

Community Profile

FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC GROWTH

Welcome to Champaign County, Illinois – a place in time with all the attributes to help your company or facility thrive. Whether want to be at the center of breakthrough science or in an ideal central U.S. location, you'll find the people, organizations, and physical and technological infrastructure you need.

Rich in Opportunity for Industry

Combining a superb location, convenient transportation, productive workers and some of the world's most fertile farmland, Champaign County is the perfect place to locate your warehousing, advanced manufacturing, agribusiness or call center facilities.

Infinite Opportunity for Technology

Combining the resources of a world-class university and a quality of life that attracts and retains some of the brightest minds on the planet, Champaign County is ideal for start-ups and technology leaders alike, especially in the areas of information technology, nano/microtechnology and bio-imaging.

Rich in Opportunity for Life

Combining affordable housing, good schools, excellent health care and leisure time options that rival much larger urban areas, Champaign County helps you attract and retain the type of workers that will make your venture a lasting success.

Contact Us

The Champaign County Economic Development Corporation welcomes your inquiries, comments and suggestions. We're here to handle any specific information needs that may aid your decision.

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Demographic Information

LOCATION

Distance to major markets from the communities in Champaign County, Illinois.

	mi/km		mi/km		mi/km
Chicago	136/217	Indianapolis	120/192	Nashville	314/666
Cincinnati	224/358	Kansas City	396/633	Omaha	484/774
Cleveland	438/700	Louisville	226/364	Peoria, Illi- nois	95/152
Columbus	289/465	Memphis	394/630	St. Louis	165/264
Des Moines	356/570	Milwaukee	223/357	Springfield, Illinois	86/138
Detroit	398/636	Minneapolis	518/828		

TOPOGRAPHY

- The general topography of the area is level.
- The area has no major flood hazards.
- Elevation is 743 feet..
- Champaign County is 998 square miles.
- The City of Champaign is 16.24 square miles and the

City of Urbana is 9.31 square miles.

Source: Champaign County Regional Planning Commission

CLIMATE

1971 to 2011 Annual Averages

Temperature:

Coldest Month: January High 32F Low 16F Warmest Month: July High 85F Low 65F

Number of Heating Days: (Base 65F) 5,842 Number of Cooling Days (Base 65F) 997

Growing Season: 178 Days Source: Illinois State Water Survey

Precipitation:

Total Annual Rainfall: 41.00" Annual Snowfall: 26.20" Driest Month: January 1.89" Wettest Month: May 4.80"

AIR QUALITY

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency classifies Champaign County as an "Air Quality Attainment Area." Source: Illinois State Environmental Protection Agency

Wind:

	Average Wind Direction	Prevailing Wind Speed
January	W	7.9
April	S	7.9
July	SW	4.5
October	SW	5.6
Annual	S	5.0

Population Information

Population Growth

	Champaign-Urbana	Champaign County	8 County Region	14 County Region
1990	99,846	173,025	475,860	750,989
1995*	105,554	167,168	479,588	756,752
2000	105,321	179,669	501,051	777,145
2010	115,229	201,081	523,252	804,259

8 County Region: Champaign, Dewitt, Douglas, Edgar, Ford, Piatt, McLean and Vermillion Counties.

14 County Region: Champaign, Coles, Dewitt, Douglas, Edgar, Ford, Iroquois, Livingston, Macon, McLean, Moultrie, Piatt, Shelby and Vermillion Counties.

*1995 represent estimates.

Source: Illinois Population Trends. 1990-2020, State of Illinois Bureau of the Budget. 1997 Edition; Bureau of Economic Analysis, Champaign County Projections (1995-2020); Census 2000, U.S. Census Bureau.

Population Characteristics

Champaign County Population by Sex

	1995*	2000	2010
Male	83,697	90,306	100,390
Female	83,471	89,363	100,691

Champaign County Population by Age

	1995*	2000	2010
0-4	12,837	10,417	11,658
5-14	19,963	21,157	20,848
15-24	42,788	47,677	54,356
25-44	48,712	50,603	51,500
45-64	26,768	32,345	42,501
65+	16,100	17,470	20,000

*Estimates

Source: Illinois Population Trends 1990-2020, Illinois Bureau of the Budget: 1997 Edition Census 2000, U.S. Census Bureau. Census, foot finder, 2010.

Labor Information

Employment Data

Area Employment Statistics—Annual Average 2010 from IL Department of Employment Security

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	Community Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Champaign County	106,393	96,826	9,567	9.0%
DeWitt	9,035	8,239	796	8.8%
Douglas	10,281	9,326	955	9.3%
Edgar	10,360	9,238	1,122	10.8%
⁼ ord	7,730	6,412	718	10.1%
McLean	93,167	85,966	7,201	7.7%
Piatt	8,952	8,199	753	8.4%
/ermillion	37,494	32,947	4,547	12.1%
Total for 8 County Region	283,412	248,914	25,659	9.0%
Coles	27,941	25,265	2,676	9.6%
ruquois	17,138	15,418	1,720	10.0%
ivingston	19,206	17,210	1,996	10.4%
Macon	55,274	48,772	6,502	11.8%
Moultrie	8,046	7,353	693	8.6%
Shelby	11,266	10,120	1,146	10.2%
Total for 14 County Re- gion	412,143	373,052	40,392	9.8%

Employment by Industry

Industry Employment Projections:

	2010
Accomodations/	9,427
Foodservice	
Construction	5,584
Manufacturing	9,008
Transportation, Ware-	3,365
housing	
Wholesale Trade	3,763
Retail Trade	12,698
Finance-Insureance-Real Estate	4,430
Professional and Tech- nical Services	7,467
Government	34,877

Wage Information

Hourly Wage 2011 SOC

Hourly Wages	2011	SOC
43-1011	\$20.46	1st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Office & Administrative Support
49-1011	\$27.29	1 st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Mechanics, Installers, & Repairers
41-1012	\$27.28	1st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Non-Retail Sales Workers
51-1011	\$20.88	1st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Production & Operating Workers
41-1011	\$15.65	1st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Retail Sales
39-1021	\$15.93	1st Line Superv & Mgrs/Supervisors- Service Workers
13-2011	\$25.19	Accountants & Auditors
49-3023	\$17.58	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics
43-3021	\$15.80	Billing & Posting Clerks & Machine Operators
43-3031	\$15.80	Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks
43-9011	\$13.18	Computer Operators, Except Peripheral Equipment
47-1011	\$34.66	Construction Managers
13-1051	\$25.11	Cost Estimators
31-9091	\$16.04	Dental Assistants
17-3011	\$27.18	Drafters, Architectural & Civil
11-3031	\$45.65	Engineering Managers
11-9051	\$9.23	File Clerk
11-1011	\$37.66	Financial Managers 29.05
11-3051	\$31.88	Food Service Managers
11-1011	\$37.66	General & Operations Managers
11-3051	\$31.88	Industrial Production Managers
37-3011	\$12.33	Laborers, Landscaping & Groundskeeping
13-2072	\$25.66	Loan Officers
37-2011	\$12.49	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners
37-3019	\$8.82	Maintenance Repairers, General Utility
43-9061	\$12.68	Order Clerks, Materials, Merchandise, & Service
51-9198	\$12.94	Production, Planning, & Expediting Clerks
13-1023	\$23.94	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, & Farm Products
43-6014	\$16.86	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical & Executive
43-5071	\$13.69	Shipping, Receiving, & Traffic Clerks
53-3032	\$18.18	Truck Drivers, Light, Include Delivery & Route Workers 18.18
43-9061	\$12.68	Word Processors and Typists 12.68

Source: IL Department of Employment Security, OES Wages 2011

Major Employers Top 25 Employers

Company	Employees
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	10,820
Carle	6,000
Champaign Unit #4 School District	1,351
Kraft Foods, Inc.	1,350
Parkland College	980
Provena Covenant Medical Center	938
Urbana School District #116	900
Champaign County, IL (administration)	853
Plastipak Packaging, Inc.	810
Christie Clinic Association	750
Hobbico	700
Horizon Hobby, Inc.	550
City of Champaign	548
Busey Bank	522
Solo Cup	490
Health Alliance Medical Plans	480
Wolfram Research	460
Amdocs	450
U.S. Postal Service	425
Mahomet-Seymour Community School District #3	406
Jeld-Wen (Window Division)	400
FedEx Ground	380
Supervalu	380
Guardian West	370
Champaign Park District	345

Major Employers

Future 500 Companies

Kraft Foods, Inc.

SuperValu

FedEx Ground

State Farm Insurance Company

Caterpillar

John Deere

Yahoo!

Intel

Science Applications International Cooperation

iCyt, A Sony Group Company

Abbot Laboratories

Archer Daniels Midland

Monsanto Genetics Corporation

Frito Lay, Inc. (PepsiCo)

Rockwell Automation

PNC

Ameren

AT&T

Comcast

JP Morgan Chase & Company

Wells Fargo Insurance Services, Inc.

United Parcel Service

Personal Care—Coventry Health Care

Labor Relations and Unionization

Organized Labor Information

Unionization is mostly concentrated in the building trades and government jobs. Most of our the private employers in Champaign county are non-unionized.

AFSCME Council 31 AFL-CIO Champaign County Brick Layers Local No Eight Carpenters Local 44 CWA Local 4204 Glaziers Local 1168 IBEW Local 601 International Union of Operating Engineers Local 399 Laborers International Union North America Plasters & Cement Masons Local143 Plumbers & Pipe Fitters Local Union 149 Sheet Metal Local 218 Teamsters Organization Union of Professional Employees

Transportation

<u>Highway Access</u>

Interstates	U.S. Routes	State Routes
I-57 (North/South)	U.S. 45 (North/South)	Illinois Route 130 (South)
I-72 (West)	U.S. 150 (East/West)	Illinois 10 (West)
I-74 (East/West)		

<u>Railroad</u>

Freight -Canadian National/IL Central -Norfolk Southern	Mainline Mainline
Piggyback Service (TOFC) -Norfolk Southern	Will County, Joliet, IL Chicago, Peoria, St. Louis
Container Drop Points -Burlington Northern -Norfolk Southern	Peoria St. Louis, Chicago, Peoria, Decatur
Passenger -Amtrak	Chicago, New Orleans

Ground

Trucking		Bus	
-Motor Freight (servicing the area)	30	-Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District	Local
-Interstate Only	13	-Greyhound Bus Line	Regional/National
-Interstate	3	-Illini Swallow Lines, Inc.	Regional Charter/Tour
-Terminal	4	-Lincolnland Express	East Central IL/Chicago
		-Illini Shuttle	C-U/Chicago
		-Suburban Express	C-U/Chicago Suburbs

Transportation

<u>Air</u>

	University of Illinois Willard Airport CMI	Frasca Field	Rantoul National Aviation Center
Type of Runway	Concrete	Concrete/Grass	Asphalt
Length of Runway/ft.	8100 ft. NW/SE 6500 ft. NE/SW 5300 ft. NS	4000 ft. E/W concrete 2700 ft. N/S grass	5000 ft. NW 4895 ft. NW
Runway Lighted	Yes	Yes	Yes
Aircraft Tie Down	Yes	Yes	Yes
Hangar	Yes	Yes	Yes
Power Plant Repair	Yes	Yes	Yes
Airframe Repair	Yes	Yes	Yes
Navigation Aids	Yes	Yes-VCR Only	Yes

AirlineServingAmerican Eagle (jet service)
Points WorldwideChicago (O'Hare)
Dallas Fort Worth International
Fort Myers/Punta Gorda

<u>Water</u>

Illinois American Water Company 201 Devonshire Drive Champaign, Illinois 61820 Local Contact: Chris Bacon (217)373-3211 http://www.illinoisamerican.com

Capacities	Gallons
Plant Capacity	40,000,000
Storage Capactity	7,850,000
Elevated	1,200,000
Ground	6,650,000
Source	Deep Wells
Plant Pumping Capacity	40,000,000
Consumption	Gallons/Day
Average	21,270,000
Record (max)	34,091,000
Excess Capacity	5,909,000
Estimated Cost	
100,000 Gal/Month	\$199.67
500,000 Gal/Month	\$866.83
1,000,000 Gal/Month	\$1,700.39
Costs vary upon size of meter	& gallons/minute demand.
Analysis of Treated Water	
Total Alkalinity	

Total Alkalinity	150.0 PPM
Fluoride	1.0 PPM
Iron	0.0 PPM
Hardness	80.0 PPM

Service can be extended outside of corporate limits. Please contact the EDC for additional community contacts.

<u>Water</u>

Village of Rantoul

200 West Grove Avenue Rantoul, Illinois 61866 G. Gregory Hazel, P.E., Director, Public Works (217)892-2178 g-hazel@village.rantoul.il.us

Capacities	Gallons
Plant Capacity	-
Storage Capactity	2,500,000
Elevated	-
Ground	-
Source	Well
Plant Pumping Capacity	4,500,000
Consumption	Gallons/Day
Average	1,600,000
Record (max)	2,500,000
Excess Capacity	2,000,000
Estimated Cost	

100,000 Gal/Month	\$241.00
500,000 Gal/Month	\$1,205.00
1,000,000 Gal/Month	\$2,410.00

Costs vary upon size of meter & gallons/minute demand.

Analysis of Treated Water

Total Alkalinity	180	mg/l
Fluoride	1	PPM
Iron	1	PPM
Hardness	140-1	50 PPM

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<u>Water</u>

Village of Mahomet 302 South Vine Mahomet, Illinois 61853 Jason Heid, Water and Wastewater Supt. (217)621-4503 jheid@mahomet-il.gov http://mahomet.govoffice.com

Capacities	Gallons
Plant Capacity	-
Storage Capactity	450,000
Elevated	300,000
Ground	150,000
Source	Ground Water
Plant Pumping Capacity	1 <i>,</i> 800 gpm
Consumption	Gallons/Day
Average	600,000
Record (max)	910,000
Excess Capacity	1,160,000
Estimated Cost	
100,000 Gal/Month	\$205.00
500,000 Gal/Month	\$845.00
1,000,000 Gal/Month	\$1,845.00
Costs vary upon size of meter	r & gallons/minute demand.
Analysis of Treated Water	
Total Alkalinity	325 PPM

Total Alkalinity	325 PPM
Fluoride	.9-1.2 PPM
Iron	.1 PPM
Hardness	100 PPM

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Electric and Natural Gas

AmerenIP

1112 W. Anthony

PO Box 17070 **Urbana**, Illinois 61803

Ameren IP

5414 Pintail Road

Champaign, IL 61822

1.800.755.5000

Ameren IP

1112 W. Anthony P.O. Box 17070 **St. Joseph**, IL 61873 1.800.755.5000

Ameren IP

1112 W. Anthony Urbana, IL / **Mahomet,** IL 217.817.0863

Village of Rantoul

333 S. Tanner Rantoul, IL 61866 1.217.893.1661

The Village of Fisher

www.ameren.com

Fisher, IL 61843

1.888.789.2477

Local Contact: Steve Warren or Steve Estes 217.383.7207

http://www.ameren.com SEstes@ameren.com

Sanitary Sewers

Urbana-Champaign Sanitary District

1100 East University Urbana, Illinois 61801 Rick Manner, Executive Director (217)633-3409 rmanner@u-csd.com

Type of Treatment Process

Northeast Plant

Activated sludge/trickling filter, advanced treatment.

Capacities	Gallons/Day
Total	17,300,000
Current Demand	13,000,000
Excess	4,300,000

Southwest Plant

Activated sludge with advanced treatment.

Capacities	Gallons/Day	
Total	5,900,000	
Current Demand	5,430,000	
Excess	470,000	

User Fees		
Domestic Sewer		
Use Charge	\$1.18/100 cu. ft. +\$2.26/k	bill
Flow Charge	\$0.3960/100 cu. ft.	BOD \$0.1572/lb.
SS	\$0.3388/lb.	NH3N \$0.3166/lb.
	0.45/100cu. ft. in unincorporated a	reas.

Service can be extended outside of corporate limits.

Sanitary Sewers

Village of St. Joseph P.O. Box 716 St. Joseph, Illinois 61873

Type of Treatment Process

Activated Sludge

Capacities	Gallons/Day
Total	420,000
Current Demand	350,000
Excess	70,000

Cashs

Domestic Sewer		
Use Charge	\$1.50/100 cu. ft.	
Flow Charge	\$0.0060/cu. ft.	BOD \$0.35/lb.
SS	\$0.25/lb.	NH3N \$0.45/lb.

Village of Rantoul

200 West Grove Avenue Rantoul, Illinois 61866

Type of Treatment Process

Activated Sludge

Capacities	Gallons/Day
Total	8,500,000
Current Demand	3,300,000
Excess	5,200,000

User Fees

 Domestic Sewer
 \$/100 cu. ft.

 Use Charge
 \$0.000/cu. ft.
 BOD \$0./lb.

 SS
 \$0./lb.
 NH3N \$0./lb.

B.J. Hackler, Mayor (217)469-7371 mayor@stjosephillinois.org

G. Gregory Hazel, P.E. Director, Public Works

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Sanitary Sewers

Village of Mahomet 503 East Main Street Mahomet, Illinois 61853

Type of Treatment Process

Activated Sludge

Capacities	Gallons/Day
Total	500,000
Current Demand	500,000
Excess	0

User Fees

Domestic Sewer		
Use Charge	\$1.38/100 cu. ft.	
Flow Charge	\$0.000/cu. ft.	BOD \$0./lb.
SS	\$0./lb.	NH3N \$0./lb.

Champaign County. Midwestern Roots. World-Class Expectations. Jason Heid, Water and Wastewater Supt. (217)586-3554 jheid@mshsi.com http://mahomet/govoffice.com

Taxes

Local Taxes

Local Real Estate Tax Rates

As of Revenue Year 2011 Breakdown and Totals

	Champaign	Urbana
Corporation	1.3120	1.3178
County	.7117	.7117
Forest Preserve	.0850	.0850
Township	.0397	.2048
Public Health District	.1152	.1152
Sanitary District	.0000	.0000
Mass Transit	.2728	.2728
School District	4.0214	4.6701
Park District	.6754	.7767
Parkland College	.4652	.4652
Totals	7.6984	8.6193

Local Utility Taxes

	Champaign	Urbana	Rantoul	Mahomet	Savoy	Fisher
Telecommunica	- 6.00%	5.0%	5.5	6.0	0	3.0
tion						
Gas	2.75%	-	5.0	5.0	0	5.0
Electric	2.75%	-	5.0	5.0	0	3.0
Water	2.75%	5.0%	5.0	0	0	0
Cable T.V.	0.00%	5.0%	0	0	0	0
% based on usage						
Local Sales Tax						
Urbana 8.75%	Champaign 8.75%	Rantoul 7.50%		Mahomet 7.50%	Savoy 8.00%	Fisher7.75%

Real Estate is assessed at 33.3% of market value. Rates apply to each \$100 of assessed valuation. Payable 2011. For information on additional communities, please contact the EDC directly.

Source: Champaign County Clerk's Office, Champaign County Assessment Office, Cities of Champaign & Urbana

Taxes

State of Illinois Taxes

Corporate Income Tax		Sales/Use Tax		
Based on reported federal income		Applies to tangible personal property		
Apportionment Sales	0% 100%	Service Manufacturing Machinery	0% 0%	
Property Payroll	0% 0%	Pollution Controls Materials in Product	0% 0%	
Rates	9%*	Materials Consumed	6.25%	
*4.8% income tax + 2.5 replacement tax **Personal property of individuals & business is exempt from		Personal Income Tax: Flat 5% (till 2015) (no local taxes apply)		
property tax in Illinois.		Source: Illinois Department of Re	evenue	
Property Tax		Unemployment Compensation T	ax	

Assesment		Minimum Rate	0.6%	
Realty	0.0%	Average Rate	2.62%	
Machinery	0.0%	New Employer's Rate	3.1%	
Inventories	0.0%	Maximum Rate	7.2%	
		Average Worker's Compense	ation	
		Insurance Rate, Mar	nufacturing	6.48%

Land and Building Costs

Land Costs

Representative Land Costs for Improved Site/Acres

Low	\$15,000/Acre
Average	\$45,500/Acre
High	\$100,000/Acre

Building Costs (Avg./sg. ft.)

(wg./ sq. m.)			
Warehouse	\$40 - \$50.00		
Single Family	\$100.00		
Single Family (1st Class)	\$120 - \$160.00		
Office (Class A/Single Story)	\$140 - \$200.00		
Source: Local Realtors & Developers			

<u>Rent</u>

(Avg./sq. ft.)	
Industrial/Warehouse	\$1.75 - \$5.75
Office	\$7 - \$32.00
Retail	\$12 - \$28.00

Government

	Champaign County	Champaign	Urbana	Rantoul	Savoy	Mahomet
Type of Government	County Board	Council/ Manager	Aldermanic	Administrator/ Trustee	Administrator/ Trustee	President/Trustee
Zoning Ordinance	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Subdivision: Design Standard Building Codes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fire Protection: Full Time Volunteers	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fire Insurance: Classifications	6-7-8-9	2	3	4	4	5/9
Protection Outside City Limits	Yes	By Contract	No	Yes	No	9
Police Protection Full Time	128	121	55	32	By Contract	8
Protection Outside City Limits	Yes	By Contract	No	No	By Contract	-

Source: Cities of Champaign and Urbana, Sherriff's Office of Champaign County and ESDA. For additional information, please contact the EDC directly.

Education

ENROLLMENT 2011

	Number of Students	Graduation Rate
Champaign School District #4		
Academic Academy	61	
Centennial High School	1,392	
Central High School	1,218	
Urbana School District # 116		
Urbana High School	1,131	87.7 %

Source: Illinois Board of Education, School Report Card. For information on additional communities, please contact the EDC directly.

ACT COMPOSITE SCORES

Refer to: www.GreatSchoolsGreatLife.com

VOCATIONAL EDUCATIONAL

Name	Location	
Parkland College	Champaign, IL	100
Danville Area Community College	Danville, IL	73
Richland Community College	Decatur, IL	48

Colleges/Universities

Name	Location	Approximate Enrollment	
University of Illinois	Champaign-Urbana, IL	40,839	
Parkland College	Champaign, IL	9,273	
Eastern Illinois University	Charleston, IL	12,040	
Lakeland Community College	Mattoon, IL	7,107	
Danville Community College	Danville, IL	2,722	
Milliken University	Decatur, IL	2,383	
Richland Community College	Decatur, IL	3,284	
Illinois State University	Bloomington-Normal, IL	20,799	
Illinois Wesleyan University	Normal, IL	2,125	

(Source: IPEDS College data 2009-2010)

Education

Educational Attainment

	Champaign County	State of Illinois	United States
Less than 9th Grade	3.1	7.5	7.5
9th-12th Grade: No Diploma	6.05%	11.1	12.1
High School Graduate	44.60%	27.7	28.6
Some College: No Degree	39.77%	21.6	21.0
Associate Degree	16.67%	6.1	6.3
Bachelor Degree	41.63%	16.5	15.5
Graduate or Professional Degree	43.84%	9.5	8.9

Note: Data are for persons 25 years and older Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, ACS 2008

Economic Demographics

Housing

	2000	2008	2009	2010
Champaign County	75,280	85,954	86,432	86,910

Source: Census Bureau

For information on additional communities, please contact the EDC directly.

New Housing Units Constructed

	2001	2003	2005	2008	2009	2010
Champaign County	873	1,266	2,032	691	478	478

Annual Totals include: Total housing units as of December

Source: Champaign County Regional Planning Commission/Census Bureau, Building Permits Branch

http://censtats.census.gov/bldg/bldgprmt.shtml

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Average Housing Cost	2008	2009	2010	2011	
Champaign County MSA					
- Median Existing Single Family Home Sales Price for:	\$141,900	\$140,600	\$141,900	\$145,000	

- Current Average 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, Approx. 2,200 sq. ft. \$198,000

Source: National Association of Realtors and ACCRA Cost of Living Index

www.realtor.org

Average Rental Rate/Month (Both on or off campus)

- 1 bedroom \$350-700

- 2 bedroom \$400-850

Source: Tenant's Union

Economic Demographics

Income

Champaign County –2011	Median Family Income	\$62,477
Per Capita Personal Income \$24,046	Median Household Income	\$43,985
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Dept. of Commerce	Source: US Census Bureau,	ACS 2008

Location	Com- posite Index	Grocery Items	Hous- ing	Utilities	Transpor- tation	Health care	Misc. Goods and Ser- vices
Champaign-Urbana, IL	96	90	91	109	98	107	96
Chicago, IL	114	114	133	97	113	107	105
San Francisco, CA	166	114	289	92	114	112	122
Raleigh, NC	92	103	81	104	94	97	93
Seattle, WA	116	114	124	91	112	120	119
Madison, WI	108	102	110	105	110	119	108
Boston, MA	138	118	163	149	103	120	132
Minneapolis, MN	108	104	114	102	99	101	110
Austin, TX	91	83	82	98	100	104	97

Cost of Living Index 2011

Source: ACCRA survey Q2 2011, Cost of Living Index (COLI)

Please see the cost of living calculator at <u>http://www.champaigncountyedc.org/Workforce.html</u>.

If you have further questions about the Cost of Living Index or desire to see a comparison to another group of cities please contact the EDC at 217-359-6261 and we'll be happy to provide you with additional information.

Commercial Services

NEWSPAPERS

Daily

- News Gazette
- Daily Illini (University of Illinois)

Weekly

- Daily Illini (U of I)	-Rantoul Press
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- -Prospectus (Parkland) -Buzz
- Mahomet Citizen

TELEVISION CHANNELS RECEIVED

- WCCU TV/Channel 55/27 FOX Urbana
- WILL TV/Channel 12 PBS Urbana
- WAND/Channel 17 ABC Decatur
- WCIA TV/Channel 3 CBS Champaign
- WICD TV/Channel 15 NBC Champaign
- WCFN TV/Channel 49 Network TV Springfield
- IlliniTV/Channel 2 Champaign
- PCTV/Channel 9 Champaign
- Comcast Cable Mediacom Champaign-Urbana

(offers 70 Channels, 121 with digital)

Commercial Services

BANKS & SAVINGS AND LOANS Bank of America First Mid-Illinois Bank & Trust Prairie State Bank & Trust Bank of Rantoul First Midwest Bank **Prospect State Bank** BankChampaign First National Bank **Regions Bank** First State Bank **Busey Bank** Royal Bank Fisher National Bank Camargo Bank Soy Bank Central Illinois Bank Freestar Bank State Bank Central Illinois Credit Union State Farm Bank Heartland Bank & Trust Co. Centrue Bank Hickory Point Bank & Trust Tuscola National Bank U of I Credit Union Chase Longview Capital Corp. Commerce Bank Longview State Bank U S Bank Community Plus Federal Credit Union Main Street Bank & Trust Villa Grove First Marine Bank Villa Grove State Bank Dewey Bank Midland State Bank Woodforest National Bank First Federal Bank of Tuscola First Federal Savings Bank of Champaign-Urbana PnC Bank

PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS

America's Best Inn & Suites Baymont Inn & Suites Best Western Heritage Inn Best Western Paradise Inn Candlewood Suites Comfort Suites Country Inn & Suites Courtesy Motel Courtyard By Marriott Days Inn Days Inn Rantoul

Champaign County. Midwestern Roots. World-Class Expectations. Drury Inn & Suites Eastland Suites & Conference Center Econo Lodge Inn & Suites Extended Stay America Fairfield Inn Hampton Inn Hawthorn Suites LTD. Heritage Inn Motel Hilton Garden Inn & Conference Center Hilton Homewood Suites Holiday Inn & Conference Center Holiday Inn Express

Illini Union Hotel LaQuinta Inn Lincoln Lodge Manor Motel Microtel Inn Motel 6 Quality Inn & Suites Quarters Inn Ramada Inn Red Roof Inn Sleep Inn Super 8 Motel Value Place Wingate Inn

Source: Champaign County Convention & Visitors Bureau

Miscellaneous

PLACES OF WORSHIP

- Protestant 241
- Jewish 2
- Roman Catholic 8
- Islamic 1
- Other 25

HEALTH CARE

- Hospitals 2
- Beds 804
- Nursing Homes 11
- -Other facilities 27
- Doctors (M.D.) 453
- Dentists 95
- Ambulance Services 3