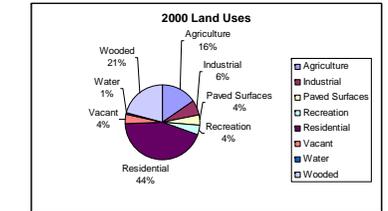
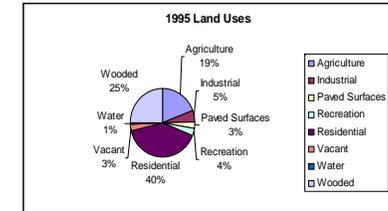


Chester County Land Use Changes

From 1995 - 2000



- Legend**
Chester County Land Uses
- Residential
 - Paved Surfaces
 - Industrial
 - Recreation
 - Agriculture
 - Wooded
 - Vacant
 - Water



Pie Charts were used to show how much less agricultural land there was in the year 2000. There was also an increase in residential areas in the year 2000. This shows that with increase in residential development there is a decrease in agriculture.

The acquisition of agricultural land has had a large impact on the condition of land uses in Chester County. We have specifically targeted the West Chester Borough along with its surrounding municipalities; East Bradford township to the west, West Whiteland Township to the north, East Goshen Township to the east, Westtown Township to the southeast, and West Goshen Township bordering from the northwest to southeast.

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2	Wooded
3	Agriculture
4	Industrial
5	Community services
6	Manufacturing
7	Community services
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Join Data

Join lets you append additional data to this layer's attribute table so you can, for example, symbolize the layer's features using this data.

What do you want to join to this layer?

Join attributes from a table

- Choose the field in this layer that the join will be based on:
 - Field
- Choose the table to join to this layer, or load the table from disk:
 - Land Use 1995 Show the attribute tables of layers in this list
- Choose the field in the table to base the join on:
 - Field

Advanced

About Joining Data [OK] [Cancel]

By the process of recoding we renamed original values in our 95 and 00' shapefiles by their land use codes located in the attribute data. This was done by deriving specific land use classifications and generalizing their categories. We then grouped the land use titles into 8 categories which are displayed according. The process of recoding is summarizing one larger set of values to derive a second more directly useful value. Working with universal and simple attribute tables, we were able to interpolate otherwise incomparable information.

