

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Washington County, Ohio

Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's

Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's					
		Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Total Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Adams township	30.9	0.3	57.0	0.0	40.7	33.1	7.6
Aurelius township	13.9	0.9	61.7	0.5	33.3	23.2	10.1
Barlow township	31.8	0.4	47.1	0.0	52.3	44.9	7.4
Belpre township	24.0	5.6	53.5	0.1	38.0	33.4	4.6
Decatur township	35.1	0.0	74.0	0.1	25.8	22.6	3.2
Dunham township	23.4	0.6	60.8	0.1	37.1	33.3	3.7
Fairfield township	24.6	0.1	58.0	0.0	41.8	35.0	6.9
Fearing township	23.7	0.2	48.0	0.1	50.8	47.9	2.9
Grandview township	34.8	2.3	84.0	0.0	12.5	10.7	1.8
Independence township	28.5	0.1	93.9	0.0	5.4	5.0	0.5
Lawrence township	35.2	0.0	84.8	0.1	14.2	12.8	1.5
Liberty township	29.5	0.0	85.8	0.0	14.1	12.0	2.1
Ludlow township	22.5	0.0	83.0	0.2	16.0	13.7	2.3
Marietta New township	15.2	7.8	43.2	0.3	46.7	40.5	6.2
Muskingum township	21.4	5.7	56.6	0.1	33.5	26.1	7.4
Newport township	35.6	1.3	78.4	0.1	19.2	17.6	1.6
Palmer township	22.4	0.0	46.4	0.1	53.3	41.6	11.6
Salem township	27.8	0.7	60.0	0.1	38.4	33.9	4.5
Warren township	37.6	3.0	59.9	0.1	35.6	32.5	3.1
Waterford township	36.9	1.2	39.2	0.1	55.4	42.5	12.9
Watertown township	36.5	0.1	36.7	0.0	63.1	55.2	7.9
Wesley township	31.2	0.1	57.1	0.3	42.4	33.5	8.8

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
Washington 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	409.7	28.0	162.3	174.3	64.8	109.5
1987	409.7	28.9	184.7	150.9	61.4	89.5
1992	409.7	30.2	196.2	135.2	56.9	78.3
1997	409.7	32.8	208.7	116.7	54.3	62.4

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	6.8%	39.6%	42.5%	15.8%	26.7%
1987	N/A	7.1%	45.1%	36.8%	15.0%	21.8%
1992	N/A	7.4%	47.9%	33.0%	13.9%	19.1%
1997	N/A	8.0%	50.9%	28.5%	13.3%	15.2%

**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
Washington 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	3.2%	1.3	4.5%	2.6	8.6%	4.8	17.1%
Forest Land	22.4	13.8%	11.5	6.2%	12.5	6.4%	46.4	28.6%
Total Farmland**	-23.4	-13.4%	-15.7	-10.4%	-18.5	-13.7%	-57.6	-33.0%
Crop Land	-3.4	-5.2%	-4.5	-7.3%	-2.6	-4.6%	-10.5	-16.2%
Pasture Land	-20	-18.3%	-11.2	-12.5%	-15.9	-20.3%	-47.1	-43.0%

**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
Washington County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
ADAMS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
AURELIUS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
BARLOW TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
BELPRE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
DECATUR TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
DUNHAM TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FEARING TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
GRANDVIEW TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LIBERTY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
LUDLOW TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MARIETTA TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MUSKINGUM TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
NEWPORT TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PALMER TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SALEM TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WARREN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WATERFORD TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WESLEY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent