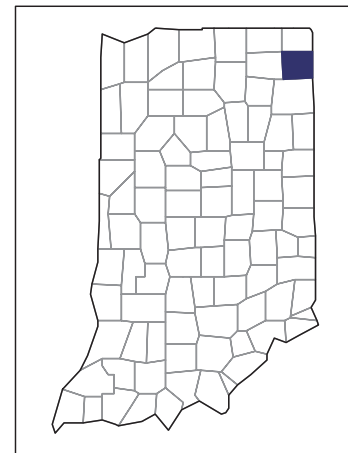


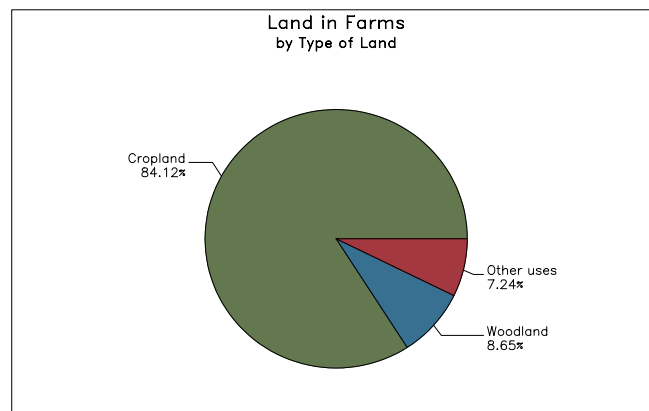
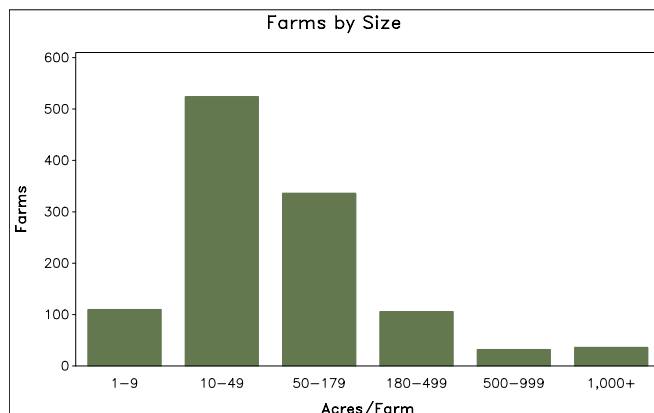
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## County Profile

### DeKalb County Indiana



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,144	1,000	+ 14
<b>Land in Farms</b>	160,665 acres	179,146 acres	- 10
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	140 acres	179 acres	- 22
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$62,413,000	\$42,338,000	+ 47
Crop Sales \$43,244,000 (69 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$19,169,000 (31 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$54,557	\$42,338	+ 29
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,577,000	\$3,597,000	+ 27
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$5,219	\$5,345	- 2



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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	62,413	60	92	1,354	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	43,244	62	92	966	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	19,169	41	92	1,550	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	41,957	59	92	662	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	22	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	115	56	90	1,773	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	42	88	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	194	65	92	1,815	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	69	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	856	20	92	1,700	3,054
Poultry and eggs	43	50	92	1,735	3,020
Cattle and calves	9,311	12	92	1,247	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	7,267	22	89	593	2,493
Hogs and pigs	2,272	66	92	729	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	84	31	92	1,235	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	143	29	92	1,402	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	49	30	91	1,375	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	51,047	49	92	505	2,039
Corn for grain	48,567	64	92	601	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	7,475	9	92	827	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,797	32	92	2,178	3,060
Corn for silage	1,632	21	92	751	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	13,589	61	92	622	2,958
Cattle and calves	9,857	30	92	2,015	3,060
Layers	1,203	41	92	1,470	3,024
Sheep and lambs	968	13	92	927	2,891
Horses and ponies	790	32	92	1,695	3,066

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	581	Farming	309
\$1,000 to \$2,499	72	Other	835
\$2,500 to \$4,999	80	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	Male	1,037
\$10,000 to \$19,999	71	Female	107
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	45	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	67	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	65	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	31	White	1,605
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	51,748	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	45,234	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	17,126		
Average per farm (\$)	14,970		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.