

Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997

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Item	Indiana	Adams	Allen	Bartholomew	Benton	Blackford	Boone
Farms	57 916	1 093	1 440	577	433	303	611
Land in farms	15 111 022	208 653	276 385	166 612	256 820	85 958	228 328
Average size of farm	261	191	192	289	593	284	374
Median size of farm	100	75	79	111	420	82	127
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm	532 663	386 965	487 172	673 626	1 377 939	475 311	912 026
Average per acre	2 064	2 290	2 699	2 355	2 394	1 839	2 519
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm	64 050	55 515	50 148	79 308	150 793	59 979	82 988
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	4 183	141	128	36	18	15	62
10 to 49 acres	13 987	314	396	158	26	95	143
50 to 179 acres	19 913	342	534	159	66	97	138
180 to 499 acres	11 099	182	245	114	141	52	113
500 to 999 acres	5 268	80	83	67	97	22	92
1,000 acres or more	3 466	34	54	43	85	22	63
Total cropland	53 256	992	1 342	542	416	279	556
Harvested cropland	12 848 950	191 192	246 668	146 039	247 562	76 593	212 137
Irrigated land	47 613	909	1 192	506	409	227	515
Irrigated land	11 716 704	179 996	230 054	138 189	241 562	69 696	206 132
Irrigated land	1 753	15	39	30	2	-	5
Irrigated land	250 050	190	1 167	5 953	(D)	-	(D)
Market value of agricultural products sold	5 229 977	95 237	89 877	46 702	79 373	25 295	81 519
Average per farm	90 303	87 134	62 414	80 939	183 310	83 481	133 419
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	3 246 617	45 685	62 272	38 318	75 941	18 317	60 315
Livestock, poultry, and their products	1 983 359	49 552	27 604	8 384	3 432	6 978	21 204
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	13 022	172	356	121	32	78	96
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5 710	95	108	62	6	26	54
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6 579	98	169	69	12	32	58
\$10,000 to \$24,999	8 757	197	243	75	20	42	70
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6 057	120	175	58	37	39	69
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5 728	153	149	59	81	26	73
\$100,000 or more	12 063	258	240	133	245	60	191
Total farm production expenses ¹	4 011 772	82 215	60 745	34 427	51 356	19 207	60 028
Average per farm	69 262	75 219	42 214	59 768	118 332	63 389	98 406
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹	57 922	1 093	1 439	576	434	303	610
Average per farm	1 163 605	13 609	29 796	11 811	25 926	4 897	19 920
Average per farm	20 089	12 451	20 706	20 506	59 738	16 161	32 656
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	26 993	495	596	281	319	128	327
Other	30 923	598	844	296	114	175	284
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	33 959	714	929	326	209	187	346
200 days or more	24 216	474	669	223	105	144	234
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory	23 025	425	362	220	81	54	186
Beef cows	976 701	15 212	19 838	6 736	3 865	1 769	6 292
Milk cows	15 164	46	87	165	56	34	152
Cattle and calves sold	277 797	373	1 648	2 114	1 341	(D)	2 303
Hogs and pigs inventory	3 216	261	135	15	5	2	14
Hogs and pigs sold	131 630	5 968	3 919	1 125	250	(D)	316
Sheep and lambs inventory	21 585	381	324	213	75	56	173
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	667 846	7 914	15 465	3 228	2 031	1 003	6 629
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	6 442	261	127	45	18	27	93
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	3 972 060	105 431	49 783	24 052	6 982	33 458	69 682
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	6 623	256	133	45	16	29	98
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	7 584 642	205 200	115 220	45 806	14 084	60 437	128 329
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 927	27	46	29	11	12	23
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	54 227	1 143	897	609	866	217	608
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 846	82	51	11	5	7	17
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	22 731 425	(D)	19 841	(D)	(D)	(D)	680
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	204	14	7	1	-	-	-
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	10 391 178	357 530	380	(D)	-	-	-
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed	30 642	696	845	367	382	159	379
Corn for silage or green chop	5 473 792	70 784	85 866	67 794	120 732	28 065	98 481
Wheat for grain	652 547 322	9 626 844	11 597 698	7 684 825	15 810 028	3 450 962	11 738 962
Oats for grain	3 365	121	73	24	8	4	14
Soybeans for beans	102 464	3 135	1 874	786	203	84	642
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	1 639 160	47 680	28 224	12 363	3 285	1 000	15 390
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	10 658	285	528	141	31	54	97
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	545 027	11 593	29 837	7 670	2 055	3 207	4 109
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	29 209 090	697 543	1 730 562	389 617	121 581	164 802	255 032
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 739	134	162	5	18	5	9
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	23 551	1 390	2 157	140	323	63	116
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 445 213	86 789	135 995	6 956	18 662	4 350	5 438
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	28 056	649	773	332	377	176	359
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	5 003 186	85 457	102 944	58 378	116 750	38 889	98 462
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	210 645 005	3 665 042	4 440 568	2 470 848	5 298 827	1 577 874	4 304 167
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	22 923	407	448	225	71	67	188
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	674 789	10 073	10 510	5 271	2 074	1 402	5 122
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 756 825	30 345	28 736	13 900	6 546	4 200	14 409
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 125	11	25	27	-	4	5
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	30 139	38	167	730	-	(D)	37

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Item	Brown	Carroll	Cass	Clark	Clay	Clinton	Crawford
Farms number..	173	563	700	647	520	585	410
Land in farms acres..	21 707	218 170	205 380	108 773	159 441	236 320	61 320
Average size of farm acres..	125	388	293	168	307	404	150
Median size of farm acres..	80	125	100	80	143	219	106
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	286 938	892 164	608 898	378 203	489 489	877 712	219 120
Average per acre dollars..	2 390	2 282	2 088	2 458	1 625	2 178	1 471
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	24 547	93 876	62 425	33 012	65 862	113 385	20 655
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	7	68	71	31	30	53	9
10 to 49 acres	53	94	171	183	110	97	72
50 to 179 acres	78	162	206	283	157	118	220
180 to 499 acres	32	99	128	103	115	160	93
500 to 999 acres	1	77	67	27	71	84	14
1,000 acres or more	2	63	57	20	37	73	2
Total cropland farms..	165	497	627	593	482	543	382
Harvested cropland acres..	10 381	198 014	179 249	75 586	134 623	222 586	29 601
Irrigated land farms..	141	474	570	499	440	514	295
..... acres..	6 668	186 176	170 009	58 120	126 260	217 580	12 726
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	2 203	116 937	77 559	21 878	42 549	106 004	3 502
Average per farm dollars..	12 733	207 704	110 799	33 815	81 824	181 203	8 541
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	1 146	60 898	53 509	15 586	30 450	64 115	1 090
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	1 057	56 040	24 051	6 293	12 099	41 889	2 412
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	81	74	131	191	99	62	191
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	38	62	93	43	25	82
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	33	73	103	60	35	68
\$10,000 to \$24,999	29	73	94	112	81	82	48
\$25,000 to \$49,999	9	61	79	53	60	57	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	64	86	37	55	76	6
\$100,000 or more	2	220	175	58	122	248	4
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	2 002	83 763	56 196	16 770	32 276	75 387	3 975
Average per farm dollars..	11 375	148 516	80 395	25 880	62 070	128 867	9 694
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	176	564	699	648	520	585	410
..... \$1,000..	114	32 003	20 304	2 835	9 343	26 282	-740
Average per farm dollars..	648	56 743	29 047	4 375	17 968	44 927	-1 805
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	55	329	333	278	265	349	130
Other	118	234	367	369	255	236	280
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	114	287	408	367	276	306	262
200 days or more	79	206	289	283	196	205	184
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	72	151	260	342	200	105	267
..... number..	2 087	6 084	12 323	14 056	7 421	2 484	8 926
Beef cows farms..	60	91	180	286	149	72	226
..... number..	(D)	1 596	3 934	6 794	2 711	(D)	4 418
Milk cows farms..	6	17	17	16	9	1	16
..... number..	(D)	538	1 122	732	690	(D)	272
Cattle and calves sold farms..	68	141	240	329	182	97	246
..... number..	893	3 851	8 570	7 324	4 655	1 420	4 180
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	8	163	113	26	52	119	13
..... number..	203	255 176	72 036	3 506	18 415	181 579	948
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	8	166	125	23	54	125	13
..... number..	(D)	464 651	139 840	6 393	35 452	323 587	1 230
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	7	29	42	11	11	31	3
..... number..	189	751	1 502	330	278	860	(D)
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	8	17	12	15	14	15	18
..... number..	234	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	350
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	1	-	3	1	1	-	-
..... number..	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	37	376	419	176	332	423	31
..... acres..	1 840	103 130	84 862	16 708	64 916	108 819	713
Corn for silage or green chop bushels..	184 079	14 569 784	11 328 965	1 527 244	7 078 022	13 735 695	52 805
..... farms..	2	27	25	19	26	8	8
..... acres..	(D)	974	909	677	923	71	244
Wheat for grain tons, green..	(D)	15 598	17 416	11 161	14 391	981	4 690
..... farms..	4	128	142	102	97	128	2
..... acres..	(D)	4 185	5 110	5 898	4 529	4 732	(D)
Oats for grain bushels..	(D)	271 548	296 410	244 767	209 535	297 499	(D)
..... farms..	-	18	12	6	4	10	5
..... acres..	-	231	304	44	28	138	82
Soybeans for beans bushels..	-	12 421	17 539	1 800	1 364	8 612	2 470
..... farms..	15	352	416	214	322	429	12
..... acres..	1 022	73 613	71 078	26 368	52 915	102 392	968
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) bushels..	43 345	3 686 483	3 368 654	923 446	2 046 732	4 759 377	27 410
..... farms..	108	125	224	316	194	104	273
..... acres..	3 221	2 787	6 306	11 241	6 122	1 849	10 362
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) tons, dry..	6 628	8 750	20 939	25 961	14 197	5 714	21 106
..... farms..	9	11	11	28	2	8	6
..... acres..	34	66	650	476	(D)	65	18

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Item	Daviess	Dearborn	Decatur	De Kalb	Delaware	Dubois	Elkhart
Farms number..	1 101	679	654	785	635	812	1 335
Land in farms acres..	217 131	81 383	198 614	162 936	173 443	191 053	182 771
Average size of farm acres..	197	120	304	208	273	235	137
Median size of farm acres..	64	90	162	95	80	126	60
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	361 590	315 397	686 923	354 733	585 061	393 152	376 179
Average per acre dollars..	1 973	2 725	2 343	1 739	2 219	1 686	2 738
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	58 678	24 752	82 386	43 283	64 544	60 997	47 851
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	112	24	39	38	55	44	196
10 to 49 acres	349	139	118	176	186	136	417
50 to 179 acres	395	399	184	336	190	322	457
180 to 499 acres	125	102	183	158	117	218	182
500 to 999 acres	74	13	95	49	48	63	62
1,000 acres or more	46	2	35	28	39	29	21
Total cropland farms..	1 008	635	593	733	586	728	1 185
Harvested cropland acres..	188 972	44 856	170 873	135 205	159 571	138 274	160 160
Irrigated land farms..	899	578	558	511	526	656	1 049
..... acres..	168 261	29 435	159 475	104 717	152 438	118 376	143 324
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	117 889	8 965	82 874	38 669	52 625	144 151	124 038
Average per farm dollars..	107 075	13 203	126 719	49 261	82 874	177 526	92 912
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	40 080	5 229	43 781	25 498	44 387	22 342	34 688
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	77 809	3 735	39 093	13 171	8 238	121 809	89 350
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	197	238	92	330	157	142	251
\$2,500 to \$4,999	107	143	38	42	51	80	100
\$5,000 to \$9,999	138	140	62	70	64	91	122
\$10,000 to \$24,999	163	96	84	121	109	124	202
\$25,000 to \$49,999	132	28	78	64	56	95	164
\$50,000 to \$99,999	125	20	103	66	72	46	166
\$100,000 or more	239	14	197	92	126	234	330
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	107 796	6 642	63 221	28 864	39 876	137 339	96 862
Average per farm dollars..	97 908	9 782	96 817	36 770	62 797	169 345	72 556
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	1 101	679	653	785	635	811	1 335
..... \$1,000..	9 511	-419	19 293	8 479	13 114	6 308	24 287
Average per farm dollars..	8 638	-617	29 544	10 802	20 652	7 778	18 193
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	523	224	388	287	303	402	624
Other	578	455	266	498	332	410	711
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	693	445	330	519	360	460	863
200 days or more	444	341	213	395	261	338	622
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	571	426	281	163	145	467	757
number..	20 298	11 046	16 193	8 762	4 857	26 807	42 719
Beef cows farms..	266	362	164	68	93	376	153
number..	4 803	4 864	3 750	749	1 591	9 535	1 932
Milk cows farms..	209	13	22	31	11	33	348
number..	3 110	490	1 126	2 727	569	2 753	18 297
Cattle and calves sold farms..	528	388	279	155	133	447	711
number..	13 852	5 586	13 353	5 629	2 922	14 967	20 123
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	303	29	145	47	63	177	184
number..	154 715	1 868	147 844	18 355	24 502	110 646	73 951
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	306	26	149	56	61	183	193
number..	293 765	4 468	253 911	37 169	54 357	206 896	178 411
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	39	16	21	24	26	20	50
number..	776	394	591	584	506	791	889
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	61	18	9	17	22	37	94
number..	1 182	(D)	214	497	751	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	2	-	-	3	-	2	45
number..	(D)	-	-	150	-	(D)	3 005 354
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	639	150	441	324	356	440	695
acres..	89 873	7 361	83 777	36 636	63 858	59 549	64 955
bushels..	8 742 059	638 892	10 437 791	4 327 664	7 273 557	5 451 897	8 539 274
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	177	20	49	37	15	56	319
acres..	2 987	623	2 231	1 971	563	2 896	10 826
tons, green..	43 805	7 710	37 572	29 599	7 919	42 627	192 227
Wheat for grain farms..	138	62	206	218	103	202	162
acres..	11 650	1 135	9 023	11 254	4 404	9 845	3 861
bushels..	582 711	44 602	497 771	601 969	236 433	418 040	195 209
Oats for grain farms..	8	7	16	30	23	7	83
acres..	66	71	196	361	348	104	826
bushels..	3 840	3 364	10 505	18 351	21 339	1 942	50 194
Soybeans for beans farms..	331	115	398	375	391	325	424
acres..	54 040	6 785	62 057	50 246	77 999	38 911	42 251
bushels..	1 972 280	214 862	3 006 111	1 982 863	3 301 621	1 531 790	1 819 951
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms..	518	469	221	203	175	419	688
acres..	10 897	13 380	5 393	5 659	3 602	16 215	22 047
tons, dry..	23 175	28 652	14 717	16 420	10 802	40 261	60 449
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	39	11	9	12	3	3	62
acres..	735	37	52	150	1 000	(D)	1 338

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Item	Fayette	Floyd	Fountain	Franklin	Fulton	Gibson	Grant
Farms number..	420	310	550	776	622	579	575
Land in farms acres..	106 737	28 708	204 554	138 635	170 645	232 839	192 292
Average size of farm acres..	254	93	372	179	274	402	334
Median size of farm acres..	120	54	159	112	119	148	137
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	454 627	345 271	756 142	350 732	414 617	744 849	766 578
Average per acre dollars..	1 858	5 019	1 882	2 085	1 532	1 910	2 224
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	53 230	30 247	99 357	47 376	68 016	103 047	98 419
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	32	28	38	39	47	46	38
10 to 49 acres	93	118	93	142	136	115	128
50 to 179 acres	123	130	163	359	200	149	171
180 to 499 acres	109	24	110	180	129	122	103
500 to 999 acres	45	10	88	43	71	73	74
1,000 acres or more	18	-	58	13	39	74	61
Total cropland farms..	377	286	501	728	570	541	541
Harvested cropland acres..	85 029	18 472	177 202	91 558	151 322	211 810	178 082
Irrigated land farms..	348	244	468	677	523	506	486
..... acres..	75 806	12 750	162 606	74 811	140 458	198 806	172 544
Irrigated land farms..	3	7	4	20	37	23	6
..... acres..	(D)	12	484	222	9 913	2 416	24
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	26 419	3 716	49 371	31 237	55 452	69 056	62 549
Average per farm dollars..	62 903	11 986	89 765	40 253	89 151	119 268	108 781
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	17 157	2 666	42 423	15 033	39 281	56 123	52 021
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	9 262	1 050	6 948	16 204	16 171	12 933	10 528
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	84	142	105	166	107	71	116
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43	56	54	110	41	46	42
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	48	55	107	51	48	57
\$10,000 to \$24,999	60	39	78	154	123	82	72
\$25,000 to \$49,999	51	8	57	80	84	87	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55	10	52	72	69	65	54
\$100,000 or more	82	7	149	87	147	180	176
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	20 781	2 852	40 388	23 593	40 923	50 020	43 229
Average per farm dollars..	49 478	9 169	73 434	30 365	65 792	86 391	75 181
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	420	311	550	777	622	579	575
..... \$1,000..	4 814	-422	13 711	5 776	14 873	16 327	18 750
Average per farm dollars..	11 462	-1 356	24 929	7 433	23 912	28 199	32 609
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	199	113	296	335	304	314	303
Other	221	197	254	441	318	265	272
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	249	180	296	485	361	299	301
200 days or more	179	133	200	378	281	203	206
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	226	164	235	452	241	151	134
number..	9 201	3 332	9 075	16 193	10 394	6 620	4 728
Beef cows farms..	194	144	196	341	133	108	86
number..	3 647	1 632	4 303	5 207	2 302	1 870	1 131
Milk cows farms..	14	5	9	30	34	21	8
number..	631	55	172	1 831	1 606	963	982
Cattle and calves sold farms..	212	156	228	431	231	148	123
number..	4 873	1 557	4 662	8 433	5 804	3 137	3 946
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	65	14	46	101	74	61	65
number..	24 878	1 864	25 918	38 620	33 912	38 267	27 858
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	67	15	45	107	82	63	67
number..	48 842	2 486	83 832	72 015	73 266	71 493	42 594
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	17	4	11	32	26	7	19
number..	460	(D)	258	667	570	197	390
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	5	6	8	26	14	10	12
number..	(D)	103	(D)	1 067	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	-	1	-	2	3	-	-
number..	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	-
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	235	58	363	387	396	385	337
acres..	38 122	3 264	79 676	35 220	70 435	95 804	71 940
bushels..	3 917 276	280 902	8 655 044	3 511 824	8 901 341	10 528 687	9 648 372
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	17	3	22	60	44	25	7
acres..	554	(D)	401	1 876	1 584	814	750
tons, green..	7 072	(D)	5 908	23 769	23 854	12 552	13 140
Wheat for grain farms..	125	29	76	190	95	254	104
acres..	4 237	454	3 205	4 382	2 727	30 044	4 218
bushels..	229 285	18 815	176 712	205 680	138 209	1 648 691	236 283
Oats for grain farms..	7	1	15	24	9	-	11
acres..	111	(D)	325	206	115	-	227
bushels..	6 560	(D)	23 468	11 117	9 762	-	17 005
Soybeans for beans farms..	210	44	327	271	377	384	378
acres..	29 014	4 228	75 286	22 139	57 125	85 338	91 265
bushels..	1 247 880	131 023	2 966 173	878 169	2 430 917	3 252 986	4 223 302
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms..	201	187	198	448	223	123	139
acres..	5 517	4 685	5 146	11 670	5 951	4 562	3 459
tons, dry..	16 794	10 654	13 116	29 076	18 773	11 268	9 112
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	-	20	5	16	12	28	9
acres..	-	98	14	57	447	1 003	(D)

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Item	Greene	Hamilton	Hancock	Harrison	Hendricks	Henry	Howard
Farms number..	878	591	549	1 108	631	770	486
Land in farms acres..	205 628	140 813	163 704	161 378	167 228	177 601	147 750
Average size of farm acres..	234	238	298	146	265	231	304
Median size of farm acres..	105	57	87	78	78	78	136
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	326 884	788 291	820 486	247 454	756 625	434 342	773 005
Average per acre dollars..	1 360	3 478	2 670	1 744	2 770	1 915	2 657
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	46 959	61 752	88 055	37 158	67 092	47 323	80 585
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	35	92	59	61	54	73	45
10 to 49 acres	185	191	158	299	186	232	93
50 to 179 acres	378	128	140	510	191	228	141
180 to 499 acres	181	94	98	184	115	131	112
500 to 999 acres	61	50	47	36	42	66	62
1,000 acres or more	38	36	47	18	43	40	33
Total cropland farms..	805	539	505	1 030	581	702	453
Harvested cropland acres..	146 620	126 509	155 422	109 853	150 491	161 322	137 933
Irrigated land farms..	737	487	482	857	537	644	436
..... acres..	120 576	120 531	152 356	75 449	140 890	151 430	135 655
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	77 483	59 491	55 797	46 049	49 154	52 177	62 587
Average per farm dollars..	88 249	100 662	101 634	41 561	77 899	67 763	128 779
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	23 506	51 896	44 539	13 834	40 157	42 239	43 304
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	53 976	7 595	11 258	32 215	8 998	9 939	19 283
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	260	134	102	346	137	176	59
\$2,500 to \$4,999	139	57	49	209	73	80	41
\$5,000 to \$9,999	130	62	72	202	73	84	38
\$10,000 to \$24,999	144	113	72	165	90	113	62
\$25,000 to \$49,999	53	55	58	73	90	93	64
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	60	59	47	49	77	52
\$100,000 or more	101	110	137	66	119	147	170
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	67 192	42 544	39 294	41 536	37 945	38 875	39 899
Average per farm dollars..	76 529	72 109	71 705	37 453	60 325	50 553	82 097
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	878	590	548	1 109	629	769	486
..... \$1,000..	7 646	16 946	15 977	3 522	11 211	11 947	18 296
Average per farm dollars..	8 708	28 723	29 155	3 176	17 823	15 535	37 646
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	333	251	270	411	318	319	268
Other	545	340	279	697	313	451	218
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	531	353	314	703	345	448	254
200 days or more	421	256	234	517	238	345	167
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	546	154	139	678	219	325	137
number..	21 561	4 267	3 437	24 294	7 176	11 078	5 000
Beef cows farms..	466	100	103	578	163	234	79
number..	10 091	1 480	1 341	10 520	2 918	3 243	792
Milk cows farms..	24	5	9	35	19	19	16
number..	871	294	114	1 560	559	984	611
Cattle and calves sold farms..	516	126	133	639	211	297	129
number..	12 885	2 415	1 735	19 125	3 441	6 522	4 988
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	56	58	61	46	50	65	96
number..	96 385	24 010	54 942	5 953	25 011	18 097	73 259
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	56	58	66	37	50	68	94
number..	273 562	40 397	88 333	11 958	37 031	34 139	139 287
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	18	38	45	10	33	36	8
number..	1 820	900	1 521	395	845	1 076	251
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	29	16	14	37	18	17	13
number..	717	496	296	(D)	402	(D)	5 406
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	2	2	—	10	—	1	1
number..	(D)	(D)	—	1 952 978	—	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	292	300	347	249	307	441	347
acres..	51 262	57 296	71 651	18 929	66 663	70 172	64 341
bushels..	4 787 550	7 205 479	8 934 774	1 221 649	8 034 070	8 580 044	9 159 882
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	39	8	17	39	9	27	20
acres..	1 062	257	329	1 434	242	882	842
tons, green..	12 687	5 666	5 230	13 731	3 865	11 087	15 358
Wheat for grain farms..	67	108	109	117	100	87	95
acres..	3 272	3 759	4 535	5 831	5 086	3 091	2 835
bushels..	151 052	229 494	265 542	247 832	283 757	175 749	180 442
Oats for grain farms..	5	6	22	13	8	20	15
acres..	96	83	248	145	155	239	261
bushels..	6 160	3 120	14 995	4 708	8 410	15 599	19 253
Soybeans for beans farms..	264	314	345	208	306	433	348
acres..	44 818	56 282	73 661	23 913	64 551	70 678	64 600
bushels..	1 586 204	2 598 856	3 288 860	647 390	2 786 357	3 212 483	3 176 575
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms..	550	175	151	622	267	286	137
acres..	21 797	3 201	3 300	24 281	6 489	6 674	3 061
tons, dry..	47 316	10 044	8 812	53 958	18 629	18 635	7 926
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	7	11	9	18	15	9	14
acres..	18	207	61	171	120	281	674

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Item	Huntington	Jackson	Jasper	Jay	Jefferson	Jennings	Johnson
Farms number..	651	809	618	839	796	605	526
Land in farms acres..	184 137	201 006	282 915	179 794	126 379	130 373	135 563
Average size of farm acres..	283	248	458	214	159	215	258
Median size of farm acres..	112	116	239	98	80	85	80
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	516 640	442 245	812 357	388 377	232 524	322 546	723 711
Average per acre dollars..	1 861	1 728	1 872	1 902	1 628	1 535	2 896
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	80 239	64 622	94 749	45 894	34 963	63 873	66 297
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	46	44	38	41	78	25	58
10 to 49 acres	146	204	113	235	187	179	160
50 to 179 acres	204	252	120	299	355	235	131
180 to 499 acres	133	180	135	173	136	103	84
500 to 999 acres	69	97	126	57	21	44	60
1,000 acres or more	53	32	86	34	19	19	33
Total cropland farms..	600	741	570	792	765	552	465
Harvested cropland acres..	168 886	157 403	257 576	157 345	80 534	91 446	121 046
Irrigated land farms..	7	11	57	7	25	8	8
..... acres..	20	518	16 523	202	335	671	1 241
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	69 752	92 711	111 015	83 241	23 445	45 214	46 342
Average per farm dollars..	107 146	114 599	179 636	99 215	29 453	74 734	88 103
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	44 328	32 895	74 254	35 299	18 020	19 715	37 408
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	25 424	59 816	36 761	47 942	5 425	25 500	8 934
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	123	190	62	230	179	203	118
\$2,500 to \$4,999	42	72	24	61	134	65	55
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	88	58	89	135	98	63
\$10,000 to \$24,999	109	136	55	101	161	91	85
\$25,000 to \$49,999	91	82	70	108	86	53	40
\$50,000 to \$99,999	67	78	85	79	49	29	52
\$100,000 or more	163	163	264	171	52	66	113
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	46 742	93 578	76 403	74 367	18 014	40 577	34 050
Average per farm dollars..	71 800	115 386	123 430	88 637	22 630	66 849	64 858
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	651	811	619	839	796	607	525
..... \$1,000..	23 613	1 538	29 956	7 898	3 813	4 883	11 490
Average per farm dollars..	36 272	1 896	48 394	9 413	4 791	8 045	21 885
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	319	400	402	336	287	244	248
Other	332	409	216	503	509	361	278
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	368	446	299	542	510	345	310
200 days or more	266	311	189	403	371	265	214
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	154	398	132	225	413	317	188
..... number..	7 070	18 996	10 734	8 873	14 068	9 529	8 884
Beef cows farms..	101	282	100	101	364	256	120
..... number..	1 417	4 802	2 230	1 136	6 546	3 931	2 092
Milk cows farms..	16	34	5	61	26	10	11
..... number..	1 049	2 717	199	2 082	826	387	1 134
Cattle and calves sold farms..	145	384	127	197	387	283	173
..... number..	8 092	10 720	12 856	4 750	6 868	4 933	4 398
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	83	67	80	126	21	50	41
..... number..	36 854	34 410	93 813	53 052	3 699	11 430	14 037
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	88	68	86	129	20	51	42
..... number..	58 124	66 197	204 085	110 514	8 398	21 730	25 638
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	36	10	9	36	14	7	11
..... number..	652	896	201	670	248	270	580
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	14	22	8	42	20	13	15
..... number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
..... number..	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	394	439	465	441	194	234	286
..... acres..	64 040	59 118	138 246	55 697	11 714	32 757	59 275
Corn for silage or green chop bushels..	8 383 839	5 987 878	17 532 560	6 464 525	1 029 827	3 385 159	7 051 574
..... farms..	27	42	26	40	20	23	27
..... acres..	683	1 890	1 007	1 350	769	761	965
Wheat for grain tons, green..	10 956	29 824	19 292	22 892	8 530	10 830	18 575
..... farms..	213	178	58	172	48	59	106
..... acres..	8 692	7 351	1 901	7 218	3 247	2 222	4 516
Oats for grain bushels..	470 345	326 469	89 844	367 008	125 080	95 464	251 496
..... farms..	32	6	12	53	7	4	6
..... acres..	585	43	213	792	65	59	87
Soybeans for beans bushels..	30 927	2 553	14 142	51 833	3 110	1 529	5 910
..... farms..	445	422	428	484	219	233	276
..... acres..	80 190	64 134	100 441	69 516	33 164	38 660	46 312
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) bushels..	3 424 401	2 478 796	4 269 993	2 713 945	1 006 561	1 415 431	2 060 791
..... farms..	168	351	110	248	419	262	190
..... acres..	4 397	9 121	2 625	6 780	11 375	6 305	5 225
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) tons, dry..	12 908	23 269	7 036	18 246	21 946	16 224	15 547
..... farms..	4	25	9	8	10	2	13
..... acres..	(D)	713	393	(D)	38	(D)	50

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Item	Knox	Kosciusko	Lagrange	Lake	La Porte	Lawrence	Madison
Farms number	584	1 130	1 392	442	749	875	738
Land in farms acres	280 628	246 907	189 932	148 872	247 756	170 811	223 751
Average size of farm acres	481	219	136	337	331	195	303
Median size of farm acres	205	80	75	100	120	98	94
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars	945 362	401 682	331 512	936 590	735 780	257 659	744 224
Average per acre dollars	1 923	1 870	2 418	2 716	2 069	1 478	2 423
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars	112 477	49 573	36 366	64 917	90 551	39 641	82 399
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	32	119	120	34	59	23	60
10 to 49 acres	98	285	412	110	169	205	214
50 to 179 acres	145	416	687	121	224	390	198
180 to 499 acres	148	174	99	88	134	184	119
500 to 999 acres	77	89	44	51	94	50	84
1,000 acres or more	84	47	30	38	69	23	63
Total cropland farms	528	1 011	1 267	414	694	779	693
Harvested cropland acres	255 766	210 148	156 233	138 929	226 816	100 355	208 843
Irrigated land farms	511	846	1 107	377	651	661	654
acres	243 509	188 205	127 875	132 551	212 940	64 725	202 098
Irrigated land farms	70	46	71	38	111	14	10
acres	13 687	12 476	23 478	6 211	27 090	2 968	936
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000	101 195	146 062	103 278	47 827	95 814	22 317	77 512
Average per farm dollars	173 280	129 259	74 194	108 206	127 922	25 506	105 030
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000	71 514	48 740	37 364	42 747	68 041	10 414	68 248
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000	29 682	97 323	65 915	5 080	27 773	11 903	9 264
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	65	262	223	101	136	287	110
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	111	105	30	60	146	60
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	124	133	35	62	164	109
\$10,000 to \$24,999	78	196	270	64	115	137	118
\$25,000 to \$49,999	74	114	262	46	81	64	92
\$50,000 to \$99,999	85	97	215	49	76	40	66
\$100,000 or more	209	226	184	117	219	37	183
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000	75 737	123 303	83 668	34 712	71 666	20 308	55 411
Average per farm dollars	129 687	109 215	60 150	78 534	95 555	23 209	75 082
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms	584	1 129	1 391	442	750	875	738
acres	26 057	20 968	18 174	13 510	27 337	2 694	21 865
Average per farm dollars	44 618	18 572	13 066	30 566	36 449	3 079	29 628
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	374	459	671	219	402	296	359
Other	210	671	721	223	347	579	379
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	272	719	932	237	409	585	410
200 days or more	163	536	601	156	283	456	292
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms	184	397	925	88	234	582	213
number	10 379	26 429	39 275	3 204	24 980	27 336	6 485
Beef cows farms	136	185	91	49	120	498	154
number	3 652	3 216	1 205	714	1 675	13 425	2 299
Milk cows farms	7	74	528	16	47	16	6
number	234	3 482	11 396	826	5 365	741	104
Cattle and calves sold farms	183	374	880	78	202	563	202
number	8 067	30 179	26 587	1 517	22 976	20 912	4 956
Hogs and pigs inventory farms	84	129	259	26	57	32	63
number	44 215	102 998	69 338	9 435	27 110	4 218	26 111
Hogs and pigs sold farms	88	141	269	27	60	32	71
number	85 220	202 642	171 657	15 903	48 615	7 852	47 351
Sheep and lambs inventory farms	7	56	63	11	27	18	33
number	111	1 951	1 243	208	780	190	785
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms	9	31	219	15	26	22	22
number	(D)	(D)	418 681	(D)	919	355	543
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms	—	5	32	—	4	—	2
number	—	(D)	1 870 836	—	(D)	—	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms	421	584	817	249	454	210	471
acres	109 195	93 186	61 262	68 344	113 242	18 610	95 169
Corn for silage or green chop bushels	11 954 848	12 224 215	7 350 203	8 926 139	15 190 619	1 729 070	12 384 287
farms	19	76	484	18	64	37	13
acres	578	3 019	5 230	429	3 176	1 056	478
Wheat for grain tons, green	10 665	52 684	84 709	7 812	59 964	14 125	6 285
farms	307	156	166	70	114	51	117
acres	34 287	6 528	3 993	3 101	4 186	2 538	5 232
Oats for grain bushels	1 884 175	338 512	208 074	167 974	234 245	112 692	317 658
farms	—	34	223	23	26	7	13
acres	—	508	2 106	270	343	133	130
Soybeans for beans bushels	—	29 532	147 534	19 430	20 161	7 000	9 236
farms	401	521	222	251	411	165	476
acres	107 839	71 941	32 666	55 698	76 809	20 293	97 000
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms	4 170 570	3 199 532	1 412 842	2 277 975	3 296 709	723 627	4 595 354
acres	155	380	888	155	276	572	218
tons, dry	4 865	11 851	22 071	3 754	10 490	24 104	3 884
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms	11 488	34 144	66 143	12 263	34 871	61 233	10 770
acres	66	17	38	29	24	5	15
acres	5 055	356	1 182	1 256	1 125	28	1 220

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Item	Marion	Marshall	Martin	Miami	Monroe	Montgomery	Morgan
Farms number	225	865	335	678	473	681	601
Land in farms acres	29 034	201 637	70 105	197 198	62 149	273 258	133 958
Average size of farm acres	129	233	209	291	131	401	223
Median size of farm acres	27	95	102	121	77	160	69
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars	679 205	439 129	316 036	551 451	295 504	781 847	556 216
Average per acre dollars	4 369	1 992	1 421	1 926	2 344	2 005	2 567
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars	41 681	51 362	40 375	64 925	27 404	88 486	54 159
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	65	77	14	40	26	47	47
10 to 49 acres	75	199	82	146	132	147	205
50 to 179 acres	46	320	125	209	226	160	194
180 to 499 acres	21	166	82	161	63	140	80
500 to 999 acres	12	56	25	77	24	107	47
1,000 acres or more	6	47	7	45	2	80	28
Total cropland farms	194	794	302	639	425	611	545
Harvested cropland acres	24 102	176 837	46 451	175 108	36 214	243 976	110 972
Irrigated land farms	168	716	262	588	362	574	481
acres	21 822	160 601	35 897	165 003	22 807	232 300	101 157
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000	32 681	62 187	23 997	74 763	8 406	85 081	34 315
Average per farm dollars	145 247	71 892	71 632	110 270	17 771	124 935	57 096
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000	19 435	43 252	6 384	43 686	4 915	62 153	28 170
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000	13 245	18 935	17 613	31 077	3 490	22 928	6 145
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	64	197	102	108	176	120	184
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	64	56	66	88	56	82
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	78	50	67	87	44	73
\$10,000 to \$24,999	31	153	36	103	60	85	73
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	105	18	64	30	76	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24	104	24	85	11	90	49
\$100,000 or more	40	164	49	185	21	210	84
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000	17 298	44 444	21 446	58 182	7 550	62 899	24 078
Average per farm dollars	77 223	51 381	64 018	85 814	15 895	92 227	40 062
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms	224	865	335	678	475	682	601
acres	15 113	15 396	3 131	16 994	696	23 708	7 345
Average per farm dollars	67 471	17 799	9 348	25 065	1 465	34 763	12 222
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	91	405	143	348	166	381	251
Other	134	460	192	330	307	300	350
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	125	506	194	374	314	369	384
200 days or more	88	381	151	289	235	241	280
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms	42	313	218	243	275	247	279
number	965	15 452	8 017	14 578	10 717	8 701	9 063
Beef cows farms	24	148	178	139	232	187	220
number	297	2 350	3 502	2 074	5 329	3 813	3 724
Milk cows farms	3	81	16	38	11	6	13
number	90	4 589	166	2 547	354	51	256
Cattle and calves sold farms	43	284	208	236	268	234	252
number	590	6 602	4 481	15 925	6 028	5 302	4 373
Hogs and pigs inventory farms	8	89	43	107	16	69	50
number	764	15 124	24 716	99 543	279	91 444	10 515
Hogs and pigs sold farms	11	90	45	108	13	76	51
number	1 636	30 826	46 433	182 078	1 049	168 157	21 492
Sheep and lambs inventory farms	9	44	5	24	15	38	32
number	312	1 708	75	808	308	1 240	927
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms	3	26	13	26	12	19	10
number	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	283
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms	—	8	—	5	—	—	1
number	—	(D)	—	260	—	—	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms	64	540	120	442	93	449	275
acres	9 248	84 829	16 105	73 862	6 047	115 932	50 799
Corn for silage or green chop bushels	1 095 409	10 473 157	1 328 087	9 579 147	588 191	12 580 944	6 149 122
acres	8	86	12	41	19	23	8
Wheat for grain tons, green	164	3 092	322	2 655	370	336	186
acres	2 230	48 174	5 276	49 363	5 746	4 974	2 970
Oats for grain farms	15	145	31	125	23	121	72
acres	491	5 158	2 165	5 706	439	5 893	3 969
Soybeans for beans bushels	26 856	275 315	102 654	325 933	19 971	334 942	184 452
acres	—	44	1	15	6	14	4
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms	—	627	(D)	209	78	176	49
acres	—	35 656	(D)	13 192	3 400	12 968	2 244
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms	59	454	84	452	73	425	238
acres	9 482	55 686	12 623	76 551	5 228	106 616	39 978
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) bushels	379 779	2 380 064	446 583	3 493 602	203 068	4 369 010	1 780 192
acres	63	331	204	221	310	223	282
acres	1 357	10 776	6 838	7 456	11 487	5 557	7 085
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) tons, dry	3 473	33 925	13 320	19 607	26 898	16 259	18 648
acres	17	12	1	4	5	5	20
acres	487	45	(D)	11	7	49	221

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Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997—Con.

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Newton	Noble	Ohio	Orange	Owen	Parke	Perry
Farms	381	942	252	531	569	471	484
Land in farms	207 315	181 963	29 880	123 343	107 265	188 816	84 251
Average size of farm	544	193	119	232	189	401	174
Median size of farm	280	86	88	120	90	137	120
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm	1 055 528	354 512	235 744	262 223	325 083	691 386	230 083
Average per acre	1 946	1 886	2 118	1 288	1 457	1 600	1 214
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm	125 932	44 688	21 371	42 644	34 238	73 101	35 133
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	17	56	18	16	15	27	13
10 to 49 acres	61	243	50	97	143	97	83
50 to 179 acres	80	375	147	227	256	145	228
180 to 499 acres	83	173	33	124	105	93	134
500 to 999 acres	79	67	2	49	31	54	22
1,000 acres or more	61	28	2	18	19	55	4
Total cropland	353	883	241	491	506	427	443
Harvested cropland	192 801	147 016	15 949	77 911	70 022	146 125	44 187
Irrigated land	340	729	229	410	430	390	388
Market value of agricultural products sold	84 301	58 841	3 764	22 143	16 417	43 384	13 184
Average per farm	221 262	62 464	14 935	41 700	28 853	92 110	27 240
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	57 660	30 480	2 702	9 783	10 204	34 602	3 693
Livestock, poultry, and their products	26 641	28 361	1 062	12 360	6 213	8 782	9 491
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	38	279	76	188	216	107	152
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	90	54	86	85	55	92
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	100	52	86	81	30	88
\$10,000 to \$24,999	43	130	39	79	92	63	73
\$25,000 to \$49,999	31	113	16	28	24	35	31
\$50,000 to \$99,999	54	88	10	22	35	67	22
\$100,000 or more	171	142	5	42	36	114	26
Total farm production expenses ¹	56 869	40 698	3 217	18 636	13 727	35 997	11 323
Average per farm	148 872	43 249	12 765	35 097	24 126	76 427	23 394
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹	382	941	252	531	569	471	484
Average per farm	28 858	17 616	806	3 649	2 708	9 184	2 041
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	240	365	78	226	218	243	170
Other	141	577	174	305	351	228	314
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	182	625	165	321	341	243	307
200 days or more	103	468	125	217	243	165	228
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory	90	335	150	311	309	221	347
Beef cows	3 660	16 262	3 327	12 965	10 917	9 518	12 521
Milk cows	79	144	133	257	264	176	314
Cattle and calves sold	(D)	2 236	1 712	5 644	5 040	3 637	5 868
Hogs and pigs inventory	1	104	5	23	16	32	11
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	4 716	135	713	410	1 228	769
Sheep and lambs inventory	88	318	128	289	299	207	326
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	1 890	7 137	1 671	6 561	5 452	5 055	5 647
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	19	75	6	45	34	50	51
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	22 013	43 481	(D)	16 330	12 934	25 025	28 890
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	20	71	8	43	31	52	49
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	40 973	81 773	2 122	36 696	26 637	34 298	44 745
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	14	40	—	8	21	17	9
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	293	1 243	—	262	551	183	90
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	3	34	4	18	25	17	18
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	961	(D)	630
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	1	3	1	1	—	1	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed	305	519	28	148	192	271	137
Corn for silage or green chop	106 200	58 456	2 066	22 017	20 534	66 914	8 232
Wheat for grain	13 665 526	7 102 292	170 353	1 828 735	2 310 391	7 285 614	735 609
Oats for grain	17	92	5	17	19	26	11
Soybeans for beans	539	2 198	113	686	587	654	423
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	7 382	34 896	1 578	11 155	7 602	11 047	5 471
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	36	206	5	34	58	91	36
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 560	6 481	110	3 719	2 414	8 599	706
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	90 608	352 768	(D)	199 457	113 683	425 794	26 627
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	13	49	—	4	8	6	7
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	163	564	—	75	161	80	51
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	12 396	35 481	—	4 590	5 485	2 360	1 900
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	278	437	17	126	165	243	102
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	74 694	48 990	1 704	17 977	18 068	55 717	7 164
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	3 330 517	2 071 311	74 464	681 285	667 238	2 203 740	253 157
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	69	389	176	325	318	214	335
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 423	11 470	5 071	12 170	11 652	6 085	12 249
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	4 185	35 135	10 759	26 687	25 348	14 647	30 751
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	8	12	5	4	4	20	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	384	145	17	11	5	148	—

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Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997—Con.

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Item	Pike	Porter	Posey	Pulaski	Putnam	Randolph	Ripley
Farms number..	288	476	437	531	794	851	821
Land in farms acres..	84 237	134 505	195 305	236 332	195 377	223 817	159 460
Average size of farm acres..	292	283	447	445	246	263	194
Median size of farm acres..	130	110	153	240	82	109	100
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	377 386	651 204	739 931	727 287	518 222	485 559	347 165
Average per acre dollars..	1 455	2 344	1 718	1 591	2 131	1 784	1 802
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	59 271	71 227	139 313	96 445	47 773	66 923	48 005
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	15	40	27	29	55	41	38
10 to 49 acres	60	110	86	85	215	213	198
50 to 179 acres	93	136	112	114	288	266	341
180 to 499 acres	68	96	92	148	122	193	175
500 to 999 acres	34	65	48	87	69	95	46
1,000 acres or more	18	29	72	68	45	43	23
Total cropland farms..	266	442	409	500	701	799	769
Harvested cropland acres..	70 123	122 766	180 104	216 338	152 919	202 017	123 794
Irrigated land farms..	227	407	386	482	616	707	705
..... acres..	63 185	117 591	175 881	207 706	136 146	187 956	106 398
Irrigated land farms..	2	39	19	53	6	8	21
..... acres..	(D)	6 827	3 445	10 999	50	90	80
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	20 050	42 227	59 770	98 057	48 773	67 766	56 909
Average per farm dollars..	69 620	88 712	136 774	184 665	61 427	79 631	69 317
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	13 786	36 445	50 409	61 181	34 149	47 542	26 714
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	6 265	5 781	9 361	36 876	14 625	20 224	30 195
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	70	108	53	48	231	166	177
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30	29	31	29	87	61	88
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	48	30	45	103	80	138
\$10,000 to \$24,999	37	53	67	55	126	143	144
\$25,000 to \$49,999	27	57	39	64	64	101	106
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	46	60	90	54	123	78
\$100,000 or more	59	135	157	200	129	177	90
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	17 205	28 314	42 529	73 362	38 645	51 795	50 662
Average per farm dollars..	59 740	59 234	97 320	138 157	48 733	60 935	61 708
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	288	478	437	531	793	850	821
..... \$1,000..	2 662	14 020	14 991	25 080	9 022	14 778	4 386
Average per farm dollars..	9 244	29 330	34 303	47 231	11 377	17 385	5 342
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	133	235	270	335	341	390	354
Other	155	241	167	196	453	461	467
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	164	269	200	270	479	516	521
200 days or more	109	181	134	172	347	366	375
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	107	124	99	138	379	230	410
..... number..	3 509	4 416	4 040	6 106	12 155	7 862	15 012
Beef cows farms..	87	84	63	88	300	151	331
..... number..	1 597	1 347	1 112	1 293	5 256	1 850	5 548
Milk cows farms..	4	16	16	12	12	24	19
..... number..	200	950	1 036	1 406	333	845	970
Cattle and calves sold farms..	99	110	91	131	350	218	389
..... number..	1 903	1 868	1 403	2 837	6 624	4 272	38 189
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	18	51	31	75	93	97	94
..... number..	5 986	14 134	12 359	54 160	40 026	50 936	33 316
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	18	53	34	78	95	102	95
..... number..	13 539	25 456	25 891	107 129	66 553	81 471	60 310
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	4	21	6	13	53	31	25
..... number..	70	558	101	486	1 163	1 039	875
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	3	19	7	10	26	12	28
..... number..	66	288	204	(D)	554	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	—	2	—	1	—	1	—
..... number..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	152	288	311	412	324	530	431
..... acres..	29 996	60 976	81 561	106 040	63 661	78 429	48 345
..... bushels..	2 547 963	8 186 659	8 707 068	13 303 268	7 076 555	8 769 232	4 630 138
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	9	20	20	26	23	28	38
..... acres..	226	541	709	1 074	539	885	1 499
..... tons, green..	4 088	6 887	9 448	21 106	8 211	13 595	27 250
Wheat for grain farms..	66	111	263	76	97	215	161
..... acres..	4 942	3 964	34 300	2 486	5 086	9 422	5 292
..... bushels..	234 460	226 428	1 955 081	137 128	281 428	527 826	218 313
Oats for grain farms..	2	28	2	14	15	53	20
..... acres..	(D)	482	(D)	334	228	687	172
..... bushels..	(D)	29 569	(D)	18 918	12 674	50 176	6 585
Soybeans for beans farms..	144	270	311	372	330	563	421
..... acres..	27 609	47 866	82 709	83 250	58 850	96 447	45 078
..... bushels..	930 563	2 032 430	3 169 805	3 465 847	2 496 232	3 940 478	1 608 347
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) farms..	91	152	95	130	372	223	374
..... acres..	2 857	3 381	2 717	3 556	10 346	4 631	8 829
..... tons, dry..	5 483	9 848	7 443	12 174	26 133	12 646	22 501
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	3	19	3	4	9	8	16
..... acres..	(D)	900	12	5	28	409	196

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Item	Rush	St. Joseph	Scott	Shelby	Spencer	Starke	Steuben
Farms number..	663	666	348	641	638	410	581
Land in farms acres..	227 874	154 142	57 372	200 661	172 687	135 643	123 953
Average size of farm acres..	344	231	165	313	271	331	213
Median size of farm acres..	189	73	66	110	98	108	100
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	835 721	537 115	298 828	794 434	411 276	522 279	380 311
Average per acre dollars..	2 441	2 258	1 624	2 451	1 615	1 519	1 692
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm dollars..	84 539	68 498	35 091	92 397	69 319	77 999	41 475
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres	41	58	16	58	35	11	27
10 to 49 acres	108	217	124	166	139	114	114
50 to 179 acres	172	199	126	161	254	133	261
180 to 499 acres	179	101	58	123	127	72	126
500 to 999 acres	111	59	16	72	40	42	39
1,000 acres or more	52	32	8	61	43	38	14
Total cropland farms..	621	615	307	601	599	386	535
Harvested cropland acres..	207 225	139 661	41 364	185 603	142 200	116 495	99 218
Irrigated land farms..	594	563	255	560	542	320	366
..... acres..	198 032	131 004	33 879	180 102	124 768	103 811	71 944
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000..	85 928	55 178	9 183	66 936	51 896	33 138	25 641
Average per farm dollars..	129 605	82 849	26 388	104 425	81 341	80 825	44 133
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	56 179	40 051	7 699	52 778	29 329	31 882	16 776
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000..	29 750	15 127	1 484	14 159	22 567	1 256	8 865
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	70	144	113	123	117	121	236
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25	71	53	37	85	30	44
\$5,000 to \$9,999	62	75	59	71	93	49	42
\$10,000 to \$24,999	82	101	54	90	100	63	96
\$25,000 to \$49,999	79	71	27	70	70	34	46
\$50,000 to \$99,999	110	79	21	72	51	29	42
\$100,000 or more	235	125	21	178	122	84	75
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	60 643	40 479	8 399	46 281	41 617	23 611	20 288
Average per farm dollars..	91 647	60 597	23 998	72 202	65 332	57 588	34 919
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹ farms..	663	668	350	641	637	410	581
..... \$1,000..	23 465	15 461	1 161	20 418	7 875	8 384	5 226
Average per farm dollars..	35 393	23 146	3 318	31 853	12 362	20 448	8 996
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	428	304	122	336	265	204	201
Other	235	362	226	305	373	206	380
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any	292	383	227	357	384	212	349
200 days or more	186	289	161	252	278	144	273
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory farms..	232	170	177	205	316	63	166
..... number..	14 194	6 440	4 675	6 283	14 051	1 702	9 257
Beef cows farms..	127	78	147	130	259	39	72
..... number..	3 211	724	(D)	1 978	6 343	(D)	1 110
Milk cows farms..	32	43	2	18	22	1	48
..... number..	1 525	2 222	(D)	781	1 183	(D)	2 618
Cattle and calves sold farms..	233	148	157	187	305	54	152
..... number..	9 457	2 737	2 464	3 708	6 805	1 075	3 570
Hogs and pigs inventory farms..	158	64	16	49	75	32	31
..... number..	109 134	27 430	1 253	63 453	48 437	2 268	6 859
Hogs and pigs sold farms..	159	66	13	49	78	27	32
..... number..	183 005	54 183	3 301	118 120	103 343	4 830	16 850
Sheep and lambs inventory farms..	23	17	11	25	10	7	7
..... number..	634	293	217	677	219	70	187
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) farms..	10	26	17	5	4	12	12
..... number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	179	(D)	1 637	351
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms..	2	6	-	-	-	2	1
..... number..	(D)	852	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	516	370	94	420	319	233	252
..... acres..	95 585	69 251	9 693	92 051	55 715	59 664	32 152
Corn for silage or green chop bushels..	12 282 075	8 685 397	816 533	11 069 155	5 134 350	7 059 966	3 704 294
..... farms..	42	43	9	21	20	11	37
..... acres..	1 783	1 402	206	646	739	183	1 477
Wheat for grain tons, green..	27 635	23 303	3 502	8 899	13 217	3 342	24 019
..... farms..	204	108	34	121	157	17	126
..... acres..	7 884	4 073	1 800	6 710	12 781	616	4 483
Oats for grain bushels..	486 735	205 029	69 890	371 207	621 523	25 943	227 402
..... farms..	18	15	-	11	3	3	33
..... acres..	245	144	-	123	29	25	529
Soybeans for beans bushels..	13 725	9 657	-	8 000	1 636	2 105	31 744
..... farms..	473	339	118	404	293	185	212
..... acres..	88 600	45 696	19 156	78 870	53 838	25 900	25 120
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) bushels..	4 229 922	1 864 996	661 614	3 533 601	1 912 968	970 785	977 891
..... farms..	216	214	151	199	319	93	201
..... acres..	6 007	5 832	3 946	3 784	11 415	2 448	9 598
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) tons, dry..	17 923	17 926	9 837	9 582	26 503	6 649	27 897
..... farms..	2	22	4	13	7	14	11
..... acres..	(D)	480	16	171	14	278	304

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Item	Sullivan	Switzerland	Tippecanoe	Tipton	Union	Vanderburgh	Vermillion	Vigo
Farms	473	541	665	415	268	271	249	455
Land in farms	176 895	67 881	241 539	158 440	82 500	72 112	118 065	114 889
Average size of farm	374	125	363	382	308	266	474	253
Median size of farm	120	80	109	150	183	84	199	78
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm	603 165	238 061	955 334	1 093 274	562 855	661 549	728 321	532 292
Average per acre	1 636	1 817	2 595	2 895	2 018	2 533	1 524	2 006
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm	90 116	25 308	74 251	115 473	79 670	80 005	109 646	66 718
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	18	43	61	40	11	31	11	39
10 to 49 acres	117	146	177	78	37	68	36	144
50 to 179 acres	138	258	148	102	85	76	71	128
180 to 499 acres	98	80	120	91	73	58	58	76
500 to 999 acres	49	10	88	55	48	23	41	42
1,000 acres or more	53	4	71	49	14	15	32	26
Total cropland	438	516	612	388	251	259	234	408
Harvested cropland	154 407	33 929	220 806	147 636	68 968	66 532	101 027	99 012
Irrigated land	397	496	582	376	236	243	225	374
Irrigated cropland	146 668	20 701	213 122	146 096	63 111	64 540	95 431	93 732
Irrigated cropland	29	35	32	3	5	10	3	15
Irrigated cropland	5 575	140	3 689	(D)	40	(D)	(D)	357
Market value of agricultural products sold	43 806	13 331	79 502	65 838	25 709	20 875	30 490	26 017
Average per farm	92 614	24 641	119 552	158 646	95 929	77 030	122 449	57 180
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	38 189	9 355	61 281	52 480	17 703	18 553	22 448	22 661
Livestock, poultry, and their products	5 617	3 976	18 221	13 358	8 006	2 323	8 042	3 356
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500	95	109	105	35	47	54	40	116
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27	82	60	29	19	30	23	55
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	112	71	31	15	29	26	55
\$10,000 to \$24,999	75	139	96	61	23	32	34	66
\$25,000 to \$49,999	61	55	69	61	35	33	26	47
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	24	80	46	50	32	35	48
\$100,000 or more	120	20	184	152	79	61	65	68
Total farm production expenses ¹	33 063	9 260	60 210	44 779	17 617	16 303	24 988	20 484
Average per farm	69 901	17 116	90 405	107 641	65 979	60 381	100 352	45 119
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹	473	541	666	416	267	270	249	454
Average per farm	10 858	3 392	19 845	20 444	6 515	4 446	7 055	6 070
Average per farm	22 955	6 270	29 797	49 144	24 401	16 468	28 333	13 370
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	225	194	307	246	150	130	140	212
Other	248	347	358	169	118	141	109	243
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any	270	349	410	210	143	150	119	267
200 days or more	179	260	277	148	106	106	78	186
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory	153	287	202	69	124	57	102	138
Beef cows	5 386	7 809	7 761	2 004	4 259	1 808	4 442	3 050
Milk cows	128	247	155	35	90	36	85	116
Cattle and calves sold	2 467	3 903	3 626	(D)	1 581	364	(D)	1 307
Hogs and pigs inventory	11	22	6	3	10	8	1	6
Hogs and pigs sold	362	622	239	(D)	508	478	(D)	149
Sheep and lambs inventory	144	264	196	64	120	53	99	122
Hogs and pigs sold	2 590	3 385	4 516	1 498	2 358	723	4 004	1 618
Sheep and lambs sold	35	23	70	57	53	12	15	34
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	13 898	(D)	90 874	56 821	28 912	3 804	24 205	15 563
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	38	17	74	59	55	13	16	33
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	26 963	(D)	130 425	95 963	49 974	6 932	42 770	20 642
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	12	7	39	14	7	6	9	7
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	272	96	1 941	445	180	81	352	126
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	7	22	17	4	4	3	5	12
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	486	(D)	(D)	134	(D)	70	720
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed	299	71	393	316	183	162	185	236
Corn for silage or green chop	69 759	4 304	104 188	70 977	33 895	31 645	47 354	43 440
Wheat for grain	7 114 423	396 013	11 677 362	9 957 250	4 465 355	3 319 954	5 058 426	4 432 944
Oats for grain	13	15	12	4	13	8	13	7
Soybeans for beans	377	470	696	120	326	191	286	221
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	4 319	5 178	10 274	2 350	5 950	3 390	3 923	4 026
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	103	19	122	59	82	108	48	69
Corn for grain or seed	9 049	453	6 350	3 246	2 517	7 217	1 728	3 365
Corn for silage or green chop	419 649	22 821	383 049	220 251	142 143	373 972	94 013	181 224
Wheat for grain	2	4	16	10	9	—	7	—
Oats for grain	(D)	17	310	105	86	—	78	—
Soybeans for beans	(D)	935	19 290	8 390	6 295	—	4 880	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	279	53	398	320	163	163	169	234
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	65 830	4 478	95 325	70 257	24 261	29 518	42 563	43 874
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	2 438 033	165 769	3 884 537	3 490 850	1 130 507	1 080 061	1 580 906	1 531 631
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	139	327	230	59	124	73	94	146
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	4 533	9 503	5 516	1 029	3 223	1 348	3 943	3 488
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	11 632	22 830	15 063	3 155	8 921	3 635	9 921	7 801
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	29	5	10	10	—	7	2	8
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1 785	9	94	861	—	114	(D)	80

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997—Con.

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Wabash	Warren	Warrick	Washington	Wayne	Wells	White	Whitley
Farms	762	378	356	914	814	660	620	787
Land in farms	188 230	184 653	98 549	181 298	172 860	195 901	272 072	165 067
Average size of farm	247	489	277	198	212	297	439	210
Median size of farm	112	201	100	100	95	115	200	80
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm	545 956	936 710	494 724	269 647	411 831	651 072	957 254	393 792
Average per acre	2 285	1 914	1 616	1 462	1 939	2 193	2 227	2 004
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm	89 320	108 499	71 083	41 440	53 872	88 380	101 804	49 398
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	59	22	23	30	40	49	46	50
10 to 49 acres	147	62	79	201	198	142	118	209
50 to 179 acres	285	91	125	409	327	204	134	307
180 to 499 acres	162	83	72	188	150	136	126	146
500 to 999 acres	73	61	36	61	61	82	107	39
1,000 acres or more	36	59	21	25	38	47	89	36
Total cropland	683	335	323	838	743	612	578	720
Harvested cropland	163 227	162 247	80 901	125 278	142 427	182 069	253 021	138 872
farms	584	315	283	689	616	575	543	574
acres	150 107	153 224	73 939	90 019	123 991	175 631	244 828	119 639
Irrigated land	15	1	11	6	10	3	14	8
farms	782	(D)	27	7	314	4	2 333	718
acres								
Market value of agricultural products sold	97 747	57 996	23 671	40 119	51 021	74 294	118 603	51 930
Average per farm	128 276	153 429	66 491	43 894	62 680	112 567	191 296	65 985
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	41 701	41 042	19 152	16 516	32 498	50 016	73 511	30 663
Livestock, poultry, and their products	56 046	16 954	4 519	23 603	18 523	24 279	45 092	21 267
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500	182	68	93	284	216	85	65	259
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	24	45	119	65	36	55	67
\$5,000 to \$9,999	62	32	37	138	87	59	31	66
\$10,000 to \$24,999	114	46	46	148	134	123	76	125
\$25,000 to \$49,999	79	45	34	84	96	72	65	83
\$50,000 to \$99,999	96	39	26	47	71	85	76	57
\$100,000 or more	185	124	75	94	145	200	252	130
Total farm production expenses ¹	74 384	41 617	20 020	35 631	39 326	51 711	88 137	37 495
Average per farm	97 745	109 809	56 235	38 941	48 372	78 350	141 927	47 643
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ¹	761	379	356	915	813	660	621	787
farms	23 280	16 331	3 687	1 392	13 599	22 817	28 145	11 712
Average per farm	30 591	43 089	10 358	1 521	16 727	34 571	45 321	14 882
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	383	206	164	386	356	320	358	287
Other	379	172	192	528	458	340	262	500
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any	449	209	197	540	481	377	326	485
200 days or more	319	147	145	367	366	271	222	389
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory	195	127	144	565	374	111	173	222
number	22 465	5 000	4 630	30 138	16 425	8 287	6 965	9 534
Beef cows	80	112	117	456	245	37	129	77
number	1 138	(D)	1 596	11 227	4 606	420	2 518	1 109
Milk cows	39	2	9	52	53	22	9	43
number	2 079	(D)	586	2 410	2 764	1 703	606	2 197
Cattle and calves sold	198	127	122	538	345	103	164	198
number	40 080	2 765	1 787	15 716	10 131	8 554	3 664	5 902
Hogs and pigs inventory	119	16	32	73	90	80	102	96
number	127 954	(D)	11 829	17 299	36 397	65 972	110 596	59 829
Hogs and pigs sold	125	15	34	76	93	85	109	102
number	250 900	130 747	22 717	33 331	70 284	140 937	199 586	105 635
Sheep and lambs inventory	29	9	7	15	41	14	24	38
number	1 650	163	95	510	1 015	172	519	934
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	14	1	7	31	16	23	14	14
number	(D)	(D)	103	69 522	553	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	2	—	2	5	2	2	2	2
number	(D)	—	(D)	2 023 254	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed	407	243	191	269	406	433	458	385
acres	69 202	75 814	33 671	34 083	55 693	75 280	118 282	48 496
bushels	8 999 887	8 234 505	3 491 964	2 991 977	6 822 792	10 086 371	15 653 945	6 220 240
Corn for silage or green chop	51	13	15	47	54	23	20	41
acres	1 761	506	499	2 435	1 853	931	606	1 516
tons, green	30 274	7 370	6 300	34 213	31 894	13 747	9 500	21 193
Wheat for grain	193	57	73	92	149	180	111	238
acres	8 460	3 854	5 867	4 097	6 044	7 831	3 961	12 588
bushels	483 278	199 864	259 451	155 855	345 231	478 562	235 425	693 544
Oats for grain	21	13	—	7	32	21	21	24
acres	344	391	—	52	818	285	479	399
bushels	17 971	28 983	—	3 005	46 525	18 869	43 944	22 507
Soybeans for beans	428	229	172	213	383	486	426	404
acres	65 519	70 243	34 408	30 036	51 196	87 566	108 409	51 150
bushels	2 824 776	2 999 843	1 275 474	1 033 746	2 344 595	3 778 911	4 805 806	2 234 118
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	197	128	131	515	367	128	178	255
acres	5 553	3 694	5 504	21 895	10 801	3 257	4 423	6 883
tons, dry	16 290	9 810	11 547	55 114	30 519	11 556	13 856	16 880
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	5	4	4	19	12	4	14	7
acres	15	28	(D)	242	68	(D)	169	16

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.