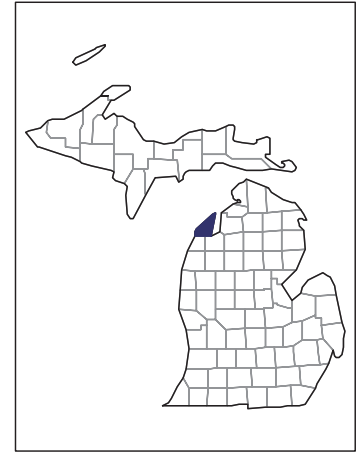


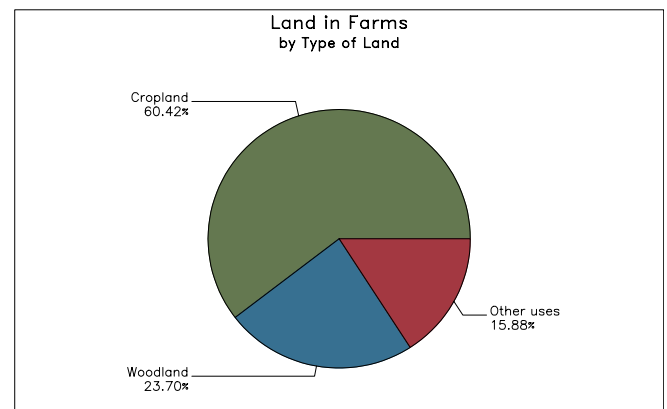
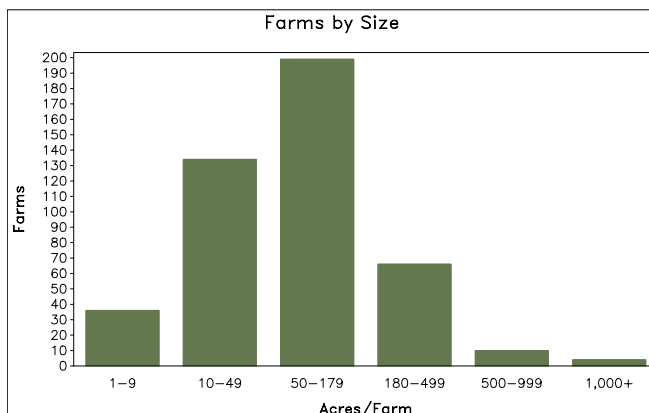
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## County Profile

### Leelanau County Michigan



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	449	429	+ 5
<b>Land in Farms</b>	55,751 acres	62,406 acres	- 11
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	124 acres	145 acres	- 14
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$35,304,000	\$15,988,000	+ 121
Crop Sales \$31,675,000 (90 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,629,000 (10 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$78,628	\$37,268	+ 111
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$231,000	\$968,000	- 76
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,625	\$14,886	- 82



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### Leelanau County – Michigan

#### Ranked items among the 83 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	35,304	41	83	1,858	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	31,675	36	83	1,171	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,629	61	83	2,586	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	471	62	82	2,160	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	302	54	81	1,308	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	28,975	5	81	82	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,285	39	80	989	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	100	37	81	410	1,710
Other crops and hay	542	64	83	2,096	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	53	82	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,798	49	83	2,359	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,014	67	77	1,340	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11	72	82	2,231	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	79	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	261	31	82	895	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	41	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	18	82	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cherries, tart	9,514	2	55	2	796
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,947	66	83	2,159	3,060
Cherries, sweet	4,304	1	54	7	918
Corn for grain	2,725	57	78	1,599	2,634
Apples	1,503	8	80	36	2,144
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	2,664	62	83	2,702	3,060
Layers	1,340	52	82	1,382	3,024
Colonies of bees	969	25	76	459	2,640
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	755	32	81	975	2,476
Horses and ponies	516	59	83	2,205	3,066

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	89	Farming	213
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	236
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	Male	388
\$10,000 to \$19,999	44	Female	61
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	31	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	26	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	46	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	46	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	24	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	6
\$500,000 or more	10	White	708
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	29,460	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	65,613	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	8
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,057		
Average per farm (\$)	17,944		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

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

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.