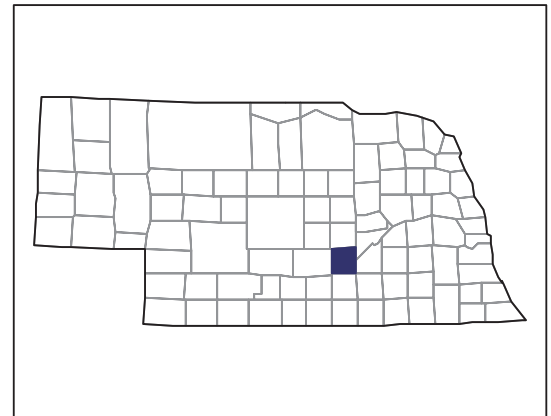


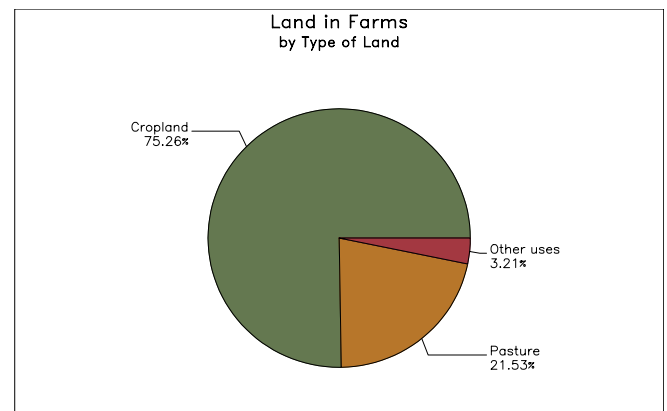
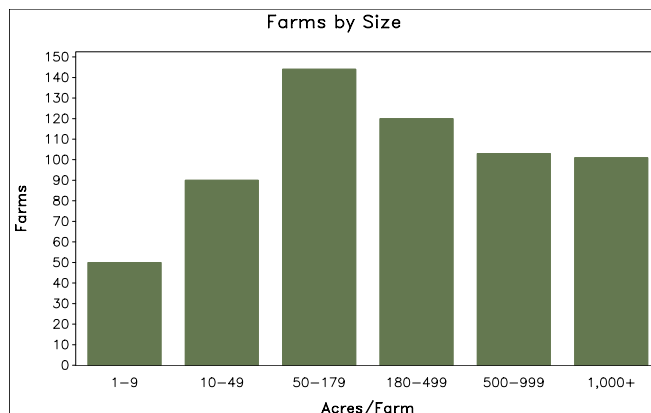
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Hall County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	608	595	+ 2
Land in Farms	328,294 acres	315,787 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	540 acres	531 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$228,940,000	\$132,359,000	+ 73
Crop Sales \$117,623,000 (51 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$111,317,000 (49 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$376,545	\$222,452	+ 69
Government Payments	\$5,315,000	\$4,829,000	+ 10
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,320	\$14,245	- 6



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Hall 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	228,940	22	93	265	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	117,623	21	93	287	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	111,317	25	93	331	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	115,002	21	92	157	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	22	70	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	59	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,070	7	65	1,052	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	46	93	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	37	93	1,791	3,020
Cattle and calves	108,931	20	93	88	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	62	58	80	2,079	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1,642	58	92	806	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	249	9	90	516	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	345	7	93	694	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	23	25	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	48	29	79	1,387	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	195,731	10	92	58	2,634
Soybeans for beans	17,147	56	81	886	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,330	59	93	1,509	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	2,157	68	89	1,334	2,481
Corn for silage	1,460	42	91	803	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	87,170	21	93	178	3,060
Hogs and pigs	5,417	56	92	843	2,958
Layers	1,778	15	93	1,176	3,024
Sheep and lambs	1,072	18	88	853	2,891
Horses and ponies	890	20	93	1,535	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	77	Farming	381
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31	Other	227
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	Male	567
\$10,000 to \$19,999	39	Female	41
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	25	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	68	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	92	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	86	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	109	White	865
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	172,025	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	282,936	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	66,558		
Average per farm (\$)	109,471		

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.