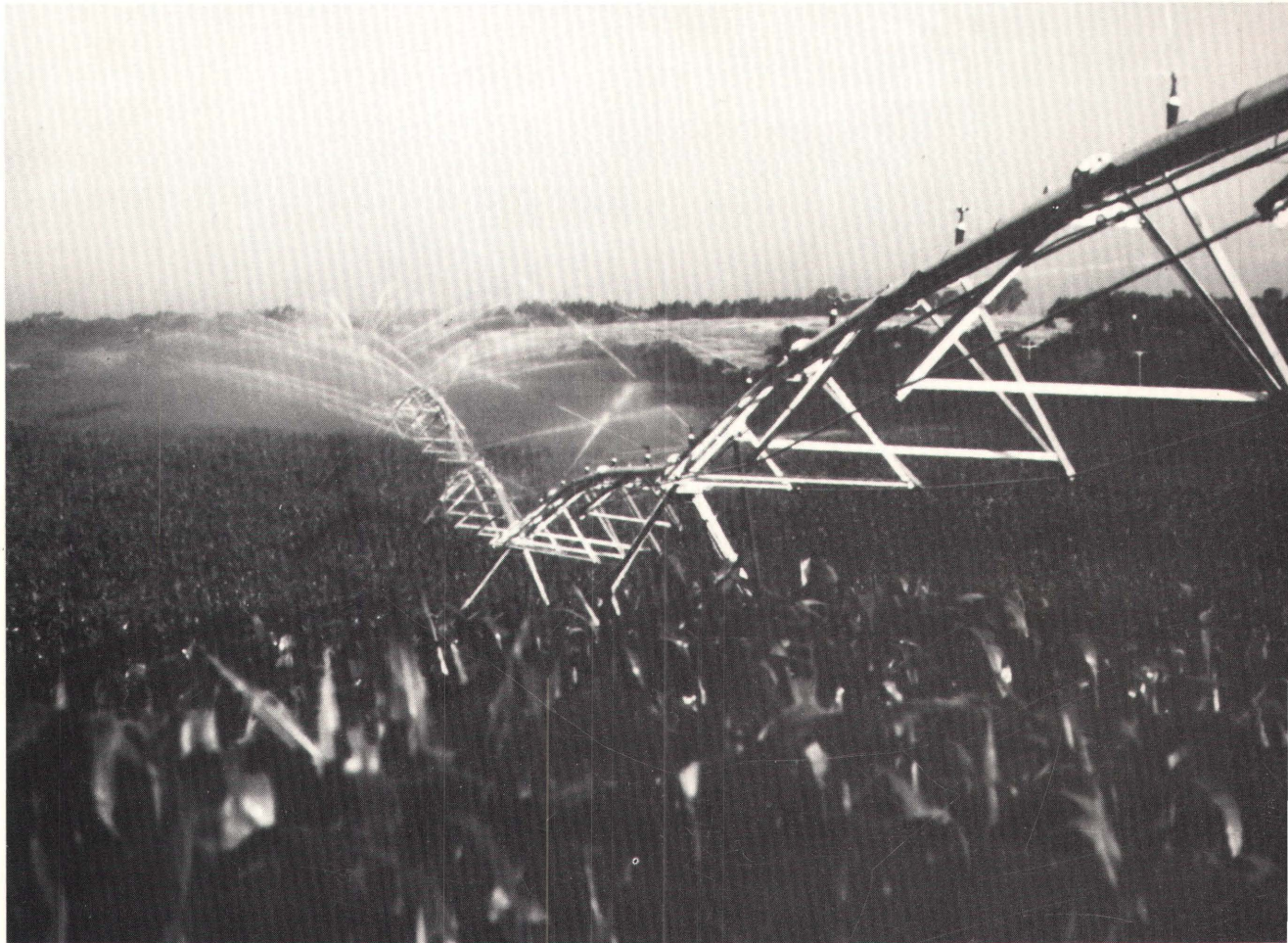


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CONVERSION FACTORS

Multiply	By	To obtain
	<i>Area</i>	
acres	43,450	square feet
	4,047	square meters
	0.001562	square miles
	<i>Flow</i>	
billion gallons per day	1,000	million gallons per day
	1,121	thousand acre-feet per day
	0.001547	thousand cubic feet per second
	0.6944	thousand gallons per minute
	0.003785	million cubic meters per day
thousand acre-feet per year	0.0008921	billion gallons per day
	0.8921	million gallons per day
	0.001380	thousand cubic feet per second
	0.6195	thousand gallons per minute
	0.003377	million cubic meters per day

(From U.S. Geological Survey Circular 1001, Estimated use of water in the United States in 1980, W. B. Solley, E. B. Chase, and W. B. Mann)

FACTORS FOR CONVERTING INCH-POUND UNITS TO INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM UNITS

Multiply	By	To obtain
	<i>Rate</i>	
gallons per day (GPD)	0.0037	cubic meters per day
million gallons per day		
day	3,700	cubic meters per day
(Mgal/d)		
	<i>Volume</i>	
acre-foot (acre-ft)	1,233	cubic meters
inch per acre	2.540	meter per acre
(in./acre)		

ESTIMATED USE OF WATER IN NEBRASKA, 1985

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ABSTRACT

The estimated volume of 19,187,200 acre-feet of water used in Nebraska during 1985 is an average of 17,116.15 million gallons per day. Surface water supplied 12,925,040 acre-feet or 67.4 percent of the total volume used. The remaining 6,262,160 acre-feet or 32.6 percent was pumped from the groundwater reservoir.

Power production was the greatest use of water of any category, with 10,415,200 acre-feet or 54.3 percent of the total use during 1985.

Excluding power production, estimated total water use in Nebraska in 1985 was 7,825.16 million gallons per day, or 8,772,000 acre-feet. Excluding power production, groundwater accounted for 71 percent—or 5,561.51 million gallons per day (6,234,450 acre-feet)—of this total water use in the state in 1985, and surface water accounted for 28.9 percent, or 2,363.65 million gallons per day (2,537,550 acre-feet).

Estimated irrigation water use of 8,144,170 acre-feet during 1985 was 42.4 percent of the total water use in the state; excluding power production, it was 92.8 percent of total water use.

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INTRODUCTION

Water-use data are collected cooperatively by the Conservation and Survey Division of the University of Nebraska–Lincoln, the Nebraska Department of Water Resources, the Little Blue Natural Resources District, and the Big Blue River Association of Ground Water Conservation Districts; these data are used to estimate the total water use in Nebraska. Aggregated water-use data are stored in the U.S. Geological Survey computer files in Reston, Virginia as part of a National Water Use Data System (NWUDS).

Estimates of water use in Nebraska during 1985 were needed for 12 water-use categories to include in the U.S. Geological Survey Water Resources Division's forthcoming report, "Estimated use of water in the United States in 1985." Estimates of water use in Nebraska during 1985 for 11 of these water-use categories and methods used to obtain these estimates are listed in this report under proper category headings. The twelfth category, water use for geothermal power generation, does not apply to Nebraska.

Water-use estimates for 1985 are given for Nebraska counties, hydrologic units, and subregions or drainage basins. County locations and identification numbers are shown in figure 1; hydrologic units and their identifying numbers are shown in figure 2; and subregions or drainage basins are shown in figure 3.

Data referenced to tables in this report are given in tables 1-28 at the end of the report.

Purpose and Scope

The purpose of this report is to present estimates of water use in Nebraska in 1985 as assembled and aggregated for the U.S. Geological Survey's National Water Use Data System for preparation of the 5-year water-use report "Estimated use of water in the United States in 1985" and to document the methods of estimation. Estimates are provided by county, hydrologic unit, and subregion for the various categories to facilitate their use by water planners and managers.

DEFINITION OF TERMS

The following definitions are provided for the convenience of users of this report:

Acre-foot (acre-ft) is the volume of water required to cover 1 acre of land to a depth of 1 foot and is equal to 43,560 cubic feet or about 326,000 gallons.

County number (county no.) is an identification number adopted from Federal Information Processing Standards Publication 6-2 (U.S. Water Resources Council, 1976) and used by the U.S. Geological Survey for the storage and retrieval of county data.

This identification number must be used when storing or retrieving county data from the National Water Use Data System.

Fossil-fuel power is electrical power generated using fossil fuel (coal, oil, or natural gas).

Groundwater generally is all subsurface water, as distinct from surface water, specifically, that part of the subsurface water in the saturated zone (a zone in which all voids are filled with water under pressure greater than or equal to atmospheric).

Groundwater Conservation District—a political entity within a county with authority to levy taxes for the development, conservation, regulation, and management of the groundwater resources within the boundaries of the district.

Hydroelectric-power water use—the use of water to drive turbines and generate electric power.

Hydrologic unit—a geographic area representing part or all of a surface drainage basin or distinct hydrologic feature as delineated by the U.S. Geological Survey on the state Hydrologic Unit Maps; each hydrologic unit is identified by an eight-digit number, the first four of which denote the region and subregion containing the unit.

Instream water use—water used within the stream channel for purposes such as hydroelectric power generation, navigation, water-quality improvement, fish propagation, and recreation.

Million gallons per day (Mgal/d)—a standard term used to denote an average daily use rate.

National Water Use Data System (NWUDS)—a national system established by the U.S. Geological Survey for the storage and retrieval of aggregated estimates of water used by the states.

Natural Resources District (NRD)—a political entity established by the Nebraska State Legislature with the authority to levy taxes for the development, conservation, regulation, and management of natural resources within the boundaries of the district.

Offstream water use—Water withdrawn or diverted from a ground- or surface-water source for public supply, industry, irrigation, livestock, and self-supplied domestic use.

Per capita use—the average amount of water used per person per day, in gallons per day (GPD) per capita.

Subregion—geographic area representing a drainage basin or distinct hydrologic feature as delineated by the U.S. Geological Survey on the state Hydrologic Unit Maps, comprising one or more hydrologic units and identified by a four-digit number, the first two of which identify the region containing the subregion.

Surface water—an open body of water such as a river, creek, lake, reservoir, or pond.

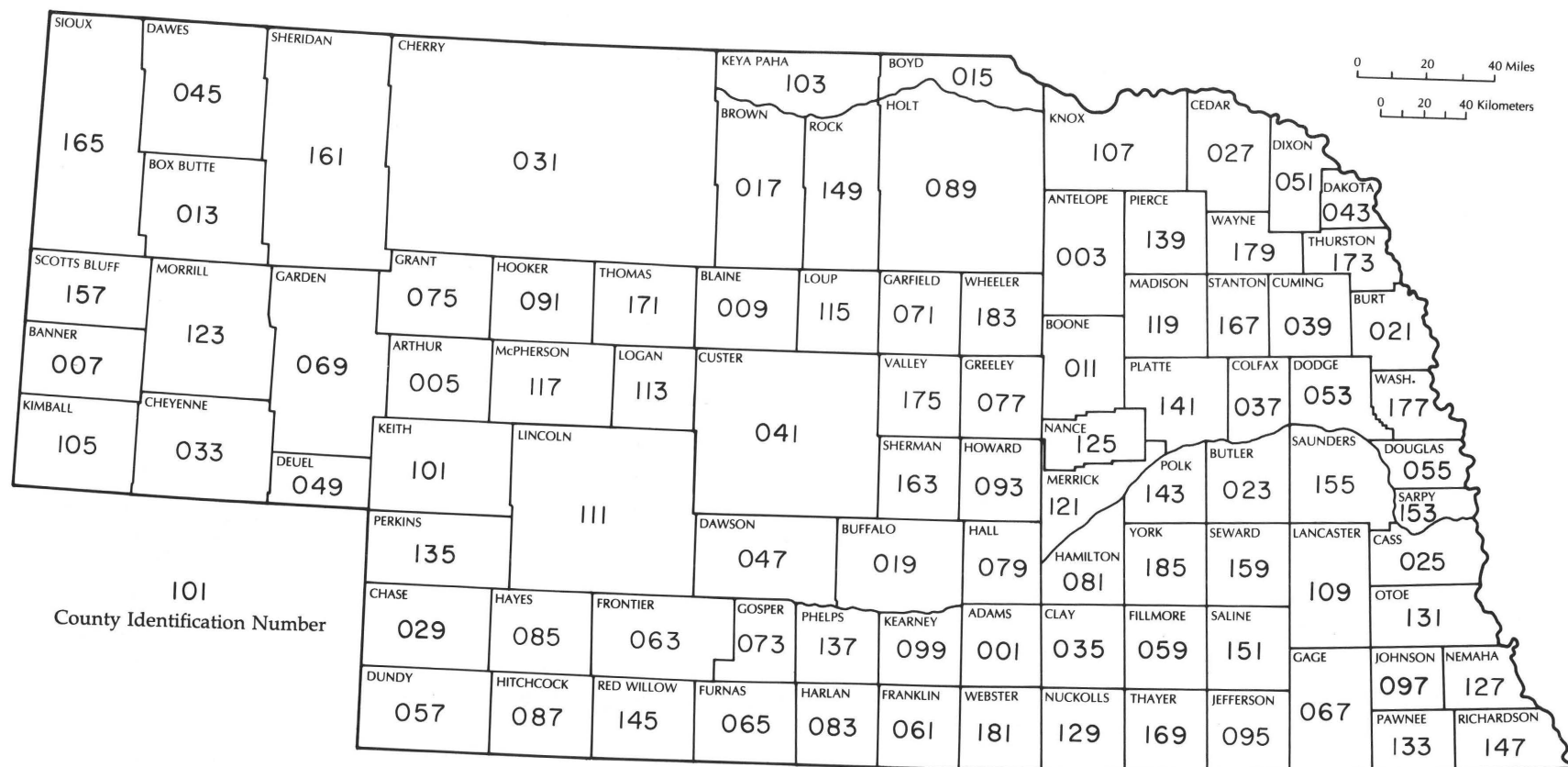


Figure 1. Locations and identification numbers of Nebraska counties

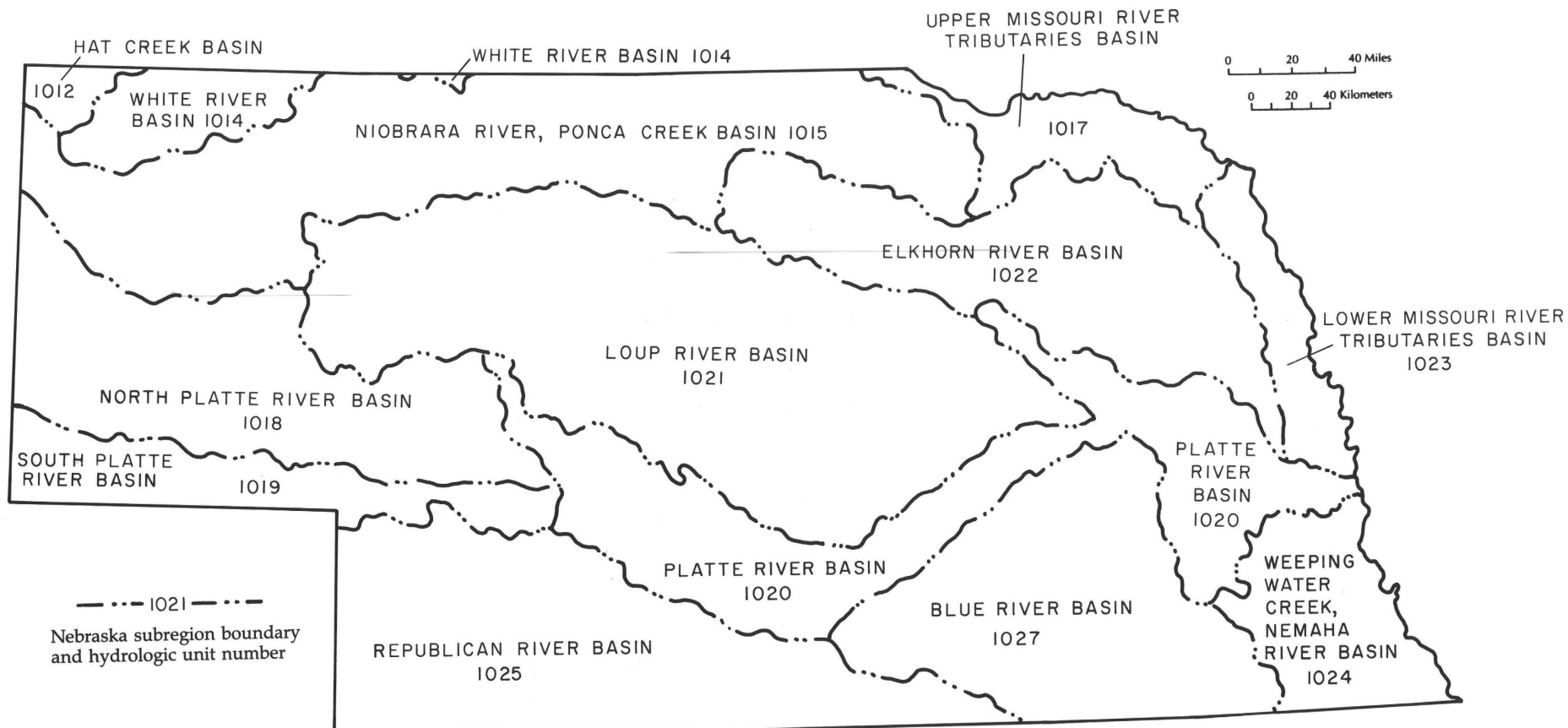


Figure 3. Subregions and drainage basins of Nebraska

EFFECTS OF HYDROLOGY AND GEOLOGY ON WATER USE

Volume or rates used for various water-use categories are dependent to some extent on the available supply of water, the ease by which it can be obtained, and the cost of pumping and transporting it. Other conditions that affect the rate of water used are precipitation and temperature. For example, water used for irrigation and for lawns and gardens would be less during a year of greater-than-normal precipitation and lower-than-normal temperatures.

The average annual precipitation for Nebraska for 1951-1980 is shown in figure 4. The 1985 departure from normal precipitation for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) climatic divisions in Nebraska is shown in figure 5. The time-liness of precipitation will affect water use more than the annual amount; and the departures given in figure 5 show above-normal precipitation for May through September 1985 for five of the NOAA divisions in Nebraska. Average mean temperatures were lower than normal throughout the state for this period, and supplemental water needed for crop production was about 22 percent less than the estimate for 1980 (Solley and others, 1983).

Abundant groundwater is available at moderate pumping depths in most areas of the state, and 35.8 percent of the offstream water-use requirement for 1985 was withdrawn from groundwater supplies. The transmissivity of the principal groundwater reservoir in Nebraska is shown in figure 6.

ESTIMATED WATER USE IN NEBRASKA, 1985

The estimated volume of water used in Nebraska during 1985 is 19,187,200 acre-ft, which is an average use rate of 17,116.15 Mgal/d (million gallons per day) and a per capita use rate of 10,662 GPD (gallons per day) for the estimated population of 1,605,300 (U.S. Bureau of Census estimate, July 1, 1985).

Total water use by category for Nebraska during 1985 is shown in figure 7. Total water use by category for Nebraska's subregions during 1985 is shown in figures 8-14.

The estimated use of 11,529.92 Mgal/d from surface-water supplies accounted for 67.4 percent of the total water use in Nebraska during 1985, and water use for power generation—9,266.27 Mgal/d—was 80.4 percent of the total surface-water use. Surface-water use by category for Nebraska during 1985 is shown in figure 15.

Estimated groundwater use of 5,586.23 Mgal/d accounted for the remaining 32.6 percent of water used in Nebraska during 1985, and the estimated groundwater use for irrigation—5,178.08 Mgal/d—was 92.8 percent of the total groundwater used in 1985. Groundwater use by category for Nebraska during 1985 is shown in figure 16. Excluding power production, estimated total water use in Nebraska in 1985 was 7,825.16 Mgal/d, or 8,772,000 acre-ft.

Excluding power production, groundwater accounted for 71 percent—or 5,561.51 Mgal/d (6,234,450 acre-ft)—of this total water use in the state in 1985, and surface water accounted for 28.9 percent, or 2,363.65 Mgal/d (2,537,550 acre-ft).

Deliveries from Public Water Supply

Water use for this category includes water withdrawn by public and private suppliers and delivered to users that do not supply their own water. These suppliers provide water for a variety of uses, such as domestic, commercial, and industrial.

The amount of water withdrawn for public-supply use of 247.88 Mgal/d was 1.4 percent of the total water used in Nebraska during 1985. Domestic water use of 148.58 Mgal/d was 59.9 percent of public supply. The remaining 40.1 percent or 99.30 Mgal/d was used for commercial and industrial purposes. Groundwater withdrawals of 208.42 Mgal/d accounted for 84.1 percent of total public supply.

The range of withdrawal for public water supply in Nebraska counties during 1985 is shown in figure 17. The range for subregions is shown in figure 18.

Public water-supply withdrawals and deliveries for domestic, commercial, and industrial uses in Nebraska counties during 1985 are given in table 1, and in hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are given in table 2.

Domestic Water Use

Domestic water use includes water used for household purposes, such as drinking, food preparation, bathing, washing clothes and dishes, flushing stools, and watering lawns and gardens. This use can be served by purchases from a public or private water supplier or by self-supplied withdrawals.

Domestic water use in Nebraska during 1985 was estimated to be 172.98 Mgal/d for an average of 108 GPD per capita. Deliveries from public supply of 148.58 Mgal/d accounted for 85.9 percent of domestic water use. Groundwater withdrawals of 132.18 Mgal/d comprised 89 percent of domestic deliveries from public supply; the remaining 16.4 Mgal/d, or 11 percent, were from surface-water diversions.

The range in amounts of domestic water used in Nebraska counties is shown in figure 19, and the range in domestic water use for Nebraska subregions is shown in figure 20. Estimates of total domestic water use in Nebraska counties and for hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are given in tables 3 and 4.

The estimated domestic water use in Nebraska counties during 1985 ranged from 0.05 Mgal/d in Arthur County to 27.52 Mgal/d in Douglas County. Estimated domestic water use in Nebraska hydrologic units ranged from less than 0.002 Mgal/d in the Republican River basin (Unit 10250003) to 35.55 Mgal/d in the Lower Missouri River Tributaries basin (Unit 10230006).

Total amounts for domestic water use given above are aggregates of estimates made for public-supplied and self-supplied population as explained in the following subsections.

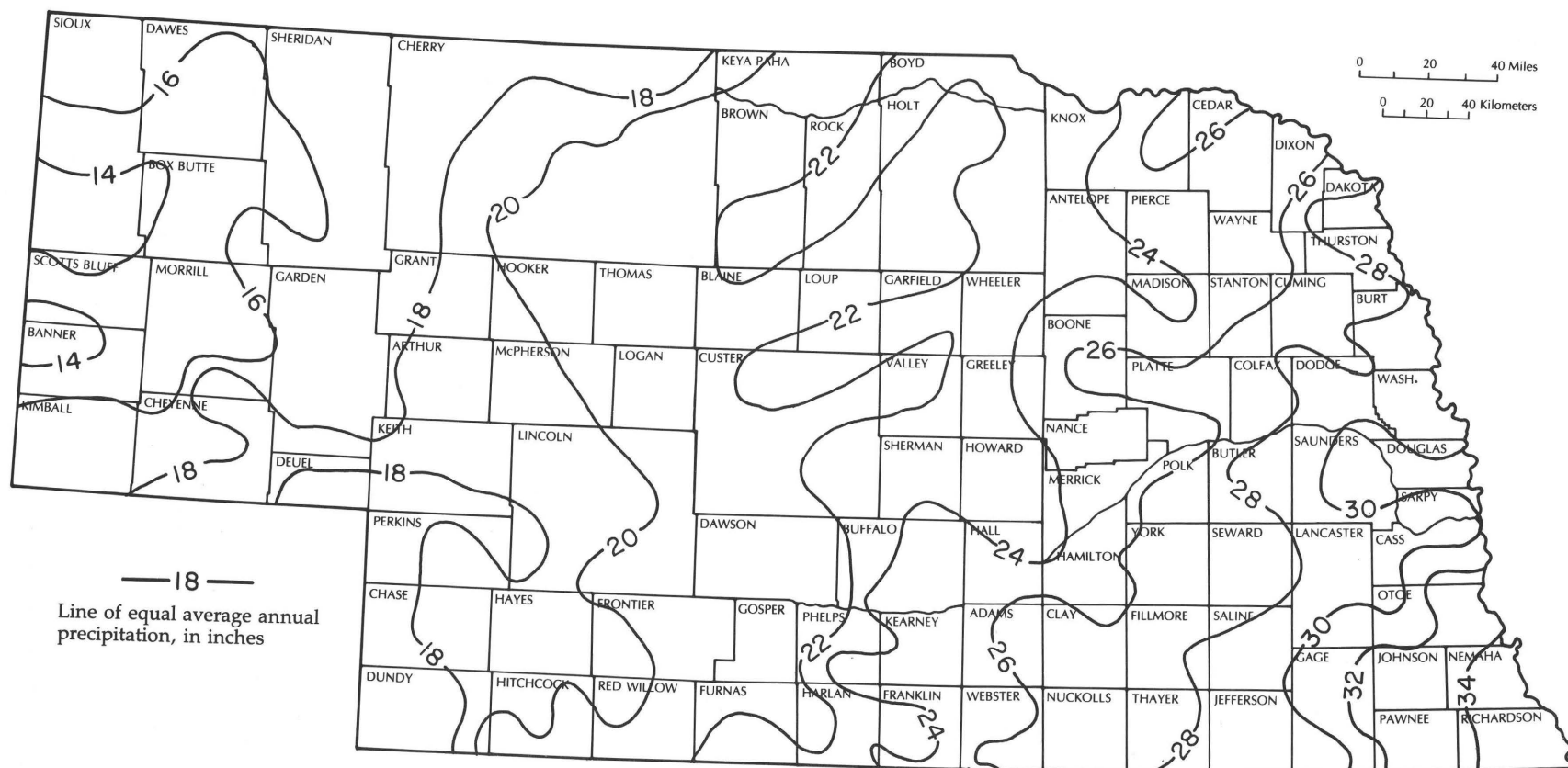


Figure 4. Average annual precipitation for Nebraska, 1951-80

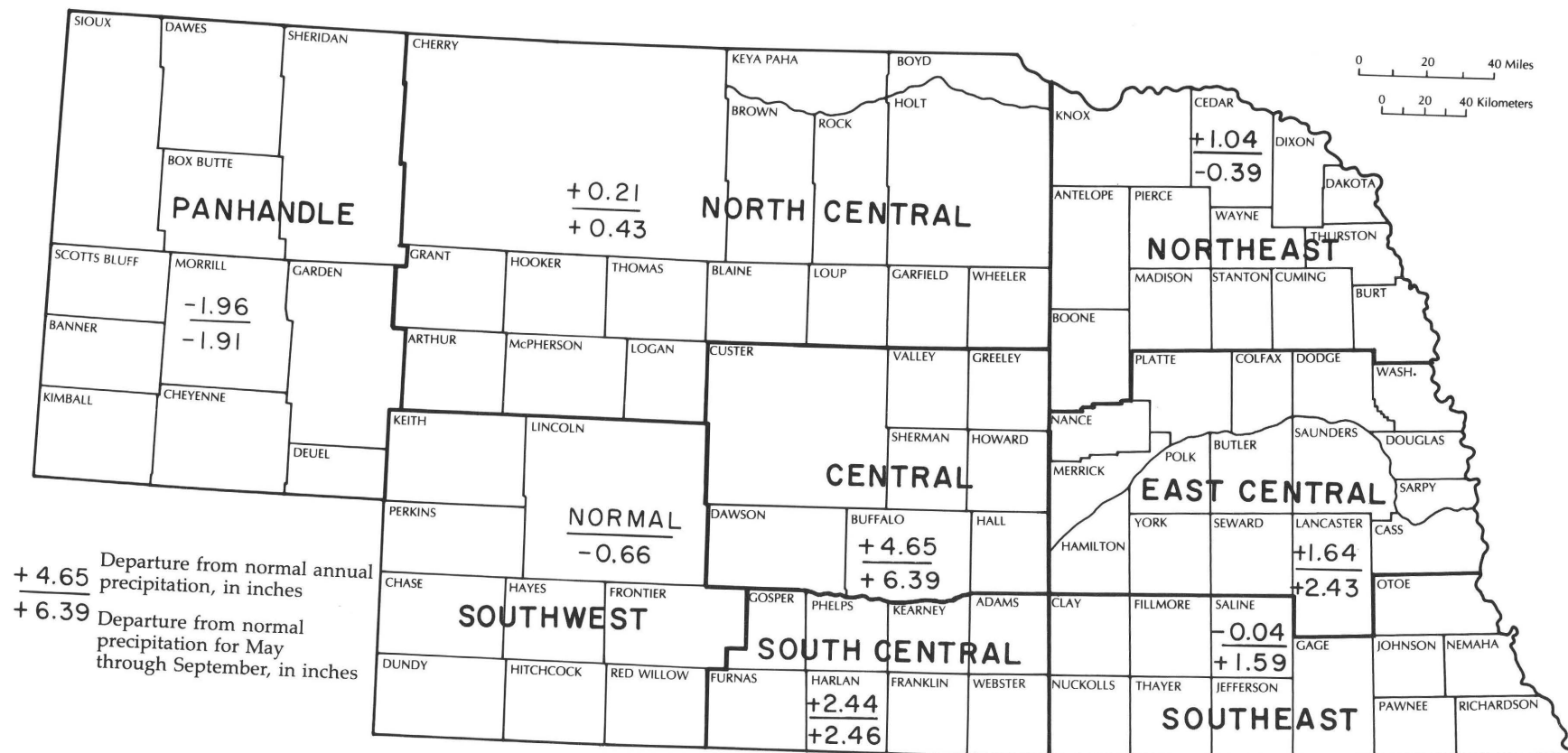
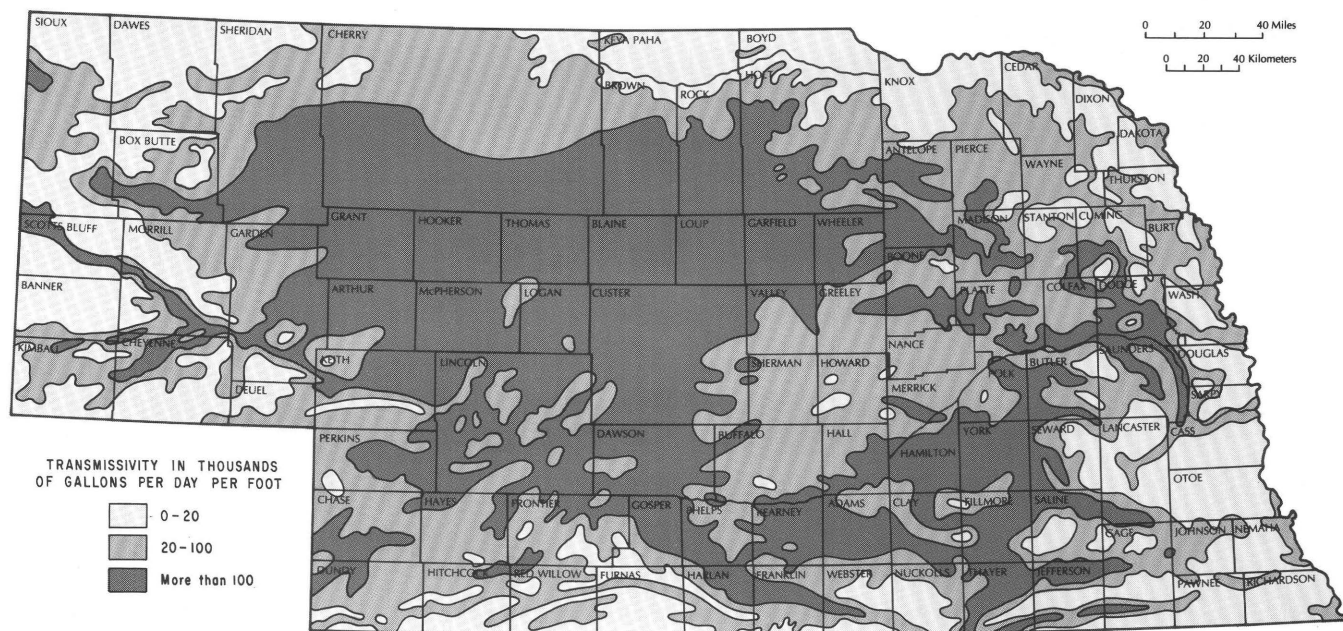


Figure 5. 1985 departure from normal precipitation for National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) divisions in Nebraska



From: The Groundwater Atlas of Nebraska, (Resource Atlas No. 4) 1986, Conservation and Survey Division, Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Transmissivity is a measure of the volume of groundwater that will flow through a given width of an aquifer under a specified slope of the water table. In practical terms, it provides a measure of the ability of an aquifer to supply water to wells. Transmissivity is dependent on a combination of the saturated thickness and the permeability of the aquifer. Thick aquifers of highly permeable materials have the highest transmissivity. The conversion of transmissivity values to potential well yields requires the consideration of more factors than transmissivity alone, such as the type of well construction and development, the amount of drawdown and whether the groundwater is confined or unconfined. Usually, where transmissivity values exceed 20,000 gallons per day per foot, wells can be developed with yields adequate for some types of irrigation. Where transmissivity values exceed 100,000 gallons per day per foot, high-capacity wells of more than 1,000 gallons per minute can be developed for irrigation for other purposes.

Coarse-grained sediment is generally more permeable than fine-grained sediment. The areas showing the highest transmissivity have coarse-grained deposits of sand, sandstone and/or sandy gravel. Low transmissivity areas are characterized either by fine-grained deposits or by thin deposits of coarse-grained sediments. In such areas, the depth to bedrock generally is shallow or the overlying till is thick, as in the eastern part of the state.

The greatest thickness of saturated, coarse-grained deposits in the state underlies the Sand Hills region. Transmissivity values are high in this region, as they are in the North Platte River and South Platte River valleys, the Platte River valley and in much of the Big Blue River basin. Local areas of high transmissivity also occur where thick layers of sand and gravel fill bedrock paleovalleys. An example of the location of a paleovalley is the band of high transmissivity across southern Thayer, Jefferson, and Gage counties.

Figure 6. Transmissivity of the principal groundwater reservoir in Nebraska

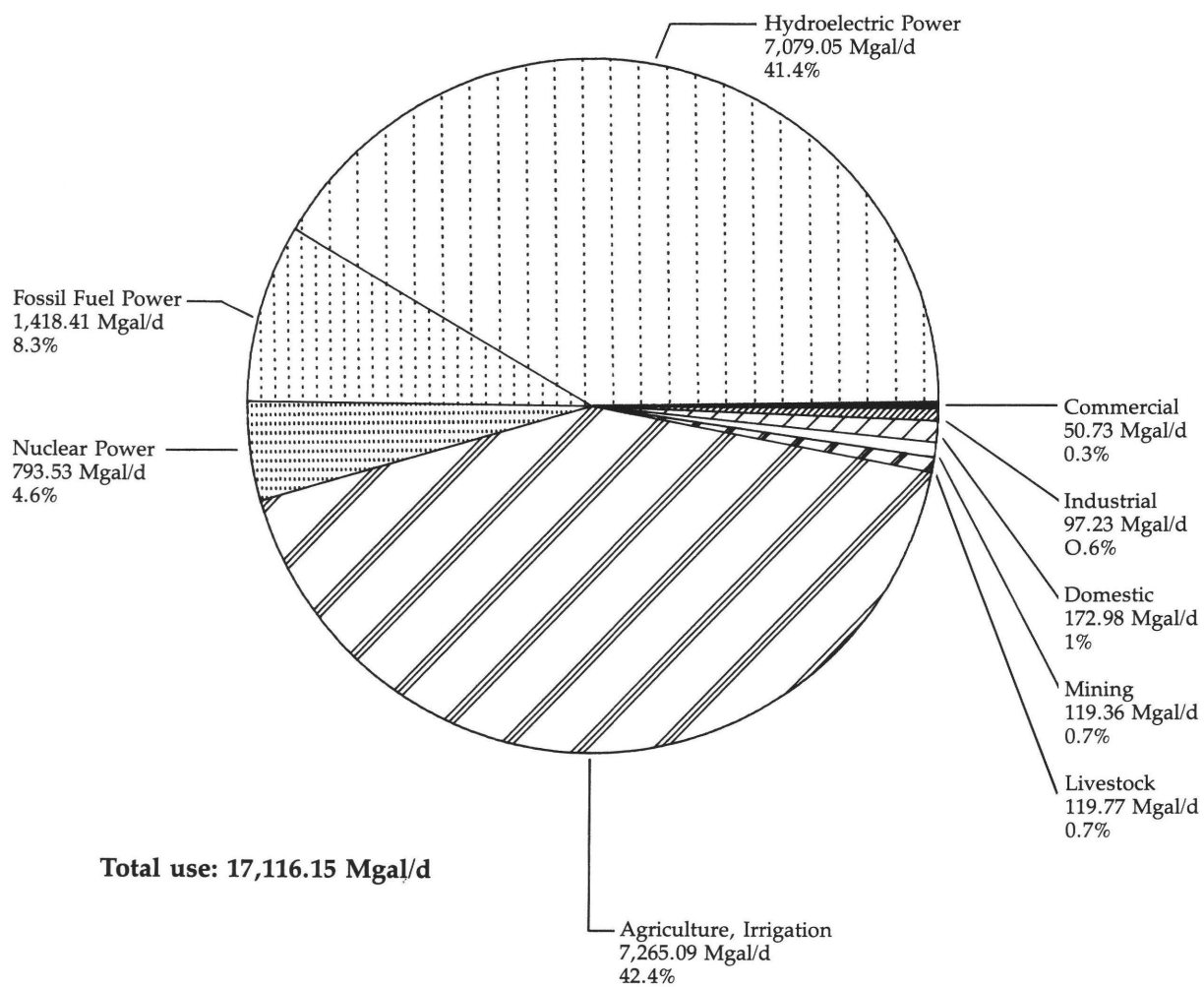
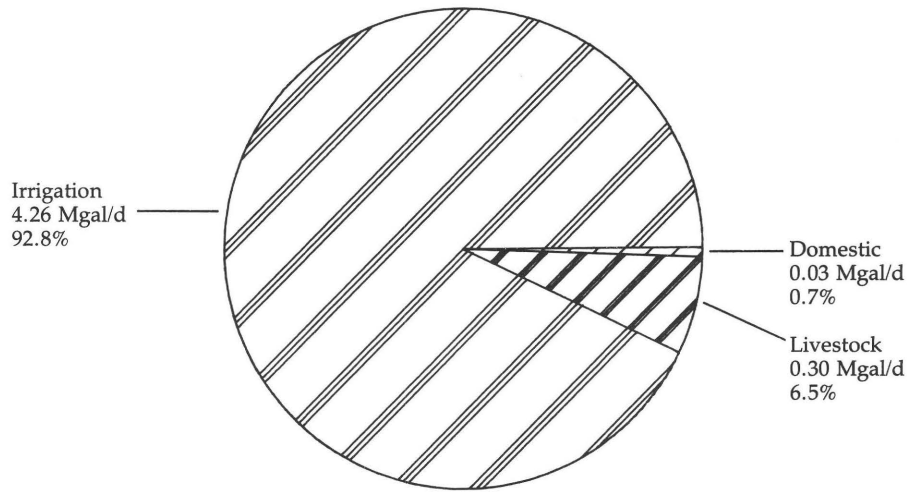


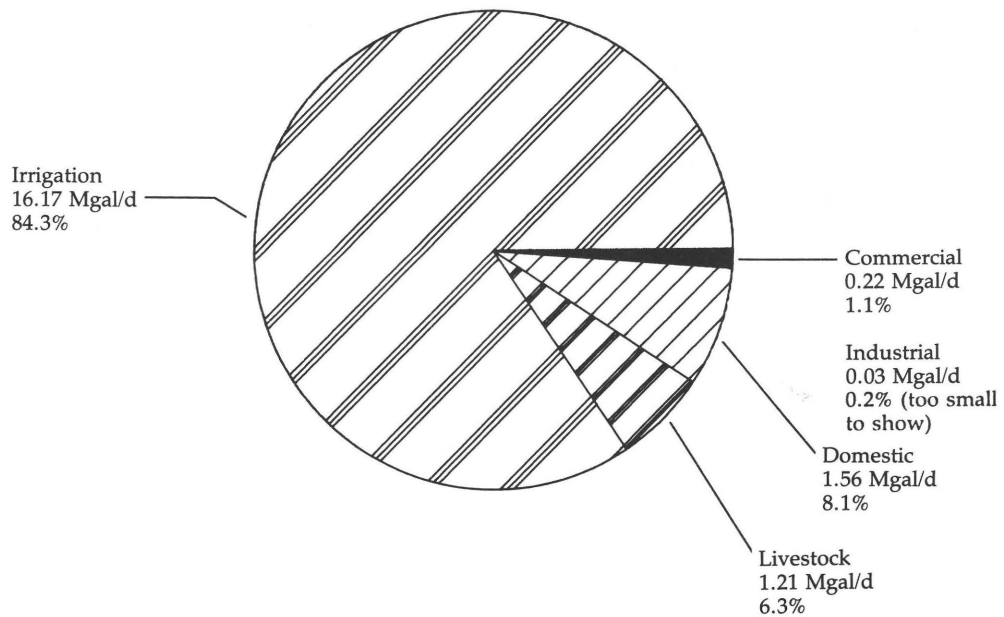
Figure 7. Estimated total water use in Nebraska, 1985

HAT CREEK BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1012



Total water use: 4.59 Mgal/d

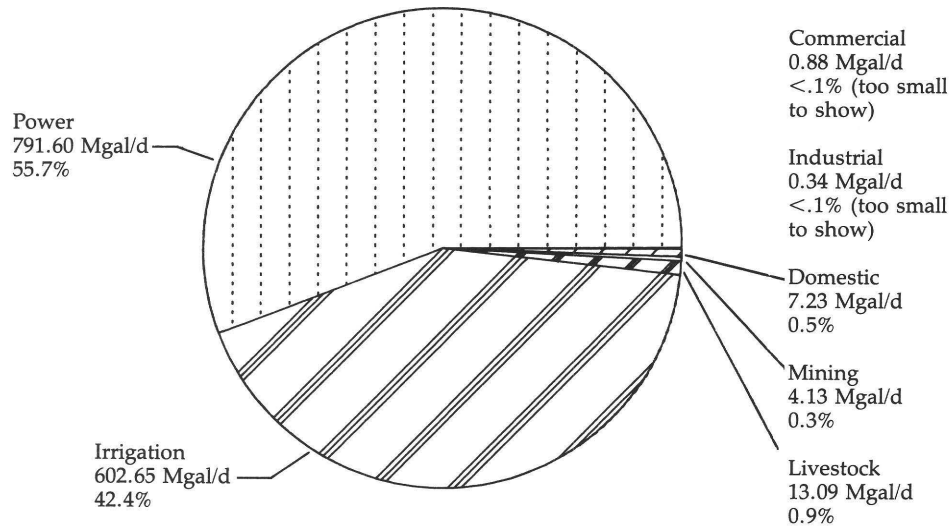
WHITE RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1014



Total water use: 19.19 Mgal/d

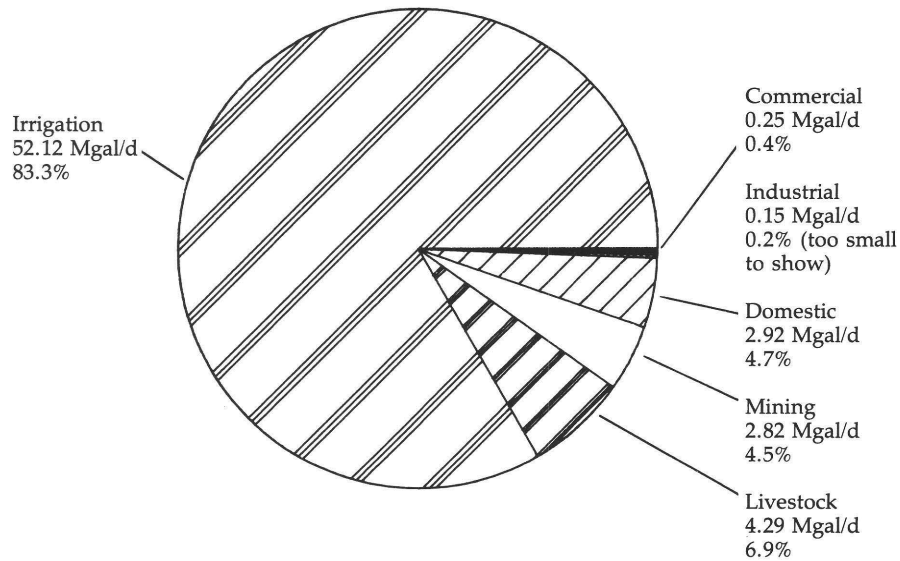
Figure 8. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1012 and 1014 during 1985

NIOBRARA RIVER, PONCA CREEK BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1015



Total water use: 1,419.92 Mgal/d

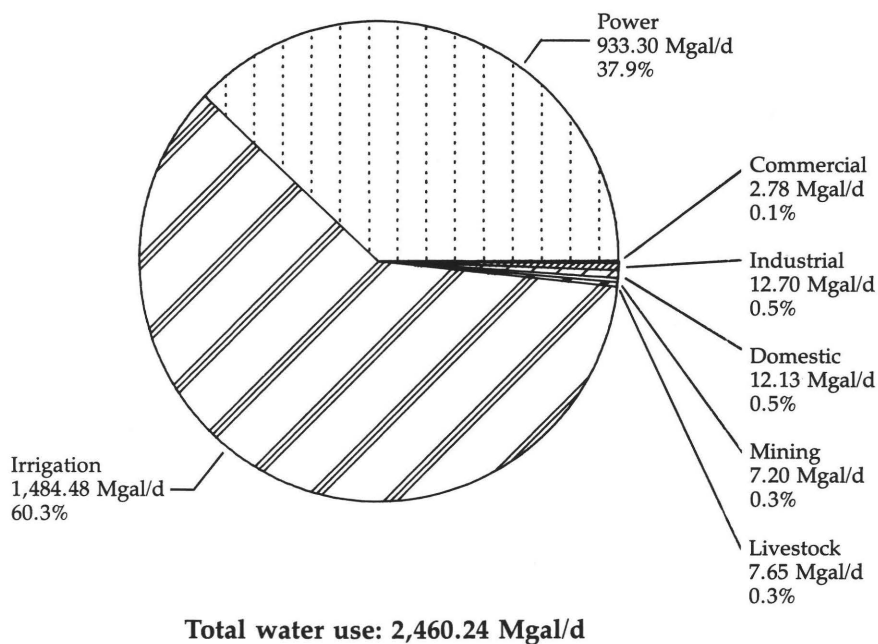
UPPER MISSOURI TRIBUTARIES BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1017



Total water use: 62.55 Mgal/d

Figure 9. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1015 and 1017 during 1985

NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1018



SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1019

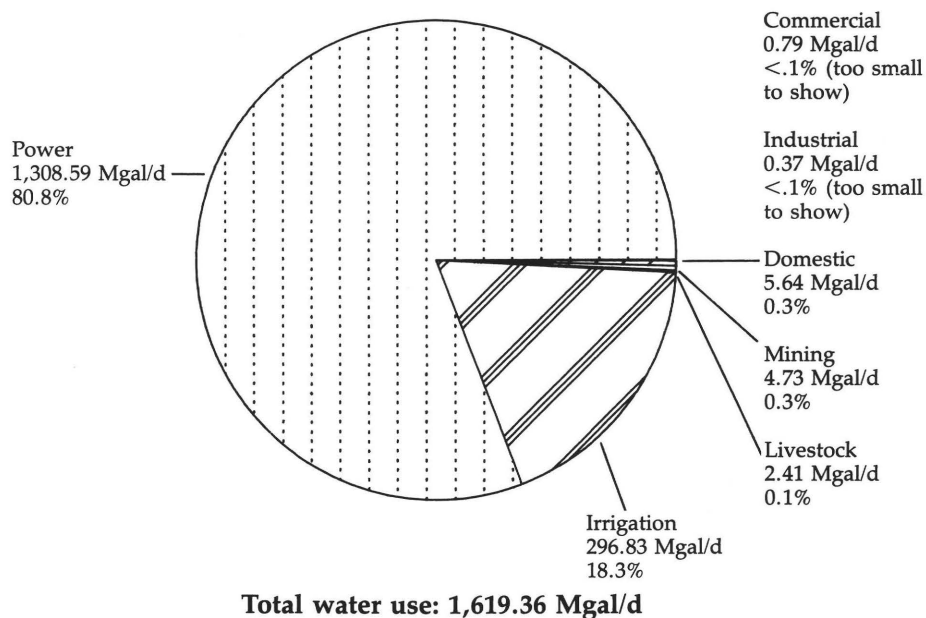
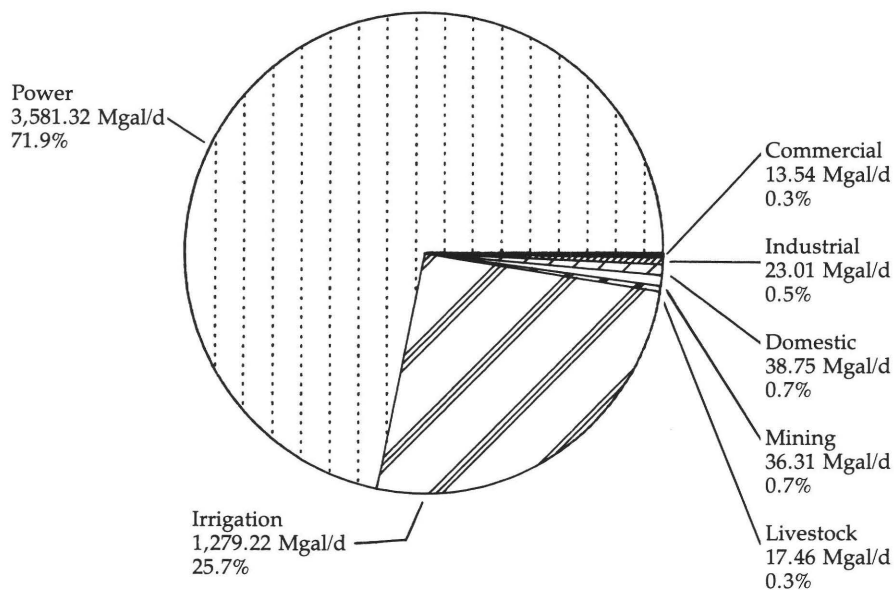


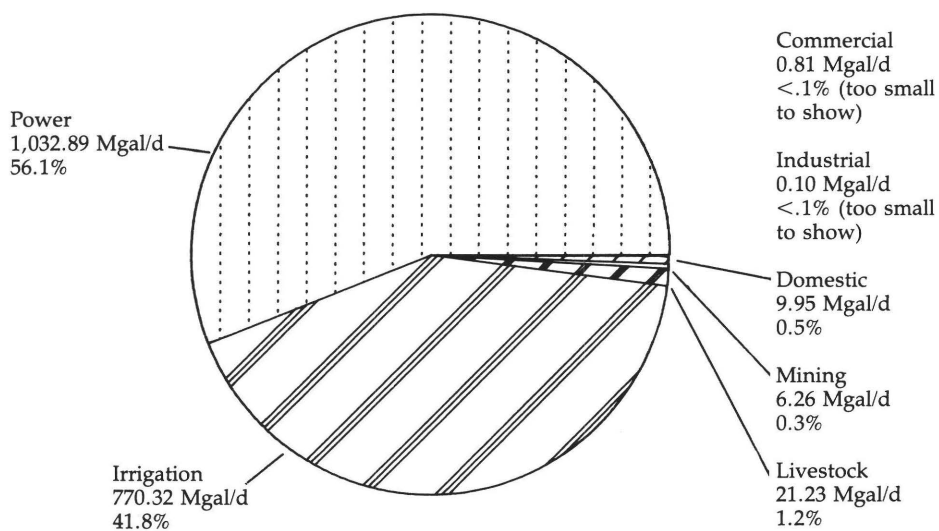
Figure 10. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1018 and 1019 during 1985

PLATTE RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1020



Total water use: 4,986.61 Mgal/d

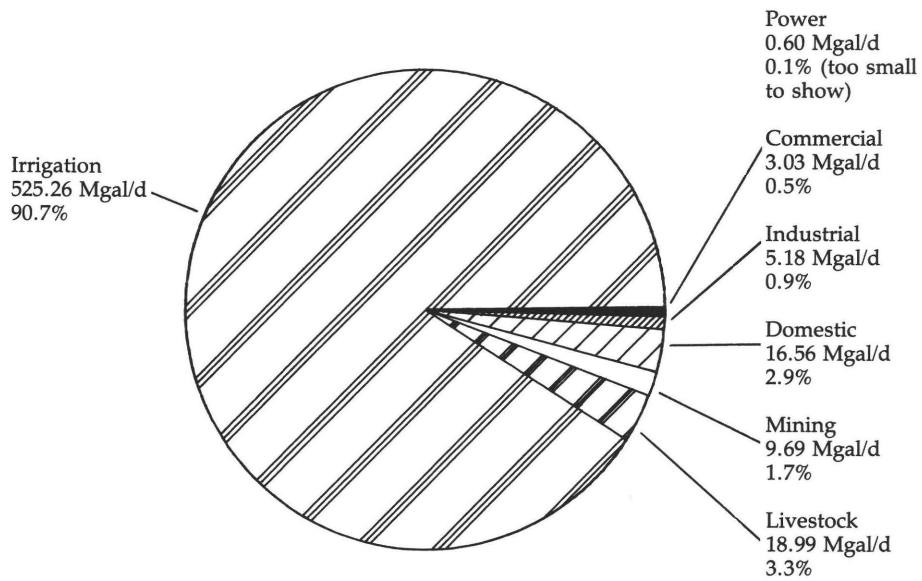
LOUP RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1021



Total water use: 1,841.56 Mgal/d

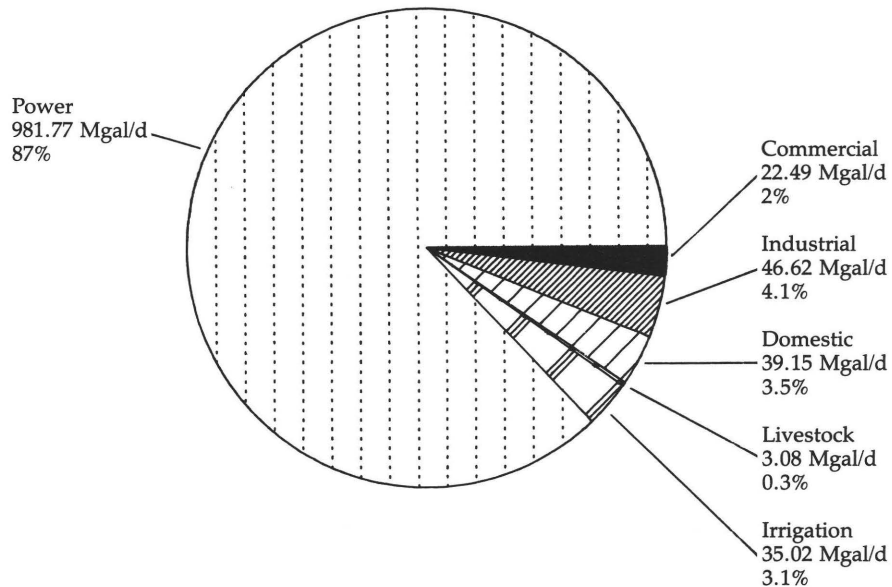
Figure 11. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1020 and 1021 during 1985

ELKHORN RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1022



Total water use: 579.31 Mgal/d

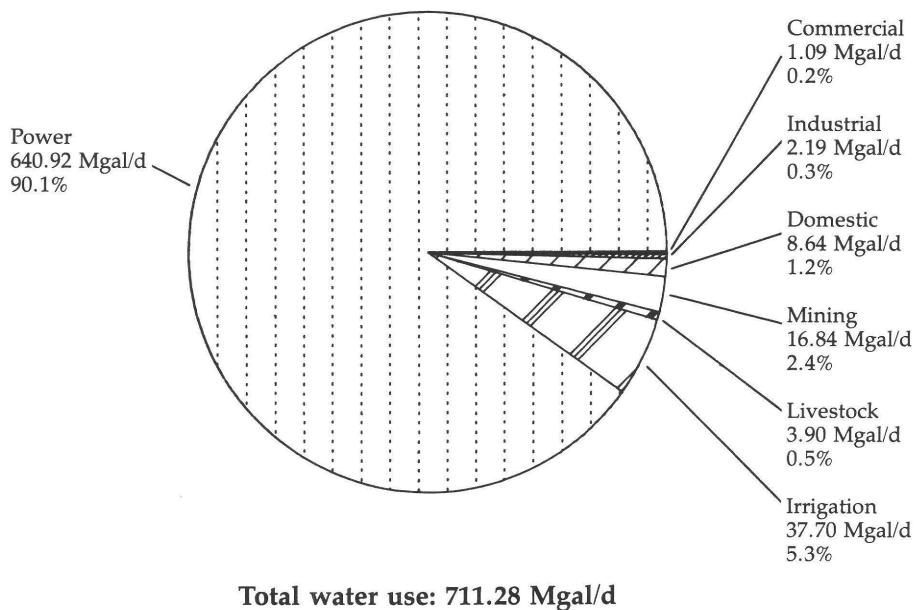
LOWER MISSOURI TRIBUTARIES BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1023



Total water use: 1,128.13 Mgal/d

Figure 12. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1022 and 1023 during 1985

WEeping WATER CREEK, NEMAHA RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1024



REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1025

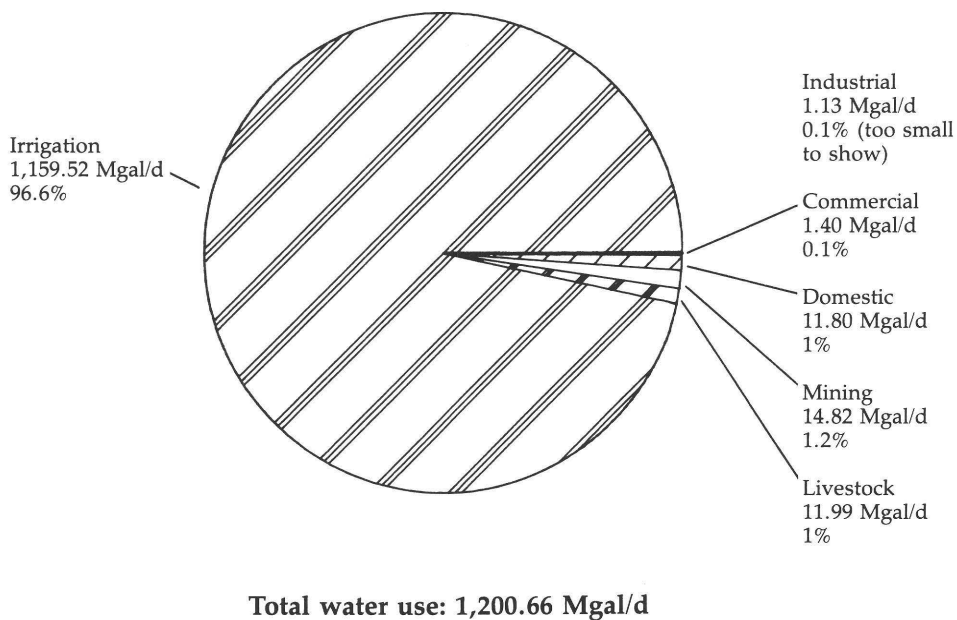


Figure 13. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregions 1024 and 1025 during 1985

BLUE RIVER BASIN HYDROLOGIC UNIT SUBREGION 1027

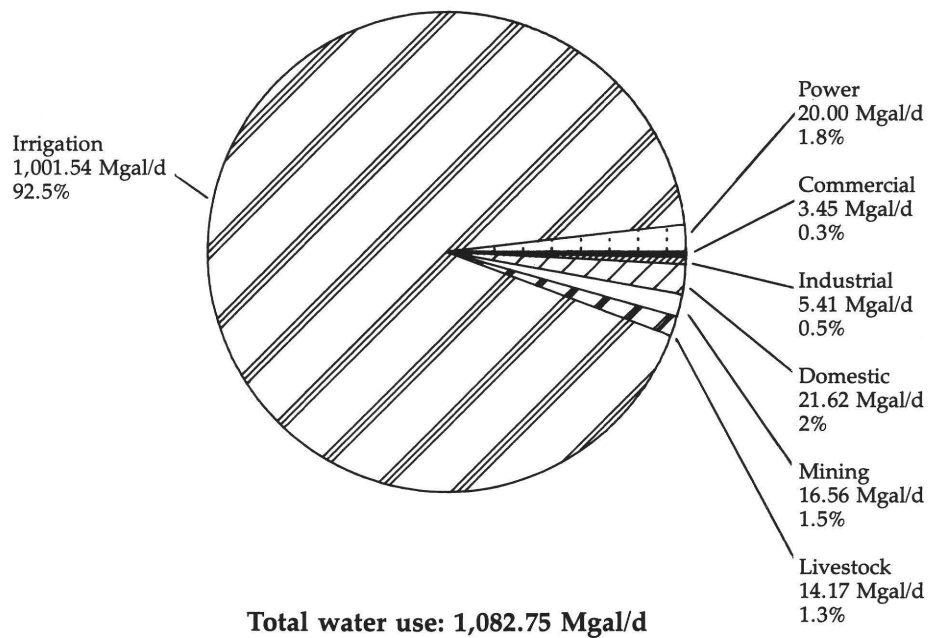
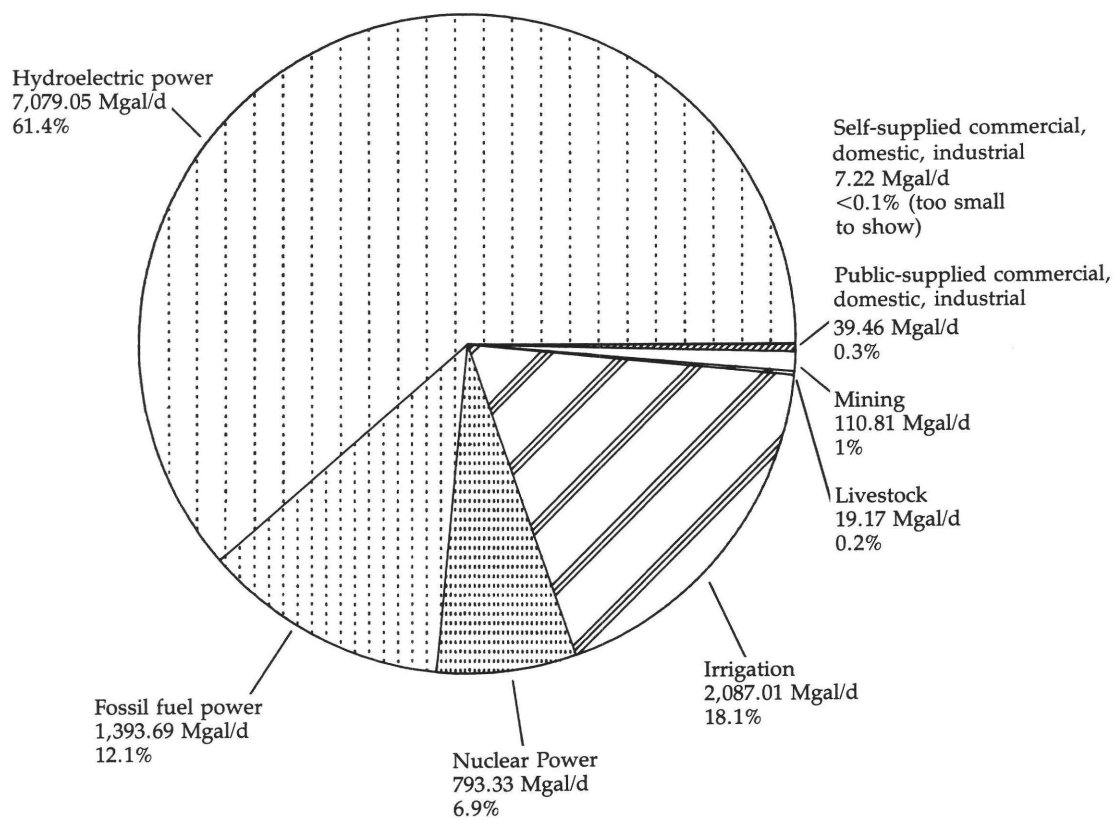
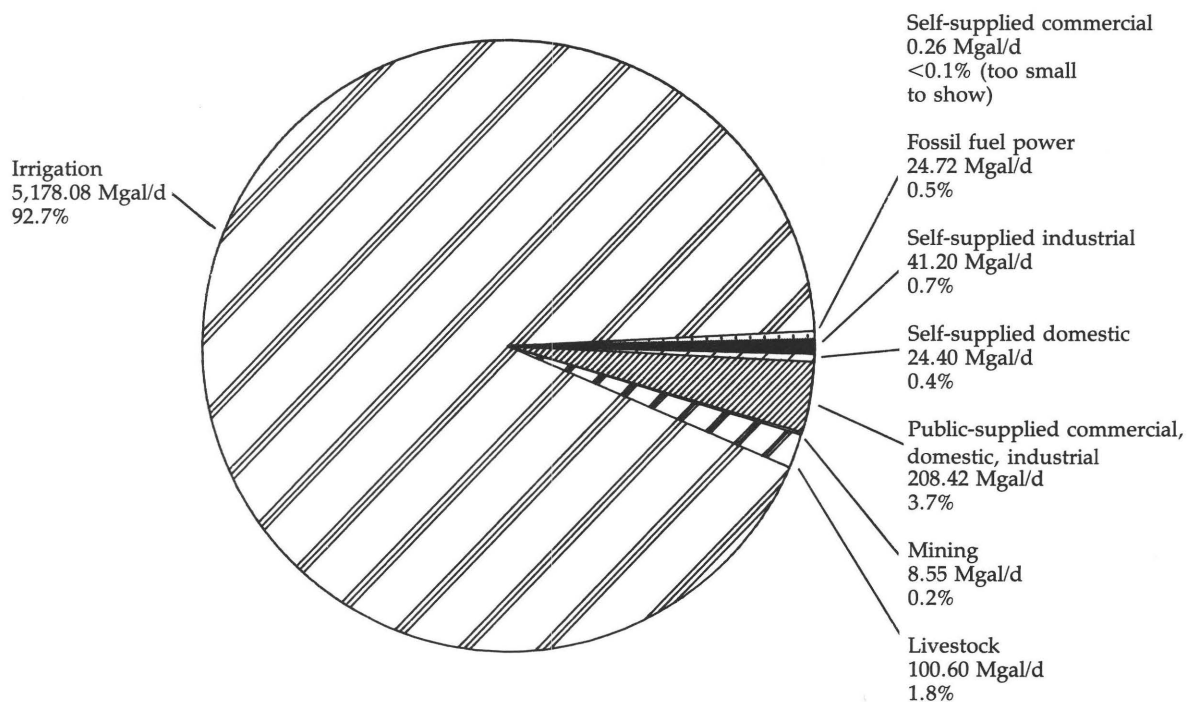


Figure 14. Estimated water use in Nebraska subregion 1027 during 1985



Total surface water use: 11,529.92 Mgal/d

Figure 15. Estimated surface-water use in Nebraska, 1985



Total groundwater use: 5,586.23 Mgal/d

Figure 16. Estimated groundwater use in Nebraska, 1985

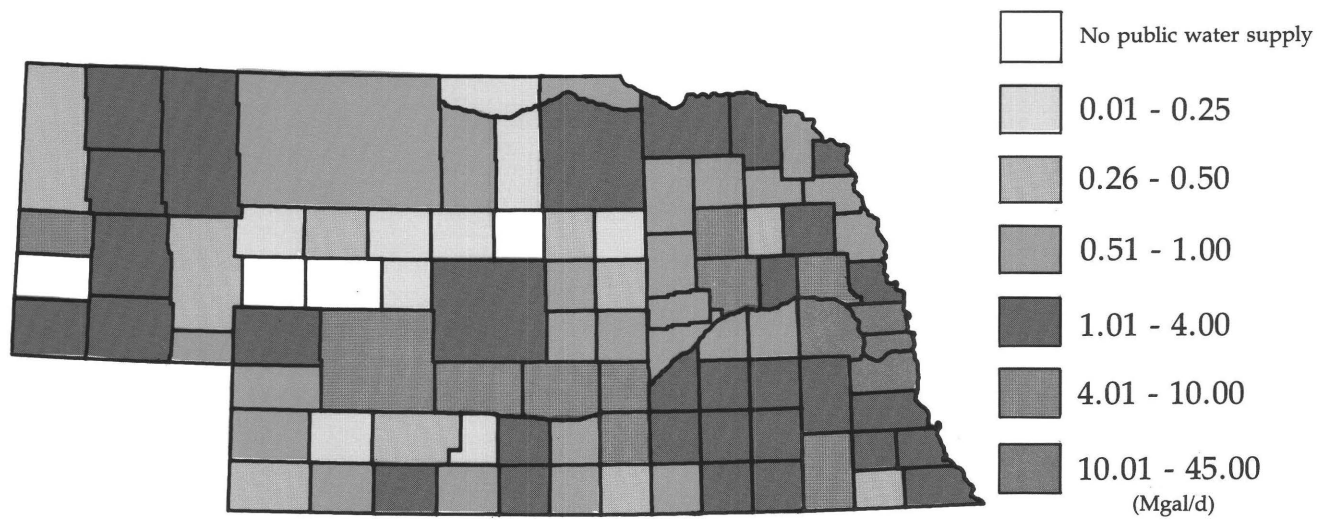


Figure 17. Public water-supply withdrawals in Nebraska counties, 1985

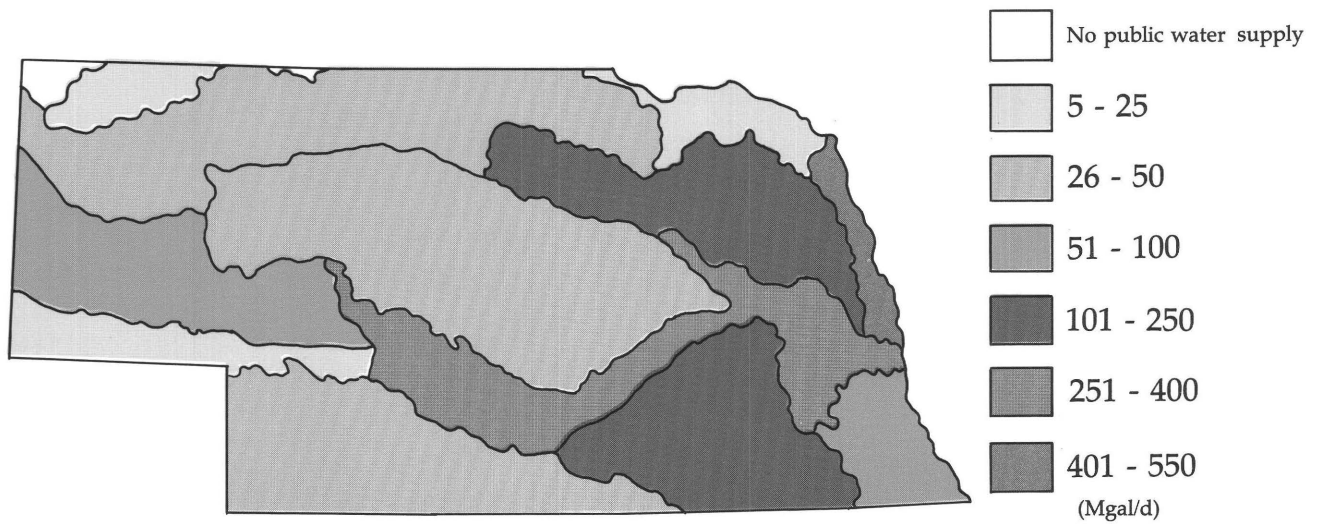


Figure 18. Public water-supply withdrawals in Nebraska subregions, 1985

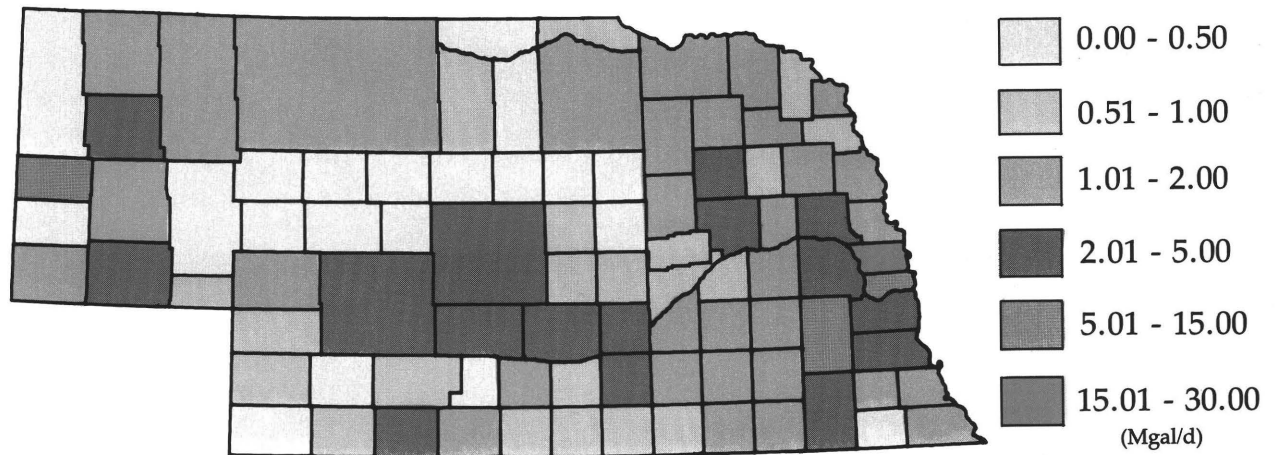


Figure 19. Total domestic water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

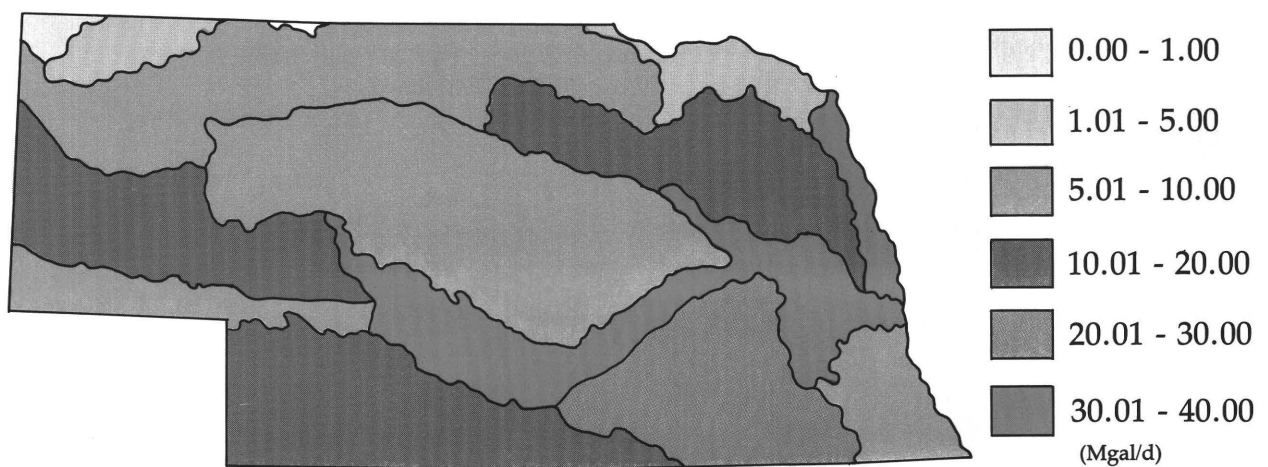


Figure 20. Total domestic water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

Public-Supplied Domestic Water Use

Public-supplied water use in Nebraska during 1985 was estimated from withdrawal amounts for municipal and rural water districts furnished by the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Conservation and Survey Division. These amounts were total withdrawals by the public-supply system for all purposes. Actual delivery amounts for the categories served were not available, and estimates of percentages of domestic water use were made from information obtained from water commissioners, city services personnel, or plant operators. Population numbers are from estimated county populations on July 1, 1985, supplied by the U.S. Bureau of Census to the National Water Use Data System.

Public-supplied domestic water use ranged from none in Arthur, Banner, Loup, and McPherson counties, which have no public-supply systems, to 26.54 Mgal/d in Douglas County. The range in use for subregions was from none in Hat Creek basin (no public-supply systems in basin), subregion 1012, to 37.62 Mgal/d in the Lower Missouri River Tributaries basin, subregion 1023. Estimates of public-supplied domestic water use for Nebraska counties and for hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are given in tables 5 and 6, respectively.

The average daily public-supplied domestic water use in Nebraska during 1985 was 112 GPD per capita. The average daily public-supplied domestic water use for Nebraska counties is shown in figure 21. The trend for increased per capita domestic water use from east to west across the state, as annual precipitation amounts decrease, is apparent in figure 21. The population served by public-supply systems in Nebraska counties during 1985 is shown in figure 22. The population served by public-supply systems in Nebraska subregions is shown in figure 23.

Self-Supplied Domestic Water Use

Self-supplied domestic water use in Nebraska is estimated, because no data base of actual measurements exists for this category. The estimated self-supplied domestic water use in Nebraska during 1985 was determined by assigning estimates of gallons per day per capita to each county, based on values used by Steele (1985, p. 11), with adjustments for 1985 precipitation. These estimated values are shown in figure 24.

Populations using self-supplied domestic water for Nebraska counties were determined by subtracting populations served by municipal and rural water districts from the U.S. Bureau of Census July 1, 1985, estimates of county population. This computation for Boyd County indicated the total county population was served by public-supply systems. There are some self-supplied rural systems in the county, but since the total population is accounted for in the public-supplied water-use category, no adjustment was made to the county population estimate furnished by the Bureau of Census.

Estimates of self-supplied domestic water use in

Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are listed in tables 7 and 8, respectively. Self-supplied domestic water use for Nebraska counties ranged from none (as explained above for Boyd County) to 1.02 Mgal/d in Scotts Bluff County. Self-supplied domestic use for Nebraska subregions ranged from 0.03 Mgal/d in the Hat Creek basin, subregion 1012, to 5.19 Mgal/d in the Platte River basin, subregion 1020. All self-supplied domestic water use in Nebraska is from groundwater withdrawals.

Commercial Water Use

The commercial water-use category includes water withdrawn or delivered for use by facilities such as restaurants, lodging places, office buildings, retail stores, military facilities, etc. Water use for this category was estimated to be 50.73 Mgal/d during 1985 in Nebraska. Deliveries from public supplies of 50.47 Mgal/d accounted for 99.5 percent of this use.

The estimates of public-supplied commercial water use were made from information obtained from municipalities on percentages of total withdrawals for this category. Self-supplied commercial water use was estimated and updated from an inventory of facilities by Lawton and others, 1983.

The range of commercial water use in Nebraska counties and subregions is shown in figures 25 and 26, respectively. Estimates of commercial water use during 1985 in Nebraska counties and subregions are listed in tables 9 and 10, respectively.

Industrial Water Use

Industrial water use includes withdrawals and deliveries by industrial facilities in the manufacturing process. Industrial water use in Nebraska during 1985 was estimated to be 97.23 Mgal/d; public-supplied delivery of 48.83 Mgal/d accounted for 50.2 percent, and self-supplied withdrawals of 48.40 Mgal/d accounted for 49.8 percent.

The estimate of public-supplied industrial water use was made from information supplied by municipalities on the percentage of total withdrawals for this category because metered delivery amounts were not available. Self-supplied industrial water use was estimated from an inventory of facilities by Lawton and others (1983).

The range of industrial water use in Nebraska counties and subregions during 1985 is shown in figures 27 and 28, respectively. Estimates of industrial water use in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions are listed in tables 9 and 10, respectively.

Mining Water Use

Water use for mining in Nebraska includes secondary oil recovery, quarrying limestone, washing gravel or rock, and other preparations customarily done at a mine or quarry site.

Estimated use for mining operations in Nebraska during 1985 is 119.36 Mgal/d. Of that amount, 110.81

Figure 21. Public-supplied domestic water use, in gallons per day per capita, in Nebraska counties, 1985

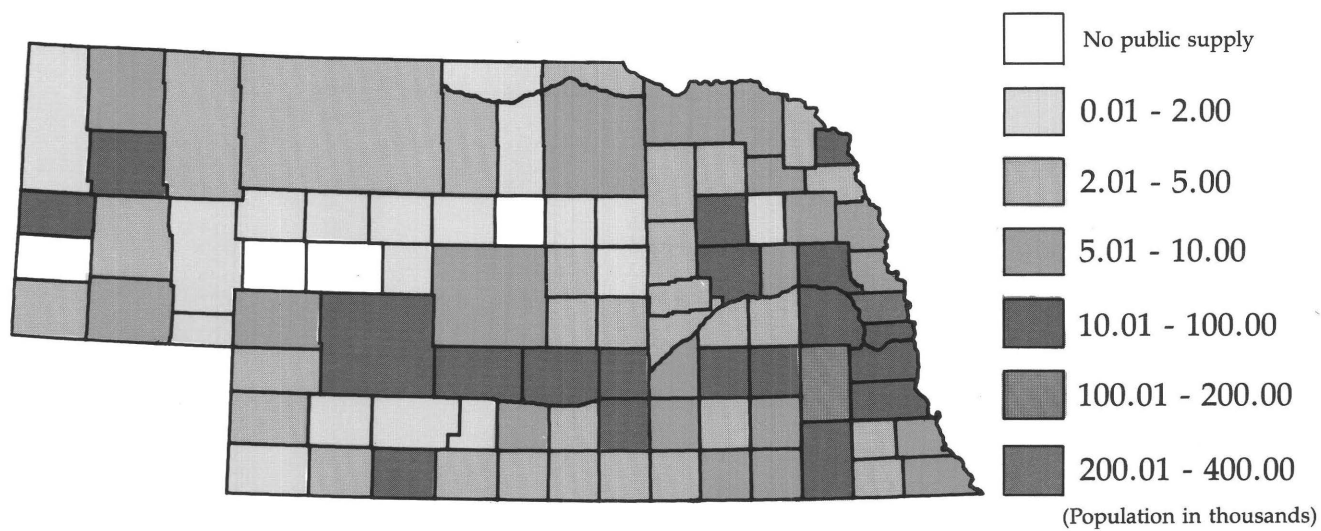


Figure 22. Population served by public-supply water systems in Nebraska counties, 1985

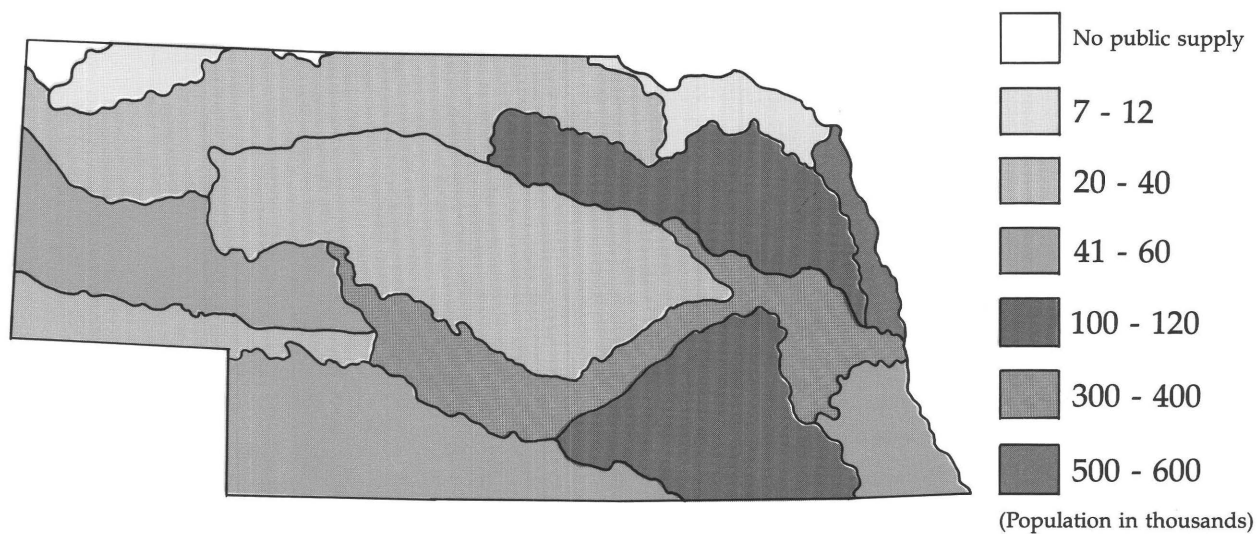


Figure 23. Population served by public-supply water systems in Nebraska subregions, 1985

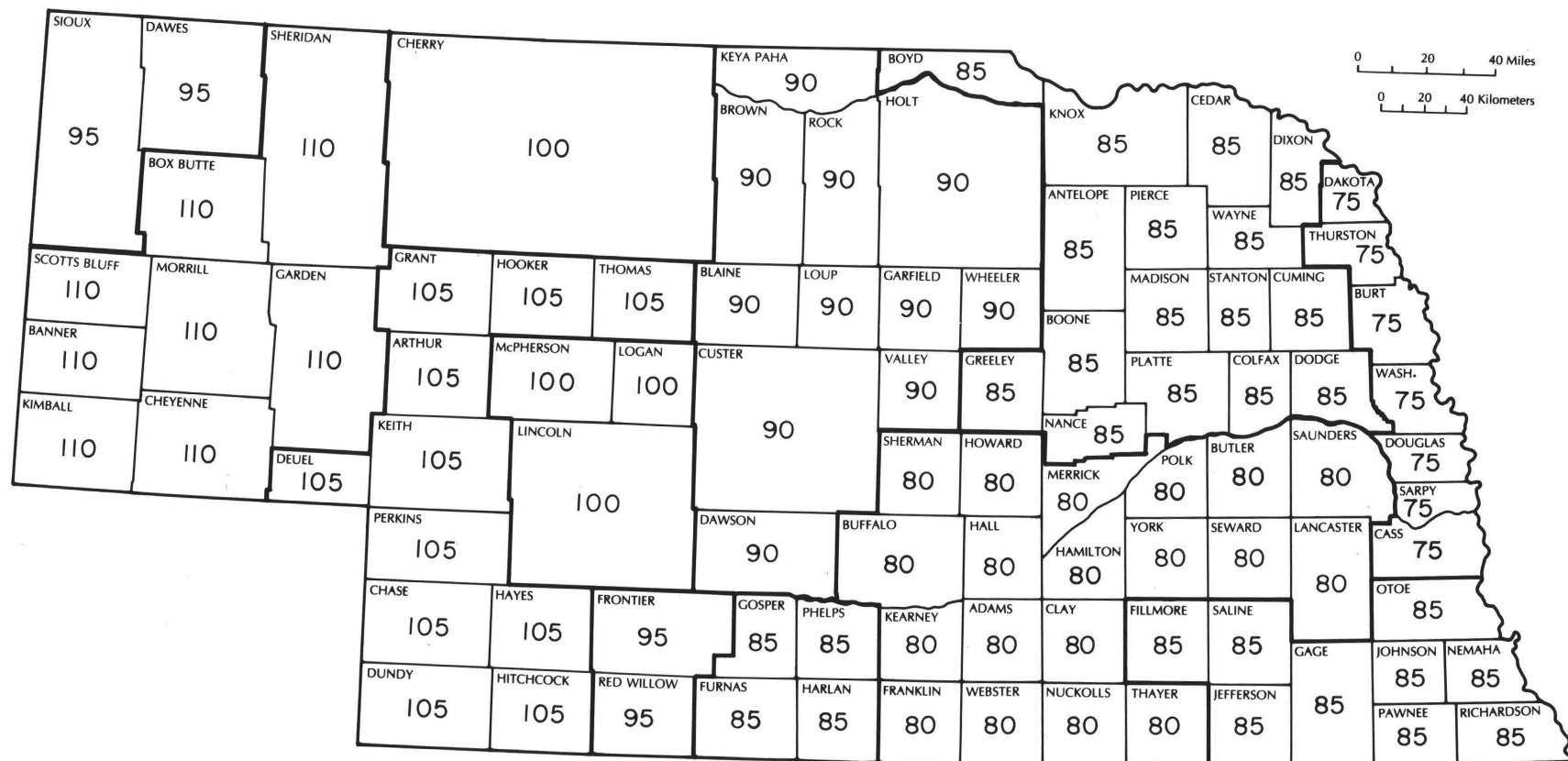


Figure 24. Estimated self-supplied domestic water use, in gallons per day per capita, in Nebraska counties, 1985

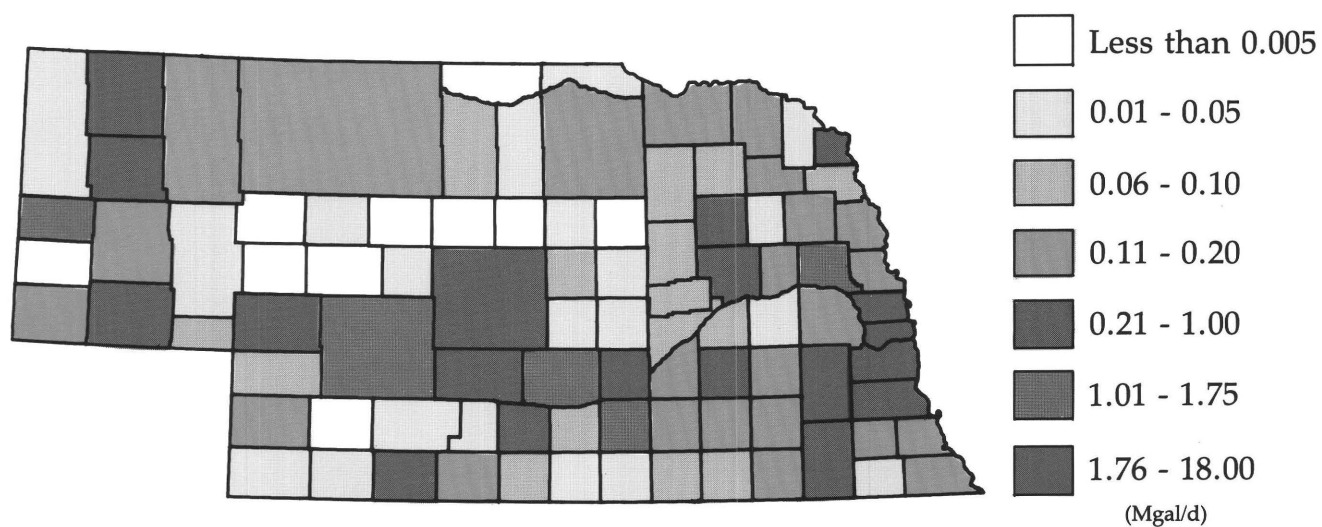


Figure 25. Commercial water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

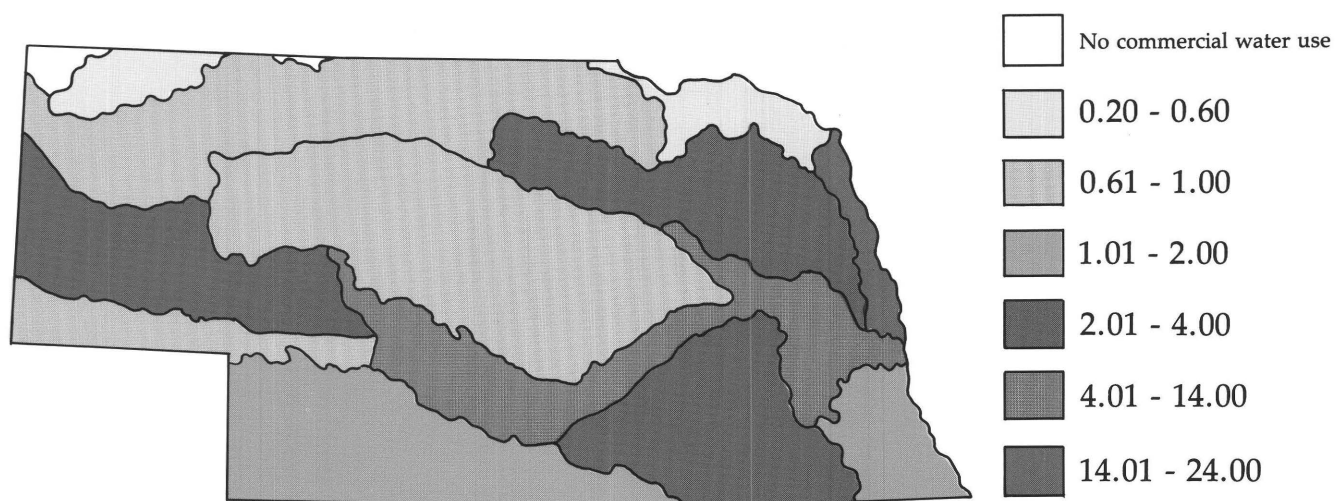


Figure 26. Commercial water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

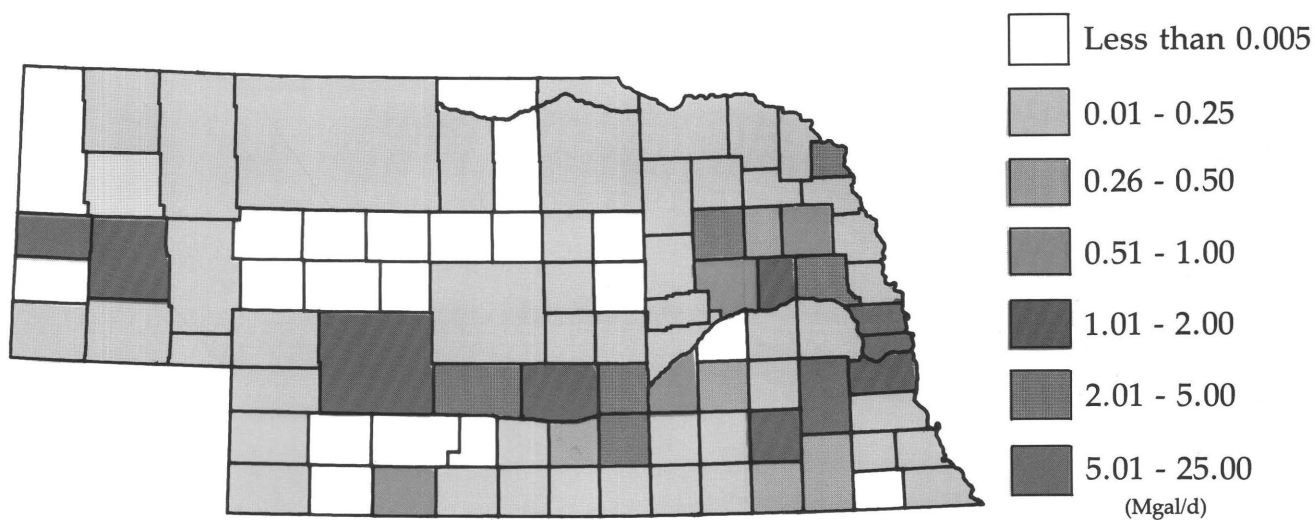


Figure 27. Industrial water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

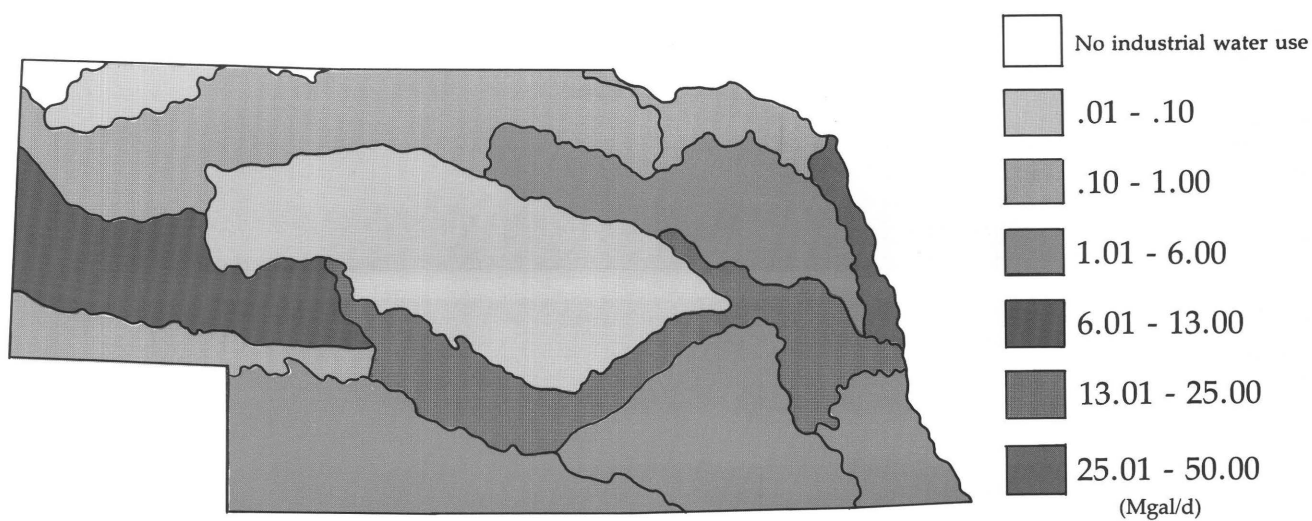


Figure 28. Industrial water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

Mgal/d or 92.8 percent was supplied by surface water for quarrying and gravel-washing operations, and 8.55 Mgal/d or 7.2 percent was supplied by groundwater for secondary oil recovery.

The estimates above on mining water use were made from information obtained from the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission; from Burchett and Eversoll (1974); from an inventory of operations from the U.S. Department of Labor, Metal/Nonmetal Mine Safety and Health, for 1986; and from telephone contact with owners as to the extent of their operations during 1985.

The range in water use for mining operations in Nebraska counties during 1985 is shown in figure 29, and the range in use by subregions is shown in figure 30. Estimated values for mining water use in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions are shown in tables 9 and 10, respectively.

Irrigation Water Use

Water used for irrigation in Nebraska during 1985 was estimated at 7,265.09 Mgal/d, or 8,144,170 acre-ft, which was 42.4 percent of the total water use. Excluding power-generation use, irrigation accounted for 92.8 percent of the total offstream water use; that total was nearly 13 times greater than the combined offstream water use for all other categories, excluding power production, and was 42 times greater than the next largest offstream use, domestic use.

Surface-water diversions and withdrawals of 2,087.01 Mgal/d supplied 28.7 percent of irrigation water use in Nebraska during 1985. The remaining 71.3 percent, or 5,178.08 Mgal/d, was pumped from the groundwater reservoir.

Acreage irrigated during 1985 was estimated to be 7,480,140, with an average application of 13 inches of water per acre for the irrigation season. Irrigated acreage in Nebraska counties during 1985 ranged from 1,590 in Grant County to 281,890 in Holt County. Hydrologic Unit 10120106 in the Hat Creek basin had no irrigated acres, and Hydrologic Unit 10200101 in the Platte River basin had the most acres irrigated: 657,260. Water used for irrigation in Nebraska counties during 1985 ranged from 1.54 Mgal/d (annual volume of 1,730 acre-ft) in Grant County to 784.29 Mgal/d (annual volume of 879,190 acre-ft) in Scotts Bluff County. Water used for irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units ranged from none (no irrigated acreage) in Unit 10120106 in the Hat Creek basin to 1,269.61 Mgal/d (annual volume of 1,423,240 acre-ft) in Unit 10180009 in the North Platte River basin. The range in irrigation water use for Nebraska counties and subregions is shown in figures 31 and 32, respectively. Estimates of total water used for irrigation in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are listed in tables 11 and 12, respectively.

The annual volume of water use, in acre-feet (listed in tables 11 and 12) was computed for both groundwater and surface water by multiplying acres irrigated by amounts applied in acre-feet per acre (shown in figure 33) for gravity and center-pivot applications. (In the Hat Creek basin, where there is no groundwater use, a rate of 1 acre-ft per acre was used for

surface water.) This volume of water was then converted to a use rate in million gallons per day and an average seasonal application, in inches per acre, which was rounded to the nearest 0.5 inch.

Corn was the principal irrigated grain crop grown in Nebraska during 1985, with an estimated acreage of 5,200,000 (Nebraska Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, 1986; adjusted). This is 69.5 percent of the total irrigated acres in the state and is more than eight times greater than the second largest irrigated crop acreage of 640,000 for soybeans. The major crops irrigated in Nebraska during 1985 are shown in figure 34.

Irrigation water use and acres irrigated that are given above are aggregates of estimates made for the four subcategories of irrigation uses and application methods explained in the following subcategories. Separate estimates were necessary because application amounts were different for different methods of application and transportation of water. Acres irrigated in these subcategories are shown in figure 35, and water use and source of supply for the subcategories are shown in figure 36.

Groundwater Withdrawal for Irrigation by Gravity Distribution Systems

To estimate the amount of groundwater withdrawn for irrigation by gravity distribution systems during 1985, it was necessary to estimate the acres irrigated by these systems and estimate the amount of water applied, in inches per acre or acre-feet per acre.

The Nebraska Natural Resources Commission Data Bank, which contains information on registered irrigation wells in Nebraska, was used to determine the number of registered wells in each county and hydrologic unit during 1985. The total number of irrigation wells listed was 75,016, which is somewhat greater than the 70,985 irrigation wells stated by Ellis and Pederson (1986) and taken from information provided by the Nebraska Department of Water Resources. The discrepancy between the irrigation-well counts by the two state agencies appears to be a difference in interpretation and cataloging of the data. The distribution of irrigation wells in Nebraska counties in 1985 is shown in figure 37.

The number of gravity irrigation systems in a Nebraska county or hydrologic unit was determined by subtracting the number of center-pivot distribution systems listed in the master file maintained by the Remote Sensing Center, (now part of the Center for Advanced Land Management Information Technologies), University of Nebraska-Lincoln Conservation and Survey Division, from the number of registered irrigation wells taken from the Nebraska Natural Resources Commission Data Bank. The number of gravity irrigation systems was then adjusted from estimates received from county agents and Soil Conservation Service field technicians on the number of active gravity systems in their counties. This negates any discrepancy in total well count by state agencies for the purpose of this report, as only the estimates of active systems were used to determine acres irrigated and water used. The number of registered irrigation wells,

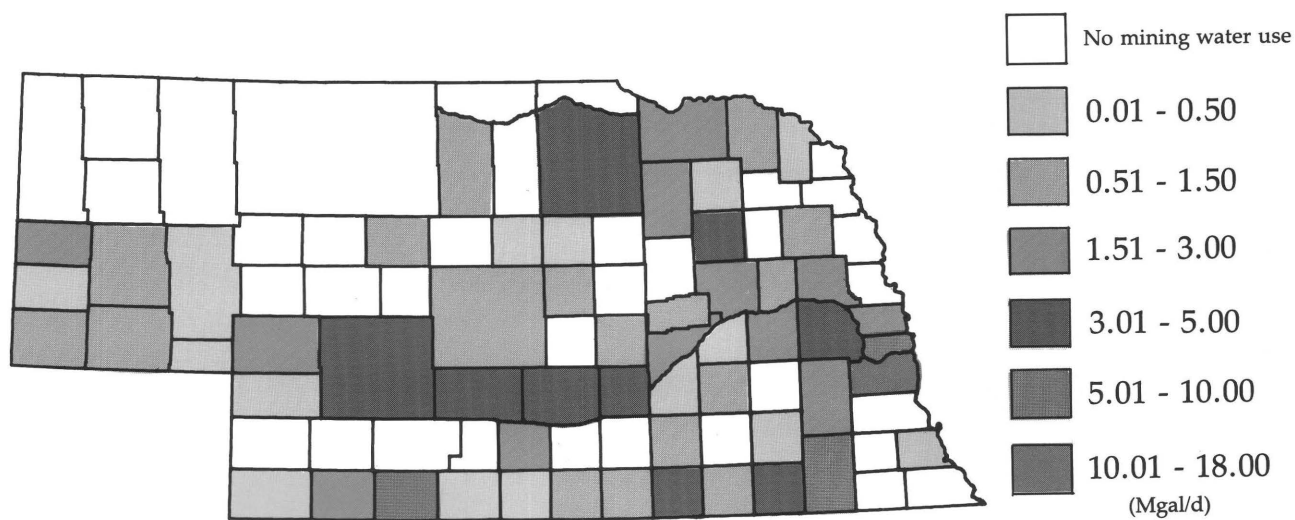


Figure 29. Mining water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

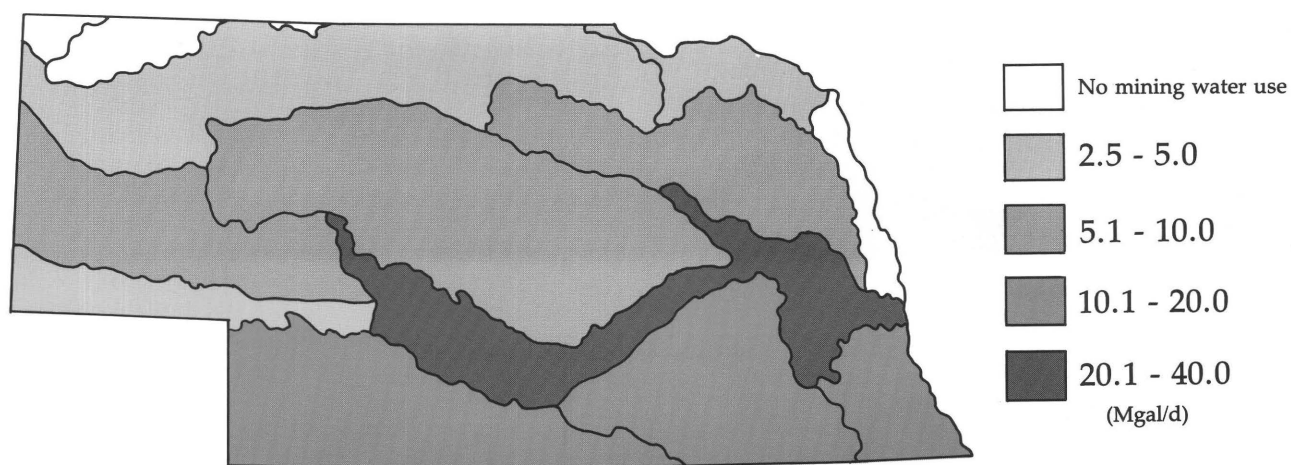


Figure 30. Mining water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

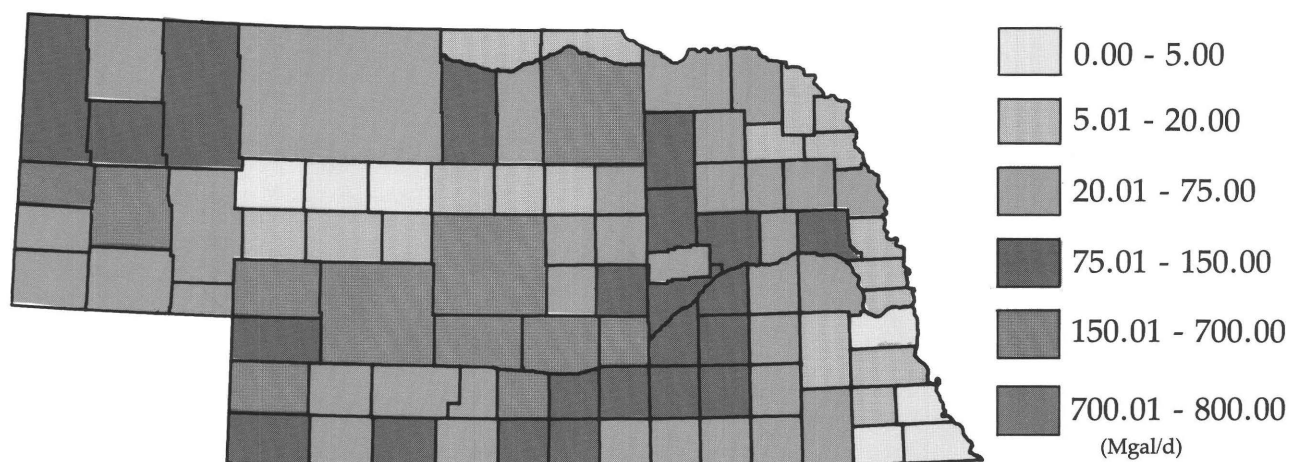


Figure 31. Water used for irrigation in Nebraska counties, 1985

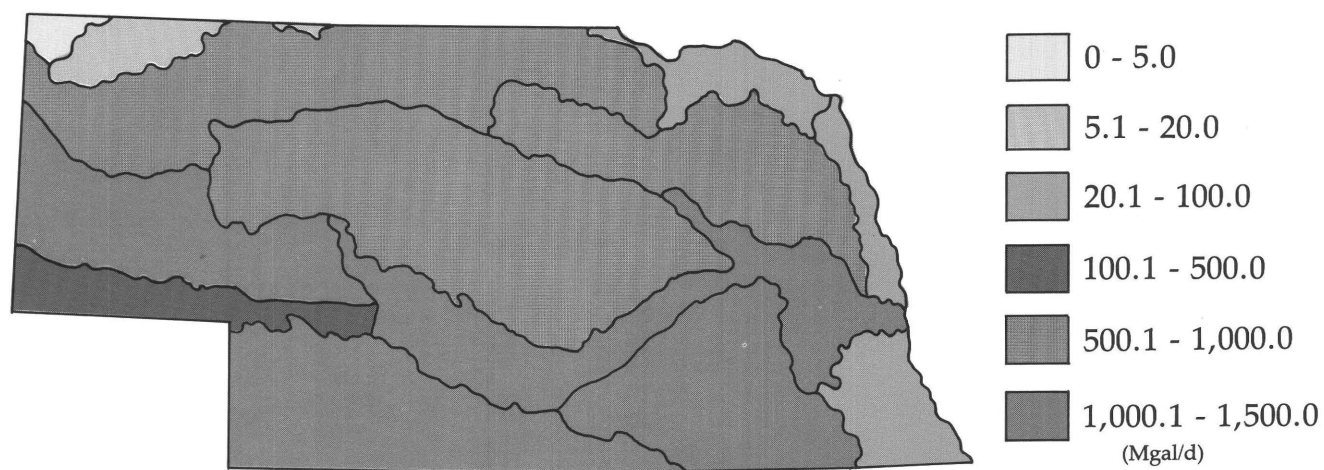


Figure 32. Water used for irrigation in Nebraska subregions, 1985

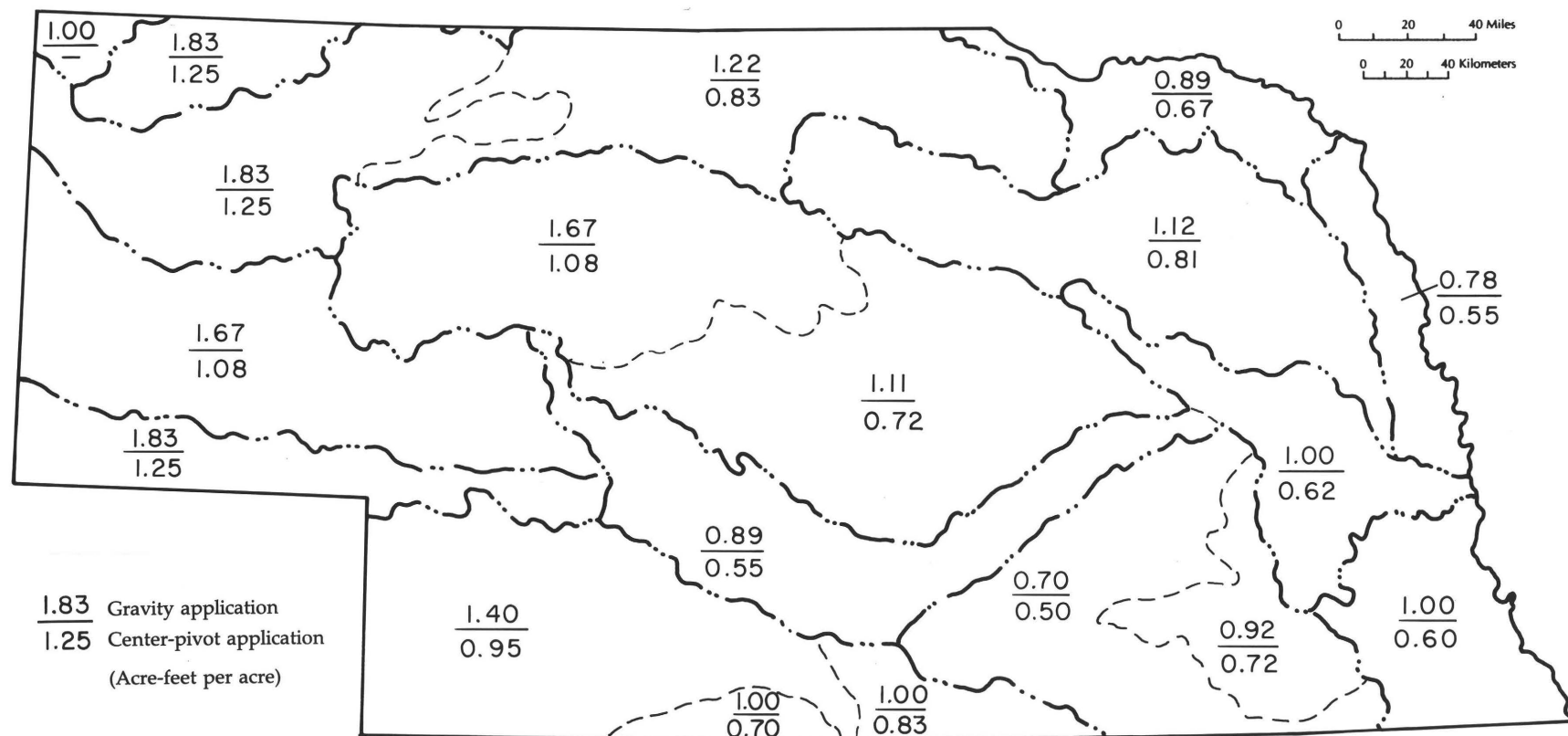
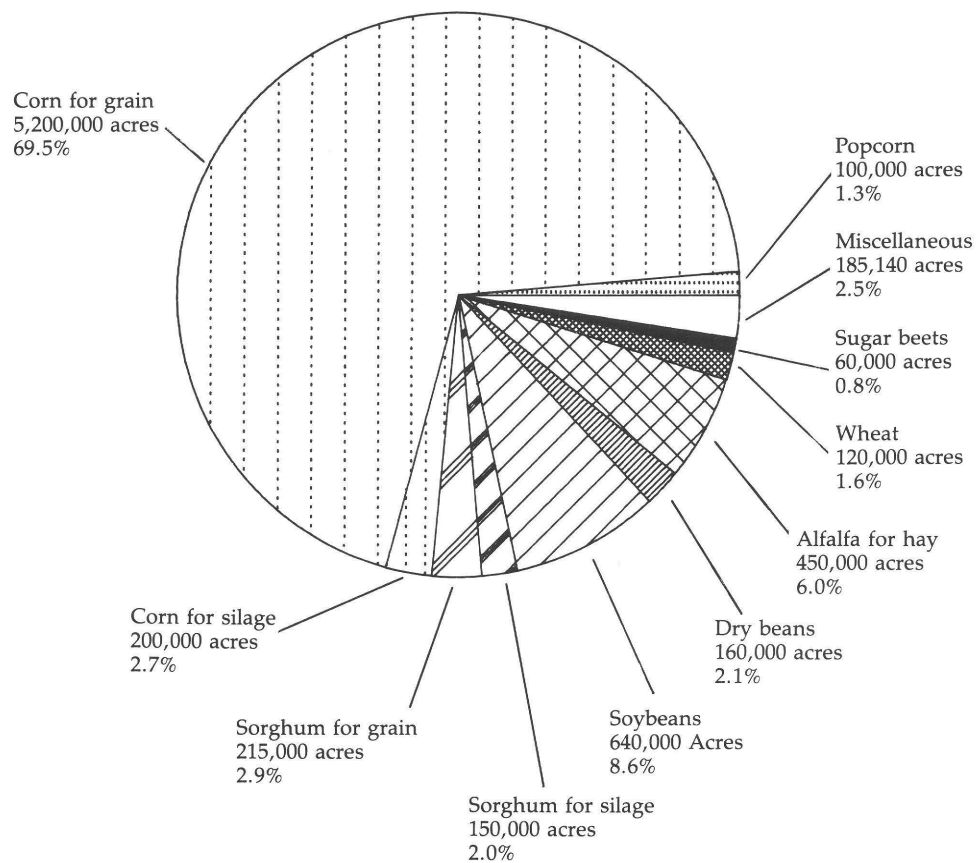
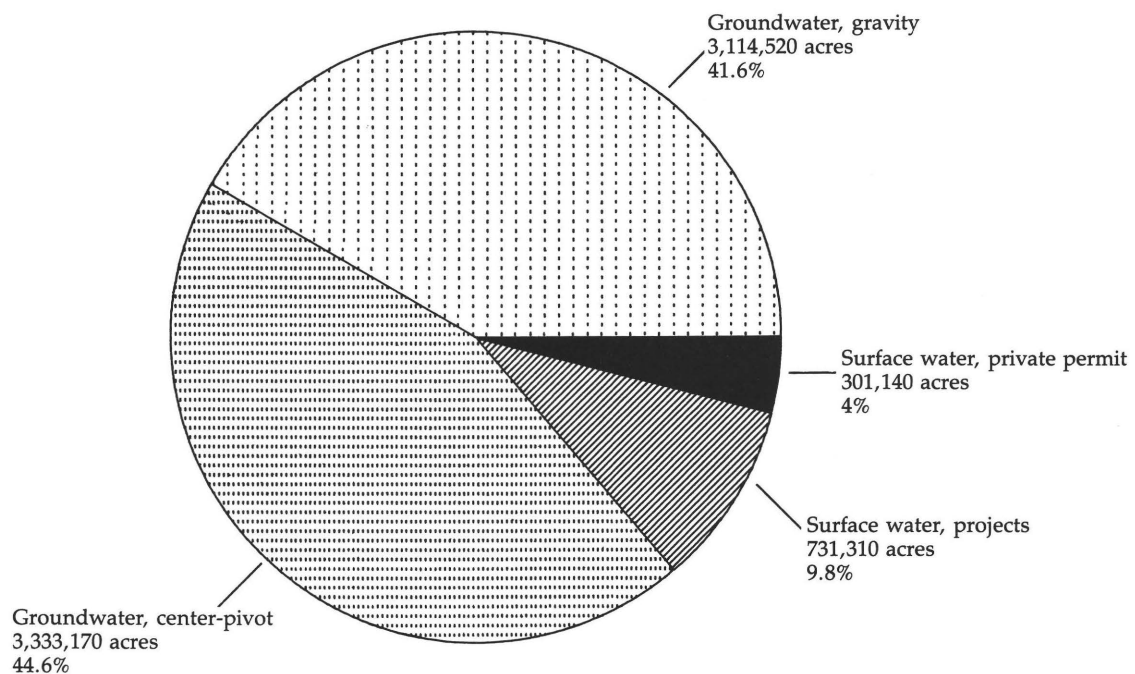


Figure 33. Groundwater used for irrigation for 1985 irrigation season in Nebraska



Acres irrigated: 7,480,140

Figure 34. Major crops irrigated in Nebraska, 1985
(Adjusted from "1985 Nebraska Agricultural Statistics")



Total acres irrigated: 7,480,140

Figure 35. Estimated acres irrigated, by source and delivery system, in Nebraska, 1985

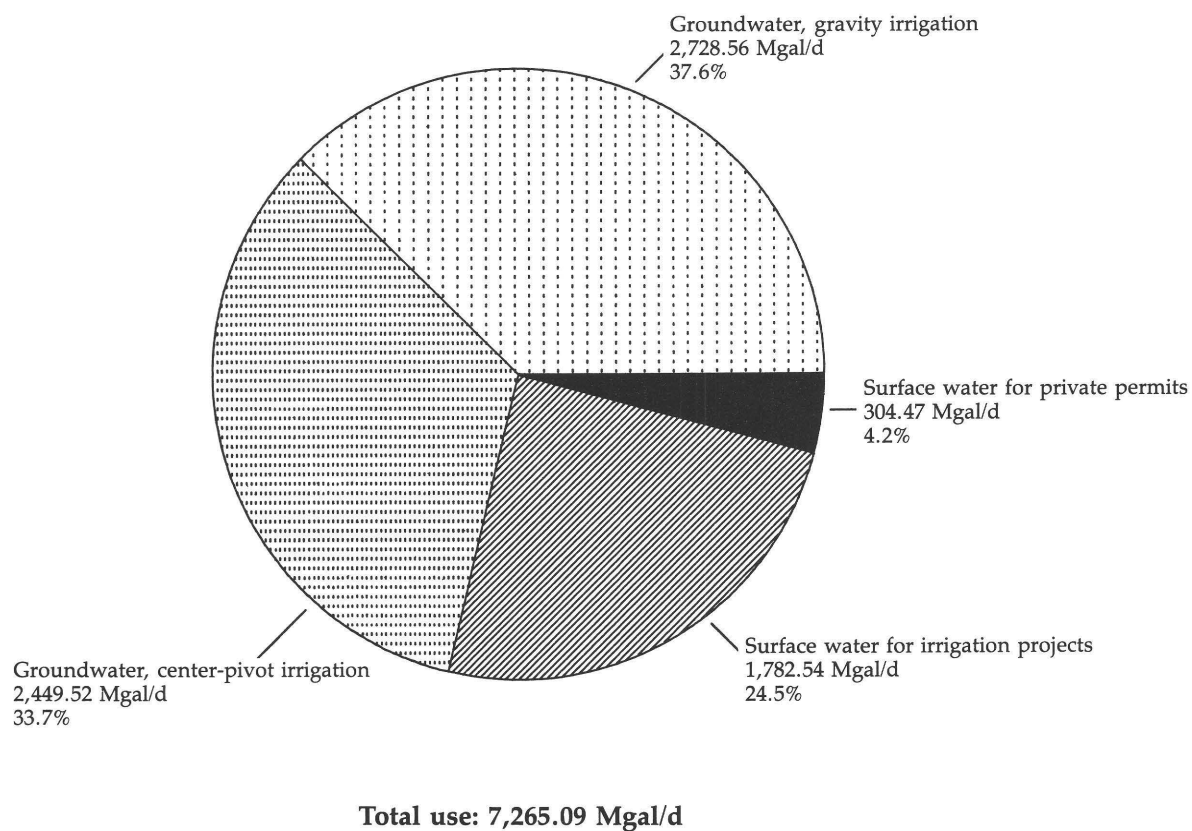


Figure 36. Estimated water use for irrigation, by source and delivery system, in Nebraska, 1985

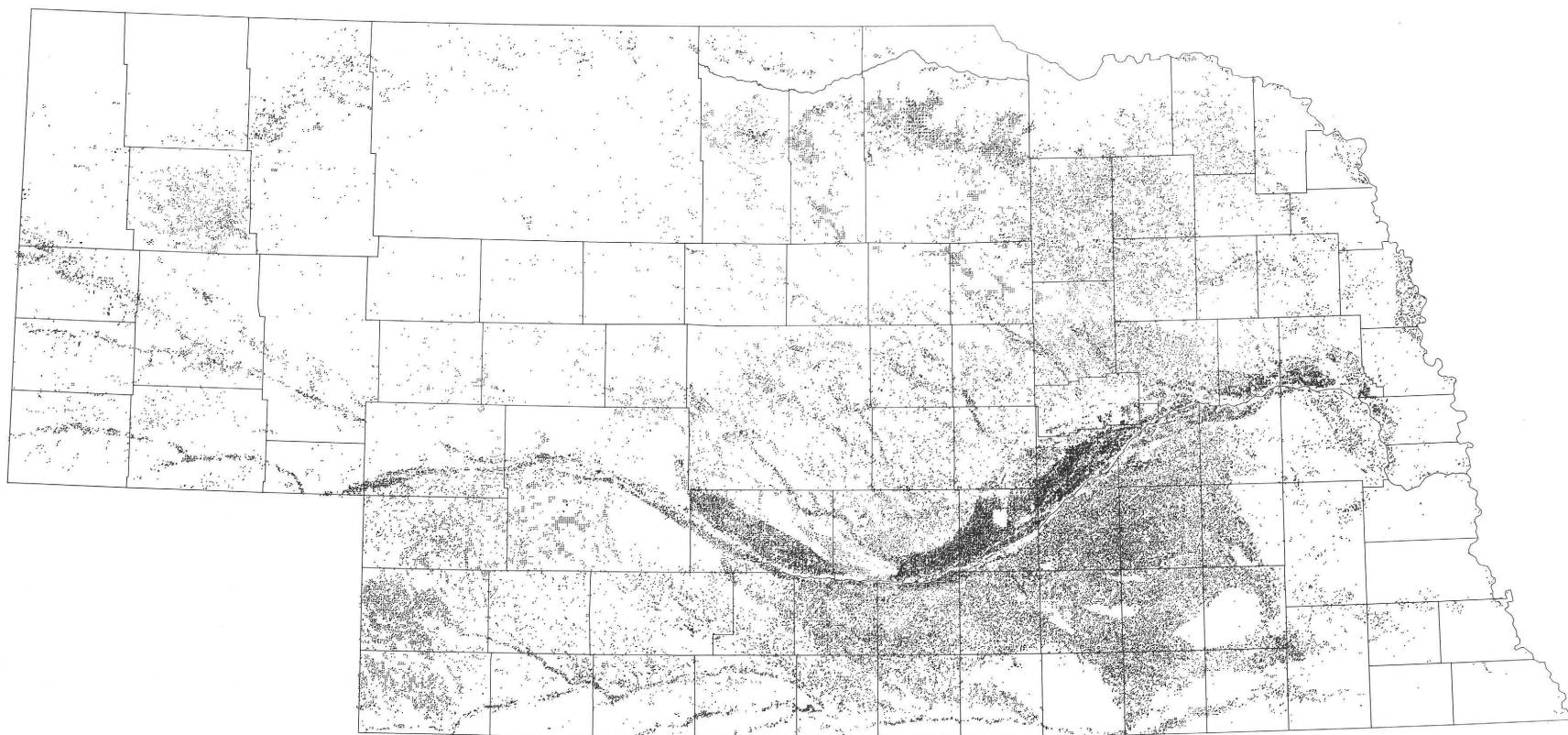


Figure 37. Location of registered irrigation wells in Nebraska, January 1, 1986

method of distribution, and estimated number of active systems in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions for 1985 are listed in tables 13 and 14, respectively.

The estimate of active gravity irrigation systems was then multiplied by the acres irrigated per well—a value estimated from data on selected wells monitored by the Little Blue Natural Resources District (NRD), the Blue River Association of Ground Water Conservation Districts, and from pumping depths and acreages listed on well registrations. The estimated acres irrigated with groundwater by gravity distribution systems was multiplied by an estimated value of water applied during the 1985 irrigation season. This amount was determined from monitored wells, as mentioned above, from a complete inventory of irrigation wells in the Upper Republican NRD groundwater control area, from precipitation records, and from a comparison of application amounts monitored in Blaine and Kimball counties in 1980, when climatic conditions in the northwestern part of the state were comparable to those in 1985.

Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska counties during 1985 is given in table 15. Values for hydrologic units and subregions are given in table 16.

Groundwater Withdrawal for Irrigation by Center-Pivot Distribution Systems

Groundwater used for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems was estimated as a subcategory by itself, as application rates for acres irrigated by these distribution systems average about one-third less than for gravity systems.

The number of active center-pivot systems for most counties in Nebraska during 1985 was obtained from the Remote Sensing Center (now part of CALMIT), University of Nebraska—Lincoln Conservation and Survey Division, from their annual satellite-imagery inventory of active center-pivot systems. Extended periods of cloud cover prevented an inventory of active center pivots in Buffalo and Dawson counties during 1985, so the 1984 inventory was used for these counties. A field inventory of active center-pivot systems in the groundwater control area of the Upper Republican NRD in Perkins, Chase, and Dundy counties in 1985 was used for these counties. A field survey by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service provided the number of active center-pivot systems for Cedar County. Satellite-imagery data was used for the remaining 87 counties. Distribution of center-pivot systems in Nebraska is shown in figure 38.

Measurements from satellite imagery of areas encompassed by center-pivot irrigation systems indicate an average of 133 acres irrigated per system, and this average was used to estimate acres irrigated by center pivots in Nebraska counties, except Perkins, Chase, and Dundy, where an inventory of actual acres irrigated by center pivots was used.

The acres irrigated by center-pivot systems were multiplied by a seasonal application rate estimated for subregions and/or hydrologic units, as explained

in the preceding subsection for gravity distribution. These seasonal application amounts in acre-feet per acre are shown in figure 33.

Amounts of groundwater used for center-pivot irrigation in Nebraska during 1985 ranged from 0.30 Mgal/d (340 acre-ft per year) in Nemaha County to 187.73 Mgal/d (210,450 acre-ft per year) in Holt County. Amounts of groundwater used for center-pivot irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units ranged from none in Units 10120106 and 10120108, in far northwestern Dawes County and northern Sioux County, and 10270205 in southeastern Jefferson, southern Gage and western Pawnee counties (no center pivots exist in these areas) to 198.99 Mgal/d (223,070 acre-ft per year) in Unit 10220001, which includes parts of Brown, Garfield, Wheeler, Boone and Madison counties and most of southern Holt and Antelope counties, and central Rock County.

Amounts of groundwater withdrawn for irrigation by center-pivot systems in Nebraska counties during 1985 are listed in table 17; amounts withdrawn for use in hydrologic units and subregions are listed in table 18.

Surface-Water Use for Irrigation during 1985

There were 5,379 registered permits to divert or withdraw water from Nebraska streams for irrigation during 1985 (Nebraska Department of Water Resources). The distribution of permits, by county, are shown in figure 39, and the distribution by subregions is shown in figure 40.

Surface water diverted to canals to serve irrigation projects was estimated to be 1,782.54 Mgal/d (1,998,230 acre-ft) or 85.4 percent of the total surface water used for irrigation in 1985. An estimated 731,310 acres irrigated from canals accounted for 70.8 percent of the total acreage irrigated with surface water. Estimated acres irrigated and amounts of water diverted for irrigation projects during 1985 were obtained from the Annual Operating Plans of the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, Missouri River Region, Niobrara, Lower Platte, and Kansas River Basins, 1985; from preliminary estimates of canal diversions for the Nebraska Department of Water Resources Hydrographic Report, 1985; and from information received from the Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District.

Estimated surface-water use for irrigation projects during 1985 in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions is listed in tables 19 and 20, respectively.

The remaining 301,140 acres irrigated from surface water during 1985 were served by approximately 5,150 private permits. The acreage irrigated from these permits was estimated from mail surveys conducted in 1983-85 by the Nebraska Department of Water Resources. A 29.5 percent return of questionnaires for the 1985 irrigation season provided the sample for the 1985 estimation. Application rates in acre-feet per acre were estimated to be the same as for acres irrigated from groundwater with gravity distribution systems (fig. 33).

Surface-water use for irrigation during 1985 by pri-

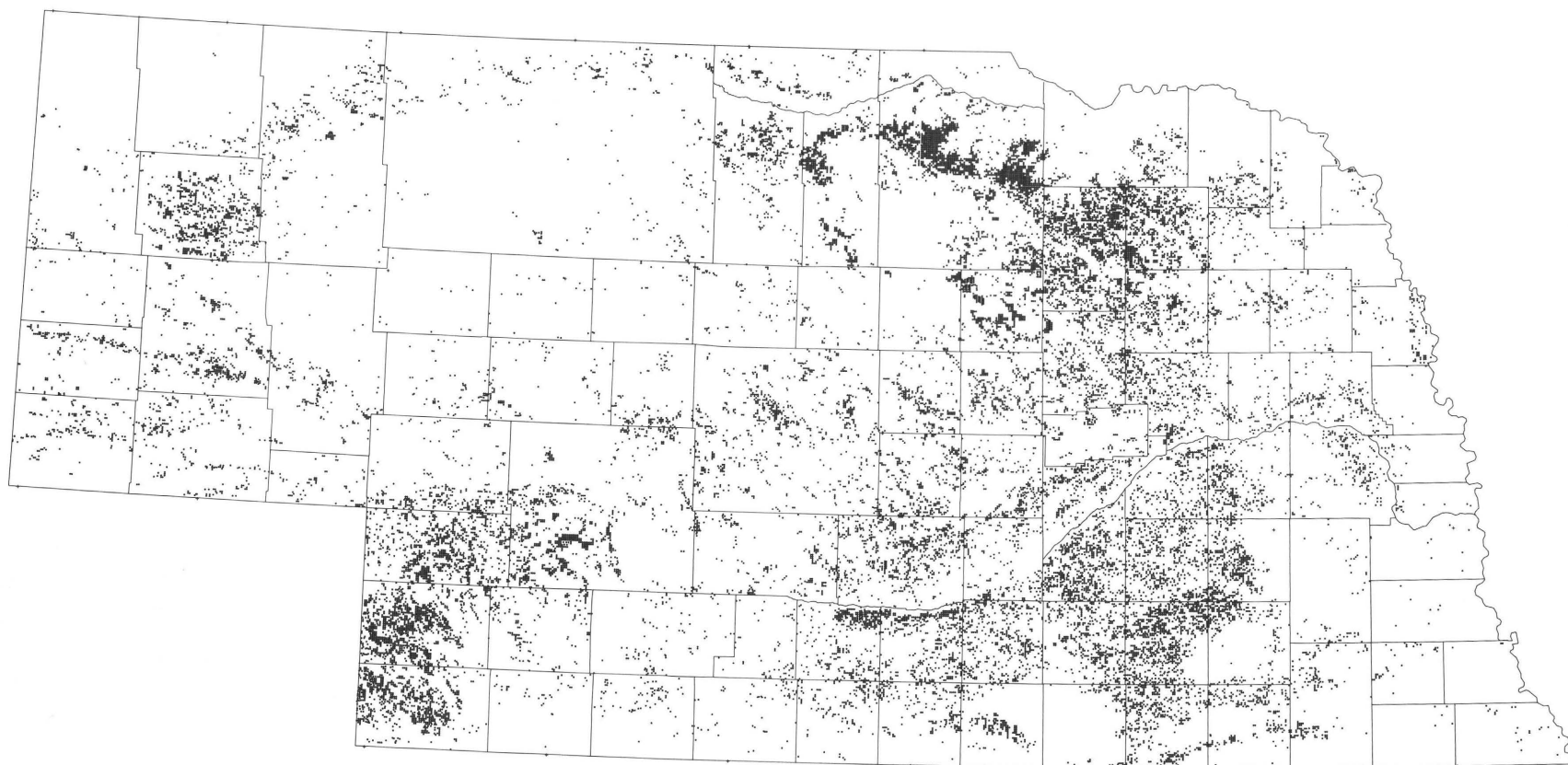


Figure 38. Location of center-pivot irrigation systems in Nebraska, December 31, 1985

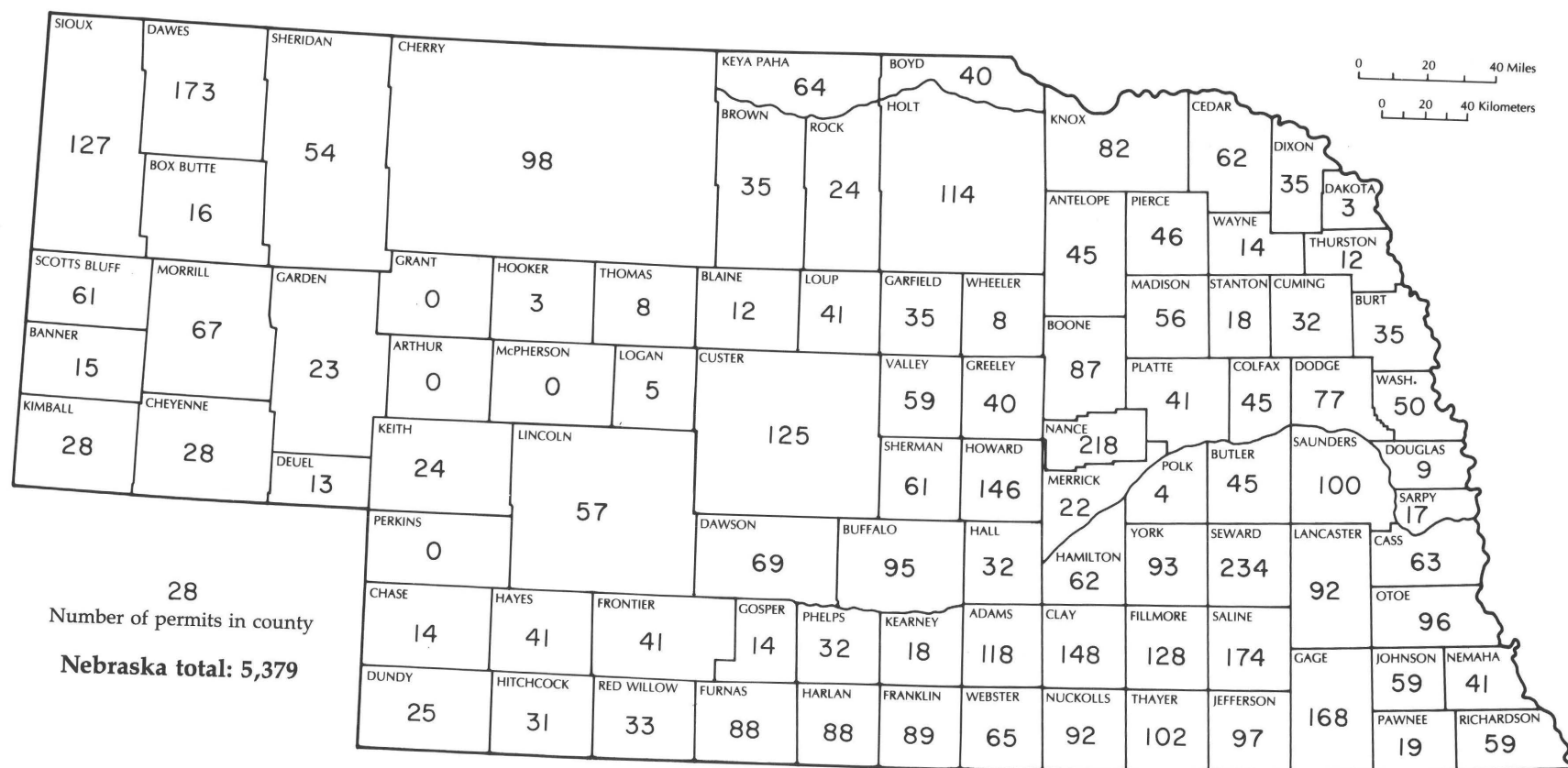


Figure 39. Registered surface-water diversion or withdrawal permits in Nebraska counties, 1985

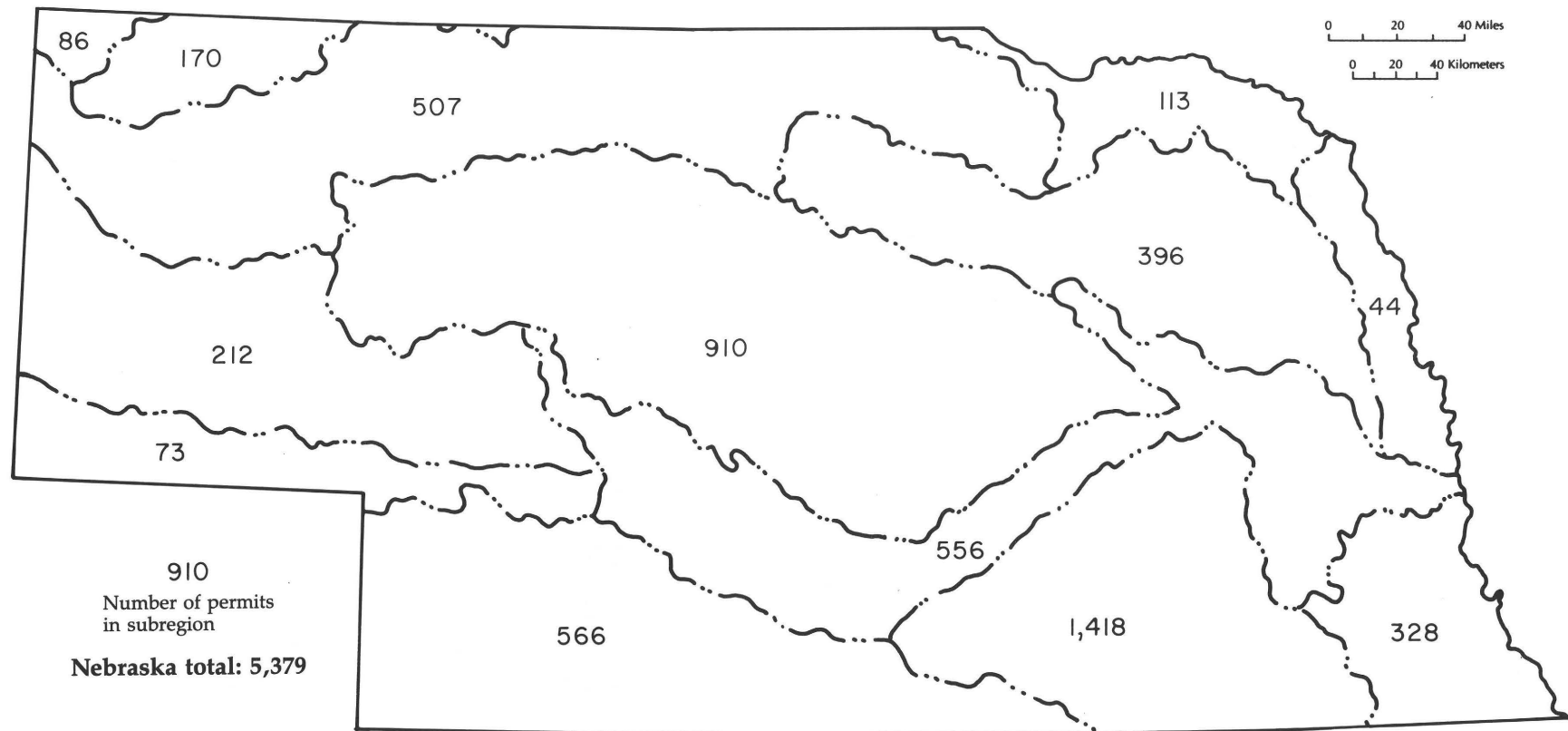


Figure 40. Registered surface-water diversion or withdrawal permits in Nebraska subregions, 1985

vate permit holders was estimated to be 304.17 Mgal/d, or 351,310 acre-ft, for an average application of 14 in. of water per acre for the season.

Estimates of total surface water used for irrigation in Nebraska counties during 1985 are listed in table 21; estimates for total surface water used for irrigation in hydrologic units and subregions are listed in table 22.

Acres registered for diversion permits shown in column 4 of table 21 are not necessarily acres irrigated in the county where the diversion permit is registered; water is carried by canals across county lines to project areas. The acres irrigated and surface-water use, columns 5-8, are for the counties indicated.

Livestock Water Use

This category of water use is classified as "agriculture, nonirrigation" in the National Water Use Data System and includes such uses as commercial fish farming, livestock watering, dairy operations, and other on-farm uses, excluding rural-domestic and irrigation water use. The "agriculture, nonirrigation" category is equivalent to "livestock water use" listed under the rural-use category in previous national water-use circulars. The term "livestock water use" is preferred for this report, as it adequately describes this category for Nebraska.

Livestock water use of 119.777 Mgal/d during 1985 is only 1.5 percent of the total offstream water use in Nebraska (excluding power production); but this use has a major impact on the farm economy of the state. Nebraska ranked fourth in the 50 states in cash receipts from farm marketing in 1984 (1985 data not available), and livestock sales accounted for more than 60 percent of these receipts (Nebraska Department of Economic Development, 1987).

To estimate livestock water use in Nebraska during 1985, it was necessary to determine the number of animals in each class. These numbers were determined from Nebraska 1984 preliminary county estimates (Nebraska Crop and Livestock Reporting Service) and estimates of declining livestock inventory. Water use was estimated by multiplying the estimated livestock numbers by the gallons per day per head utilized by each class of animal. Water-use rates for the various livestock classes are given in the following table:

Water-use rates for various livestock classes
(Adjusted from Anderson, 1966, and Sykes, 1955;
gal/d: gallons per day)

Livestock class	Daily use rate (gal/d/head)	Annual use rate (gal/d/head)
Beef cows and other cattle ¹	15	15
Calves raised ²	6	4
Milk cows ³	30	30
Hogs ⁴	4	4
Pigs raised ⁵	2	1
Sheep	2	2
Lambs raised ⁶	1	0.6
Turkeys	0.12	.12

¹Class includes breeding stock, herd-replacement stock, cattle in feedlots, and all other cattle, excluding milk cows.

²Based on no water use at birth to 12 gal/d/head at 8 months of age, for an average use of 6 gal/d/head for two-thirds of a year. For computational purposes, this is equal to an annual use rate of 4 gal/d/head.

³Most dairy herds in Nebraska are maintained for the marketing of Grade A or Grade B whole milk. Certain sanitary procedures are required for certification to sell to these markets, and the 30 gal/d/head includes an estimated 5 gal/d/head for sanitation.

⁴Includes water for cooling during summer months and for sanitation of feeding floors and lots.

⁵Based on no water use at birth to 4 gal/d/head at market age of 6 months, for an average of 2 gal/d/head for one-half year. For computational purposes, this is equal to an annual use rate of 1 gal/d/head.

⁶Based on no water use at birth to 2 gal/d/head at market age of 7 months, for an average use rate of 1 gal/d/head. For computational purposes, this is equal to an annual use rate of 0.6 gal/d/head.

Water use for livestock classes in Nebraska during 1985 is shown in figure 41. The beef industry (beef cows and other cattle and calves raised) accounted for 80.1 percent of the total water used for livestock in Nebraska during 1985. The range in livestock water use in Nebraska counties is shown in figure 42, and the range in livestock water use in subregions is shown in figure 43. Livestock water use in million gallons per day and acre-feet per year for Nebraska counties and for hydrologic units and subregions is listed in tables 23 and 24, respectively.

Bentall and Shaffer (1979) estimated that 20 percent of the water used by livestock in Nebraska is supplied from surface water. This is considered a reasonable estimate for beef cows and other cattle and for calves raised; it was used by Steele (1986) to estimate the 19.17 Mgal/d of surface water used by livestock during 1985. Milk cows, hogs, pigs, sheep, and lambs generally are kept in more confined lots and pastures, and surface water used by these classes is minimal. In this report, all water used by these livestock classes is considered to be provided by groundwater supplies.

Power-Generation Water Use

The 1985 water use for power generation in Nebraska of 9,290.99 Mgal/d was 54.3 percent of the total water used for all purposes; 99.7 percent of power-generation use was from surface water.

Power-generation use was divided into three categories to satisfy the usage request for the national water-use report. Hydroelectric power generation is classified as an instream water use and is all surface-water supplied. The 7,079.05 Mgal/d of hydroelectric power use was 76.2 percent of the total water used for power generation in 1985. This 7,079.05 Mgal/d does not include water used for power generation from Lewis and Clark Lake.

Fossil fuel power-generation water use of 1,418.41 Mgal/d was 15.3 percent of total power-generation

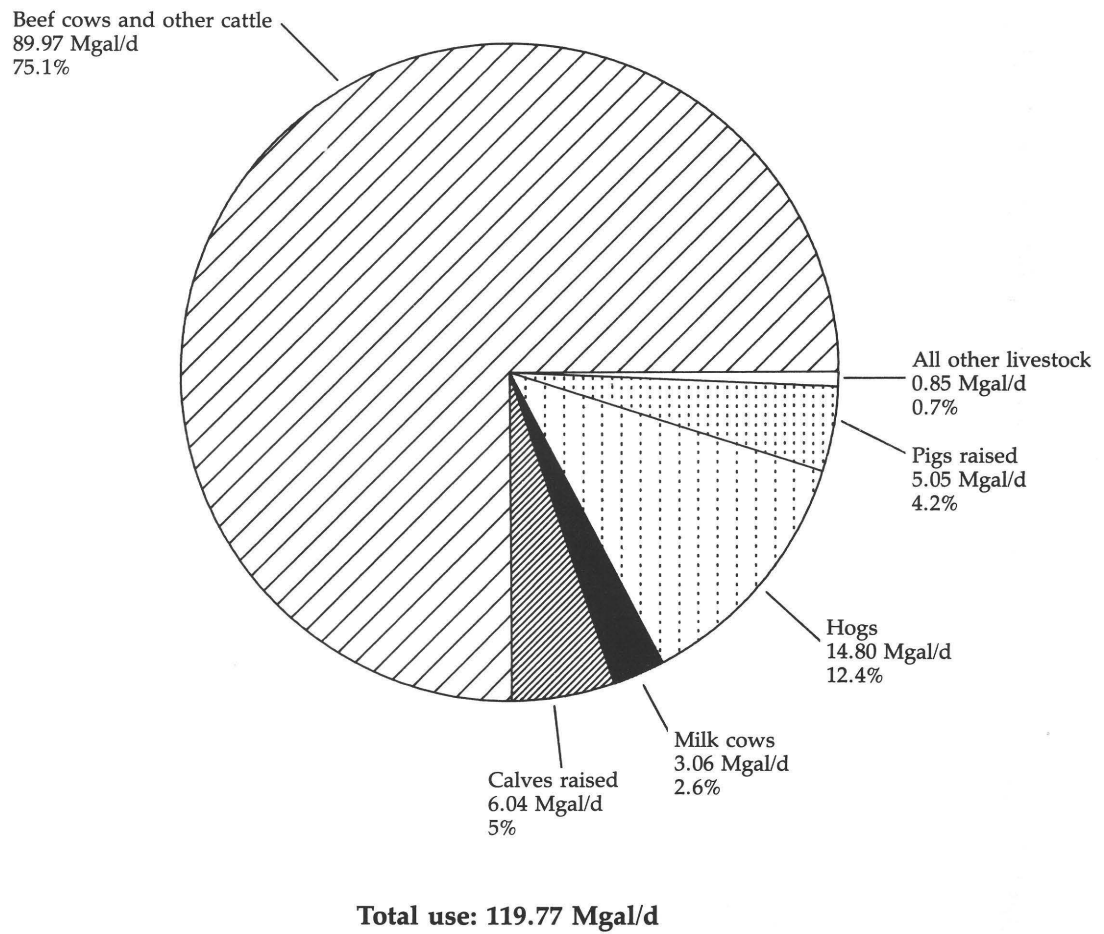


Figure 41. Water use by major livestock classes in Nebraska, 1985

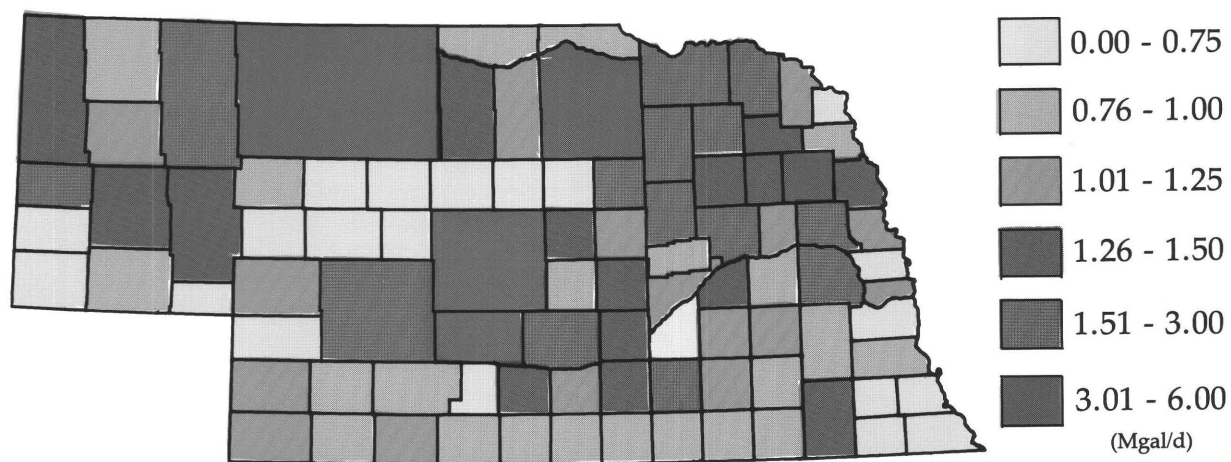


Figure 42. Livestock water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

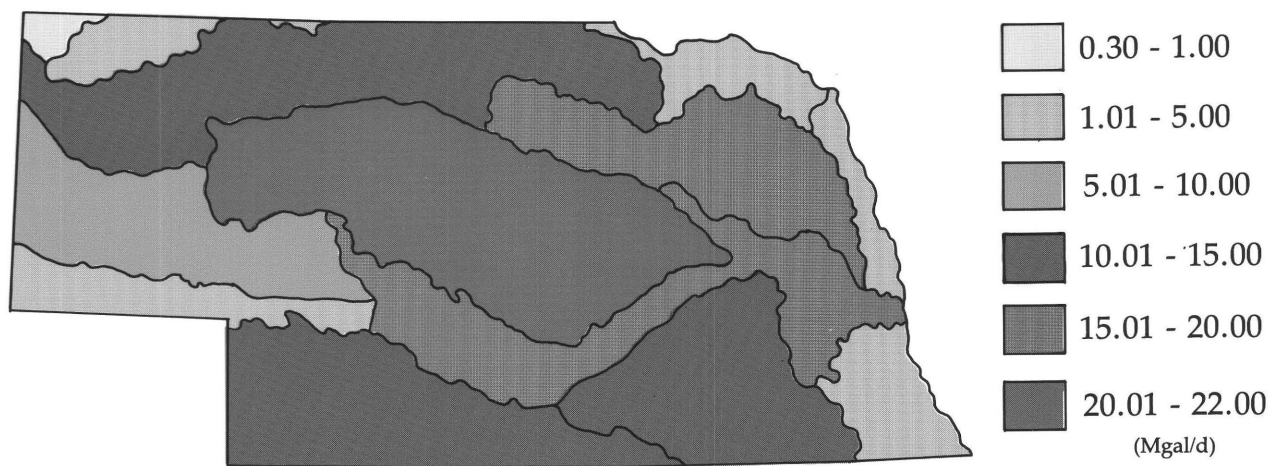


Figure 43. Livestock water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

use, with 1,393.69 Mgal/d from surface-water supply and 24.72 Mgal/d from groundwater supply.

Nuclear power-generation use of 793.53 Mgal/d was 8.5 percent of total power-generation use during 1985 and was all supplied from surface water. Total water use for power generation in Nebraska during 1985 is shown in figure 44 by category and supply—surface water or groundwater. The ranges of use by the various categories for counties and subregions in Nebraska during 1985 are shown in figures 45-50.

Power-generation water use in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 is listed in tables 25 and 26, respectively.

Sewage Treatment

Water use by this category includes water returned to the hydrologic system by municipal sewage-treatment facilities. The data presented for 1985 was aggregated from the files of the Nebraska Department of Environmental Control and from computer files of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency from a complete inventory of the 477 municipal facilities in Nebraska. The range of waste-water treatment releases in Nebraska counties and subregions is shown in figures 51 and 52, respectively. Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska counties and in hydrologic units and subregions during 1985 are listed in tables 27 and 28, respectively.

SUMMARY

Total water use in Nebraska during 1985 was estimated to be 19,187,200 acre-ft, for an average use rate of 17,116.15 Mgal/d. About 67 percent of this use, or 12,922,040 acre-ft, was estimated to be from surface water (rivers, streams, lakes, reservoirs, and stock ponds). The remaining 6,262,160 acre-ft was obtained by pumping from groundwater supplies.

Water used for power generation of 9,290.99 Mgal/d was the greatest of all water-use categories. The second greatest category was irrigation, with an estimated use of 7,265.09 Mgal/d during 1985 or an annual volume of 8,144,170 acre-ft. Irrigation water use accounted for 92.8 percent of the total offstream water use during 1985; however, this percentage may vary from year to year, as the volume used is dependent on climatic and economic conditions.

Although livestock water use of 119.77 Mgal/d was only 1.5 percent of the total offstream use, this use has a major impact on the farm economy of Nebraska, as livestock sales during 1984 accounted for more than 60 percent of farm market receipts (1985 data not available).

During 1985, the Platte River basin hydrologic unit, subregion 1020, had the greatest total water use: 4,986.61 Mgal/d; Hat Creek basin hydrologic unit, subregion 1012, had the smallest total water use: 4.59 Mgal/d.

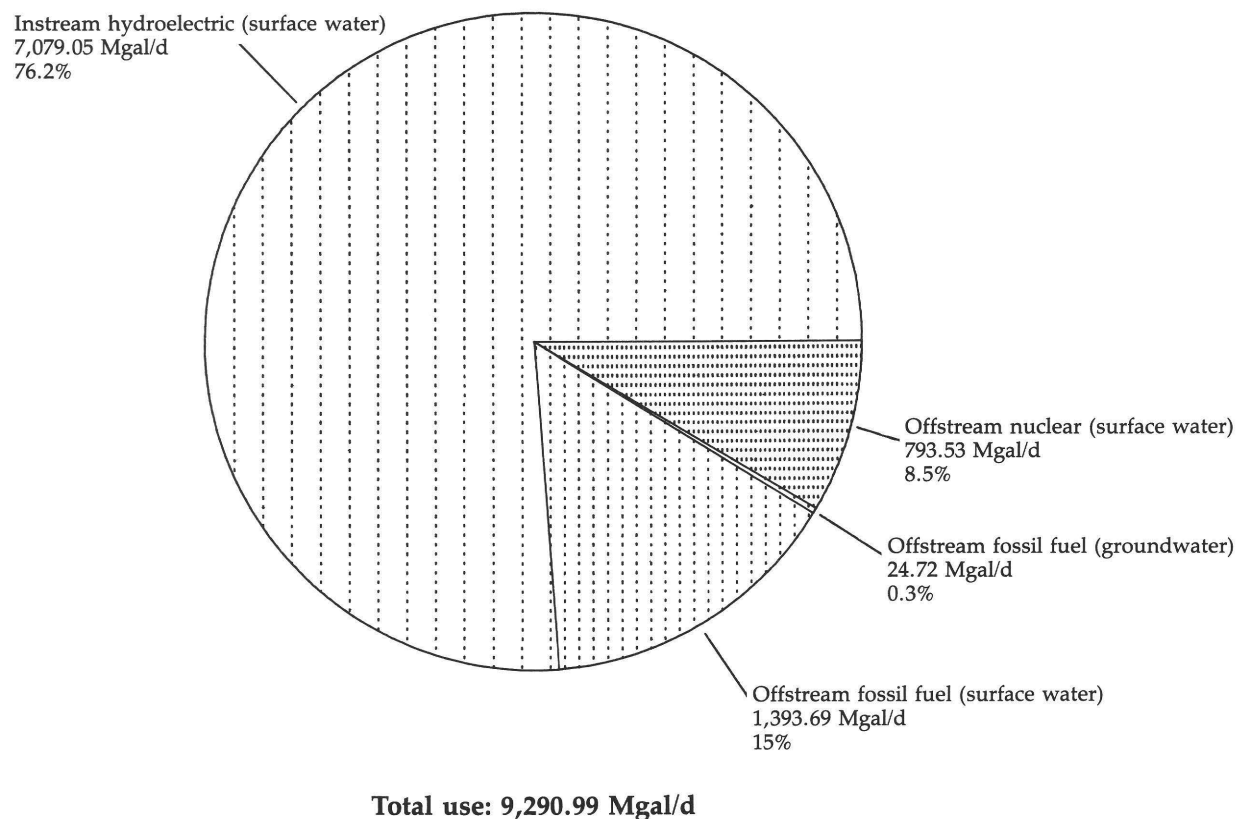


Figure 44. Water use for power generation in Nebraska, 1985

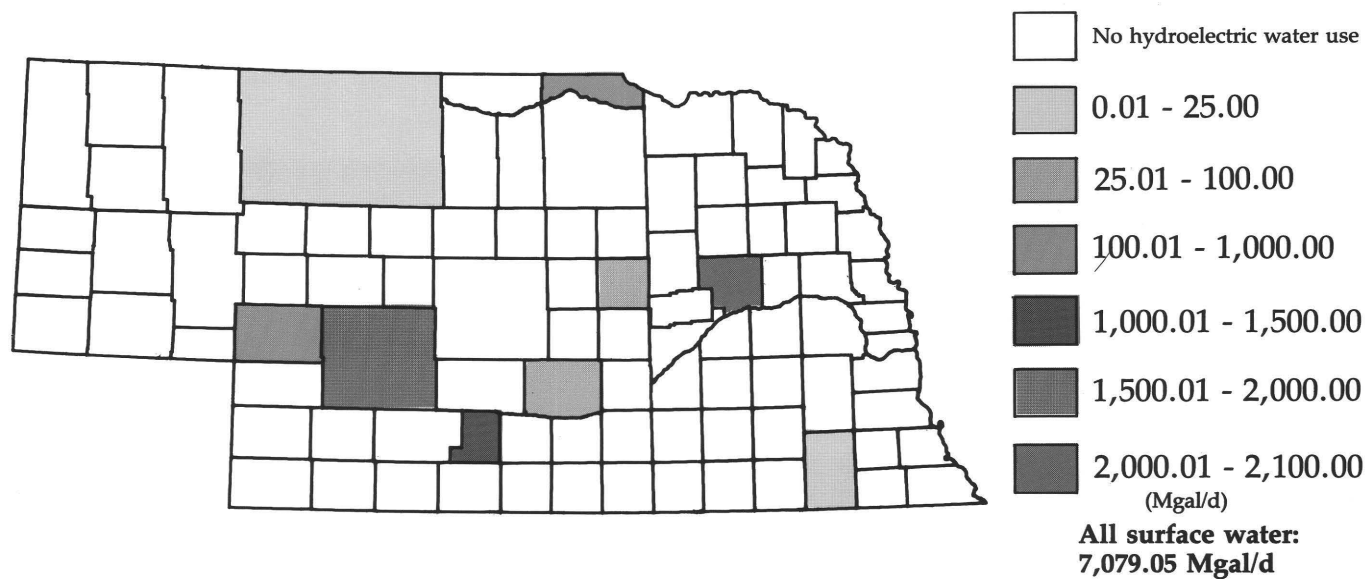


Figure 45. Hydroelectric water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

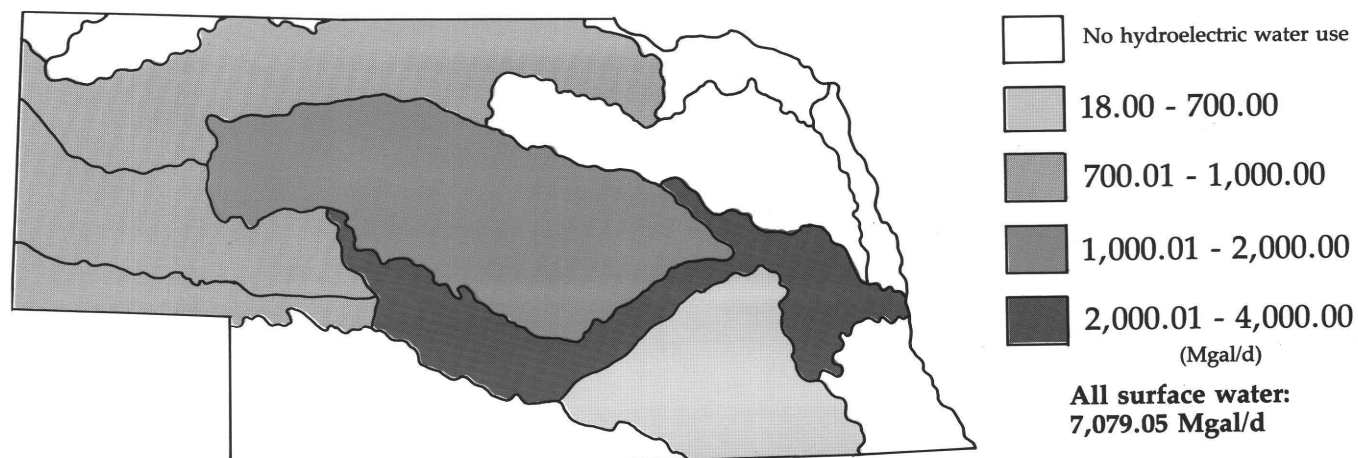


Figure 46. Hydroelectric water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

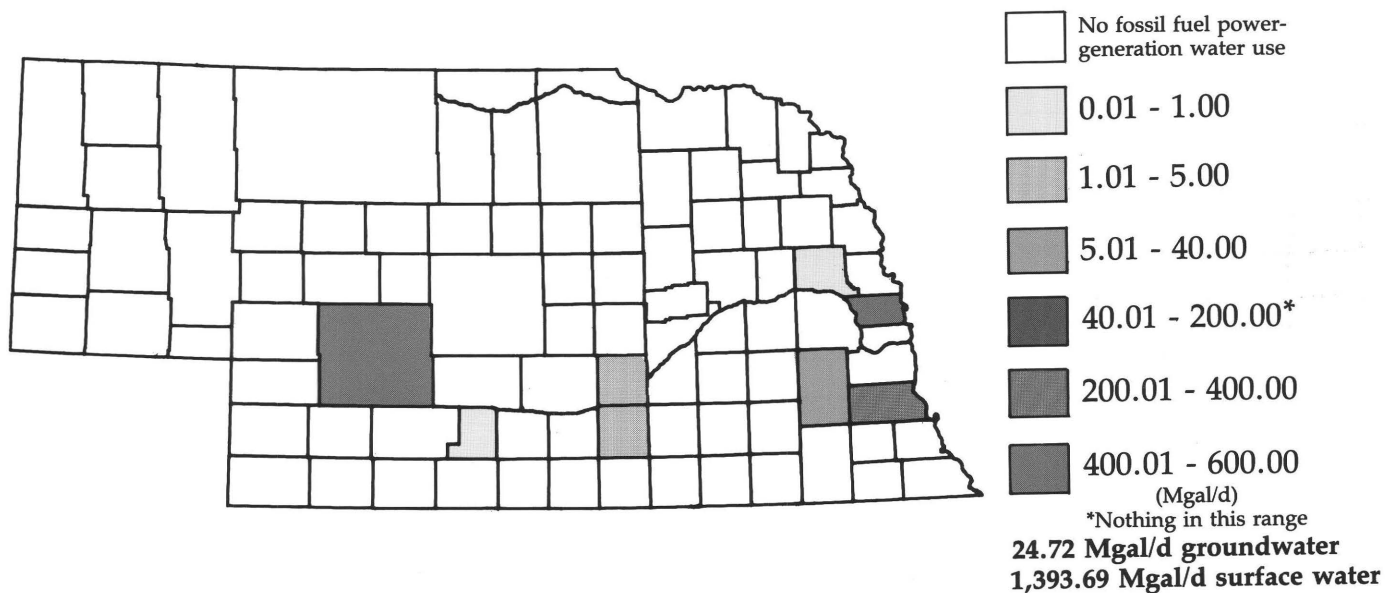


Figure 47. Fossil fuel power-generation water use in Nebraska counties, 1985



Figure 48. Fossil fuel power-generation water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

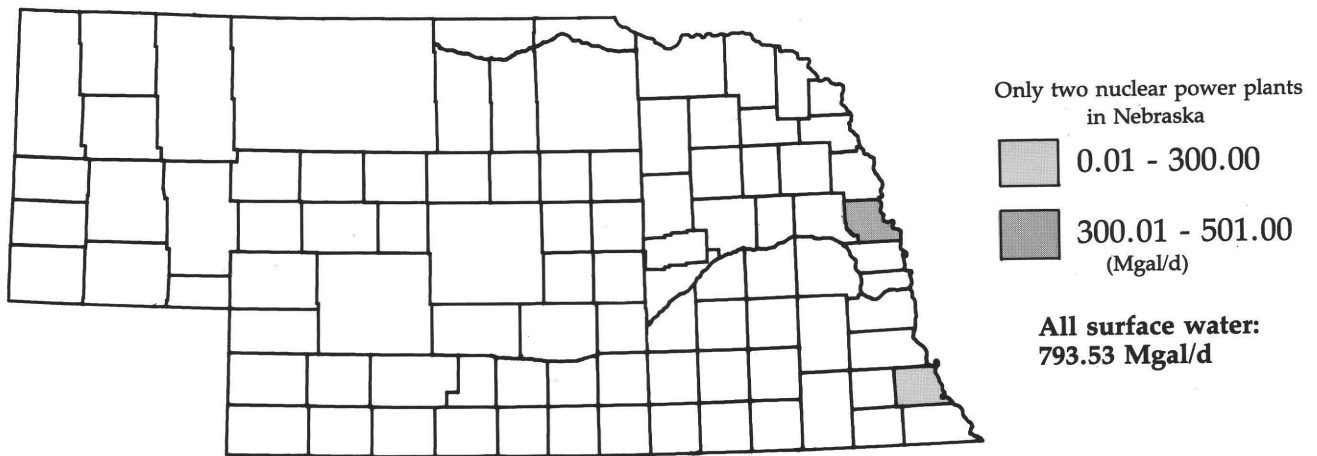


Figure 49. Nuclear power-generation water use in Nebraska counties, 1985

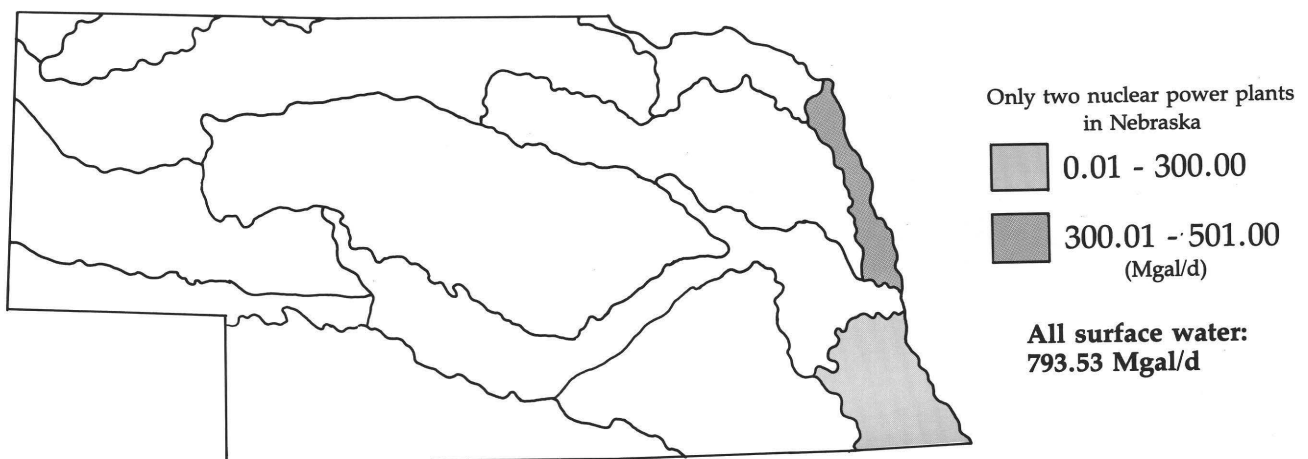


Figure 50. Nuclear power-generation water use in Nebraska subregions, 1985

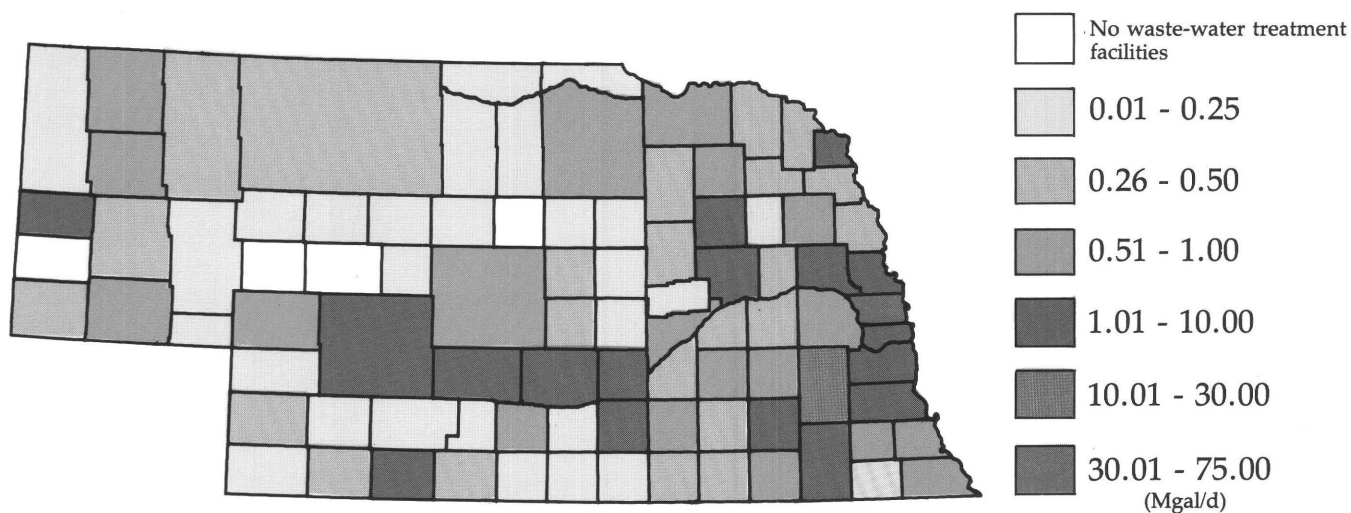


Figure 51. Waste-water treatment releases in Nebraska counties, 1985

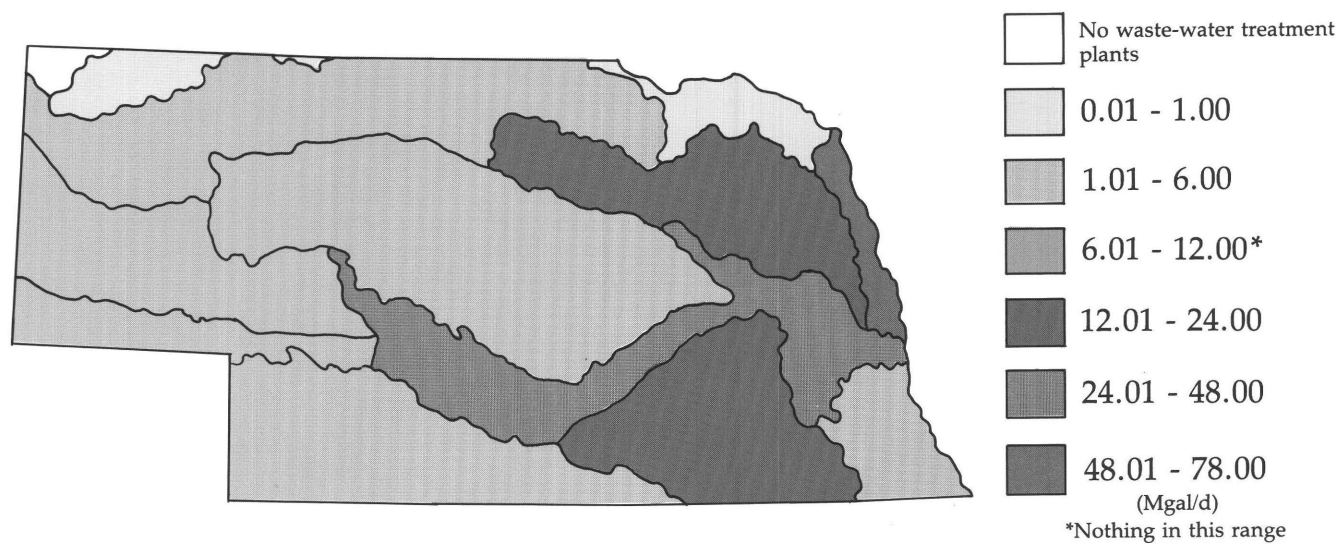


Figure 52. Waste-water treatment releases in Nebraska subregions, 1985

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Appendix

Table 1.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; SW, surface water]

County number	County name	Withdrawals for public supply ¹ / (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
			Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
001	Adams	5.89	3.08	1.35	1.31
003	Antelope	.92	.79	.07	.01
005	Arthur	0	0	0	0
007	Banner	0	0	0	0
009	Blaine	.04	.04	0	0
011	Boone	.90	.80	.09	.01
013	Box Butte	3.18	2.42	.47	.29
015	Boyd	.66	.59	.06	.01
017	Brown	.59	.51	.07	.01
019	Buffalo	5.95	3.43	1.32	1.20
021	Burt	.91	.79	.11	.01
023	Butler	.77	.70	.06	.01
025	Cass	22.82	1.96	.28	.11
027	Cedar	1.39	1.19	.17	.02
029	Chase	.82	.70	.11	.01
031	Cherry	.96	.84	.11	.01
033	Cheyenne	2.39	1.93	.28	.18
035	Clay	1.26	1.10	.14	.02
037	Colfax	1.03	.89	.13	.01
039	Cuming	1.65	1.42	.21	.02
041	Custer	2.49	2.19	.27	.03
043	Dakota	2.14	1.72	.29	.16
045	Dawes	.76	.66	.09	.01
		.50SW	.73SW	.12SW	.02SW
047	Dawson	4.29	3.49	.58	.22
049	Deuel	.67	.58	.08	.01
051	Dixon	.86	.72	.06	.01
053	Dodge	4.10	2.81	1.09	.99
055	Douglas	2.89	11.38	7.22	8.70
		37.91SW	15.16SW	10.24SW	12.51SW
057	Dundy	.36	.31	.04	.01
059	Fillmore	1.32	1.18	.13	.01
061	Franklin	.63	.57	.05	.01
063	Frontier	.48	.43	.05	0
065	Furnas	.77	1.02	.12	.02
067	Gage	4.42	3.44	.60	.38
069	Garden	.29	.24	.04	.01

Table 1.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Withdrawals for public supply ¹ / (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
			Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
071	Garfield	0.30	0.25	0.04	0.01
073	Gosper	.15	.13	.02	0
075	Grant	.07	.07	0	0
077	Greeley	.36	.34	.02	0
079	Hall	8.05	4.30	1.92	1.83
081	Hamilton	1.09	.98	.10	.01
083	Harlan	1.09	.76	.09	.01
085	Hayes	.05	.05	0	0
087	Hitchcock	.67	.61	.06	0
089	Holt	1.66	1.45	.19	.02
091	Hooker	.43	.39	.04	0
093	Howard	.64	.58	.05	.01
095	Jefferson	1.55	1.35	.14	.02
097	Johnson	1.33	1.12	.15	.02
099	Kearney	.77	.67	.09	.01
101	Keith	1.68	1.29	.24	.15
103	Keya Paha	.07	.07	0	0
105	Kimball	1.10	.96	.12	.02
107	Knox	1.34	1.19	.13	.02
109	Lancaster	2.00	13.11	8.33	10.09
111	Lincoln	6.56	3.53	1.54	1.49
113	Logan	.13	.12	.01	0
115	Loup	0	0	0	0
117	McPherson	0	0	0	0
119	Madison	4.30	2.57	.94	.84
121	Merrick	.73	.65	.07	.01
123	Morrill	1.34	1.13	.18	.03
125	Nance	.58	.50	.07	.01
127	Nemaha	1.28	1.13	.13	.01
129	Nuckolls	.86	.76	.09	.01
131	Otoe	2.73	2.15	.35	.18
133	Pawnee	.43	.39	.04	0
135	Perkins	.86	.76	.09	.01
137	Phelps	2.10	1.62	.30	.18
139	Pierce	.76	.66	.09	.02

Table 1.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Withdrawals for public supply ^{1/} (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
			Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
141	Platte	4.07	2.39	0.86	0.82
143	Polk	.62	.54	.08	0
145	Red Willow	3.08	2.25	.42	.26
147	Richardson	1.27	1.06	.14	.07
149	Rock	.24	.21	.03	0
151	Saline	1.63	1.43	.18	.02
153	Sarpy	23.13	8.69	4.59	5.29
155	Saunders	31.28	1.49	.18	.02
157	Scotts Bluff	7.35	5.72	1.05	.58
159	Seward	1.48	1.24	.17	.07
161	Sheridan	1.10	.94	.14	.02
163	Sherman	.53	.47	.05	.01
165	Sioux	.13	.12	.01	0
		.37SW	0 SW	0 SW	0 SW
167	Stanton	.32	.29	.03	0
169	Thayer	1.11	1.03	.09	.01
171	Thomas	.07	.07	0	0
173	Thurston	.83	.74	.09	.01
175	Valley	.91	.80	.10	.01
177	Washington	.38	.35	.03	0
		.68SW	.51SW	.10SW	.07SW
179	Wayne	.88	.73	.11	.07
181	Webster	.43	.51	.06	.01
183	Wheeler	.06	.06	0	0
185	York	1.86	1.49	.23	.14
NEBRASKA TOTAL		208.42	132.18	40.01	36.23
		39.46SW	16.40SW	10.46SW	12.60SW

^{1/} Public water supply all from ground water unless noted otherwise.

Table 2.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; SW, surface water]

Hydrologic unit number	Withdrawals for public supply ¹ / (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
		Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	0.76	0.66	0.09	0.01
	.87SW	.73SW	.12SW	.02SW
10140203	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1014 total	1.63	1.39	0.21	0.03
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	0.61	0.54	0.06	0.01
10150002	.13	.12	.01	0
10150003	4.39	3.46	.62	.31
10150004	1.44	1.25	.17	.02
10150005	0	0	0	0
10150006	.13	.13	0	0
10150007	.24	.22	.02	0
Subregion 1015 total	6.94	5.72	0.88	0.34
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	2.40	2.12	0.25	0.05
Subregion 1017 total	2.40	2.12	0.25	0.05
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	8.98	7.08	1.26	0.62
10180012	.12	.11	.01	0
10180013	0	0	0	0
10180014	5.91	2.95	1.48	1.48
Subregion 1018 total	15.01	10.14	2.75	2.10
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	0	0	0	0
10190015	.04	.04	0	0
10190016	3.89	3.21	.47	.21
10190017	0	0	0	0
10190018	2.23	1.77	.30	.16
Subregion 1019 total	6.16	5.02	0.77	0.37

Table 2.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Withdrawals for public supply ¹ / (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
		Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	10.07	6.80	1.87	1.40
10200102	8.42	4.63	1.95	1.84
10200103	1.05	.93	.11	.01
10200201	4.50	2.75	.92	.83
10200202	22.69	1.03	.14	.02
10200203	33.02	14.42	8.49	10.11
Subregion 1020 total	79.75	30.56	13.48	14.21
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	0.57	0.53	0.04	0
10210002	.04	.04	0	0
10210003	1.67	1.50	.15	.02
10210004	.45	.41	.04	0
10210005	2.13	1.84	.25	.04
10210006	0	0	0	0
10210007	1.15	1.00	.13	.02
10210008	0	0	0	0
10210009	1.68	1.49	.17	.02
10210010	.34	.32	.02	0
Subregion 1021 total	8.03	7.13	0.80	0.10
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	3.11	2.76	0.32	0.03
10220002	4.28	2.50	.93	.85
10220003	7.18	5.50	1.45	1.02
10220004	2.65	2.26	.31	.08
Subregion 1022 total	17.22	13.02	3.01	1.98
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	3.14	10.57	4.88	5.44
	.68SW	.51SW	.10SW	.07SW
10230006	24.37	11.38	7.22	8.70
	37.91SW	15.16SW	10.24SW	12.51SW
Subregion 1023 total	66.10	37.62	22.44	26.72
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	3.81	3.07	0.51	0.29
10240005	.37	.34	.03	0
10240006	2.17	1.93	.22	.01
10240007	.43	.39	.04	0
10240008	2.65	2.25	.29	.09
Subregion 1024 total	9.43	7.98	1.09	0.39

Table 2.--Withdrawals for public water supply and deliveries to water-use categories in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Withdrawals for public supply ^{1/} (Mgal/d)	Deliveries		
		Domestic (Mgal/d)	Commercial (Mgal/d)	Industrial (Mgal/d)
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	0.05	0.05	0	0
10250002	.31	.26	.04	.01
10250003	0	0	0	0
10250004	3.82	3.03	.52	.27
10250005	.91	.79	.11	.01
10250006	.86	.76	.09	.01
10250007	.07	.07	0	0
10250008	.38	.34	.04	0
10250009	1.47	1.31	.15	.02
10250011	.03	.03	0	0
10250014	.26	.24	.02	0
10250015	0	0	0	0
10250016	3.31	2.68	.42	.21
Subregion 1025 total	11.47	9.56	1.39	0.53
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	2.85	2.44	0.33	0.08
10270202	6.31	5.09	.81	.41
10270203	3.60	3.02	.42	.16
10270204	.96	.86	.09	.01
10270205	.03	.03	0	0
10270206	8.48	5.61	1.61	1.33
10270207	1.51	1.27	.14	.02
Subregion 1027 total	23.74	18.32	3.40	2.01
NEBRASKA TOTAL				
	208.42	132.18	40.01	36.23
	39.46SW	16.40SW	10.46SW	12.60SW

^{1/} Public water supply all from ground water unless noted otherwise.

Table 3.--Estimate of total domestic water use in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Population served	Total domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
001	Adams	31,100	3.33	107	3,730
003	Antelope	8,600	1.12	130	1,260
005	Arthur	500	.05	100	60
007	Banner	1,000	.11	110	120
009	Blaine	700	.09	129	100
011	Boone	7,200	1.09	151	1,220
013	Box Butte	14,400	2.75	191	3,080
015	Boyd	3,100	.59	190	660
017	Brown	4,200	.64	152	710
019	Buffalo	37,600	3.98	106	4,460
021	Burt	8,600	1.03	120	1,160
023	Butler	9,200	1.08	120	1,210
025	Cass	21,600	2.13	99	2,390
027	Cedar	11,000	1.53	139	1,710
029	Chase	4,800	.92	192	1,030
031	Cherry	7,000	1.17	167	1,310
033	Cheyenne	10,100	2.16	214	2,420
035	Clay	7,800	1.29	165	1,440
037	Colfax	9,600	1.15	120	1,290
039	Cuming	11,300	1.70	150	1,900
041	Custer	13,600	2.70	199	3,030
043	Dakota	17,300	1.94	112	2,180
045	Dawes	9,400	1.54	164	1,730
047	Dawson	22,500	4.03	179	4,510
049	Deuel	2,400	.66	275	740
051	Dixon	6,800	.98	144	1,100
053	Dodge	35,400	3.04	86	3,410
055	Douglas	412,900	27.52	67	30,850
057	Dundy	2,900	.46	159	520
059	Fillmore	7,600	1.40	184	1,570
061	Franklin	4,200	.69	164	770
063	Frontier	3,600	.59	164	660
065	Furnas	6,300	1.16	184	1,300
067	Gage	23,700	3.89	164	4,360
069	Garden	2,800	.43	154	480

Table 3.--Estimate of total domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Population served	Total domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
071	Garfield	2,300	0.33	143	370
073	Gosper	2,200	.25	114	280
075	Grant	900	.13	144	150
077	Greeley	3,300	.46	139	510
079	Hall	49,600	4.97	100	5,570
081	Hamilton	9,300	1.29	139	1,450
083	Harlan	4,200	.88	210	980
085	Hayes	1,300	.16	123	180
087	Hitchcock	4,000	.77	192	860
089	Holt	13,900	1.99	143	2,240
091	Hooker	1,000	.42	420	470
093	Howard	6,700	.87	130	980
095	Jefferson	9,500	1.55	163	1,730
097	Johnson	5,000	1.22	244	1,370
099	Kearney	6,700	.89	133	1,000
101	Keith	9,100	1.54	169	1,730
103	Keya Paha	1,200	.15	125	170
105	Kimball	4,800	1.08	225	1,210
107	Knox	11,000	1.61	146	1,800
109	Lancaster	205,400	14.07	69	15,780
111	Lincoln	33,500	4.40	131	4,940
113	Logan	1,000	.18	180	200
115	Loup	900	.08	90	90
117	McPherson	600	.06	100	70
119	Madison	32,200	3.06	95	3,430
121	Merrick	8,600	.99	115	1,110
123	Morrill	5,900	1.42	241	1,600
125	Nance	4,600	.65	141	730
127	Nemaha	8,500	1.23	145	1,380
129	Nuckolls	6,700	.92	137	1,030
131	Otoe	15,000	2.18	145	2,440
133	Pawnee	3,700	.42	114	470
135	Perkins	3,800	.94	247	1,050
137	Phelps	10,100	1.84	182	2,070
139	Pierce	8,400	1.02	121	1,140

Table 3.--Estimate of total domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Population served	Total domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
141	Platte	29,800	3.04	102	3,410
143	Polk	6,100	.76	125	860
145	Red Willow	12,900	2.51	195	2,810
147	Richardson	10,700	1.20	112	1,350
149	Rock	2,300	.31	135	350
151	Saline	12,900	1.74	135	1,950
153	Sarpy	95,300	8.93	94	10,010
155	Saunders	18,700	2.12	113	2,380
157	Scotts Bluff	37,900	6.74	178	7,550
159	Seward	15,700	1.58	101	1,770
161	Sheridan	7,600	1.28	168	1,430
163	Sherman	4,000	.62	155	700
165	Sioux	1,700	.24	141	260
167	Stanton	6,500	.67	103	750
169	Thayer	7,300	1.21	166	1,350
171	Thomas	1,000	.14	140	160
173	Thurston	7,100	.96	135	1,080
175	Valley	5,800	1.00	172	1,120
177	Washington	15,700	1.29	82	1,440
179	Wayne	9,800	1.02	104	1,150
181	Webster	4,600	.68	148	760
183	Wheeler	1,100	.13	118	150
185	York	15,100	1.85	123	2,070
NEBRASKA TOTAL		1,605,300	172.98	108	193,910

^{1/} Average use, in Mgal/d divided by population served.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 4 .--Estimate of total domestic water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985

[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot; <, less than value shown]

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Total domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	30	<0.005	95	0
10120108	280	.03	95	30
Subregion 1012 total	310	.03	95	30
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	9,560	1.56	163	1,750
10140203	20	<.005	105	0
Subregion 1014 total	9,580	1.56	163	1,750
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	3,080	0.55	179	620
10150002	1,180	.20	169	220
10150003	21,900	4.10	187	4,600
10150004	9,110	1.52	167	1,700
10150005	580	.06	103	70
10150006	1,250	.18	144	210
10150007	5,750	.62	108	700
Subregion 1015 total	42,850	7.23	169	8,120
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	20,600	2.92	142	3,270
Subregion 1017 total	20,600	2.92	142	3,270
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	44,460	8.35	188	9,360
10180012	1,910	.125	131	280
10180013	2,090	.22	105	250
10180014	26,020	3.31	127	3,710
Subregion 1018 total	74,480	12.13	163	13,600
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	180	0.02	112	20
10190015	310	.05	161	60
10190016	13,780	3.40	245	3,810
10190017	800	.09	113	100
10190018	11,920	2.08	174	2,330
Subregion 1019 total	26,990	5.64	209	6,320

Table 4.--Estimate of total domestic water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Total domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	61,470	8.17	133	9,160
10200102	48,380	5.08	105	5,690
10200103	16,460	1.78	108	2,000
10200201	34,610	3.42	99	3,830
10200202	12,350	1.37	111	1,540
10200203	220,600	15.93	72	17,860
Subregion 1020 total	393,870	35.75	91	40,080
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	2,690	0.66	245	750
10210002	1,720	.20	116	220
10210003	11,040	1.90	172	2,130
10210004	7,470	.86	115	960
10210005	9,240	2.06	223	2,310
10210006	1,550	.16	103	180
10210007	8,620	1.30	151	1,460
10210008	1,370	.13	95	150
10210009	14,910	2.09	140	2,340
10210010	4,640	.59	127	660
Subregion 1021 total	63,250	9.95	157	11,160
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	24,920	3.59	144	4,020
10220002	32,390	3.01	93	3,370
10220003	67,730	7.13	105	8,000
10220004	23,030	2.83	123	3,170
Subregion 1022 total	148,070	16.56	112	18,560
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	32,650	3.60	110	4,030
10230006	501,410	35.55	71	39,850
Subregion 1023 total	534,060	39.15	73	43,880
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	23,690	3.16	133	3,540
10240005	2,770	.38	137	420
10240006	19,290	2.10	109	2,350
10240007	3,920	.45	115	510
10240008	17,380	2.55	147	2,860
Subregion 1024 total	67,050	8.64	129	9,680

Table 4.--Estimate of total domestic water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Total domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	220	0.05	227	60
10250002	2,070	.34	164	380
10250003	10	<.002	105	0
10250004	18,040	3.49	193	3,920
10250005	4,660	.95	204	1,070
10250006	4,360	1.00	229	1,120
10250007	2,110	.26	123	290
10250008	3,780	.57	151	640
10250009	8,620	1.61	187	1,810
10250011	730	.07	96	70
10250014	2,460	.36	146	400
10250015	120	.01	83	10
10250016	18,250	3.09	169	3,460
Subregion 1025 total	65,430	11.80	180	13,230
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	25,550	3.05	119	3,420
10270202	38,460	5.74	149	6,440
10270203	25,810	3.77	146	4,230
10270204	8,140	1.20	147	1,340
10270205	710	.07	99	70
10270206	51,680	6.37	123	7,140
10270207	8,410	1.42	169	1,590
Subregion 1027 total	158,760	21.62	136	24,230
NEBRASKA TOTAL				
	1,605,300	172.98	108	193,910

^{1/} Average use, in Mgal/d, divided by population served.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 5.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
001	Adams	28,000	3.08	110	3,450
003	Antelope	4,700	.79	168	890
005	Arthur	0	(No public supply in county)		
007	Banner	0		(do.)	
009	Blaine	150	.04	265	40
011	Boone	3,800	.80	210	900
013	Box Butte	11,400	2.42	212	2,710
015	Boyd	3,100	.59	190	660
017	Brown	2,750	.51	185	570
019	Buffalo	30,700	3.43	112	3,840
021	Burt	5,400	.79	146	890
023	Butler	4,400	.70	159	780
025	Cass	19,300	1.96	102	2,200
027	Cedar	7,000	1.19	170	1,330
029	Chase	2,700	.70	259	780
031	Cherry	3,700	.84	227	940
033	Cheyenne	8,000	1.93	241	2,160
035	Clay	5,400	1.10	204	1,230
037	Colfax	6,600	.89	135	1,000
039	Cuming	8,000	1.42	177	1,590
041	Custer	7,900	2.19	277	2,460
043	Dakota	14,400	1.72	119	1,930
045	Dawes	7,800	1.39	178	1,560
047	Dawson	16,500	3.49	212	3,910
049	Deuel	1,600	.58	362	650
051	Dixon	3,800	.72	189	810
053	Dodge	32,700	2.81	86	3,150
055	Douglas	400,000	26.54	66	29,750
057	Dundy	1,500	.31	207	350
059	Fillmore	5,000	1.18	236	1,320
061	Franklin	2,700	.57	211	640
063	Frontier	1,900	.43	226	480
065	Furnas	4,600	1.02	222	1,140
067	Gage	18,400	3.44	187	3,860
069	Garden	1,100	.24	218	270

Table 5.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita	Annual volume (acre-ft)
071	Garfield	1,400	0.25	178	280
073	Gosper	800	.13	162	150
075	Grant	300	.07	233	80
077	Greeley	1,900	.34	179	380
079	Hall	41,200	4.30	104	4,820
081	Hamilton	5,400	.98	181	1,100
083	Harlan	2,800	.76	271	850
085	Hayes	250	.05	199	60
087	Hitchcock	2,500	.61	244	680
089	Holt	7,900	1.45	184	1,630
091	Hooker	700	.39	556	440
093	Howard	3,100	.58	187	650
095	Jefferson	6,900	1.35	196	1,510
097	Johnson	3,800	1.12	295	1,260
099	Kearney	3,900	.67	172	750
101	Keith	6,700	1.29	193	1,450
103	Keya Paha	300	.07	233	80
105	Kimball	3,700	.96	259	1,080
107	Knox	6,100	1.19	195	1,330
109	Lancaster	193,400	13.11	68	14,700
111	Lincoln	24,800	3.53	142	3,960
113	Logan	400	.12	299	130
115	Loup	0	(No public supply in county)		
117	McPherson	0	(do.)		
119	Madison	26,400	2.57	97	2,880
121	Merrick	4,400	.65	148	730
123	Morrill	3,300	1.13	342	1,270
125	Nance	2,800	.50	179	560
127	Nemaha	7,300	1.13	155	1,270
129	Nuckolls	4,700	.76	162	850
131	Otoe	14,700	2.15	146	2,410
133	Pawnee	3,400	.39	115	440
135	Perkins	2,100	.76	362	850
137	Phelps	7,500	1.62	216	1,820
139	Pierce	4,200	.66	157	740

Table 5.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
141	Platte	22,200	2.39	108	2,680
143	Polk	3,400	.54	159	610
145	Red Willow	10,200	2.25	221	2,520
147	Richardson	9,100	1.06	116	1,190
149	Rock	1,200	.21	175	240
151	Saline	9,300	1.43	154	1,600
153	Sarpy	92,100	8.69	94	9,740
155	Saunders	10,800	1.49	138	1,670
157	Scotts Bluff	28,600	5.72	200	6,410
159	Seward	11,400	1.24	109	1,390
161	Sheridan	4,500	.94	209	1,050
163	Sherman	2,100	.47	224	530
165	Sioux	400	.12	299	130
167	Stanton	2,000	.29	145	320
169	Thayer	5,300	1.03	194	1,150
171	Thomas	300	.07	233	80
173	Thurston	4,200	.74	176	830
175	Valley	3,600	.80	222	900
177	Washington	9,900	.86	87	960
179	Wayne	6,400	.73	114	820
181	Webster	2,500	.51	204	570
183	Wheeler	300	.06	199	70
185	York	10,600	1.49	141	1,670
NEBRASKA TOTAL		1,324,450	148.58	112	166,560

^{1/} Average use in Mgal/d divided by population served.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 6.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ / _	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	0			
10120108	0			
Subregion 1012 total	0			
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	7,800	1.39	178	1,560
10140203	0			
Subregion 1014 total	7,800	1.39	178	1,560
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	2,900	0.54	186	610
10150002	400	.12	299	130
10150003	16,000	3.46	216	3,880
10150004	6,300	1.25	198	1,400
10150005	0			
10150006	600	.13	216	150
10150007	1,200	.22	183	250
Subregion 1015 total	27,400	5.72	209	6,420
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	11,300	2.12	188	2,370
Subregion 1017 total	11,300	2.12	188	2,370
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	33,000	7.08	215	7,940
10180012	600	.11	183	120
10180013	0			
10180014	22,500	2.95	131	3,310
Subregion 1018 total	56,100	10.14	181	11,370
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	0			
10190015	200	0.04	199	50
10190016	12,100	3.21	265	3,600
10190017	0			
10190018	8,800	1.77	201	1,980
Subregion 1019 total	21,100	5.02	238	5,630

Table 6.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	46,200	6.80	147	7,620
10200102	42,900	4.63	108	5,190
10200103	5,800	.93	160	1,040
10200201	26,700	2.75	103	3,080
10200202	7,800	1.03	132	1,160
10200203	201,700	14.42	71	16,170
Subregion 1020 total	331,100	30.56	92	34,260
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	1,300	0.53	407	600
10210002	150	.04	265	40
10210003	6,300	1.50	238	1,680
10210004	2,200	.41	186	460
10210005	6,700	1.84	275	2,060
10210006	0			
10210007	5,200	1.00	192	1,120
10210008	0			
10210009	7,700	1.49	193	1,670
10210010	1,500	.32	213	360
Subregion 1021 total	31,050	7.13	230	7,990
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	15,200	2.76	182	3,090
10220002	26,600	2.50	94	2,800
10220003	47,900	5.50	115	6,170
10220004	16,100	2.26	140	2,530
Subregion 1022 total	105,800	13.02	123	14,590
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	25,700	3.08	120	3,450
10230006	488,000	34.54	71	38,720
Subregion 1023 total	513,700	37.62	75	42,170
WEeping WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	22,500	3.07	136	3,440
10240005	2,300	.34	148	380
10240006	17,200	1.93	112	2,160
10240007	3,400	.39	115	440
10240008	13,900	2.25	162	2,520
Subregion 1024 total	59,300	7.98	135	8,940

Table 6.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Population served	Public-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	200	0.05	249	60
10250002	1,300	.26	200	290
10250003	0			
10250004	13,500	3.03	224	3,400
10250005	3,100	.79	255	890
10250006	2,100	.76	362	850
10250007	300	.07	233	80
10250008	1,400	.34	243	380
10250009	5,100	1.31	257	1,470
10250011	200	.03	149	30
10250014	1,200	.24	200	270
10250015	0			
10250016	13,200	2.68	203	3,000
Subregion 1025 total	41,600	9.56	230	10,720
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	17,800	2.44	137	2,740
10270202	30,800	5.09	165	5,710
10270203	16,600	3.02	182	3,390
10270204	4,200	.86	205	960
10270205	200	.03	149	30
10270206	42,100	5.61	133	6,290
10270207	6,500	1.27	195	1,420
Subregion 1027 total	118,200	18.32	155	20,540
NEBRASKA TOTAL				
	1,324,450	148.58	112	166,560

^{1/} Average use, in Mgal/d, divided by population served.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 7.--Estimate of self-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Self-supplied population	Self-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d) ^{1/}	GPD per capita	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
001	Adams	3,100	0.25	80	280
003	Antelope	3,900	.33	85	370
005	Arthur	500	.05	105	60
007	Banner	1,000	.11	110	120
009	Blaine	550	.05	90	60
011	Boone	3,400	.29	85	320
013	Box Butte	3,000	.33	110	370
015	Boyd	0	0	0	0
017	Brown	1,450	.13	90	140
019	Buffalo	6,900	.55	80	620
021	Burt	3,200	.24	75	270
023	Butler	4,800	.38	80	430
025	Cass	2,300	.17	75	190
027	Cedar	4,000	.34	85	380
029	Chase	2,100	.22	105	250
031	Cherry	3,300	.33	100	370
033	Cheyenne	2,100	.23	110	260
035	Clay	2,400	.19	80	210
037	Colfax	3,000	.26	85	290
039	Cuming	3,300	.28	85	310
041	Custer	5,700	.51	90	570
043	Dakota	2,900	.22	75	250
045	Dawes	1,600	.15	95	170
047	Dawson	6,000	.54	90	600
049	Deuel	800	.08	105	90
051	Dixon	3,000	.26	85	290
053	Dodge	2,700	.23	85	260
055	Douglas	12,900	.98	75	1,100
057	Dundy	1,400	.15	105	170
059	Fillmore	2,600	.22	85	250
061	Franklin	1,500	.12	80	130
063	Frontier	1,700	.16	95	180
065	Furnas	1,700	.14	85	160
067	Gage	5,300	.45	85	500
069	Garden	1,700	.19	110	210

Table 7.--Estimate of self-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Self- supplied population	Self-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d) ^{1/}	GPD per capita	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
071	Garfield	900	0.08	90	90
073	Gosper	1,400	.12	85	130
075	Grant	600	.06	105	70
077	Greeley	1,400	.12	85	130
079	Hall	8,400	.67	80	750
081	Hamilton	3,900	.31	80	350
083	Harlan	1,400	.12	85	130
085	Hayes	1,050	.11	105	120
087	Hitchcock	1,500	.16	105	180
089	Holt	6,000	.54	90	610
091	Hooker	300	.03	105	30
093	Howard	3,600	.29	80	330
095	Jefferson	2,600	.20	85	220
097	Johnson	1,200	.10	85	110
099	Kearney	2,800	.22	80	250
101	Keith	2,400	.25	105	280
103	Keya Paha	900	.08	90	90
105	Kimball	1,100	.12	110	130
107	Knox	4,900	.42	85	470
109	Lancaster	12,000	.96	80	1,080
111	Lincoln	8,700	.87	100	980
113	Logan	600	.06	100	70
115	Loup	900	.08	90	90
117	McPherson	600	.06	100	70
119	Madison	5,800	.49	85	550
121	Merrick	4,200	.34	80	380
123	Morrill	2,600	.29	110	330
125	Nance	1,800	.15	85	170
127	Nemaha	1,200	.10	85	110
129	Nuckolls	2,000	.16	80	180
131	Otoe	300	.03	85	30
133	Pawnee	300	.03	85	30
135	Perkins	1,700	.18	105	200
137	Phelps	2,600	.22	85	250
139	Pierce	4,200	.36	85	400

Table 7.--Estimate of public-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Self-supplied population	Public-supplied domestic water use		
			Average use (Mgal/d) ^{1/}	GPD per capita	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
141	Platte	7,600	0.65	85	730
143	Polk	2,700	.22	80	250
145	Red Willow	2,700	.26	95	290
147	Richardson	1,600	.14	85	160
149	Rock	1,100	.10	90	110
151	Saline	3,600	.31	85	350
153	Sarpy	3,200	.24	75	270
155	Saunders	7,900	.63	80	710
157	Scotts Bluff	9,300	1.02	110	1,140
159	Seward	4,300	.34	80	380
161	Sheridan	3,100	.34	110	380
163	Sherman	1,900	.15	80	170
165	Sioux	1,300	.12	95	130
167	Stanton	4,500	.38	85	430
169	Thayer	2,000	.18	80	200
171	Thomas	700	.07	105	80
173	Thurston	2,900	.22	75	250
175	Valley	2,200	.20	90	220
177	Washington	5,800	.43	75	480
179	Wayne	3,400	.29	85	330
181	Webster	2,100	.17	80	190
183	Wheeler	800	.07	90	80
185	York	4,500	.36	80	400
NEBRASKA TOTAL		280,850	24.40	87	27,350

^{1/} Self-supplied population times GPD per capita divided by 10⁶.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 8.--Estimate of self-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; GPD, gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot;
<, less than value shown]

Hydrologic unit number	Self-supplied population	Self-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ¹ / _____	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	30	<0.005	108	0
10120108	280	.03	108	30
Subregion 1012 total	310	.03	108	30
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	1,760	0.17	97	0
10140203	20	<.005	97	190
Subregion 1014 total	1,780	0.17	97	190
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	180	0.01	85	10
10150002	780	.08	103	90
10150003	5,900	.64	108	720
10150004	2,810	.27	96	300
10150005	580	.06	104	70
10150006	650	.05	77	60
10150007	4,550	.40	88	450
Subregion 1015 total	15,450	1.51	98	1,700
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	9,300	0.80	86	900
Subregion 1017 total	9,300	0.80	86	900
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	11,460	1.27	111	1,420
10180012	1,310	.14	107	160
10180013	2,090	.22	105	250
10180014	3,520	.36	102	400
Subregion 1018 total	18,380	1.99	108	2,230
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	180	0.02	112	20
10190015	110	.01	92	10
10190016	1,680	.19	113	210
10190017	800	.09	113	100
10190018	3,120	.31	99	350
Subregion 1019 total	5,890	0.62	105	690

Table 8.--Estimate of self-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Self-supplied population	Self-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capital ¹ /	Annual volume ² / (acre-ft)
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	15,270	1.37	90	1,540
10200102	5,480	.45	82	500
10200103	10,660	.85	80	950
10200201	7,910	.67	85	750
10200202	4,550	.34	75	380
10200203	18,900	1.51	80	1,700
Subregion 1020 total	62,770	5.19	83	5,820
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	1,390	0.13	94	150
10210002	1,570	.16	102	180
10210003	4,740	.40	84	450
10210004	5,270	.45	85	500
10210005	2,540	.22	87	250
10210006	1,550	.16	103	180
10210007	3,420	.30	88	340
10210008	1,370	.13	95	150
10210009	7,210	.60	83	670
10210010	3,140	.27	86	300
Subregion 1021 total	32,200	2.82	88	3,170
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	9,720	0.83	85	930
10220002	5,790	.51	88	570
10220003	19,830	1.63	82	1,830
10220004	6,930	.57	82	640
Subregion 1022 total	42,270	3.54	84	3,970
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	6,950	0.52	75	580
10230006	13,410	1.01	75	1,130
Subregion 1023 total	20,360	1.53	75	1,710
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	1,190	0.09	76	100
10240005	470	.04	85	40
10240006	2,090	.17	81	190
10240007	520	.06	116	70
10240008	3,480	.30	86	340
Subregion 1024 total	7,750	0.66	85	740

Table 8.--Estimate of self-supplied domestic water use
in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Self-supplied population	Self-supplied domestic water use		
		Average use (Mgal/d)	GPD per capita ^{1/}	Annual volume ^{2/} (acre-ft)
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	20	<0.003	105	0
10250002	770	.08	104	90
10250003	10	<.002	105	0
10250004	4,540	.46	101	520
10250005	1,560	.16	103	180
10250006	2,260	.24	106	270
10250007	1,810	.19	105	210
10250008	2,380	.23	97	260
10250009	3,520	.30	85	340
10250011	530	.04	76	40
10250014	1,260	.12	95	130
10250015	120	.01	85	10
10250016	5,050	.41	81	460
Subregion 1025 total	23,830	2.24	94	2,510
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	7,750	0.61	79	680
10270202	7,660	.65	85	730
10270203	9,210	.75	81	840
10270204	3,940	.34	86	380
10270205	510	.04	79	40
10270206	9,580	.76	79	850
10270207	1,910	.15	78	170
Subregion 1027 total	40,560	3.30	81	3,690
NEBRASKA TOTAL				
	280,850	24.40	87	27,350

^{1/} Average use, in Mgal/d, divided by self-supplied population.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 9.--Estimates of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska counties, 1985

[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; zero values listed for commercial and industrial use denote any use below 0.005 Mgal/d.]

County number	County name	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
		Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self-supplied (Mgal/d)
001	Adams	0.01	1.35	0.80	1.31	0
003	Antelope	0	.07	0	.01	1.55
005	Arthur	0	0	0	0	0
007	Banner	0	0	0	0	.47
009	Blaine	0	0	0	0	0
011	Boone	0	.09	0	.01	0
013	Box Butte	0	.47	0	.29	0
015	Boyd	0	.06	0	.01	0
017	Brown	0	.07	0	.01	.82
019	Buffalo	.01	1.32	.80	1.20	4.82
021	Burt	0	.11	0	.01	0
023	Butler	0	.06	0	.01	1.76
025	Cass	0	.28	1.80	.11	17.28
027	Cedar	0	.17	.10	.02	.88
029	Chase	0	.11	0	.01	0
031	Cherry	0	.11	0	.01	0
033	Cheyenne	0	.28	0	.18	.92
035	Clay	0	.14	0	.02	.88
037	Colfax	0	.13	1.50	.01	1.32
039	Cuming	0	.21	.90	.02	1.32
041	Custer	0	.27	0	.03	1.32
043	Dakota	.02	.29	3.10	.16	0
045	Dawes	.01	.21	0	.03	0
047	Dawson	.01	.58	2.00	.22	3.08
049	Deuel	0	.08	0	.01	.44
051	Dixon	0	.06	0	.01	.44
053	Dodge	.01	1.09	2.40	.99	1.76
055	Douglas	.03	17.46	1.10	21.21	1.76
057	Dundy	0	.04	0	.01	.47
059	Fillmore	0	.13	0	.01	0
061	Franklin	0	.05	0	.01	.88
063	Frontier	0	.05	0	0	0
065	Furnas	0	.12	0	.02	.36
067	Gage	.02	.60	0	.38	5.46
069	Garden	0	.04	0	.01	.44

Table 9.--Estimate of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
		Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self-supplied (Mgal/d)
071	Garfield	0	0.04	0	0.01	0.44
073	Gosper	0	.02	0	0	0
075	Grant	0	0	0	0	0
077	Greeley	0	.02	0	0	0
079	Hall	.02	1.92	.80	1.83	4.20
081	Hamilton	.01	.10	.80	.01	.44
083	Harlan	0	.09	0	.01	.50
085	Hayes	0	0	0	0	0
087	Hitchcock	0	.06	0	0	1.77
089	Holt	0	.19	0	.02	3.96
091	Hooker	0	.04	0	0	0
093	Howard	0	.05	0	.01	1.13
095	Jefferson	0	.14	.30	.02	3.09
097	Johnson	0	.15	0	.02	0
099	Kearney	0	.09	.30	.01	0
101	Keith	.01	.24	0	.15	1.76
103	Keya Paha	0	0	0	0	0
105	Kimball	0	.12	0	.02	.98
107	Knox	0	.13	0	.02	2.82
109	Lancaster	.02	8.33	0	10.09	1.86
111	Lincoln	.01	1.54	.20	1.49	3.96
113	Logan	0	.01	0	0	0
115	Loup	0	0	0	0	.44
117	McPherson	0	0	0	0	0
119	Madison	.01	.94	1.90	.84	3.09
121	Merrick	0	.07	0	.01	2.20
123	Morrill	.01	.18	1.90	.03	.55
125	Nance	0	.07	0	.01	.88
127	Nemaha	0	.13	0	.01	.44
129	Nuckolls	0	.09	.20	.01	3.61
131	Otoe	0	.35	0	.18	0
133	Pawnee	0	.04	0	0	0
135	Perkins	0	.09	0	.01	.44
137	Phelps	0	.30	0	.18	1.76
139	Pierce	0	.09	0	.02	.44

Table 9.--Estimate of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
		Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self-supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self-supplied (Mgal/d)
141	Platte	0.01	0.86	0.10	0.82	2.37
143	Polk	0	.08	0	0	.44
145	Red Willow	.01	.42	.40	.26	8.65
147	Richardson	0	.14	0	.07	0
149	Rock	0	.03	0	0	0
151	Saline	0	.18	1.00	.02	.44
153	Sarpy	0	4.59	16.80	5.29	6.78
155	Saunders	0	.18	.10	.02	3.52
157	Scotts Bluff	.02	1.05	8.50	.58	2.40
159	Seward	0	.17	0	.07	0
161	Sheridan	0	.14	0	.02	0
163	Sherman	0	.05	0	.01	0
166	Sioux	0	.01	0	0	0
167	Stanton	0	.03	.40	0	0
169	Thayer	0	.09	0	.01	1.32
171	Thomas	0	0	0	0	.73
173	Thurston	0	.09	0	.01	0
175	Valley	0	.10	0	.01	.88
177	Washington	0	.13	0	.07	0
179	Wayne	0	.11	0	.07	0
181	Webster	0	.06	0	.01	1.32
183	Wheeler	0	0	0	0	0
185	York	.01	.23	.20	.14	1.32
NEBRASKA TOTAL		0.26	50.47	48.40	48.83	119.36

Table 10.--Estimates of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; zero values listed for commercial and industrial use denote any use below 0.005 Mgal/d.]

Hydrologic Unit number	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self- supplied (Mgal/d)
HAT CREEK BASIN					
10120106	0	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN					
10140201	0.01	0.21	0	0.03	0
10140203	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1014 total	0.01	0.21	0	0.03	0
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN					
10150001	0	0.06	0	0.01	0
10150002	0	.01	0	0	0
10150003	0	.62	0	.31	0
10150004	0	.17	0	.02	.82
10150005	0	0	0	0	0
10150006	0	0	0	0	0
10150007	0	.02	0	0	3.31
Subregion 1015 total	0	0.88	0	0.34	4.13
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10170101	0	0.25	0.10	0.05	2.82
Subregion 1017 total	0	0.25	0.10	0.05	2.82
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10180009	0.03	1.26	10.40	0.62	3.62
10180012	0	.01	0	0	0
10180013	0	0	0	0	.50
10180014	0	1.48	.20	1.48	3.08
Subregion 1018 total	0.03	2.75	10.60	2.10	7.20
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10190012	0	0	0	0	0
10190015	0	0	0	0	0
10190016	0	.47	0	.21	1.27
10190017	0	0	0	0	.38
10190018	.02	.30	0	.16	3.08
Subregion 1019 total	0.02	0.77	0	0.37	4.73

Table 10.--Estimates of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic Unit number	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self- supplied (Mgal/d)
PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10200101	0.04	1.87	2.80	1.40	9.22
10200102	0	1.95	.80	1.84	4.64
10200103	0	.11	0	.01	3.25
10200201	0	.92	1.60	.83	3.96
10200202	0	.14	1.10	.02	12.94
10200203	.02	8.49	2.50	10.11	2.30
Subregion 1020 total	0.06	13.48	8.80	14.21	36.31
LOUP RIVER BASIN					
10210001	0	0.04	0	0	0.73
10210002	0	0	0	0	0
10210003	0	.15	0	.02	.26
10210004	0	.04	0	0	1.32
10210005	0	.25	0	.04	0
10210006	0	0	0	0	.44
10210007	0	.13	0	.02	2.19
10210008	0	0	0	0	0
10210009	.01	.17	0	.02	1.32
10210010	0	.02	0	0	0
Subregion 1021 total	0.01	0.80	0	0.10	6.26
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN					
10220001	0	0.32	0	0.03	6.61
10220002	.01	.93	1.90	.85	.44
10220003	.01	1.45	1.30	1.02	2.64
10220004	0	.31	0	.08	0
Subregion 1022 total	0.02	3.01	3.20	1.98	9.69
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10230001	0.02	0.50	3.10	0.24	0
10230006	.03	21.94	16.80	26.48	0
Subregion 1023 total	0.05	22.44	19.90	26.72	0
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN					
10240001	0	0.51	1.80	0.29	16.40
10240005	0	.03	0	0	0
10240006	0	.22	0	.01	.44
10240007	0	.04	0	0	0
10240008	0	.29	0	.09	0
Subregion 1024 total	0	1.09	1.80	0.39	16.84

Table 10.--Estimates of water use for commercial, industrial, and mining in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic Unit number	Commercial		Industrial		Mining
	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	Self- supplied (Mgal/d)	Public supplied (Mgal/d)	All self- supplied (Mgal/d)
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN					
10250001	0	0	0	0	0
10250002	0	.04	0	.01	.44
10250003	0	0	0	0	0
10250004	.01	.52	.40	.27	9.61
10250005	0	.11	0	.01	.01
10250006	0	.09	0	.01	.44
10250007	0	0	0	0	.35
10250008	0	.04	0	0	0
10250009	0	.15	0	.02	.82
10250011	0	0	0	0	0
10250014	0	.02	0	0	.47
10250015	0	0	0	0	.04
10250016	0	.42	.20	.21	2.64
Subregion 1025 total	0.01	1.39	0.60	0.53	14.82
BLUE RIVER BASIN					
10270201	0	0.33	0.80	0.08	0.88
10270202	.02	.81	1.00	.41	5.90
10270203	.02	.42	.20	.16	2.20
10270204	0	.09	0	.01	0
10270205	0	0	0	0	0
10270206	.01	1.61	1.10	1.33	4.49
10270207	0	.14	.30	.02	3.09
Subregion 1027 total	0.05	3.40	3.40	2.01	16.56
NEBRASKA TOTAL	0.26	50.47	48.40	48.83	119.36

Table 11.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation
in Nebraska counties, 1985

[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre- ft) ^{2/}
001	Adams	164,960	7.5	93.45	104,760
003	Antelope	179,760	9.5	128.55	144,110
005	Arthur	8,780	13.0	8.46	9,480
007	Banner	27,360	14.5	29.93	33,550
009	Blaine	10,880	13.5	10.83	12,140
011	Boone	117,100	10.5	90.48	101,430
013	Box Butte	119,290	16.5	146.66	164,410
015	Boyd	7,330	14.0	7.50	8,400
017	Brown	87,970	16.0	106.12	118,960
019	Buffalo	245,020	10.0	182.21	204,250
021	Burt	42,710	9.5	29.38	32,940
023	Butler	94,400	8.0	61.68	69,140
025	Cass	5,830	11.0	4.88	5,460
027	Cedar	50,580	10.0	36.95	41,420
029	Chase	180,780	15.5	207.40	232,490
031	Cherry	46,220	13.0	44.40	49,750
033	Cheyenne	43,040	16.5	53.14	59,570
035	Clay	176,950	8.0	102.18	114,540
037	Colfax	63,580	11.5	54.31	60,880
039	Cuming	28,960	12.0	25.30	28,360
041	Custer	186,060	11.5	159.39	178,680
043	Dakota	8,240	8.5	5.16	5,780
045	Dawes	24,600	15.0	27.58	30,930
047	Dawson	258,470	12.5	237.39	266,110
049	Deuel	26,110	19.5	38.00	42,600
051	Dixon	12,560	10.5	9.73	10,910
053	Dodge	90,220	12.0	78.98	88,540
055	Douglas	21,620	11.0	17.59	19,720
057	Dundy	119,010	16.0	142.02	159,200
059	Fillmore	186,080	8.5	117.01	131,170
061	Franklin	85,570	13.0	82.13	92,060
063	Frontier	57,940	15.0	65.70	73,650
065	Furnas	67,760	15.0	74.40	83,400
067	Gage	51,820	10.5	39.84	44,660
069	Garden	41,800	18.0	55.90	62,670

Table 11.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre- ft) ^{2/}
071	Garfield	18,230	9.5	16.04	17,980
073	Gosper	45,260	13.5	45.95	51,510
075	Grant	1,590	13.0	1.54	1,730
077	Greeley	63,510	10.5	49.99	56,030
079	Hall	217,430	10.0	160.77	180,240
081	Hamilton	241,610	7.5	137.58	154,230
083	Harlan	76,970	14.0	81.01	90,820
085	Hayes	34,350	15.0	37.75	42,320
087	Hitchcock	42,910	17.5	55.29	61,990
089	Holt	281,890	10.5	215.09	241,120
091	Hooker	2,810	13.5	2.78	3,120
093	Howard	118,910	12.0	106.04	118,880
095	Jefferson	53,650	9.0	36.09	40,460
097	Johnson	12,440	11.5	10.44	11,700
099	Kearney	176,400	10.5	138.17	154,890
101	Keith	95,420	21.5	150.80	169,050
103	Keya Paha	23,930	10.5	19.00	21,310
105	Kimball	29,570	17.0	37.58	42,120
107	Knox	43,100	10.0	31.58	35,400
109	Lancaster	21,100	10.5	16.84	18,880
111	Lincoln	206,180	16.5	249.23	279,380
113	Logan	16,050	9.5	11.33	12,700
115	Loup	14,580	16.5	17.90	20,060
117	McPherson	11,430	12.0	10.10	11,320
119	Madison	72,490	10.5	57.48	64,430
121	Merrick	189,060	10.0	142.07	159,270
123	Morrill	152,600	31.0	349.78	392,110
125	Nance	68,700	11.5	59.32	66,490
127	Nemaha	4,960	12.0	4.36	4,900
129	Nuckolls	58,870	11.0	47.76	53,540
131	Otoe	8,730	12.0	7.66	8,580
133	Pawnee	2,980	11.5	2.57	2,890
135	Perkins	120,130	13.0	116.61	130,720
137	Phelps	212,830	14.5	232.34	260,440
139	Pierce	99,630	10.0	74.58	83,600

Table 11.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation
in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre- ft) ^{2/}
141	Platte	123,890	10.5	96.91	108,620
143	Polk	130,380	8.5	82.39	92,360
145	Red Willow	66,130	16.5	80.63	90,380
147	Richardson	5,020	11.0	4.08	4,570
149	Rock	64,440	10.5	50.34	56,430
151	Saline	88,960	10.0	64.65	72,480
153	Sarpy	7,010	10.5	5.46	6,130
155	Saunders	59,170	10.0	44.32	49,670
157	Scotts Bluff	256,110	41.0	784.29	879,190
159	Seward	114,900	8.5	71.52	80,170
161	Sheridan	66,840	17.0	83.76	93,910
163	Sherman	58,640	11.0	44.33	49,700
166	Sioux	54,390	33.0	133.77	149,960
167	Stanton	26,060	11.5	22.51	25,240
169	Thayer	115,950	7.5	63.30	70,960
171	Thomas	3,980	14.5	4.25	4,770
173	Thurston	6,950	12.5	6.34	7,100
175	Valley	81,900	12.0	73.04	81,880
177	Washington	10,930	10.5	8.52	9,550
179	Wayne	17,780	10.5	14.16	15,870
181	Webster	50,360	12.5	47.62	53,380
183	Wheeler	60,960	8.5	39.22	43,960
185	York	229,730	7.5	131.63	147,560
NEBRASKA TOTAL		7,480,140	13.0	7,265.09	8,144,170

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 12.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation in Nebraska
hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre- ft) ^{2/}
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	0	0	0	0
10120108	4,770	12.0	4.26	4,780
Subregion 1012 total	4,770	12.0	4.26	4,780
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	15,570	13.5	15.80	17,710
10140203	310	16.0	.37	420
Subregion 1014 total	15,880	13.5	16.17	18,130
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	2,910	12.5	2.70	3,030
10150002	14,850	16.0	17.89	20,050
10150003	201,660	16.5	249.35	279,520
10150004	145,910	14.0	151.08	169,360
10150005	2,000	19.0	2.85	3,190
10150006	23,320	11.0	19.39	21,740
10150007	206,240	10.5	159.39	178,680
Subregion 1015 total	596,890	13.5	602.65	675,570
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	81,020	8.5	52.12	58,420
Subregion 1017 total	81,020	8.5	52.12	58,420
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	466,620	36.5	1,269.61	1,423,240
10180012	2,510	19.5	3.60	4,030
10180013	46,400	17.5	61.21	68,620
10180014	87,530	23.0	150.06	168,220
Subregion 1018 total	603,060	33.0	1,484.48	1,664,110
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	2,160	15.5	2.50	2,800
10190015	2,190	16.5	2.68	3,000
10190016	59,900	17.5	78.16	87,610
10190017	9,370	18.5	12.96	14,530
10190018	135,080	20.0	200.53	224,800
Subregion 1019 total	208,700	19.0	296.83	332,740

Table 12.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	657,260	12.5	614.02	688,320
10200102	200,720	10.0	149.44	167,520
10200103	400,100	10.0	293.61	329,140
10200201	154,910	10.5	121.47	136,170
10200202	57,310	11.0	46.80	52,450
10200203	70,850	10.0	53.88	60,390
Subregion 1020 total	1,541,150	11.0	1,279.22	1,433,990
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	6,090	14.5	6.49	7,280
10210002	9,760	13.5	9.66	10,840
10210003	166,620	13.0	158.48	177,660
10210004	132,380	10.0	99.46	111,490
10210005	91,920	10.5	71.70	80,380
10210006	27,250	15.5	30.90	34,640
10210007	121,530	12.0	109.37	122,600
10210008	21,340	13.0	20.76	23,270
10210009	231,770	10.5	185.13	207,530
10210010	100,740	10.5	78.37	87,850
Subregion 1021 total	909,400	11.5	770.32	863,540
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	303,230	10.0	225.03	252,260
10220002	141,780	10.0	106.02	118,840
10220003	160,220	12.0	141.25	158,340
10220004	62,850	11.5	52.96	59,370
Subregion 1022 total	668,080	10.5	525.26	588,810
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	44,360	8.5	27.69	31,040
10230006	11,170	9.0	7.33	8,230
Subregion 1023 total	55,530	8.5	35.02	39,270
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	5,890	12.0	5.17	5,790
10240005	760	11.0	.63	710
10240006	14,590	11.5	12.46	13,960
10240007	1,810	11.5	1.58	1,760
10240008	21,460	11.0	17.86	20,030
Subregion 1024 total	44,510	11.5	37.70	42,250

Table 12.--Estimate of total water used for irrigation in Nebraska
hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Estimated acres irrigated	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre- ft) ^{2/}
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	380	10.0	0.46	520
10250002	87,240	16.0	104.26	116,870
10250003	130	16.5	.16	180
10250004	143,700	15.5	166.37	186,510
10250005	152,310	16.5	184.08	206,350
10250006	144,390	15.0	147.80	165,680
10250007	63,710	13.0	62.22	69,760
10250008	60,990	13.0	59.09	66,240
10250009	150,530	16.0	180.89	202,780
10250011	16,160	11.5	14.09	15,790
10250014	23,980	11.5	20.70	23,210
10250015	3,470	11.5	2.96	3,320
10250016	219,940	13.0	216.44	242,620
Subregion 1025 total	1,066,930	15.0	1,159.52	1,299,830
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	357,260	7.5	202.08	226,540
10270202	136,030	10.5	103.89	116,460
10270203	525,750	7.5	295.25	330,970
10270204	144,100	11.5	108.86	122,030
10270205	500	8.5	.31	350
10270206	489,700	7.5	274.95	308,210
10270207	30,880	7.0	16.20	18,170
Subregion 1027 total	1,684,220	8.0	1,001.54	1,122,730
NEBRASKA TOTAL	7,480,140	13.0	7,265.09	8,144,170

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 13.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska counties, 1985

County number	County name	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
			Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
001	Adams	1,909	1,454	455	1,235	428	1,663
003	Antelope	1,420	13	1,407	12	1,327	1,339
005	Arthur	82	0	82	0	66	66
007	Banner	255	80	175	68	151	219
009	Blaine	105	12	93	11	70	81
011	Boone	1,149	589	560	501	531	1,032
013	Box Butte	943	199	744	169	715	884
015	Boyd	44	1	43	1	32	33
017	Brown	456	20	436	17	394	411
019	Buffalo	3,533	2,868	665	2,438	631	3,069
021	Burt	407	310	97	263	94	357
023	Butler	1,051	744	307	632	285	917
025	Cass	36	23	13	20	9	29
027	Cedar	475	179	296	152	251	403
029	Chase	1,385	321	1,064	321	1,005	1,326
031	Cherry	384	12	372	12	293	305
033	Cheyenne	452	153	299	130	231	361
035	Clay	2,045	1,623	422	1,379	400	1,779
037	Colfax	784	682	102	579	89	668
039	Cuming	306	193	113	164	99	263
041	Custer	1,668	890	778	756	722	1,478
043	Dakota	94	66	28	56	25	81
045	Dawes	75	20	55	17	46	63
047	Dawson	3,429	3,160	269	2,686	236	2,922
049	Deuel	310	230	80	195	67	262
051	Dixon	113	55	58	47	48	95
053	Dodge	1,235	1,069	166	909	165	1,074
055	Douglas	248	219	29	186	24	210
057	Dundy	974	192	782	74	744	818
059	Fillmore	1,944	1,172	772	996	721	1,717
061	Franklin	860	657	203	558	187	745
063	Frontier	647	517	130	440	92	532
065	Furnas	636	553	83	470	61	531
067	Gage	497	324	173	276	157	433
069	Garden	305	106	199	90	170	260

Table 13.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
			Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
071	Garfield	196	54	142	46	86	132
073	Gosper	594	513	81	437	58	495
075	Grant	24	0	24	0	12	12
077	Greeley	623	312	311	265	294	559
079	Hall	3,804	3,563	241	3,027	216	3,243
081	Hamilton	2,876	2,230	646	1,896	612	2,508
083	Harlan	862	707	155	601	131	732
085	Hayes	337	112	225	95	168	263
087	Hitchcock	482	430	52	365	40	405
089	Holt	2,317	225	2,092	191	1,923	2,114
091	Hooker	27	1	26	0	20	20
093	Howard	827	543	284	461	253	714
095	Jefferson	537	298	239	253	214	467
097	Johnson	125	87	38	74	32	106
099	Kearney	1,775	1,339	436	1,138	414	1,552
101	Keith	939	599	340	509	282	791
103	Keya Paha	158	0	158	0	152	152
105	Kimball	295	97	198	82	154	236
107	Knox	327	47	280	41	254	295
109	Lancaster	272	213	59	181	57	238
111	Lincoln	1,754	741	1,013	630	900	1,530
113	Logan	155	19	136	17	109	126
115	Loup	110	38	72	32	50	82
117	McPherson	97	0	97	0	86	86
119	Madison	660	246	414	209	392	601
121	Merrick	4,065	3,748	317	3,226	281	3,507
123	Morrill	635	199	436	169	391	560
125	Nance	675	513	162	436	128	564
127	Nemaha	39	33	6	27	3	30
129	Nuckolls	576	471	105	401	92	493
131	Otoe	30	16	14	14	7	21
133	Pawnee	4	0	4	0	4	4
135	Perkins	872	42	830	42	821	863
137	Phelps	1,780	1,414	366	1,202	350	1,552
139	Pierce	805	112	693	95	670	765

Table 13.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
			Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
141	Platte	1,426	990	436	840	406	1,246
143	Polk	1,609	1,351	258	1,148	245	1,393
145	Red Willow	740	614	126	521	74	595
147	Richardson	20	0	20	0	20	20
149	Rock	607	0	607	0	473	473
151	Saline	947	701	246	597	234	831
153	Sarpy	94	76	18	65	16	81
155	Saunders	659	447	212	380	188	568
157	Scotts Bluff	472	426	46	362	31	393
159	Seward	1,166	784	382	651	367	1,018
161	Sheridan	539	183	356	155	307	462
163	Sherman	513	188	325	160	301	461
166	Sioux	215	103	112	88	85	173
167	Stanton	272	167	105	142	96	238
169	Thayer	1,259	854	405	726	386	1,112
171	Thomas	35	8	27	7	24	31
173	Thurston	70	57	13	49	8	57
175	Valley	517	269	248	228	235	463
177	Washington	93	84	9	72	8	80
179	Wayne	161	53	108	45	98	143
181	Webster	451	264	187	225	166	391
183	Wheeler	493	0	493	0	457	457
185	York	2,748	2,231	517	1,897	498	2,395
NEBRASKA TOTAL		75,016	47,518	27,498	40,380	24,945	65,325

Table 14.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985

Hydrologic unit number	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
		Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
HAT CREEK BASIN						
10120106	0	0	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN						
10140201	25	20	5	17	3	20
10140203	2	0	2	0	2	2
Subregion 1014 total	27	20	7	17	5	22
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN						
10150001	15	2	13	2	10	12
10150002	78	21	57	18	45	63
10150003	1,608	386	1,222	327	1,118	1,445
10150004	855	32	823	29	762	791
10150005	17	0	17	0	6	6
10150006	172	1	171	1	153	154
10150007	1,609	91	1,518	78	1,406	1,484
Subregion 1015 total	4,354	533	3,821	455	3,500	3,955
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10170101	666	158	508	134	467	601
Subregion 1017 total	666	158	508	134	467	601
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10180009	1,377	713	664	606	576	1,182
10180012	23	19	4	16	2	18
10180013	394	133	261	113	227	340
10180014	548	290	258	246	220	466
Subregion 1018 total	2,342	1,155	1,187	981	1,025	2,006
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10190012	18	2	16	2	15	17
10190015	20	3	17	3	13	16
10190016	635	252	383	214	285	499
10190017	114	68	46	57	34	91
10190018	1,434	823	611	699	498	1,197
Subregion 1019 total	2,221	1,148	1,073	975	845	1,820

Table 14.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
		Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10200101	7,328	6,158	1,170	5,235	1,052	6,287
10200102	3,485	3,215	270	2,732	252	2,984
10200103	7,515	6,855	660	5,827	596	6,423
10200201	1,821	1,420	401	1,206	371	1,577
10200202	923	820	103	697	96	793
10200203	803	572	231	486	207	693
Subregion 1020 total	21,875	19,040	2,835	16,183	2,574	18,757
LOUP RIVER BASIN						
10210001	60	12	48	10	37	47
10210002	98	5	93	5	70	75
10210003	965	490	475	416	437	853
10210004	1,288	541	747	459	683	1,142
10210005	879	422	457	359	422	781
10210006	231	28	203	24	150	174
10210007	910	512	398	435	345	780
10210008	204	0	204	0	157	157
10210009	2,184	1,159	1,025	1,024	959	1,983
10210010	976	449	527	381	462	843
Subregion 1021 total	7,795	3,618	4,177	3,113	3,722	6,835
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN						
10220001	2,673	311	2,362	265	2,084	2,349
10220002	1,153	143	1,010	121	969	1,090
10220003	1,714	1,176	538	1,000	502	1,502
10220004	589	281	308	239	268	507
Subregion 1022 total	6,129	1,911	4,218	1,625	3,823	5,448
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10230001	462	372	90	317	84	401
10230006	51	43	8	37	6	43
Subregion 1023 total	513	415	98	354	90	444
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN						
10240001	38	29	9	25	5	30
10240005	7	5	2	4	2	6
10240006	83	46	37	39	28	67
10240007	3	1	2	1	2	3
10240008	169	100	69	85	63	148
Subregion 1024 total	300	181	119	154	100	254

Table 14.--Number of registered irrigation wells, method of distribution, and estimated active irrigation systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Registered irrigation wells	Method of distribution		Estimated active systems, 1985		
		Gravity	Center pivot	Gravity	Center pivot	Total
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN						
10250001	8	0	8	0	3	3
10250002	665	109	556	42	545	587
10250003	10	0	10	0	1	1
10250004	1,489	880	609	711	520	1,231
10250005	1,228	457	771	427	712	1,139
10250006	1,076	119	957	115	929	1,044
10250007	509	95	414	81	380	461
10250008	539	199	340	169	320	489
10250009	1,589	1,357	232	1,154	183	1,337
10250011	191	179	12	152	9	161
10250014	314	283	31	240	19	259
10250015	42	37	5	31	4	35
10250016	2,231	1,684	547	1,433	497	1,930
Subregion 1025 total	9,891	5,399	4,492	4,555	4,122	8,677
BLUE RIVER BASIN						
10270201	4,194	3,261	933	2,757	885	3,742
10270202	1,343	872	471	741	436	1,177
10270203	6,011	4,540	1,471	3,859	1,393	5,252
10270204	1,497	931	566	791	529	1,320
10270205	1	1	0	1	0	1
10270206	5,563	4,181	1,382	3,553	1,300	4,853
10270207	294	154	140	132	129	261
Subregion 1027 total	18,903	13,940	4,963	11,834	4,672	16,606
NEBRASKA TOTAL						
	75,016	47,518	27,498	40,380	24,945	65,325

Table 15.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity
distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985
[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Active gravity systems	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
001	Adams	1,235	104,000	8.5	65.34	73,250
003	Antelope	12	1,020	13.5	1.02	1,140
005	Arthur	0	0	0	0	0
007	Banner	68	5,440	19.5	7.83	8,780
009	Blaine	11	1,040	18.5	1.42	1,590
011	Boone	501	42,590	13.5	42.02	47,100
013	Box Butte	169	22,920	22.0	37.42	41,950
015	Boyd	1	90	22.5	.15	170
017	Brown	17	1,440	14.5	1.57	1,760
019	Buffalo	2,438	151,950	11.0	124.42	139,470
021	Burt	263	26,300	9.5	19.02	21,320
023	Butler	632	53,730	10.5	41.17	46,150
025	Cass	20	1,690	12.0	1.51	1,690
027	Cedar	152	12,920	11.5	11.24	12,600
029	Chase	321	39,000	20.0	57.75	64,740
031	Cherry	12	1,020	14.5	1.11	1,240
033	Cheyenne	130	11,060	22.0	18.05	20,230
035	Clay	1,379	117,220	8.5	73.69	82,610
037	Colfax	579	49,210	12.5	44.89	50,320
039	Cuming	164	13,940	13.5	13.93	15,620
041	Custer	756	61,160	13.0	59.10	66,250
043	Dakota	56	4,760	9.5	3.27	3,670
045	Dawes	17	1,450	22.0	2.36	2,650
047	Dawson	2,686	164,900	10.5	131.00	146,850
049	Deuel	195	16,570	22.0	27.05	30,320
051	Dixon	47	3,990	12.5	3.69	4,140
053	Dodge	909	63,640	12.5	60.08	67,350
055	Douglas	186	18,160	11.5	15.22	17,060
057	Dundy	74	6,220	10.5	4.83	5,410
059	Fillmore	996	84,660	9.5	59.06	66,210
061	Franklin	558	47,420	11.5	41.19	46,170
063	Frontier	440	44,000	16.5	53.63	60,120
065	Furnas	470	39,960	14.5	43.47	48,730
067	Gage	276	23,460	11.0	19.36	21,700
069	Garden	90	7,650	20.0	11.40	12,780

Table 15.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Active gravity systems	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
071	Garfield	46	3,910	13.5	3.87	4,340
073	Gosper	437	37,140	14.5	39.69	44,490
075	Grant	0	0	0	0	0
077	Greeley	265	22,520	13.5	22.30	25,000
079	Hall	3,027	187,230	10.5	145.61	163,230
081	Hamilton	1,896	158,500	8.5	100.05	112,160
083	Harlan	601	51,090	14.5	55.43	62,140
085	Hayes	95	10,610	20.0	15.61	17,500
087	Hitchcock	365	31,030	18.0	41.44	46,460
089	Holt	191	16,230	14.0	16.65	18,670
091	Hooker	0	0	0	0	0
093	Howard	461	36,720	13.0	35.08	39,330
095	Jefferson	253	21,520	10.5	16.40	18,390
097	Johnson	74	6,340	12.0	5.65	6,330
099	Kearney	1,138	96,730	10.0	72.33	81,080
101	Keith	509	43,270	21.5	69.63	78,060
103	Keya Paha	0	0	0	0	0
105	Kimball	82	6,980	22.0	11.35	12,720
107	Knox	41	3,480	13.0	3.42	3,830
109	Lancaster	181	11,140	12.0	9.94	11,140
111	Lincoln	630	44,960	16.5	54.40	60,980
113	Logan	17	1,450	14.5	1.57	1,760
115	Loup	32	2,720	17.0	3.46	3,880
117	McPherson	0	0	0	0	0
119	Madison	209	17,770	13.5	17.63	19,760
121	Merrick	3,226	150,930	11.0	122.23	137,020
123	Morrill	169	14,360	20.0	21.44	24,030
125	Nance	436	32,330	12.5	29.78	33,380
127	Nemaha	27	2,290	12.0	2.04	2,290
129	Nuckolls	401	34,080	9.0	22.21	24,900
131	Otoe	14	1,200	12.0	1.08	1,210
133	Pawnee	0	0	0	0	0
135	Perkins	42	10,940	15.0	12.39	13,890
137	Phelps	1,202	98,370	11.5	85.18	95,490
139	Pierce	95	8,080	13.5	8.07	9,050

Table 15.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Active gravity systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
141	Platte	840	68,320	12.5	62.67	70,250
143	Polk	1,148	97,580	9.5	67.20	75,330
145	Red Willow	521	44,290	16.0	52.58	58,940
147	Richardson	0	0	0	0	0
149	Rock	0	0	0	0	0
151	Saline	597	50,750	10.5	40.14	45,000
153	Sarpy	65	4,540	11.5	3.93	4,410
155	Saunders	380	30,220	12.0	26.96	30,220
157	Scotts Bluff	362	30,780	20.0	45.86	51,410
159	Seward	651	55,240	9.0	37.75	42,320
161	Sheridan	155	13,170	22.0	21.50	24,100
163	Sherman	160	13,590	13.5	13.46	15,090
166	Sioux	88	7,490	20.5	11.37	12,750
167	Stanton	142	12,070	13.5	12.06	13,520
169	Thayer	726	61,710	8.5	38.55	43,210
171	Thomas	7	600	20.0	.89	1,000
173	Thurston	49	4,900	12.5	4.64	5,200
175	Valley	228	19,380	13.5	19.19	21,510
177	Washington	72	7,200	10.0	5.48	6,140
179	Wayne	45	3,820	13.5	3.82	4,280
181	Webster	225	19,130	11.0	15.63	17,520
183	Wheeler	0	0	0	0	0
185	York	1,897	161,240	8.5	100.69	112,870
NEBRASKA TOTAL		40,380	3,114,520	12.0	2,728.56	3,058,720

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 16.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Active gravity systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
			Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
HAT CREEK BASIN					
10120106	0	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN					
10140201	17	1,450	22.0	2.37	2,660
10140203	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1014 total	17	1,450	22.0	2.37	2,660
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN					
10150001	2	170	14.5	0.19	210
10150002	18	1,630	22.0	2.66	2,980
10150003	327	36,250	22.0	59.18	66,340
10150004	29	2,460	14.5	2.68	3,010
10150005	0	0	0	0	0
10150006	1	90	22.0	.15	170
10150007	78	6,630	14.5	7.22	8,090
Subregion 1015 total	455	47,230	20.5	72.08	80,800
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10170101	134	11,380	10.5	9.03	10,120
Subregion 1017 total	134	11,380	10.5	9.03	10,120
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10180009	606	51,490	20.0	76.43	85,680
10180012	16	1,360	20.0	2.03	2,270
10180013	113	9,300	20.0	13.86	15,540
10180014	246	20,910	20.0	31.16	34,930
Subregion 1018 total	981	83,060	20.0	123.48	138,420
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10190012	2	170	22.0	0.28	310
10190015	3	260	22.0	.42	470
10190016	214	18,190	22.0	29.69	33,280
10190017	57	4,850	22.0	7.91	8,870
10190018	699	59,410	22.0	96.98	108,710
Subregion 1019 total	975	82,880	22.0	135.28	151,640

Table 16.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Active gravity systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
			Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft ^{2/})
PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10200101	5,235	345,810	10.5	274.55	307,770
10200102	2,732	166,920	10.5	132.52	148,560
10200103	5,827	318,560	10.5	252.90	283,500
10200201	1,206	100,620	12.0	89.76	100,620
10200202	697	43,070	12.0	38.42	43,070
10200203	486	36,950	12.0	32.96	36,950
Subregion 1020 total	16,183	1,011,930	11.0	821.11	920,470
LOUP RIVER BASIN					
10210001	10	860	20.0	1.28	1,430
10210002	5	430	20.0	.64	720
10210003	416	35,450	13.5	35.10	39,350
10210004	459	39,260	13.5	38.87	43,570
10210005	359	30,510	13.5	30.22	33,880
10210006	24	2,040	20.0	3.04	3,410
10210007	435	36,970	13.5	36.61	41,040
10210008	0	0	0	0	0
10210009	1,024	87,030	13.5	86.17	96,600
10210010	381	32,380	13.5	32.07	35,950
Subregion 1021 total	3,113	264,930	13.5	264.00	295,950
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN					
10220001	265	22,520	13.5	22.50	25,220
10220002	121	10,290	13.5	10.28	11,520
10220003	1,000	82,530	13.5	82.46	92,440
10220004	239	21,410	13.5	21.41	24,000
Subregion 1022 total	1,625	136,750	13.5	136.65	153,180
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10230001	317	30,980	9.0	20.73	23,240
10230006	37	9,980	9.0	6.69	7,500
Subregion 1023 total	354	40,960	9.0	27.42	30,740
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN					
10240001	25	2,120	12.0	1.90	2,130
10240005	4	340	12.0	.30	340
10240006	39	3,320	12.0	2.96	3,320
10240007	1	130	12.0	.12	130
10240008	85	7,240	12.0	6.46	7,240
Subregion 1024 total	154	13,150	12.0	11.74	13,160

Table 16.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by gravity distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Active gravity systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater use by gravity systems		
			Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft ^{2/}
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN					
10250001	0	0	0	0	0
10250002	42	3,540	10.5	2.75	3,080
10250003	0	0	0	0	0
10250004	711	60,920	16.5	75.17	84,270
10250005	427	48,180	20.0	71.95	80,660
10250006	115	19,040	17.5	24.45	27,410
10250007	81	7,520	17.0	9.40	10,540
10250008	169	16,660	17.0	20.81	23,330
10250009	1,154	101,280	17.0	126.48	141,780
10250011	152	12,920	12.0	11.52	12,910
10250014	240	20,400	12.0	18.19	20,390
10250015	31	2,640	12.0	2.36	2,650
10250016	1,433	121,800	12.0	108.64	121,780
Subregion 1025 total	4,555	414,900	15.5	471.72	528,800
BLUE RIVER BASIN					
10270201	2,757	234,330	8.5	146.33	164,040
10270202	741	62,990	11.0	51.69	57,940
10270203	3,859	328,020	8.5	204.83	229,610
10270204	791	67,240	11.0	55.19	61,870
10270205	1	80	8.5	.05	60
10270206	3,553	302,010	8.5	188.59	211,410
10270207	132	11,230	8.5	7.00	7,850
Subregion 1027 total	11,834	1,005,900	8.5	653.68	732,780
NEBRASKA TOTAL					
	40,380	3,114,520	12.0	2,728.56	3,058,720

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 17.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985

[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Active center-pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
001	Adams	428	56,920	6.0	25.57	28,660
003	Antelope	1,327	176,480	9.5	125.36	140,530
005	Arthur	66	8,780	13.0	8.46	9,480
007	Banner	151	20,090	13.0	19.37	21,710
009	Blaine	70	9,320	12.5	8.72	9,780
011	Boone	531	70,620	8.5	44.62	50,020
013	Box Butte	715	92,950	15.0	103.65	116,190
015	Boyd	32	4,250	13.0	4.17	4,670
017	Brown	394	52,400	10.0	39.78	44,590
019	Buffalo	631	83,920	8.0	48.58	54,460
021	Burt	94	12,500	7.5	6.99	7,840
023	Butler	285	37,900	6.5	18.23	20,440
025	Cass	9	1,200	8.5	.74	830
027	Cedar	251	33,380	9.0	22.13	24,810
029	Chase	1,005	140,920	14.0	148.33	166,280
031	Cherry	293	38,970	12.0	35.04	39,280
033	Cheyenne	231	30,720	14.5	33.03	37,030
035	Clay	400	53,200	6.0	24.40	27,350
037	Colfax	89	11,840	8.0	7.13	7,990
039	Cuming	99	13,170	9.5	9.52	10,670
041	Custer	722	95,220	8.5	59.75	66,980
043	Dakota	25	3,330	7.0	1.77	1,980
045	Dawes	46	6,120	15.0	6.83	7,660
047	Dawson	236	31,390	6.5	15.58	17,470
049	Deuel	67	8,900	15.0	9.91	11,110
051	Dixon	48	6,390	9.0	4.25	4,760
053	Dodge	165	21,940	9.0	14.64	16,410
055	Douglas	24	3,200	9.0	2.11	2,370
057	Dundy	744	110,110	16.5	134.56	150,840
059	Fillmore	721	95,890	7.5	53.95	60,480
061	Franklin	187	24,880	9.0	17.05	19,110
063	Frontier	92	12,230	11.0	9.94	11,140
065	Furnas	61	8,120	10.5	6.29	7,050
067	Gage	157	20,880	9.5	14.41	16,150
069	Garden	170	22,620	13.0	21.93	24,580

Table 17.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Active center-pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
071	Garfield	86	11,430	9.0	7.80	8,740
073	Gosper	58	7,720	10.0	5.83	6,540
075	Grant	12	1,590	13.0	1.54	1,730
077	Greeley	294	39,110	8.5	25.12	28,160
079	Hall	216	28,720	6.5	14.06	15,760
081	Hamilton	612	81,380	6.0	36.45	40,860
083	Harlan	131	17,410	10.5	13.69	15,350
085	Hayes	168	22,350	12.0	20.20	22,650
087	Hitchcock	40	5,320	13.0	5.06	5,670
089	Holt	1,923	255,760	10.0	187.73	210,450
091	Hooker	20	2,660	13.0	2.56	2,870
093	Howard	253	33,650	9.5	20.42	22,890
095	Jefferson	214	28,460	8.0	17.18	19,260
097	Johnson	32	4,260	10.0	3.15	3,530
099	Kearney	414	55,070	6.5	27.14	30,420
101	Keith	282	37,510	14.0	39.29	44,040
103	Keya Paha	152	20,220	10.0	14.97	16,780
105	Kimball	154	20,490	15.0	22.80	25,560
107	Knox	254	33,790	9.0	22.22	24,910
109	Lancaster	57	7,580	8.5	4.78	5,360
111	Lincoln	900	119,690	11.5	101.52	113,800
113	Logan	109	14,500	9.0	9.66	10,830
115	Loup	50	6,650	12.5	6.11	6,850
117	McPherson	86	11,430	12.0	10.10	11,320
119	Madison	392	52,140	9.5	37.27	41,780
121	Merrick	281	37,370	7.0	19.22	21,550
123	Morrill	391	52,000	13.0	50.16	56,230
125	Nance	128	17,020	8.5	10.59	11,870
127	Nemaha	3	400	10.0	.30	340
129	Nuckolls	92	12,240	7.0	6.24	7,000
131	Otoe	7	930	10.0	.69	770
133	Pawnee	4	530	10.0	.39	440
135	Perkins	821	109,190	13.0	104.22	116,830
137	Phelps	350	46,560	8.0	26.98	30,240
139	Pierce	670	89,100	9.5	64.06	71,810

Table 17.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Active center-pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
				Season application (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
141	Platte	406	54,000	8.0	32.78	36,750
143	Polk	245	32,580	6.0	15.05	16,870
145	Red Willow	74	9,840	11.0	8.22	9,210
147	Richardson	20	2,670	10.0	1.98	2,220
149	Rock	473	62,910	10.5	48.66	54,550
151	Saline	234	31,120	8.0	18.91	21,200
153	Sarpy	16	2,130	7.5	1.23	1,380
155	Saunders	188	25,000	7.5	13.83	15,500
157	Scotts Bluff	31	4,130	13.0	3.98	4,460
159	Seward	367	48,810	7.0	25.97	29,110
161	Sheridan	307	40,830	15.0	45.34	50,830
163	Sherman	301	40,040	8.5	25.71	28,820
165	Sioux	85	11,300	14.0	11.64	13,050
167	Stanton	96	12,770	9.5	9.23	10,350
169	Thayer	386	51,340	6.0	22.94	25,720
171	Thomas	24	3,190	13.0	3.08	3,450
173	Thurston	8	1,060	9.5	.77	860
175	Valley	235	31,260	8.5	20.08	22,510
177	Washington	8	1,070	8.0	.62	700
179	Wayne	98	13,040	9.5	9.42	10,560
181	Webster	166	22,080	9.5	15.21	17,050
183	Wheeler	457	60,780	8.5	39.04	43,760
185	York	498	66,240	6.0	29.54	33,110
NEBRASKA TOTAL		24,945	3,333,170	10.0	2,449.52	2,745,910

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 18.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Active center- pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
			Season appli- cation (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
HAT CREEK BASIN					
10120106	0	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN					
10140201	3	400	15.0	0.44	490
10140203	2	270	15.0	.30	340
Subregion 1014 total	5	670	15.0	0.74	830
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN					
10150001	10	1,330	10.0	0.98	1,100
10150002	45	5,960	15.0	6.65	7,450
10150003	1,118	146,570	15.0	163.45	183,230
10150004	762	101,330	10.0	75.04	84,120
10150005	6	800	15.0	.89	1,000
10150006	153	20,350	10.5	16.11	18,060
10150007	1,406	186,990	10.0	138.44	155,190
Subregion 1015 total	3,500	463,330	11.5	401.56	450,150
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10170101	467	62,120	8.0	37.12	41,610
Subregion 1017 total	467	62,120	8.0	37.12	41,610
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10180009	576	76,610	13.0	73.71	82,630
10180012	2	270	13.0	.26	290
10180013	227	30,190	13.0	29.09	32,610
10180014	220	29,270	13.0	28.20	31,610
Subregion 1018 total	1,025	136,340	13.0	131.26	147,140
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10190012	15	1,990	15.0	2.22	2,490
10190015	13	1,730	15.0	1.93	2,160
10190016	285	37,910	15.0	42.27	47,380
10190017	34	4,520	15.0	5.05	5,660
10190018	498	66,230	15.0	73.04	81,880
Subregion 1019 total	845	112,380	15.0	124.51	139,570

Table 18.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Active center- pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
			Season appli- cation (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10200101	1,052	139,920	6.5	68.65	76,960
10200102	252	32,710	6.5	16.05	17,990
10200103	596	79,260	6.5	38.89	43,600
10200201	371	49,330	7.5	27.29	30,590
10200202	96	12,770	7.5	7.06	7,910
10200203	207	27,530	7.5	15.23	17,070
Subregion 1020 total	2,574	341,520	7.0	173.17	194,120
LOUP RIVER BASIN					
10210001	37	4,920	13.0	4.75	5,330
10210002	70	9,300	13.0	8.98	10,070
10210003	437	58,130	8.5	37.33	41,850
10210004	683	90,840	8.5	58.33	65,390
10210005	422	56,130	8.5	36.05	40,410
10210006	150	19,960	13.0	19.24	21,570
10210007	345	45,890	8.5	29.47	33,040
10210008	157	20,890	13.0	20.13	22,560
10210009	959	127,550	8.5	81.93	91,850
10210010	462	61,440	8.5	39.45	44,220
Subregion 1021 total	3,722	495,050	9.0	335.66	376,290
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN					
10220001	2,084	277,170	9.5	198.99	223,070
10220002	969	128,880	9.5	93.13	104,400
10220003	502	66,770	9.5	48.24	54,080
10220004	268	35,640	9.5	25.75	28,870
Subregion 1022 total	3,823	508,460	9.5	366.11	410,420
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10230001	84	11,180	6.5	5.49	6,150
10230006	6	810	6.5	.39	440
Subregion 1023 total	90	11,990	6.5	5.88	6,590
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN					
10240001	5	670	10.0	0.50	560
10240005	2	270	10.0	.20	220
10240006	28	3,720	10.0	2.76	3,090
10240007	2	270	10.0	.20	220
10240008	63	8,380	10.0	6.20	6,950
Subregion 1024 total	100	13,310	10.0	9.86	11,040

Table 18.--Estimated groundwater withdrawal for irrigation by center-pivot distribution systems in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Active center- pivot systems, 1985	Estimated acres irrigated	Groundwater used by center pivots		
			Season appli- cation (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN					
10250001	3	380	16.5	0.46	520
10250002	545	81,180	16.5	99.04	111,020
10250003	1	130	16.5	.16	180
10250004	520	72,340	14.0	75.27	84,380
10250005	712	99,640	14.0	104.86	117,550
10250006	929	125,180	13.0	123.09	137,980
10250007	380	50,530	12.0	44.41	49,780
10250008	320	42,560	11.5	36.07	40,430
10250009	183	24,340	11.5	20.63	23,130
10250011	9	1,190	8.5	.74	830
10250014	19	2,530	8.5	1.58	1,770
10250015	4	530	8.5	.33	370
10250016	497	66,100	10.0	48.95	54,870
Subregion 1025 total	4,122	566,630	13.0	555.59	622,810
BLUE RIVER BASIN					
10270201	885	117,700	6.0	52.49	58,840
10270202	436	57,980	9.0	39.84	44,660
10270203	1,393	185,260	6.0	82.63	92,630
10270204	529	70,360	9.0	48.33	54,180
10270205	0	0	0	0	0
10270206	1,300	172,910	6.0	77.12	86,450
10270207	129	17,160	6.0	7.65	8,580
Subregion 1027 total	4,672	621,370	6.5	308.06	345,340
NEBRASKA TOTAL					
	24,945	3,333,170	10.0	2,449.52	2,745,910

1/ Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

2/ Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 19.--Surface water diverted for irrigation projects in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; in/acre, inches per acre.]

County number	County name	Acres irrigated	Acre-feet diverted to canals	Average diversion rate (Mgal/d)	Average annual diversion (in/acre) ¹	Acre-feet delivered to farm headgates	Average delivery rate to farm headgates (Mgal/d)	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ¹
017	Brown	31,430	69,180	61.71	26.5	45,590	40.67	17.5
019	Buffalo	2,400	4,080	3.64	20.5	2,040	1.82	10.0
041	Custer	22,720	37,700	33.63	20.0	23,570	21.02	12.5
047	Dawson	58,470	98,490	87.86	20.0	54,170	48.32	11.0
061	Franklin	9,010	22,520	20.09	30.0	13,510	12.05	18.0
065	Furnas	16,510	23,940	21.36	30.0	17,960	16.02	13.0
071	Garfield	2,300	4,210	3.76	22.0	2,530	2.26	13.0
083	Harlan	5,420	9,760	8.71	21.5	6,340	5.66	14.0
087	Hitchcock	4,810	8,420	7.51	21.0	4,380	3.91	11.0
093	Howard	42,610	50,080	44.67	14.0	20,910	18.65	6.0
099	Kearney	23,940	42,850	38.22	21.5	23,570	21.03	12.0
101	Keith	11,800	42,200	37.64	43.0	21,510	19.19	22.0
111	Lincoln	40,670	103,510	92.34	30.5	67,290	60.03	20.0
115	Loup	2,690	5,380	4.80	24.0	3,500	3.12	15.5
123	Morrill	84,810	309,460	276.06	44.0	154,730	138.03	22.0
129	Nuckolls	6,800	17,000	15.17	30.0	10,200	9.10	18.0
137	Phelps	66,800	133,110	118.72	24.0	46,590	41.56	8.5
145	Red Willow	11,750	21,980	19.61	22.5	11,850	10.57	12.0
157	Scotts Bluff	218,230	818,360	730.03	45.0	368,260	328.51	20.0
161	Sheridan	10,830	15,300	13.65	17.0	6,940	6.19	7.5
163	Sherman	3,490	4,100	3.66	14.0	1,710	1.53	6.0
165	Sioux	25,000	112,500	100.36	54.0	45,000	40.14	21.5
175	Valley	22,380	28,000	24.98	15.0	21,000	18.73	11.5
181	Webster	6,440	16,100	14.36	30.0	9,660	8.62	18.0
NEBRASKA TOTALS		731,310	1,998,230	1,782.54	33.0	982,810	876.73	16.0

¹Rounded to nearest 0.5 inch.

Table 20.--Surface water diverted for irrigation projects in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985

[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; in/acre, inches per acre.]

Hydrologic unit number	Acres irrigated	Acre-feet diverted to canals	Average diversion rate (Mgal/d)	Average annual diversion (in/acre) ¹	Acre-feet delivered to farm headgates	Average delivery rate to farm headgates (Mgal/d)	Average seasonal application (in/acre) ¹
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN							
10150003	10,830	15,300	13.65	17.0	6,940	6.19	7.5
10150004	31,430	69,180	61.71	26.5	45,590	40.67	17.5
Subregion 1015 total	42,260	84,480	75.36	24.0	52,530	46.86	15.0
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN							
10180009	323,530	1,223,860	1,091.75	45.5	559,760	499.34	21.0
10180013	4,510	16,460	14.68	44.0	8,230	7.34	22.0
10180014	34,240	96,490	86.08	34.0	61,900	55.22	21.5
Subregion 1018 total	362,280	1,336,810	1,192.51	44.5	629,890	561.90	21.0
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN							
10190018	9,300	33,950	30.29	44.0	16,970	15.14	22.0
Subregion 1019 total	9,300	33,950	30.29	44.0	16,970	15.14	22.0
PLATTE RIVER BASIN							
10200101	160,540	293,800	262.09	22.0	136,300	121.59	10.0
Subregion 1020 total	160,540	293,800	262.09	22.0	136,300	121.59	10.0
LOUP RIVER BASIN							
10210003	65,330	87,780	78.30	16.0	44,480	39.68	8.0
10210005	3,490	4,100	3.66	14.0	1,710	1.53	6.0
10210006	2,690	5,380	4.80	24.0	3,500	3.12	15.6
10210007	24,680	32,210	28.73	15.5	23,530	20.99	11.5
Subregion 1021 total	96,190	129,470	115.49	16.0	73,220	65.32	9.0
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN							
10250004	9,080	16,960	15.13	22.5	8,170	7.29	11.0
10250005	2,410	4,820	4.30	24.0	2,890	2.58	14.5
10250007	5,070	8,620	7.69	20.5	5,170	4.61	12.0
10250009	21,930	33,700	30.06	18.5	24,300	21.67	13.5
10250016	22,250	55,620	49.62	30.0	33,370	29.77	18.0
Subregion 1025 total	60,740	119,720	106.80	23.5	73,900	65.92	14.5
NEBRASKA TOTAL	731,310	1,998,230	1,782.54	33.0	982,810	876.73	16.0

¹ Rounded to nearest 0.5 inch.

Table 21.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska counties, 1985
[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
					Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
001	Adams	118	6,475	4,040	8.5	2.54	2,850
003	Antelope	45	2,994	2,260	13.0	2.17	2,440
005	Arthur	0	0	0	0	0	0
007	Banner	15	2,483	1,830	20.0	2.73	3,060
009	Blaine	12	14,992	520	18.0	.69	770
011	Boone	87	6,849	3,890	13.5	3.84	4,310
013	Box Butte	16	6,457	3,420	22.0	5.59	6,270
015	Boyd	40	5,395	2,990	14.5	3.18	3,560
017	Brown	35	3,624	34,130	25.5	64.77	72,610
019	Buffalo	95	17,098	9,150	13.5	9.21	10,320
021	Burt	35	5,317	3,910	11.5	3.37	3,780
023	Butler	45	5,019	2,770	11.0	2.28	2,550
025	Cass	63	8,714	2,940	12.0	2.63	2,940
027	Cedar	62	8,546	4,280	11.0	3.58	4,010
029	Chase	14	1,688	860	20.5	1.32	1,470
031	Cherry	98	56,680	6,230	18.0	8.25	9,230
033	Cheyenne	28	2,461	1,260	22.0	2.06	2,310
035	Clay	148	12,931	6,530	8.5	4.09	4,580
037	Colfax	45	4,145	2,530	12.0	2.29	2,570
039	Cuming	32	4,415	1,850	13.5	1.85	2,070
041	Custer	125	95,451	29,680	18.5	40.54	45,450
043	Dakota	3	323	150	10.5	.12	130
045	Dawes	173	34,496	17,030	14.5	18.39	20,620
047	Dawson	69	147,672	62,180	19.5	90.81	101,790
049	Deuel	13	13,524	640	22.0	1.04	1,170
051	Dixon	35	4,064	2,180	11.0	1.79	2,010
053	Dodge	77	8,456	4,640	12.5	4.26	4,780
055	Douglas	9	848	260	13.5	.26	290
057	Dundy	25	3,697	2,680	13.0	2.63	2,950
059	Fillmore	128	10,706	5,530	9.5	4.00	4,480
061	Franklin	89	7,848	13,270	24.0	23.89	26,780
063	Frontier	41	2,877	1,710	17.0	2.13	2,390
065	Furnas	88	22,603	19,680	17.0	24.64	27,620
067	Gage	168	15,088	7,480	11.0	6.07	6,810
069	Garden	23	9,466	11,530	26.5	22.57	25,310
071	Garfield	35	13,157	2,890	20.5	4.37	4,900
073	Gosper	14	896	400	14.5	.43	480
075	Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0
077	Greeley	40	3,117	1,880	18.5	2.57	2,870
079	Hall	32	3,213	1,480	10.0	1.10	1,250

Table 21.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
					Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
081	Hamilton	62	3,214	1,730	8.5	1.08	1,210
083	Harlan	88	18,349	8,470	19.0	11.89	13,330
085	Hayes	41	23,651	1,390	19.0	1.94	2,170
087	Hitchcock	31	18,748	6,560	18.0	8.79	9,860
089	Holt	114	23,356	9,900	14.5	10.71	12,000
091	Hooker	3	307	150	20.0	.22	250
093	Howard	146	8,946	48,540	14.0	50.54	56,660
095	Jefferson	97	6,343	3,670	9.0	2.51	2,810
097	Johnson	59	6,104	1,840	12.0	1.64	1,840
099	Kearney	18	1,144	24,600	21.0	38.70	43,390
101	Keith	24	16,569	14,640	38.5	41.88	46,950
103	Keya Paha	64	7,197	3,710	14.5	4.03	4,530
105	Kimball	28	2,154	2,100	22.0	3.43	3,840
107	Knox	82	7,710	5,830	13.5	5.94	6,660
109	Lancaster	92	7,297	2,380	12.0	2.12	2,380
111	Lincoln	57	123,056	41,530	30.0	93.31	104,600
113	Logan	5	398	100	13.0	.10	110
115	Loup	41	27,190	5,210	21.5	8.33	9,330
117	McPherson	0	0	0	0	0	0
119	Madison	56	4,094	2,580	13.5	2.58	2,890
121	Merrick	22	1,479	760	11.0	.62	700
123	Morrill	67	77,731	86,240	43.5	278.18	311,850
125	Nance	218	22,186	19,350	13.0	18.95	21,240
127	Nemaha	41	5,513	2,270	12.0	2.02	2,270
129	Nuckolls	92	7,170	12,550	20.5	19.31	21,640
131	Otoe	96	11,718	6,600	12.0	5.89	6,600
133	Pawnee	19	2,751	2,450	12.0	2.18	2,450
135	Perkins	0	0	0	0	0	0
137	Phelps	32	1,938	67,900	24.0	120.18	134,710
139	Pierce	46	3,830	2,450	13.5	2.45	2,740
141	Platte	41	2,992	1,570	12.5	1.46	1,620
143	Polk	4	328	220	8.5	.14	160
145	Red Willow	33	13,004	12,000	22.0	19.83	22,230
147	Richardson	59	10,322	2,350	12.0	2.10	2,350
149	Rock	24	2,920	1,530	14.5	1.68	1,880
151	Saline	174	10,761	7,090	10.5	5.60	6,280
153	Sarpy	17	1,451	340	12.0	.30	340
155	Saunders	100	9,501	3,950	12.0	3.53	3,950
157	Scotts Bluff	61	174,698	221,200	44.5	734.45	823,320
159	Seward	234	15,915	10,850	9.5	7.80	8,740
161	Sheridan	54	4,070	12,840	17.5	16.92	18,980

Table 21.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
					Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
163	Sherman	61	3,642	5,010	14.0	5.16	5,790
165	Sioux	127	12,953	35,600	42.0	110.76	124,160
167	Stanton	18	1,497	1,220	13.5	1.22	1,370
169	Thayer	102	5,199	2,900	8.5	1.81	2,030
171	Thomas	8	447	190	20.0	.28	320
173	Thurston	12	1,312	990	12.5	.93	1,040
175	Valley	59	13,358	31,260	14.5	33.77	37,860
177	Washington	50	5,371	2,660	12.0	2.42	2,710
179	Wayne	14	1,383	920	13.5	.92	1,030
181	Webster	65	11,745	9,150	24.5	16.78	18,810
183	Wheeler	8	661	180	13.5	.18	200
185	York	93	4,158	2,250	8.5	1.40	1,580
NEBRASKA TOTAL		5,379	1,321,616	1,032,450	27.0	2,087.01	2,339,540

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 0.5 in.

^{2/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 22.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985

[In/acre, inch per acre; Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
				Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) <u>1/</u>	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) <u>2/</u>
HAT CREEK BASIN						
10120106	0	0	0	0	0	0
10120108	86	6,875	4,770	12.0	4.26	4,780
Subregion 1012 total	86	6,875	4,770	12.0	4.26	4,780
WHITE RIVER BASIN						
10140201	169	21,043	13,720	12.5	12.99	14,560
10140203	1	42	40	21.0	.07	80
Subregion 1014 total	170	21,085	13,760	13.0	13.06	14,640
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN						
10150001	18	2,353	1,410	14.5	1.53	1,720
10150002	44	7,580	7,260	16.0	8.58	9,620
10150003	84	24,353	18,840	19.0	26.72	29,950
10150004	139	30,757	42,120	23.5	73.36	82,230
10150005	14	41,458	1,200	22.0	1.96	2,190
10150006	60	6,731	2,880	14.0	3.13	3,510
10150007	148	16,819	12,620	14.5	13.73	15,400
Subregion 1015 total	507	130,051	86,330	20.0	129.01	144,620
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10170101	113	12,535	7,520	10.5	5.97	6,690
Subregion 1017 total	113	12,535	7,520	10.5	5.97	6,690
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10180009	113	257,431	338,520	44.5	1,119.47	1,254,930
10180012	8	725	880	20.0	1.31	1,470
10180013	43	6,753	6,910	35.5	18.26	20,470
10180014	48	77,694	37,350	32.5	90.70	101,680
Subregion 1018 total	212	342,603	383,660	43.0	1,229.74	1,378,550
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10190012	0	0	0	0	0	0
10190015	3	203	200	22.0	.33	370
10190016	63	5,369	3,800	22.0	6.20	6,950
10190017	0	0	0	0	0	0
10190018	7	12,783	9,440	43.5	30.51	34,210
Subregion 1019 total	73	18,355	13,440	37.0	37.04	41,530

Table 22.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
				Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10200101	162	223,953	171,530	21.0	270.82	303,590
10200102	22	1,849	1,090	10.5	.87	970
10200103	48	3,429	2,280	10.5	1.82	2,040
10200201	89	8,142	4,960	12.0	4.42	4,960
10200202	36	3,943	1,470	12.0	1.32	1,470
10200203	199	17,820	6,370	12.0	5.69	6,370
Subregion 1020 total	556	259,136	187,700	20.5	284.94	319,400
LOUP RIVER BASIN						
10210001	12	927	310	20.0	0.46	520
10210002	1	33	30	20.0	.04	50
10210003	151	109,565	73,040	16.0	86.05	96,460
10210004	86	6,330	2,280	13.5	2.26	2,530
10210005	75	5,048	5,280	13.5	5.43	6,090
10210006	42	28,914	5,250	22.0	8.62	9,660
10210007	178	32,282	38,670	15.0	43.29	48,520
10210008	12	769	450	19.0	.63	710
10210009	249	21,673	17,190	13.5	17.03	19,080
10210010	104	10,455	6,920	13.5	6.85	7,680
Subregion 1021 total	910	215,996	149,420	15.5	170.66	191,300
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN						
10220001	83	6,037	3,540	13.5	3.54	3,970
10220002	52	4,154	2,610	13.5	2.61	2,920
10220003	165	19,816	10,920	13.0	10.55	11,820
10220004	96	10,375	5,800	13.5	5.80	6,500
Subregion 1022 total	396	40,383	22,870	13.0	22.50	25,210
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10230001	30	3,303	2,200	9.0	1.47	1,650
10230006	14	949	380	9.0	.25	290
Subregion 1023 total	44	4,252	2,580	9.0	1.72	1,940
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN						
10240001	63	8,400	3,100	12.0	2.77	3,100
10240005	3	477	150	12.0	.13	150
10240006	125	14,972	7,550	12.0	6.74	7,550
10240007	30	3,967	1,410	12.0	1.26	1,410
10240008	107	15,732	5,840	12.0	5.20	5,840
Subregion 1024 total	328	43,548	18,050	12.0	16.10	18,050

Table 22.--Estimated use of surface water for irrigation in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Number of withdrawal permits	Acres registered for permits	Estimated acres irrigated in 1985	Surface water used for irrigation		
				Average seasonal withdrawal (in/acre) ^{1/}	Average use rate (Mgal/d)	Annual volume (acre-ft) ^{2/}
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN						
10250001	0	0	0	0	0	0
10250002	15	2,812	2,520	13.0	2.47	2,770
10250003	0	0	0	0	0	0
10250004	45	25,451	10,440	20.5	15.93	17,860
10250005	35	24,780	4,490	22.0	7.27	8,140
10250006	10	572	170	20.5	.26	290
10250007	32	6,445	5,660	20.0	8.41	9,440
10250008	53	3,261	1,770	17.0	2.21	2,480
10250009	85	22,178	24,910	18.0	33.78	37,870
10250011	41	3,718	2,050	12.0	1.83	2,050
10250014	23	2,207	1,050	12.0	.93	1,050
10250015	10	693	300	12.0	.27	300
10250016	217	36,661	32,040	24.5	58.85	65,970
Subregion 1025 total	566	128,778	85,400	21.0	132.21	148,220
BLUE RIVER BASIN						
10270201	140	9,643	5,230	8.5	3.26	3,660
10270202	302	25,942	15,060	11.0	12.36	13,860
10270203	338	22,963	12,470	8.5	7.79	8,730
10270204	171	11,641	6,500	11.0	5.34	5,980
10270205	16	1,595	420	8.5	.26	290
10270206	378	22,382	14,780	8.5	9.24	10,350
10270207	73	3,853	2,490	8.5	1.55	1,740
Subregion 1027 total	1,418	98,019	56,950	9.5	39.80	44,610
NEBRASKA TOTAL	5,379	1,321,616	1,032,450	27.0	2,087.01	2,339,540

Table 23.--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot; annual volume rounded to
nearest 10 acre-ft]

County number	County name	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
		Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
001	Adams	1.19	0.25	1.44	1,330	280	1,610
003	Antelope	1.62	.27	1.89	1,820	300	2,120
005	Arthur	.48	.12	.60	540	130	670
007	Banner	.33	.08	.41	370	90	460
009	Blaine	.57	.12	.69	640	130	770
011	Boone	1.39	.23	1.62	1,560	260	1,820
013	Box Butte	.88	.21	1.09	990	230	1,220
015	Boyd	.73	.13	.86	820	150	970
017	Brown	1.07	.24	1.31	1,200	270	1,470
019	Buffalo	1.61	.33	1.94	1,800	370	2,170
021	Burt	1.09	.17	1.26	1,220	190	1,410
023	Butler	.78	.13	.91	880	150	1,030
025	Cass	.57	.09	.66	640	100	740
027	Cedar	1.86	.24	2.10	2,080	270	2,350
029	Chase	.85	.18	1.03	950	200	1,150
031	Cherry	4.70	1.16	5.86	5,270	1,300	6,570
033	Cheyenne	.81	.17	.98	910	190	1,100
035	Clay	1.87	.22	2.09	2,100	240	2,340
037	Colfax	1.02	.15	1.17	1,140	170	1,310
039	Cuming	3.24	.53	3.77	3,630	600	4,230
041	Custer	3.07	.68	3.75	3,440	760	4,200
043	Dakota	.34	.05	.39	380	60	440
045	Dawes	.74	.17	.91	830	190	1,020
047	Dawson	3.09	.64	3.73	3,460	720	4,180
049	Deuel	.27	.06	.33	300	70	370
051	Dixon	1.04	.16	1.20	1,170	180	1,350
053	Dodge	1.32	.19	1.51	1,480	210	1,690
055	Douglas	.44	.09	.53	490	100	590
057	Dundy	.96	.21	1.17	1,080	230	1,310
059	Fillmore	.96	.14	1.10	1,080	160	1,240
061	Franklin	.72	.14	.86	810	160	970
063	Frontier	.81	.17	.98	910	190	1,100
065	Furnas	.78	.17	.95	870	190	1,060
067	Gage	1.34	.15	1.49	1,500	170	1,670
069	Garden	1.20	.29	1.49	1,350	320	1,670

Table 23.--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska counties,
1985--Continued

County number	County name	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
		Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
071	Garfield	0.51	0.12	0.63	570	130	700
073	Gosper	.54	.11	.65	610	120	730
075	Grant	.67	.16	.83	750	180	930
077	Greeley	.88	.18	1.06	990	200	1,190
079	Hall	1.24	.24	1.48	1,390	270	1,660
081	Hamilton	.70	.11	.81	780	120	900
083	Harlan	.72	.15	.87	810	170	980
085	Hayes	.72	.16	.88	810	180	990
087	Hitchcock	.65	.13	.78	730	150	880
089	Holt	3.62	.64	4.26	4,060	720	4,780
091	Hooker	.25	.06	.31	280	70	350
093	Howard	1.11	.20	1.31	1,240	220	1,460
095	Jefferson	.83	.13	.96	930	150	1,080
097	Johnson	.52	.08	.60	580	90	670
099	Kearney	.87	.19	1.06	980	210	1,190
101	Keith	.92	.22	1.14	1,030	250	1,280
103	Keya Paha	.75	.16	.91	840	180	1,020
105	Kimball	.32	.07	.39	360	80	440
107	Knox	2.34	.36	2.70	2,620	410	3,030
109	Lancaster	.79	.12	.91	890	130	1,020
111	Lincoln	2.40	.55	2.95	2,690	620	3,310
113	Logan	.51	.12	.63	570	130	700
115	Loup	.42	.09	.51	470	100	570
117	McPherson	.54	.13	.67	600	150	750
119	Madison	1.15	.18	1.33	1,290	200	1,490
121	Merrick	.90	.17	1.07	1,010	190	1,200
123	Morrill	1.02	.24	1.26	1,140	270	1,410
125	Nance	.64	.12	.76	720	130	850
127	Nemaha	.54	.07	.61	600	80	680
129	Nuckolls	.78	.12	.90	870	130	1,000
131	Otoe	.74	.10	.84	830	110	940
133	Pawnee	.54	.08	.62	600	90	690
135	Perkins	.34	.07	.41	380	80	460
137	Phelps	1.18	.24	1.42	1,320	270	1,590
139	Pierce	1.40	.22	1.62	1,570	250	1,820

Table 23 .--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska counties,
1985--Continued

County number	County name	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
		Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
141	Platte	1.48	0.18	1.66	1,660	200	1,860
143	Polk	1.24	.24	1.48	1,390	270	1,660
145	Red Willow	.89	.19	1.08	1,000	210	1,210
147	Richardson	.65	.10	.75	730	110	840
149	Rock	.92	.21	1.13	1,030	240	1,270
151	Saline	.67	.10	.77	750	110	860
153	Sarpy	.86	.19	1.05	960	210	1,170
155	Saunders	1.48	.27	1.75	1,660	300	1,960
157	Scotts Bluff	1.88	.43	2.31	2,110	480	2,590
159	Seward	1.01	.16	1.17	1,130	180	1,310
161	Sheridan	1.88	.45	2.33	2,110	510	2,620
163	Sherman	.84	.16	1.00	940	180	1,120
166	Sioux	1.08	.26	1.34	1,210	290	1,500
167	Stanton	1.21	.21	1.42	1,360	240	1,600
169	Thayer	.75	.13	.88	840	150	990
171	Thomas	.33	.08	.41	370	90	460
173	Thurston	.69	.10	.79	770	110	880
175	Valley	1.15	.21	1.36	1,290	240	1,530
177	Washington	.94	.11	1.05	1,060	120	1,180
179	Wayne	1.18	.19	1.37	1,320	210	1,530
181	Webster	.76	.16	.92	850	180	1,030
183	Wheeler	2.03	.49	2.52	2,280	550	2,830
185	York	.89	.13	1.02	1,000	150	1,150
NEBRASKA TOTAL		100.60	19.17	119.77	112,770	21,490	134,260

Table 24.--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot; annual volume rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft]

Hydrologic unit number	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
	Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
HAT CREEK BASIN						
10120106	0.01	0	0.01	10	0	10
10120108	.23	.06	.29	260	70	330
Subregion 1012 total	0.24	0.06	0.30	270	70	340
WHITE RIVER BASIN						
10140201	0.96	0.22	1.18	1,080	250	1,330
10140203	.02	.01	.03	20	10	30
Subregion 1014 total	0.98	0.23	1.21	1,100	260	1,360
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN						
10150001	0.53	0.09	0.62	590	100	690
10150002	.49	.11	.60	550	120	670
10150003	3.05	.74	3.79	3,420	830	4,250
10150004	2.87	.65	3.52	3,220	730	3,950
10150005	.69	.17	.86	770	190	960
10150006	.67	.14	.81	750	160	910
10150007	2.47	.42	2.89	2,770	470	3,240
Subregion 1015 total	10.77	2.32	13.09	12,070	2,600	14,670
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10170101	3.75	0.54	4.29	4,200	610	4,810
Subregion 1017 total	3.75	0.54	4.29	4,200	610	4,810
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10180009	3.60	0.85	4.45	4,040	950	4,990
10180012	.27	.06	.33	300	70	370
10180013	.62	.14	.76	690	160	850
10180014	1.71	.40	2.11	1,920	450	2,370
Subregion 1018 total	6.20	1.45	7.65	6,950	1,630	8,580
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10190012	0.07	0.01	0.08	80	10	90
10190015	.03	.01	.04	30	10	40
10190016	.60	.13	.73	670	150	820
10190017	.26	.06	.32	290	70	360
10190018	1.01	.23	1.24	1,130	260	1,390
Subregion 1019 total	1.97	0.44	2.41	2,200	500	2,700

Table 24.--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
	Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
PLATTE RIVER BASIN						
10200101	5.69	1.19	6.88	6,380	1,330	7,710
10200102	1.48	.30	1.78	1,660	340	2,000
10200103	2.34	.43	2.77	2,620	480	3,100
10200201	1.79	.25	2.04	2,010	280	2,290
10200202	1.10	.19	1.29	1,230	210	1,440
10200203	2.32	.38	2.70	2,610	420	3,030
Subregion 1020 total	14.72	2.74	17.46	16,510	3,060	19,570
LOUP RIVER BASIN						
10210001	1.27	0.30	1.57	1,420	340	1,760
10210002	1.27	.31	1.58	1,420	350	1,770
10210003	2.11	.43	2.54	2,370	480	2,850
10210004	2.12	.47	2.59	2,380	530	2,910
10210005	1.27	.27	1.54	1,420	300	1,720
10210006	1.70	.41	2.11	1,910	460	2,370
10210007	1.61	.30	1.91	1,810	330	2,140
10210008	.94	.21	1.15	1,050	240	1,290
10210009	3.01	.58	3.59	3,380	640	4,020
10210010	2.19	.46	2.65	2,450	520	2,970
Subregion 1021 total	17.49	3.74	21.23	19,610	4,190	23,800
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN						
10220001	4.65	0.87	5.52	5,220	970	6,190
10220002	1.99	.31	2.30	2,230	350	2,580
10220003	6.77	1.07	7.84	7,590	1,200	8,790
10220004	2.88	.45	3.33	3,230	500	3,730
Subregion 1022 total	16.29	2.70	18.99	18,270	3,020	21,290
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES						
10230001	1.53	0.23	1.76	1,720	260	1,980
10230006	1.11	.21	1.32	1,240	240	1,580
Subregion 1023 total	2.64	0.44	3.08	2,960	500	3,460
WEeping WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN						
10240001	0.46	0.06	0.52	520	70	590
10240005	.20	.03	.23	220	30	250
10240006	1.07	.16	1.23	1,200	180	1,380
10240007	.44	.06	.50	490	70	560
10240008	1.23	.19	1.42	1,380	210	1,590
Subregion 1024 total	3.40	0.50	3.90	3,810	560	4,370

Table 24.--Estimate of livestock water use in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Water use in Mgal/d			Annual volume used in acre-ft		
	Ground water	Surface water	Total	Ground water	Surface water	Total
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN						
10250001	0.01	0	0.01	10	0	10
10250002	.51	.12	.63	570	130	700
10250003	.01	0	.01	10	0	10
10250004	1.99	.40	2.39	2,230	450	2,680
10250005	.69	.14	.83	770	160	930
10250006	.72	.17	.89	810	190	1,000
10250007	.69	.16	.85	770	180	950
10250008	.82	.17	.99	920	190	1,110
10250009	1.58	.34	1.92	1,770	380	2,150
10250011	.24	.06	.30	270	70	340
10250014	.49	.11	.60	550	120	670
10250015	.06	.01	.07	70	10	80
10250016	2.09	.41	2.50	2,340	460	2,800
Subregion 1025 total	9.90	2.09	11.99	11,090	2,340	13,430
BLUE RIVER BASIN						
10270201	1.88	0.32	2.20	2,110	360	2,470
10270202	1.93	.26	2.19	2,160	290	2,450
10270203	2.55	.38	2.93	2,860	430	3,290
10270204	1.04	.15	1.19	1,170	170	1,340
10270205	.20	.02	.22	220	20	240
10270206	4.00	.69	4.69	4,480	770	5,250
10270207	.65	.10	.75	730	110	840
Subregion 1027 total	12.25	1.92	14.17	13,730	2,150	15,880
NEBRASKA TOTAL	100.60	19.17	119.77	112,770	21,490	134,260

Table 25.--Power-generation water use in Nebraska counties, 1985
 [GW, ground water; SW, surface water; Mgal/d, million gallons per day]

County number	County name	Fossil fuel		Nuclear	Hydro- electric	Total use for power (Mgal/d)
		GW	SW	SW	SW	
		(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	
001	Adams	1.10	0	0	0	1.10
015	Boyd	0	0	0	767.20	767.20
019	Buffalo	0	0	0	62.80	62.80
031	Cherry	0	0	0	24.40	24.40
053	Dodge	.60	0	0	0	.60
055	Douglas	0	480.93	0	0	480.93
067	Gage	0	0	0	18.90	18.90
073	Gosper	0	.24	0	1,397.80	1,398.04
077	Greeley	0	0	0	49.60	49.60
079	Hall	1.20	0	0	0	1.20
101	Keith	0	0	0	933.30	933.30
109	Lancaster	21.82	0	0	0	21.82
111	Lincoln	0	564.29	0	1,768.60	2,332.89
127	Nemaha	0	0	292.69	0	292.69
131	Otoe	0	348.23	0	0	348.23
141	Platte	0	0	0	2,056.45	2,056.45
177	Washington	0	0	500.84	0	500.84
NEBRASKA TOTALS		24.72	1,393.69	793.53	7,079.05	9,290.99

Table 26.--Power-generation water use in Nebraska hydrologic units
and subregions, 1985
[GW, ground water; SW, surface water; Mgal/d, million gallons per day]

Hydrologic Unit number	Fossil fuel		Nuclear	Hydro- electric	Total use for power (Mgal/d)
	GW	SW	SW	SW	
	(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	(Mgal/d)	
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN					
10150004	0	0	0	24.40	24.40
10150007	0	0	0	767.20	767.20
Subregion 1015 total	0	0	0	791.60	791.60
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10180014	0	0	0	933.30	933.30
Subregion 1018 total	0	0	0	933.30	933.30
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10190018	0	564.29	0	744.30	1,308.59
Subregion 1019 total	0	564.29	0	744.30	1,308.59
PLATTE RIVER BASIN					
10200101	0	0.24	0	2,484.90	2,485.14
10200102	1.20	0	0	0	1.20
10200201	0	0	0	1,073.16	1,073.16
10200203	21.82	0	0	0	21.82
Subregion 1020 total	23.02	0.24	0	3,558.06	3,581.32
LOUP RIVER BASIN					
10210009	0	0	0	983.29	983.29
10210010	0	0	0	49.60	49.60
Subregion 1021 total	0	0	0	1,032.89	1,032.89
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN					
10220003	0.60	0	0	0	0.60
Subregion 1022 total	0.60	0	0	0	0.60
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES					
10230006	0	480.93	500.84	0	981.77
Subregion 1023 total	0	480.93	500.84	0	981.77
WEEPING WATER - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN					
10240001	0	348.23	0	0	348.23
10240005	0	0	292.69	0	292.69
Subregion 1024 total	0	348.23	292.69	0	640.92
BLUE RIVER BASIN					
10270202	0	0	0	18.90	18.90
10270206	1.10	0	0	0	1.10
Subregion 1027 total	1.10	0	0	18.90	20.00
NEBRASKA TOTAL	24.72	1,393.69	793.53	7,079.05	9,290.99

Table 27.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska counties, 1985
[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

County number	County name	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases (Mgal/d)	Municipal releases (acre-ft) ^{1/}
		Municipal	Other		
001	Adams	5	3	3.65	4,090
003	Antelope	7	0	.40	450
005	Arthur	0	0	0	0
007	Banner	0	0	0	0
009	Blaine	1	0	.02	20
011	Boone	5	0	.29	330
013	Box Butte	2	1	.96	1,080
015	Boyd	5	0	.14	160
017	Brown	2	0	.24	270
019	Buffalo	8	1	3.01	3,370
021	Burt	5	0	.49	550
023	Butler	8	0	.40	450
025	Cass	16	0	1.43	1,600
027	Cedar	9	0	.48	540
029	Chase	2	0	.30	340
031	Cherry	6	0	.37	410
033	Cheyenne	5	0	.71	800
035	Clay	9	0	.57	640
037	Colfax	5	1	.36	400
039	Cuming	4	1	.70	780
041	Custer	10	1	.79	890
043	Dakota	6	1	1.16	1,300
045	Dawes	3	0	.81	910
047	Dawson	5	3	2.04	2,290
049	Deuel	2	0	.14	160
051	Dixon	9	0	.40	450
053	Dodge	8	1	4.30	4,820
055	Douglas	8	3	72.02	80,730
057	Dundy	2	0	.13	150
059	Fillmore	7	0	.46	520
061	Franklin	7	0	.24	270
063	Frontier	5	0	.24	270
065	Furnas	7	0	.48	540
067	Gage	11	1	2.16	2,420
069	Garden	2	0	.18	200

Table 27.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases (Mgal/d)	Municipal releases (acre-ft) ^{1/}
		Municipal	Other		
071	Garfield	1	0	0.19	210
073	Gosper	2	0	.07	80
075	Grant	1	0	.03	30
077	Greeley	4	0	.16	180
079	Hall	5	1	9.48	10,630
081	Hamilton	6	0	.49	550
083	Harlan	5	0	.22	250
085	Hayes	1	0	.02	20
087	Hitchcock	4	0	.26	290
089	Holt	6	0	.82	920
091	Hooker	1	0	.06	70
093	Howard	5	0	.21	240
095	Jefferson	9	0	.75	840
097	Johnson	5	0	.67	750
099	Kearney	3	1	.20	220
101	Keith	3	0	.83	930
103	Keya Paha	1	0	.03	30
105	Kimball	3	0	.36	400
107	Knox	11	0	.57	640
109	Lancaster	17	7	24.31	27,250
111	Lincoln	7	1	2.49	2,790
113	Logan	1	0	.03	30
115	Loup	0	0	0	0
117	McPherson	0	0	0	0
119	Madison	7	3	3.81	4,270
121	Merrick	5	0	.70	780
123	Morrill	3	0	.32	360
125	Nance	3	0	.19	200
127	Nemaha	7	0	.51	570
129	Nuckolls	5	1	.45	500
131	Otoe	9	0	1.23	1,380
133	Pawnee	6	0	.40	450
135	Perkins	4	0	.16	180
137	Phelps	5	0	.81	910
139	Pierce	4	0	.52	580

Table 27.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska counties, 1985--Continued

County number	County name	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases (Mgal/d)	Municipal releases (acre-ft) ^{1/}
		Municipal	Other		
141	Platte	7	2	2.44	2,740
143	Polk	4	0	.31	350
145	Red Willow	5	0	1.31	1,470
147	Richardson	8	0	.75	840
149	Rock	2	0	.10	110
151	Saline	8	1	1.07	1,200
153	Sarpy	6	0	2.93	3,280
155	Saunders	13	0	.98	1,100
157	Scotts Bluff	8	1	2.98	3,340
159	Seward	10	0	.90	1,010
161	Sheridan	3	0	.39	440
163	Sherman	3	0	.30	340
165	Sioux	1	0	.03	30
167	Stanton	2	0	.17	190
169	Thayer	10	0	.38	430
171	Thomas	1	0	.03	30
173	Thurston	5	0	.46	520
175	Valley	3	0	.32	360
177	Washington	5	0	1.12	1,260
179	Wayne	5	0	.37	410
181	Webster	4	0	.25	280
183	Wheeler	2	0	.02	20
185	York	7	0	.93	1,040
NEBRASKA TOTAL		477	35	169.96	190,520

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.

Table 28.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985

[Mgal/d, million gallons per day; acre-ft, acre-foot]

Hydrologic unit number	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases	
	Municipal	Other	Mgal/d	acre-ft ¹ /
HAT CREEK BASIN				
10120106	0	0	0	0
10120108	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1012 total	0	0	0	0
WHITE RIVER BASIN				
10140201	3	0	0.81	910
10140203	0	0	0	0
Subregion 1014 total	3	0	0.81	910
NIOBRARA RIVER - PONCA CREEK BASIN				
10150001	5	0	0.14	160
10150002	1	0	.03	30
10150003	6	1	1.36	1,530
10150004	7	0	.60	670
10150005	0	0	0	0
10150006	2	0	.04	40
10150007	3	0	.12	130
Subregion 1015 total	24	1	2.29	2,560
UPPER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10170101	20	0	0.99	1,110
Subregion 1017 total	20	0	0.99	1,110
NORTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10180009	14	1	3.49	3,910
10180012	1	0	.04	40
10180013	0	0	0	0
10180014	1	1	2.21	2,480
Subregion 1018 total	16	2	5.74	6,430
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10190012	0	0	0	0
10190015	1	0	.02	20
10190016	6	0	1.10	1,230
10190017	0	0	0	0
10190018	6	0	1.04	1,170
Subregion 1019 total	13	0	2.16	2,420

Table 28.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases	
	Municipal	Other	Mgal/d	acre-ft ¹ /
PLATTE RIVER BASIN				
10200101	16	4	4.61	5,170
10200102	8	1	10.06	11,280
10200103	7	0	.81	910
10200201	9	3	2.60	2,910
10200202	8	1	.92	1,030
10200203	32	7	25.27	28,330
Subregion 1020 total	80	16	44.27	49,630
LOUP RIVER BASIN				
10210001	3	0	0.12	130
10210002	1	0	.02	20
10210003	10	1	.63	710
10210004	4	0	.17	190
10210005	6	0	.67	750
10210006	0	0	0	0
10210007	5	0	.51	570
10210008	0	0	0	0
10210009	10	0	.58	650
10210010	5	0	.13	150
Subregion 1021 total	44	1	2.83	3,170
ELKHORN RIVER BASIN				
10220001	15	0	1.53	1,720
10220002	9	3	3.87	4,340
10220003	20	2	5.52	6,190
10220004	19	0	1.33	1,490
Subregion 1022 total	63	5	12.25	13,740
LOWER MISSOURI RIVER TRIBUTARIES				
10230001	10	1	2.42	2,710
10230006	10	2	74.36	83,360
Subregion 1023 total	20	3	76.78	86,070
WEEPING WATER CREEK - NEMAHA RIVER BASIN				
10240001	12	0	2.16	2,420
10240005	3	0	.12	130
10240006	16	0	.89	1,000
10240007	5	0	.38	430
10240008	13	0	1.45	1,630
Subregion 1024 total	49	0	5.00	5,610

Table 28.--Sewage effluent releases in Nebraska hydrologic units and subregions, 1985--Continued

Hydrologic unit number	Number of sewage systems		Municipal releases	
	Municipal	Other	Mgal/d	acre-ft ^{1/}
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN				
10250001	1	0	0.02	20
10250002	0	0	0	0
10250003	1	0	.11	120
10250004	7	0	1.53	1,720
10250005	3	0	.34	380
10250006	4	0	.16	180
10250007	1	0	.03	30
10250008	6	0	.37	420
10250009	8	0	.51	570
10250011	1	0	.02	20
10250014	4	0	.11	120
10250015	0	0	0	0
10250016	14	1	1.31	1,470
Subregion 1025 total	50	1	4.51	5,050
BLUE RIVER BASIN				
10270201	14	0	1.10	1,230
10270202	23	2	3.83	4,300
10270203	16	2	1.64	1,840
10270204	6	0	.34	380
10270205	2	0	.02	20
10270206	25	2	4.66	5,220
10270207	9	0	.74	830
Subregion 1027 total	95	6	12.33	13,820
NEBRASKA TOTAL	477	35	169.96	190,520

^{1/} Rounded to nearest 10 acre-ft.