

Class 1-5 Farms

Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969			1964			1959		
Class 1-5 farms number . . .	19 505	20 794	24 307	Total woodland farms . . .			2 221	2 420	(NA)
Land in farms acres	12 671 245	13 388 586	13 527 425	. . . . . acres			726 622	1 001 357	1 163 959
Average size of farm acres . . .	649.6	643.9	556.5	Woodland pastured farms . . .			1 657	1 894	2 303
Value of land and buildings dollars . .	2 321 324 068	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			581 736	838 140	951 522
Average per farm dollars	119 011	(NA)	(NA)	Woodland not pastured farms . . .			893	919	1 367
Average per acre dollars	183.19	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			144 886	163 217	212 437
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland farms	18 706	(NA)	(NA)	Pastureland and rangeland (other than			6 953	9 803	10 832
. acres	5 924 839	5 554 196	5 470 390	cropland and woodland pasture) . . . farms . . .			5 567 957	6 295 837	6 130 527
Harvested cropland farms	17 928	19 758	23 181	. . . . . acres			2 575	5 414	4 444
. acres	3 853 298	3 780 360	3 688 515	Improved pastureland and			702 457	496 082	345 655
Number of farms by acres harvested:				rangeland farms					
1 to 49 acres	3 750	3 578	4 790	. . . . . acres			5 538	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	4 189	5 288	7 108	Pastureland and rangeland			4 865 500	5 799 755	5 784 872
100 to 199 acres	4 454	5 510	6 393	not improved farms					
200 to 499 acres	3 773	3 860	3 656	. . . . . acres			13 826	19 457	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	1 273	1 160	986	All other land (see text) farms . . .			451 827	537 196	762 549
1,000 acres and over	489	362	248	. . . . . acres					
1,000 to 1,999 acres	392	(NA)	(NA)	Irrigated land farms			14 786	16 758	19 870
2,000 acres and over	97	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			2 670 503	2 650 992	2 481 295
Cropland used only for pasture				Total pastureland (all types) farms . . .			15 051	(NA)	(NA)
or grazing farms	11 308	10 910	13 192	. . . . . acres			7 026 962	7 739 466	7 679 923
. acres	877 269	605 489	597 874	Conservation Practices					
Cropland in cover crops, legumes,				Grain or row crops farmed on					
and soil-improvement grasses, not				the contour farms			258	580	675
harvested and not pastured farms . . .	1 865	3 470	1 288	. . . . . acres			60 957	123 319	112 129
. acres	104 295	153 711	139 984	Stripcropping systems to					
Cropland on which all crops				control erosion farms			156	259	243
failed farms	593	1 047	(NA)	. . . . . acres			40 952	47 659	34 240
. acres	30 478	34 178	(NA)	Cropland and pastureland having					
Cropland in cultivated summer				terraces farms			89	(NA)	185
fallow farms	5 528	6 019	5 300	. . . . . acres			17 944	(NA)	10 522
. acres	896 247	872 873	897 752						
Cropland idle farms	3 559	2 272	(NA)						
. acres	163 252	107 585	(NA)						

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Table 11. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969			1964			1959			
	1969	1964	1959	Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land			
				Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of harvested cropland	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of irrigated land	
Class 1-5 farms	19 505	20 794	24 307	12 671 245	17 928	11 839 252	3 853 298	14 786	8 540 969	2 670 503
Farms with-										
1 to 9 acres	599	430	396	1 779	58	277	192	119	643	492
10 to 49 acres	1 811	1 749	2 490	56 962	1 397	47 020	30 344	1 461	48 002	39 036
50 to 69 acres	755	799	1 062	44 544	700	41 317	26 535	682	40 266	31 234
70 to 99 acres	2 064	2 453	3 509	167 490	1 990	161 521	106 668	1 916	155 476	120 083
100 to 139 acres	1 853	2 169	2 898	216 230	1 789	209 101	135 076	1 674	195 617	146 910
140 to 179 acres	1 885	2 247	2 720	296 838	1 826	287 579	183 892	1 649	259 571	194 535
180 to 219 acres	1 135	1 230	1 323	223 993	1 104	217 897	136 363	975	192 352	139 048
220 to 259 acres	1 057	1 132	1 178	251 002	1 024	243 242	145 525	887	210 608	146 286
260 to 499 acres	3 133	3 284	3 529	1 127 042	3 040	1 094 199	600 420	2 348	832 629	531 208
500 to 999 acres	2 462	2 499	2 562	1 732 737	2 392	1 682 940	751 148	1 466	1 025 504	461 970
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 585	1 590	1 507	2 180 374	1 524	2 096 428	790 587	875	1 201 418	370 903
2,000 acres and over	1 166	1 212	1 133	6 372 254	1 084	5 757 731	946 548	734	4 378 883	488 798

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Table 12. Farm Operators-Tenure and Characteristics: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969				1969			
	All farms	Negro operated farms	All farms		All farms	Negro operated farms	All farms	
			1964	1959			1964	1959
Farms and land in farms operated by-								
Class 1-5 farm operators farms . . .	19 505	9	20 794	24 307	Corporation, including family			
. acres	12 671 245	3 761	13 388 586	13 527 425	owned farms			
Harvested cropland farms	17 928	9	19 758	23 181	. . . . . acres			
. acres	3 853 298	1 154	3 780 360	3 688 515	10 or fewer shareholders farms . . .			
Full owners farms	10 512	5	10 311	12 239	. . . . . acres			
. acres	3 749 060	1 670	(NA)	(NA)	More than 10 shareholders farms . . .			
Harvested cropland farms	9 275	5	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			
. acres	1 272 132	401	(NA)	(NA)	Other farms			
Part owners farms	6 690	4	7 291	7 694	. . . . . acres			
. acres	7 737 101	2 091	(NA)	(NA)	Farm operators by age groups:			
Harvested cropland farms	6 498	4	(NA)	(NA)	Under 25 years			
. acres	2 121 113	753	(NA)	(NA)	25 to 34 years			
Tenants farms	2 303	-	3 019	4 180	35 to 44 years			
. acres	1 185 084	-	(NA)	(NA)	45 to 54 years			
Harvested cropland farms	2 155	-	(NA)	(NA)	55 to 64 years			
. acres	460 053	-	(NA)	(NA)	65 years and over			
Percent of tenancy	11.8	0.0	14.5	17.2	Average age			
Farms by type of organization					Farm operators by place of residence:			
Individual or family farms	16 657	8	(NA)	(NA)	On farm operated			
. acres	8 386 268	3 391	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			
Partnership farms	2 251	1	(NA)	(NA)	Not on farm operated			
. acres	2 263 623	370	(NA)	(NA)	. . . . . acres			
					Farm operators reporting days of			
					work off farm			
					1 to 49 days			
					50 to 99 days			
					100 to 199 days			
					200 days and over			