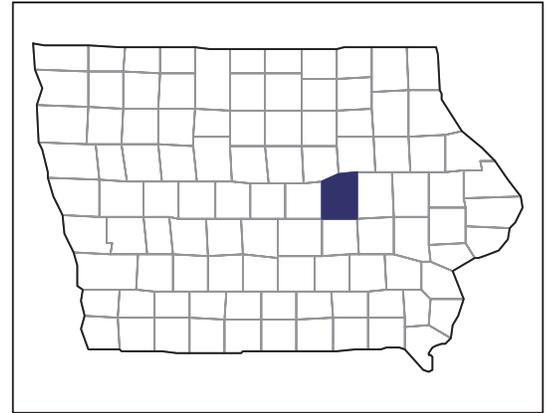


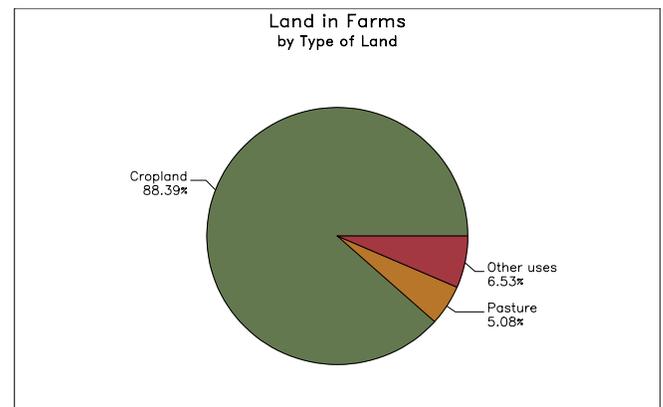
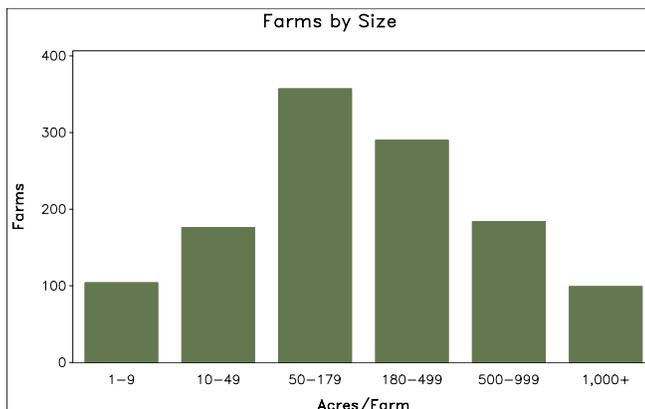
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## County Profile

### Tama County Iowa



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,210	1,159	+ 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	430,855 acres	417,917 acres	+ 3
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	356 acres	361 acres	- 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$235,148,000	\$128,028,000	+ 84
Crop Sales \$164,972,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$70,176,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$194,337	\$110,464	+ 76
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$10,270,000	\$7,708,000	+ 33
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,312	\$9,446	+ 9



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### Tama 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	235,148	33	99	250	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	164,972	6	99	125	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	70,176	54	99	590	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	162,925	6	99	40	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	34	96	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	64	69	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,656	17	99	1,039	3,054
Poultry and eggs	257	59	99	1,215	3,020
Cattle and calves	34,688	31	99	353	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,566	42	94	981	2,493
Hogs and pigs	31,953	49	99	142	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	370	28	99	346	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	25	99	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	19	29	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	165	23	97	778	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	194,190	20	99	61	2,634
Soybeans for beans	136,256	9	99	58	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,084	37	99	1,536	3,060
Oats for grain	1,331	12	99	292	1,957
Corn for silage	899	67	99	1,057	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	118,772	50	99	144	2,958
Cattle and calves	40,773	29	99	763	3,060
Layers	11,745	37	99	697	3,024
Sheep and lambs	2,271	28	99	439	2,891
Goats, all	1,081	11	99	691	3,023

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	317	Farming	663
\$1,000 to \$2,499	29	Other	547
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	74	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	Male	1,114
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	Female	96
\$25,000 to \$39,999	74		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	36	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	143		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	178	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	127	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$500,000 or more	122	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	158,507	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	130,998	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,687
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	95,322	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	78,778	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2

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.