

2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

District 57, Michigan

Number of farms: 1,354

Land in farms: 336,929 acres

Average size of farm: 249 acres

Irrigated Land: 3,639 acres

Total number of Farm Operators: 1,921

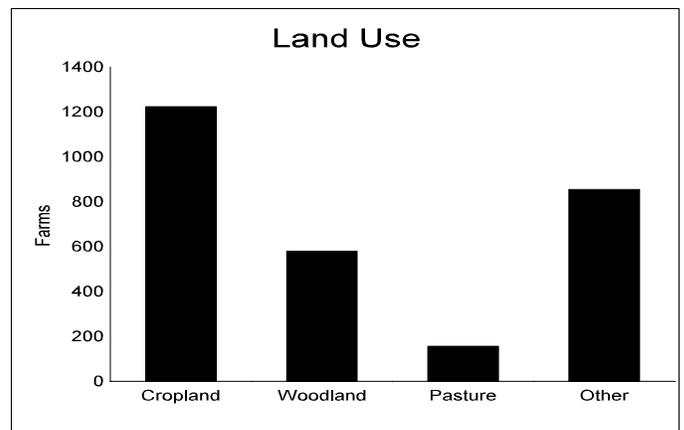
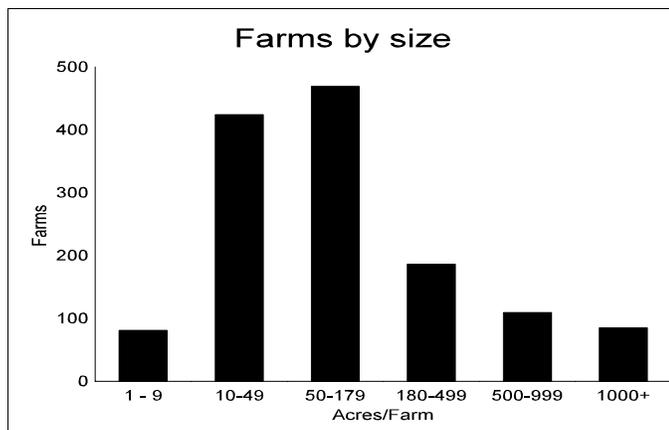
Market Value of Production: \$92,657,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$68,432

Government Payments: \$7,548,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$9,376

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources ¹: \$4,052,000



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Michigan Agricultural Statistics Office**

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Ranked items among the 110 house districts in the state, 2002

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe ²
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	92,657	14	101
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ³			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	49,286	6	83
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	7,824	11	78
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,493	16	73
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	2,063	48	93
Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops	13	60	67
Poultry and eggs	102	21	71
Cattle and calves	7,073	11	74
Milk and other dairy products from cows	19,447	11	64
Hogs and pigs	2,756	17	69
Sheep, goats, and their products	107	18	69
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	518	18	77
Aquaculture	-	-	32
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves	20,278	15	76
Hogs and pigs	12,464	18	68
Layers 20 weeks old and older	10,555	12	72
Horses and ponies	1,795	26	87
Colonies of bees	1,765	15	70
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Soybeans	124,900	4	76
Corn for grain	88,361	5	74
All Wheat for grain	27,177	4	70
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	15,673	24	87
Corn for silage	9,104	9	65

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	485	Farming	717
\$1,000 to \$2,499	108	Other	637
\$2,500 to \$4,999	110	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	98	Male	1,245
\$10,000 to \$19,999	117	Female	109
\$20,000 to \$24,000	38	Average age of principal operator (years)	55
\$25,000 to \$39,999	74	All operators ⁴ by race	
\$40,000 to \$49,000	33	White	1,889
\$50,000 to \$99,999	102	Black or African American	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	110	American Indian or Alaskan Native	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	42	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	37	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	90,156	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	66,733	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	21
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	11,739		
Average per farm (\$)	8,689		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹ Customwork, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

² Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

³ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.