

# MONTGOMERY COUNTY

## ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **28,288**

Total Farmers: **1,575**

### AG LAND BY USE *(acres)*

Cropland: **340,250**

Pastureland: **10,687**

Woodland: **18,123**

Other: **11,806**

Federal Conservation

Program enrollment: **15,055**

### FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **747**

Partnerships: **58**

Family-Held Corporations: **108**

Other Corporations: **6**

Other: **33**

**TOTAL: 952**

### AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$446.50M**

Taxes Paid\*: **\$7.3M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **2,024**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$127.80M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$329.93M**

### TOP AG PRODUCTS *(rank among IL counties):*

3rd in hogs and pigs

7th in overall livestock, poultry and products sales

(D): withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

\*: Total taxes paid includes property, real estate, and non-real estate taxes (excluding landlord paid).

#### Sources:

- US Census Bureau 2024 Quick Stats
- USDA 2022 Census of Agriculture

- 2024 Illinois Agriculture Economic Contribution Study