

**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	46,418	40	225	949	2,516
..... percent	100.0	0.1	0.5	2.0	5.4
Land in farms ..... acres	8,430,522	137,910	497,290	1,230,144	2,331,501
Average size of farm ..... acres	182	3,448	2,210	1,296	927
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms	46,418	40	225	949	2,516
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	39,137,540	769,565	2,267,858	5,729,245	10,742,832
Average per acre ..... dollars	843,154	19,239,117	10,079,368	6,037,139	4,269,806
Average per acre ..... dollars	4,642	5,580	4,560	4,657	4,608
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... \$1,000	5,220,962	207,780	451,908	990,469	1,701,943
..... percent	100.0	4.0	8.7	19.0	32.6
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland ..... acres	5,000,685	86,110	372,759	944,957	1,840,844
Harvested cropland ..... acres	4,407,160	70,164	333,249	874,617	1,692,250
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... acres	1,043,121	4,592	15,676	47,857	101,025
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) ..... \$1,000	12,900,674	1,298,076	3,232,614	6,452,083	9,676,054
Average per farm ..... dollars	277,924	32,451,894	14,367,174	6,798,823	3,845,809
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	8,334	17	91	424	1,071
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	1,244,092	33,815	115,107	283,126	549,653
Tobacco ..... farms	1,294	4	29	128	322
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	731,657	9,836	75,548	229,850	415,279
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	901	4	26	94	231
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	239,587	1,266	16,405	52,507	116,312
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	3,508	2	35	120	250
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	553,449	(D)	173,019	303,465	407,974
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	2,205	-	9	27	51
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	109,139	-	15,279	33,727	41,593
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	1,354	-	3	8	16
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	39,174	-	81	252	1,916
Berries ..... farms	1,266	-	6	22	39
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	69,964	-	15,198	33,475	39,677
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	2,114	2	13	39	95
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	552,043	(D)	240,395	296,164	373,087
Cultivated Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops (see text) ..... farms	653	-	1	2	13
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	86,834	-	(D)	(D)	30,398
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Short rotation woody crops ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) ..... farms	12,538	8	52	277	725
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	218,179	2,354	12,462	34,809	84,227
Maple syrup ..... farms	8	-	-	-	-
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	7	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves ..... farms	14,143	10	44	289	725
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	275,175	3,167	7,407	26,424	58,849
Milk from cows ..... farms	233	1	2	14	29
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	184,855	(D)	(D)	87,451	108,358
Hogs and pigs ..... farms	2,145	20	112	396	796
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	3,216,902	488,167	1,224,517	2,169,947	2,916,893
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk ..... farms	2,870	-	2	13	23
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	7,001	-	(D)	85	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys (see text) ..... farms	1,599	-	2	6	13
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	21,811	-	(D)	113	(D)
Poultry and eggs ..... farms	6,099	25	121	549	1,394
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	5,413,591	572,925	1,314,573	2,918,672	4,554,453
Aquaculture ..... farms	185	-	-	3	8
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	30,948	-	-	(D)	9,277
Other animals and other animal products (see text) ..... farms	1,397	-	-	1	9
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	15,412	-	-	(D)	7,960
Value of organically produced commodities ..... farms	404	-	1	14	50
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	129,742	-	(D)	16,768	62,225
Value of landlords' share of total sales ..... farms	654	2	2	15	53
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	26,268	(D)	(D)	963	7,122
Total farm production expenses ..... farms	46,418	40	225	949	2,516
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	9,281,373	960,065	2,253,494	4,315,225	6,493,117
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ..... farms	28,664	21	124	575	1,518
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	478,251	17,827	59,820	121,978	215,013
Chemicals purchased ..... farms	21,869	27	140	623	1,587
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	378,720	10,333	52,603	110,456	192,600
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	12,188	35	186	801	2,022
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	1,674,565	251,388	566,354	982,617	1,412,102
Feed purchased ..... farms	29,230	31	174	810	2,072
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	3,124,286	370,374	848,787	1,760,209	2,602,556
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	44,529	40	225	949	2,514
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	327,211	28,133	54,600	103,641	167,431
Utilities ..... farms	29,123	40	225	949	2,516
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	201,151	26,567	48,867	81,740	120,760
Hired farm labor ..... farms	12,492	40	206	829	2,033
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	810,029	114,764	229,053	356,882	510,345
Interest expense ..... farms	11,650	28	165	687	1,699
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	175,221	8,862	21,358	55,197	89,748
Government payments (see text) ..... farms	10,010	12	94	436	1,095
Average per farm ..... \$1,000	107,565	940	4,110	14,666	34,218
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves ..... farms	18,413	11	46	314	806
Average per farm ..... number	776,271	9,302	20,954	75,185	134,522
Milk cows ..... farms	546	1	2	15	43
Average per farm ..... number	45,422	(D)	(D)	18,323	23,601
Hogs and pigs ..... farms	2,426	20	110	391	778
Average per farm ..... number	8,899,459	1,499,659	3,182,025	5,489,231	7,570,774