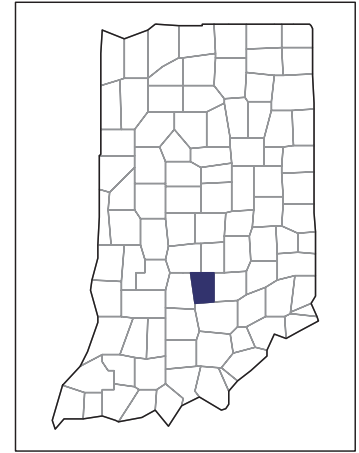


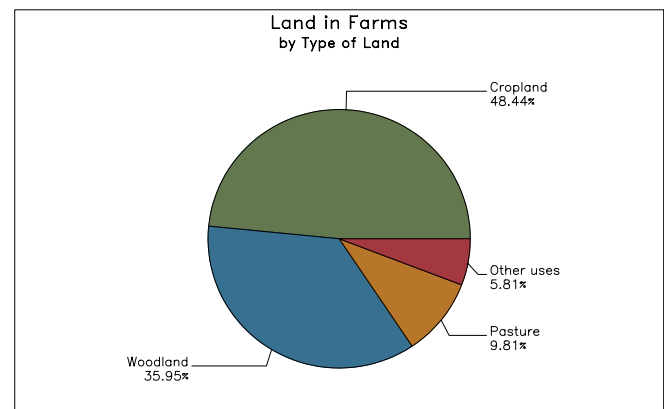
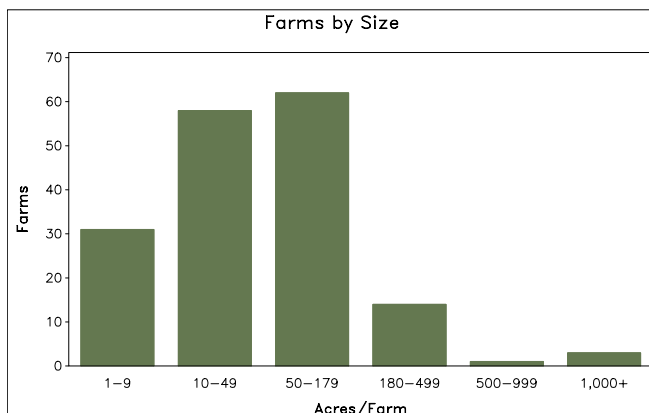
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Brown County Indiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	169	222	- 24
Land in Farms	16,959 acres	20,390 acres	- 17
Average Size of Farm	100 acres	92 acres	+ 9
Market Value of Products Sold	\$2,494,000	\$1,948,000	+ 28
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	\$14,757	\$8,775	+ 68
Government Payments	\$110,000	\$89,000	+ 24
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,548	\$2,024	+ 26



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Brown County – Indiana

Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	2,494	92	92	2,944	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	92	92	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	19	22	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	100	62	90	1,848	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	31	64	88	1,884	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	253	60	92	1,716	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	28	27	69	794	1,710
Other crops and hay	225	79	92	2,626	3,054
Poultry and eggs	19	69	92	2,182	3,020
Cattle and calves	262	91	92	2,887	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	5	90	92	2,511	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	37	65	92	1,872	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	20	82	92	2,668	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	72	91	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,101	73	92	2,579	3,060
Corn for grain	1,952	91	92	1,689	2,634
Soybeans for beans	1,104	92	92	1,528	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	91	92	(D)	2,481
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	13	50	(D)	1,134
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,772	88	92	2,807	3,060
Layers	937	50	92	1,687	3,024
Horses and ponies	368	73	92	2,535	3,066
Goats, all	272	72	92	2,011	3,023
Pullets for laying flock replacement	211	31	82	1,051	2,627

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	69	Farming	73
\$1,000 to \$2,499	27	Other	96
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	Male	124
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Female	45
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	5	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	258
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,176	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	18,792	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-352		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,081		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

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

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.