

CHRISTIAN COUNTY

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **34,032**

Total Farmers: **1,300**

AG LAND BY USE *(acres)*

Cropland: **332,299**

Pastureland: **3,982**

Woodland: **8,805**

Other: **6,734**

Federal Conservation
Program enrollment: **5,923**

FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **621**

Partnerships: **41**

Family-Held Corporations: **66**

Other Corporations: **7**

Other: **33**

TOTAL: 768

AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$400.70M**

Taxes Paid*: **\$7.5M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **2,165**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$184.60M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$405.25M**

TOP AG PRODUCTS:

Corn

Soybeans

Hogs and pigs

(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