

**Table 3. Economic Class of Farms by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Government Payments: 2017 and 2012**

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

Item	2017			2012		
	Market value of agricultural products sold and government payments	Market value of agricultural products sold	Government payments (see text)	Market value of agricultural products sold and government payments	Market value of agricultural products sold	Government payments (see text) <sup>1</sup>
Total .....	25,044	25,044	3,453	24,721	24,721	5,502
farms	2,646,002	2,582,343	63,660	2,620,735	2,550,147	70,588
\$1,000	105,654	103,112	18,436	106,012	103,157	12,829
Average per farm .....						
dollars						
By economic class:						
Less than \$1,000 .....	10,591	10,591	343	9,282	9,282	737
farms	1,663	1,591	72	1,487	1,334	152
\$1,000	3,113	3,113	178	3,306	3,306	531
farms	5,064	4,871	193	5,400	4,858	542
\$1,000	2,818	2,818	253	2,810	2,810	532
farms	9,881	9,208	672	10,026	8,948	1,077
\$1,000	2,500	2,500	327	2,648	2,648	566
farms	17,459	15,884	1,574	18,712	16,675	2,038
\$1,000	2,023	2,023	519	2,326	2,326	661
farms	31,617	26,167	5,449	35,960	31,142	4,818
\$1,000						
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,206	1,206	441	1,283	1,283	600
farms	42,573	34,861	7,712	45,221	34,192	11,029
\$1,000	986	986	420	1,169	1,169	675
farms	70,166	59,173	10,993	83,614	69,371	14,244
\$1,000	804	804	397	885	885	557
farms	127,041	112,994	14,047	136,750	121,774	14,977
\$1,000	405	405	250	433	433	285
farms	140,770	131,698	9,072	150,692	142,681	8,010
\$1,000	264	264	129	260	260	167
farms	182,986	177,275	5,710	189,257	183,217	6,040
\$1,000						
\$1,000,000 or more .....	334	334	196	319	319	191
farms	2,016,784	2,008,620	8,164	1,943,616	1,935,955	7,661
\$1,000	158	158	103	149	149	92
farms	242,094	238,341	3,753	226,645	223,707	2,939
\$1,000	53	53	29	51	51	32
farms	179,669	178,222	1,447	176,126	174,828	1,297
\$1,000	123	123	64	119	119	67
farms	1,595,021	1,592,058	2,964	1,540,845	1,537,420	3,425
\$1,000						

<sup>1</sup> Data for 2012 include loan deficiency payments, marketing loan gains, and net value of commodity certificates.