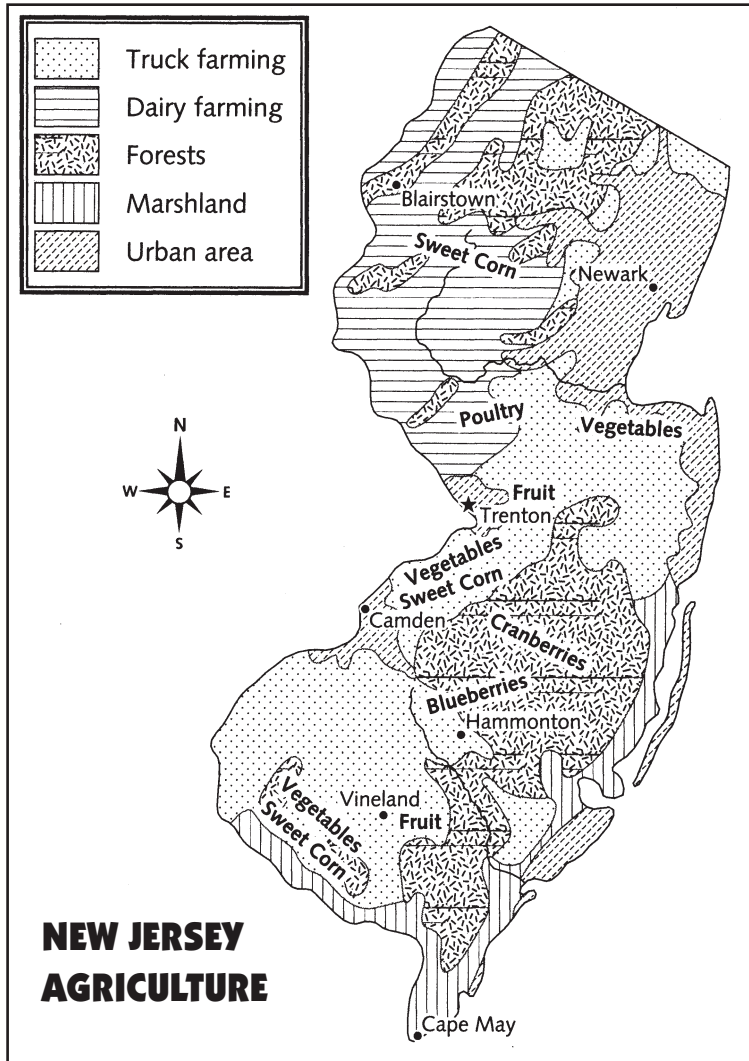


## Using a Product Map to Make Generalizations

A product map shows how the land is used to produce different things. Some maps show not only products, but also land use and physical features. By studying the physical features, you can better guess how people might use the land. Would people have farms on the sides of mountains or in the desert? To use such a map, first read the title of the map. It tells you what the map is about. Then, study the map key. The map key has symbols that stand for different things on the map. In the map below, different patterns show land use and physical features. Products for each area are printed on the map.



### Directions

Use the map to answer the questions.

1. Where is the largest urban area in New Jersey?  
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2. Which city is located in the area where cranberries and blueberries are grown?  
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3. What is the main use of the land around Vineland?  
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4. What two crops are produced in the forests of central New Jersey?  
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5. Would you be more likely to be a farmer if you lived in Vineland, Cape May, or Newark? Explain.  
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## Answer Key

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1. northeast
2. Hammonton
3. truck farming
4. cranberries, blueberries
5. Vineland, because the land is used more for farming there

