

MICHIGAN - DISTRICT 5**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	207	1,448	908
Acreage	42,667	429,706	177,090
Average size (acres)	148	358	249
Median size (acres)	50	175	113
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	206,358	605,935	394,614
Machinery/equip (dollars)	42,219	116,372	83,505
Cropland (acres)			
Total	28,890	383,635	153,430
Harvested	18,148	355,965	136,235
Irrigated	697	9,315	2,308
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	5,592	211,414	57,839
(dollars avg. per farm)	27,016	178,559	71,695
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	1,786	34,558	15,949
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	4,245	59,918	8,093
Beef cows	430	2,733	1,348
Milk cows	728	22,294	2,517
Hogs and pigs	129	80,889	4,230
Sheep and lambs	236	1,488	567
Layers 13 wks or/older	317	2,167	811
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	2,092	901
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	1,237	109,087	42,558
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	595	31,433	7,789
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	215	110,723	33,866
Dry edible beans, excl limas	861	91,450	15,606
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	5,930	54,697	13,161

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	4	67	32
Acreage	17	3,125	1,548
Orchards			
Number of farms	4	35	11
Acreage	17	658	96

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture