



## Chemung County New York

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	398	+7
Land in farms (acres)	66,904	+15
Average size of farm (acres)	168	+8
<b>Total</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	19,012,000	+18
Government payments	384,000	-20
Farm-related income	1,109,000	-8
Total farm production expenses	16,196,000	+8
Net cash farm income	4,310,000	+61
<b>Per farm average</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	47,770	+11
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,056	-11
Farm-related income	9,014	-17
Total farm production expenses	40,693	+1
Net cash farm income	10,828	+50

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	51
Livestock, poultry, and products	49

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	52
Pastureland	11
Woodland	30
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 118

(Z)% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	27
Cover crop	11

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	156	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	62	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	44	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33	8
\$100,000 or more	33	8

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	37	9
10 to 49 acres	79	20
50 to 179 acres	167	42
180 to 499 acres	90	23
500 to 999 acres	20	5
1,000 + acres	5	1

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,012</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2,396</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>9,615</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2,059</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,609	31	55	1,672	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	707	46	60	851	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	630	34	60	598	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	176	52	60	1,297	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	77	35	53	309	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,415	42	55	751	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>9,398</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>2,147</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	40	45	57	1,342	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,503	42	55	2,284	3,055
Milk from cows	6,824	41	51	528	1,892
Hogs and pigs	17	47	55	1,416	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	132	40	54	1,082	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	682	12	55	304	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	34	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	199	24	58	530	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>653</b>
Male	394
Female	259
<b>Age</b>	
<35	53
35 – 64	385
65 and older	215
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	647
More than one race	6
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3
With military service	95
New and beginning farmers	161

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>79</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>15</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>23</b>
Are family farms	<b>97</b>

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Forage (hay/haylage), all	17,146
Corn for grain	5,298
Corn for silage or greenchop	1,440
Soybeans for beans	1,221
Oats for grain	500

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	6,384
Goats	332
Hogs and pigs	146
Horses and ponies	683
Layers	1,114
Pullets	48
Sheep and lambs	992
Turkeys	256

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.