



News Release

Michigan Farm Numbers

The estimated number of farms in Michigan in 2014 was 51,600, according to the USDA, NASS, Great Lakes Region. Land in farms was estimated to be 9.95 million acres, unchanged from the previous year. The average size farm in Michigan was 193 acres, up 2 acres from 2013.

The number of farms in the United States in 2014, at 2.08 million was down 1 percent from 2013. Total land in farms at 913 million acres, decreased 1.03 million acres from 2013. The average size farm was 438 acres, up 3 acres from 2013.

Number of farms by economic sales class, 2013-2014

State and year	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000-\$999,999	\$1,000,000 +	Total
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
Michigan							
2013	26,300	15,300	3,900	2,600	2,100	1,800	52,000
2014	25,800	14,800	4,200	2,700	2,250	1,850	51,600
United States							
2013	1,081,880	619,390	142,520	96,540	79,640	82,040	2,102,010
2014	1,054,860	622,150	144,960	97,170	82,720	82,140	2,084,000

Land in farms by economic sales class, 2013-2014

State and year	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000-\$999,999	\$1,000,000 +	Total
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>
Michigan							
2013	1,370	1,680	1,000	1,100	1,700	3,100	9,950
2014	1,100	1,700	1,050	1,200	1,800	3,100	9,950
United States							
2013	95,120	193,880	130,860	125,470	152,365	216,335	914,030
2014	90,800	193,820	128,930	125,320	156,070	218,060	913,000

A farm is defined as any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were produced and sold, or normally would have been sold during the year. The \$1,000 threshold can be met by any combination of sales and government payments. Land in farms includes: crop and livestock acreage, wasteland, woodland, pasture, land in summer fallow, idle cropland, land enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program, and other set-aside or commodity acreage programs.