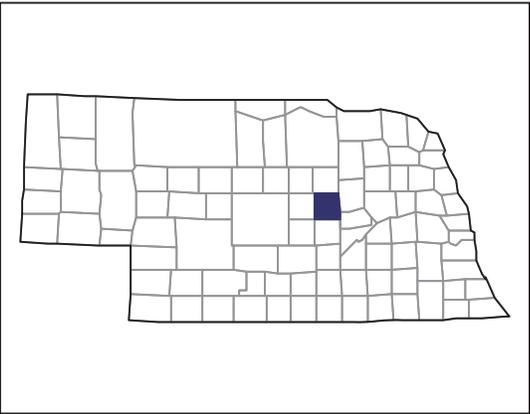


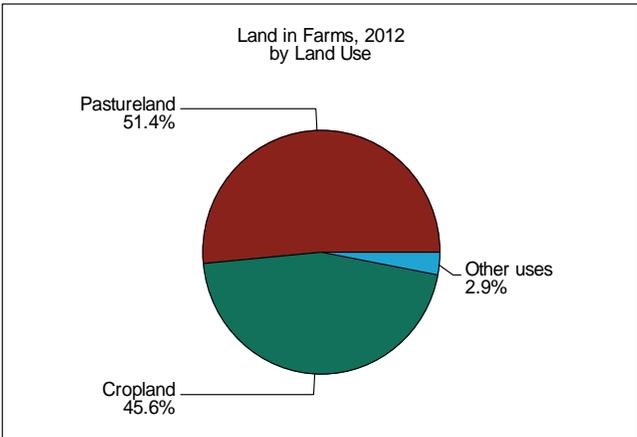
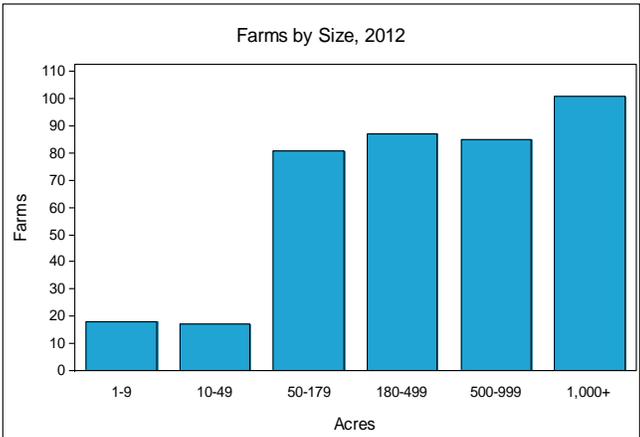
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Greeley County Nebraska

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	389	334	+ 16
Land in Farms	338,271 acres	282,395 acres	+ 20
Average Size of Farm	870 acres	845 acres	+ 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$187,550,000	\$111,553,000	+ 68
Crop Sales \$85,428,000 (46 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$102,121,000 (54 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$482,133	\$333,990	+ 44
Government Payments	\$3,064,000	\$2,363,000	+ 30
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,639	\$9,606	+ 11





Greeley County – Nebraska

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

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	187,550	51	93	594	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	85,428	58	93	758	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	102,121	41	93	455	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	58	91	584	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)	48	70	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	24	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	14	93	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	52	93	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	55	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	196	23	90	818	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	23	82	93	2,622	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	21	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	75,469	54	91	416	2,638
Soybeans for beans	33,176	56	85	751	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,559	33	93	996	3,057
Corn for silage	6,237	22	91	307	2,237
Sorghum for silage	342	12	58	251	1,076
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	11	90	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	59,636	37	93	377	3,063
Layers	(D)	10	93	(D)	3,040
Sheep and lambs	1,058	24	89	853	2,897
Horses and ponies	234	90	93	2,687	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	43	Farming	268
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	121
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	373
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14	Female	16
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	63	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	56	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	64	White	541
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	169,667	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	436,162	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,122		
Average per farm (\$)	77,436		

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.

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.