



# Sac County Iowa

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

|                                  | 2022        | % change since 2017 |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                  | 863         | -3                  |
| Land in farms (acres)            | 344,405     | -2                  |
| Average size of farm (acres)     | 399         | 0                   |
| <b>Total</b>                     | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold    | 685,051,000 | +49                 |
| Government payments              | 11,853,000  | +124                |
| Farm-related income              | 19,757,000  | -2                  |
| Total farm production expenses   | 450,836,000 | +26                 |
| Net cash farm income             | 265,825,000 | +111                |
| <b>Per farm average</b>          | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold    | 793,802     | +54                 |
| Government payments <sup>a</sup> | 19,117      | +106                |
| Farm-related income <sup>a</sup> | 36,520      | +6                  |
| Total farm production expenses   | 522,405     | +29                 |
| Net cash farm income             | 308,025     | +118                |

**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    | 324,601 |
| Pastureland | 5,756   |
| Woodland    | 2,688   |
| Other       | 11,360  |

### Acres irrigated: 1,805

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| No till        | 32 |
| Reduced till   | 38 |
| Intensive till | 24 |
| Cover crop     | 7  |

## Farms by Value of Sales

|                      | Number | Percent of Total <sup>b</sup> |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500    | 163    | 19                            |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999   | 9      | 1                             |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999   | 35     | 4                             |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 41     | 5                             |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 50     | 6                             |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 73     | 8                             |
| \$100,000 or more    | 492    | 57                            |

## Farms by Size

|                  | Number | Percent of Total <sup>b</sup> |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres     | 81     | 9                             |
| 10 to 49 acres   | 154    | 18                            |
| 50 to 179 acres  | 203    | 24                            |
| 180 to 499 acres | 209    | 24                            |
| 500 to 999 acres | 122    | 14                            |
| 1,000+ acres     | 94     | 11                            |

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

|   | Sales<br>(\$1,000) | Rank<br>in<br>State <sup>c</sup> | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item | Rank<br>in<br>U.S. <sup>c</sup> | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item |
|---|--------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>685,051</b>     | <b>16</b>                        | <b>99</b>                     | <b>109</b>                      | <b>3,078</b>                  |
| <b>Crops</b>  | <b>323,463</b>     | <b>21</b>                        | <b>99</b>                     | <b>143</b>                      | <b>3,074</b>                  |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                     | 321,806            | 21                               | 99                            | 72                              | 2,917                         |
| Tobacco   | -                  | -                                | -                             | -                               | 267                           |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                     | -                  | -                                | -                             | -                               | 647                           |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes              | 113                | 44                               | 98                            | 1,685                           | 2,831                         |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                                | 41                 | 63                               | 96                            | 1,756                           | 2,711                         |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                    | 188                | 48                               | 90                            | 1,358                           | 2,660                         |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation<br>woody crops | -                  | -                                | 51                            | -                               | 1,274                         |
| Other crops and hay                                       | 1,315              | 53                               | 99                            | 1,822                           | 3,035                         |
| <b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>                   | <b>361,588</b>     | <b>13</b>                        | <b>99</b>                     | <b>136</b>                      | <b>3,076</b>                  |
| Poultry and eggs  | 66,130             | 11                               | 99                            | 278                             | 3,027                         |
| Cattle and calves   | 107,267            | 10                               | 99                            | 125                             | 3,047                         |
| Milk from cows  | (D)                | 45                               | 66                            | (D)                             | 1,770                         |
| Hogs and pigs   | 186,801            | 17                               | 99                            | 34                              | 2,814                         |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                          | 219                | 53                               | 99                            | 855                             | 2,967                         |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                    | (D)                | (D)                              | 96                            | (D)                             | 2,907                         |
| Aquaculture   | -                  | -                                | 20                            | -                               | 1,190                         |
| Other animals and animal products                         | (D)                | (D)                              | 99                            | (D)                             | 2,909                         |

|                                  |              |                               |   |
|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>    | <b>1,474</b> | <b>Percent of farms that:</b> | <b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>    |
| <b>Sex</b>                       |              | Have internet access          | <b>83</b>                                 |
| Male                             | 1,008        |                               |   |
| Female                           | 466          |                               |   |
| <b>Age</b>                       |              | Farm organically              | <b>1</b>                                  |
| <35                              | 129          |                               |   |
| 35 – 64                          | 766          |                               |   |
| 65 and older                     | 579          |                               |   |
| <b>Race</b>                      |              | Sell directly to consumers    | <b>1</b>                                  |
| American Indian/Alaska Native    | 1            |                               |   |
| Asian                            | 3            |                               |   |
| Black or African American        | -            |                               |   |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | -            | Hire farm labor               | <b>34</b>                                 |
| White                            | 1,470        |                               |   |
| More than one race               | -            |                               |   |
| <b>Other characteristics</b>     |              | Are family farms              | <b>95</b>                                 |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin | 5            |                               |   |
| With military service            | 89           |                               |   |
| New and beginning farmers        | 339          |                               |   |
|                                  |              |                               | <b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b> |
|                                  |              |                               | Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D) |
|                                  |              |                               | Cattle and calves 48,084                  |
|                                  |              |                               | Goats 88                                  |
|                                  |              |                               | Hogs and pigs 345,111                     |
|                                  |              |                               | Horses and ponies 178                     |
|                                  |              |                               | Layers 469                                |
|                                  |              |                               | Pullets 64                                |
|                                  |              |                               | Sheep and lambs 1,229                     |
|                                  |              |                               | Turkeys 693,151                           |

<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.