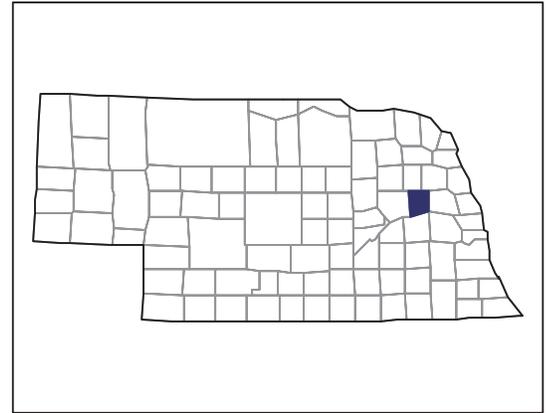


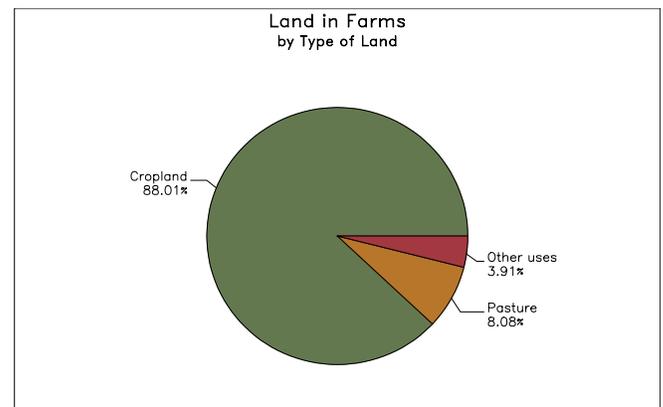
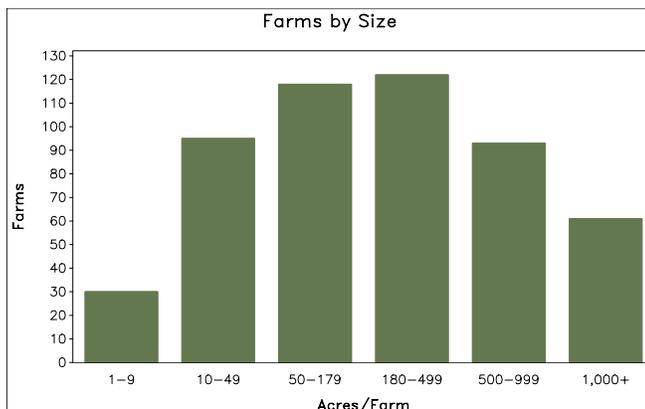
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Colfax, Nebraska



| | 2007 | 2002 | % change |
|--|---------------|---------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 519 | 589 | - 12 |
| Land in Farms | 213,220 acres | 244,361 acres | - 13 |
| Average Size of Farm | 411 acres | 415 acres | - 1 |
| Market Value of Production | \$250,777,000 | \$169,600,000 | + 48 |
| Crop Sales \$76,080,000 (30 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$174,697,000 (70 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$483,193 | \$287,946 | + 68 |
| Government Payments | \$3,301,000 | \$3,355,000 | - 2 |
| Average Per Farm | \$8,233 | \$8,647 | - 5 |



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Colfax, Nebraska

Ranked items among the 93 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

| 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 | 250,777 | 16 | 93 | 220 | 3,076 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 76,080 | 41 | 93 | 547 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 174,697 | 12 | 93 | 160 | 3,069 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 70,472 | 40 | 92 | 398 | 2,933 |
| Tobacco | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | 437 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | 626 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | (D) | (D) | 70 | (D) | 2,796 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | (D) | (D) | 59 | (D) | 2,659 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | (D) | (D) | 65 | (D) | 2,703 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | (D) | 31 | (D) | 1,710 |
| Other crops and hay | (D) | (D) | 93 | (D) | 3,054 |
| Poultry and eggs | (D) | (D) | 93 | (D) | 3,020 |
| Cattle and calves | 128,821 | 13 | 93 | 69 | 3,054 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows | (D) | (D) | 80 | (D) | 2,493 |
| Hogs and pigs | 42,599 | 7 | 92 | 105 | 2,922 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 68 | 38 | 90 | 1,410 | 2,998 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 19 | 78 | 93 | 2,687 | 3,024 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | (D) | 25 | (D) | 1,498 |
| Other animals and other animal products | (D) | (D) | 79 | (D) | 2,875 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 147,220 | 7 | 92 | 119 | 2,958 |
| Cattle and calves | 75,589 | 27 | 93 | 261 | 3,060 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 2,540 | 6 | 72 | 741 | 2,476 |
| Layers | 1,282 | 21 | 93 | 1,424 | 3,024 |
| Sheep and lambs | 773 | 34 | 88 | 1,108 | 2,891 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Corn for grain | 96,208 | 40 | 92 | 298 | 2,634 |
| Soybeans for beans | 62,871 | 30 | 81 | 405 | 2,039 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 15,415 | 50 | 93 | 1,292 | 3,060 |
| Corn for silage | 4,062 | 13 | 91 | 387 | 2,263 |
| Wheat for grain, all | 1,608 | 71 | 89 | 1,439 | 2,481 |

Other County Highlights

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity | Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales | | Principal operators by primary occupation: | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 71 | Farming | 319 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 17 | Other | 200 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 21 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 24 | Male | 490 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 26 | Female | 29 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 12 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 53.9 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 33 | All operators ² by race: | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 19 | American Indian or Alaska Native | (-) |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 63 | Asian | (-) |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 84 | Black or African American | (-) |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 56 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | (-) |
| \$500,000 or more | 93 | White | 772 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 200,440 | More than one race | 2 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 386,204 | All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin | (-) |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 57,237 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | 110,283 | | |

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.