



Marion County Indiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	192	-17
Land in farms (acres)	17,371	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	90	+4
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	12,066,000	-56
Government payments	423,000	+92
Farm-related income	692,000	-53
Total farm production expenses	12,487,000	-48
Net cash farm income	693,000	-86
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	62,844	-47
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,420	+97
Farm-related income	15,379	-37
Total farm production expenses	65,038	-37
Net cash farm income	3,612	-83

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	92
Livestock, poultry, and products	8

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	89
Pastureland	4
Woodland	3
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 133

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	15
Reduced till	15
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	108	56
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	12	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	2
\$100,000 or more	28	15

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	82	43
10 to 49 acres	71	37
50 to 179 acres	18	9
180 to 499 acres	13	7
500 to 999 acres	2	1
1,000 + acres	6	3

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	12,066	87	92	2,603	3,077
Crops	11,130	85	92	1,995	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	6,838	86	92	1,526	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	949	24	90	762	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	47	48	89	1,547	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,015	10	87	507	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	56	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	281	81	92	2,535	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	936	88	92	2,843	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	138	87	92	2,666	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	77	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	6	82	92	1,679	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	45	70	92	1,810	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	58	47	91	1,726	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	90	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	313
Male	188
Female	125
Age	
<35	22
35 – 64	199
65 and older	92
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	11
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	301
More than one race	1
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3
With military service	23
New and beginning farmers	125

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	82
Farm organically	2
Sell directly to consumers	16
Hire farm labor	26
Are family farms	92

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	7,913
Corn for grain	5,624
Forage (hay/haylage), all	874
Vegetables harvested, all	274
Turnips	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,585
Cattle and calves	(D)
Goats	150
Hogs and pigs	18
Horses and ponies	401
Layers	1,011
Pullets	147
Sheep and lambs	226
Turkeys	54

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

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

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.