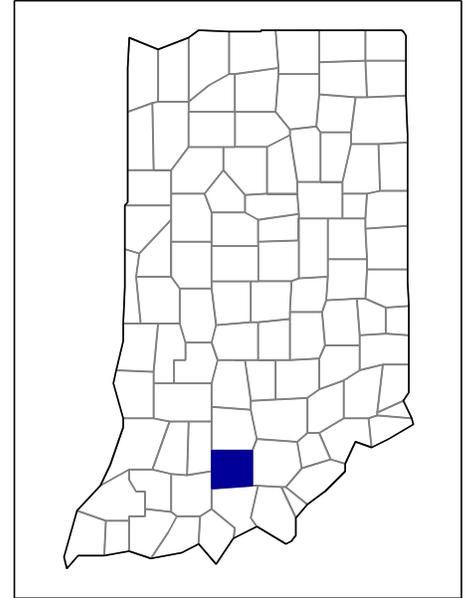


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Number of farms

535 farms in 2002, 620 farms in 1997, down 14 percent.

Land in farms

106,190 acres in 2002, 125,634 acres in 1997, down 15 percent.

Average size of farm

198 acres in 2002, 203 acres in 1997, down 2 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$18,405,000 in 2002, \$21,934,000 in 1997, down 16 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$8,128,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$10,276,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

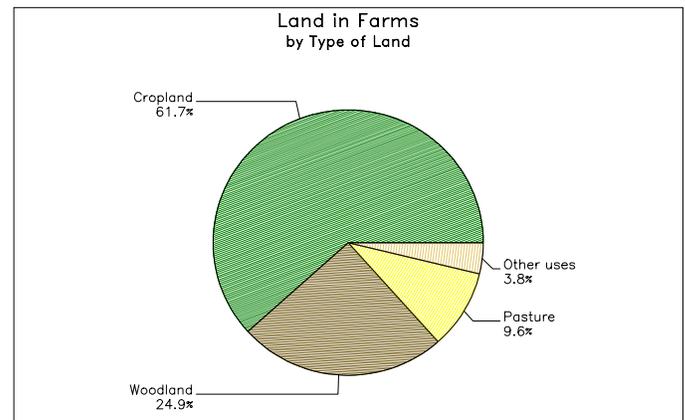
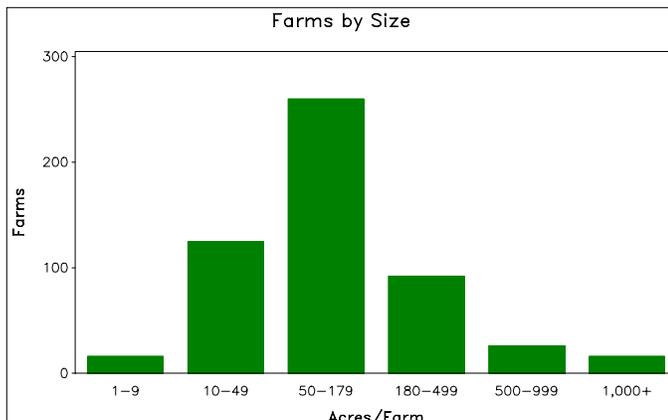
\$34,401 in 2002, \$35,377 in 1997, down 3 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,361,000 in 2002, \$1,766,000 in 1997, down 23 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$5,022 in 2002, \$5,661 in 1997, down 11 percent.



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Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	18,405	78	92	2,158	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,128	82	92	1,796	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,276	50	92	1,865	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	55	19	35	425	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	18	66	86	2,006	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	435	44	92	2,025	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	571	64	87	1,596	2,493
Hogs and pigs	2,214	58	92	690	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	22	54	92	1,848	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	89	53	91	1,872	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	88	-	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	17	92	(D)	2,983
Turkeys	(D)	12	77	(D)	2,328
Cattle and calves	10,327	30	92	2,024	3,059
Hogs and pigs	8,916	67	92	743	2,926
Horses and ponies	1,027	28	92	1,245	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	19,481	77	92	821	2,592
Soybeans	16,810	82	92	896	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,614	16	92	1,710	3,059
All Wheat for grain	2,577	34	92	1,187	2,517
Sorghum for grain	(D)	6	30	(D)	1,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	194	Farming	270
\$1,000 to \$2,499	65	Other	265
\$2,500 to \$4,999	72		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	58	Male	497
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	38
\$25,000 to \$39,999	29		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	White	707
\$500,000 or more	4	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,410	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Average per farm (\$)	30,788	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,737	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	3,259	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.