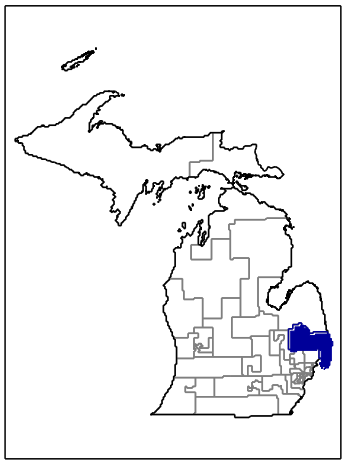
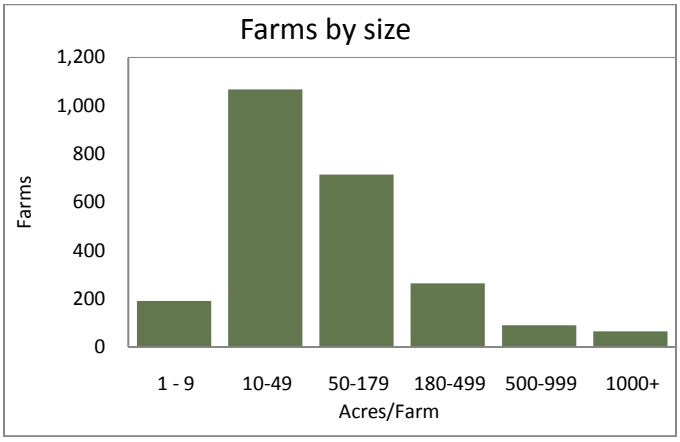
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

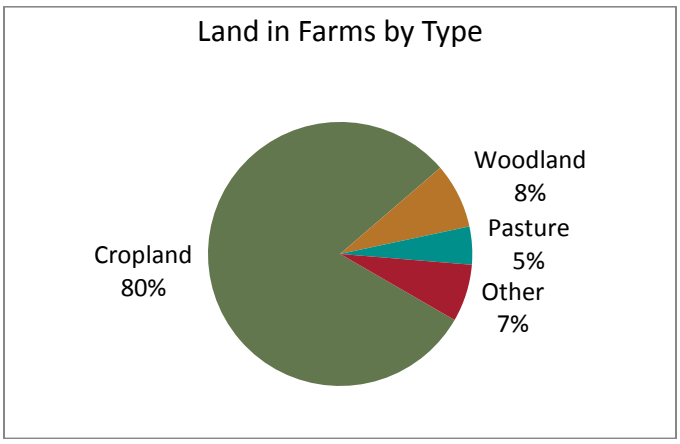
State Legislative Profile



Michigan
Senate District 25

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	3,706	3,771	- 2
Number of Farms	2,391	2,460	- 3
Land in Farms	336,941 acres	371,974 acres	- 9
Average Size of Farm	141 acres	151 acres	- 7
Irrigated Land	3,718 acres	2,919 acres	+ 27
Market Value of Products Sold	$119,827,000	$90,864,000	+ 32
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$50,116	$36,936	+ 36
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$6,648,000	$2,430,000	+ 174
Government Payments	$3,153,000	$4,222,000	- 25
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$5,077	$7,217	- 30





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Michigan, Senate District 25

Ranked items among the 38 senate 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	119,827	16	31
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	88,143	14	31
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	31,684	17	30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	53,782	10	29
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	15,311	9	29
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,166	13	27
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	10,551	12	31
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	298	12	26
Other crops and hay	6,035	7	29
Poultry and eggs	1,360	9	30
Cattle and calves	11,463	12	29
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15,690	17	25
Hogs and pigs	524	18	28
Sheep, goats, and their products	386	10	29
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	1,339	5	28
Aquaculture	(D)	3	21
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	21	27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Soybeans for beans	104,229	6	28
Corn for grain	60,321	12	29
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	40,699	10	30
Wheat for grain, all	10,724	11	27
Corn for silage or greenchop	6,732	13	26
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Pheasants	31,857	2	25
Cattle and calves	25,645	14	28
Layers	8,382	12	29
Horses and ponies	5,392	8	31
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,398	9	28

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	826
$1,000 to $2,499	275
$2,500 to $4,999	251
$5,000 to $9,999	265
$10,000 to $19,999	198
$20,000 to $24,999	55
$25,000 to $39,999	120
$40,000 to $49,999	36
$50,000 to $99,999	108
$100,000 to $249,999	139
$250,000 to $499,999	72
$500,000 or more	46
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	113,194
Average per farm ($)	47,342
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	16,434
Average per farm ($)	6,873

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	1,104
Other	1,287
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,974
Female	417
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	18
Asian	6
Black or African American	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
White	3,579
More than one race	47
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2]	15

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