



# Boone County Illinois

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	416	-9
Land in farms (acres)	124,244	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	299	+20
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	145,765,000	+86
Government payments	634,000	-81
Farm-related income	6,037,000	-26
Total farm production expenses	103,838,000	+37
Net cash farm income	48,599,000	+251
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	350,398	+104
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	6,473	-65
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	31,444	-1
Total farm production expenses	249,610	+50
Net cash farm income	116,825	+286

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	86
Livestock, poultry, and products	14

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	117,544
Pastureland	1,890
Woodland	1,887
Other	2,923

**Acres irrigated: 1,379**

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	27
Intensive till	30
Cover crop	6

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	103	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	33	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	27	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	6
\$100,000 or more	147	35

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	81	19
10 to 49 acres	147	35
50 to 179 acres	54	13
180 to 499 acres	69	17
500 to 999 acres	43	10
1,000+ acres	22	5

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>145,765</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>124,801</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	119,975	75	102	520	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	1	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,434	27	95	747	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	10	96	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,610	28	89	794	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	53	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>20,964</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1,712</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	50	101	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,634	73	101	2,223	3,047
Milk from cows	10,561	8	64	453	1,770
Hogs and pigs	7,809	59	100	465	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	346	8	100	582	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	444	9	91	647	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>711</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	<b>82</b>
Male	482		Corn for grain 58,957
Female	229		Soybeans for beans 50,826
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	<b>1</b>
<35	64		Forage (hay/haylage), all 3,612
35 – 64	393		Wheat for grain, all 1,396
65 and older	254		Corn for silage/greenchop 448
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>6</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
Asian	5		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 120
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	<b>24</b>
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves 4,824
White	705		Goats 717
More than one race	1		Hogs and pigs 25,729
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	<b>94</b>
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	27		Horses and ponies 455
With military service	77		Layers 1,803
New and beginning farmers	228		Pullets 250
			Sheep and lambs 530
			Turkeys 41

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.