

**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	9,422	6	52	349	1,198
Land in farms . . . . . percent	100.0	0.1	0.6	3.7	12.7
Land in farms . . . . . acres	34,402,726	(D)	1,686,066	9,087,161	18,495,814
Average size of farm . . . . . acres	3,651	(D)	32,424	26,038	15,439
Estimated market value of land and buildings . . . . . farms	9,432	6	52	348	1,212
Estimated market value of land and buildings . . . . . \$1,000	10,195,477	(D)	429,947	1,812,369	4,307,499
Average per farm . . . . . dollars	1,080,945	(D)	8,268,211	5,207,957	3,554,042
Average per acre . . . . . dollars	290	(D)	255	200	230
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> . . . . . \$1,000	672,815	5,369	25,761	101,514	262,154
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> . . . . . percent	100.0	0.8	3.8	15.1	39.0
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland . . . . . acres	2,989,804	(D)	79,285	435,219	1,086,738
Harvested cropland . . . . . acres	1,298,709	(D)	55,544	290,619	642,674
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured . . . . . acres	31,153,855	(D)	1,514,778	8,520,542	17,193,394
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	863,887	91,165	216,183	432,061	648,011
Average per farm . . . . . dollars	91,688	15,194,218	4,157,356	1,237,999	540,910
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas . . . . . farms	896	1	13	104	283
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas . . . . . \$1,000	44,522	(D)	2,416	15,272	28,108
Tobacco . . . . . farms	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco . . . . . \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed . . . . . farms	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed . . . . . \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes . . . . . farms	28	-	2	3	5
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes . . . . . \$1,000	1,798	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries . . . . . farms	11	-	-	-	1
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries . . . . . \$1,000	87	-	-	-	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) . . . . . farms	50	-	-	3	16
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	5,301	-	-	(D)	3,715
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops . . . . . farms	4	-	-	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops . . . . . \$1,000	41	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) . . . . . farms	2,298	-	14	119	374
Other crops and hay (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	86,027	-	3,805	29,082	55,215
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms	4,997	4	48	306	1,049
Cattle and calves . . . . . \$1,000	643,123	(D)	184,500	337,711	495,843
Milk and other dairy products from cows . . . . . farms	81	-	-	9	26
Milk and other dairy products from cows . . . . . \$1,000	7,473	-	-	3,443	5,583
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms	247	2	3	6	20
Hogs and pigs . . . . . \$1,000	23,057	(D)	21,851	21,860	21,942
Sheep, goats, and their products . . . . . farms	1,019	-	5	53	155
Sheep, goats, and their products . . . . . \$1,000	28,853	-	(D)	15,262	22,391
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys . . . . . farms	1,555	2	9	57	184
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys . . . . . \$1,000	12,400	(D)	148	2,637	5,253
Poultry and eggs . . . . . farms	254	-	1	3	10
Poultry and eggs . . . . . \$1,000	663	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Aquaculture (see text) . . . . . farms	17	-	-	2	9
Aquaculture (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	3,213	-	-	(D)	2,989
Other animals and other animal products (see text) . . . . . farms	174	-	-	5	21
Other animals and other animal products (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	7,329	-	-	2,844	4,801
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text) . . . . . farms	13	-	-	3	5
Value of certified organically produced commodities (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	268	-	-	57	108
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text) . . . . . farms	440	-	5	39	103
Value of agricultural products received by landlords (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	9,302	-	323	2,255	5,030
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> . . . . . farms	9,432	6	52	348	1,212
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> . . . . . \$1,000	828,003	88,938	208,179	375,551	569,667
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners . . . . . farms	3,085	3	30	203	648
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners . . . . . \$1,000	22,555	(D)	1,566	6,891	13,475
Chemicals . . . . . farms	3,038	4	34	179	628
Chemicals . . . . . \$1,000	10,532	82	1,247	3,933	6,993
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms	3,673	4	49	283	845
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . \$1,000	199,126	41,420	111,911	159,602	184,018
Feed purchased . . . . . farms	6,761	6	48	300	1,021
Feed purchased . . . . . \$1,000	137,943	27,426	44,473	67,386	97,667
Gasoline, fuels, and oils . . . . . farms	9,110	6	52	347	1,208
Gasoline, fuels, and oils . . . . . \$1,000	36,091	374	2,004	8,250	18,125
Utilities (see text) . . . . . farms	6,611	6	50	333	1,157
Utilities (see text) . . . . . \$1,000	25,318	826	2,295	7,218	14,333
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms	3,102	6	45	299	1,011
Hired farm labor . . . . . \$1,000	81,799	4,675	12,347	32,760	59,074
Interest expense . . . . . farms	4,191	4	44	253	871
Interest expense . . . . . \$1,000	63,529	1,152	5,829	15,658	34,473
Government payments . . . . . farms	3,163	2	29	246	800
Government payments . . . . . \$1,000	37,913	(D)	1,642	9,751	21,340
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms	5,282	4	41	269	986
Cattle and calves . . . . . number	1,297,042	68,883	179,967	444,187	838,174
Milk cows . . . . . farms	265	-	-	8	49
Milk cows . . . . . number	4,214	-	-	1,410	2,723
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms	184	2	3	4	16
Hogs and pigs . . . . . number	114,047	(D)	104,635	104,688	105,382

<sup>1</sup> Data are based on a sample of farms.