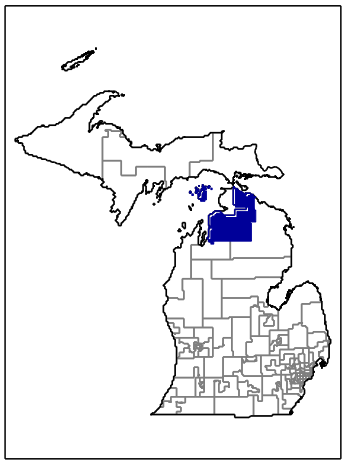
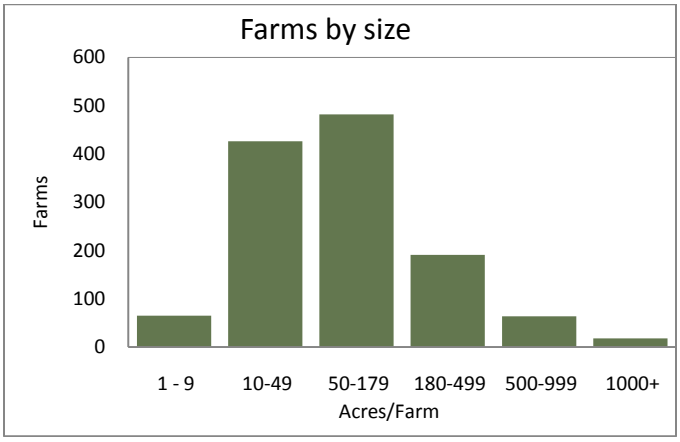
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

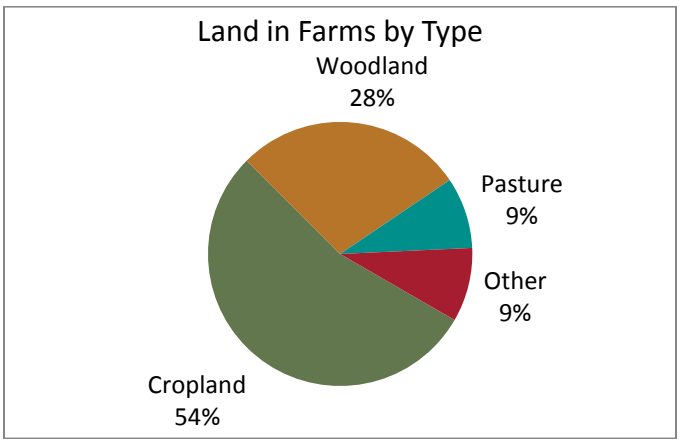
State Legislative Profile



Michigan
House District 105

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	1,973	1,675	+ 18
Number of Farms	1,246	1,096	+ 14
Land in Farms	186,962 acres	184,116 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	150 acres	168 acres	- 11
Irrigated Land	2,518 acres	3,073 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	$45,462,000	$30,808,000	+ 48
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$36,486	$28,110	+ 30
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$1,573,000	$1,868,000	- 16
Government Payments	$507,000	$971,000	- 48
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$1,614	$4,497	- 64





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Michigan, House District 105

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	45,462	38	91
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	29,382	36	87
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	16,080	32	83
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,960	52	76
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	17	72
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	14,086	11	70
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,592	42	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	501	10	63
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	75
Poultry and eggs	410	17	75
Cattle and calves	5,504	24	71
Milk and other dairy products from cows	7,438	31	65
Hogs and pigs	102	46	71
Sheep, goats, and their products	164	18	71
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	159	42	75
Aquaculture	(D)	2	34
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	5	69
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	43,802	8	78
Corn for grain	7,458	46	75
Cherries, tart	5,606	3	52
Corn for silage or greenchop	2,600	29	64
Vegetables harvested for sale	2,087	24	71
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Pheasants	(D)	4	59
Cattle and calves	14,099	23	74
Layers	4,728	19	73
Colonies of bees	2,627	10	68
Rabbits and their pelts	2,346	3	69

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	410
$1,000 to $2,499	154
$2,500 to $4,999	195
$5,000 to $9,999	132
$10,000 to $19,999	135
$20,000 to $24,999	26
$25,000 to $39,999	42
$40,000 to $49,999	18
$50,000 to $99,999	50
$100,000 to $249,999	42
$250,000 to $499,999	22
$500,000 or more	20
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	40,758
Average per farm ($)	32,711
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	6,784
Average per farm ($)	5,444

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	520
Other	726
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,016
Female	230
Average age of principal operator (years)	58
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	16
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
White	1,907
More than one race	15
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.