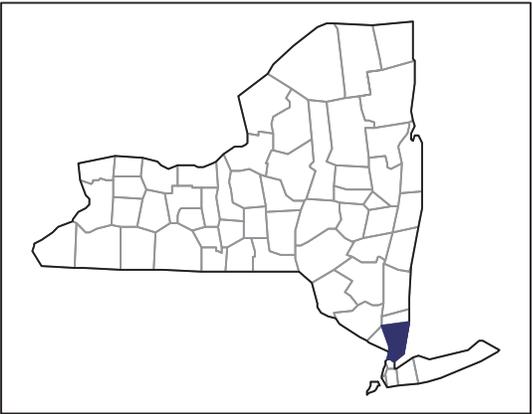


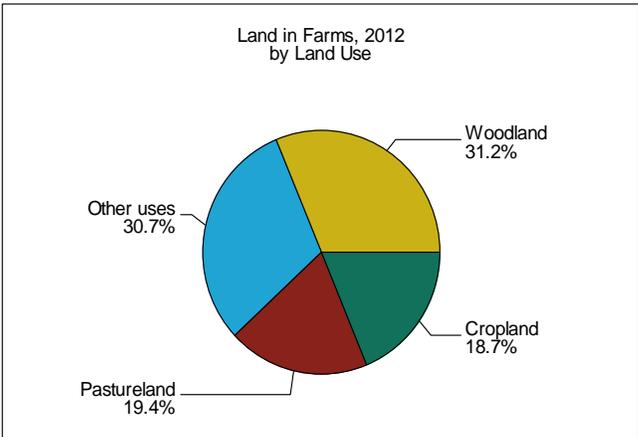
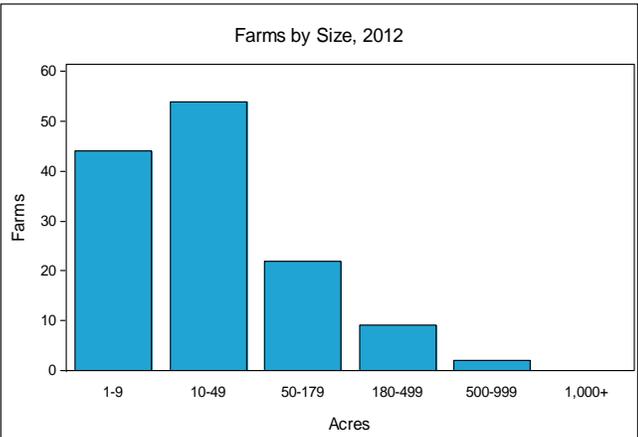
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Westchester County New York

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	131	106	+ 24
<b>Land in Farms</b>	7,752 acres	8,521 acres	- 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	59 acres	80 acres	- 26
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$8,800,000	\$10,998,000	- 20
Crop Sales \$4,192,000 (48 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,608,000 (52 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$67,174	\$103,754	- 35
<b>Government Payments</b>	(D)	(D)	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	(D)	(D)	





## Westchester 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	8,800	51	62	2,724	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,192	49	60	2,489	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,608	51	61	2,502	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	158	52	54	2,603	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	462	50	59	1,132	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	205	45	58	1,076	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,248	24	60	578	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	46	53	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	53	55	2,908	3,049
Poultry and eggs	818	16	57	1,029	3,013
Cattle and calves	572	50	55	2,764	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	52	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	655	9	54	920	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	347	17	56	486	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,166	7	59	77	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	22	33	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	49	59	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	(D)	54	55	2,928	3,057
Corn for silage	(D)	50	52	(D)	2,237
Apples	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	2,167
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	54	59	(D)	2,801
Corn for grain	(D)	52	54	(D)	2,638
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	5,420	9	54	654	2,723
Layers	1,859	48	59	1,357	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,277	33	60	893	3,072
Cattle and calves	535	51	56	2,946	3,063
Sheep and lambs	448	41	56	1,529	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	37	Farming	77
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	Male	77
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	Female	54
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	216
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	23,343	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	178,191	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	10
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-3,103		
Average per farm (\$)	-23,685		

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.