

Illinois County Highlights

<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (2000)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Average Age of Farm Operator	53.6		Corn, Bu.	91,300	150	13,695,000	55
Number of Farms:	650	54	Soybeans, Bu.	68,700	39	2,679,300	75
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	2,700	66	178,200	56
Less than \$10,000	196		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	216		All Hay, Tons	7,300	3.29	24,040	34
\$100,000 or more	238		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	236		Livestock		Head		Rank
50 - 499 Acres	274		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		55,900		29
500 or more Acres	140		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		11,600		45
Land in Farms, Acres	209,941	61	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		1,100		88
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$4,023	3					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$188,822	7	Cash Receipts (2000)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$134,616	6	Crops		50,757		48
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$45,957	32	Livestock		19,534		29

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Average Age of Farm Operator	52.8		Corn, Bu.	184,600	145	26,767,000	18
Number of Farms:	831	37	Soybeans, Bu.	147,800	44	6,503,200	19
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	5,800	69	400,200	35
Less than \$10,000	145		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	352		All Hay, Tons	N/A			
\$100,000 or more	334		Oats, Bu.	1,400	88	123,200	6
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	181		Livestock		Head		Rank
50 - 499 Acres	392		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		21,000		58
500 or more Acres	258		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		7,000		68
Land in Farms, Acres	351,567	25	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		N/A		
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,759	18					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$159,906	18	Cash Receipts (2000)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$102,343	20	Crops		105,055		9
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$52,272	22	Livestock		8,499		62

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