

Table 40. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 2007

[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	48,753	33	241	929	2,235
Land in farms	100.0	0.1	0.5	1.9	4.6
Land in farms	9,033,537	14,702	193,228	500,246	1,165,511
Average size of farm	185	446	802	538	521
Estimated market value of land and buildings	48,753	33	241	929	2,235
.....farms	20,704,133	72,143	612,631	1,682,730	3,480,044
Average per farm	424,674	2,186,143	2,542,039	1,811,335	1,557,067
Average per acre	2,292	4,907	3,171	3,364	2,986
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	2,964,616	21,302	103,742	281,228	552,165
.....\$1,000	100.0	0.7	3.5	9.5	18.6
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland	3,142,958	3,977	77,247	244,116	659,846
Harvested cropland	1,994,743	1,223	60,133	196,143	545,921
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	2,644,074	8,143	55,835	134,405	293,933
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	4,415,550	448,062	1,104,384	2,208,766	3,311,850
Average per farm	90,570	13,577,637	4,582,506	2,377,574	1,481,812
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,359	-	24	94	270
.....farms	120,656	-	5,774	18,652	57,579
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	-
.....farms	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	918	-	18	54	174
.....farms	104,632	-	5,166	15,650	48,202
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,602	-	3	11	30
.....farms	33,902	-	(D)	(D)	11,418
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,708	-	2	16	35
.....farms	27,610	-	(D)	422	3,572
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text)	675	5	20	46	94
.....farms	264,807	(D)	140,729	181,438	218,069
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	59	-	-	-	-
.....farms	1,036	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text)	8,976	2	54	217	554
.....farms	124,344	(D)	(D)	12,801	37,653
Cattle and calves	21,356	4	125	499	1,139
.....farms	408,276	(D)	34,874	55,586	102,095
Milk and other dairy products from cows	165	-	4	10	32
.....farms	38,270	-	10,301	16,275	29,602
Hogs and pigs	547	-	8	32	39
.....farms	54,618	-	22,998	45,737	50,337
Sheep, goats, and their products	2,410	-	-	6	34
.....farms	3,128	-	-	12	72
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,039	-	4	27	54
.....farms	13,434	-	8	70	(D)
Poultry and eggs	4,884	26	191	805	1,833
.....farms	3,113,194	344,852	833,126	1,794,097	2,665,276
Aquaculture (see text)	313	2	10	21	55
.....farms	99,504	(D)	40,283	56,048	81,497
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	586	-	2	11	30
.....farms	8,140	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Value of organically produced commodities (see text)	56	-	-	1	3
.....farms	632	-	-	(D)	(D)
Value of landlord's share of total sales (see text)	636	-	7	19	65
.....farms	12,193	-	(D)	1,875	5,878
Total farm production expenses	48,753	33	241	929	2,235
.....farms	3,922,143	374,969	896,417	1,783,357	2,702,887
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	27,461	9	119	438	1,097
.....farms	168,838	3,822	10,903	21,843	50,640
Chemicals	19,390	13	153	587	1,435
.....farms	84,495	2,434	7,836	17,759	38,757
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	11,619	28	215	856	1,979
.....farms	701,381	224,375	321,963	438,743	572,318
Feed purchased	30,051	7	189	840	2,010
.....farms	1,611,020	28,299	298,078	827,344	1,294,585
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	47,750	33	240	928	2,231
.....farms	163,784	5,913	19,164	41,146	71,559
Utilities (see text)	21,735	33	239	923	2,184
.....farms	94,692	9,676	18,870	37,684	59,705
Hired farm labor	9,541	32	192	620	1,378
.....farms	208,023	43,785	77,899	108,344	143,226
Interest expense	11,714	14	159	646	1,466
.....farms	130,780	2,163	11,339	28,627	50,954
Government payments	14,428	5	89	345	822
.....farms	124,692	(D)	3,149	11,497	31,479
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves	23,970	4	127	530	1,245
.....farms	1,187,171	1,516	46,572	106,528	222,344
Milk cows	157	-	4	10	32
.....farms	12,962	-	2,779	4,609	9,384
Hogs and pigs	753	-	8	31	40
.....farms	178,275	-	57,540	137,887	155,237