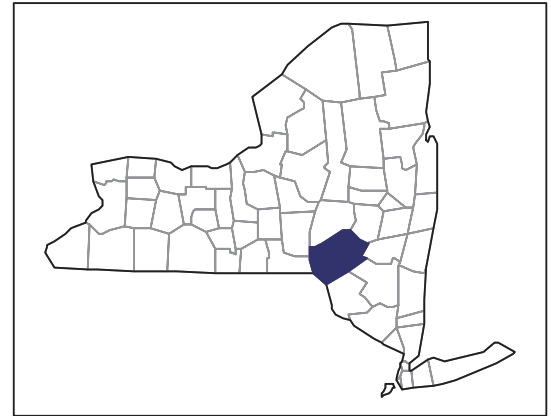


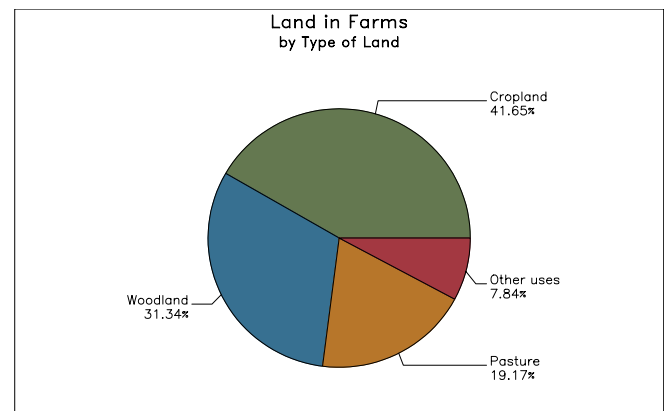
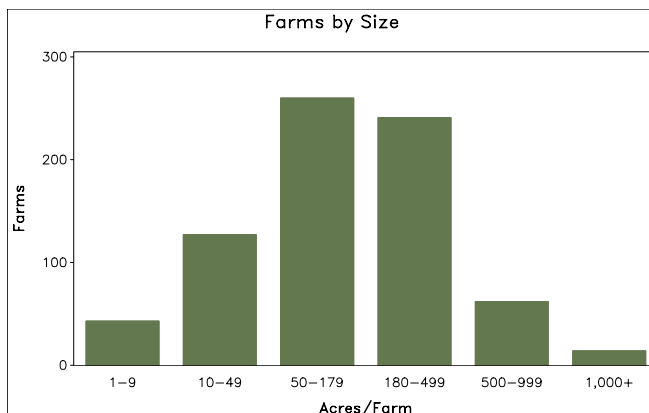
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Delaware County New York



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	747	788	- 5
Land in Farms	165,572 acres	191,537 acres	- 14
Average Size of Farm	222 acres	243 acres	- 9
Market Value of Products Sold	\$55,143,000	\$50,520,000	+ 9
Crop Sales \$7,897,000 (14 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$47,246,000 (86 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$73,820	\$64,111	+ 15
Government Payments	\$1,247,000	\$1,979,000	- 37
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,968	\$8,916	- 44



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Ranked items among the 62 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	55,143	34	61	1,471	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,897	39	61	1,999	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	47,246	25	58	825	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	420	46	54	2,185	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	369	52	59	1,218	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	288	39	58	915	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,663	23	61	581	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	47	43	54	623	1,710
Other crops and hay	3,110	21	55	542	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	57	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	9,900	12	54	1,201	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	34,392	27	54	210	2,493
Hogs and pigs	123	20	55	1,327	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	109	27	55	1,039	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	747	16	57	302	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	27	40	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	1,881	3	57	97	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	51,513	12	54	268	3,060
Corn for silage	5,685	32	52	272	2,263
Corn for grain	674	48	53	1,980	2,634
Triticale	(D)	3	21	(D)	237
Rye for grain	(D)	12	47	(D)	977
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	29,766	22	55	1,040	3,060
Rabbits and their pelts	4,117	1	55	16	2,574
Layers	3,774	29	57	860	3,024
Horses and ponies	1,348	26	58	995	3,066
Sheep and lambs	1,201	26	55	777	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	181	Farming	437
\$1,000 to \$2,499	78	Other	310
\$2,500 to \$4,999	70	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	70	Male	605
\$10,000 to \$19,999	93	Female	142
\$20,000 to \$24,999	19	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	44	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	78	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	45	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	19	White	1,185
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	45,797	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	61,308	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,135		
Average per farm (\$)	17,583		

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.

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.