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## New Jersey cranberry production increases

**TRENTON, NJ – Cranberry** growers produced over 579 thousand utilized barrels from 2,900 harvested acres for a 200 barrel per acre yield, according to Bruce Eklund, state statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New Jersey Field Office. Value of utilized production was just over \$20 million. Total production is up 3% from last year.

New Jersey **blueberry** growers harvested 50.2 million utilized pounds from 10,800 acres in 2023. The value of utilized production was \$92.1 million for 2023. Average price was \$1.84 per pound, fourth highest nationally.

New Jersey **peach** growers harvested 14,200 utilized tons from 3,300 bearing acres. Value of utilized production was over \$29.1 million.

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