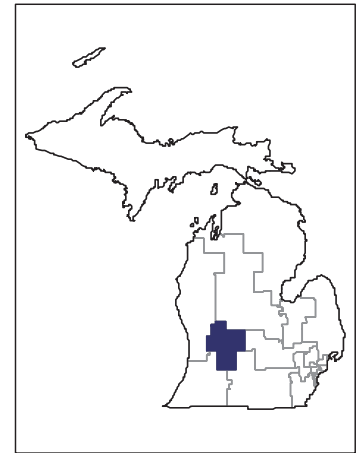


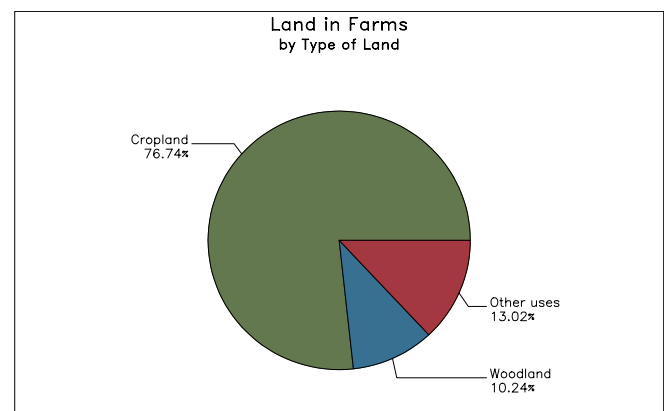
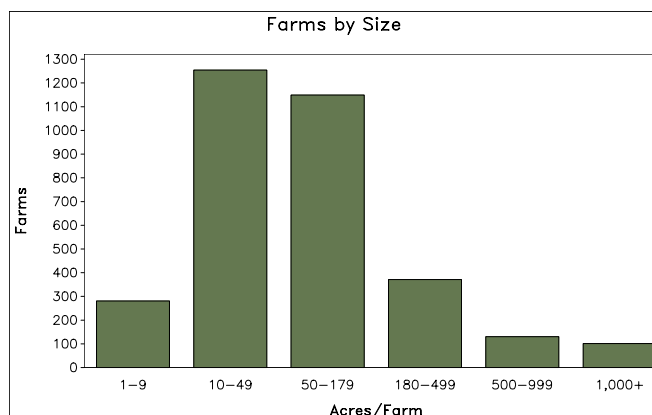
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Congressional District Profile

Michigan 3rd District



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	5,015	4,725	+ 6
Number of Farms	3,286	3,167	+ 4
Land in Farms	530,232 acres	537,901 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	161 acres	170 acres	- 5
Irrigated Land	14,678 acres	13,202 acres	+ 11
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$445,182,000	\$277,796,000	+ 60
Average Per Farm	\$135,479	\$87,716	+ 54
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$12,088,000	\$7,423,000	+ 63
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Government Payments	\$6,578,000	\$8,931,000	- 26
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,722	\$8,010	- 41



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Ranked items among the 15 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	445,182	6	15	160	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	181,214	7	15	150	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	263,968	4	15	138	415
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	86,079	7	14	95	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	12,868	9	15	139	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	10,178	5	13	100	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	65,927	3	15	71	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	299	8	12	137	328
Other crops and hay	5,862	9	14	200	389
Poultry and eggs	(D)	2	13	104	395
Cattle and calves	38,954	6	12	161	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	151,343	4	11	50	343
Hogs and pigs	15,381	5	12	88	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	327	8	12	204	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	7	14	(D)	401
Aquaculture	(D)	8	10	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	10	14	(D)	395
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	138,640	8	13	81	343
Soybeans for beans	90,868	7	14	85	262
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	65,418	6	15	168	398
Corn for silage or greenchop	30,187	5	11	51	321
Wheat for grain, all	18,139	9	13	123	319
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	2	13	(D)	395
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	2	12	(D)	356
Turkeys	(D)	2	13	58	350
Cattle and calves	96,306	6	13	172	396
Hogs and pigs	53,905	5	12	87	371

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,164	Farming	1,390
\$1,000 to \$2,499	364	Other	1,896
\$2,500 to \$4,999	309	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	296	Male	2,795
\$10,000 to \$19,999	261	Female	491
\$20,000 to \$24,999	85	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	154	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	75	American Indian or Alaska Native	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	170	Asian	11
\$100,000 to \$249,999	143	Black or African American	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	116	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	149	White	4,884
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	360,398	More than one race	20
Average per farm (\$)	109,677	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	50
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	103,451		
Average per farm (\$)	31,482		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.