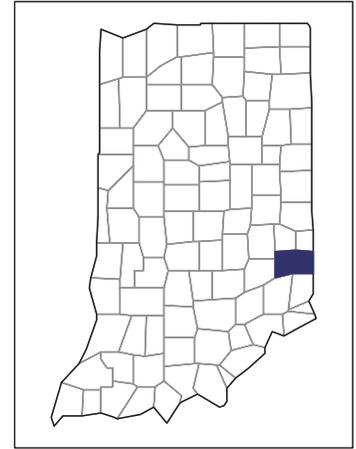


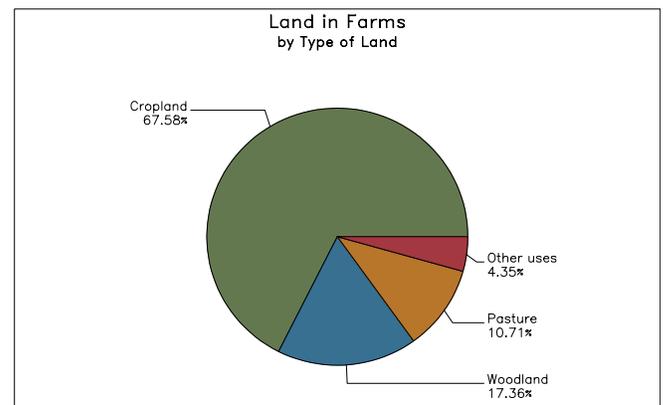
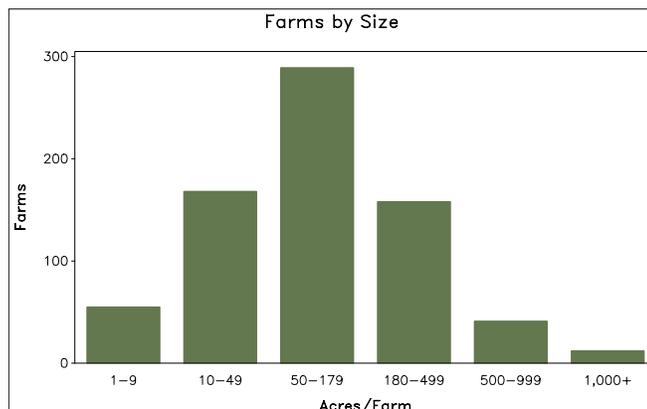
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County Profile

Franklin County Indiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	723	817	- 12
Land in Farms	126,322 acres	139,464 acres	- 9
Average Size of Farm	175 acres	171 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$35,690,000	\$24,889,000	+ 43
Crop Sales \$23,459,000 (66 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,231,000 (34 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$49,364	\$30,464	+ 62
Government Payments	\$2,070,000	\$1,807,000	+ 15
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,726	\$5,194	- 9



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Franklin County – Indiana

Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	35,690	73	92	1,850	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	23,459	74	92	1,365	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,231	56	92	1,905	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	21,789	75	92	952	2,933
Tobacco	200	11	22	309	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	63	70	90	2,037	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	181	28	88	1,131	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	670	42	92	1,267	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	39	21	69	679	1,710
Other crops and hay	517	39	92	2,133	3,054
Poultry and eggs	26	59	92	2,010	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,066	30	92	1,854	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,400	35	89	864	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4,535	51	92	543	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	64	44	92	1,470	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	55	61	92	2,132	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	85	22	91	1,105	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	35,633	69	92	715	2,634
Soybeans for beans	29,561	71	92	700	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,559	12	92	1,754	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	1,841	63	92	1,393	2,481
Corn for silage	978	36	92	1,011	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	19,941	50	92	523	2,958
Cattle and calves	12,323	20	92	1,832	3,060
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,146	18	82	503	2,627
Layers	1,015	45	92	1,614	3,024
Horses and ponies	581	48	92	2,071	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	186	Farming	318
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63	Other	405
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	80	Male	680
\$10,000 to \$19,999	55	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	54	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	29	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	66	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	11	White	1,040
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,849	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	42,668	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,067		
Average per farm (\$)	12,541		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.