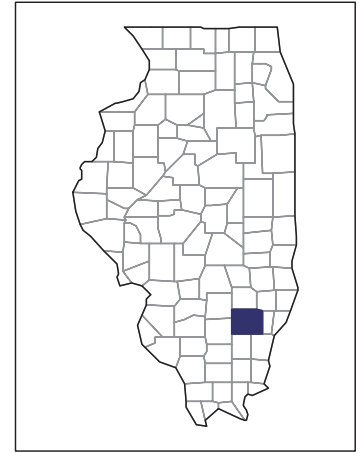


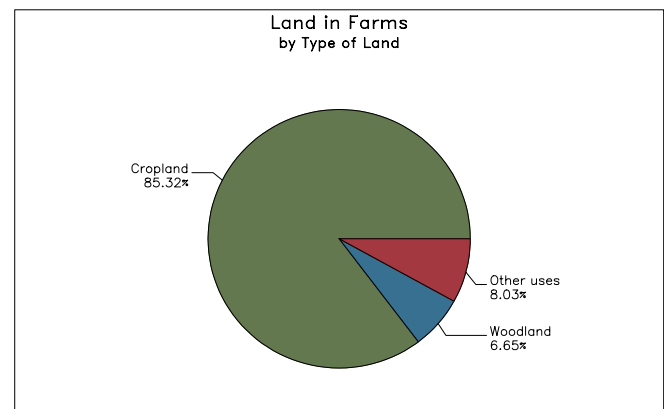
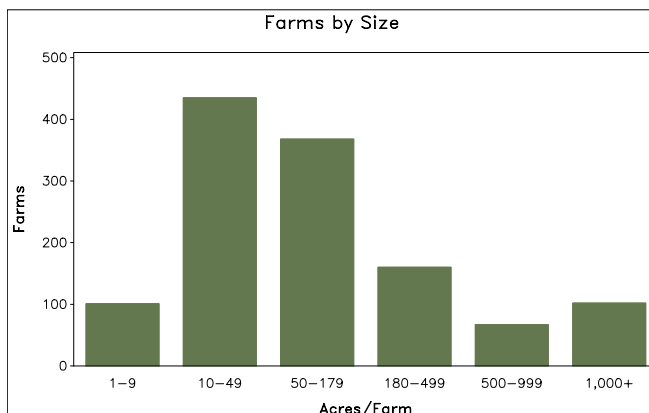
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,233	1,092	+ 13
Land in Farms	333,255 acres	356,268 acres	- 6
Average Size of Farm	270 acres	326 acres	- 17
Market Value of Products Sold	\$119,097,000	\$56,659,000	+ 110
Crop Sales \$80,969,000 (68 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$38,128,000 (32 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$96,591	\$51,885	+ 86
Government Payments	\$7,093,000	\$5,566,000	+ 27
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,820	\$6,472	+ 5



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne 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	119,097	51	102	736	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	80,969	57	102	508	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	38,128	24	102	988	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	76,426	56	102	358	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	3	5	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	101	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	40	47	95	1,815	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	90	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	9,119	6	102	587	3,020
Cattle and calves	11,136	20	102	1,102	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	16,022	26	102	257	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	382	2	101	335	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	4	102	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	23	35	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	12	53	100	1,979	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	115,053	19	102	107	2,039
Corn for grain	107,415	50	102	254	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	20,266	13	101	501	2,481
Sorghum for grain	9,149	2	56	185	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,190	21	102	1,905	3,060
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Turkeys	125,935	2	83	152	2,371
Hogs and pigs	56,019	29	101	272	2,958
Cattle and calves	13,701	31	102	1,751	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,011	23	102	1,380	3,066
Layers	651	52	102	1,962	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	628	Farming	417
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57	Other	816
\$2,500 to \$4,999	65		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	69	Male	1,104
\$20,000 to \$24,999	26	Female	129
\$25,000 to \$39,999	37		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	17	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	71	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	65	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	56	Asian	-
		Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	89,141	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Average per farm (\$)	72,296	White	1,606
		More than one race	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	42,273	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8
Average per farm (\$)	34,285		

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.