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# **Hunterdon County New Jersey**



### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,623	+1
Land in farms (acres)	91,588	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	56	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	115,193,000	+25
Government payments	315,000	-40
Farm-related income	18,065,000	+61
Total farm production expenses	130,020,000	+23
Net cash farm income	3,553,000	+296
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	70,975	+23
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	5,620	+1
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	29,811	+71
Total farm production expenses	80,111	+21
Net cash farm income	2,189	+294

### **8** Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)
Crops	86
Livestock, poultry,	and products 14
Land in Farms	by Use (acres)
Cropland	53,916
Pastureland	11,394
Woodland	18,903
Other	7,375
Acres irrigated: 1	,910
	2% of land in farms
Land Use Pract	ices (% of farms)
No till	15
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sale	es .		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total b		Number	Percent of Total b
Less than \$2,500	788	49	1 to 9 acres	411	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	233	14	10 to 49 acres	860	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999	189	12	50 to 179 acres	263	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	148	9	180 to 499 acres	64	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	100	6	500 to 999 acres	15	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	59	4	1,000+ acres	10	1
\$100,000 or more	106	7			

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#### **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	<b>Sales</b> (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
Total	115,193	8	21	1,294	3,078
Crops	98,793	7	21	845	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	9,333	5	16	1,570	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	10,734	6	20	258	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	8,739	6	21	182	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	61,655	5	20	71	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	579	1	18	99	1,274
Other crops and hay	7,753	1	19	447	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,400	4	21	1,878	3,076
Poultry and eggs	1,750	5	19	758	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,442	3	18	2,271	3,047
Milk from cows	2,088	5	9	712	1,770
Hogs and pigs	165	6	17	791	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	682	1	19	276	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	9,343	2	20	22	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	12	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	929	4	21	258	2,909

Producers d	3,031	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres e	
Sex Male Female	1,762 1,269	Have internet access	85	Forage (hay/haylage), all Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all	25,583 8,193 6,478 2,011
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	245 1,692 1,094	Farm organically	1	Vegetables harvested, all	1,215
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- 42 6	Sell directly to consumers	18	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,532
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	6 2,961 16	Hire farm labor	22	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	3,417 2,369 357 3,272
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	88 195 1,073	Are family farms	95	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	18,182 1,153 2,970 386

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>f</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.