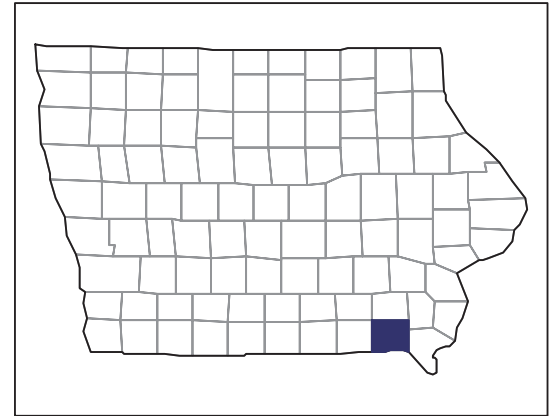


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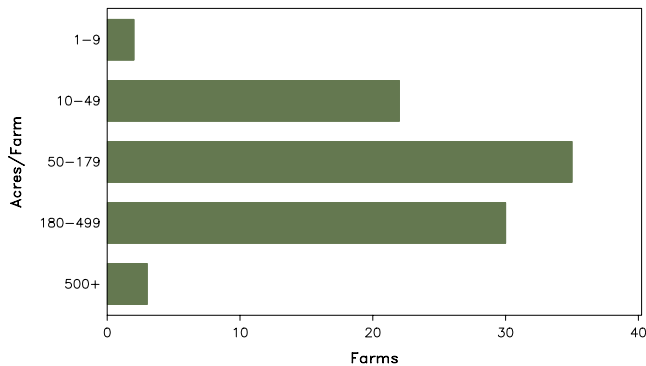
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	92	808
Land in Farms	14,385 acres	221,529 acres
Average Size of Farm	156 acres	274 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$612,000	\$89,715,000
Crop Sales	\$268,000	\$39,842,000
Livestock Sales	\$345,000	\$49,873,000
Average Per Farm	\$6,654	\$111,034
Government Payments	\$556,000	\$4,113,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,184	\$6,994

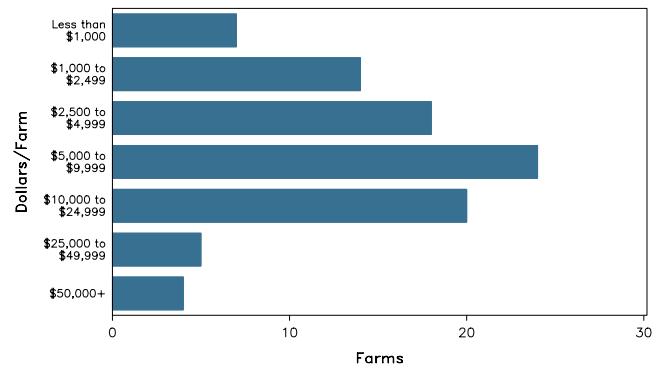
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	92	612
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	19	268
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	22	345
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	8	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	12	(D)
Poultry and eggs	3	(D)
Cattle and calves	16	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	3	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3	5
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	1	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	21	823
Corn for grain	5	323
Soybeans for beans	6	182
Grapes	1	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	20	724
Sheep and lambs	3	109
Ducks	1	(D)
Layers	2	(D)
Horses and ponies	7	42

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	17
Other	75
Days worked off farm:	
None	33
Any	59
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	5
3 to 4 years	8
5 to 9 years	11
10 years or more	68
Age group:	
Under 45 years	12
45 to 64 years	45
65 years and over	35
Average age of principal operator (years)	61.2

Economic Characteristics

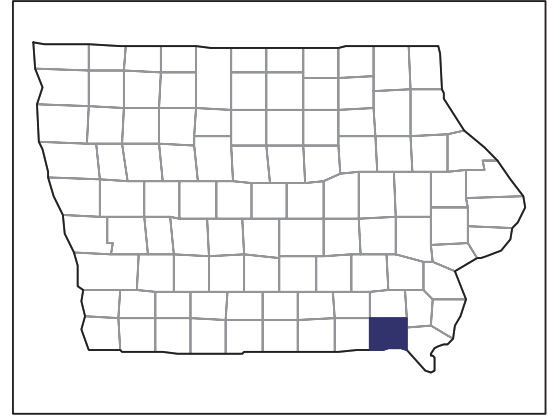
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	60
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4
\$10,000 to \$49,999	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	768
Average per farm (\$)	8,353
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,102
Average per farm (\$)	11,974
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	-
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	701

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(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms



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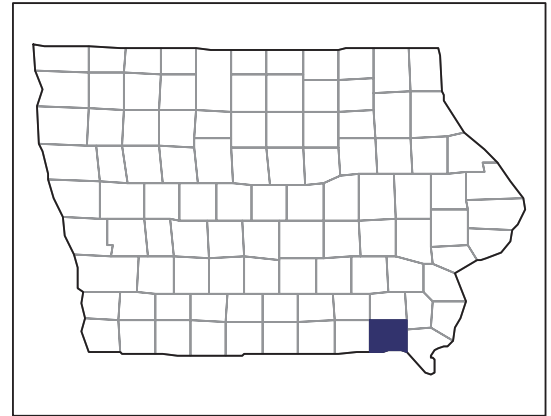
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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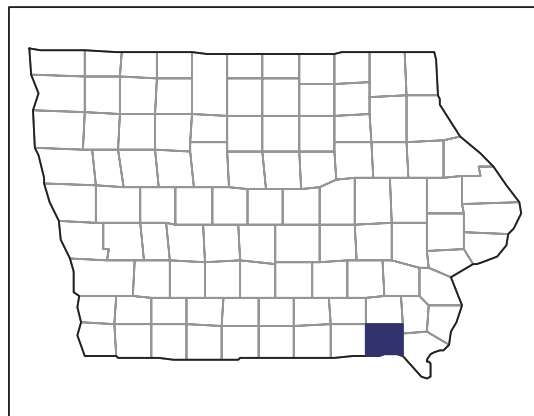
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Farms with Asian Operators
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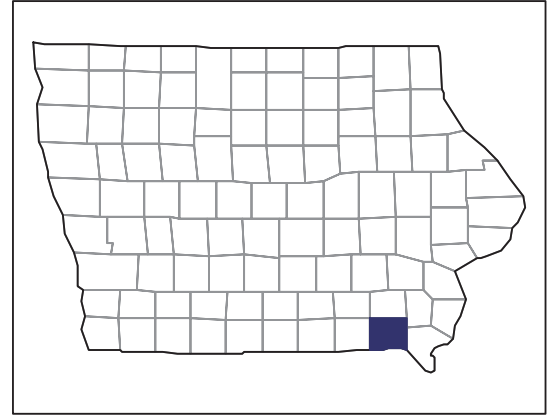
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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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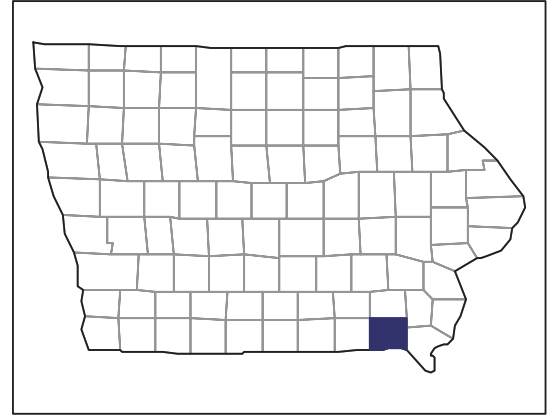
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



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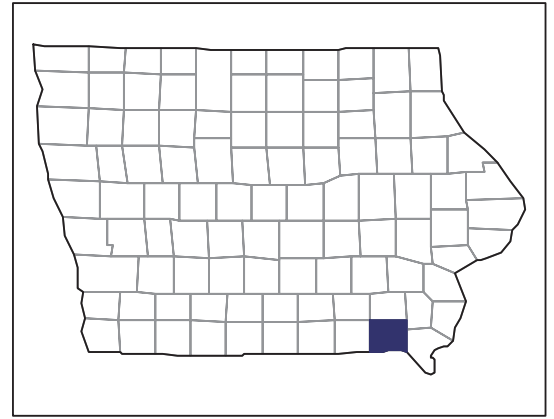
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Farms with White Operators
Compared with All Farms



Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with White operators.



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