

CORN: Acreage, Yield, and Production

Year	All Planted Acres	Grain			Silage		
		Harvested Acres	Yield Bushels	Production Bushels	Harvested Acres	Yield Tons	Production Tons
1940	13,059	4,554	40	183,251	N/A	N/A	N/A
1950	16,370	7,211	46	328,140	8,702	8.6	74,585
1959	21,532	10,856	47	513,660	10,462	9.2	95,760
1969	25,800	13,400	79	1,058,600	N/A	N/A	N/A
1978	49,600	31,000	82	2,542,000	18,000	12.0	216,000
1982	48,800	34,500	92	3,156,800	14,000	14.5	203,000
1987	40,000	27,600	114	3,147,600	11,900	16.0	190,400
1992	46,000	27,100	85	2,303,500	16,900	15.0	253,500
1997	45,500	28,100	110	3,091,000	17,000	16.4	278,800
1998	45,700	28,200	120	3,382,900	17,500	17.6	308,000
1999	47,000	22,900	100	2,298,800	24,100	16.4	395,600
2000	40,200	13,500	105	1,413,600	26,700	15.7	418,700
2001	44,200	21,600	103	2,232,000	22,500	15.7	353,200
2002	48,400	22,700	101	2,285,700	25,400	14.4	366,000
2003	47,500	22,500	132	2,978,700	24,700	18.0	445,400

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HAY: Acreage, Yield, and Production

Year	Alfalfa Hay			Other Hay			Total Hay		
	Harvested Acres	Yield Tons	Production Tons	Harvested Acres	Yield Tons	Production Tons	Harvested Acres	Yield Tons	Production Tons
1940	14,607	1.7	24,439	27,843	1.1	30,134	42,450	1.3	54,573
1950	13,929	2.0	27,216	22,470	1.4	30,889	36,399	1.6	58,105
1959	32,115	2.2	70,750	9,288	1.8	16,379	41,403	2.1	87,129
1969	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	35,877	2.6	93,935
1978	24,700	2.6	64,200	5,700	2.2	12,500	30,400	2.5	76,700
1982	23,500	3.4	79,900	4,600	2.7	12,400	28,100	3.3	92,300
1987	25,000	3.5	87,600	6,000	2.8	16,500	31,000	3.4	104,100
1992	22,000	2.4	51,800	3,300	1.9	6,400	25,300	2.3	58,200
1997	16,300	2.6	42,500	4,300	2.0	8,600	20,600	2.5	51,100
1998	15,300	2.5	37,500	3,500	2.5	8,600	18,800	2.5	46,100
1999	13,100	3.1	40,900	5,100	2.0	10,400	18,200	2.8	51,300
2000	10,200	3.2	32,200	5,000	2.3	11,500	15,200	2.9	43,700
2001	13,300	3.4	45,600	5,600	2.7	14,900	18,900	3.2	60,500
2002	16,300	3.1	50,600	5,900	2.6	15,200	22,200	3.0	65,800
2003	15,300	3.2	48,800	6,500	1.6	10,200	21,800	2.7	59,000

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Genesee County

Farm Statistics

Genesee county is located in the north west part of the state. In 2003, there were 177,200 acres in farms, 56 percent of the county's total 316,230 acres. There were 575 farms in the county averaging 308 acres per farm. Genesee county ranks 34th in the state for number of farms and 17th for land in farms.

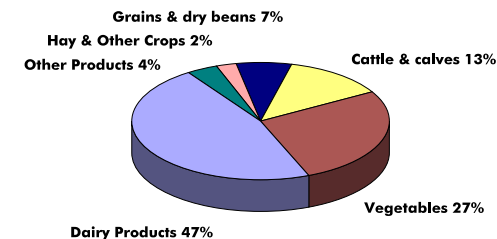
In 2002, according to the Census of Agriculture, the market value of all agricultural products sold from county farms was \$124.9 million. Total sales averaged \$215,410 per farm. The leading products sold were: dairy products, vegetables, cattle & calves, grains & dry beans, and hay & other crops.

The average value of land and buildings per farm in 2002 was \$412,369. Machinery and equipment were valued at \$120,121 per farm. Total production expenses in 2002 were \$98.1 million for an average of \$168,571 per farm. The Census showed 63 percent of the farm operators reported farming as their principal occupation. The average age of the operator was 54.1 years. Data from the U.S. Department of Commerce showed the median household income in 1999 was \$40,542.

LEADING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

Product	2002 Sales (\$1,000)	Percent of Total	State Rank
Dairy Products	58,514	47	7
Vegetables	33,953	27	2
Cattle & calves	15,874	13	2
Grains & dry beans	8,953	7	7
Hay & Other Crops	2,933	2	15
Other Products	4,711	4	
TOTAL SALES	124,938		4

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**Leading Agricultural Products
Percent of Total**

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FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, AND LAND USE

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms <i>Acres</i>	Total Cropland <i>Acres</i>	Permanent Pasture <i>Acres</i>	Total Woodland <i>Acres</i>	Other Land <i>Acres</i>
1940	2,487	263,542	N/A	N/A	26,561	N/A
1950	2,112	257,379	181,682	24,863	31,780	19,054
1959	1,585	239,333	169,111	20,037	28,271	21,914
1969	1,029	196,648	148,871	N/A	22,514	N/A
1978	794	194,409	154,480	4,864	20,947	14,118
1982	741	188,964	147,631	5,621	19,284	12,428
1987	735	191,400	156,200	5,400	18,500	11,300
1992	640	188,800	152,400	7,000	18,700	10,700
1997	625	183,600	150,700	6,700	14,300	11,900
1998	635	187,000	152,100	7,100	15,000	12,800
1999	650	187,600	156,600	6,800	14,700	9,500
2000	635	181,900	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2001	625	165,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2002	575	177,400	142,178	5,504	20,338	9,180
2003	575	177,200	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

1940 - 1982 and all land breakouts after 1999 U.S. Census of Agriculture

FARMS BY SALES CLASS

Sales Class	1997	2002
Under \$10,000	298	302
\$10,000 to \$49,999	136	115
\$50,000 to \$99,999	53	55
\$100,000 or more	144	108
Farms Reporting	631	580

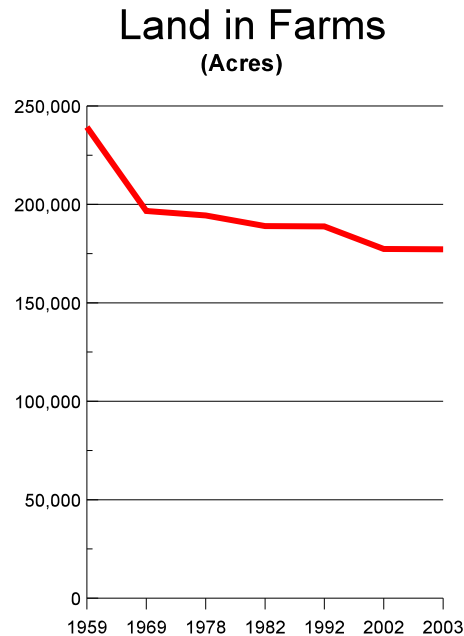
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RESIDENT POPULATION

In 2002, Genesee County's population ranked 44th in the state.

Year	Total	Population Per Square Mile
1940	44,500	90
1950	47,600	96
1960	54,000	109
1970	58,700	119
1980	59,400	120
1990	60,100	122
2002	60,370	122

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CATTLE: Number on Farms, January 1

Year	All Cattle & Calves	Beef Cows	Milk Cows
1940	23,387	N/A	N/A
1950	29,385	573	16,018
1959	36,637	890	18,865
1969	31,152	1,268	15,370
1978	38,000	1,400	18,000
1982	48,500	1,600	19,500
1987	44,000	1,300	22,000
1992	35,500	1,000	18,000
1997	41,000	1,100	20,000
1998	43,000	1,100	21,000
1999	43,000	1,100	22,000
2000	41,000	1,200	21,000
2001	40,000	1,000	20,500
2002	40,000	1,000	20,500
2003	45,900	1,200	23,100
2004	45,000	1,200	22,100

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MILK: Cows & Production

Year	Annual Avg. Milk Cows <i>No. Head</i>	Average Production Per Cow <i>Pounds</i>	Total Milk Production <i>Million lbs.</i>
1940	N/A	N/A	N/A
1950	N/A	N/A	N/A
1959	N/A	N/A	N/A
1969	N/A	N/A	N/A
1978	18,200	12,400	226
1982	19,500	12,900	252
1987	19,500	14,500	283
1992	18,200	17,000	309
1997	20,500	17,700	363
1998	21,500	17,900	385
1999	21,500	18,300	393
2000	21,000	18,600	391
2001	22,500	20,900	470
2002	22,500	20,900	470
2003	22,800	20,200	460
2004	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Oats: Acreage, Yield, and Production

Year	Planted <i>Acres</i>	Harvested <i>Acres</i>	Yield <i>Bushels</i>	Production <i>Bushels</i>
1940	N/A	14,371	39	556,594
1950	N/A	16,376	34	553,842
1959	N/A	17,267	58	999,466
1969	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1978	12,300	11,000	59	649,000
1982	11,300	10,100	69	696,900
1987	6,500	6,100	66	402,600
1992	4,200	2,900	76	220,400
1997	2,600	2,300	71	163,300
1998	2,900	2,800	65	182,000
1999	2,300	1,900	74	140,900
2000	1,600	1,400	57	80,000
2001	1,900	1,400	73	102,500
2002	1,500	1,500	73	109,800
2003	1,800	1,500	71	105,800

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Wheat: Acreage, Yield, and Production

Year	Planted <i>Acres</i>	Harvested <i>Acres</i>	Yield <i>Bushels</i>	Production <i>Bushels</i>
1940	N/A	22,856	24	547,192
1950	N/A	28,502	27	778,873
1959	N/A	20,430	30	603,878
1969	16,600	15,400	39	600,600
1978	6,400	6,000	35	210,000
1982	14,300	13,000	47	611,000
1987	8,900	8,400	51	428,400
1992	12,500	11,000	55	605,000
1997	14,900	14,500	58	841,000
1998	15,500	14,400	56	806,400
1999	13,500	13,000	68	882,100
2000	15,100	13,800	59	812,200
2001	12,100	12,100	56	676,200
2002	11,100	11,000	62	680,000
2003	12,000	11,400	53	609,100

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EQUINE: Inventory and Value, Census of Agriculture, 2002

Year	Total Equine	Rank in State	Total Equine Sold	Value of Sales
2002	1,271.00	33	291	N/A