



Pottawattamie County Iowa

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,203	+8
Land in farms (acres)	563,574	+10
Average size of farm (acres)	468	+2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	605,310,000	+48
Government payments	7,889,000	+75
Farm-related income	24,060,000	+32
Total farm production expenses	396,514,000	+25
Net cash farm income	240,745,000	+109
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	503,167	+37
Government payments ^a	15,408	+84
Farm-related income ^a	39,443	+42
Total farm production expenses	329,604	+16
Net cash farm income	200,120	+94

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	19

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	508,806
Pastureland	24,289
Woodland	6,691
Other	23,788

Acres irrigated: 6,883

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	57
Reduced till	23
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	12

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	234	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999	58	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	88	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	77	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	76	6
\$100,000 or more	620	52

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	121	10
10 to 49 acres	251	21
50 to 179 acres	283	24
180 to 499 acres	230	19
500 to 999 acres	129	11
1,000+ acres	189	16

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	605,310	21	99	133	3,078
Crops	487,545	2	99	46	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	470,931	2	99	11	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	286	23	98	1,324	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	20	96	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	2	90	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	22	51	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	117,765	59	99	584	3,076
Poultry and eggs	4,419	49	99	685	3,027
Cattle and calves	81,874	13	99	170	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	66	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	30,852	75	99	254	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	161	41	96	1,259	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	2,167	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	86
Male	1,521		
Female	646		
Age		Farm organically	(Z)
<35	200		
35 – 64	1,092		
65 and older	875		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	5		
Asian	6		
Black or African American	2		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	2,148	Hire farm labor	31
More than one race	6		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	91
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7		
With military service	221		
New and beginning farmers	564		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	170,642
		Cattle and calves	48,084
		Goats	846
		Hogs and pigs	92,276
		Horses and ponies	440
		Layers	2,458
		Pullets	250
		Sheep and lambs	1,656
		Turkeys	131

^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.