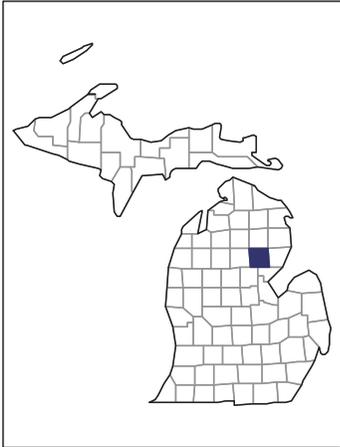


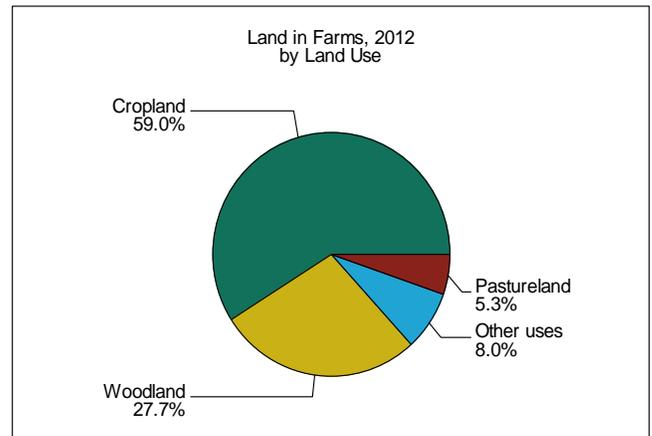
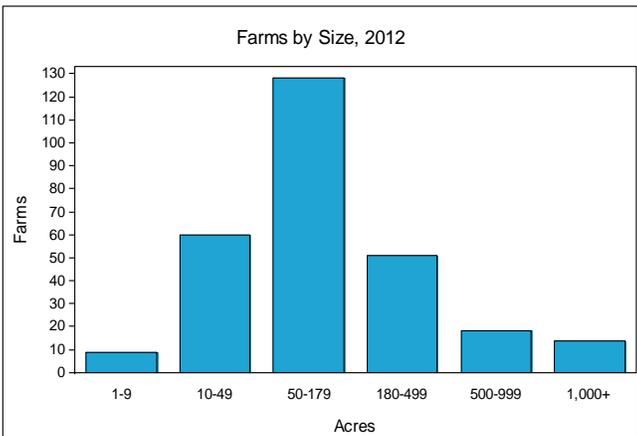
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Ogemaw County Michigan

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	280	321	- 13
Land in Farms	68,162 acres	60,941 acres	+ 12
Average Size of Farm	243 acres	190 acres	+ 28
Market Value of Products Sold	\$46,261,000	\$30,518,000	+ 52
Crop Sales \$13,478,000 (29 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$32,782,000 (71 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$165,216	\$95,071	+ 74
Government Payments	\$927,000	\$349,000	+ 166
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,026	\$2,688	+ 161





Ogemaw 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	46,261	43	83	1,826	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13,478	50	82	1,936	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	32,782	26	83	1,228	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9,661	45	82	1,531	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	26	63	79	2,035	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	75	78	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,696	40	82	1,484	3,049
Poultry and eggs	9	75	82	2,403	3,013
Cattle and calves	7,126	24	82	1,550	3,056
Milk from cows	25,522	18	73	279	2,038
Hogs and pigs	32	53	80	1,605	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	61	45	79	1,774	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	75	81	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	10	17	37	947	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	67	82	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,554	22	82	1,111	3,057
Corn for grain	9,283	42	80	1,215	2,638
Corn for silage	3,603	26	78	499	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	2,337	40	78	1,292	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,337	40	78	1,222	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	16,654	20	83	1,500	3,063
Sheep and lambs	707	33	79	1,158	2,897
Layers	503	78	82	2,369	3,040
Hogs and pigs	461	41	81	1,274	2,889
Horses and ponies	205	72	83	2,758	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	60	Farming	138
\$1,000 to \$2,499	36	Other	142
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	Male	223
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29	Female	57
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	30	White	419
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	36,089	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	128,888	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	12,025		
Average per farm (\$)	42,945		

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.