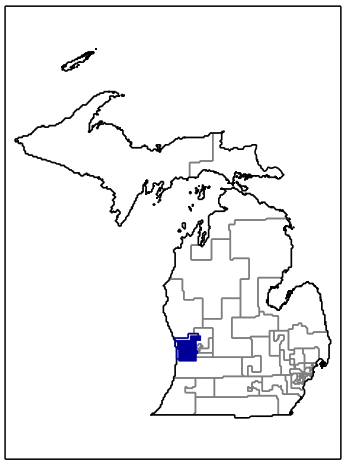
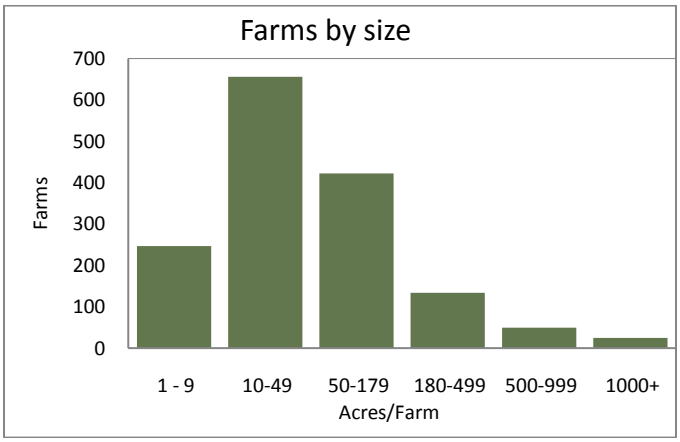
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

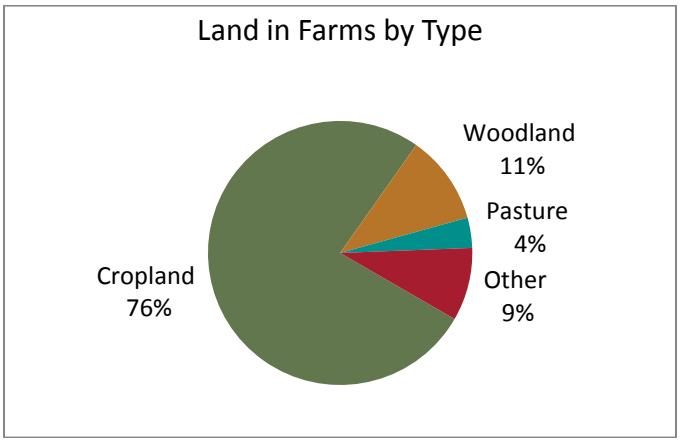
State Legislative Profile



Michigan
Senate District 30

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	2,396	2,111	+ 14
Number of Farms	1,534	1,365	+ 12
Land in Farms	180,215 acres	185,451 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	117 acres	136 acres	- 14
Irrigated Land	15,686 acres	13,794 acres	+ 14
Market Value of Products Sold	$402,523,000	$293,978,000	+ 37
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	$262,401	$215,368	+ 22
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	$5,102,000	$4,116,000	+ 24
Government Payments	$1,515,000	$4,179,000	- 64
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	$3,998	$12,438	- 68





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Michigan, Senate District 30

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	402,523	5	31
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	240,458	5	31
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	162,065	7	30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP ($1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	18,642	15	29
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	13,648	11	29
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	74,718	2	27
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	130,942	1	31
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	335	11	26
Other crops and hay	2,173	16	29
Poultry and eggs	79,901	1	30
Cattle and calves	19,401	9	29
Milk and other dairy products from cows	49,522	9	25
Hogs and pigs	11,746	11	28
Sheep, goats, and their products	234	16	29
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	697	16	28
Aquaculture	(D)	15	21
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	17	27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	37,680	16	29
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	26,564	13	30
Soybeans for beans	18,923	17	28
Corn for silage or greenchop	13,526	7	26
Land in berries	6,837	2	27
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers	1,731,062	3	29
Turkeys	888,666	1	29
Pullets for laying flock replacement	466,630	3	26
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	3	28
Hogs and pigs	55,045	8	28

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than $1,000	342
$1,000 to $2,499	121
$2,500 to $4,999	126
$5,000 to $9,999	149
$10,000 to $19,999	122
$20,000 to $24,999	59
$25,000 to $39,999	89
$40,000 to $49,999	54
$50,000 to $99,999	91
$100,000 to $249,999	136
$250,000 to $499,999	98
$500,000 or more	147
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	304,333
Average per farm ($)	198,392
Net cash farm income of operation ($1,000)	104,807
Average per farm ($)	68,323

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	665
Other	869
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,346
Female	188
Average age of principal operator (years)	54
All operators by race [2]:	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	20
Asian	3
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
White	2,290
More than one race	14
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin [2]	48

(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.