



Sheridan County Nebraska

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	525	-2
Land in farms (acres)	1,561,598	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	2,974	+4
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	150,603,000	-10
Government payments	5,522,000	+74
Farm-related income	4,381,000	-35
Total farm production expenses	126,422,000	+3
Net cash farm income	34,084,000	-38
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	286,863	-8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,734	+62
Farm-related income	14,459	-30
Total farm production expenses	240,804	+6
Net cash farm income	64,923	-37

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	38
Livestock, poultry, and products	62

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	19
Pastureland	78
Woodland	1
Other	1

Acres irrigated: 74,068

5% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	18
Reduced till	17
Intensive till	22
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	110	21
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	37	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	45	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	10
\$100,000 or more	206	39

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	30	6
10 to 49 acres	29	6
50 to 179 acres	86	16
180 to 499 acres	82	16
500 to 999 acres	60	11
1,000 + acres	238	45

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	150,603	61	93	759	3,077
Crops	57,459	67	93	1,000	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	41,784	71	92	840	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	4	65	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	32	59	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	127	32	64	1,383	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	6	93	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	93,144	51	93	557	3,073
Poultry and eggs	5	58	91	1,911	3,007
Cattle and calves	89,764	43	93	141	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	64	86	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	106	38	91	1,238	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	48	56	93	1,819	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	16	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	2	77	60	2,878

Total Producers ^c	906	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	81
Male	575		
Female	331		
Age		Farm organically	(Z)
<35	99		
35 – 64	483		
65 and older	324		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	2		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	901	Hire farm labor	36
More than one race	3		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3		
With military service	121		
New and beginning farmers	217		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 121,175
			Goats 549
			Hogs and pigs 667
			Horses and ponies 883
			Layers 511
			Pullets 28
			Sheep and lambs 144
			Turkeys 16

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.