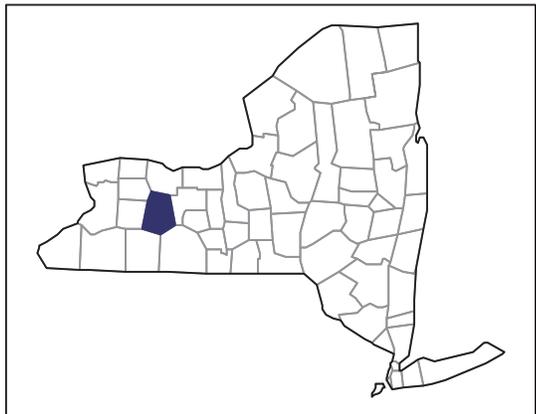


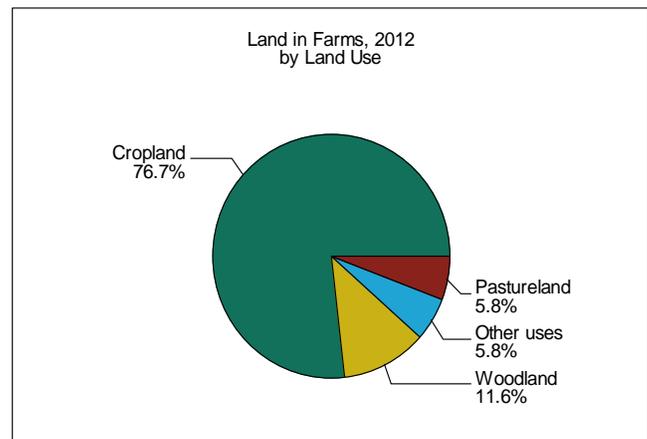
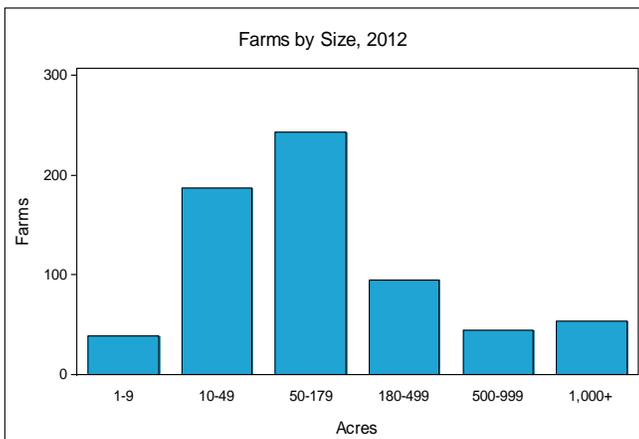
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Livingston County New York

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	661	792	- 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	194,945 acres	222,415 acres	- 12
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	295 acres	281 acres	+ 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$186,808,000	\$153,841,000	+ 21
Crop Sales \$80,742,000 (43 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$106,067,000 (57 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$282,615	\$194,243	+ 45
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,425,000	\$2,999,000	- 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,754	\$7,670	+ 14





## Livingston County – New York

### Ranked items among the 62 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	186,808	8	62	606	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	80,742	8	60	797	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	106,067	9	61	431	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	64,443	2	54	698	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	8,318	14	59	244	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	48	58	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,438	34	60	902	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	21	53	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	6,277	19	55	483	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	44	57	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	11,273	16	55	1,228	3,056
Milk from cows	91,697	8	52	87	2,038
Hogs and pigs	261	14	54	1,039	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,257	2	56	133	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	513	23	59	541	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	6	33	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	45,227	1	54	660	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,773	26	55	554	3,057
Soybeans for beans	24,092	5	49	863	2,162
Corn for silage	16,329	10	52	81	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	11,046	1	47	646	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	43,058	11	56	619	3,063
Sheep and lambs	5,187	3	56	173	2,897
Layers	1,809	49	59	1,379	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,788	20	60	555	3,072
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,161	30	54	902	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	178	Farming	369
\$1,000 to \$2,499	51	Other	292
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	86	Male	532
\$10,000 to \$19,999	51	Female	129
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	29	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	36	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	39	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	74	White	1,019
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	140,209	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	212,116	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	54,515		
Average per farm (\$)	82,473		

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.