



# Hocking County Ohio

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	449	+19
Land in farms (acres)	40,976	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	91	-10
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	8,357,000	+64
Government payments	331,000	-49
Farm-related income	338,000	-38
Total farm production expenses	11,533,000	+50
Net cash farm income	-2,507,000	-78
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	18,612	+38
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	6,764	-46
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	4,566	-38
Total farm production expenses	25,687	+26
Net cash farm income	-5,584	-49

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	74
Livestock, poultry, and products	26

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	13,333
Pastureland	5,572
Woodland	18,996
Other	3,075

Acres irrigated: 64

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	4

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	205	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	77	17
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	3
\$100,000 or more	13	3

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	58	13
10 to 49 acres	141	31
50 to 179 acres	194	43
180 to 499 acres	50	11
500 to 999 acres	5	1
1,000+ acres	1	(Z)

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,357</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,762</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>6,190</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,389</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,603	77	88	1,879	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	74	87	1,528	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	582	33	86	807	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,000	54	87	949	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	62	73	638	1,274
Other crops and hay	835	72	88	2,176	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>2,167</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,694</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	109	69	88	1,320	3,027
Cattle and calves	771	69	88	2,438	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	78	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	54	88	586	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	103	73	88	1,412	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	67	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	44	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	251	31	88	630	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	783	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	83
Male	482		
Female	301		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	72		
35 – 64	400		
65 and older	311		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	15
American Indian/Alaska Native	2		
Asian	7		
Black or African American	6		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	761	Hire farm labor	12
More than one race	7		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	95
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		
With military service	99		
New and beginning farmers	287		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			315
			Cattle and calves
			2,489
			Goats
			669
			Hogs and pigs
			(D)
			Horses and ponies
			245
			Layers
			2,696
			Pullets
			328
			Sheep and lambs
			706
			Turkeys
			36

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> 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.