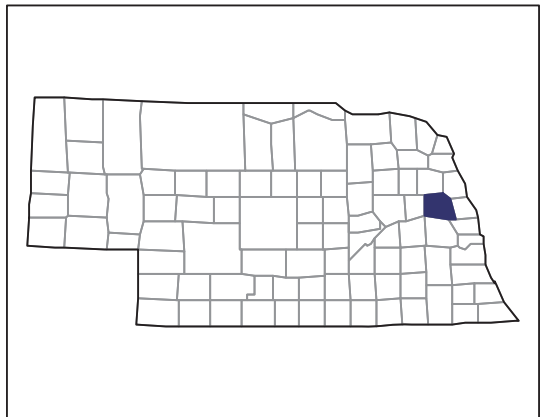


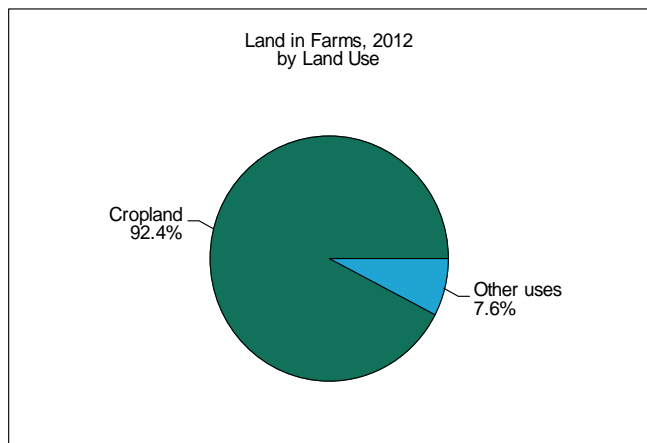
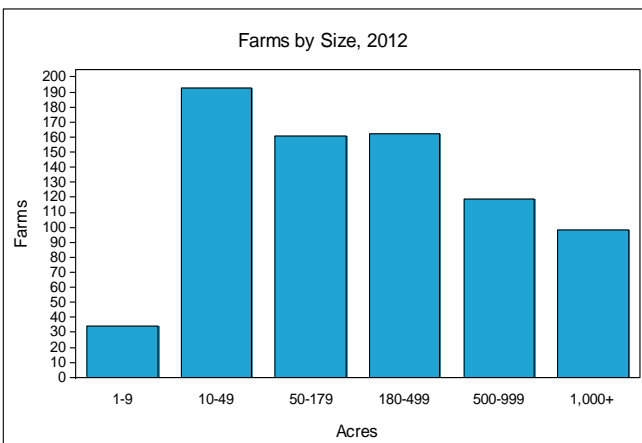
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Dodge County Nebraska

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	767	715	+ 7
Land in Farms	330,044 acres	338,475 acres	- 2
Average Size of Farm	430 acres	473 acres	- 9
Market Value of Products Sold	\$326,008,000	\$250,397,000	+ 30
Crop Sales \$197,962,000 (61 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$128,046,000 (39 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$425,042	\$350,205	+ 21
Government Payments	\$5,602,000	\$5,063,000	+ 11
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,829	\$9,171	+ 7





Dodge County – Nebraska

Ranked items among the 93 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	326,008	25	93	243	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	197,962	17	93	219	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	128,046	28	93	343	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	194,227	17	91	148	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	19	66	1,190	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	58	62	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,720	7	70	829	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	24	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,610	73	93	1,533	3,049
Poultry and eggs	26	37	93	1,920	3,013
Cattle and calves	111,492	30	93	107	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	16,231	20	90	311	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	48	64	90	1,943	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	21	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	43	43	85	1,514	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	163,207	19	91	110	2,638
Soybeans for beans	125,551	6	85	120	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,634	75	93	1,770	3,057
Corn for silage	1,814	64	91	837	2,237
Sod harvested	457	2	16	170	690
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	44,482	22	90	312	2,889
Cattle and calves	41,706	58	93	654	3,063
Layers	1,012	31	93	1,862	3,040
Horses and ponies	757	25	93	1,571	3,072
Sheep and lambs	358	57	89	1,699	2,897

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	130	Farming	524
\$1,000 to \$2,499	34	Other	243
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	33	Male	723
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32	Female	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	33	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	20	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	79	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	115	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	118	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	142	White	1,135
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	249,843	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	325,741	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	95,458		
Average per farm (\$)	124,456		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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.