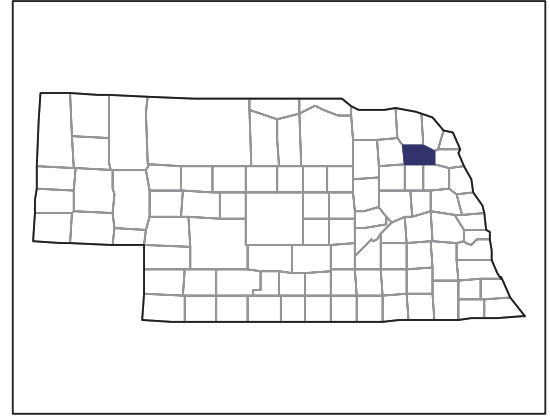


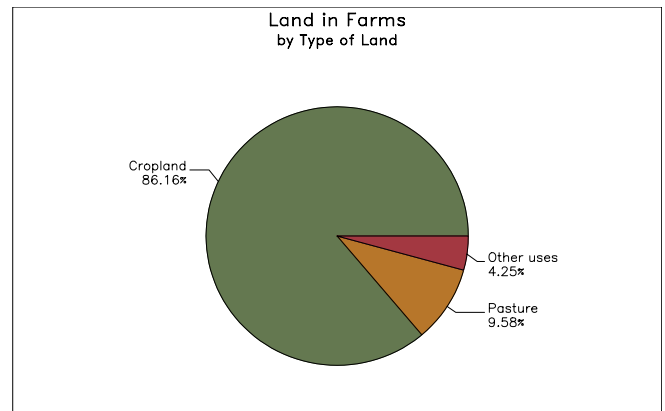
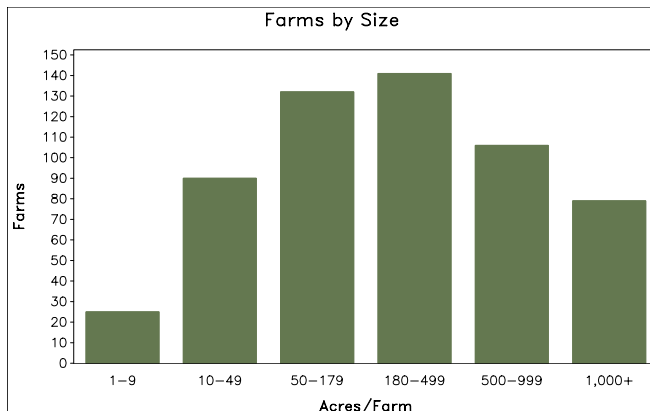
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne County Nebraska



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	573	623	- 8
Land in Farms	276,578 acres	281,408 acres	- 2
Average Size of Farm	483 acres	452 acres	+ 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$177,911,000	\$116,515,000	+ 53
Crop Sales \$88,237,000 (50 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$89,675,000 (50 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$310,491	\$187,022	+ 66
Government Payments	\$3,849,000	\$4,091,000	- 6
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,572	\$9,277	- 8



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne 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	177,911	34	93	408	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	88,237	34	93	453	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	89,675	37	93	459	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	86,150	33	92	295	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	(D)	53	59	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	25	31	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	11	93	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	57,376	46	93	194	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	18,091	1	80	321	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	32	92	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	127	24	90	918	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	60	45	93	2,079	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	76	79	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	118,335	33	92	223	2,634
Soybeans for beans	84,813	16	81	261	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	16,940	40	93	1,214	3,060
Corn for silage	4,358	10	91	357	2,263
Oats for grain	802	9	80	471	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	6	93	(D)	3,024
Cattle and calves	60,342	42	93	423	3,060
Hogs and pigs	40,630	29	92	351	2,958
Sheep and lambs	994	22	88	911	2,891
Horses and ponies	528	48	93	2,187	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	101	Farming	369
\$1,000 to \$2,499	26	Other	204
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	Male	530
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	17	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	107	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	68	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	89	White	788
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	135,044	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	235,678	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	50,130		
Average per farm (\$)	87,487		

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.