

Illinois County Highlights

Bond County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (1999)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Average Age of Farm Operator	51.7		Corn, Bu.	53,000	100.0	5,300,000	81
Number of Farms:	616	59	Soybeans, Bu.	84,700	32.0	2,710,400	71
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	30,100	61.0	1,836,100	9
Less than \$10,000	271		Sorghum, Bu.	1,400	79.0	110,600	21
\$10,000 - \$99,999	193		All Hay, Tons	8,200	3.56	29,180	30
\$100,000 or more	152		Oats, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
By Size:							
					No. of		
					Head		Rank
1 - 49 Acres	171		Livestock				
50 - 499 Acres	323		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99)		16,700		68
500 or more Acres	122		Cattle & Calves (01/01/00)		12,500		43
Land in Farms, Acres	180,064	74	Beef Cows (01/01/00)		3,600		52
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,729	62					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$74,326	84	Cash Receipts (1999)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$47,123	85	Crops		28,412		76
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$21,844	72	Livestock		13,864		41

Boone County



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Average Age of Farm Operator	52.2		Corn, Bu.	66,000	149.0	9,834,000	61
Number of Farms:	490	71	Soybeans, Bu.	54,600	50.0	2,730,000	70
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	1,900	78.0	148,200	69
Less than \$10,000	175		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
\$10,000 - \$99,999	166		All Hay, Tons	7,900	3.32	26,230	37
\$100,000 or more	149		Oats, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
By Size:							
					No. of		
					Head		Rank
1 - 49 Acres	172		Livestock				
50 - 499 Acres	222		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99)		9,300		82
500 or more Acres	96		Cattle & Calves (01/01/00)		10,600		53
Land in Farms, Acres	141,426	86	Beef Cows (01/01/00)		1,600		80
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,825	15					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$109,577	59	Cash Receipts (1999)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$77,064	48	Crops		29,405		73
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$19,471	83	Livestock		15,448		37