

Belmont County Fact Sheet



Belmont County has **656**

Utica and **8** Marcellus shale wells in various stages of activity by 11 oil and gas operators.

- ✔ 79 permitted
- ✔ 44 being drilled
- ✔ 49 drilled
- ✔ 492 producing



The highest levels of production to date took place in 2016 and 2017. The county produced 724,235 barrels of oil and 1.65 trillion cubic feet of natural gas from 2011 to 2017.

Source: Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Sept. 2019

Belmont County Shale Production & Ad Valorem Property Taxes			
Year	Oil Production (Barrels)	Natural Gas Production (MCF)	Ad Valorem Property Taxes
2010	NA	NA	\$3,239.73
2011	NA	NA	\$5,889.65
2012	630	NA	\$5,948.06
2013	21,374	12,360,722	\$25,862.85
2014	154,013	95,246,696	\$758,915.83
2015	257,129	270,251,876	\$3,834,014.31
2016	224,336	493,386,063	\$4,194,960.00
2017	66,753	779,407,697	\$8,008,790.00
TOTAL	724,235	1,650,653,054	\$16,837,620.43

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