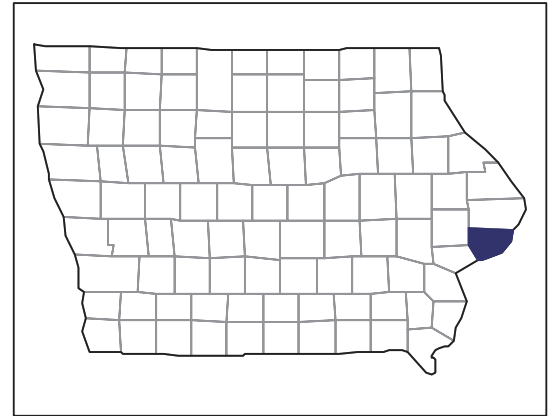


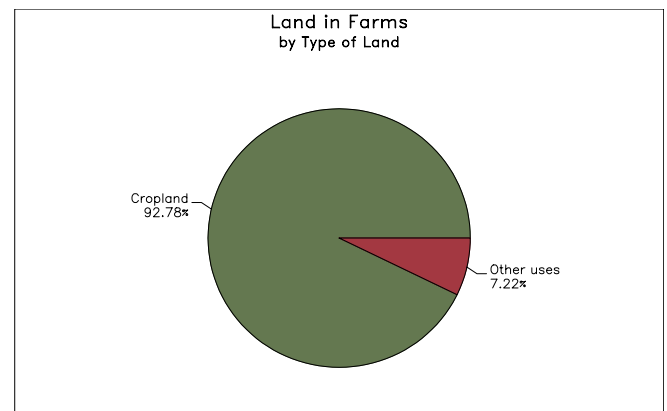
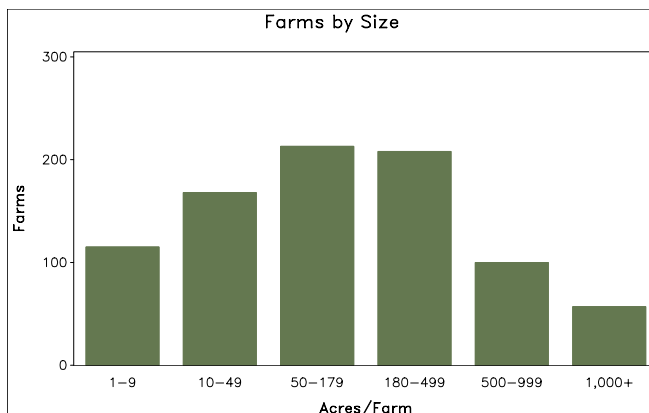
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Scott County Iowa



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	861	750	+ 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	248,646 acres	228,692 acres	+ 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	289 acres	305 acres	- 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$148,326,000	\$95,715,000	+ 55
Crop Sales \$104,498,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$43,827,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$172,271	\$127,620	+ 35
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$6,581,000	\$4,675,000	+ 41
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,016	\$9,990	0



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### Scott County – Iowa

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	148,326	65	99	541	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	104,498	49	99	344	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	43,827	71	99	875	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	100,943	51	99	206	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	200	20	96	1,510	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	155	15	92	1,210	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,813	10	95	684	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	28	14	69	791	1,710
Other crops and hay	359	86	99	2,357	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	44	99	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	14,520	69	99	913	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,630	40	94	972	2,493
Hogs and pigs	24,261	61	99	190	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	84	52	99	1,845	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	24	29	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	11	73	97	2,012	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	149,293	47	99	144	2,634
Soybeans for beans	68,071	70	99	374	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,065	80	99	2,449	3,060
Corn for silage	865	69	99	1,082	2,263
Sod harvested	473	4	17	201	761
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	120,704	49	99	140	2,958
Turkeys	(D)	11	86	(D)	2,371
Cattle and calves	19,183	75	99	1,462	3,060
Quail	(D)	6	34	(D)	1,386
Layers	1,174	58	99	1,483	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	136	Farming	502
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23	Other	359
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	Male	781
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45	Female	80
\$20,000 to \$24,999	29	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	36	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	41	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	102	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	185	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	100	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	58	White	1,276
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	124,249	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	144,308	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	40,563		
Average per farm (\$)	47,112		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.