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## NEW JERSEY PHOSPHORUS INDEX

(For use with soil tests reporting in ppm P, and using either Mehlich-3 or Bray P1) (For example, A&L and Penn State)

Relative Risk Factors	
0	= None
3	= Low
5	= Medium
10	= High
20	= Very High

Producer: Joe Farmer Tract: 987  
 Soil Test Lab: University of Delaware  
 P extraction method: Mehlich-3

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 Assisted by: Crop Advisor

Relative risk factor x weighting factor = Score

Rutgers Field Name	Field No.	Crop	A. Soil Erosion			B. Runoff Class		C. Distance		D. Soil Test P				E. Method of Application		TOTAL SCORE	P Index	Type of NM Plan	
			tons/ ac/yr	Risk Factor	x 1.5 = Score	Class	Score	Risk Factor	x 1.5 = Score	ppm P	lb/a P	Rel. Level	Risk Factor	x 1.5 = Score	Risk Type				Score
A		Corn	3	3	4.5	Medium	5	0	0	204	408	VH	20	30	Low	3	42.5	Medium	N/1.5 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
B		Alfalfa	1	0	0	Very Low	3	0	0	160	320	VH	20	30	None	0	33.0	Medium	N/1.5 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
C		Alfalfa	1	0	0	Very Low	3	0	0	178	356	VH	20	30	None	0	33.0	Medium	N/1.5 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
D		Alfalfa	1	0	0	Very Low	3	5	7.5	198	396	VH	20	30	None	0	40.5	Medium	N/1.5 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
E		Timothy	2	3	4.5	Medium	5	10	15	211	422	VH	20	30	None	0	54.5	High	1.0 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
F		Brome	3	3	4.5	Medium	5	10	15	387	774	VH	20	30	None	0	54.5	High	1.0 P
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		
				0	0	None	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	None	0	0.0		

Soil loss values should be rounded to the nearest integer.

Notes: This spreadsheet is designed for soil test P to be entered in ppm P.

It will then convert ppm P to lb/ac P.

If soil test is in lb/ac, divide by 2 and enter result in ppm column.

For factors B. and E., the score is the same as the risk factor, because the weighting factor is 1.0.

Runoff class (B.) is a function of slope and curve number.

M3 lb/a P	Rutgers Relative Level
0-24	Very Low (below optimum)
25-45	Low (below optimum)
46-71	Medium (below optimum)
72-137	High (optimum)
138+	Very High (above optimum)

Soil test P assumed to be "High" (optimum) for fields with no soil tests (appear as a bolded "H").