



# Massac County Illinois

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	417	+1
Land in farms (acres)	118,560	+16
Average size of farm (acres)	284	+15
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	45,840,000	+16
Government payments	3,252,000	+44
Farm-related income	4,798,000	-3
Total farm production expenses	42,570,000	+30
Net cash farm income	11,320,000	-19
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	109,927	+15
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,365	+51
Farm-related income	28,221	+7
Total farm production expenses	102,085	+28
Net cash farm income	27,146	-20

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	86
Livestock, poultry, and products	14

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	81
Pastureland	7
Woodland	8
Other	4

### Acres irrigated: 10,357

9% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	34
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	9

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	200	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	23	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33	8
\$100,000 or more	65	16

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	16	4
10 to 49 acres	127	30
50 to 179 acres	148	35
180 to 499 acres	71	17
500 to 999 acres	22	5
1,000 + acres	33	8

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>45,840</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1,832</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>39,651</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1,241</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	38,988	89	102	876	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	23	76	99	1,933	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	411	15	98	718	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	93	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	52	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	230	74	102	2,575	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>6,189</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>2,353</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	72	101	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	5,979	41	102	1,595	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	74	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	8	89	99	1,608	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	160	18	102	946	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	35	58	100	1,971	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	76	96	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>642</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	78
Male	448		
Female	194		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	43		
35 – 64	338		
65 and older	261		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	11		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	11		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	609	Hire farm labor	19
More than one race	11		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	97
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7		
With military service	95		
New and beginning farmers	161		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			63
			Cattle and calves
			8,986
			Goats
			486
			Hogs and pigs
			56
			Horses and ponies
			320
			Layers
			409
			Pullets
			-
			Sheep and lambs
			627
			Turkeys
			-

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.