



# Putnam County Indiana

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

|   | 2017        | % change since 2012 |
|---|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                                     | 828         | -2                  |
| Land in farms (acres)                               | 184,917     | -6                  |
| Average size of farm (acres)                        | 223         | -4                  |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 85,113,000  | +12                 |
| Government payments                                 | 5,065,000   | +46                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 8,672,000   | -33                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 83,415,000  | -1                  |
| Net cash farm income                                | 15,435,000  | +90                 |
| <b>Per farm average</b>                             | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 102,794     | +14                 |
| Government payments<br>(average per farm receiving) | 12,921      | +60                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 21,519      | -39                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 100,743     | +1                  |
| Net cash farm income                                | 18,641      | +94                 |

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

|                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops                            | 85 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 15 |

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

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| Cropland    | 76 |
| Pastureland | 6  |
| Woodland    | 13 |
| Other       | 4  |

**Acres irrigated: 502**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| No till        | 25 |
| Reduced till   | 11 |
| Intensive till | 6  |
| Cover crop     | 9  |

## Farms by Value of Sales

|                      | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500    | 391    | 47                            |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999   | 73     | 9                             |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999   | 78     | 9                             |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 82     | 10                            |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 40     | 5                             |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 51     | 6                             |
| \$100,000 or more    | 113    | 14                            |

## Farms by Size

|                  | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres     | 72     | 9                             |
| 10 to 49 acres   | 299    | 36                            |
| 50 to 179 acres  | 289    | 35                            |
| 180 to 499 acres | 83     | 10                            |
| 500 to 999 acres | 48     | 6                             |
| 1,000 + acres    | 37     | 4                             |

**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>85,113</b>   | <b>59</b>                  | <b>92</b>               | <b>1,304</b>              | <b>3,077</b>            |
| <b>Crops</b>   | <b>72,102</b>   | <b>51</b>                  | <b>92</b>               | <b>814</b>                | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                  | 70,593          | 48                         | 92                      | 575                       | 2,916                   |
| Tobacco  | -               | -                          | 13                      | -                         | 323                     |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                  | -               | -                          | -                       | -                         | 647                     |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes           | 29              | 74                         | 90                      | 1,888                     | 2,821                   |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                             | (D)             | 83                         | 89                      | (D)                       | 2,748                   |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                 | 212             | 49                         | 87                      | 1,259                     | 2,601                   |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | (D)             | 21                         | 56                      | (D)                       | 1,384                   |
| Other crops and hay                                    | 1,243           | 26                         | 92                      | 1,673                     | 3,040                   |
| <b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>                | <b>13,011</b>   | <b>59</b>                  | <b>92</b>               | <b>1,955</b>              | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Poultry and eggs                                       | (D)             | (D)                        | 92                      | (D)                       | 3,007                   |
| Cattle and calves                                      | 3,774           | 39                         | 92                      | 1,868                     | 3,055                   |
| Milk from cows   | (D)             | 56                         | 77                      | (D)                       | 1,892                   |
| Hogs and pigs  | 7,874           | 41                         | 92                      | 416                       | 2,856                   |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                       | 243             | 9                          | 92                      | 660                       | 2,984                   |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                 | 130             | 30                         | 91                      | 1,274                     | 2,970                   |
| Aquaculture  | -               | -                          | 18                      | -                         | 1,251                   |
| Other animals and animal products                      | 168             | 15                         | 90                      | 578                       | 2,878                   |

|                                     |              |                               |   |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b> | <b>1,391</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 61,891                   |
| Male                                | 863          | <b>78</b>                     | Corn for grain 59,120                       |
| Female                              | 528          |                               | Forage (hay/haylage), all 7,349             |
| <b>Age</b>                          |              | Farm organically              | Wheat for grain, all 1,004                  |
| <35                                 | 102          | <b>-</b>                      | Corn for silage or greenchop (D)            |
| 35 – 64                             | 808          |                               |   |
| 65 and older                        | 481          |                               |   |
| <b>Race</b>                         |              | Sell directly to consumers    | <b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>   |
| American Indian/Alaska Native       | 4            | <b>8</b>                      | Broilers and other meat-type chickens 1,190 |
| Asian                               | -            |                               | Cattle and calves 7,309                     |
| Black or African American           | -            | Hire farm labor               | Goats 407                                   |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander    | -            | <b>23</b>                     | Hogs and pigs 22,964                        |
| White                               | 1,387        |                               | Horses and ponies 846                       |
| More than one race                  | -            | Are family farms              | Layers 2,761                                |
| <b>Other characteristics</b>        |              | <b>96</b>                     | Pullets 192                                 |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin    | 12           |                               | Sheep and lambs 2,164                       |
| With military service               | 143          |                               | Turkeys 205                                 |
| New and beginning farmers           | 309          |                               |   |

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.