

Farm Production Expenditures – Iowa: 2013-2014

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms Reporting ¹		Average per Farm ²		Total Expenditures	
	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
	(percent)		(dollars)		(million dollars)	
Total Farm Production Expenditures ³	100.0	100.0	335,876	362,727	29,725	31,920
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses ⁴	25.0	25.6	50,734	62,500	4,490	5,500
Feed	39.0	41.5	57,062	70,568	5,050	6,210
Farm Services ⁵	93.1	97.0	26,102	30,568	2,310	2,690
Rent ⁶	42.6	45.6	46,328	47,500	4,100	4,180
Agricultural Chemicals ⁷	61.0	60.7	12,542	12,273	1,110	1,080
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners ⁷	63.7	64.3	28,701	26,136	2,540	2,300
Interest	42.9	48.9	7,684	8,636	680	760
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	100.0	100.0	8,136	10,909	720	960
Labor	28.0	26.1	8,136	10,341	720	910
Fuels	79.6	81.8	10,395	11,023	920	970
Farm Supplies & Repairs ⁸	76.6	77.7	11,638	11,818	1,030	1,040
Farm Improvements & Construction ⁹	51.1	57.5	14,689	14,432	1,300	1,270
Tractors & Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	21.8	16.6	15,480	10,455	1,370	920
Other Farm Machinery	24.1	24.2	9,153	6,818	810	600
Seeds & Plants ¹⁰	64.7	65.5	25,085	24,886	2,220	2,190
Trucks & Autos	18.8	17.9	3,729	3,409	330	300
Miscellaneous Capital Expenses	2.3	2.5	282	455	25	40

¹ Number of farms reporting item divided by total number of farms. ² The average per farm is computed by dividing the line-item total expense by the total number of farms. Totals may not add due to rounding. ³ Includes landlord and contractor share of farm production expenses. Totals may not add due to rounding. ⁴ Includes purchases and leasing of livestock and poultry. Intra-state and inter-state transfers of livestock are captured. ⁵ Includes all crop custom work, veterinary custom services, transportation costs, marketing charges, insurance, leasing of machinery and equipment, utilities, general and miscellaneous business expenses. ⁶ Includes cash rent paid, share rent, plus public and private grazing fees. ⁷ Includes material and application costs. ⁸ Includes bedding and litter, marketing containers, power farm shop equipment, oils and lubricants, temporary fencing, miscellaneous non-capital equipment and supplies, repairs and maintenance of equipment not depreciated, and other small, non-capital equipment. ⁹ Includes all expenditures related to new construction or repairs of buildings, fences, operator dwelling (if dwelling is owned by operation), and any improvements to physical structures of land. ¹⁰ All purchases of seed, plants, or seed treatments for nursery and farming operation are included. Bedding plants, nursery stock, and seed purchased for resale are excluded.

