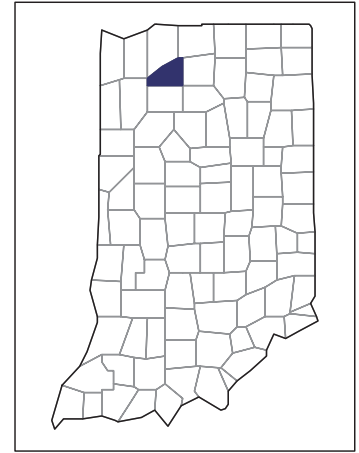


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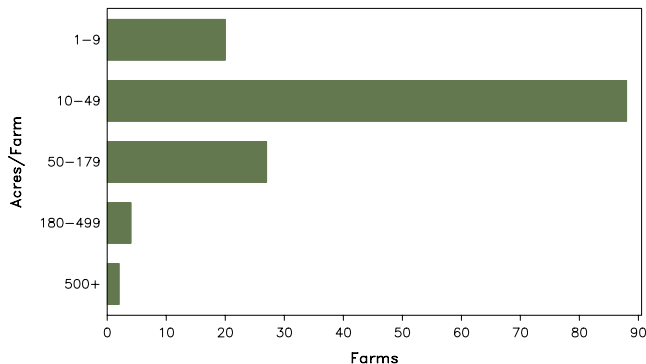
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	141	640
Land in Farms	7,345 acres	153,651 acres
Average Size of Farm	52 acres	240 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$616,000	\$59,135,000
Crop Sales	\$566,000	\$57,697,000
Livestock Sales	\$50,000	\$1,439,000
Average Per Farm	\$4,368	\$92,399
Government Payments	\$408,000	\$4,022,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,610	\$7,448

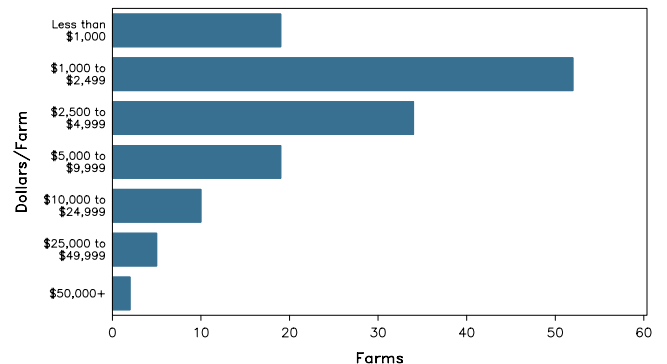
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	141	616
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	20	566
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	21	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	17	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	1	(D)
Poultry and eggs	7	(D)
Cattle and calves	5	10
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3	18
Hogs and pigs	11	12
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	5	3
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	3	-
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Corn for grain	13	781
Soybeans for beans	6	315
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4	32
Land in berries	1	(D)
Apples	1	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Layers	7	174
Hogs and pigs	4	(D)
Horses and ponies	18	75
Rabbits and their pelts	10	40
Cattle and calves	8	28

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	18
Other	123
Days worked off farm:	
None	49
Any	92
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	22
3 to 4 years	6
5 to 9 years	39
10 years or more	74
Age group:	
Under 45 years	38
45 to 64 years	47
65 years and over	56
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1

Economic Characteristics

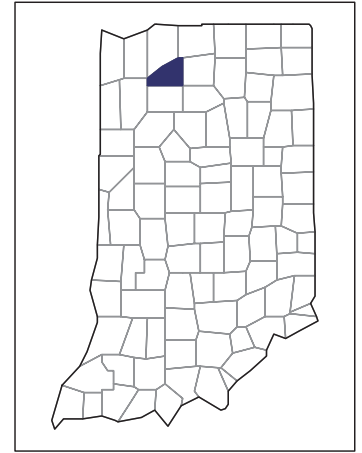
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	112
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5
\$10,000 to \$49,999	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	738
Average per farm (\$)	5,232
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	384
Average per farm (\$)	2,725
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	98

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(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms



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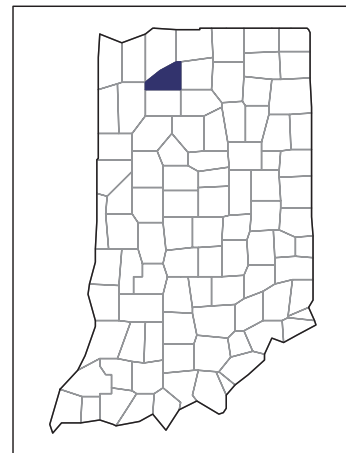
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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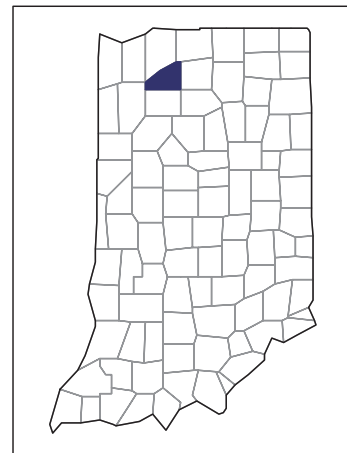
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**Farms with Asian Operators
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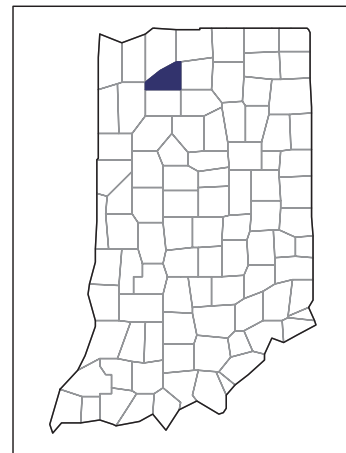
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**Farms with Black or African American
Operators Compared with All Farms**



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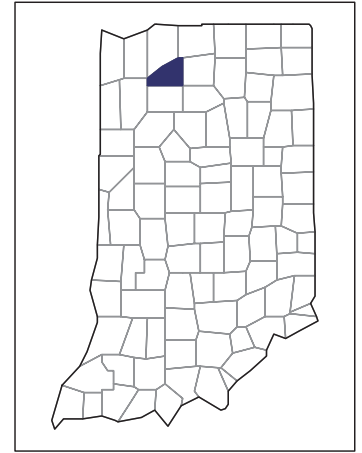
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



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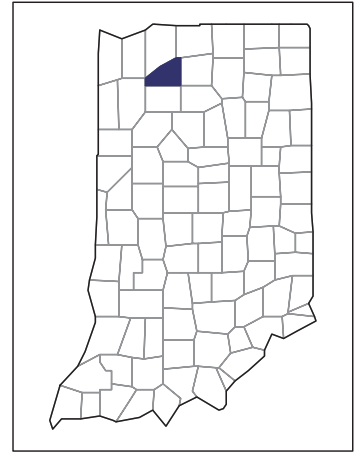
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**Farms with White Operators
Compared with All Farms**



Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with White operators.



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