

Switzerland County, Indiana

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**County HIGHLIGHTS** 



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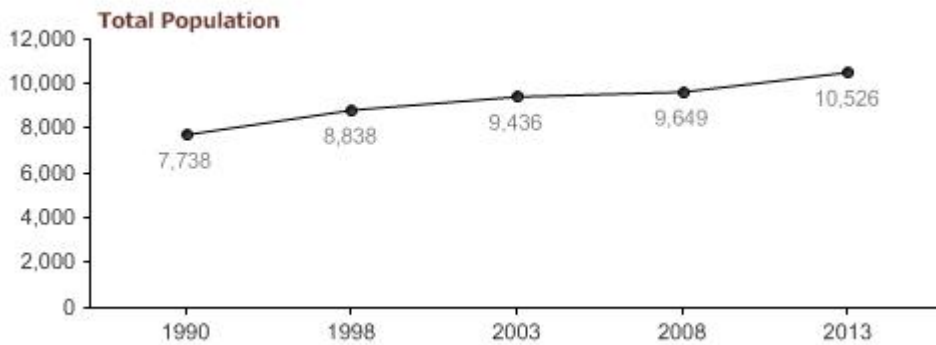
## Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.



## Population Over Time

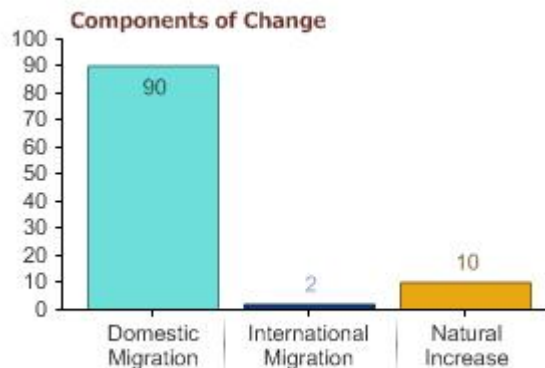
	1990	1998	2003	2008	2013
Total Population	7,738	8,838	9,436	9,649	10,526
Change Since 1990		1,100	1,698	1,911	2,788
Pct. Change Since 1990		14.2%	21.9%	24.7%	36.0%



Source: US Census Bureau

## Components of Population Change 2012 to 2013

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	90
International Migration	2
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	10
Births	113
Deaths	103



Source: US Census Bureau

## Population Estimates by Age in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool (0 to 4)	723	6.9%

School Age (5 to 17)	1,871	18.0%
College Age (18 to 24)	820	7.9%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	2,426	23.3%
Older Adult (45 to 64)	2,948	28.3%
Older (65 plus)	1,636	15.7%

Source: US Census Bureau

### Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	29	0.3%
Asian Alone	25	0.2%
Black Alone	58	0.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	6	0.1%
White Alone	10,225	98.2%
Two or More Race Groups	81	0.8%

Population by Race



98.17 %	White
0.56 %	Black
0.28 %	Am. Ind or Alaskan Native
0.24 %	Asian
0.06 %	Hawaiian and Pac. Isl
0.78 %	Two or More

### Hispanic or Latino

Non-Hispanic or Latino	10,278	98.7%
Hispanic or Latino	146	1.4%

Source: US Census Bureau

### Households in 2012

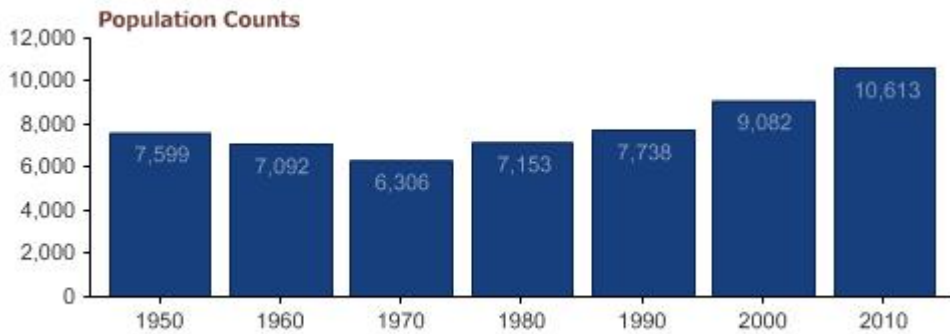
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	4,016	100.0%
Family Households	2,778	69.2%
Married with Children	713	17.8%
Married without Children	1,397	34.8%
Single Parents	398	9.9%
Other	270	6.7%
Non-family Households	1,238	30.8%
Living Alone	1,097	27.3%
Average Household Size	2.59	
Average Family Household Size	3.75	

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

### Population Counts by Decade

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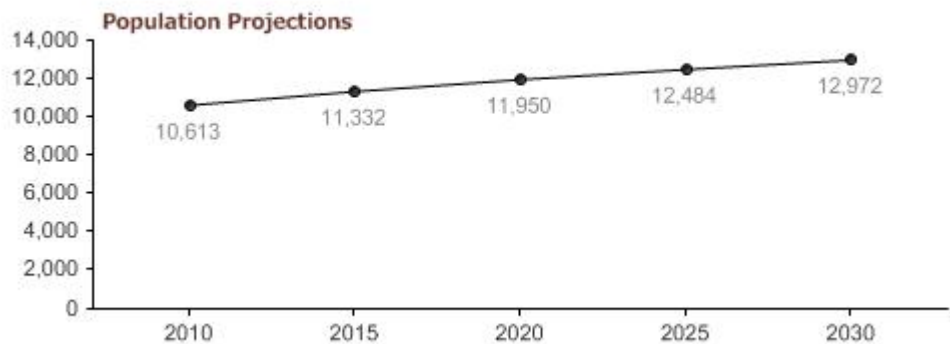
	<b>Population</b>	<b>Numerical Chg.</b>	<b>Pct. Chg.</b>
1950	7,599	NA	NA
1960	7,092	-507	-6.7%
1970	6,306	-786	-11.1%
1980	7,153	847	13.4%
1990	7,738	585	8.2%
April 2000	9,082	1,344	17.4%
April 2010	10,613	1,531	16.9%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

### Population Projections

	<b>2010</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2030</b>
Population Projections	10,613	11,332	11,950	12,484	12,972
Change Since 2010		719	1,337	1,871	2,359
Pct. Change Since 2010		6.8%	12.6%	17.6%	22.2%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center.

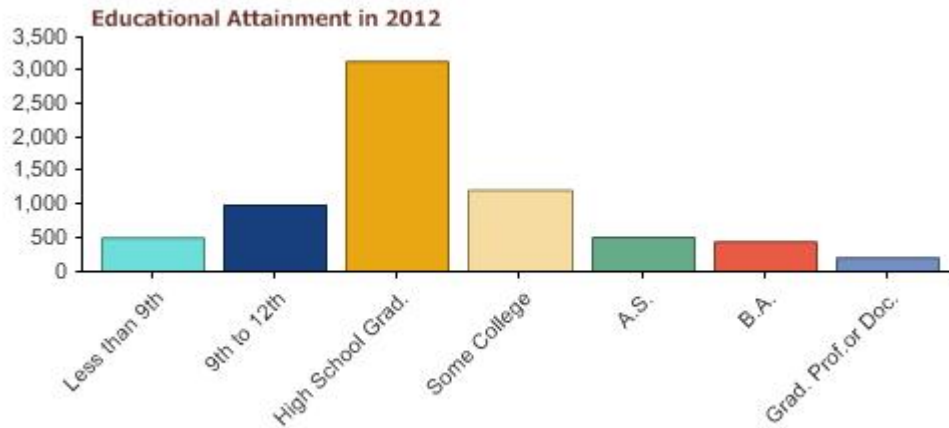
Note: 2010 data are census counts from the U.S. Census Bureau

## Education

The level of education of our workforce is a critical factor for economic and community development. It often provides insight into the skill levels of a local area. The metrics provided here focus on the attainment of degrees and high school graduates' higher education intent. The type of work (occupations) residents perform can also assist in understanding skill levels.

## Educational Attainment

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2012
Total Population 25 and Older	3,744	4,289	5,015	5,889	7,007
Less than 9th Grade	1,719	1,265	723	556	503
9th to 12th, No Diploma	734	836	992	1,129	993
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	1,007	1,667	2,264	2,617	3,135
Some College, No Degree			561	958	1,213
Associate Degree			192	180	511
Bachelors Degree			124	259	443
Graduate or Professional Degree*			159	190	209



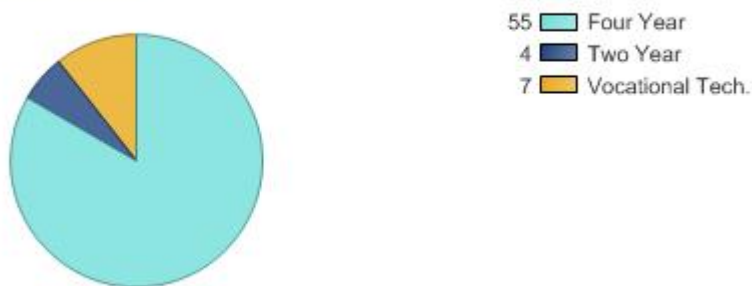
Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

\*2011 data includes Doctorate Degrees

## High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education

	2005	2006	2007	2008
Total Graduates	75	78	105	89
Total to Higher Education	57	51	70	66
Four-Year Institution	38	33	47	55
Two-Year Institution	16	17	10	4
Vocational/Tech.	3	1	13	7
Military	6	8	6	5

### 2008 Higher Education Intent

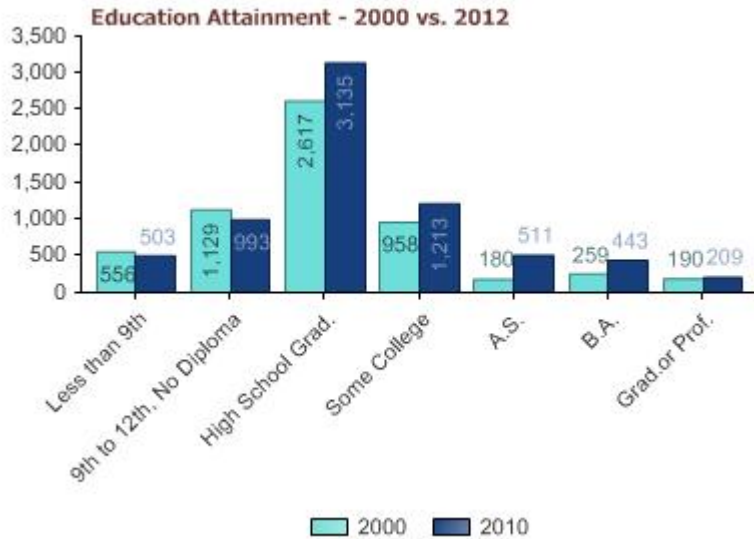


Source: Indiana Department of Education

## Educational Attainment in 2000 and 2012

	2000	Pct. of Pop. 25+	2012	Pct. of Pop. 25+

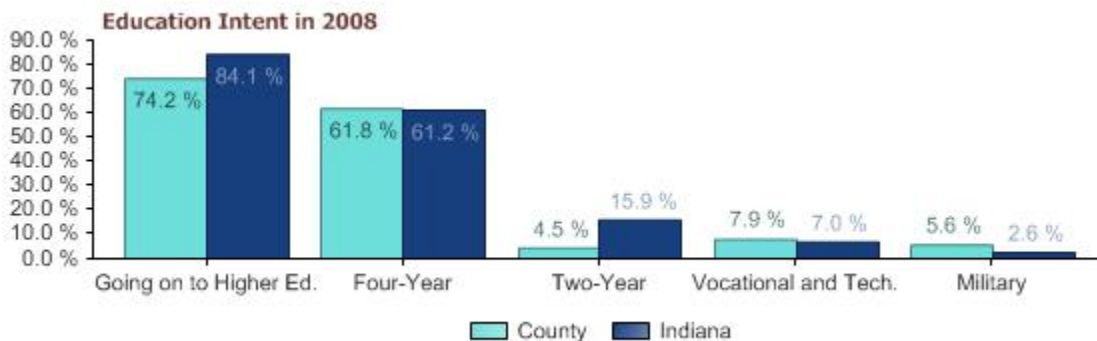
Total Population 25+	5,889	100.0%	7,007	100.0%
Less than 9th Grade	556	9.4%	503	7.2%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	1,129	19.2%	993	14.2%
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	2,617	44.4%	3,135	44.7%
Some College, No Degree	958	16.3%	1,213	17.3%
Associate's Degree	180	3.1%	511	7.3%
Bachelor's Degree	259	4.4%	443	6.3%
Graduate or Professional Degree**	190	3.2%	209	3.0%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 year estimates.  
 \*\*2011 Graduate or Professional Degree data include Doctorate Degrees

### High School Graduates Higher Education Intent

	2008 Pct. Dist.	Indiana Pct. Dist.
Graduates	100.0%	100.0%
Total Going on to Higher Education	74.2%	84.1%
Four-Year Institution	61.8%	61.2%
Two-Year Institution	4.5%	15.9%
Vocational and Tech.	7.9%	7.0%
Military	5.6%	2.6%



Source: Indiana Department of Education

# Commuting

In Indiana, most workers commute to a job, either within their home county or beyond. Patterns of commuting are significant in showing the labor supply. The county *labor force* represents workers who reside in the county no matter where they work. Two types of commuting patterns are provided here - the Census 2000 *benchmark* and the annual data tabulated from state income tax returns that can help provide a more current view.

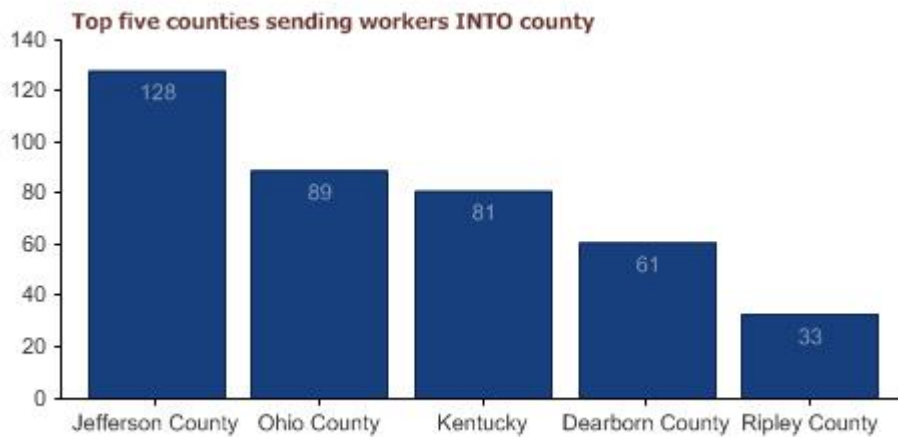
## Commuting Data, 2012

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	5,858
Number of tax filers who work in the county	4,321
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	3,789
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	532

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

## Commuting Patterns: Top five counties sending workers INTO county, 2012

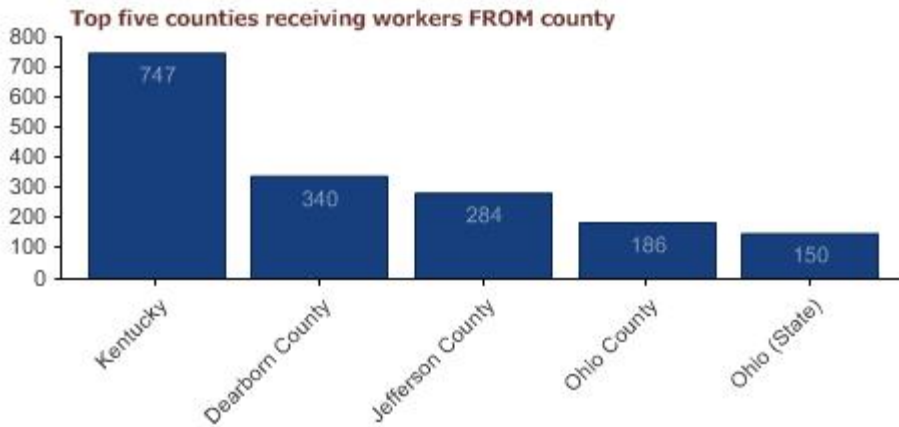
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Jefferson County	128	32.7%
Ohio County	89	22.7%
Kentucky	81	20.7%
Dearborn County	61	15.6%
Ripley County	33	8.4%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

## Commuting Patterns: Top five counties receiving workers FROM county, 2012

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Kentucky	747	43.8%
Dearborn County	340	19.9%
Jefferson County	284	16.6%
Ohio County	186	10.9%
Ohio (State)	150	8.8%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

## Travel To Work in 2012

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Pct. Dist</b>
Total Workers Age 16 and Over	4,516	100.0%
Travel To Work	4,229	93.6%
Car, Truck, or Van	4,071	90.1%
Traveled Alone	3,591	79.5%
Carpooled	480	10.6%
Used Public Transportation	22	0.5%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	136	3.0%
Worked At Home	287	6.4%
Average Travel Time (Minutes)	31.6	
Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

## Labor Force

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

### Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2012

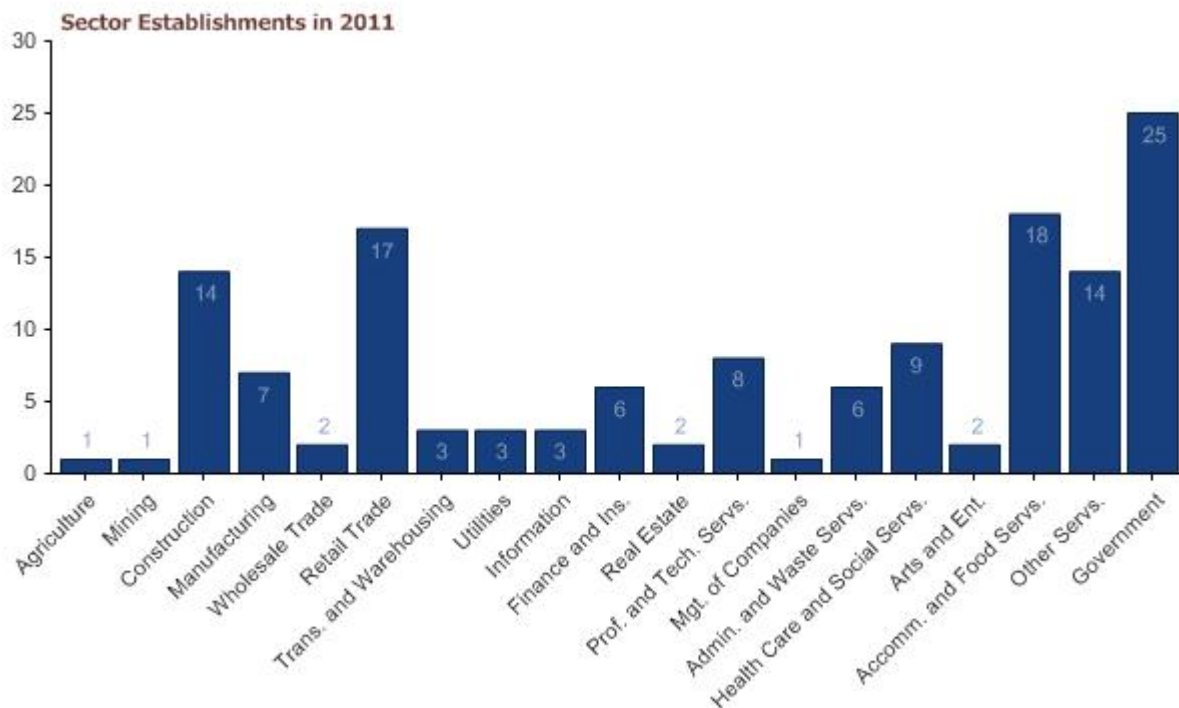
	<b>Number</b>	<b>Pct. Chg. from 2000</b>
Labor Force	5,456	8.5%
Employed	5,080	5.9%
Unemployed	376	60.0%
Rate	6.9	46.8%







Total Establishments	146	148	145	146	142	-4	-2.74%
Total Private Establishments	119	121	118	120	117	-2	-1.68%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunt	1	1	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	0	0.00%
Mining	1	1	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	0	0.00%
Construction	18	17	16	15	<b>D</b>	-4	-22.22%
Manufacturing	5	7	6	8	7	2	40.00%
Wholesale Trade	4	3	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	-2	-50.00%
Retail Trade	15	14	16	17	17	2	13.33%
Transport. and Warehousing	4	5	4	4	<b>D</b>	-1	-25.00%
Utilities	4	3	3	3	3	-1	-25.00%
Information	3	3	3	3	3	0	0.00%
Finance and Insurance	7	6	6	6	<b>D</b>	-1	-14.29%
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	2	3	3	3	<b>D</b>	0	0.00%
Professional and Tech. Servs.	9	9	7	8	<b>D</b>	-1	-11.11%
Mgmt. of Companies	0	0	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	N/A	N/A
Admin. and Waste Services	5	7	7	7	6	1	20.00%
Educational Services	0	0			0	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	10	8	9	9	9	-1	-10.00%
Arts, Entertain., and Recreation	3	3	3	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	-1	-33.33%
Accommodation and Food Service	16	18	17	17	<b>D</b>	2	12.50%
Other Services	14	15	14	13	14	0	0.00%
Federal, State, & Local Govt.	27	27	27	26	25	-2	-7.41%



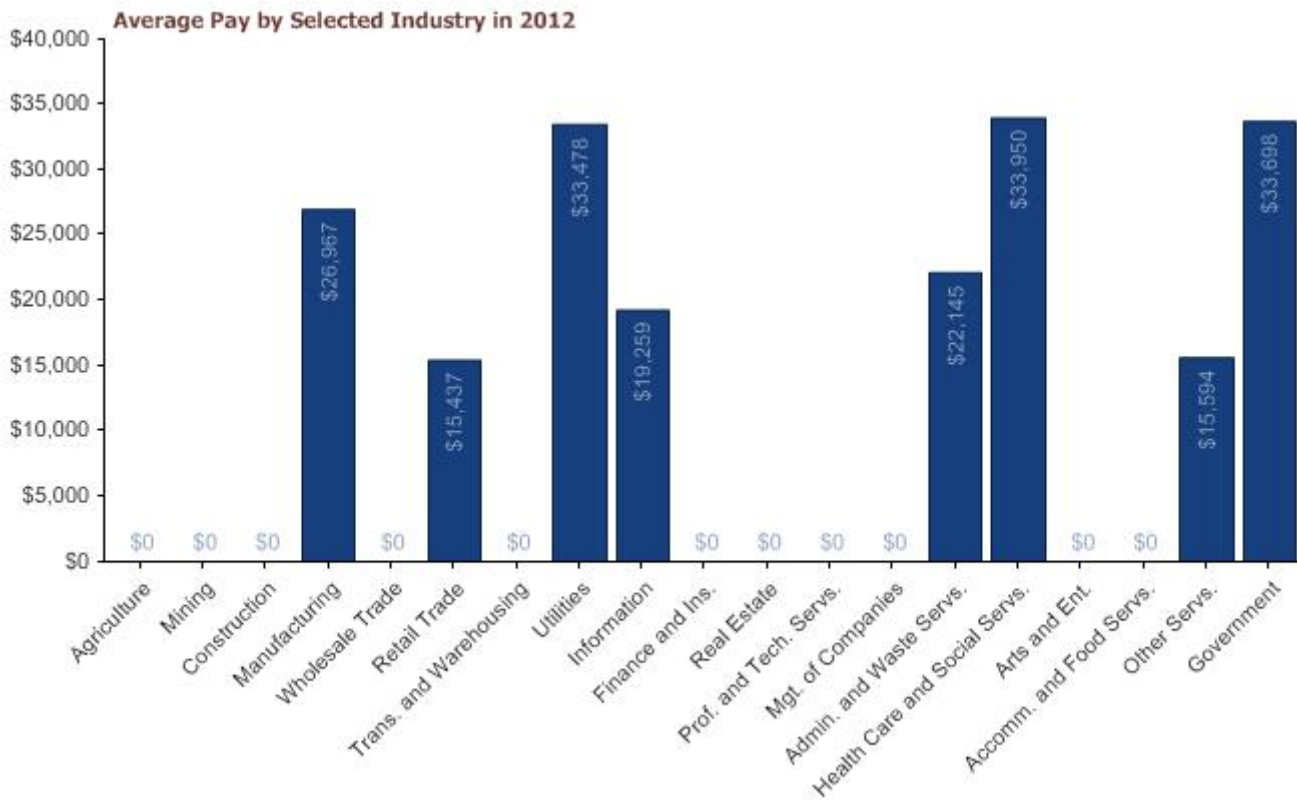
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## Earnings and Income

Industry employment is tabulated as jobs by place-of-work. Keep in mind that people may hold multiple jobs and that each job is counted by its industry. Note: The income figures and changes are not adjusted for inflation.

### Average Annual Earnings by Industry

	<b>2008</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>5 Year</b>	<b>5 Year % Change</b>	<b>Indiana 2012</b>	<b>% of State</b>
All Industries	\$28,832	\$29,000	\$168	0.6%	\$41,240	70.3%
Ag., For., Fishing, & Hunt.		<b>D</b>	N/A	N/A	\$32,336	0.0%
Mining		<b>D</b>	N/A	N/A	\$64,335	0.0%
Construction	\$28,820	<b>D</b>	-\$28,820	-100.0%	\$54,083	0.0%
Manufacturing	\$24,557	\$26,967	\$2,411	9.8%	\$56,312	47.9%
Wholesale Trade	\$25,207	<b>D</b>	-\$25,207	-100.0%	\$56,978	0.0%
Retail Trade	\$16,154	\$15,437	-\$717	-4.4%	\$24,322	63.5%
Trans. & Warehousing	\$22,831	<b>D</b>	-\$22,831	-100.0%	\$40,187	0.0%
Utilities	\$37,851	\$33,478	-\$4,373	-11.6%	\$81,714	41.0%
Information	\$21,102	\$19,259	-\$1,843	-8.7%	\$52,519	36.7%
Finance & Insurance	\$31,138	<b>D</b>	-\$31,138	-100.0%	\$59,913	0.0%
Real Est., Rent., Leasing	\$6,456	<b>D</b>	-\$6,456	-100.0%	\$36,768	0.0%
Prof. & Tech. Svcs.	\$29,754	<b>D</b>	-\$29,754	-100.0%	\$58,827	0.0%
Mgt.of Companies	0	<b>D</b>	N/A	N/A	\$83,538	0.0%
Admin. & Waste Svcs.	\$19,623	\$22,145	\$2,522	12.9%	\$27,508	80.5%
Education Svcs.	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$35,388	N/A
Health Care & Social Assist.	\$27,472	\$33,950	\$6,479	23.6%	\$42,076	80.7%
Arts, Ent. & Rec.		<b>D</b>	N/A	N/A	\$29,368	0.0%
Accom. & Food Svcs.	\$21,586	<b>D</b>	-\$21,586	-100.0%	\$13,955	0.0%
Other Svcs.	\$17,673	\$15,594	-\$2,079	-11.8%	\$27,569	56.6%
Fed.l, State & Local Govt.	\$30,539	\$33,698	\$3,159	10.3%	\$40,520	83.2%



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### Average Compensation Per Job Over Time

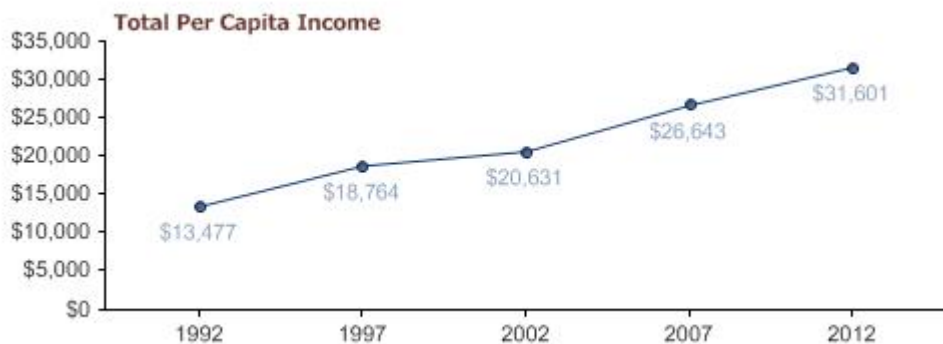
	2009	2010	2011	2011	2012
Avg. Compensation per Job	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pct. Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

No Data

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

### Per Capita Income Over Time

	1992	1997	2002	2007	2012
Total Per Capita Income	\$13,477	\$18,764	\$20,631	\$26,643	\$31,601
Change Since 1991		\$5,287	\$7,154	\$13,166	\$18,124
Pct. Change Since 1991		39.2%	53.1%	97.7%	134.5%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

### Income & Wage

	Number
Median family income in 2012 (ACS)	\$50,781
Median household income in 2012 (ACS)	\$44,833
Average Wage Per Job in 2012 (BLS)	\$29,000
Wage Growth since 2000 (BLS)	23.1%

Source: US Census Bureau, ACS 5 Year Estimates & Bureau of Labor Statistics

## Firms and Employment by Size

Firm data are available for most counties by the size of the firms and average employment by business unit size.

### County Business Patterns, 2011

	Establishments	Number Chg. 06 to 11	Pct.Chg. 06 to 11	Pct. of Total
1-9 employees	101	1	1.0%	81.5%
10-19 employees	16	2	14.3%	12.9%
20-49 employees	5	2	66.7%	4.0%
50-99 employees	1	-3	-75.0%	0.8%
100 plus employees	1	0	0.0%	0.8%
TOTAL	124	2	1.6%	100.0%

County Business Patterns



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

### Establishments by Sector and Size

	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 19	20 to 49	50 to 99	100 plus
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	Total	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
Total All Sectors	124	74	27	16	5	1	1
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Construction	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	8	6	1	1	0	0	0
Wholesale Trade	8	4	1	2	1	0	0
Retail Trade	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation and Warehousing	15	8	3	4	0	0	0
Utilities	3	2	0	1	0	0	0
Information	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
Finance and Insurance	9	3	6	0	0	0	0
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	11	10	1	0	0	0	0
Management of Companies and Enterprises	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Administrative and Support and Waste Mgmt. Remediation Svcs.	6	2	1	3	0	0	0
Educational Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	15	8	4	1	1	1	0
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Accommodation and Food Services	17	7	4	3	2	0	1
Other Services (except Public Administration)	19	14	5	0	0	0	0
Unclassified	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

Note: Source: U.S. Census Bureau