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Madison County Iowa



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	977	+2
Land in farms (acres)	271,017	-2
Average size of farm (acres)	277	-3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	119,320,000	-10
Government payments	5,316,000	+6
Farm-related income	10,224,000	-8
Total farm production expenses	108,411,000	-5
Net cash farm income	26,449,000	-25
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	122,129	-12
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	9,181	+16
Farm-related income	23,028	-2
Total farm production expenses	110,963	-6
Net cash farm income	27,072	-26

Farms by Value of Sales

Number	Percent of Total ^a
393	40
67	7
78	8
116	12
70	7
82	8
171	18
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Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	113	12
10 to 49 acres	282	29
50 to 179 acres	255	26
180 to 499 acres	183	19
500 to 999 acres	70	7
1,000 + acres	74	8



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(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	60
Livestock, poultry, and products	40

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	66
Pastureland	19
Woodland	9
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 512

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

28
17
7
9

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	119,320	84	99	980	3,077
Crops	71,608	84	99	820	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	65,213	85	99	610	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	327	20	94	1,099	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	71	44	95	1,417	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,625	13	89	449	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	82	3	53	301	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,289	10	99	1,091	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	47,712	79	99	986	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	21	99	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	18,103	67	99	852	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	77	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	90	99	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	139	66	99	1,039	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	276	14	99	773	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	50	29	96	989	2,878

Total Producers °	1,650	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex Male Female	1,037 613	Have internet access	76	Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all Field/grass seed crops, all	67,071 62,854 20,193 (D)
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	131 1,004 515	Farm organically	(Z)	Corn for silage or greenchop	1,369
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	3 8 1 1,630 7	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	7 20	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2 Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats	37 28,583 951
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	5 154 485	Are family farms	98	Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	29,409 947 (D) (D) 810

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.