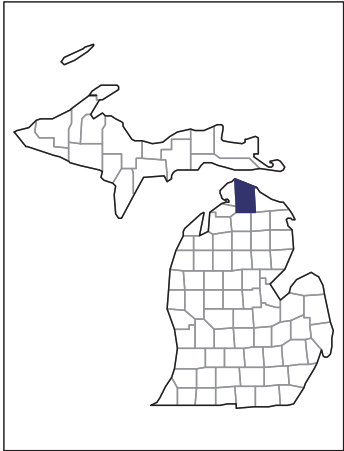


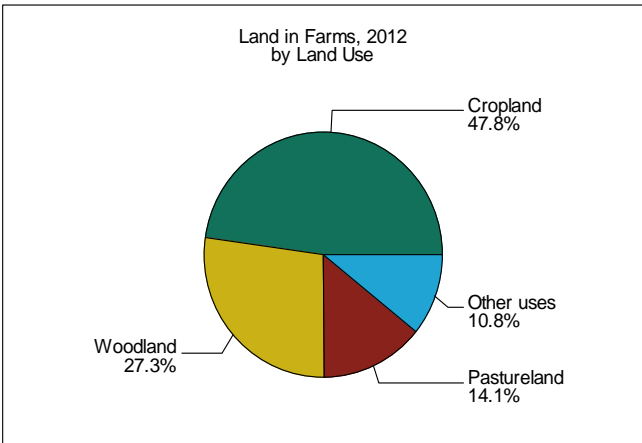
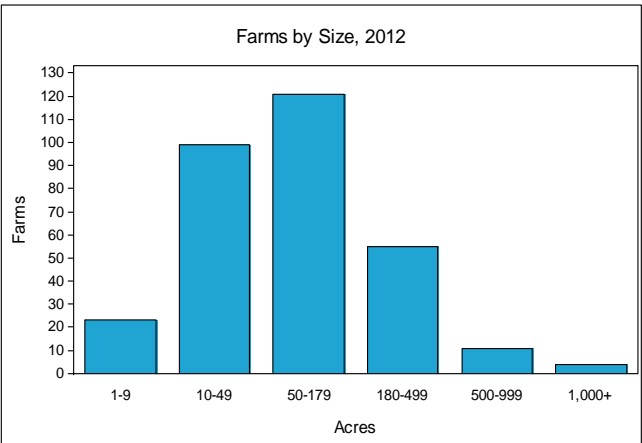
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Cheboygan County Michigan

| | 2012 | 2007 | % change |
|--|--------------|--------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 313 | 347 | - 10 |
| Land in Farms | 45,567 acres | 47,562 acres | - 4 |
| Average Size of Farm | 146 acres | 137 acres | + 7 |
| Market Value of Products Sold | \$9,275,000 | \$10,259,000 | - 10 |
| Crop Sales \$5,615,000 (61 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$3,660,000 (39 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$29,632 | \$29,564 | 0 |
| Government Payments | \$221,000 | \$89,000 | + 148 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$3,511 | \$1,188 | + 196 |





Cheboygan County – Michigan

Ranked items among the 83 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

| Item | Quantity | State Rank | Universe ¹ | U.S. Rank | Universe ¹ |
|---|----------|------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Total value of agricultural products sold | 9,275 | 61 | 83 | 2,704 | 3,077 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 5,615 | 61 | 82 | 2,375 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 3,660 | 61 | 83 | 2,589 | 3,076 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 647 | 67 | 82 | 2,335 | 2,926 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | 436 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 635 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 187 | 65 | 82 | 1,545 | 2,802 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 3,127 | 14 | 79 | 245 | 2,724 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 241 | 60 | 81 | 1,700 | 2,678 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | 214 | 15 | 78 | 145 | 1,530 |
| Other crops and hay | 1,198 | 51 | 82 | 1,767 | 3,049 |
| Poultry and eggs | (D) | (D) | 82 | (D) | 3,013 |
| Cattle and calves | 1,323 | 59 | 82 | 2,530 | 3,056 |
| Milk from cows | 2,199 | 57 | 73 | 996 | 2,038 |
| Hogs and pigs | 21 | 63 | 80 | 1,793 | 2,827 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 45 | 52 | 79 | 1,990 | 2,988 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 34 | 63 | 81 | 2,467 | 3,011 |
| Aquaculture | - | - | 37 | - | 1,366 |
| Other animals and other animal products | (D) | 63 | 82 | (D) | 2,924 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 14,275 | 31 | 82 | 1,295 | 3,057 |
| Corn for grain | 829 | 67 | 80 | 1,959 | 2,638 |
| Cut Christmas trees | 700 | 9 | 78 | 68 | 1,557 |
| Corn for silage | 627 | 60 | 78 | 1,305 | 2,237 |
| Land in Berries | 447 | 6 | 78 | 74 | 2,339 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 3,291 | 57 | 83 | 2,578 | 3,063 |
| Layers | 1,492 | 52 | 82 | 1,539 | 3,040 |
| Sheep and lambs | 418 | 46 | 79 | 1,583 | 2,897 |
| Horses and ponies | 384 | 61 | 83 | 2,315 | 3,072 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 205 | 62 | 81 | 1,687 | 2,723 |

Other County Highlights, 2012

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity | Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales: | | Principal operators by primary occupation: | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 88 | Farming | 127 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 43 | Other | 186 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 54 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 49 | Male | 278 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 36 | Female | 35 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 3 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 58.7 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 16 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 9 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 11 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 5 | Asian | 2 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 3 | Black or African American | - |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 1 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| \$500,000 or more | 6 | White | 451 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 11,016 | More than one race | - |
| Average per farm (\$) | 35,194 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | 3 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | -1,217 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | -3,888 | | |

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.