

Table 11. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992

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

Characteristics	Indiana	Adams	Allen	Bartholomew	Benton	Blackford	Boone
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	57 916	1 093	1 440	577	433	303	611
1992..	62 778	1 102	1 463	645	500	273	711
acres, 1997..	15 111 022	208 653	276 385	166 612	256 820	85 958	228 328
1992..	15 618 831	197 724	285 730	165 091	270 618	87 329	223 429
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	47 613	909	1 192	506	409	227	515
1992..	54 252	961	1 312	554	477	241	602
acres, 1997..	11 716 704	179 996	230 054	138 189	241 562	69 696	206 132
1992..	11 834 675	165 650	236 106	132 676	242 088	70 367	197 642
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	33 840	686	844	295	136	187	292
1992..	35 868	650	812	337	143	137	370
acres, 1997..	3 624 043	48 815	68 576	32 120	36 308	19 822	28 544
1992..	3 775 225	44 311	56 501	31 085	30 271	19 008	38 671
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	24 439	515	606	234	115	111	207
1992..	28 280	522	668	258	125	109	274
acres, 1997..	1 807 041	33 963	43 693	19 804	32 343	11 905	19 662
1992..	1 961 007	31 172	34 999	20 270	26 256	13 478	28 702
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	19 019	321	477	224	196	95	262
1992..	20 504	373	489	241	224	113	255
acres, 1997..	9 981 173	142 983	186 388	113 274	166 032	61 815	176 175
1992..	10 088 539	137 611	197 048	113 637	171 952	63 051	157 817
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	3 595 165	49 838	60 512	32 823	39 835	21 616	56 020
1992..	3 762 421	51 545	65 879	35 699	48 445	20 419	55 374
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	6 386 008	93 145	125 876	80 451	126 197	40 199	120 155
1992..	6 326 118	86 066	131 169	77 938	123 507	42 632	102 443
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	18 542	316	473	219	195	95	255
1992..	20 078	365	488	234	223	112	251
acres, 1997..	8 554 973	130 185	166 223	99 625	157 653	54 062	164 680
1992..	8 349 860	119 847	172 865	94 550	152 559	52 704	144 149
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	5 057	86	119	58	101	21	57
1992..	6 406	79	162	67	133	23	86
acres, 1997..	1 505 806	16 855	21 421	21 218	54 480	4 321	23 609
1992..	1 755 067	15 802	32 181	20 369	68 395	5 270	26 941
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	4 632	78	113	53	99	21	53
1992..	5 894	74	156	62	129	20	77
acres, 1997..	1 354 690	15 848	20 138	18 760	51 566	3 729	21 790
1992..	1 523 808	14 631	28 242	17 856	63 273	4 185	24 791
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	44 066	828	1 065	438	297	227	480
1992..	48 049	831	1 112	486	356	201	548
Not on farm operated							
1997..	9 670	129	228	102	113	52	95
1992..	10 715	145	240	127	114	60	108
Not reported							
1997..	4 180	136	147	37	23	24	36
1992..	4 014	126	111	32	30	12	55
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	26 993	495	596	281	319	128	327
1992..	31 547	561	641	321	383	126	372
Other							
1997..	30 923	598	844	296	114	175	284
1992..	31 231	541	822	324	117	147	339
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	20 733	283	450	215	193	98	229
1992..	23 384	331	425	227	232	89	267
Any							
1997..	33 959	714	929	326	209	187	346
1992..	35 397	674	946	386	226	168	400
1 to 49 days							
1997..	3 181	53	81	37	51	15	41
1992..	3 453	116	82	46	48	16	47
50 to 99 days							
1997..	1 588	53	36	17	19	5	14
1992..	1 617	32	41	19	24	7	16
100 to 149 days							
1997..	1 657	44	38	22	23	6	24
1992..	1 790	31	70	14	25	7	22
150 to 199 days							
1997..	3 317	90	105	27	11	17	33
1992..	3 300	68	89	38	28	7	38
200 days or more							
1997..	24 216	474	669	223	105	144	234
1992..	25 237	427	664	269	101	131	277
Not reported							
1997..	3 224	96	61	36	31	18	36
1992..	3 997	97	92	32	42	16	44
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	2 414	55	45	23	13	7	24
1992..	2 777	64	81	32	19	7	19
3 or 4 years							
1997..	3 068	61	55	7	21	9	31
1992..	3 937	63	80	24	22	18	42
5 to 9 years							
1997..	6 870	111	153	64	30	34	71
1992..	7 674	114	151	73	52	39	82
10 years or more							
1997..	36 141	641	895	379	314	208	392
1992..	38 278	646	880	413	323	169	456
Average years on present farm							
1997..	21.7	20.9	22.5	23.6	23.9	23.9	22.0
1992..	20.6	19.9	20.9	21.1	21.5	20.9	20.7
Not reported							
1997..	9 423	225	292	104	55	45	93
1992..	10 112	215	271	103	84	40	112

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Characteristics	Brown	Carroll	Cass	Clark	Clay	Clinton	Crawford
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	173	563	700	647	520	585	410
1992..	168	659	804	641	568	675	382
acres, 1997..	21 707	218 170	205 380	108 773	159 441	236 320	61 320
1992..	22 555	220 057	227 711	105 658	162 433	236 073	59 734
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	141	474	570	499	440	514	295
1992..	137	553	686	536	509	592	297
acres, 1997..	6 668	186 176	170 009	58 120	126 260	217 580	12 726
1992..	8 364	188 695	188 877	55 071	128 286	212 663	12 356
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	144	259	363	440	251	241	342
1992..	120	327	417	438	291	284	313
acres, 1997..	(D)	35 239	43 602	43 746	22 627	31 879	46 617
1992..	12 434	32 234	37 892	44 428	29 307	30 839	42 304
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	114	179	253	311	178	185	233
1992..	92	233	305	345	234	213	241
acres, 1997..	3 155	23 588	26 400	13 943	9 764	25 455	7 335
1992..	(D)	22 601	24 466	15 169	15 730	23 591	7 469
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	28	226	258	170	236	257	62
1992..	45	247	301	155	246	272	59
acres, 1997..	7 262	159 135	138 893	61 186	131 348	167 996	13 856
1992..	9 387	165 583	166 157	56 844	124 800	161 289	16 521
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	4 273	47 779	44 657	22 854	50 830	49 075	8 666
1992..	4 463	54 375	55 779	22 702	48 795	53 516	10 506
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	2 989	111 356	94 236	38 332	80 518	118 921	5 190
1992..	4 924	111 208	110 378	34 142	76 005	107 773	6 015
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	26	219	246	159	231	251	57
1992..	42	241	299	149	245	266	49
acres, 1997..	(D)	139 735	123 023	41 453	111 891	157 011	(D)
1992..	4 834	146 068	143 185	37 572	105 150	147 983	4 443
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	1	78	79	37	33	87	6
1992..	3	85	86	48	31	119	10
acres, 1997..	(D)	23 796	22 885	3 841	5 466	36 445	847
1992..	734	22 240	23 662	4 386	8 326	43 945	909
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	1	76	71	29	31	78	5
1992..	3	79	82	42	30	113	7
acres, 1997..	(D)	22 853	20 586	2 724	4 605	35 114	(D)
1992..	(D)	20 026	21 226	2 330	7 406	41 089	444
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	143	403	516	504	401	438	317
1992..	132	469	620	507	430	492	300
Not on farm operated							
1997..	19	119	136	97	91	116	71
1992..	26	147	142	97	96	149	64
Not reported							
1997..	11	41	48	46	28	31	22
1992..	10	43	42	37	42	34	18
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	55	329	333	278	265	349	130
1992..	63	356	391	288	300	410	129
Other							
1997..	118	234	367	369	255	236	280
1992..	105	303	413	353	268	265	253
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	50	239	246	243	214	246	137
1992..	44	257	281	247	218	322	141
Any							
1997..	114	287	408	367	276	306	262
1992..	117	355	475	356	311	312	227
1 to 49 days							
1997..	5	33	40	22	22	36	23
1992..	13	40	46	37	38	40	12
50 to 99 days							
1997..	5	15	23	18	13	23	7
1992..	5	18	24	9	16	11	5
100 to 149 days							
1997..	4	11	19	15	10	17	13
1992..	4	13	18	19	19	25	6
150 to 199 days							
1997..	21	22	37	29	35	25	35
1992..	22	34	37	37	27	25	24
200 days or more							
1997..	79	206	289	283	196	205	184
1992..	73	250	350	254	211	211	180
Not reported							
1997..	9	37	46	37	30	33	11
1992..	7	47	48	38	39	41	14
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	10	25	39	37	24	34	16
1992..	2	23	30	24	20	30	27
3 or 4 years							
1997..	11	42	42	44	29	29	24
1992..	14	56	45	51	30	42	21
5 to 9 years							
1997..	21	68	77	86	50	66	56
1992..	19	85	97	75	57	56	39
10 years or more							
1997..	103	347	431	379	328	380	258
1992..	106	401	512	364	343	445	234
Average years on present farm							
1997..	20.6	21.4	22.0	20.0	22.5	22.5	21.7
1992..	20.2	20.6	21.8	20.8	22.3	22.2	20.6
Not reported							
1997..	28	81	111	101	89	76	56
1992..	27	94	120	127	118	102	61

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Characteristics	Daviess	Dearborn	Decatur	De Kalb	Delaware	Dubois	Elkhart
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	1 101	679	654	785	635	812	1 335
1992..	1 181	738	731	671	688	923	1 447
acres, 1997..	217 131	81 383	198 614	162 936	173 443	191 053	182 771
1992..	222 435	86 236	202 429	153 213	169 265	193 381	192 311
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	899	578	558	511	526	656	1 049
1992..	997	640	648	605	607	758	1 131
acres, 1997..	168 261	29 435	159 475	104 717	152 438	118 376	143 324
1992..	164 493	29 073	160 939	109 403	144 637	117 183	148 216
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	711	504	344	522	353	484	795
1992..	745	549	387	400	375	588	848
acres, 1997..	53 992	49 875	56 155	58 223	26 369	61 861	40 093
1992..	60 613	53 685	47 175	42 402	29 109	72 144	43 762
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	538	414	256	252	252	344	523
1992..	590	455	310	337	300	436	555
acres, 1997..	27 403	11 879	36 996	19 712	15 794	23 174	21 753
1992..	31 644	12 253	30 356	22 286	18 389	28 810	24 147
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	314	141	216	225	229	282	439
1992..	339	147	236	231	242	269	455
acres, 1997..	146 755	27 539	112 529	98 656	138 177	115 314	125 997
1992..	143 963	26 796	120 730	100 825	125 969	110 755	127 816
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	57 649	11 078	46 999	44 096	38 204	61 199	55 831
1992..	63 478	12 729	51 524	44 561	39 571	63 143	59 233
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	89 106	16 461	65 530	54 560	99 973	54 115	70 166
1992..	80 485	14 067	69 206	56 264	86 398	47 612	68 583
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	299	136	214	222	223	274	432
1992..	330	144	234	228	239	260	445
acres, 1997..	125 915	15 670	95 765	79 417	128 196	86 628	106 710
1992..	118 625	12 913	100 005	79 102	113 580	79 597	106 025
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	76	34	94	38	53	46	101
1992..	97	42	108	40	71	66	144
acres, 1997..	16 384	3 969	29 930	6 057	8 897	13 878	16 681
1992..	17 859	5 755	34 524	9 986	14 187	10 482	20 733
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	62	28	88	37	51	38	94
1992..	77	41	104	40	68	62	131
acres, 1997..	14 943	1 886	26 714	5 588	8 448	8 574	14 861
1992..	14 224	3 907	30 578	8 015	12 668	8 776	18 044
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	823	541	500	591	470	584	1 103
1992..	892	600	582	545	530	671	1 189
Not on farm operated							
1997..	144	107	108	134	116	159	129
1992..	153	110	123	78	118	194	158
Not reported							
1997..	134	31	46	60	49	69	103
1992..	136	28	26	48	40	58	100
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	523	224	388	287	303	402	624
1992..	595	262	447	305	332	475	703
Other							
1997..	578	455	266	498	332	410	711
1992..	586	476	284	366	356	448	744
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	306	207	281	238	236	301	422
1992..	346	242	304	226	252	374	485
Any							
1997..	693	445	330	519	360	460	863
1992..	711	466	384	410	389	495	878
1 to 49 days							
1997..	91	23	43	38	32	39	94
1992..	81	28	50	34	24	43	82
50 to 99 days							
1997..	43	24	17	18	22	25	45
1992..	31	9	23	14	17	30	35
100 to 149 days							
1997..	44	20	25	22	16	21	31
1992..	70	25	12	24	22	24	45
150 to 199 days							
1997..	71	37	32	46	29	37	71
1992..	90	32	30	38	40	40	79
200 days or more							
1997..	444	341	213	395	261	338	622
1992..	439	372	269	300	286	358	637
Not reported							
1997..	102	27	43	28	39	51	50
1992..	124	30	43	35	47	54	84
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	42	29	24	27	12	24	72
1992..	66	31	36	19	21	41	75
3 or 4 years							
1997..	65	33	27	31	24	27	106
1992..	79	34	48	31	41	51	135
5 to 9 years							
1997..	128	87	85	92	69	91	211
1992..	146	95	91	95	81	101	259
10 years or more							
1997..	622	444	417	506	412	522	764
1992..	641	460	461	424	431	567	767
Average years on present farm							
1997..	20.6	21.6	22.0	22.7	22.8	23.0	18.0
1992..	18.8	20.7	19.8	21.8	20.7	21.0	17.1
Not reported							
1997..	244	86	101	129	118	148	182
1992..	249	118	95	102	114	163	211

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Characteristics	Fayette	Floyd	Fountain	Franklin	Fulton	Gibson	Grant
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	420	310	550	776	622	579	575
1992..	456	336	633	849	690	720	630
acres, 1997..	106 737	28 708	204 554	138 635	170 645	232 839	192 292
1992..	111 500	29 837	229 097	148 662	194 312	241 049	196 537
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	348	244	468	677	523	506	486
1992..	399	279	539	753	615	628	562
acres, 1997..	75 806	12 750	162 606	74 811	140 458	198 806	172 544
1992..	73 585	11 671	177 749	79 339	153 531	202 153	173 700
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	231	229	296	481	363	265	277
1992..	281	238	324	521	385	336	291
acres, 1997..	31 082	14 893	40 255	55 297	41 112	31 870	23 614
1992..	40 330	16 655	41 689	61 962	46 256	34 323	25 811
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	164	172	229	388	273	198	191
1992..	226	187	239	436	322	260	230
acres, 1997..	15 368	3 754	21 585	18 036	25 357	20 524	14 009
1992..	20 958	4 106	22 606	21 469	30 084	22 928	17 025
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	126	71	201	218	214	259	256
1992..	116	85	217	214	250	299	262
acres, 1997..	61 652	10 827	131 271	70 940	120 852	181 051	156 528
1992..	55 719	11 016	144 834	68 797	136 449	177 561	152 412
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	25 161	3 813	40 590	37 868	53 786	49 512	53 168
1992..	21 982	4 447	43 526	35 826	58 913	50 701	52 097
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	36 491	7 014	90 681	33 072	67 066	131 539	103 360
1992..	33 737	6 569	101 308	32 971	77 536	126 860	100 315
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	124	64	190	215	212	255	254
1992..	116	80	214	209	243	292	257
acres, 1997..	48 605	7 475	111 461	46 406	107 415	159 778	147 643
1992..	40 689	6 580	120 233	44 652	113 778	153 524	139 303
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	63	10	53	77	45	55	42
1992..	59	13	92	114	55	85	77
acres, 1997..	14 003	2 988	33 028	12 398	8 681	19 918	12 150
1992..	15 451	2 166	42 574	17 903	11 607	29 165	18 314
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	60	8	49	74	38	53	41
1992..	57	12	86	108	50	76	75
acres, 1997..	11 833	1 521	29 560	10 369	7 686	18 504	10 892
1992..	11 938	985	34 910	13 218	9 669	25 701	17 372
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	321	259	397	613	482	424	467
1992..	355	286	459	646	539	524	480
Not on farm operated							
1997..	69	38	106	129	98	106	79
1992..	70	38	141	146	114	165	116
Not reported							
1997..	30	13	47	34	42	49	29
1992..	31	12	33	57	37	31	34
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	199	113	296	335	304	314	303
1992..	252	112	374	403	361	414	358
Other							
1997..	221	197	254	441	318	265	272
1992..	204	224	259	446	329	306	272
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	161	121	219	264	223	238	232
1992..	191	112	260	272	252	312	285
Any							
1997..	249	180	296	485	361	299	301
1992..	237	219	322	527	394	352	311
1 to 49 days							
1997..	21	10	33	24	29	27	37
1992..	12	17	47	41	46	28	27
50 to 99 days							
1997..	12	6	21	17	13	18	14
1992..	14	9	20	13	14	9	13
100 to 149 days							
1997..	13	8	16	20	13	15	13
1992..	18	14	23	31	13	18	20
150 to 199 days							
1997..	24	23	26	46	25	36	31
1992..	19	23	27	53	27	38	18
200 days or more							
1997..	179	133	200	378	281	203	206
1992..	174	156	205	389	294	259	233
Not reported							
1997..	10	9	35	27	38	42	42
1992..	28	5	51	50	44	56	34
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	22	12	16	29	24	17	12
1992..	21	12	32	48	29	38	30
3 or 4 years							
1997..	22	10	27	50	29	19	33
1992..	39	22	35	57	53	33	34
5 to 9 years							
1997..	50	41	55	100	78	49	56
1992..	47	40	72	94	86	82	68
10 years or more							
1997..	250	209	366	496	402	393	377
1992..	284	220	393	520	422	454	408
Average years on present farm							
1997..	20.8	22.9	23.4	20.5	22.3	24.1	23.6
1992..	20.0	21.9	20.5	19.4	20.4	21.4	21.2
Not reported							
1997..	76	38	86	101	89	101	97
1992..	65	42	101	130	100	113	90

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Characteristics	Greene	Hamilton	Hancock	Harrison	Hendricks	Henry	Howard
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	878	591	549	1 108	631	770	486
1992..	958	648	625	1 167	792	848	566
acres, 1997..	205 628	140 813	163 704	161 378	167 228	177 601	147 750
1992..	207 766	162 670	163 248	161 745	187 079	190 798	148 609
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	737	487	482	857	537	644	436
1992..	815	564	538	969	694	731	510
acres, 1997..	120 576	120 531	152 356	75 449	140 890	151 430	135 655
1992..	117 268	139 593	146 574	69 454	156 136	156 826	130 765
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	572	337	284	807	334	435	198
1992..	628	346	338	856	447	473	260
acres, 1997..	76 942	26 481	19 018	79 047	29 975	35 193	17 917
1992..	83 453	25 273	20 197	81 001	36 208	39 492	23 102
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	447	250	230	568	251	320	154
1992..	503	274	260	676	360	367	207
acres, 1997..	28 134	16 757	13 808	21 287	16 266	23 276	13 363
1992..	31 843	16 845	14 079	20 688	23 085	24 111	17 579
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	261	188	213	260	227	264	217
1992..	264	220	221	265	257	284	225
acres, 1997..	107 020	97 969	129 884	75 088	120 359	122 597	109 724
1992..	106 873	110 045	119 989	73 180	129 325	127 226	103 880
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	43 047	28 198	35 698	34 543	37 129	44 664	33 186
1992..	41 502	31 348	36 539	34 857	41 827	42 036	33 647
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	63 973	69 771	94 186	40 545	83 230	77 933	76 538
1992..	65 371	78 697	83 450	38 323	87 498	85 190	70 233
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	251	178	207	251	223	254	213
1992..	251	210	216	251	254	278	223
acres, 1997..	74 179	89 052	124 187	48 787	108 912	109 400	103 008
1992..	71 343	98 324	110 921	43 184	113 416	110 347	93 088
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	45	66	52	41	70	71	71
1992..	66	82	66	46	88	91	81
acres, 1997..	21 666	16 363	14 802	7 243	16 894	19 811	20 109
1992..	17 440	27 352	23 062	7 564	21 546	24 080	21 627
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	39	59	45	38	63	70	69
1992..	61	80	62	42	80	86	80
acres, 1997..	18 263	14 722	14 361	5 375	15 712	18 754	19 284
1992..	14 082	24 424	21 574	5 582	19 635	22 368	20 098
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	674	450	428	912	500	616	374
1992..	703	472	492	952	618	639	428
Not on farm operated							
1997..	144	103	82	137	87	102	87
1992..	183	121	95	148	133	143	95
Not reported							
1997..	60	38	39	59	44	52	25
1992..	72	55	38	67	41	66	43
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	333	251	270	411	318	319	268
1992..	397	331	291	474	360	393	334
Other							
1997..	545	340	279	697	313	451	218
1992..	561	317	334	693	432	455	232
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	309	211	196	362	253	294	203
1992..	317	247	211	407	287	298	260
Any							
1997..	531	353	314	703	345	448	254
1992..	582	363	379	688	469	492	266
1 to 49 days							
1997..	40	31	35	57	32	40	28
1992..	64	39	35	34	42	39	33
50 to 99 days							
1997..	18	11	15	26	25	8	17
1992..	20	12	16	33	26	11	11
100 to 149 days							
1997..	15	18	12	26	19	13	13
1992..	23	11	19	29	27	22	11
150 to 199 days							
1997..	37	37	18	77	31	42	29
1992..	62	26	14	78	47	48	30
200 days or more							
1997..	421	256	234	517	238	345	167
1992..	413	275	295	514	327	372	181
Not reported							
1997..	38	27	39	43	33	28	29
1992..	59	38	35	72	36	58	40
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	41	17	25	46	27	37	16
1992..	50	23	22	48	31	46	21
3 or 4 years							
1997..	46	38	26	74	28	43	25
1992..	69	37	44	75	45	48	22
5 to 9 years							
1997..	110	81	76	160	65	80	40
1992..	126	95	73	138	124	115	56
10 years or more							
1997..	541	370	330	667	417	497	322
1992..	529	381	388	702	490	489	376
Average years on present farm							
1997..	21.5	20.2	20.8	21.3	21.3	22.4	23.4
1992..	20.0	20.2	20.4	21.5	19.5	19.4	23.4
Not reported							
1997..	140	85	92	161	94	113	83
1992..	184	112	98	204	102	150	91

Table 11. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Characteristics	Huntington	Jackson	Jasper	Jay	Jefferson	Jennings	Johnson
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	651	809	618	839	796	605	526
1992..	704	851	716	852	914	658	586
acres, 1997..	184 137	201 006	282 915	179 794	126 379	130 373	135 563
1992..	187 955	202 896	301 962	182 836	130 826	124 694	139 638
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	542	663	549	659	705	458	425
1992..	627	714	632	772	841	537	484
acres, 1997..	160 643	139 436	248 730	140 899	61 469	79 439	114 775
1992..	158 091	134 951	251 579	141 532	62 010	72 548	115 788
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	366	439	244	528	553	419	280
1992..	372	463	304	536	667	435	319
acres, 1997..	32 613	50 959	42 131	55 956	66 122	51 725	24 442
1992..	35 393	61 668	59 216	59 252	69 083	49 940	26 422
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	263	305	187	357	471	288	192
1992..	304	339	237	458	598	328	228
acres, 1997..	21 358	19 442	33 002	32 394	22 504	19 239	14 010
1992..	24 442	25 514	44 750	36 858	19 155	18 433	16 339
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	228	320	253	257	192	153	182
1992..	266	331	271	260	191	174	196
acres, 1997..	135 378	140 090	189 056	112 845	53 358	66 667	93 635
1992..	137 340	132 625	187 432	116 155	55 400	66 999	94 072
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	48 753	63 413	58 632	48 516	27 599	26 797	28 395
1992..	49 033	59 827	58 245	50 126	27 247	31 920	27 447
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	86 625	76 677	130 424	64 329	25 759	39 870	65 240
1992..	88 307	72 798	129 187	66 029	28 153	35 079	66 625
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	224	312	249	251	185	145	180
1992..	264	323	268	259	189	167	194
acres, 1997..	123 872	111 190	167 835	98 333	33 765	50 497	84 522
1992..	120 240	102 162	157 348	98 669	37 756	48 110	82 240
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	57	50	121	54	51	33	64
1992..	66	57	141	56	56	49	71
acres, 1997..	16 146	9 957	51 728	10 993	6 899	11 981	17 486
1992..	15 222	8 603	55 314	7 429	6 343	7 755	19 144
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	55	46	113	51	49	25	53
1992..	59	52	127	55	54	42	62
acres, 1997..	15 413	8 804	47 893	10 172	5 200	9 703	16 243
1992..	13 409	7 275	49 481	6 005	5 099	6 005	17 209
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	497	621	429	627	601	452	405
1992..	570	644	506	655	703	489	445
Not on farm operated							
1997..	109	141	142	144	136	102	90
1992..	108	155	168	144	163	110	102
Not reported							
1997..	45	47	47	68	59	51	31
1992..	26	52	42	53	48	59	39
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	319	400	402	336	287	244	248
1992..	370	427	481	397	358	267	298
Other							
1997..	332	409	216	503	509	361	278
1992..	334	424	235	455	556	391	288
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	246	314	266	258	255	230	195
1992..	253	356	315	307	299	217	231
Any							
1997..	368	446	299	542	510	345	310
1992..	414	450	338	501	546	395	317
1 to 49 days							
1997..	29	47	45	39	28	27	30
1992..	42	35	76	46	30	24	25
50 to 99 days							
1997..	14	10	23	22	22	10	14
1992..	11	14	21	17	22	13	16
100 to 149 days							
1997..	10	24	24	19	21	14	16
1992..	23	26	25	22	27	15	16
150 to 199 days							
1997..	49	54	18	59	68	29	36
1992..	67	43	30	46	40	31	33
200 days or more							
1997..	266	311	189	403	371	265	214
1992..	271	332	186	370	427	312	227
Not reported							
1997..	37	49	53	39	31	30	21
1992..	37	45	63	44	69	46	38
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	22	34	27	39	33	16	20
1992..	12	33	39	29	55	35	13
3 or 4 years							
1997..	24	44	33	32	54	49	29
1992..	37	47	57	63	69	37	37
5 to 9 years							
1997..	68	69	56	98	123	59	68
1992..	79	65	85	122	107	88	90
10 years or more							
1997..	441	533	416	513	457	388	331
1992..	477	560	420	507	539	370	346
Average years on present farm							
1997..	23.6	23.5	23.4	20.8	20.0	22.0	20.5
1992..	23.0	23.3	20.3	20.2	20.2	19.4	20.2
Not reported							
1997..	96	129	86	157	129	93	78
1992..	99	146	115	131	144	128	100

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

Characteristics	Knox	Kosciusko	Lagrange	Lake	La Porte	Lawrence	Madison
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	584	1 130	1 392	442	749	875	738
1992..	688	1 123	1 391	482	826	849	848
acres, 1997..	280 628	246 907	189 932	148 872	247 756	170 811	223 751
1992..	305 634	251 603	187 549	144 305	267 695	158 788	223 328
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	511	846	1 107	377	651	661	654
1992..	614	939	1 118	430	743	662	750
acres, 1997..	243 509	188 205	127 875	132 551	212 940	64 725	202 098
1992..	258 958	192 885	127 426	122 190	225 617	54 883	195 829
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	240	735	1 015	220	371	646	392
1992..	281	703	957	228	403	620	449
acres, 1997..	32 305	74 322	76 479	20 895	38 335	94 183	36 033
1992..	40 613	66 139	72 463	24 106	43 073	90 137	34 599
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	176	467	749	165	285	458	323
1992..	216	538	714	181	332	459	362
acres, 1997..	22 010	41 284	37 459	13 715	23 625	26 057	26 988
1992..	27 914	37 159	37 276	16 589	29 002	23 028	24 754
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	275	320	314	145	283	194	276
1992..	312	344	344	160	314	187	296
acres, 1997..	219 050	154 711	99 782	103 460	174 745	71 851	162 269
1992..	229 144	167 583	103 374	87 760	182 677	62 863	158 021
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	85 920	63 067	50 455	27 363	60 251	32 973	48 243
1992..	88 846	67 877	51 580	23 709	64 720	31 277	50 293
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	133 130	91 644	49 327	76 097	114 494	38 878	114 026
1992..	140 298	99 706	51 794	64 051	117 957	31 586	107 728
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	272	311	301	138	281	176	269
1992..	306	338	328	158	313	171	289
acres, 1997..	195 037	130 696	78 943	95 603	156 792	35 891	151 182
1992..	198 443	140 388	81 432	77 404	159 299	29 917	142 626
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	69	75	63	77	95	35	70
1992..	95	76	90	94	109	42	103
acres, 1997..	29 273	17 874	13 671	24 517	34 676	4 777	25 449
1992..	35 877	17 881	11 712	32 439	41 945	5 788	30 708
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	63	68	57	74	85	27	62
1992..	92	63	76	91	98	32	99
acres, 1997..	26 462	16 225	11 473	23 233	32 523	2 777	23 928
1992..	32 601	15 338	8 718	28 197	37 316	1 938	28 449
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	446	869	1 147	312	560	682	593
1992..	515	890	1 144	329	618	695	651
Not on farm operated							
1997..	94	174	105	107	144	133	110
1992..	121	152	127	137	171	114	136
Not reported							
1997..	44	87	140	23	45	60	35
1992..	52	81	120	16	37	40	61
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	374	459	671	219	402	296	359
1992..	447	553	795	271	448	306	426
Other							
1997..	210	671	721	223	347	579	379
1992..	241	570	596	211	378	543	422
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	275	344	367	186	313	245	300
1992..	334	383	505	189	360	262	332
Any							
1997..	272	719	932	237	409	585	410
1992..	308	662	787	268	417	542	452
1 to 49 days							
1997..	37	54	115	25	53	39	47
1992..	41	50	107	26	35	37	50
50 to 99 days							
1997..	22	24	62	9	17	20	21
1992..	22	29	64	14	20	13	14
100 to 149 days							
1997..	21	39	64	15	16	20	18
1992..	14	22	44	17	22	30	19
150 to 199 days							
1997..	29	66	90	32	40	50	32
1992..	34	57	84	18	41	55	36
200 days or more							
1997..	163	536	601	156	283	456	292
1992..	197	504	488	193	299	407	333
Not reported							
1997..	37	67	93	19	27	45	28
1992..	46	78	99	25	49	45	64
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	12	61	87	15	33	33	30
1992..	30	51	118	23	39	34	27
3 or 4 years							
1997..	17	60	99	15	35	73	29
1992..	39	79	122	29	59	44	49
5 to 9 years							
1997..	56	140	233	57	86	124	81
1992..	65	133	252	71	95	122	98
10 years or more							
1997..	399	686	749	284	476	491	494
1992..	415	668	664	308	514	500	515
Average years on present farm							
1997..	25.2	20.8	16.6	22.1	22.3	19.9	23.7
1992..	22.4	19.8	15.0	20.4	20.2	20.7	21.3
Not reported							
1997..	100	183	224	71	119	154	104
1992..	139	192	235	51	119	149	159

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

Characteristics	Marion	Marshall	Martin	Miami	Monroe	Montgomery	Morgan
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	225	865	335	678	473	681	601
1992..	276	956	375	771	508	762	647
acres, 1997..	29 034	201 637	70 105	197 198	62 149	273 258	133 958
1992..	38 783	219 402	71 596	188 843	59 282	282 764	139 523
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	168	716	262	588	362	574	481
1992..	217	827	277	678	400	651	529
acres, 1997..	21 822	160 601	35 897	165 003	22 807	232 300	101 157
1992..	30 923	174 005	31 723	154 087	20 576	239 689	101 624
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	152	492	242	369	332	338	377
1992..	162	538	276	431	371	353	402
acres, 1997..	6 409	46 808	34 107	41 334	35 164	42 754	28 145
1992..	6 335	51 556	34 600	43 067	35 031	48 674	33 998
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	102	357	174	286	235	244	269
1992..	118	425	182	343	272	257	299
acres, 1997..	2 641	26 392	10 590	26 760	9 115	29 132	11 638
1992..	3 008	31 256	8 815	28 612	9 260	34 474	14 579
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	55	302	78	240	115	273	174
1992..	72	320	84	258	117	312	176
acres, 1997..	17 884	145 534	34 670	137 629	23 825	204 296	90 939
1992..	25 225	151 119	36 311	124 065	21 454	200 835	85 825
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	3 453	59 373	17 221	52 044	11 201	63 977	26 070
1992..	7 799	62 781	16 617	51 578	11 486	63 920	28 145
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	14 431	86 161	17 449	85 585	12 624	140 319	64 869
1992..	17 426	88 338	19 694	72 487	9 968	136 915	57 680
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	50	296	74	237	110	270	167
1992..	69	317	82	256	113	312	171
acres, 1997..	14 664	126 148	24 666	121 653	12 067	179 923	75 492
1992..	22 587	128 825	22 509	105 734	9 959	175 992	70 677
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	18	71	15	69	26	70	50
1992..	42	98	15	82	20	97	69
acres, 1997..	4 741	9 295	1 328	18 235	3 160	26 208	14 874
1992..	7 223	16 727	685	21 711	2 797	33 255	19 700
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	16	63	14	65	17	60	45
1992..	30	85	13	79	15	82	59
acres, 1997..	4 517	8 061	641	16 590	1 625	23 245	14 027
1992..	5 328	13 924	399	19 741	1 357	29 223	16 368
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	159	683	252	531	367	515	475
1992..	192	758	273	590	414	583	496
Not on farm operated							
1997..	51	126	52	101	74	118	91
1992..	63	138	75	132	79	147	107
Not reported							
1997..	15	56	31	46	32	48	35
1992..	21	60	27	49	15	32	44
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	91	405	143	348	166	381	251
1992..	125	500	155	415	185	460	298
Other							
1997..	134	460	192	330	307	300	350
1992..	151	456	220	356	323	302	349
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	86	316	121	259	130	263	195
1992..	109	356	125	302	157	324	227
Any							
1997..	125	506	194	374	314	369	384
1992..	145	530	234	412	324	392	371
1 to 49 days							
1997..	17	41	13	27	26	55	33
1992..	8	52	12	34	16	60	24
50 to 99 days							
1997..	5	14	9	21	16	14	20
1992..	4	18	8	24	23	32	24
100 to 149 days							
1997..	3	26	6	13	13	24	24
1992..	10	23	15	25	13	19	14
150 to 199 days							
1997..	12	44	15	24	24	35	27
1992..	15	61	20	31	33	23	38
200 days or more							
1997..	88	381	151	289	235	241	280
1992..	108	376	179	298	239	258	271
Not reported							
1997..	14	43	20	45	29	49	22
1992..	22	70	16	57	27	46	49
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	16	43	17	27	24	30	22
1992..	5	54	23	37	17	33	21
3 or 4 years							
1997..	8	47	15	36	29	41	36
1992..	19	49	33	52	36	45	46
5 to 9 years							
1997..	25	102	46	90	66	64	83
1992..	42	106	54	87	61	85	100
10 years or more							
1997..	129	541	199	437	268	440	373
1992..	149	607	208	493	305	507	366
Average years on present farm							
1997..	19.4	21.9	21.2	22.2	20.4	22.0	19.9
1992..	18.9	21.5	18.7	21.1	19.7	21.0	19.7
Not reported							
1997..	47	132	58	88	86	106	87
1992..	61	140	57	102	89	92	114

Table 11. **Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Characteristics	Newton	Noble	Ohio	Orange	Owen	Parke	Perry
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	381	942	252	531	569	471	484
1992..	390	993	267	524	622	491	486
acres, 1997..	207 315	181 963	29 880	123 343	107 265	188 816	84 251
1992..	206 885	184 118	32 318	116 068	113 129	181 653	80 078
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	340	729	229	410	430	390	388
1992..	348	909	245	438	512	446	404
acres, 1997..	184 854	126 941	9 358	54 994	52 250	136 104	28 278
1992..	180 048	130 174	10 216	47 342	54 535	122 563	27 895
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	144	640	193	380	422	254	352
1992..	142	657	190	373	439	262	345
acres, 1997..	35 162	71 580	(D)	56 766	50 952	36 553	49 698
1992..	29 261	63 545	18 366	58 907	49 049	38 200	43 169
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	110	443	172	269	295	184	263
1992..	111	577	170	298	339	224	268
acres, 1997..	28 797	34 443	4 883	13 113	14 597	16 367	11 915
1992..	23 129	33 036	(D)	13 827	13 797	17 681	10 075
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	147	253	49	130	120	167	117
1992..	144	273	62	132	150	178	115
acres, 1997..	110 748	100 037	9 484	62 348	52 188	138 133	31 947
1992..	103 184	101 812	13 328	53 630	61 039	130 299	32 094
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	26 463	44 758	5 352	39 085	22 234	55 519	20 125
1992..	29 131	51 710	8 621	32 212	25 496	58 845	18 654
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	84 285	55 279	4 132	23 263	29 954	82 614	11 822
1992..	74 053	50 102	4 707	21 418	35 543	71 454	13 440
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	145	244	47	124	114	160	111
1992..	138	270	60	126	144	175	110
acres, 1997..	101 235	82 652	4 255	39 683	34 921	108 499	14 759
1992..	90 426	80 617	5 791	31 770	38 717	94 809	15 850
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	90	49	10	21	27	50	15
1992..	104	63	15	19	33	51	26
acres, 1997..	61 405	10 346	(D)	4 229	4 125	14 130	2 606
1992..	74 440	18 761	624	3 531	3 041	13 154	4 815
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	85	42	10	17	21	46	14
1992..	99	62	15	14	29	47	26
acres, 1997..	54 822	9 846	220	2 198	2 732	11 238	1 604
1992..	66 493	16 521	(D)	1 745	2 021	10 073	1 970
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	227	731	195	423	443	346	360
1992..	259	806	191	420	463	373	371
Not on farm operated							
1997..	118	134	48	80	84	88	86
1992..	116	123	56	65	105	97	89
Not reported							
1997..	36	77	9	28	42	37	38
1992..	15	64	20	39	54	21	26
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	240	365	78	226	218	243	170
1992..	278	423	103	224	247	271	177
Other							
1997..	141	577	174	305	351	228	314
1992..	112	570	164	300	375	220	309
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	162	277	77	188	198	196	145
1992..	186	331	88	193	227	206	151
Any							
1997..	182	625	165	321	341	243	307
1992..	176	614	170	307	365	256	307
1 to 49 days							
1997..	35	47	15	37	32	27	19
1992..	46	49	10	28	31	15	20
50 to 99 days							
1997..	22	25	-	19	6	12	6
1992..	14	12	10	8	17	9	9
100 to 149 days							
1997..	12	31	8	16	16	12	9
1992..	15	33	9	17	12	11	20
150 to 199 days							
1997..	10	54	17	32	44	27	45
1992..	12	43	17	41	30	37	36
200 days or more							
1997..	103	468	125	217	243	165	228
1992..	89	477	124	213	275	184	222
Not reported							
1997..	37	40	10	22	30	32	32
1992..	28	48	9	24	30	29	28
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	17	43	12	30	23	26	15
1992..	16	37	13	10	40	25	27
3 or 4 years							
1997..	21	36	20	30	21	26	34
1992..	19	76	13	39	36	23	41
5 to 9 years							
1997..	36	126	45	64	85	57	59
1992..	39	129	27	41	93	50	51
10 years or more							
1997..	241	586	149	332	332	282	288
1992..	265	621	160	338	347	325	297
Average years on present farm							
1997..	21.1	21.3	19.9	21.9	21.9	20.7	21.8
1992..	22.2	20.4	20.4	22.8	19.1	20.9	20.9
Not reported							
1997..	66	151	26	75	108	80	88
1992..	51	130	54	96	106	68	70

Table 11. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Characteristics	Pike	Porter	Posey	Pulaski	Putnam	Randolph	Ripley
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	288	476	437	531	794	851	821
1992..	309	496	491	630	826	936	963
acres, 1997..	84 237	134 505	195 305	236 332	195 377	223 817	159 460
1992..	85 366	142 482	220 959	242 777	204 165	236 436	164 025
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	227	407	386	482	616	707	705
1992..	254	446	447	564	669	825	858
acres, 1997..	63 185	117 591	175 881	207 706	136 146	187 956	106 398
1992..	61 908	121 941	184 612	204 381	137 295	196 230	102 969
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	147	233	156	244	504	476	503
1992..	147	215	183	310	490	510	588
acres, 1997..	16 210	22 859	16 232	38 730	51 530	48 100	47 758
1992..	18 879	19 414	20 669	44 575	52 504	58 512	58 019
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	95	166	112	195	345	339	396
1992..	103	171	147	250	358	415	489
acres, 1997..	7 101	14 180	10 674	29 296	20 088	30 557	19 270
1992..	10 175	12 723	12 578	33 113	23 007	41 455	23 109
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	110	178	206	236	235	318	271
1992..	123	201	226	269	281	345	297
acres, 1997..	61 575	94 883	145 539	176 960	122 832	165 002	100 095
1992..	58 611	102 099	156 644	182 799	133 832	161 157	96 934
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	18 886	29 440	36 987	58 967	45 476	68 663	41 622
1992..	18 333	31 601	44 403	63 464	54 500	63 126	42 870
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	42 689	65 443	108 552	117 993	77 356	96 339	58 473
1992..	40 278	70 498	112 241	119 335	79 332	98 031	54 064
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	104	178	204	236	222	315	263
1992..	115	197	223	265	267	341	294
acres, 1997..	50 272	87 423	132 376	159 418	97 569	147 803	76 657
1992..	44 702	89 829	131 575	157 758	99 725	139 957	72 253
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	31	65	75	51	55	57	47
1992..	39	80	82	51	55	81	78
acres, 1997..	6 452	16 763	33 534	20 642	21 015	10 715	11 607
1992..	7 876	20 969	43 646	15 403	17 829	16 767	9 072
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	28	63	70	51	49	53	46
1992..	36	78	77	49	44	69	75
acres, 1997..	5 812	15 988	32 831	18 992	18 489	9 596	10 471
1992..	7 031	19 389	40 459	13 510	14 563	14 818	7 607
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	201	372	323	366	606	653	627
1992..	222	400	368	485	650	714	744
Not on farm operated							
1997..	70	75	88	110	135	133	159
1992..	68	71	90	109	124	160	164
Not reported							
1997..	17	29	26	55	53	65	35
1992..	19	25	33	36	52	62	55
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	133	235	270	335	341	390	354
1992..	153	264	294	390	378	494	425
Other							
1997..	155	241	167	196	453	461	467
1992..	156	232	197	240	448	442	538
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	108	169	215	213	277	281	267
1992..	97	196	219	280	315	335	325
Any							
1997..	164	269	200	270	479	516	521
1992..	187	265	241	304	465	515	598
1 to 49 days							
1997..	16	26	19	29	35	50	40
1992..	15	26	29	45	32	45	52
50 to 99 days							
1997..	9	11	22	16	18	31	30
1992..	5	11	18	12	25	27	28
100 to 149 days							
1997..	9	20	9	16	19	26	25
1992..	11	18	7	10	17	17	33
150 to 199 days							
1997..	21	31	16	37	60	43	51
1992..	14	20	12	26	55	50	39
200 days or more							
1997..	109	181	134	172	347	366	375
1992..	142	190	175	211	336	376	446
Not reported							
1997..	16	38	22	48	38	54	33
1992..	25	35	31	46	46	86	40
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	14	11	14	22	36	34	43
1992..	5	16	18	25	34	50	52
3 or 4 years							
1997..	12	28	24	15	49	33	41
1992..	19	35	21	31	61	61	46
5 to 9 years							
1997..	20	57	41	56	118	92	89
1992..	39	59	52	77	120	95	121
10 years or more							
1997..	194	306	289	335	460	550	534
1992..	190	314	309	413	491	593	569
Average years on present farm							
1997..	24.0	21.8	23.0	23.3	19.7	23.0	22.2
1992..	21.4	21.1	21.9	21.9	20.0	20.9	20.9
Not reported							
1997..	48	74	69	103	131	142	114
1992..	56	72	91	84	120	137	175

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

Characteristics	Rush	St. Joseph	Scott	Shelby	Spencer	Starke	Steuben
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	663	666	348	641	638	410	581
1992..	761	768	357	749	730	387	500
acres, 1997..	227 874	154 142	57 372	200 661	172 687	135 643	123 953
1992..	233 183	172 348	63 332	217 288	175 124	134 960	121 710
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	594	563	255	560	542	320	366
1992..	683	685	299	668	636	345	440
acres, 1997..	198 032	131 004	33 879	180 102	124 768	103 811	71 944
1992..	196 938	143 636	35 368	189 031	119 355	105 299	75 787
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	308	361	246	313	382	235	416
1992..	365	403	250	352	441	188	285
acres, 1997..	50 409	24 845	21 704	31 185	39 067	25 951	52 734
1992..	50 636	30 533	22 220	33 093	51 540	25 761	30 174
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	247	262	164	245	294	151	205
1992..	300	335	198	281	355	150	234
acres, 1997..	37 537	15 171	6 686	22 942	16 566	11 788	17 057
1992..	38 124	19 300	7 486	24 414	22 343	14 486	13 128
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	254	236	88	228	220	128	140
1992..	281	276	95	287	232	141	174
acres, 1997..	141 450	117 779	32 947	144 149	123 122	88 681	66 174
1992..	145 165	121 492	37 741	152 866	113 004	91 746	84 330
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	54 571	48 020	15 101	45 002	43 694	30 124	30 133
1992..	56 816	52 217	18 422	47 030	42 652	32 227	46 521
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	86 879	69 759	17 846	99 147	79 428	58 557	36 041
1992..	88 349	69 275	19 319	105 836	70 352	59 519	37 809
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	248	235	82	223	215	125	140
1992..	276	269	89	281	228	140	172
acres, 1997..	127 126	105 332	24 731	133 198	99 518	74 532	50 966
1992..	125 676	106 082	24 719	135 728	89 391	76 453	58 562
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	101	69	14	100	36	47	25
1992..	115	89	12	110	57	58	41
acres, 1997..	36 015	11 518	2 721	25 327	10 498	21 011	5 045
1992..	37 382	20 323	3 371	31 329	10 580	17 453	7 206
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	99	66	9	92	33	44	21
1992..	107	81	12	106	53	55	34
acres, 1997..	33 369	10 501	2 462	23 962	8 684	17 491	3 921
1992..	33 138	18 254	3 163	28 889	7 621	14 360	4 097
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	486	533	273	493	472	258	417
1992..	565	623	278	562	553	265	395
Not on farm operated							
1997..	125	91	48	111	115	114	109
1992..	151	108	53	140	145	91	78
Not reported							
1997..	52	42	27	37	51	38	55
1992..	45	37	26	47	32	31	27
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	428	304	122	336	265	204	201
1992..	517	377	145	425	320	201	248
Other							
1997..	235	362	226	305	373	206	380
1992..	244	391	212	324	410	186	252
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	312	244	110	236	216	164	212
1992..	349	284	104	326	225	160	181
Any							
1997..	292	383	227	357	384	212	349
1992..	353	440	226	365	465	210	285
1 to 49 days							
1997..	45	27	23	36	31	20	27
1992..	56	22	19	58	42	15	21
50 to 99 days							
1997..	16	9	16	19	16	7	11
1992..	22	18	5	11	23	13	15
100 to 149 days							
1997..	15	23	7	15	20	17	10
1992..	12	16	6	13	18	7	12
150 to 199 days							
1997..	30	35	20	35	39	24	28
1992..	28	55	25	30	50	19	24
200 days or more							
1997..	186	289	161	252	278	144	273
1992..	235	329	171	253	332	156	213
Not reported							
1997..	59	39	11	48	38	34	20
1992..	59	44	27	58	40	17	34
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	31	29	24	23	22	19	17
1992..	26	21	11	35	37	22	24
3 or 4 years							
1997..	33	26	28	33	41	24	25
1992..	45	26	22	43	42	27	30
5 to 9 years							
1997..	77	57	42	74	68	42	75
1992..	92	101	37	97	90	42	67
10 years or more							
1997..	406	441	198	407	396	237	368
1992..	478	510	219	448	444	221	325
Average years on present farm							
1997..	21.5	22.9	20.5	22.5	20.9	21.5	23.9
1992..	20.8	21.8	20.9	20.6	20.2	19.4	22.0
Not reported							
1997..	116	113	56	104	111	88	96
1992..	120	110	68	126	117	75	54

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

Characteristics	Sullivan	Switzerland	Tippecanoe	Tipton	Union	Vanderburgh	Vermillion	Vigo
FARMS								
Land in farms								
farms, 1997..	473	541	665	415	268	271	249	455
1992..	544	654	790	449	268	305	307	536
acres, 1997..	176 895	67 881	241 539	158 440	82 500	72 112	118 065	114 889
1992..	181 020	79 235	257 351	160 930	80 069	80 958	119 318	144 722
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	397	496	582	376	236	243	225	374
1992..	465	609	690	414	244	267	272	464
acres, 1997..	146 668	20 701	213 122	146 096	63 111	64 540	95 431	93 732
1992..	143 492	23 228	218 203	144 554	60 422	70 536	92 223	114 810
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners								
farms, 1997..	245	381	334	145	124	136	117	257
1992..	291	464	405	156	119	150	166	284
acres, 1997..	29 799	38 468	42 493	17 763	20 992	9 941	15 220	21 290
1992..	30 551	45 163	47 480	17 987	14 520	11 318	19 487	24 862
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	178	338	260	112	97	109	94	181
1992..	228	420	328	128	100	116	134	220
acres, 1997..	18 617	7 851	30 270	13 902	13 138	6 238	8 079	9 379
1992..	18 166	8 499	30 509	13 900	8 990	8 498	10 151	12 672
Part owners								
farms, 1997..	192	130	228	199	111	99	106	163
1992..	191	124	258	210	108	116	108	198
acres, 1997..	136 110	25 395	168 468	119 378	50 719	46 686	74 841	79 635
1992..	134 314	30 592	170 069	119 649	52 966	59 070	69 234	100 505
Owned land in farms								
acres, 1997..	43 352	11 967	39 929	39 117	18 477	17 556	23 832	25 611
1992..	44 756	15 290	46 603	39 307	17 343	20 341	20 155	32 452
Rented land in farms								
acres, 1997..	92 758	13 428	128 539	80 261	32 242	29 130	51 009	54 024
1992..	89 558	15 302	123 466	80 342	35 623	38 729	49 079	68 053
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	186	128	223	199	109	98	105	160
1992..	186	123	246	210	107	115	106	196
acres, 1997..	118 258	10 558	154 103	112 546	41 572	43 173	60 216	71 080
1992..	113 185	13 440	151 654	109 667	42 025	52 182	55 389	83 671
Tenants								
farms, 1997..	36	30	103	71	33	36	26	35
1992..	62	66	127	83	41	39	33	54
acres, 1997..	10 986	4 018	30 578	21 299	10 789	15 485	28 004	13 964
1992..	16 155	3 480	39 802	23 294	12 583	10 570	30 597	19 355
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	33	30	99	65	30	36	26	33
1992..	51	66	116	76	37	36	32	48
acres, 1997..	9 793	2 292	28 749	19 648	8 401	15 129	27 136	13 273
1992..	12 141	1 289	36 040	20 987	9 407	9 856	26 683	18 467
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated								
1997..	341	404	482	309	198	193	188	361
1992..	386	448	594	330	208	217	226	403
Not on farm operated								
1997..	111	101	149	80	58	57	48	66
1992..	108	155	152	94	42	65	59	88
Not reported								
1997..	21	36	34	26	12	21	13	28
1992..	50	51	44	25	18	23	22	45
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming								
1997..	225	194	307	246	150	130	140	212
1992..	291	264	390	259	170	174	187	246
Other								
1997..	248	347	358	169	118	141	109	243
1992..	253	390	400	190	98	131	120	290
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None								
1997..	179	172	228	183	114	105	116	165
1992..	206	223	269	176	127	124	147	207
Any								
1997..	270	349	410	210	143	150	119	267
1992..	298	389	470	250	125	157	130	296
1 to 49 days								
1997..	25	20	38	23	13	15	8	22
1992..	31	37	42	34	13	19	20	17
50 to 99 days								
1997..	21	14	17	18	6	9	4	9
1992..	12	20	24	13	6	7	5	11
100 to 149 days								
1997..	14	20	26	8	7	8	12	15
1992..	18	15	33	12	10	8	7	13
150 to 199 days								
1997..	31	35	52	13	11	12	17	35
1992..	32	41	55	13	18	13	6	41
200 days or more								
1997..	179	260	277	148	106	106	78	186
1992..	205	276	316	178	78	110	92	214
Not reported								
1997..	24	20	27	22	11	16	14	23
1992..	40	42	51	23	16	24	30	33
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less								
1997..	23	26	24	11	20	10	8	15
1992..	25	42	29	9	11	14	11	21
3 or 4 years								
1997..	19	51	40	19	15	10	15	22
1992..	36	59	55	25	17	7	16	37
5 to 9 years								
1997..	59	79	90	44	29	22	35	62
1992..	54	82	113	34	38	39	38	58
10 years or more								
1997..	290	303	428	277	167	179	153	283
1992..	324	360	488	300	161	200	197	326
Average years on present farm								
1997..	22.6	18.3	21.5	24.0	20.8	23.7	21.5	21.8
1992..	20.5	18.6	19.9	22.7	19.7	22.5	21.5	21.5
Not reported								
1997..	82	82	83	64	37	50	38	73
1992..	105	111	105	81	41	45	45	94

Table 11. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Characteristics	Wabash	Warren	Warrick	Washington	Wayne	Wells	White	Whitley
FARMS								
Land in farms								
farms, 1997..	762	378	356	914	814	660	620	787
1992..	810	435	392	937	828	722	695	759
acres, 1997..	188 230	184 653	98 549	181 298	172 860	195 901	272 072	165 067
1992..	197 947	201 739	96 219	189 136	189 467	198 680	285 169	162 244
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	584	315	283	689	616	575	543	574
1992..	690	379	340	780	692	672	612	660
acres, 1997..	150 107	153 224	73 939	90 019	123 991	175 631	244 828	119 639
1992..	156 217	163 621	71 863	86 062	135 819	173 751	243 928	120 380
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners								
farms, 1997..	449	190	194	676	523	325	259	524
1992..	457	199	191	720	505	332	307	462
acres, 1997..	44 727	27 913	22 402	86 712	50 737	26 313	36 963	51 578
1992..	47 064	36 519	18 845	100 724	58 018	31 699	49 649	45 021
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	284	137	130	460	344	246	197	312
1992..	348	151	146	573	383	286	233	374
acres, 1997..	23 800	14 804	11 676	25 690	21 792	18 601	28 451	23 125
1992..	28 076	22 535	8 774	28 506	29 958	25 519	36 949	24 996
Part owners								
farms, 1997..	245	144	138	203	214	282	256	216
1992..	255	173	152	186	217	312	281	230
acres, 1997..	123 450	133 705	68 420	88 453	101 631	156 523	196 975	105 965
1992..	127 001	141 429	66 128	84 570	106 399	144 794	197 658	108 219
Owned land in farms								
acres, 1997..	52 774	40 134	22 819	48 115	40 769	50 418	63 931	48 229
1992..	58 110	33 099	26 682	44 749	41 689	51 650	66 550	49 337
Rented land in farms								
acres, 1997..	70 676	93 571	45 601	40 338	60 862	106 105	133 044	57 736
1992..	68 891	108 330	39 446	39 821	64 710	93 144	131 108	58 882
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	240	136	135	200	209	281	251	216
1992..	252	171	148	182	214	312	279	226
acres, 1997..	109 210	117 214	55 883	59 963	85 839	144 657	179 738	90 340
1992..	106 924	119 272	52 368	55 272	86 367	129 240	173 594	87 765
Tenants								
farms, 1997..	68	44	24	35	77	53	105	47
1992..	98	63	49	31	106	78	107	67
acres, 1997..	20 053	23 035	7 727	6 133	20 492	13 065	38 134	7 524
1992..	23 882	23 791	11 246	3 842	25 050	22 187	37 862	9 004
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	60	42	18	29	63	48	95	46
1992..	90	57	46	25	95	74	100	60
acres, 1997..	17 097	21 206	6 380	4 366	16 360	12 373	36 639	6 174
1992..	21 217	21 814	10 721	2 284	19 494	18 992	33 385	7 619
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated								
1997..	581	265	249	713	609	510	420	629
1992..	615	309	295	734	626	557	524	624
Not on farm operated								
1997..	116	79	73	137	140	113	149	96
1992..	147	100	76	137	152	122	131	78
Not reported								
1997..	65	34	34	64	65	37	51	62
1992..	48	26	21	66	50	43	40	57
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming								
1997..	383	206	164	386	356	320	358	287
1992..	434	271	182	443	408	392	465	321
Other								
1997..	379	172	192	528	458	340	262	500
1992..	376	164	210	494	420	330	230	438
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None								
1997..	271	143	145	327	288	245	244	257
1992..	316	196	142	364	343	260	302	240
Any								
1997..	449	209	197	540	481	377	326	485
1992..	458	211	224	519	441	413	341	469
1 to 49 days								
1997..	58	24	21	52	32	29	47	28
1992..	45	22	24	41	44	60	47	24
50 to 99 days								
1997..	18	12	5	30	9	17	15	11
1992..	25	11	6	28	17	22	48	20
100 to 149 days								
1997..	25	7	12	23	18	17	19	22
1992..	23	16	14	25	14	17	21	15
150 to 199 days								
1997..	29	19	14	68	56	43	23	35
1992..	33	25	14	43	45	35	22	32
200 days or more								
1997..	319	147	145	367	366	271	222	389
1992..	332	137	166	382	321	279	203	378
Not reported								
1997..	42	26	14	47	45	38	50	45
1992..	36	28	26	54	44	49	52	50
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less								
1997..	29	18	13	30	44	24	29	21
1992..	40	22	13	51	37	15	27	20
3 or 4 years								
1997..	24	19	14	73	60	29	40	25
1992..	52	19	26	56	56	42	45	45
5 to 9 years								
1997..	93	36	28	103	97	64	72	92
1992..	94	61	39	121	103	83	74	94
10 years or more								
1997..	478	242	231	555	475	447	382	496
1992..	509	271	239	581	506	482	451	469
Average years on present farm								
1997..	23.7	20.9	23.0	21.1	20.4	23.2	20.6	23.0
1992..	21.2	20.5	20.8	20.5	20.4	22.7	21.7	21.0
Not reported								
1997..	138	63	70	153	138	96	97	153
1992..	115	62	75	128	126	100	98	131

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Characteristics	Indiana	Adams	Allen	Bartholomew	Benton	Blackford	Boone
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 928	52	23	8	6	1	9
	1992.. 1 321	37	36	17	8	7	9
25 to 34 years	1997.. 4 940	163	160	37	29	20	50
	1992.. 7 231	185	205	63	71	30	68
35 to 44 years	1997.. 12 312	250	312	124	97	62	126
	1992.. 13 496	281	327	163	111	54	157
45 to 54 years	1997.. 13 908	250	329	142	95	76	146
	1992.. 13 923	234	303	147	105	80	157
55 to 59 years	1997.. 6 688	114	136	76	69	41	67
	1992.. 6 720	98	136	72	50	34	91
60 to 64 years	1997.. 6 014	106	141	66	49	37	77
	1992.. 6 523	101	166	51	64	22	83
65 to 69 years	1997.. 4 776	53	128	45	33	19	59
	1992.. 5 398	62	134	53	45	22	63
70 years and over	1997.. 8 350	105	211	79	55	47	77
	1992.. 8 166	104	156	79	46	24	83
Average age	1997.. 52.8	48.4	52.2	53.0	52.9	53.7	53.0
	1992.. 51.6	47.8	50.3	50.9	50.4	50.3	52.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 54 695	1 054	1 378	548	412	279	562
	1992.. 59 671	1 066	1 401	605	481	259	676
	acres, 1997.. 14 711 758	203 405	271 001	164 157	252 304	84 361	223 462
	1992.. 15 213 260	194 283	278 794	162 500	266 680	85 340	221 853
Female	farms, 1997.. 3 221	39	62	29	21	24	49
	1992.. 3 107	36	62	40	19	14	35
	acres, 1997.. 399 264	5 248	5 384	2 455	4 516	1 597	4 866
	1992.. 405 571	3 441	6 936	2 591	3 938	1 989	1 576
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 49 293	940	1 212	497	346	262	512
	1992.. 53 105	939	1 223	535	400	230	581
	acres, 1997.. 10 821 789	148 554	199 195	119 372	205 713	62 080	158 259
	1992.. 11 325 570	138 923	206 174	111 381	218 316	65 493	156 746
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 5 235	106	160	45	44	18	42
	1992.. 6 721	119	193	72	55	29	76
	acres, 1997.. 2 187 125	29 329	54 480	22 317	21 974	4 748	22 622
	1992.. 2 528 768	36 887	60 819	32 036	24 164	(D)	28 565
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 2 797	44	48	32	30	21	49
	1992.. 2 425	38	38	35	30	13	48
	acres, 1997.. 1 946 569	30 197	21 171	24 766	21 900	(D)	45 601
	1992.. 1 631 987	21 634	17 750	21 251	24 863	11 782	35 698
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 221	1	7	1	2	—	4
	1992.. 197	3	6	1	2	—	2
	acres, 1997.. 67 093	(D)	512	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. 65 419	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 370	2	13	2	11	2	4
	1992.. 330	3	3	2	13	—	4
	acres, 1997.. 88 446	(D)	1 027	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. 67 087	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)

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Characteristics	Brown	Carroll	Cass	Clark	Clay	Clinton	Crawford
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997..	15	21	3	8	14	1
	1992..	20	14	11	17	24	2
25 to 34 years	1997..	7	48	51	53	40	12
	1992..	5	82	92	55	70	23
35 to 44 years	1997..	22	137	162	131	116	61
	1992..	28	167	157	114	118	62
45 to 54 years	1997..	42	141	161	147	122	108
	1992..	41	135	193	149	112	97
55 to 59 years	1997..	29	68	70	70	49	53
	1992..	28	61	97	64	66	43
60 to 64 years	1997..	27	47	85	64	68	43
	1992..	21	67	97	78	72	48
65 to 69 years	1997..	17	36	51	64	47	50
	1992..	19	61	66	59	48	41
70 years and over	1997..	29	71	99	115	70	82
	1992..	26	66	88	111	65	66
Average age	1997..	57.1	50.9	52.4	54.4	53.0	51.3
	1992..	56.3	49.9	51.4	54.1	51.4	55.5
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997..	154	541	667	595	492	365
	1992..	160	638	759	593	543	355
	acres, 1997..	17 633	216 414	198 498	105 185	155 255	227 734
	1992..	21 886	218 263	220 749	102 136	157 612	53 817
							56 382
Female	farms, 1997..	19	22	33	52	28	45
	1992..	8	21	45	48	25	27
	acres, 1997..	4 074	1 756	6 882	3 588	4 186	7 503
	1992..	669	1 794	6 962	3 522	4 821	3 352
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997..	161	423	604	587	446	377
	1992..	155	520	690	574	499	358
	acres, 1997..	17 151	142 185	155 324	95 634	124 377	54 694
	1992..	18 323	145 179	176 507	87 869	118 072	53 473
Partnership	farms, 1997..	6	57	59	45	46	24
	1992..	10	70	80	52	46	20
	acres, 1997..	2 443	26 962	24 652	9 754	16 105	5 190
	1992..	3 347	25 834	27 857	13 666	26 380	4 918
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997..	6	74	30	12	26	2
	1992..	3	57	31	14	20	2
	acres, 1997..	2 113	47 463	24 124	3 199	(D)	(D)
	1992..	885	43 584	22 767	(D)	17 465	(D)
Other than family held	farms, 1997..	—	4	2	1	3	2
	1992..	—	7	—	—	1	—
	acres, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
	1992..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997..	—	5	5	2	2	5
	1992..	—	5	3	1	2	2
	acres, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	248
	1992..	—	(D)	580	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Daviess	Dearborn	Decatur	De Kalb	Delaware	Dubois	Elkhart
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 26	5	9	10	7	12	31
	1992.. 32	8	20	5	15	18	56
25 to 34 years	1997.. 157	35	60	48	36	77	205
	1992.. 202	53	106	73	59	120	249
35 to 44 years	1997.. 272	133	162	172	133	180	370
	1992.. 310	134	177	147	133	202	365
45 to 54 years	1997.. 265	152	144	175	132	171	358
	1992.. 267	148	151	153	166	194	336
55 to 59 years	1997.. 110	72	66	84	83	101	105
	1992.. 94	79	62	88	94	108	120
60 to 64 years	1997.. 92	73	55	81	85	89	81
	1992.. 87	91	80	65	65	110	102
65 to 69 years	1997.. 63	67	75	84	51	73	70
	1992.. 90	115	61	57	60	81	93
70 years and over	1997.. 116	142	83	131	108	109	115
	1992.. 99	110	74	83	96	90	126
Average age	1997.. 49.1	55.8	52.1	54.2	54.6	52.5	47.6
	1992.. 47.9	54.8	49.3	51.9	52.7	50.7	47.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 1 071	633	619	734	601	782	1 303
	1992.. 1 150	686	699	653	647	891	1 395
	acres, 1997.. 213 160	77 501	191 063	157 984	169 236	187 349	179 192
	1992.. 217 864	79 735	193 947	150 812	166 174	189 613	189 456
Female	farms, 1997.. 30	46	35	51	34	30	32
	1992.. 31	52	32	18	41	32	52
	acres, 1997.. 3 971	3 882	7 551	4 952	4 207	3 704	3 579
	1992.. 4 571	6 501	8 482	2 401	3 091	3 768	2 855
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 890	610	506	681	540	634	1 164
	1992.. 962	657	562	582	606	730	1 260
	acres, 1997.. 127 951	70 502	113 506	114 051	126 644	109 509	138 735
	1992.. 140 413	72 394	118 937	114 887	130 077	120 204	153 172
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 146	52	74	57	54	115	120
	1992.. 168	65	102	51	53	130	147
	acres, 1997.. 54 935	8 017	35 982	22 912	18 676	47 442	33 330
	1992.. 52 564	10 903	33 579	18 065	23 159	47 535	29 353
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 53	8	66	36	35	56	43
	1992.. 45	9	64	30	25	52	31
	acres, 1997.. 29 911	531	46 646	24 169	26 110	32 468	9 641
	1992.. 28 840	2 000	48 541	18 896	15 064	23 777	9 130
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 10	4	3	1	4	3	3
	1992.. 3	3	1	3	1	3	3
	acres, 1997.. (D)	1 418	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 2	5	5	10	2	4	5
	1992.. 3	4	2	5	3	8	6
	acres, 1997.. (D)	915	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Fayette	Floyd	Fountain	Franklin	Fulton	Gibson	Grant
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 9	—	2	8	14	4	6
	1992.. 15	2	11	24	23	11	21
25 to 34 years	1997.. 33	13	27	69	32	53	49
	1992.. 43	23	80	90	86	97	76
35 to 44 years	1997.. 80	51	127	180	154	136	102
	1992.. 87	60	103	220	134	132	97
45 to 54 years	1997.. 115	75	133	180	136	126	140
	1992.. 111	75	160	176	163	170	161
55 to 59 years	1997.. 56	31	71	103	82	66	56
	1992.. 52	29	67	86	74	81	68
60 to 64 years	1997.. 49	35	60	81	67	67	65
	1992.. 36	53	63	95	48	83	61
65 to 69 years	1997.. 26	38	42	72	42	46	61
	1992.. 30	36	58	63	61	60	58
70 years and over	1997.. 52	67	88	83	95	81	96
	1992.. 82	58	91	95	101	86	88
Average age	1997.. 52.3	57.2	54.0	52.0	53.2	52.8	54.3
	1992.. 53.0	55.7	52.4	50.6	51.4	51.4	52.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	1997.. farms, 404	277	529	736	584	547	542
	1992.. 427	307	604	804	663	680	600
	1997.. acres, 104 534	25 520	202 157	134 701	165 514	228 942	190 294
	1992.. 108 279	26 874	224 478	143 187	188 771	235 326	193 414
Female	1997.. farms, 16	33	21	40	38	32	33
	1992.. 29	29	29	45	27	40	30
	1997.. acres, 2 203	3 188	2 397	3 934	5 131	3 897	1 998
	1992.. 3 221	2 963	4 619	5 475	5 541	5 723	3 123
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1997.. farms, 343	280	462	665	544	484	486
	1992.. 348	305	539	712	605	601	534
	1997.. acres, 77 183	24 589	164 793	108 290	136 393	169 030	135 659
	1992.. 72 898	25 942	181 141	109 571	145 879	177 044	150 096
Partnership	1997.. farms, 51	19	55	75	59	57	46
	1992.. 80	25	67	115	67	80	59
	1997.. acres, 14 688	(D)	20 248	16 342	21 903	37 661	18 504
	1992.. 22 726	(D)	30 690	31 125	37 328	43 642	22 213
Corporation:							
Family held	1997.. farms, 21	8	26	29	19	28	36
	1992.. 26	3	22	21	16	30	37
	1997.. acres, 14 178	2 363	18 599	12 336	12 349	23 792	33 671
	1992.. (D)	(D)	15 434	(D)	10 992	16 644	24 228
Other than family held	1997.. farms, 2	1	1	—	—	4	4
	1992.. —	3	3	—	1	3	—
	1997.. acres, (D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	4 316
	1992.. —	544	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	1997.. farms, 3	2	6	7	—	6	3
	1992.. 2	—	2	1	1	6	—
	1997.. acres, (D)	(D)	(D)	1 667	—	(D)	142
	1992.. (D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—

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Characteristics	Greene	Hamilton	Hancock	Harrison	Hendricks	Henry	Howard
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 10	7	5	14	9	3	8
	1992.. 18	15	28	11	10	13	5
25 to 34 years	1997.. 61	39	50	72	28	69	33
	1992.. 80	54	50	101	58	94	53
35 to 44 years	1997.. 173	116	119	207	135	154	127
	1992.. 174	141	125	241	163	187	122
45 to 54 years	1997.. 207	151	139	297	154	186	97
	1992.. 234	148	145	249	190	189	134
55 to 59 years	1997.. 108	67	77	121	66	84	68
	1992.. 98	72	68	123	102	93	59
60 to 64 years	1997.. 90	64	54	103	71	85	49
	1992.. 104	63	79	120	97	75	73
65 to 69 years	1997.. 78	53	44	104	61	63	44
	1992.. 87	53	43	116	68	79	41
70 years and over	1997.. 151	94	61	190	107	126	60
	1992.. 163	102	87	206	104	118	79
Average age	1997.. 54.3	53.9	52.0	54.3	54.5	53.7	52.4
	1992.. 53.7	52.7	51.9	54.2	53.0	51.9	52.8
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 827	555	525	1 009	584	737	469
	1992.. 882	605	593	1 075	749	814	540
	acres, 1997.. 201 658	139 345	162 536	152 679	160 999	175 025	146 903
	1992.. 196 272	159 142	157 976	151 279	184 525	186 690	145 640
Female	farms, 1997.. 51	36	24	99	47	33	17
	1992.. 76	43	32	92	43	34	26
	acres, 1997.. 3 970	1 468	1 168	8 699	6 229	2 576	847
	1992.. 11 494	3 528	5 272	10 466	2 554	4 108	2 969
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 776	483	471	1 027	547	666	381
	1992.. 829	508	521	1 060	673	735	452
	acres, 1997.. 149 613	90 614	115 068	135 855	116 645	135 700	97 013
	1992.. 155 469	91 327	103 770	132 890	129 951	149 898	104 317
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 67	57	42	55	53	66	48
	1992.. 105	79	65	78	91	78	73
	acres, 1997.. 25 368	21 765	20 254	13 897	33 440	24 083	19 355
	1992.. 40 485	35 507	39 175	17 008	42 831	20 957	(D)
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 23	47	33	20	26	29	52
	1992.. 19	52	34	20	24	31	40
	acres, 1997.. 18 038	27 261	25 253	9 975	16 499	15 739	31 324
	1992.. 11 347	34 295	20 129	8 984	13 671	19 785	25 541
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 3	3	2	2	1	2	—
	1992.. 1	4	1	4	1	—	1
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 9	1	1	4	4	7	5
	1992.. 4	5	4	5	3	4	—
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	58
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	158	—

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Characteristics	Huntington	Jackson	Jasper	Jay	Jefferson	Jennings	Johnson
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 7	21	9	16	9	19	12
	1992.. 12	19	19	38	15	16	16
25 to 34 years	1997.. 42	61	71	103	54	47	48
	1992.. 84	85	102	127	87	91	59
35 to 44 years	1997.. 157	154	112	172	177	116	96
	1992.. 146	161	150	162	202	113	106
45 to 54 years	1997.. 140	212	149	197	188	147	124
	1992.. 142	192	171	192	204	156	128
55 to 59 years	1997.. 74	100	80	96	94	69	67
	1992.. 91	78	86	73	86	84	79
60 to 64 years	1997.. 72	62	74	84	80	73	64
	1992.. 69	100	67	79	90	59	58
65 to 69 years	1997.. 66	75	46	55	66	40	49
	1992.. 63	82	44	75	72	65	56
70 years and over	1997.. 93	124	77	116	128	94	66
	1992.. 97	134	77	106	158	74	84
Average age	1997.. 53.4	53.2	52.3	51.7	53.6	52.8	52.7
	1992.. 52.1	53.1	50.0	49.8	53.1	51.3	52.4
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 615	767	594	793	739	569	497
	1992.. 676	813	689	805	845	618	560
	acres, 1997.. 180 581	195 096	274 368	176 096	120 662	126 833	134 333
	1992.. 181 913	196 976	288 122	177 308	125 194	120 566	137 296
Female	farms, 1997.. 36	42	24	46	57	36	29
	1992.. 28	38	27	47	69	40	26
	acres, 1997.. 3 556	5 910	8 547	3 698	5 717	3 540	1 230
	1992.. 6 042	5 920	13 840	5 528	5 632	4 128	2 342
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 543	706	484	740	706	549	441
	1992.. 597	734	573	737	825	593	491
	acres, 1997.. 135 447	150 594	196 149	139 759	106 205	91 473	96 496
	1992.. 146 038	155 743	202 502	141 513	114 216	96 653	105 580
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 64	63	63	68	73	36	56
	1992.. 83	79	76	92	79	47	71
	acres, 1997.. 21 804	19 835	31 459	20 357	11 962	25 291	27 730
	1992.. (D)	28 180	53 860	24 340	13 962	19 325	25 922
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 38	37	58	26	15	12	23
	1992.. 23	29	51	19	5	13	18
	acres, 1997.. 25 396	30 113	50 444	18 324	(D)	10 469	10 830
	1992.. 13 754	17 519	42 253	16 543	(D)	6 098	7 434
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 2	1	8	—	—	3	3
	1992.. 1	2	11	3	1	1	4
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	1 387	—	—	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 4	2	5	5	2	5	3
	1992.. —	7	5	1	4	4	2
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	3 476	1 354	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. —	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Knox	Kosciusko	Lagrange	Lake	La Porte	Lawrence	Madison
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 11	26	56	5	10	10	15
	1992.. 20	24	52	6	10	13	16
25 to 34 years	1997.. 44	116	266	19	53	61	41
	1992.. 94	141	321	55	96	54	64
35 to 44 years	1997.. 132	234	384	95	176	154	119
	1992.. 155	258	389	89	178	169	155
45 to 54 years	1997.. 128	265	345	97	171	215	194
	1992.. 131	282	308	112	195	170	226
55 to 59 years	1997.. 63	139	130	56	85	89	90
	1992.. 72	112	113	71	86	95	96
60 to 64 years	1997.. 67	121	79	49	82	103	81
	1992.. 78	103	93	48	80	104	81
65 to 69 years	1997.. 54	78	60	48	62	88	62
	1992.. 48	76	54	29	73	111	78
70 years and over	1997.. 85	151	72	73	110	155	136
	1992.. 90	127	61	72	108	133	132
Average age	1997.. 53.2	51.8	45.3	54.7	53.1	54.7	55.1
	1992.. 50.5	50.2	44.4	52.7	51.7	54.8	53.3
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 562	1 071	1 366	400	705	818	688
	1992.. 666	1 076	1 365	449	778	799	794
	acres, 1997.. 273 488	240 859	188 370	143 746	243 440	159 875	214 935
	1992.. 299 403	245 381	186 189	136 615	263 445	151 158	216 537
Female	farms, 1997.. 22	59	26	42	44	57	50
	1992.. 22	47	26	33	48	50	54
	acres, 1997.. 7 140	6 048	1 562	5 126	4 316	10 936	8 816
	1992.. 6 231	6 222	1 360	7 690	4 250	7 630	6 791
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 442	964	1 232	356	626	786	584
	1992.. 515	936	1 234	394	690	771	666
	acres, 1997.. 149 923	171 390	130 514	99 128	181 098	135 958	136 781
	1992.. 161 083	176 341	141 297	101 646	197 636	127 465	145 837
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 66	97	108	47	71	78	75
	1992.. 114	121	118	59	87	70	103
	acres, 1997.. 55 732	40 717	28 251	18 728	38 581	28 258	35 802
	1992.. 76 266	38 712	27 349	21 327	42 325	24 288	36 747
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 67	58	40	33	44	4	72
	1992.. 51	57	25	21	41	5	68
	acres, 1997.. 73 463	33 770	28 943	29 808	26 859	3 562	46 768
	1992.. 64 840	34 849	16 304	18 562	24 917	4 584	38 537
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 4	5	4	2	3	3	3
	1992.. 1	5	9	3	3	1	2
	acres, 1997.. 491	323	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	2 389	2 163	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 5	6	8	4	5	4	4
	1992.. 7	4	5	5	5	2	9
	acres, 1997.. 1 019	707	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	210	607	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Marion	Marshall	Martin	Miami	Monroe	Montgomery	Morgan
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 3	15	5	17	3	7	7
	1992.. 1	24	5	14	7	12	11
25 to 34 years	1997.. 12	83	29	45	28	62	49
	1992.. 23	106	54	70	34	89	55
35 to 44 years	1997.. 49	164	79	136	83	129	124
	1992.. 52	215	92	157	94	180	126
45 to 54 years	1997.. 46	221	86	164	108	176	138
	1992.. 54	187	80	190	112	155	144
55 to 59 years	1997.. 26	95	29	96	79	79	72
	1992.. 27	105	32	95	55	88	82
60 to 64 years	1997.. 25	96	26	78	42	92	83
	1992.. 37	112	28	77	64	80	53
65 to 69 years	1997.. 24	72	28	50	44	40	40
	1992.. 28	80	32	72	45	62	72
70 years and over	1997.. 40	119	53	92	86	96	88
	1992.. 54	127	52	96	97	96	104
Average age	1997.. 55.0	52.5	52.1	53.1	55.6	53.1	53.5
	1992.. 55.1	51.7	50.5	52.1	55.3	51.3	54.1
Operators by sex:							
Male	1997.. farms, 196	833	314	659	427	647	553
	1992.. 245	919	357	740	463	736	596
	1997.. acres, 28 178	198 993	68 022	194 405	57 273	269 062	128 972
	1992.. 37 620	213 924	69 048	187 092	55 989	279 262	130 723
Female	1997.. farms, 29	32	21	19	46	34	48
	1992.. 31	37	18	31	45	26	51
	1997.. acres, 856	2 644	2 083	2 793	4 876	4 196	4 986
	1992.. 1 163	5 478	2 548	1 751	3 293	3 502	8 800
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1997.. farms, 168	747	291	567	433	549	505
	1992.. 217	830	318	631	466	613	540
	1997.. acres, 20 322	151 627	57 631	137 131	55 596	189 450	90 031
	1992.. 23 910	168 805	55 662	132 729	52 394	210 731	97 348
Partnership	1997.. farms, 22	91	33	64	23	74	69
	1992.. 29	101	46	87	32	103	76
	1997.. acres, (D)	37 752	(D)	28 737	4 155	41 454	24 066
	1992.. 9 013	38 938	12 329	29 832	5 337	(D)	21 665
Corporation:							
Family held	1997.. farms, 28	19	8	42	11	46	24
	1992.. 21	21	8	46	5	42	25
	1997.. acres, 5 138	9 448	2 640	30 528	1 159	40 881	19 399
	1992.. 5 746	10 083	3 195	24 396	1 062	30 329	17 370
Other than family held	1997.. farms, 7	5	3	1	1	5	1
	1992.. 9	2	3	3	1	4	2
	1997.. acres, (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. 114	(D)	410	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	1997.. farms, —	3	—	4	5	7	2
	1992.. —	2	—	4	4	—	4
	1997.. acres, —	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. —	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)

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Characteristics	Newton	Noble	Ohio	Orange	Owen	Parke	Perry
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 10	13	—	6	6	4	6
	1992.. 9	11	8	3	14	7	8
25 to 34 years	1997.. 35	89	25	30	32	41	53
	1992.. 41	105	18	39	41	51	51
35 to 44 years	1997.. 77	206	44	96	109	114	83
	1992.. 87	253	50	92	142	100	105
45 to 54 years	1997.. 83	241	59	123	119	109	120
	1992.. 84	222	48	117	121	93	89
55 to 59 years	1997.. 55	106	28	67	74	49	54
	1992.. 43	104	34	59	63	60	68
60 to 64 years	1997.. 43	89	26	54	58	56	57
	1992.. 50	96	36	66	80	59	48
65 to 69 years	1997.. 26	66	31	59	69	33	42
	1992.. 30	82	37	51	67	44	42
70 years and over	1997.. 52	132	39	96	102	65	69
	1992.. 46	120	36	97	94	77	75
Average age	1997.. 52.3	52.4	54.0	55.4	55.5	52.6	52.9
	1992.. 51.5	51.1	54.1	55.0	53.6	53.1	52.8
Operators by sex:							
Male	1997.. farms, 357	889	232	496	523	440	445
	1992.. 367	951	251	501	580	472	457
	1997.. acres, 204 709	177 679	27 577	117 489	102 374	184 150	79 123
	1992.. 203 465	179 001	31 175	111 989	108 106	175 984	76 415
Female	1997.. farms, 24	53	20	35	46	31	39
	1992.. 23	42	16	23	42	19	29
	1997.. acres, 2 606	4 284	2 303	5 854	4 891	4 666	5 128
	1992.. 3 420	5 117	1 143	4 079	5 023	5 669	3 663
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1997.. farms, 297	819	230	465	527	388	448
	1992.. 318	855	243	457	569	401	443
	1997.. acres, 145 022	135 841	26 413	81 770	91 626	121 513	74 583
	1992.. 145 890	139 194	28 705	80 799	96 043	115 287	70 279
Partnership	1997.. farms, 47	75	22	44	33	61	30
	1992.. 43	103	23	46	43	65	35
	1997.. acres, 38 045	25 881	3 467	24 076	9 720	42 038	(D)
	1992.. 40 548	26 276	(D)	22 146	11 375	43 805	8 289
Corporation:							
Family held	1997.. farms, 27	36	—	20	7	18	6
	1992.. 25	27	—	17	7	21	5
	1997.. acres, 21 527	19 532	—	(D)	(D)	24 814	(D)
	1992.. 20 005	18 243	—	(D)	(D)	21 264	1 139
Other than family held	1997.. farms, 2	4	—	—	—	1	—
	1992.. 2	2	—	—	—	1	—
	1997.. acres, (D)	333	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	1997.. farms, 8	8	—	2	2	3	—
	1992.. 2	6	—	4	3	3	3
	1997.. acres, (D)	376	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
	1992.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	371

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Characteristics	Pike	Porter	Posey	Pulaski	Putnam	Randolph	Ripley
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. —	7	8	8	6	20	15
	1992.. 5	10	10	9	13	24	24
25 to 34 years	1997.. 22	32	45	54	69	63	73
	1992.. 35	57	68	85	91	104	141
35 to 44 years	1997.. 60	99	104	131	203	162	160
	1992.. 65	117	117	171	156	204	182
45 to 54 years	1997.. 63	123	90	135	169	202	207
	1992.. 72	104	99	120	164	197	214
55 to 59 years	1997.. 38	55	49	55	77	100	98
	1992.. 43	43	56	59	126	119	88
60 to 64 years	1997.. 43	46	46	50	90	111	75
	1992.. 29	52	53	64	105	94	93
65 to 69 years	1997.. 16	49	44	35	78	65	55
	1992.. 16	47	44	51	67	76	76
70 years and over	1997.. 46	65	51	63	102	128	138
	1992.. 44	66	44	71	104	118	145
Average age	1997.. 54.2	53.3	51.7	51.0	52.3	53.6	53.0
	1992.. 51.4	51.6	49.9	50.0	52.5	51.4	51.3
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 278	455	414	505	750	805	777
	1992.. 297	468	472	603	774	904	912
	acres, 1997.. 83 762	131 905	192 798	227 868	190 035	218 761	152 471
	1992.. 82 062	138 486	216 882	233 782	198 042	232 118	157 300
Female	farms, 1997.. 10	21	23	26	44	46	44
	1992.. 12	28	19	27	52	32	51
	acres, 1997.. 475	2 600	2 507	8 464	5 342	5 056	6 989
	1992.. 3 304	3 996	4 077	8 995	6 123	4 318	6 725
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 251	414	330	437	696	751	712
	1992.. 262	420	377	529	727	799	826
	acres, 1997.. 60 565	102 715	119 384	169 466	139 757	179 476	123 494
	1992.. 67 563	105 320	132 510	180 040	147 395	185 452	124 752
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 26	35	61	52	68	68	79
	1992.. 38	48	72	71	81	103	118
	acres, 1997.. 14 755	16 271	40 084	33 668	41 137	24 097	23 811
	1992.. 12 713	17 855	55 186	36 348	42 174	32 455	30 616
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 11	20	36	35	19	19	26
	1992.. 7	19	33	25	12	19	15
	acres, 1997.. 8 917	14 409	35 300	32 791	10 071	16 743	11 139
	1992.. (D)	15 740	32 587	24 753	8 716	13 828	(D)
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. —	1	6	1	—	3	—
	1992.. —	1	2	2	—	6	—
	acres, 1997.. —	(D)	410	(D)	—	(D)	—
	1992.. —	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 824	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. —	6	4	6	11	10	4
	1992.. 2	8	7	3	4	9	4
	acres, 1997.. —	(D)	127	(D)	4 412	(D)	1 016
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 877	(D)

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Characteristics	Rush	St. Joseph	Scott	Shelby	Spencer	Starke	Steuben
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 10	6	6	11	7	5	9
	1992.. 16	7	6	10	15	5	7
25 to 34 years	1997.. 75	52	24	48	61	30	25
	1992.. 105	70	33	87	103	59	61
35 to 44 years	1997.. 148	129	54	141	158	78	112
	1992.. 168	151	63	167	176	80	101
45 to 54 years	1997.. 155	171	95	148	138	102	141
	1992.. 156	184	89	172	131	69	113
55 to 59 years	1997.. 66	67	49	77	79	36	70
	1992.. 83	92	39	70	97	59	60
60 to 64 years	1997.. 70	77	33	61	66	50	65
	1992.. 78	89	30	74	81	41	45
65 to 69 years	1997.. 42	65	29	58	51	48	55
	1992.. 60	60	35	64	48	33	38
70 years and over	1997.. 97	99	58	97	78	61	104
	1992.. 95	115	62	105	79	41	75
Average age	1997.. 51.9	53.8	54.5	53.1	51.7	54.3	55.4
	1992.. 50.7	53.5	53.7	51.7	50.3	50.6	51.9
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 631	622	317	612	610	375	539
	1992.. 732	733	325	717	700	369	470
	acres, 1997.. 221 786	151 207	54 577	197 963	164 185	131 660	119 598
	1992.. 230 032	168 371	59 640	214 080	172 319	132 691	118 145
Female	farms, 1997.. 32	44	31	29	28	35	42
	1992.. 29	35	32	32	30	18	30
	acres, 1997.. 6 088	2 935	2 795	2 698	8 502	3 983	4 355
	1992.. 3 151	3 977	3 692	3 208	2 805	2 269	3 565
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 519	584	310	561	553	359	505
	1992.. 582	668	332	623	619	340	425
	acres, 1997.. 156 493	113 873	43 318	153 454	123 572	103 452	93 623
	1992.. 161 549	130 201	49 556	155 435	130 309	101 747	87 284
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 93	35	24	52	61	32	60
	1992.. 132	65	20	83	86	33	65
	acres, 1997.. 39 906	19 228	6 638	17 752	28 802	15 735	23 729
	1992.. 47 904	22 356	(D)	29 178	28 514	23 689	28 351
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 46	39	14	24	21	11	10
	1992.. 40	29	4	36	22	11	4
	acres, 1997.. 29 785	19 607	7 416	28 071	20 006	9 818	5 451
	1992.. 22 383	17 067	(D)	30 513	15 532	9 379	3 979
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 2	4	—	2	3	1	4
	1992.. 1	3	—	2	1	—	4
	acres, 1997.. (D)	988	(D)	(D)	307	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 3	4	—	2	—	7	2
	1992.. 6	3	—	5	2	3	2
	acres, 1997.. (D)	446	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	145	(D)

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Characteristics	Sullivan	Switzerland	Tippecanoe	Tipton	Union	Vanderburgh	Vermillion	Vigo
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—								
Con.								
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1997.. 5	10	9	8	5	2	1	4
	1992.. 11	10	15	9	3	4	4	3
25 to 34 years	1997.. 33	47	42	31	25	17	19	27
	1992.. 56	79	73	58	42	37	37	47
35 to 44 years	1997.. 115	101	138	89	51	56	50	102
	1992.. 132	109	186	94	69	48	50	106
45 to 54 years	1997.. 109	141	197	103	75	70	63	108
	1992.. 125	144	185	117	61	82	59	122
55 to 59 years	1997.. 58	72	80	54	41	36	30	49
	1992.. 55	65	74	38	29	22	39	52
60 to 64 years	1997.. 44	50	72	47	31	22	27	49
	1992.. 61	79	83	46	17	43	32	64
65 to 69 years	1997.. 43	44	41	32	15	24	21	41
	1992.. 55	61	66	39	16	27	37	76
70 years and over	1997.. 66	76	86	51	25	44	38	75
	1992.. 49	107	108	48	31	42	49	66
Average age	1997.. 53.2	52.7	52.7	52.3	51.1	53.9	53.5	54.2
	1992.. 50.7	53.0	52.0	50.4	49.2	52.5	53.8	53.4
Operators by sex:								
Male	farms, 1997.. 456	500	631	408	262	254	238	423
	1992.. 528	613	755	435	263	297	282	504
	acres, 1997.. 170 285	63 804	233 901	157 013	82 016	71 060	116 566	110 876
	1992.. 178 598	76 686	252 304	159 176	79 514	80 197	115 702	140 854
Female	farms, 1997.. 17	41	34	7	6	17	11	32
	1992.. 16	41	35	14	5	8	25	32
	acres, 1997.. 6 610	4 077	7 638	1 427	484	1 052	1 499	4 013
	1992.. 2 422	2 549	5 047	1 754	555	761	3 616	3 868
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 409	496	523	299	226	218	204	385
	1992.. 477	577	642	347	219	244	259	457
	acres, 1997.. 128 877	58 927	165 186	92 621	61 725	46 039	73 257	80 586
	1992.. 146 466	66 123	177 660	90 188	58 771	60 380	79 801	102 691
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 48	40	80	52	25	24	25	39
	1992.. 50	68	97	54	34	40	32	42
	acres, 1997.. 31 968	5 631	44 572	21 699	(D)	11 013	(D)	12 358
	1992.. 22 105	9 216	48 452	33 262	(D)	11 969	27 289	9 390
Corporation:								
Family held	farms, 1997.. 13	5	42	61	15	24	19	26
	1992.. 11	6	29	41	14	17	13	30
	acres, 1997.. 14 826	3 323	20 223	43 732	6 129	14 699	15 482	21 035
	1992.. (D)	3 397	20 420	34 519	7 968	8 479	10 127	30 882
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 2	—	7	1	2	3	1	3
	1992.. —	1	7	5	1	1	1	2
	acres, 1997.. (D)	—	3 312	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. —	(D)	2 967	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 1	—	13	2	—	2	—	2
	1992.. 6	2	15	2	—	3	2	5
	acres, 1997.. (D)	—	8 246	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	7 852	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

Table 11. **Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Characteristics	Wabash	Warren	Warrick	Washington	Wayne	Wells	White	Whitley
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—								
Con.								
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1997.. 11	4	3	9	15	13	13	10
	1992.. 21	7	8	24	21	13	17	17
25 to 34 years	1997.. 81	17	20	67	62	57	63	47
	1992.. 98	47	28	90	68	90	92	84
35 to 44 years	1997.. 134	82	84	175	154	158	133	163
	1992.. 187	109	108	172	168	165	164	197
45 to 54 years	1997.. 189	122	79	201	201	141	167	207
	1992.. 160	103	72	188	213	145	148	178
55 to 59 years	1997.. 72	53	35	124	99	73	67	92
	1992.. 81	48	36	120	71	76	63	53
60 to 64 years	1997.. 81	28	35	103	80	71	57	60
	1992.. 99	36	54	90	63	80	81	85
65 to 69 years	1997.. 72	31	47	75	56	55	44	78
	1992.. 69	32	32	89	91	59	69	65
70 years and over	1997.. 122	41	53	160	147	92	76	130
	1992.. 95	53	54	164	133	94	61	80
Average age	1997.. 53.4	52.6	54.2	54.5	53.9	52.2	51.0	53.7
	1992.. 51.0	51.0	52.7	53.6	52.9	51.3	50.0	50.3
Operators by sex:								
Male	farms, 1997.. 726	352	323	847	758	631	587	745
	1992.. 785	408	371	876	781	696	668	719
	acres, 1997.. 184 576	180 633	96 038	172 101	165 805	192 678	266 000	159 624
	1992.. 195 867	197 592	94 461	178 002	183 895	195 908	277 824	158 505
Female	farms, 1997.. 36	26	33	67	56	29	33	42
	1992.. 25	27	21	61	47	26	27	40
	acres, 1997.. 3 654	4 020	2 511	9 197	7 055	3 223	6 072	5 443
	1992.. 2 080	4 147	1 758	11 134	5 572	2 772	7 345	3 739
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 616	318	294	820	722	549	502	681
	1992.. 639	374	337	836	667	622	565	652
	acres, 1997.. 117 186	142 870	62 457	144 137	139 282	138 907	175 606	122 058
	1992.. 123 312	168 437	72 805	143 208	133 723	153 677	201 513	118 196
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 58	42	41	66	59	49	46	62
	1992.. 86	50	35	76	118	64	68	72
	acres, 1997.. 19 270	29 979	26 540	23 424	22 435	13 516	30 908	17 247
	1992.. 23 981	24 887	13 519	27 563	41 440	20 803	38 005	24 955
Corporation:								
Family held	farms, 1997.. 78	8	16	24	31	53	62	34
	1992.. 77	8	12	24	36	33	59	27
	acres, 1997.. 49 588	9 476	8 974	12 675	10 537	41 544	64 274	24 603
	1992.. 49 282	7 620	8 559	(D)	12 890	22 272	44 737	17 979
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 7	1	2	2	1	6	3	2
	1992.. 3	—	4	—	2	2	1	2
	acres, 1997.. 1 724	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 3	9	3	2	1	3	7	8
	1992.. 5	3	4	1	5	1	2	6
	acres, 1997.. 462	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	795	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)