

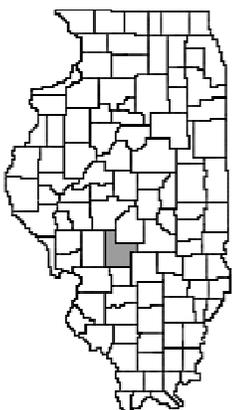
Illinois County Highlights

Monroe County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (2002)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>	
Average Age of Farm Operator	50.9		Corn, Bu.	50,000	76	3,800,000	83	
Number of Farms:	556	64	Soybeans,	75,900	30	2,277,000	76	
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	32,400	46	1,490,400	4	
Less than \$10,000	216		Sorghum, Bu.	4,700	76	358,800	4	
\$10,000 - \$99,999	204		All Hay, Tons	7,100	2.93	20,800	35	
\$100,000 or more	136		Oats, Bu.	N/A				
By Size:							No. of	
1 - 49 Acres	161		Livestock				Head	Rank
50 - 499 Acres	278		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/02)		41,100			38
500 or more Acres	117		Cattle & Calves (01/01/03)		9,000			51
Land in Farms, Acres	186,781	72	Beef Cows (01/01/03)		3,700			48
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,943	52						
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$88,821	71	Cash Receipts (2002)		\$1,000			Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$64,408	65	Crops		29,831			78
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$20,094	79	Livestock		13,393			42

Montgomery County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (2002)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>	
Average Age of Farm Operator	52.3		Corn, Bu.	158,100	127	20,078,700	32	
Number of Farms:	980	22	Soybeans,	152,100	45	6,844,500	16	
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	11,500	50	575,000	13	
Less than \$10,000	275		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A				
\$10,000 - \$99,999	368		All Hay, Tons	6,700	2.72	18,210	37	
\$100,000 or more	337		Oats, Bu.	N/A				
By Size:							No. of	
1 - 49 Acres	192		Livestock				Head	Rank
50 - 499 Acres	520		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/02)		63,200			23
500 or more Acres	268		Cattle & Calves (01/01/03)		11,400			41
Land in Farms, Acres	361,022	23	Beef Cows (01/01/03)		3,900			43
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,985	50						
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$111,381	56	Cash Receipts (2002)		\$1,000			Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$68,820	60	Crops		76,105			29
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$31,459	53	Livestock		18,407			28