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### Calhoun County Michigan

#### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

|                                  | 2022        | % change since 2017 |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                  | 898         | -6                  |
| Land in farms (acres)            | 204,143     | -5                  |
| Average size of farm (acres)     | 227         | +2                  |
| Total                            | (\$)        |                     |
| Market value of products sold    | 179,447,000 | +58                 |
| Government payments              | 3,017,000   | -33                 |
| Farm-related income              | 7,030,000   | +36                 |
| Total farm production expenses   | 151,874,000 | +42                 |
| Net cash farm income             | 37,621,000  | +129                |
| Per farm average                 | (\$)        |                     |
| Market value of products sold    | 199,830     | +68                 |
| Government payments <sup>a</sup> | 15,962      | +24                 |
| Farm-related income <sup>a</sup> | 20,862      | +51                 |
| Total farm production expenses   | 169,125     | +51                 |
| Net cash farm income             | 41,894      | +144                |

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## Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

| Crops                            | 65 |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 35 |

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

| Cropland    | 161,077 |
|-------------|---------|
| Pastureland | 5,340   |
| Woodland    | 18,744  |
| Other       | 18,982  |

#### Acres irrigated: 17,277

8% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

| No till        | 22 |
|----------------|----|
| Reduced till   | 16 |
| Intensive till | 19 |
| Cover crop     | 12 |

#### Farms by Value of Sales Farms by Size Percent of Total <sup>b</sup> Percent of Total b Number Number Less than \$2,500 338 38 1 to 9 acres 134 15 \$2,500 to \$4,999 70 8 10 to 49 acres 318 35 \$5,000 to \$9,999 50 to 179 acres 254 28 98 11 \$10,000 to \$24,999 103 11 180 to 499 acres 93 10 \$25,000 to \$49,999 5 73 8 500 to 999 acres 42 \$50,000 to \$99,999 37 4 1.000+ acres 57 6 \$100,000 or more 179 20



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#### Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

|   | <b>Sales</b><br>(\$1,000) | Rank<br>in<br>State <sup>c</sup> | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item | Rank<br>in<br>U.S. ° | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item |
|---|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Total   | 179,447                   | 27                               | 83                            | 933                  | 3,078                         |
| Crops   | 117,359                   | 24                               | 83                            | 731                  | 3,074                         |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                     | 109,254                   | 16                               | 80                            | 579                  | 2,917                         |
| Tobacco   | -                         | -                                | -                             | -                    | 267                           |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                     | -                         | -                                | -                             | -                    | 647                           |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes              | 1,322                     | 46                               | 81                            | 767                  | 2,831                         |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                                | 277                       | 49                               | 82                            | 1,152                | 2,711                         |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                    | 3,729                     | 27                               | 80                            | 544                  | 2,660                         |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation<br>woody crops | 114                       | 36                               | 75                            | 292                  | 1,274                         |
| Other crops and hay                                       | 2,662                     | 37                               | 82                            | 1,181                | 3,035                         |
| Livestock, poultry, and products                          | 62,088                    | 25                               | 83                            | 944                  | 3,076                         |
| Poultry and eggs  | 400                       | 22                               | 82                            | 930                  | 3,027                         |
| Cattle and calves   | (D)                       | 25                               | 82                            | (D)                  | 3,047                         |
| Milk from cows  | 32,035                    | 24                               | 71                            | 285                  | 1,770                         |
| Hogs and pigs   | (D)                       | 12                               | 82                            | (D)                  | 2,814                         |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                          | 363                       | 16                               | 80                            | 548                  | 2,967                         |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                    | 360                       | 25                               | 73                            | 759                  | 2,907                         |
| Aquaculture   | -                         | -                                | 30                            | -                    | 1,190                         |
| Other animals and animal products                         | 184                       | 41                               | 83                            | 745                  | 2,909                         |

| Producers d   | 1,552             | Percent of farms that:     |    | Top Crops in Acres °   |                                     |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------|----|--|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Sex</b><br>Male<br>Female  | 1,019<br>533      | Have internet<br>access    | 76 | Soybeans for beans<br>Corn for grain<br>Forage (hay/haylage), all<br>Corn for silage/greenchop | 71,328<br>61,116<br>10,382<br>3,642 |
| <b>Age</b><br><35<br>35 – 64<br>65 and older  | 171<br>856<br>525 | Farm<br>organically        | 1  | Wheat for grain, all   | 3,604                               |
| <b>Race</b><br>American Indian/Alaska Native<br>Asian<br>Black or African American                              | 6<br>-<br>5       | Sell directly to consumers | 9  | Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)<br>Broilers and other<br>meat-type chickens                 | 1,748                               |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander<br>White<br>More than one race   | -<br>1,528<br>13  | Hire<br>farm labor         | 19 | Cattle and calves<br>Goats<br>Hogs and pigs<br>Horses and ponies                               | 13,899<br>1,361<br>(D)<br>1,156     |
| Other characteristics<br>Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin<br>With military service<br>New and beginning farmers | 15<br>115<br>515  | Are family<br>farms        | 97 | Layers<br>Pullets<br>Sheep and lambs<br>Turkeys  | 8,086<br>151<br>484<br>123          |

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>f</sup> 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.