

Illinois County Highlights

| <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 | 50.5 | | Corn, Bu. | 84,000 | 94.0 | 7,896,000 | 72 |
| Number of Farms: | 1,035 | 18 | Soybeans, Bu. | 100,600 | 34.0 | 3,420,400 | 59 |
| By Value of Sales: | | | Wheat, Bu. | 21,700 | 58.0 | 1,258,600 | 16 |
| Less than \$10,000 | 327 | | Sorghum, Bu. | 1,100 | 80.0 | 88,000 | 22 |
| \$10,000 - \$99,999 | 474 | | All Hay, Tons | 8,100 | 2.89 | 23,440 | 42 |
| \$100,000 or more | 234 | | Oats, Bu. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| By Size: | | | | | No. of | | |
| 1 - 49 Acres | 260 | | <u>Livestock</u> | | <u>Head</u> | | <u>Rank</u> |
| 50 - 499 Acres | 631 | | Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99) | | 77,200 | | 16 |
| 500 or more Acres | 144 | | Cattle & Calves (01/01/00) | | 25,100 | | 17 |
| Land in Farms, Acres | 256,786 | 48 | Beef Cows (01/01/00) | | 5,500 | | 29 |
| Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre | \$2,085 | 47 | | | | | |
| Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm | \$76,363 | 82 | <u>Cash Receipts (1999)</u> | | <u>\$1,000</u> | | <u>Rank</u> |
| Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm | \$53,967 | 77 | Crops | | 37,059 | | 60 |
| Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm | \$18,468 | 86 | Livestock | | 31,530 | | 12 |

**Effingham
County**



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|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Average Age of Farm Operator | 53.1 | | Corn, Bu. | 93,000 | 113.0 | 10,509,000 | 59 |
| Number of Farms: | 1,119 | 13 | Soybeans, Bu. | 140,600 | 36.0 | 5,061,600 | 34 |
| By Value of Sales: | | | Wheat, Bu. | 38,300 | 60.0 | 2,298,000 | 6 |
| Less than \$10,000 | 536 | | Sorghum, Bu. | 7,100 | 104.0 | 738,400 | 3 |
| \$10,000 - \$99,999 | 373 | | All Hay, Tons | 16,000 | 2.42 | 38,700 | 19 |
| \$100,000 or more | 210 | | Oats, Bu. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| By Size: | | | | | No. of | | |
| 1 - 49 Acres | 292 | | <u>Livestock</u> | | <u>Head</u> | | <u>Rank</u> |
| 50 - 499 Acres | 621 | | Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99) | | 18,700 | | 63 |
| 500 or more Acres | 206 | | Cattle & Calves (01/01/00) | | 19,000 | | 27 |
| Land in Farms, Acres | 333,232 | 27 | Beef Cows (01/01/00) | | 5,400 | | 31 |
| Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre | \$1,412 | 79 | | | | | |
| Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm | \$64,320 | 88 | <u>Cash Receipts (1999)</u> | | <u>\$1,000</u> | | <u>Rank</u> |
| Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm | \$37,032 | 90 | Crops | | 49,532 | | 49 |
| Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm | \$20,326 | 78 | Livestock | | 16,540 | | 32 |

**Fayette
County**

