

# MENARD COUNTY

## ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF AG TO THE COUNTY



Total Population of County: **12,297**

Total Farmers: **603**

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

Cropland: **131,093**

Pastureland: **8,470**

Woodland: **11,767**

Other: **5,170**

Federal Conservation

Program enrollment: **5,078**

### FARMING OPERATIONS

Family & Sole Proprietors: **295**

Partnerships: **26**

Family-Held Corporations: **26**

Other Corporations: **(D)**

Other: **9**

**TOTAL: 356**

### AG JOBS AND ECONOMICS

Total Commodity Sales: **\$137.60M**

Taxes Paid\*: **\$4.7M**

Total Jobs from Ag: **690**

Total Labor Income from Ag: **\$56.30M**

Total Value Added from Ag Industries: **\$101.35M**

### TOP AG PRODUCTS:

Corn

Soybeans

Cattle and calves

**(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