



# Kosciusko County Indiana

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

|   | 2017        | % change since 2012 |
|---|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                                     | 1,042       | -16                 |
| Land in farms (acres)                               | 261,674     | +3                  |
| Average size of farm (acres)                        | 251         | +23                 |
| <b>Total (\$)</b>                                   |             |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 298,032,000 | +6                  |
| Government payments                                 | 8,572,000   | +107                |
| Farm-related income                                 | 8,402,000   | (Z)                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 233,874,000 | +5                  |
| Net cash farm income                                | 81,133,000  | +14                 |
| <b>Per farm average (\$)</b>                        |             |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 286,019     | +26                 |
| Government payments<br>(average per farm receiving) | 18,841      | +194                |
| Farm-related income                                 | 16,975      | +4                  |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 224,447     | +25                 |
| Net cash farm income                                | 77,863      | +37                 |

**3** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

|                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops                            | 42 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 58 |

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| Cropland    | 88 |
| Pastureland | 2  |
| Woodland    | 6  |
| Other       | 4  |

**Acres irrigated: 30,091**

11% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| No till        | 23 |
| Reduced till   | 17 |
| Intensive till | 16 |
| Cover crop     | 11 |

## Farms by Value of Sales

|                      | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500    | 373    | 36                            |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999   | 77     | 7                             |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999   | 111    | 11                            |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 105    | 10                            |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 69     | 7                             |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 64     | 6                             |
| \$100,000 or more    | 243    | 23                            |

## Farms by Size

|                  | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres     | 196    | 19                            |
| 10 to 49 acres   | 383    | 37                            |
| 50 to 179 acres  | 232    | 22                            |
| 180 to 499 acres | 100    | 10                            |
| 500 to 999 acres | 59     | 6                             |
| 1,000 + acres    | 72     | 7                             |

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

|  | Sales (\$1,000) | Rank in State <sup>b</sup> | Counties Producing Item | Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup> | Counties Producing Item |
|--|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>298,032</b>  | <b>4</b>                   | <b>92</b>               | <b>256</b>                | <b>3,077</b>            |
| <b>Crops</b>   | <b>125,266</b>  | <b>11</b>                  | <b>92</b>               | <b>404</b>                | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                  | 118,783         | 14                         | 92                      | 296                       | 2,916                   |
| Tobacco  | -               | -                          | 13                      | -                         | 323                     |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                  | -               | -                          | -                       | -                         | 647                     |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes           | (D)             | 16                         | 90                      | 560                       | 2,821                   |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                             | (D)             | 33                         | 89                      | (D)                       | 2,748                   |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                 | 660             | 33                         | 87                      | 965                       | 2,601                   |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | -               | -                          | 56                      | -                         | 1,384                   |
| Other crops and hay                                    | 3,651           | 2                          | 92                      | 703                       | 3,040                   |
| <b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>                | <b>172,766</b>  | <b>6</b>                   | <b>92</b>               | <b>247</b>                | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Poultry and eggs                                       | 88,762          | 5                          | 92                      | 167                       | 3,007                   |
| Cattle and calves                                      | 14,579          | 7                          | 92                      | 997                       | 3,055                   |
| Milk from cows   | 16,143          | 12                         | 77                      | 349                       | 1,892                   |
| Hogs and pigs  | 52,101          | 9                          | 92                      | 115                       | 2,856                   |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                       | 174             | 21                         | 92                      | 889                       | 2,984                   |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                 | 548             | 11                         | 91                      | 383                       | 2,970                   |
| Aquaculture  | -               | -                          | 18                      | -                         | 1,251                   |
| Other animals and animal products                      | 458             | 7                          | 90                      | 312                       | 2,878                   |

|                                     |              |                               |   |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b> | <b>1,803</b> | <b>Percent of farms that:</b> | <b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>        |
| <b>Sex</b>                          |              | Have internet access          | Corn for grain 101,074                        |
| Male                                | 1,192        | <b>68</b>                     | Soybeans for beans 95,318                     |
| Female                              | 611          |                               | Forage (hay/haylage), all 9,024               |
| <b>Age</b>                          |              | Farm organically              | Corn for silage or greenchop 4,221            |
| <35                                 | 199          | <b>1</b>                      | Wheat for grain, all 4,068                    |
| 35 – 64                             | 1,084        |                               |   |
| 65 and older                        | 520          |                               |   |
| <b>Race</b>                         |              | Sell directly to consumers    | <b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>     |
| American Indian/Alaska Native       | -            | <b>6</b>                      | Broilers and other meat-type chickens 478,694 |
| Asian                               | -            |                               | Cattle and calves 18,773                      |
| Black or African American           | 1            | Hire farm labor               | Goats 337                                     |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander    | -            | <b>23</b>                     | Hogs and pigs 147,464                         |
| White                               | 1,799        |                               | Horses and ponies 1,598                       |
| More than one race                  | 3            | Are family farms              | Layers (D)                                    |
| <b>Other characteristics</b>        |              | <b>94</b>                     | Pullets 2,010,858                             |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin    | 12           |                               | Sheep and lambs 1,037                         |
| With military service               | 124          |                               | Turkeys 48                                    |
| New and beginning farmers           | 397          |                               |   |

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

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

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.