



Nance County Nebraska

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	375	+6
Land in farms (acres)	220,091	+6
Average size of farm (acres)	587	(Z)
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	155,302,000	+6
Government payments	6,113,000	+86
Farm-related income	8,234,000	-22
Total farm production expenses	143,060,000	+14
Net cash farm income	26,590,000	-22
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	414,140	+1
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	22,070	+75
Farm-related income	32,937	-19
Total farm production expenses	381,495	+8
Net cash farm income	70,905	-26

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	49
Livestock, poultry, and products	51

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	72
Pastureland	24
Woodland	1
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 75,573

34% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	43
Reduced till	26
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	17

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	75	20
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	27	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	11
\$100,000 or more	177	47

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	38	10
10 to 49 acres	41	11
50 to 179 acres	80	21
180 to 499 acres	80	21
500 to 999 acres	42	11
1,000 + acres	94	25

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	155,302	60	93	732	3,077
Crops	75,414	59	93	775	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	73,729	57	92	553	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	65	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	46	59	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	20	64	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,318	54	93	1,622	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	79,889	55	93	656	3,073
Poultry and eggs	9	51	91	1,812	3,007
Cattle and calves	42,064	63	93	356	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	15	86	166	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	79	93	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	16	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	6	77	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	570	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	77
Male	401		Corn for grain 80,439
Female	169		Soybeans for beans 54,835
Age		Farm organically	2
<35	51		Forage (hay/haylage), all 13,384
35 – 64	360		Corn for silage or greenchop 737
65 and older	159		Wheat for grain, all 460
Race		Sell directly to consumers	1
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Asian	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	33
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves 33,485
White	570		Goats 55
More than one race	-	Are family farms	98
Other characteristics			Hogs and pigs 64,727
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Horses and ponies 93
With military service	42		Layers 462
New and beginning farmers	116		Pullets -
			Sheep and lambs 207
			Turkeys -

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.