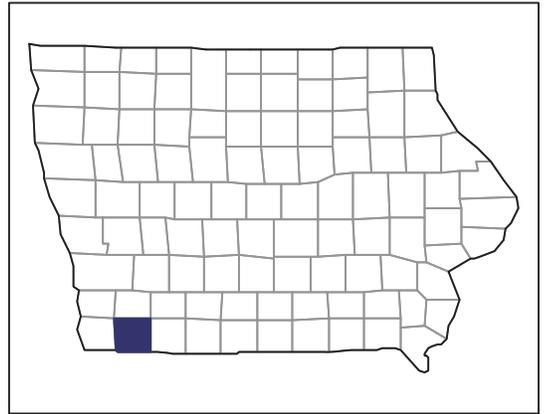


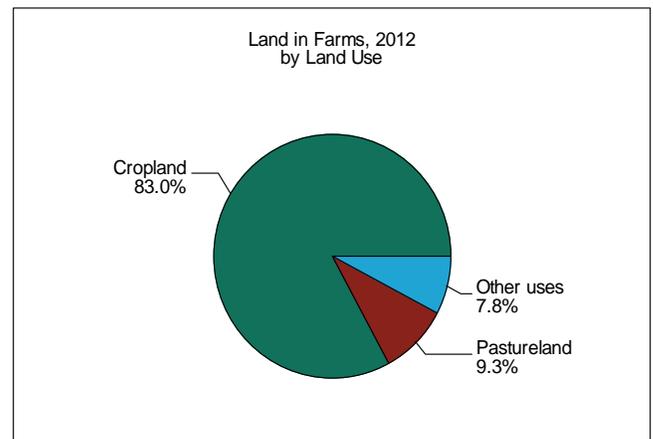
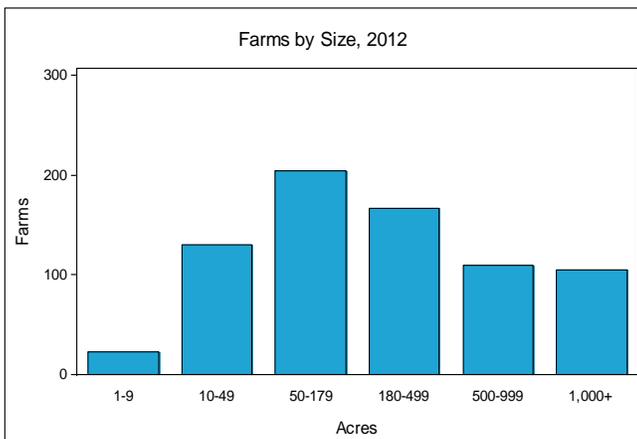
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Page County Iowa

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	739	788	- 6
Land in Farms	317,063 acres	271,128 acres	+ 17
Average Size of Farm	429 acres	344 acres	+ 25
Market Value of Products Sold	\$198,325,000	\$92,775,000	+ 114
Crop Sales \$161,898,000 (82 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$36,427,000 (18 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$268,370	\$117,734	+ 128
Government Payments	\$6,816,000	\$5,204,000	+ 31
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,012	\$8,247	+ 34





Page County – Iowa

Ranked items among the 99 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	198,325	70	99	542	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	161,898	63	99	344	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	36,427	84	99	1,133	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	160,774	63	99	233	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	79	89	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	62	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	41	99	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	5	97	99	2,638	3,013
Cattle and calves	31,151	42	99	506	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	80	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	92	99	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	160	65	99	969	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	45	84	99	2,327	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	3	29	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	116,771	66	99	223	2,638
Soybeans for beans	115,917	26	99	150	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,920	33	99	1,543	3,057
Corn for silage	715	88	99	1,265	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	288	15	65	2,014	2,537
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	31,153	42	99	925	3,063
Hogs and pigs	18,802	90	99	504	2,889
Layers	854	70	99	1,992	3,040
Sheep and lambs	839	68	99	1,036	2,897
Horses and ponies	371	75	99	2,345	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	151	Farming	435
\$1,000 to \$2,499	13	Other	304
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	Male	686
\$10,000 to \$19,999	42	Female	53
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	30	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	25	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	77	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	93	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	105	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	133	White	1,081
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	142,367	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	192,648	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	79,734		
Average per farm (\$)	107,895		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.