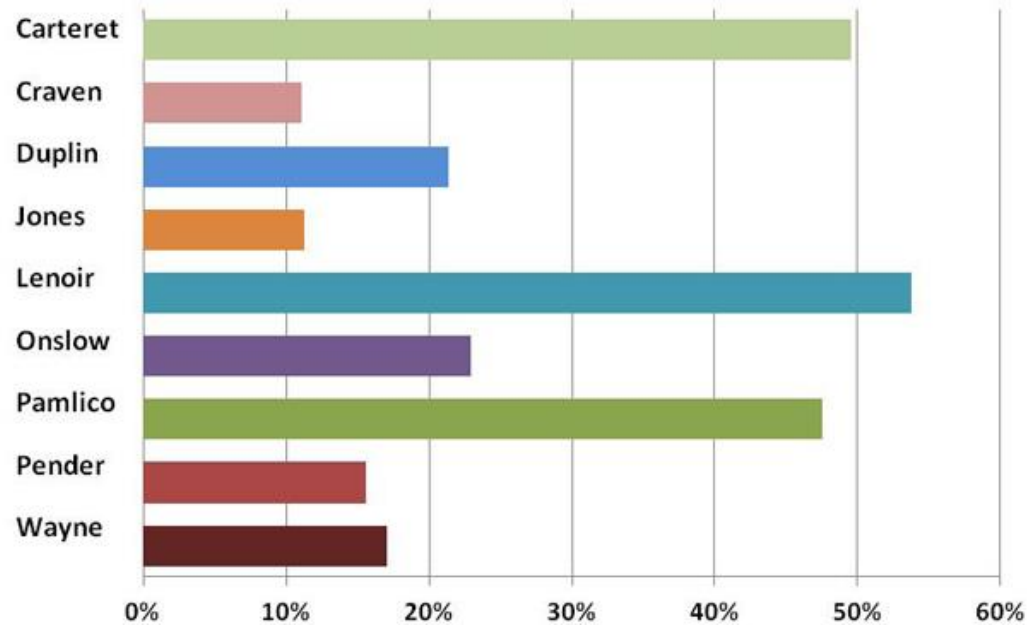




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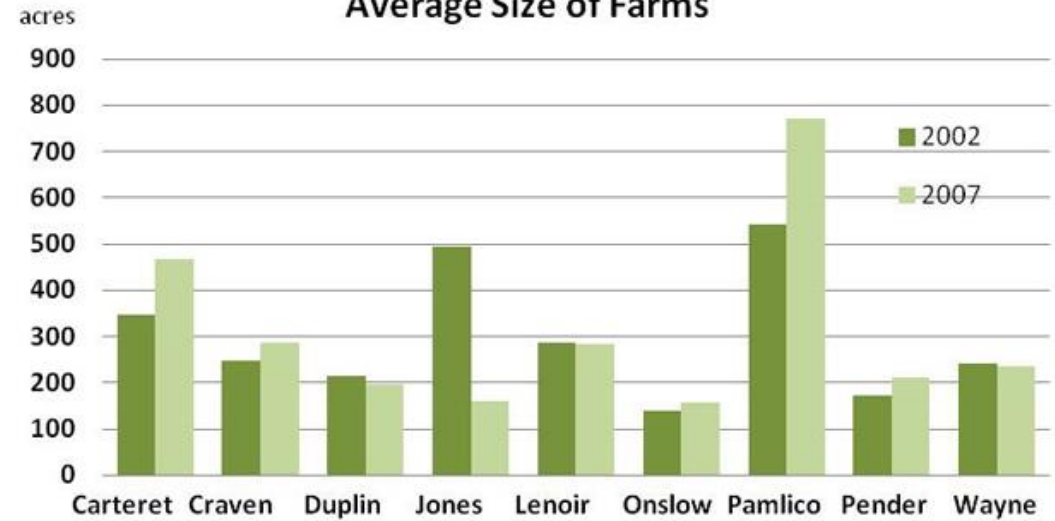
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Proportion of County in Farms - 2007



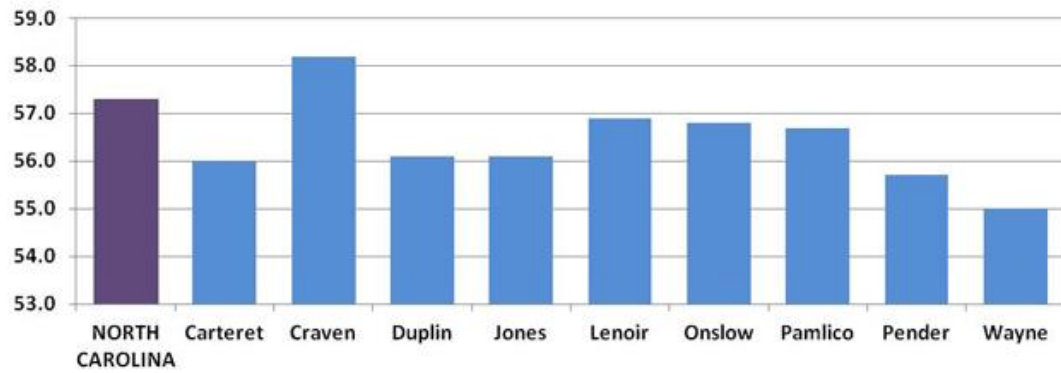
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Average Size of Farms



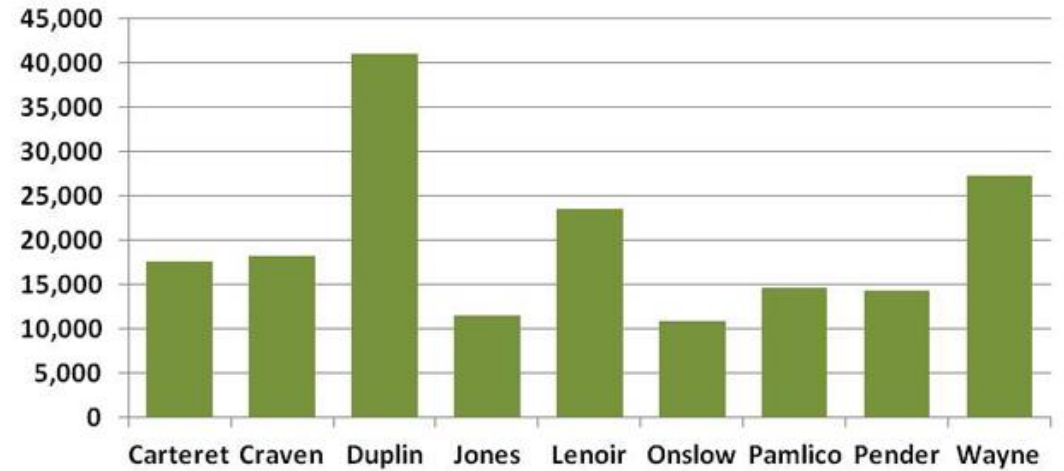
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Average Age of Principal Farm Operator



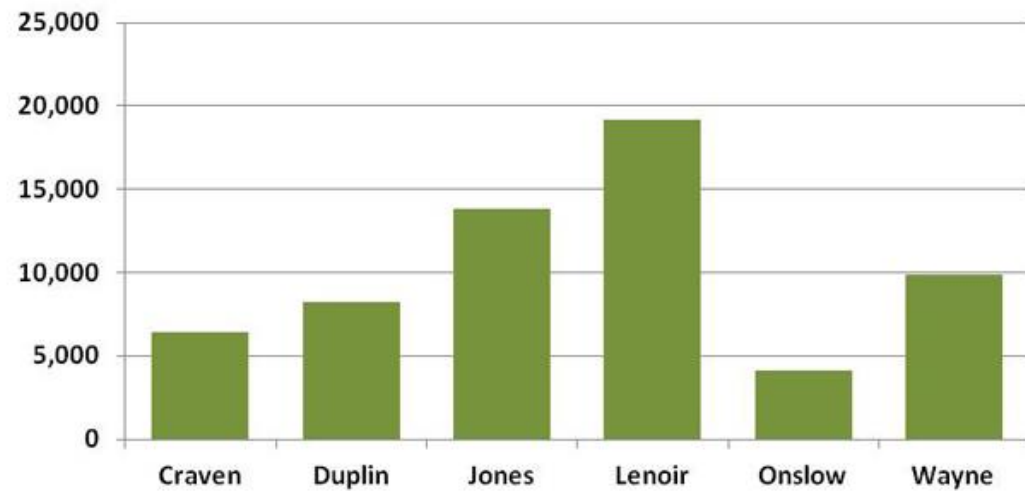
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Corn for Grain: Bu. - 2010



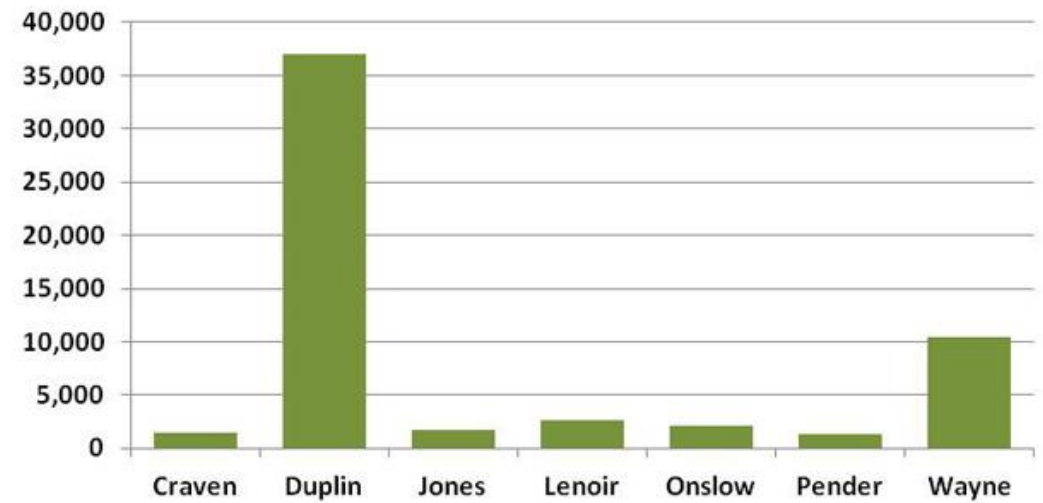
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Cotton: Lbs. - 2010
Production in 480 Lb. Bales



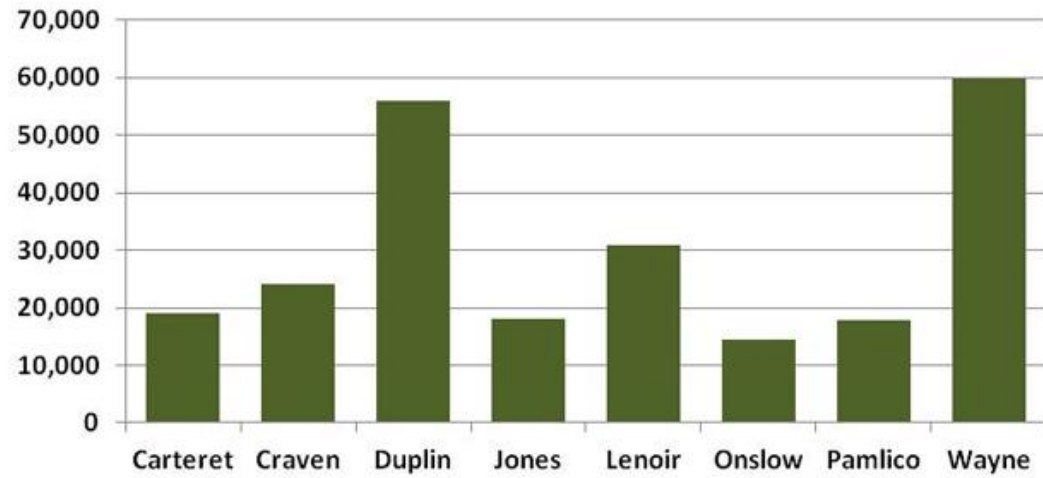
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Hay, Other: Tons - 2010



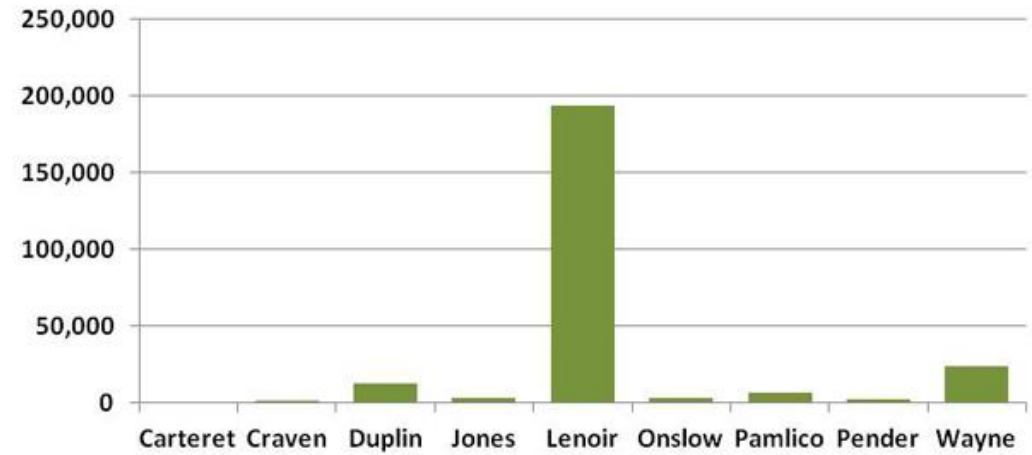
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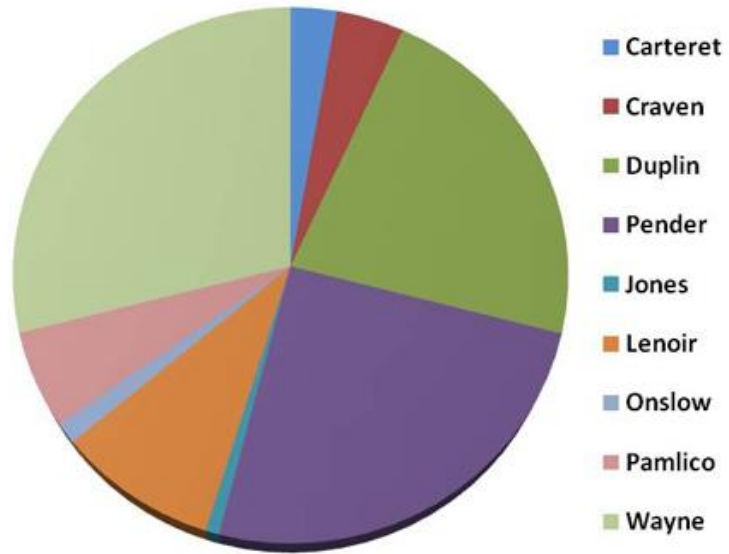
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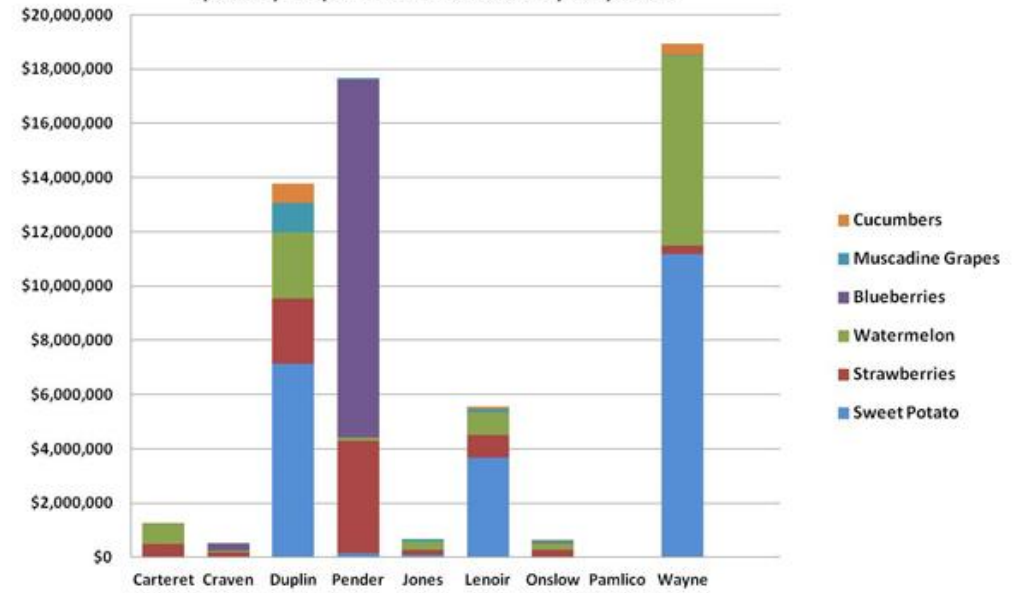
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Total Value Fruits, Nuts, Vegetables - \$56,008,000



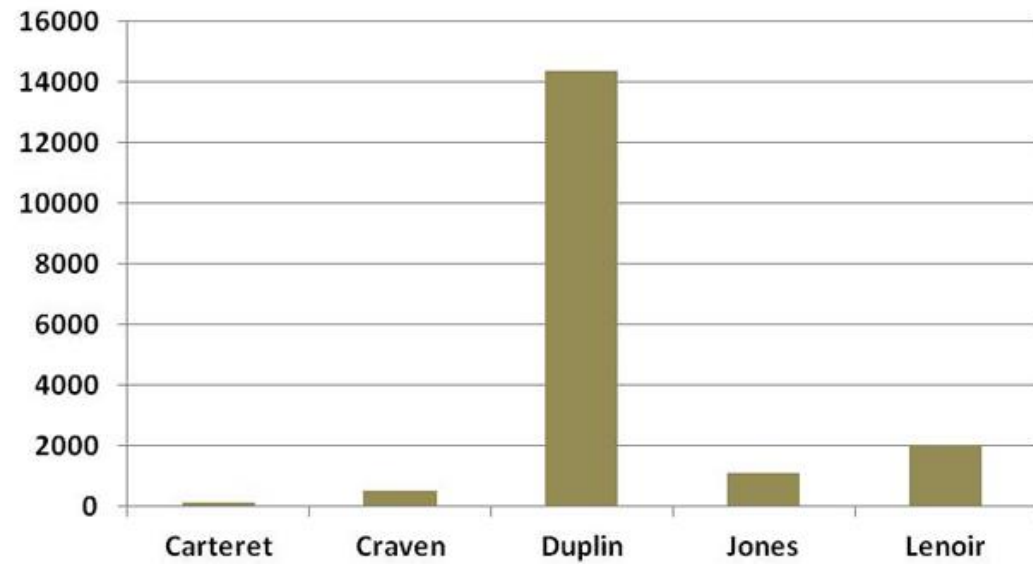
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Specialty Crops - Estimated Values by Crop 2010



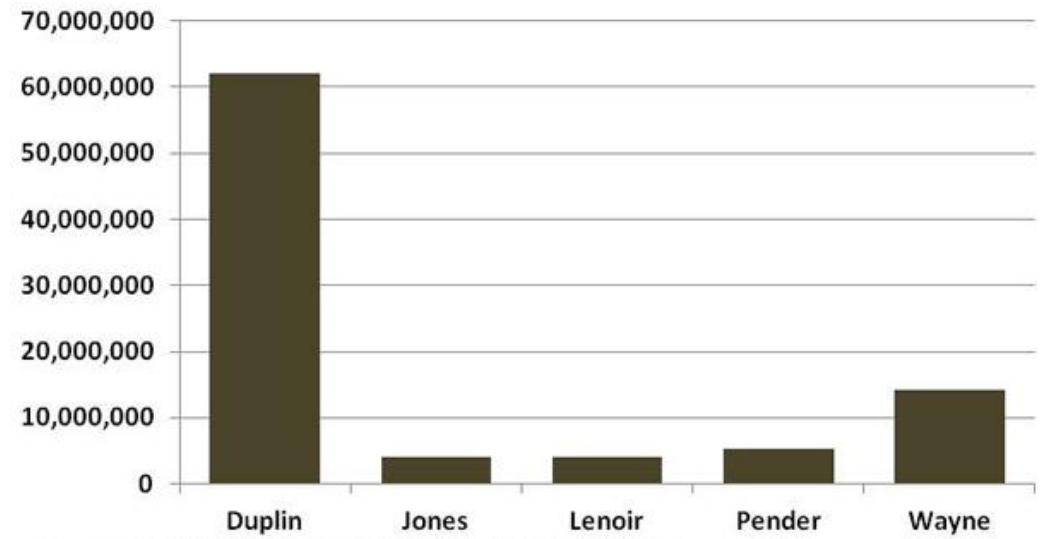
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Beef Cows - 2011



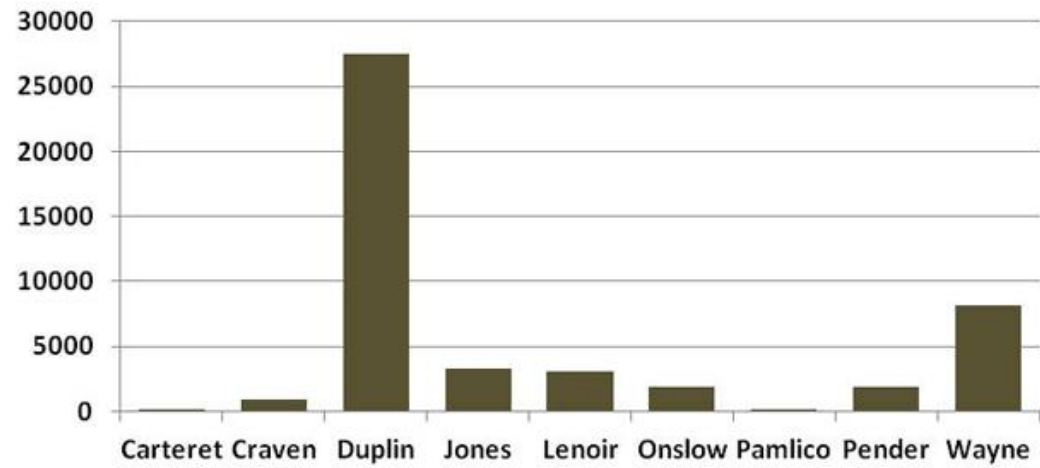
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Broilers Produced - 2010



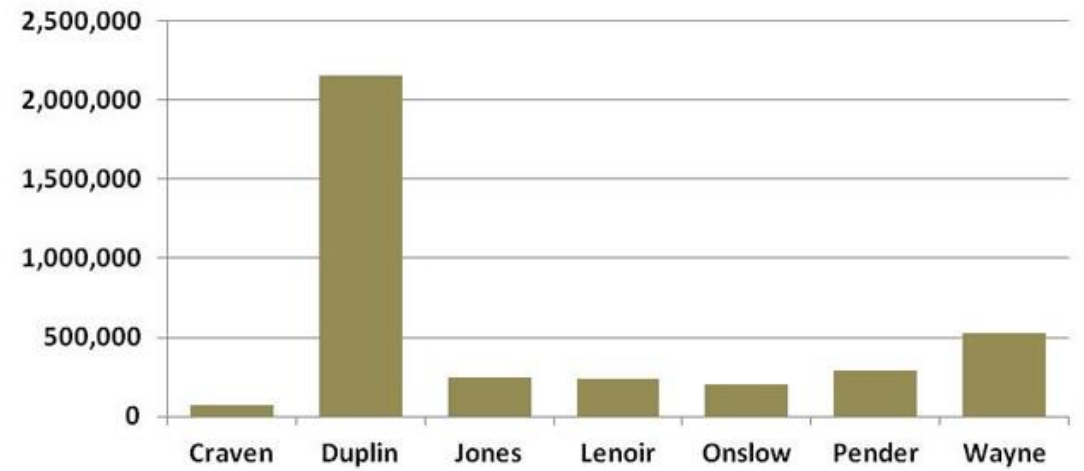
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Cattle - January 2011



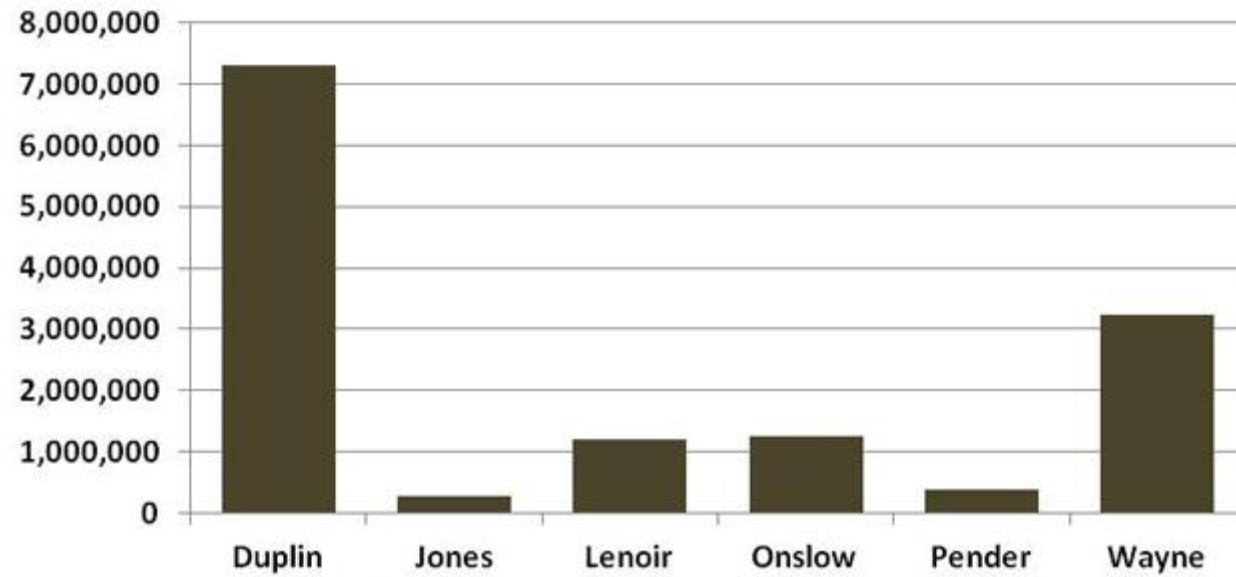
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Hogs and Pigs - 2010



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Turkeys Raised - 2010



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