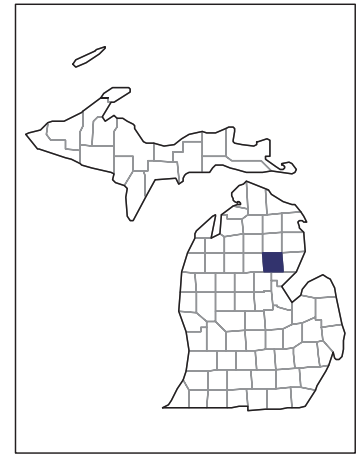


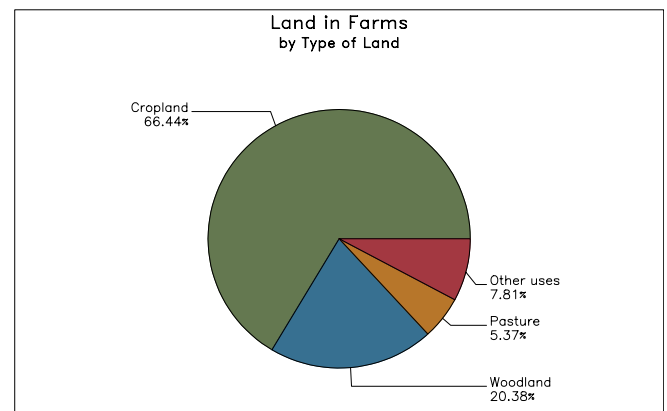
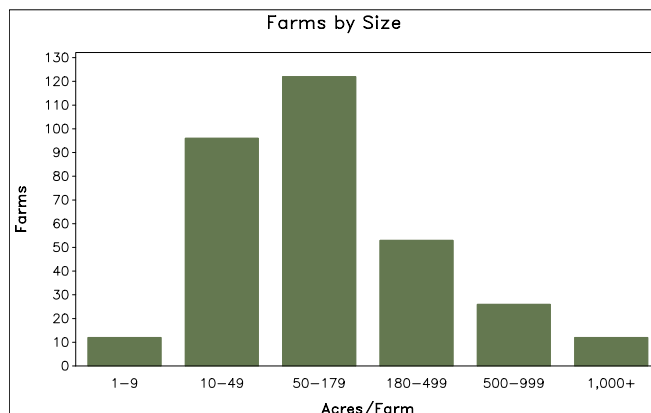
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County Profile

Ogemaw County Michigan



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	321	256	+ 25
Land in Farms	60,941 acres	67,836 acres	- 10
Average Size of Farm	190 acres	265 acres	- 28
Market Value of Products Sold	\$30,518,000	\$22,740,000	+ 34
Crop Sales \$4,112,000 (13 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$26,405,000 (87 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$95,071	\$88,830	+ 7
Government Payments	\$349,000	\$1,003,000	- 65
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,688	\$10,555	- 75



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Ogemaw County – Michigan

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

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	30,518	44	83	1,972	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,112	59	83	2,327	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	26,405	30	83	1,297	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,592	48	82	1,852	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	68	81	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	840	28	81	509	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	242	59	80	1,732	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	72	81	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,402	36	83	1,200	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	66	82	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,605	28	83	1,764	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	21,506	19	77	277	2,493
Hogs and pigs	12	70	82	2,183	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	74	35	79	1,349	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	61	53	82	2,069	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	15	41	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	80	62	82	1,125	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	21,073	19	83	1,015	3,060
Corn for grain	6,452	46	78	1,328	2,634
Corn for silage	2,965	29	79	491	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	1,028	48	75	1,621	2,481
Soybeans for beans	879	48	65	1,574	2,039
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	15,040	24	83	1,662	3,060
Sheep and lambs	1,098	28	80	838	2,891
Layers	541	73	82	2,108	3,024
Horses and ponies	454	64	83	2,340	3,066
Deer	314	22	68	223	1,246

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	112	Farming	155
\$1,000 to \$2,499	33	Other	166
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	33	Male	264
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	57
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$500,000 or more	24	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,743	Black or African American	1
Average per farm (\$)	70,850	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	488
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,051	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	28,197	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1

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.

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.