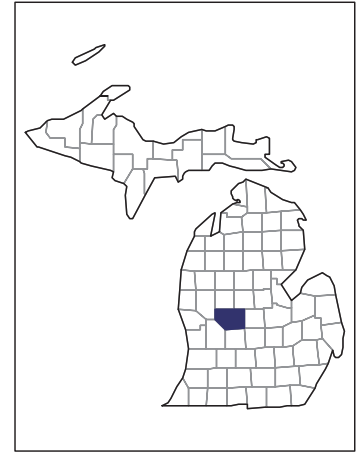


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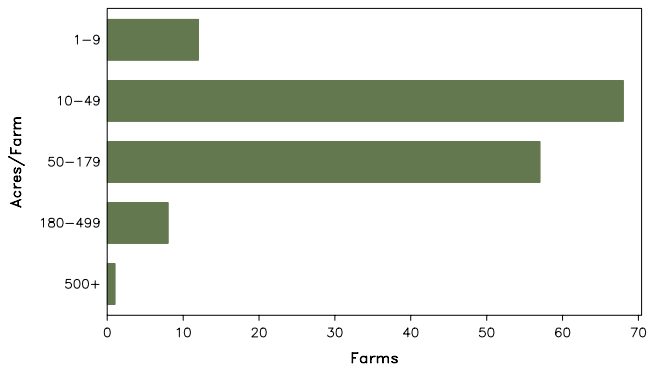
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	146	1,227
Land in Farms	10,911 acres	242,804 acres
Average Size of Farm	75 acres	198 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,340,000	\$139,384,000
Crop Sales	\$709,000	\$88,810,000
Livestock Sales	\$631,000	\$50,573,000
Average Per Farm	\$9,181	\$113,597
Government Payments	\$121,000	\$2,473,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,775	\$4,094

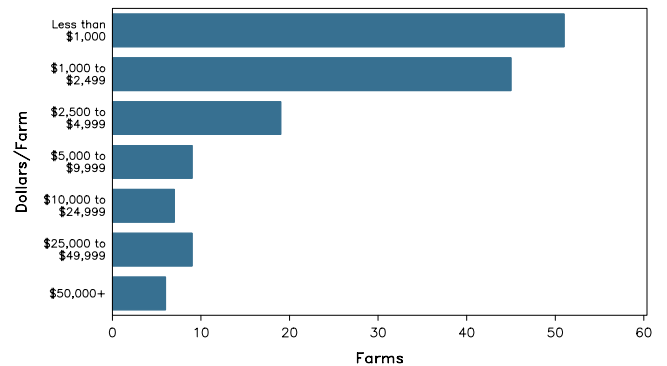
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	146	1,340
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	36	709
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	59	631
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	16	448
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	7	47
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3	75
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	3	(D)
Other crops and hay	15	138
Poultry and eggs	10	(D)
Cattle and calves	27	126
Milk and other dairy products from cows	7	227
Hogs and pigs	8	7
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	8
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	14	248
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	4	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	46	1,489
Corn for grain	15	849
Soybeans for beans	5	462
Corn for silage or greenchop	6	145
Wheat for grain, all	4	137
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Colonies of bees	2	(D)
Cattle and calves	24	643
Horses and ponies	53	341
Layers	20	249
Rabbits and their pelts	13	159

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	45
Other	101
Days worked off farm:	
None	60
Any	86
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	6
3 to 4 years	9
5 to 9 years	33
10 years or more	98
Age group:	
Under 45 years	19
45 to 64 years	78
65 years and over	49
Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7

Economic Characteristics

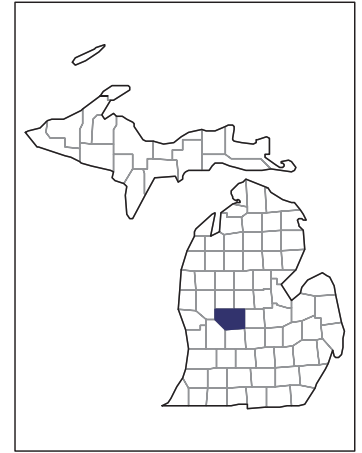
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	82
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7
\$10,000 to \$49,999	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,937
Average per farm (\$)	13,266
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-353
Average per farm (\$)	-2,418
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	11
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	123

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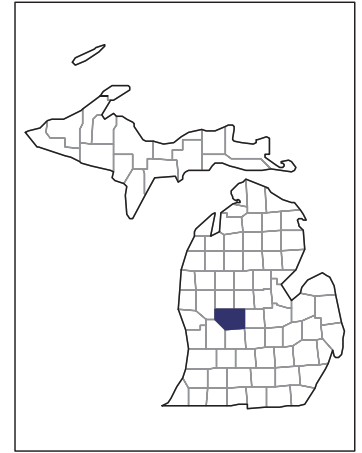
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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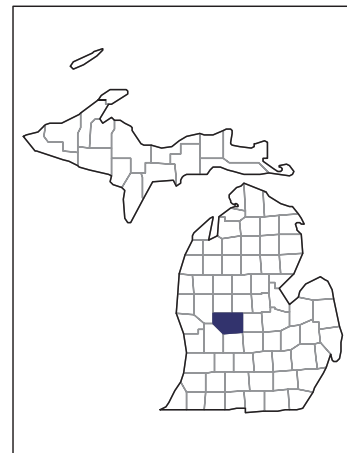
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**Farms with Asian Operators
Compared with All Farms**



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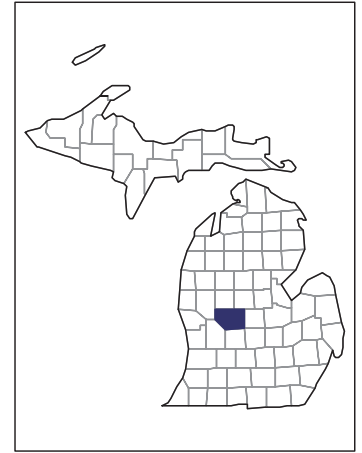
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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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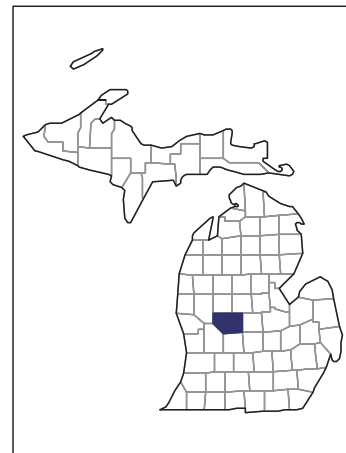
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



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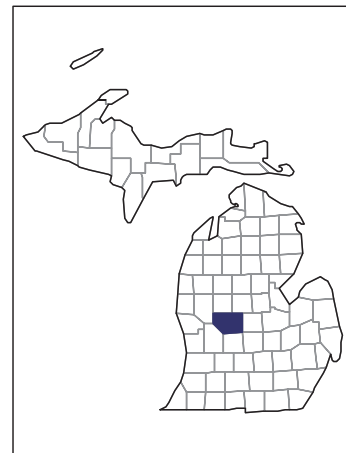
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Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms



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



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