

Table 41. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 2002

[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	79,631	43	233	1,238	4,419
Land in farms	100.0	0.1	0.3	1.6	5.5
Average size of farm	27,589,027 acres	384,684 acres	1,265,267 acres	3,183,698 acres	7,010,675 acres
Estimated market value of land and buildings	79,656 farms	43 farms	233 farms	1,236 farms	4,430 farms
Average per farm	\$1,000 96,129,402	\$1,000 1,876,756	\$1,000 5,881,705	\$1,000 14,961,991	\$1,000 28,988,455
Average per acre	1,206,807 dollars	43,645,489 dollars	25,243,368 dollars	12,105,171 dollars	6,543,669 dollars
Average per acre	3,526 dollars	4,879 dollars	4,649 dollars	4,716 dollars	4,141 dollars
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹	\$1,000 6,325,990	\$1,000 157,300	\$1,000 478,345	\$1,000 1,241,837	\$1,000 2,534,596
	100.0 percent	2.5 percent	7.6 percent	19.6 percent	40.1 percent
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland	10,994,161 acres	361,342 acres	1,045,680 acres	2,528,360 acres	4,825,226 acres
Harvested cropland	8,466,321 acres	346,528 acres	989,879 acres	2,377,210 acres	4,451,087 acres
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	15,333,122 acres	8,677 acres	142,399 acres	481,538 acres	1,891,102 acres
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	\$1,000 25,737,173	\$1,000 2,599,047	\$1,000 6,444,922	\$1,000 12,870,653	\$1,000 19,304,807
Average per farm	323,205 dollars	60,442,964 dollars	27,660,610 dollars	10,396,327 dollars	4,368,592 dollars
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4,952 farms	7 farms	41 farms	261 farms	924 farms
Tobacco	\$1,000 722,093	(D)	(D)	96,503	267,434
Cotton and cottonseed	1,392 farms	5 farms	17 farms	117 farms	488 farms
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	\$1,000 4,131	21	87	365	1,050
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	\$1,000 4,785,101	855,579	2,029,053	3,422,882	4,371,155
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text)	\$1,000 36,386	16	101	523	1,920
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	\$1,000 8,720,660	546,493	1,619,640	3,328,257	5,358,532
Other crops and hay (see text)	\$1,000 4,423	8	41	192	577
Cattle and calves	\$1,000 3,286,627	359,642	1,045,896	1,991,531	2,719,453
Milk and other dairy products from cows	403 farms	-	-	1	5
Hogs and pigs	\$1,000 12,028	-	-	(D)	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	\$1,000 5,730	8	38	244	837
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	\$1,000 943,216	(D)	83,019	267,862	552,271
Poultry and eggs	\$1,000 12,897	7	42	346	1,230
Aquaculture (see text)	\$1,000 1,582,334	399,440	687,817	952,889	1,196,728
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	\$1,000 2,422	-	18	293	1,086
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text)	\$1,000 3,739,213	-	260,144	1,750,306	3,290,574
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text)	\$1,000 1,513	-	2	7	28
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000 27,488	-	(D)	(D)	19,602
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :	\$1,000 4,256	-	1	7	32
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	\$1,000 52,418	-	(D)	(D)	15,860
Chemicals	\$1,000 4,033	1	1	7	18
Livestock and poultry purchased	\$1,000 32,397	(D)	(D)	76	(D)
Feed purchased	\$1,000 1,980	3	16	57	149
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	\$1,000 1,017,988	310,782	540,108	777,690	954,346
Utilities (see text)	\$1,000 204	-	-	1	18
Hired farm labor	\$1,000 64,557	-	-	(D)	41,940
Interest expense	\$1,000 1,665	-	2	5	24
Government payments	\$1,000 68,057	-	(D)	(D)	24,518
Inventory of selected livestock:	\$1,000 1,443	2	13	35	81
Cattle and calves	\$1,000 149,137	(D)	35,669	59,745	94,244
Milk cows	3,056 farms	1 farm	11 farms	77 farms	300 farms
Hogs and pigs	\$1,000 245,911	(D)	36,017	93,326	146,108
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000 79,655	43 farms	233 farms	1,236 farms	4,430 farms
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :	\$1,000 20,527,198	1,939,581	4,624,820	9,499,642	14,459,830
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	50,120 farms	39 farms	205 farms	1,072 farms	3,864 farms
Chemicals	\$1,000 834,536	68,441	165,517	334,818	529,687
Livestock and poultry purchased	\$1,000 46,868	36	198	1,028	3,729
Feed purchased	\$1,000 1,102,974	96,132	248,508	477,234	727,248
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	\$1,000 10,745	9	52	318	953
Utilities (see text)	\$1,000 949,697	303,748	473,458	687,988	822,288
Hired farm labor	\$1,000 28,663	11	62	419	1,456
Interest expense	\$1,000 2,494,806	349,296	576,536	1,371,982	2,133,867
Government payments	\$1,000 76,747	43	233	1,236	4,429
Inventory of selected livestock:	\$1,000 610,228	42,841	112,322	227,980	369,075
Cattle and calves	\$1,000 58,359	40	223	1,199	4,252
Milk cows	\$1,000 986,812	65,240	182,952	386,383	639,424
Hogs and pigs	\$1,000 34,342	43	231	1,203	4,268
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000 4,317,078	356,561	993,447	2,099,922	3,186,635
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :	\$1,000 26,941	32	178	941	3,274
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	\$1,000 930,722	25,128	114,577	287,387	498,655
Chemicals	7,228 farms	6 farms	47 farms	342 farms	1,288 farms
Livestock and poultry purchased	\$1,000 168,698	530	3,581	21,687	65,658
Feed purchased	17,379 farms	8 farms	46 farms	375 farms	1,320 farms
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	5,234,177 farms	321,472	846,133	2,165,518	3,562,020
Utilities (see text)	2,793 farms	-	18	293	1,073
Hired farm labor	1,644,692 farms	-	117,674	752,261	1,416,290
Interest expense	1,521 farms	-	2	6	27
Government payments	163,465 farms	-	(D)	(D)	106,323

¹ Data are based on a sample of farms.