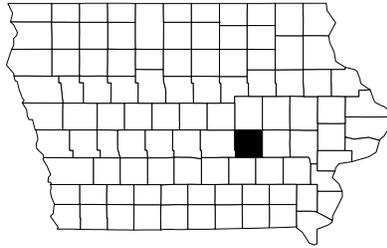


POWESHIEK COUNTY



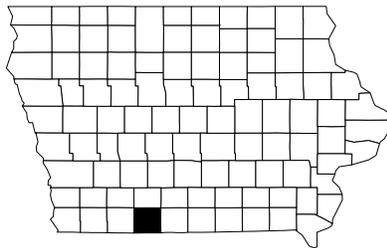
<u>2007 Crops</u>	<u>Acres</u>		<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>
	<u>Harv.</u>				
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	138,700	181.4	25,162	48	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	100,800	58.0	5,848	26	
Oats, 000 bu.	1,500	72.3	109	11	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	22,400	4.29	96,100	17	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	19,500	4.72	92,000	12	

Total Land in Farms, acres	342,000
Number of Farms	900
Average Farm Size, acres	380

2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers	55.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$633,723
Market Value of: (\$1,000)	
All Farm Products	\$111,061
All Crops	\$66,793
All Livestock	\$44,268
Nursery and Greenhouse	*
Livestock, Number of head	
All Cattle and Calves	40,015
Beef Cows	16,298
Milk Cows	683
All Hogs and Pigs	47,529

RINGGOLD COUNTY



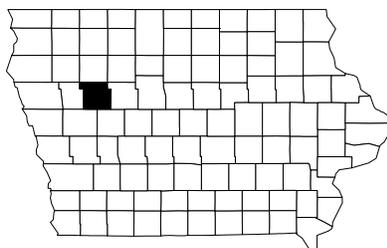
<u>2007 Crops</u>	<u>Acres</u>		<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>
	<u>Harv.</u>				
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	48,200	145.3	7,004	93	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	45,900	45.8	2,102	87	
Oats, 000 bu.	660	43.9	29	56	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	34,000	3.05	103,600	14	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	22,000	3.64	80,000	15	

Total Land in Farms, acres	297,500
Number of Farms	730
Average Farm Size, acres	408

2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers	56.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$458,545
Market Value of: (\$1,000)	
All Farm Products	\$51,519
All Crops	\$18,120
All Livestock	\$33,399
Nursery and Greenhouse	*
Livestock, Number of head	
All Cattle and Calves	51,608
Beef Cows	25,745
Milk Cows	180
All Hogs and Pigs	101,710

SAC COUNTY



<u>2007 Crops</u>	<u>Acres</u>		<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>
	<u>Harv.</u>				
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	175,000	173.2	30,307	28	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	119,600	53.6	6,405	17	
Oats, 000 bu.	740	50.7	38	46	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	8,000	3.09	24,700	72	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	6,000	3.50	21,000	72	

Total Land in Farms, acres	337,000
Number of Farms	770
Average Farm Size, acres	438

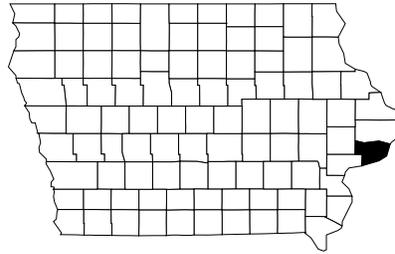
2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers	52.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,180,995
Market Value of: (\$1,000)	
All Farm Products	\$183,349
All Crops	\$81,291
All Livestock	\$102,058
Nursery and Greenhouse	*
Livestock, Number of head	
All Cattle and Calves	30,368
Beef Cows	4,421
Milk Cows	355
All Hogs and Pigs	423,912

*Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations

SCOTT COUNTY

Total Land in Farms, acres 225,500
 Number of Farms 730
 Average Farm Size, acres 309



2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers 53.8
 Average Value of Farm & Buildings \$942,443
 Market Value of: (\$1,000)

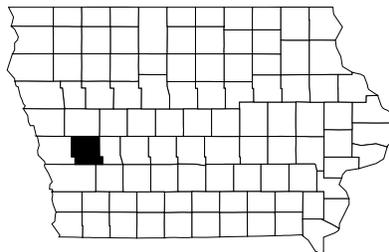
All Farm Products \$95,715
 All Crops \$63,660
 All Livestock \$32,056
 Nursery and Greenhouse \$2,855
 Livestock, Number of head
 All Cattle and Calves 20,682
 Beef Cows 4,827
 Milk Cows 630
 All Hogs and Pigs 104,986

2007 Crops

	<u>Acres</u>				
	<u>Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	123,000	179.0	22,011	60	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	57,400	52.0	2,982	73	
Oats, 000 bu.	350	78.6	28	59	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	6,800	5.10	34,700	60	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	5,500	6.00	33,000	56	

SHELBY COUNTY

Total Land in Farms, acres 346,000
 Number of Farms 850
 Average Farm Size, acres 407



2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers 52.6
 Average Value of Farm & Buildings \$761,140
 Market Value of: (\$1,000)

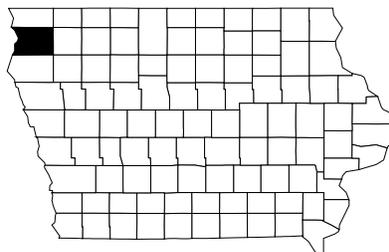
All Farm Products \$123,917
 All Crops \$74,251
 All Livestock \$49,666
 Nursery and Greenhouse *
 Livestock, Number of head
 All Cattle and Calves 33,647
 Beef Cows 10,052
 Milk Cows 104
 All Hogs and Pigs 136,368

2007 Crops

	<u>Acres</u>				
	<u>Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	170,000	170.2	28,939	33	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	127,200	52.6	6,695	10	
Oats, 000 bu.	550	69.6	38	45	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	8,900	4.20	37,400	56	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	7,900	4.43	35,000	52	

SIOUX COUNTY

Total Land in Farms, acres 502,500
 Number of Farms 1,640
 Average Farm Size, acres 306



2002 Census Data

Average Age of Farmers 50.3
 Average Value of Farm & Buildings \$776,515
 Market Value of: (\$1,000)

All Farm Products \$616,854
 All Crops \$108,582
 All Livestock \$508,272
 Nursery and Greenhouse *
 Livestock, Number of head
 All Cattle and Calves 221,653
 Beef Cows 9,872
 Milk Cows 20,152
 All Hogs and Pigs 869,086

2007 Crops

	<u>Acres</u>				
	<u>Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	
Corn/Grain, 000 bu.	231,300	159.3	36,841	7	
Soybeans, 000 bu.	148,100	53.7	7,957	4	
Oats, 000 bu.	1,260	91.3	115	8	
Wheat, bu.	*				
All hay, tons	12,500	4.29	53,600	39	
Alfalfa Hay, tons	10,100	4.90	49,500	35	

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