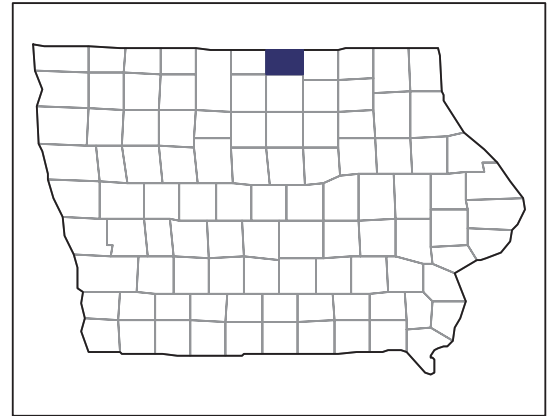


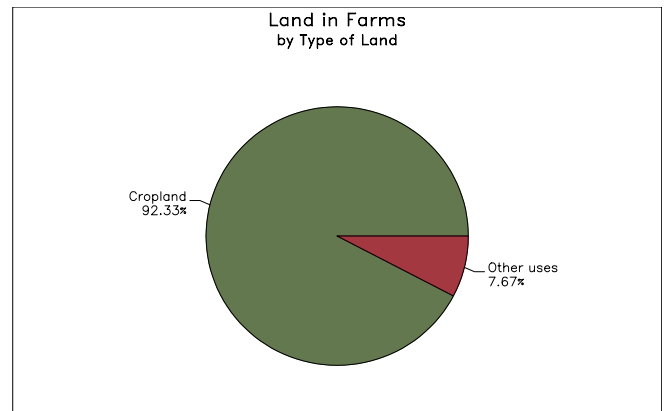
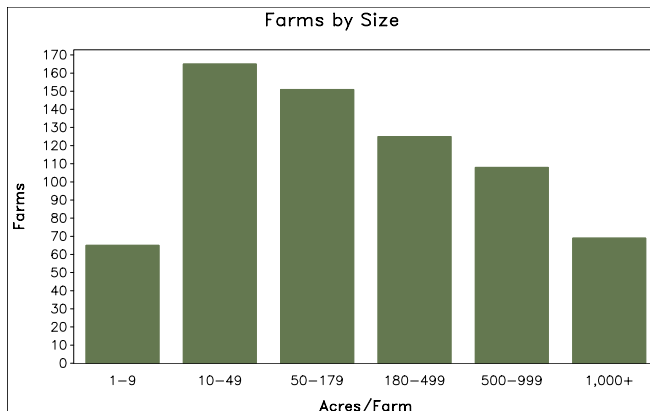
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Worth County Iowa



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	683	588	+ 16
Land in Farms	231,605 acres	224,206 acres	+ 3
Average Size of Farm	339 acres	381 acres	- 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$105,030,000	\$67,838,000	+ 55
Crop Sales \$90,635,000 (86 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$14,395,000 (14 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$153,778	\$115,372	+ 33
Government Payments	\$6,199,000	\$3,723,000	+ 67
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,614	\$8,199	+ 29



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County Profile

Worth 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	105,030	78	99	850	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	90,635	64	99	434	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	14,395	97	99	1,780	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	89,864	63	99	277	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	395	11	96	1,174	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	-	-	69	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	89	99	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	97	99	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	712	64	94	1,472	2,493
Hogs and pigs	7,739	87	99	432	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	191	45	99	652	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	18	96	99	2,710	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	28	29	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	117,537	67	99	225	2,634
Soybeans for beans	75,581	64	99	323	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,662	91	99	2,630	3,060
Corn for silage	404	90	99	1,435	2,263
Oats for grain	382	54	99	772	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	34,291	86	99	394	2,958
Turkeys	(D)	14	86	(D)	2,371
Cattle and calves	6,872	99	99	2,273	3,060
Sheep and lambs	788	85	99	1,092	2,891
Horses and ponies	435	75	99	2,379	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	253	Farming	345
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	338
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26	Male	600
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	Female	83
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	62	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	105	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	87	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	59	White	929
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	75,713	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	110,854	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	42,793		
Average per farm (\$)	62,655		

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.