

**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..	13 037	19	144	651	1 716
..... percent..	100.0	.1	1.1	5.0	13.2
Land in farms ..... acres ..	2 223 476	9 695	124 242	468 618	915 348
Average size of farm ..... acres ..	171	510	863	720	533
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	13 040	19	144	651	1 723
..... \$1,000..	6 569 917	37 802	357 726	1 220 520	2 348 674
Average per farm ..... dollars ..	503 828	1 989 583	2 484 207	1 874 839	1 363 131
Average per acre ..... dollars ..	2 911	3 899	2 879	2 605	2 536
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	657 587	28 098	61 107	146 012	276 564
..... percent..	100.0	4.3	9.3	22.2	42.1
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland ..... acres ..	1 663 907	7 443	105 576	404 010	781 467
Harvested cropland ..... acres ..	1 397 069	6 083	99 433	379 887	723 376
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... acres ..	262 423	(D)	3 497	19 359	53 974
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... \$1,000 ..	1 169 331	118 726	293 186	584 789	877 086
Average per farm ..... dollars ..	89 693	6 248 740	2 036 015	898 294	511 123
Grains ..... farms..	5 441	1	65	398	1 049
..... \$1,000..	218 739	(D)	19 501	75 022	132 444
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco ..... farms..	950	1	1	4	19
..... \$1,000..	17 286	(D)	(D)	760	2 246
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms ..	2 329	—	11	56	156
..... \$1,000..	12 963	—	580	1 374	2 906
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms ..	1 164	2	17	64	159
..... \$1,000..	37 752	(D)	9 690	18 116	25 429
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms ..	432	1	4	19	43
..... \$1,000..	10 357	(D)	(D)	4 847	6 536
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms ..	781	3	25	58	112
..... \$1,000..	88 610	13 100	45 761	59 947	72 705
Other crops ..... farms ..	162	—	2	7	14
..... \$1,000..	2 436	—	(D)	1 442	1 949
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms ..	1 625	14	86	387	814
..... \$1,000..	494 441	94 284	182 514	338 489	451 829
Dairy products ..... farms ..	1 188	1	13	110	457
..... \$1,000..	191 033	(D)	18 911	57 684	132 542
Cattle and calves ..... farms ..	4 545	1	24	161	590
..... \$1,000..	53 985	(D)	3 126	8 559	22 831
Hogs and pigs ..... farms ..	843	1	15	58	139
..... \$1,000..	23 283	(D)	6 101	10 570	15 195
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms ..	571	—	1	9	23
..... \$1,000..	1 045	—	(D)	193	207
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms ..	1 111	—	5	19	44
..... \$1,000..	17 401	—	5 382	7 785	10 268
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	13 040	19	144	651	1 723
..... \$1,000..	974 511	105 934	247 782	483 781	713 452
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :					
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms ..	4 348	15	106	486	1 142
..... \$1,000..	126 429	50 999	66 368	88 389	107 006
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms ..	6 929	8	103	520	1 367
..... \$1,000..	299 426	16 127	70 937	169 463	252 738
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms ..	9 078	6	87	434	1 223
..... \$1,000..	59 352	390	4 555	16 683	32 685
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms ..	8 999	6	94	478	1 289
..... \$1,000..	34 930	516	3 896	11 697	20 369
Petroleum products ..... farms ..	12 224	17	137	625	1 636
..... \$1,000..	33 278	1 764	4 849	11 346	18 990
Electricity ..... farms ..	9 068	19	143	634	1 675
..... \$1,000..	18 192	2 784	4 741	8 196	12 345
Hired farm labor ..... farms ..	4 875	19	132	524	1 254
..... \$1,000..	93 631	15 529	35 793	55 750	75 613
Interest ..... farms ..	4 602	14	132	583	1 372
..... \$1,000..	42 938	1 333	6 418	16 313	26 858
Payments from government programs ..... farms ..	1 733	—	33	179	478
..... \$1,000..	10 960	—	946	3 222	7 027
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves ..... farms ..	4 978	1	25	167	613
..... number..	283 167	(D)	13 443	48 270	122 429
Milk cows ..... farms ..	1 329	1	13	110	460
..... number..	94 751	(D)	7 645	25 106	61 057
Hogs and pigs ..... farms ..	910	1	14	54	134
..... number..	145 519	(D)	40 181	67 003	94 373

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.