



News Release

Ohio Fruit Production 2017

The 2017 farm level value of utilized production of Ohio's three major fruit crops was up 41 percent from the previous year according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician, USDA, NASS, Ohio Field Office. The value of utilized production for apples, peaches, and grapes in Ohio in 2017 was \$32.3 million compared to \$22.9 million in 2016.

Ohio peach production was 4,200 tons in 2017, up from 1,570 tons from the previous year. Bearing acres were up 160 from 2016 to 800. The farm level value of utilized production was \$7.1 million. Ohio apple production in 2017 was 47.0 million pounds, up from 33.5 million pounds in 2016. The farm level value of utilized production was \$22.2 million.

Ohio grape production in 2017 was 4,640 tons, down from 5,500 tons in 2016. The farm level value was \$2.96 million, down 2 percent from 2016. There were 2,450 tons of Concord grapes and 250 tons of Niagara grapes processed in 2017.

Fruit production: Ohio and U.S., 2016-2017

Fruit	Ohio				United States			
	Bearing acres		Total production		Bearing acres		Total production	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
Apples	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
	3,200	3,200	33.5	47.0	324,100	323,000	11,377.5	11,406.0
Grapes	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Thousand tons</i>	<i>Thousand tons</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Thousand tons</i>	<i>Thousand tons</i>
	1,500	1,400	5.5	4.6	1,013,000	1,000,700	7,697.0	7,363.3
Peaches	640	800	1.6	4.2	94,070	92,750	795.6	696.7

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