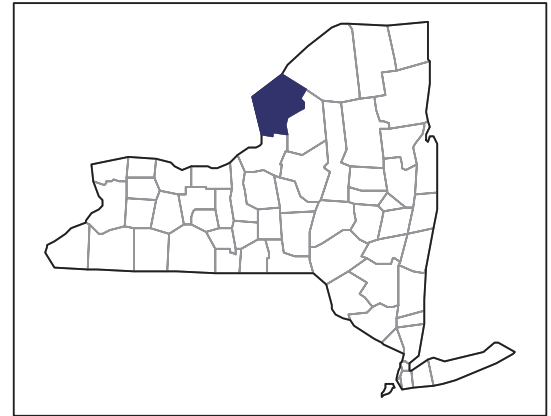


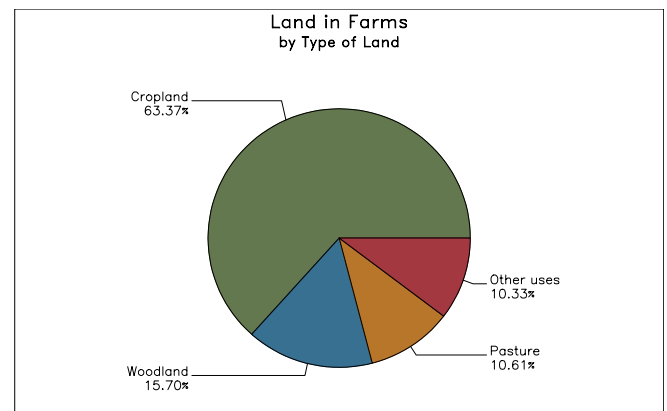
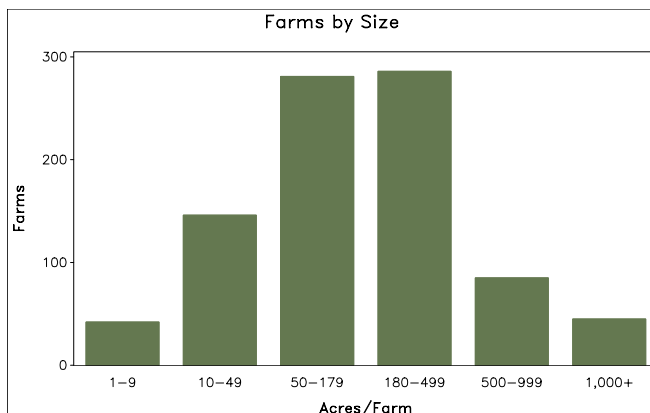
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Jefferson County New York



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	885	1,028	- 14
Land in Farms	262,331 acres	330,561 acres	- 21
Average Size of Farm	296 acres	322 acres	- 8
Market Value of Products Sold	\$139,242,000	\$99,542,000	+ 40
Crop Sales \$16,986,000 (12 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$122,256,000 (88 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$157,335	\$96,830	+ 62
Government Payments	\$1,906,000	\$4,969,000	- 62
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,127	\$14,077	- 56



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County Profile

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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	139,242	9	61	597	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	16,986	24	61	1,561	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	122,256	4	58	282	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,610	15	54	1,391	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	683	42	59	943	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	37	61	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	7,796	2	55	214	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	12	57	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	11,671	8	54	1,063	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	108,954	4	54	47	2,493
Hogs and pigs	50	40	55	1,595	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	163	41	57	1,279	3,024
Aquaculture	4	31	40	1,129	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	217	23	57	653	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	103,127	3	54	30	3,060
Corn for silage	20,953	6	52	40	2,263
Corn for grain	17,566	13	53	977	2,634
Soybeans for beans	3,059	15	46	1,306	2,039
Oats for grain	1,406	17	51	274	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	63,635	4	55	370	3,060
Layers	(D)	10	57	(D)	3,024
Horses and ponies	1,490	23	58	870	3,066
Colonies of bees	1,410	12	54	376	2,640
Sheep and lambs	1,212	24	55	766	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	208	Farming	482
\$1,000 to \$2,499	90	Other	403
\$2,500 to \$4,999	71	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	63	Male	753
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92	Female	132
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	73	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	16	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	78	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	63	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	60	White	1,345
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	100,843	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	113,946	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	44,414		
Average per farm (\$)	50,185		

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.