



Geauga County Ohio

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,049	+9
Land in farms (acres)	69,907	+5
Average size of farm (acres)	67	-4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	36,103,000	-17
Government payments	370,000	+7
Farm-related income	6,256,000	+57
Total farm production expenses	44,700,000	+1
Net cash farm income	-1,972,000	-155
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	34,416	-24
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,217	+29
Farm-related income	17,926	+47
Total farm production expenses	42,612	-8
Net cash farm income	-1,879	-150

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	48
Livestock, poultry, and products	52

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	48
Pastureland	12
Woodland	30
Other	10

Acres irrigated: 599

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	19
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	435	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	127	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	150	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	137	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	49	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	76	7
\$100,000 or more	75	7

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	273	26
10 to 49 acres	427	41
50 to 179 acres	299	29
180 to 499 acres	29	3
500 to 999 acres	15	1
1,000 + acres	6	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	36,103	67	88	2,025	3,077
Crops	17,473	70	88	1,735	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,963	73	88	1,652	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	7	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,801	18	88	590	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,056	12	88	461	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6,207	17	88	338	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	92	19	72	279	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,353	19	88	762	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	18,630	48	88	1,702	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	42	88	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	4,082	51	88	1,803	3,055
Milk from cows	11,027	30	82	435	1,892
Hogs and pigs	208	61	88	745	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	263	30	88	620	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,815	7	88	86	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	26	47	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,006	8	88	179	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,816	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	1,114	62	13,691
Female	702		Soybeans for beans
Age		Farm organically	7,465
<35	227	2	Corn for grain
35 – 64	1,163		3,636
65 and older	426		Corn for silage or greenchop
Race		Sell directly to consumers	1,737
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	22	Wheat for grain, all
Asian	4		1,109
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	21	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	1,796		Broilers and other meat-type chickens
More than one race	16	Are family farms	2,849
Other characteristics		96	Cattle and calves
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	33		10,714
With military service	143		Goats
New and beginning farmers	542		479
			Hogs and pigs
			1,349
			Horses and ponies
			3,865
			Layers
			7,994
			Pullets
			951
			Sheep and lambs
			1,648
			Turkeys
			589

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.