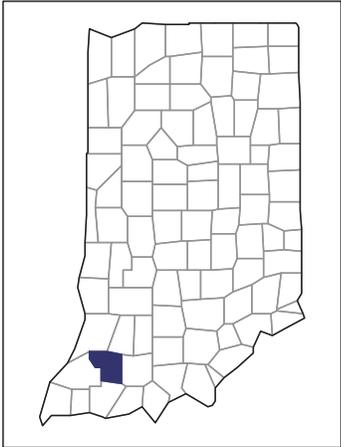


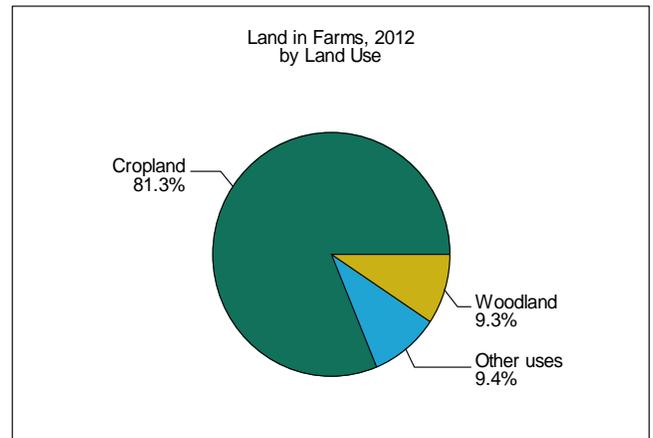
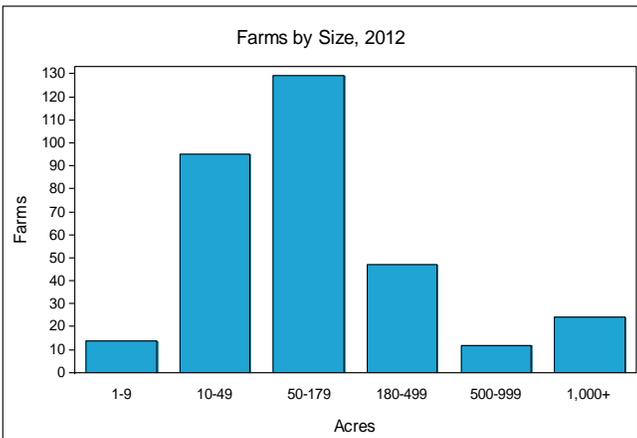
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Pike County Indiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	321	334	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	80,016 acres	73,612 acres	+ 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	249 acres	220 acres	+ 13
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$50,828,000	\$30,583,000	+ 66
Crop Sales \$29,031,000 (57 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$21,796,000 (43 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$158,341	\$91,567	+ 73
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,395,000	\$1,221,000	+ 14
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$6,094	\$5,653	+ 8





## Pike 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	50,828	73	92	1,758	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	29,031	76	92	1,504	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	21,796	43	92	1,551	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	28,341	75	92	1,102	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	32	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	89	91	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	85	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	55	62	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	7,919	27	92	655	3,013
Cattle and calves	741	83	92	2,694	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	84	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	13,060	35	92	362	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	36	72	92	2,126	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	39	65	91	2,413	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2	74	90	2,664	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	28,620	76	92	825	2,638
Soybeans for beans	28,215	73	92	806	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	2,335	40	92	1,293	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,335	40	92	1,224	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,185	80	92	2,671	3,057
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	178,000	9	87	115	2,416
Hogs and pigs	22,086	48	92	475	2,889
Cattle and calves	1,837	80	92	2,754	3,063
Layers	373	86	92	2,523	3,040
Sheep and lambs	280	61	92	1,867	2,897

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	129	Farming	103
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14	Other	218
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17	Male	301
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19	Female	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	26	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	18	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	23	White	466
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	44,040	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	137,196	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,589		
Average per farm (\$)	42,335		

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.