

# Illinois County Highlights

<b>Shelby County</b>	<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	53.3			Corn, Bu.	179,700	163	29,291,100	15
Number of Farms:	1,250	8		Soybeans,	165,700	47	7,787,900	11	
By Value of Sales:				Wheat, Bu.	19,200	64	1,228,800	12	
Less than \$10,000	436			Sorghum, Bu.	N/A				
\$10,000 - \$99,999	477			All Hay, Tons	10,500	2.86	30,000	29	
\$100,000 or more	337			Oats, Bu.	N/A				
By Size:								<b>No. of</b>	
1 - 49 Acres	299			<b>Livestock</b>				<b>Head</b>	<b>Rank</b>
50 - 499 Acres	677			Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		61,800			24
500 or more Acres	274			Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		21,400			21
Land in Farms, Acres	418,688	14		Beef Cows (01/01/01)		6,300			23
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,061	48							
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$89,973	69		<b>Cash Receipts (2000)</b>		<b>\$1,000</b>			<b>Rank</b>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$55,269	74		Crops		70,278			26
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$29,047	61		Livestock		28,507			18

<b>Stark County</b>	<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	52.5			Corn, Bu.	90,500	154	13,937,000	53
Number of Farms:	354	89		Soybeans,	69,900	49	3,425,100	61	
By Value of Sales:				Wheat, Bu.	N/A				
Less than \$10,000	60			Sorghum, Bu.	N/A				
\$10,000 - \$99,999	107			All Hay, Tons	N/A				
\$100,000 or more	187			Oats, Bu.	N/A				
By Size:								<b>No. of</b>	
1 - 49 Acres	63			<b>Livestock</b>				<b>Head</b>	<b>Rank</b>
50 - 499 Acres	153			Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		14,500			73
500 or more Acres	138			Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		3,400			90
Land in Farms, Acres	179,711	75		Beef Cows (01/01/01)		1,200			87
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,433	27							
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$184,888	9		<b>Cash Receipts (2000)</b>		<b>\$1,000</b>			<b>Rank</b>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$105,240	17		Crops		44,669			51
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$72,231	5		Livestock		5,304			79