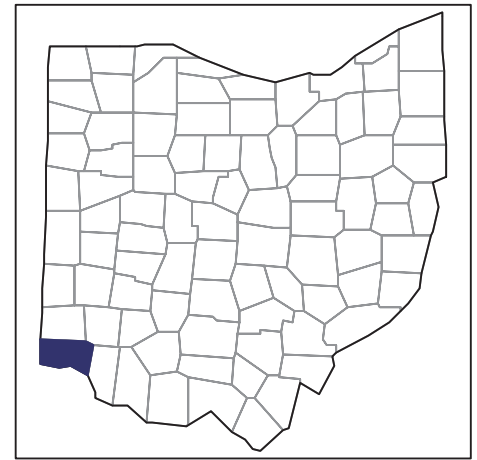


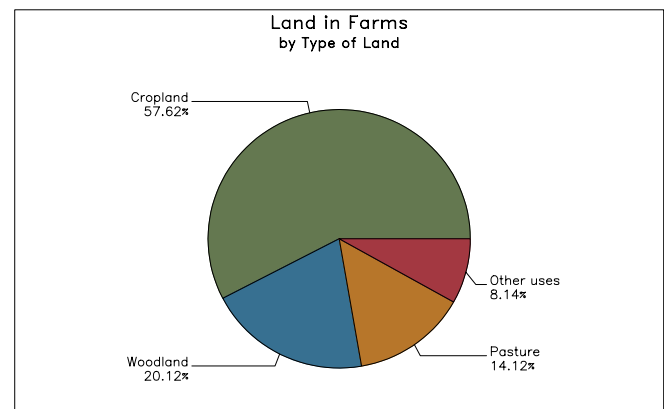
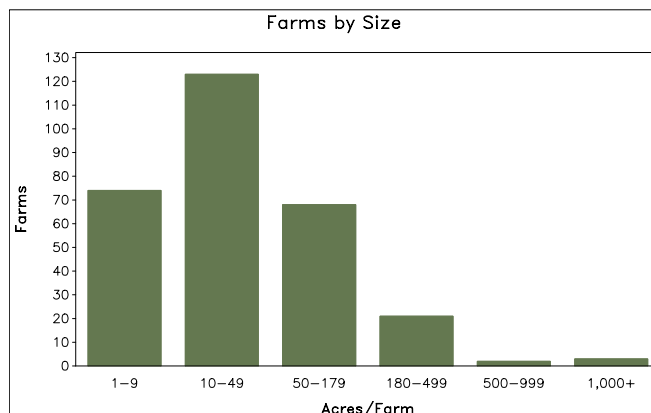
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Hamilton County Ohio



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	291	399	- 27
Land in Farms	21,290 acres	29,520 acres	- 28
Average Size of Farm	73 acres	74 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$19,479,000	\$23,635,000	- 18
Crop Sales \$15,197,000 (78 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,282,000 (22 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$66,938	\$59,235	+ 13
Government Payments	\$169,000	\$132,000	+ 28
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,133	\$4,251	+ 21



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County Profile

Hamilton 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	19,479	71	88	2,270	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15,197	65	88	1,623	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,282	76	88	2,504	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,980	72	88	1,786	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	787	37	88	888	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	11,883	9	87	253	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	87	88	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	28	88	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	490	83	88	2,781	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	863	74	86	1,410	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4	87	88	2,564	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	88	88	2,669	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	1	53	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	13	76	88	1,930	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	3,656	71	88	1,496	2,634
Soybeans for beans	2,488	71	87	1,358	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,165	84	88	2,707	3,060
Sod harvested	438	3	18	214	761
Vegetables harvested for sale	252	41	88	952	2,794
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,294	84	88	2,869	3,060
Horses and ponies	861	57	88	1,580	3,066
Layers	532	83	88	2,124	3,024
Colonies of bees	302	22	88	787	2,640
Goats, all	238	75	88	2,115	3,023

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	93	Farming	121
\$1,000 to \$2,499	39	Other	170
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	Male	229
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30	Female	62
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8	Black or African American	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	13	White	466
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,802	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	54,302	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,772		
Average per farm (\$)	16,399		

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.