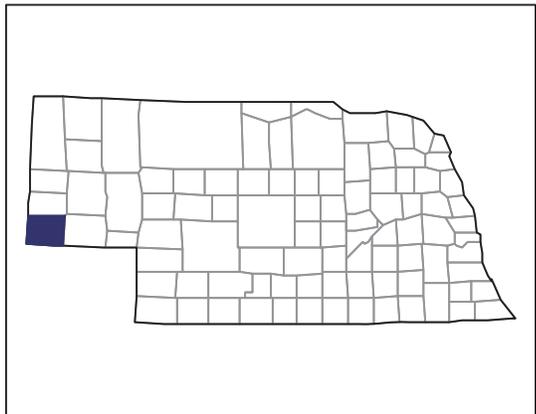


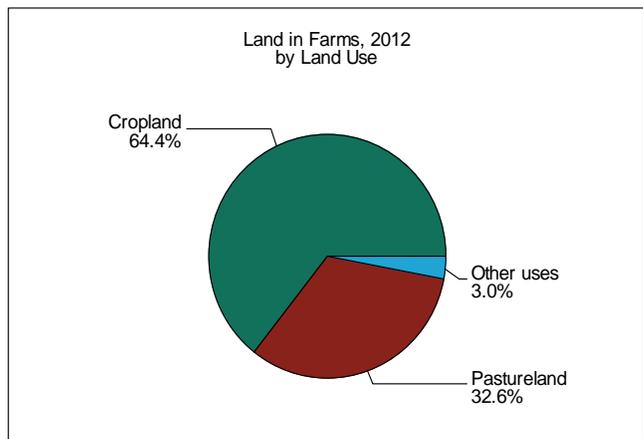
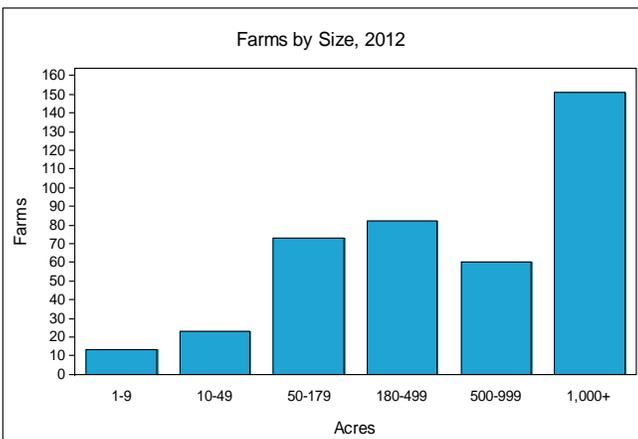
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Kimball County Nebraska

|   | 2012          | 2007          | % change |
|---|---------------|---------------|----------|
| <b>Number of Farms</b>                    | 402           | 372           | + 8      |
| <b>Land in Farms</b>                      | 597,573 acres | 527,611 acres | + 13     |
| <b>Average Size of Farm</b>               | 1,487 acres   | 1,418 acres   | + 5      |
| <b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>      | \$60,805,000  | \$35,788,000  | + 70     |
| Crop Sales \$50,746,000 (83 percent)      |               |               |          |
| Livestock Sales \$10,059,000 (17 percent) |               |               |          |
| Average Per Farm                          | \$151,255     | \$96,204      | + 57     |
| <b>Government Payments</b>                | \$5,236,000   | \$4,869,000   | + 8      |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments       | \$14,917      | \$15,964      | - 7      |





## Kimball County – Nebraska

### Ranked items among the 93 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

| Item  | Quantity | State Rank | Universe <sup>1</sup> | U.S. Rank | Universe <sup>1</sup> |
|---|----------|------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| <b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>           |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Total value of agricultural products sold                             | 60,805   | 84         | 93                    | 1,627     | 3,077                 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse                       | 50,746   | 71         | 93                    | 1,155     | 3,072                 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products                       | 10,059   | 90         | 93                    | 2,104     | 3,076                 |
| <b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>                    |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas                             | 39,618   | 72         | 91                    | 952       | 2,926                 |
| Tobacco   | -        | -          | -                     | -         | 436                   |
| Cotton and cottonseed   | -        | -          | -                     | -         | 635                   |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes                      | -        | -          | 66                    | -         | 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)      | 10         | 93                    | 272       | 3,049                 |
| Poultry and eggs  | 4        | 73         | 93                    | 2,705     | 3,013                 |
| Cattle and calves   | 9,644    | 87         | 93                    | 1,343     | 3,056                 |
| Milk from cows  | -        | -          | 55                    | -         | 2,038                 |
| Hogs and pigs   | 6        | 80         | 90                    | 2,294     | 2,827                 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk                                  | (D)      | (D)        | 90                    | (D)       | 2,988                 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys                            | (D)      | (D)        | 93                    | (D)       | 3,011                 |
| Aquaculture   | -        | -          | 21                    | -         | 1,366                 |
| Other animals and other animal products                               | (D)      | 26         | 85                    | (D)       | 2,924                 |
| <b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>   |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Wheat for grain, all  | 109,506  | 2          | 85                    | 132       | 2,537                 |
| Winter wheat for grain  | 109,506  | 2          | 85                    | 81        | 2,480                 |
| Corn for grain  | 25,831   | 76         | 91                    | 872       | 2,638                 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 24,381   | 25         | 93                    | 791       | 3,057                 |
| Proso millet  | 14,484   | 2          | 15                    | 4         | 154                   |
| <b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>                         |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Cattle and calves   | 19,003   | 85         | 93                    | 1,391     | 3,063                 |
| Layers  | 445      | 58         | 93                    | 2,432     | 3,040                 |
| Horses and ponies   | 414      | 58         | 93                    | 2,242     | 3,072                 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens                                 | 150      | 33         | 71                    | 1,836     | 2,723                 |
| Goats, all  | 114      | 60         | 91                    | 2,489     | 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                           | 178      | Farming   | 211      |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499                          | 11       | Other   | 191      |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999                          | 1        |   |          |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999                          | 7        | Principal operators by sex:                                       |          |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999                        | 17       | Male  | 328      |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999                        | 3        | Female  | 74       |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999                        | 18       |   |          |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999                        | 4        | Average age of principal operator (years)                         | 60.9     |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999                        | 40       |   |          |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999                      | 51       | All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :                              |          |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999                      | 39       | American Indian or Alaska Native                                  | -        |
| \$500,000 or more                           | 33       | Asian   | -        |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)    | 51,512   | Black or African American   | -        |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 128,139  | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander                         | -        |
|   |          | White   | 593      |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 20,352   | More than one race  | 1        |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 50,628   | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup> | 11       |

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.