

All Farms

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1935 to 1969

	1969		1964		1959		1954		1950		1945		1940		1935	
	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres
All farms	77 875		80 852		99 274		123 075		137 168		138 917		132 658		150 360	
Land in farms	35 722 348		37 010 925		36 887 948		37 794 780		36 613 291		35 054 379		30 524 324		30 437 995	
Average size of farm	458.7		457.8		371.6		307.1		266.9		252.3		230.1		202.4	
Approximate land area	100 069 184		100 206 720		100 206 720		100 313 600		100 313 600		100 353 920		100 353 920		99 617 280	
Proportion in farms	35.7		36.9		36.8		37.7		36.5		34.9		30.4		30.6	
Value of land and buildings	16 955 725 675		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)	
Average per farm	217 730		214 650		131 212		69 620		41 192		25 084		16 331		15 466	
Average per acre	474.65		468.40		353.12		226.71		154.32		99.40		70.97		76.40	
Land in Farms According to Use																
Total cropland	66 016		69 386		85 012		105 931		119 062		122 071		124 116		(NA)	
Harvested cropland	56 677		62 078		76 663		93 231		104 712		112 399		110 754		130 510	
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	17 614		16 576		20 343		28 630		32 068		24 281		39 334		31 751	
All other cropland (see text)	12 499		14 981		17 051		21 369		27 088		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)	
Woodland including woodland pasture	4 632		6 081		8 690		10 883		13 874		12 208		11 308		(NA)	
All other land (see text)	45 762		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)	
Irrigated land	51 050		59 429		74 138		84 502		90 755		87 205		84 310		91 347	
Irrigated cropland	7 240 131		7 598 698		7 395 570		7 048 049		6 438 324		4 952 819		4 276 554		3 513 700	

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Table 2. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	Number of farms			Land in farms (acres)			Harvested cropland (acres)			Irrigated land (acres)		
	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959
All farms, total	77 875	80 852	99 274	35 722 348	37 010 925	36 887 948	7 649 021	7 845 816	8 021 836	7 240 131	7 598 698	7 416 784
farms with harvested cropland	56 677	62 078	76 663	21 298 944	(NA)	(NA)	6 649 021	7 845 816	8 021 836	6 956 614	6 436 789	6 216 950
farms with irrigated land	51 050	59 429	74 205	18 710 427	23 207 478	24 029 765	6 914 227	7 243 325	7 260 791	7 240 131	7 598 698	7 416 784
Farms with—												
1 to 9 acres	15 692	15 937	24 110	64 526	68 824	94 933	35 162	35 837	46 978	30 628	33 922	47 172
farms with harvested cropland	9 163	11 398	16 161	42 852	(NA)	(NA)	35 162	35 837	46 978	26 892	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	7 830	9 971	15 080	37 341	(NA)	(NA)	26 588	(NA)	(NA)	30 628	33 922	47 172
10 to 49 acres	28 915	29 475	34 570	687 333	693 159	820 882	420 647	390 155	483 188	396 014	422 985	530 400
farms with harvested cropland	22 022	22 153	27 314	535 884	(NA)	(NA)	420 647	390 155	483 188	365 395	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	20 244	22 510	27 574	491 363	(NA)	(NA)	357 516	(NA)	(NA)	396 014	422 985	530 400
50 to 69 acres	4 652	4 688	5 628	268 609	271 221	324 755	164 747	161 320	198 190	156 454	171 423	217 570
farms with harvested cropland	3 771	3 862	4 829	217 817	(NA)	(NA)	164 747	161 320	198 190	146 912	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	3 480	3 803	4 775	201 215	(NA)	(NA)	145 417	(NA)	(NA)	156 454	171 423	217 570
70 to 99 acres	4 841	5 118	6 024	394 832	417 911	491 240	242 967	247 701	289 338	233 252	266 236	314 005
farms with harvested cropland	3 926	4 262	5 130	320 103	(NA)	(NA)	242 967	247 701	289 338	223 167	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	3 613	4 215	5 108	294 601	(NA)	(NA)	219 114	(NA)	(NA)	233 252	266 236	314 005
100 to 139 acres	3 695	4 041	4 615	427 348	467 274	533 805	244 532	263 463	298 501	237 572	280 290	324 923
farms with harvested cropland	2 945	3 335	3 904	340 935	(NA)	(NA)	244 532	263 463	298 501	224 644	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	2 722	3 242	3 841	315 092	(NA)	(NA)	219 230	(NA)	(NA)	237 572	280 290	324 923
140 to 179 acres	2 972	3 083	3 928	467 165	484 807	617 185	246 239	253 810	321 368	236 808	267 612	345 699
farms with harvested cropland	2 278	2 480	3 236	357 621	(NA)	(NA)	246 239	253 810	321 368	225 568	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	2 065	2 381	3 128	324 001	(NA)	(NA)	222 532	(NA)	(NA)	236 808	267 612	345 699
180 to 219 acres	1 822	2 011	2 278	358 983	396 260	449 959	190 773	216 369	235 508	183 793	224 409	235 818
farms with harvested cropland	1 396	1 673	1 911	275 082	(NA)	(NA)	190 773	216 369	235 508	176 918	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 282	1 586	1 817	252 306	(NA)	(NA)	174 599	(NA)	(NA)	183 793	224 409	235 818
220 to 259 acres	1 417	1 502	1 808	336 937	356 832	429 784	185 662	190 984	226 887	181 006	192 310	241 158
farms with harvested cropland	1 137	1 257	1 500	269 637	(NA)	(NA)	185 662	190 984	226 887	176 510	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 062	1 184	1 507	251 701	(NA)	(NA)	172 537	(NA)	(NA)	181 006	192 310	241 158
260 to 499 acres	4 657	5 165	5 836	1 681 338	1 861 805	2 098 494	828 000	939 139	970 508	804 363	941 666	938 515
farms with harvested cropland	3 572	4 234	4 756	1 291 062	(NA)	(NA)	828 000	939 139	970 508	775 676	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	3 217	3 967	4 403	1 158 779	(NA)	(NA)	768 230	(NA)	(NA)	804 363	941 666	938 515
500 to 999 acres	3 745	4 096	4 464	2 604 887	2 869 472	3 141 183	1 167 356	1 241 302	1 274 287	1 095 991	1 177 319	1 153 371
farms with harvested cropland	2 788	3 247	3 557	1 940 857	(NA)	(NA)	1 167 356	1 241 302	1 274 287	1 073 222	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	2 473	2 958	3 269	1 716 278	(NA)	(NA)	1 089 186	(NA)	(NA)	1 095 991	1 177 319	1 153 371
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2 541	2 612	2 821	3 505 468	3 657 608	3 939 579	1 199 354	1 273 374	1 152 464	1 058 432	1 149 400	971 250
farms with harvested cropland	1 811	2 023	2 117	2 510 179	(NA)	(NA)	1 199 354	1 273 374	1 152 464	1 037 336	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 483	1 753	1 827	2 048 773	(NA)	(NA)	1 083 055	(NA)	(NA)	1 058 432	1 149 400	971 250
2,000 acres and over	2 926	3 124	3 192	24 925 222	25 465 752	23 946 149	2 723 582	2 632 362	2 524 619	2 625 818	2 471 126	2 096 903
farms with harvested cropland	1 868	2 154	2 208	13 196 615	(NA)	(NA)	2 723 582	2 632 362	2 524 619	2 504 374	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 579	1 859	1 876	11 618 977	(NA)	(NA)	2 436 223	(NA)	(NA)	2 625 818	2 471 126	2 096 903

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