



2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Winnebago, Illinois

Number of farms

695 farms in 2002, 759 farms in 1997, down 8 percent.

Land in farms

191,455 acres in 2002, 198,549 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Average size of farm

275 acres in 2002, 262 acres in 1997, up 5 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$62,180,000 in 2002, \$68,580,000 in 1997, down 9 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$45,412,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$16,767,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

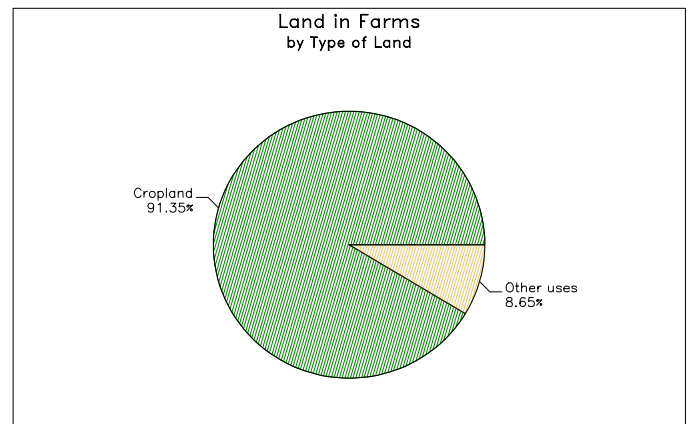
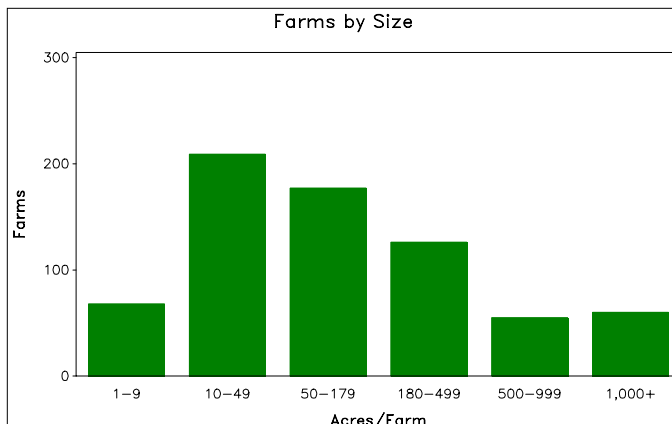
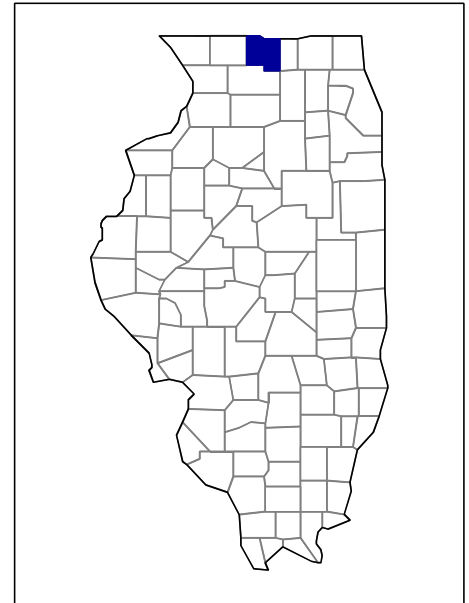
\$89,467 in 2002, \$90,355 in 1997, down 1 percent.

Government Payments

\$3,613,000 in 2002, \$4,077,000 in 1997, down 11 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$9,171 in 2002, \$9,848 in 1997, down 7 percent.



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Ranked items among the 102 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	62,180	53	102	925	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	45,412	55	102	530	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,767	37	102	1,448	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	33,789	65	102	426	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	627	29	97	919	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	190	19	93	924	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	9,534	11	92	273	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	20	43	78	945	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,252	6	102	1,033	3,046
Poultry and eggs	13	58	98	1,899	2,918
Cattle and calves	9,012	19	102	1,063	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	4,694	13	91	651	2,493
Hogs and pigs	2,769	67	102	629	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	61	16	101	1,117	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	208	16	100	1,080	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	11	41	92	1,792	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	17,059	25	102	1,609	3,059
Hogs and pigs	14,116	68	102	618	2,926
Sheep and lambs	1,577	9	101	685	2,867
Horses and ponies	1,237	7	102	1,001	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	900	26	101	1,473	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	85,434	60	102	273	2,592
Soybeans	61,542	75	102	477	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	11,571	17	102	1,623	3,059
All Wheat for grain	3,321	45	102	1,086	2,517
Corn for silage	1,816	16	100	807	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	169
\$1,000 to \$2,499	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	56
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61
\$10,000 to \$19,999	62
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21
\$25,000 to \$39,999	30
\$40,000 to \$49,999	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	66
\$100,000 to \$249,999	89
\$250,000 to \$499,999	46
\$500,000 or more	26
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	57,549
Average per farm (\$)	82,448
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	14,153
Average per farm (\$)	20,277

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	442
Other	253
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	631
Female	64
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.2
All operators ² by race:	
White	971
Black or African American	2
American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	7

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.