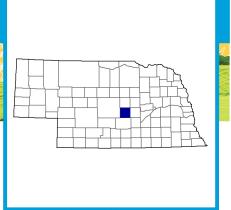


Sherman County Nebraska



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	384	-7
Land in farms (acres)	310,819	+11
Average size of farm (acres)	809	+19
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	139,348,000	+22
Government payments	3,109,000	+49
Farm-related income	9,482,000	+15
Total farm production expenses	129,010,000	+50
Net cash farm income	22,929,000	-41
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	362,886	+32
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	12,955	+81
Farm-related income	40,008	+27
Total farm production expenses	335,963	+62
Net cash farm income	59,712	-36

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by	Type (%)
Crops	58
Livestock, poultry, an	nd products 42
Land in Farms by	Use (%) a
Cropland	51
Pastureland	47
Woodland	(Z)
Other	1
Acres irrigated: 93,	262
	30% of land in farms
Land Use Practice	es (% of farms)
No till	38
Reduced till	24
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	50	13	1 to 9 acres	13	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	3	10 to 49 acres	50	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	7	50 to 179 acres	76	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999	26	7	180 to 499 acres	96	25
\$25,000 to \$49,999	61	16	500 to 999 acres	63	16
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	11	1,000 + acres	86	22
\$100,000 or more	166	43			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^b	Item	U.S. b	ltem
Total	139,348	65	93	819	3,077
Crops	80,928	53	93	703	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	78,365	51	92	505	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	45	65	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	59	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	35	64	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	_	_	20	_	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	28	93	1,038	3,040
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Livestock, poultry, and products	58,420	63	93	851	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	57,312	55	93	244	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	841	57	86	608	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	239	15	91	667	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	3	80	93	2,387	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	16	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	33	77	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	635	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	440 195	Have internet access	82	Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for silage or greenchop	78,614 41,328 18,804 1,024
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	104 401 130	Farm organically	-	Wheat for grain, all	223
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- - - - 635	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	2 27	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	(D) 65,196 1,156 623 326
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	4 38 169	Are family farms	98	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	113 - 734 (D)

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.