



# Illinois County Profile

## LaSalle County

Census of Agriculture (2002)	Value	Rank
Average Age of Principal Farm Operator	55.7	
Number of Farms:	1,478	1
By Value of Sales:		
Less than \$10,000	354	
\$10,000 - \$99,999	630	
\$100,000 or more	494	
By Size:		
1 - 49 Acres	283	
50 - 499 Acres	784	
500 or more Acres	411	
Land in Farms, Acres	579,141	4
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs. per Acre	\$3,106	11
Avg. Value of Ag. Products Sold per Farm	\$109,407	47
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses per Farm	\$86,848	47
Avg. Net Cash Income per Farm	\$33,471	38

Livestock	No. of Head	Rank
Hogs & Pigs (12/1/2006)	17,100	66
Cattle & Calves (1/1/2007)	15,700	32
Beef Cows (1/1/2007)	4,800	34

Cash Receipts (2006)	\$1,000	Rank
Crops	164,429	5
Livestock	12,025	53

Crops (2006)	Acres Harv.	Yield	Prod.	Rank
Corn, Bu.	293,900	182	53,489,800	3
Soybeans, Bu.	233,000	53	12,349,000	5
Wheat, Bu.	5,700	93	530,100	35
Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
All Hay, Tons	8,500	4.54	38,590	15
Oats, Bu.	1,200	91	109,200	8

### LaSalle Co Information

**La Salle County** is a county located in the state of Illinois. Its county seat and largest city is Ottawa, Illinois.

La Salle County was formed in 1831 out of Tazewell and Putnam Counties. It is named for the early French explorer, Robert de LaSalle.

### LaSalle Co Geography

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the county has a total area of 2,973 km (1,148 mi). 2,939 km (1,135 mi) of it is land and 34 km (13 mi) of it is water. The total area is 1.14% water.

### Cities and Towns

- La Salle
- Leland
- Leonore
- Lostant
- Marseilles
- Mendota
- Oglesby
- Ottawa
- Peru
- Streator
- Tonica
- Troy Grove

### Attractions

- Eagle Lane Theatre
- Frontier Lodge Resort
- Grizzly Jack's Grand Bear Resort
- Hegeler Carus Mansion
- The Reddick Mansion
- Skydive Chicago
- Starved Rock State Park