

Oregon's Community Food Systems Indicators

General Information						
	2011	2016	% change	2011	2016	% change
	Oregon			Wheeler		
Annual Population Estimate	3,857,625	4,076,350	5.7	1,435	1,465	2.1

Food Access and Insecurity						
	2011	2016	% change	2011	2016	% change
SNAP Participation	20.2%	17.5%	-13.1	18.2%	15.8%	-13.3
Farmers Markets Accepting SNAP	N/A	92	-	N/A	0	-
	2006-10	2012-16	% change	2006-10	2012-16	% change
Poverty Rate Total Population	14.0%	15.7%	12.4	11.4%	20.2%	77.9
	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change
Average Cost of a Meal	\$2.56	\$2.91	13.7	\$2.60	\$3.02	16.2
Percentage of Individuals who are Food Insecure	17.5%	14.2%	-18.9	15.7%	15.6%	-0.6
Grocery Stores	729	767	5.2	1	1	0.0
Population per Grocery Store	5,255	5,233	-0.4	1,441	1,445	0.3
Low Income and Low Access to a Grocery Store	5.0%	5.1%	2.4	46.0%	37.7%	-18.1
Specialty Food Stores	367	389	6.0	-	-	-

Farm Base						
	2011	2016	% change	2011	2016	% change
Farm Employment	67,967	56,932	-16.2	221	202	-8.6
Farm Compensation	977,254	1,023,753	4.8	2,183	2,531	15.9
Compensation per Farm Job	\$14,378	\$17,982	25.1	\$9,878	\$12,530	26.8
	2007	2012	% change	2007	2012	% change
Land in Farms	16,399,647	16,301,578	-0.6	757,780	649,086	-14.3
Number of Farms	38,553	35,439	-8.1	164	153	-6.7
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	59.6	3.7	61.9	62.1	0.3
Average Value per Farm Acre	1,890	1,882	-0.4	464	648	39.7
Farms with Sales <\$25,000	29,765	26,835	-9.8	114	97	-14.9
Farms with Sales \$25,000-\$99,999	4,110	3,958	-3.7	22	26	18.2
Farms with Sales \$100,000-\$249,999	1,939	1,755	-9.5	18	14	-22.2
Farms with Sales >\$250,000	2,739	2,891	5.5	10	16	60.0

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	2007	2012	% change	2007	2012	% change
<u>Percent of Farms by Primary Production</u>						
Oilseed and grain	2.1	3.4	62.2	0.6	0.0	-100.0
Vegetable and melon	2.1	3.3	62.2	0.0	0.7	-
Fruit and Tree Nut	9.8	10.4	6.6	0.6	1.3	114.4
Greenhouse, Nursery, Floriculture	9.5	8.9	-6.5	1.2	0.7	-46.4
Sugarcane, Hay, Other Crops	19.2	20.1	4.6	25.0	26.8	7.2
Beef Cattle	31.3	32.2	2.9	48.8	45.8	-6.2
Cattle Feedlots	2.0	0.4	-80.4	1.2	3.3	168.0
Dairy Cattle	1.1	1.0	-13.4	0.6	0.0	-100.0
Hog and Pig	1.1	1.3	14.4	0.0	5.2	-
Poultry and Egg	2.3	2.7	17.8	1.2	1.3	7.2
Sheep and Goat	5.5	5.3	-3.2	1.8	3.3	78.6
Aquaculture and Other Animal	14.0	11.0	-21.6	18.9	11.8	-37.8
<u>Food Crops: All (Total # of Items Grown)</u>	85	85	0.0	6	6	0.0
Food Crops: Fruits, Tree Nuts, Berries	27	27	0.0	2	3	50.0
Food Crops: Grains, Cereal	16	16	0.0	4	1	-75.0
Food Crops: Vegetables, Potatoes, Melons	42	42	0.0	0	2	-
<u>Count of Farms Producing the Following:</u>						
Farms Harvesting Vegetables, Potatoes, Melons	1,519	1,889	24.4	-	2	-
Farms that Grow Berries	1,644	1,651	0.4	2	1	-50.0
Farms with Fruit and/or Nut Trees	4,004	3,594	-10.2	3	2	-33.3
Farms with Cattle and Calves	13,077	11,638	-11.0	73	72	-1.4
Farms with Milk Cows	596	686	15.1	2	4	100.0
Farms with Hogs and Pigs	1,466	1,172	-20.1	4	10	150.0
Farms with Goats	3,127	2,350	-24.8	2	1	-50.0
Farms with Poultry	4,856	6,054	24.7	15	23	53.3
Farms with Sheep	2,226	1,968	-11.6	7	5	-28.6
Organic Farms	799	554	-30.7	-	1	-
Beginning Farmers and Ranchers (5 years or less)	N/A	5.7%	-	N/A	9.2%	-
Beginning Farmers and Ranchers (10 years or less)	N/A	18.4%	-	N/A	20.3%	-

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Market Linkages						
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	2011	2016	% change	2011	2016	% change
Farmers Markets	197	170	*	1	0	*
Population per Farmers Market	19,582	23,979	*	1,435	-	*
	2010	2015	% change	2010	2015	% change
Food Processors	509	612	20.2	0	0	-
Food Processor Employment	20,902	23,765	13.7	0	0	-
Food Processors Payroll	794,386	961,759	21.1	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 5-9 employees	91	110	20.9	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 10-19 employees	77	93	20.8	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 20-49 employees	70	85	21.4	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 50-99 employees	45	46	2.2	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 100-249 employees	39	32	-17.9	0	0	-
(Food Processors by Number of Employees) 250+ employees	17	23	35.3	0	0	-
Nonemployer Food Manufacturing Businesses	587	841	43.3	0	//	-
School Districts Purchasing Local Food	N/A	57.2%	-	N/A	66.7%	-
	2007	2012	% change	2007	2012	% change
Farms that Produce Value-Added Products	2,807	3,292	17.3	6	12	100.0
Farms with Direct Sales	6,274	6,680	6.5	6	6	0.0
Value of Farm Direct Sales	\$56,362,000	\$44,177,000	-21.6	//	\$5,000	-
Value of Direct Sales per Farms Selling Direct	\$8,983	\$6,613	-26.4	//	\$833	-
Value of Direct Sales per Capita	\$15.07	\$11.37	-24.5	//	\$3.51	-
Community Supported Agriculture Farms	311	391	25.7	0	0	-
Farms that Market Direct to Retail	N/A	1,898	-	N/A	2	-
Farms with On-Farm Packing Facilities	N/A	761	-	N/A	0	-

* Calculating percent change is not recommended, the data are not consistently updated