

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..	96 543	436	2 811	11 179	27 115
Land in farms.....percent..	100.0	.5	2.9	11.6	28.1
Land in farms.....acres..	31 346 565	525 213	3 065 514	9 626 649	17 864 431
Average size of farm.....acres..	325	1 205	1 091	861	659
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹farms..	96 541	436	2 764	10 496	26 522
Average per farm.....\$1,000..	38 062 933	755 765	4 133 732	12 059 313	22 374 249
Average per farm.....dollars..	394 267	1 733 405	1 495 562	1 148 944	843 611
Average per acre.....dollars..	1 212	1 439	1 363	1 312	1 268
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹\$1,000..	6 647 461	133 848	634 009	1 883 917	3 618 171
.....percent..	100.0	2.0	9.5	28.3	54.4
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland.....acres..	27 195 676	456 851	2 771 501	8 780 379	16 196 202
Harvested cropland.....acres..	22 826 308	408 136	2 514 297	7 931 393	14 454 565
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured.....acres..	3 657 130	53 381	228 014	689 561	1 419 710
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	10 099 786	1 010 667	2 525 387	5 050 034	7 574 920
Average per farm.....dollars..	104 614	2 318 043	898 395	451 743	279 363
Grains.....farms..	71 187	325	2 416	10 055	24 444
.....\$1,000..	4 489 827	71 933	532 156	1 720 433	3 046 843
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms..	—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco.....farms..	—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds.....farms..	16 431	71	478	1 973	4 813
.....\$1,000..	78 959	2 354	6 960	18 409	34 989
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms..	905	5	34	111	220
.....\$1,000..	9 509	(D)	1 338	3 411	5 386
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms..	346	—	5	12	30
.....\$1,000..	3 499	—	(D)	899	1 752
Nursery and greenhouse crops.....farms..	518	8	28	62	111
.....\$1,000..	57 854	22 816	34 416	44 389	49 680
Other crops.....farms..	108	—	5	11	24
.....\$1,000..	1 508	—	(D)	935	1 195
Poultry and poultry products.....farms..	2 056	60	176	324	584
.....\$1,000..	244 160	150 035	210 405	229 667	238 414
Dairy products.....farms..	5 544	11	120	857	2 655
.....\$1,000..	421 556	5 072	35 365	144 374	310 367
Cattle and calves.....farms..	43 780	318	1 795	6 182	14 114
.....\$1,000..	2 235 422	611 586	1 098 029	1 513 299	1 824 898
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	34 058	227	1 829	7 161	15 992
.....\$1,000..	2 502 048	138 553	590 271	1 353 022	2 030 569
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms..	7 141	12	118	529	1 490
.....\$1,000..	38 861	(D)	13 730	18 047	24 313
Other livestock and livestock products (see text).....farms..	2 992	14	45	165	411
.....\$1,000..	16 584	76	1 638	3 149	6 515
Total farm production expenses ¹farms..	96 532	436	2 764	10 496	26 522
.....\$1,000..	7 744 947	883 212	2 073 068	3 739 170	5 617 347
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms..	41 068	413	2 379	7 525	16 804
.....\$1,000..	1 490 792	435 179	799 442	1 068 395	1 295 958
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms..	58 661	412	2 489	8 535	20 228
.....\$1,000..	1 317 636	229 303	478 878	771 319	1 061 597
Commercial fertilizer.....farms..	74 421	355	2 485	9 885	25 080
.....\$1,000..	578 142	11 490	67 787	200 464	371 237
Agricultural chemicals.....farms..	77 540	365	2 485	9 762	24 956
.....\$1,000..	424 136	9 759	53 308	151 465	278 066
Petroleum products.....farms..	92 977	427	2 735	10 428	26 387
.....\$1,000..	379 607	11 967	49 810	130 356	237 557
Electricity.....farms..	81 860	428	2 711	10 272	25 754
.....\$1,000..	133 955	6 747	21 004	47 710	82 316
Hired farm labor.....farms..	36 520	393	2 326	7 618	16 581
.....\$1,000..	259 210	46 272	110 655	177 984	228 347
Interest.....farms..	61 909	418	2 640	9 541	22 994
.....\$1,000..	593 994	29 125	104 062	240 417	403 042
Payments from government programs.....farms..	61 681	306	2 271	9 411	22 478
.....\$1,000..	477 958	8 823	50 399	155 423	278 465
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves.....farms..	43 610	312	1 740	5 965	13 721
.....number..	3 963 602	417 783	942 560	1 668 789	2 493 915
Milk cows.....farms..	5 878	12	122	859	2 663
.....number..	258 925	2 650	17 982	76 390	173 457
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	31 790	212	1 774	6 901	15 295
.....number..	14 153 158	659 466	2 959 289	7 088 161	10 989 036

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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