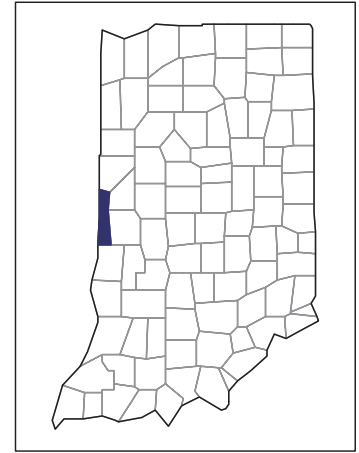


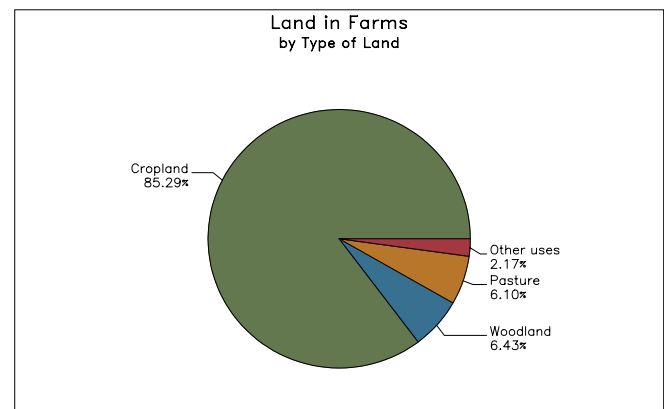
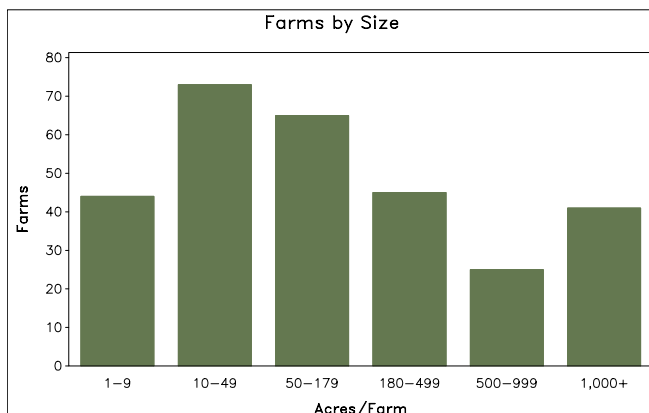
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## County Profile

### Vermillion County Indiana



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	293	221	+ 33
<b>Land in Farms</b>	132,353 acres	109,778 acres	+ 21
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	452 acres	497 acres	- 9
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$64,080,000	\$28,379,000	+ 126
Crop Sales \$53,431,000 (83 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,649,000 (17 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$218,703	\$128,413	+ 70
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,452,000	\$2,036,000	+ 20
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$12,642	\$17,401	- 27



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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	64,080	57	92	1,332	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	53,431	52	92	804	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,649	59	92	2,008	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	47	92	554	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	22	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	90	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	86	88	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	78	92	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	69	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	9	83	92	2,517	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	40	92	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	89	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	43	92	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	35	66	92	1,931	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	22	81	92	2,637	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(Z)	90	91	2,800	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	65,958	49	92	480	2,634
Soybeans for beans	39,890	61	92	601	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,460	64	92	2,527	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	1,139	81	92	1,585	2,481
Sorghum for grain	(D)	14	29	(D)	1,158
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,958
Cattle and calves	4,425	65	92	2,520	3,060
Sheep and lambs	613	29	92	1,294	2,891
Goats, all	421	47	92	1,639	3,023
Layers	317	84	92	2,452	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	77	Farming	134
\$1,000 to \$2,499	22	Other	159
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	Male	253
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25	Female	40
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	28	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	33	White	428
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	42,664	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	145,610	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,774		
Average per farm (\$)	84,553		

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.