

Adams County - 1850 Census Data

Township	Number of farms	Improved Acres	Unimproved Acres	Average improved acres per farm	Average acres per farm	% of farm acres improved	Cash value of farms	Average farm value
Berwick	64	3243	993	51	66	77	169945	2655
Butler	114	10791	3265	95	123	77	346255	3037
Conewago	48	4985	1061	104	126	82	284750	5932
Cumberland	119	14804	4332	124	161	77	440810	3704
Franklin	134	13389	5984	100	145	69	416800	3110
Freedom	46	6195	2030	135	179	75	166340	3616
Germany	69	5695	1389	83	103	80	213650	3096
Hamilton	80	6167	1339	77	94	82	288900	3611
Hamiltonban	82	10716	7112	131	217	60	348650	4252
Huntington	122	9320	4218	76	111	69	347775	2851
Latimore	102	8857	2914	87	115	75	337500	3309
Liberty	59	6808	3931	115	182	63	217550	3687
Menallen	103	8590	10783	83	188	44	286490	2781
Mount Joy	110	11371	3604	103	136	76	302880	2753
Mount Pleasant	151	13650	4031	90	117	77	391360	2592
Oxford	64	4968	1284	78	98	79	278700	4355
Reading	129	19150	4206	148	181	82	435000	3372
Straban	146	16229	4396	111	141	79	465136	3186
Tyrone	86	8293	3088	96	132	73	241100	2803
Union	68	7142	1892	105	133	79	368105	5413
Adams County Average	95	9518	3593	100	137	73	317385	3506
PA Average				55	117	47		3200

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Township	Value of farming implements	Average implement value	Horses	Horses per farm	Mules	Milch Cows	Milch cows per farm	Oxen
Berwick	4107	64	131	2	0	187	3	0
Butler	9886	87	367	3	0	475	4	0
Conewago	8237	172	170	4	0	294	6	0
Cumberland	16597	139	430	4	0	609	5	0
Franklin	14307	107	474	4	0	611	5	0
Freedom	6526	142	183	4	0	238	5	0
Germany	9594	139	203	3	0	296	4	0
Hamilton	7565	95	239	3	2	314	4	0
Hamiltonban	11675	142	351	4	0	387	5	0
Huntington	11275	92	364	3	12	451	4	0
Latimore	12492	122	340	3	0	427	4	0
Liberty	8820	149	228	4	0	312	5	0
Menallen	11790	114	327	3	0	404	4	0
Mount Joy	16114	146	369	3	0	499	5	0
Mount Pleasant	15980	106	513	3	0	698	5	0
Oxford	9063	142	173	3	6	282	4	4
Reading	15168	118	395	3	0	580	4	0
Straban	15543	106	552	4	0	640	4	0
Tyrone	8885	103	240	3	4	368	4	0
Union	13811	203	291	4	0	290	4	0
Adams County Average	11372	124	317	3	1	418	4	0
PA Average		113		3			4	

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Township	Other Cattle	Other cattle per farm	Sheep	Sheep per farm	Swine	Swine per farm	Livestock value	Wheat (bushels)
Berwick	115	2	43	1	533	8	12722	8064
Butler	433	4	501	4	1162	10	29696	12917
Conewago	136	3	82	2	665	14	17065	12501
Cumberland	588	5	517	4	1419	12	42060	23358
Franklin	659	5	886	7	1486	11	44919	18391
Freedom	206	4	233	5	452	10	18358	8967
Germany	121	2	137	2	682	10	16094	10174
Hamilton	245	3	188	2	854	11	23750	14010
Hamiltonban	603	7	1022	12	1236	15	37900	20788
Huntington	407	3	491	4	1323	11	34403	17294
Latimore	364	4	414	4	1140	11	31644	14394
Liberty	304	5	454	8	920	16	23974	11961
Menallen	387	4	674	7	1120	11	27491	12234
Mount Joy	246	2	301	3	1060	10	18020	17244
Mount Pleasant	347	2	283	2	1435	10	40535	23621
Oxford	211	3	59	1	833	13	21173	12989
Reading	529	4	468	4	1242	10	33787	23888
Straban	529	4	356	2	1496	10	47088	23982
Tyrone	321	4	411	5	1013	12	24444	11364
Union	206	3	193	3	823	12	11755	17808
Adams County Average	348	4	386	4	1045	11	27844	15797
PA Average		5		14		8		

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Township	Bushels of wheat per farm	Rye (bushels)	Bushels of rye per farm	Corn (bushels)	Bushels of corn per farm	Oats (bushels)	Bushels of oats per farm	Tobacco (lbs.)
Berwick	126	3132	49	7717	121	5559	87	0
Butler	113	1029	9	16665	146	16414	144	0
Conewago	260	3134	65	9383	195	11185	233	0
Cumberland	196	1556	13	18811	158	16084	135	0
Franklin	137	1331	10	24613	184	18557	138	0
Freedom	195	835	18	6240	136	4808	105	0
Germany	147	1892	27	7747	112	8173	118	0
Hamilton	175	3557	44	13670	171	9400	118	0
Hamiltonban	254	1312	16	24830	303	11581	141	0
Huntington	142	3154	26	19665	161	13843	113	0
Latimore	141	2985	29	14640	144	14635	143	0
Liberty	203	1520	26	11330	192	7005	119	0
Menallen	119	3976	39	16310	158	9061	88	0
Mount Joy	157	2717	25	10535	96	12361	112	0
Mount Pleasant	156	4568	30	15496	103	22056	146	0
Oxford	203	1302	20	10985	172	11562	181	0
Reading	185	3679	29	19665	152	10839	84	0
Straban	164	3521	24	18640	128	21261	146	0
Tyrone	132	1851	22	11675	136	10109	118	0
Union	262	3648	54	13682	201	16924	249	0
Adams County Average	173	2535	29	14615	158	12571	136	0
PA Average	120		38		155		170	

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Township	Wool (lbs.)	Peas/beans (bushels)	Potatoes (bushels)	Bushels of potatoes per farm	Sweet Potatoes (bushels)	Barley (bushels)	Buckwheat (bushels)	Bushels of buckwheat per farm
Berwick	66	0	1972	31	0	0	0	0
Butler	1587	4	2054	18	96	0	159	1
Conewago	368	0	1174	24	37	30	20	0
Cumberland	1599	0	1276	11	62	0	216	2
Franklin	2129	0	2641	20	284	0	145	1
Freedom	1177	0	431	9	0	0	67	1
Germany	521	0	1477	21	32	0	0	0
Hamilton	321	0	1624	20	6	0	0	0
Hamiltonban	2794	0	1875	23	194	0	158	2
Huntington	1453	0	3366	28	45	0	314	3
Latimore	1367	0	1922	19	20	0	157	2
Liberty	1367	0	1161	20	24	0	69	1
Menallen	1985	0	3317	32	39	0	337	3
Mount Joy	964	0	1444	13	77	0	136	1
Mount Pleasant	1394	0	2097	14	170	0	135	1
Oxford	134	0	1839	29	0	0	0	0
Reading	598	0	2302	18	22	0	80	1
Straban	1661	0	1817	12	208	0	133	1
Tyrone	1143	0	1516	18	31	0	225	3
Union	1061	0	2198	32	105	0	36	1
Adams County Average	1184	0	1875	21	73	2	119	1
PA Average				47				17

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Township	Orchard value	Wine	Value of produce of Market Gardens	Butter (lbs.)	Butter per farm (lbs.)	Cheese (lbs.)	Cheese Average (lbs. per farm)	Cheese in Butter Equivalent
Berwick	75	0	0	14658	229	0	0	0
Butler	688	0	4	25281	222	0	0	0
Conewago	135	0	0	24250	505	600	13	6
Cumberland	200	0	0	49517	416	0	0	0
Franklin	0	0	0	40819	305	0	0	0
Freedom	0	0	0	17562	382	0	0	0
Germany	186	0	0	27260	395	0	0	0
Hamilton	243	0	0	21026	263	0	0	0
Hamiltonban	0	0	0	28293	345	0	0	0
Huntington	643	0	0	29252	240	0	0	0
Latimore	431	0	0	26702	262	0	0	0
Liberty	0	0	0	21525	365	0	0	0
Menallen	1449	0	0	23215	225	0	0	0
Mount Joy	104	0	0	50391	458	0	0	0
Mount Pleasant	56	0	0	44591	295	500	3	2
Oxford	60	0	0	24085	376	0	0	0
Reading	126	0	0	32725	254	0	0	0
Straban	380	0	0	58460	400	0	0	0
Tyrone	425	0	0	21375	249	0	0	0
Union	121	0	0	36987	544	80	1	1
Adams County Average	266	0	0	30899	336	59	1	0
PA Average					312			20

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Township	Dairy in Butter Equivalent	Hay (tons)	Hay Average (tons per farm)	Estimated grass acreage @ 1 ton hay/acre	Clover seed (bushels)	Grass seed (bushels)	Hops (lbs.)	Hemp Total (tons)
Berwick	229	729	11	17	9	26	0	0
Butler	222	2164	19	14	138	201	0	0
Conewago	511	1316	27	14	153	36	0	0
Cumberland	416	2627	22	15	132	193	0	0
Franklin	305	2453	18	16	233	78	0	0
Freedom	382	967	21	16	71	21	0	0
Germany	395	1080	16	16	93	36	0	0
Hamilton	263	1485	19	19	73	50	0	0
Hamiltonban	345	1779	22	22	189	72	0	0
Huntington	240	2221	18	18	327	101	0	0
Latimore	262	2035	20	20	173	109	0	0
Liberty	365	1139	19	19	147	76	0	0
Menallen	225	1809	18	18	336	35	0	0
Mount Joy	458	1718	16	16	146	81	4	0
Mount Pleasant	297	2420	16	16	228	112	0	0
Oxford	376	1379	22	22	66	40	0	0
Reading	254	2648	21	21	209	100	0	0
Straban	400	3199	22	22	274	227	29	0
Tyrone	249	1570	18	18	136	83	0	0
Union	545	1462	22	22	495	70	0	0
Adams County Average	337	1810	19	18	181	87	2	0
PA Average	332		13	14				

