

All Farms

Table 26. Selected Characteristics by Year Began, by Age of Farm Operator: 1969

	Total	Year operator began operating farm								Before 1940	No report
		1968 and 1969	1965 to 1967	1960 to 1964	1955 to 1959	1950 to 1954	1945 to 1949	1940 to 1944			
United States											
Total:											
Farms reporting.....number..	2,730,250	177,509	251,947	330,645	268,624	270,903	315,112	200,788	329,834	584,888	
Land in farms.....acres..	1,063,346,489	46,816,659	77,460,433	119,071,426	108,813,235	111,399,295	147,927,587	90,332,595	151,890,160	209,635,099	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	45,609,090	2,134,007	3,965,881	6,177,945	5,752,016	5,499,903	6,644,042	3,679,784	5,226,362	6,529,150	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	1,982,738	101,100	165,859	249,105	222,650	232,898	281,078	180,216	296,394	253,438	
Not on farm operated.....	457,679	72,767	81,329	75,680	41,288	33,254	28,346	16,452	26,041	82,522	
Not reported.....	289,833	3,642	4,759	5,860	4,686	4,751	5,688	4,120	7,399	248,928	
Under 25 years:											
Farms reporting.....number..	52,905	19,142	13,739	3,479	-	-	-	-	-	16,545	
Land in farms.....acres..	11,583,251	4,042,626	3,475,689	973,769	-	-	-	-	-	3,091,167	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	555,660	190,288	174,523	49,514	-	-	-	-	-	141,335	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	28,017	10,173	8,261	2,215	-	-	-	-	-	7,368	
Not on farm operated.....	19,084	8,551	5,191	1,196	-	-	-	-	-	4,146	
Not reported.....	5,804	418	287	68	-	-	-	-	-	5,031	
25 to 34 years:											
Farms reporting.....number..	273,662	50,070	67,974	70,723	25,934	3,174	-	-	-	55,787	
Land in farms.....acres..	95,206,955	12,112,548	20,644,889	28,944,984	13,725,306	1,849,727	-	-	-	17,929,501	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	4,948,920	610,144	1,148,012	1,614,733	785,090	88,896	-	-	-	702,045	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	183,081	31,379	48,960	56,205	21,887	2,627	-	-	-	22,023	
Not on farm operated.....	63,158	17,904	17,993	13,485	3,691	482	-	-	-	9,603	
Not reported.....	27,423	787	1,021	1,033	356	65	-	-	-	24,161	
35 to 44 years:											
Farms reporting.....number..	522,698	45,091	69,611	97,007	89,792	73,157	39,064	3,856	-	105,120	
Land in farms.....acres..	218,522,976	12,861,784	21,047,600	34,805,154	41,393,552	40,386,337	25,895,589	2,478,091	-	39,654,869	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	11,034,329	550,744	1,167,721	2,037,960	2,334,635	2,116,076	1,261,123	114,474	-	1,451,596	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	375,499	26,041	47,228	76,796	77,809	64,811	35,077	3,444	-	44,293	
Not on farm operated.....	95,790	18,250	21,238	18,909	10,699	7,289	3,427	344	-	15,634	
Not reported.....	51,409	800	1,145	1,302	1,284	1,057	560	68	-	45,193	
45 to 54 years:											
Farms reporting.....number..	723,977	34,306	53,699	83,310	78,106	95,845	137,975	63,797	28,639	148,300	
Land in farms.....acres..	323,632,294	10,476,714	18,942,498	31,562,488	29,549,829	38,913,944	75,279,599	36,322,870	18,267,743	64,316,609	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	14,437,371	508,837	964,047	1,450,610	1,599,276	2,002,574	3,540,113	1,649,265	741,561	1,981,088	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	532,909	17,926	32,503	60,231	64,513	83,359	124,424	58,079	26,021	65,853	
Not on farm operated.....	118,672	15,627	20,103	21,508	12,288	10,954	11,333	4,551	2,099	20,209	
Not reported.....	72,396	753	1,093	1,571	1,305	1,532	2,218	1,167	519	62,238	
55 to 64 years:											
Farms reporting.....number..	704,014	20,829	33,668	53,842	52,322	67,490	97,875	89,018	138,294	150,676	
Land in farms.....acres..	260,593,683	5,518,780	9,433,643	17,203,776	17,676,356	22,047,724	34,770,510	37,302,814	68,279,145	48,360,935	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	10,576,755	228,237	391,766	833,067	815,688	1,046,332	1,514,662	1,524,827	2,706,655	1,515,521	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	527,621	11,036	20,440	37,747	41,171	56,684	86,919	80,431	125,619	67,574	
Not on farm operated.....	100,315	9,186	12,419	14,797	9,956	9,429	8,988	6,745	9,656	19,139	
Not reported.....	76,078	607	809	1,298	1,195	1,377	1,968	1,842	3,019	63,963	
65 years and over:											
Farms reporting.....number..	452,994	8,071	13,256	22,284	22,470	31,237	40,198	44,117	162,901	108,460	
Land in farms.....acres..	153,807,330	1,804,207	3,916,114	5,581,255	6,468,192	8,201,563	11,981,889	14,228,820	65,343,272	36,282,018	
Market value of all agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	4,056,055	45,757	119,812	192,061	217,327	246,025	328,144	391,218	1,778,146	737,565	
Farm operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated.....	335,611	4,545	8,467	15,911	17,270	25,417	34,658	38,262	144,754	46,327	
Not on farm operated.....	60,660	3,249	4,385	5,785	4,654	5,100	4,598	4,812	14,286	13,791	
Not reported.....	56,723	277	404	588	546	720	942	1,043	3,861	48,342	