



Jersey County Illinois

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	519	+2
Land in farms (acres)	189,749	+22
Average size of farm (acres)	366	+20
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	82,076,000	+19
Government payments	4,326,000	+67
Farm-related income	5,951,000	-39
Total farm production expenses	75,591,000	+16
Net cash farm income	16,761,000	+2
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	158,143	+16
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,912	+87
Farm-related income	20,663	-43
Total farm production expenses	145,648	+14
Net cash farm income	32,296	(Z)

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	95
Livestock, poultry, and products	5

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	80
Pastureland	4
Woodland	13
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 7

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	40
Reduced till	27
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	170	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	43	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	57	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28	5
\$100,000 or more	153	29

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	53	10
10 to 49 acres	131	25
50 to 179 acres	130	25
180 to 499 acres	96	18
500 to 999 acres	61	12
1,000 + acres	48	9

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	82,076	83	102	1,335	3,077
Crops	78,196	76	102	746	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	76,417	73	102	524	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	13	98	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	501	39	93	1,039	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	7	20	52	557	1,384
Other crops and hay	587	48	102	2,247	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,880	89	102	2,548	3,073
Poultry and eggs	125	32	101	990	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,465	61	102	1,907	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	52	74	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	42	84	99	1,165	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	39	55	100	1,915	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	18	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	12	53	96	1,458	2,878

Total Producers ^c	857	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Corn for grain 75,359
Male	631	75	Soybeans for beans 62,131
Female	226		Forage (hay/haylage), all 4,010
Age		Farm organically	Wheat for grain, all 639
<35	76	-	Corn for silage or greenchop 183
35 – 64	516		
65 and older	265		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	4	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	1		Cattle and calves 7,099
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 108
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	23	Hogs and pigs 286
White	855		Horses and ponies 499
More than one race	1		Layers 1,815
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets 248
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	12	94	Sheep and lambs 502
With military service	94		Turkeys 29
New and beginning farmers	222		

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.