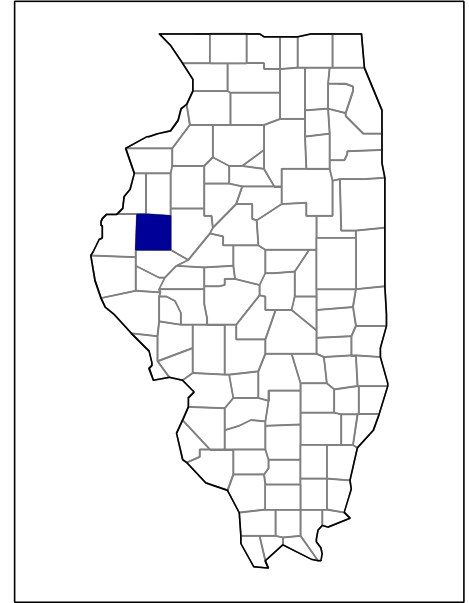


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Number of farms

752 farms in 2002, 882 farms in 1997, down 15 percent.

Land in farms

324,724 acres in 2002, 347,347 acres in 1997, down 7 percent.

Average size of farm

432 acres in 2002, 394 acres in 1997, up 10 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$82,477,000 in 2002, \$99,211,000 in 1997, down 17 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$71,625,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$10,851,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

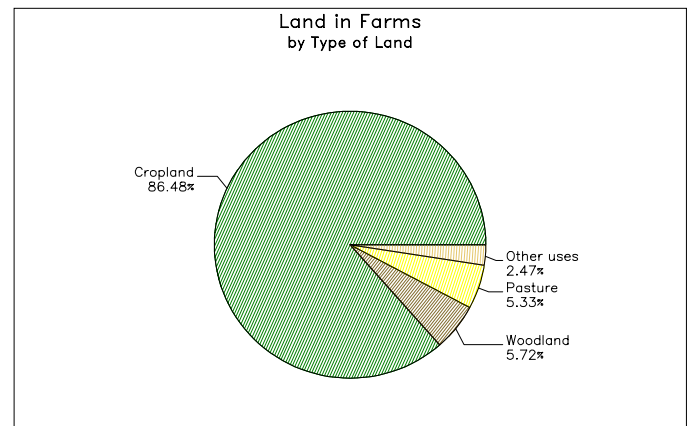
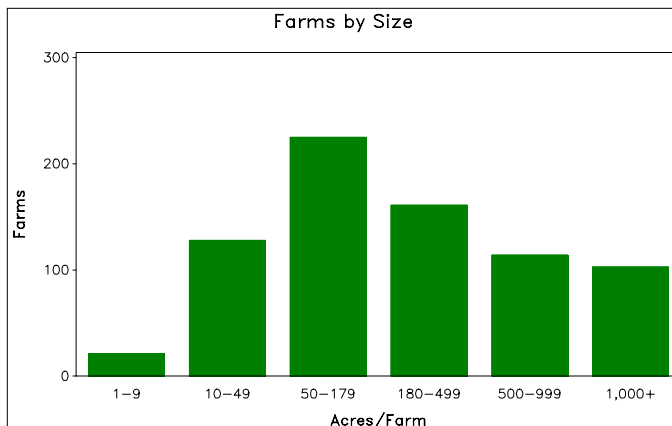
\$109,676 in 2002, \$112,484 in 1997, down 2 percent.

Government Payments

\$4,276,000 in 2002, \$4,095,000 in 1997, up 4 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$9,021 in 2002, \$6,859 in 1997, up 32 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	82,477	38	102	668	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	71,625	31	102	280	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,851	50	102	1,814	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	70,527	29	102	109	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	33	72	97	2,190	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	29	62	93	1,818	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	487	46	92	1,444	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	78	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	550	42	102	1,825	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	6,166	28	102	1,356	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	804	43	91	1,460	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3,729	58	102	555	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	60	18	101	1,131	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	65	63	100	2,179	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	19,377	21	102	1,494	3,059
Hogs and pigs	17,062	64	102	570	2,926
Sheep and lambs	1,743	7	101	629	2,867
Horses and ponies	621	40	102	1,903	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	344	63	101	2,164	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	132,973	32	102	121	2,592
Soybeans	121,397	36	102	160	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,689	29	102	1,909	3,059
Corn for silage	742	44	100	1,242	2,307
All Wheat for grain	681	83	102	1,679	2,517

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	114	Farming	474
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57	Other	278
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	56	Male	721
\$20,000 to \$24,999	28	Female	31
\$25,000 to \$39,999	37		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	35	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	85		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	125	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	64	White	1,002
\$500,000 or more	42	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	59,594	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Average per farm (\$)	79,247	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,385	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	33,756	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	-

(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.