

# CANNABIS PRODUCTS AT MICHIGAN FARMERS MARKETS



PRODUCT TYPE	LEGAL TO BUY AT A MARKET?	IS A LICENSE REQUIRED TO SELL?	WHO REGULATES?
Hulled Hemp Seed, Hemp Seed Protein Powder, Hemp Seed Oil	Yes	No <sup>1</sup>	MDARD Food and Dairy Division
Topical CBD <i>(Soaps, Lotions)</i>	Yes	Processor-Handler	CRA, Food and Drug Administration
Smokable Hemp Flower	Yes	Processor-Handler	CRA
Smokable Marijuana Flower	No	Marijuana Establishment	CRA
CBD Edibles <i>(THC at or below 0.3% in Gummies, Capsules, Infused Food and Drink)</i>	No	Not legal at this time	MDARD Food and Dairy Division based on FDA regulations
Marijuana Edibles <i>(THC greater than 0.3% in Gummies or Infused Food and Drink)</i>	No	Marijuana Establishment	CRA
CBD Pet Treats	No	Not legal at this time <sup>2</sup>	MDARD Pesticide and Plant Pest Management
Growable Marijuana Seeds, Starts, and Plants	No	N/A	CRA
Viable Hemp Seeds, Starts, and Plants	No <sup>3</sup>	Processor-Handler	CRA

<sup>1</sup>These products are Generally Recognized As Safe (GRAS) and do not require licensing on their own to sell. When added to a food product, the final product may require licensing.

<sup>2</sup>It is currently unlawful in Michigan to manufacture and sell pet treats and/or pet food with CBD or hemp added.

<sup>3</sup>At this time, only Hemp Processor-Handlers can legally sell viable hemp to other registered growers or other licensed processors. The public cannot lawfully purchase viable seeds, starts, or plants. Viable means the seed is intended to grow a plant.

## COMMON TERMS:

**Cannabis:** The plant used to grow both hemp and marijuana and from which THC and CBD products can be processed.

**Hemp:** Cannabis with a THC level not more than 0.3% is classed as industrial hemp and is legal under both the state and federal law. Full legal definition can be found in MCL 333.27953(c).

**Marijuana:** Cannabis with a THC level greater than 0.3% is classed as marijuana, which is legal for adult use (21 years of age) in Michigan but remains illegal federally. Full legal definition can be found in MCL 333.27953(e).

**CBD (Cannabidiol):** A non-intoxicating compound found in hemp and marijuana. CBD is legal for topical use provided the THC level is at or below 0.3% but cannot legally be added to any food products.

**THC (Delta-9-Tetrahydrocannabinol):** The compound in cannabis that is responsible for the intoxicating effects of marijuana. Products containing THC levels greater than 0.3% are regulated as marijuana.

## WHO SHOULD I CONTACT WITH QUESTIONS?

### Marijuana Sales Questions and Licensing:

Cannabis Regulatory Agency (CRA)

Email: CRA-MedicalMarijuana@michigan.gov,

CRA-AdultUseLicensing@michigan.gov | Phone: (517) 284-8599

Website: Michigan.gov/CRA

### Industrial Hemp Grower Registration:

Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (MDARD)

Pesticide and Plant Pest Management (PPPM) | Industrial Hemp Program

Email: MDARD-IndustrialHemp@Michigan.gov | Phone: (800) 292-3939

Website: Michigan.gov/HempGrowing

### Farmers Market Food Safety:

Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (MDARD)

Food and Dairy Division

Email: MDA-Info@michigan.gov | Phone: (800) 292-3939

Website: Michigan.gov/farmersmarkets

### Hemp Seed Sales and Pet Treats:

Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (MDARD)

Pesticide and Plant Pest Management (PPPM)

Phone: (800) 292-3939

Website: Michigan.gov/MDARD-Feed, Michigan.gov/MDARD-Seed

### Industrial Hemp Processor-Handler Licensing:

Cannabis Regulatory Agency (CRA)

Phone: (517) 284-0815

Email: CRA-Hemp@michigan.gov

Website: Michigan.gov/HempProcessing

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