



Chickasaw County Iowa

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	973	-6
Land in farms (acres)	293,096	-2
Average size of farm (acres)	301	+4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	302,967,000	-10
Government payments	6,716,000	-42
Farm-related income	18,564,000	-30
Total farm production expenses	252,058,000	-11
Net cash farm income	76,189,000	-16
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	311,375	-4
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	10,832	-20
Farm-related income	27,874	-26
Total farm production expenses	259,053	-5
Net cash farm income	78,303	-11

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	49
Livestock, poultry, and products	51

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	92
Pastureland	2
Woodland	3
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 349

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	22
Reduced till	38
Intensive till	24
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	260	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	46	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	58	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	73	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	90	9
\$100,000 or more	394	40

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	106	11
10 to 49 acres	219	23
50 to 179 acres	262	27
180 to 499 acres	216	22
500 to 999 acres	97	10
1,000 + acres	73	8

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	302,967	37	99	248	3,077
Crops	148,092	48	99	306	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	144,180	47	99	194	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,090	4	94	738	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	39	95	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,653	20	89	701	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	16	53	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,060	37	99	1,825	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	154,876	32	99	285	3,073
Poultry and eggs	11	85	99	1,764	3,007
Cattle and calves	57,754	19	99	239	3,055
Milk from cows	8,587	22	77	482	1,892
Hogs and pigs	86,403	31	99	72	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	9	99	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	18	99	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	475	8	96	303	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,539	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Corn for grain 150,995
Male	1,012	71	Soybeans for beans 91,635
Female	527		Forage (hay/haylage), all 7,473
Age		Farm organically	Corn for silage or greenchop 3,435
<35	197	(Z)	Vegetables harvested, all 258
35 – 64	928		
65 and older	414		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	2	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 877
Asian	1		Cattle and calves 34,573
Black or African American	1		Goats 452
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	Hogs and pigs 243,825
White	1,536	27	Horses and ponies 578
More than one race	1		Layers 625
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9	96	Sheep and lambs (D)
With military service	129		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	317		

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.