

Jackson County, Indiana

Founded in 1816 and named for Andrew Jackson, hero of the Battle of New Orleans in the War of 1812

County Seat: Brownstown

Largest City: Seymour (2014 population: 19,094)

Population per Square Mile: 85.81

Square Miles: 509.30

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Population over Time	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
Yesterday (2010)	42,376	34	0.7%	6,483,797
Today (2014)	43,705	34	0.7%	6,596,855
Tomorrow (2020 projection)*	43,548	36	0.6%	6,852,121
Percent Change 2010 to Today	3.1%	12		1.7%

*Projection based on 2010 Census counts.

Sources: [U.S. Census Bureau](#); [Indiana Business Research Center](#)

Components of Population Change, 2013-2014	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
Net Domestic Migration	39	20		-7,849
Net International Migration	67	21		10,472
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	169	22	0.7%	24,994

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau](#)

Population Estimates by Age, 2014	Number	Rank in State	Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State
Preschool (0 to 4)	3,015	31	6.9%	6.4%
School Age (5 to 17)	7,581	38	17.3%	17.6%
College Age (18 to 24)	3,614	39	8.3%	10.1%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	11,138	31	25.5%	25.3%
Older Adult (45 to 64)	11,688	36	26.7%	26.3%
Seniors (65 and older)	6,669	35	15.3%	14.3%
Median Age	38.9			Median Age = 37.5

Sources: [U.S. Census Bureau](#); [Indiana Business Research Center](#)

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin, 2014	Number	Rank of	Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State
American Indian or Alaska Native Alone	144	37	0.3%	0.4%
Asian Alone	581	26	1.3%	2.0%
Black Alone	446	38	1.0%	9.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	66	16	0.2%	0.1%
White	41,924	34	95.9%	86.1%
Two or More Race Groups	544	32	1.2%	1.9%
Hispanic or Latino Origin (can be of any race)				
Non-Hispanic	40,920	35	93.6%	93.4%
Hispanic	2,785	23	6.4%	6.6%

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau](#)

Household Types	Number	Rank in State	Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State
Households in 2013 (Includes detail not shown below)	16,713	34	100.0%	100.0%
Married With Children	3,446	35	20.6%	19.8%
Married Without Children	5,310	36	31.8%	30.1%
Single Parents	1,423	34	8.5%	9.8%
Living Alone	4,470	32	26.7%	27.7%

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-year estimates.](#)

Housing	Number	Rank in State	Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State
Total Housing Units in 2014 (estimate)	18,524	35	100.0%	100.0%
Total Housing Units in 2013 (includes vacant units)	18,239	35	100.0%	100.0%
Owner Occupied (Pct. distribution based on all housing units)	12,196	36	66.9%	62.0%
Median Value (2013)	\$117,100	34		
Renter Occupied (Pct. distribution based on all housing units)	4,517	30	24.8%	26.6%
Median Rent (2013)	\$518	32		

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-year estimates.](#)

Education	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
School Enrollment (2014/2015 Total Reported)	7,851	30	0.7%	1,130,285

Public	6,966	34	0.7%	1,045,779
Adults (25+ in 2013 ACS)	28,987	34	0.7%	4,258,878
with High School diploma or higher	86.2%	45		87.2%
with B.A. or higher degree	14.5%	58		23.2%

Sources: [Indiana Department of Education](#); [U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-year estimates](#).

Income and Poverty	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
Per Capita Personal Income (annual) in 2013	\$36,200	48	93.7%	38,622
Median Household Income in 2013	49,614	32	104.4%	\$47,508
Poverty Rate in 2013	12.9%	55	81.6%	15.8%
Poverty Rate among Children under 18	17.8%	65	81.3%	21.9%
Welfare (TANF) Monthly Average Families in 2014	79	22	0.8%	9,498
Food Stamp Recipients in 2014	5,293	30	0.6%	878,155
Free and Reduced Fee Lunch Recipients in 2014	3,450	30	0.7%	514,128

Sources: [U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis](#); [U.S. Census Bureau](#); [Indiana Family Social Services Administration](#); [Indiana Department of Education](#)

Health and Vital Statistics	Number	Rank of State	Percent of State	Indiana
Births, 2013	591	30	0.7%	83,115
Births to Teens, 2013	62	24	0.9%	6,810
Deaths, 2013	443	31	0.7%	60,445

Source: [Indiana State Department of Health](#)

Labor Force, 2014	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
Total Resident Labor Force	21,289	34	0.7%	3,230,540
Employed	20,212	33	0.7%	3,035,581
Unemployed	1,077	39	0.6%	194,959
Annual Unemployment Rate	5.1	74	85.0%	6.0
September 2015 Unemployment Rate	3.5	63	87.5%	4.0

Source: [STATS Indiana](#), using data from the Indiana Department of Workforce Development

Employment and Earnings by Industry, 2013	Employment	Pct Dist. in County	Earnings (\$000)	Pct Dist. In County	Avg. Earnings Per Job
Total by place of work	25,195	100.0%	\$1,172,680	100.0%	\$46,544
Wage and Salary	20,719	82.2%	\$806,904	68.8%	\$38,945
Farm Proprietors	689	2.7%	\$64,516	5.5%	\$93,637

Nonfarm Proprietors	3,787	15.0%	\$87,966	7.5%	\$23,228
Farm	1,133	4.5%	\$79,788	6.8%	\$70,422
Nonfarm	24,062	95.5%	\$1,092,892	93.2%	\$45,420
Private	21,025	83.4%	\$924,661	78.9%	\$43,979
Accommodation, Food Serv.	1,610	6.4%	\$27,076	2.3%	\$16,817
Arts, Ent., Recreation	225	0.9%	\$2,043	0.2%	\$9,080
Construction	1,083	4.3%	\$42,989	3.7%	\$39,694
Health Care, Social Serv.	1,387	5.5%	\$53,371	4.6%	\$38,479
Information	115	0.5%	\$3,905	0.3%	\$33,957
Manufacturing	6,215	24.7%	\$418,761	35.7%	\$67,379
Professional, Tech. Serv.	555	2.2%	\$16,539	1.4%	\$29,800
Retail Trade	2,777	11.0%	\$77,406	6.6%	\$27,874
Trans., Warehousing	1,834	7.3%	\$94,848	8.1%	\$51,716
Wholesale Trade	796	3.2%	\$44,886	3.8%	\$56,389
Other Private (not above)	4,195*	16.7%*	\$129,210*	11.0%*	\$30,801*
Government	3,037	12.1%	\$168,231	14.3%	\$55,394

Source: [U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis](#)

* These totals do not include county data that are not available due to BEA non-disclosure requirements.

Residential Building Permits, 2014 Units		Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State	Cost (\$000)	State Cost (\$000)
Total Permits Filed	178	100.0%	100.0%	\$19,468	\$3,222,176
Single-Family	61	34.3%	68.1%	\$9,235	\$2,748,532
2-Family	0	0.0%	2.0%	0	\$40,304
3- and 4-Family	0	0.0%	1.1%	\$0	\$18,185
5+ Family	117	65.7%	28.7%	\$10,233	\$415,155

Notes: Detail cost may not sum to total due to rounding. Greene County does not currently issue building permits, so it is excluded.

Source: [U.S. Census Bureau](#)

Largest Cities and Towns in Jackson County

Name	Population in 2014	Percent of County
Brownstown	2,956	6.8%
Crothersville	1,599	3.7%
Medora	699	1.6%
Seymour	19,094	43.7%

