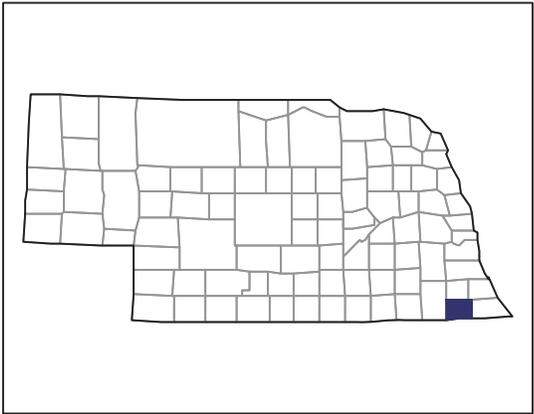


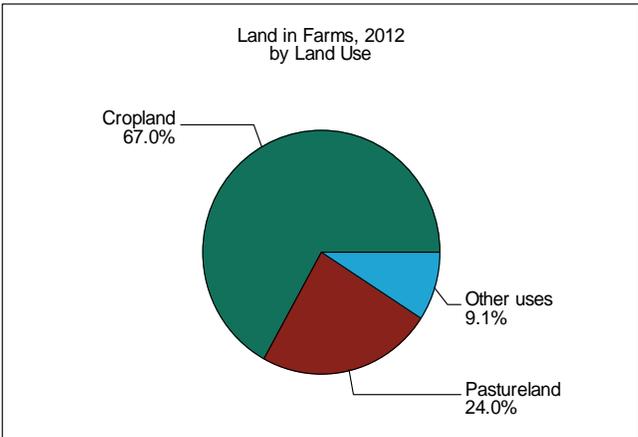
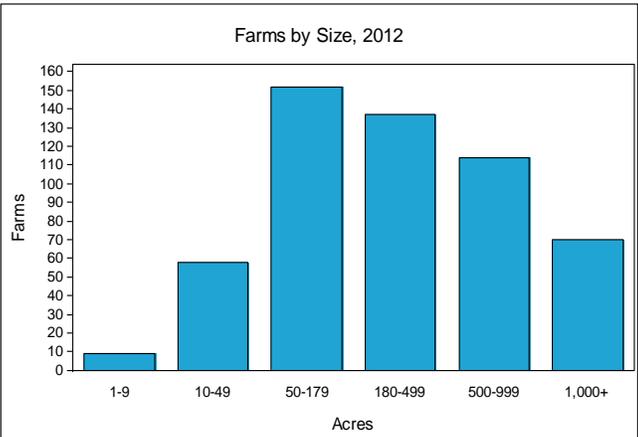
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Pawnee County Nebraska

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	540	489	+ 10
<b>Land in Farms</b>	268,815 acres	217,669 acres	+ 23
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	498 acres	445 acres	+ 12
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>			
	\$75,730,000	\$47,004,000	+ 61
Crop Sales \$57,332,000 (76 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$18,397,000 (24 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$140,240	\$96,122	+ 46
<b>Government Payments</b>			
	\$4,461,000	\$4,456,000	0
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,547	\$10,636	- 1





## Pawnee 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	75,730	75	93	1,427	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	57,332	69	93	1,064	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18,397	84	93	1,672	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	55,246	68	91	773	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	40	40	66	2,244	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	20	62	(D)	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	1,990	64	93	1,349	3,049
Poultry and eggs	27	35	93	1,893	3,013
Cattle and calves	14,987	84	93	1,017	3,056
Milk from cows	400	37	55	1,542	2,038
Hogs and pigs	2,853	45	90	681	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	78	51	90	1,573	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	17	85	93	2,715	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	21	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	35	47	85	1,622	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	66,163	37	85	472	2,162
Corn for grain	58,355	66	91	549	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,493	35	93	1,000	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	5,611	33	85	931	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	5,611	33	85	853	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	30,548	69	93	939	3,063
Hogs and pigs	7,780	46	90	687	2,889
Layers	965	33	93	1,894	3,040
Sheep and lambs	835	34	89	1,043	2,897
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	595	16	71	1,152	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	131	Farming	281
\$1,000 to \$2,499	26	Other	259
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	48	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32	Male	475
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	65
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	67		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	87	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	36	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	37	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	64,937	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	120,254	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	741
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	23,761	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	44,001	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	8

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.