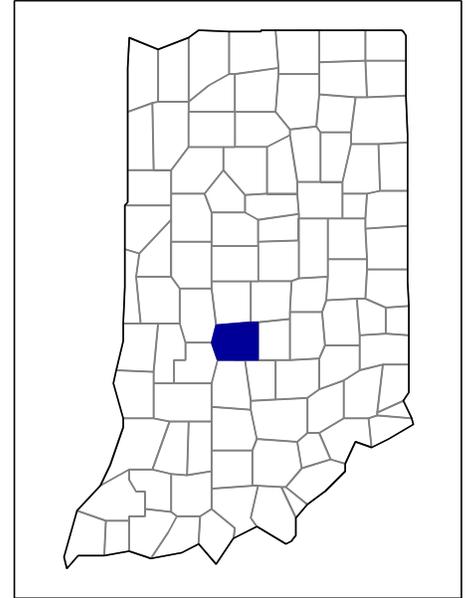


# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Morgan, Indiana



### Number of farms

690 farms in 2002, 728 farms in 1997, down 5 percent.

### Land in farms

111,609 acres in 2002, 138,908 acres in 1997, down 20 percent.

### Average size of farm

162 acres in 2002, 191 acres in 1997, down 15 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$25,309,000 in 2002, \$34,591,000 in 1997, down 27 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$19,705,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$5,603,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

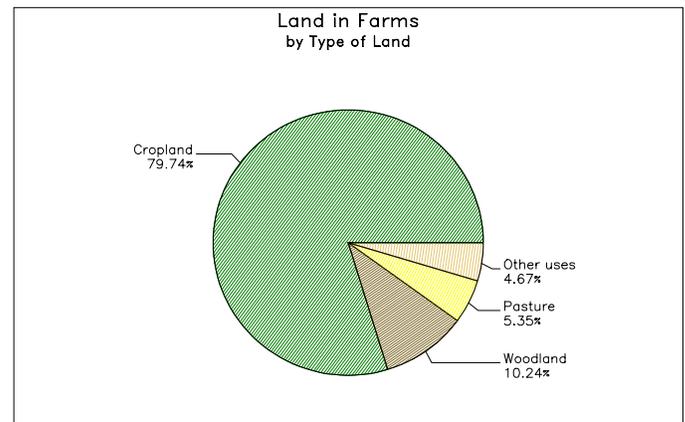
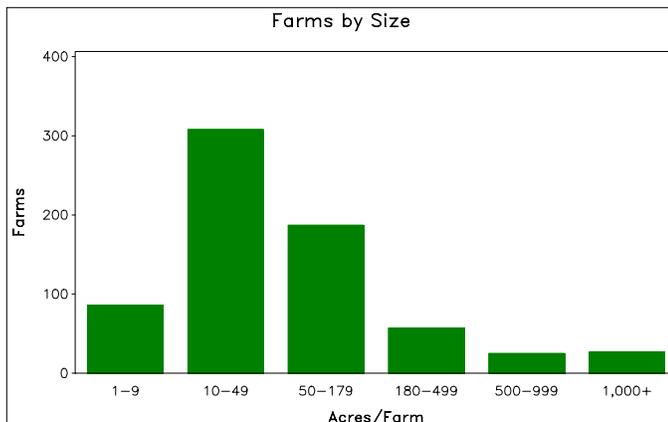
\$36,679 in 2002, \$47,515 in 1997, down 23 percent.

### Government Payments

\$1,506,000 in 2002, \$1,476,000 in 1997, up 2 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$8,139 in 2002, \$4,889 in 1997, up 66 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	25,309	71	92	1,878	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	19,705	66	92	1,179	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,603	71	92	2,281	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	17,981	66	92	728	2,871
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	35	(D)	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	762	6	86	416	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	22	86	91	2,434	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	4	71	91	2,336	2,918
Cattle and calves	1,451	68	92	2,369	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1,601	65	92	776	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	57	26	92	1,165	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	293	12	91	748	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	19	34	88	1,559	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	6,264	72	92	850	2,926
Cattle and calves	5,821	57	92	2,441	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,589	10	92	694	3,065
Sheep and lambs	698	36	92	1,213	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	363	66	92	2,133	2,983
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans	37,113	67	92	652	2,076
Corn for grain	36,447	64	92	602	2,592
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,090	37	92	2,171	3,059
All Wheat for grain	1,036	74	92	1,531	2,517
Corn for silage	254	68	91	1,668	2,307

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	262	Farming	317
\$1,000 to \$2,499	85	Other	373
\$2,500 to \$4,999	91		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	73	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	56	Male	637
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	53
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	27	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	White	1,021
\$500,000 or more	11	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	29,032	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	41,954	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,238	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	4,680	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	10

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.