

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..	13 520	12	81	440	1 411
..... percent..	100.0	.1	.6	3.3	10.4
Land in farms acres ..	9 624 463	14 674	428 728	1 767 196	5 089 037
Average size of farm acres ..	712	1 223	5 293	4 016	3 607
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ farms..	13 518	12	81	440	1 418
..... \$1,000 ..	4 704 020	17 831	164 786	743 699	1 798 836
Average per farm dollars ..	347 982	1 485 885	2 034 396	1 690 225	1 268 573
Average per acre dollars ..	491	1 215	384	421	351
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000 ..	526 636	8 529	29 412	95 914	207 673
..... percent..	100.0	1.6	5.6	18.2	39.4
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres ..	2 093 779	10 225	66 525	275 170	767 166
Harvested cropland acres ..	1 043 347	9 450	49 448	198 088	488 066
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres ..	7 190 564	(D)	364 224	1 490 967	3 812 443
Market value of agricultural products sold \$1,000 ..	725 159	72 911	182 029	362 705	543 921
Average per farm dollars ..	53 636	6 075 893	2 247 265	824 329	385 486
Grains farms..	2 529	3	17	130	431
..... \$1,000 ..	38 467	98	1 582	7 653	20 524
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms ..	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms ..	4 328	3	14	109	395
..... \$1,000 ..	60 999	(D)	5 521	16 173	32 007
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	361	—	3	23	68
..... \$1,000 ..	13 420	—	(D)	5 448	10 014
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	568	—	4	21	48
..... \$1,000 ..	21 395	—	4 290	11 731	15 935
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	218	2	11	26	60
..... \$1,000 ..	38 724	(D)	23 865	30 204	35 804
Other crops farms ..	97	1	2	11	27
..... \$1,000 ..	8 375	(D)	(D)	7 607	8 146
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	313	2	17	65	93
..... \$1,000 ..	60 707	(D)	30 623	55 535	59 955
Dairy products farms ..	762	—	21	174	509
..... \$1,000 ..	150 992	—	23 831	85 209	140 699
Cattle and calves farms ..	7 212	7	51	316	1 040
..... \$1,000 ..	269 610	47 110	76 200	121 851	179 938
Hogs and pigs farms ..	575	—	1	16	61
..... \$1,000 ..	5 754	—	(D)	1 247	3 579
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms ..	1 697	—	6	44	157
..... \$1,000 ..	26 859	—	994	7 502	17 321
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms ..	1 820	2	11	50	161
..... \$1,000 ..	29 856	(D)	8 959	12 544	19 997
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms..	13 518	12	81	440	1 418
..... \$1,000 ..	602 812	59 526	150 002	297 294	435 605
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Livestock and poultry purchased farms ..	5 333	9	56	284	845
..... \$1,000 ..	103 978	27 009	43 874	65 385	82 908
Feed for livestock and poultry farms ..	7 544	9	61	366	1 136
..... \$1,000 ..	135 079	13 955	38 692	84 138	114 632
Commercial fertilizer farms ..	6 272	8	45	293	992
..... \$1,000 ..	17 412	385	1 815	5 408	9 835
Agricultural chemicals farms ..	5 917	9	51	310	995
..... \$1,000 ..	8 569	215	1 182	2 841	5 080
Petroleum products farms ..	12 670	12	80	439	1 409
..... \$1,000 ..	34 722	725	3 362	9 324	17 932
Electricity farms ..	7 326	12	77	424	1 309
..... \$1,000 ..	15 448	705	3 158	7 029	11 280
Hired farm labor farms ..	5 860	12	78	421	1 276
..... \$1,000 ..	72 014	7 161	24 508	44 290	61 840
Interest farms ..	5 460	11	73	396	1 173
..... \$1,000 ..	42 771	1 132	5 234	14 644	26 757
Payments from government programs farms ..	2 357	2	17	138	483
..... \$1,000 ..	17 464	(D)	329	2 407	7 142
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms ..	7 530	7	51	314	1 037
..... number..	860 830	26 639	84 880	239 585	468 369
Milk cows farms ..	1 082	—	23	185	535
..... number..	80 369	—	10 357	41 530	72 339
Hogs and pigs farms ..	727	—	1	16	62
..... number..	43 017	—	(D)	7 818	24 162

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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