

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..	75 079	179	1 563	7 142	18 350
..... percent..	100.0	.2	2.1	9.5	24.4
Land in farms acres ..	25 666 944	341 914	2 327 895	7 450 659	13 697 092
Average size of farm acres ..	342	1 910	1 489	1 043	746
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ farms..	75 075	179	1 563	7 093	18 303
..... \$1,000..	23 319 171	430 304	2 492 898	7 359 451	13 091 131
Average per farm dollars ..	310 612	2 403 932	1 594 945	1 037 565	715 245
Average per acre dollars ..	910	1 259	1 071	991	956
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000..	5 239 930	80 776	474 552	1 533 696	2 923 887
..... percent..	100.0	1.5	9.1	29.3	55.8
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres ..	21 387 063	298 280	2 167 699	6 903 893	12 468 992
Harvested cropland acres ..	18 201 061	274 333	2 007 229	6 337 187	11 331 274
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres ..	2 009 130	13 134	64 181	241 061	580 357
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000 ..	6 477 004	648 951	1 619 332	3 238 633	4 857 896
Average per farm dollars ..	86 269	3 625 423	1 036 041	453 463	264 735
Grains farms..	47 326	94	1 198	6 116	15 439
..... \$1,000..	2 445 312	34 569	305 486	987 893	1 696 129
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms ..	14 593	20	205	913	2 393
..... \$1,000..	84 124	3 644	7 982	17 267	29 790
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	3 458	10	159	711	1 472
..... \$1,000..	79 751	4 649	16 173	36 667	55 695
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	605	1	7	18	50
..... \$1,000..	9 366	(D)	1 712	2 958	4 829
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	844	10	48	109	175
..... \$1,000..	107 207	43 738	68 604	85 513	93 070
Other crops farms ..	1 933	23	337	1 026	1 411
..... \$1,000..	328 988	40 031	167 222	282 014	315 080
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	2 275	82	314	547	737
..... \$1,000..	614 414	369 328	538 048	598 772	609 191
Dairy products farms ..	13 224	8	177	1 671	5 970
..... \$1,000..	1 088 121	3 787	57 683	322 257	759 292
Cattle and calves farms ..	33 852	54	547	3 162	9 287
..... \$1,000..	844 268	105 087	246 162	430 076	594 378
Hogs and pigs farms ..	13 749	39	497	2 404	5 578
..... \$1,000..	825 383	37 358	196 727	454 853	672 370
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms ..	3 576	2	34	185	468
..... \$1,000..	17 049	(D)	4 084	6 347	8 247
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms ..	2 884	9	33	100	261
..... \$1,000..	33 022	(D)	9 449	14 023	19 824
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms..	75 075	179	1 563	7 093	18 303
..... \$1,000..	5 244 708	567 347	1 351 931	2 580 945	3 831 895
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Livestock and poultry purchased farms ..	26 925	143	999	3 939	9 205
..... \$1,000..	607 096	154 529	282 913	412 457	514 227
Feed for livestock and poultry farms ..	41 271	139	1 055	4 759	12 552
..... \$1,000..	919 271	210 967	394 176	585 096	763 883
Commercial fertilizer farms ..	54 458	108	1 269	6 467	16 992
..... \$1,000..	405 097	9 227	54 389	158 071	272 486
Agricultural chemicals farms ..	51 053	112	1 278	6 306	16 291
..... \$1,000..	301 155	9 142	47 245	126 969	207 653
Petroleum products farms ..	72 449	172	1 543	7 031	18 181
..... \$1,000..	298 913	12 691	43 387	111 103	190 352
Electricity farms ..	64 198	176	1 533	6 951	17 912
..... \$1,000..	111 364	6 198	17 207	39 655	69 536
Hired farm labor farms ..	28 275	170	1 379	5 564	12 466
..... \$1,000..	261 649	57 548	122 630	190 427	234 644
Interest farms ..	46 747	158	1 465	6 470	16 052
..... \$1,000..	449 417	14 884	65 971	173 412	300 965
Payments from government programs farms ..	38 514	80	1 068	5 455	13 590
..... \$1,000..	285 405	2 530	29 409	99 539	174 614
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms ..	34 501	52	537	3 113	9 152
..... number..	2 543 373	72 637	267 053	754 902	1 437 995
Milk cows farms ..	13 380	9	178	1 673	5 937
..... number..	609 034	1 768	26 827	154 897	386 074
Hogs and pigs farms ..	13 125	38	483	2 309	5 343
..... number..	4 668 590	203 252	1 030 539	2 393 580	3 622 460

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.