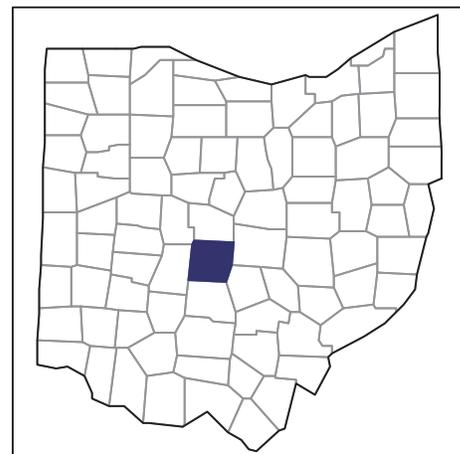


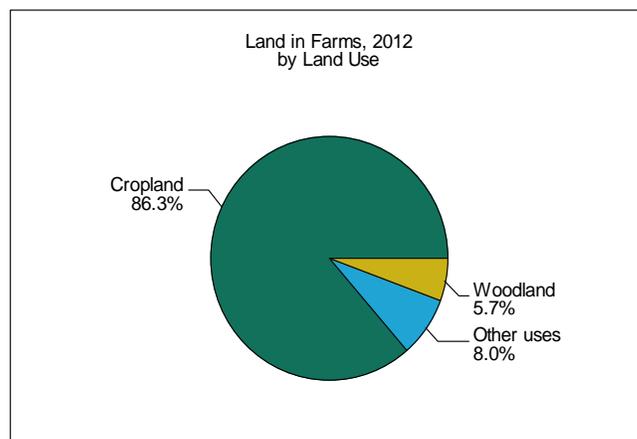
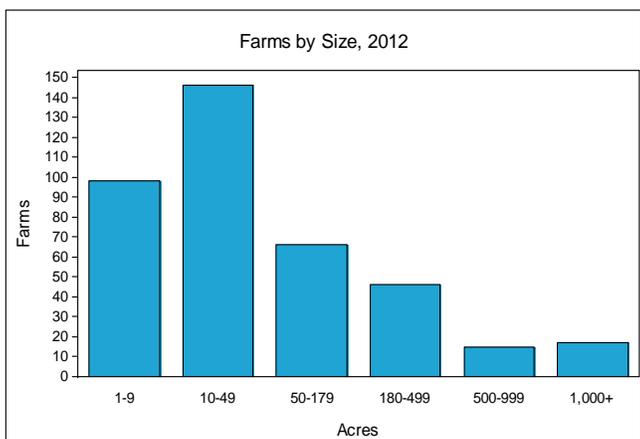
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Franklin County Ohio

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	388	429	- 10
<b>Land in Farms</b>	62,017 acres	59,601 acres	+ 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	160 acres	139 acres	+ 15
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$48,228,000	\$43,685,000	+ 10
Crop Sales \$46,387,000 (96 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,842,000 (4 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$124,300	\$101,830	+ 22
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$853,000	\$997,000	- 14
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,806	\$6,193	- 6





## Franklin County – Ohio

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	48,228	63	88	1,790	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	46,387	56	88	1,211	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,842	82	88	2,777	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	26,384	59	88	1,132	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	15	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	521	41	88	1,079	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	166	37	87	1,174	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18,837	5	88	161	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	284	3	78	116	1,530
Other crops and hay	195	86	88	2,777	3,049
Poultry and eggs	21	79	88	2,028	3,013
Cattle and calves	417	84	88	2,818	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	76	85	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	33	76	87	1,587	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	120	57	88	1,205	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	384	34	88	727	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	10	51	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	228	18	88	703	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	26,346	56	87	835	2,162
Corn for grain	19,265	59	87	986	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	2,060	52	87	1,340	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,060	52	87	1,272	2,480
Sod harvested	1,614	1	17	36	690
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	1,428	69	88	1,576	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,049	43	88	1,146	3,072
Cattle and calves	773	85	88	2,908	3,063
Sheep and lambs	684	58	88	1,183	2,897
Hogs and pigs	642	62	88	1,155	2,889

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	89	Farming	157
\$1,000 to \$2,499	32	Other	231
\$2,500 to \$4,999	56	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	Male	308
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38	Female	80
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	Asian	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	26	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	18	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	24	White	571
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	38,586	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	99,447	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,629		
Average per farm (\$)	35,126		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.