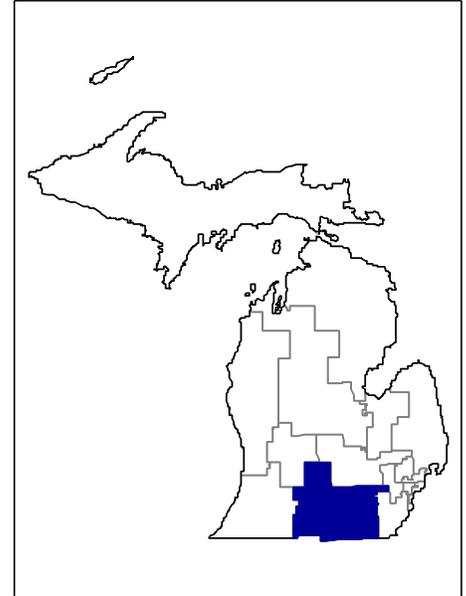


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Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



District 7, Michigan

Number of farms: 8,580

Land in farms: 1,655,008 acres

Average size of farm: 193 acres

Irrigated Land: 64,782 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 12,531

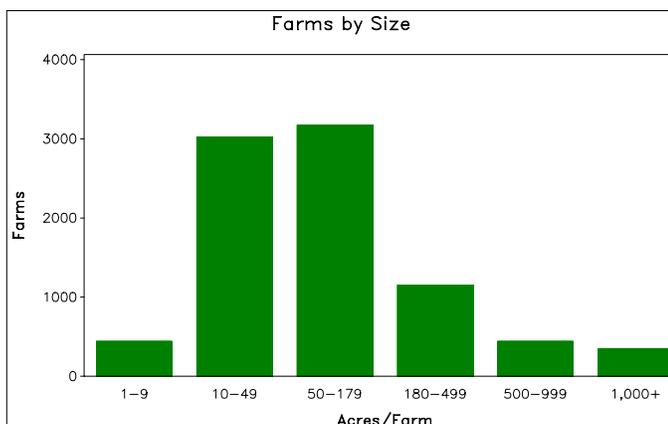
Market Value of Production: \$444,832,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$51,845

Government Payments: \$28,753,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$7,711

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$19,300,000



**2002 Census of Agriculture
Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 7, Michigan

Ranked items among the 15 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	444,832	5	15	129	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	191,309	1	14	49	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	23,982	5	12	82	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,630	7	13	168	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	34,817	6	15	117	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	604	5	12	84	349
Poultry and eggs	1,721	7	12	226	382
Cattle and calves	49,039	3	12	111	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	11	(D)	339
Hogs and pigs	37,184	3	12	53	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	2,261	1	12	45	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,706	1	12	62	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	160,648	3	12	53	371
Cattle and calves	127,643	4	13	147	394
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	3	11	(D)	354
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	6	12	(D)	387
Sheep and lambs	28,566	1	12	40	383
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans	477,920	1	14	40	269
Corn for grain	431,481	1	13	40	327
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	119,134	5	14	123	391
All Wheat for grain	84,522	2	13	47	323
Corn for silage	31,256	4	10	53	330

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,227	Farming	4,361
\$1,000 to \$2,499	825	Other	4,219
\$2,500 to \$4,999	751	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	729	Male	7,675
\$10,000 to \$19,999	838	Female	905
\$20,000 to \$24,999	216	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ³	445	All operators ⁴ by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ³	211	White	12,167
\$50,000 to \$99,999	484	Black or African American	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	479	American Indian or Alaska Native	27
\$250,000 to \$499,999	212	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	163	Asian	5
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ³	426,086	More than one race	58
Average per farm (\$) ³	50,205	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	169
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	65,362		
Average per farm (\$)	7,701		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Value corrected January 2005.

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