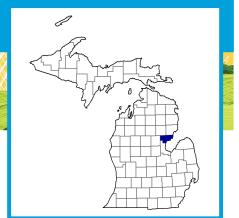


# **Arenac County Michigan**



### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	350	-17
Land in farms (acres)	87,174	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	249	+28
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	43,001,000	-16
Government payments	2,256,000	+44
Farm-related income	1,697,000	-2
Total farm production expenses	35,772,000	-1
Net cash farm income	11,182,000	-40
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	122,860	+1
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	9,024	+75
Farm-related income	11,864	+15
Total farm production expenses	102,205	+19
Net cash farm income	31,948	-27

## Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)
Crops	68
Livestock, poultry,	and products 32
Land in Farms	by Use (%) a
Cropland	84
Pastureland	1
Woodland	12
Other	4
Acres irrigated: 2	228
	(Z)% of land in farms
Land Use Pract	tices (% of farms)
No till	8
Reduced till	14
Intensive till	36
Cover crop	15

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	169	48	1 to 9 acres	28	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	5	10 to 49 acres	91	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	4	50 to 179 acres	132	38
\$10,000 to \$24,999	32	9	180 to 499 acres	45	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	23	7	500 to 999 acres	34	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32	9	1,000 + acres	20	6
\$100,000 or more	65	19			

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#### **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in Otata b	Producing	in	Producing
Total	(\$1,000)	State b	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	43,001	44	83	1,895	3,077
Crops	29,046	41	83	1,436	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	23,340	33	81	1,088	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,473	36	82	505	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	64	80	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	4	57	76	584	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,039	22	82	845	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	13,955	41	82	1,905	3,073
Poultry and eggs	8	73	82	1,829	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,718	37	82	2,020	3,055
Milk from cows	11,204	34	72	429	1,892
Hogs and pigs	16	65	82	1,430	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	73	81	2,442	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	78	-	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	73	81	(D)	2,878

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	556	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	352 204	Have internet access	74	Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all Wheat for grain, all	21,514 16,034 8,218 6,987
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	35 318 203	Farm organically	3	Dry edible beans	4,680
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	2 - 540 14	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	5 19	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	314 7,924 - 132 75
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	4 65 136	Are family farms	98	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	524 66 (D) 24

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

<sup>(</sup>D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.