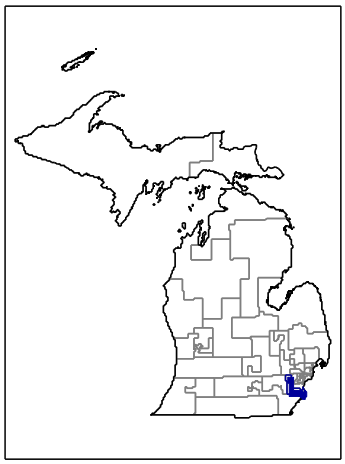
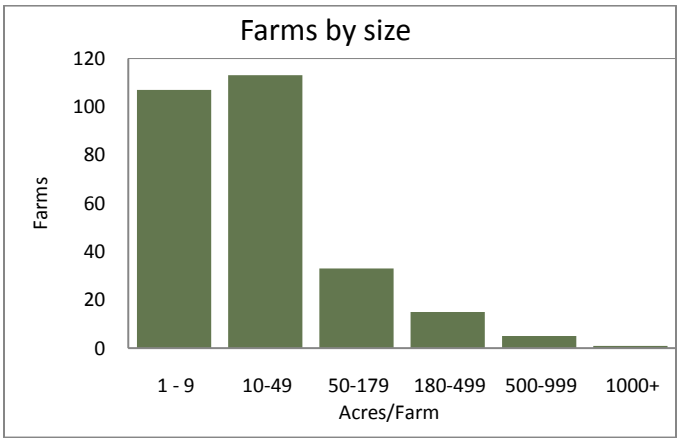
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

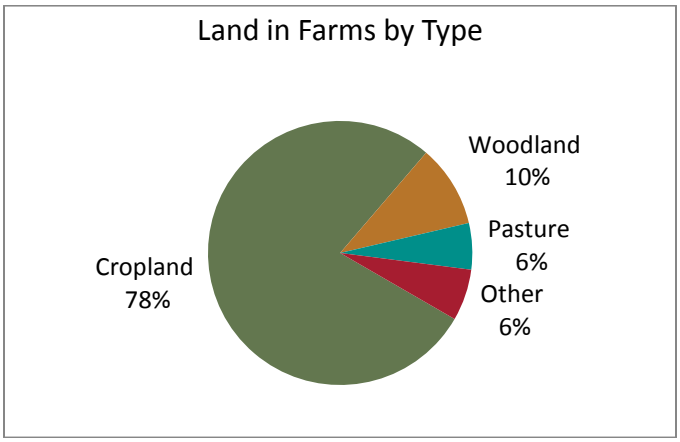
State Legislative Profile

## Michigan
## Senate District 7



| | 2007 | 2002 | % change |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Number of Farm Operators** | 445 | 420 | + 6 |
| **Number of Farms** | 274 | 238 | + 15 |
| **Land in Farms** | 15,145 acres | 18,305 acres | - 17 |
| **Average Size of Farm** | 55 acres | 77 acres | - 29 |
| **Irrigated Land** | 805 acres | 860 acres | - 6 |
| **Market Value of Products Sold** | $27,182,000 | $23,552,000 | + 15 |
| Average Per Farm Reporting Sales | $99,204 | $98,960 | + 0 |
| **Gross Income, Farm Related Sources** | $4,371,000 | $559,000 | + 682 |
| **Government Payments** | $81,000 | $130,000 | - 38 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | $3,120 | $5,212 | - 40 |



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### 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 | 27,182 | 24 | 31 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 26,521 | 22 | 31 |
| Value of livestock, poultry and their products | 661 | 27 | 30 |
| **VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)** | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 2,133 | 25 | 29 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 1,968 | 21 | 29 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 86 | 26 | 27 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 22,237 | 9 | 31 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | - | - | 26 |
| Other crops and hay | 97 | 27 | 29 |
| Poultry and eggs | 168 | 18 | 30 |
| Cattle and calves | 48 | 25 | 29 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows | 12 | 25 | 25 |
| Hogs and pigs | 14 | 25 | 28 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 12 | 25 | 29 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys | 130 | 25 | 28 |
| Aquaculture | 205 | 8 | 21 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 72 | 24 | 27 |
| **TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)** | | | |
| Soybeans for beans | 3,795 | 23 | 28 |
| Corn for grain | 2,693 | 25 | 29 |
| Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop | 964 | 27 | 30 |
| Vegetables harvested for sale | 718 | 22 | 29 |
| Sod harvested | 430 | 9 | 20 |
| **TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)** | | | |
| Layers | 1,228 | 23 | 29 |
| Horses and ponies | 936 | 25 | 31 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | (D) | 17 | 28 |
| Ducks | 669 | 11 | 29 |
| Rabbits and their pelts | 654 | 16 | 29 |

## Other Senate District Highlights

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Farms by value of sales | |
| Less than $1,000 | 77 |
| $1,000 to $2,499 | 38 |
| $2,500 to $4,999 | 36 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 28 |
| $10,000 to $19,999 | 25 |
| $20,000 to $24,999 | 5 |
| $25,000 to $39,999 | 12 |
| $40,000 to $49,999 | 4 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 | 19 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 11 |
| $250,000 to $499,999 | 9 |
| $500,000 or more | 10 |
| Total farm production expenses ($1,000) | 24,643 |
| Average per farm ($) | 89,938 |
| Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000) | 6,991 |
| Average per farm ($) | 25,515 |

| Operator characteristics | Quantity |
|---|---|
| Principal operators by primary occupation: | |
| Farming | 129 |
| Other | 145 |
| Principal operators by sex: | |
| Male | 177 |
| Female | 97 |
| Average age of principal operator (years) | 54 |
| All operators by race [2]: | |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 8 |
| Asian | - |
| Black or African American | 26 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| White | 390 |
| More than one race | 1 |
| All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2] | 18 |

(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.