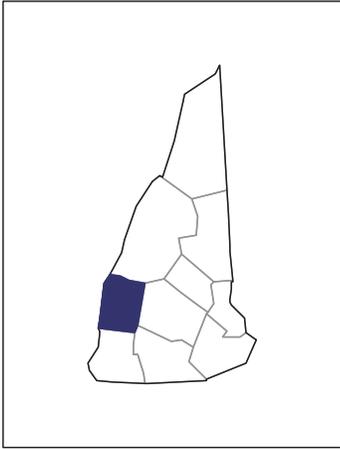


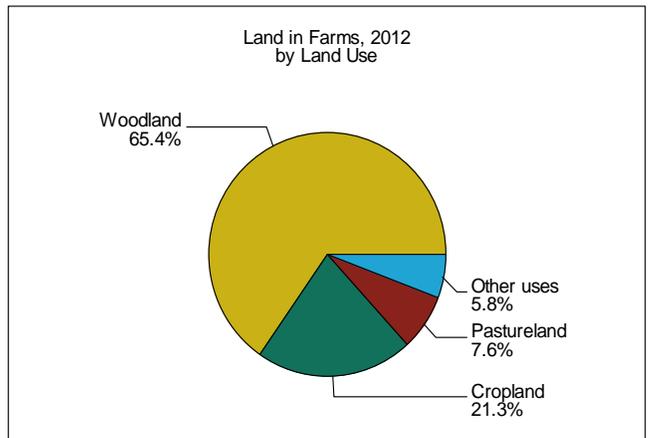
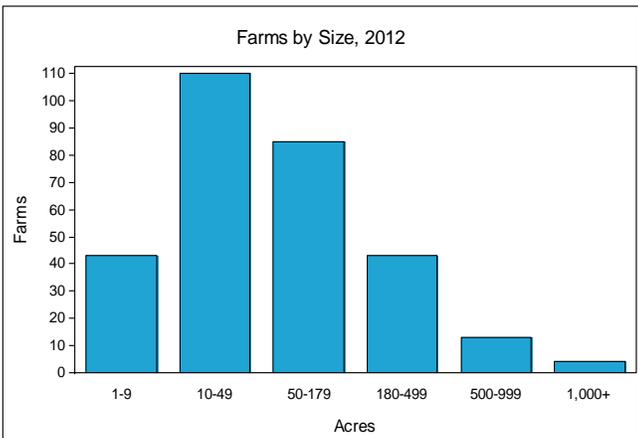
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Sullivan County New Hampshire



	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	298	294	+ 1
Land in Farms	39,015 acres	43,199 acres	- 10
Average Size of Farm	131 acres	147 acres	- 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$17,311,000	\$14,972,000	+ 16
Crop Sales \$5,337,000 (31 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$11,974,000 (69 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$58,091	\$50,926	+ 14
Government Payments	\$296,000	\$249,000	+ 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,555	\$4,689	+ 125





Sullivan County – New Hampshire

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

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	17,311	6	10	2,451	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,337	7	10	2,394	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	11,974	2	10	1,983	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	4	10	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	725	8	10	958	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	474	7	10	728	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,711	8	10	833	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	67	8	10	399	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	3	10	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	3	10	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	994	4	10	2,614	3,056
Milk from cows	9,708	2	10	506	2,038
Hogs and pigs	25	9	10	1,713	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	49	9	10	1,924	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	303	4	10	905	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	5	9	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	57	6	10	1,351	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,301	8	10	2,176	3,057
Corn for silage	2,348	2	10	698	2,237
Vegetables harvested, all	186	9	10	1,007	2,801
Cut Christmas trees	65	9	10	530	1,557
Land in Berries	51	8	10	352	2,339
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pullets for laying flock replacement	51,632	1	10	318	2,637
Cattle and calves	4,885	2	10	2,403	3,063
Layers	1,693	9	10	1,439	3,040
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	653	7	10	1,115	2,723
Horses and ponies	516	6	10	2,007	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	118	Farming	128
\$1,000 to \$2,499	35	Other	170
\$2,500 to \$4,999	39	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	Male	189
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10	Female	109
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	6	White	489
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	20,878	More than one race	9
Average per farm (\$)	70,062	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-2,389		
Average per farm (\$)	-8,018		

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.

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.