

All Farms

Table 3. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	All farms			Negro operated farms		
	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959
Farms and land in farms operated by—						
All farm operators . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 890	6 477	7 233	14	341	388
acres . . . . .	38 202 667	40 559 493	40 203 386	1 949	18 777 459	20 886 871
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 354	4 191	4 878	10	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . . . .	1 079 327	1 025 494	1 018 757	996	63 326	76 059
Full owners . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 317	3 330	3 972	9	136	197
acres . . . . .	21 789 677	1 145 262	1 180 135	1 040	6 875	14 340
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 816	2 111	2 627	6	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . . . .	273 610	204 506	246 539	296	3 668	7 370
Part owners . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 717	1 956	2 050	3	97	122
acres . . . . .	14 709 796	13 832 950	13 089 045	749	56 848	43 883
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 048	1 293	1 406	3	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . . . .	608 357	469 728	460 478	605	20 271	21 769
Tenants . . . . . farms . . . . .	856	835	853	2	65	29
acres . . . . .	1 703 194	828 998	990 322	160	7 482	22 612
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	490	540	574	1	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . . . .	197 360	129 273	125 318	95	5 288	3 596
Percent of tenancy . . . . .	14.5	12.9	11.8	14.2	19.1	7.5
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years . . . . .	83	66	101	-	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 34 years . . . . .	659	669	828	1	(NA)	(NA)
35 to 44 years . . . . .	1 288	1 525	1 774	2	(NA)	(NA)
45 to 54 years . . . . .	1 790	1 801	1 908	4	(NA)	(NA)
55 to 64 years . . . . .	1 335	1 477	1 416	4	(NA)	(NA)
65 years and over . . . . .	735	939	943	3	(NA)	(NA)
Average age . . . . .	49.6	50.3	49.1	55.2	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated . . . . .	3 400	4 722	5 226	7	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated . . . . .	1 792	1 491	1 360	6	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm . . . . .	3 074	2 799	3 242	6	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 49 days . . . . .	341	463	522	1	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 days . . . . .	189			-	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 days . . . . .	420			-	(NA)	(NA)
200 days and over . . . . .	2 124	2 336	2 720	5	(NA)	(NA)

Note: Data partially based on a sample, see appendix A.

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Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959
Number of farms by economic classes:			
Class 1a—Sales of \$100,000 and over . . . . .	827	841	1 609
Class 1b— " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	766	795	
Class 2— " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . . . .	615	643	984
Class 3— " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	582	627	920
Class 4— " \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	649	585	656
Class 5— " \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	813	537	652
Class 6 (see text) . . . . .	243	544	252
Part time (see text) . . . . .	1 105	1 343	1 633
Part retirement (see text) . . . . .	208	472	394
Abnormal (see text) . . . . .	82	90	73
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) . . . . . dollars . . . . .	611 211 217	468 664 025	388 380 075
Average per farm . . . . . dollars . . . . .	103 771	72 358	54 145
Crops including nursery products and hay . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 948	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . . . .	236 537 151	261 062 753	214 704 178
Forest products . . . . . farms . . . . .	39	42	38
dollars . . . . .	2 639 540	4 720 329	2 213 704
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 582	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . . . .	372 034 526	201 386 857	171 462 193
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249 . . . . .	436	710	(NA)
\$250 to \$499 . . . . .	301	441	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	373	515	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499 . . . . .	265	295	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999 . . . . .	236	218	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	175	195	(NA)
\$2,500 and over . . . . .	4 104	4 103	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from—			
Customwork and other agricultural services . . . . . farms . . . . .	589	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . . . .	5 386 246	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services . . . . . farms . . . . .	67	91	(NA)
dollars . . . . .	1 885 912	1 494 086	(NA)
Government farm programs . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 386	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . . . .	36 756 064	(NA)	(NA)

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