

Table 45. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1992

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms	Fewest number of farms accounting for —			
		10 percent of sales	25 percent of sales	50 percent of sales	75 percent of sales
Farms..... number..	27 152	2	12	127	1 483
..... percent..	100.0	(Z)	(Z)	.5	5.5
Land in farms acres ..	33 983 029	(D)	22 761	521 662	8 075 406
Average size of farm acres ..	1 252	(D)	1 897	4 108	5 445
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ farms..	27 154	2	12	127	1 463
..... \$1,000..	14 568 399	(D)	56 764	312 345	2 925 080
Average per farm dollars ..	536 510	(D)	4 730 338	2 459 411	1 999 371
Average per acre dollars ..	426	(D)	2 494	599	365
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000..	1 485 320	(D)	12 007	86 763	413 387
..... percent..	100.0	(D)	.8	5.8	27.8
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres ..	10 933 484	(D)	2 262	139 408	2 294 462
Harvested cropland acres ..	5 532 964	(D)	1 359	97 855	1 482 249
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres ..	22 492 023	(D)	13 194	363 711	5 596 897
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000 ..	4 115 552	(D)	1 044 654	2 059 916	3 086 967
Average per farm dollars ..	151 575	(D)	87 054 483	16 219 809	2 081 569
Grains farms..	8 492	1	2	46	894
..... \$1,000..	558 058	(D)	(D)	8 887	206 986
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms ..	7 768	1	5	30	433
..... \$1,000..	125 567	(D)	391	3 586	29 808
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	660	—	—	9	133
..... \$1,000..	98 051	—	—	20 790	77 532
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	585	—	—	1	8
..... \$1,000..	15 301	—	—	(D)	2 654
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	473	—	—	7	89
..... \$1,000..	119 699	—	—	32 408	98 534
Other crops farms ..	822	—	—	6	245
..... \$1,000..	119 497	—	—	4 350	83 076
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	715	—	1	9	22
..... \$1,000..	115 073	—	(D)	103 439	113 104
Dairy products farms ..	522	—	—	7	161
..... \$1,000..	166 166	—	—	26 681	135 796
Cattle and calves farms ..	14 439	2	11	100	999
..... \$1,000..	2 570 192	(D)	998 150	1 719 595	2 163 961
Hogs and pigs farms ..	1 558	—	—	7	73
..... \$1,000..	78 573	—	—	44 714	59 712
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms ..	1 962	—	—	9	70
..... \$1,000..	126 916	—	—	95 436	110 591
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms ..	3 018	2	2	7	91
..... \$1,000..	22 457	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 214
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms..	27 154	2	12	127	1 463
..... \$1,000..	3 569 175	(D)	1 000 548	1 893 047	2 709 614
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Livestock and poultry purchased farms ..	9 868	2	12	117	922
..... \$1,000..	1 576 251	(D)	717 200	1 244 161	1 470 022
Feed for livestock and poultry farms ..	16 574	2	12	117	1 008
..... \$1,000..	643 202	(D)	221 001	431 966	556 671
Commercial fertilizer farms ..	12 076	1	5	69	1 137
..... \$1,000..	93 985	(D)	(D)	3 057	41 595
Agricultural chemicals farms ..	13 050	2	6	76	1 114
..... \$1,000..	57 644	(D)	(D)	2 259	22 876
Petroleum products farms ..	25 478	2	11	126	1 442
..... \$1,000..	115 815	(D)	4 695	12 892	42 657
Electricity farms ..	18 662	2	12	127	1 412
..... \$1,000..	58 473	(D)	1 545	7 522	30 931
Hired farm labor farms ..	9 137	2	11	124	1 336
..... \$1,000..	209 675	(D)	18 912	65 077	153 303
Interest farms..	13 513	2	9	115	1 344
..... \$1,000..	165 509	(D)	4 289	21 548	74 726
Payments from government programs farms ..	7 800	1	2	37	710
..... \$1,000..	117 564	(D)	(D)	1 147	24 485
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms ..	14 797	2	11	98	951
..... number..	3 086 717	(D)	482 620	999 231	1 709 735
Milk cows farms ..	1 162	—	—	7	177
..... number..	81 825	—	—	11 573	62 363
Hogs and pigs farms ..	1 643	—	—	7	75
..... number..	464 479	—	—	255 585	345 537

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.