

**JENNINGS COUNTY, IN**

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	605	658	671
Acreage	130,373	124,694	131,481
Average size (acres)	215	190	196
Median size (acres)	85	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	322,546	231,119	168,653
Machinery/equip (dollars)	63,873	38,608	32,809
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	91,446	87,874	92,216
Harvested	79,439	72,548	68,210
Irrigated	671	5	9
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	45,214	35,568	28,857
(dollars avg. per farm)	74,734	54,055	43,005
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	8,045	7,626	7,270
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	9,529	10,404	9,682
Beef cows	3,931	4,246	4,075
Milk cows	387	535	452
Hogs and pigs	11,430	17,528	18,971
Sheep and lambs	270	225	341
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	32,757	32,864	33,661
Corn, silage or green chop	761	375	486
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	2,222	4,254	2,224
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	59	25	132
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	38,660	31,062	26,468
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	6,305	5,684	6,809
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	2	6	7
Acreage	D	11	26

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**Orchards**

Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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**Abbreviations/footnotes:**

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture