The maps and tables in this publication were prepared using PCensus 7.06 for MapInfo and MapInfo Professional 7.0.
Carroll County is located in north central Indiana. It is bordered by Cass County to the north and northeast, Howard to the east, Clinton to the south, Tippecanoe to the southwest, and White County to the north and west. U.S. Highway 421 and State Highways 25 and 18 cross the county. Elevation is 550-750 feet. The landscape features oak, maple, birch, beech, and hickory trees. The land along the many creeks slopes moderately to steeply, while it tends to be level in the northwest with steeper slopes along the Wabash River. This county is part of the Indiana and Ohio Till Plain resource area.

Carroll County is in Eastern Time Zone and observes DST. Average daily temperatures are 18°/35° in January and 65°/86° in July. Annual precipitation is 36-38 and snowfall 19-23 inches.

Typically the first freeze of the season is around October 10-15 and the last freeze is around May 1-5. The growing season lasts about 158-168 days.

About nine-tenths of the land is farmland. Although most of the land is in crops for harvest, over half of income is from livestock and related products. Main crops include soybeans and corn for grain. Livestock include cattle/calves, milk cows, hogs/pigs, sheep/lambs, and hens/pullets. Popcorn is a special crop. Main natural resources include construction sand and gravel, crushed stone, and commercial forestland.

Communities include the city of Delphi, the county seat. Towns include Burlington, Camden, Flora and Yeoman. Townships include Adams, Burlington, Carrollton, Clay, Deer Creek, Democrat, Jackson, Jefferson, Liberty, Madison, Monroe, Rock Creek, Tippecanoe and Washington.

Sources: Map from PCensus for MapInfo; Notes from Indiana Facts: Flying the Colors by John Clements, 1995.
Carroll County is not a tobacco-producing county, according to the Strategic Development Group’s “Alternative Agricultural Strategy” (Bloomington, March 15, 2001) report, which is part of Governor Joseph E. Kernan’s “Recipient Final Reports for Office of the Commissioner of Agriculture Grant Programs” (http://www.in.gov/oca/grants/valueadd/VAFinalReports.html):