

COOK COUNTY

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **5,275,541**

Total Farmers: **329**

AG LAND BY USE *(acres)*

Cropland: **9,169**

Pastureland: **580**

Woodland: **82**

Other: **616**

Federal Conservation
Program enrollment: **110**

FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **74**

Partnerships: **20**

Family-Held Corporations: **32**

Other Corporations: **13**

Other: **15**

TOTAL: 154

AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$22.40M**

Taxes Paid*: **\$1.7M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **110,301**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$9.48B**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$15.44B**

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

1st in horses and donkeys

(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