

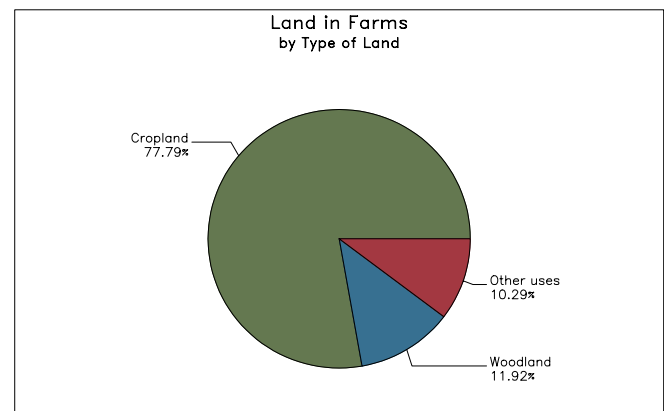
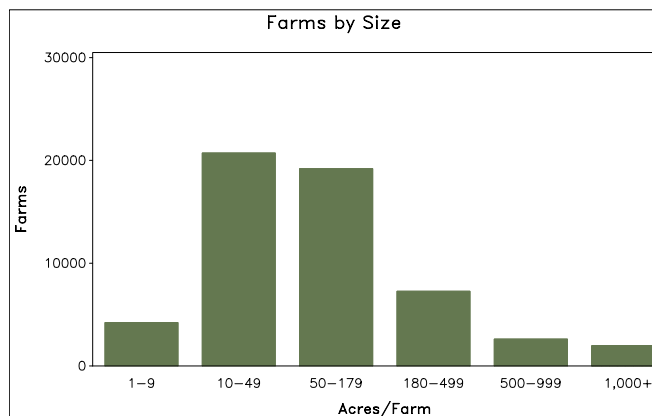
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

State Profile



Michigan

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	56,014	53,315	+ 5
Land in Farms	10,031,807 acres	10,142,958 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	179 acres	190 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$5,753,219,000	\$3,772,435,000	+ 53
Crop Sales \$3,329,928,000 (58 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,423,291,000 (42 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$102,710	\$70,757	+ 45
Government Payments	\$118,871,000	\$144,771,000	- 18
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,115	\$7,984	- 36



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Ranked items within U.S., 2007

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	5,753,219	22	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,329,928	15	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,423,291	24	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,710,733	13	50
Tobacco	-	-	17
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	347,305	9	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	392,472	5	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	623,097	6	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	29,155	3	49
Other crops and hay	227,165	14	50
Poultry and eggs	258,994	25	50
Cattle and calves	449,371	28	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,285,571	7	50
Hogs and pigs	357,495	12	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	8,867	20	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	23,550	16	50
Aquaculture	5,721	28	50
Other animals and other animal products	33,721	10	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	2,350,668	11	49
Soybeans for beans	1,715,427	12	40
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,160,467	21	50
Wheat for grain, all	523,153	17	47
Corn for silage	297,381	7	48
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers	9,034,335	14	50
Pullets for laying flock replacement	1,987,718	16	50
Turkeys	1,978,869	16	50
Cattle and calves	1,048,206	30	50
Hogs and pigs	1,032,054	14	50

Other State Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	18,648	Farming	24,795
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5,502	Other	31,219
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5,229		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5,292	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,715	Male	47,739
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,379	Female	8,275
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2,791		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,150	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3,342		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3,492	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2,054	American Indian or Alaska Native	613
\$500,000 or more	2,420	Asian	129
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	4,786,767	Black or African American	324
Average per farm (\$)	85,457	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	37
		White	82,180
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,308,930	More than one race	655
Average per farm (\$)	23,368	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	937

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

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