

**RECORD HIGHS AND LOWS IN NEW JERSEY AGRICULTURE
BY ACREAGE, YIELD AND PRODUCTION 1/**

Field Crops and Vegetables	Year Estimates Started	Record	Acreage		Unit	Yield		Production	
			Harvested	Year		Per Acre	Year	Total	Year
All Corn 2/	1866	HIGH Low	361,000 89,000	1891 2000	Bu.	74.0 22.0	1958 1903	13,357,000 4,530,000	1891 1957
Corn for Grain	1919	HIGH Low	234,000 52,000	1919 1972	Bu.	134.0 28.0	2000 1955	12,540,000 2,220,000	1985 1999
Corn for Silage	1919	HIGH Low	71,000 14,000	1957 2000	Ton	18.0 6.0	1990 1999	672,000 140,000	1976 1988
Soybeans	1928	HIGH Low	203,000 3,000	1979 1938	Bu.	40.0 11.8	2000 1944	6,090,000 48,000	1979 1938
All Hay	1909	HIGH Low	391,000 107,000	1909 1980	Ton	2.85 1.07	1992 1923	605,000 237,000	1910 1998
Alfalfa Hay	1919	HIGH Low	109,000 15,000	1955 1921	Ton	3.90 1.75	1992 1935	272,000 32,000	1958 1921
Other Hay	1919	HIGH Low	100,000 26,000	1999 1922	Ton	2.50 0.90	1992 1923	220,000 25,000	1992 1923
Barley	1919	HIGH Low	27,000 1,000	1958 1936	Bu.	79.0 16.5	1999 1919	1,239,000 16,000	1966 1919
Oats 3/	1866	HIGH Low	155,000 4,000	1871 1988	Bu.	63.0 16.0	1985 1901	4,126,000 200,000	1881 1988
Rye 4/	1866	HIGH Low	106,000 3,000	1879 1996	Bu.	38.0 8.0	1994 1870	1,073,000 81,000	1906 1996
Winter Wheat	1866	HIGH Low	163,000 25,000	1878 1978	Bu.	60.0 10.5	1997 1885	2,508,000 900,000	1871 1978
Potatoes	1866	HIGH Low	94,000 2,500	1917 2000	Cwt.	280.0 24.0	1985 1976	8,927,000 588,000	1922 1994
Sweetpotatoes	1868	HIGH Low	23,000 1,000	1909 1999	Cwt.	150.0 35.0	1995 1883	2,125,000 100,000	1908 1999
Asparagus (fresh)	1929	HIGH Low	11,900 900	1958 1996	Cwt.	40.0 13.0	1996 1976	358,000 18,000	1960 1994
Snap Beans (fresh)	1929	HIGH Low	15,500 3,200	1934 1983	Cwt.	52.0 24.0	1993 1991	566,000 115,000	1934 1991
Cabbage	1929	HIGH Low	7,900 1,600	1944 2000	Cwt.	400.0 90.0	2000 1930	1,075,000 363,000	1966 1995
Sweet Corn (fresh)	1935	HIGH Low	23,000 8,000	1939 1999	Cwt.	105.0 32.0	2000 1944	1,120,000 440,000	1965 1999
Cucumbers	1929	HIGH Low	4,000 1,300	1935 1975	Cwt.	200.0 60.0	1992 1932	558,000 142,000	1998 1956

1/ In some cases the record high and/or low is identical for more than one year. In such cases the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

2/ Yield and Production estimates for all corn were discontinued in 1961.

3/ All oat estimates discontinued as of 1990.

4/ All rye estimates discontinued as of 2000.