

MOULTRIE COUNTY, IL

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	464	491	561
Acreage	172,657	184,599	184,566
Average size (acres)	372	376	329
Median size (acres)	138	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	1,149,073	802,052	501,385
Machinery/equip (dollars)	111,332	94,697	66,513
Cropland (acres)			
Total	164,858	175,978	174,709
Harvested	161,287	167,555	147,433
Irrigated	34	D	D
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	55,951	55,715	44,091
(dollars avg. per farm)	120,583	113,472	78,593
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	46,101	47,328	27,822
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	4,347	3,947	5,465
Beef cows	968	1,000	1,655
Milk cows	1,100	917	848
Hogs and pigs	16,839	25,748	23,946
Sheep and lambs	321	332	375
Layers 13 wks or/older	2,877	D	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	D	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	80,236	84,971	65,793
Corn, silage or green chop	427	452	286
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	1,433	1,823	1,283
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	75,962	78,519	76,966
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	3,211	2,900	2,816
Vegetables			
Number of farms	8	4	1
Acreage	451	20	D

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture