

State & County QuickFacts

Macon County, Illinois

People QuickFacts	Macon County	Illinois
Population, 2012 estimate	110,122	12,875,255
Population, 2010 (April 1) estimates base	110,768	12,830,632
Population, percent change, April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2012	-0.6%	0.3%
Population, 2010	110,768	12,830,632
Persons under 5 years, percent, 2012	6.2%	6.3%
Persons under 18 years, percent, 2012	22.5%	23.8%
Persons 65 years and over, percent, 2012	17.0%	13.2%
Female persons, percent, 2012	52.1%	50.9%
White alone, percent, 2012 (a)	79.5%	77.9%
Black or African American alone, percent, 2012 (a)	16.7%	14.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, 2012 (a)	0.2%	0.6%
Asian alone, percent, 2012 (a)	1.1%	5.0%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, 2012 (a)	Z	0.1%
Two or More Races, percent, 2012	2.4%	1.7%
Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2012 (b)	2.0%	16.3%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2012	77.9%	63.0%
Living in same house 1 year & over, percent, 2007-2011	84.5%	86.7%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2007-2011	1.9%	13.7%
Language other than English spoken at home, percent age 5+, 2007-2011	3.0%	22.0%
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2007-2011	87.1%	86.6%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2007-2011	20.8%	30.7%
Veterans, 2007-2011	9,484	770,388
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2007-2011	17.6	28.1
Housing units, 2011	50,197	5,297,318
Homeownership rate, 2007-2011	70.1%	68.7%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2007-2011	17.5%	32.9%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2007-2011	\$92,300	\$198,500
Households, 2007-2011	44,568	4,773,002
Persons per household, 2007-2011	2.41	2.62
Per capita money income in the past 12 months (2011 dollars), 2007-2011	\$25,797	\$29,376
Median household income, 2007-2011	\$45,987	\$56,576
Persons below poverty level, percent, 2007-2011	15.0%	13.1%
Business QuickFacts	Macon County	Illinois
Private nonfarm establishments, 2011	2,478	312,437 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, 2011	45,784	5,038,462 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, percent change, 2010-2011	-1.3%	1.2% ¹
Nonemployer establishments, 2011	6,267	920,076
Total number of firms, 2007	7,840	1,123,817
Black-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	9.5%
American Indian- and Alaska Native-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	0.5%
Asian-owned firms, percent, 2007	2.3%	5.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander-owned firms, percent, 2007	F	0.1%
Hispanic-owned firms, percent, 2007	0.7%	5.0%
Women-owned firms, percent, 2007	32.5%	30.5%
Manufacturers shipments, 2007 (\$1000)	9,590,836	257,760,713

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Merchant wholesaler sales, 2007 (\$1000)	D 231,082,768	
Retail sales, 2007 (\$1000)	1,450,614	165,450,520
Retail sales per capita, 2007	\$13,342	\$12,947
Accommodation and food services sales, 2007 (\$1000)	170,857	25,469,026
Building permits, 2012	79	13,797
Geography QuickFacts	Macon County	Illinois
Land area in square miles, 2010	580.69	55,518.93
Persons per square mile, 2010	190.8	231.1
FIPS Code	115	17
Metropolitan or Micropolitan Statistical Area	Decatur, IL Metro Area	

1: Includes data not distributed by county.

(a) Includes persons reporting only one race.

(b) Hispanics may be of any race, so also are included in applicable race categories.

D: Suppressed to avoid disclosure of confidential information

F: Fewer than 25 firms

FN: Footnote on this item for this area in place of data

NA: Not available

S: Suppressed; does not meet publication standards

X: Not applicable

Z: Value greater than zero but less than half unit of measure shown

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County QuickFacts. Data derived from Population Estimates, American Community Survey, Census of Population and Housing, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Nonemployer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits
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