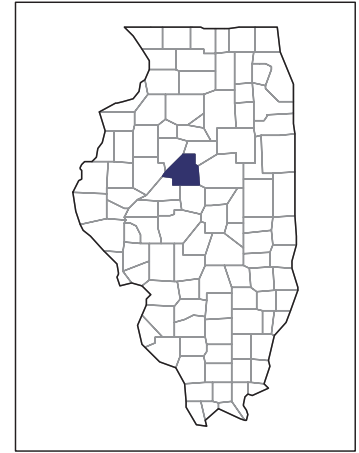


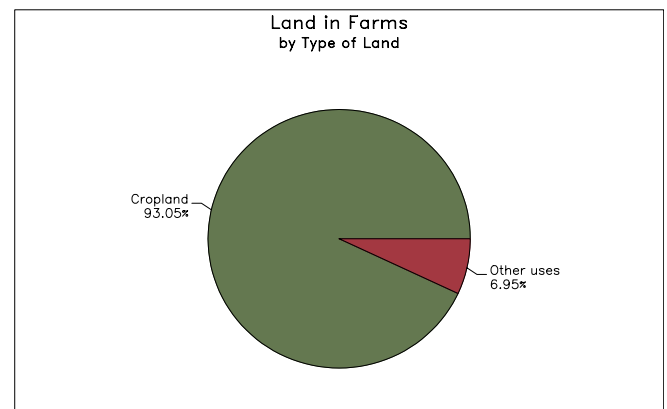
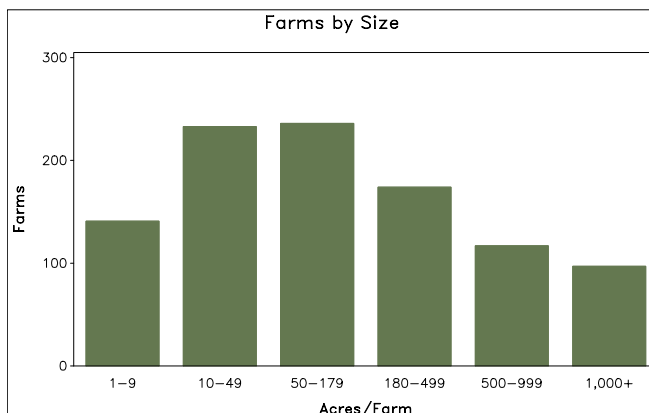
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## County Profile

### Tazewell County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	998	918	+ 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	329,268 acres	327,236 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	330 acres	356 acres	- 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$184,835,000	\$106,697,000	+ 73
Crop Sales \$157,616,000 (85 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$27,219,000 (15 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$185,206	\$116,227	+ 59
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$6,352,000	\$4,783,000	+ 33
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$8,549	\$7,592	+ 13



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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	184,835	23	102	378	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	157,616	20	102	135	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	27,219	28	102	1,271	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	147,926	20	102	66	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	8,494	1	101	217	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	31	95	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	421	50	96	1,495	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	41	70	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	694	32	102	1,886	3,054
Poultry and eggs	1,513	15	102	926	3,020
Cattle and calves	6,215	35	102	1,566	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,089	31	90	1,064	2,493
Hogs and pigs	16,822	25	102	249	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	101	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	439	10	102	550	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	178,654	21	102	83	2,634
Soybeans for beans	100,642	27	102	165	2,039
Vegetables harvested for sale	6,854	4	101	129	2,794
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,591	56	102	2,360	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	4,461	47	101	1,019	2,481
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	69,748	22	101	225	2,958
Turkeys	(D)	10	83	284	2,371
Cattle and calves	8,642	48	102	2,114	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,011	23	102	1,380	3,066
Sheep and lambs	668	27	101	1,224	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	244	Farming	517
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63	Other	481
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	Male	902
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	Female	96
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	61	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	37	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	97	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	130	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	101	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	111	White	1,340
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	113,067	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	113,293	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	83,734		
Average per farm (\$)	83,902		

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.