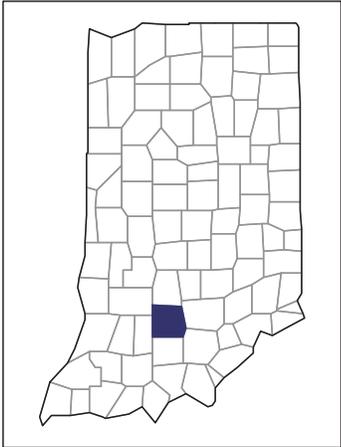


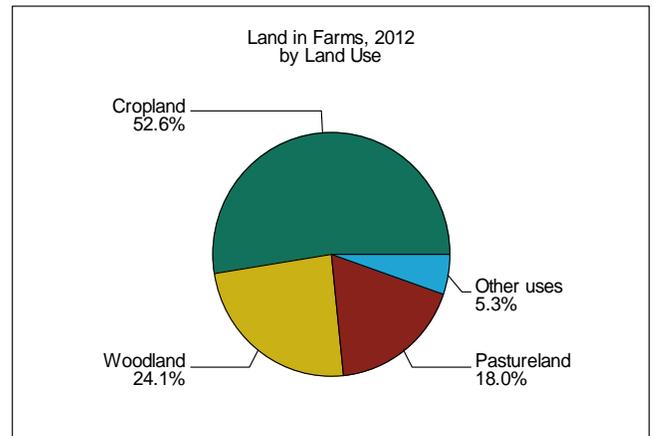
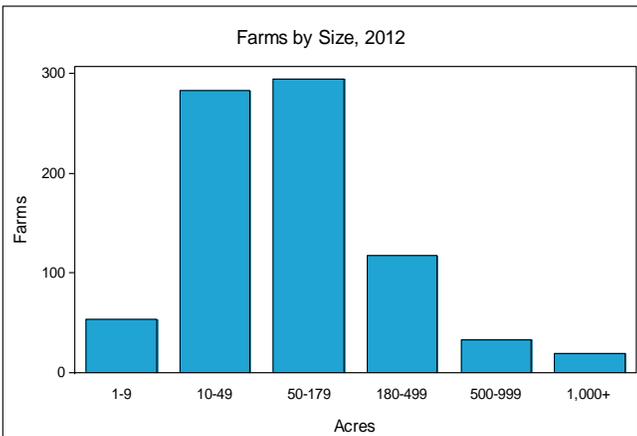
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Lawrence County Indiana

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	800	820	- 2
Land in Farms	134,689 acres	134,637 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	168 acres	164 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$33,189,000	\$25,909,000	+ 28
Crop Sales \$22,613,000 (68 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,576,000 (32 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$41,486	\$31,596	+ 31
Government Payments	\$2,091,000	\$1,597,000	+ 31
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,431	\$4,449	+ 22





Lawrence County – Indiana

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

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	33,189	80	92	2,074	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	22,613	80	92	1,641	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,576	64	92	2,062	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	16,026	81	92	1,321	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	32	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	4	91	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	33	43	85	1,955	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	40	62	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	34	92	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	6,228	22	92	1,658	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	62	84	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	13	87	92	2,002	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	34	73	92	2,156	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	120	37	91	1,689	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	17	20	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	6	63	90	2,394	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	20,318	80	92	918	2,162
Corn for grain	19,503	79	92	981	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	16,372	3	92	1,166	3,057
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	3	91	(D)	2,801
Corn for silage	1,297	36	89	1,001	2,237
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	8	86	(D)	2,723
Turkeys	(D)	16	87	265	2,416
Cattle and calves	14,265	16	92	1,650	3,063
Horses and ponies	992	23	92	1,203	3,072
Layers	926	62	92	1,923	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	269	Farming	316
\$1,000 to \$2,499	82	Other	484
\$2,500 to \$4,999	87	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	110	Male	697
\$10,000 to \$19,999	79	Female	103
\$20,000 to \$24,999	30	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	54	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	12	White	1,202
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37,398	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	46,748	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	19
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,497		
Average per farm (\$)	6,872		

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.

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.