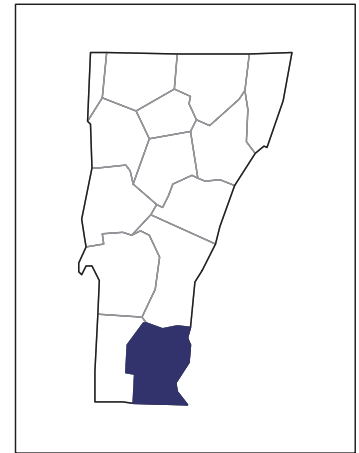


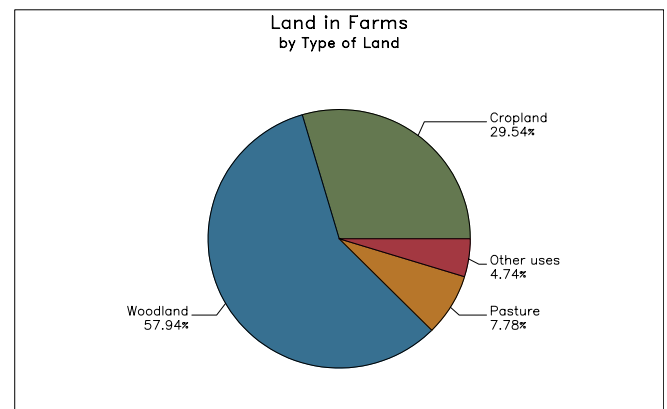
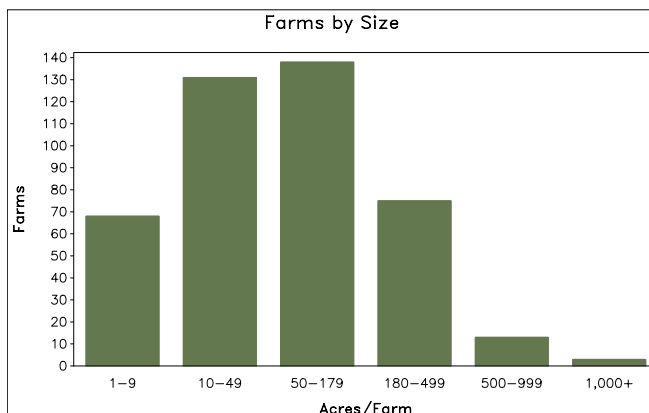
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Windham County Vermont



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	428	397	+ 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	50,764 acres	61,596 acres	- 18
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	119 acres	155 acres	- 23
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$21,408,000	\$18,321,000	+ 17
Crop Sales \$8,507,000 (40 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,900,000 (60 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$50,018	\$46,150	+ 8
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$157,000	\$854,000	- 82
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$4,239	\$16,426	- 74



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#### Ranked items among the 14 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	21,408	11	14	2,206	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,507	6	14	1,951	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,900	11	14	1,866	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	71	9	14	2,532	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,773	2	14	626	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,945	2	14	243	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,659	8	14	878	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	87	10	13	447	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,972	9	14	885	3,054
Poultry and eggs	117	7	14	1,379	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,547	11	14	2,443	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	10,827	12	14	450	2,493
Hogs and pigs	32	7	14	1,762	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	266	6	14	485	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	64	11	14	2,043	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	12	12	1,495	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	8	13	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,322	11	14	1,892	3,060
Corn for silage	2,243	10	14	601	2,263
Apples	531	2	14	86	2,144
Vegetables harvested for sale	273	4	14	923	2,794
Corn for grain	183	7	11	2,240	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	6,526	10	14	2,302	3,060
Layers	3,309	7	14	910	3,024
Sheep and lambs	1,637	3	14	600	2,891
Horses and ponies	986	6	14	1,404	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	530	8	14	1,102	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	150	Farming	208
\$1,000 to \$2,499	51	Other	220
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	Male	304
\$10,000 to \$19,999	35	Female	124
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	9	White	674
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	19,048	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	44,504	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,760		
Average per farm (\$)	8,785		

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.