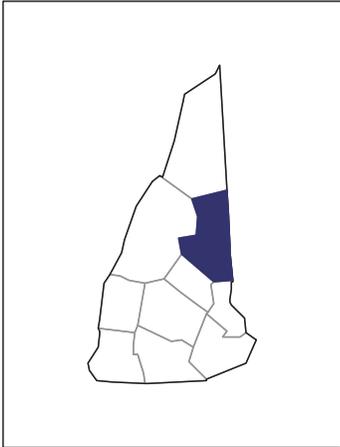


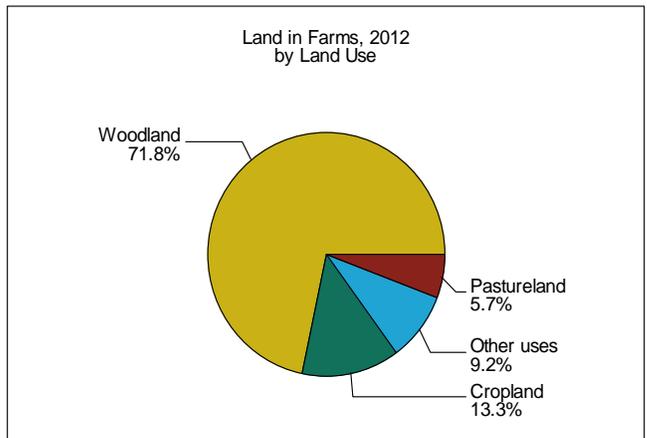
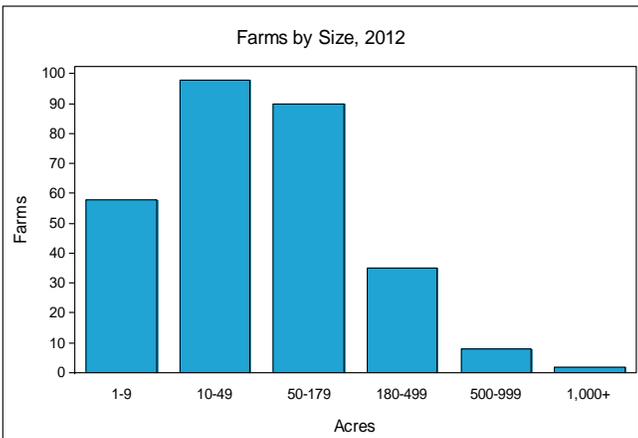
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE

### Carroll County New Hampshire



	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	291	274	+ 6
<b>Land in Farms</b>	29,362 acres	32,040 acres	- 8
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	101 acres	117 acres	- 14
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$5,471,000	\$5,279,000	+ 4
Crop Sales \$3,458,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,013,000 (37 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$18,800	\$19,268	- 2
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$203,000	\$209,000	- 3
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$7,266	\$5,794	+ 25





## Carroll County – New Hampshire

### Ranked items among the 10 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	5,471	10	10	2,827	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,458	10	10	2,543	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,013	10	10	2,755	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	6	10	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	927	6	10	864	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	225	9	10	1,035	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	6	10	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	11	10	10	918	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	9	10	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	97	9	10	1,411	3,013
Cattle and calves	408	10	10	2,821	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	10	10	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	96	5	10	1,270	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	141	4	10	1,072	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	24	10	10	2,602	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	7	9	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	3	10	10	2,583	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,479	10	10	2,628	3,057
Corn for grain	(D)	1	8	(D)	2,638
Vegetables harvested, all	237	5	10	927	2,801
Corn for silage	(D)	10	10	(D)	2,237
Sweet corn	102	7	10	419	2,416
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	1,938	8	10	1,320	3,040
Cattle and calves	891	10	10	2,892	3,063
Sheep and lambs	752	6	10	1,113	2,897
Pullets for laying flock replacement	521	6	10	712	2,637
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	312	8	10	1,470	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	120	Farming	153
\$1,000 to \$2,499	35	Other	138
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	Male	226
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22	Female	65
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	2	White	465
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,146	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	31,431	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-2,704		
Average per farm (\$)	-9,292		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.