

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	808	618,815,784	763	596,078,606
Eggs, chicken (dozens)	70	54,790,137	138	102,537,150
Layers	66	2,719,902	132	4,635,676
Pullets for laying flock replacement	34	4,613,757	63	5,167,139
Turkeys	13	5,258,400	18	6,699,119
Custom fed cattle shipped directly for slaughter (see text)	37	1,520,277	50	1,483,191
Hogs and pigs	3	150,000	-	-
Replacement dairy heifers	13	17,986	9	28,243
Other cattle, sheep, livestock, or poultry (see text)	59	(X)	206	(X)
Grains, oilseeds, vegetables, melons, potatoes, and other crops (see text)	-	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
Value of commodities (\$1,000) (see text)	1,026	4,883,721	1,241	4,543,659
Total payments received (\$1,000) (see text)	1,026	579,992	1,241	402,773

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	248,416	(X)	248,809	(X)
Average per farm	(X)	243,549,275	(X)	218,109,336
Average per acre	(X)	980,409	(X)	876,614
By value group:				
\$1 to \$49,999	17,836	455,898	21,996	534,532
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21,518	1,566,891	25,589	1,847,379
\$100,000 to \$199,999	41,866	6,000,169	46,137	6,584,625
\$200,000 to \$499,999	83,140	26,346,101	74,336	23,025,307
\$500,000 to \$999,999	40,117	27,214,147	37,637	25,730,373
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	21,505	29,283,787	21,420	29,155,086
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	14,255	43,110,869	14,569	43,392,281
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	4,827	32,932,426	4,458	30,074,204
\$10,000,000 or more	3,352	76,638,986	2,667	57,765,549

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	248,413	20,773,993	248,792	17,958,942
Average per farm	(X)	83,627	(X)	72,185
By value group:				
\$1 to \$4,999	17,688	49,476	23,118	54,082
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21,869	147,946	23,649	158,673
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37,575	511,707	42,327	574,054
\$20,000 to \$29,999	32,994	768,986	35,027	810,779
\$30,000 to \$49,999	40,905	1,522,609	39,636	1,464,274
\$50,000 to \$69,999	29,000	1,627,014	26,277	1,464,605
\$70,000 to \$99,999	20,650	1,661,362	17,384	1,399,076
\$100,000 to \$199,999	26,951	3,498,152	23,017	2,963,878
\$200,000 to \$499,999	15,186	4,317,766	13,204	3,788,667
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,379	2,248,633	3,347	2,196,898
\$1,000,000 or more	2,216	4,420,343	1,806	3,083,957