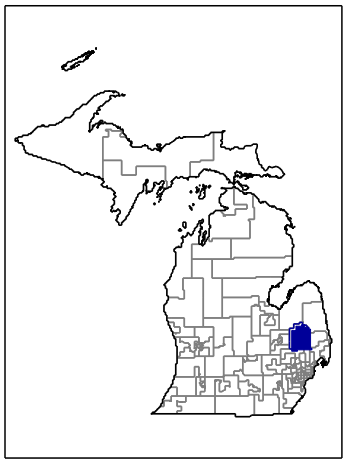
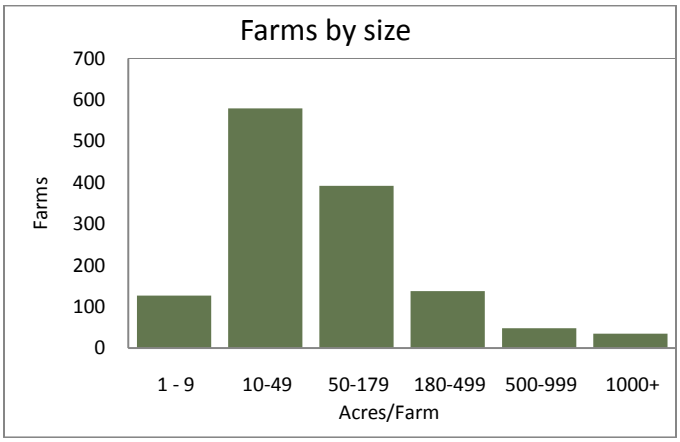
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

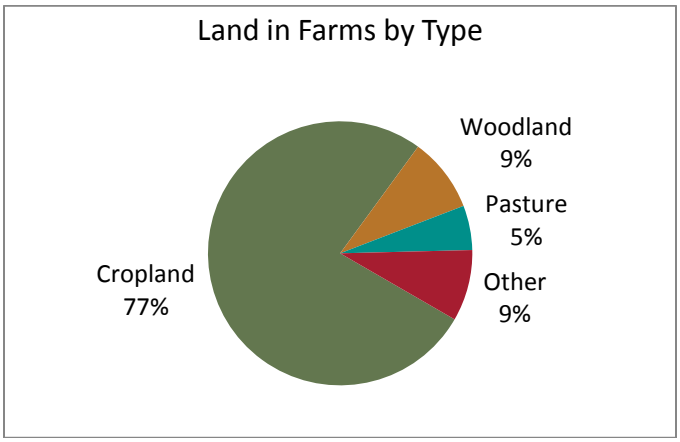
State Legislative Profile



Michigan
House District 82

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,085	1,874	+ 11
Number of Farms	1,319	1,200	+ 10
Land in Farms	176,459 acres	189,858 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	134 acres	158 acres	- 15
Irrigated Land	2,408 acres	1,869 acres	+ 29
Market Value of Products Sold	$69,052,000	$50,658,000	+ 36
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$52,352	$42,215	+ 24
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$4,377,000	$1,620,000	+ 170
Government Payments	$1,532,000	$2,610,000	- 41
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$5,266	$8,967	- 41





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Ranked items among the 110 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe [1]
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	69,052	29	91
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	45,153	29	87
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	23,899	27	83
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	23,566	25	76
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	10,626	10	72
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,471	18	70
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,816	23	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	178	20	63
Other crops and hay	3,497	16	75
Poultry and eggs	1,200	13	75
Cattle and calves	8,934	14	71
Milk and other dairy products from cows	11,268	25	65
Hogs and pigs	446	34	71
Sheep, goats, and their products	326	5	71
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	958	2	75
Aquaculture	(D)	4	34
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	42	69
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Soybeans for beans	40,008	18	72
Corn for grain	30,714	25	75
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	25,694	19	78
Wheat for grain, all	6,733	22	72
Corn for silage or greenchop	4,883	22	64
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Pheasants	31,097	2	59
Cattle and calves	17,422	18	74
Layers	5,342	16	73
Horses and ponies	3,235	5	84
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,499	8	63

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	471
$1,000 to $2,499	167
$2,500 to $4,999	139
$5,000 to $9,999	134
$10,000 to $19,999	109
$20,000 to $24,999	30
$25,000 to $39,999	53
$40,000 to $49,999	21
$50,000 to $99,999	49
$100,000 to $249,999	73
$250,000 to $499,999	42
$500,000 or more	31
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	64,267
Average per farm ($)	48,724
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	10,694
Average per farm ($)	8,108

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	601
Other	718
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,070
Female	249
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	14
Asian	4
Black or African American	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
White	2,009
More than one race	24
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2]	11

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
[1] Universe is number of house districts in state with item.
[2] Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.