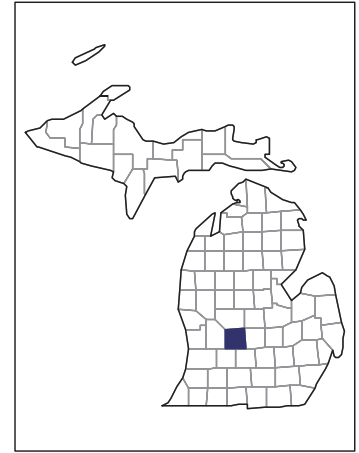


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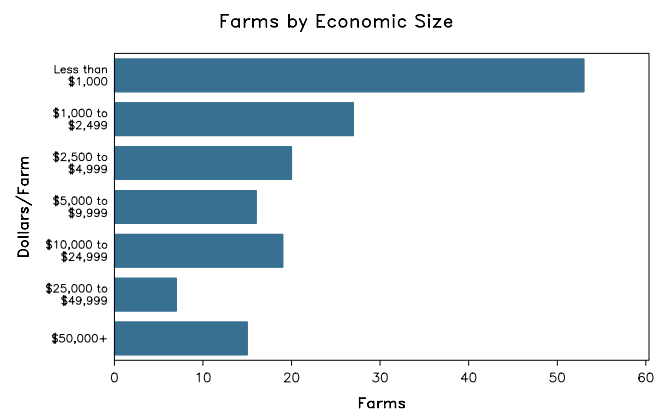
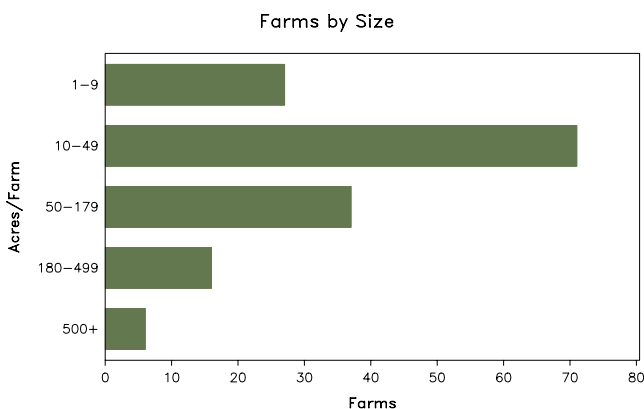
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Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	157	1,183
Land in Farms	14,877 acres	238,435 acres
Average Size of Farm	95 acres	202 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$5,675,000	\$201,226,000
Crop Sales	\$2,113,000	\$54,233,000
Livestock Sales	\$3,562,000	\$146,992,000
Average Per Farm	\$36,145	\$170,098
Government Payments	\$159,000	\$3,349,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,642	\$5,184

See footnotes on reverse page.

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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	157	5,675
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	64	2,113
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	69	3,562
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	32	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	1	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	40	257
Poultry and eggs	18	4
Cattle and calves	26	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	7	(D)
Hogs and pigs	10	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	24	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	18	(D)
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	3	2
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Corn for grain	28	3,290
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	65	2,134
Soybeans for beans	15	1,425
Wheat for grain, all	11	312
Corn for silage or greenchop	6	193
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Hogs and pigs	4	(D)
Cattle and calves	38	1,679
Horses and ponies	78	519
Layers	19	405
Sheep and lambs	14	245

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	71
Other	86
Days worked off farm:	
None	56
Any	101
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	3
3 to 4 years	10
5 to 9 years	22
10 years or more	122
Age group:	
Under 45 years	50
45 to 64 years	65
65 years and over	42
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.1

Economic Characteristics

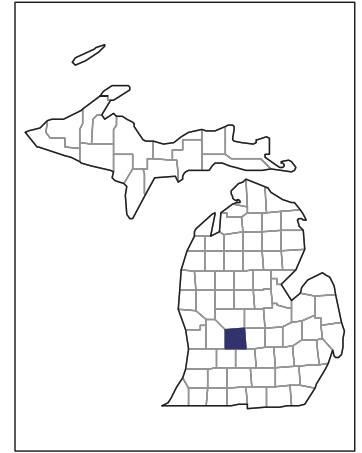
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	67
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15
\$10,000 to \$49,999	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6
\$500,000 or more	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,047
Average per farm (\$)	32,147
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,287
Average per farm (\$)	8,200
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	26
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	501

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(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms



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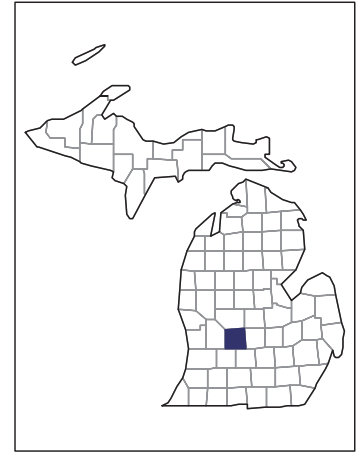
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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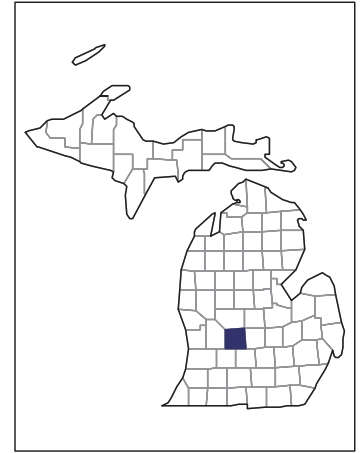
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**Farms with Asian Operators
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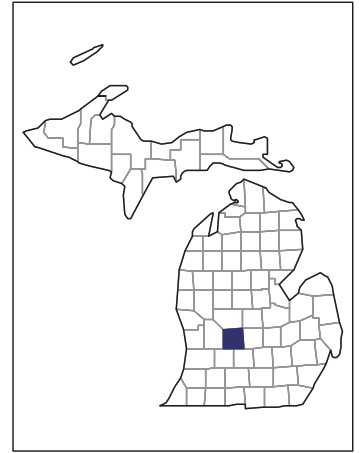
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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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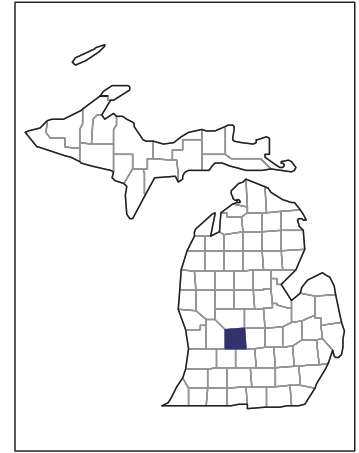
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



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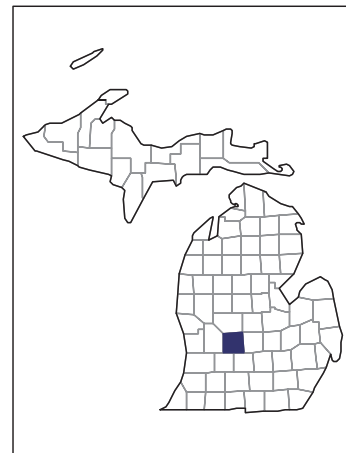
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**Farms with White Operators
Compared with All Farms**



Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with White operators.



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