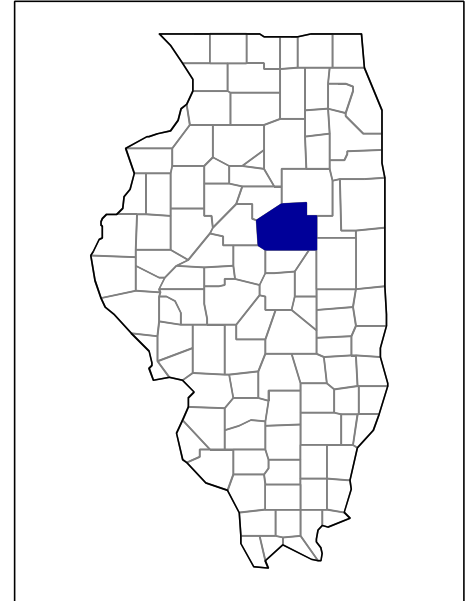


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Number of farms

1,442 farms in 2002, 1,563 farms in 1997, down 8 percent.

Land in farms

688,063 acres in 2002, 704,139 acres in 1997, down 2 percent.

Average size of farm

477 acres in 2002, 451 acres in 1997, up 6 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$207,171,000 in 2002, \$240,032,000 in 1997, down 14 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$179,861,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$27,310,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

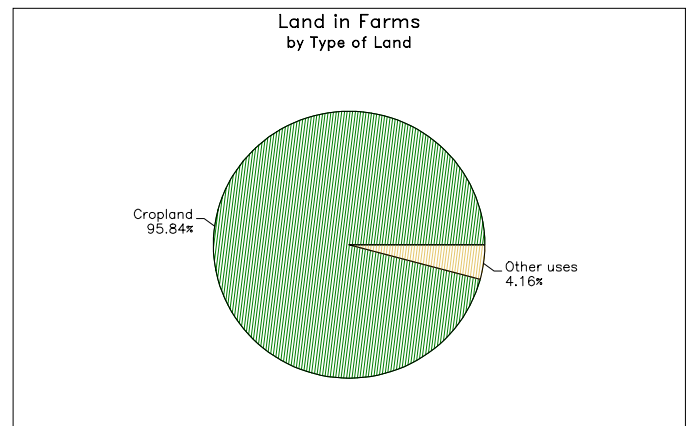
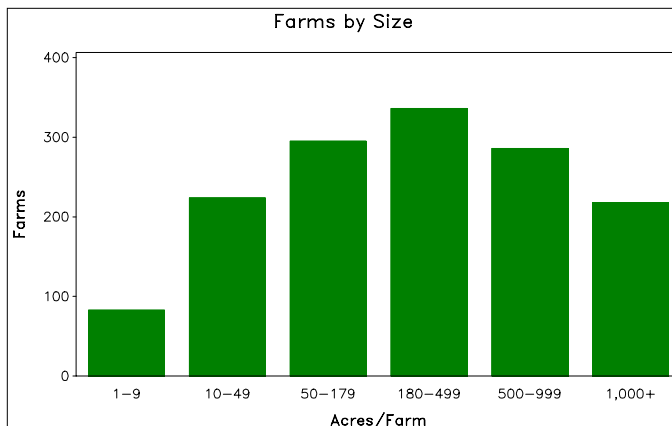
\$143,669 in 2002, \$153,572 in 1997, down 6 percent.

Government Payments

\$10,513,000 in 2002, \$9,895,000 in 1997, up 6 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$10,217 in 2002, \$8,407 in 1997, up 22 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	207,171	2	102	138	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	179,861	2	102	53	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	27,310	21	102	1,012	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	176,813	1	102	1	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	165	51	97	1,453	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	63	47	93	1,484	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,150	28	92	768	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	18	49	78	1,005	1,774
Other crops and hay	653	28	102	1,649	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	5,201	32	102	1,483	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,560	16	91	756	2,493
Hogs and pigs	17,770	12	102	174	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	141	4	101	610	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	127	37	100	1,552	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	92,321	11	102	169	2,926
Cattle and calves	13,122	40	102	1,844	3,059
Sheep and lambs	2,179	5	101	517	2,867
Horses and ponies	759	26	102	1,641	3,065
Turkeys ³	(D)	(D)	79	(D)	2,328
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	326,970	1	102	1	2,592
Soybeans	308,682	1	102	4	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,783	65	102	2,349	3,059
Corn for silage	1,659	20	100	851	2,307
All Wheat for grain	1,005	73	102	1,538	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	169	Farming	991
\$1,000 to \$2,499	47	Other	451
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	Male	1,363
\$10,000 to \$19,999	95	Female	79
\$20,000 to \$24,999	57	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	100	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	46	White	1,973
\$50,000 to \$99,999	197	Black or African American	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	324	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	198	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	79	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	139,588	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	96,601	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	13
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	77,324		
Average per farm (\$)	53,511		

(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.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.