



Roscommon County Michigan

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	48	-17
Land in farms (acres)	5,757	-23
Average size of farm (acres)	120	-6
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	782,000	(D)
Government payments	30,000	(D)
Farm-related income	375,000	+326
Total farm production expenses	1,181,000	+47
Net cash farm income	6,000	+102
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	16,287	(D)
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,760	(D)
Farm-related income	23,429	+433
Total farm production expenses	24,600	+77
Net cash farm income	124	+103

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	38
Livestock, poultry, and products	62

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	51
Pastureland	13
Woodland	23
Other	13

Acres irrigated: 677

12% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	27

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	23	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	21
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	3	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	1	2
10 to 49 acres	20	42
50 to 179 acres	21	44
180 to 499 acres	5	10
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	1	2

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	782	80	83	3,010	3,077
Crops	300	80	83	2,956	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	79	81	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	7	80	82	2,022	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	81	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	60	75	80	1,487	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	59	76	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	223	76	82	2,579	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	482	79	82	2,911	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	68	82	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	215	77	82	2,631	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	72	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	73	82	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	7	70	81	2,427	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	70	78	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	80	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	47	71	2,372
Female	33		Rye for grain
Age		Farm organically	120
<35	2	2	Cultivated Christmas trees
35 – 64	52		(D)
65 and older	26	Sell directly to consumers	Vegetables harvested, all
Race		21	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	Hire farm labor	Sweet corn
Asian	-	21	(D)
Black or African American	-		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Are family farms	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
White	72	100	-
More than one race	8		Cattle and calves
Other characteristics			468
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Goats
With military service	16		30
New and beginning farmers	38		Hogs and pigs
			-
			Horses and ponies
			69
			Layers
			738
			Pullets
			-
			Sheep and lambs
			(D)
			Turkeys
			-

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.