

### Rankings of Nebraska County Percentage Change in Population: Last Three Decades

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1980-1990			1990-2000			2000-2010		
County	% Change	Rank	County	% Change	Rank	County	% Change	Rank
<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>n/a</b>
Sarpy	19.3	1	Dawson	22.2	1	Sarpy	29.6	1
Lancaster	10.8	2	Dakota	21.0	2	Johnson	16.2	2
Buffalo	7.6	3	Sarpy	19.5	3	Lancaster	14.0	3
Washington	7.1	4	Lancaster	17.2	4	Douglas	11.5	4
Cass	5.0	5	Colfax	14.2	5	Hall	9.5	5
Douglas	4.9	6	Cass	14.1	6	Buffalo	9.1	6
Madison	4.1	7	Washington	13.1	7	Washington	7.7	7
Platte	3.4	8	Buffalo	12.9	8	Garfield	7.7	8
Hall	2.6	9	Douglas	11.3	9	Saunders	4.8	9
Dakota	1.0	10	Gosper	11.2	10	Lincoln	4.8	10
Phelps	-0.6	11	Hall	9.4	11	Cass	3.7	11
Seward	-2.1	12	Saline	8.9	12	Dakota	3.7	12
Saunders	-2.3	13	Saunders	8.4	13	Arthur	3.6	13
York	-2.5	14	Howard	8.4	14	Saline	2.6	14
Saline	-3.2	15	Otoe	8.0	15	Otoe	2.2	15
Adams	-3.4	16	Madison	7.9	16	Platte	1.8	16
Thurston	-3.5	17	Seward	6.8	17	Cheyenne	1.7	17
Dodge	-3.8	18	Lincoln	6.5	18	Seward	1.5	18
Box Butte	-4.1	19	Platte	6.2	19	Dodge	1.5	19
Nemaha	-4.6	20	Hamilton	6.1	20	Dawes	1.3	20
Stanton	-4.7	21	Wayne	5.2	21	McPherson	1.1	21
Hamilton	-4.7	22	Adams	5.2	22	Colfax	0.7	22
Wayne	-5.0	23	Dodge	4.8	23	Adams	0.7	23
Cheyenne	-5.6	24	Loup	4.2	24	Scotts Bluff	0.1	24
Kearney	-6.0	25	Kearney	3.8	25	Dawson	-0.2	25
Scotts Bluff	-6.0	26	Cheyenne	3.5	26	Madison	-1.0	26
Dawes	-6.1	27	Keith	3.4	27	Logan	-1.4	27
Otoe	-6.1	28	Thurston	3.4	28	Chase	-2.5	28
Cherry	-6.7	29	Stanton	3.4	29	Wayne	-2.6	29
Gage	-6.8	30	Dixon	3.2	30	Gage	-3.0	30
Holt	-7.0	31	Scotts Bluff	2.6	31	Hamilton	-3.0	31
Banner	-7.2	32	Butler	1.9	32	Thurston	-3.2	32
Red Willow	-7.2	33	Merrick	1.9	33	Red Willow	-3.4	33
Perkins	-7.4	34	York	1.2	34	Polk	-4.1	34
Colfax	-7.6	35	Gage	0.9	35	Butler	-4.2	35
Pierce	-7.7	36	Cuming	0.9	36	Nemaha	-4.3	36
Butler	-7.8	37	Dawes	0.4	37	Merrick	-4.4	37
Chase	-7.9	38	Pierce	0.4	38	Howard	-4.5	38
McPherson	-7.9	39	Phelps	0.3	39	Gosper	-4.6	39
Hitchcock	-8.1	40	Morrill	0.3	40	Sherman	-5.0	40
Antelope	-8.2	41	Frontier	-0.1	41	Stanton	-5.1	41
Valley	-8.2	42	Kimball	-0.5	42	Dixon	-5.3	42
Keith	-8.3	43	Polk	-0.5	43	Kearney	-5.7	43
Deuel	-9.1	44	Harlan	-0.6	44	Keith	-5.7	44

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Garfield	-9.4	45	Burt	-1.0	45	Phelps	-5.7	45
Dundy	-9.8	46	Clay	-1.2	46	Hooker	-6.0	46
Boone	-9.8	47	Hooker	-1.3	47	Webster	-6.1	47
Nance	-9.8	48	Knox	-2.0	48	York	-6.4	48
Hayes	-9.9	49	Red Willow	-2.2	49	Greeley	-6.5	49
Gosper	-9.9	50	McPherson	-2.4	50	Hitchcock	-6.5	50
Arthur	-9.9	51	Cherry	-2.5	51	Kimball	-6.6	51
Merrick	-10.0	52	Grant	-2.9	52	Furnas	-6.9	52
Franklin	-10.0	53	Brown	-3.6	53	Box Butte	-7.0	53
Fillmore	-10.3	54	Banner	-3.9	54	Clay	-7.1	54
Polk	-10.3	55	Custer	-3.9	55	Cherry	-7.1	55
Sheridan	-10.5	56	Arthur	-3.9	56	Knox	-7.2	56
Wheeler	-10.6	57	Johnson	-4.0	57	Perkins	-7.2	57
Howard	-10.6	58	Richardson	-4.1	58	Custer	-7.2	58
Dawson	-10.6	59	Furnas	-4.1	59	Morrill	-7.3	59
Logan	-10.7	60	Keya Paha	-4.5	60	Deuel	-7.5	60
Burt	-10.7	61	Sioux	-4.8	61	Nance	-7.5	61
Jefferson	-10.8	62	Jefferson	-4.9	62	Pierce	-7.5	62
Lincoln	-10.8	63	Perkins	-5.0	63	Wheeler	-7.7	63
Morrill	-10.9	64	Nemaha	-5.1	64	Cedar	-7.9	64
Cedar	-10.9	65	Cedar	-5.1	65	Valley	-8.3	65
Harlan	-11.2	66	Webster	-5.1	66	Jefferson	-9.4	66
Johnson	-11.6	67	Nance	-5.5	67	Hayes	-9.5	67
Custer	-11.6	68	Boone	-6.1	68	Harlan	-9.6	68
Webster	-11.9	69	Deuel	-6.2	69	Holt	-9.7	69
Sherman	-12.0	70	Antelope	-6.4	70	Franklin	-9.8	70
Clay	-12.1	71	Wheeler	-6.5	71	Pawnee	-10.2	71
Richardson	-12.2	72	Fillmore	-6.6	72	Garden	-10.3	72
Garden	-12.2	73	Garden	-6.8	73	Antelope	-10.3	73
Grant	-12.3	74	Pawnee	-6.9	74	Cuming	-10.4	74
Thayer	-12.5	75	Chase	-7.1	75	Brown	-10.8	75
Thomas	-12.5	76	Box Butte	-7.4	76	Nuckolls	-11.0	76
Greeley	-13.2	77	Sheridan	-8.2	77	Frontier	-11.1	77
Cuming	-13.3	78	Holt	-8.3	78	Sioux	-11.1	78
Dixon	-13.9	79	Thayer	-8.7	79	Fillmore	-11.2	79
Nuckolls	-14.0	80	Franklin	-9.2	80	Loup	-11.2	80
Furnas	-14.4	81	Greeley	-9.7	81	Thomas	-11.2	81
Boyd	-14.9	82	Valley	-10.1	82	Sheridan	-11.8	82
Frontier	-15.0	83	Sherman	-10.8	83	Burt	-12.0	83
Rock	-15.3	84	Garfield	-11.2	84	Boone	-12.0	84
Pawnee	-15.7	85	Dundy	-11.2	85	Richardson	-12.3	85
Kimball	-15.9	86	Logan	-11.8	86	Dundy	-12.4	86
Sioux	-16.0	87	Nuckolls	-12.6	87	Rock	-13.1	87
Brown	-16.4	88	Hayes	-12.6	88	Thayer	-13.7	88
Knox	-16.5	89	Rock	-13.0	89	Boyd	-13.9	89
Hooker	-19.9	90	Blaine	-13.6	90	Banner	-15.8	90
Loup	-20.5	91	Boyd	-14.0	91	Keya Paha	-16.2	91
Keya Paha	-20.9	92	Thomas	-14.3	92	Grant	-17.8	92
Blaine	-22.1	93	Hitchcock	-17.0	93	Blaine	-18.0	93