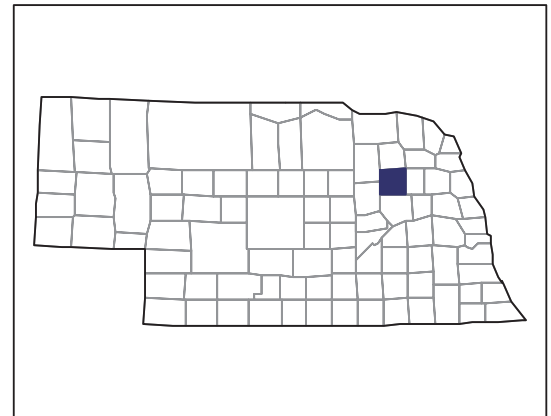


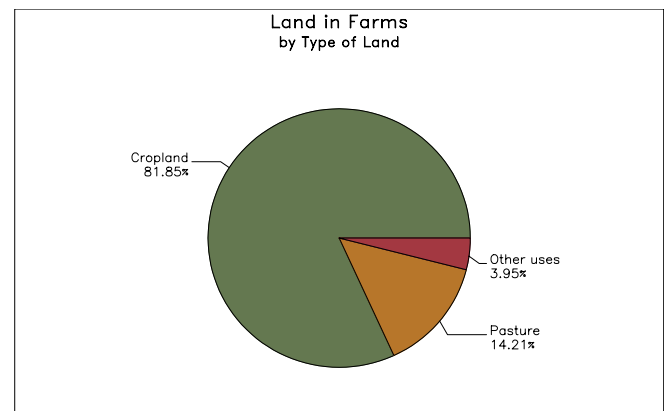
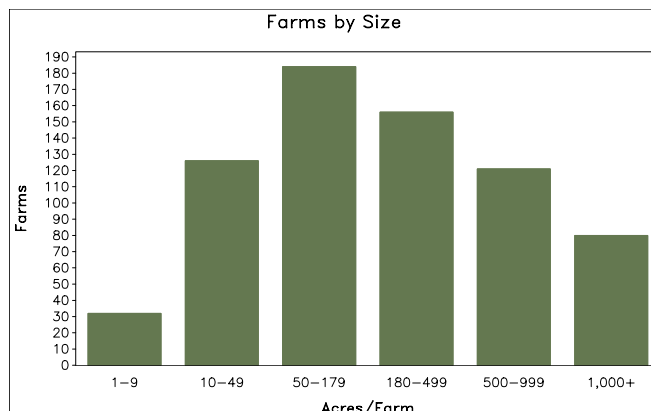
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Madison County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	699	766	- 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	315,210 acres	342,167 acres	- 8
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	451 acres	447 acres	+ 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$220,548,000	\$140,085,000	+ 57
Crop Sales \$93,642,000 (42 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$126,906,000 (58 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$315,519	\$182,878	+ 73
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,325,000	\$4,142,000	+ 4
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,809	\$9,245	- 5



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### Madison County – Nebraska

#### 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	220,548	26	93	278	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	93,642	31	93	413	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	126,906	21	93	268	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	91,138	30	92	269	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	491	18	70	1,077	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	16	59	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5	65	65	2,608	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	13	31	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,964	30	93	887	3,054
Poultry and eggs	573	21	93	1,094	3,020
Cattle and calves	116,299	16	93	80	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,327	10	80	703	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4,470	38	92	546	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	28	90	1,067	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	105	24	93	1,654	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	34	79	1,640	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	121,430	30	92	214	2,634
Soybeans for beans	94,305	12	81	207	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,547	35	93	1,165	3,060
Corn for silage	4,825	9	91	318	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	3,506	61	89	1,142	2,481
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	76,989	26	93	246	3,060
Hogs and pigs	17,373	38	92	552	2,958
Layers	1,339	20	93	1,386	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	1,237	4	76	528	2,627
Sheep and lambs	804	29	88	1,075	2,891

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	115	Farming	406
\$1,000 to \$2,499	34	Other	293
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	Male	646
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Female	53
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	40	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	24	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	94	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	123	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	76	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	68	White	995
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	187,034	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	267,573	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	42,126		
Average per farm (\$)	60,265		

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.