

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	15,282	2	25	171	744
Land in farms percent	100.0	(Z)	0.2	1.1	4.9
Average size of farm acres	11,731,228	(D)	(D)	1,802,074	6,410,146
	768	(D)	(D)	10,538	8,616
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ farms	15,292	2	25	170	700
	\$1,000	(D)	407,450	834,284	2,515,576
Average per farm dollars	8,965,857	(D)	16,298,000	4,907,554	3,593,681
Average per acre dollars	586,310	(D)	424	463	395
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000	875,958	(D)	21,000	81,531	210,279
	100.0	(D)	2.4	9.3	24.0
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres	2,067,437	-	21,599	142,280	473,932
Harvested cropland acres	961,037	-	14,940	98,864	333,996
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres	9,610,112	-	(D)	1,576,653	5,768,487
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) \$1,000	1,115,898	(D)	279,555	558,416	837,153
Average per farm dollars	73,020	(D)	11,182,210	3,265,589	1,125,206
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas farms	1,158	-	1	42	192
	\$1,000	-	(D)	3,792	15,304
Tobacco farms	30,139	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed farms	-	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes farms	347	-	1	7	35
	\$1,000	-	(D)	3,899	8,363
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries farms	460	-	-	1	8
	\$1,000	-	-	(D)	1,978
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) farms	275	-	6	19	65
	\$1,000	-	44,401	70,803	84,896
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops farms	26	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) farms	3,986	-	4	48	254
	\$1,000	-	(D)	19,923	59,205
Cattle and calves farms	5,617	-	14	116	536
	\$1,000	-	57,208	134,931	235,849
Milk and other dairy products from cows farms	451	-	4	58	211
	\$1,000	-	15,761	104,192	169,906
Hogs and pigs farms	480	2	3	13	39
	\$1,000	(D)	(D)	150,669	151,705
Sheep, goats, and their products farms	1,372	-	-	13	75
	\$1,000	-	-	(D)	8,488
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys farms	1,725	-	2	17	65
	\$1,000	-	(D)	273	1,083
Poultry and eggs farms	645	-	4	21	57
	\$1,000	-	30,677	64,369	82,291
Aquaculture (see text) farms	41	-	-	1	10
	\$1,000	-	-	(D)	4,343
Other animals and other animal products (see text) farms	308	-	-	3	26
	\$1,000	-	-	(D)	13,742
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text) farms	105	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text) farms	444	-	-	5	26
	\$1,000	-	-	(D)	1,870
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms	15,292	2	25	170	700
	\$1,000	(D)	229,162	434,623	632,498
Selected farm production expenses ¹ :					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners farms	6,737	-	16	107	510
	\$1,000	-	1,386	4,814	10,734
Chemicals farms	5,999	2	16	111	454
	\$1,000	(D)	1,174	2,582	5,682
Livestock and poultry purchased farms	5,172	1	17	116	456
	\$1,000	(D)	57,044	99,919	136,494
Feed purchased farms	9,479	2	19	141	572
	\$1,000	(D)	79,860	151,086	198,480
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms	244,175	2	24	168	698
	\$1,000	(D)	5,065	10,534	19,054
Utilities (see text) farms	14,148	2	22	159	650
	\$1,000	(D)	3,822	9,446	17,032
Hired farm labor farms	42,227	2	23	164	618
	\$1,000	(D)	33,075	59,755	88,312
Interest expense farms	9,380	-	17	124	515
	\$1,000	-	2,713	8,946	20,044
Government payments farms	2,987	-	8	77	381
	\$1,000	-	421	2,626	9,586
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms	6,688	-	14	116	548
	876,951	-	42,629	186,593	409,629
Milk cows farms	680	-	4	57	216
	90,904	-	7,950	43,774	75,614
Hogs and pigs farms	518	2	3	15	42
	670,047	(D)	(D)	654,081	659,905

¹ Data are based on a sample of farms.