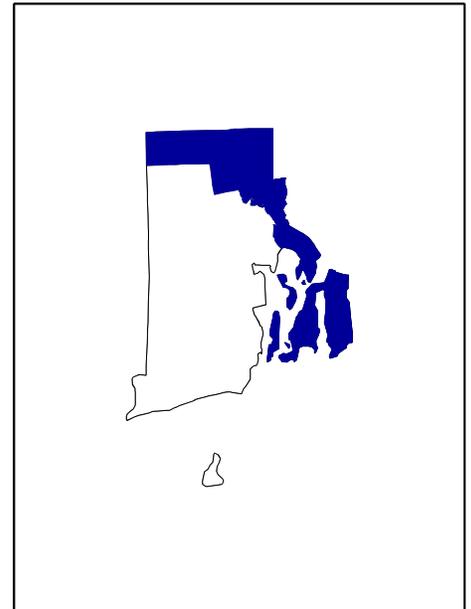




2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

District 1, Rhode Island



Number of farms: 308

Land in farms: 19,589 acres

Average size of farm: 64 acres

Irrigated Land: 718 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 465

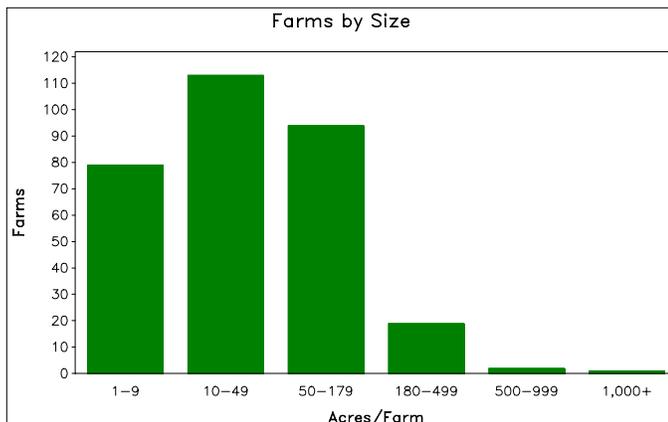
Market Value of Production: \$22,947,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$74,504

Government Payments: \$211,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$12,403

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$2,611,000



**2002 Census of Agriculture
Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, New England Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 1, Rhode Island

Ranked items among the 2 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	22,947	2	2	335	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,997	1	2	244	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,256	1	2	246	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	14,367	2	2	259	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	230	2	2	175	349
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	382
Cattle and calves	323	2	2	334	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,239	1	2	271	339
Hogs and pigs	91	2	2	278	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	46	2	2	288	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	93	2	2	352	398
Aquaculture	66	2	2	255	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pheasants	(D)	1	2	(D)	327
Cattle and calves	2,371	2	2	327	394
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,292	2	2	311	387
Hogs and pigs	1,197	1	2	254	371
Quail	(D)	1	2	(D)	313
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,038	2	2	313	391
Corn for silage	1,222	1	2	224	330
Nursery stock	1,016	1	2	135	404
All Vegetables harvested	827	2	2	270	398
Potatoes	(D)	1	2	100	318

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	66
\$1,000 to \$2,499	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30
\$5,000 to \$9,999	39
\$10,000 to \$19,999	39
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	9
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	21,319
Average per farm (\$)	69,219
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,450
Average per farm (\$)	14,448

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	164
Other	144
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	261
Female	47
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
All operators ³ by race:	
White	450
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	2
All operators ³ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	15

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.