

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
Ohio Agricultural Statistics Service



## HENRY OHIO

### Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 245,049 acres in 1992 to 244,305 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 9 percent from 257 acres in 1992 to 280 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 13 percent from 500 farms in 1992 to 436 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

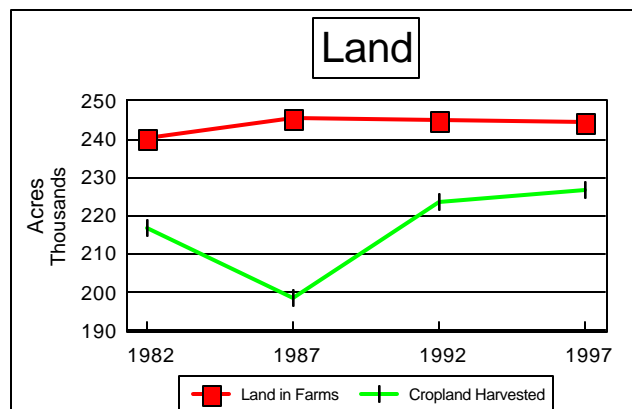
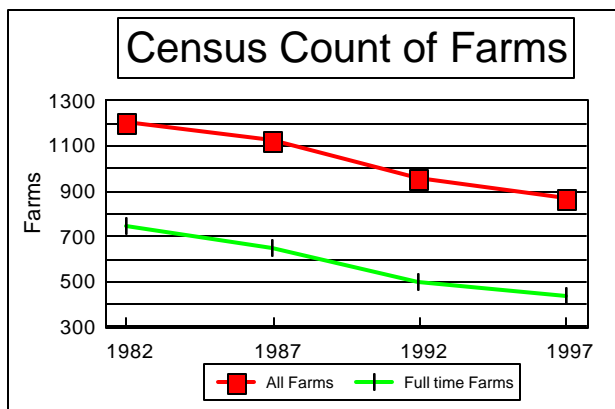
Increased 17 percent to \$75,092,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 89 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 11 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 28 percent from \$67,122 in 1992 to \$86,114 in 1997.



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## Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	75,092	19	88	761	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	67,200	8	88	346	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	7,891	61	88	2,054	3,069
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Soybeans	27,075	12	87	163	2,136
Corn for grain	25,441	6	88	238	2,582
Wheat	8,118	4	88	260	2,578
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3,560	6	88	237	2,739
Hogs and pigs	2,942	37	88	695	2,976
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs sold	36,828	31	88	634	2,976
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	33	81	895	2,203
Cattle and calves sold	3,819	66	88	2,349	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	25	77	660	2,200
Sheep and lambs sold	194	79	88	1,733	2,765
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs inventory	13,267	43	88	716	3,005
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	29	88	837	3,002
Cattle and calves inventory	5,918	71	88	2,488	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	257	80	88	1,747	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	223	82	88	2,501	3,066
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Soybeans for beans-acres	99,956	11	87	208	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	78,541	9	88	301	2,691
Wheat-acres	39,836	5	88	355	2,612
Hay crops-acres	6,721	65	88	2,066	3,061
Land used for vegetables-acres	2,221	5	88	267	2,741

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

## Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>			
Less than \$10,000 .....	179	207	-14
\$10,000 or more .....	693	748	-7
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	51,158	43,711	17
Average per farm .....dollars..	58,668	45,770	28
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	24,589	21,887	12
Average per farm .....dollars..	28,199	22,918	23
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	758	804	-6
Partnership or corporation .....	112	150	-25
Other .....	2	1	100
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	436	500	-13
Other .....	436	455	-4
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	834	929	-10
Female .....	38	26	46
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	871	954	-9
Black and other races .....	1	1	
Average age of operator .....	51.4	50.6	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

\* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.