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1997 GENERATION, DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING RATES IN NEW JERSEY (Tons)

| COUNTY | POPULATION | GENERATION | DISPOSAL | | | RECYCLING | | | |
|------------|------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| | 1990 | Disposal and Recycling | MSW | BULKY | TOTAL | MSW | MSW % | Total Recycled w/Add-ons | 1997 Total Recycled |
| Atlantic | 227,000 | 567,820 | 206,207 | 80,129 | 286,336 | 78,711 | 27.6 | 281,484.10 | 49.6% |
| Bergen | 827,000 | 1,854,697 | 432,779 | 169,742 | 602,521 | 549,323 | 56.8 | 1,252,176.23 | 67.5% |
| Burlington | 398,800 | 914,006 | 286,410 | 110,149 | 396,559 | 171,898 | 37.5 | 517,446.82 | 56.6% |
| Camden | 504,900 | 1,033,451 | 315,995 | 137,353 | 453,348 | 156,389 | 33.1 | 580,102.82 | 56.1% |
| Cape May | 95,800 | 371,769 | 92,096 | 47,231 | 139,327 | 45,140 | 32.9 | 232,442.01 | 62.5% |
| Cumberland | 138,600 | 393,979 | 107,550 | 39,669 | 147,219 | 100,813 | 48.4 | 246,759.60 | 62.6% |
| Essex | 773,400 | 1,572,816 | 363,013 | 196,033 | 559,046 | 355,977 | 49.5 | 1,013,769.81 | 64.5% |
| Gloucester | 233,400 | 621,962 | 170,728 | 65,803 | 236,530 | 155,149 | 47.6 | 385,431.68 | 62.0% |
| Hudson | 553,400 | 1,041,298 | 311,049 | 135,531 | 446,580 | 129,364 | 29.4 | 594,717.77 | 57.1% |
| Hunterdon | 108,500 | 182,853 | 50,807 | 22,659 | 73,467 | 18,941 | 27.1 | 109,386.08 | 59.8% |
| Mercer | 326,500 | 701,905 | 206,009 | 85,899 | 291,908 | 130,402 | 38.7 | 409,997.18 | 58.4% |
| Middlesex | 674,400 | 1,619,183 | 405,809 | 237,725 | 643,534 | 380,329 | 48.4 | 975,649.18 | 60.3% |
| Monmouth | 558,000 | 1,181,102 | 309,873 | 152,246 | 462,119 | 241,657 | 43.8 | 718,982.96 | 60.9% |
| Morris | 422,500 | 959,269 | 237,182 | 102,405 | 339,587 | 252,506 | 51.5 | 619,681.63 | 64.6% |
| Ocean | 438,300 | 1,016,615 | 336,257 | 123,412 | 459,669 | 163,285 | 32.7 | 556,946.11 | 54.8% |
| Passaic | 453,200 | 870,490 | 231,056 | 90,594 | 321,650 | 157,583 | 40.5 | 548,839.90 | 63.0% |
| Salem | 65,000 | 186,353 | 34,337 | 53,012 | 87,349 | 10,678 | 23.7 | 99,004.38 | 53.1% |
| Somerset | 244,200 | 489,698 | 117,264 | 58,765 | 176,029 | 110,871 | 48.6 | 313,668.78 | 64.1% |
| Sussex | 132,500 | 224,408 | 62,243 | 29,924 | 92,167 | 21,664 | 25.8 | 132,240.98 | 58.9% |
| Union | 492,500 | 957,252 | 249,907 | 108,274 | 358,182 | 172,629 | 40.8 | 599,070.06 | 62.6% |
| Warren | 92,600 | 148,020 | 45,988 | 15,056 | 61,044 | 9,963 | 17.8 | 86,975.77 | 58.8% |
| TOTAL | 7,760,500 | 16,908,946 | 4,572,560 | 2,061,613 | 6,634,172 | 3,413,273 | 42.8 | 10,274,773.85 | 60.8% |

NOTES: MSW Recycled totals do not include recycling activities from 48 municipalities which did not report. Total recycled with Add-ons includes tonnage reported by ISRI/AMRA, NJDOT and Class B recycling facilities which was not reported by the municipalities. Totals subject to rounding.

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