



Monroe County Ohio

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	808	-2
Land in farms (acres)	107,724	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	133	-1
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	13,961,000	+2
Government payments	69,000	-74
Farm-related income	1,398,000	+62
Total farm production expenses	16,279,000	+19
Net cash farm income	-851,000	-176
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	17,279	+4
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,871	+35
Farm-related income	7,768	+34
Total farm production expenses	20,147	+21
Net cash farm income	-1,053	-178

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	35
Livestock, poultry, and products	65

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	29
Pastureland	29
Woodland	36
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 60

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	320	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	118	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	163	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999	112	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	58	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	1
\$100,000 or more	26	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	33	4
10 to 49 acres	189	23
50 to 179 acres	416	51
180 to 499 acres	146	18
500 to 999 acres	20	2
1,000 + acres	4	(Z)

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	13,961	79	88	2,550	3,077
Crops	4,892	83	88	2,385	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	671	84	88	2,197	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	7	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	210	66	88	1,260	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,478	17	88	744	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	9,070	67	88	2,165	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	34	88	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	4,975	44	88	1,690	3,055
Milk from cows	2,241	57	82	796	1,892
Hogs and pigs	42	76	88	1,171	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	736	5	88	230	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	182	49	88	1,042	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	47	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

1,375

Sex

Male	894
Female	481

Age

<35	131
35 – 64	782
65 and older	462

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	2
Asian	-
Black or African American	3
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	1,362
More than one race	8

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2
With military service	163
New and beginning farmers	338

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **66**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **5**

Hire farm labor **13**

Are family farms **98**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	21,240
Corn for grain	768
Corn for silage or greenchop	586
Soybeans for beans	187
Vegetables harvested, all	51

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	12,713
Goats	856
Hogs and pigs	217
Horses and ponies	884
Layers	2,563
Pullets	407
Sheep and lambs	3,017
Turkeys	169

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.