

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	53.3		Corn, Bu.	48,800	114	5,563,200	87
Number of Farms:	551	65	Soybeans, Bu.	71,700	34	2,437,800	80
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	26,100	43	1,122,300	15
Less than \$10,000	231		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	233		All Hay, Tons	9,800	3.13	30,720	26
\$100,000 or more	87		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	139		<u>Livestock</u>		<u>Head</u>		<u>Rank</u>
50 - 499 Acres	296		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		13,800		74
500 or more Acres	116		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		9,900		52
Land in Farms, Acres	172,013	78	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		4,300		40
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,056	97					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$51,756	93	<u>Cash Receipts (2000)</u>		<u>\$1,000</u>		<u>Rank</u>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$33,534	94	Crops		19,718		87
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$15,057	93	Livestock		5,689		77

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Average Age of Farm Operator	54.9		Corn, Bu.	128,000	166	21,248,000	32
Number of Farms:	448	79	Soybeans, Bu.	119,800	50	5,990,000	24
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	N/A			
Less than \$10,000	55		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	161		All Hay, Tons	N/A			
\$100,000 or more	232		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	63		<u>Livestock</u>		<u>Head</u>		<u>Rank</u>
50 - 499 Acres	184		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/00)		17,700		69
500 or more Acres	201		Cattle & Calves (01/01/01)		2,100		98
Land in Farms, Acres	253,317	50	Beef Cows (01/01/01)		1,000		90
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,905	12					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$186,248	8	<u>Cash Receipts (2000)</u>		<u>\$1,000</u>		<u>Rank</u>
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$104,800	18	Crops		62,549		33
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$73,266	4	Livestock		4,820		85

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