

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 . . .	60 433	79 898	95 007	3 775	8 595	14 456
acres . . .	15 694 527	16 565 299	16 458 515	343 464	492 509	686 336
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	40 952	55 518	72 315	3 179	7 518	(NA)
acres . . .	6 804 569	6 087 610	5 324 541	188 291	237 892	314 708
Full owners . . . farms . . .	39 739	50 028	56 054	2 153	3 465	4 822
acres . . .	7 000 396	7 313 242	7 953 906	139 029	196 907	287 324
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	23 064	29 568	37 337	1 673	2 567	(NA)
acres . . .	1 482 682	1 285 141	1 325 701	49 609	49 909	71 212
Part owners . . . farms . . .	13 024	15 657	15 309	860	1 358	1 843
acres . . .	6 191 413	6 014 708	5 063 134	147 186	163 605	182 028
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	11 284	13 706	14 073	799	1 303	(NA)
acres . . .	3 431 536	2 817 942	2 067 269	96 999	94 736	87 948
Tenants . . . farms . . .	7 670	13 907	23 094	762	3 766	7 775
acres . . .	2 502 718	2 629 713	2 733 058	57 249	129 863	208 135
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	6 604	11 970	20 499	707	3 642	(NA)
acres . . .	1 890 351	1 721 458	1 683 620	41 683	91 674	154 415
Percent of tenancy	12.6	17.4	24.3	20.1	43.8	53.8
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years	896	1 188	1 592	35	130	330
25 to 34 years	5 887	7 102	9 126	164	540	1 075
35 to 44 years	11 265	15 323	19 567	423	1 250	2 666
45 to 54 years	15 995	22 048	26 544	809	2 286	4 015
55 to 64 years	16 842	20 310	20 957	1 245	2 414	3 442
65 years and over	9 548	13 927	16 246	1 099	1 975	2 833
Average age	51.4	51.9	51.0	57.2	(NA)	52.0
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	41 790	69 415	83 598	2 383	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated	10 854	7 498	6 270	785	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	33 356	39 274	45 119	1 913	3 663	5 852
1 to 49 days	5 374	10 582	14 795	433	1 780	3 026
50 to 99 days	2 988			289		
100 to 199 days	5 766			504	699	1 285
200 days and over	19 228	28 692	30 324	687	1 184	1 541

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 . . .	1 578	1 203	3 112
Class 1b- " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . .	4 904	4 098	
Class 2- " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . .	5 692	5 338	4 276
Class 3- " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . .	5 308	6 200	7 350
Class 4- " \$5,000 to \$9,999	6 646	6 598	9 918
Class 5- " \$2,500 to \$4,999	9 541	8 740	14 322
Class 6 (see text)	6 062	14 170	13 484
Part time (see text)	14 725	22 183	29 361
Part retirement (see text)	5 946	11 341	13 108
Abnormal (see text)	31	27	49
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) dollars . . .	972 836 733	830 392 714	639 186 957
Average per farm dollars . . .	16 097	10 393	6 728
Crops including nursery products and hay farms . . .	28 906	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	454 675 383	542 190 649	442 150 824
Forest products farms . . .	3 676	5 814	6 318
dollars	3 620 332	4 256 903	3 934 812
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms . . .	40 887	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	514 541 018	283 460 610	193 101 321
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249	5 284	16 440	(NA)
\$250 to \$499	3 449	7 949	(NA)
\$500 to \$999	6 562	10 042	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5 203	5 855	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4 003	4 116	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3 246	3 295	(NA)
\$2,500 and over	32 686	32 201	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from-			
Customwork and other agricultural services farms . . .	5 144	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	9 975 865	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services farms . . .	456	303	(NA)
dollars	896 468	484 552	(NA)
Government farm programs farms . . .	19 409	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	58 041 555	(NA)	(NA)

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