

Table 42. Commodities Raised and Delivered Under Production Contracts: 2017 and 2012

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Commodity	2017		2012	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,902	1,380,498,561	2,576	1,368,084,390
Eggs, chicken (dozens)	355	197,353,574	435	223,142,011
Layers	349	9,925,589	428	10,944,069
Pullets for laying flock replacement	191	11,921,936	155	10,401,459
Turkeys	-	-	-	-
Custom fed cattle shipped directly for slaughter (see text)	-	-	-	-
Hogs and pigs	16	480,418	27	614,400
Replacement dairy heifers	1	(D)	14	9,254
Other cattle, sheep, livestock, or poultry (see text)	-	(X)	22	(X)
Grains, oilseeds, vegetables, melons, potatoes, and other crops (see text)	-	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
Value of commodities (\$1,000) (see text)	2,452	4,894,982	3,200	4,308,680
Total payments received (\$1,000) (see text)	2,452	550,870	3,200	564,497

Table 43. Value of Land and Buildings: 2017 and 2012

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Value of land and buildings	2017		2012	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Estimated market value of land and buildings	42,439	(X)	42,257	(X)
Average per farm \$1,000	(X)	34,925,521	(X)	29,676,310
Average per farm dollars	(X)	822,958	(X)	702,282
Average per acre	(X)	3,509	(X)	3,085
By value group:				
\$1 to \$49,999	3,121	78,596	3,202	79,367
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3,426	248,955	3,690	266,645
\$100,000 to \$199,999	7,093	1,021,985	7,692	1,108,429
\$200,000 to \$499,999	14,014	4,433,514	13,801	4,300,122
\$500,000 to \$999,999	7,186	4,888,386	7,221	4,933,017
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	3,858	5,272,841	3,636	4,896,242
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	2,699	8,062,018	2,238	6,613,475
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	714	4,815,880	563	3,668,771
\$10,000,000 or more	328	6,103,346	214	3,810,242

Table 44. Value of Machinery and Equipment on Operation: 2017 and 2012

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Value of machinery and equipment	2017		2012	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment	42,436	4,912,939	42,256	3,935,960
Average per farm dollars	(X)	115,773	(X)	93,146
By value group:				
\$1 to \$4,999	2,780	7,928	3,937	9,637
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,547	24,110	4,190	28,044
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6,305	85,880	6,899	92,785
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5,307	122,788	5,870	135,274
\$30,000 to \$49,999	6,511	242,172	6,219	229,347
\$50,000 to \$69,999	4,726	265,584	4,201	232,830
\$70,000 to \$99,999	3,161	254,163	2,733	219,601
\$100,000 to \$199,999	4,964	649,497	3,840	496,284
\$200,000 to \$499,999	3,203	918,620	2,836	823,559
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,123	745,887	940	609,377
\$1,000,000 or more	809	1,596,310	591	1,059,221