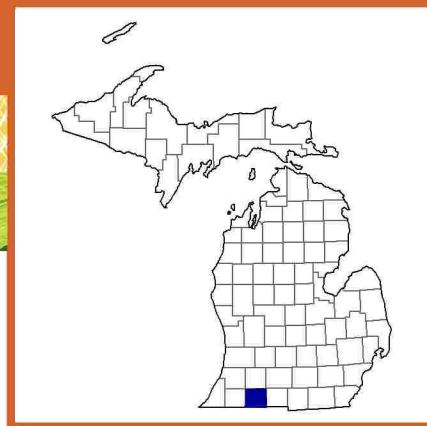
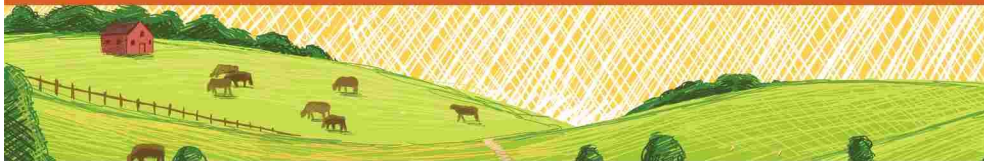




St. Joseph County, Michigan Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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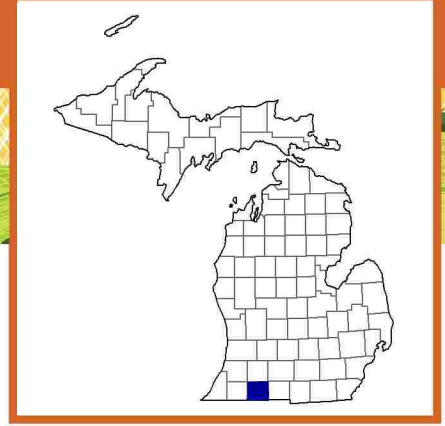
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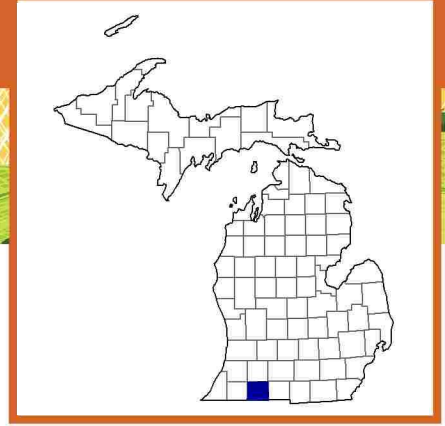
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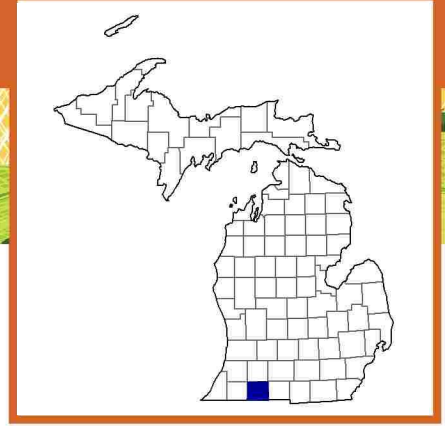
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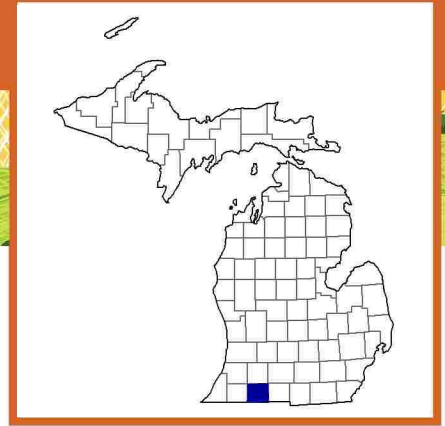
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St. Joseph County, Michigan Farms with White Producers^a

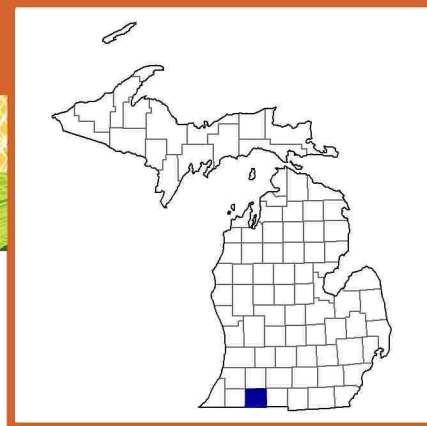
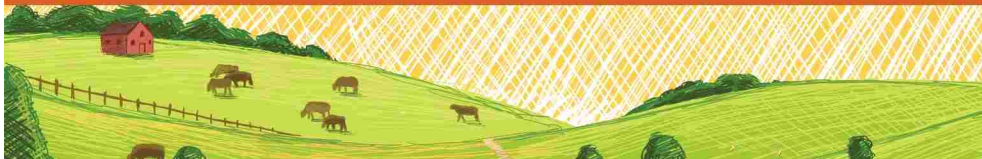
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St. Joseph County, Michigan Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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



St. Joseph County, Michigan Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	486	896
Land in farms (acres)	119,215	244,952
Average size of farm (acres)	245	273
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	104,974,000	230,675,000
Government payments	3,055,000	5,839,000
Farm-related income	7,896,000	15,037,000
Total farm production expenses	97,323,000	200,239,000
Net cash farm income	18,601,000	51,312,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	215,996	257,450
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	17,656	16,402
Farm-related income	39,089	37,037
Total farm production expenses	200,254	223,481
Net cash farm income	38,274	57,268

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	56
Livestock, poultry, and products	44

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	89
Pastureland	2
Woodland	6
Other	3

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	16
Intensive till	24
Cover crop	20

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	210	43
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	35	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	34	7
\$100,000 or more	107	22
Total	486	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	56	12
10 to 49 acres	195	40
50 to 179 acres	124	26
180 to 499 acres	58	12
500 to 999 acres	16	3
1,000 + acres	37	8
Total	486	100



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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold			Total Producers ^c	522
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms		
Total	104,974	486	Age	
			<35	71
			35 – 64	358
			65 and older	93
Crops	58,969	280	Race	
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	52,282	188	American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Tobacco	-	-	Asian	2
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Black/African American	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	3,878	28	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	274	6	White	520
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,033	10	More than one race	-
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Primary occupation	
Other crops and hay	1,503	134	Farming	167
			Other	355
Livestock, poultry, and products	46,004	207	Days worked off farm	
Poultry and eggs	14,290	92	None	256
Cattle and calves	3,551	88	1 to 199	85
Milk from cows	(D)	21	200 +	181
Hogs and pigs	8,505	24	Other characteristics	
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	34	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	1
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	527	41	With military service	14
Aquaculture	-	-	New and beginning farmers	142
Other animals and animal products	(D)	26	Average age (years)	51.3
Top Crops in Acres ^d	Percent of farms that:			Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Corn for grain	53,948	Have internet access	63	The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles. See also the video “What’s New in the 2017 Census?” (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).
Soybeans for beans	31,550	Farm organically	1	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	6,532	Sell directly to consumers	14	
Corn for silage	2,463	Hire farm labor	23	
Vegetables harvested, all	2,412	Are family farms	96	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)				
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	811,808			
Cattle and calves	9,217			
Goats	205			
Hogs and pigs	29,362			
Horses and ponies	1,199			
Layers	2,936			
Pullets	507			
Sheep and lambs	681			
Turkeys	110			

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

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^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.