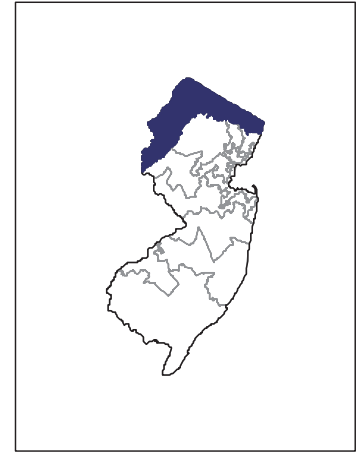


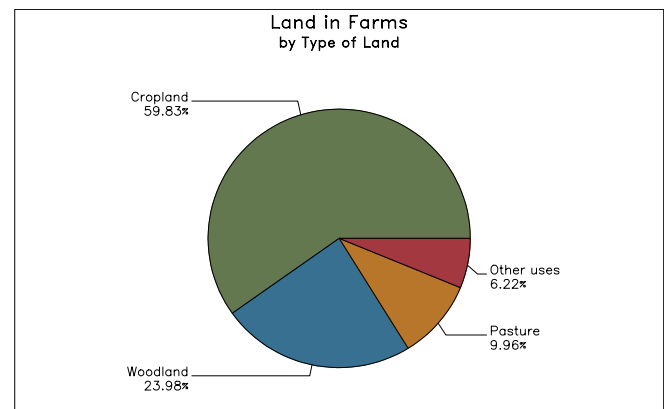
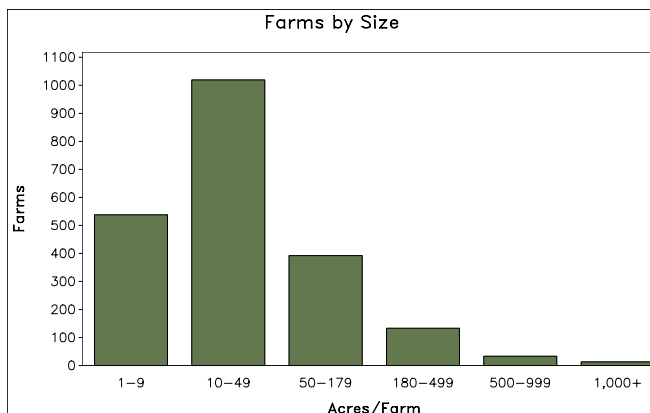
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## Congressional District Profile

### New Jersey 5th District



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	3,302	3,131	+ 5
<b>Number of Farms</b>	2,128	1,975	+ 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	139,243 acres	153,759 acres	- 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	65 acres	78 acres	- 17
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	3,094 acres	4,271 acres	- 28
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$105,606,000	\$67,729,000	+ 56
Average Per Farm	\$49,627	\$34,293	+ 45
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$11,334,000	\$5,134,000	+ 121
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,278,000	(D)	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,346	(D)	



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Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	105,606	3	13	264	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	63,968	4	13	249	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	41,638	1	11	248	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,298	2	9	194	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	9,679	3	11	158	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,655	4	10	164	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	34,973	4	13	133	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	1	9	(D)	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	389
Poultry and eggs	(D)	1	11	(D)	395
Cattle and calves	2,886	1	9	279	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	1	8	172	343
Hogs and pigs	168	6	9	250	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	379	1	9	191	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,751	7	10	198	401
Aquaculture	1,051	2	8	145	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	6	10	(D)	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,433	1	9	221	398
Corn for grain	18,866	2	9	169	343
Soybeans for beans	5,382	5	9	178	262
Corn for silage or greenchop	4,962	1	9	149	321
Vegetables harvested for sale	3,319	3	11	157	401
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	(D)	1	11	(D)	395
Pheasants	79,834	1	9	11	329
Cattle and calves	14,147	1	10	271	396
Horses and ponies	4,970	3	12	223	416
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,985	2	10	189	345

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	726	Farming	940
\$1,000 to \$2,499	449	Other	1,188
\$2,500 to \$4,999	218	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	197	Male	1,648
\$10,000 to \$19,999	169	Female	480
\$20,000 to \$24,999	50	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	66	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	23	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	60	Asian	14
\$100,000 to \$249,999	82	Black or African American	6
\$250,000 to \$499,999	47	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	41	White	3,230
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	92,820	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	43,618	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	30
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,397		
Average per farm (\$)	11,935		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.