

COLES COUNTY

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **46,863**

Total Farmers: **1,143**

AG LAND BY USE *(acres)*

Cropland: **184,495**

Pastureland: **3,266**

Woodland: **17,631**

Other: **10,340**

Federal Conservation

Program enrollment: **7,850**

FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **555**

Partnerships: **45**

Family-Held Corporations: **42**

Other Corporations: **4**

Other: **27**

TOTAL: 673

AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$197.00M**

Taxes Paid*: **\$6.9M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **2,308**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$174.50M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$310.92M**

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