



## Loup County Nebraska

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	93	-28
Land in farms (acres)	253,891	-9
Average size of farm (acres)	2,730	+27
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	32,725,000	+6
Government payments	631,000	-18
Farm-related income	3,679,000	+112
Total farm production expenses	28,849,000	+25
Net cash farm income	8,186,000	-21
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	351,885	+49
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	15,778	+24
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	65,696	+180
Total farm production expenses	310,210	+75
Net cash farm income	88,021	+11

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	25
Livestock, poultry, and products	75

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	20,272
Pastureland	230,607
Woodland	1,051
Other	1,961

Acres irrigated: 9,641

4% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	25
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	15

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	17	18
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	-
\$10,000 to \$24,999	13	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	9
\$100,000 or more	48	52

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	-	-
10 to 49 acres	9	10
50 to 179 acres	10	11
180 to 499 acres	22	24
500 to 999 acres	8	9
1,000+ acres	44	47

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,725</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>2,213</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>8,176</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>2,277</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,638	88	92	1,645	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	64	-	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	538	81	93	2,378	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>24,550</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1,603</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	6	74	92	2,160	3,027
Cattle and calves	24,432	76	93	710	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	36	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	82	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	24	68	88	2,141	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	87	47	88	1,591	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	-	-	80	-	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>173</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access <b>96</b>	Forage (hay/haylage), all 9,574
Male 113			Corn for grain 5,887
Female 60		Farm organically <b>-</b>	Soybeans for beans 1,415
<b>Age</b>			Corn for silage/greenchop 705
<35 8		Sell directly to consumers <b>-</b>	Wheat for grain, all 478
35 – 64 76			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
65 and older 89			
<b>Race</b>		Hire farm labor <b>38</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
American Indian/Alaska Native -			Cattle and calves 31,620
Asian -		Are family farms <b>96</b>	Goats -
Black or African American -			Hogs and pigs (D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -			Horses and ponies 295
White 173			Layers 146
More than one race -			Pullets (D)
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Sheep and lambs 185
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin -			Turkeys -
With military service 19			
New and beginning farmers 33			

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