



Henry County Illinois

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,353	-1
Land in farms (acres)	484,285	+1
Average size of farm (acres)	358	+3
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	352,993,000	-11
Government payments	15,746,000	+32
Farm-related income	20,962,000	-23
Total farm production expenses	292,197,000	+4
Net cash farm income	97,504,000	-37
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	260,897	-10
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,084	+45
Farm-related income	25,626	-21
Total farm production expenses	215,963	+5
Net cash farm income	72,065	-36

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	77
Livestock, poultry, and products	23

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	91
Pastureland	3
Woodland	4
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 7,409

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	43
Reduced till	32
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	444	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	56	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	62	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	90	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	108	8
\$100,000 or more	532	39

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	182	13
10 to 49 acres	319	24
50 to 179 acres	280	21
180 to 499 acres	267	20
500 to 999 acres	160	12
1,000 + acres	145	11

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	352,993	8	102	189	3,077
Crops	272,521	8	102	71	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	269,636	8	102	17	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	602	33	99	906	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	111	35	98	1,260	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	608	34	93	988	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	99	8	52	266	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,464	10	102	1,535	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	80,472	7	102	650	3,073
Poultry and eggs	19	57	101	1,590	3,007
Cattle and calves	32,918	5	102	468	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	74	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	46,492	6	99	127	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	967	1	102	175	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	32	60	100	1,999	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	44	33	96	1,050	2,878

Total Producers ^c

2,147

Sex

Male 1,532
Female 615

Age

<35 169
35 – 64 1,214
65 and older 764

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native -
Asian 1
Black or African American -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 2,143
More than one race 3

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 18
With military service 210
New and beginning farmers 432

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **81**

Farm organically (Z)

Sell directly to consumers **3**

Hire farm labor **29**

Are family farms **94**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Corn for grain 228,670
Soybeans for beans 179,997
Forage (hay/haylage), all 6,771
Corn for silage or greenchop 1,214
Wheat for grain, all 880

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 279
Cattle and calves 20,625
Goats 902
Hogs and pigs 123,587
Horses and ponies 543
Layers 1,668
Pullets 225
Sheep and lambs 4,367
Turkeys 8

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.