



News Release

NR-24-11

February 20, 2024

Michigan Farm Numbers

The number of farms in Michigan in 2023 was 45,300, according to Marlo D. Johnson, Director of the USDA, NASS, Great Lakes Regional Office. Land in farms was 9.5 million acres, unchanged from last year. The average size farm in Michigan was 210 acres per farm, up from 208 acres in 2022.

The number of farms in the United States for 2023 is estimated at 1,894,950, down 5,700 farms from 2022. Total land in farms, at 878,560,000 acres, decreased 1,100,000 acres from 2022. The average farm size for 2023 is 464 acres, up from 463 acres the previous year.

Number of Farms by Economic Sales Class – Michigan and United States, 2022 and 2023

State and year	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000-\$999,999	\$1,000,000 or more	Total
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Michigan							
2022	22,600	13,300	3,200	2,400	1,600	2,500	45,600
2023	22,600	13,000	3,200	2,400	1,600	2,500	45,300
United States							
2022	918,330	588,300	127,860	87,800	70,130	108,230	1,900,650
2023	914,620	582,510	125,810	87,330	70,080	114,600	1,894,950

Land in Farms by Economic Sales Class – Michigan and United States, 2022 and 2023

State and year	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000-\$999,999	\$1,000,000 or more	Total
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)
Michigan							
2022	1,000	1,400	850	1,100	1,200	3,950	9,500
2023	1,000	1,200	850	1,000	1,100	4,350	9,500
United States							
2022	76,160	161,150	101,930	115,360	127,130	297,930	879,660
2023	75,050	155,300	98,780	112,010	125,330	312,090	878,560

A farm is defined as any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were produced and sold, or normally would have been sold during the year. The \$1,000 threshold can be met by any combination of sales and government payments. Land in farms includes: crop and livestock acreage, wasteland, woodland, pasture, land in summer fallow, idle cropland, land enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program, and other set-aside or commodity acreage programs.