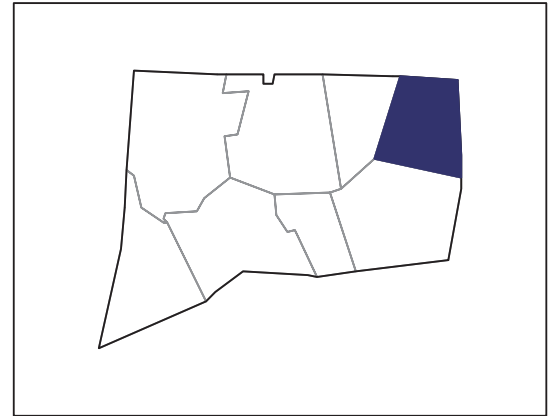


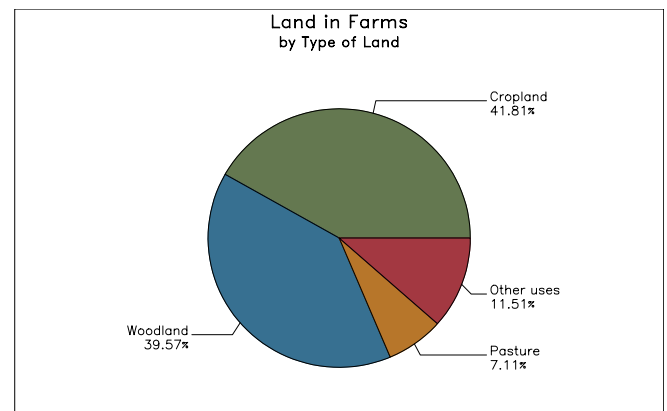
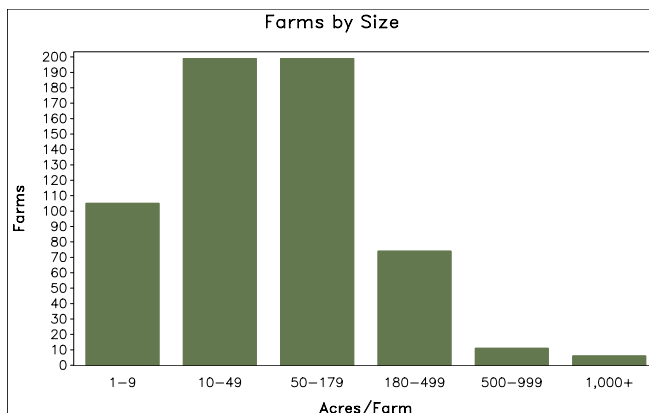
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Windham County Connecticut



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	594	504	+ 18
<b>Land in Farms</b>	60,136 acres	61,124 acres	- 2
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	101 acres	121 acres	- 17
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$39,701,000	\$31,062,000	+ 28
Crop Sales \$11,918,000 (30 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$27,783,000 (70 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$66,837	\$61,632	+ 8
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$911,000	\$852,000	+ 7
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,701	\$14,943	+ 5



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#### Ranked items among the 8 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	39,701	6	8	1,773	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	11,918	8	8	1,764	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	27,783	2	8	1,254	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	327	4	8	2,239	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,650	6	8	646	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	6,504	8	8	391	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,285	4	8	1,277	3,054
Poultry and eggs	3,724	2	8	765	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,750	4	8	2,378	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	20,276	1	8	296	2,493
Hogs and pigs	76	4	8	1,456	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	7	8	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	44	8	8	2,288	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	3	7	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	4	8	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,451	3	8	1,492	3,060
Corn for silage	6,505	1	8	234	2,263
Cut Christmas trees	696	3	8	79	1,756
Vegetables harvested for sale	550	5	8	701	2,794
Corn for grain	431	3	7	2,081	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	79,226	1	8	582	2,476
Pheasants	(D)	2	8	(D)	1,544
Cattle and calves	12,116	1	8	1,846	3,060
Layers	8,211	2	8	726	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	2	8	475	2,627

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	154	Farming	275
\$1,000 to \$2,499	82	Other	319
\$2,500 to \$4,999	96	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	Male	467
\$10,000 to \$19,999	62	Female	127
\$20,000 to \$24,999	22	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Asian	11
\$100,000 to \$249,999	27	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
\$500,000 or more	21	White	903
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37,918	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	63,835	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,232		
Average per farm (\$)	8,807		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.