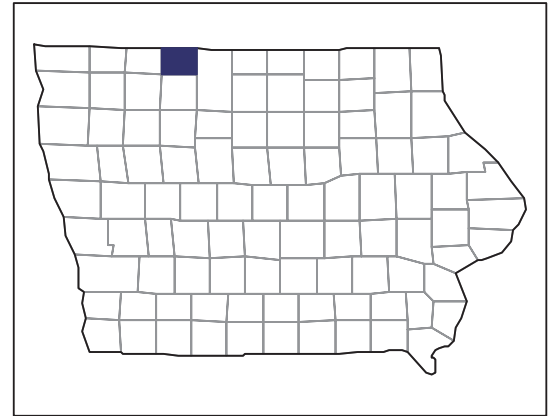


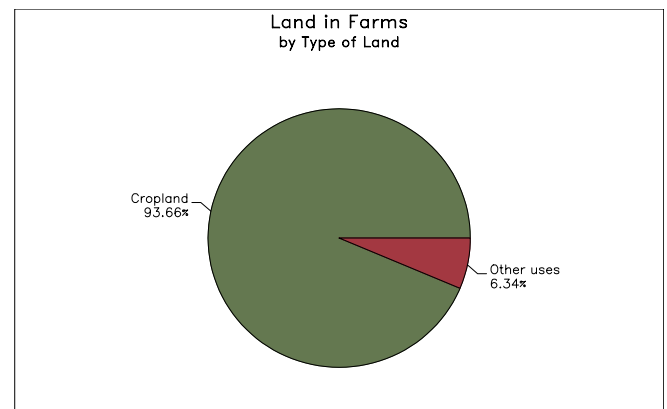
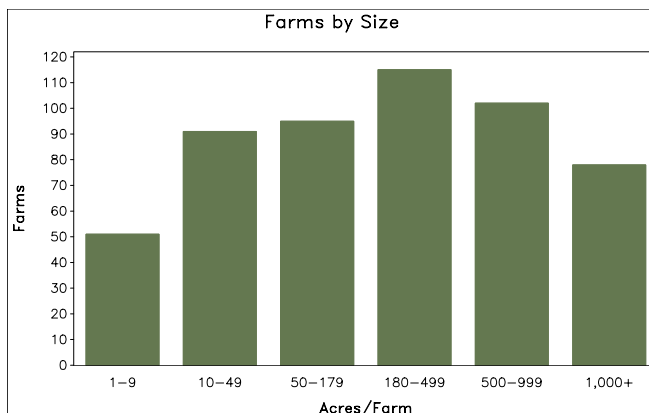
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Emmet County Iowa



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	532	510	+ 4
Land in Farms	249,779 acres	235,407 acres	+ 6
Average Size of Farm	470 acres	462 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$208,663,000	\$106,817,000	+ 95
Crop Sales \$102,455,000 (49 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$106,208,000 (51 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$392,224	\$209,445	+ 87
Government Payments	\$5,549,000	\$3,671,000	+ 51
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,641	\$10,059	+ 26



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Emmet County – Iowa

Ranked items among the 99 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	208,663	41	99	300	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	102,455	52	99	355	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	106,208	34	99	358	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	102,252	49	99	198	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	92	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	69	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	100	99	99	2,845	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	11	99	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	44,995	21	99	256	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	91	94	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	44	99	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	115	73	99	997	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	147	29	99	1,387	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	26	61	97	1,669	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	133,207	56	99	175	2,634
Soybeans for beans	86,318	50	99	254	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,552	98	99	2,803	3,060
Corn for silage	1,144	54	99	931	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	438	22	73	1,876	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	7	99	(D)	3,024
Hogs and pigs	163,749	38	99	103	2,958
Cattle and calves	40,781	28	99	762	3,060
Sheep and lambs	1,263	55	99	741	2,891
Horses and ponies	315	87	99	2,654	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	89	Farming	364
\$1,000 to \$2,499	16	Other	168
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Male	493
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Female	39
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	29	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	89	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	72	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	114	White	774
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	155,844	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	292,939	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	63,807		
Average per farm (\$)	119,938		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

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

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.