

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 number	49,311	30	198	1,010	2,773
Land in farms percent	100.0	0.1	0.4	2.0	5.6
Land in farms acres	10,744,239	22,920	272,197	908,500	2,031,288
Average size of farm acres	218	764	1,375	900	733
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms	49,304	30	199	1,037	2,866
Estimated market value of land and buildings \$1,000	22,552,975	73,797	541,130	1,909,059	4,211,126
Average per farm dollars	457,427	2,459,914	2,719,245	1,840,945	1,469,339
Average per acre dollars	2,112	3,220	1,972	2,068	2,018
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000	2,416,555	21,638	109,753	313,289	689,711
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ percent	100.0	0.9	4.5	13.0	28.5
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres	4,676,567	17,744	201,683	613,851	1,364,949
Harvested cropland acres	3,245,784	15,931	189,921	558,173	1,208,936
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres	2,039,740	2,023	21,362	93,917	224,613
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) \$1,000	4,911,752	497,036	1,229,502	2,456,082	3,684,242
Average per farm dollars	99,608	16,567,854	6,209,606	2,431,764	1,328,612
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas farms	3,828	1	35	164	510
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas \$1,000	102,464	(D)	4,735	16,688	41,895
Tobacco farms	822	1	12	48	153
Tobacco \$1,000	89,058	(D)	8,875	19,141	48,416
Cotton and cottonseed farms	3,206	-	29	175	529
Cotton and cottonseed \$1,000	318,013	-	14,681	68,316	156,480
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes farms	1,715	4	42	135	262
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes \$1,000	383,556	54,466	188,191	281,985	327,283
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries farms	3,611	2	19	66	177
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries \$1,000	122,151	(D)	30,533	48,476	67,496
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) farms	1,199	4	25	64	145
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) \$1,000	315,324	71,121	156,701	209,004	261,481
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops farms	188	-	1	2	3
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops \$1,000	2,095	-	(D)	(D)	15
Other crops and hay (see text) farms	7,691	-	52	299	776
Other crops and hay (see text) \$1,000	246,936	-	10,904	48,664	114,206
Cattle and calves farms	18,770	2	65	402	1,078
Cattle and calves \$1,000	240,070	(D)	15,401	34,465	66,529
Milk and other dairy products from cows farms	517	2	15	53	148
Milk and other dairy products from cows \$1,000	212,720	(D)	70,501	111,805	163,632
Hogs and pigs farms	995	-	5	28	69
Hogs and pigs \$1,000	65,384	-	18,414	36,786	52,929
Sheep, goats, and their products farms	1,792	-	2	9	38
Sheep, goats, and their products \$1,000	1,940	-	(D)	8	88
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys farms	2,677	-	4	14	38
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys \$1,000	16,573	-	8	(D)	1,367
Poultry and eggs farms	3,883	20	108	705	1,867
Poultry and eggs \$1,000	2,780,214	346,236	705,125	1,573,767	2,374,493
Aquaculture (see text) farms	159	-	1	3	8
Aquaculture (see text) \$1,000	5,310	-	(D)	(D)	2,129
Other animals and other animal products (see text) farms	433	1	3	8	11
Other animals and other animal products (see text) \$1,000	9,944	(D)	(D)	5,221	5,803
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text) farms	32	-	-	1	1
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text) \$1,000	671	-	-	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text) farms	664	-	2	16	55
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text) \$1,000	12,240	-	(D)	3,466	6,058
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms	49,304	30	199	1,037	2,866
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000	3,845,512	240,133	688,982	1,551,012	2,482,968
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners farms	27,037	13	121	590	1,618
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners \$1,000	190,338	6,895	21,753	42,774	78,682
Chemicals farms	20,872	11	130	713	1,880
Chemicals \$1,000	197,468	7,151	26,108	54,447	102,363
Livestock and poultry purchased farms	12,342	22	132	804	2,163
Livestock and poultry purchased \$1,000	372,108	50,546	98,642	203,180	304,572
Feed purchased farms	32,119	15	125	827	2,302
Feed purchased \$1,000	1,365,162	53,304	210,477	657,503	1,078,696
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms	46,566	30	197	1,034	2,851
Gasoline, fuels, and oils \$1,000	149,582	3,917	16,115	41,578	76,826
Utilities (see text) farms	25,089	29	197	1,013	2,754
Utilities (see text) \$1,000	99,923	9,131	20,843	38,229	59,720
Hired farm labor farms	11,636	28	174	769	1,890
Hired farm labor \$1,000	326,621	45,905	120,225	174,993	233,759
Interest expense farms	13,335	17	139	793	2,072
Interest expense \$1,000	193,171	2,208	13,062	44,637	82,411
Government payments farms	15,510	4	76	412	1,141
Government payments \$1,000	118,535	96	4,660	16,570	38,635
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms	24,554	3	69	446	1,234
Cattle and calves number	1,272,291	10,116	60,726	146,177	268,763
Milk cows farms	841	2	15	53	150
Milk cows number	85,075	(D)	23,829	39,636	61,477
Hogs and pigs farms	1,148	-	5	26	69
Hogs and pigs number	347,816	-	86,900	160,034	251,631

¹ Data are based on a sample of farms.