

# A2(5) Census of Agriculture—1969

## Short Report Form

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### CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE - 1969

Please mention the Census File Number (the ten-digit number in the upper left corner of the address label) if you write to us about this report.

Response to this inquiry is required by law (Title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law your report to the Census Bureau is confidential. It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes.

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(Please correct any error in name and address including ZIP code)

#### **Please read...**

This form is being used in all parts of the United States. Please answer the questions that apply to your operations and return this form in the enclosed envelope.

Please put your answers in the unshaded answer spaces. Explanations and comments may be written in the shaded areas to the left of the answer spaces or in the "Remarks" space on page 4.

If you do not have exact figures, please give your best estimate. You may mark the answer "est." (for estimate), if you wish.

Do not include fractions in your answers except in section 4, items 11 through 16.

For dollar items, cents are not required. If you prefer to report both dollars and cents, please write the cents in the "Cents" column.

If the answer to an item is "No" or "None," please leave the answer space blank, unless a small answer box is provided, as in section 1. Please mark answers of "Yes," "No," or "None" by placing an X in the small answer box.

#### Section 1 - AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY IN 1969

1. At any time during 1969, did you have or produce any:
 

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
a. Livestock, poultry, or their products? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Corn, sorghum, small grains, hay, cotton, tobacco, soybeans, peanuts, potatoes, or sugar crops? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Vegetables, sweet corn, melons, or berries for sale? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. A combined total of 20 or more fruit trees (including citrus), nut trees, and grapevines? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Nursery or greenhouse products or soil? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Any other crops? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. Other agricultural products—horses, fur-bearing animals, bees, honey, maple products, naval stores, Christmas trees or timber for sale, etc.? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

What products? \_\_\_\_\_

2. At any time in 1969, did you own any land that was used by someone else for agricultural purposes? . . . . .

If you answered "No" to ALL of the questions above, please skip to page 4, complete section 13, and return this form.

#### Section 2 - ACREAGE IN 1969 and OWNERSHIP

1. Land owned . . . . .  **None**  **010** Acres
2. Land rented or leased from others—include land worked on shares or share-cropped for others, leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. (Do not include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.) . . . . .  **None**  **011**
3. Land rented or leased to others—include land subleased and land worked on shares or share-cropped by others. . . . .  **None**  **012**
4. Total acres—Please ADD acres owned (item 1) to acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space. These are the ACRES in "THIS PLACE" for this census report.  **013**

5. How many acres in THIS PLACE were diverted under soil bank or other Federal programs such as those for feed grains, wheat, etc.? . . . . .  **015** Acres
6. Were there any real estate mortgages, deeds of trust, or land purchase contracts on any part of the land and buildings you own? . . . . .  **016**  Yes  No
7. How many persons rented or leased land from you in 1969?—include those working land on shares. . . . .  **None**  **017** Persons
8. How many acres of the land you rented or leased from others (item 2) did you subrent or sublease to others?—include lands rented or leased by you which was worked on shares by others. . . . .  **None**  **018** Acres

**Please** If you reported an acreage in item 4, but had no crops or livestock on that land in 1969 or if the answer to item 4 was "0" because the land was rented out, sold, or for another reason, please skip to page 4, **next**—explain in the "Remarks" section, complete section 13, and return this form.

#### Section 3 - LOCATION of agricultural activity in 1969

1. Are your principal agricultural operations located in the county shown in the upper right corner of the address label?
 

<input type="checkbox"/> No—Give county _____ and State _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	

2. Location within county of your principal agricultural operations \_\_\_\_\_  
Township, district, precinct, etc.

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**Section 4 — CROPS harvested for any purpose from this place in 1969 — Report all crops harvested. Include crops grown under contract. Be sure to include landlord's share.**

	Acres harvested		Quantity harvested	
1. Field corn for grain — Report quantity on a shelled bush and in one unit only — either bushels or hundredweight	820	821	Bushels or 822 Hundred-weight	
2. Field corn for silage, cut for green or dry fodder, hogged or grazed (Do not include acres already reported in item 1)	823			
3. Sorghums for grain or seed — Report quantity harvested in one unit only — either bushels or pounds	824	825	Bushels or 826 Pounds	
4. Sorghums for silage, cut for dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed (Do not include here acres already reported in item 3.)	827			
5. Wheat for grain	828	829	Bushels	
6. Other small grains for grain — oats, barley, rye, rice, etc.	830			
7. Soybeans for beans	831	832	Bushels	
8. Hay — all kinds except sorghum hay (If two or more cuttings were made from the same land, REPORT ACRES ONLY ONCE but report total tons of all cuttings.)	833	834	Tons, dry	
9. Cotton	835	836	Bales	
10. Peanuts for nuts	837	838	Pounds	
<b>NOTE: For items 11 through 16, report whole acres and tenths</b>				
11. Tobacco — all types	839	840	Pounds	
12. Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes	841	10		
13. Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	842	10		
14. Berries for sale	843	10		
15. Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees of all ages — Include land on which the fruit crop failed. (Do not include abandoned plantings.)	844	10		
16. All other crops — Include field seeds, sugar crops, garden, nursery and greenhouse products, sod, etc.	845	10		
17. If any greenhouse products were sold, how many square feet were under glass or other protection?			846	Square feet

**Section 5 — Land USE in 1969 — The purpose of this section is to distribute all acres in this place among items 1 through 5.**

1. Cropland harvested — Include all land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut, and all land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products. (If two crops were harvested from the same land in 1969, report the acres only once.)	860	Acres
2. Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	861	Acres
3. All other cropland — Include cropland used for soil-improvement crops, crop failure, cultivated summer fallow, and idle cropland.	862	Acres
4. Woodland — Include woodland pasture	863	Acres
5. All other land — Include pastureland other than cropland and woodland pasture, rangeland, and land in house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	864	Acres
6. Total acres in this place — Please add the acres reported in items 1 through 5 and enter the total in this space (This total should be the same as the total in section 2, item 4.)	865	Total acres
7. How much of the total land reported in item 6 was irrigated in 1969?	866	Acres

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**Section 6 — LIVESTOCK and POULTRY** — Be sure to report all livestock and poultry on this place on December 31, 1969, no matter who owned them. — Include as sold all livestock and poultry fed on a contract or custom basis and taken from this place in 1969.

	Number on this place December 31, 1969	Number sold in 1969
1. Cattle and calves of all ages .....	879	871
a. Cows — Include dry cows and heifers that had calved .....	872	
(1) Of the total cows reported in item 1a, how many were kept for milk production? — Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved .....	873	
2. Hogs and pigs of all ages .....	874	875
a. Of the total sold, how many were sold as feeder pigs for further feeding? .....		875
3. Sheep and lambs of all ages .....	877	878
4. Horses and ponies of all ages .....	879	880
5. Hens and pullets of laying age (Exclude started pullets being raised for sale.) .....	881	882
6. Any other chickens 3 months old or older (roosters, capons, started pullets) .....	883	884
7. Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old .....	885	886
8. Other livestock and poultry — goats, mules, fur-bearing animals, turkeys, ducks, geese, hives of bees, etc.	887	888
What kind? .....	887	888

	Number of litters
9. Litters of pigs farrowed on this place between —	
a. December 1, 1968, and May 31, 1969 .....	889
b. June 1, 1969, and November 30, 1969 .....	890

**Section 7 — Production EXPENSES for this place in 1969** — Report expenses paid by you and by others — your landlord, contractors, buyers, etc. — for crops, livestock, or livestock products produced on this place. Use estimates if exact figures are not available.

	CENTS NOT REQUIRED	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock and poultry purchased — cattle, calves, hogs, pigs, sheep, lambs, goats, horses, baby chicks, poults, started pullets, etc. ....	900	\$
2. Total feed purchased for livestock and poultry — grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc. ....	901	\$
a. Commercial mixed formula feeds purchased — complete, supplement, concentrates (Do not include ingredients purchased separately, such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, and urea.) .....	902	903
	Tons purchased	Tenths
	Dollars	Cents
	10	\$
3. Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased .....	904	\$
4. Commercial fertilizer purchased — all forms, including rock phosphate and gypsum .....	905	\$
5. Lime (Do not include land plaster or gypsum or lime for sanitation.) .....	906	\$
6. All insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, other pesticides, growth control chemicals, and defolians used for crops, livestock, and poultry on this place in 1969 — Include any of these materials paid for by your landlord and by custom operators .....	907	\$
7. Total gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil purchased for the farm business — diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, propane, piped gas, kerosene, fuel oil, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	908	\$
8. Hired farm labor — Include all money paid in cash for farm labor including payments to family members, and for Social Security taxes. (Do not include housework, customwork, and contract work.) .....	909	\$
9. Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork — Include expenditures for labor performed on a contract basis by a contractor, a crew leader, a cooperative, etc., and expenditures for use of equipment and for customwork. ....	910	\$
10. All other production expenses — Include current operating expenses, and depreciation, taxes, interest, cash rent, insurance, repairs, etc., for the farm business .....	911	\$
11. Total production expenses — Add dollars for items 1 through 10 and enter total here .....	912	\$

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**Section 8 — MARKET VALUE, before taxes and expenses, of agricultural products sold from this place in 1969 — crops, livestock, livestock products, etc. — Include market value of landlord's and contractor's share.**

	CENTS NOT REQUIRED	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	920	
2. Crops including nursery products and hay sold .....	921	
3. Forest products — firewood, fuelwood, fenceposts, sawlogs, Christmas trees, gum for naval stores, standing timber or trees, maple products, etc. ....	922	
4. Total market value of all agricultural products sold, before taxes and expenses — Add dollars for items 1 through 3 and enter total here —————>	923	

**Section 9 — FARM-RELATED INCOME received in 1969 — Report amount received before taxes and expenses.**

	CENTS NOT REQUIRED	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Customwork and other agricultural services provided for others — plowing, planting, spraying, harvesting, preparation of products for market, etc. ....	930	
2. Recreational services — providing hunting, fishing, picnicking, camping, boarding and lodging, or other recreational facilities on this place .....	931	
3. Payments you received for participation in government farm programs (Do not include redeemable loans) .....	932	

**Section 10 — MACHINERY and EQUIPMENT on this place on December 31, 1969, whether owned by you or by others — Include only equipment used in 1968 or 1969.**

Selected machinery and equipment on this place December 31, 1969	Number manufactured in —	
	1965 or later	1964 or earlier
1. Automobiles .....	940	941
2. Motortrucks — Include pickups .....	942	943
3. Tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers .....	944	945
4. Riding garden tractors 7 hp. and over .....	946	947
5. Grain and bean combines — self-propelled only .....	948	949
6. Combines and picker-shellers, including corn heads for combines .....	950	951
7. Pickup balers .....	952	953

	CENTS NOT REQUIRED	
	Dollars	Cents
8. Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment usually kept on this place and used for the farm business — Include the items listed above and any other machinery and equipment .....	954	

**Section 11 — VALUE of land and BUILDINGS on this place**

	CENTS NOT REQUIRED	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Please enter your estimate of the current market value of the acres you operated (owned and rented acres in section 2, item 4) and the buildings on them .....	960	

**Section 12 — FARM OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS**

1. Does the operator — the person in charge of the farm or ranch operations — live on this place? ..... 970  
1  Yes      2  No
2. Year operator began to operate any part of this place ..... 971  
\_\_\_\_\_ Year
3. Operator's age ..... 972  
\_\_\_\_\_ Years old
4. Race — Mark (X) the appropriate box. 973  
1  White    2  Negro or black    3  Indian (Amer.)    4  Other
5. Number of days operator worked off this place in 1969 — Include work at a nonfarm job, business or profession, or on someone else's farm. (Do not include exchange work.) Mark (X) the appropriate box. 974  
1  None    2  1–49 days    3  50–99 days    4  100–199 days    5  200 days or more

Section 13 — SIGNATURE of person filing this report — Please check your answers, then sign below. <span style="float: right;">975</span>	Telephone	
	976 Area code	Number
Name _____ Date _____		

Remarks — Attach separate sheet, if needed.