



Alpena County Michigan

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	305	-27
Land in farms (acres)	58,825	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	193	+22
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	37,282,000	+44
Government payments	215,000	-75
Farm-related income	2,516,000	+117
Total farm production expenses	27,610,000	+32
Net cash farm income	12,403,000	+79
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	122,235	+96
Government payments ^a	5,961	-34
Farm-related income ^a	22,665	+161
Total farm production expenses	90,523	+79
Net cash farm income	40,664	+144

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	53

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	39,390
Pastureland	2,794
Woodland	12,842
Other	3,799

Acres irrigated: 236

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	11
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	25
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	86	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	37	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21	7
\$100,000 or more	35	11

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	14	5
10 to 49 acres	95	31
50 to 179 acres	115	38
180 to 499 acres	57	19
500 to 999 acres	10	3
1,000+ acres	14	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	37,282	51	83	2,142	3,078
Crops	17,483	51	83	1,918	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,282	44	80	1,503	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	979	52	81	851	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	263	50	82	1,180	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	368	58	80	1,227	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	43	45	75	410	1,274
Other crops and hay	4,548	23	82	756	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	19,799	39	83	1,754	3,076
Poultry and eggs	116	48	82	1,302	3,027
Cattle and calves	2,931	41	82	1,972	3,047
Milk from cows	16,405	32	71	377	1,770
Hogs and pigs	89	44	82	934	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	192	29	80	979	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	22	57	73	2,088	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	44	59	83	1,304	2,909

Producers ^d	530	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	77	
Male	341			
Female	189	Farm organically	2	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	12	
<35	48	Hire farm labor	23	
35 – 64	299	Are family farms	98	
65 and older	183			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,935
Asian	-		Cattle and calves	7,233
Black or African American	-		Goats	61
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	169
White	524		Horses and ponies	184
More than one race	6		Layers	3,263
Other characteristics			Pullets	145
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Sheep and lambs	1,378
With military service	48		Turkeys	14
New and beginning farmers	174			

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.