

SCOTT COUNTY, IL

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	327	337	410
Acreage	145,529	128,867	150,486
Average size (acres)	445	382	367
Median size (acres)	197	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	693,580	446,768	392,812
Machinery/equip (dollars)	68,703	80,697	69,644
Cropland (acres)			
Total	117,428	103,270	121,875
Harvested	104,741	90,180	97,384
Irrigated	3,536	4,301	1,754
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	34,929	30,849	29,339
(dollars avg. per farm)	106,817	91,539	71,559
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	42,191	37,424	22,338
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	8,337	7,418	10,138
Beef cows	D	D	4,039
Milk cows	D	D	104
Hogs and pigs	16,712	42,627	39,581
Sheep and lambs	400	736	906
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	495	722
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	D	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	51,214	46,134	45,156
Corn, silage or green chop	156	294	288
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	6,436	5,547	5,587
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	44,140	36,373	43,514
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	2,895	3,066	3,540
Vegetables			
Number of farms	2	2	1
Acreage	D	D	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