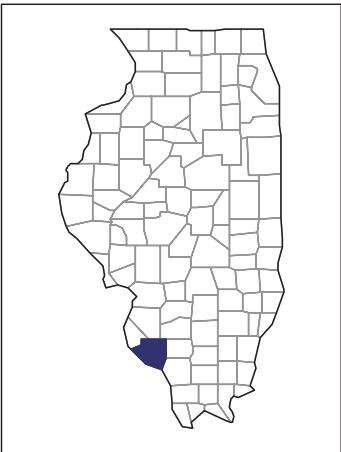


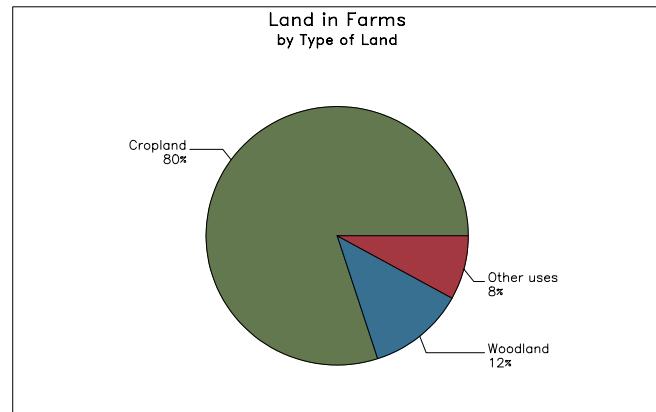
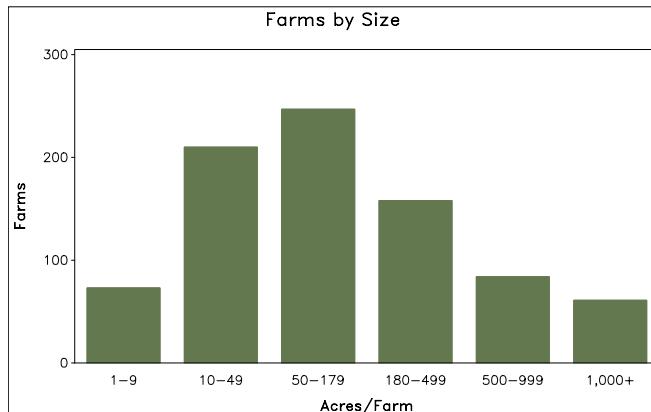
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County Profile

Randolph County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	833	823	+ 1
Land in Farms	252,926 acres	253,863 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	304 acres	308 acres	- 1
 Market Value of Products Sold	 \$73,475,000	 \$39,211,000	 + 87
Crop Sales \$61,094,000 (83 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,381,000 (17 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$88,206	\$47,644	+ 85
 Government Payments	 \$3,450,000	 \$3,776,000	 - 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,494	\$7,477	- 27



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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	73,475	73	102	1,195	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	61,094	75	102	715	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,381	60	102	1,892	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	59,572	73	102	497	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	10	90	101	2,512	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	75	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	70	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,429	6	102	1,179	3,054
Poultry and eggs	48	52	102	1,684	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,803	41	102	1,733	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,521	16	90	688	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1,893	79	102	769	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	28	65	101	2,089	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	80	44	102	1,886	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	9	60	100	2,090	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	100,567	28	102	166	2,039
Corn for grain	64,409	79	102	492	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	39,911	3	101	331	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,992	16	102	1,717	3,060
Sorghum for grain	2,545	11	56	327	1,158
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	13,477	32	102	1,771	3,060
Hogs and pigs	8,122	80	101	744	2,958
Layers	812	46	102	1,808	3,024
Goats, all	794	5	101	969	3,023
Sheep and lambs	557	34	101	1,366	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	263	Farming	370
\$1,000 to \$2,499	56	Other	463
\$2,500 to \$4,999	47	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	Male	773
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45	Female	60
\$20,000 to \$24,999	32	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	58	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	25	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	76	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	71	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	64	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	30	White	1,126
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	51,737	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	62,110	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	29,093		
Average per farm (\$)	34,925		

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(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.