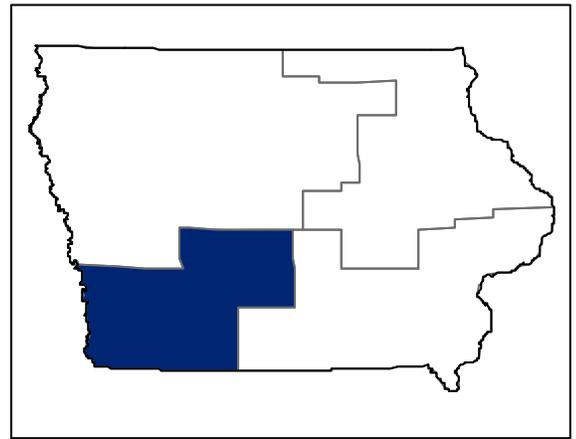


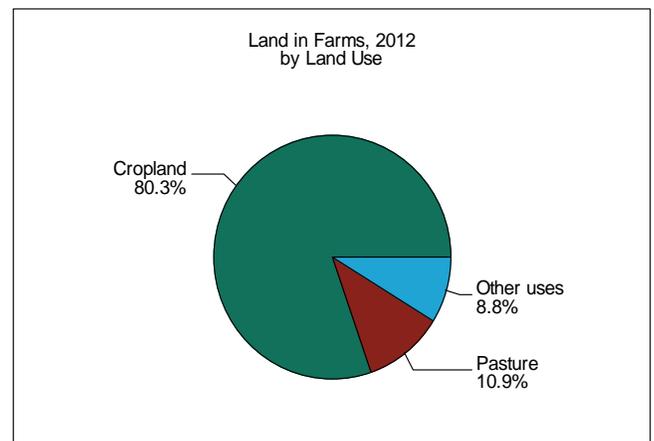
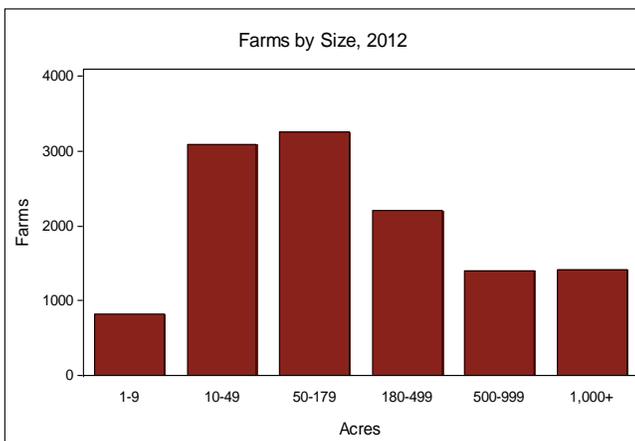
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



Iowa 3rd District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	18,186
Number of Farms	12,191
Land in Farms	4,565,364 acres
Average Size of Farm	374 acres
Irrigated Land	(D)
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$2,960,578,000
Average Per Farm	\$242,849
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$242,274,000
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Government Payments	\$94,951,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,699



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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Iowa 3rd District

Ranked items among the 4 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

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	2,960,578	4	4	26	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,048,513	4	4	25	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	912,065	4	4	49	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,978,667	4	4	16	387
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,383	4	4	253	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	784	3	4	301	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	47,088	1	4	81	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	138	3	4	170	332
Other crops and hay	18,452	4	4	144	398
Poultry and eggs	153,601	2	4	71	405
Cattle and calves	473,203	3	4	27	393
Milk from cows	(D)	4	4	162	310
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	4	21	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	2,036	4	4	82	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	4	4	156	402
Aquaculture	(D)	3	4	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	1,604	3	4	136	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	1,658,789	4	4	15	356
Soybeans for beans	1,436,311	4	4	17	276
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	201,856	3	4	81	401
Corn for silage	22,806	4	4	74	318
Oats for grain	(D)	4	4	38	282
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	3	4	11	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	1,313,107	2	4	22	361
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	808,829	1	4	94	365
Hogs and pigs	775,214	4	4	19	368
Cattle and calves	479,040	4	4	49	397

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,206	Farming	6,213
\$1,000 to \$2,499	539	Other	5,978
\$2,500 to \$4,999	683	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	772	Male	11,041
\$10,000 to \$19,999	812	Female	1,150
\$20,000 to \$24,999	272	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	553	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	350	American Indian or Alaska Native	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,027	Asian	38
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1,209	Black or African American	18
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1,095	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	1,673	White	17,815
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,349,751	More than one race	28
Average per farm (\$)	192,745	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	114
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	948,051		
Average per farm (\$)	77,766		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.