



## New Jersey 5th District

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	1,813
Land in farms (acres)	109,258
Average size of farm (acres)	60
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<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	102,405,000
Government payments	885,000
Farm-related income	6,681,000
Total farm production expenses	94,778,000
Net cash farm income	15,193,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	56,484
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,351
Farm-related income	8,510
Total farm production expenses	52,277
Net cash farm income	8,380

### 9 Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	69
Livestock, poultry, and products	31

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	49
Pastureland	13
Woodland	31
Other	7

#### Acres irrigated: 1,907

2% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	11
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	6

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	932	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999	252	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	201	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	164	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	88	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	68	4
\$100,000 or more	108	6

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	568	31
10 to 49 acres	789	44
50 to 179 acres	328	18
180 to 499 acres	92	5
500 to 999 acres	23	1
1,000 + acres	13	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>102,405</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>71,128</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	8,720	4	9	224	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	7,975	6	11	180	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	5,022	4	10	161	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	43,331	5	12	97	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	706	1	9	65	326
Other crops and hay	5,374	3	11	242	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>31,276</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	1	12	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	(D)	3	9	(D)	396
Milk from cows	6,677	2	7	182	312
Hogs and pigs	260	4	9	175	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	357	2	9	215	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,118	5	9	205	393
Aquaculture	(D)	2	8	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	418	5	11	214	413

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>3,056</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	81	
Male	1,721			
Female	1,335			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	1	
<35	193			
35 – 64	1,806			
65 and older	1,057			
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	21	
American Indian/Alaska Native	3			
Asian	28			
Black or African American	6			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	3,014	Hire farm labor	19	
More than one race	5			
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	97	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	62			
With military service	271			
New and beginning farmers	774			
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	6,327
			Cattle and calves	7,162
			Goats	1,673
			Hogs and pigs	1,063
			Horses and ponies	3,464
			Layers	(D)
			Pullets	(D)
			Sheep and lambs	3,132
			Turkeys	794

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.