

Illinois County Highlights

Christian County



<u>Census of Agriculture (1997)</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Crops (1999)</u>	<u>Acres Harv.</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Average Age of Farm Operator	52.8		Corn, Bu.	182,000	148.0	26,936,000	15
Number of Farms:	820	40	Soybeans, Bu.	182,000	45.0	8,190,000	10
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	3,900	71.0	276,900	50
Less than \$10,000	199		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
\$10,000 - \$99,999	272		All Hay, Tons	4,900	4.43	21,700	44
\$100,000 or more	349		Oats, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
By Size:							
						No. of	
						Head	Rank
1 - 49 Acres	191		Livestock				
50 - 499 Acres	343		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99)		38,600		36
500 or more Acres	286		Cattle & Calves (01/01/00)		6,400		70
Land in Farms, Acres	389,958	17	Beef Cows (01/01/00)		3,000		64
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$2,530	24					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$150,070	23	Cash Receipts (1999)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$82,569	41	Crops		92,008		11
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$59,873	17	Livestock		7,355		60

Clark County



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Average Age of Farm Operator	52.5		Corn, Bu.	97,000	114.0	11,058,000	54
Number of Farms:	603	60	Soybeans, Bu.	107,900	33.0	3,560,700	56
By Value of Sales:			Wheat, Bu.	7,800	56.0	436,800	38
Less than \$10,000	229		Sorghum, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	24
\$10,000 - \$99,999	188		All Hay, Tons	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
\$100,000 or more	186		Oats, Bu.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
By Size:							
						No. of	
						Head	Rank
1 - 49 Acres	152		Livestock				
50 - 499 Acres	262		Hogs & Pigs (12/01/99)		22,100		54
500 or more Acres	189		Cattle & Calves (01/01/00)		4,500		86
Land in Farms, Acres	268,818	43	Beef Cows (01/01/00)		2,700		68
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs./Acre	\$1,499	73					
Avg. Value of Ag Products Sold/Farm	\$104,874	62	Cash Receipts (1999)		\$1,000		Rank
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses/Farm	\$71,702	58	Crops		44,218		50
Avg. Net Cash Return from Sales/Farm	\$34,053	49	Livestock		5,103		78