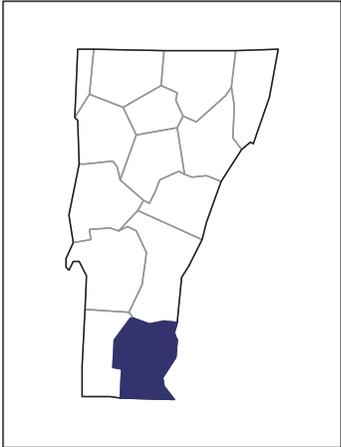


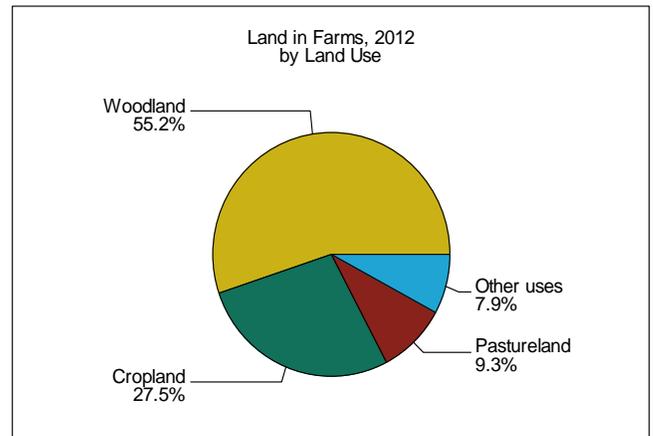
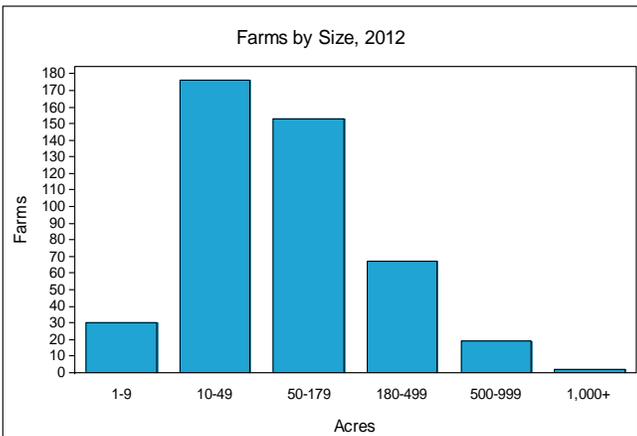
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Windham County Vermont

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	447	428	+ 4
Land in Farms	50,765 acres	50,764 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	114 acres	119 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$26,425,000	\$21,408,000	+ 23
Crop Sales \$11,359,000 (43 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$15,066,000 (57 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$59,116	\$50,018	+ 18
Government Payments	\$499,000	\$157,000	+ 218
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,402	\$4,239	+ 51





Windham County – Vermont

Ranked items among the 14 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	26,425	9	14	2,216	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	11,359	6	14	2,020	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	15,066	9	14	1,851	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	661	9	14	2,330	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,695	2	14	526	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,910	2	14	255	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,673	5	14	841	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	31	13	13	611	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,390	10	14	866	3,049
Poultry and eggs	194	7	14	1,233	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,527	11	14	2,456	3,056
Milk from cows	12,711	9	14	439	2,038
Hogs and pigs	68	8	14	1,352	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	419	6	14	398	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	73	10	13	2,063	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	8	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	74	10	13	1,252	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,056	11	14	1,724	3,057
Corn for silage	1,942	10	14	797	2,237
Vegetables harvested, all	751	2	14	566	2,801
Apples	401	3	14	95	2,167
Land in Berries	126	1	14	170	2,339
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	5,695	11	14	2,328	3,063
Layers	4,385	7	14	856	3,040
Sheep and lambs	1,526	6	14	601	2,897
Pheasants	(D)	2	3	(D)	963
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,122	6	14	914	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	102	Farming	234
\$1,000 to \$2,499	59	Other	213
\$2,500 to \$4,999	66	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	Male	336
\$10,000 to \$19,999	59	Female	111
\$20,000 to \$24,999	14	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	Asian	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	17	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	10	White	717
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	25,792	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	57,700	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	11
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,074		
Average per farm (\$)	9,114		

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.