

**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	69,754	66	393	2,026	6,907
.....percent	100.0	0.1	0.6	2.9	9.9
Land in farms .....acres	14,568,926	227,352	1,074,777	3,286,397	6,381,046
Average size of farm .....acres	209	3,445	2,735	1,622	924
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....farms	69,754	66	393	2,026	6,907
.....\$1,000	57,166,991	1,120,779	4,943,154	14,789,235	27,606,047
Average per farm .....dollars	819,551	16,981,505	12,578,000	7,299,721	3,996,822
Average per acre .....dollars	3,924	4,930	4,599	4,500	4,326
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....\$1,000	9,037,376	175,026	740,206	2,289,355	4,544,113
.....percent	100.0	1.9	8.2	25.3	50.3
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland .....acres	9,910,991	203,320	963,597	2,889,269	5,422,882
Harvested cropland .....acres	9,149,273	200,759	947,853	2,845,726	5,324,575
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....acres	1,196,833	2,712	23,529	77,888	235,505
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) .....\$1,000	11,744,476	1,179,836	2,938,170	5,873,030	8,808,383
Average per farm .....dollars	168,370	17,876,310	7,476,259	2,898,830	1,275,283
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas .....farms	33,244	34	280	1,601	5,799
.....\$1,000	3,382,513	21,183	294,536	1,168,257	2,209,643
Tobacco .....farms	181	1	10	26	26
.....\$1,000	3,315	-	(D)	533	1,234
Cotton and cottonseed .....farms	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes .....farms	2,880	10	58	223	621
.....\$1,000	555,432	171,188	320,006	438,248	503,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries .....farms	1,475	2	8	64	161
.....\$1,000	219,271	(D)	45,765	139,007	187,136
Fruits and tree nuts .....farms	713	-	1	5	22
.....\$1,000	20,981	-	(D)	7,660	7,660
Berries .....farms	903	2	8	60	143
.....\$1,000	198,290	(D)	(D)	(D)	179,475
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) .....farms	1,521	4	10	44	139
.....\$1,000	201,140	31,196	58,531	106,539	145,921
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops .....farms	689	1	1	2	10
.....\$1,000	12,598	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,890
Cut Christmas trees .....farms	683	1	1	2	10
.....\$1,000	12,557	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,890
Short rotation woody crops .....farms	11	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	41	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) .....farms	17,779	8	60	324	1,296
.....\$1,000	227,219	(D)	17,334	45,196	89,654
Maple syrup (see text) .....farms	1,131	-	1	6	42
.....\$1,000	2,422	-	(D)	42	146
Cattle and calves .....farms	25,614	43	293	1,468	5,189
.....\$1,000	1,416,881	72,676	268,913	579,864	999,201
Milk from cows (see text) .....farms	11,295	39	257	1,167	4,020
.....\$1,000	4,952,039	569,379	1,557,241	2,823,895	3,978,544
Hogs and pigs .....farms	2,210	-	15	74	238
.....\$1,000	90,589	-	(D)	52,683	76,522
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) .....farms	2,737	1	3	18	100
.....\$1,000	29,673	(D)	(D)	(D)	6,316
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys .....farms	2,404	-	1	8	38
.....\$1,000	11,512	-	(D)	71	167
Poultry and eggs .....farms	5,350	8	18	119	344
.....\$1,000	465,717	220,338	251,264	372,029	450,313
Aquaculture .....farms	158	-	-	5	10
.....\$1,000	13,847	-	-	7,364	8,559
Other animals and other animal products (see text) .....farms	1,707	3	13	36	82
.....\$1,000	162,731	65,851	104,099	132,682	146,478
Value of organically produced commodities (see text) .....farms	1,180	-	5	23	101
.....\$1,000	121,527	-	6,772	20,008	52,800
Value of landlords' share of total sales (see text) .....farms	569	-	7	32	94
.....\$1,000	13,526	-	339	3,874	7,339
Total farm production expenses .....farms	69,754	66	393	2,026	6,907
.....\$1,000	9,419,263	886,641	2,282,329	4,538,323	6,735,475
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms	39,174	52	360	1,884	6,532
.....\$1,000	896,548	36,313	124,563	348,845	607,172
Chemicals purchased .....farms	38,135	55	366	1,910	6,570
.....\$1,000	367,149	27,283	75,895	165,269	259,458
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms	19,759	34	172	940	3,226
.....\$1,000	454,402	47,715	109,619	237,824	353,736
Feed purchased .....farms	39,784	53	316	1,580	5,510
.....\$1,000	2,066,721	280,511	668,524	1,176,712	1,621,135
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased .....farms	65,994	66	393	2,024	6,896
.....\$1,000	542,992	37,341	95,912	215,811	350,263
Utilities (see text) .....farms	48,551	66	393	2,026	6,907
.....\$1,000	257,635	20,800	49,809	97,868	155,719
Hired farm labor .....farms	18,931	66	392	1,924	5,686
.....\$1,000	878,266	120,243	304,643	547,916	726,728
Interest expense .....farms	31,208	58	358	1,788	5,681
.....\$1,000	492,131	27,777	87,303	191,380	295,164
Government payments .....farms	38,945	39	304	1,709	6,054
.....\$1,000	237,304	2,003	14,139	58,571	125,361
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves .....farms	29,908	44	294	1,478	5,258
.....number	3,494,084	197,538	618,950	1,310,369	2,224,636
Milk cows .....farms	11,543	39	257	1,161	3,978
.....number	1,270,091	123,607	330,632	628,751	940,880
Hogs and pigs .....farms	2,270	-	15	72	221
.....number	311,651	-	59,195	159,400	238,940