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) ¹
Total	. farms	75,966	75,966	16,889	77,064	77,064	33,382
Average per farm	\$1,000 dollars	5,864,617 77,201	5,737,920 75,533	126,697 7,502	5,237,155 67,959	5,067,334 65,755	169,821 5,087
By economic class:							
Less than \$1,000		20,365	20,365	901	15,689	15,689	2,165
\$1,000 to \$2,499		4,788 8,909	4,390 8,909	397 1,317	3,503 9,575	2,673 9,575	830 3,392
\$2,500 to \$4,999		14,726 8,962	13,060 8,962	1,666 1,403	16,029 9,689	11,984 9,689	4,044 3,636
\$5,000 to \$9,999		32,027 10,304	28,731 10,304	3,296 2,003	34,902 11,448	27,937 11,448	6,965 4,978
\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$1,000 farms \$1,000	73,889 10,857 173,616	66,959 10,857 158,059	6,930 3,052 15,557	81,919 12,961 206,623	68,576 12,961 177,265	13,343 6,977 29,358
\$25,000 to \$49,999	farms \$1.000	6,308 221,125	6,308 205.649	2,423 15.476	6,956 244,950	6,956 223,305	4,377 21.645
\$50,000 to \$99,999		3,642 253,205	3,642 240,492	1,645 12,713	4,184	4,184 276.761	2,887 18.326
\$100,000 to \$249,999	farms	2,960	2,960	1,641	295,087 3,068	3,068	2,273
\$250,000 to \$499,999		464,561 1,412	451,104 1,412	13,457 982	499,811 1,469	481,346 1,469	18,465 1,161
\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$1,000 farms \$1,000	497,962 976 696,880	487,725 976 683,587	10,236 682 13,292	526,619 959 675,044	512,576 959 659,394	14,043 764 15,650
\$1,000,000 or more	farms	1,271	1,271	840	1,066	1,066	772
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999		3,431,839 931	3,398,162 931	33,677 619	2,652,668 804	2,625,516 804	27,152 599
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999		1,470,550 242	1,448,450 242	22,100 170	1,261,172 205	1,243,613 205	17,560 142
\$5,000,000 or more	\$1,000 farms	805,925 98	798,378 98	7,547 51	688,980 57	682,760 57	6,220 31
	\$1,000	1,155,363	1,151,334	4,029	702,515	699,144	3,372

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