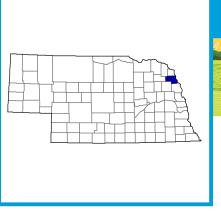


Thurston County Nebraska



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	309	-16
Land in farms (acres)	232,077	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	751	+11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	207,256,000	+5
Government payments	6,000,000	+60
Farm-related income	4,771,000	-72
Total farm production expenses	179,358,000	+7
Net cash farm income	38,669,000	-24
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	670,732	+25
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	24,490	+92
Farm-related income	26,956	-65
Total farm production expenses	580,448	+27
Net cash farm income	125,142	-10

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	49
Livestock, poultry, and products	51

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	89
Pastureland	5
Woodland	4
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 14,905

6% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	58
Reduced till	34
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales			Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	73	24	1 to 9 acres	23	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	3	10 to 49 acres	44	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	-	50 to 179 acres	45	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	6	2	180 to 499 acres	55	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	14	5	500 to 999 acres	60	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	9	1,000 + acres	82	27
\$100,000 or more	177	57			



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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	207,256	46	93	491	3,077
Crops	101,762	46	93	541	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	99,325	45	92	389	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	65	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	59	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	64	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,437	29	93	1,045	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	105,494	41	93	480	3,073
Poultry and eggs	2	69	91	2,062	3,007
Cattle and calves	99,642	38	93	127	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	19	48	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	2,496	44	86	542	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	67	48	91	1,550	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	81	93	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	16	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,878

Total Producers °	476	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	346 130	Have internet access	77	0	95,919 82,433 12,771 1,878
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	44 272 160	Farm organically	(Z)	Oats for grain	1,298
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White	15 - - 454	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	1 36	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats	440 41,297 73
More than one race	7			Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	10,077 256
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	4 48 65	Are family farms	93	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	246 (D) 492 (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.