

TABLE 1

Distribution of Beekeeper Size in Illinois as of July 1, 2015

Number of Colonies	Number of Beekeepers	Percentage of Beekeepers
0	127	4.07
1-5	2,266	72.65
6-10	405	12.98
11-20	167	5.35
21-50	101	3.24
51-100	25	0.8
101-200	16	0.51
201-300	1	.03
301-400	0	0
401-500	0	0
>500	6	0.19
TOTAL	3,114	100.0*

* May not total 100% due to rounding.

TABLE 2

Illinois Beekeeper and Colony Statistics from 1990 through 2015
as of July 1 of each year.

Year	Number of Registered Beekeepers	Number of Apiaries	Number of Colonies	Colonies/ Beekeeper	Colonies/ Apiary
2015	3,114	4,517	24,690	7.9	5.5
2014	2,766	4,023	26,004	9.4	6.5
2013	2,519	3,705	24,382	9.7	6.5
2012	1,825	2,849	21,231	11.6	7.5
2011	1,815	2,786	21,266	11.7	7.6
2010	1,631	2,565	20,547	12.6	8.0
2009	1,433	2,325	19,680	13.7	8.5
2008	1,366	2,303	19,556	14.3	8.5
2007	1,329	2,216	18,821	14.2	8.5
2006	1,264	2,157	20,217	16.0	9.4
2005	1,213	2,054	27,646	22.8	13.5
2004	1,141	1,940	19,572	17.2	10.1
2003	1,117	1,926	18,649	16.7	9.7
2002	1,107	1,914	17,963	16.3	9.4
2001	1,160	2,038	19,627	16.9	9.6
2000	1,142	1,975	18,504	16.2	9.4
1999	1,208	2,025	16,939	14.0	8.4
1998	1,295	2,136	18,129	14.0	8.5
1997	1,521	2,464	17,276	11.4	7.0
1996	1,515	2,506	16,896	11.2	6.7
1995	1,782	2,879	19,037	10.7	6.6
1994	1,999	3,252	21,872	10.9	6.7
1993	2,021	3,350	24,240	12.0	7.2
1992	2,249	3,668	26,405	11.7	7.2
1991	2,329	3,758	27,693	11.9	7.4
1990	2,705	4,336	33,800	12.5	7.8

TABLE 3

Number of Registered Apiaries and Colonies in Illinois Counties as of July 1, 2015

COUNTY	# OF APIARIES	# OF COLONIES	COUNTY	# OF APIARIES	# OF COLONIES
Adams	49	256	Jefferson	22	104
Alexander	1	1	Jersey	26	97
Bond	53	181	JoDaviess	61	1,263
Boone	31	463	Johnson	11	68
Brown	12	19	Kane	143	690
Bureau	44	390	Kankakee	75	307
Calhoun	5	12	Kendall	65	346
Carroll	33	424	Knox	27	95
Cass	9	21	LaSalle	86	408
Champaign	113	402	Lake	283	1,725
Christian	34	87	Lawrence	11	49
Clark	40	126	Lee	29	111
Clay	6	70	Livingston	30	81
Clinton	50	142	Logan	25	145
Coles	56	328	Macon	42	120
Cook	369	1,250	Macoupin	66	200
Crawford	27	96	Madison	137	408
Cumberland	23	78	Marion	36	95
DeKalb	40	154	Marshall	11	65
DeWitt	16	36	Mason	14	43
Douglas	29	87	Massac	5	13
DuPage	211	563	McDonough	19	52
Edgar	30	72	McHenry	149	1,268
Edwards	8	24	McLean	54	254
Effingham	26	91	Menard	27	108
Fayette	45	229	Mercer	25	73
Ford	9	24	Monroe	34	202
Franklin	21	188	Montgomery	38	141
Fulton	46	238	Morgan	29	76
Gallatin	5	15	Moultrie	29	131
Greene	6	12	Ogle	67	235
Grundy	20	200	Peoria	74	238
Hamilton	10	20	Perry	26	179
Hancock	29	185	Piatt	22	53
Hardin	2	18	Pike	18	48
Henderson	10	42	Pope	3	15
Henry	27	80	Pulaski	3	1
Iroquois	27	1,034	Putnam	13	47
Jackson	49	328	Randolph	22	86
Jasper	45	194	Richland	21	50

COUNTY	# OF APIARIES	# OF COLONIES
Rock Island	30	120
Saline	5	10
Sangamon	182	524
Schuyler	6	11
Scott	4	7
Shelby	40	204
St. Clair	108	353
Stark	8	13
Stephenson	29	182
Tazewell	53	192
Union	23	1,042
Vermilion	33	102
Wabash	10	33
Warren	22	115
Washington	22	122
Wayne	41	244
White	6	30
Whiteside	34	257
Will	167	2,221
Williamson	40	625
Winnebago	56	272
Woodford	54	141
TOTAL	4,517	24,690

TABLE 4

Illinois Apiary Inspection Statistics - 1990 through June 30, 2015

Year	# of Apiaries Inspected	Colonies in Apiaries Inspected	# of Colonies Opened	AFB		# of Colonies with EFB	# of Colonies w/ Chalk Brood	Varroa Mites		# of Colonies Tracheal Mites
				# of Colonies	% of Colonies Opened			# of Colonies	% of Colonies Inspected	
FY15	724	8,164	4,904	24	.5	82	12	348	7.1	-
FY14	565	6,553	3,504	15	.4	91	16	364	10.4	-
FY13	485	3,880	2,469	2	.1	113	5	554	14.3	-
FY12	399	2,807	2,031	17	.8	45	5	391	13.9	2
FY11	308	2,135	1,538	1	.1	14	6	265	12.4	2
FY10	406	2,695	1,998	8	.4	35	28	483	17.9	10
FY09	344	4,027	2,947	7	.2	0	5	196	4.9	1
FY08	314	2,073	1,523	12	.8	3	10	113	5.5	1
FY07	343	2,561	1,824	23	1.3	7	24	157	6.1	1
FY06	346	2,673	1,939	36	1.9	2	17	182	6.8	-
FY 05	296	4,695	2,603	50	1.9	10	69	171	3.6	-
FY 04	219	4,696	1,747	37	2.1	1	48	54	1.1	-
FY 03	266	3,662	1,915	89	4.7	8	109	297	8.1	.8
FY02	196	1,999	1,254	31	2.5	0	4	141	7.0	-
FY01	231	3,228	1,273	18	1.4	1	41	217	6.7	-
FY00	115	1,731	855	21	2.4	0	4	407	23.5	9
FY99	156	4,083	1,424	8	0.6	0	19	751	18.4	-
FY98	199	3,027	1,388	85	6.1	0	51	1,232	40.7	5
FY97	277	2,086	1,236	32	2.6	2	7	99	4.7	-
FY96	279	2,480	1,349	156	11.8	5	54	260	11.3	-
FY95	333	2,584	1,363	15	1.1	3	6	837	32.4	88
FY94	530	3,809	2,357	72	3.1	8	33	1,090	28.6	121
FY93	419	2,366	1,530	48	3.1	6	10	672	28.4	144
FY92	460	-	2,173	62	2.8	19	25	389	-	119
Cal92	474	-	1,916	72	3.7	1	21	618	-	120
Cal91	459	2,944	2,437	64	2.6	3	9	392	-	286
Cal90	400	-	-	140	-	11	108	-	-	-

AFB = American Foulbrood Disease
 EFB = European Foulbrood Disease