

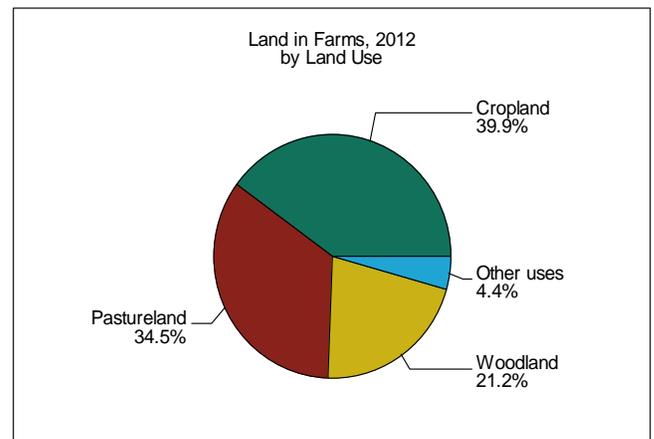
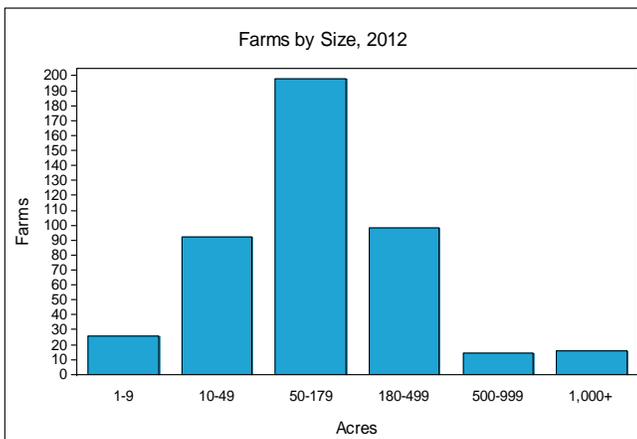
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Harrison County Ohio



	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	444	418	+ 6
Land in Farms	95,387 acres	93,342 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	215 acres	223 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$18,240,000	\$11,759,000	+ 55
Crop Sales \$7,769,000 (43 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,471,000 (57 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$41,081	\$28,132	+ 46
Government Payments	\$245,000	\$312,000	- 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,836	\$3,088	+ 24





Harrison County – Ohio

Ranked items among the 88 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	18,240	75	88	2,428	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,769	78	88	2,221	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,471	59	88	2,068	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4,465	71	88	1,790	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	15	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	58	80	88	2,107	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	85	88	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	69	78	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,144	13	88	935	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	26	88	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	4,611	50	88	1,876	3,056
Milk from cows	1,481	61	85	1,125	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	55	87	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	444	7	88	374	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	60	72	88	2,169	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	18	51	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	9	88	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	27,127	9	88	699	3,057
Corn for grain	4,351	71	87	1,464	2,638
Soybeans for beans	2,926	72	87	1,419	2,162
Corn for silage	533	62	88	1,371	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	225	72	87	2,078	2,537
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	11	88	(D)	2,723
Cattle and calves	10,600	45	88	1,882	3,063
Sheep and lambs	3,031	7	88	289	2,897
Layers	1,231	71	88	1,699	3,040
Hogs and pigs	1,178	57	88	1,009	2,889

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	101	Farming	205
\$1,000 to \$2,499	68	Other	239
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	76	Male	393
\$10,000 to \$19,999	55	Female	51
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	7	White	662
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,496	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	37,154	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,980		
Average per farm (\$)	6,711		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.