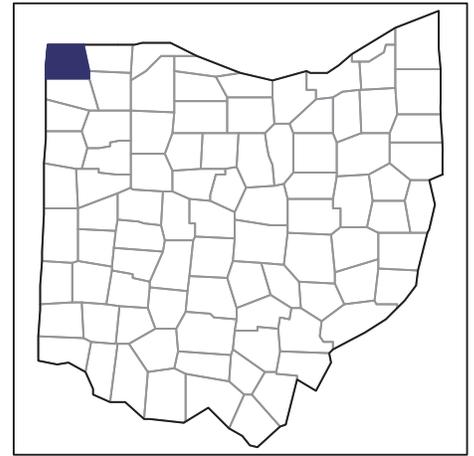


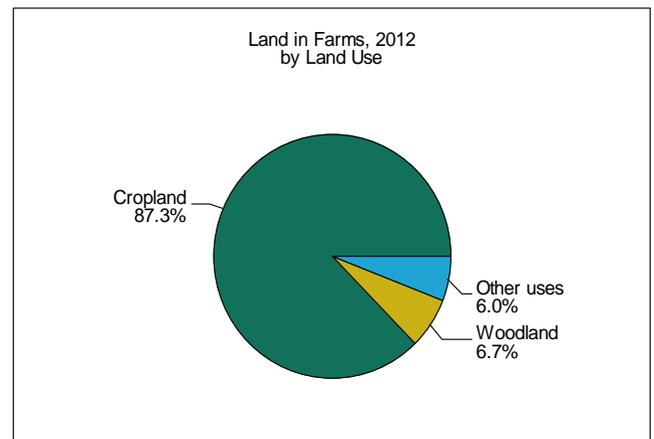
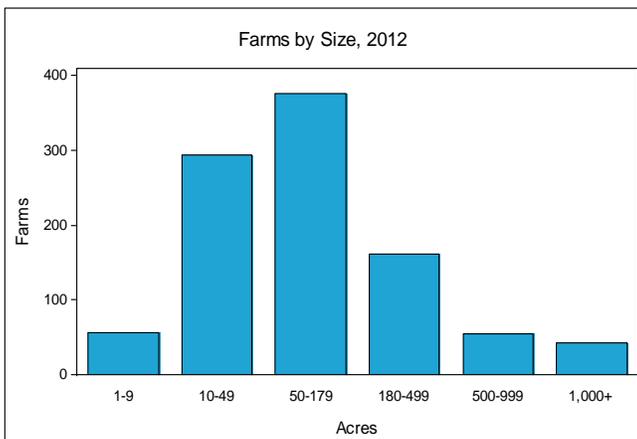
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Williams County Ohio

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	984	1,116	- 12
Land in Farms	208,012 acres	212,509 acres	- 2
Average Size of Farm	211 acres	190 acres	+ 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$125,978,000	\$102,524,000	+ 23
Crop Sales \$83,403,000 (66 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$42,574,000 (34 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$128,026	\$91,867	+ 39
Government Payments	\$5,771,000	\$5,601,000	+ 3
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,399	\$6,265	+ 18





Williams 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	125,978	37	88	949	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	83,403	39	88	776	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	42,574	22	88	1,015	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	80,364	38	88	595	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	15	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	18	88	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	81	88	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	78	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	37	66	88	1,736	3,013
Cattle and calves	14,012	12	88	1,070	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	32	87	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	238	25	88	704	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	108	64	88	1,774	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	51	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	81	49	88	1,214	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	76,208	30	87	404	2,162
Corn for grain	53,366	35	87	589	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	15,477	8	87	546	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	15,477	8	87	456	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,368	50	88	1,909	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	18,413	19	88	1,428	3,063
Hogs and pigs	10,315	41	88	628	2,889
Layers	1,063	76	88	1,816	3,040
Colonies of bees	1,013	4	88	393	2,761
Horses and ponies	720	63	88	1,631	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	412	Farming	369
\$1,000 to \$2,499	46	Other	615
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	48	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	70	Male	852
\$20,000 to \$24,999	26	Female	132
\$25,000 to \$39,999	45		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	24	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	95	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	51	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	57	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	104,758	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	106,462	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,324
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	34,578	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	35,141	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	11

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.