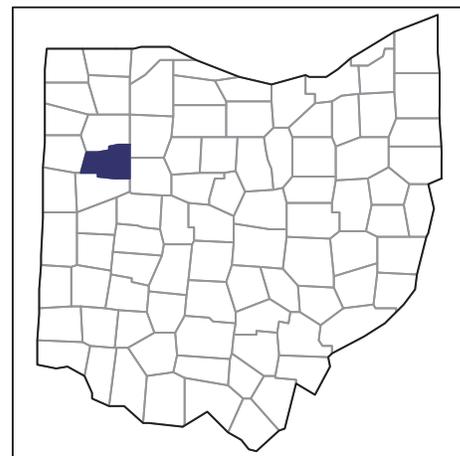


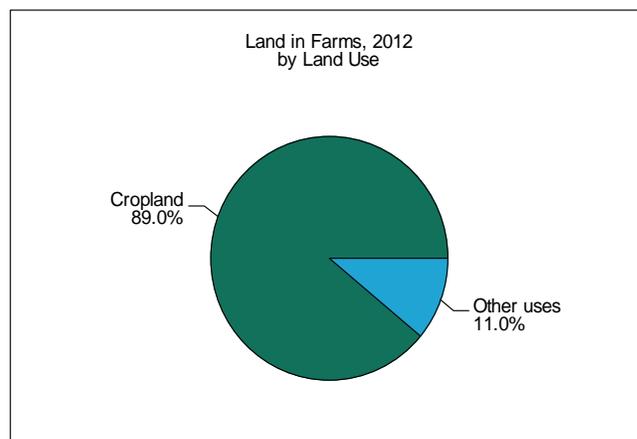
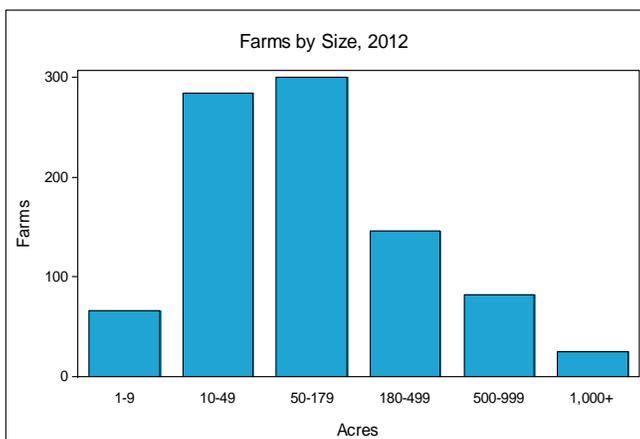
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Allen County Ohio

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	904	946	- 4
Land in Farms	183,186 acres	187,238 acres	- 2
Average Size of Farm	203 acres	198 acres	+ 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$144,091,000	\$87,627,000	+ 64
Crop Sales \$109,811,000 (76 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$34,279,000 (24 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$159,393	\$92,629	+ 72
Government Payments	\$3,593,000	\$3,921,000	- 8
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,339	\$5,201	+ 3





Allen County – Ohio

Ranked items among the 88 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	144,091	29	88	824	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	109,811	27	88	590	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	34,279	30	88	1,187	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	107,164	24	88	437	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	15	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	933	27	88	859	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	51	88	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	71	78	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	842	65	88	2,059	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	37	88	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	4,724	48	88	1,858	3,056
Milk from cows	901	72	85	1,301	2,038
Hogs and pigs	26,701	9	87	210	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	997	12	88	252	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	51	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	531	12	88	404	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	77,791	28	87	386	2,162
Corn for grain	64,868	27	87	495	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	7,373	22	87	803	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	7,373	22	87	722	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,642	80	88	2,594	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	80,372	7	88	203	2,889
Layers	(D)	21	88	(D)	3,040
Cattle and calves	5,210	70	88	2,374	3,063
Horses and ponies	930	46	88	1,284	3,072
Sheep and lambs	704	56	88	1,163	2,897

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	211	Farming	388
\$1,000 to \$2,499	49	Other	516
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	49	Male	815
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Female	89
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	60	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	43	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	99	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	118	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	84	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	72	White	1,275
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	103,610	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	114,613	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	50,311		
Average per farm (\$)	55,653		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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.