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**79. Profiles of Michigan: History, Statistics, Demographics for all 2,024 Populated Places in Michigan.** 3d ed. Millerton, N.Y., Grey House Publishing, 2012. 788p. maps. index. \$149.00pa. ISBN 13: 978-1-59237-772-5.

The 3d edition of *Profiles of Michigan* provides updated and new statistical data on over 2,000 populated places in Michigan. The bulk of the book includes profiles on specific locales, organized under counties. Data vary by location and may include snapshots of the geography, ancestry, history, population, economy, industry, income, housing, transportation, religion, climate, education, and health. There is a separate section on education, providing both a state profile and school district rankings on 16 topics, such as teacher/student ratios and current expenditures per students. Following is an ancestral and racial profile of Michigan, with accompanying sections providing more detailed data on Hispanic and Asian populations. Climate and weather data are offered on a state summary level along with detailed information for specific weather stations. Finally, 16 color maps visually represent information such as federal and Indian lands, median home values, and educational attainment. Because of the multitude of data provided on a variety of measures, *Profiles of Michigan* is highly recommended for all public and academic libraries. Additional states are also available and follow the same format.—

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