

**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..	46 562	50	419	2 102	6 197
Land in farms.....percent..	100.0	.1	.9	4.5	13.3
Land in farms.....acres..	10 088 170	91 570	618 007	2 280 656	4 534 672
Average size of farm.....acres..	217	1 831	1 475	1 085	732
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .....farms..	46 558	50	419	2 102	6 037
.....\$1,000..	11 517 049	150 770	791 300	2 601 541	4 884 748
Average per farm.....dollars..	247 370	3 015 404	1 888 545	1 237 650	809 135
Average per acre.....dollars..	1 131	1 647	1 280	1 141	1 087
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....\$1,000..	2 558 206	55 960	219 020	621 299	1 188 192
.....percent..	100.0	2.2	8.6	24.3	46.4
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland.....acres..	8 156 388	75 977	558 824	2 064 892	4 051 712
Harvested cropland.....acres..	6 584 251	64 721	502 136	1 865 936	3 625 267
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured.....acres..	717 137	1 957	16 865	61 598	152 310
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	3 028 547	302 908	757 805	1 514 446	2 271 500
Average per farm.....dollars..	65 043	6 058 160	1 808 605	720 478	366 548
Grains.....farms..	22 701	17	247	1 463	4 256
.....\$1,000..	766 941	5 194	65 066	251 428	477 083
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms..	—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco.....farms..	—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds.....farms..	10 791	2	36	260	864
.....\$1,000..	55 317	(D)	1 347	6 465	15 099
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms..	3 006	6	75	325	720
.....\$1,000..	159 144	17 135	51 553	98 549	130 015
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms..	3 540	1	42	206	606
.....\$1,000..	205 459	(D)	36 604	90 145	149 195
Nursery and greenhouse crops.....farms..	1 928	19	75	215	447
.....\$1,000..	309 521	117 072	180 637	238 995	275 919
Other crops.....farms..	1 996	4	86	398	937
.....\$1,000..	175 181	6 683	58 357	113 164	154 814
Poultry and poultry products.....farms..	1 582	10	43	84	141
.....\$1,000..	136 649	75 450	114 169	128 763	134 237
Dairy products.....farms..	4 836	2	83	709	2 305
.....\$1,000..	616 567	(D)	70 231	273 037	502 343
Cattle and calves.....farms..	15 780	11	155	981	3 101
.....\$1,000..	345 457	45 178	111 092	179 182	244 633
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	4 770	6	58	307	854
.....\$1,000..	213 440	12 712	52 179	115 684	164 993
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms..	1 798	—	3	25	105
.....\$1,000..	5 400	—	(D)	1 025	1 477
Other livestock and livestock products (see text).....farms..	3 661	2	6	27	105
.....\$1,000..	39 471	(D)	(D)	18 008	21 692
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms..	46 558	50	419	2 102	6 037
.....\$1,000..	2 583 189	264 920	639 719	1 231 369	1 800 145
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :					
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms..	13 767	23	178	878	2 381
.....\$1,000..	205 867	40 020	86 609	126 459	157 659
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms..	21 222	25	219	1 210	3 494
.....\$1,000..	333 497	56 670	117 970	198 382	265 957
Commercial fertilizer.....farms..	33 548	40	389	2 002	5 701
.....\$1,000..	218 185	3 395	22 625	74 320	134 941
Agricultural chemicals.....farms..	33 010	39	386	1 971	5 619
.....\$1,000..	149 282	3 864	21 900	57 359	95 676
Petroleum products.....farms..	44 242	49	417	2 092	6 000
.....\$1,000..	141 653	7 863	22 881	52 614	87 923
Electricity.....farms..	34 961	50	415	2 069	5 856
.....\$1,000..	49 096	3 527	9 764	20 236	31 875
Hired farm labor.....farms..	15 908	50	414	1 949	4 705
.....\$1,000..	318 276	64 653	138 319	226 299	283 413
Interest.....farms..	21 399	43	387	1 874	5 086
.....\$1,000..	181 417	7 927	28 103	70 370	118 045
Payments from government programs.....farms..	15 862	16	255	1 413	3 987
.....\$1,000..	91 610	850	8 455	29 339	54 399
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves.....farms..	17 031	11	154	979	3 073
.....number..	1 113 604	35 061	141 293	381 971	676 523
Milk cows.....farms..	5 198	2	82	706	2 291
.....number..	316 954	(D)	30 867	121 896	240 149
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	4 774	6	58	299	820
.....number..	1 231 641	54 791	274 514	608 486	896 513

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

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