



## Michigan 5th District

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	2,612
Land in farms (acres)	607,782
Average size of farm (acres)	233
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	348,992,000
Government payments	12,854,000
Farm-related income	13,058,000
Total farm production expenses	303,973,000
Net cash farm income	70,931,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	133,611
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,579
Farm-related income	12,024
Total farm production expenses	116,376
Net cash farm income	27,156

**4** Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	79
Livestock, poultry, and products	21

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	89
Pastureland	2
Woodland	6
Other	3

**Acres irrigated: 9,897**

2% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	18
Intensive till	37
Cover crop	15

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	951	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	168	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	212	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	298	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	230	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	196	8
\$100,000 or more	557	21

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	215	8
10 to 49 acres	922	35
50 to 179 acres	802	31
180 to 499 acres	330	13
500 to 999 acres	189	7
1,000 + acres	154	6

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>348,992</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>275,112</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	195,300	6	13	80	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	26,127	7	14	101	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,003	8	14	281	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	26,833	6	14	154	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	255	9	11	114	326
Other crops and hay	25,594	4	13	125	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>73,880</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	6	13	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	10,650	8	13	227	396
Milk from cows	(D)	9	11	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	12	(D)	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	368	9	13	214	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	991	9	12	214	393
Aquaculture	(D)	7	9	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	2,834	6	14	89	413

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>4,168</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	77
Male	2,764		
Female	1,404	Farm organically	1
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	10
<35	320	Hire farm labor	22
35 – 64	2,438	Are family farms	97
65 and older	1,410		
<b>Race</b>			
American Indian/Alaska Native	9		
Asian	17		
Black or African American	45		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	4,063		
More than one race	34		
<b>Other characteristics</b>			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	33		
With military service	443		
New and beginning farmers	914		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			5,581
			Cattle and calves
			31,830
			Goats
			817
			Hogs and pigs
			31,660
			Horses and ponies
			2,706
			Layers
			8,527
			Pullets
			(D)
			Sheep and lambs
			2,483
			Turkeys
			761

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs 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](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.