

# Illinois County Highlights

<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	52.7		Corn, Bu.	65,800	139	9,146,200	76
Number of Farms:	627	56	Soybeans, Bu.	113,500	41	4,653,500	45
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	19,700	56	1,103,200	17
Less than \$10,000	245		Sorghum, Bu.	4,500	95	427,500	7
\$10,000 - \$99,999	232		All Hay, Tons	7,000	1.83	12,780	53
\$100,000 or more	150		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					<b>No. of</b>		
1 - 49 Acres	133		<b>Livestock</b>		<b>Head</b>		<b>Rank</b>
50 - 499 Acres	327		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		32,800		45
500 or more Acres	167		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		12,100		42
Land in Farms, Acres	238,717	56	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		6,000		24
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,407	82					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$78,538	80	<b>Cash Receipts (2000)</b>		<b>\$1,000</b>		<b>Rank</b>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$50,871	82	Crops		35,608		62
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$22,506	69	Livestock		10,227		56

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Average Age of Farm Operator	50.4		Corn, Bu.	76,800	141	10,828,800	66
Number of Farms:	860	34	Soybeans, Bu.	90,400	39	3,525,600	59
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	44,000	59	2,596,000	2
Less than \$10,000	216		Sorghum, Bu.	2,300	93	213,900	11
\$10,000 - \$99,999	395		All Hay, Tons	11,800	4.28	50,460	12
\$100,000 or more	249		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					<b>No. of</b>		
1 - 49 Acres	199		<b>Livestock</b>		<b>Head</b>		<b>Rank</b>
50 - 499 Acres	539		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		135,900		4
500 or more Acres	122		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		56,500		3
Land in Farms, Acres	233,677	57	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		1,900		76
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,646	66					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$124,038	43	<b>Cash Receipts (2000)</b>		<b>\$1,000</b>		<b>Rank</b>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$94,596	28	Crops		35,560		63
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$26,675	66	Livestock		85,742		1

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