

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2022 and 2017**

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Item	New Jersey	Atlantic	Bergen	Burlington	Camden	Cape May	Cumberland		
Total farm production expenses .....	farms, 2022	9,998	483	73	925	149	171	539	
	2017	9,883	450	74	915	197	164	560	
	\$1,000, 2022	1,397,572	125,668	8,654	135,487	27,820	14,731	265,540	
Average per farm .....	2017	1,017,386	90,696	5,878	92,083	20,703	6,674	172,187	
	dollars, 2022	139,785	260,182	118,549	146,473	186,712	86,145	492,653	
	2017	102,943	201,547	79,426	100,637	105,093	40,692	307,478	
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....	farms, 2022	4,295	272	25	490	68	75	330	
	2017	4,759	259	40	505	107	92	354	
	\$1,000, 2022	99,670	6,696	354	9,810	1,229	597	20,441	
Chemicals purchased .....	2017	68,258	4,885	163	5,937	950	449	11,684	
	farms, 2022	3,708	245	29	409	76	68	311	
	2017	3,193	179	29	345	58	58	292	
\$1,000, 2022	58,712	6,712	159	6,217	1,210	365	11,669		
	2017	43,096	4,719	62	4,340	968	373	7,139	
	farms, 2022	4,746	288	46	438	92	79	354	
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased .....	2017	4,126	214	29	447	93	91	328	
	\$1,000, 2022	144,043	6,487	720	11,030	2,006	806	32,112	
	2017	99,866	5,203	324	7,946	1,090	518	21,438	
Cover crop seed purchased .....	farms, 2022	924	70	6	105	10	37	65	
	2017	906	69	5	90	14	26	88	
	\$1,000, 2022	1,743	66	3	243	24	27	177	
2017	1,249	55	(D)	86	21	8	168		
	Livestock and poultry purchased or leased .....	farms, 2022	2,266	87	22	192	31	36	80
	2017	2,077	61	4	150	31	27	56	
\$1,000, 2022	18,100	325	40	1,008	191	260	406		
	2017	18,845	236	(D)	1,136	88	24	138	
	Breeding livestock purchased or leased .....	farms, 2022	573	25	-	53	10	1	16
2017	643	25	-	43	13	8	25		
\$1,000, 2022	3,666	113	-	415	(D)	(D)	83		
	2017	4,266	82	-	237	64	11	(D)	
	Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased .....	farms, 2022	1,959	72	22	163	31	36	72
2017	1,711	47	4	131	19	21	43		
\$1,000, 2022	14,433	211	40	592	(D)	(D)	323		
	2017	14,579	154	(D)	899	23	13	(D)	
	Feed purchased .....	farms, 2022	4,769	156	30	458	56	57	158
2017	4,997	149	35	476	86	73	168		
\$1,000, 2022	55,804	1,070	293	4,901	(D)	349	2,012		
	2017	47,403	634	302	3,774	524	221	1,550	
	Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased .....	farms, 2022	9,457	465	64	898	144	168	518
2017	9,385	442	71	885	187	161	546		
\$1,000, 2022	71,860	5,884	383	6,767	1,416	907	10,988		
	2017	51,188	3,626	188	4,530	1,048	510	8,257	
	Utilities .....	farms, 2022	6,235	334	61	641	78	121	351
2017	5,896	273	64	590	122	104	346		
\$1,000, 2022	44,393	3,562	353	3,203	1,086	492	8,262		
	2017	33,200	2,141	251	2,560	1,037	268	4,013	
	Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costs .....	farms, 2022	8,153	429	66	748	116	155	454
2017	7,987	375	65	780	160	151	459		
\$1,000, 2022	106,553	12,051	494	9,118	3,208	1,851	19,258		
	2017	79,096	6,515	264	7,628	1,799	734	13,213	
	Hired farm labor .....	farms, 2022	2,622	169	22	271	50	46	187
2017	2,601	141	42	257	55	43	191		
\$1,000, 2022	434,925	49,213	3,946	41,927	11,580	6,102	98,685		
	2017	312,647	36,031	2,621	28,968	8,620	1,564	64,119	
	Contract labor .....	farms, 2022	756	68	3	82	12	24	50
2017	574	35	7	71	16	7	41		
\$1,000, 2022	62,883	12,077	51	2,394	883	175	19,492		
	2017	28,421	8,301	(D)	2,202	544	69	2,939	
	Customwork and custom hauling .....	farms, 2022	1,093	26	2	156	11	6	80
2017	1,087	32	2	113	7	9	81		
\$1,000, 2022	9,324	1,463	(D)	692	98	(D)	691		
	2017	10,455	757	(D)	720	38	4	3,293	
	Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....	farms, 2022	1,202	76	6	112	14	34	127
2017	1,165	56	6	115	20	19	119		
\$1,000, 2022	36,674	2,211	35	3,749	324	585	6,060		
	2017	16,605	377	(D)	1,631	111	140	3,107	
	Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....	farms, 2022	586	26	-	63	12	5	51
2017	532	51	4	63	13	11	35		
\$1,000, 2022	13,887	849	-	644	(D)	(D)	4,980		
	2017	11,197	808	(D)	629	149	147	2,988	
	Interest expense .....	farms, 2022	2,133	135	10	207	32	43	153
2017	1,777	91	8	191	38	27	153		
\$1,000, 2022	36,197	2,361	313	4,153	483	299	4,805		
	2017	24,618	1,411	82	2,049	463	240	3,856	
	Secured by real estate .....	farms, 2022	1,563	97	8	141	24	30	124
2017	1,234	61	8	131	26	19	108		
\$1,000, 2022	26,971	2,022	(D)	2,964	339	240	4,033		
	2017	19,275	1,228	(D)	1,621	329	188	3,274	
	Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 2022	1,260	80	2	125	19	21	95
2017	988	49	2	110	26	18	82		
\$1,000, 2022	9,226	339	(D)	1,189	143	59	772		
	2017	5,343	183	(D)	428	134	51	582	
	Property taxes paid .....	farms, 2022	9,479	468	71	871	136	144	519
2017	9,347	435	70	873	183	150	539		
\$1,000, 2022	77,214	4,118	862	7,612	895	758	4,720		
	2017	69,122	3,509	1,141	6,997	1,432	743	3,252	

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Item	Essex	Gloucester	Hudson	Hunterdon	Mercer	Middlesex	Monmouth
Total farm production expenses							
.....farms, 2022	32	546	3	1,623	298	193	931
.....2017	22	580	4	1,604	323	217	838
.....\$1,000, 2022	3,967	100,276	15	130,020	28,663	37,170	131,701
.....2017	4,728	89,858	31	105,833	26,389	36,754	82,099
Average per farm							
.....dollars, 2022	123,961	183,655	5,141	80,111	96,185	192,592	141,462
.....2017	214,918	154,927	7,727	65,981	81,699	169,373	97,971
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased							
.....farms, 2022	8	267	2	550	144	99	402
.....2017	10	309	-	669	158	117	383
.....\$1,000, 2022	19	12,179	(D)	11,305	1,288	1,779	4,667
.....2017	(D)	9,587	-	8,997	916	1,868	2,966
Chemicals purchased							
.....farms, 2022	11	259	2	453	120	92	315
.....2017	7	238	-	388	115	77	254
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	9,631	(D)	2,159	841	1,080	2,646
.....2017	(D)	6,988	-	2,147	569	1,640	1,412
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased							
.....farms, 2022	15	326	-	608	191	129	470
.....2017	6	279	-	484	144	132	360
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	9,098	-	11,904	2,074	10,772	17,311
.....2017	46	8,628	-	9,743	4,334	12,362	8,944
Cover crop seed purchased							
.....farms, 2022	5	82	-	86	28	19	78
.....2017	-	90	-	108	25	24	77
.....\$1,000, 2022	(Z)	189	-	125	63	16	76
.....2017	-	100	-	68	48	35	54
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased							
.....farms, 2022	1	118	2	435	63	33	215
.....2017	11	143	2	398	57	46	178
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	492	(D)	4,426	1,063	690	1,858
.....2017	16	687	(D)	4,406	1,095	160	2,594
Breeding livestock purchased or leased							
.....farms, 2022	-	27	-	120	5	10	39
.....2017	3	55	-	126	19	12	47
.....\$1,000, 2022	-	85	-	481	(D)	609	437
.....2017	6	226	-	476	624	103	1,215
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased							
.....farms, 2022	1	98	2	371	61	29	196
.....2017	8	104	2	328	44	43	138
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	407	(D)	3,945	(D)	80	1,421
.....2017	9	461	(D)	3,930	471	57	1,379
Feed purchased							
.....farms, 2022	8	224	2	902	112	68	501
.....2017	9	270	2	959	132	83	472
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	2,096	(D)	5,686	1,033	706	6,796
.....2017	(D)	2,804	(D)	5,213	1,254	523	4,943
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased							
.....farms, 2022	21	527	2	1,527	286	189	883
.....2017	17	562	4	1,502	307	210	796
.....\$1,000, 2022	52	7,224	(D)	7,004	2,032	1,568	6,004
.....2017	65	5,769	17	4,981	1,071	1,527	3,927
Utilities							
.....farms, 2022	10	359	2	916	182	138	633
.....2017	14	348	-	893	195	124	554
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	3,240	(D)	3,498	1,042	870	4,254
.....2017	(D)	2,944	-	2,598	908	929	2,613
Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costs							
.....farms, 2022	22	454	3	1,263	251	159	773
.....2017	16	467	2	1,305	265	176	707
.....\$1,000, 2022	67	6,809	1	9,887	2,062	2,140	8,872
.....2017	183	8,649	(D)	7,370	2,291	2,367	4,467
Hired farm labor							
.....farms, 2022	10	143	-	354	84	51	334
.....2017	6	162	-	339	101	70	266
.....\$1,000, 2022	2,278	28,373	-	37,000	9,485	10,216	42,133
.....2017	1,970	27,710	-	24,698	7,441	8,688	23,976
Contract labor							
.....farms, 2022	1	35	2	101	32	7	89
.....2017	1	21	-	91	29	6	59
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	3,179	(D)	7,006	343	(D)	5,745
.....2017	(D)	882	-	5,798	282	421	2,295
Customwork and custom hauling							
.....farms, 2022	-	77	-	164	30	12	62
.....2017	3	106	-	155	21	11	65
.....\$1,000, 2022	-	526	-	568	227	27	900
.....2017	6	795	-	578	254	61	366
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees							
.....farms, 2022	2	73	-	115	45	15	100
.....2017	2	99	-	124	62	26	79
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	1,970	-	3,182	1,272	213	4,463
.....2017	(D)	1,400	-	1,880	666	430	1,095
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles							
.....farms, 2022	1	61	-	72	21	10	71
.....2017	4	58	-	51	20	11	37
.....\$1,000, 2022	(D)	1,115	-	745	125	(D)	528
.....2017	(D)	1,576	-	571	57	153	380
Interest expense							
.....farms, 2022	-	152	-	286	65	32	237
.....2017	3	131	-	222	44	27	139
.....\$1,000, 2022	-	1,924	-	3,512	808	668	3,146
.....2017	6	1,665	-	2,389	504	385	2,295
Secured by real estate							
.....farms, 2022	-	113	-	216	45	23	182
.....2017	3	93	-	152	22	13	105
.....\$1,000, 2022	-	1,216	-	2,879	660	532	2,688
.....2017	(D)	1,193	-	2,019	367	255	1,806
Not secured by real estate							
.....farms, 2022	-	94	-	161	37	27	145
.....2017	3	72	-	118	30	20	65
.....\$1,000, 2022	-	708	-	633	148	136	458
.....2017	(D)	472	-	370	137	131	489
Property taxes paid							
.....farms, 2022	25	518	1	1,542	273	177	885
.....2017	16	552	4	1,541	281	197	800
.....\$1,000, 2022	385	3,610	(D)	13,647	2,697	1,531	7,832
.....2017	198	4,193	2	11,651	2,409	1,682	7,180

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Item	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somerset	Sussex	Union	Warren
Total farm production expenses								
.....farms, 2022	471	224	99	779	469	1,052	15	923
.....farms, 2017	418	260	89	781	452	1,008	9	918
.....\$1,000, 2022	51,009	26,002	5,283	124,630	29,271	38,978	850	111,837
.....\$1,000, 2017	32,658	22,125	3,792	89,835	31,597	24,534	1,380	77,551
Average per farm								
.....dollars, 2022	108,299	116,082	53,362	159,988	62,412	37,051	56,655	121,167
.....dollars, 2017	78,130	85,095	42,610	115,026	69,905	24,339	153,327	84,478
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased								
.....farms, 2022	165	73	28	406	166	374	3	348
.....farms, 2017	173	86	23	453	220	389	6	406
.....\$1,000, 2022	700	2,982	43	13,885	1,321	2,051	(D)	8,310
.....\$1,000, 2017	1,159	2,906	49	9,094	1,154	1,006	(D)	4,450
Chemicals purchased								
.....farms, 2022	134	70	20	385	118	265	2	324
.....farms, 2017	117	53	14	352	131	202	3	281
.....\$1,000, 2022	596	359	55	9,424	964	1,005	(D)	3,611
.....\$1,000, 2017	676	445	35	7,278	755	415	(D)	3,120
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased								
.....farms, 2022	197	85	53	396	197	358	9	415
.....farms, 2017	155	86	39	369	191	312	3	364
.....\$1,000, 2022	2,273	2,393	100	14,063	2,425	2,338	(D)	16,003
.....\$1,000, 2017	2,181	1,389	(D)	9,191	1,111	1,017	(D)	4,247
Cover crop seed purchased								
.....farms, 2022	40	17	6	97	25	75	-	93
.....farms, 2017	29	11	1	99	36	53	1	60
.....\$1,000, 2022	51	9	1	455	51	83	-	85
.....\$1,000, 2017	21	5	(D)	434	53	50	(D)	42
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased								
.....farms, 2022	97	66	25	181	105	248	3	226
.....farms, 2017	85	50	32	142	103	288	3	210
.....\$1,000, 2022	328	2,340	207	1,702	287	783	(D)	1,680
.....\$1,000, 2017	586	1,002	84	1,615	526	766	16	3,668
Breeding livestock purchased or leased								
.....farms, 2022	30	15	3	84	26	59	-	50
.....farms, 2017	29	16	5	55	21	73	-	68
.....\$1,000, 2022	174	126	23	247	83	195	-	170
.....\$1,000, 2017	394	97	8	221	55	223	-	(D)
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased								
.....farms, 2022	84	65	24	125	88	214	3	202
.....farms, 2017	72	42	30	110	86	252	3	184
.....\$1,000, 2022	153	2,214	183	1,455	204	588	(D)	1,510
.....\$1,000, 2017	192	905	76	1,393	471	543	16	(D)
Feed purchased								
.....farms, 2022	251	97	47	359	238	570	4	471
.....farms, 2017	217	124	52	331	241	595	4	519
.....\$1,000, 2022	2,292	1,244	178	6,108	2,066	4,373	(D)	14,088
.....\$1,000, 2017	1,056	1,296	222	5,108	1,427	3,594	(D)	12,728
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased								
.....farms, 2022	412	199	96	753	432	988	13	872
.....farms, 2017	385	240	77	739	429	937	9	879
.....\$1,000, 2022	2,776	1,313	513	7,252	1,991	2,526	(D)	5,220
.....\$1,000, 2017	3,031	848	338	5,579	1,359	1,253	61	3,203
Utilities								
.....farms, 2022	275	139	55	456	271	649	12	552
.....farms, 2017	228	169	50	451	281	543	6	541
.....\$1,000, 2022	2,035	923	208	4,237	966	1,436	26	4,678
.....\$1,000, 2017	1,459	709	273	2,957	1,369	944	(D)	4,331
Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costs								
.....farms, 2022	371	172	79	612	366	876	12	772
.....farms, 2017	308	206	69	621	344	774	9	728
.....\$1,000, 2022	4,786	1,637	381	10,596	2,577	3,989	77	6,691
.....\$1,000, 2017	2,261	1,137	380	9,109	2,279	2,511	(D)	5,782
Hired farm labor								
.....farms, 2022	151	56	16	168	143	154	9	204
.....farms, 2017	140	73	14	172	166	184	4	175
.....\$1,000, 2022	21,168	7,123	2,156	27,154	8,341	6,365	196	21,485
.....\$1,000, 2017	11,477	7,673	902	20,639	11,567	3,680	131	20,170
Contract labor								
.....farms, 2022	35	11	4	44	43	60	-	53
.....farms, 2017	28	12	-	31	40	39	-	40
.....\$1,000, 2022	328	248	28	3,687	279	389	-	4,833
.....\$1,000, 2017	350	233	-	760	958	251	-	1,780
Customwork and custom hauling								
.....farms, 2022	35	32	5	182	39	88	-	86
.....farms, 2017	49	11	1	169	33	96	3	120
.....\$1,000, 2022	402	543	3	1,970	182	351	-	618
.....\$1,000, 2017	521	(D)	(D)	1,848	281	198	5	356
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees								
.....farms, 2022	68	23	3	168	40	95	1	85
.....farms, 2017	30	21	1	169	46	77	1	93
.....\$1,000, 2022	3,509	132	1	4,188	884	961	(D)	2,879
.....\$1,000, 2017	365	70	(D)	3,101	415	601	(D)	1,194
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles								
.....farms, 2022	13	15	4	45	18	42	-	56
.....farms, 2017	20	7	1	39	23	44	2	38
.....\$1,000, 2022	198	132	66	831	60	1,300	-	1,542
.....\$1,000, 2017	1,141	(D)	(D)	924	163	78	(D)	953
Interest expense								
.....farms, 2022	95	64	19	174	105	147	-	177
.....farms, 2017	76	65	18	193	70	128	-	153
.....\$1,000, 2022	1,940	1,112	142	2,740	1,732	1,320	-	4,740
.....\$1,000, 2017	969	578	225	2,715	1,936	867	-	1,984
Secured by real estate								
.....farms, 2022	77	58	10	116	86	95	-	118
.....farms, 2017	55	46	13	129	46	89	-	115
.....\$1,000, 2022	1,527	956	(D)	1,741	1,499	1,068	-	2,195
.....\$1,000, 2017	759	460	187	1,910	1,743	620	-	1,236
Not secured by real estate								
.....farms, 2022	47	28	14	108	56	92	-	109
.....farms, 2017	49	42	10	114	43	73	-	62
.....\$1,000, 2022	412	156	(D)	999	233	252	-	2,545
.....\$1,000, 2017	210	118	38	804	193	247	-	748
Property taxes paid								
.....farms, 2022	449	194	96	748	457	1,003	8	894
.....farms, 2017	394	222	89	754	409	958	8	872
.....\$1,000, 2022	4,161	1,574	890	6,046	3,265	6,526	(D)	6,017
.....\$1,000, 2017	3,023	1,367	759	4,498	3,574	5,645	93	5,774

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Total farm production expenses - Con.								
Medical supplies, veterinary, and custom services for livestock .....								
farms, 2022	2,796	105	15	282	25	48	78	
2017	3,626	125	22	371	56	56	120	
\$1,000, 2022	11,287	186	(D)	1,269	85	(D)	193	
2017	10,256	178	(D)	1,519	87	93	157	
All other production expenses .....								
farms, 2022	5,032	307	61	497	68	98	318	
2017	3,552	194	28	375	82	72	249	
\$1,000, 2022	116,048	10,403	574	20,994	2,703	1,096	20,766	
2017	93,113	11,364	202	9,517	1,755	576	21,042	
Production expenses paid by landlords <sup>1</sup> .....								
farms, 2022	181	8	-	30	12	8	-	
2017	105	2	-	7	-	-	15	
\$1,000, 2022	6,109	214	-	209	23	(D)	-	
2017	664	(D)	-	(D)	-	-	73	
Depreciation expenses claimed .....								
farms, 2022	4,651	285	28	452	65	101	318	
2017	2,972	191	17	290	38	44	230	
\$1,000, 2022	130,747	13,041	(D)	13,681	2,032	1,982	20,257	
2017	85,185	7,404	108	9,101	1,788	2,105	13,198	
Item	Essex	Gloucester	Hudson	Hunterdon	Mercer	Middlesex	Monmouth	
Total farm production expenses - Con.								
Medical supplies, veterinary, and custom services for livestock .....								
farms, 2022	2	141	2	525	53	46	312	
2017	8	176	2	660	97	44	356	
\$1,000, 2022	(D)	501	(D)	1,976	256	368	2,828	
2017	8	473	(D)	1,927	431	81	1,533	
All other production expenses .....								
farms, 2022	19	304	-	745	140	121	495	
2017	12	211	2	482	132	79	335	
\$1,000, 2022	430	8,309	-	6,515	2,014	2,859	11,717	
2017	(D)	5,108	(D)	10,888	1,908	3,477	11,113	
Production expenses paid by landlords <sup>1</sup> .....								
farms, 2022	-	8	-	14	7	7	26	
2017	1	14	-	3	1	1	12	
\$1,000, 2022	-	100	-	69	14	10	308	
2017	(D)	95	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	36	
Depreciation expenses claimed .....								
farms, 2022	13	278	-	751	155	109	400	
2017	4	157	-	459	104	66	275	
\$1,000, 2022	718	8,126	-	12,019	3,740	5,839	12,069	
2017	(D)	7,419	-	6,887	1,796	2,318	7,734	
Item	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somerset	Sussex	Union	Warren
Total farm production expenses - Con.								
Medical supplies, veterinary, and custom services for livestock .....								
farms, 2022	138	78	18	206	125	331	6	260
2017	168	88	36	272	179	438	1	351
\$1,000, 2022	839	339	38	638	357	829	(D)	483
2017	546	345	99	524	972	609	(D)	565
All other production expenses .....								
farms, 2022	173	129	39	388	215	458	9	448
2017	149	113	24	292	150	282	6	283
\$1,000, 2022	2,678	1,609	277	10,109	1,575	2,436	23	8,959
2017	1,859	1,698	345	4,896	1,750	1,098	(D)	3,246
Production expenses paid by landlords <sup>1</sup> .....								
farms, 2022	6	2	1	19	5	15	-	13
2017	5	4	1	15	11	4	1	8
\$1,000, 2022	16	(D)	(D)	319	83	110	-	48
2017	36	1	(D)	166	41	(D)	(D)	33
Depreciation expenses claimed .....								
farms, 2022	198	86	30	335	224	435	2	386
2017	108	67	16	243	152	251	4	256
\$1,000, 2022	4,342	2,228	436	10,841	3,161	5,380	(D)	10,493
2017	2,561	2,279	196	6,708	3,425	2,194	(D)	7,591

<sup>1</sup> Landlord production expenses are included within total farm production expenses.