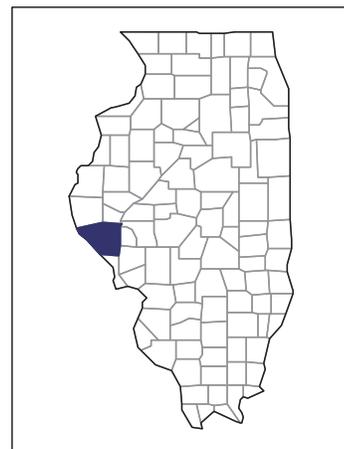


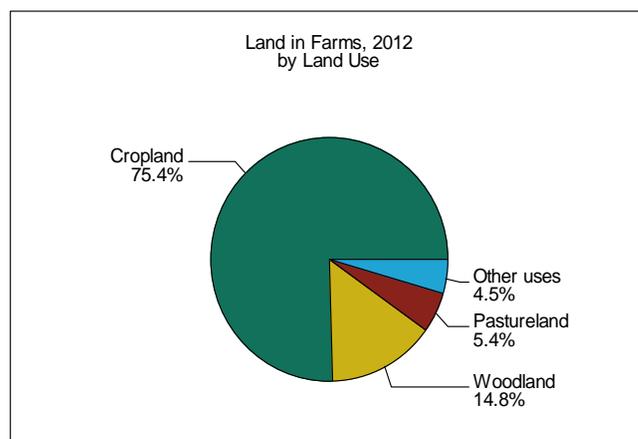
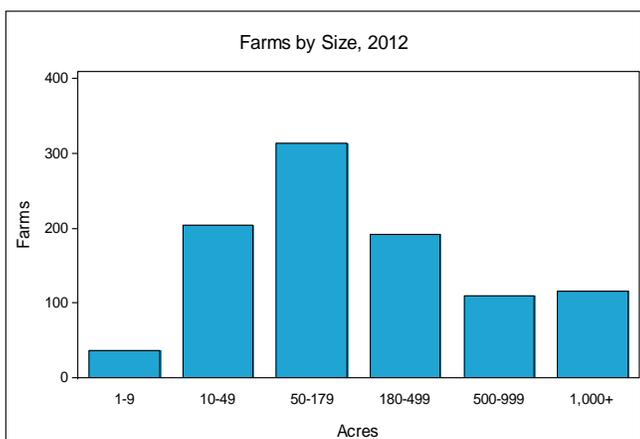
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Pike County Illinois

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	970	967	0
<b>Land in Farms</b>	411,446 acres	389,808 acres	+ 6
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	424 acres	403 acres	+ 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$232,200,000	\$170,876,000	+ 36
Crop Sales \$152,100,000 (66 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$80,100,000 (34 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$239,382	\$176,708	+ 35
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$9,067,000	\$6,532,000	+ 39
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$11,837	\$8,768	+ 35





## Pike County – Illinois

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	232,200	24	102	434	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	152,100	40	102	380	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	80,100	10	102	607	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	141,650	39	102	292	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	10	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	7	97	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	10	95	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	5,673	46	102	1,724	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	61	82	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	73,881	2	100	80	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	30	69	100	2,226	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	30	79	101	2,519	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	4	82	98	2,527	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	161,914	26	102	114	2,638
Soybeans for beans	90,364	46	102	295	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,577	14	102	1,775	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	4,448	37	101	1,028	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	4,448	37	101	954	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	243,801	1	98	63	2,889
Hungarian partridge	(D)	1	3	1	36
Quail	(D)	1	26	(D)	944
Cattle and calves	12,442	27	102	1,768	3,063
Pheasants	(D)	7	30	(D)	963

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	334	Farming	539
\$1,000 to \$2,499	35	Other	431
\$2,500 to \$4,999	50	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	Male	892
\$10,000 to \$19,999	90	Female	78
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	31	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	71	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	91	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	60	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	110	White	1,390
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	188,614	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	194,448	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	73,323		
Average per farm (\$)	75,591		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.