



Charlevoix County Michigan

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	271	-9
Land in farms (acres)	29,940	-20
Average size of farm (acres)	110	-13
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	8,415,000	-15
Government payments	104,000	-43
Farm-related income	1,082,000	+194
Total farm production expenses	7,005,000	-22
Net cash farm income	2,596,000	+72
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	31,050	-7
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,251	-23
Farm-related income	12,583	+194
Total farm production expenses	25,850	-14
Net cash farm income	9,578	+88

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	59
Livestock, poultry, and products	41

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	47
Pastureland	11
Woodland	28
Other	14

Acres irrigated: 57

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	13

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	113	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	46	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	6
\$100,000 or more	17	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	24	9
10 to 49 acres	100	37
50 to 179 acres	101	37
180 to 499 acres	35	13
500 to 999 acres	8	3
1,000 + acres	3	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	8,415	64	83	2,722	3,077
Crops	4,991	61	83	2,377	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,244	60	81	2,064	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	56	82	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,407	21	81	396	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	577	49	80	1,002	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	63	76	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,200	53	82	1,706	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,424	61	82	2,590	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	64	82	1,570	3,007
Cattle and calves	912	62	82	2,413	3,055
Milk from cows	1,747	60	72	841	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	53	82	1,201	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	493	5	81	342	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	174	32	78	1,070	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	39	54	81	1,078	2,878

Total Producers ^c	449	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	257	69	5,524
Female	192		Corn for grain
Age		Farm organically	2,417
<35	19	2	Corn for silage or greenchop
35 – 64	264		501
65 and older	166		Cherries, tart
Race		Sell directly to consumers	(D)
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	25	Apples
Asian	-		293
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	21	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	445		Broilers and other meat-type chickens
More than one race	2	Are family farms	739
Other characteristics		97	Cattle and calves
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	12		2,172
With military service	41		Goats
New and beginning farmers	113		139
			Hogs and pigs
			160
			Horses and ponies
			397
			Layers
			1,519
			Pullets
			362
			Sheep and lambs
			1,905
			Turkeys
			46

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

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.