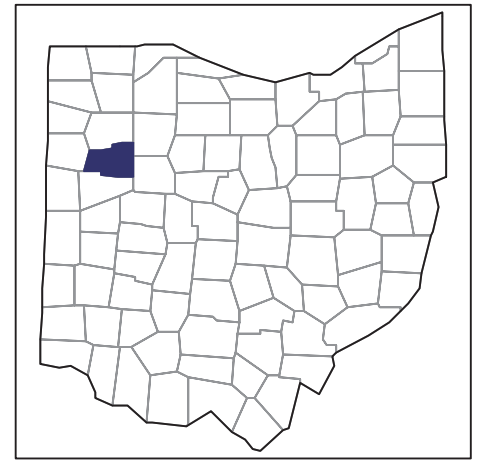


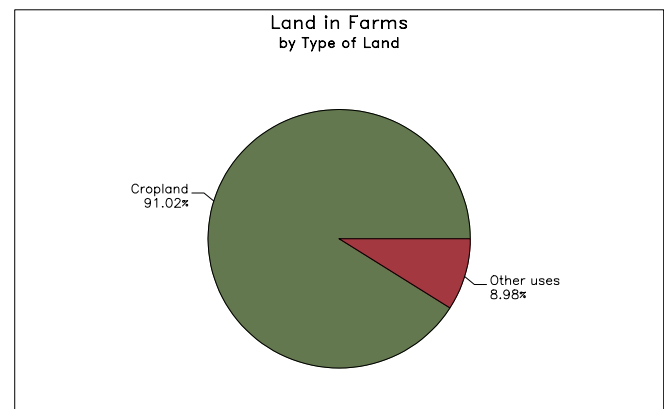
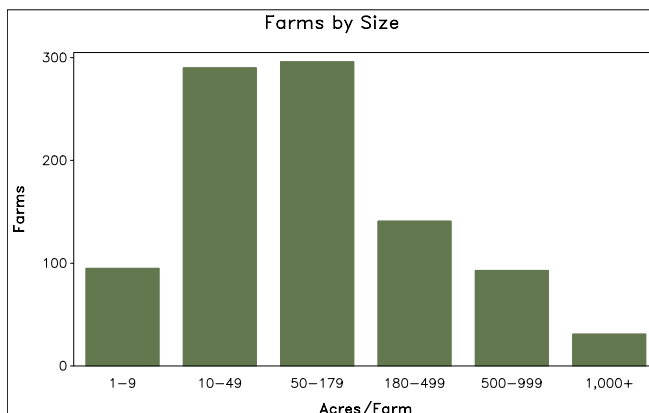
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Allen County Ohio



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	946	968	- 2
Land in Farms	187,238 acres	188,150 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	198 acres	194 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$87,627,000	\$41,264,000	+ 112
Crop Sales \$64,594,000 (74 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$23,033,000 (26 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$92,629	\$42,628	+ 117
Government Payments	\$3,921,000	\$2,859,000	+ 37
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,201	\$5,189	0



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County Profile

Allen County – Ohio

Ranked items among the 88 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	87,627	34	88	1,009	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	64,594	34	88	674	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	23,033	30	88	1,414	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	60,816	30	88	489	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,179	31	87	766	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2	76	84	1,458	1,710
Other crops and hay	524	75	88	2,119	3,054
Poultry and eggs	15	86	88	2,296	3,020
Cattle and calves	5,302	32	88	1,663	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,254	61	86	1,033	2,493
Hogs and pigs	15,007	9	88	279	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	83	58	88	1,253	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	314	26	88	755	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	59	49	88	1,279	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	72,887	28	87	337	2,039
Corn for grain	65,692	25	88	482	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	16,918	15	87	538	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,286	79	88	2,548	3,060
Popcorn	1,730	5	35	31	281
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	62,910	6	88	246	2,958
Cattle and calves	6,915	64	88	2,269	3,060
Sheep and lambs	820	57	88	1,058	2,891
Horses and ponies	721	64	88	1,804	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	560	34	85	1,086	2,476

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	250	Farming	358
\$1,000 to \$2,499	49	Other	588
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	81	Male	860
\$10,000 to \$19,999	72	Female	86
\$20,000 to \$24,999	27	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	79	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	45	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	94	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	93	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	59	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	43	White	1,326
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	66,968	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	70,790	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	27,416		
Average per farm (\$)	28,981		

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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.