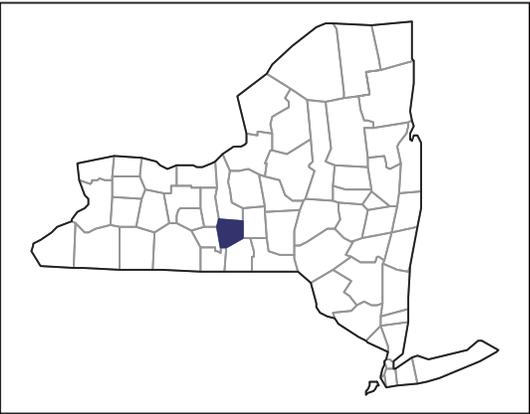


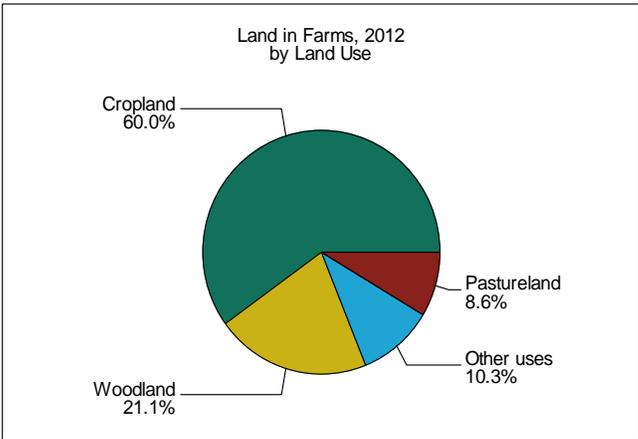
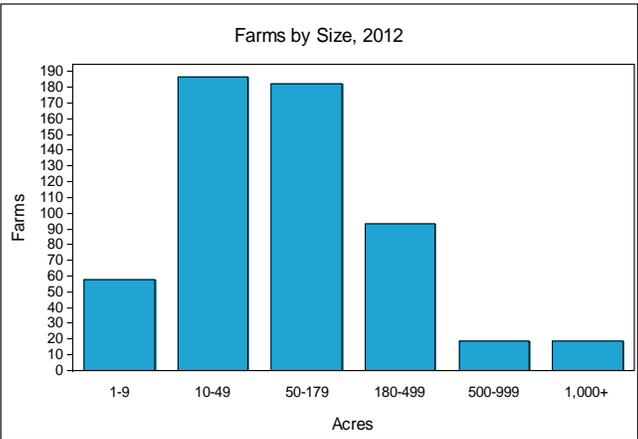
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Tompkins County New York

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	558	588	- 5
Land in Farms	90,774 acres	108,739 acres	- 17
Average Size of Farm	163 acres	185 acres	- 12
Market Value of Products Sold	\$67,391,000	\$60,185,000	+ 12
Crop Sales \$22,691,000 (34 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$44,700,000 (66 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$120,773	\$102,356	+ 18
Government Payments	\$900,000	\$955,000	- 6
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,249	\$5,334	+ 17





Tompkins County – New York

Ranked items among the 62 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	67,391	31	62	1,525	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	22,691	32	60	1,638	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	44,700	29	61	977	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	8,310	30	54	1,589	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	5,396	18	59	349	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	555	34	58	668	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	4,242	20	60	491	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	237	8	53	137	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,950	30	55	756	3,049
Poultry and eggs	60	46	57	1,564	3,013
Cattle and calves	5,334	30	55	1,765	3,056
Milk from cows	37,831	25	52	200	2,038
Hogs and pigs	211	17	54	1,076	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	430	14	56	387	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	713	16	59	374	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	122	39	59	988	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	24,474	35	55	787	3,057
Corn for grain	8,232	27	54	1,263	2,638
Corn for silage	6,951	28	52	272	2,237
Soybeans for beans	2,561	23	49	1,457	2,162
Vegetables harvested, all	1,329	22	59	406	2,801
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	19,797	30	56	1,357	3,063
Layers	2,846	40	59	1,072	3,040
Horses and ponies	2,430	11	60	339	3,072
Sheep and lambs	1,904	14	56	484	2,897
Hogs and pigs	750	19	55	1,109	2,889

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	143	Farming	282
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57	Other	276
\$2,500 to \$4,999	48	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	Male	414
\$10,000 to \$19,999	67	Female	144
\$20,000 to \$24,999	25	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31	Asian	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999	40	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	25	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	25	White	877
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	56,306	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	100,907	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	18
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,976		
Average per farm (\$)	25,046		

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

- Represents zero.

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.