

Table 41. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 2017

[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	70,521	28	163	834	2,906
..... percent	100.0	(Z)	0.2	1.2	4.1
Land in farms acres	24,522,801	547,630	1,434,228	3,622,168	6,578,414
Average size of farm acres	348	19,558	8,799	4,343	2,264
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms	70,521	28	163	834	2,906
..... \$1,000	229,363,467	5,404,562	17,368,407	41,522,704	81,391,848
Average per farm dollars	3,252,414	193,020,072	106,554,645	49,787,415	28,008,206
Average per acre dollars	9,353	9,869	12,110	11,463	12,373
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment \$1,000	11,640,729	521,705	1,300,807	2,973,711	5,272,594
..... percent	100.0	4.5	11.2	25.5	45.3
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland acres	9,597,439	476,620	1,240,143	2,760,243	4,870,493
Harvested cropland acres	7,857,512	418,062	1,059,067	2,452,901	4,331,599
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured acres	12,065,857	(D)	84,671	656,640	1,388,933
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) \$1,000	45,154,359	4,576,742	11,304,100	22,579,863	33,867,354
Average per farm dollars	640,297	163,455,073	69,350,307	27,074,176	11,654,286
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas farms	3,156	3	23	141	519
..... \$1,000	1,029,976	(D)	35,395	126,480	363,166
Tobacco farms	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed farms	500	1	10	38	176
..... \$1,000	510,599	(D)	140,330	218,943	343,037
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes farms	5,048	13	78	263	654
..... \$1,000	8,167,752	1,417,928	3,782,957	6,106,261	7,489,587
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries farms	35,087	18	90	452	1,611
..... \$1,000	19,708,739	1,297,331	3,796,355	7,973,374	12,653,699
Fruits and tree nuts farms	34,390	13	71	388	1,486
..... \$1,000	17,454,998	892,793	2,799,680	6,260,278	10,572,586
Berries farms	1,685	6	26	77	169
..... \$1,000	2,253,741	404,538	996,676	1,713,096	2,081,112
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) farms	3,149	-	15	69	239
..... \$1,000	2,932,798	-	729,788	1,488,648	2,372,067
Cultivated Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops (see text) farms	237	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	5,380	-	-	-	-
Cultivated Christmas trees (see text) farms	218	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	4,851	-	-	-	-
Short rotation woody crops farms	23	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	529	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) farms	5,066	2	22	129	455
..... \$1,000	998,589	(D)	(D)	221,793	504,579
Maple syrup farms	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves farms	10,267	4	24	248	862
..... \$1,000	3,111,410	(D)	1,320,851	1,938,073	2,447,531
Milk from cows farms	1,287	-	8	205	749
..... \$1,000	6,483,130	-	366,140	2,996,475	5,820,265
Hogs and pigs farms	1,236	-	1	3	10
..... \$1,000	31,687	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk farms	3,887	-	-	2	21
..... \$1,000	86,900	-	-	(D)	25,790
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys (see text) farms	1,768	1	1	3	15
..... \$1,000	48,275	(D)	(D)	53	(D)
Poultry and eggs farms	3,976	4	8	27	88
..... \$1,000	1,856,879	903,071	1,112,446	1,459,973	1,756,010
Aquaculture farms	142	-	-	2	7
..... \$1,000	105,617	-	-	(D)	46,258
Other animals and other animal products (see text) farms	1,600	-	-	4	14
..... \$1,000	76,627	-	-	540	20,787
Value of organically produced commodities farms	3,335	7	43	151	351
..... \$1,000	2,832,644	347,253	914,455	1,562,846	2,204,749
Value of landlords' share of total sales farms	2,030	-	8	48	205
..... \$1,000	267,973	-	14,567	69,022	144,339
Total farm production expenses farms	70,521	28	163	834	2,906
..... \$1,000	37,775,929	3,620,418	8,738,213	17,764,804	26,796,139
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms	39,225	23	147	762	2,624
..... \$1,000	2,082,908	218,820	519,355	975,216	1,420,535
Chemicals purchased farms	37,794	22	146	762	2,616
..... \$1,000	2,409,928	219,814	569,146	1,136,215	1,652,161
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased farms	16,094	11	51	319	1,090
..... \$1,000	1,567,663	512,956	730,243	1,014,762	1,246,099
Feed purchased farms	26,540	7	33	285	979
..... \$1,000	5,127,443	865,361	1,273,996	2,951,816	4,546,273
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased farms	65,502	28	162	832	2,879
..... \$1,000	1,386,886	159,931	351,212	640,509	927,419
Utilities farms	56,101	28	160	831	2,903
..... \$1,000	1,837,102	109,443	338,685	708,263	1,140,847
Hired farm labor farms	30,421	28	159	803	2,768
..... \$1,000	6,978,923	534,627	1,518,720	3,162,284	4,827,818
Interest expense farms	22,482	19	119	622	2,095
..... \$1,000	1,233,854	28,385	163,590	398,396	673,184
Government payments (see text) farms	5,306	1	16	202	802
..... \$1,000	127,938	(D)	453	7,934	28,953
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves farms	13,694	4	25	250	877
..... number	5,185,593	319,046	731,958	2,264,096	3,786,524
Milk cows farms	1,653	-	8	206	748
..... number	1,750,329	-	97,589	810,607	1,559,712
Hogs and pigs farms	1,389	-	1	3	18
..... number	96,456	-	(D)	(D)	(D)