

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Crawford, Iowa

Number of farms

927 farms in 2002, 1,169 farms in 1997, down 21 percent.

Land in farms

445,913 acres in 2002, 443,675 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

Average size of farm

481 acres in 2002, 380 acres in 1997, up 27 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$157,164,000 in 2002, \$145,406,000 in 1997, up 8 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$89,918,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$67,246,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

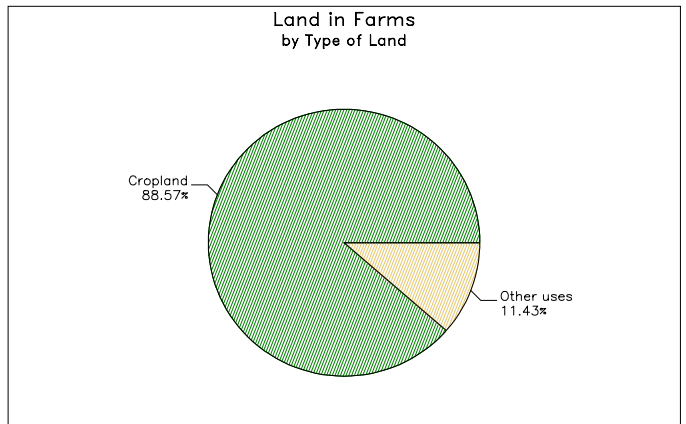
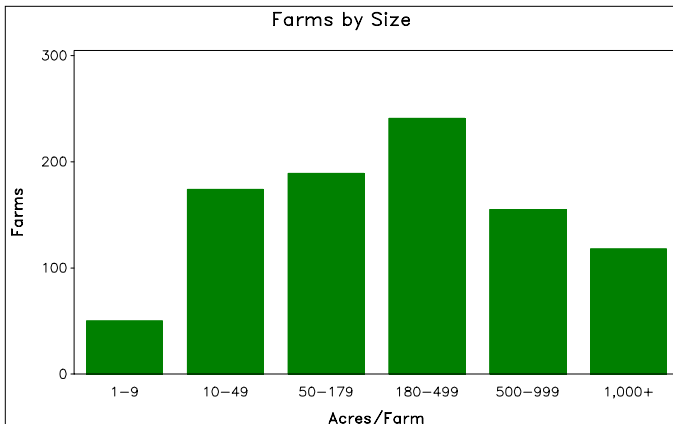
\$169,540 in 2002, \$124,385 in 1997, up 36 percent.

Government Payments

\$5,943,000 in 2002, \$6,086,000 in 1997, down 2 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$9,695 in 2002, \$7,168 in 1997, up 35 percent.



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Ranked items among the 99 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	157,164	20	99	227	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	89,918	10	99	154	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	67,246	26	99	377	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	88,267	10	99	39	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	95	-	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,546	20	99	844	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	32,687	16	99	271	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	404	72	96	1,747	2,493
Hogs and pigs	33,609	31	99	80	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	108	62	99	760	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	129	44	99	1,532	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	165,304	30	99	81	2,926
Cattle and calves	52,627	17	99	525	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	38	99	(D)	2,983
Quail	(D)	2	55	(D)	1,412
Sheep and lambs	1,678	57	99	652	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	177,115	6	99	32	2,592
Soybeans	163,877	6	99	42	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,036	33	99	1,245	3,059
Corn for silage	2,677	26	99	622	2,307
Popcorn	1,150	5	53	63	412

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	152
\$1,000 to \$2,499	29
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46
\$10,000 to \$19,999	71
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33
\$25,000 to \$39,999	51
\$40,000 to \$49,999	37
\$50,000 to \$99,999	131
\$100,000 to \$249,999	171
\$250,000 to \$499,999	100
\$500,000 or more	74
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	129,361
Average per farm (\$)	140,001
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	36,606
Average per farm (\$)	39,617

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	684
Other	243
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	886
Female	41
Average age of principal operator (years)	52.8
All operators ² by race:	
White	1,256
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	9

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.