

NEW JERSEY - DISTRICT 2**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	149	857	613
Acreage	9,669	103,667	62,331
Average size (acres)	65	139	103
Median size (acres)	20	46	22
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	295,784	614,977	439,125
Machinery/equip (dollars)	39,113	76,771	66,526
Cropland (acres)			
Total	5,755	75,066	48,512
Harvested	4,298	65,803	42,812
Irrigated	1,144	19,477	12,309
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	6,807	94,152	67,440
(dollars avg. per farm)	45,685	164,315	102,805
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	12,997	51,164	29,657
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	62	10,689	2,695
Beef cows	29	1,725	532
Milk cows	0	3,865	990
Hogs and pigs	268	12,952	1,210
Sheep and lambs	158	1,395	330
Layers 13 wks or/older	600	1,945	737
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	342	38
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	477	11,791	3,372
Corn, silage or green chop	0	4,736	1,015
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	N	N	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	313	24,088	12,610
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	1,136	8,847	3,397

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	31	165	123
Acreage	841	15,483	7,145
Orchards			
Number of farms	1	47	28
Acreage	586	5,472	1,248

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture