

Table 44. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 2012

[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	30,961	139	640	2,107	4,908
..... percent	100.0	0.4	2.1	6.8	15.9
Land in farms acres	39,262,613	1,497,165	4,493,448	11,178,387	19,870,831
Average size of farm acres	1,268	10,771	7,021	5,305	4,049
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms	30,961	139	640	2,107	4,908
..... \$1,000	56,002,289	3,395,822	9,804,079	21,479,957	34,281,566
Average per farm dollars	1,808,801	24,430,372	15,318,873	10,194,569	6,984,834
Average per acre dollars	1,426	2,268	2,182	1,922	1,725
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment \$1,000	9,297,134	458,687	1,409,284	3,390,712	5,686,246
..... percent	100.0	4.9	15.2	36.5	61.2
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres	27,147,240	1,347,353	4,019,493	9,806,734	16,601,664
Harvested cropland acres	23,469,816	1,296,421	3,864,627	9,374,601	15,757,875
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres	10,569,120	112,672	375,388	1,130,783	2,769,254
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) \$1,000	10,950,680	1,098,690	2,739,478	5,475,982	8,214,158
Average per farm dollars	353,693	7,904,247	4,280,434	2,598,948	1,673,626
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas farms	14,370	128	615	2,066	4,807
..... \$1,000	8,813,348	698,591	2,023,926	4,458,873	6,837,680
Tobacco farms	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed farms	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes farms	264	28	60	88	120
..... \$1,000	251,033	149,989	207,055	232,217	247,086
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries farms	74	-	1	1	3
..... \$1,000	247	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruits and tree nuts farms	42	-	-	-	1
..... \$1,000	127	-	-	-	(D)
Berries farms	39	-	1	1	2
..... \$1,000	120	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) farms	70	-	-	1	2
..... \$1,000	7,271	-	-	(D)	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops farms	12	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	19	-	-	-	-
Cut Christmas trees farms	10	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-
Short rotation woody crops farms	2	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) farms	8,101	49	239	645	1,434
..... \$1,000	592,367	78,027	205,612	312,116	416,620
Maple syrup (see text) farms	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves farms	8,925	29	138	500	1,340
..... \$1,000	1,063,287	111,190	195,090	340,845	549,209
Milk from cows (see text) farms	158	3	11	27	38
..... \$1,000	67,079	15,671	38,220	48,671	52,158
Hogs and pigs farms	193	8	11	20	40
..... \$1,000	50,366	31,348	42,721	45,197	48,307
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) farms	655	-	2	5	34
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	(D)	82	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys farms	1,418	4	8	22	64
..... \$1,000	12,462	27	416	452	1,056
Poultry and eggs farms	597	6	8	13	29
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	15,395	18,286	22,149
Aquaculture farms	7	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	738	-	-	-	-
Other animals and other animal products (see text) farms	399	1	6	18	51
..... \$1,000	61,862	(D)	10,998	(D)	35,298
Value of organically produced commodities (see text) farms	118	1	1	6	17
..... \$1,000	9,754	(D)	(D)	334	3,877
Value of landlords' share of total sales (see text) farms	2,138	14	105	392	906
..... \$1,000	136,460	4,979	22,319	57,953	98,576
Total farm production expenses farms	30,961	139	640	2,107	4,908
..... \$1,000	7,296,140	824,197	1,793,970	3,450,467	5,210,725
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms	14,647	132	621	2,067	4,793
..... \$1,000	1,256,230	117,474	286,770	599,419	939,757
Chemicals purchased farms	16,844	134	621	2,072	4,816
..... \$1,000	799,532	101,898	205,729	402,541	611,632
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms	7,183	32	131	441	1,186
..... \$1,000	291,801	60,682	89,239	134,167	181,465
Feed purchased farms	11,830	38	160	557	1,482
..... \$1,000	324,796	58,804	90,398	132,289	192,721
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased farms	28,056	139	639	2,106	4,906
..... \$1,000	538,408	47,013	112,063	229,478	355,967
Utilities (see text) farms	22,365	139	640	2,107	4,908
..... \$1,000	122,072	15,002	27,629	47,471	71,473
Hired farm labor farms	9,300	134	605	1,895	3,866
..... \$1,000	280,464	49,863	100,389	172,233	231,039
Interest expense farms	17,125	121	571	1,876	4,220
..... \$1,000	334,271	42,645	77,974	143,184	215,817
Government payments farms	24,790	102	529	1,876	4,504
..... \$1,000	381,710	9,829	35,274	100,387	185,810
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms	9,868	27	140	519	1,407
..... number	1,809,613	55,793	142,849	332,539	693,351
Milk cows farms	243	3	12	31	42
..... number	17,876	2,692	8,295	11,011	12,074
Hogs and pigs farms	218	8	11	21	41
..... number	133,653	76,025	110,340	115,903	126,894