



# Cass County Nebraska

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	662	-14
Land in farms (acres)	299,543	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	452	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	200,113,000	+22
Government payments	1,883,000	-64
Farm-related income	13,178,000	+69
Total farm production expenses	149,220,000	+8
Net cash farm income	65,955,000	+67
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	302,286	+41
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	7,945	-26
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	33,532	+84
Total farm production expenses	225,407	+25
Net cash farm income	99,629	+93

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	96
Livestock, poultry, and products	4

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	275,446
Pastureland	7,009
Woodland	7,924
Other	9,164

**Acres irrigated: 2,366**

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	54
Reduced till	20
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	10

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	162	24
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	35	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	42	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65	10
\$100,000 or more	268	40

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	52	8
10 to 49 acres	157	24
50 to 179 acres	165	25
180 to 499 acres	121	18
500 to 999 acres	84	13
1,000+ acres	83	13

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>200,113</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>191,375</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	186,614	30	92	284	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	384	6	51	988	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	6	58	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	10	15	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,829	54	93	1,533	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>8,738</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>2,210</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	26	92	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	5,391	89	93	1,650	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	34	36	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	1,021	53	82	578	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	21	69	88	2,097	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	36	39	80	1,362	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>1,205</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	82
Male	831		
Female	374	Farm organically	(Z)
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	4
<35	125	Hire farm labor	31
35 – 64	540	Are family farms	90
65 and older	540		
<b>Race</b>			
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	1,199		
More than one race	6		
<b>Other characteristics</b>			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	13		
With military service	186		
New and beginning farmers	337		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 7,730
			Goats 185
			Hogs and pigs 5,016
			Horses and ponies 277
			Layers (D)
			Pullets 198
			Sheep and lambs 574
			Turkeys 9

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> 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.