

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Guernsey County, Ohio

Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's

Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Total					
		Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Adams township	25.2	1.2	67.7	0.1	30.7	26.0	4.7
Cambridge township	29.3	4.1	66.3	0.3	27.9	22.0	5.9
Center township	24.0	1.0	66.7	0.8	29.1	24.0	5.1
Jackson township	23.3	4.0	59.0	0.4	35.8	27.7	8.1
Jefferson township	22.4	1.4	72.2	0.1	12.2	8.7	3.5
Knox township	25.0	0.0	75.0	0.0	24.7	19.7	5.0
Liberty township	23.8	0.8	63.4	0.3	28.1	20.7	7.4
Londonderry township	36.4	0.2	65.0	1.2	33.2	27.4	5.8
Madison township	24.9	0.2	45.9	0.4	53.2	43.6	9.6
Millwood township	26.6	0.2	73.8	0.4	23.4	19.8	3.5
Monroe township	25.0	0.3	64.7	0.0	33.8	27.2	6.6
Oxford township	29.7	0.5	65.6	0.1	33.6	30.1	3.5
Richland township	27.4	0.4	55.1	0.2	39.4	32.1	7.3
Spencer township	29.0	0.2	54.3	0.1	44.3	38.6	5.6
Valley township	22.4	1.9	56.4	0.5	40.2	32.2	8.0
Washington township	24.6	0.0	64.0	0.0	34.2	26.9	7.3
Westland township	25.3	0.9	49.1	0.1	49.2	41.8	7.4
Wheeling township	32.3	0.5	73.3	0.2	24.6	15.7	8.9
Wills township	35.6	0.4	58.0	1.3	39.8	33.9	5.9

Note: Percentages do not sum to 100 because of omission of barren land and water cover.

**Total Farmland consists of the sum of pasture land and row crop land.*

Table 2: County Land Cover 1982 to 1997, from the National Resource Inventory
Guernsey County, Ohio

Total Acres (in 1,000's)						
Year	Total Acres Esimated	Total Urban Land	Total Forest Land	Total Farm Land*	Total Crop Land	Total Pasture
1982	338.1	18.0	150.5	154.1	63.1	91.0
1987	338.1	18.7	159.8	143.8	59.8	84.0
1992	338.1	20.2	170.9	133.4	55.6	77.8
1997	338.1	23.7	172.9	119.6	57.8	61.8

Percentage of Land Cover**						
Year	Total Acres Esimated	Total Urban Land	Total Forest Land	Total Farm Land*	Total Crop Land	Total Pasture
1982	N/A	5.3%	44.5%	45.6%	18.7%	26.9%
1987	N/A	5.5%	47.3%	42.5%	17.7%	24.8%
1992	N/A	6.0%	50.5%	39.5%	16.4%	23.0%
1997	N/A	7.0%	51.1%	35.4%	17.1%	18.3%

**Total Farm Land equals sum of all crop land and all pasture land*

***Percentages do not sum to 100%, due to omission of water and federal land use cover*

Table 3: County Land Cover Change 1982 to 1997, from the National Resource Inventory
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Land Cover	1982 to 1987		1987 to 1992		1992 to 1997		1982 to 1997	
	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change
Urban Land	0.7	3.9%	1.5	8.0%	3.5	17.3%	5.7	31.7%
Forest Land	9.3	6.2%	11.1	6.9%	2	1.2%	22.4	14.9%
Total Farmland**	-10.3	-6.7%	-10.4	-7.2%	-13.8	-10.3%	-34.5	-22.4%
Crop Land	-3.3	-5.2%	-4.2	-7.0%	2.2	4.0%	-5.3	-8.4%
Pasture Land	-7	-7.7%	-6.2	-7.4%	-16	-20.6%	-29.2	-32.1%

**Absolute Change measured in thousands of acres*

***Total Farm Land equals sum of all crop land and all pasture land*

Table 4: 1997 Township Zoning Information

Guernsey County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
ADAMS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CENTER TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
JACKSON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
KNOX TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LIBERTY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LONDONDERRY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MADISON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MILLWOOD TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MONROE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
OXFORD TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
RICHLAND TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SPENCER TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
VALLEY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WESTLAND TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WHEELING TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WILLS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
