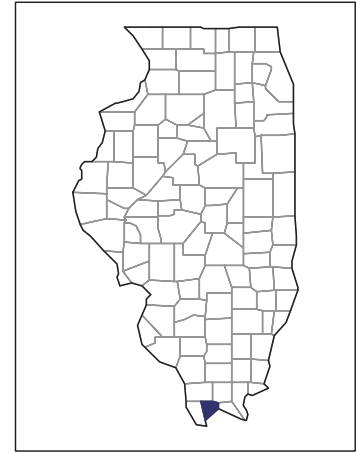


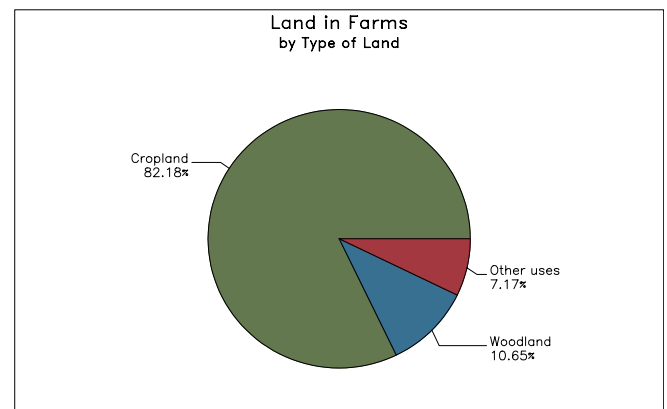
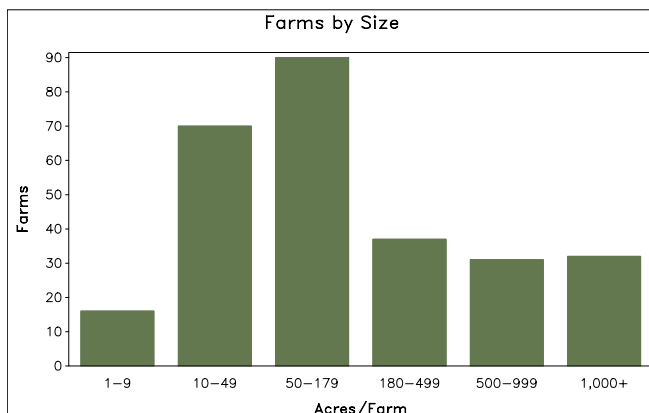
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## County Profile

### Pulaski County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	276	253	+ 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	101,189 acres	86,289 acres	+ 17
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	367 acres	341 acres	+ 8
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$29,463,000	\$14,684,000	+ 101
Crop Sales \$26,891,000 (91 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,573,000 (9 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$106,751	\$58,040	+ 84
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,798,000	\$1,235,000	+ 46
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$8,729	\$7,141	+ 22



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### Pulaski 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	29,463	92	102	1,995	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	26,891	91	102	1,287	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,573	96	102	2,708	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	26,556	90	102	866	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)	(D)	95	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	94	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	70	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	92	102	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	20	102	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,192	82	102	2,551	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	95	102	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	4	93	101	2,797	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	10	93	102	2,827	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	40,124	83	102	597	2,039
Corn for grain	28,752	91	102	794	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	8,404	32	101	772	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,114	75	102	2,576	3,060
Sorghum for grain	820	22	56	499	1,158
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	(D)	11	102	(D)	3,024
Cattle and calves	3,322	84	102	2,632	3,060
Horses and ponies	173	99	102	2,891	3,066
Hogs and pigs	161	96	101	1,925	2,958
Goats, all	97	86	101	2,596	3,023

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	106	Farming	122
\$1,000 to \$2,499	22	Other	154
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	Male	240
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Female	36
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	Black or African American	18
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	21	White	351
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	18,795	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	68,097	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,384		
Average per farm (\$)	48,493		

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.