

Jasper County, IN Highlights

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.

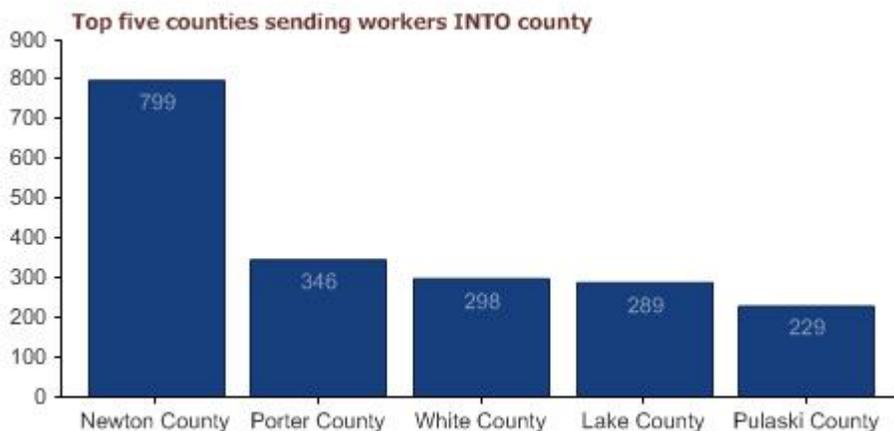
Commuting Data, 2012

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	21,704
Number of tax filers who work in the county	19,357
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	16,330
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	3,027

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

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

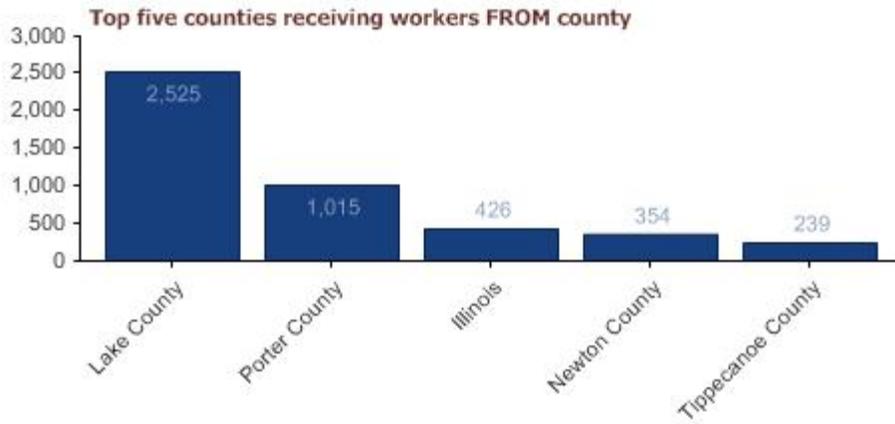
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Newton County	799	40.7%
Porter County	346	17.6%
White County	298	15.2%
Lake County	289	14.7%
Pulaski County	229	11.7%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

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

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Lake County	2,525	55.4%
Porter County	1,015	22.3%
Illinois	426	9.3%
Newton County	354	7.8%
Tippecanoe County	239	5.2%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Travel To Work in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Workers Age 16 and Over	14,552	100.0%
Travel To Work	14,242	97.9%
Car, Truck, or Van	13,484	92.7%
Traveled Alone	12,271	84.3%
Carpooled	1,213	8.3%
Used Public Transportation	36	0.2%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	722	5.0%
Worked At Home	310	2.1%
Average Travel Time (Minutes)	27.9	
Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)	12.9	

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