

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	number percent 100.0	85,260 7 (Z)	83 0.1	735 0.9	3,294 3.9
Land in farms	acres Average size of farm	13,993,121 164	8,705 1,244	173,963 2,096	1,091,793 1,485
Estimated market value of land and buildings	farms \$1,000	85,260 37,532,657	7 90,766	83 884,966	735 3,813,153
Average per farm	dollars Average per acre	440,213 2,682	12,966,610 10,427	10,662,239 5,087	5,187,964 3,493
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	\$1,000 percent	4,910,199 100.0	4,236 0.1	75,714 1.5	375,865 7.7
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland	acres	7,278,098	5,017	119,981	892,899
Harvested cropland	acres	5,057,883	-	97,395	832,126
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	acres	4,386,100	8,180	52,103	146,434
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	\$1,000	4,824,561	510,104	1,215,666	2,412,438
Average per farm	dollars	56,586	72,871,948	14,646,573	3,282,228
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	farms \$1,000	8,729 867,298	-	18 35,005	330 315,780
Tobacco	farms \$1,000	8,112 314,151	-	6 1,669	102 25,995
Cotton and cottonseed	farms \$1,000	- -	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	farms \$1,000	2,098 20,937	-	-	7 (D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	farms \$1,000	713 3,088	-	-	2 (D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text)	farms \$1,000	1,191 87,748	-	2 (D)	22 28,925
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms \$1,000	129 876	-	-	1 (D)
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms \$1,000	21,670 110,671	-	5 63	107 1,688
Cattle and calves	farms \$1,000	38,212 935,611	1 (D)	23 17,057	273 121,690
Milk and other dairy products from cows	farms \$1,000	2,273 250,305	-	2 (D)	33 31,979
Hogs and pigs	farms \$1,000	1,210 90,198	-	6 21,411	148 59,159
Sheep, goats, and their products	farms \$1,000	3,508 7,208	-	1 (D)	49 (D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms \$1,000	5,391 952,384	6 356,746	36 636,094	126 800,499
Poultry and eggs	farms \$1,000	4,088 978,025	1 (D)	32 285,769	349 827,315
Aquaculture (see text)	farms \$1,000	81 2,683	-	-	6 202
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms \$1,000	1,262 203,380	4 (D)	21 195,026	33 198,568
Value of organically produced commodities (see text)	farms \$1,000	169 2,360	-	-	1 (D)
Value of landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms \$1,000	2,672 96,784	1 (D)	9 2,663	126 30,911
Total farm production expenses	farms \$1,000	85,260 3,930,240	7 321,824	83 795,358	735 1,688,487
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	farms \$1,000	44,729 308,598	6 308	51 8,531	478 56,937
Chemicals	farms \$1,000	27,108 100,920	5 48	49 3,408	487 30,919
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	farms \$1,000	18,470 523,127	7 50,033	65 143,191	517 284,215
Feed purchased	farms \$1,000	46,766 793,669	7 17,065	74 115,458	588 458,692
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	farms \$1,000	83,309 203,942	7 626	82 8,530	732 35,867
Utilities (see text)	farms \$1,000	40,616 79,696	7 1,140	77 8,842	681 8,921
Hired farm labor	farms \$1,000	18,846 322,169	7 19,010	75 92,947	549 150,471
Interest expense	farms \$1,000	26,249 240,331	3 (D)	52 11,190	518 36,763
Government payments	farms \$1,000	29,511 103,104	1 (D)	22 1,564	412 13,261
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves	farms number	43,681 2,395,455	-	21 32,894	292 119,203
Milk cows	farms number	2,277 90,462	-	2 (D)	34 9,931
Hogs and pigs	farms number	1,498 348,023	-	6 94,100	37 209,292