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PRESERVATION statistics

Farmland Preservation by municipality May 1985 to Fiscal Year 2011

These tables report farmland permanently preserved for agriculture by the use of public funds to purchase the development rights on privately owned land.

The statistics are broken down by municipality to show the preservation accomplishments in each town from 1985 to June 2011.

This chart reports statistics for large farms whose acres span multiple municipalities. Statistics accounting for multi-municipal farms *have never* been compiled before.

Statewide, 7% of all preserved farms have land that occupies more than one municipality.

Nine municipalities show "zero" farms preserved yet show acreage preserved. (These towns are highlighted in the tables by an asterisk.) This anomaly occurs when a farm in a neighboring municipality is preserved and some of the land in question crosses the municipal boundary.

- ✓ These tables do NOT INCLUDE land restricted from development without the use of State public funds. For example, land preserved by transfer of development rights (TDR) is NOT included.
- ✓ These tables MAY NOT YET INCLUDE land acquired by counties or by land trusts without State funding or for which a State grant was pending in June 2011.
- ✓ These tables DO NOT INCLUDE donations of land and the conversion of State-owned land into permanent farmland.



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COUNTY LIST

	Farms	Acres
Atlantic	47	5,043
Bergen	7	318
Burlington	186	23,604
Camden	8	499
Cape May	44	2,628
Cumberland	122	14,264
Gloucester	136	11,062
Hunterdon	340	27,745
Mercer	99	6,497
Middlesex	46	3,747
Monmouth	171	13,094
Morris	118	7,319
Ocean	46	3,016
Passaic	1	15
Salem	222	28,619
Somerset	97	7,397
Sussex	126	13,744
Warren	203	19,569
		TOTALS
	Counties	18
	Towns	172
	Farms	2,019
	Acres	188,180



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Atlantic County	47 FARMS	5,043 ACRES
Buena	6	260
Buena Vista	1	58
Egg Harbor Township	1	132
Folsom	1	66
Galloway	4	129
Hamilton	5	1,849
Hammonton	21	1,510
Mullica	8	1,038

Bergen County	7 FARMS	318 ACRES
Closter	1	11
Franklin Lakes	1	6
Hillsdale	1	10
Mahwah	4	291

Burlington County	186 FARMS	23,604 ACRES
Bordentown Township	1	67
Chesterfield	34	4,661
Eastampton	1	210
Evesham	0	39
Florence	5	323
Lumberton	1	189
Mansfield	21	2,890
Medford	7	1,244
Moorestown	1	38
Mount Laurel*	0	20
New Hanover	1	86
North Hanover	32	3,645
Pemberton Township	13	1,623
Shamong	1	66
Southampton	20	2,344
Springfield	45	4,888
Tabernacle	1	22
Washington	2	1,243
Westampton*	0	4



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Camden County	8 FARMS	499 ACRES
Voorhees	1	70
Waterford	2	93
Winslow	5	336

Cape May	44 FARMS	2,628 ACRES
Dennis	10	978
Lower Township	8	209
Middle Township	17	1,228
Upper Township	4	70
West Cape May	4	132
Woodbine	1	11

Cumberland County	122 FARMS	14,264 ACRES
Deerfield	2	343
Downe	1	189
Fairfield	9	1,384
Greenwich	17	2,220
Hopewell	27	3,270
Lawrence	9	1,293
Shiloh	1	39
Stow Creek	11	687
Upper Deerfield	36	4,006
Vineland	9	834

Gloucester County	136 FARMS	11,062 ACRES
Clayton	2	55
East Greenwich	8	638
Elk	24	2,638
Franklin	25	1,478
Glassboro	3	45
Greenwich	1	23
Harrison	11	864
Logan	3	375
Mantua	5	431
Monroe	4	507
Newfield	1	20
South Harrison	35	3,096
Washington Township	3	192
Woolwich	11	700



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Hunterdon County	340 FARMS	27,745 ACRES
Alexandria	23	1,729
Bethlehem	15	1,384
Califon*	0	9
Clinton Township	7	781
Delaware	62	4,501
East Amwell	51	4,368
Franklin Township	18	1,989
Holland	21	1,780
Kingwood	16	1,505
Lebanon Borough*	0	26
Lebanon Township	13	1,114
Raritan Township	19	1,278
Readington	48	3,663
Tewksbury	22	1,490
Union Township	7	587
West Amwell	18	1,541

Mercer County	99 FARMS	6,497 ACRES
East Windsor	15	962
Hamilton	13	1,047
Hopewell Township	31	2,220
Lawrence	9	459
Robbinsville	23	1,363
West Windsor	8	447

Middlesex County	46 FARMS	3,747 ACRES
Cranbury	21	2,281
East Brunswick	2	81
Monroe	8	370
Old Bridge	2	71
Plainsboro	5	345
Sayreville	1	17
South Brunswick	7	581



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Monmouth County	171 FARMS	13,094 ACRES
Colts Neck	17	877
Freehold Township	2	211
Holmdel	2	249
Howell	19	611
Manalapan	16	987
Marlboro	2	184
Middletown	2	67
Millstone Township	23	1,115
Roosevelt	3	258
Upper Freehold	85	8,535

Morris County	118 FARMS	7,319 ACRES
Boonton Township	3	141
Chester Borough	1	59
Chester Township	18	1,233
Denville	1	20
Harding	8	277
Lincoln Park	2	77
Long Hill	1	54
Mendham Borough	1	33
Mendham Township	4	156
Montville	1	27
Mount Olive	3	227
Randolph	3	143
Rockaway Township	1	88
Washington Township	71	4,785



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Ocean County	46 FARMS	3,016 ACRES
Jackson	8	231
Lakewood	1	59
Manchester*	0	56
Ocean Township	1	7
Plumsted	35	2,656
Toms River	1	7

Passaic County	1 FARM	15 ACRES
Wayne	1	15

Salem County	222 FARMS	28,619 ACRES
Alloway	22	2,958
Carneys Point	3	219
Elsinboro	12	1,064
Lower Alloways Creek	14	1,565
Mannington	40	5,696
Oldmans*	0	66
Pilesgrove	32	4,798
Pittsgrove	26	2,550
Quinton	11	1,937
Upper Pittsgrove	62	7,766

Somerset County	97 FARMS	7,397 ACRES
Bedminster	25	1,841
Branchburg	8	1,132
Bridgewater	1	21
Franklin Township	17	812
Hillsborough	33	2,609
Montgomery	11	898
Peapack-Gladstone	2	84



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Sussex County	126 FARMS	13,744 ACRES
Andover Township	5	368
Frankford	12	1,020
Fredon	7	659
Green Township	7	684
Hampton Township	22	1,332
Hardyston	1	63
Lafayette	10	1,278
Montague	5	1,060
Sandyston	7	637
Sparta	3	170
Stillwater	6	488
Vernon	5	944
Wantage	36	5,040

Warren County	203 FARMS	19,569 ACRES
Allamuchy	11	2,150
Alpha	1	133
Belvidere*	0	3
Blairstown	16	1,196
Franklin Township	26	2,509
Frelinghuysen	20	1,845
Greenwich	9	813
Hardwick	5	543
Harmony	19	1,755
Hope	9	702
Independence	3	306
Knowlton	20	1,811
Liberty	3	136
Lopatcong*	0	22
Mansfield	8	820
Pohatcong	27	2,631
Washington Township	11	1,216
White Township	15	978