

**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 .....	26,364	133	641	2,097	4,718
number	100.0	0.5	2.4	8.0	17.9
Land in farms .....	39,341,591	1,253,467	4,528,035	11,402,869	20,300,415
acres	1,492	9,425	7,064	5,438	4,303
Average size of farm .....	acres				
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	farms	26,364	133	641	2,097
\$1,000	67,143,385	3,310,100	11,457,915	25,484,451	40,709,313
Average per farm .....	dollars	2,546,783	24,887,969	17,875,062	12,152,814
Average per acre .....	dollars	1,707	2,641	2,530	2,235
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	\$1,000	9,907,233	478,473	1,548,243	3,583,616
percent	100.0	4.8	15.6	36.2	60.5
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland .....	acres	27,951,676	1,177,138	4,132,493	10,147,480
Harvested cropland .....	acres	23,976,011	1,126,853	3,955,354	9,643,527
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....	acres	10,412,941	65,393	348,657	1,110,549
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) .....	\$1,000	8,234,102	823,543	2,060,023	4,118,009
Average per farm .....	dollars	312,324	6,192,056	3,213,764	1,963,762
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas .....	farms	12,042	114	600	2,016
\$1,000	6,075,358	383,552	1,349,751	3,060,650	4,513
Tobacco .....	farms	-	-	-	-
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms	-	-	-	-
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes .....	farms	255	31	63	97
\$1,000	240,415	154,445	206,965	226,922	236,215
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries .....	farms	94	-	-	4
\$1,000	363	-	-	17	7
Fruits and tree nuts .....	farms	62	-	-	3
\$1,000	192	-	-	(D)	6
Berries .....	farms	57	-	-	1
\$1,000	172	-	-	(D)	1
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) .....	farms	80	-	-	1
\$1,000	8,443	-	-	(D)	4
Cultivated Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops (see text) .....	farms	11	-	-	-
\$1,000	16	-	-	-	-
Cultivated Christmas trees (see text) .....	farms	10	-	-	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-
Short rotation woody crops .....	farms	1	-	-	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) .....	farms	6,218	43	208	617
\$1,000	356,019	44,587	119,206	206,262	1,132
Maple syrup .....	farms	4	-	-	-
\$1,000	1	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves .....	farms	8,335	31	154	578
\$1,000	1,295,654	117,607	229,759	434,590	699,818
Milk from cows .....	farms	96	9	14	27
\$1,000	66,161	37,929	44,400	54,354	58,286
Hogs and pigs .....	farms	182	13	16	20
\$1,000	79,242	72,164	75,135	77,768	78,141
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk .....	farms	601	-	2	5
\$1,000	10,449	-	(D)	(D)	27
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys (see text) .....	farms	815	3	6	19
\$1,000	8,042	(D)	(D)	(D)	57
Poultry and eggs .....	farms	541	5	6	16
\$1,000	17,568	12,851	14,126	16,789	16,828
Aquaculture .....	farms	5	-	-	-
\$1,000	942	-	-	-	-
Other animals and other animal products (see text) .....	farms	339	1	10	25
\$1,000	75,430	(D)	18,425	36,502	61
Value of organically produced commodities .....	farms	107	-	3	9
\$1,000	12,808	-	120	2,388	21
Value of landlords' share of total sales .....	farms	1,595	9	73	276
\$1,000	82,134	2,565	10,207	31,728	670
Total farm production expenses .....	farms	26,364	133	641	2,097
\$1,000	7,062,175	670,096	1,625,613	3,287,334	5,008,325
Selected farm production expenses:					
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....	farms	13,694	122	611	2,041
\$1,000	936,358	65,482	193,822	432,244	4,574
Chemicals purchased .....	farms	14,492	122	613	2,041
\$1,000	761,592	61,435	155,794	348,952	4,584
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased .....	farms	5,901	39	152	479
\$1,000	286,024	63,210	99,990	164,656	1,152
Feed purchased .....	farms	10,684	46	187	639
\$1,000	266,066	66,762	89,512	123,188	1,580
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased .....	farms	23,331	133	641	2,097
\$1,000	395,284	31,109	81,658	167,806	157,475
Utilities .....	farms	19,761	133	641	2,097
\$1,000	139,086	13,464	28,083	52,197	4,718
Hired farm labor .....	farms	8,063	125	601	1,870
\$1,000	340,368	58,594	117,237	202,437	81,563
Interest expense .....	farms	13,267	123	583	1,898
\$1,000	367,906	29,918	67,966	151,967	4,086
Government payments (see text) .....	farms	20,511	112	584	1,974
\$1,000	467,034	9,746	35,687	115,176	241,050
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves .....	farms	8,777	32	154	578
number	1,835,682	60,926	161,291	407,501	1,465
Milk cows .....	farms	156	8	13	26
number	16,470	8,614	10,227	12,911	45
Hogs and pigs .....	farms	156	13	15	22
number	148,231	124,241	139,267	144,669	26