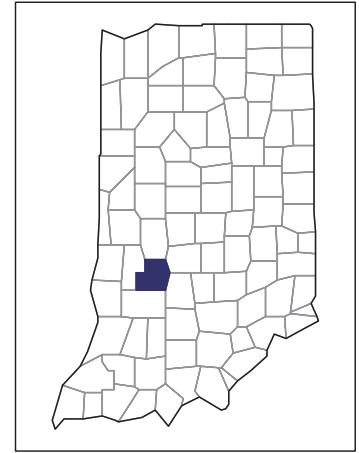


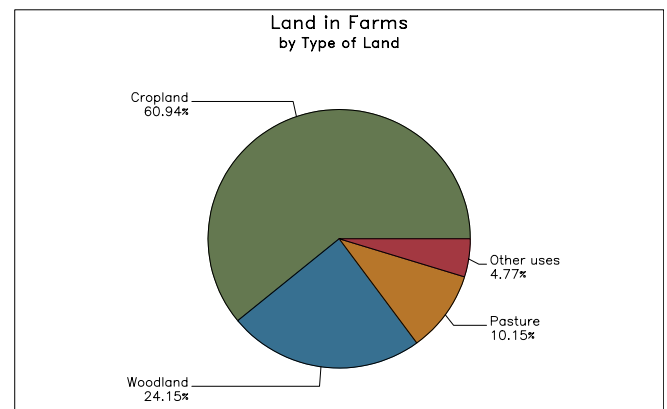
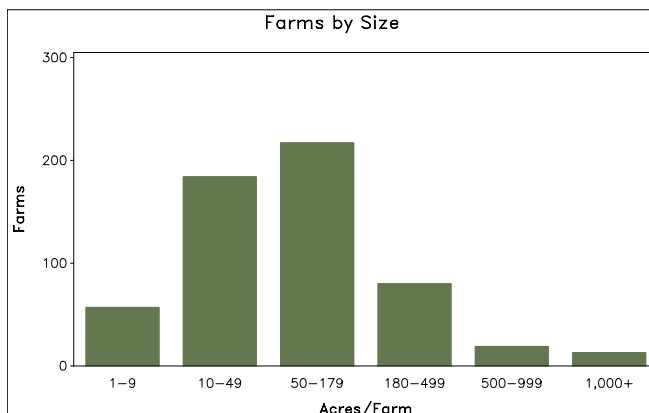
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County Profile

Owen County Indiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	570	588	- 3
Land in Farms	87,813 acres	98,679 acres	- 11
Average Size of Farm	154 acres	168 acres	- 8
Market Value of Products Sold	\$18,220,000	\$13,013,000	+ 40
Crop Sales \$14,899,000 (82 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,321,000 (18 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$31,965	\$22,132	+ 44
Government Payments	\$982,000	\$1,166,000	- 16
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,493	\$5,685	- 39



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Owen 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	18,220	85	92	2,318	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	14,899	81	92	1,636	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,321	83	92	2,614	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	13,824	81	92	1,127	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	22	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	118	55	90	1,761	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	213	62	92	1,775	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	69	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	718	24	92	1,849	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,756	63	92	2,375	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	556	69	89	1,581	2,493
Hogs and pigs	827	80	92	945	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	41	57	92	1,802	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	62	58	92	2,059	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	18,378	82	92	957	2,634
Soybeans for beans	15,400	82	92	913	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,503	13	92	1,759	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	1,450	74	92	1,477	2,481
Corn for silage	212	67	92	1,680	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	5,563	57	92	2,403	3,060
Hogs and pigs	4,143	77	92	909	2,958
Layers	953	49	92	1,678	3,024
Horses and ponies	774	35	92	1,726	3,066
Sheep and lambs	564	37	92	1,362	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	192	Farming	222
\$1,000 to \$2,499	78	Other	348
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	70	Male	484
\$10,000 to \$19,999	79	Female	86
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	21	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	8	White	847
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	14,175	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	24,869	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,466		
Average per farm (\$)	11,344		

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.