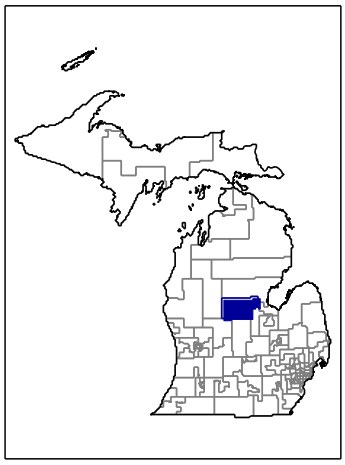
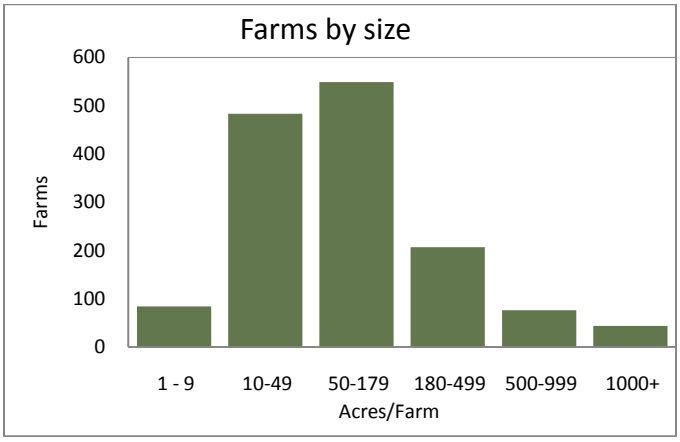
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

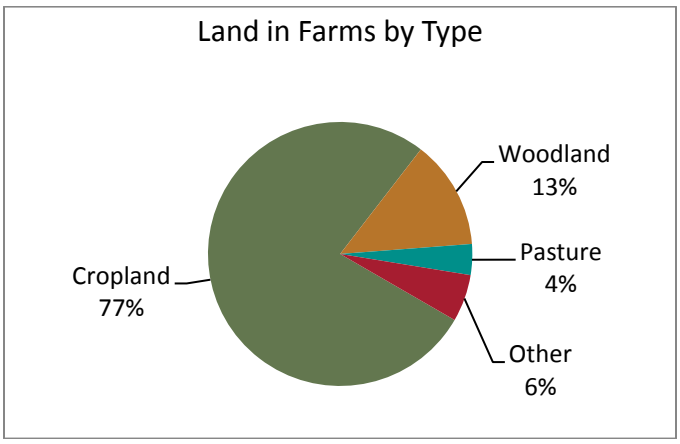
State Legislative Profile



Michigan
House District 99

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,146	1,963	+ 9
Number of Farms	1,443	1,339	+ 8
Land in Farms	257,121 acres	255,564 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	178 acres	191 acres	- 7
Irrigated Land	3,917 acres	4,693 acres	- 17
Market Value of Products Sold	$110,170,000	$64,786,000	+ 70
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$76,348	$48,384	+ 58
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$3,564,000	$3,045,000	+ 17
Government Payments	$2,950,000	$2,896,000	+ 2
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$4,041	$4,942	- 18





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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	110,170	17	91
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	48,568	26	87
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	61,601	13	83
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	39,482	15	76
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,419	35	72
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	220	53	70
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,051	61	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	123	26	63
Other crops and hay	5,274	9	75
Poultry and eggs	101	32	75
Cattle and calves	14,701	8	71
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	10	65
Hogs and pigs	(D)	20	71
Sheep, goats, and their products	147	23	71
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	390	26	75
Aquaculture	(D)	32	34
Other animals and other animal products	271	30	69
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	52,175	17	75
Soybeans for beans	50,449	11	72
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	35,889	13	78
Wheat for grain, all	18,004	7	72
Corn for silage or greenchop	6,994	15	64
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves	35,896	10	74
Pheasants	12,149	6	59
Hogs and pigs	8,478	20	70
Layers	3,007	24	73
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,691	9	63

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	504
$1,000 to $2,499	143
$2,500 to $4,999	140
$5,000 to $9,999	134
$10,000 to $19,999	113
$20,000 to $24,999	43
$25,000 to $39,999	59
$40,000 to $49,999	27
$50,000 to $99,999	99
$100,000 to $249,999	93
$250,000 to $499,999	48
$500,000 or more	40
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	94,930
Average per farm ($)	65,787
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	21,753
Average per farm ($)	15,075

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	609
Other	834
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,254
Female	189
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	18
Asian	6
Black or African American	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
White	2,086
More than one race	10
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2]	14

(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.