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	51	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,454	48	99	1,745	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,013	99	99	2,716	3,076
Poultry and eggs	47	76	99	1,666	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,755	97	99	2,200	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	61	66	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	64	99	99	1,009	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	37	86	99	1,989	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	33	72	96	1,976	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	817	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	86	
Male	535			
Female	282	Farm organically	-	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	4	
<35	65	Hire farm labor	27	
35 – 64	440	Are family farms	90	
65 and older	312			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	580
Asian	-		Cattle and calves	3,049
Black or African American	-		Goats	182
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	119
White	811		Horses and ponies	190
More than one race	6		Layers	1,299
Other characteristics			Pullets	38
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3		Sheep and lambs	325
With military service	64		Turkeys	73
New and beginning farmers	285			

^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.