



Clinton County Michigan

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,017	-10
Land in farms (acres)	229,763	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	226	+5
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	224,284,000	-15
Government payments	4,392,000	+16
Farm-related income	6,402,000	+5
Total farm production expenses	210,457,000	+5
Net cash farm income	24,620,000	-66
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	220,535	-5
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	10,358	+67
Farm-related income	14,992	+8
Total farm production expenses	206,939	+17
Net cash farm income	24,209	-63

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	32
Livestock, poultry, and products	68

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	87
Pastureland	2
Woodland	6
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 2,637

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	22
Reduced till	19
Intensive till	27
Cover crop	12

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	370	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	88	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	99	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	112	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	102	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	70	7
\$100,000 or more	176	17

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	110	11
10 to 49 acres	365	36
50 to 179 acres	312	31
180 to 499 acres	112	11
500 to 999 acres	58	6
1,000 + acres	60	6

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	224,284	12	83	427	3,077
Crops	72,219	24	83	812	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	63,507	16	81	624	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,107	39	82	551	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	255	36	81	909	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	2,357	32	80	590	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	48	39	76	382	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,946	12	82	647	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	152,065	7	82	294	3,073
Poultry and eggs	90	34	82	1,081	3,007
Cattle and calves	20,090	9	82	789	3,055
Milk from cows	129,968	2	72	57	1,892
Hogs and pigs	1,295	27	82	584	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	425	6	81	399	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	152	35	78	1,170	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	46	53	81	1,028	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,680	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 76,885
Male	1,081	80	Corn for grain 52,562
Female	599		Forage (hay/haylage), all 19,692
Age		Farm organically	Corn for silage or greenchop 19,419
<35	122	1	Wheat for grain, all 15,555
35 – 64	954		
65 and older	604		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	11	11	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 634
Asian	3		Cattle and calves 64,037
Black or African American	10	Hire farm labor	Goats 468
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	24	Hogs and pigs 5,412
White	1,644		Horses and ponies 937
More than one race	12		Layers 4,248
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets 173
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	16	98	Sheep and lambs 2,336
With military service	143		Turkeys 48
New and beginning farmers	281		

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.