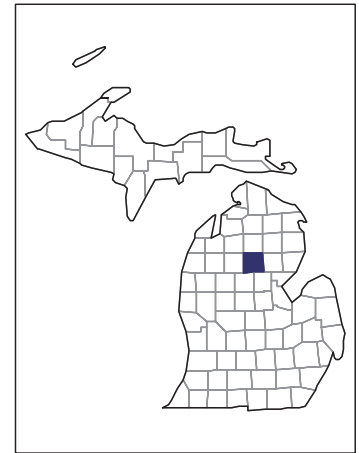


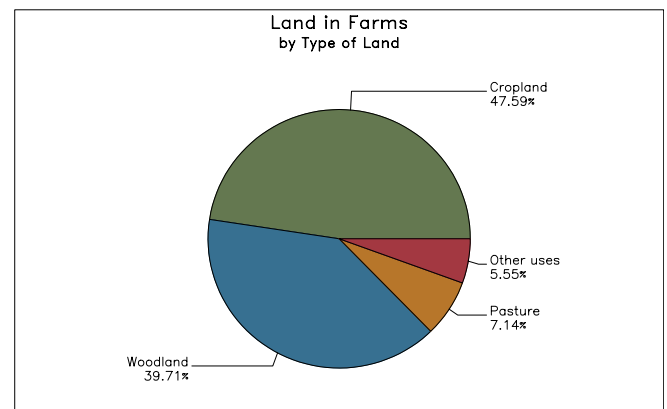
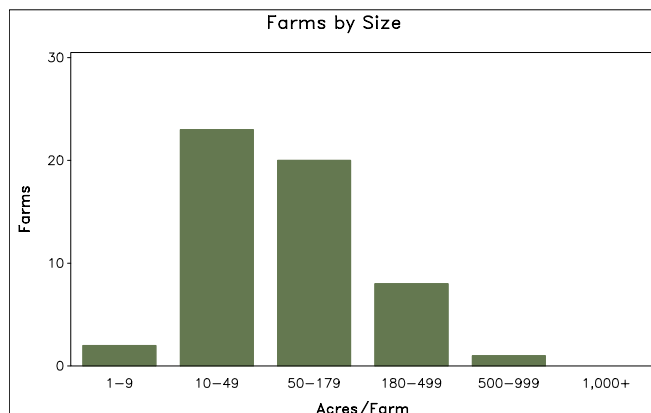
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Roscommon County Michigan



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	54	46	+ 17
Land in Farms	4,759 acres	7,394 acres	- 36
Average Size of Farm	88 acres	161 acres	- 45
Market Value of Products Sold	\$379,000	(D)	
Crop Sales \$170,000 (45 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$209,000 (55 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$7,016	(D)	
Government Payments	\$10,000	\$6,000	+ 67
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,640	\$1,053	+ 56



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Roscommon County – Michigan

Ranked items among the 83 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	379	81	83	3,040	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	170	80	83	3,014	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	209	82	83	3,023	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	81	82	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	14	73	81	2,475	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	78	81	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	62	70	80	2,169	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	73	81	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	80	79	83	2,876	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	81	82	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	106	80	83	2,972	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	77	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	82	82	2,910	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	7	73	79	2,713	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	58	54	82	2,096	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	41	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,462	79	83	2,816	3,060
Cut Christmas trees	55	70	81	648	1,756
Wheat for grain, all	9	74	75	2,432	2,481
Vegetables harvested for sale	6	77	81	2,472	2,794
Herbs, fresh cut	4	6	31	116	684
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	199	81	83	3,005	3,060
Horses and ponies	157	77	83	2,915	3,066
Rabbits and their pelts	114	49	79	835	2,574
Sheep and lambs	(D)	67	80	(D)	2,891
Layers	98	82	82	2,854	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	21	Farming	26
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9	Other	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	Male	41
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Female	13
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	-	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	590	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	10,923	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	87
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-164	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	-3,033	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3

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

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

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