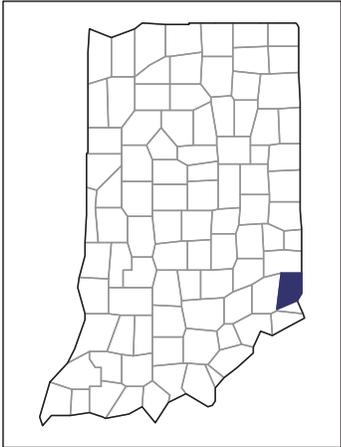


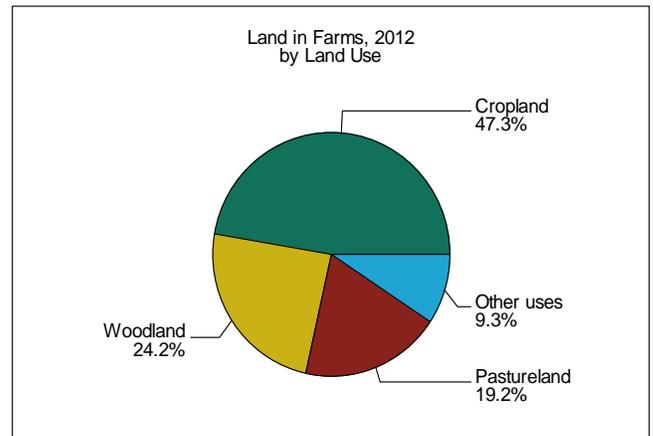
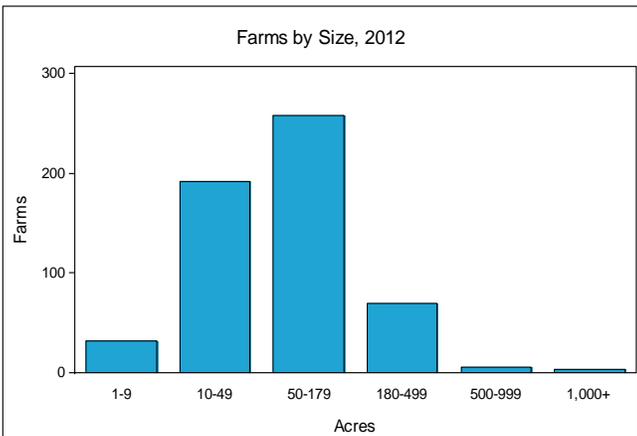
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Dearborn County Indiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	561	564	- 1
<b>Land in Farms</b>	56,573 acres	65,830 acres	- 14
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	101 acres	117 acres	- 14
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$12,449,000	\$11,501,000	+ 8
Crop Sales \$9,319,000 (75 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,130,000 (25 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$22,191	\$20,391	+ 9
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$650,000	\$558,000	+ 16
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$3,422	\$2,376	+ 44





## Dearborn County – Indiana

### Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	12,449	87	92	2,589	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	9,319	87	92	2,134	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,130	83	92	2,645	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7,245	86	92	1,636	2,926
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	32	(D)	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	31	81	91	2,335	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	5	85	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	13	30	62	865	1,530
Other crops and hay	982	25	92	1,951	3,049
Poultry and eggs	14	73	92	2,239	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,753	63	92	2,391	3,056
Milk from cows	984	58	84	1,268	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	54	60	92	1,857	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	256	17	91	1,034	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,274	12	92	1,698	3,057
Soybeans for beans	6,921	87	92	1,203	2,162
Corn for grain	6,745	87	92	1,329	2,638
Corn for silage	293	67	89	1,592	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	272	84	92	2,033	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	4,886	52	92	2,402	3,063
Layers	1,006	60	92	1,869	3,040
Horses and ponies	987	24	92	1,207	3,072
Goats, all	562	17	92	1,116	2,996
Rabbits, live	390	8	85	141	2,157

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	182	Farming	223
\$1,000 to \$2,499	73	Other	338
\$2,500 to \$4,999	65		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	88	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	63	Male	491
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Female	70
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	24	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	3	Asian	-
		Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	14,436	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Average per farm (\$)	25,733	White	819
		More than one race	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-23	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Average per farm (\$)	-41		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.