



Illinois County Profile

DeKalb County

Census of Agriculture (2002)	Value	Rank
Average Age of Principal Farm Operator	53.8	
Number of Farms:	816	36
By Value of Sales:		
Less than \$10,000	189	
\$10,000 - \$99,999	279	
\$100,000 or more	348	
By Size:		
1 - 49 Acres	194	
50 - 499 Acres	356	
500 or more Acres	266	
Land in Farms, Acres	359,352	23
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs. per Acre	\$3,759	8
Avg. Value of Ag. Products Sold per Farm	\$213,897	2
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses per Farm	\$199,979	1
Avg. Net Cash Income per Farm	\$22,418	60

Livestock	No. of Head	Rank
Hogs & Pigs (12/1/2006)	211,600	1
Cattle & Calves (1/1/2007)	33,700	9
Beef Cows (1/1/2007)	N/A	

Cash Receipts (2006)	\$1,000	Rank
Crops	104,677	13
Livestock	70,073	3

Crops (2006)	Acres Harv.	Yield	Prod.	Rank
Corn, Bu.	208,500	181	37,738,500	10
Soybeans, Bu.	115,400	54	6,231,600	24
Wheat, Bu.	6,000	84	504,000	38
Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
All Hay, Tons	N/A			
Oats, Bu.	1,900	93	176,700	3

DeKalb County Information

DeKalb County is a county located in the state of Illinois. Its county seat is Sycamore, Illinois. This county is part of Chicagoland.

DeKalb County was formed in 1837 out of Kane County, Illinois. The County was named in honor of Johann DeKalb a hero of the American Revolutionary War.

DeKalb County Geography

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the county has a total area of 1,645 km (635 mi). 1,642 km (634 mi) of it is land and 2 km (1 mi) of it is water. The total area is 0.13% water.

Cities and Towns

- Cortland
- DeKalb
- Genoa
- Hinckley
- Kingston
- Kirkland
- Lee
- Malta
- Sandwich
- Shabbona
- Somonauk
- Sycamore
- Waterman

Attractions

- DeKalb Heritage Square
- Egyptian Theatre
- Olmstead Museum
- Sandwich Opera House
- Shabbona Lake State Park