New Jersey
1st District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	323
Land in farms (acres)	19,769
Average size of farm (acres)	61

Total	($)
Market value of products sold	50,873,000
Government payments	126,000
Farm-related income	2,600,000
Total farm production expenses	45,576,000
Net cash farm income	8,024,000

Per farm average	($)
Market value of products sold	157,503
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,639
Farm-related income	27,960
Total farm production expenses	141,102
Net cash farm income	24,841

5 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	64
Pastureland	10
Woodland	15
Other	11

Acres irrigated: 4,281

22% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	11
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	18

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	160	50
$2,500 to $4,999	31	10
$5,000 to $9,999	26	8
$10,000 to $24,999	19	6
$25,000 to $49,999	25	8
$50,000 to $99,999	20	6
$100,000 or more	42	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	86	27
10 to 49 acres	166	51
50 to 179 acres	49	15
180 to 499 acres	14	4
500 to 999 acres	6	2
1,000 + acres	2	1

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *Congressional District Profile*

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales ($1,000)	Rank in State [b]	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. [b]	CDs Producing Item
Total	**50,873**	**7**	**12**	**297**	**431**
Crops	**49,364**	**6**	**12**	**271**	**431**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,296	7	9	269	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	19,837	2	11	122	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	4,117	5	10	176	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	22,704	7	12	179	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	37	8	9	191	326
Other crops and hay	372	8	11	316	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	**1,510**	**7**	**12**	**330**	**422**
Poultry and eggs	18	9	12	278	404
Cattle and calves	126	9	9	338	396
Milk from cows	(D)	5	7	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	217	5	9	184	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	26	8	9	314	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	203	8	9	286	393
Aquaculture	(D)	7	8	197	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	9	11	(D)	413

Total Producers [c] 503

Sex
Male	293
Female	210

Age
<35	34
35 – 64	322
65 and older	147

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	27
Black or African American	12
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	460
More than one race	4

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9
With military service	32
New and beginning farmers	107

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**75**
Farm organically	**1**
Sell directly to consumers	**15**
Hire farm labor	**24**
Are family farms	**98**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Soybeans for beans	(D)
Vegetables harvested, all	2,517
Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,602
Corn for grain	1,307
Wheat for grain, all	714

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	757
Goats	263
Hogs and pigs	909
Horses and ponies	492
Layers	1,158
Pullets	34
Sheep and lambs	299
Turkeys	-

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

[a] May not add to 100% due to rounding. [b] Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. [c] Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.
[d] Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. [e] 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.