

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Greene, New York

Number of farms

342 farms in 2002, 292 farms in 1997, up 17 percent.

Land in farms

57,898 acres in 2002, 51,370 acres in 1997, up 13 percent.

Average size of farm

169 acres in 2002, 176 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$14,375,000 in 2002, \$8,996,000 in 1997, up 60 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$5,767,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$8,608,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

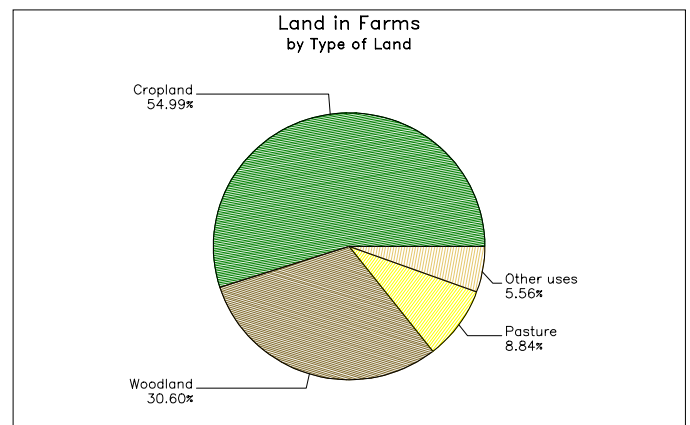
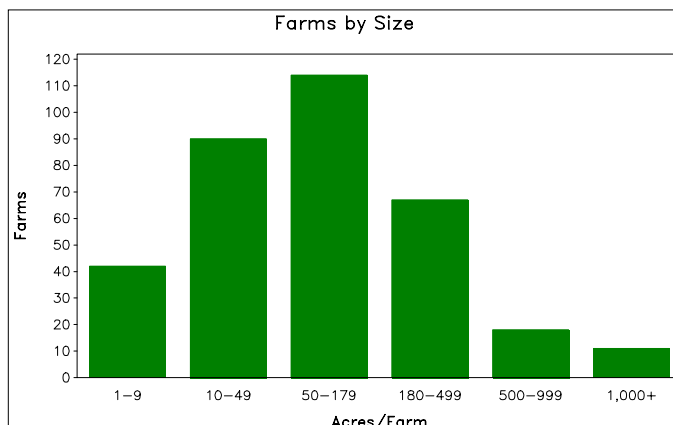
\$42,033 in 2002, \$30,807 in 1997, up 36 percent.

Government Payments

\$314,000 in 2002, \$101,000 in 1997, up 211 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,765 in 2002, \$1,332 in 1997, up 258 percent.



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Ranked items among the 62 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	14,375	47	61	2,300	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,767	44	61	2,008	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,608	44	59	1,987	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,866	29	58	550	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,429	28	61	723	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	16	51	53	1,021	1,774
Other crops and hay	955	47	56	1,285	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	57	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,664	48	52	889	2,493
Hogs and pigs	22	41	55	2,011	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	32	46	55	1,583	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	75	48	57	2,038	3,014
Aquaculture	24	20	40	820	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	129	30	55	759	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	13	58	(D)	2,983
Pheasants	(D)	1	45	(D)	1,541
Quail	(D)	1	31	(D)	1,412
Cattle and calves	4,497	49	55	2,573	3,059
Colonies of bees	1,197	16	54	402	2,392
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,191	45	57	1,235	3,059
Short-rotation woody crops	3,786	1	56	9	1,262
Corn for grain	946	47	51	1,813	2,592
Corn for silage	550	49	52	1,384	2,307
Soybeans ³	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	2,076

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	89	Farming	192
\$1,000 to \$2,499	61	Other	150
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	39	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36	Male	274
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Female	68
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	White	509
\$500,000 or more	5	Black or African American	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,332	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	44,962	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	518	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	1,519	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6

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

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.