



Lawrence County Indiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	840	+5
Land in farms (acres)	147,306	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	175	+4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	43,471,000	+31
Government payments	3,141,000	+50
Farm-related income	3,366,000	-56
Total farm production expenses	37,643,000	+1
Net cash farm income	12,336,000	+124
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	51,752	+25
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	10,505	+93
Farm-related income	13,202	-53
Total farm production expenses	44,813	-4
Net cash farm income	14,685	+114

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	69
Livestock, poultry, and products	31

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	56
Pastureland	16
Woodland	22
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 57

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	372	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	99	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	106	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	47	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	6
\$100,000 or more	72	9

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	72	9
10 to 49 acres	284	34
50 to 179 acres	293	35
180 to 499 acres	127	15
500 to 999 acres	39	5
1,000 + acres	25	3

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	43,471	76	92	1,882	3,077
Crops	30,179	78	92	1,410	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	27,638	79	92	1,012	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	158	51	90	1,365	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	16	89	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	120	58	87	1,392	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	42	56	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,989	16	92	1,215	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	13,292	58	92	1,940	3,073
Poultry and eggs	5,982	30	92	614	3,007
Cattle and calves	7,075	20	92	1,470	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	77	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	36	77	92	1,214	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	103	46	92	1,272	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	90	39	91	1,508	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	8	53	90	1,557	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,410	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 34,110
Male	876	71	Corn for grain 19,216
Female	534		Forage (hay/haylage), all 15,535
Age		Farm organically	Wheat for grain, all (D)
<35	106	(Z)	Corn for silage or greenchop 187
35 – 64	842		
65 and older	462		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	13	7	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 382
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 13,597
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 543
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	15	Hogs and pigs 100
White	1,373		Horses and ponies 731
More than one race	24		Layers 2,033
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets 125
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	11	97	Sheep and lambs 1,092
With military service	183		Turkeys 68,054
New and beginning farmers	390		

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.