



Iowa's Rank in United States Agriculture

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First

- Animal Products Export Value (2022)
- Commercial Hog Slaughter
- Commercial Red Meat Production
- Corn Export Value (2022)
- Corn for Grain Production
- Egg Production
- Hogs and Pigs Inventory
- Hogs and Pigs Value
- Feeds and Other Grains Export Value (2022)
- Field and Miscellaneous Crops Value
- Total Layer Inventory
- Capacity of On-Farm Storage Facilities
- Pig Crop
- Pork Export Value (2022)
- Principal Crops Harvested Acreage
- Sows Farrowed
- Total Capacity of Storage Facilities

Second

- Capacity of Off-Farm Storage Facilities
- Cash Receipts (2022)
- Farm Production Expenditures (2022)
- Net Farm Income (2022)
- Oat Production
- Poultry Exports (other than Broilers) (2022)
- Principal Crops Total Value (2022)
- Soybean Export Value (2022)
- Soybean Production
- Total Value of Agricultural Exports (2022)

Fifth

- Corn for Silage Production

Seventh

- Alfalfa Hay Production
- All Cattle and Calves Inventory
- All Cattle and Calves Value
- Total Market Sheep & Lambs Inventory
- Number of USDA Certified Organic Farms (2022)
- Turkeys Raised

Third

- Average Value of Cropland
- Number of Farms

Ninth

- Cheese Production
- Land in Farms
- All Sheep and Lambs Inventory
- Sheep Shorn
- Total Lamb Crop

Fourth

- Beef Export Value (2022)
- Cash Rent per Acre for Cropland
- Cattle on Feed Inventory, January 1
- Milk Goat Inventory
- Steers 500 Lbs and over Inventory

Tenth

- Calf Crop
- Wool Production



TOP TEN STATES BY CATEGORY



Category	Unit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Iowa Rank	U.S. Total
GENERAL FARM CHARACTERISTICS													
Number of farms, 2023	Farms	TX 231,000	MO 87,600	IA 86,800	OH 75,800	IL 70,700	OK 70,300	KY 69,100	MN 65,300	TN 63,100	CA 62,900	3	1,894,950
Land in farms, 2023	(000) acres	TX 125,000	MT 57,600	KS 44,800	NE 44,000	SD 42,300	NM 39,100	ND 38,500	OK 32,900	CO and IA 30,000		9	878,560
Average value of cropland, 2023	Dollars per acre	CA 16,820	NJ 16,400	IA 9,410	FL 9,290	IL 9,250	DE 9,230	PA 9,080	MD 8,540	OH 8,450	AZ 8,000	3	5,320
Cash receipts, total, 2022	Million dollars	CA 58,410	IA 44,782	NE 31,616	TX 29,788	IL 27,957	MN 26,019	KS 23,524	IN 18,342	NC 16,867	WI 16,611	2	536,645
Cash rent for cropland, 2023	Dollars per acre	AZ 347	CA 344	HI 295	IA 269	IL 259	WA 238	IN 226	NE 220	MN 198	ID 197	4	155
Net farm income, 2022	Million dollars	CA 20,601	IA 15,356	TX 12,753	IL 11,303	MN 9,710	ND 6,818	IN 6,749	NE 6,566	SD 6,405	OH 5,784	2	185,544
Farm production expenditures, 2022	Million dollars	CA 46,045	IA 35,685	TX 29,030	NE 28,530	KS 24,690	IL 21,775	MN 21,420	WI 14,700	NC 14,145	MO 13,150	2	452,700
CROPS													
Total capacity of storage facilities, December 1, 2023	Million bushels	IA 3,580	IL 3,180	MN 2,370	NE 2,190	KS 1,605	IN 1,410	ND 1,390	SD 1,185	OH 1,025	MO 850	1	25,468
Capacity of on-farm storage facilities, December 1, 2023	Million bushels	IA 2,050	MN 1,550	IL 1,500	NE 1,200	ND 930	IN 860	SD 740	MO 560	OH 550	KS 385	1	13,592
Capacity of off-farm storage facilities, December 1, 2023	Million bushels	IL 1,680	IA 1,530	KS 1,220	NE 990	MN 820	TX 610	IN 550	OH 475	ND 460	SD 445	2	11,876
Total value, principal crops, 2022	Million dollars	CA 34,142	IA 25,308	IL 24,859	MN 17,076	NE 15,094	IN 11,691	ND 11,064	KS 9,362	MO 8,915	SD 8,783	2	263,015
Field and miscellaneous crops value, 2023	Million dollars	IA 19,998	IL 19,676	MN 13,982	NE 13,470	ND 10,605	IN 9,790	SD 8,285	KS 7,757	MO 7,667	OH 7,320	1	191,199
Harvested acreage, principal crops, 2023 ¹	(000) acres	IA 23,915	ND 23,545	IL 22,647	KS 21,561	MN 19,130	NE 18,750	SD 16,445	MO 14,294	TX 14,181	IN 11,775	1	296,014
Corn for grain production, 2023	(000) bushels	IA 2,522,550	IL 2,276,300	NE 1,729,000	MN 1,513,300	IN 1,077,930	SD 854,240	OH 673,200	KS 612,850	MO 561,510	WI 552,640	1	15,341,595
Oat production, 2023	(000) bushels	ND 7,980	IA 7,600	MN 6,699	SD 5,106	WI 4,575	TX 3,780	PA 2,867	NY 2,640	KS 1,980	MI 1,650	2	57,045
Soybean production, 2023	(000) bushels	IL 648,900	IA 573,040	MN 349,440	IN 334,280	OH 274,340	NE 266,770	MO 264,960	SD 223,080	ND 218,680	AR 159,300	2	4,164,677
Alfalfa hay production, 2023	(000) tons	ID 4,500	SD 3,972	MT 3,465	CA 3,120	NE 2,890	ND 2,601	IA 2,400	AZ 2,324	KS 2,242	CO 2,210	7	49,916

¹ Crops included are corn, sorghum, oats, barley, rye, winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, rice, soybeans, peanuts, sunflower, cotton, dry edible beans, potatoes, canola, proso millet, and sugarbeets.



TOP TEN STATES BY CATEGORY

Category	Unit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Iowa Rank	U.S. Total
LIVESTOCK													
All hogs and pigs inventory, December 1, 2023	(000) head	IA 25,200	MN 9,300	NC 7,900	IL 5,500	IN 4,500	NE 3,800	MO 3,150	OH 2,650	SD 2,310	OK 2,090	1	75,816
Pig crop, 2023	(000) head	IA 22,111	NC 18,324	MN 13,076	IL 12,874	MO 10,138	OK 8,770	NE 8,452	SD 7,496	IN 5,810	OH 4,262	1	136,038
Commercial hog slaughter, 2023	(000) head	IA 40,235	MN 12,230	IL 11,662	IN 8,911	MO 8,629	NE 7,544	OK 5,471	MI 3,939	PA 3,357	CA 1,049	1	127,971
Value of hogs on farms, ending inventory, December 1, 2023	Million dollars	IA 2,988	MN 1,092	NC 936	IL 605	IN 563	NE 437	OH 325	MO 315	OK 271	SD 266	1	8,882
Commercial red meat production, dressed weight, 2023	Million pounds	IA 8,955	NE 7,637	KS 5,806	TX 4,526	IL 3,237	NC 2,924	MN 2,882	MO 2,084	CO 1,994	IN 1,891	1	54,447
All cattle and calves inventory, January 1, 2024	(000) head	TX 12,000	NE 6,250	KS 6,150	CA 5,100	OK 4,700	MO 3,950	IA and SD 3,450		WI 3,200	CO 2,610	7	87,157
Beef cows that have calved inventory, January 1, 2024	(000) head	TX 4,115	OK 1,922	MO 1,840	NE 1,637	SD 1,502	KS 1,264	MT 1,251	KY 907	FL 862	ND 860	13	28,223
Steers 500 lbs and over inventory, January 1, 2024	(000) head	TX 2,480	NE 2,330	KS 2,040	IA 1,180	OK 920	CO 760	SD 690	CA 610	MN 480	MO 395	4	15,789
Calf crop, 2023	(000) head	TX 4,250	CA 1,930	MO 1,820	OK 1,800	SD 1,650	NE 1,590	WI 1,370	KS 1,290	MT 1,250	IA 1,000	10	33,593
Cattle and calves on feed inventory, January 1, 2024	(000) head	TX 2,870	NE 2,750	KS 2,600	IA 1,180	CO 1,050	CA 520	SD 420	MN 390	ID 345	OK 330	4	14,423
Value of all cattle and calves on farms, January 1, 2024	Million dollars	TX 15,960	NE 11,438	KS 9,410	CA 7,344	OK 7,003	SD 6,417	IA 5,693	MO 5,649	WI 4,608	CO 4,359	7	130,916
Cheese production, 2023	Million pounds	WI 3,515	CA 2,494	ID 1,012	NM 993	NY 832	MN 817	SD 516	PA 467	IA 397	OH 255	9	14,211
All sheep and lambs inventory, January 1, 2024	(000) head	TX 655	CA 500	CO 400	WY 320	UT 270	ID 235	SD 210	MT 180	IA and OR 155		9	5,030
Lamb crop, 2023	(000) head	TX 335	WY 220	UT 215	CA, CO, and SD 175			MT 144	ID 138	IA 115	OR 110	9	3,030
Milk goat inventory, January 1, 2024	head	WI 74,000	CA 37,000	TX 26,000	IA 24,000	OR 14,300	MN and PA 14,000		IN 13,500	FL 12,300	NY 12,200	4	415,000
Turkeys raised, 2023	(000) head	MN 38,500	NC 29,000	AR 27,000	IN 20,000	MO 17,000	VA 15,500	IA 11,500	PA 8,000	CA 6,200	OH 6,500	7	218,000
Total layer inventory, December 1, 2023	(000) head	IA 43,443	OH 40,977	IN 35,779	PA 27,998	TX 22,630	GA 19,892	MI 16,632	NC 16,296	AR 14,962	MO 13,856	1	386,408
Egg production, 2023	Million eggs	IA 13,421	OH 11,779	IN 10,641	PA 7,992	TX 6,446	GA 5,190	MI 4,965	NC 4,167	MO 4,144	AR 3,865	1	109,526



IOWA: CROP & LIVESTOCK RECORD HIGHS AND LOWS

Item	Unit	Record High		Record Low		Year Estimates Started
		Quantity	Year ¹	Quantity	Year ¹	
ALL CORN						
Planted	Acres	14,400,000	1981	9,051,000	1940	1926
Harvested	Acres	14,330,000	1981	1,810,000	1867	1866
CORN FOR GRAIN ²						
Harvested	Acres	13,900,000	2007	5,701,000	1934	1919
Yield	Bushels	204.0	2021	20.0	1936	1919
Production	Bushels	2,740,500,000	2016	148,900,000	1936	1919
CORN FOR SILAGE						
Harvested	Acres	970,000	1976	134,000	1942	1919
Yield	Tons	24.0	2016	3.5	1936	1919
Production	Tons	12,125,000	1976	1,407,000	1942	1919
HAY						
Acres Harvested	Acres	4,869,000	1909	910,000	2016	1909
Yield	Tons	3.90	2004	0.79	1911	1909
Production	Tons	8,747,000	1979	2,780,000	2012	1909
OATS						
Planted	Acres	6,619,000	1950	115,000	2017	1929
Harvested	Acres	6,520,000	1950	33,000	2018	1866
Yield	Bushels	83.0	2003	13.0	1934	1866
Production	Bushels	273,870,000	1948	2,079,000	2018	1866
SOYBEANS						
Planted	Acres	11,000,000	2001	18,000	1925	1924
Harvested	Acres	10,920,000	2001	7,000	1925	1924
Yield	Bushels	63.0	2021	11.5	1934	1924
Production	Bushels	631,890,000	2021	98,000	1925	1924
CATTLE						
All cattle and calves	Head	7,800,000	1978	969,000	1867	1867
Beef cows	Head	1,928,000	1976	321,000	1929	1920
Milk cows	Head	1,610,000	1934	187,000	2005	1867
Calf crop	Head	2,230,000	1972	1,000,000	2023	1924
CHICKENS						
Layers, average inventory ³	Head	59,381,000	2014	5,846,000	1986	1964
Egg production total for year ⁴	Eggs	17,083,800,000	2019	1,600,000,000	1985	1924
HOGS						
All hogs	Head	25,200,000	2023	2,500,000	1867	1866
All sows farrowed	Head	3,290,000	1979	1,639,000	1935	1924
December-May farrowed	Head	2,454,000	1943	840,000	2004	1924
June-November farrowed	Head	1,620,000	1981	312,000	1934	1924
Pig crop	Head	24,759,000	2018	9,638,000	1934	1924
SHEEP						
All sheep and lambs	Head	1,975,000	1942	151,000	2020	1920
Breeding sheep	Head	1,395,000	1942	103,000	2019	1920
Ewes - 1 year plus	Head	1,101,000	1942	80,000	2019	1920
Lambs born	Head	1,127,000	1942	110,000	2018	1924

¹ In case of a tie, the most recent year was used.

² Corn for grain estimates are available for years prior to 1919, however, the production for silage and other uses were converted to grain weight equivalent and included in the corn for grain estimates.

³ Includes both table egg and hatching egg flocks regardless of size.

⁴ Includes both hatching and table egg production.

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