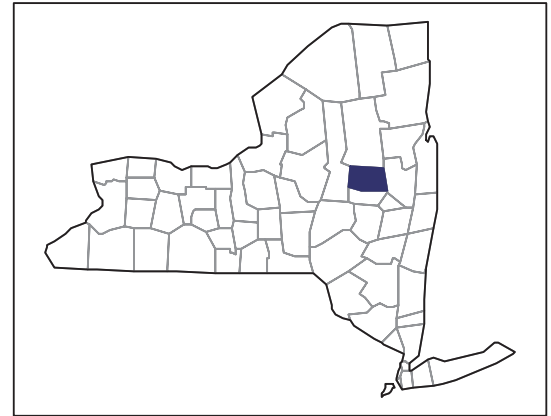


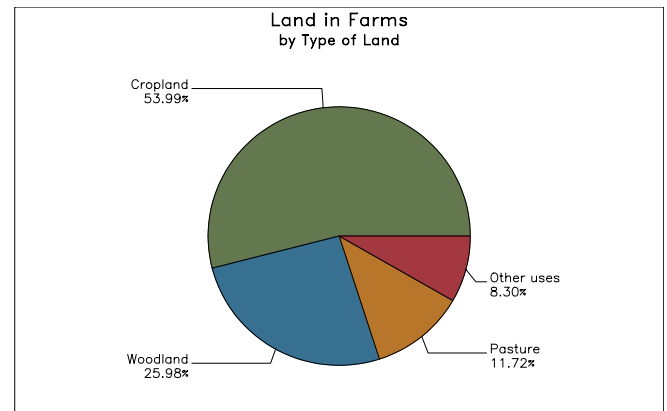
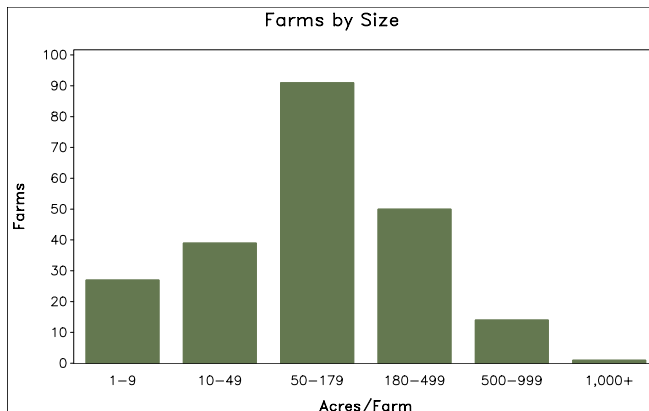
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Fulton County New York



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	222	246	- 10
<b>Land in Farms</b>	33,851 acres	37,652 acres	- 10
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	152 acres	153 acres	- 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$9,084,000	\$8,423,000	+ 8
Crop Sales \$2,227,000 (25 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,857,000 (75 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$40,919	\$34,241	+ 20
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$136,000	\$469,000	- 71
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,824	\$10,666	- 74



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### Fulton County – New York

#### Ranked items among the 62 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	9,084	52	61	2,638	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,227	53	61	2,551	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,857	48	58	2,279	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	142	50	54	2,412	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	411	49	59	1,151	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	448	32	58	753	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	57	61	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	53	38	54	583	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	48	55	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	12	52	57	2,367	3,020
Cattle and calves	619	48	54	2,735	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,875	45	54	658	2,493
Hogs and pigs	16	50	55	2,057	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	83	34	55	1,242	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	129	45	57	1,487	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	16	40	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	55	57	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,682	48	54	1,476	3,060
Corn for silage	1,749	45	52	715	2,263
Corn for grain	951	45	53	1,879	2,634
Cut Christmas trees	193	36	54	312	1,756
Vegetables harvested for sale	112	50	58	1,281	2,794
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	4,358	48	55	2,531	3,060
Horses and ponies	609	53	58	2,017	3,066
Layers	479	51	57	2,194	3,024
Goats, all	438	39	58	1,597	3,023
Sheep and lambs	383	44	55	1,622	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	69	Farming	106
\$1,000 to \$2,499	21	Other	116
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	Male	170
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27	Female	52
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	313
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,849	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	35,358	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	11
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,925		
Average per farm (\$)	8,671		

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.