Carroll County
Illinois

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	627	-2
Land in farms (acres)	245,721	-4
Average size of farm (acres)	392	-2
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	216,845,000	-20
Government payments	4,490,000	-35
Farm-related income	8,970,000	(Z)
Total farm production expenses	168,620,000	-14
Net cash farm income	61,685,000	-31
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	345,845	-18
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,473	-28
Farm-related income	23,483	-3
Total farm production expenses	268,932	-12
Net cash farm income	98,381	-29

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	69
Livestock, poultry, and products	31

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	85
Pastureland	4
Woodland	7
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 10,620

4% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	29
Reduced till	35
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	227	36
$2,500 to $4,999	28	4
$5,000 to $9,999	43	7
$10,000 to $24,999	37	6
$25,000 to $49,999	21	3
$50,000 to $99,999	30	5
$100,000 or more	241	38

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	67	11
10 to 49 acres	131	21
50 to 179 acres	156	25
180 to 499 acres	139	22
500 to 999 acres	75	12
1,000 + acres	59	9

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales ($1,000)	Rank in State [b]	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. [b]	Counties Producing Item
Total	**216,845**	**31**	**102**	**456**	**3,077**
Crops	**149,677**	**40**	**102**	**299**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	132,686	43	102	233	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	1	99	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	81	43	98	1,372	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	64	12	52	342	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**67,168**	**12**	**102**	**749**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	(D)	30	101	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	37,367	2	102	405	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	10	74	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	21,437	34	99	256	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	165	16	102	929	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	11	77	100	2,283	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	9	57	96	1,528	2,878

Total Producers [c]	**1,003**
Sex	
Male	708
Female	295
Age	
<35	76
35 – 64	580
65 and older	347
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	998
More than one race	4
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1
With military service	83
New and beginning farmers	218

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**80**
Farm organically	**-**
Sell directly to consumers	**3**
Hire farm labor	**26**
Are family farms	**94**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Corn for grain	133,944
Soybeans for beans	44,470
Forage (hay/haylage), all	7,195
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)
Potatoes	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	31,100
Goats	534
Hogs and pigs	62,661
Horses and ponies	133
Layers	649
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	375
Turkeys	(D)

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.
[a] May not add to 100% due to rounding. [b] Among counties whose rank can be displayed. [c] Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.
[d] Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. [e] 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.