

Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 2002

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Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Farms	7,196	334	1,084	596	317
Land in farms	1,369,768	55,782	391,675	54,455	49,805
Average size of farm	190	167	361	91	157
Median size of farm	100	98	195	40	108
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :					
Average per farm	322,690	443,764	322,820	422,906	235,156
Average per acre	1,637	2,421	897	4,043	1,459
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :					
Average per farm	54,316	72,201	86,980	45,387	38,147
Farms by size:					
1 to 9 acres	918	46	44	150	29
10 to 49 acres	1,861	90	128	212	73
50 to 179 acres	2,506	103	411	161	130
180 to 499 acres	1,334	70	308	54	65
500 to 999 acres	393	21	111	15	16
1,000 acres or more	184	4	82	4	4
Total cropland	5,929	272	951	455	249
Harvested cropland	536,839	21,508	197,661	21,544	14,803
Irrigated land	4,869	241	595	374	205
Irrigated land	394,121	17,569	146,944	15,313	10,998
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	463,603	96,649	121,158	17,594	5,983
Crops	64,425	289,367	111,770	29,519	18,874
Livestock, poultry, and their products	222,356	7,168	117,333	1,448	1,448
Livestock, poultry, and their products	241,247	89,481	3,825	5,825	4,535
Farms by value of sales:					
Less than \$2,500	3,634	140	628	305	171
\$2,500 to \$4,999	777	41	46	79	37
\$5,000 to \$9,999	682	23	51	52	25
\$10,000 to \$24,999	727	44	68	71	36
\$25,000 to \$49,999	387	13	41	28	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	310	23	33	15	17
\$100,000 or more	679	50	217	46	16
Government payments	1,244	46	541	53	53
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	8,664	606	2,333	294	287
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	399,767	67,544	96,884	20,761	6,274
Average per farm	56,139	201,624	90,885	34,717	19,980
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ¹	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	7,121	335	1,066	598	314
Average per farm	107,571	31,341	28,447	-94	576
Average per farm	15,106	93,556	26,686	-157	1,836
Principal operator by primary occupation:					
Farming	3,409	185	481	259	144
Other	3,787	149	603	337	173
Principal operator by days worked off farm:					
Any	4,357	197	608	402	184
200 days or more	2,948	130	404	294	125
Livestock and poultry:					
Cattle and calves inventory	1,749	113	151	138	106
Beef cows	89,831	8,354	8,569	4,016	4,068
Milk cows	1,107	63	123	113	63
Cattle and calves sold	12,242	690	2,930	1,282	590
Hogs and pigs inventory	556	46	20	30	36
Hogs and pigs sold	35,633	3,333	727	1,045	1,569
Sheep and lambs inventory	1,223	100	118	96	75
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	32,147	4,930	3,583	1,597	1,981
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	328	14	23	26	17
Hogs and pigs sold	4,637	202	713	841	134
Sheep and lambs inventory	310	17	21	23	15
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	9,033	318	1,837	1,493	374
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	524	20	34	46	21
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	9,353	303	420	961	271
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	1,044	51	60	99	49
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	(D)	1,494	3,444	1,028
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	165	6	13	12	2
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	46,966	759	1,031	887	(D)
Selected crops harvested:					
Corn for grain	27	2	1	1	1
acres	2,660	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
bushels	295,847	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	233	33	7	7	7
acres	24,351	2,759	453	404	190
tons	407,813	41,342	7,615	6,655	4,083
Wheat for grain, All	12	1	2	-	-
acres	302	(D)	(D)	-	-
bushels	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-
Winter wheat for grain	10	1	-	-	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
bushels	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
Spring wheat for grain	3	-	2	-	-
acres	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
bushels	(D)	-	(D)	-	-

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Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot	
Farms	number	317	575	275	292	469	575
Land in farms	acres	49,587	86,168	28,581	30,618	67,406	107,082
Average size of farm	acres	156	150	104	105	144	186
Median size of farm	acres	75	95	70	73	87	100
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm	dollars	338,912	331,957	278,992	297,470	320,518	245,401
Average per acre	dollars	1,960	1,924	2,833	2,744	2,397	1,266
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm	dollars	43,565	60,051	34,933	43,287	28,625	54,487
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres		51	66	38	46	78	62
10 to 49 acres		95	144	102	88	147	144
50 to 179 acres		106	233	81	105	136	216
180 to 499 acres		41	94	48	45	76	99
500 to 999 acres		18	29	5	7	23	35
1,000 acres or more		6	9	1	1	9	19
Total cropland	farms	275	469	233	235	366	485
Harvested cropland	acres	11,793	40,364	12,164	11,137	21,131	47,539
Irrigated land	farms	247	408	198	188	307	415
	acres	6,672	33,170	8,521	8,143	15,070	37,940
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	\$1,000	28,678	30,229	5,046	7,542	14,651	28,955
Average per farm	dollars	90,467	52,571	18,348	25,829	31,238	50,357
Crops	\$1,000	(D)	6,899	3,517	3,548	11,216	10,096
Livestock, poultry, and their products	\$1,000	(D)	23,330	1,528	3,994	3,435	18,859
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500		136	286	127	140	268	285
\$2,500 to \$4,999		45	67	34	35	52	62
\$5,000 to \$9,999		48	63	35	28	44	52
\$10,000 to \$24,999		37	48	42	37	49	49
\$25,000 to \$49,999		22	26	14	18	21	49
\$50,000 to \$99,999		14	26	11	16	11	24
\$100,000 or more		15	59	12	18	24	54
Government payments	farms	39	75	14	21	52	97
	\$1,000	51	971	76	66	241	1,417
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text)	farms	72	170	76	50	96	170
	\$1,000	594	1,291	405	454	1,005	1,465
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000	18,285	27,443	6,638	7,016	13,042	27,480
Average per farm	dollars	57,320	47,644	24,226	24,616	27,749	47,875
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ¹	farms	319	576	274	285	470	574
	\$1,000	10,718	5,346	-890	1,195	4,243	6,750
Average per farm	dollars	33,598	9,282	-3,250	4,193	9,027	11,759
Principal operator by primary occupation:							
Farming	number	117	298	147	148	260	270
Other	number	200	277	128	144	209	305
Principal operator by days worked off farm:							
Any	number	197	357	164	180	264	335
200 days or more	number	107	266	110	121	175	241
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	55	193	51	81	138	126
	number	577	15,456	1,436	2,526	3,421	13,155
Beef cows	farms	47	108	37	38	93	69
	number	270	1,393	373	278	867	671
Milk cows	farms	5	79	7	25	35	63
	number	7	7,597	351	913	913	6,540
Cattle and calves sold	farms	30	149	34	55	84	92
	number	169	5,104	390	781	1,182	4,012
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms	22	39	12	21	36	24
	number	235	673	66	109	336	552
Hogs and pigs sold	farms	29	36	9	23	36	27
	number	239	1,322	70	168	476	1,087
Sheep and lambs inventory	farms	40	56	31	46	34	55
	number	477	826	768	746	491	905
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	farms	54	88	48	66	108	73
	number	1,962	1,832	1,010	12,746	2,980	2,256
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	15	18	2	17	20	7
	number	2,582	2,350	(D)	7,522	1,031	445
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain	farms	-	2	-	2	3	4
	acres	-	(D)	-	(D)	711	651
	bushels	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	47,606
Corn for silage or greenchop	farms	-	34	1	5	6	38
	acres	-	4,044	(D)	190	528	6,811
	tons	-	69,414	(D)	(D)	9,080	107,984
Wheat for grain, All	farms	3	1	-	1	-	2
	acres	50	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
	bushels	2,480	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Winter wheat for grain	farms	3	1	-	1	-	2
	acres	50	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
	bushels	2,480	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Spring wheat for grain	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
	bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Farms	201	158	504	415	399	685
Land in farms	39,399	20,171	110,124	69,215	152,481	57,219
Average size of farm	196	128	219	167	382	84
Median size of farm	125	88	160	108	71	50
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :						
Average per farm	170,812	427,082	259,206	287,272	363,334	361,456
Average per acre	1,015	2,873	1,305	1,668	856	3,761
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :						
Average per farm	32,078	42,837	66,063	37,945	57,667	45,720
Farms by size:						
1 to 9 acres	18	18	37	34	62	139
10 to 49 acres	47	41	92	114	101	243
50 to 179 acres	82	67	176	151	135	213
180 to 499 acres	34	25	144	88	69	74
500 to 999 acres	15	5	41	21	17	14
1,000 acres or more	5	2	14	7	15	2
Total cropland	147	138	369	340	370	575
Harvested cropland	10,411	6,314	34,911	23,176	40,566	21,817
Irrigated land	129	115	320	310	337	480
Irrigated land	6,243	4,103	28,318	18,318	19,936	16,863
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	3,834	4,271	24,293	14,657	41,314	18,750
Crops	19,075	27,034	48,200	35,318	103,544	27,372
Livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	(D)	6,394	2,926	18,089	14,403
Livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	(D)	17,899	11,731	23,226	4,346
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500	105	90	222	196	160	375
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	12	51	56	60	68
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	20	59	48	42	67
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14	14	40	37	66	75
\$25,000 to \$49,999	9	4	34	18	42	33
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	6	44	29	12	24
\$100,000 or more	11	12	54	31	17	43
Government payments	25	9	94	43	33	49
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	127	81	1,107	680	58	270
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	3,669	4,963	19,655	13,472	47,502	19,139
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ¹	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average per farm	198	160	501	417	400	634
Principal operator by primary occupation:						
Farming	53	73	278	198	175	323
Other	148	85	226	217	224	362
Principal operator by days worked off farm:						
Any	132	112	300	262	251	412
200 days or more	89	81	212	169	156	268
Livestock and poultry:						
Cattle and calves inventory	58	39	181	119	33	167
Beef cows	1,739	1,578	13,151	7,950	340	3,495
Milk cows	45	23	94	53	23	115
Cattle and calves sold	170	452	928	412	168	768
Hogs and pigs inventory	25	16	75	51	12	31
Hogs and pigs sold	877	524	6,003	4,050	21	1,163
Sheep and lambs inventory	34	26	134	82	13	101
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	760	454	3,582	2,374	97	1,151
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	17	7	15	12	15	28
Hogs and pigs sold	79	45	199	62	72	319
Sheep and lambs sold	10	4	15	8	9	28
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	134	(D)	(D)	67	103	357
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	16	10	28	24	22	41
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory	208	129	1,132	350	535	831
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	40	30	65	61	37	115
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	977	660	2,081	11,450	963	2,244
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	1	2	7	12	13	18
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	(D)	720	(D)	771	1,191
Selected crops harvested:						
Corn for grain	-	-	8	1	-	2
acres	-	-	743	(D)	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	79,815	(D)	-	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	11	2	35	34	-	13
acres	887	(D)	4,029	3,314	-	568
tons	14,782	(D)	73,657	59,787	-	6,759
Wheat for grain, All	-	-	1	-	-	1
acres	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Winter wheat for grain	-	-	1	-	-	1
acres	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Spring wheat for grain	-	-	1	-	-	-
acres	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
bushels	-	-	(D)	-	-	-

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Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Selected crops harvested - Con.					
Oats for grain	farms 197 acres 24,919 bushels 2,113,706	1 (D) (D)	161 24,143 2,058,715	1 (D) (D)	2 (D) (D)
Barley for grain	farms 112 acres 25,856 bushels 1,825,297	2 (D) (D)	95 24,587 1,751,219	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Sorghum for silage or greenchop	farms 5 acres (D) tons (D)	1 (D) (D)	1 (D) (D)	- - -	- - -
Soybeans for beans	farms 18 acres 940 bushels 34,009	- - -	9 535 18,470	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	farms 35 acres 367 cwt 3,570	- - -	4 13 128	- - -	4 8 77
Potatoes	farms 444 acres 64,474 cwt 17,231,115	15 193 45,708	279 59,418 16,021,349	9 11 (D)	4 (D) 726
Sweet potatoes	farms 4 acres (D) cwt 22	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text)	farms 2,765 acres 209,955 tons, dry 446,171	159 13,072 34,689	261 33,073 47,237	205 13,277 23,242	145 9,979 21,800
Sunflower seed, All	farms 2 acres (D) pounds (D)	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms 684 acres 6,925	43 509	46 (D)	71 538	21 51
Land in orchards	farms 415 acres 4,037	29 961	22 37	29 285	17 193

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Selected crops harvested - Con.						
Oats for grain	farms 7 acres 21 bushels 1,035	3 (D) (D)	- - -	- - -	2 (D) (D)	8 470 37,494
Barley for grain	farms 1 acres (D) bushels (D)	3 63 2,590	- - -	1 (D) (D)	1 (D) (D)	6 1,036 61,656
Sorghum for silage or greenchop	farms - acres - tons -	2 (D) (D)	- - -	- - -	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Soybeans for beans	farms - acres - bushels -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	farms 3 acres 9 cwt 45	- - -	1 (D) (D)	- - -	2 (D) (D)	9 (D) (D)
Potatoes	farms 19 acres 9 cwt 926	14 10 746	7 44 4,873	6 13 2,560	8 1,384 388,936	36 3,011 675,234
Sweet potatoes	farms - acres - cwt -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text)	farms 67 acres 2,942 tons, dry 4,181	295 27,980 68,692	108 6,405 10,518	116 6,790 12,170	187 10,631 19,978	266 24,130 59,862
Sunflower seed, All	farms - acres - pounds -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	1 (D) (D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms 55 acres 151	57 (D)	37 329	24 286	54 (D)	52 (D)
Land in orchards	farms 23 acres 72	24 480	26 84	16 63	35 666	35 292

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Selected crops harvested - Con.						
Oats for grain farms	4	1	3	1	-	3
acres	82	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	10
bushels	4,415	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	610
Barley for grain farms	2	-	-	-	-	-
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
bushels	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for silage or greenchop farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
tons	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans farms	-	-	3	-	3	1
acres	-	-	(D)	-	3	(D)
bushels	-	-	(D)	-	60	(D)
Dry edible beans, excluding limas farms	3	1	2	3	3	-
acres	10	(D)	(D)	11	3	-
cwt	146	(D)	(D)	115	15	-
Potatoes farms	10	1	8	6	3	19
acres	330	(D)	14	10	(D)	21
cwt	81,016	(D)	2,126	1,530	(D)	4,149
Sweet potatoes farms	2	-	-	-	-	1
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)
cwt	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) farms	84	69	262	194	49	298
acres	4,346	3,608	23,152	14,365	2,575	13,630
tons, dry	10,180	7,948	57,908	34,411	3,714	29,641
Sunflower seed, All farms	1	-	-	-	-	-
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms	16	15	36	44	30	83
acres	95	46	108	116	69	913
Land in orchards farms	17	17	23	38	15	49
acres	46	65	231	122	15	429

¹ Data are based on a sample of farms.