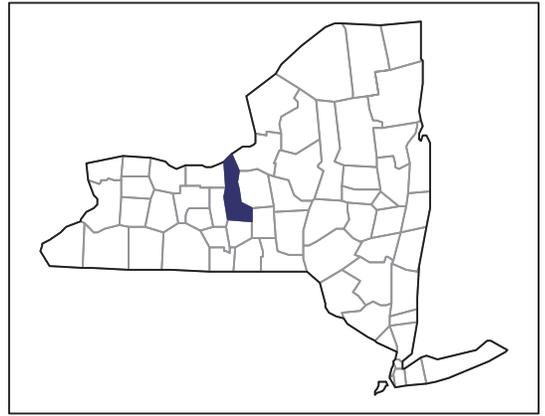


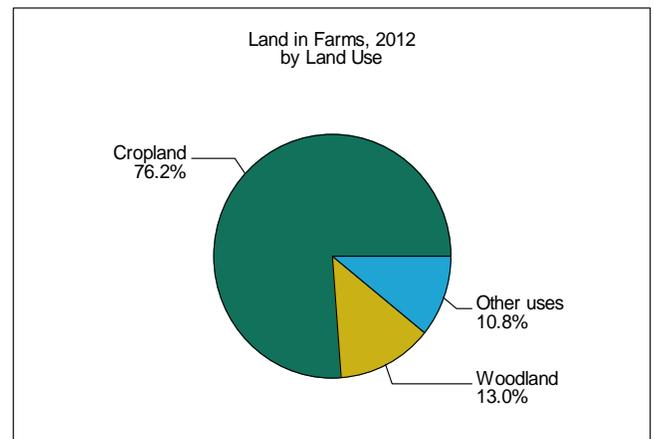
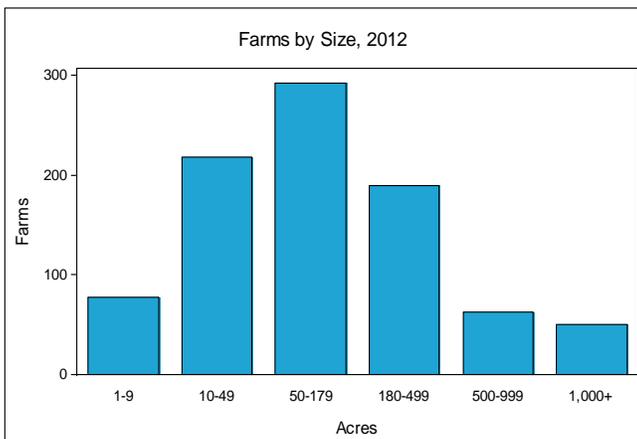
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Cayuga County New York

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	891	936	- 5
<b>Land in Farms</b>	238,444 acres	249,476 acres	- 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	268 acres	267 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$293,474,000	\$214,403,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$99,211,000 (34 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$194,263,000 (66 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$329,376	\$229,063	+ 44
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,791,000	\$2,791,000	0
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,749	\$7,213	+ 21





## Cayuga 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	293,474	2	62	286	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	99,211	4	60	652	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	194,263	2	61	181	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	68,167	1	54	670	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	15,359	8	59	154	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,219	24	58	442	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	6,577	11	60	361	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	83	24	53	329	1,530
Other crops and hay	7,806	12	55	376	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	12	57	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	28,574	2	55	563	3,056
Milk from cows	158,794	2	52	39	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	8	54	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,108	3	56	151	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	347	34	59	806	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	1,201	4	59	220	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	45,509	14	55	270	3,057
Corn for grain	41,652	3	54	683	2,638
Soybeans for beans	37,719	1	49	708	2,162
Corn for silage	27,181	2	52	34	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	6,543	6	47	866	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	78,076	2	56	202	3,063
Layers	50,267	12	59	488	3,040
Pullets for laying flock replacement	31,084	7	54	363	2,637
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	7,359	7	54	645	2,723
Sheep and lambs	6,020	2	56	151	2,897

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	186	Farming	529
\$1,000 to \$2,499	52	Other	362
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	72	Male	756
\$10,000 to \$19,999	93	Female	135
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	77	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	82	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	92	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	90	White	1,387
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	229,446	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	257,516	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	13
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	72,680		
Average per farm (\$)	81,572		

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.