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Adams	31,367	12.1%	3,810	45%	19%	37%
Antelope	6,600	11.9%	780	50%	22%	29%
Arthur	507	15.3%	80	39%	29%	32%
Banner	816	14.2%	120	48%	26%	26%
Blaine	586	16.4%	100	49%	23%	28%
Boone	5,441	11.5%	630	37%	23%	40%
Box Butte	11,312	14.5%	1,640	66%	5%	29%
Boyd	2,093	11.7%	240	56%	27%	17%
Brown	3,167	13.7%	430	54%	29%	17%
Buffalo	46,885	12.5%	5,880	47%	13%	39%
Burt	6,748	12.5%	840	47%	11%	42%
Butler	8,334	11.5%	960	42%	20%	38%
Cass	25,222	11.0%	2,770	27%	13%	59%
Cedar	8,790	11.1%	980	42%	20%	38%
Chase	3,984	10.5%	420	49%	24%	27%
Cherry	5,735	13.0%	750	43%	12%	45%
Cheyenne	10,022	12.7%	1,270	50%	10%	41%
Clay	6,469	10.9%	700	49%	23%	29%
Colfax	10,495	7.3%	770	74%	11%	16%
Cuming	9,095	11.6%	1,050	44%	25%	32%
Custer	10,872	11.5%	1,250	46%	21%	34%
Dakota	20,920	11.5%	2,410	55%	26%	20%
Dawes	9,172	15.1%	1,380	54%	8%	38%
Dawson	24,256	9.8%	2,380	66%	18%	16%
Deuel	1,952	11.9%	230	55%	10%	36%
Dixon	5,953	11.3%	670	47%	15%	38%
Dodge	36,675	11.9%	4,360	45%	18%	37%
Douglas	524,697	14.1%	73,730	46%	14%	40%
Dundy	1,994	11.6%	230	40%	31%	29%
Fillmore	5,818	11.3%	650	36%	24%	41%
Franklin	3,181	11.9%	380	48%	22%	31%
Frontier	2,568	12.3%	320	48%	12%	40%
Furnas	4,920	13.5%	660	59%	16%	26%
Gage	22,055	13.1%	2,880	46%	15%	39%
Garden	1,966	11.3%	220	60%	9%	31%
Garfield	1,947	13.0%	250	48%	17%	35%
Gosper	2,005	11.6%	230	42%	32%	26%
Grant	614	14.4%	90	74%	10%	15%
Greeley	2,507	11.8%	300	52%	22%	26%
Hall	59,431	10.6%	6,310	56%	22%	23%
Hamilton	9,090	11.1%	1,010	44%	17%	39%
Harlan	3,445	12.1%	420	49%	7%	45%
Hayes	1,142	11.8%	130	36%	27%	38%
Hitchcock	2,884	13.5%	390	55%	23%	22%
Holt	10,435	11.7%	1,220	48%	22%	29%
Hooker	703	12.4%	90	55%	25%	21%
Howard	6,308	11.5%	720	44%	22%	34%
Jefferson	7,563	12.4%	930	44%	15%	42%
Johnson	5,182	12.6%	650	36%	18%	46%
Kearney	6,518	10.4%	680	27%	33%	40%
Keith	8,247	12.4%	1,020	46%	24%	31%
Keya Paha	698	13.5%	90	60%	24%	15%
Kimball	3,779	13.1%	490	50%	26%	25%
Knox	8,617	13.1%	1,130	50%	20%	30%
Lancaster	289,873	14.1%	40,900	48%	10%	42%
Lincoln	36,128	12.1%	4,360	44%	19%	38%
Logan	787	12.0%	90	52%	48%	0%

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Loup	581	15.3%	90	63%	13%	24%
McPherson	382	12.8%	50	57%	43%	0%
Madison	34,995	12.2%	4,270	52%	19%	29%
Merrick	7,802	12.4%	970	49%	17%	35%
Morrill	4,958	11.7%	580	54%	22%	24%
Nance	3,707	12.2%	450	54%	21%	25%
Nemaha	7,207	14.1%	1,020	48%	15%	37%
Nuckolls	4,462	12.3%	550	52%	24%	25%
Otoe	15,727	12.0%	1,890	45%	12%	43%
Pawnee	2,759	14.2%	390	64%	8%	28%
Perkins	2,949	10.3%	300	29%	20%	51%
Phelps	9,186	11.4%	1,040	42%	22%	36%
Pierce	7,211	10.6%	770	35%	26%	40%
Platte	32,350	10.5%	3,400	45%	14%	41%
Polk	5,342	11.4%	610	39%	19%	43%
Red Willow	11,015	12.5%	1,380	47%	16%	37%
Richardson	8,289	14.3%	1,190	56%	15%	29%
Rock	1,436	11.3%	160	48%	29%	23%
Saline	14,348	11.7%	1,680	56%	14%	30%
Sarpy	162,728	11.0%	17,960	29%	15%	57%
Saunders	20,800	11.2%	2,330	37%	15%	49%
Scotts Bluff	36,883	11.1%	4,100	59%	20%	21%
Seward	16,824	11.7%	1,970	33%	12%	55%
Sheridan	5,390	13.7%	740	62%	26%	12%
Sherman	3,129	12.1%	380	57%	11%	32%
Sioux	1,229	11.5%	140	47%	17%	35%
Stanton	6,148	10.5%	650	38%	26%	36%
Thayer	5,187	12.0%	620	54%	23%	23%
Thomas	734	12.2%	90	45%	4%	51%
Thurston	6,915	17.8%	1,230	72%	15%	13%
Valley	4,256	12.8%	550	52%	16%	31%
Washington	20,234	11.0%	2,220	31%	14%	55%
Wayne	9,499	13.5%	1,280	49%	12%	39%
Webster	3,762	12.5%	470	53%	14%	32%
Wheeler	869	13.6%	120	53%	18%	30%
York	13,762	12.2%	1,680	36%	15%	49%
State Total^b	1,868,516	13.2%	246,960	46.2%	14.6%	39.2%

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1	628,082	13.4%	84,110	45%	13%	41%
2	634,418	13.8%	87,850	45%	14%	42%
3	606,016	12.4%	75,000	49%	17%	34%

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