



2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Carroll, Illinois

Number of farms

656 farms in 2002, 677 farms in 1997, down 3 percent.

Land in farms

247,536 acres in 2002, 253,632 acres in 1997, down 2 percent.

Average size of farm

377 acres in 2002, 375 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$110,970,000 in 2002, \$127,851,000 in 1997, down 13 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$62,365,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$48,605,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

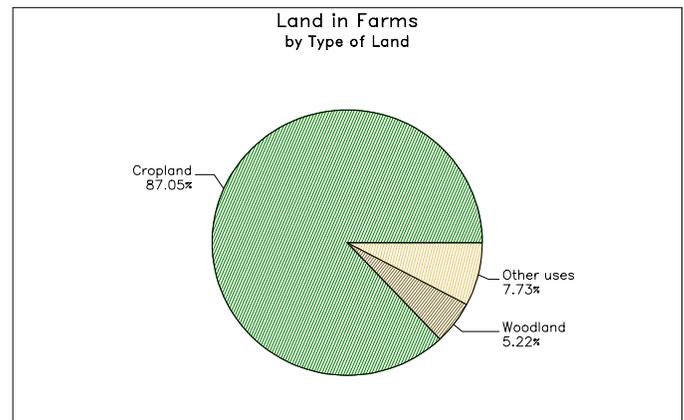
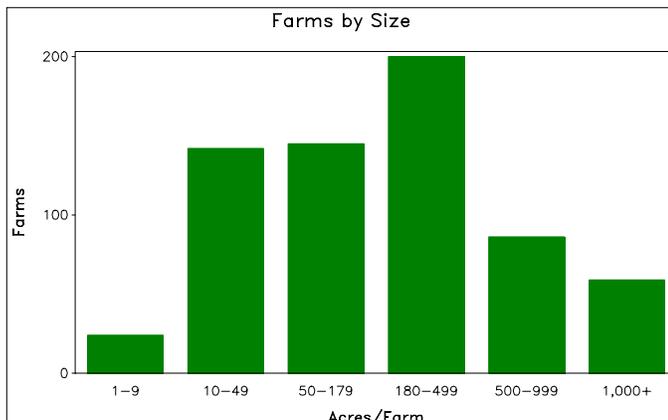
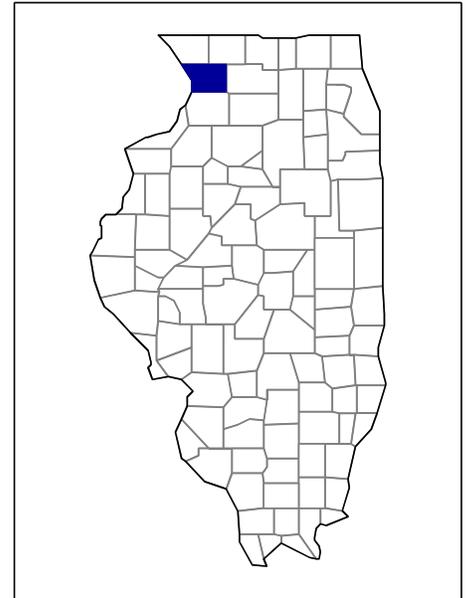
\$169,162 in 2002, \$188,849 in 1997, down 10 percent.

Government Payments

\$5,282,000 in 2002, \$5,272,000 in 1997, up slightly.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$11,687 in 2002, \$11,265 in 1997, up 4 percent.



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Ranked items among the 102 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	110,970	23	102	426	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	62,365	41	102	351	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	48,605	7	102	572	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	52,317	42	102	215	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	8	83	93	2,278	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	207	58	92	1,797	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	78	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	14	55	98	1,864	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	24	50	101	1,773	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	130	35	100	1,530	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	33	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	1	82	92	2,425	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	41,774	4	102	728	3,059
Hogs and pigs	40,986	38	102	332	2,926
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,157	6	90	847	2,599
Sheep and lambs	548	39	101	1,394	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	529	46	101	1,864	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	122,362	34	102	142	2,592
Soybeans	54,687	82	102	531	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,357	15	102	1,556	3,059
Potatoes	(D)	1	38	(D)	1,551
Corn for silage	3,569	7	100	489	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	174
\$1,000 to \$2,499	21
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18
\$25,000 to \$39,999	41
\$40,000 to \$49,999	16
\$50,000 to \$99,999	62
\$100,000 to \$249,999	117
\$250,000 to \$499,999	64
\$500,000 or more	56
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	92,981
Average per farm (\$)	142,391
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,114
Average per farm (\$)	38,459

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	432
Other	224
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	621
Female	35
Average age of principal operator (years)	53.5
All operators ² by race:	
White	900
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.