

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 . . .	123 565	132 822	154 644	165	298	462
acres . . .	29 913 190	29 957 501	30 327 261	21 444	32 553	34 475
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	111 954	123 174	141 225	132	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	19 351 709	20 058 321	20 967 738	12 957	18 380	20 114
Full owners . . . farms . . .	56 164	54 592	63 769	92	147	295
acres . . .	8 119 596	7 211 214	7 650 929	6 345	9 451	12 950
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	46 180	46 173	52 123	67	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	4 133 123	3 867 904	4 325 153	3 138	3 700	5 520
Part owners . . . farms . . .	36 416	37 446	38 018	39	94	97
acres . . .	13 284 023	11 970 213	10 313 662	9 859	11 803	12 410
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	35 927	37 138	37 738	38	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	8 992 456	8 269 752	7 258 195	6 216	6 696	8 109
Tenants . . . farms . . .	30 985	40 314	52 375	34	54	70
acres . . .	8 509 571	10 451 552	12 040 185	5 240	7 054	9 115
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	29 847	39 428	50 925	27	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	6 226 130	7 728 263	9 209 015	3 603	4 673	6 485
Percent of tenancy	25.0	30.4	33.9	20.6	18.1	15.2
	123 565			165		
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years	3 018	2 701	3 212	2	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 34 years	14 498	14 925	19 987	12	(NA)	(NA)
35 to 44 years	25 137	29 447	35 287	30	(NA)	(NA)
45 to 54 years	34 054	35 896	38 821	27	(NA)	(NA)
55 to 64 years	30 744	30 284	32 628	53	(NA)	(NA)
65 years and over	16 114	19 569	22 757	41	(NA)	(NA)
Average age	49.7	50.1	49.4	54.5	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	94 580	118 409	135 443	101	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated	18 416	10 909	10 237	39	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	64 059	54 217	58 527	93	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 49 days	16 361	22 157	24 712	15	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 days	6 145			5	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 days	9 629			19	(NA)	(NA)
200 days and over	31 924	32 060	33 815	54	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959
Number of farms by economic classes:	123 565		
Class 1a-Sales of \$100,000 and over . . .	2 609	1 053	5 699
Class 1b- " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . .	14 021	8 913	
Class 2- " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . .	25 859	25 449	17 345
Class 3- " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . .	25 097	32 876	38 848
Class 4- " \$5,000 to \$9,999	18 729	23 010	34 303
Class 5- " \$2,500 to \$4,999	14 171	14 421	21 062
Class 6 (see text)	3 595	5 414	6 071
Part time (see text)	14 943	13 320	20 041
Part retirement (see text)	4 519	8 323	11 225
Abnormal (see text)	22	43	58
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) dollars . . .	2 612 378 254	2 122 874 262	1 810 740 939
Average per farm dollars . . .	21 141	15 983	11 708
Crops including nursery products and hay farms . . .	105 011	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	1 324 925 719	1 127 053 921	794 369 812
Forest products farms . . .	2 134	2 689	3 409
dollars . . .	1 703 848	1 663 167	1 555 415
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms . . .	85 732	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	1 285 748 687	992 888 825	1 014 815 712
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249	3 837	4 102	(NA)
\$250 to \$499	2 963	3 817	(NA)
\$500 to \$999	5 284	6 302	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499	4 350	4 911	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999	3 963	4 184	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3 606	3 745	(NA)
\$2,500 and over	99 562	105 761	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from-			
Customwork and other agricultural services farms . . .	21 370	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	28 674 837	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services farms . . .	884	791	(NA)
dollars . . .	1 783 496	1 268 349	(NA)
Government farm programs farms . . .	55 688	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	126 267 660	(NA)	(NA)

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