



Whiteside County Illinois

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,005	+5
Land in farms (acres)	335,899	-9
Average size of farm (acres)	334	-14
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	453,030,000	+50
Government payments	6,378,000	-51
Farm-related income	18,886,000	+34
Total farm production expenses	301,024,000	+20
Net cash farm income	177,270,000	+131
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	450,776	+44
Government payments ^a	13,512	-26
Farm-related income ^a	38,780	+37
Total farm production expenses	299,526	+14
Net cash farm income	176,388	+120

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	77
Livestock, poultry, and products	23

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	309,844
Pastureland	5,819
Woodland	9,361
Other	10,875

Acres irrigated: 51,701

15% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	30
Reduced till	37
Intensive till	26
Cover crop	13

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	269	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	67	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	132	13
\$100,000 or more	419	42

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	99	10
10 to 49 acres	262	26
50 to 179 acres	255	25
180 to 499 acres	207	21
500 to 999 acres	90	9
1,000+ acres	92	9

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	453,030	12	102	245	3,078
Crops	346,974	17	102	113	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	336,007	18	102	60	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	3	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	1	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	3,335	17	95	499	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	80	45	96	1,593	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	5,819	17	89	441	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	99	12	53	317	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,633	17	102	1,636	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	106,056	11	102	643	3,076
Poultry and eggs	7,448	11	101	641	3,027
Cattle and calves	44,629	1	101	380	3,047
Milk from cows	7,656	13	64	508	1,770
Hogs and pigs	46,106	21	100	192	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	79	49	100	1,586	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	52	46	91	1,834	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	85	26	98	1,025	2,909

Producers ^d	1,613	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	82
Male	1,148		
Female	465		
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	191		
35 – 64	796		
65 and older	626		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	5		
Black or African American	1		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2		
White	1,603	Hire farm labor	26
More than one race	2		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	95
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15		
With military service	109		
New and beginning farmers	410		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,130
		Cattle and calves	20,292
		Goats	312
		Hogs and pigs	83,395
		Horses and ponies	272
		Layers	125,022
		Pullets	(D)
		Sheep and lambs	469
		Turkeys	122

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.