



Hayes County Nebraska

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	254	+15
Land in farms (acres)	404,934	-7
Average size of farm (acres)	1,594	-20
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	178,858,000	+7
Government payments	8,790,000	+198
Farm-related income	9,336,000	+87
Total farm production expenses	171,388,000	+9
Net cash farm income	25,596,000	+45
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	704,164	-7
Government payments ^a	41,075	+155
Farm-related income ^a	56,241	+56
Total farm production expenses	674,754	-6
Net cash farm income	100,772	+26

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	30
Livestock, poultry, and products	70

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	162,198
Pastureland	235,931
Woodland	89
Other	6,716

Acres irrigated: 42,738

11% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	38
Reduced till	30
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	65	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	20	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31	12
\$100,000 or more	109	43

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	21	8
10 to 49 acres	8	3
50 to 179 acres	48	19
180 to 499 acres	50	20
500 to 999 acres	43	17
1,000+ acres	84	33

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	178,858	61	93	935	3,078
Crops	54,086	70	93	1,255	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	51,349	67	92	916	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	55	64	2,032	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	51	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	58	-	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	15	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	93	1,162	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	124,772	41	93	561	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	76	92	2,216	3,027
Cattle and calves	124,576	29	93	116	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	36	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	82	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	48	88	1,726	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	131	35	88	1,375	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	-	-	80	-	2,909

Producers ^d	528	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	82
Male	296		
Female	232		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	34		
35 – 64	274		
65 and older	220		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	-
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	526	Hire farm labor	28
More than one race	2		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	92
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2		
With military service	36		
New and beginning farmers	151		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			Cattle and calves
			Goats
			Hogs and pigs
			Horses and ponies
			Layers
			Pullets
			Sheep and lambs
			Turkeys

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.