

2008 STATE AGRICULTURE OVERVIEW

New Hampshire

Farms

Number of Farms	4,150
Land in Farms (acres)	470,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	113

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2009)	39,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2008)	2,800

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	15,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	19,933
Production (lbs)	299,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price (MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvestd Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Field & Misc Crops						26,490,000
Hay All (Dry)		53,000	2.0 tons	105,000 tons	214.000 dols/ton	22,512,000
Hay Other (Dry)		48,000	1.9 tons	91,000 tons	208.000 dols/ton	18,928,000
Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		5,000	2.8 tons	14,000 tons	256.000 dols/ton	3,584,000
Principal Crops	62,000					
Corn For Grain	15,000					
Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures - New Seedings	1,000					
Corn For Silage		14,000	21.5 tons	301,000 tons		
Maple Syrup			0.2 gals	85 galts		

2007 Census of Agriculture State Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, New Hampshire Agricultural Statistics Service
New Hampshire - Ranked items within U.S. 2007

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	199,051	48	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	106,467	46	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	92,584	47	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	838	48	50
Tobacco			17
Cotton and cottonseed			17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	12,716	45	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	12,968	35	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	65,554	35	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops			49
Other crops and hay			50
Poultry and eggs	15,390	40	50
Cattle and calves	6,743	48	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	59,132	38	50
Hogs and pigs	518	47	50
Sheep, goats, and their products			50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys			50
Aquaculture	3,734	35	50
Other animals and other animal products			50
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers	210,380	44	50
Pullets for laying flock replacement	73,792	41	50
Cattle and calves	36,880	47	50
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	24,208	35	50
Horses and ponies	9,900	46	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	76,877	46	50
Corn for silage	12,640	40	48
Vegetables harvested, all	3,408	44	50
Cut Christmas trees	2,356	24	49
Apples	2,070	23	50

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:		Farms by value of sales	
Farming	1,930	Less than \$1,000	1,434
Other	2,236	\$1,000 to \$2,499	634
		\$2,500 to \$4,999	466
Principal operators by sex:		\$5,000 to \$9,999	469
Male	2,929	\$10,000 to \$19,999	362
Female	1,237	\$20,000 to \$24,999	104
		\$25,000 to \$39,999	195
Average age of principal operator (years)	56	\$40,000 to \$49,999	68
		\$50,000 to \$99,999	148
All operators 2/ by race:		\$100,000 to \$249,999	136
American Indian or Alaska Native	41	\$250,000 to \$499,999	85
Asian	16	\$500,000 or more	65
Black or African American	7		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	195,791
White	6,717	Average per farm (\$)	46,997
More than one race	58		
		Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	26,721
All operators 2/ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	35	Average per farm (\$)	6,414

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.