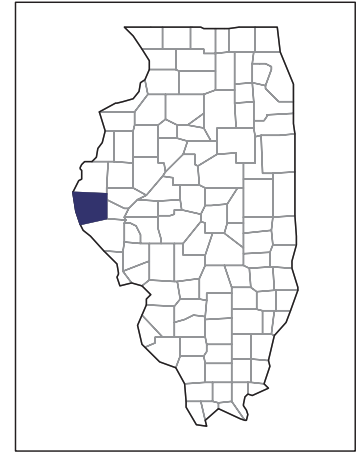


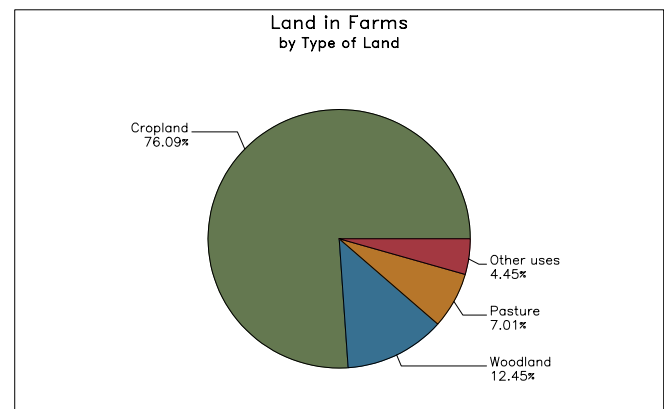
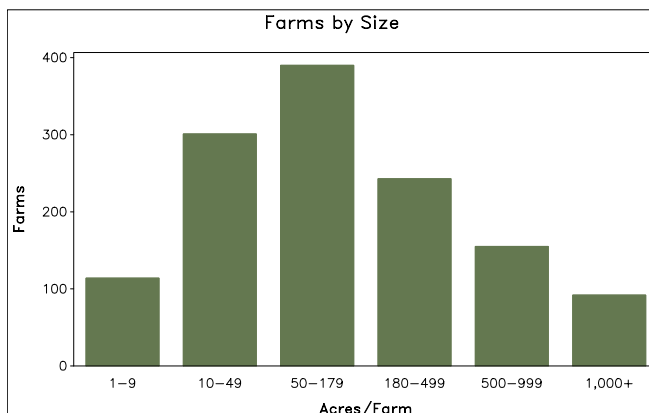
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## County Profile



### Adams County Illinois

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,295	1,347	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	374,133 acres	444,087 acres	- 16
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	289 acres	330 acres	- 12
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$156,272,000	\$124,271,000	+ 26
Crop Sales \$104,157,000 (67 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$52,115,000 (33 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$120,673	\$92,258	+ 31
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,141,000	\$5,924,000	- 13
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$5,625	\$7,277	- 23



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#### Ranked items among the 102 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	156,272	32	102	509	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	104,157	45	102	349	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	52,115	13	102	765	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	101,263	40	102	204	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	318	41	101	1,281	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	55	35	95	1,652	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,542	33	96	914	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	6	52	70	1,263	1,710
Other crops and hay	973	16	102	1,545	3,054
Poultry and eggs	70	41	102	1,540	3,020
Cattle and calves	19,500	8	102	702	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	6,084	14	90	644	2,493
Hogs and pigs	26,295	12	102	174	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	89	22	101	1,203	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	76	45	102	1,918	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	2	79	100	2,443	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	131,822	38	102	179	2,634
Soybeans for beans	95,880	35	102	197	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,685	3	102	1,105	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	16,671	16	101	543	2,481
Corn for silage	1,480	11	97	794	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	85,937	13	101	186	2,958
Cattle and calves	34,726	8	102	914	3,060
Layers	2,570	19	102	1,007	3,024
Horses and ponies	991	25	102	1,400	3,066
Quail	(D)	19	47	(D)	1,386

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	349	Farming	595
\$1,000 to \$2,499	80	Other	700
\$2,500 to \$4,999	76	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	113	Male	1,201
\$10,000 to \$19,999	70	Female	94
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	90	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	28	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	124	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	148	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	99	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	85	White	1,894
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	111,421	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	86,039	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	12
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	55,599		
Average per farm (\$)	42,934		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.