

New Zealand, North/South and East/West

Some regional data for New Zealand and North/South and East/West aggregates, along with a map which distinguishes regions defined as 'eastern' from those defined as 'western'.

Table 1: New Zealand, land cover (sq km) 2012, census populations 2018 and gross domestic product 2018/9

region	exotic forest	exotic grass	crops	urban	'natural'	total area	population	ethnic maori	GDP \$billions
Northland	1853	6102	94	96	4353	12498	179,076	64,458	7,861
Auckland	523	2372	125	542	1378	4940	1,571,718	181,194	114,148
Waikato	3116	13043	190	274	7277	23900	458,202	109,488	25,835
Bay of Plenty	2786	2610	304	155	6234	12071	308,499	89,778	17,243
Gisborne	1699	3592	167	29	2899	8386	47,517	25,134	2,161
Hawkes Bay	1594	7015	345	85	5098	14137	166,368	44,931	8,673
Taranaki	294	3921	17	71	2951	7254	117,561	23,298	8,902
Manawatu-Wanganui	1500	12597	177	143	7804	22221	238,797	54,570	11,598
Wellington	768	3727	81	205	3268	8049	506,814	72,252	38,997
Nelson & Tasman	1148	1321	94	58	7418	10040	103,269	9,993	5,458
Marlborough	822	3113	329	29	6165	10458	47,340	6,318	3,248
West Coast	418	1722		31	21073	23244	31,575	3,687	1,861
Canterbury	1286	20384	2529	336	19973	44508	599,694	56,298	37,509
Otago	1451	15385	209	145	14019	31209	225,186	19,521	13,583
Southland	936	9849	71	75	20264	31195	97,467	14,484	6,359
New Zealand	20195	106753	4732	2273	134068	268021	4,699,755	775,836	303,436
North Island	14133	54979	1500	1600	41262	113456	3,594,552	665,103	235,418
South Island	6061	51774	3232	674	88912	150654	1,104,531	110,301	68,018
North Island %	70	51	32	70	32	43	77	86	78
South Island %	30	49	68	30	68	57	23	14	22
western regions	11638	43688	1001	1370	58488	128651	3,008,697	536,466	192,906
eastern regions	8556	63065	3731	904	71686	135459	1,690,386	238,938	110,530
western %	58	41	21	60	45	49	64	69	63
eastern %	42	59	79	40	55	51	36	31	37

includes Chatham Island and smaller islands outside local government

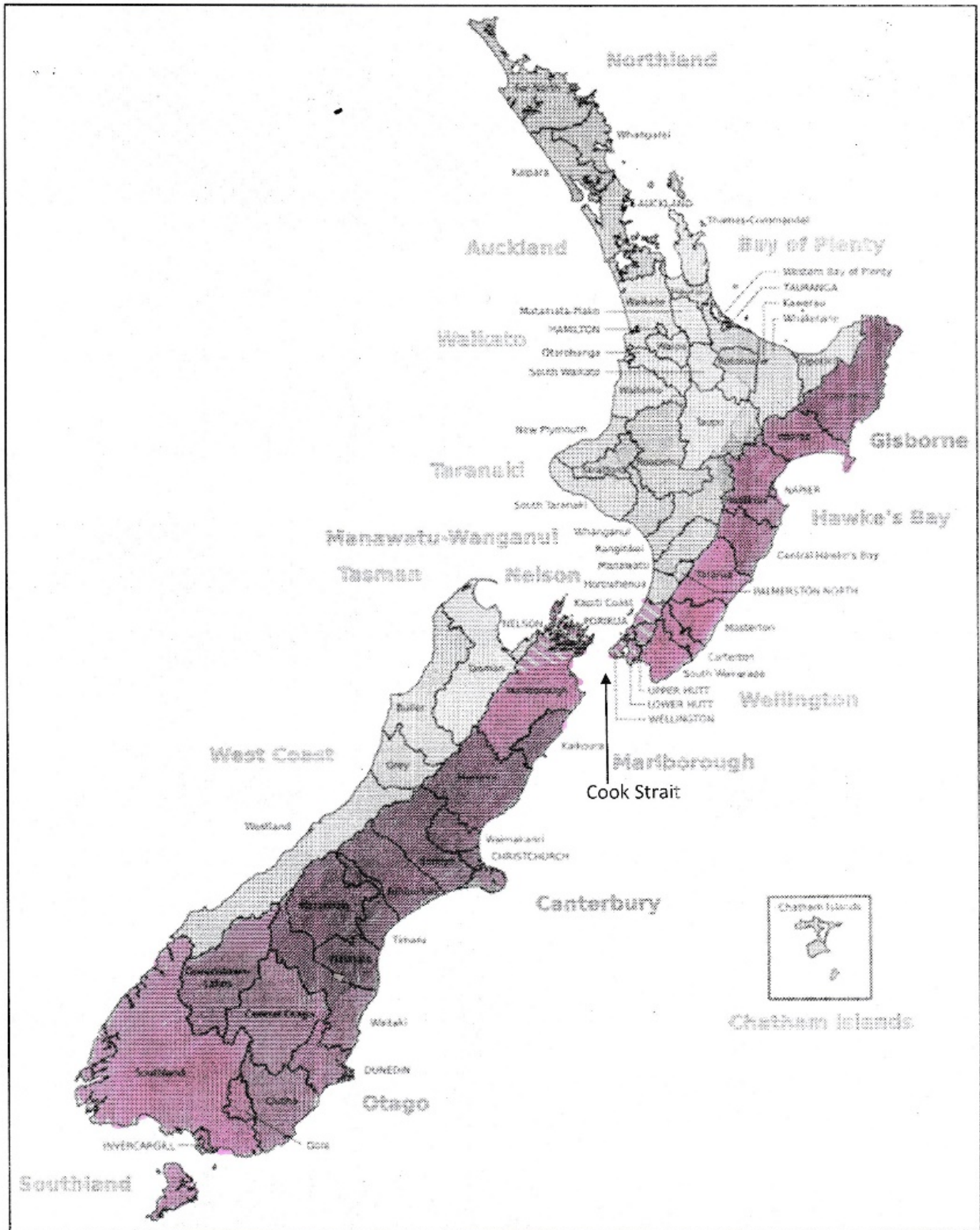
source: <https://data.mfe.govt.nz/table/52469-land-use-land-cover-classes-1996-2001-2008-and-2012/data/>

Table 2: New Zealand, Farmed area by principal enterprise of farms 2016 (sq km)

region	dairy sheep/beef	other stock	fruit/berry	grains	vegetables	other crops	forestry	farmed area	total area	
Northland	2122	3270	45	64	89	37	7	1892	7526	12498
Auckland	756	1216	112	53	41	77	12	499	2766	4940
Waikato	7065	5772	265	36	364	62	10	261	13835	23900
Bay of Plenty	1201	1159	44	270	64	2	3	3134	5877	12071
Gisborne		3926	18	54	60	81	28	1567	5734	8386
Hawke's Bay Region	289	6948	204	162	161	94	2	1323	9183	14137
Taranaki	2041	1846	18	1	87		4	301	4298	7254
Manawatu-Wanganui	2054	10317	178	10	231	73	7	1223	14093	22221
Wellington	453	3136	71	28	155	4	3	580	4430	8049
Tasman & Nelson	428	766	34	92	51	7	4	895	2277	10040
Marlborough	184	3917	68	318	26		1	723	5237	10458
West Coast	1059	403			44			215	1721	23244
Canterbury	4191	17233	1117	54	2163	246	10	945	25959	44508
Otago	1377	18071	619	67	433	6	1	1096	21670	31209
Southland	3020	6991	454		518	7		752	11742	31195
New Zealand	26240	89945	3247	1209	4487	696	92	15406	136822	268021
North Island	15981	37590	955	678	1252	430	76	10780	67742	113456
South Island	10259	47381	2292	531	3235	266	16	4626	68606	150654
North Island %	61	44	29	56	28	62	83	70	50	43
South Island %	39	56	71	44	72	38	17	30	50	57
western regions	16726	24749	696	526	971	258	47	8420	52393	116168
eastern regions	9514	60222	2551	683	3516	438	45	6986	83955	147942
western %	64	29	21	44	22	37	51	55	38	44
eastern %	36	71	79	56	78	63	49	45	62	56

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source: <https://data.mfe.govt.nz/table/95343-agricultural-and-horticultural-land-use-200216/data/>



NEW ZEALAND: REGIONAL AUTHORITY AREAS

eastern regions are highlighted in pink, with Marlborough Sounds and Wellington Urban Area hatched
local territorial authority areas are also shown with territorial authority names

Source of base map: Wikipedia