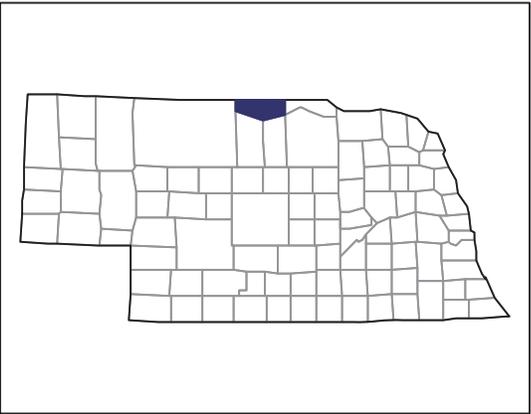


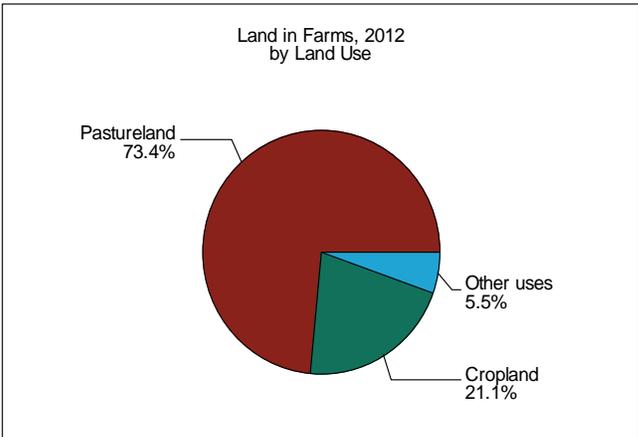
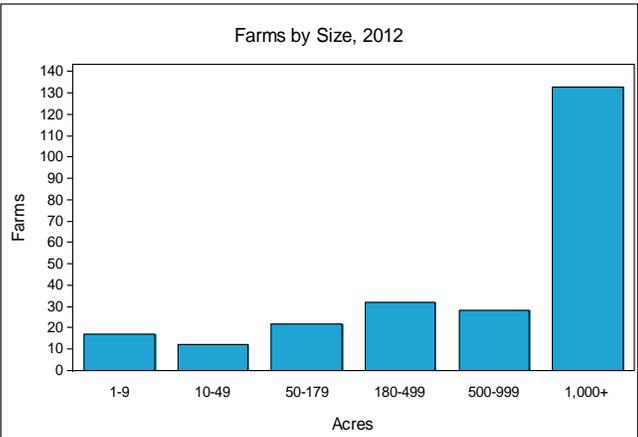
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Keya Paha County Nebraska

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	244	206	+ 18
Land in Farms	465,741 acres	483,450 acres	- 4
Average Size of Farm	1,909 acres	2,347 acres	- 19
Market Value of Products Sold	\$107,079,000	\$48,455,000	+ 121
Crop Sales \$29,151,000 (27 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$77,928,000 (73 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$438,850	\$235,218	+ 87
Government Payments	\$733,000	\$555,000	+ 32
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,402	\$5,781	+ 28





Keya Paha 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	107,079	73	93	1,104	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	29,151	81	93	1,498	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	77,928	54	93	616	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	22,877	80	91	1,177	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	51	66	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	62	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	24	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	20	93	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	67	93	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	75,949	46	93	180	3,056
Milk from cows	1,578	24	55	1,104	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	90	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	267	15	90	630	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	128	42	93	1,635	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	21	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	69	85	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	65,224	8	93	106	3,057
Corn for grain	14,706	84	91	1,075	2,638
Soybeans for beans	2,138	77	85	1,509	2,162
Corn for silage	2,051	57	91	765	2,237
Popcorn	(D)	11	35	(D)	286
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	63,408	34	93	332	3,063
Sheep and lambs	1,787	11	89	528	2,897
Horses and ponies	459	49	93	2,137	3,072
Layers	312	69	93	2,609	3,040
Goats, all	307	34	91	1,791	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	26	Farming	178
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11	Other	66
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	Male	232
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Female	12
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	38		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	47	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	31	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	27	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	88,194	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	361,449	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	394
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	21,812	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	89,393	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-

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.