

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..	22 124	2	55	591	2 314
..... percent..	100.0	(Z)	.2	2.7	10.5
Land in farms acres ..	13 468 992	(D)	914 735	2 644 640	5 538 651
Average size of farm acres ..	609	(D)	16 632	4 475	2 394
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ farms..	22 129	2	55	591	2 242
..... \$1,000..	9 077 459	(D)	397 900	1 719 522	3 869 093
Average per farm dollars ..	410 206	(D)	7 234 538	2 909 513	1 725 733
Average per acre dollars ..	682	(D)	435	650	707
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000..	1 496 916	(D)	60 983	325 168	694 485
..... percent..	100.0	(D)	4.1	21.7	46.4
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres ..	6 301 862	(D)	172 128	1 034 551	2 629 750
Harvested cropland acres ..	4 225 273	(D)	141 991	888 698	2 160 555
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres ..	6 626 571	(D)	(D)	1 130 746	2 417 690
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000 ..	2 964 216	(D)	743 071	1 482 250	2 223 410
Average per farm dollars ..	133 982	(D)	13 510 377	2 508 037	960 851
Grains farms..	8 311	—	26	409	1 711
..... \$1,000..	517 822	—	20 640	134 941	312 488
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms..	6 960	1	16	208	904
..... \$1,000..	158 792	(D)	6 089	31 474	79 621
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	789	—	2	59	220
..... \$1,000..	51 890	—	(D)	16 789	38 506
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	339	—	—	8	18
..... \$1,000..	12 424	—	—	3 902	6 295
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	537	—	1	26	107
..... \$1,000..	31 679	—	(D)	9 406	20 629
Other crops farms..	2 820	—	23	379	1 292
..... \$1,000..	719 497	—	74 833	379 630	626 050
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	409	—	2	4	15
..... \$1,000..	16 312	—	(D)	14 164	15 233
Dairy products farms ..	1 419	—	8	114	421
..... \$1,000..	334 867	—	34 788	161 472	262 395
Cattle and calves farms ..	12 230	2	38	299	1 159
..... \$1,000..	1 036 015	(D)	567 615	686 979	803 525
Hogs and pigs farms ..	940	—	2	8	53
..... \$1,000..	9 746	—	(D)	470	3 606
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms ..	1 293	—	—	14	74
..... \$1,000..	19 418	—	—	5 158	12 158
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms ..	2 299	—	7	44	136
..... \$1,000..	55 756	—	(D)	37 860	42 904
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms..	22 129	2	55	591	2 242
..... \$1,000..	2 445 017	(D)	678 206	1 271 635	1 828 623
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Livestock and poultry purchased farms ..	8 621	2	38	263	861
..... \$1,000..	527 312	(D)	362 486	429 796	466 609
Feed for livestock and poultry farms ..	12 731	2	41	307	1 076
..... \$1,000..	347 903	(D)	143 547	222 198	279 583
Commercial fertilizer farms ..	11 732	1	32	487	1 965
..... \$1,000..	190 698	(D)	13 091	70 360	134 826
Agricultural chemicals farms ..	11 435	1	31	465	1 855
..... \$1,000..	82 374	(D)	5 291	29 379	56 584
Petroleum products farms ..	20 715	2	55	585	2 216
..... \$1,000..	95 329	(D)	4 854	24 643	51 637
Electricity farms ..	16 250	2	55	583	2 162
..... \$1,000..	84 103	(D)	8 203	36 182	61 040
Hired farm labor farms ..	10 005	2	55	583	2 175
..... \$1,000..	245 990	(D)	39 211	125 594	200 909
Interest farms..	11 980	2	53	569	2 102
..... \$1,000..	157 683	(D)	17 108	54 224	98 710
Payments from government programs farms ..	5 698	—	19	286	1 104
..... \$1,000..	74 188	—	1 024	10 752	29 199
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms ..	12 527	2	37	297	1 145
..... number..	1 812 720	(D)	290 262	559 588	915 301
Milk cows farms..	1 990	—	8	115	434
..... number..	181 785	—	17 408	80 713	133 609
Hogs and pigs farms ..	1 141	—	2	11	61
..... number..	67 343	—	(D)	3 000	22 179

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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