

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Marion County, Ohio		Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's					
Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Total Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Big Island township	35.3	0.2	6.3	1.9	91.2	8.5	82.6
Bowling Green township	27.6	0.1	6.5	0.3	93.0	8.5	84.6
Claridon township	36.6	2.3	8.3	0.7	88.6	12.1	76.6
Grand township	18.2	0.1	11.9	0.6	87.5	9.8	77.7
Grand Prairie township	18.2	1.5	6.7	0.5	91.1	10.9	80.2
Green Camp township	24.0	0.1	7.0	0.6	91.8	8.7	83.1
Marion township	25.5	10.7	5.5	0.5	81.4	12.8	68.6
Montgomery township	27.5	0.2	7.8	0.3	91.7	9.8	81.9
Pleasant township	28.3	3.8	10.6	0.3	85.1	17.8	67.3
Prospect township	23.6	0.1	5.5	0.4	92.8	12.2	80.6
Richland township	30.7	0.8	12.0	0.7	86.0	13.2	72.8
Salt Rock township	21.8	0.0	2.8	0.3	96.8	3.2	93.6
Scott township	24.5	0.0	5.0	0.6	94.4	4.9	89.5
Tully township	21.0	0.2	11.7	1.1	86.9	13.5	73.4
Waldo township	18.2	0.4	12.8	0.8	85.4	12.3	73.2

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
Marion 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	258.7	18.7	9.6	210.4	204.3	6.1
1987	258.7	19.6	9.6	209.5	203.4	6.1
1992	258.7	21.2	12.3	202.8	199.3	3.5
1997	258.7	23.6	15.2	197.7	197.7	-

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	7.2%	3.7%	81.3%	79.0%	2.4%
1987	N/A	7.6%	3.7%	81.0%	78.6%	2.4%
1992	N/A	8.2%	4.8%	78.4%	77.0%	1.4%
1997	N/A	9.1%	5.9%	76.4%	76.4%	0.0%

**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
Marion 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	0.9	4.8%	1.6	8.2%	2.4	11.3%	4.9	26.2%
Forest Land	0	0.0%	2.7	28.1%	2.9	23.6%	5.6	58.3%
Total Farmland**	-0.9	-0.4%	-6.7	-3.2%	-5.1	-2.5%	-12.7	-6.0%
Crop Land	-0.9	-0.4%	-4.1	-2.0%	-1.6	-0.8%	-6.6	-3.2%
Pasture Land	0	0.0%	-2.6	-42.6%	-3.5	-100.0%	-6.1	-100.0%

**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
 Marion County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
BIG ISLAND TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
BOWLING GREEN TOWNSHIP	No Zoning
CLARIDON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GRAND PRAIRIE TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GRAND TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GREEN CAMP TOWNSHIP	No Zoning
MARION TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PLEASANT TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PROSPECT TOWNSHIP	No Zoning
RICHLAND TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SALT ROCK TOWNSHIP	No Zoning
SCOTT TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
TULLY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WALDO TOWNSHIP	No Zoning