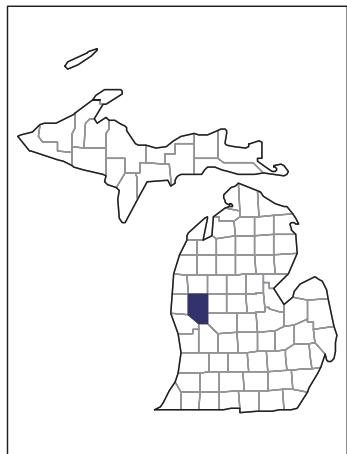


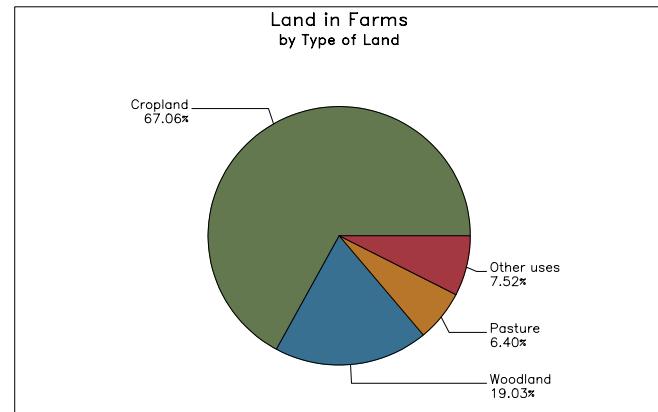
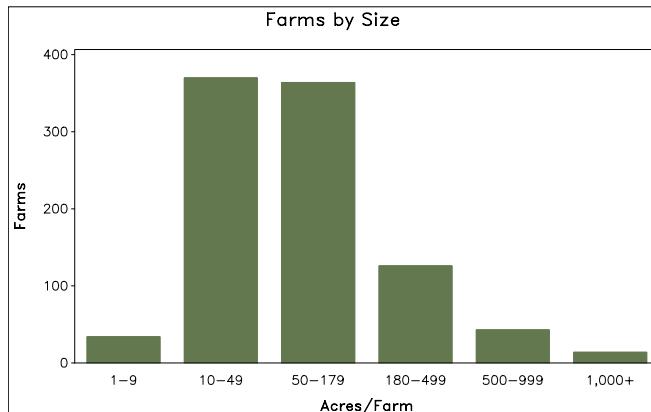
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## County Profile

### Newaygo County Michigan



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	951	902	+ 5
<b>Land in Farms</b>	133,403 acres	135,422 acres	- 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	140 acres	150 acres	- 7
 <b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	 \$101,170,000	 \$60,868,000	 + 66
Crop Sales \$31,741,000 (31 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$69,429,000 (69 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	<b>\$106,382</b>	<b>\$67,481</b>	<b>+ 58</b>
 <b>Government Payments</b>	 \$878,000	 \$2,178,000	 - 60
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,483	\$8,747	- 60



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#### 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	101,170	21	83	881	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	31,741	34	83	1,167	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	69,429	8	83	593	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,635	38	82	1,388	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	13,839	8	81	142	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	5,105	12	81	191	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,682	26	80	699	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	5	81	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	83	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	2,934	9	82	808	3,020
Cattle and calves	10,785	11	83	1,138	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	51,901	8	77	141	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1,985	22	82	760	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	11	79	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	710	10	82	319	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	11	41	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	788	8	82	260	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	28,079	9	83	737	3,060
Corn for grain	20,895	34	78	917	2,634
Corn for silage	10,328	8	79	122	2,263
Vegetables harvested for sale	6,574	10	81	135	2,794
Soybeans for beans	3,592	39	65	1,261	2,039
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	(D)	6	77	(D)	2,371
Cattle and calves	27,275	10	83	1,121	3,060
Hogs and pigs	6,104	26	81	808	2,958
Deer	3,625	1	68	3	1,246
Layers	2,790	30	82	977	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	313	Farming	391
\$1,000 to \$2,499	109	Other	560
\$2,500 to \$4,999	100	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	111	Male	826
\$10,000 to \$19,999	91	Female	125
\$20,000 to \$24,999	22	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	31	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	41	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	57	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	49	White	1,391
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	80,097	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	84,224	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	15
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,796		
Average per farm (\$)	26,074		

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(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.