

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Indiana Agricultural Statistics Service



WARRICK INDIANA

Land in farms

Increased 2 percent from 96,219 acres in 1992 to 98,549 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 13 percent from 245 acres in 1992 to 277 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 10 percent from 182 farms in 1992 to 164 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

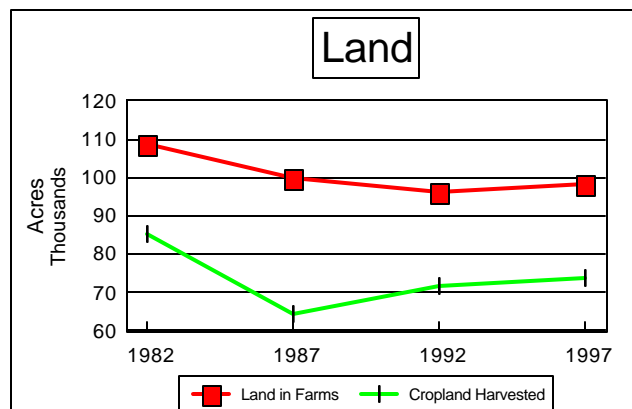
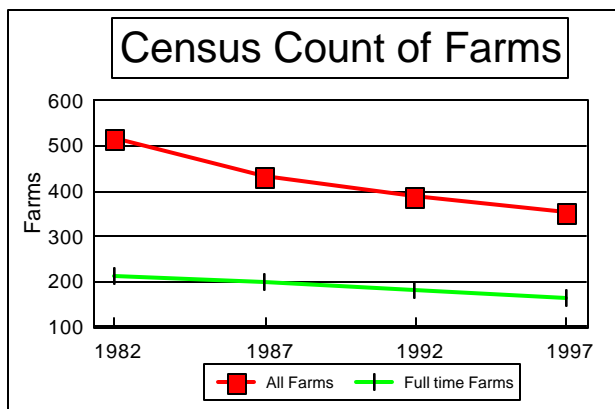
Increased 20 percent to \$23,671,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 81 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 19 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 32 percent from \$50,442 in 1992 to \$66,491 in 1997.



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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	23,671	76	92	1,968	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	19,152	68	92	1,293	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	4,519	80	92	2,409	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Corn for grain	8,656	68	92	603	2,582
Soybeans	7,888	67	92	619	2,136
Hogs and pigs	2,412	70	92	755	2,976
Dairy products	1,351	45	91	1,262	2,563
Wheat	793	39	92	1,022	2,578
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	22,717	70	92	777	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	1,787	79	92	2,683	3,063
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	31	49	1,460	1,882
Sheep and lambs sold	(D)	85	91	2,139	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	35	57	92	1,999	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Hogs and pigs inventory	11,829	71	92	742	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	4,630	72	92	2,615	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	273	68	92	2,307	3,066
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	33	91	1,547	2,884
All goat inventory	108	46	92	1,685	2,983
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	34,408	66	92	639	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	33,671	70	92	637	2,691
Wheat-acres	5,867	30	92	990	2,612
Hay crops-acres	5,504	50	92	2,205	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	499	63	92	1,428	2,473

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	175	179	-2
\$10,000 or more	181	213	-15
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	20,020	15,787	27
Average per farmdollars..	56,235	40,375	39
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	3,687	2,615	41
Average per farmdollars..	10,358	6,687	55
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	294	337	-13
Partnership or corporation	59	51	16
Other	3	4	-25
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	164	182	-10
Other	192	210	-9
Operators by sex:			
Male	323	371	-13
Female	33	21	57
Operators by race:			
White	355	391	-9
Black and other races	1	1	
Average age of operator	54.2	52.7	3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.