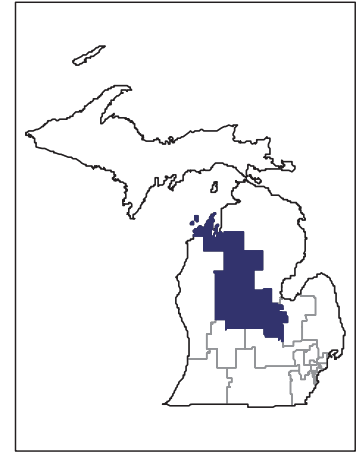


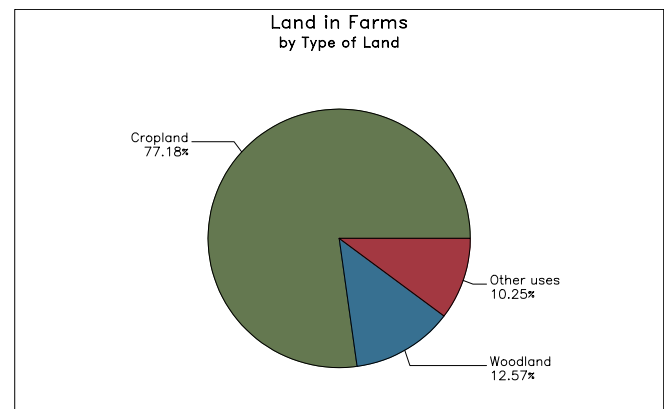
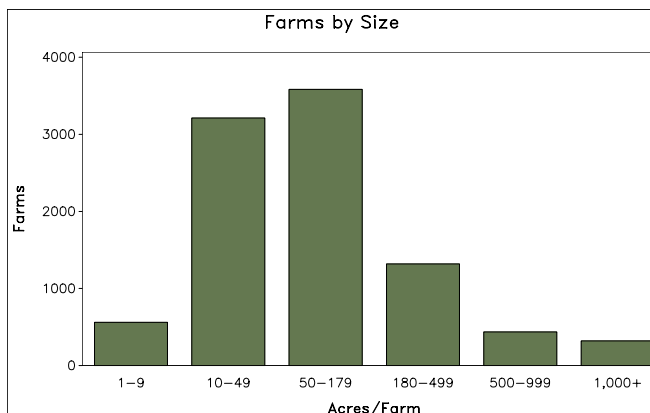
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## Congressional District Profile

### Michigan 4th District



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	14,278	12,908	+ 11
<b>Number of Farms</b>	9,429	8,597	+ 10
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,742,086 acres	1,789,857 acres	- 3
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	185 acres	208 acres	- 11
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	73,343 acres	75,876 acres	- 3
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$861,789,000	\$521,445,000	+ 65
Average Per Farm	\$91,398	\$60,654	+ 51
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$31,342,000	\$20,010,000	+ 57
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$19,494,000	\$23,631,000	- 18
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,378	\$7,052	- 38



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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 <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	861,789	3	15	103	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	452,498	3	15	82	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	409,291	2	15	101	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	266,616	3	14	61	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	77,168	2	15	43	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	43,636	3	13	50	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	13,971	9	15	256	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	11,253	1	12	6	328
Other crops and hay	39,855	2	14	57	389
Poultry and eggs	6,360	5	13	195	395
Cattle and calves	79,071	2	12	99	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	260,530	1	11	31	343
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	12	50	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	959	4	12	116	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,029	3	14	106	401
Aquaculture	62	7	10	277	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	5	14	67	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	375,242	2	13	51	343
Soybeans for beans	268,236	2	14	52	262
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	237,032	2	15	70	398
Wheat for grain, all	90,511	2	13	46	319
Corn for silage or greenchop	52,673	1	11	31	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	198,901	1	13	110	396
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	4	12	(D)	356
Hogs and pigs	122,860	4	12	62	371
Turkeys	(D)	3	13	64	350
Layers	31,568	6	13	201	395

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,109	Farming	4,143
\$1,000 to \$2,499	847	Other	5,286
\$2,500 to \$4,999	921	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	903	Male	8,204
\$10,000 to \$19,999	829	Female	1,225
\$20,000 to \$24,999	260	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	554	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	187	American Indian or Alaska Native	98
\$50,000 to \$99,999	591	Asian	19
\$100,000 to \$249,999	577	Black or African American	21
\$250,000 to \$499,999	313	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	10
\$500,000 or more	338	White	13,848
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	710,140	More than one race	101
Average per farm (\$)	75,314	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	111
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	202,486		
Average per farm (\$)	21,475		

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.

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