



Hamilton County Iowa

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	770	+5
Land in farms (acres)	367,576	+17
Average size of farm (acres)	477	+11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	794,200,000	+35
Government payments	9,399,000	+60
Farm-related income	18,452,000	-3
Total farm production expenses	540,597,000	+16
Net cash farm income	281,456,000	+93
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,031,429	+29
Government payments ^a	19,830	+46
Farm-related income ^a	39,344	+11
Total farm production expenses	702,074	+10
Net cash farm income	365,527	+84

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	53

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	350,607
Pastureland	2,413
Woodland	5,146
Other	9,410

Acres irrigated: 4

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	33
Intensive till	33
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	199	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	39	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	43	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	6
\$100,000 or more	402	52

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	94	12
10 to 49 acres	178	23
50 to 179 acres	167	22
180 to 499 acres	137	18
500 to 999 acres	93	12
1,000+ acres	101	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	794,200	8	99	77	3,078
Crops	370,837	8	99	92	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	369,869	8	99	33	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	16	98	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	101	53	90	1,476	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	51	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	325	90	99	2,534	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	423,364	10	99	103	3,076
Poultry and eggs	113,368	5	99	196	3,027
Cattle and calves	3,354	95	99	1,899	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	66	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	305,133	7	99	12	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	47	99	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	77	96	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	750	4	20	181	1,190
Other animals and animal products	445	6	99	431	2,909

Producers ^d	1,364	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	87
Male	936		Corn for grain 202,123
Female	428		Soybeans for beans 128,701
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	130		Forage (hay/haylage), all 1,496
35 – 64	649		Vegetables harvested, all (D)
65 and older	585		Peas, green (D)
Race		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
Asian	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 520
Black or African American	-		Cattle and calves 3,888
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Goats 271
White	1,361	Hire farm labor	31
More than one race	3		Hogs and pigs 680,094
Other characteristics		Are family farms	93
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1		Horses and ponies 162
With military service	107		Layers (D)
New and beginning farmers	383		Pullets (D)
			Sheep and lambs 1,445
			Turkeys 1,138,277

^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.