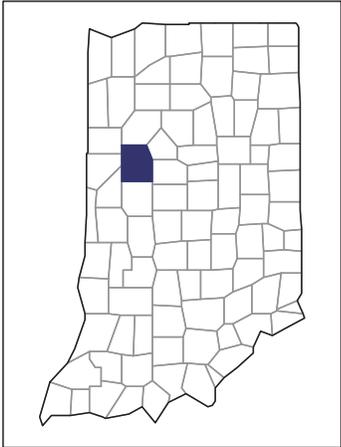


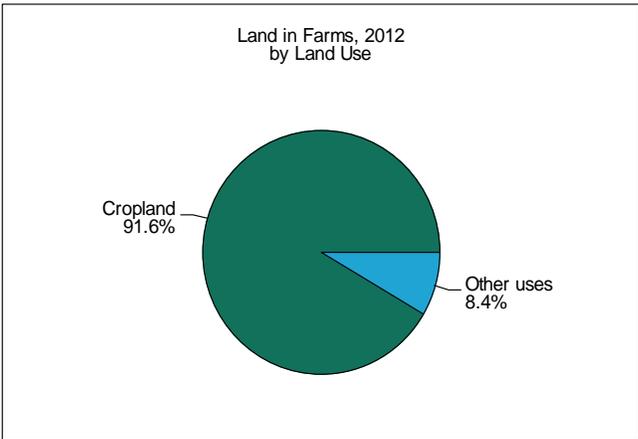
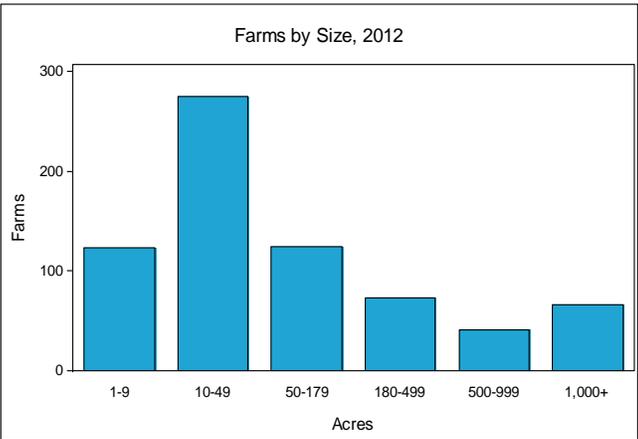
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Tippecanoe County Indiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	702	757	- 7
<b>Land in Farms</b>	220,199 acres	218,301 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	314 acres	288 acres	+ 9
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$150,637,000	\$112,760,000	+ 34
Crop Sales \$132,619,000 (88 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$18,018,000 (12 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$214,582	\$148,957	+ 44
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,159,000	\$4,096,000	+ 2
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$11,149	\$9,967	+ 12





## Tippecanoe County – Indiana

### Ranked items among the 92 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	150,637	30	92	783	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	132,619	12	92	463	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18,018	49	92	1,688	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	126,345	16	92	353	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	32	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,405	20	91	710	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	4,324	5	89	483	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	7	62	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	417	64	92	2,506	3,049
Poultry and eggs	64	52	92	1,532	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	13,590	30	92	350	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	447	2	92	372	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	23	36	90	1,830	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	100,976	19	92	291	2,638
Soybeans for beans	89,012	14	92	302	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,742	53	92	2,397	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	2,086	47	92	1,333	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,086	47	92	1,265	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	35,072	33	92	366	2,889
Cattle and calves	4,397	56	92	2,457	3,063
Layers	3,097	32	92	1,021	3,040
Sheep and lambs	1,822	4	92	514	2,897
Horses and ponies	1,052	19	92	1,139	3,072

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	189	Farming	276
\$1,000 to \$2,499	91	Other	426
\$2,500 to \$4,999	46	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	73	Male	583
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	Female	119
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	42	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	53	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	33	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	84	White	1,111
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	129,881	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	185,015	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	16
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	36,726		
Average per farm (\$)	52,316		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.