



Jackson County Indiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	665	-11
Land in farms (acres)	201,297	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	303	+22
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	186,500,000	+1
Government payments	4,533,000	+17
Farm-related income	7,291,000	-10
Total farm production expenses	164,716,000	+16
Net cash farm income	33,608,000	-38
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	280,450	+13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,120	+55
Farm-related income	19,706	-2
Total farm production expenses	247,694	+29
Net cash farm income	50,538	-30

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	41
Livestock, poultry, and products	59

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	77
Pastureland	4
Woodland	14
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 11,126

6% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	48
Reduced till	19
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	13

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	206	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	53	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	81	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	55	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	9
\$100,000 or more	161	24

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	72	11
10 to 49 acres	183	28
50 to 179 acres	183	28
180 to 499 acres	113	17
500 to 999 acres	58	9
1,000 + acres	56	8

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	186,500	16	92	575	3,077
Crops	75,693	49	92	773	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	69,720	49	92	583	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,658	17	90	605	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	67	89	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,555	7	87	458	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	18	56	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	718	54	92	2,148	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	110,807	10	92	458	3,073
Poultry and eggs	87,972	6	92	171	3,007
Cattle and calves	6,098	27	92	1,577	3,055
Milk from cows	4,869	32	77	608	1,892
Hogs and pigs	11,249	36	92	353	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	29	92	1,009	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	282	15	91	761	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	10	18	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	148	16	90	623	2,878

Total Producers ^c

1,091

Sex

Male	761
Female	330

Age

<35	103
35 – 64	672
65 and older	316

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	3
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2
White	1,082
More than one race	4

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7
With military service	71
New and beginning farmers	264

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **73**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **5**

Hire farm labor **27**

Are family farms **96**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	75,003
Corn for grain	56,778
Forage (hay/haylage), all	7,464
Wheat for grain, all	3,978
Corn for silage or greenchop	973

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,118
Cattle and calves	11,914
Goats	784
Hogs and pigs	21,656
Horses and ponies	492
Layers	(D)
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	886
Turkeys	24

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.