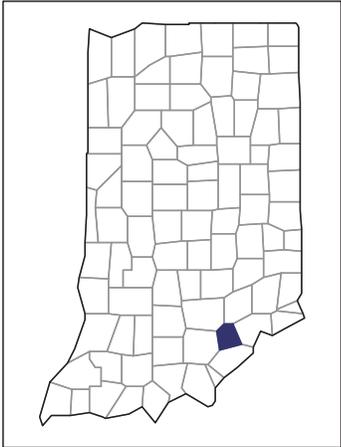


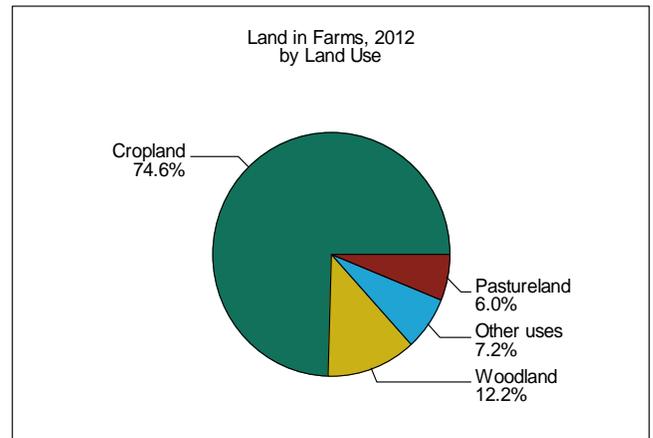
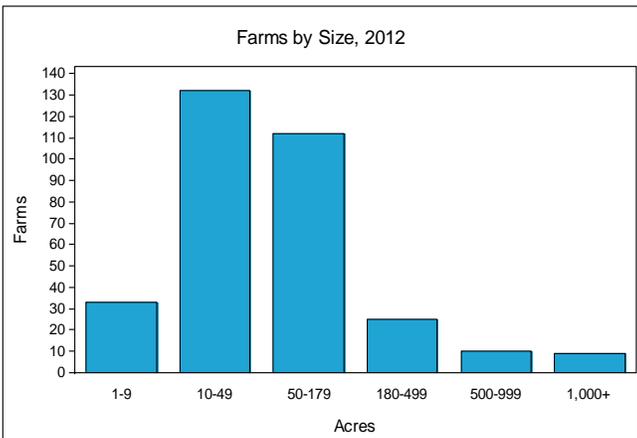
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Scott County Indiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	321	394	- 19
<b>Land in Farms</b>	51,472 acres	62,041 acres	- 17
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	160 acres	157 acres	+ 2
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$24,044,000	\$18,924,000	+ 27
Crop Sales \$23,396,000 (97 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$648,000 (3 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$74,903	\$48,031	+ 56
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$877,000	\$1,046,000	- 16
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$6,004	\$5,338	+ 12





## Scott 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	24,044	83	92	2,266	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	23,396	79	92	1,623	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	648	92	92	2,934	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	22,733	78	92	1,179	2,926
Tobacco	164	10	32	278	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	19	85	91	2,464	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	81	85	2,678	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	86	89	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	28	17	62	646	1,530
Other crops and hay	436	59	92	2,486	3,049
Poultry and eggs	16	70	92	2,189	3,013
Cattle and calves	511	87	92	2,787	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	84	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	5	90	92	2,359	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	47	67	92	1,962	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	69	49	91	2,101	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	1	84	90	2,749	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	16,276	82	92	997	2,162
Corn for grain	15,138	83	92	1,060	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,156	65	92	2,499	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	610	80	92	1,820	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	610	80	92	1,740	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	1,713	81	92	2,772	3,063
Horses and ponies	654	44	92	1,745	3,072
Goats, all	496	26	92	1,258	2,996
Layers	453	81	92	2,421	3,040
Sheep and lambs	242	65	92	1,955	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	140	Farming	114
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	207
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	Male	275
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26	Female	46
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	6	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	10	White	466
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	20,090	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	62,585	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,644		
Average per farm (\$)	23,812		

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.