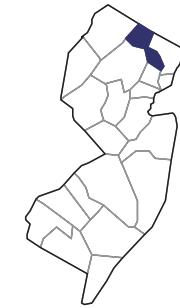


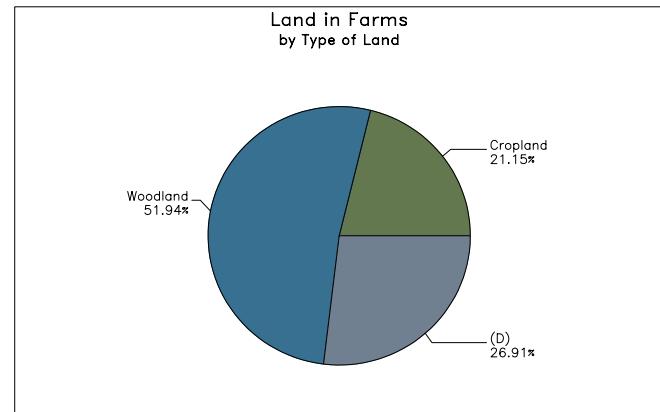
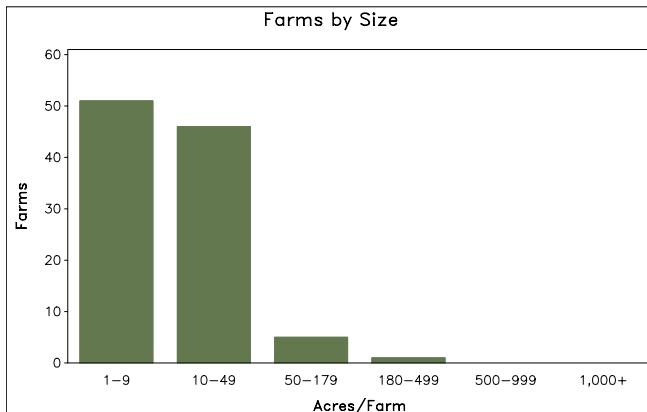
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County Profile

Passaic County New Jersey



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	103	70	+ 47
Land in Farms	1,981 acres	1,526 acres	+ 30
Average Size of Farm	19 acres	22 acres	- 14
 Market Value of Products Sold	 \$6,318,000	 \$6,074,000	 + 4
Crop Sales \$6,054,000 (96 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$264,000 (4 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$61,343	\$86,768	- 29
 Government Payments	 (D)	 -	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	(D)	-	



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Passaic County – New Jersey

Ranked items among the 21 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	6,318	18	20	2,751	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,054	18	20	2,151	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	264	17	20	3,018	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	17	-	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	621	16	20	980	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	18	20	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,340	17	20	454	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	17	18	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	18	18	3,048	3,054
Poultry and eggs	32	15	20	1,891	3,020
Cattle and calves	4	18	19	3,042	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	13	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	7	16	18	2,404	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	21	14	18	2,265	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	187	14	20	1,167	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	14	16	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	14	18	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Vegetables harvested for sale	105	18	20	1,311	2,794
Sweet corn	50	16	19	679	2,384
Cut Christmas trees	(D)	17	18	(D)	1,756
Pumpkins	15	18	19	787	1,716
Tomatoes in the open	14	18	20	535	2,368
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	653	17	20	1,958	3,024
Horses and ponies	441	16	20	2,371	3,066
Ducks	196	13	19	638	2,733
Goats, all	113	15	20	2,532	3,023
Colonies of bees	82	14	18	1,369	2,640

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	42	Farming	43
\$1,000 to \$2,499	16	Other	60
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Male	76
\$10,000 to \$19,999	9	Female	27
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	152
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,006	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	58,312	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	926		
Average per farm (\$)	8,990		

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

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

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.