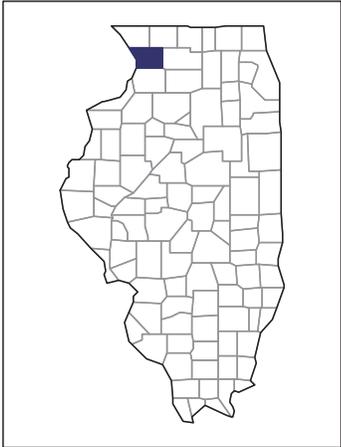


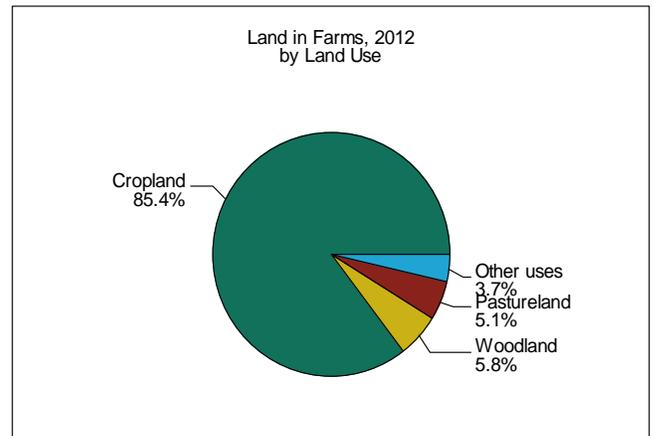
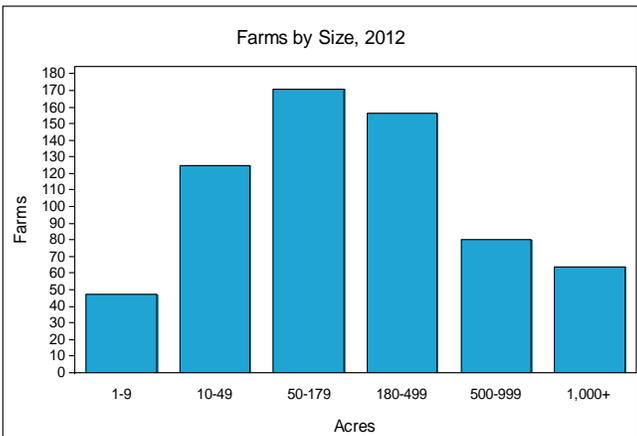
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Carroll County Illinois

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	643	676	- 5
Land in Farms	256,132 acres	265,153 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	398 acres	392 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$270,709,000	\$207,025,000	+ 31
Crop Sales \$188,499,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$82,210,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$421,010	\$306,250	+ 37
Government Payments	\$6,884,000	\$6,184,000	+ 11
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,162	\$11,347	+ 16





Carroll 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	270,709	20	102	346	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	188,499	23	102	248	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	82,210	7	102	585	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	32	102	203	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	10	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	1	94	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	117	33	97	1,338	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	282	53	95	1,632	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	29	22	71	631	1,530
Other crops and hay	801	23	102	2,098	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	59,705	2	102	227	3,056
Milk from cows	7,841	10	82	576	2,038
Hogs and pigs	14,519	40	100	337	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	106	35	100	1,305	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	98	101	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	28	44	98	1,745	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	149,056	31	102	145	2,638
Soybeans for beans	35,048	88	102	731	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,629	19	102	1,881	3,057
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,801
Potatoes	(D)	1	75	(D)	2,354
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	43,044	37	98	320	2,889
Cattle and calves	34,755	5	102	824	3,063
Layers	631	64	102	2,209	3,040
Sheep and lambs	341	52	100	1,738	2,897
Goats, all	296	48	102	1,830	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	189	Farming	366
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	277
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	Male	598
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	Female	45
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	78	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	79	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	124	White	939
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	197,053	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	306,460	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	89,508		
Average per farm (\$)	139,204		

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.

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.