

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	235	156,293,905	218	151,912,490
Eggs, chicken (dozens)	24	15,264,090	28	13,543,295
Layers	23	849,215	28	772,236
Pullets for laying flock replacement	7	1,000,000	9	1,093,200
Turkeys	-	-	-	-
Custom fed cattle shipped directly for slaughter (see text)	1	(D)	-	-
Hogs and pigs	-	-	-	-
Replacement dairy heifers	-	-	-	-
Other cattle, sheep, livestock, or poultry (see text)	10	(X)	11	(X)
Grains, oilseeds, vegetables, melons, potatoes, and other crops (see text)	-	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
Value of commodities (\$1,000) (see text)	273	581,460	264	509,964
Total payments received (\$1,000) (see text)	273	62,754	264	58,049

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

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

Value of land and buildings	2017		2012	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Estimated market value of land and buildings	27,386	(X)	28,093	(X)
Average per farm	(X)	24,350,154	(X)	20,175,806
Average per acre	(X)	889,146	(X)	718,179
By value group:				
\$1 to \$49,999	2,610	65,416	3,306	83,554
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,889	208,337	3,499	246,772
\$100,000 to \$199,999	4,933	700,168	5,344	749,689
\$200,000 to \$499,999	8,525	2,635,418	8,152	2,477,471
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,860	2,613,576	3,716	2,504,235
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	1,940	2,603,275	1,852	2,504,401
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	1,579	4,862,508	1,478	4,525,723
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	732	5,100,727	539	3,650,809
\$10,000,000 or more	318	5,560,729	207	3,433,152

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	27,373	3,332,874	28,093	2,933,418
Average per farm	(X)	121,758	(X)	104,418
By value group:				
\$1 to \$4,999	1,697	4,813	2,152	4,778
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2,020	13,726	2,225	15,062
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3,627	49,078	4,337	58,377
\$20,000 to \$29,999	3,259	76,074	3,560	82,297
\$30,000 to \$49,999	4,601	172,703	4,535	167,691
\$50,000 to \$69,999	3,174	177,929	3,308	184,693
\$70,000 to \$99,999	2,484	200,922	2,165	174,654
\$100,000 to \$199,999	3,181	409,376	2,794	358,612
\$200,000 to \$499,999	2,021	585,819	1,835	530,288
\$500,000 to \$999,999	660	439,611	643	424,035
\$1,000,000 or more	649	1,202,823	539	932,929