

## All Farms

Table 9. Summary of Selected Economic Class Groups: 1969

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
<b>Farms and Land in Farms</b>							
Farms .....	number.. 101 479	71 456	34 170	4 192	23 471	6 507	45
	percent.. 100.0	70.4	33.6	4.1	23.1	6.4	(2)
Land in farms .....	acres.. 17 572 865	15 779 551	2 042 680	283 217	1 319 015	440 448	33 851
Average size of farm .....	acres.. 173.1	220.8	59.7	67.5	56.1	67.6	752.2
Value of land and buildings .....	dollars.. 7 135 619 998	6 392 365 207	824 204 385	104 888 756	568 792 945	150 522 684	23 939 162
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 70 316	89 458	24 120	25 021	24 233	23 132	531 981
Average per acre .....	dollars.. 406.05	405.10	403.49	370.34	431.22	341.74	707.19
<b>Number of farms by value of farm:</b>							
\$1 to \$9,999 .....	9 497	3 832	6 586	922	4 253	1 411	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	15 397	6 173	10 460	1 237	7 159	2 064	1
\$20,000 to \$39,999 .....	26 279	15 379	12 307	1 408	8 739	2 160	1
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	19 441	16 124	3 756	444	2 612	700	5
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	9 651	9 126	624	100	418	106	1
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	9 046	8 835	253	49	167	37	7
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	4 858	4 785	90	19	60	11	2
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	6 634	6 543	86	12	59	15	17
\$500,000 and over .....	676	659	8	1	4	3	10
<b>Owned and rented lands by farm operator:</b>							
Land owned .....	acres.. 89 527	61 155	32 227	3 898	21 967	6 362	43
Land rented or leased .....	acres.. 11 408 218	9 463 192	2 230 852	317 791	1 412 943	500 118	31 965
Land rented or leased .....	farms.. 37 260	33 485	4 379	614	3 303	462	10
from others .....	acres.. 7 248 726	7 084 207	194 320	32 692	141 637	19 991	2 891
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 14 524	7 982	7 681	1 146	4 919	1 616	7
acres.. 1 084 039	767 848	382 452	67 266	235 525	79 661	1 005	
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms.. 96 360	69 128	30 888	3 698	21 198	5 992	42
acres.. 13 551 580	12 508 938	1 179 680	159 776	766 882	253 022	22 738	
Harvested cropland .....	farms.. 88 350	66 557	24 684	2 932	17 000	4 752	41
acres.. 9 670 494	9 235 478	480 659	61 984	321 681	96 994	16 341	
<b>Number of farms by acres harvested:</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	8 606	2 369	6 955	720	4 982	1 253	2
10 to 19 acres .....	9 858	3 467	7 211	820	5 057	1 334	-
20 to 29 acres .....	8 213	3 940	4 930	658	3 261	1 011	1
30 to 49 acres .....	12 496	8 607	4 433	546	2 987	900	2
50 to 99 acres .....	18 125	17 179	1 127	182	696	249	1
100 to 199 acres .....	15 975	15 945	28	6	17	5	8
200 to 499 acres .....	13 090	13 070	-	-	-	-	20
500 to 999 acres .....	1 834	1 632	-	-	-	-	2
1,000 acres and over .....	153	148	-	-	-	-	5
<b>Cropland used only for pasture or grazing</b>							
acres.. 1 571 945	1 308 370	301 955	42 141	190 522	69 292	3 761	
All other cropland (see text) .....	farms.. 53 268	39 513	15 614	1 879	10 486	3 249	20
acres.. 2 309 141	1 965 090	397 066	55 651	254 679	86 736	2 636	
<b>Woodland including woodland pasture</b>							
acres.. 2 140 914	1 756 634	440 057	61 859	282 529	95 669	6 082	
All other land (see text) .....	farms.. 83 619	59 772	27 079	3 274	18 508	5 297	42
acres.. 1 880 371	1 513 979	422 943	61 582	269 604	91 757	5 031	
Irrigated land .....	farms.. 682	481	249	53	156	40	5
acres.. 33 580	29 799	4 716	1 115	2 879	722	180	
<b>Color and Tenure of Operator</b>							
<b>All farm operators:</b>							
Full owners .....	64 393	38 088	29 853	3 583	20 213	6 057	35
Part owners .....	24 712	22 731	2 265	292	1 683	290	8
Tenants .....	12 374	10 637	2 052	317	1 575	160	2
<b>White farm operators:</b>							
Full owners .....	64 256	38 030	29 770	3 579	20 153	6 038	35
Part owners .....	24 668	22 696	2 256	292	1 674	290	8
Tenants .....	12 356	10 621	2 049	316	1 573	160	2
<b>Negro farm operators:</b>							
Full owners .....	84	38	47	1	34	12	-
Part owners .....	22	17	5	-	5	-	-
Tenants .....	7	6	1	-	1	-	-
<b>Farm Operator Characteristics</b>							
<b>Farm operators by age groups:</b>							
Under 25 years .....	2 459	1 760	832	135	697	-	2
25 to 34 years .....	12 732	8 924	4 157	352	3 805	-	3
35 to 44 years .....	20 833	14 571	6 957	709	6 248	-	14
45 to 54 years .....	26 835	19 675	8 291	1 145	7 146	-	14
55 to 64 years .....	23 661	18 078	7 426	1 851	5 575	-	8
65 years and over .....	14 959	8 448	6 507	-	-	6 507	4
Average age .....	49.8	49.3	50.7	49.9	45.0	71.5	47.1
<b>Farm operators by place of residence:</b>							
On farm operated .....	76 227	56 329	22 069	2 201	14 982	4 886	30
Not on farm operated .....	15 471	8 970	7 709	1 219	5 668	822	11
<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm</b>							
1 to 49 days .....	9 886	8 789	2 163	1 072	-	1 091	6
50 to 99 days .....	4 025	3 785	867	628	-	239	1
100 to 199 days .....	7 992	4 906	3 084	-	2 791	293	2
200 days and over .....	41 412	19 705	21 705	-	20 680	1 025	2

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	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales							Abnormal
	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement		
<b>Farms by Size</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	4 706	2 008	3 122	424	2 290	408	-	
10 to 49 acres .....	19 522	5 980	15 182	1 642	11 054	2 486	2	
50 to 69 acres .....	7 531	3 572	4 467	509	3 003	955	1	
70 to 99 acres .....	14 254	9 199	5 764	713	3 701	1 350	4	
100 to 139 acres .....	12 534	9 855	3 138	461	1 932	745	2	
140 to 179 acres .....	9 791	8 612	1 410	231	866	313	-	
180 to 219 acres .....	6 562	6 173	484	95	276	113	-	
220 to 259 acres .....	5 328	5 130	236	41	151	44	3	
260 to 499 acres .....	15 320	15 050	323	65	170	88	12	
500 to 999 acres .....	5 256	5 216	39	10	26	3	11	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	610	602	4	1	2	1	5	
2,000 acres and over .....	65	59	1	-	-	1	5	
<b>Farms by Type (see text)</b>								
Cash-grain farms .....	42 167	30 358	13 489	1 686	9 333	2 470	6	
Tobacco farms .....	2 217	762	1 699	244	1 147	308	-	
Cotton farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other field-crop farms .....	206	142	68	4	46	18	-	
Vegetable farms .....	645	471	201	28	123	50	1	
Fruit and nut farms .....	372	254	137	19	81	37	-	
Poultry farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dairy farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms .....	45 590	34 816	12 101	1 358	8 336	2 407	25	
Livestock ranches (see text) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
General farms .....	5 668	3 405	2 581	324	1 711	546	6	
Miscellaneous farms .....	4 614	1 248	3 894	529	2 694	671	1	
<b>Value of Products Sold and Other Farm-Related Income</b>								
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) .....	1 400 145 649	1 364 435 051	35 391 688	4 463 633	23 789 216	7 138 839	4 782 543	
Average per farm .....	13 797	19 094	1 035	1 064	1 013	1 097	106 278	
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$1 to \$249 (see text) .....	2 412	290	2 404	282	1 753	369	-	
\$250 to \$499 .....	4 132	465	4 106	439	2 995	672	-	
\$500 to \$999 .....	8 088	1 048	8 002	962	5 559	1 481	-	
\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	6 705	908	6 588	791	4 450	1 347	-	
\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	5 518	866	5 336	684	3 524	1 128	-	
\$2,000 to \$2,499 .....	4 864	871	4 601	608	3 048	945	-	
\$2,500 and over .....	66 541	66 497	-	-	-	-	44	
Crops including nursery products and hay .....	82 244	62 922	22 015	2 730	15 030	4 255	37	
Forest products .....	597 363 200	578 150 381	20 695 055	2 706 210	13 925 821	4 063 024	1 223 974	
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	3 666 033	3 464 556	214 317	38 323	121 131	54 863	25 483	
Farms with farm-related income from--								
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	12 971	11 882	1 273	187	836	250	3	
Recreational services .....	14 345 089	13 554 846	941 690	164 899	615 137	161 654	13 452	
Government farm programs .....	1 293 921	1 111 659	316 411	135 507	135 294	45 610	1 358	
Production Expenses								
Farm production expenses, total .....	101 477	71 454	34 168	4 190	23 471	6 507	45	
Number of farms with expenditures of--								
\$1 to \$499 .....	9 220	1 260	9 105	1 146	6 119	1 840	1	
\$500 to \$999 .....	9 187	1 730	8 546	1 090	5 714	1 742	1	
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	13 950	5 007	10 189	1 246	6 990	1 953	-	
\$2,000 to \$2,999 .....	9 904	6 573	3 743	414	2 664	665	2	
\$3,000 to \$4,999 .....	13 940	12 060	2 103	226	1 623	254	3	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	18 561	18 141	482	68	361	53	6	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	14 181	14 178	-	-	-	-	3	
\$20,000 and over .....	12 534	12 505	-	-	-	-	29	
Livestock and poultry .....	43 147	33 944	10 305	1 136	7 537	1 632	34	
Number of farms with expenditures of--								
\$1 to \$99 .....	5 247	2 951	2 623	327	1 817	479	5	
\$100 to \$499 .....	12 531	8 308	4 736	518	3 477	741	5	
\$500 to \$999 .....	6 489	4 822	1 845	181	1 377	287	3	
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	7 189	6 321	964	98	757	109	2	
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	4 388	4 262	133	12	107	14	5	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3 405	3 395	4	-	2	2	6	
\$10,000 and over .....	3 898	3 885	-	-	-	-	13	
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	63 763	49 106	16 387	1 770	11 682	2 935	40	
Number of farms with expenditures of--								
\$1 to \$99 .....	6 638	2 930	4 159	451	2 863	845	-	
\$100 to \$499 .....	18 165	10 254	8 849	940	6 302	1 607	2	
\$500 to \$999 .....	9 883	7 643	2 526	289	1 867	370	3	
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	12 624	11 871	835	88	634	113	6	
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	7 979	7 956	18	2	16	-	7	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 767	4 762	-	-	-	-	5	
\$10,000 and over .....	3 707	3 690	-	-	-	-	17	

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Commercially mixed formula feeds	47 729	40 462	8 098	866	5 751	1 481	35
farms .....	1 427 884	1 399 550	24 523	2 716	17 763	4 044	6 527
tons .....	140 206 568	137 652 838	2 278 841	254 893	1 641 132	382 816	529 782
dollars .....							
Number of farms that used—							
1 to 49 tons .....	42 227	34 981	8 098	866	5 751	1 481	14
50 to 99 tons .....	3 001	2 996	-	-	-	-	5
100 to 199 tons .....	1 376	1 367	-	-	-	-	9
200 to 499 tons .....	778	773	-	-	-	-	5
500 tons and over .....	347	345	-	-	-	-	2
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	4 937	2 700	2 495	258	1 791	446	-
\$100 to \$499 .....	13 622	9 769	4 319	469	3 022	828	3
\$500 to \$999 .....	7 281	6 437	928	89	675	164	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	10 005	9 706	346	49	254	43	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	5 863	5 849	10	1	9	-	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3 395	3 390	-	-	-	-	5
\$10,000 and over .....	2 626	2 611	-	-	-	-	15
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	77 580	61 814	17 999	2 272	12 448	3 279	39
farms .....	34 738 064	33 332 845	1 535 782	194 787	1 062 312	278 683	64 224
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	19 597	9 051	12 047	1 502	8 328	2 217	1
\$100 to \$499 .....	38 186	33 007	5 935	766	4 108	1 061	10
\$500 to \$999 .....	11 883	11 862	17	4	12	-	8
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	6 614	6 599	-	-	-	-	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	1 050	1 049	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	172	169	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over .....	78	77	-	-	-	-	1
Commercial fertilizer	79 488	61 841	20 071	2 465	13 842	3 764	41
farms .....	105 960 997	102 698 382	3 465 476	442 977	2 424 878	597 621	240 116
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	11 337	4 024	8 334	1 023	5 586	1 725	2
\$100 to \$499 .....	27 827	18 399	10 708	1 285	7 526	1 897	5
\$500 to \$999 .....	13 417	12 637	912	137	652	123	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	14 775	14 682	104	16	72	16	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	7 635	7 623	10	4	4	2	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3 423	3 407	3	-	2	1	13
\$10,000 and over .....	1 074	1 069	-	-	-	-	5
Lime	12 048	10 018	2 303	277	1 676	350	4
farms .....	3 445 374	3 219 320	256 407	34 187	183 301	38 919	3 834
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	3 526	2 338	1 339	151	976	212	-
\$100 to \$499 .....	6 855	6 039	938	122	680	136	-
\$500 to \$999 .....	1 142	1 119	24	3	19	2	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	460	457	2	1	1	-	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	53	53	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9	9	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over .....	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	52 174	43 901	9 318	1 078	6 603	1 637	33
farms .....	25 135 506	24 537 265	599 877	68 783	417 812	113 282	67 147
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	18 319	11 803	7 369	855	5 242	1 272	2
\$100 to \$499 .....	20 074	18 395	1 888	215	1 323	350	6
\$500 to \$999 .....	7 162	7 121	41	6	28	7	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	5 198	5 168	19	2	9	8	13
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	1 088	1 085	1	-	1	-	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	266	263	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over .....	67	66	-	-	-	-	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business	98 555	70 349	31 956	3 795	22 043	6 118	45
farms .....	65 218 729	60 812 831	4 901 083	629 825	3 327 919	943 339	134 640
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	17 152	4 624	14 120	1 593	9 865	2 662	1
\$100 to \$499 .....	42 084	27 358	16 751	2 033	11 457	3 261	8
\$500 to \$999 .....	18 787	17 944	991	153	669	169	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	16 727	16 633	94	16	52	26	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	3 231	3 222	-	-	-	-	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	494	491	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over .....	80	77	-	-	-	-	3
Hired farm labor	43 111	35 586	8 595	1 106	5 720	1 769	36
farms .....	52 302 285	50 064 503	1 583 620	207 383	1 040 502	335 735	861 545
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	11 210	7 255	4 497	543	2 998	956	1
\$100 to \$499 .....	17 812	14 845	3 455	489	2 298	668	1
\$500 to \$999 .....	5 818	5 428	438	49	289	100	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	4 316	4 167	162	17	112	33	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	2 146	2 113	38	8	20	10	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 137	1 128	5	-	3	2	4
\$10,000 and over .....	672	650	-	-	-	-	22
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork	58 450	44 509	15 728	1 805	10 771	3 152	18
farms .....	28 942 051	26 761 040	2 452 279	303 325	1 662 366	486 588	32 057
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	12 390	6 425	6 715	751	4 642	1 322	1
\$100 to \$499 .....	30 917	23 343	8 554	988	5 817	1 749	8
\$500 to \$999 .....	9 457	9 114	392	54	269	69	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	4 603	4 550	59	9	38	12	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	706	702	6	2	4	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	236	235	2	1	1	-	-
\$10,000 and over .....	141	140	-	-	-	-	1
All other production expenses	90 279	69 917	23 193	2 872	15 963	4 358	41
farms .....	359 472 596	341 912 673	18 597 834	2 227 779	13 227 541	3 142 514	1 189 868
dollars .....							
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 .....	2 541	672	2 177	308	1 444	425	-
\$100 to \$499 .....	12 176	5 027	8 178	1 033	5 509	1 636	4
\$500 to \$999 .....	12 379	7 061	6 073	755	4 091	1 227	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	23 938	18 894	5 687	647	4 107	933	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	17 964	17 079	997	117	751	129	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	13 234	13 163	81	12	61	8	2
\$10,000 and over .....	8 047	8 021	-	-	-	-	26

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>							
Automobiles . . . . . farms . . . . .	83 111	60 920	25 036	2 866	17 377	4 793	21
number . . . . .	108 315	79 768	31 950	3 481	22 912	5 557	78
Motortrucks including pickups . . . . . farms . . . . .	74 739	57 018	19 853	2 176	14 625	3 052	44
number . . . . .	100 148	80 772	21 633	2 422	15 964	3 247	165
Tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers . . . . . farms . . . . .	84 944	62 776	25 014	2 890	17 387	4 737	44
number . . . . .	174 055	143 633	34 219	4 058	23 918	6 243	261
Riding garden tractors 7hp and over . . . . . farms . . . . .	18 183	14 457	4 159	450	3 144	565	17
number . . . . .	18 704	14 888	4 260	471	3 204	585	27
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled . . . . . farms . . . . .	22 869	21 972	1 056	174	735	147	15
number . . . . .	23 871	22 950	1 074	174	741	159	21
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers . . . . . farms . . . . .	42 544	38 922	4 075	482	2 906	687	29
number . . . . .	50 223	46 456	4 229	508	3 011	710	46
Pickup balers . . . . . farms . . . . .	23 013	20 668	2 598	277	1 863	458	24
number . . . . .	23 414	21 024	2 637	279	1 884	474	32
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	96 768	68 969	31 473	3 719	21 732	6 022	45
dollars . . . . .	954 061 398	856 559 646	109 759 653	14 085 913	77 617 999	18 055 741	1 828 012
<b>Number of farms by value of machinery and equipment:</b>							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	5 912	1 748	4 858	694	2 891	1 273	-
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	39 175	20 845	20 619	2 294	14 488	3 837	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	19 695	15 817	4 358	485	3 237	636	5
\$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	16 570	15 621	1 101	160	716	195	8
\$20,000 to \$29,999 . . . . .	8 015	7 709	336	35	244	57	5
\$30,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	5 400	5 272	151	33	100	18	10
\$50,000 and over . . . . .	2 001	1 957	50	18	26	6	12
<b>Livestock and Poultry</b>							
Livestock and poultry on place:							
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms . . . . .	52 092	39 893	13 663	1 501	9 553	2 609	37
number . . . . .	1 828 590	1 685 701	150 571	17 643	103 087	29 841	9 961
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	5 781	2 612	3 486	317	2 604	565	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	7 517	4 073	3 894	450	2 689	755	-
10 to 19 . . . . .	12 233	8 531	4 194	493	2 802	899	1
20 and over . . . . .	26 561	24 677	2 089	241	1 458	390	36
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms . . . . .	38 524	30 868	8 647	1 017	5 895	1 735	26
number . . . . .	660 932	609 521	55 343	6 899	36 932	11 512	2 967
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	2 289	1 264	1 132	107	828	197	-
2 to 4 . . . . .	5 879	3 301	2 891	313	1 995	583	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	8 452	6 036	2 788	372	1 850	566	-
10 to 24 . . . . .	13 689	12 176	1 716	210	1 142	364	7
25 and over . . . . .	8 215	8 091	120	15	80	25	19
Milk cows . . . . . farms . . . . .	13 049	11 394	1 897	258	1 187	452	16
number . . . . .	227 048	221 616	5 307	915	3 039	1 353	1 040
Farms with—							
1 or 2 . . . . .	2 927	1 901	1 138	114	788	236	2
3 or 4 . . . . .	968	650	371	53	195	123	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	2 080	1 796	373	89	194	90	-
10 and over . . . . .	7 074	7 047	15	2	10	3	14
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms . . . . .	34 899	30 771	4 666	567	3 399	700	29
number . . . . .	4 440 389	4 359 659	79 585	9 846	58 304	11 435	10 991
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	1 840	862	1 103	125	820	158	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	2 334	1 465	978	110	703	165	1
10 to 24 . . . . .	5 019	3 742	1 469	193	1 052	224	1
25 and over . . . . .	25 706	24 702	1 116	139	824	153	27
Litters of pigs farrowed, December 1 of preceding year and November 30 . . . . . farms . . . . .	29 207	26 043	3 602	460	2 545	597	22
number of litters . . . . .	797 323	780 301	16 907	2 189	12 186	2 532	2 304
Farms by number of litters farrowed:							
1 litter . . . . .	955	474	539	58	404	77	-
2 to 4 litters . . . . .	4 053	2 606	1 671	225	1 130	316	1
5 to 9 litters . . . . .	4 565	3 727	951	115	680	156	2
10 to 19 litters . . . . .	6 728	6 349	439	62	329	48	2
20 litters and over . . . . .	12 906	12 887	2	-	2	-	17
Sheep and lambs . . . . . farms . . . . .	9 818	7 073	3 077	336	2 073	668	4
number . . . . .	283 037	224 097	64 908	6 600	42 653	15 655	632
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	184	103	95	14	76	5	-
2 to 4 . . . . .	607	418	218	29	158	31	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	1 398	955	498	55	352	91	-
10 to 24 . . . . .	4 082	2 846	1 372	136	908	328	-
25 and over . . . . .	3 547	2 751	894	102	579	213	4
Horses and ponies . . . . . farms . . . . .	15 452	10 141	5 838	538	4 785	515	11
number . . . . .	62 410	45 314	18 844	1 803	15 390	1 651	55
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	4 681	3 023	1 813	156	1 487	170	1
2 to 4 . . . . .	6 837	4 313	2 775	257	2 284	234	6
5 to 9 . . . . .	2 670	1 797	964	93	785	86	2
10 to 24 . . . . .	1 077	821	286	32	229	25	2
25 and over . . . . .	187	187	-	-	-	-	-

All Farms

**Table 9. Summary of Selected Economic Class Groups: 1969-Continued**

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Chickens 3 months old or older . . . farms . . .	12 122	8 970	3 599	461	2 241	897	14
number . . .	14 940 111	14 750 924	178 095	25 585	99 376	53 134	36 677
Farms with—							
1 to 99 . . . . .	7 106	4 431	3 045	370	1 956	719	-
100 to 399 . . . . .	3 041	2 586	538	89	276	173	6
400 to 1,599 . . . . .	806	789	16	2	9	5	3
1,600 and over . . . . .	1 169	1 164	-	-	-	-	5
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	11 356	8 469	3 303	430	2 035	838	14
number . . .	11 328 738	11 162 992	157 359	24 181	85 252	47 926	32 568
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . . . farms . . .	343	264	84	6	66	12	1
number . . .	1 803 684	1 796 465	5 893	508	3 870	1 515	1 834
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	4 268	2 722	1 709	168	1 321	220	5
Livestock and poultry sold.							
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms . . .	49 271	39 646	10 827	1 241	7 292	2 294	39
number . . .	1 160 315	1 099 313	61 423	7 148	40 656	13 619	6 727
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms . . .	36 699	32 638	4 606	575	3 288	743	30
number . . .	7 207 719	7 085 363	119 594	15 103	86 259	18 232	17 865
Feeder pigs sold . . . . . farms . . .	7 680	6 143	1 736	203	1 244	289	4
number . . .	1 009 118	958 589	57 011	6 878	41 310	8 823	396
Sheep and lambs . . . . . farms . . .	9 329	6 798	2 818	291	1 879	648	4
number . . .	235 866	190 377	49 542	4 647	32 876	12 019	594
Horses and ponies . . . . . farms . . .	2 421	1 674	810	66	669	75	3
number . . .	8 569	6 910	1 822	168	1 508	146	5
Chickens 3 months old or older . . . . . farms . . .	4 645	4 184	511	61	286	164	11
number . . .	17 706 710	17 603 172	95 824	21 410	50 349	24 065	29 124
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	4 140	3 748	435	54	224	157	11
number . . .	8 685 657	8 595 270	75 662	10 899	41 488	23 275	25 624
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . . . farms . . .	454	395	62	7	51	4	4
number . . .	9 000 149	8 956 168	8 056	675	7 011	370	36 600
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	1 472	1 198	323	52	231	40	3
<b>Crops Harvested</b>							
Field corn for all purposes . . . . . farms . . .	63 225	55 411	8 986	1 209	6 153	1 624	37
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	2 284	845	1 606	167	1 104	335	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	10 200	6 114	4 700	615	3 214	871	1
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	8 956	7 448	1 788	281	1 210	297	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	14 478	13 811	790	127	550	113	4
50 acres and over . . . . .	27 307	27 193	102	19	75	8	31
For grain . . . . . farms . . .	62 652	54 960	8 856	1 201	6 053	1 602	37
acres . . .	4 377 162	4 278 927	106 725	15 791	73 241	17 693	7 301
bushels . . .	429 568 854	422 694 445	7 227 144	1 046 363	4 986 019	1 194 762	693 628
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	8 687	8 400	296	30	198	68	21
acres . . .	153 466	150 143	2 483	254	1 819	410	1 094
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup . . . . . farms . . .	790	681	125	20	88	17	4
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	188	142	53	8	39	6	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	325	283	50	8	34	8	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	147	137	13	4	9	-	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	75	64	9	-	6	3	2
50 acres and over . . . . .	55	55	-	-	-	-	-
For grain or seed . . . . . farms . . .	239	209	35	7	25	3	2
acres . . .	6 929	6 640	356	86	228	42	19
bushels . . .	478 808	463 997	16 428	3 027	10 911	2 490	1 410
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	573	492	92	13	65	14	2
acres . . .	6 860	6 139	711	65	498	148	75
Wheat for grain . . . . . farms . . .	39 138	34 519	5 317	717	3 344	1 256	19
acres . . .	830 299	786 255	49 994	6 894	31 484	11 616	944
bushels . . .	32 160 538	30 728 477	1 623 553	224 300	1 012 242	387 011	32 808
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	1 753	1 026	848	122	548	178	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	17 090	13 812	3 768	494	2 348	926	4
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	9 355	8 894	530	71	340	119	2
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	8 030	7 895	158	29	96	33	6
50 acres and over . . . . .	2 910	2 892	13	1	12	-	6
Other small grains for grain . . . . . farms . . .	21 023	18 843	2 480	319	1 548	613	19
acres . . .	324 123	304 663	21 592	2 826	13 312	5 454	694
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	2 080	1 574	583	79	371	133	2
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	10 528	9 134	1 587	196	985	406	3
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	5 033	4 820	240	32	151	57	5
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	2 819	2 759	66	11	39	16	5
50 acres and over . . . . .	563	556	4	1	2	1	4

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(Classes 1-6 provide data comparable to the grouping identified as "commercial farms" in earlier census publications. Table 27 provides information separately for class 1-5 farms. See text)

	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Soybeans for beans . . . . . farms . . . . .	53 482	43 377	11 471	1 382	7 916	2 173	16
acres . . . . .	3 075 155	2 912 369	183 244	22 436	126 344	34 464	1 978
bushels . . . . .	97 879 366	93 741 763	4 639 304	562 587	3 177 443	899 274	60 886
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	1 412	592	935	115	682	138	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	9 078	4 667	4 977	568	3 436	973	2
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	8 885	6 028	3 277	422	2 179	676	2
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	13 442	11 433	2 282	277	1 619	386	4
50 acres and over . . . . .	20 665	20 657	-	-	-	-	8
Hay excluding sorghum hay . . . . . farms . . . . .	39 703	31 181	9 528	1 034	6 411	2 083	28
acres . . . . .	833 792	730 479	112 812	13 210	73 229	26 373	3 711
tons . . . . .	1 902 572	1 726 591	187 888	21 142	124 102	42 644	9 235
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	2 599	1 330	1 440	171	988	281	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	15 769	10 955	5 325	513	3 658	1 154	2
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	10 483	8 779	1 932	232	1 274	426	4
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	7 938	7 269	769	105	463	201	5
50 acres and over . . . . .	2 914	2 848	62	13	28	21	17
Cotton . . . . . farms . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bales . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts . . . . . farms . . . . .	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
acres . . . . .	(2)	(2)	-	-	-	-	-
pounds . . . . .	120	120	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 274	3 315	2 297	339	1 541	417	1
acres . . . . .	5 437	4 248	1 408	229	930	249	10
pounds . . . . .	12 161 359	9 640 735	2 974 518	473 894	1 961 246	539 378	20 000
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.4 acre . . . . .	801	352	513	64	379	70	-
0.5 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	2 791	1 535	1 461	205	956	300	-
1.0 to 1.4 acres . . . . .	792	607	240	55	151	34	-
1.5 to 1.9 acres . . . . .	311	280	39	8	24	7	-
2.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	453	416	44	7	31	6	-
5 acres and over . . . . .	126	125	-	-	-	-	1
Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 390	1 023	434	79	241	114	12
acres . . . . .	6799 7-628	6484 7-313	175	30	80	65	170
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	1150 1-112	832 794	387	72	224	91	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	127	96	34	4	14	16	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	35 37	24 26	11	2	2	7	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	20 29	17 26	2	1	1	-	2
10 acres and over . . . . .	58 85	54 81	-	-	-	-	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 092	1 682	473	70	280	123	7
acres . . . . .	50 582	49 282	1 317	211	764	342	194
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	243	129	135	22	83	30	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	409	240	191	23	109	59	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	180	124	66	10	43	13	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	224	189	45	10	23	12	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	1 036	1 000	36	5	22	9	5
Berries for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	790	513	322	46	191	85	1
acres . . . . .	1 800	1 604	248	52	132	64	(2)
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	476	283	221	29	137	55	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	171	101	83	13	46	24	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	53	41	13	1	6	6	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	36	34	4	2	2	-	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	54	54	1	1	-	-	-
Land in orchards (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	918	466	481	42	310	129	13
acres . . . . .	10 627	9 320	1 131	79	748	304	255
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	198	79	139	20	84	35	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	324	115	223	14	150	59	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	93	39	56	2	35	19	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	83	52	34	6	18	10	3
10 acres and over . . . . .	220	181	29	-	23	6	10
Other crops . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 393	3 683	800	100	528	172	10
acres . . . . .	102 051	97 648	4 469	606	2 780	1 083	540
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	307	73	275	41	188	46	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	266	143	130	8	94	28	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	257	204	62	9	44	9	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	824	701	135	15	79	41	3
10 acres and over . . . . .	2 739	2 562	198	27	123	48	6
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection . . . . . farms . . . . .	274	239	42	7	25	10	-
sq.ft. . . . .	12 355 671	12 342 015	16 884	3 228	9 438	4 218	-

Note: Data partially based on a sample, see appendix A.