



Nebraska State Agriculture Overview - 2007

Farms

Number of Farms	47,300
Land in Farms (acres)	45,600,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	964

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2008)	6,550,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2007)	3,250,000
Sheep (Jan. 1, 2008)	85,000

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	59,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	18,220
Production (lbs)	1,075,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price (MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvestd Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Field & Misc Crops	18,715,000					9,157,969,000
Corn For Grain	9,400,000	9,200,000	160.0 bus	1472000000 bus	4.000 dols/bu	5,888,000,000
Soybeans	3,800,000	3,770,000	50.5 bus	190,385,000 bus	9.950 dols/bu	1,894,331,000
Hay All (Dry)		2,650,000	2.4 tons	6,298,000 tons	89.500 dols/ton	546,867,000
Wheat Winter All	2,050,000	1,960,000	43.0 bus	84,280,000 bus	6.200 dols/bu	522,536,000
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Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		1,150,000	3.7 tons	4,198,000 tons	91.500 dols/ton	384,117,000
Hay Other (Dry)		1,500,000	1.4 tons	2,100,000 tons	77.500 dols/ton	162,750,000
Sorghum For Grain	350,000	240,000	98.0 bus	23,520,000 bus	6.950 dols/cwt	91,540,000
Beans Dry Edible	110,000	107,000	2,260.0 lbs	2,418,000 cwt	29.300 dols/cwt	70,847,000
Potatoes Fall	20,500	19,400	415.0 cwt	8,051,000 cwt	7.300 dols/cwt	58,772,000
Potatoes All	20,500	19,400	415.0 cwt	8,051,000 cwt	7.300 dols/cwt	58,772,000
Millet (Proso)	145,000	130,000	32.0 bus	4,160,000 bus	4.500 dols/bu	18,720,000
Sunflower All	49,000	46,000	1,299.0 lbs	59,770 lbs	19.600 dols/cwt	11,729,000
Sunflower Seed For Oil	35,000	33,000	1,240.0 lbs	40,920 lbs	18.300 dols/cwt	7,488,000
Oats	120,000	35,000	68.0 bus	2,380,000 bus	2.800 dols/bu	6,664,000
Sunflower Seed Non-Oil Use	14,000	13,000	1,450.0 lbs	18,850 lbs	22.500 dols/cwt	4,241,000
Corn For Silage		150,000	17.0 tons	2,550,000 tons		
Sorghum For Silage		30,000	10.5 tons	315,000 tons		
Sugarbeets	47,500	44,300	23.5 tons	1,041,000 tons		
Beans Great Northern	48,000	45,900	2,160.0 lbs	991,000 cwt		
Beans Pinto	48,000	47,400	2,390.0 lbs	1,132,000 cwt		
Beans Light Red Kidney	11,500	11,200	2,170.0 lbs	243,000 cwt		
Beans Other Dry Edible	2,500	2,500	2,080.0 lbs	52,000 cwt		
Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures - New Seedings	180,000					



Nebraska State Agriculture Overview - 2007 - Continued
Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price (MYA), Value of Production - Continued

<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Planted All Purpose Acres</i>	<i>Harvested Acres</i>	<i>Yield</i>	<i>Production</i>	<i>Price per Unit</i>	<i>Value of Production Dollars</i>
Forage Alfalfa(Dry Hay+Haylage)		1,160,000	3.7 tons	4,287,000 tons		
Forage All(Dry Hay+Haylage)		2,665,000	2.4 tons	6,402,000 tons		

2002 Census of Agriculture State Profile
 United States Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Agricultural Statistics Service
 Nebraska - Ranked items within U.S. 2002

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	9,703,657	4	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,388,265	8	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,315,392	4	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,091,884	4	50
Tobacco			23
Cotton and cottonseed			17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	58,337	27	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,375	45	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	34,259	41	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	797	35	50
Other crops and hay	201,613	13	50
Poultry and eggs	142,442	27	50
Cattle and calves	5,401,018	3	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	148,941	31	50
Hogs and pigs	590,581	6	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	8,288	16	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	11,098	32	50
Aquaculture	2,170	39	50
Other animals and other animal products	10,853	22	50
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	11,786,314	10	50
Cattle and calves	6,202,947	3	50
Hogs and pigs	2,933,620	6	50
Turkeys			50
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	584,353	29	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	7,344,715	3	49
Soybeans	4,571,558	7	41
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,862,592	7	50
All Wheat for grain	1,526,775	10	48
Corn for silage	409,447	5	49

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:		Farms by value of sales	
Farming	36,031	Less than \$1,000	8,002
Other	13,324	\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,818
		\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,172
Principal operators by sex:		\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,077
Male	46,350	\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,220
Female	3,005	\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,633
		\$25,000 to \$39,999	4,083
Average age of principal operator (years)	54	\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,947
		\$50,000 to \$99,999	6,619
All operators 2/ by race:		\$100,000 to \$249,999	8,834
White	69,393	\$250,000 to \$499,999	4,126
Black or African American	14	\$500,000 or more	2,824
American Indian or Alaska Native	108		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4	Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,050,038
Asian	13	Average per farm (\$)	183,362
More than one race	42		
		Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,225,016
All operators 2/ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	440	Average per farm (\$)	24,820

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.