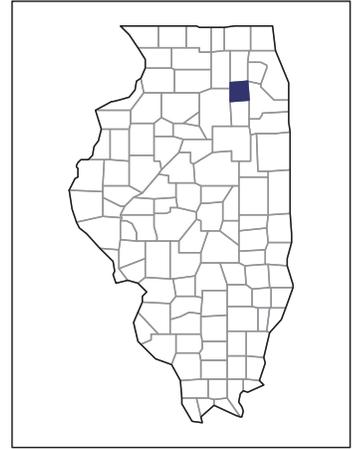


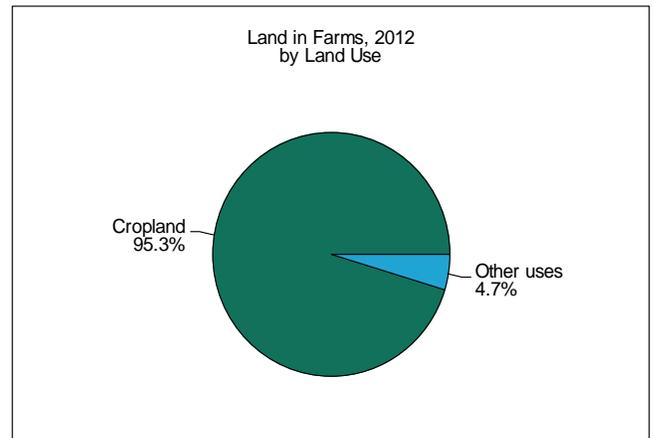
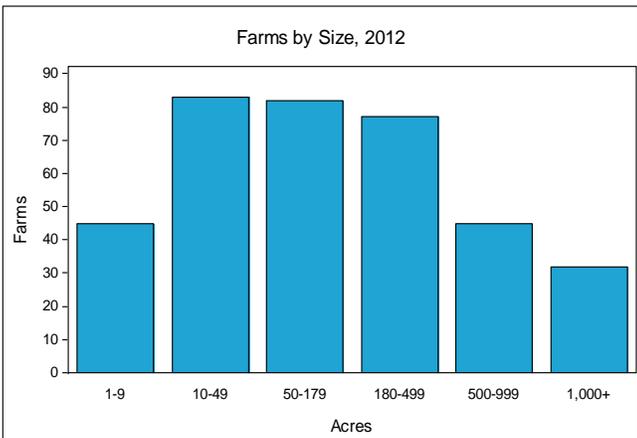
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Kendall County Illinois

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	364	424	- 14
Land in Farms	129,741 acres	166,872 acres	- 22
Average Size of Farm	356 acres	394 acres	- 10
Market Value of Products Sold	\$103,045,000	\$103,522,000	0
Crop Sales \$86,361,000 (84 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,684,000 (16 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$283,091	\$244,155	+ 16
Government Payments	\$1,986,000	\$3,108,000	- 36
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,881	\$12,001	- 34





Kendall County – Illinois

Ranked items among the 102 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	103,045	65	102	1,139	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	86,361	64	102	749	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,684	59	102	1,768	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	72,647	71	102	644	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	10	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	20	94	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	76	55	97	1,566	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	11,924	9	95	233	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	198	86	102	2,770	3,049
Poultry and eggs	66	46	102	1,521	3,013
Cattle and calves	14,075	22	102	1,065	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	82	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	2,293	74	100	722	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(Z)	100	100	2,972	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	192	31	101	1,279	3,011
Aquaculture	(Z)	23	27	1,227	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	56	25	98	1,363	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	73,528	71	102	434	2,638
Soybeans for beans	43,478	80	102	658	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,695	92	102	2,763	3,057
Sod harvested	(D)	2	15	(D)	690
Nursery stock crops	1,003	7	72	88	2,077
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	12,116	61	98	585	2,889
Cattle and calves	6,950	56	102	2,207	3,063
Turkeys	(D)	13	83	(D)	2,416
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,330	7	88	859	2,723
Layers	1,156	45	102	1,749	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	50	Farming	224
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10	Other	140
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	334
\$10,000 to \$19,999	20	Female	30
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	34	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32	Asian	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	50	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	47	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	56	White	539
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	84,277	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	231,530	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,918		
Average per farm (\$)	84,939		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (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.