



Schoolcraft County Michigan

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	62	-5
Land in farms (acres)	15,034	-23
Average size of farm (acres)	242	-19
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	2,109,000	-3
Government payments	98,000	+5
Farm-related income	583,000	+147
Total farm production expenses	2,549,000	+10
Net cash farm income	241,000	+29
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	34,012	+2
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,538	-43
Farm-related income	83,272	+676
Total farm production expenses	41,115	+16
Net cash farm income	3,880	+35

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	49
Livestock, poultry, and products	51

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	39
Pastureland	16
Woodland	34
Other	11

Acres irrigated: 7

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	15

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	29	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1	2
\$10,000 to \$24,999	8	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	2
\$100,000 or more	8	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	4	6
10 to 49 acres	19	31
50 to 179 acres	19	31
180 to 499 acres	8	13
500 to 999 acres	8	13
1,000 + acres	4	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	2,109	79	83	2,962	3,077
Crops	1,027	78	83	2,817	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	69	81	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	11	79	82	1,993	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	52	80	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	66	76	650	1,384
Other crops and hay	180	78	82	2,616	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,082	73	82	2,823	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	875	64	82	2,424	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	72	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	4	69	82	1,722	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	72	81	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	78	-	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	11	30	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	70	81	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	107	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	63	85	2,845
Female	44		(D)
Age		Farm organically	Dry edible beans
<35	16	-	228
35 – 64	57		(D)
65 and older	34		Wheat for grain, all
Race		Sell directly to consumers	(D)
American Indian/Alaska Native	3	16	Soybeans for beans
Asian	-		(D)
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	15	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	102		Broilers and other
More than one race	2	Are family farms	meat-type chickens
Other characteristics		94	(D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Cattle and calves
With military service	9		885
New and beginning farmers	21		(D)
			Goats
			(D)
			Hogs and pigs
			(D)
			Horses and ponies
			58
			Layers
			(D)
			Pullets
			-
			Sheep and lambs
			90
			Turkeys
			(D)

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.