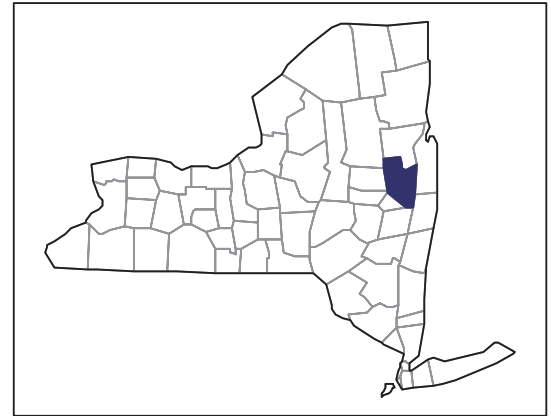


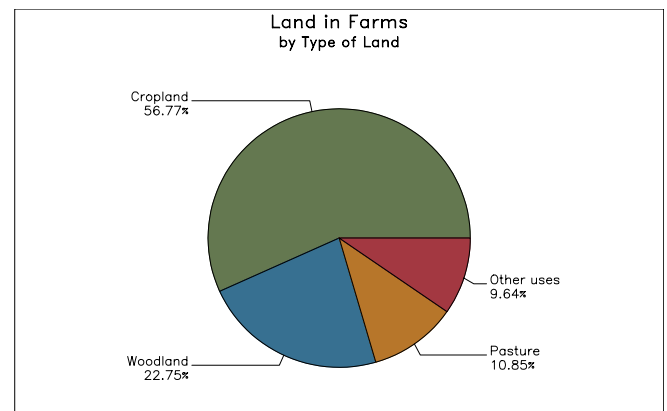
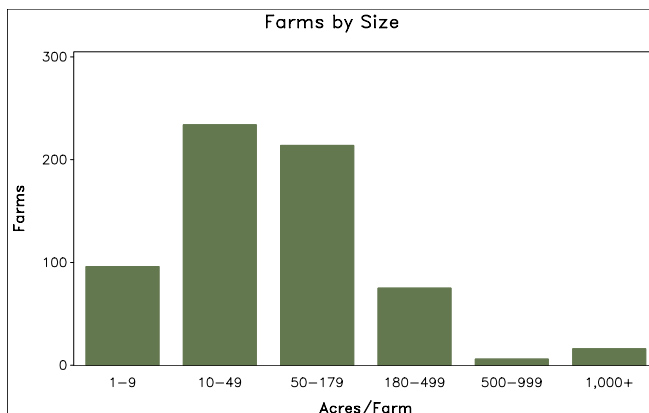
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Saratoga County New York



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	641	592	+ 8
Land in Farms	75,660 acres	74,976 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	118 acres	127 acres	- 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$58,226,000	\$33,228,000	+ 75
Crop Sales \$15,133,000 (26 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$43,092,000 (74 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$90,836	\$56,128	+ 62
Government Payments	\$566,000	\$1,164,000	- 51
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,340	\$11,754	- 55



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County Profile

Saratoga County – New York

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	58,226	33	61	1,421	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15,133	28	61	1,627	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	43,092	27	58	885	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,039	38	54	1,974	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	848	35	59	866	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,074	19	58	238	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,673	14	61	431	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	424	6	54	119	1,710
Other crops and hay	4,075	9	55	409	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	9	57	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,020	38	54	2,063	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	34,045	28	54	212	2,493
Hogs and pigs	33	43	55	1,746	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	57	42	55	1,552	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	9	57	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	23	40	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	652	10	57	309	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	23,223	38	54	913	3,060
Corn for silage	8,862	23	52	155	2,263
Corn for grain	3,159	39	53	1,555	2,634
Sod harvested	(D)	3	8	(D)	761
Cut Christmas trees	608	10	54	95	1,756
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	5	57	(D)	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	8	54	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	17,405	31	55	1,535	3,060
Horses and ponies	2,629	6	58	343	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,182	17	54	868	2,476

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	216	Farming	351
\$1,000 to \$2,499	53	Other	290
\$2,500 to \$4,999	57	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	96	Male	464
\$10,000 to \$19,999	82	Female	177
\$20,000 to \$24,999	19	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	31	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	23	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	20	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	23	White	1,036
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	55,063	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	85,901	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,916		
Average per farm (\$)	13,909		

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.