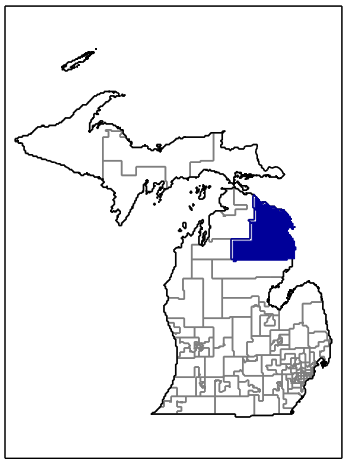
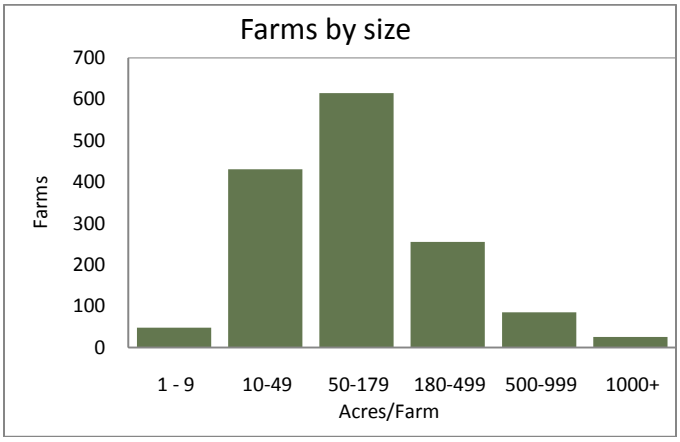
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

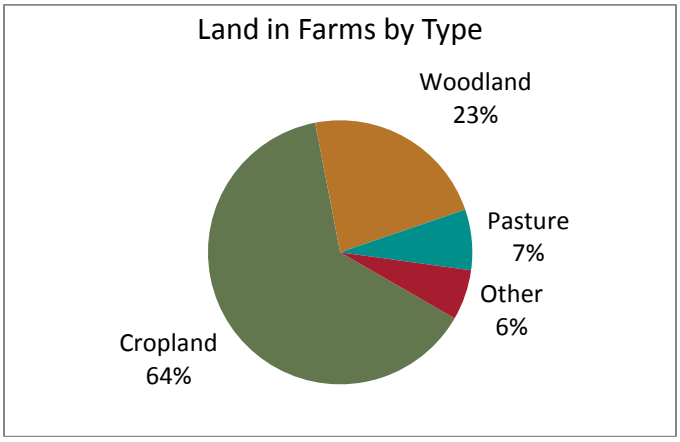
State Legislative Profile

Michigan
House District 106



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,198	2,039	+ 8
Number of Farms	1,460	1,316	+ 11
Land in Farms	244,565 acres	227,224 acres	+ 8
Average Size of Farm	168 acres	173 acres	- 3
Irrigated Land	1,680 acres	(D)	
Market Value of Products Sold	$52,909,000	$36,348,000	+ 46
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$36,239	$27,620	+ 31
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$2,438,000	$1,387,000	+ 76
Government Payments	$885,000	$1,262,000	- 30
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$2,026	$4,443	- 54





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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	52,909	34	91
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	18,834	47	87
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	34,075	22	83
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9,197	37	76
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,940	31	72
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	755	25	70
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,396	56	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	21	63
Other crops and hay	(D)	10	75
Poultry and eggs	160	25	75
Cattle and calves	7,406	18	71
Milk and other dairy products from cows	24,980	19	65
Hogs and pigs	163	42	71
Sheep, goats, and their products	71	32	71
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	508	20	75
Aquaculture	(D)	13	34
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	13	69
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	65,550	3	78
Corn for grain	14,525	38	75
Wheat for grain, all	8,903	18	72
Oats for grain	7,309	1	62
Soybeans for beans	7,200	38	72
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves	27,429	14	74
Layers	5,357	15	73
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,905	7	63
Horses and ponies	3,000	7	84
Deer	2,423	2	54

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	460
$1,000 to $2,499	197
$2,500 to $4,999	187
$5,000 to $9,999	181
$10,000 to $19,999	137
$20,000 to $24,999	39
$25,000 to $39,999	52
$40,000 to $49,999	17
$50,000 to $99,999	68
$100,000 to $249,999	66
$250,000 to $499,999	32
$500,000 or more	24
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	46,168
Average per farm ($)	31,622
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	10,063
Average per farm ($)	6,893

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	643
Other	817
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,239
Female	221
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	16
Asian	3
Black or African American	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
White	2,130
More than one race	13
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.