

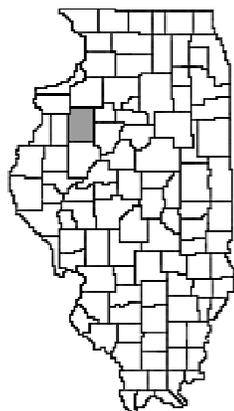
Illinois County Highlights

Kendall County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (2001)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Average Age of Farm Operator	53.9		Corn, Bu.	78,500	133	10,440,500	67
Number of Farms:	441	80	Soybeans,	72,500	42	3,045,000	72
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	1,800	78	140,400	61
Less than \$10,000	91		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	195		All Hay, Tons	N/A			
\$100,000 or more	155		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	103		Livestock		Head		Rank
50 - 499 Acres	224		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/01)		25,300		56
500 or more Acres	114		Cattle & Calves (01/01/02)		1,500		99
Land in Farms, Acres	167,486	82	Beef Cows (01/01/02)		N/A		
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$3,994	4					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$133,238	38	Cash Receipts (2001)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$95,491	26	Crops		37,927		62
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$40,342	44	Livestock		7,347		75

Knox County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (2001)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Average Age of Farm Operator	54.3		Corn, Bu.	143,800	166	23,870,800	21
Number of Farms:	928	26	Soybeans,	135,200	48	6,489,600	23
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	1,700	74	125,800	68
Less than \$10,000	263		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
\$10,000 - \$99,999	337		All Hay, Tons	13,300	3.62	48,090	13
\$100,000 or more	328		Oats, Bu.	N/A			
By Size:					No. of		
1 - 49 Acres	206		Livestock		Head		Rank
50 - 499 Acres	468		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/01)		126,900		6
500 or more Acres	254		Cattle & Calves (01/01/02)		29,400		12
Land in Farms, Acres	389,776	18	Beef Cows (01/01/02)		12,700		5
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,923	53					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$140,413	33	Cash Receipts (2001)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$89,246	31	Crops		79,205		22
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$44,292	35	Livestock		35,395		14