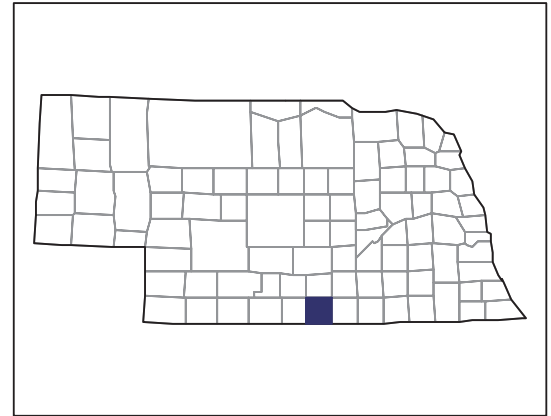


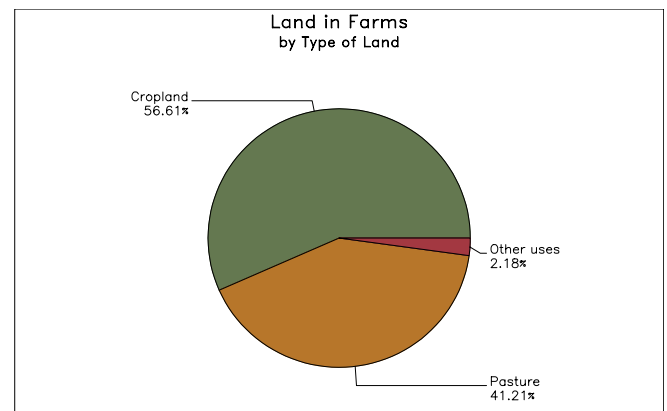
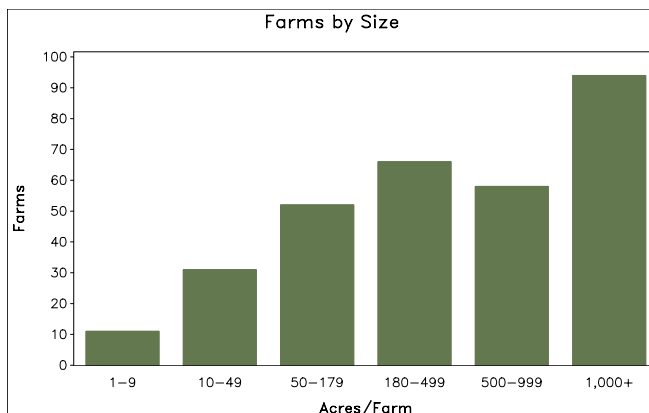
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## County Profile

### Franklin County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	312	378	- 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	291,515 acres	331,093 acres	- 12
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	934 acres	876 acres	+ 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$78,295,000	\$54,151,000	+ 45
Crop Sales \$60,559,000 (77 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$17,735,000 (23 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$250,944	\$143,257	+ 75
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,072,000	\$3,375,000	+ 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,784	\$12,736	+ 24



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

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	78,295	68	93	1,126	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	60,559	52	93	726	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,735	82	93	1,609	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	59,500	50	92	499	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	59	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	42	65	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	11	64	93	2,434	3,020
Cattle and calves	17,052	78	93	797	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	45	80	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	36	80	92	1,709	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	23	72	93	2,614	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	21	79	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	70,831	64	92	453	2,634
Soybeans for beans	36,181	44	81	639	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	20,957	28	89	489	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,831	75	93	1,832	3,060
Sorghum for grain	4,154	15	71	265	1,158
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	27,521	78	93	1,111	3,060
Colonies of bees	(D)	6	58	(D)	2,640
Sheep and lambs	746	37	88	1,139	2,891
Layers	455	53	93	2,232	3,024
Hogs and pigs	365	74	92	1,526	2,958

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	51	Farming	214
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11	Other	98
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Male	290
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23	Female	22
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	48	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	49	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	47	White	474
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	58,728	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	188,230	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	26,713		
Average per farm (\$)	85,620		

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.

<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.