

**Table 57. New and Beginning Producers: 2017**

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Geographic area	All farms with a new and beginning producer			Farms with a new and beginning principal producer		
	Farms	New and beginning producers	Land in farms (acres)	Farms	New and beginning principal producers	Land in farms (acres)
<b>State Total</b>						
Illinois.....	18,796	26,995	4,840,319	15,947	19,803	3,320,085
<b>Counties</b>						
Adams .....	304	438	76,345	253	314	45,235
Alexander .....	31	45	3,689	27	39	3,262
Bond .....	169	252	40,627	143	190	33,684
Boone .....	112	179	16,789	98	142	13,953
Brown .....	105	146	18,533	99	123	14,964
Bureau .....	241	342	53,503	219	271	37,508
Calhoun .....	118	172	28,898	95	117	20,724
Carroll .....	143	218	26,710	127	173	18,951
Cass .....	106	163	39,888	95	118	28,557
Champaign .....	331	479	105,780	277	354	75,433
Christian .....	189	255	66,492	159	197	47,634
Clark .....	228	318	60,879	182	222	39,908
Clay .....	179	248	82,673	159	186	64,583
Clinton .....	188	265	33,482	165	199	21,735
Coles .....	168	262	40,234	143	209	24,238
Cook .....	81	116	2,224	63	75	1,233
Crawford .....	152	227	58,065	141	182	48,395
Cumberland .....	203	272	34,055	178	214	24,709
De Kalb .....	184	286	55,651	153	195	30,486
De Witt .....	158	223	44,367	134	163	28,250
Douglas .....	193	292	52,830	175	210	36,415
Du Page .....	25	28	721	21	21	511
Edgar .....	154	214	25,878	131	151	19,147
Edwards .....	79	115	20,243	61	81	8,169
Effingham .....	303	426	43,265	235	293	31,452
Fayette .....	326	493	77,293	266	334	36,043
Ford .....	155	200	58,877	127	146	31,040
Franklin .....	167	216	28,650	137	159	14,902
Fulton .....	247	360	65,726	214	264	53,096
Gallatin .....	43	50	20,513	35	40	17,613
Greene .....	248	350	88,238	211	253	71,014
Grundy .....	107	161	48,866	93	121	33,856
Hamilton .....	147	201	51,024	122	137	35,990
Hancock .....	268	390	71,479	219	282	38,350
Hardin .....	51	71	6,483	48	61	6,163
Henderson .....	104	146	40,195	97	104	35,492
Henry .....	318	432	75,569	277	342	46,277
Iroquois .....	427	578	165,289	353	417	98,724
Jackson .....	191	268	30,911	167	210	26,121
Jasper .....	208	289	43,136	163	187	31,153
Jefferson .....	265	389	41,503	226	283	22,896
Jersey .....	160	222	42,167	137	174	26,598
Jo Daviess .....	247	362	61,089	204	266	34,701
Johnson .....	171	270	16,916	153	194	13,348
Kane .....	160	239	25,761	128	158	13,407
Kankakee .....	239	355	64,277	209	275	48,382
Kendall .....	76	115	23,429	63	78	20,092
Knox .....	220	334	90,040	191	241	69,398
Lake .....	92	140	4,983	74	106	4,024
La Salle .....	400	559	103,793	335	402	69,094
Lawrence .....	126	198	42,011	105	126	23,551
Lee .....	205	291	80,455	169	206	52,290
Livingston .....	349	502	104,606	296	362	65,201
Logan .....	168	234	90,514	135	163	55,555
McDonough .....	225	299	58,277	177	209	29,381
McHenry .....	264	395	39,059	224	289	31,419
McLean .....	356	506	119,518	298	371	79,115
Macon .....	172	251	64,972	143	181	39,808
Macoupin .....	283	396	55,257	249	296	41,588
Madison .....	250	363	46,076	210	265	22,277
Marion .....	247	364	44,644	216	264	38,951
Marshall .....	131	182	37,894	113	141	29,424
Mason .....	159	207	72,477	148	156	59,644
Massac .....	124	161	22,451	101	108	17,701
Menard .....	97	163	41,701	80	133	29,289
Mercer .....	162	224	44,497	146	173	33,868
Monroe .....	141	195	24,927	125	164	20,243
Montgomery .....	252	366	55,321	222	299	27,998
Morgan .....	176	282	51,212	151	202	40,627
Moultrie .....	155	252	29,576	138	177	25,888
Ogle .....	215	304	72,385	169	210	54,101
Peoria .....	238	343	49,264	205	244	36,525
Perry .....	145	177	26,955	116	127	16,473
Piatt .....	97	146	31,137	81	114	24,147
Pike .....	228	314	97,018	187	227	76,371
Pope .....	105	176	17,450	90	124	15,675
Pulaski .....	59	113	18,052	57	82	16,252
Putnam .....	36	55	6,511	34	49	4,652
Randolph .....	181	247	32,864	150	179	24,032
Richland .....	139	200	25,699	116	143	14,840
Rock Island .....	171	243	19,704	151	198	14,185
St. Clair .....	189	271	45,380	170	204	35,701
Saline .....	141	192	29,825	125	154	24,800
Sangamon .....	354	511	87,856	295	366	64,831
Schuyler .....	132	215	39,271	115	158	29,925
Scott .....	80	127	37,954	68	83	27,378
Shelby .....	295	408	65,654	253	310	44,859

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<b>Counties - Con.</b>						
Stark.....	97	129	26,289	86	108	20,131
Stephenson.....	224	330	61,258	186	229	37,419
Tazewell.....	249	372	69,500	211	273	35,647
Union.....	144	221	18,748	128	169	16,066
Vermilion.....	245	355	71,192	203	258	48,533
Wabash.....	60	86	17,392	51	68	15,636
Warren.....	191	258	52,879	157	175	38,395
Washington.....	169	224	40,376	130	160	15,967
Wayne.....	236	339	33,468	206	243	29,346
White.....	118	164	43,723	105	125	33,995
Whiteside.....	257	353	68,992	218	245	38,637
Will.....	186	255	22,962	157	190	17,864
Williamson.....	163	236	9,512	149	183	8,141
Winnebago.....	162	251	35,767	135	179	27,892
Woodford.....	267	378	61,809	215	268	30,941