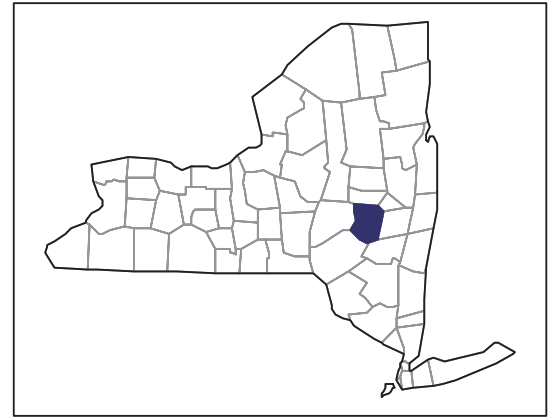


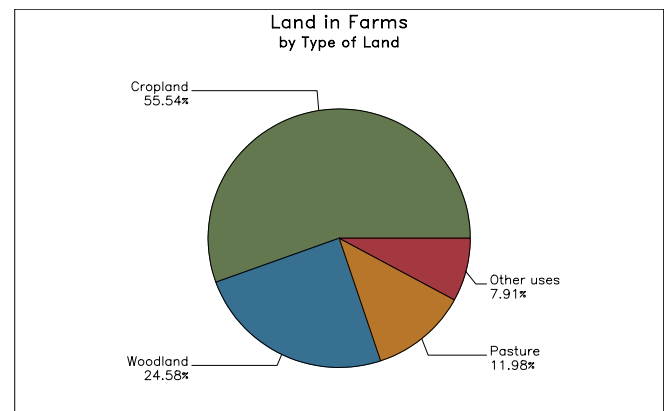
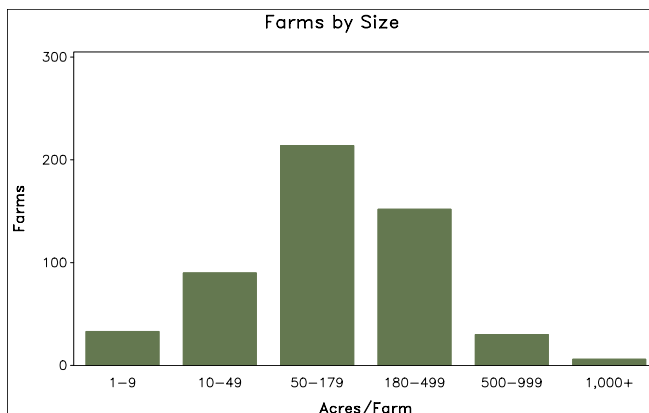
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Schoharie County New York



| | 2007 | 2002 | % change |
|---|--------------|---------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 525 | 579 | - 9 |
| Land in Farms | 95,490 acres | 112,735 acres | - 15 |
| Average Size of Farm | 182 acres | 195 acres | - 7 |
| Market Value of Products Sold | \$35,153,000 | \$26,979,000 | + 30 |
| Crop Sales \$9,793,000 (28 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$25,361,000 (72 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$66,959 | \$46,596 | + 44 |
| Government Payments | \$596,000 | \$1,630,000 | - 63 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$4,348 | \$9,941 | - 56 |



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Schoharie 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 | 35,153 | 43 | 61 | 1,863 | 3,076 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 9,793 | 37 | 61 | 1,873 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 25,361 | 35 | 58 | 1,329 | 3,069 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 2,144 | 31 | 54 | 1,766 | 2,933 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | 437 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 626 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 2,620 | 27 | 59 | 506 | 2,796 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 741 | 28 | 58 | 555 | 2,659 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 681 | 45 | 61 | 1,258 | 2,703 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | 40 | 44 | 54 | 676 | 1,710 |
| Other crops and hay | 3,567 | 15 | 55 | 474 | 3,054 |
| Poultry and eggs | 112 | 32 | 57 | 1,387 | 3,020 |
| Cattle and calves | 3,271 | 34 | 54 | 2,005 | 3,054 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows | 21,287 | 34 | 54 | 281 | 2,493 |
| Hogs and pigs | 136 | 17 | 55 | 1,301 | 2,922 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 125 | 24 | 55 | 931 | 2,998 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 250 | 37 | 57 | 929 | 3,024 |
| Aquaculture | 87 | 17 | 40 | 696 | 1,498 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 93 | 37 | 57 | 1,040 | 2,875 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 35,495 | 24 | 54 | 547 | 3,060 |
| Corn for silage | 4,729 | 35 | 52 | 327 | 2,263 |
| Corn for grain | 3,611 | 37 | 53 | 1,501 | 2,634 |
| Vegetables harvested for sale | 891 | 28 | 58 | 557 | 2,794 |
| Oats for grain | 382 | 34 | 51 | 772 | 1,957 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 14,301 | 35 | 55 | 1,705 | 3,060 |
| Layers | 2,071 | 40 | 57 | 1,102 | 3,024 |
| Sheep and lambs | 1,305 | 20 | 55 | 714 | 2,891 |
| Horses and ponies | 1,031 | 43 | 58 | 1,347 | 3,066 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens ³ | (D) | (D) | 54 | (D) | 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 | 111 | Farming | 303 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 42 | Other | 222 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 53 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 60 | Male | 422 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 92 | Female | 103 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 16 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 56.0 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 24 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 13 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 7 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 40 | Asian | 3 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 43 | Black or African American | 6 |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 10 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| \$500,000 or more | 21 | White | 863 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 30,120 | More than one race | - |
| Average per farm (\$) | 57,372 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | 15 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 7,589 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | 14,455 | | |

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. ³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.