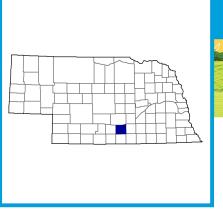


Kearney County Nebraska



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	342	-1
Land in farms (acres)	291,307	-1
Average size of farm (acres)	852	(Z)
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	369,734,000	-9
Government payments	10,195,000	+101
Farm-related income	12,116,000	-2
Total farm production expenses	333,419,000	+7
Net cash farm income	58,626,000	-49
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,081,094	-9
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	40,945	+123
Farm-related income	47,889	-3
Total farm production expenses	974,909	+8
Net cash farm income	171,422	-48

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	42
Livestock, poultry, and products	58

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	84
Pastureland	14
Woodland	(Z)
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 189,498

65% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	55
Reduced till	38
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	20

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	45	13	1 to 9 acres	30	9
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4	1	10 to 49 acres	19	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	2	50 to 179 acres	61	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	9	180 to 499 acres	44	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	17	5	500 to 999 acres	69	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	6	1,000 + acres	119	35
\$100,000 or more	219	64			



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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	369,734	13	93	171	3,077
Crops	156,789	23	93	267	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	150,621	24	92	174	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	9	65	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	19	31	59	1,733	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	48	64	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	51	93	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	212,945	19	93	189	3,073
Poultry and eggs	2	68	91	2,059	3,007
Cattle and calves	210,345	15	93	57	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	21	48	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	2	80	86	1,804	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	143	29	91	1,019	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	16	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	44	26	77	1,038	2,878

Total Producers °	569	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d		
Sex Male Female	437 132	Have internet access	93	Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Forage (hay/haylage), all Wheat for grain, all	139,951 75,697 13,914 4,693	
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	73 365 131	Farm organically	(Z)	Corn for silage or greenchop	2,188	
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 6 - 562 1	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	3 49	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2 Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	2017) (D) 95,305 227 51 240	
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	15 45 110	Are family farms	93	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	131 (D) 792	

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.