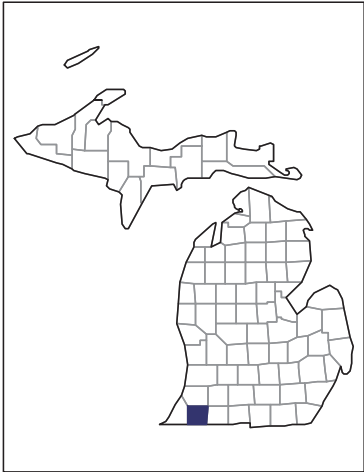


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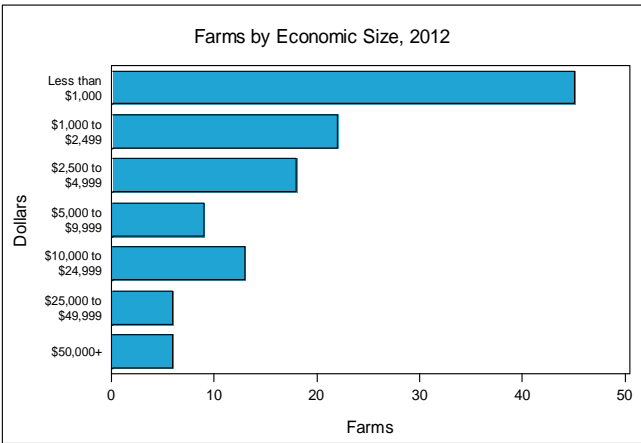
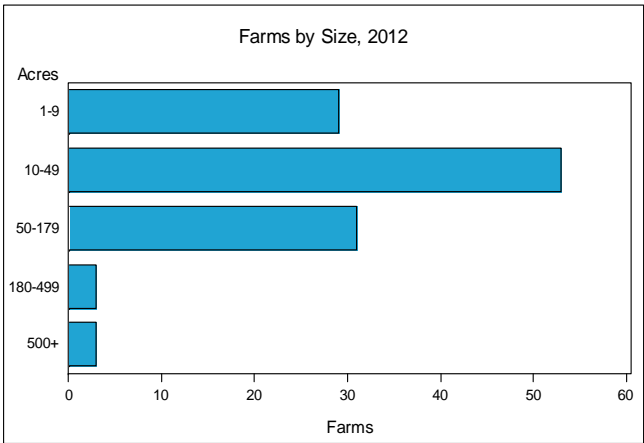
Cass County - Michigan Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

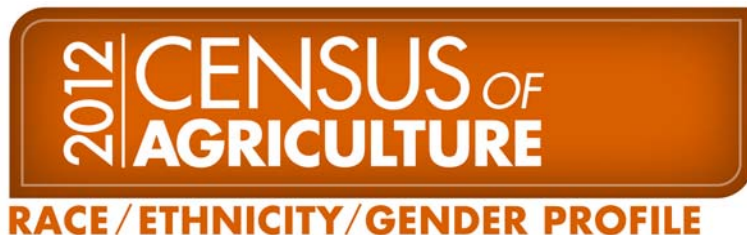


	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	119	798
Land in Farms	11,690 acres	188,690 acres
Average Size of Farm	98 acres	236 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$8,376,000	\$187,159,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$125,673,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$61,485,000
Average Per Farm	\$70,387	\$234,534
Government Payments	\$164,000	\$2,666,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,457	\$6,980

See footnotes on reverse page.

Farms with Women Principal Operators





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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	119	8,376
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	45	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	46	(D)
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	26	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	7	218
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3	107
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1	(D)
Other crops and hay	15	43
Poultry and eggs	8	(D)
Cattle and calves	12	43
Milk from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	2	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	15	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	16	101
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	3	(Z)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Corn for grain	19	(D)
Soybeans for beans	14	2,321
Forage, all	33	561
Winter wheat for grain	3	82
Vegetables harvested, all	9	72
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Ducks	7	(D)
Horses and ponies	48	328
Sheep and lambs	12	220
Goats, all	12	220
Layers	18	211

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	62
Other	57
Days worked off farm:	
None	33
Any	86
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	1
3 to 4 years	3
5 to 9 years	17
10 years or more	98
Age group:	
Under 35 years	8
35 to 44 years	20
45 to 64 years	63
65 years and over	28
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.5

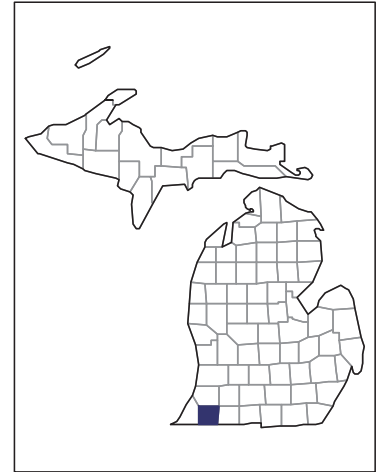
Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	55
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9
\$10,000 to \$49,999	21
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,458
Average per farm (\$)	54,266
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,683
Average per farm (\$)	22,545
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	53
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	601

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.
 - Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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

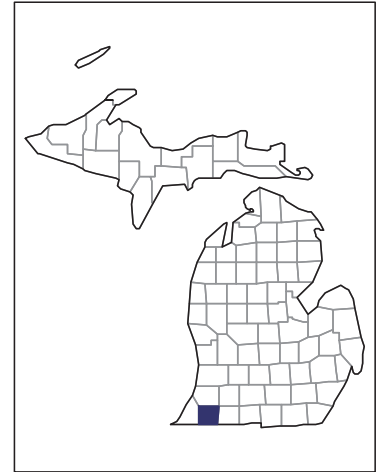


Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators.



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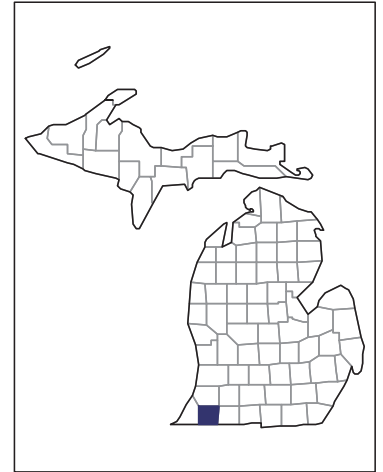
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska
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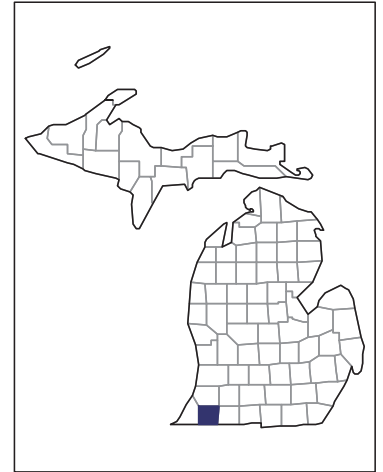
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Farms with Asian Operators Compared
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Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Operators.

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Cass County - Michigan
Farms with Black or African American
Operators Compared with All Farms



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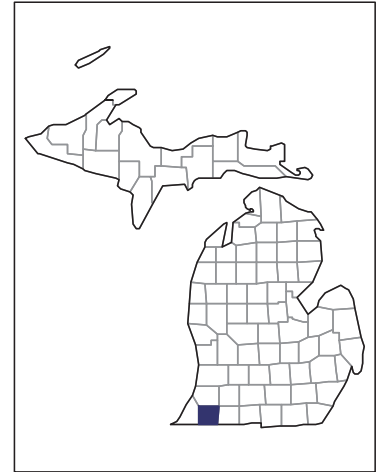


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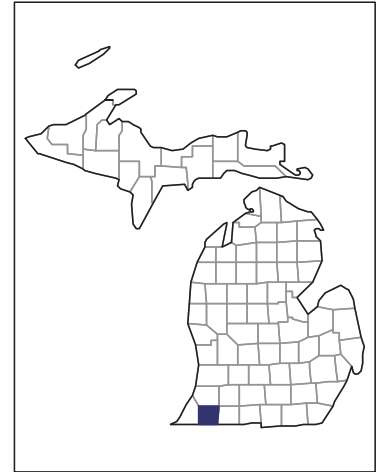
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other
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Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators.

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Cass County - Michigan
Farms with White Operators Compared
with All Farms



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

