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## New Jersey annual crop production

**TRENTON, NJ** --- New Jersey farmers produced 217 thousand tons of dry hay in 2022, a 1% increase from 2021, according to Bruce Eklund, state statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New Jersey Field Office. Yields averaged 1.99 tons per acre, down 0.19 ton from the previous year. Acres harvested totaled 109 thousand, an increase of 11 thousand acres from the previous year.

Corn harvested for grain was estimated at 67 thousand acres in 2022. Yields averaged 115 bushels per acre. Corn grain production totaled 7.71 million bushels.

Soybean production was estimated at 3.02 million bushels in 2022. Yields averaged 28.0 bushels per acre on 108 thousand harvested acres.

Also released today was the Winter Wheat Seedings report. The Winter Wheat Seedings report is the first indicator of this year's winter wheat acreage. Planted area for harvest in 2023 is estimated at 30 thousand acres, up 15% from 2022.

*For the complete "Crop Production Annual Summary" report, go to:  
<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/tm70mv177>*

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