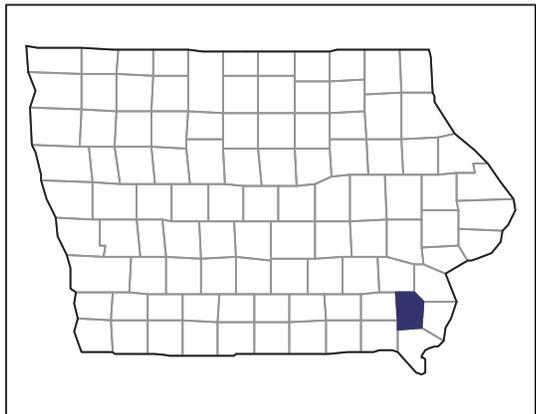


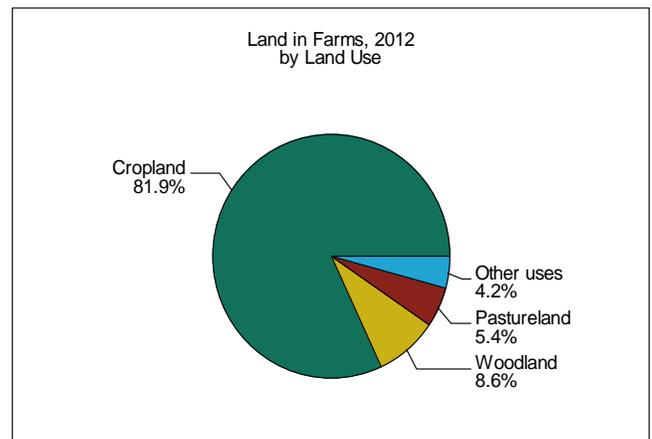
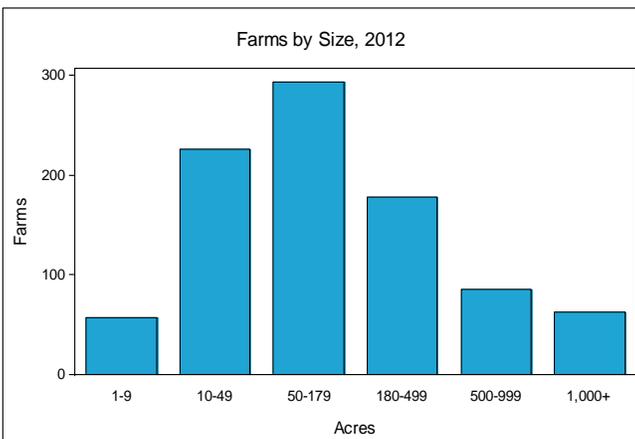
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Henry County Iowa

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	903	880	+ 3
<b>Land in Farms</b>	269,561 acres	239,628 acres	+ 12
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	299 acres	272 acres	+ 10
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$171,768,000	\$121,783,000	+ 41
Crop Sales \$120,936,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$50,832,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$190,219	\$138,390	+ 37
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$8,270,000	\$6,002,000	+ 38
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,101	\$8,649	+ 28





## Henry County – Iowa

### Ranked items among the 99 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	171,768	78	99	676	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	120,936	75	99	525	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	50,832	79	99	893	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	120,194	75	99	377	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	87	93	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	62	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	628	58	99	2,274	3,049
Poultry and eggs	16,007	23	99	504	3,013
Cattle and calves	9,317	88	99	1,366	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	23,772	70	99	240	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	370	7	99	753	3,011
Aquaculture	602	6	29	301	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	21	59	98	1,878	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	102,631	72	99	275	2,638
Soybeans for beans	80,823	65	99	358	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,522	44	99	1,782	3,057
Corn for silage	1,081	81	99	1,083	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	21	65	(D)	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	334,968	4	87	78	2,416
Hogs and pigs	68,285	72	99	235	2,889
Cattle and calves	17,014	82	99	1,481	3,063
Quail	2,906	4	23	178	944
Pheasants	(D)	4	34	(D)	963

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	353	Farming	429
\$1,000 to \$2,499	43	Other	474
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	Male	810
\$10,000 to \$19,999	39	Female	93
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	17	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	57	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	72	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	70	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
\$500,000 or more	106	White	1,329
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	125,888	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	139,410	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	62,844		
Average per farm (\$)	69,595		

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.

<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.