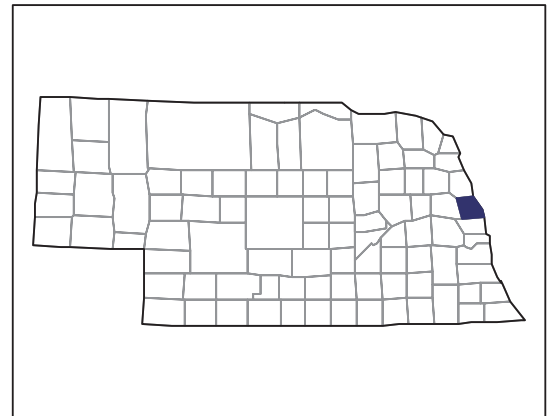


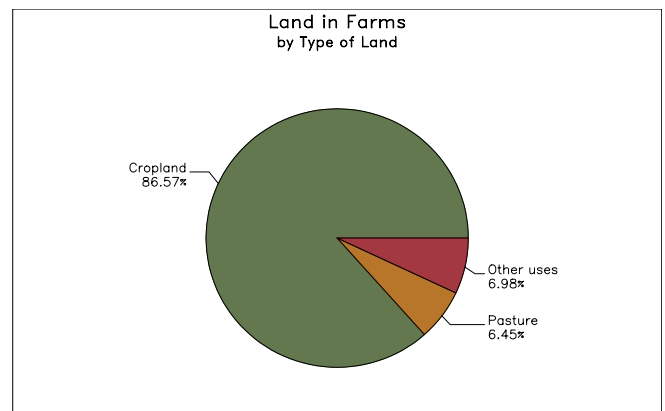
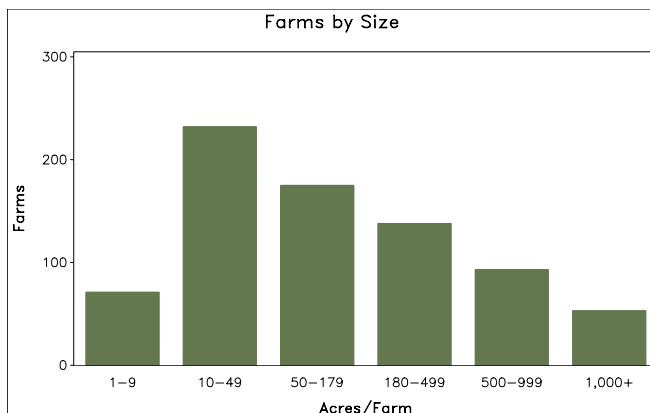
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Washington County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	762	760	0
<b>Land in Farms</b>	217,306 acres	242,419 acres	- 10
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	285 acres	319 acres	- 11
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$131,435,000	\$85,734,000	+ 53
Crop Sales \$65,452,000 (50 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$65,983,000 (50 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$172,487	\$112,808	+ 53
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$3,193,000	\$3,133,000	+ 2
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,451	\$7,088	- 9



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### Washington 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	131,435	54	93	655	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	65,452	49	93	665	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	65,983	47	93	625	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	62,492	48	92	471	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	109	26	70	1,806	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	60	10	59	1,625	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	197	24	65	1,805	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	99	3	31	415	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,495	19	93	692	3,054
Poultry and eggs	62	28	93	1,590	3,020
Cattle and calves	50,920	52	93	227	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,185	18	80	902	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11,287	29	92	338	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	184	15	90	678	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	226	11	93	1,010	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	119	22	79	925	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	84,075	48	92	362	2,634
Soybeans for beans	77,867	19	81	306	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	16,571	43	93	1,226	3,060
Corn for silage	1,045	55	91	979	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	526	82	89	1,824	2,481
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	40,935	28	92	349	2,958
Cattle and calves	30,175	71	93	1,030	3,060
Pheasants	(D)	5	48	(D)	1,544
Horses and ponies	1,037	16	93	1,335	3,066
Sheep and lambs	986	23	88	914	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	165	Farming	385
\$1,000 to \$2,499	67	Other	377
\$2,500 to \$4,999	63	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	Male	688
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Female	74
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	43	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	67	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	116	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	60	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	48	White	1,153
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	96,421	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	126,537	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	40,673		
Average per farm (\$)	53,377		

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.