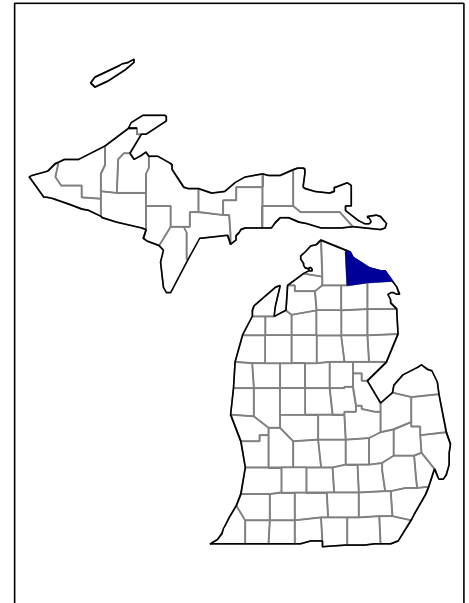


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Number of farms

303 farms in 2002, 337 farms in 1997, down 10 percent.

Land in farms

68,059 acres in 2002, 87,060 acres in 1997, down 22 percent.

Average size of farm

225 acres in 2002, 258 acres in 1997, down 13 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$11,304,000 in 2002, \$13,316,000 in 1997, down 15 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$7,366,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$3,938,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

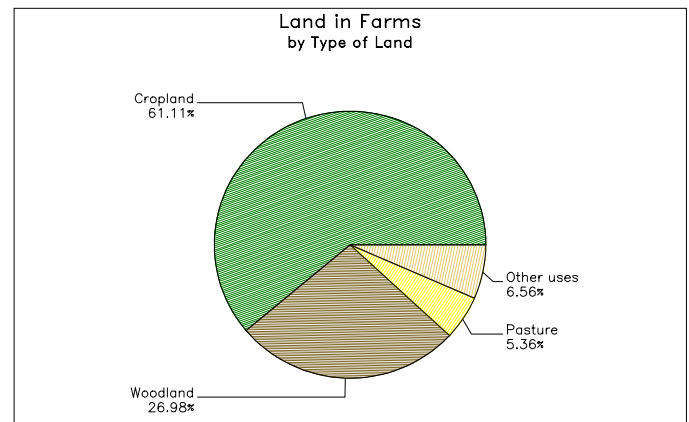
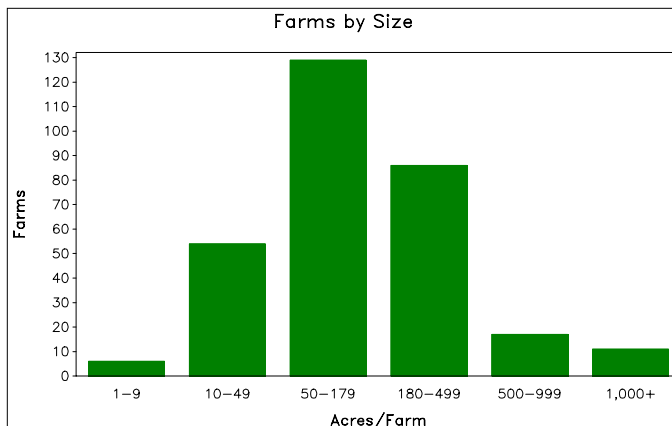
\$37,308 in 2002, \$39,513 in 1997, down 6 percent.

Government Payments

\$388,000 in 2002, \$143,000 in 1997, up 171 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,972 in 2002, \$1,509 in 1997, up 229 percent.



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Ranked items among the 83 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	11,304	54	83	2,448	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,366	48	83	1,854	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,938	51	83	2,458	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,361	25	81	335	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	58	56	82	1,515	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,013	49	83	1,226	3,046
Poultry and eggs	4	66	80	2,244	2,918
Cattle and calves	914	58	82	2,586	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,882	47	76	854	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11	68	79	2,299	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	7	62	81	2,450	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	23	70	82	2,716	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	96	44	79	876	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	6,681	46	83	2,360	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,007	43	81	1,385	2,983
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	677	37	78	1,007	2,599
Deer	(D)	14	63	(D)	1,080
Rabbits	338	8	75	206	1,966
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	15,232	33	83	1,359	3,059
Corn for grain	3,920	49	80	1,374	2,592
Oats	2,838	2	82	170	2,215
Potatoes	2,298	4	72	90	1,551
All Wheat for grain	2,283	37	73	1,232	2,517

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	103
\$1,000 to \$2,499	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36
\$10,000 to \$19,999	42
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6
\$500,000 or more	5
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,521
Average per farm (\$)	38,276
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,443
Average per farm (\$)	11,437

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	162
Other	141
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	275
Female	28
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.4
All operators ² by race:	
White	433
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	9

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.