

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Morrow County, Ohio

Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's

Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Total Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Bennington township	25.1	0.6	27.6	0.2	71.2	24.1	47.1
Canaan township	27.5	0.0	8.8	0.1	91.1	10.8	80.3
Cardington township	22.1	0.2	13.2	0.1	86.5	13.6	72.9
Chester township	26.3	0.2	31.0	0.3	68.0	24.9	43.1
Congress township	31.3	0.1	23.6	0.2	75.0	25.3	49.7
Franklin township	27.4	0.4	31.0	0.2	68.0	30.3	37.7
Gilead township	30.7	0.4	22.9	0.1	76.2	24.1	52.2
Harmony township	24.0	0.6	28.1	0.4	70.7	19.3	51.4
Lincoln township	22.6	0.1	22.4	0.3	77.0	18.1	59.0
North Bloomfield township	29.7	0.3	22.2	0.1	77.3	21.8	55.4
Perry township	20.9	0.6	28.3	0.1	71.0	28.0	43.0
Peru township	23.4	0.1	26.1	0.1	73.7	15.4	58.3
South Bloomfield township	25.8	0.1	26.8	0.3	72.5	27.0	45.6
Troy township	14.3	0.1	34.5	0.1	62.4	27.9	34.5
Washington township	22.2	1.6	20.8	0.1	76.6	18.4	58.2
Westfield township	26.0	0.1	10.9	0.1	88.7	12.3	76.4

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
Morrow 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	260.8	9.9	56.5	176.1	153.0	23.1
1987	260.8	12.0	55.4	168.9	148.3	20.6
1992	260.8	13.2	54.3	162.6	142.0	20.6
1997	260.8	14.6	55.9	163.4	142.1	21.3

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	3.8%	21.7%	67.5%	58.7%	8.9%
1987	N/A	4.6%	21.2%	64.8%	56.9%	7.9%
1992	N/A	5.1%	20.8%	62.3%	54.4%	7.9%
1997	N/A	5.6%	21.4%	62.7%	54.5%	8.2%

**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
Morrow 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	21.2%	1.2	10.0%	1.4	10.6%	4.7	47.5%
Forest Land	-1.1	-1.9%	-1.1	-2.0%	1.6	2.9%	-0.6	-1.1%
Total Farmland**	-7.2	-4.1%	-6.3	-3.7%	0.8	0.5%	-12.7	-7.2%
Crop Land	-4.7	-3.1%	-6.3	-4.2%	0.1	0.1%	-10.9	-7.1%
Pasture Land	-2.5	-10.8%	0	0.0%	0.7	3.4%	-1.8	-7.8%

**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
Morrow County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
BENNINGTON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CANAAN TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CARDINGTON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CHESTER TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CONGRESS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GILEAD TOWNSHIP	Enacted County Rural Zoning or Equivalent
HARMONY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LINCOLN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NORTH BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PERRY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PERU TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SOUTH BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
TROY TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WESTFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent