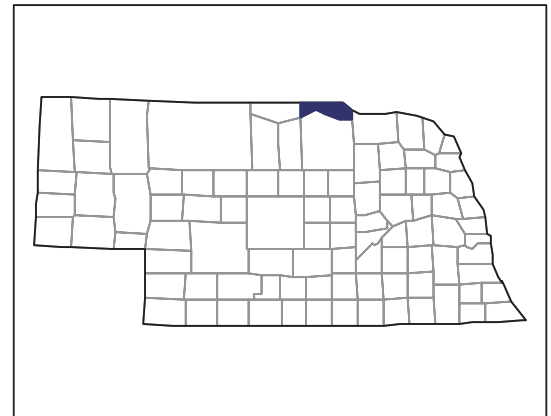


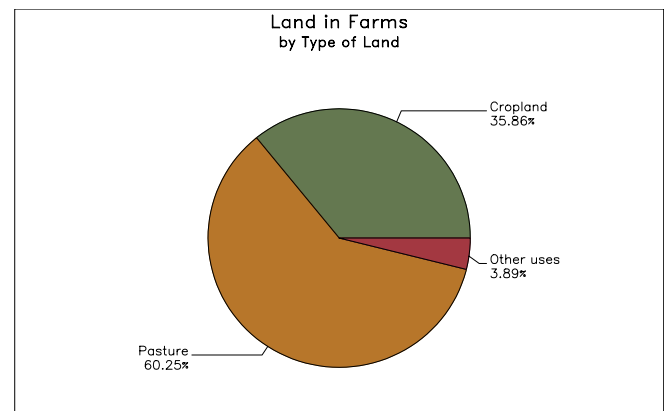
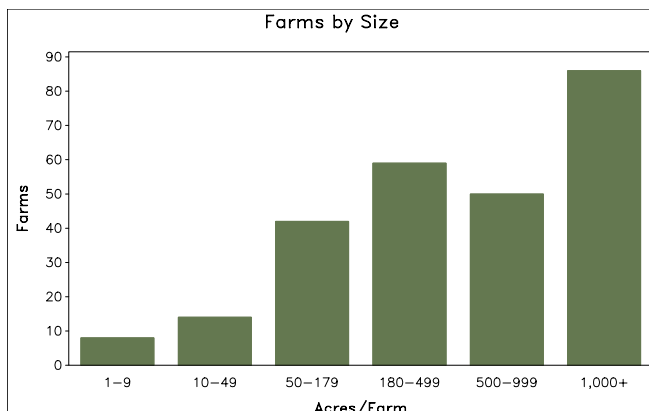
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Boyd County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	259	314	- 18
Land in Farms	251,747 acres	308,008 acres	- 18
Average Size of Farm	972 acres	981 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$46,890,000	\$30,405,000	+ 54
Crop Sales \$11,410,000 (24 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$35,479,000 (76 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$181,042	\$96,830	+ 87
Government Payments	\$954,000	\$1,336,000	- 29
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,966	\$7,507	- 34



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Boyd County – Nebraska

Ranked items among the 93 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	46,890	81	93	1,625	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	11,410	84	93	1,793	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	35,479	66	93	1,038	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9,978	81	92	1,231	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	70	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	59	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	26	31	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	9	71	93	2,523	3,020
Cattle and calves	32,045	63	93	393	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,052	19	80	916	2,493
Hogs and pigs	326	69	92	1,118	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	40	60	90	1,823	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	8	89	93	2,864	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	79	-	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36,452	19	93	518	3,060
Corn for grain	23,125	78	92	882	2,634
Soybeans for beans	11,068	61	81	996	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	6,199	45	89	897	2,481
Corn for silage	3,143	25	91	479	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	48,599	54	93	603	3,060
Hogs and pigs	1,061	70	92	1,197	2,958
Sheep and lambs	538	49	88	1,393	2,891
Goats, all	407	25	91	1,675	3,023
Horses and ponies	351	69	93	2,573	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	29	Farming	173
\$1,000 to \$2,499	-	Other	86
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Male	231
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22	Female	28
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	50	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	27	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	14	White	378
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37,599	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	145,170	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	12,171		
Average per farm (\$)	46,992		

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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