



Scott County Indiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	315	-2
Land in farms (acres)	59,291	+15
Average size of farm (acres)	188	+17
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	23,844,000	-1
Government payments	1,843,000	+110
Farm-related income	2,521,000	-10
Total farm production expenses	23,393,000	+16
Net cash farm income	4,815,000	-37
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	75,694	+1
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,110	+152
Farm-related income	17,631	-29
Total farm production expenses	74,264	+19
Net cash farm income	15,286	-36

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	89
Livestock, poultry, and products	11

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	77
Pastureland	7
Woodland	11
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 3,708

6% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	152	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	45	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	23	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	2
\$100,000 or more	30	10

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	29	9
10 to 49 acres	118	37
50 to 179 acres	119	38
180 to 499 acres	26	8
500 to 999 acres	10	3
1,000 + acres	13	4

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	23,844	84	92	2,280	3,077
Crops	21,192	82	92	1,614	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	19,957	82	92	1,146	2,916
Tobacco	(D)	12	13	256	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	70	90	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	53	47	89	1,525	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	193	51	87	1,277	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	56	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	941	39	92	1,934	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,652	85	92	2,661	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	73	92	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	663	82	92	2,493	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	77	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	1,825	63	92	559	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	91	51	92	1,352	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	61	46	91	1,702	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	68	90	1,791	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	535
Male	355
Female	180
Age	
<35	60
35 – 64	277
65 and older	198
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	3
Asian	2
Black or African American	6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	524
More than one race	-
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6
With military service	54
New and beginning farmers	163

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	74
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	6
Hire farm labor	17
Are family farms	98

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	19,711
Corn for grain	16,700
Forage (hay/haylage), all	4,741
Wheat for grain, all	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	600
Cattle and calves	2,600
Goats	738
Hogs and pigs	7,606
Horses and ponies	456
Layers	666
Pullets	60
Sheep and lambs	220
Turkeys	(D)

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.