

# BOONE COUNTY

## ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **53,448**

Total Farmers: **711**

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

Cropland: **117,544**

Pastureland: **2,476**

Woodland: **1,887**

Other: **2,923**

Federal Conservation  
Program enrollment: **659**

### FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **350**

Partnerships: **12**

Family-Held Corporations: **20**

Other Corporations: **24**

Other: **10**

**TOTAL: 416**

### AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$145.80M**

Taxes Paid\*: **\$3.9M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **1,497**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$66.40M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$137.25M**

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

8th in milk from cows

8th in sheep, goats, wool and products

(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