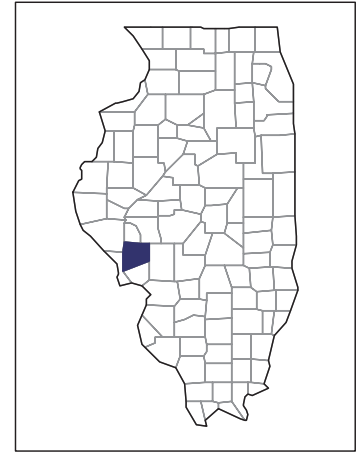


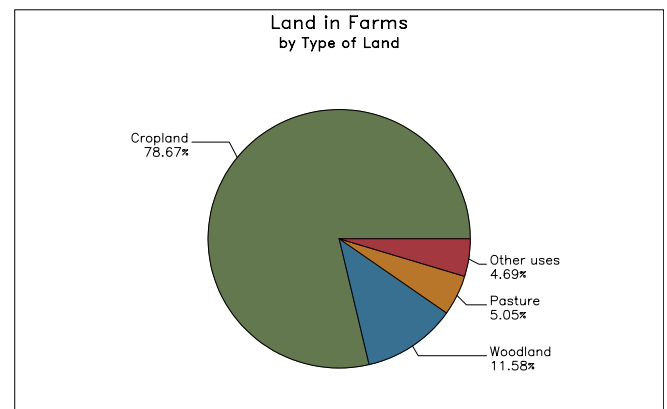
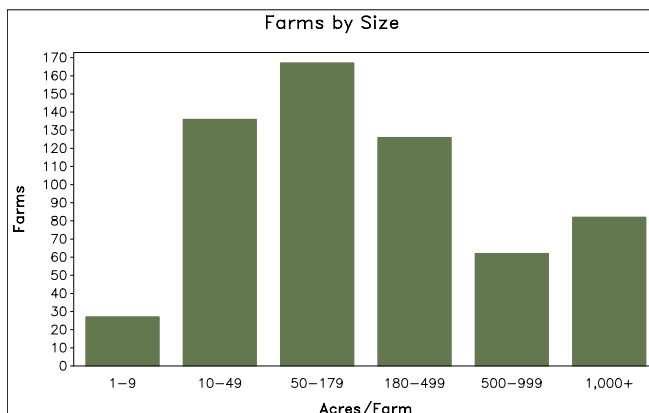
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## County Profile

### Greene County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	600	678	- 12
<b>Land in Farms</b>	273,088 acres	314,772 acres	- 13
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	455 acres	464 acres	- 2
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$135,544,000	\$87,572,000	+ 55
Crop Sales \$85,650,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$49,894,000 (37 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$225,906	\$129,162	+ 75
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,644,000	\$3,578,000	+ 30
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$9,776	\$7,813	+ 25



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### Greene County – Illinois

#### 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	135,544	42	102	625	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	85,650	55	102	478	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	49,894	16	102	793	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	85,284	53	102	299	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	101	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	92	95	2,619	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	74	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	70	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	18	70	102	2,211	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	90	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	2	102	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	38	52	101	1,855	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	48	57	102	2,230	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	95	100	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	125,265	44	102	204	2,634
Soybeans for beans	70,443	62	102	357	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	5,427	40	101	950	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,340	61	102	2,397	3,060
Corn for silage	621	37	97	1,245	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	10	101	(D)	2,958
Cattle and calves	11,300	38	102	1,903	3,060
Layers	802	48	102	1,824	3,024
Horses and ponies	326	80	102	2,630	3,066
Sheep and lambs	220	67	101	1,938	2,891

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	138	Farming	301
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31	Other	299
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	67	Male	544
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38	Female	56
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	59	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	74	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	56	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	50	White	836
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	102,225	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	170,375	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	43,096		
Average per farm (\$)	71,826		

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.