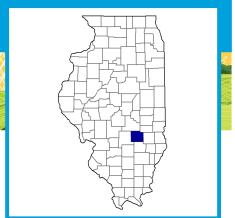


Effingham County Illinois



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,193	-8
Land in farms (acres)	299,389	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	251	+14
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	195,062,000	+18
Government payments	9,626,000	+43
Farm-related income	10,192,000	-61
Total farm production expenses	151,874,000	-3
Net cash farm income	63,006,000	+48
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	163,506	+28
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	10,927	+70
Farm-related income	13,980	-63
Total farm production expenses	127,304	+6
Net cash farm income	52,813	+61

Percent of state agriculture

Share of Sales b	y Type (%)
Crops	65
Livestock, poultry, a	and products 35
Land in Farms b	y Use (%) a
Cropland	87
Pastureland	2
Woodland	8
Other	3
Acres irrigated: 36	61
	(Z)% of land in farms
Land Use Practic	ces (% of farms)
No till	20
Reduced till	23
Intensive till	38
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	373	31	1 to 9 acres	98	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	80	7	10 to 49 acres	350	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999	97	8	50 to 179 acres	346	29
\$10,000 to \$24,999	111	9	180 to 499 acres	234	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	80	7	500 to 999 acres	92	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	94	8	1,000 + acres	73	6
\$100,000 or more	358	30			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in State b	Producing	in	Producing
Total	(\$1,000)	State b	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	195,062	35	102	543	3,077
Crops	126,304	50	102	395	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	125,201	49	102	265	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	61	99	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	47	52	98	1,543	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops			52		1,384
•	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,040
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	68,758	9	102	732	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	31	101	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	17,581	14	102	884	3,055
Milk from cows	14,045	6	74	377	1,892
Hogs and pigs	36,791	15	99	161	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	129	27	102	1,097	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	51	49	100	1,789	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,940	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	1,354 586	Have internet access	79	Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all Wheat for grain, all	125,773 103,965 8,183 5,344
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	209 1,194 537	Farm organically	-	Corn for silage or greenchop	2,247
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- - - 1,940 -	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	1 21	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	(D) 26,737 601 177,645 770
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	9 187 426	Are family farms	96	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,551 55 977 58

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

⁽D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.