



# Huntington County Indiana

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	611	-12
Land in farms (acres)	197,236	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	323	+19
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	160,153,000	-8
Government payments	2,019,000	-52
Farm-related income	5,617,000	-39
Total farm production expenses	140,181,000	+7
Net cash farm income	27,609,000	-52
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	262,117	+4
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,273	-37
Farm-related income	17,552	-42
Total farm production expenses	229,428	+22
Net cash farm income	45,186	-46

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	57
Livestock, poultry, and products	43

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	92
Pastureland	2
Woodland	3
Other	3

### Acres irrigated: (D)

(D)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	24
Intensive till	25
Cover crop	7

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	200	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	59	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	67	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	8
\$100,000 or more	166	27

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	76	12
10 to 49 acres	178	29
50 to 179 acres	165	27
180 to 499 acres	83	14
500 to 999 acres	43	7
1,000 + acres	66	11

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>160,153</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>90,528</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	89,559	33	92	439	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	79	90	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	5	77	89	1,845	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	59	87	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	37	56	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	835	46	92	2,039	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>69,625</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	25,804	15	92	378	3,007
Cattle and calves	8,616	15	92	1,352	3,055
Milk from cows	23,192	7	77	292	1,892
Hogs and pigs	11,742	35	92	346	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	125	37	92	1,118	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	48	52	91	1,822	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	99	23	90	751	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>1,049</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 101,297
Male	724	<b>82</b>	Corn for grain 61,315
Female	325		Wheat for grain, all 3,968
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Forage (hay/haylage), all 3,851
<35	90	<b>-</b>	Corn for silage or greenchop 2,205
35 – 64	677		
65 and older	282		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	<b>5</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 338
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 11,419
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 433
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>24</b>	Hogs and pigs 27,501
White	1,044		Horses and ponies 341
More than one race	3	Are family farms	Layers 657,226
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>94</b>	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	29		Sheep and lambs 671
With military service	85		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	245		

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.