

# **Illinois County Profile** Whiteside County

Census of Agriculture (2002)	Value	Rank
Average Age of Principal Farm Operator	54.4	
Number of Farms:	1,001	22
By Value of Sales:		
Less than \$10,000	324	
\$10,000 - \$99,999	339	
\$100,000 or more	338	
By Size:		
1 - 49 Acres	245	
50 - 499 Acres	519	
500 or more Acres	237	
Land in Farms, Acres	379,366	19
Avg. Value of Land & Bldgs. per Acre	\$2,540	39
Avg. Value of Ag. Products Sold per Farm	\$143,962	22
Avg. Farm Prod. Expenses per Farm	\$118,500	19
Avg. Net Cash Income per Farm	\$32,447	39

Livestock	No. of Head	Rank
Hogs & Pigs (12/1/2006)	70,200	21
Cattle & Calves (1/1/2007)	28,900	11
Beef Cows (1/1/2007)	2,600	63

Cash Receipts (2006)	\$1,000	Rank	1
Crops	96,621	20	
Livestock	43,247	7	]



## Whiteside Co Information

Whiteside County is a county located in the state of Illinois. Its county seat is Morrison.

Whiteside County was formed in 1836 out of Jo Daviess and Henry Counties. It was named for General Samuel Whiteside, an Illinois officer in the War of 1812 and Black Hawk War.

## Whiteside Co Geography

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the county has a total area of 1,805 km (697 mi). 1,774 km (685 mi) of it is land and 32 km (12 mi) of it is water. The total area is 1.76% water.

#### **Cities and Towns**

- Albany
- Coleta •
- Deer Grove
- Erie
- Fulton
- Lyndon

#### **Attractions**

Crops (2006)	Acres Harv.	Yield	Prod.	Rank
Corn, Bu.	208,900	174	36,348,600	13
Soybeans, Bu.	109,500	53	5,803,500	32
Wheat, Bu.	2,800	66	184,800	70
Sorghum, Bu.	N/A			
All Hay, Tons	N/A			
Oats, Bu.	N/A			

- Morrison ٠
- Prophetstown
- Rock Falls
- Sterling
- Tampico