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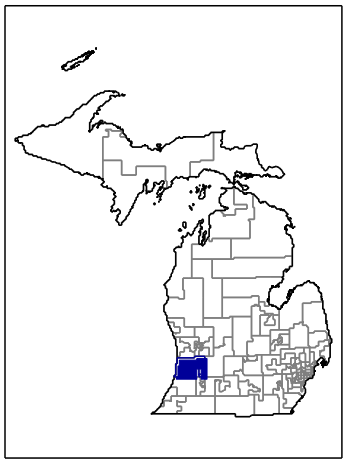
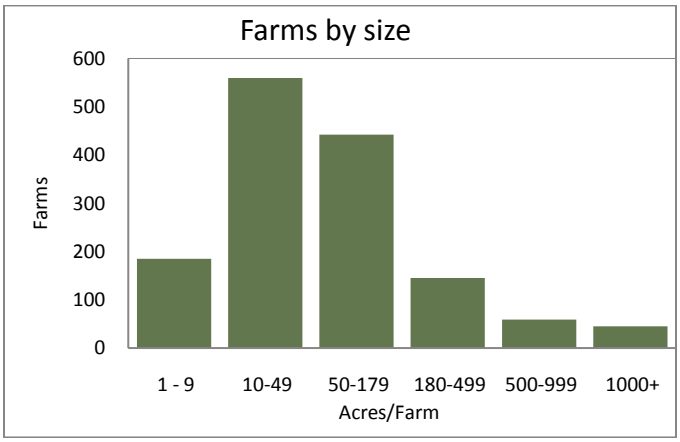
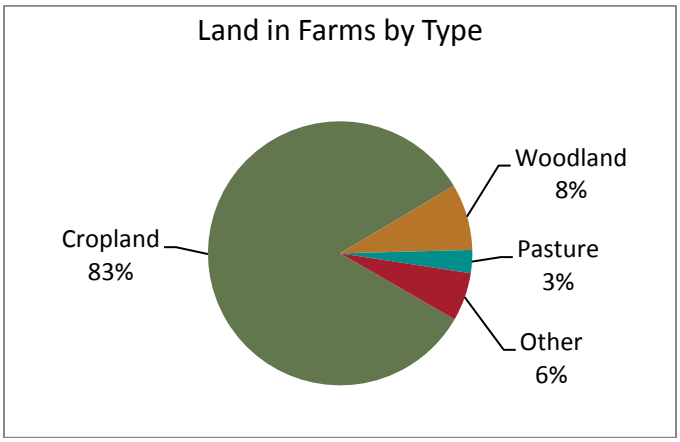


Michigan
House District 88

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,185	1,945	+ 12
Number of Farms	1,435	1,336	+ 7
Land in Farms	257,502 acres	216,383 acres	+ 19
Average Size of Farm	179 acres	162 acres	+ 10
Irrigated Land	20,730 acres	13,869 acres	+ 49
Market Value of Products Sold	$367,317,000	$193,408,000	+ 90
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$255,970	$144,767	+ 77
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$8,942,000	$3,243,000	+ 176
Government Payments	$3,259,000	$3,658,000	- 11
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$7,723	$11,840	- 35





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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	367,317	2	91
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	121,930	7	87
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	245,386	1	83
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	49,148	10	76
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	13,869	7	72
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	27,611	5	70
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	26,806	7	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2,264	4	63
Other crops and hay	2,233	22	75
Poultry and eggs	69,847	1	75
Cattle and calves	17,054	5	71
Milk and other dairy products from cows	66,528	6	65
Hogs and pigs	90,252	1	71
Sheep, goats, and their products	155	21	71
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	657	12	75
Aquaculture	(D)	19	34
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	11	69
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	89,306	8	75
Soybeans for beans	40,804	17	72
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	27,483	17	78
Corn for silage or greenchop	18,914	3	64
Vegetables harvested for sale	6,608	6	71
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers	3,054,956	2	73
Pullets for laying flock replacement	686,344	1	63
Turkeys	308,869	3	70
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	234,639	1	63
Hogs and pigs	195,087	1	70

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	390
$1,000 to $2,499	167
$2,500 to $4,999	142
$5,000 to $9,999	116
$10,000 to $19,999	109
$20,000 to $24,999	41
$25,000 to $39,999	67
$40,000 to $49,999	29
$50,000 to $99,999	93
$100,000 to $249,999	86
$250,000 to $499,999	73
$500,000 or more	122
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	288,278
Average per farm ($)	200,891
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	91,240
Average per farm ($)	63,582

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	636
Other	799
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,254
Female	181
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	22
Asian	1
Black or African American	17
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
White	2,098
More than one race	15
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2]	42

(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.