

2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

District 88, Michigan

Number of farms: 1,336

Land in farms: 216,383 acres

Average size of farm: 162 acres

Irrigated Land: 13,869 acres

Total number of Farm Operators: 1,945

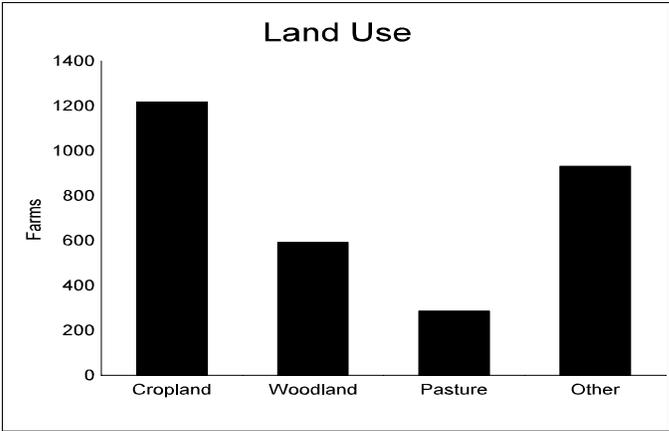
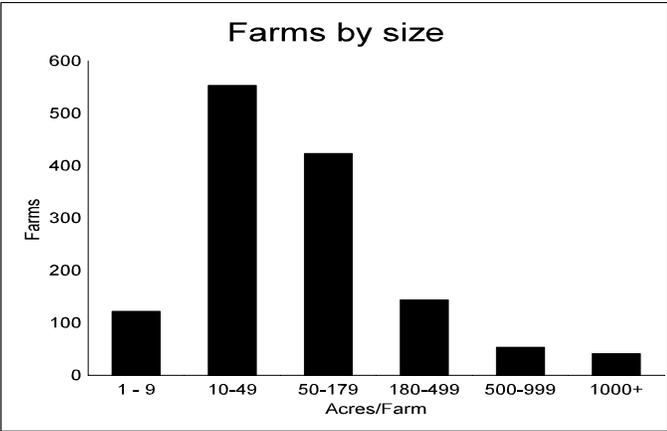
Market Value of Production: \$193,408,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$144,767

Government Payments: \$3,658,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$11,840

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources ¹: \$3,243,000



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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	193,408	3	101
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ³			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	21,616	16	83
Tobacco	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	13,581	6	78
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	6,513	11	73
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	40,748	4	93
Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops	1,624	6	67
Poultry and eggs	32,350	2	71
Cattle and calves	8,238	9	74
Milk and other dairy products from cows	31,725	9	64
Hogs and pigs	34,004	1	69
Sheep, goats, and their products	74	27	69
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	638	16	77
Aquaculture	(D)	15	32
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,143,625	1	72
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	374,696	1	63
Turkeys	311,925	2	62
Hogs and pigs	149,696	1	68
Cattle and calves	35,423	9	76
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	58,679	10	74
Soybeans	39,629	21	76
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	27,902	19	87
Corn for silage	10,304	7	65
All Vegetables harvested	7,076	4	78

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	387	Farming	733
\$1,000 to \$2,499	162	Other	603
\$2,500 to \$4,999	100	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	132	Male	1,180
\$10,000 to \$19,999	121	Female	156
\$20,000 to \$24,000	25	Average age of principal operator (years)	53
\$25,000 to \$39,999	74	All operators ⁴ by race	
\$40,000 to \$49,000	33	White	1,904
\$50,000 to \$99,999	75	Black or African American	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999	75	American Indian or Alaskan Native	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	67	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	85	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	160,787	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	117,277	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	51
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	35,151		
Average per farm (\$)	25,639		

(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.