

**QuickFacts**  
**Starke County, Indiana**

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**Table**

All Topics 	Starke County, Indiana
<b>Population estimates, July 1, 2019, (V2019)</b>	<b>22,995</b>
 <b>PEOPLE</b>	
<b>Population</b>	
<b>Population estimates, July 1, 2019, (V2019)</b>	<b>22,995</b>
Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2019)	23,362
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2019, (V2019)	-1.6%
Population, Census, April 1, 2010	23,363
<b>Age and Sex</b>	
Persons under 5 years, percent	 5.8%
Persons under 18 years, percent	 22.5%
Persons 65 years and over, percent	 19.0%
Female persons, percent	 50.1%
<b>Race and Hispanic Origin</b>	
White alone, percent	 97.6%
Black or African American alone, percent (a)	 0.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent (a)	 0.5%
Asian alone, percent (a)	 0.2%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent (a)	 0.0%
Two or More Races, percent	 1.2%
Hispanic or Latino, percent (b)	 4.1%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent	 93.8%
<b>Population Characteristics</b>	
Veterans, 2014-2018	1,488
Foreign born persons, percent, 2014-2018	2.2%
<b>Housing</b>	
Housing units, July 1, 2019, (V2019)	11,222
Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2014-2018	79.0%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2014-2018	\$108,000
Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2014-2018	\$974
Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2014-2018	\$376
Median gross rent, 2014-2018	\$685
Building permits, 2019	64
<b>Families &amp; Living Arrangements</b>	
Households, 2014-2018	8,735
Persons per household, 2014-2018	2.62
Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2014-2018	90.0%
Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 years+, 2014-2018	3.5%
<b>Computer and Internet Use</b>	
Households with a computer, percent, 2014-2018	83.2%
Households with a broadband Internet subscription, percent, 2014-2018	71.0%
<b>Education</b>	
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2014-2018	84.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2014-2018	10.8%
<b>Health</b>	
With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2014-2018	11.6%
Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent	 10.0%
<b>Economy</b>	
In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 2014-2018	56.8%
In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 2014-2018	52.2%
Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 (\$1,000) (c)	14,237
Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 (\$1,000) (c)	35,925
	253,063

Total manufacturers shipments, 2012 (\$1,000) (c)	
Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 (\$1,000) (c)	95,866
Total retail sales, 2012 (\$1,000) (c)	170,659
Total retail sales per capita, 2012 (c)	\$7,352

#### Transportation

Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2014-2018	29.7
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#### Income & Poverty

Median household income (in 2018 dollars), 2014-2018	\$48,895
Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2018 dollars), 2014-2018	\$23,282
Persons in poverty, percent	▲ 11.0%

### BUSINESSES

#### Businesses

Total employer establishments, 2018	311
Total employment, 2018	3,059
Total annual payroll, 2018 (\$1,000)	107,826
Total employment, percent change, 2017-2018	5.8%
Total nonemployer establishments, 2018	1,181
All firms, 2012	1,392
Men-owned firms, 2012	599
Women-owned firms, 2012	565
Minority-owned firms, 2012	30
Nonminority-owned firms, 2012	1,330
Veteran-owned firms, 2012	167
Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012	1,157


### GEOGRAPHY


#### Geography

Population per square mile, 2010	75.6
Land area in square miles, 2010	309.13
FIPS Code	18149

About datasets used in this table

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Some estimates presented here come from sample data, and thus have sampling errors that may render some apparent differences between geographies statistically indistinguishable. Click the Quick Info  icon to the row in TABLE view to learn about sampling error.

The vintage year (e.g., V2019) refers to the final year of the series (2010 thru 2019). *Different vintage years of estimates are not comparable.*

**Fact Notes**


- (a) Includes persons reporting only one race
- (b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories
- (c) Economic Census - Puerto Rico data are not comparable to U.S. Economic Census data

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- D Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information
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QuickFacts data are derived from: Population Estimates, American Community Survey, Census of Population and Housing, Current Population Survey, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, Small Area Income and F Estimates, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Nonemployer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits.

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