

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Huron County, Ohio

Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's

Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Total					
		Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Bronson township	26.2	0.2	17.2	0.3	82.1	21.4	60.8
Clarksfield township	27.1	0.5	24.7	0.5	74.4	21.8	52.5
Fairfield township	25.5	0.0	14.0	0.3	85.5	17.4	68.1
Fitchville township	25.9	0.2	26.9	1.1	71.6	14.7	56.9
Greenfield township	25.3	0.5	26.3	0.7	71.1	19.8	51.3
Greenwich township	25.0	0.3	20.6	0.2	78.7	21.2	57.5
Hartland township	25.6	0.0	17.4	0.6	81.8	16.4	65.4
Lyme township	23.6	1.2	4.0	0.3	94.3	13.6	80.7
New Haven township	22.2	1.2	17.3	0.2	79.8	16.9	62.8
New London township	23.8	0.3	21.8	1.1	76.4	17.9	58.5
Norwalk township	17.8	2.3	25.7	0.6	71.1	28.9	42.1
Norwich township	26.0	0.2	14.0	0.5	85.2	19.3	65.9
Peru township	25.7	0.1	17.6	0.8	81.5	20.0	61.5
Richmond township	25.6	1.0	15.6	1.3	81.8	20.0	61.8
Ridgefield township	24.2	0.1	11.4	0.4	88.0	13.8	74.1
Ripley township	25.6	0.1	19.0	0.3	80.4	20.1	60.4
Sherman township	25.9	0.0	11.8	0.4	87.4	16.2	71.3
Townsend township	25.7	0.4	15.7	0.3	83.5	22.2	61.3
Wakeman township	24.5	0.2	27.6	0.5	71.5	21.9	49.6

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
Huron 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	316.8	25.3	50.8	226.5	221.7	4.8
1987	316.8	27.4	50.2	224.9	219.0	5.9
1992	316.8	33.9	48.2	215.3	210.0	5.3
1997	316.8	35.7	45.9	213.6	205.6	8.0

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	8.0%	16.0%	71.5%	70.0%	1.5%
1987	N/A	8.6%	15.8%	71.0%	69.1%	1.9%
1992	N/A	10.7%	15.2%	68.0%	66.3%	1.7%
1997	N/A	11.3%	14.5%	67.4%	64.9%	2.5%

**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
Huron County, Ohio

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	2.1	8.3%	6.5	23.7%	1.8	5.3%	10.4	41.1%
Forest Land	-0.6	-1.2%	-2	-4.0%	-2.3	-4.8%	-4.9	-9.6%
Total Farmland**	-1.6	-0.7%	-9.6	-4.3%	-1.7	-0.8%	-12.9	-5.7%
Crop Land	-2.7	-1.2%	-9	-4.1%	-4.4	-2.1%	-16.1	-7.3%
Pasture Land	1.1	22.9%	-0.6	-10.2%	2.7	50.9%	3.2	66.7%

**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

Huron County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
BRONSON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CLARKSFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FITCHVILLE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GREENFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GREENWICH VILLAGE	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
HARTLAND TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LYME TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NEW HAVEN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NEW LONDON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NORWALK TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NORWICH TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PERU TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
RICHMOND TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
RIDGEFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
RIPLEY TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SHERMAN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
TOWNSEND TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WAKEMAN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
