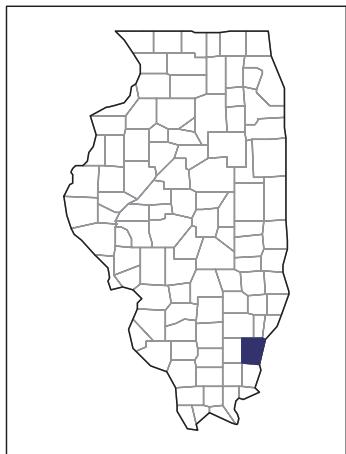


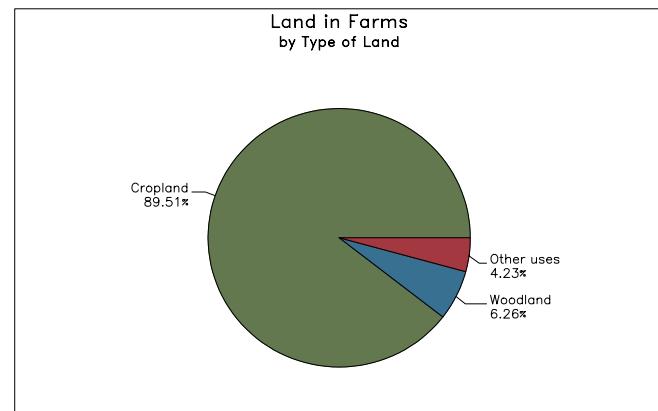
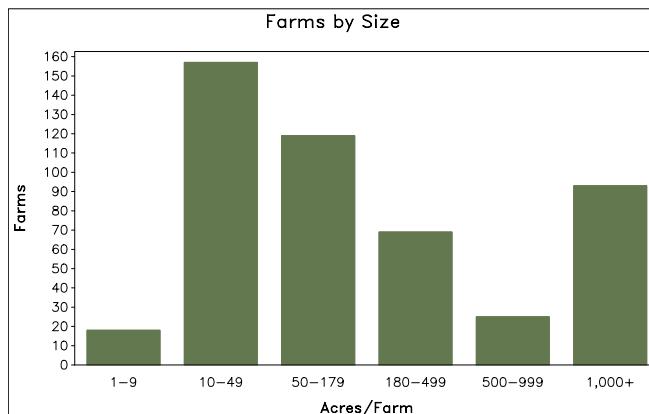
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County Profile

White County Illinois



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	481	482	0
Land in Farms	296,989 acres	280,827 acres	+ 6
Average Size of Farm	617 acres	583 acres	+ 6
 Market Value of Products Sold	 \$102,685,000	 \$43,887,000	 + 134
Crop Sales \$94,570,000 (92 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,116,000 (8 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$213,483	\$91,052	+ 134
 Government Payments	 \$4,872,000	 \$4,211,000	 + 16
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,525	\$11,537	+ 9



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White 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	102,685	57	102	870	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	94,570	49	102	407	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,116	69	102	2,169	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	91,445	47	102	267	2,933
Tobacco	836	2	5	209	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,061	16	101	574	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	70	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	59	45	102	1,612	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,175	83	102	2,558	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	14	86	90	2,306	2,493
Hogs and pigs	6,815	51	102	460	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	73	101	2,204	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	19	83	102	2,685	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	11	56	100	2,017	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	123,191	45	102	211	2,634
Soybeans for beans	117,583	17	102	99	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	25,399	10	101	433	2,481
Sorghum for grain	3,700	6	56	279	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,215	73	102	2,558	3,060
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	11,811	70	101	660	2,958
Quail	(D)	5	47	(D)	1,386
Cattle and calves	3,331	83	102	2,630	3,060
Horses and ponies	412	71	102	2,441	3,066
Layers	374	77	102	2,354	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	182	Farming	218
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	263
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	Male	426
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22	Female	55
\$20,000 to \$24,999	17	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	39	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	62	White	688
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	77,142	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	160,379	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	34,784		
Average per farm (\$)	72,316		

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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.