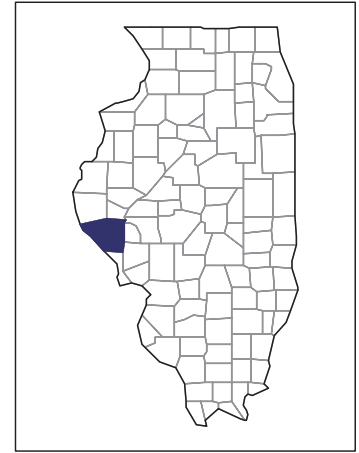


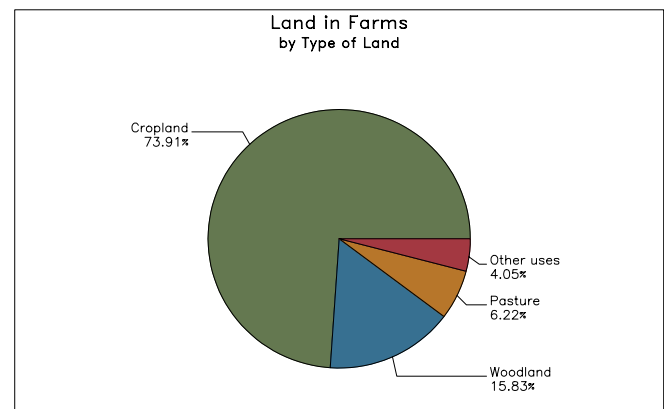
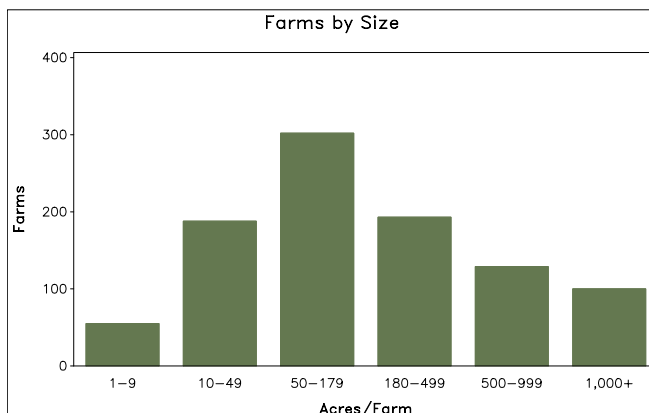
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Pike County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	967	1,041	- 7
Land in Farms	389,808 acres	425,817 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	403 acres	409 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$170,876,000	\$99,857,000	+ 71
Crop Sales \$119,109,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$51,768,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$176,708	\$95,924	+ 84
Government Payments	\$6,532,000	\$6,613,000	- 1
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,768	\$9,263	- 5



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Pike County – Illinois

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

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	170,876	28	102	438	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	119,109	38	102	277	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	51,768	15	102	771	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	38	102	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	252	46	101	1,399	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	59	34	95	1,632	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	11	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	8	48	70	1,178	1,710
Other crops and hay	904	21	102	1,630	3,054
Poultry and eggs	76	38	102	1,502	3,020
Cattle and calves	6,455	34	102	1,534	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	62	90	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	44,337	3	102	98	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	59	37	101	1,530	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	93	40	102	1,751	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	5	100	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	158,295	30	102	124	2,634
Soybeans for beans	76,919	55	102	314	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,034	15	102	1,714	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	10,014	28	101	705	2,481
Sorghum for grain	503	24	56	590	1,158
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	124,919	7	101	134	2,958
Cattle and calves	18,347	20	102	1,496	3,060
Layers	914	43	102	1,708	3,024
Pheasants	(D)	18	48	(D)	1,544
Horses and ponies	580	50	102	2,074	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	314	Farming	436
\$1,000 to \$2,499	38	Other	531
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	90	Male	868
\$10,000 to \$19,999	64	Female	99
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	46	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	74	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	111	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	63	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
\$500,000 or more	79	White	1,392
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	130,056	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	134,494	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	53,107		
Average per farm (\$)	54,919		

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.

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.