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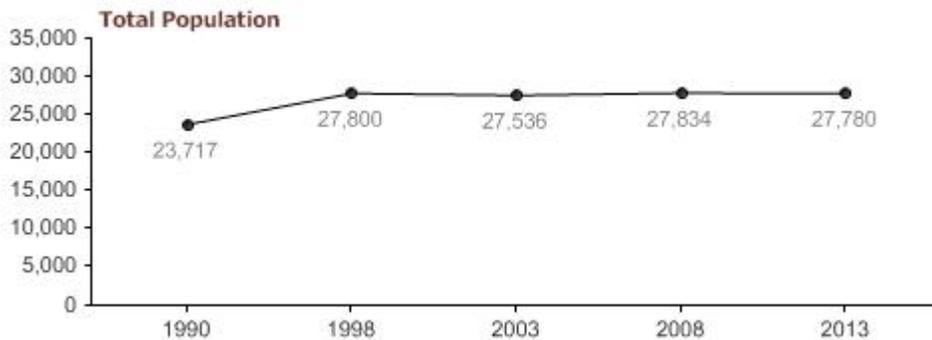
Population

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

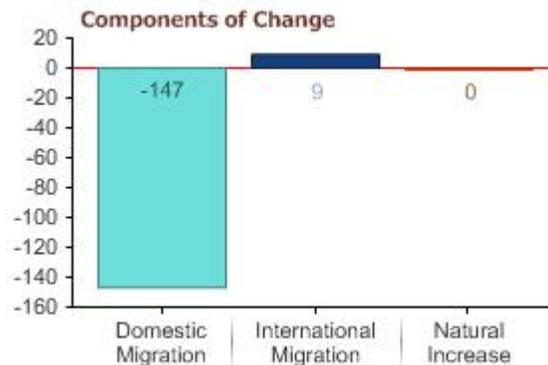
	1990	1998	2003	2008	2013
Total Population	23,717	27,800	27,536	27,834	27,780
Change Since 1990		4,083	3,819	4,117	4,063
Pct. Change Since 1990		17.2%	16.1%	17.4%	17.1%



Source: US Census Bureau

Components of Population Change 2012 to 2013

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	-147
International Migration	9
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	0
Births	277
Deaths	277



Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Age in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool (0 to 4)	1,613	5.8%

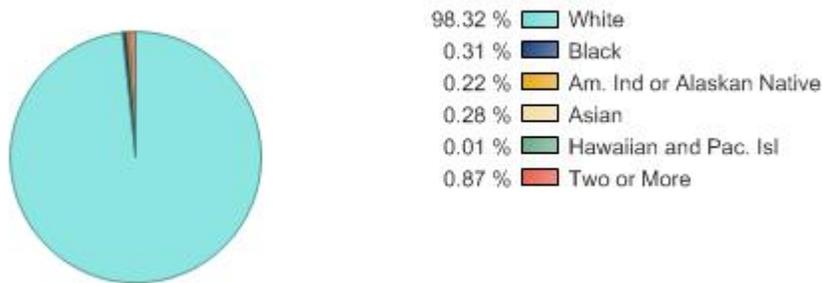
School Age (5 to 17)	5,195	18.6%
College Age (18 to 24)	2,266	8.1%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	6,739	24.1%
Older Adult (45 to 64)	8,019	28.7%
Older (65 plus)	4,089	14.6%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	62	0.2%
Asian Alone	79	0.3%
Black Alone	87	0.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	2	0.0%
White Alone	27,447	98.3%
Two or More Race Groups	244	0.9%

Population by Race



Hispanic or Latino

Non-Hispanic or Latino	27,569	98.8%
Hispanic or Latino	352	1.3%

Source: US Census Bureau

Households in 2012

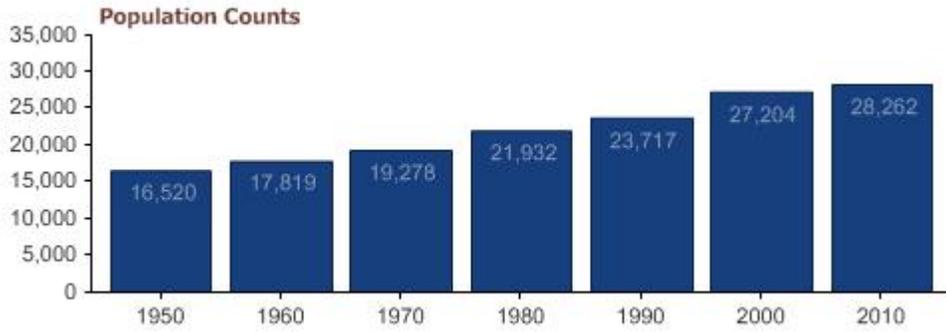
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	10,757	100.0%
Family Households	7,411	68.9%
Married with Children	2,016	18.7%
Married without Children	3,724	34.6%
Single Parents	960	8.9%
Other	711	6.6%
Non-family Households	3,346	31.1%
Living Alone	2,811	26.1%
Average Household Size	2.60	
Average Family Household Size	3.77	

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

Population Counts by Decade

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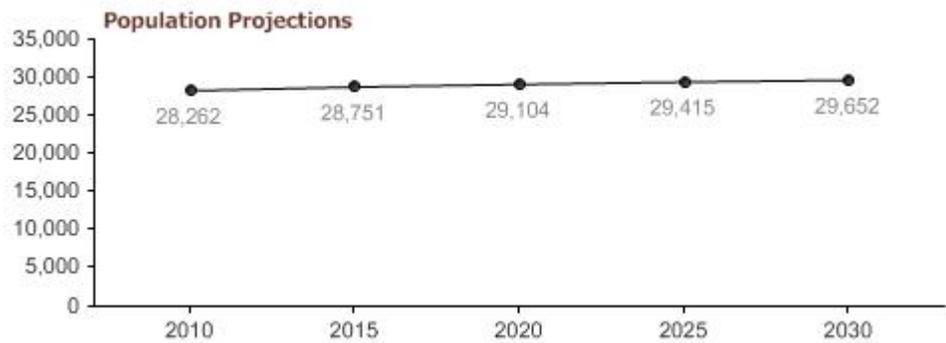
	Population	Numerical Chg.	Pct. Chg.
1950	16,520	NA	NA
1960	17,819	1,299	7.9%
1970	19,278	1,459	8.2%
1980	21,932	2,654	13.8%
1990	23,717	1,785	8.1%
April 2000	27,204	3,487	14.7%
April 2010	28,262	1,058	3.9%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population Projections

	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Population Projections	28,262	28,751	29,104	29,415	29,652
Change Since 2010		489	842	1,153	1,390
Pct. Change Since 2010		1.7%	3.0%	4.1%	4.9%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center.

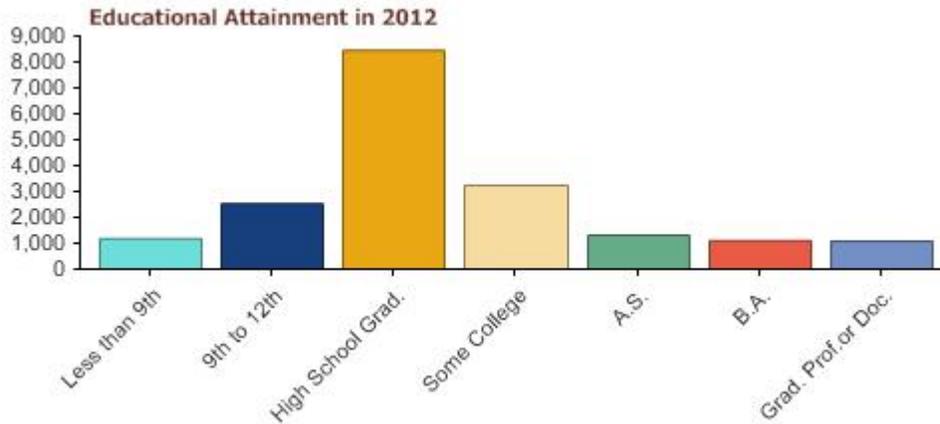
Note: 2010 data are census counts from the U.S. Census Bureau

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	10,533	12,496	14,989	17,648	18,889
Less than 9th Grade	4,259	3,709	2,327	1,499	1,184
9th to 12th, No Diploma	2,021	2,287	2,744	2,881	2,530
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	3,222	4,890	6,317	7,783	8,444
Some College, No Degree			1,980	2,914	3,237
Associate Degree			598	765	1,310
Bachelors Degree			591	1,208	1,097
Graduate or Professional Degree*			432	598	1,087



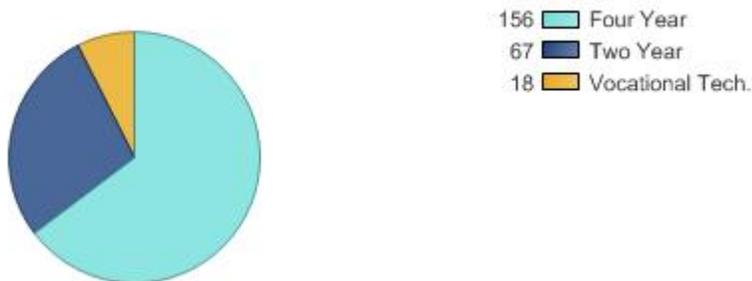
Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

*2011 data includes Doctorate Degrees

High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education

	2005	2006	2007	2008
Total Graduates	280	289	274	308
Total to Higher Education	193	227	199	241
Four-Year Institution	116	118	114	156
Two-Year Institution	67	86	70	67
Vocational/Tech.	10	23	15	18
Military	11	14	17	9

2008 Higher Education Intent

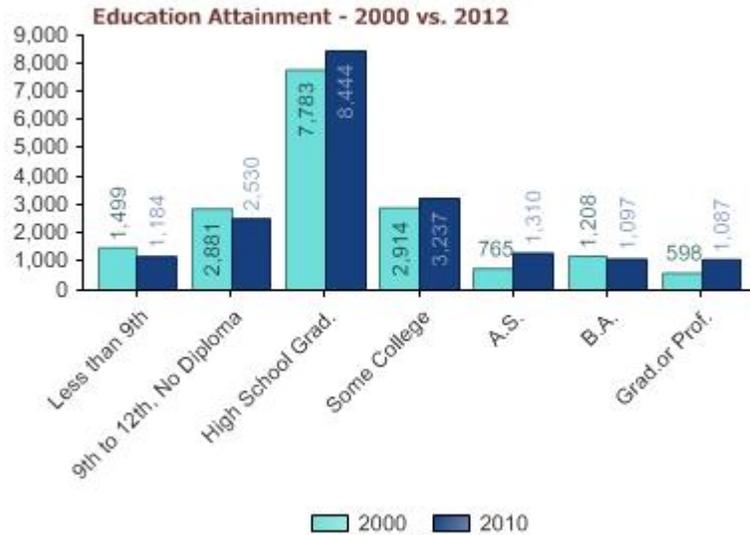


Source: Indiana Department of Education

Educational Attainment in 2000 and 2012

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

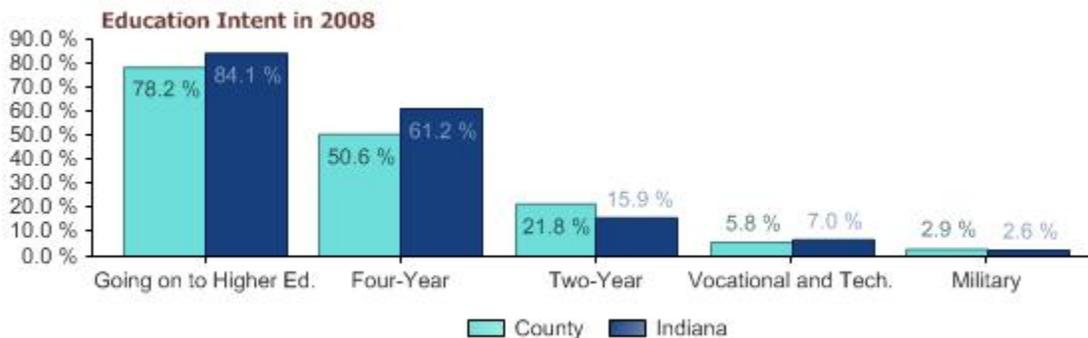
Total Population 25+	17,648	100.0%	18,889	100.0%
Less than 9th Grade	1,499	8.5%	1,184	6.3%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	2,881	16.3%	2,530	13.4%
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	7,783	44.1%	8,444	44.7%
Some College, No Degree	2,914	16.5%	3,237	17.1%
Associate's Degree	765	4.3%	1,310	6.9%
Bachelor's Degree	1,208	6.8%	1,097	5.8%
Graduate or Professional Degree**	598	3.4%	1,087	5.8%



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	78.2%	84.1%
Four-Year Institution	50.6%	61.2%
Two-Year Institution	21.8%	15.9%
Vocational and Tech.	5.8%	7.0%
Military	2.9%	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.

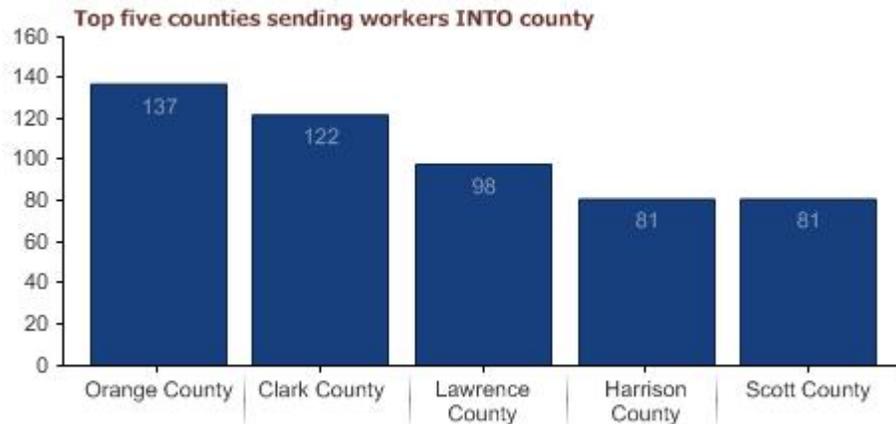
Commuting Data, 2012

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	17,344
Number of tax filers who work in the county	12,815
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	11,947
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	868

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

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

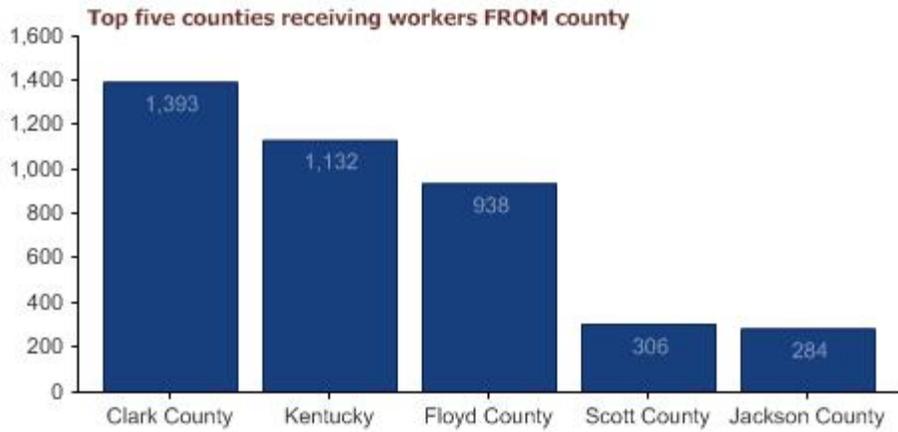
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Orange County	137	26.4%
Clark County	122	23.5%
Lawrence County	98	18.9%
Harrison County	81	15.6%
Scott County	81	15.6%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

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

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Clark County	1,393	34.4%
Kentucky	1,132	27.9%
Floyd County	938	23.1%
Scott County	306	7.5%
Jackson County	284	7.0%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Travel To Work in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Workers Age 16 and Over	12,105	100.0%
Travel To Work	11,675	96.4%
Car, Truck, or Van	11,255	93.0%
Traveled Alone	10,016	82.7%
Carpooled	1,239	10.2%
Used Public Transportation	5	0.0%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	415	3.4%
Worked At Home	430	3.6%
Average Travel Time (Minutes)	29.5	
Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)		

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

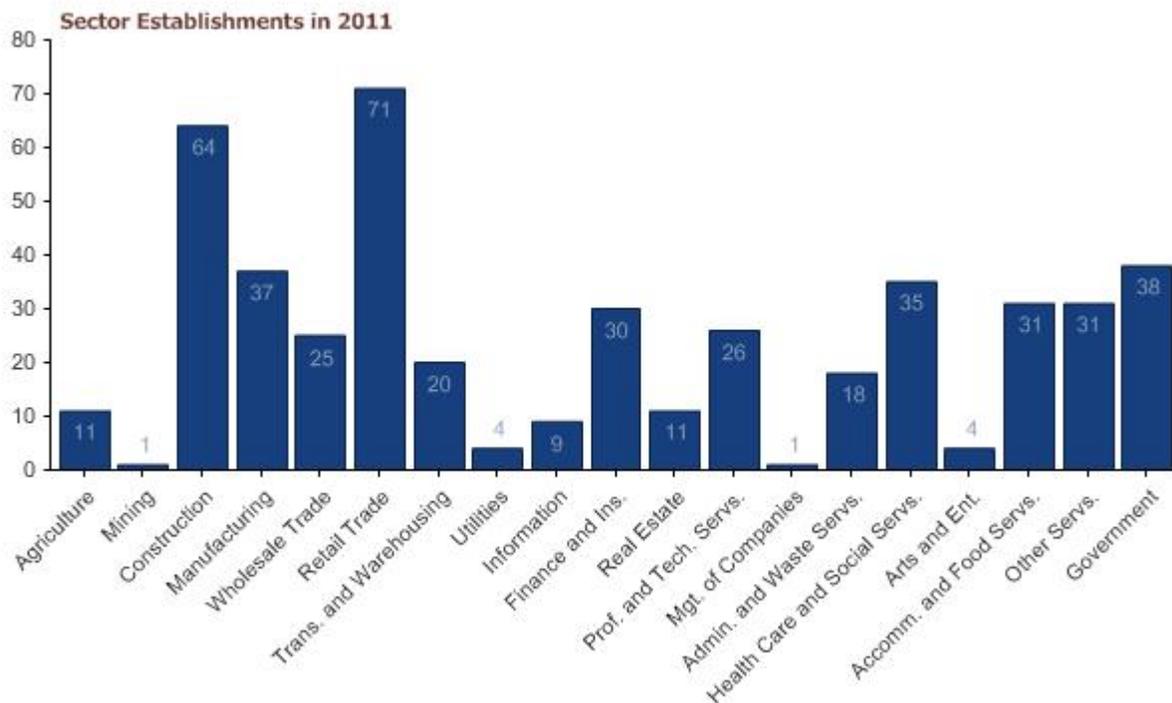
Labor Force

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

	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000
Labor Force	13,296	-5.7%
Employed	12,148	-10.6%
Unemployed	1,148	123.8%
Rate	8.6	138.9%

Total Establishments	493	487	476	467	465	-28	-5.68%
Total Private Establishments	452	446	437	429	427	-25	-5.53%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunt	8	7	8	9	D	3	37.50%
Mining	1	1	D	D	D	0	0.00%
Construction	69	67	68	68	64	-5	-7.25%
Manufacturing	42	37	38	37	37	-5	-11.90%
Wholesale Trade	21	21	19	20	25	4	19.05%
Retail Trade	70	71	72	73	71	1	1.43%
Transport. and Warehousing	23	24	24	23	20	-3	-13.04%
Utilities	4	5	4	4	4	0	0.00%
Information	9	8	8	10	9	0	0.00%
Finance and Insurance	31	33	29	30	30	-1	-3.23%
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	16	15	13	12	11	-5	-31.25%
Professional and Tech. Servs.	29	30	28	25	26	-3	-10.34%
Mgmt. of Companies	2	1	D	D	D	-1	-50.00%
Admin. and Waste Services	20	21	20	18	D	-2	-10.00%
Educational Services	0	0			0	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	40	39	38	34	35	-5	-12.50%
Arts, Entertain., and Recreation	4	3	3	4	4	0	0.00%
Accommodation and Food Service	32	30	29	30	31	-1	-3.13%
Other Services	34	35	34	29	31	-3	-8.82%
Federal, State, & Local Govt.	41	41	39	38	38	-3	-7.32%



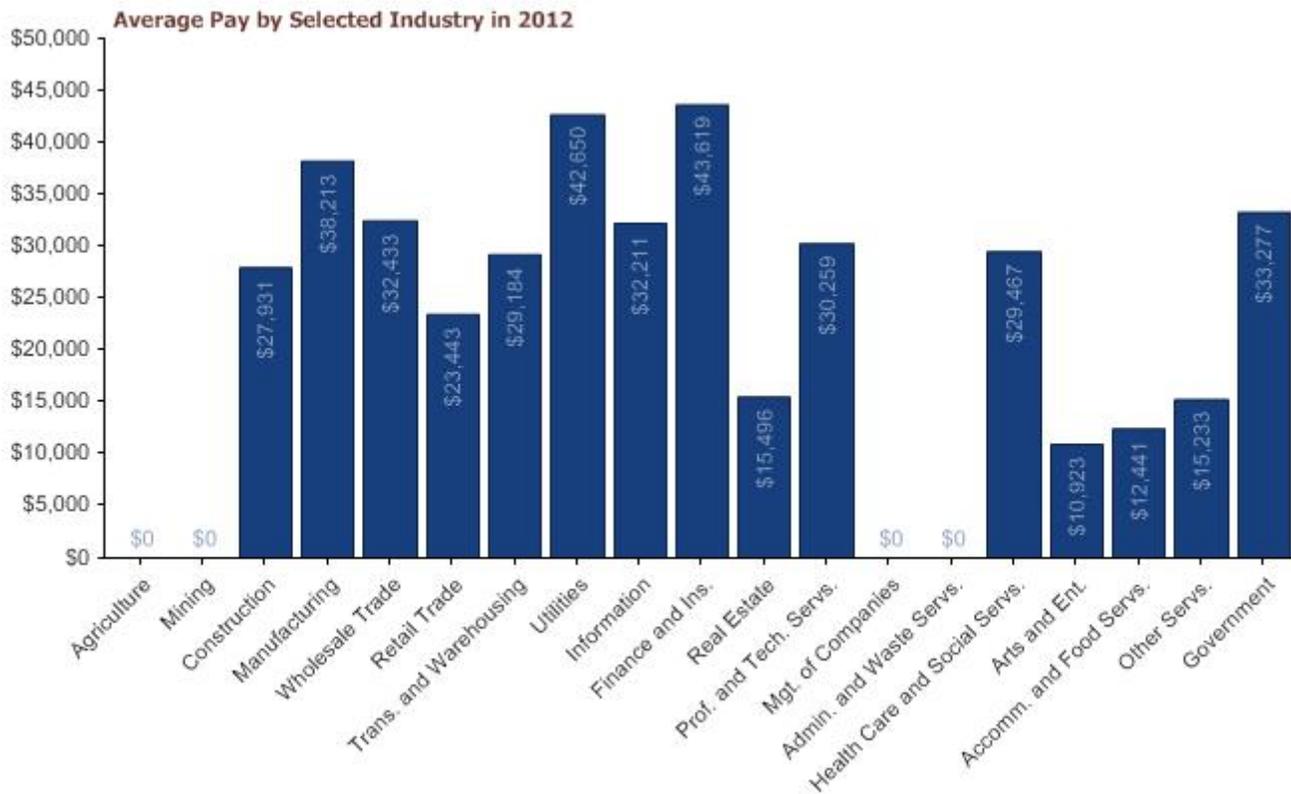
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Earnings and Income

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

	2008	2012	5 Year	% Change	Indiana 2012	% of State
All Industries	\$28,571	\$30,713	\$2,141	7.5%	\$41,240	74.5%
Ag., For., Fishing, & Hunt.	\$16,871	D	-\$16,871	-100.0%	\$32,336	0.0%
Mining		D	N/A	N/A	\$64,335	0.0%
Construction	\$26,073	\$27,931	\$1,858	7.1%	\$54,083	51.6%
Manufacturing	\$33,581	\$38,213	\$4,632	13.8%	\$56,312	67.9%
Wholesale Trade	\$30,238	\$32,433	\$2,195	7.3%	\$56,978	56.9%
Retail Trade	\$21,846	\$23,443	\$1,597	7.3%	\$24,322	96.4%
Trans. & Warehousing	\$29,068	\$29,184	\$116	0.4%	\$40,187	72.6%
Utilities	\$43,031	\$42,650	-\$381	-0.9%	\$81,714	52.2%
Information	\$30,724	\$32,211	\$1,487	4.8%	\$52,519	61.3%
Finance & Insurance	\$33,954	\$43,619	\$9,665	28.5%	\$59,913	72.8%
Real Est., Rent., Leasing	\$13,275	\$15,496	\$2,221	16.7%	\$36,768	42.1%
Prof. & Tech. Svcs.	\$35,331	\$30,259	-\$5,072	-14.4%	\$58,827	51.4%
Mgt.of Companies		D	N/A	N/A	\$83,538	0.0%
Admin. & Waste Svcs.	\$21,513	D	-\$21,513	-100.0%	\$27,508	0.0%
Education Svcs.	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$35,388	N/A
Health Care & Social Assist.	\$26,040	\$29,467	\$3,427	13.2%	\$42,076	70.0%
Arts, Ent. & Rec.	\$4,531	\$10,923	\$6,393	141.1%	\$29,368	37.2%
Accom. & Food Svcs.	\$10,081	\$12,441	\$2,360	23.4%	\$13,955	89.2%
Other Svcs.	\$16,697	\$15,233	-\$1,463	-8.8%	\$27,569	55.3%
Fed.l, State & Local Govt.	\$33,383	\$33,277	-\$105	-0.3%	\$40,520	82.1%



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Average Compensation Per Job Over Time

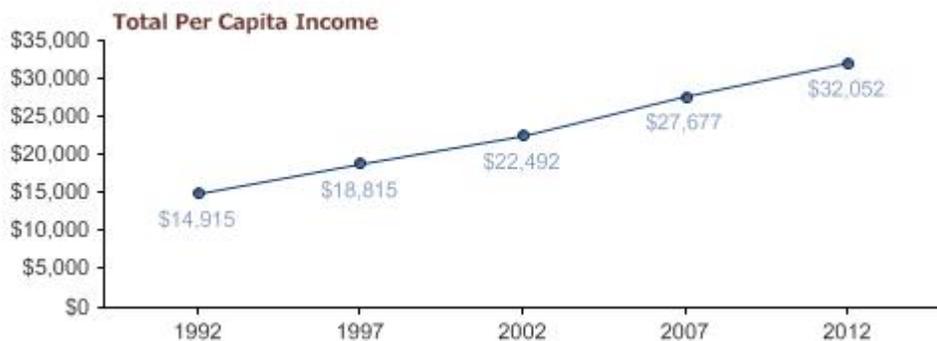
	2009	2010	2011	2011	2012
Avg. Compensation per Job	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pct. Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

No Data

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Per Capita Income Over Time

	1992	1997	2002	2007	2012
Total Per Capita Income	\$14,915	\$18,815	\$22,492	\$27,677	\$32,052
Change Since 1991		\$3,900	\$7,577	\$12,762	\$17,137
Pct. Change Since 1991		26.1%	50.8%	85.6%	114.9%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Income & Wage

	Number
Median family income in 2012 (ACS)	\$47,716
Median household income in 2012 (ACS)	\$41,125
Average Wage Per Job in 2012 (BLS)	\$30,708
Wage Growth since 2000 (BLS)	29.1%

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

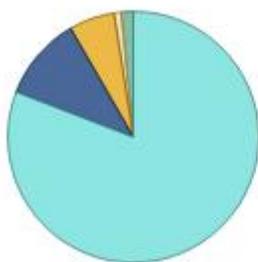
Firms and Employment by Size

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	359	-31	-7.9%	80.9%
10-19 employees	48	-10	-17.2%	10.8%
20-49 employees	26	2	8.3%	5.9%
50-99 employees	4	-2	-33.3%	0.9%
100 plus employees	7	-2	-22.2%	1.6%
TOTAL	444	-43	-8.8%	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	444	267	92	48	26	4	7
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting	3	2	1	0	0	0	0
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Construction	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	74	63	8	2	1	0	0
Wholesale Trade	36	11	5	10	4	1	5
Retail Trade	13	7	4	2	0	0	0
Transportation and Warehousing	82	38	26	12	4	1	1
Utilities	20	16	2	2	0	0	0
Information	6	2	0	2	2	0	0
Finance and Insurance	29	19	7	2	1	0	0
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	10	7	3	0	0	0	0
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	28	19	5	4	0	0	0
Management of Companies and Enterprises	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Administrative and Support and Waste Mgmt. Remediation Svcs.	17	10	4	3	0	0	0
Educational Services	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Health Care and Social Assistance	40	22	8	4	4	1	1
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
Accommodation and Food Services	27	11	4	2	9	1	0
Other Services (except Public Administration)	45	28	14	2	1	0	0
Unclassified	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Note: Source: U.S. Census Bureau