



Lucas County Ohio

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	386	+17
Land in farms (acres)	65,558	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	170	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	50,677,000	-23
Government payments	2,319,000	+141
Farm-related income	1,989,000	+23
Total farm production expenses	42,626,000	-7
Net cash farm income	12,359,000	-46
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	131,287	-35
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	14,054	+165
Farm-related income	11,982	+7
Total farm production expenses	110,429	-21
Net cash farm income	32,018	-54

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	93
Livestock, poultry, and products	7

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	94
Pastureland	1
Woodland	2
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 1,179

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	22
Reduced till	28
Intensive till	24
Cover crop	17

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	120	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	42	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	8
\$100,000 or more	97	25

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	89	23
10 to 49 acres	165	43
50 to 179 acres	47	12
180 to 499 acres	44	11
500 to 999 acres	29	8
1,000 + acres	12	3

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	50,677	62	88	1,739	3,077
Crops	47,182	48	88	1,124	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	28,137	51	88	1,001	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	7	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,701	20	88	602	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	5	88	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	14,591	9	88	178	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	7	43	72	562	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	77	88	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,495	81	88	2,583	3,073
Poultry and eggs	35	72	88	1,386	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	84	88	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	82	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	2,521	49	88	540	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	60	73	88	1,624	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	589	23	88	363	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	38	47	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	
Male	424
Female	182
Age	
<35	56
35 – 64	403
65 and older	147
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black or African American	6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	599
More than one race	-
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	18
With military service	48
New and beginning farmers	175

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	82
Farm organically	2
Sell directly to consumers	9
Hire farm labor	24
Are family farms	95

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	29,845
Corn for grain	23,948
Wheat for grain, all	4,067
Forage (hay/haylage), all	1,403
Vegetables harvested, all	508

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	536
Cattle and calves	(D)
Goats	73
Hogs and pigs	8,932
Horses and ponies	512
Layers	1,652
Pullets	625
Sheep and lambs	412
Turkeys	130

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.