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Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969 and 1964

	Number		Acres in farms, 1969	1969					
				Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land		
	1969	1964		Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of harvested cropland	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of irrigated land
Class 1-5 farms	1 278	1 382	195 743	1 167	193 084	126 140	35	8 917	2 222
Farms with—									
1 to 9 acres	72	88	226	10	51	27	2	11	2
10 to 49 acres	106	133	3 086	75	2 427	1 389	5	74	20
50 to 69 acres	76	67	4 518	75	4 468	2 695	3	187	117
70 to 99 acres	267	275	22 042	257	21 236	13 214	-	-	-
100 to 139 acres	235	259	27 710	231	27 211	16 738	4	455	96
140 to 179 acres	178	191	28 029	175	27 559	17 757	6	925	299
180 to 219 acres	92	120	18 133	92	18 133	11 399	2	394	187
220 to 259 acres	67	75	15 802	67	15 802	10 780	1	226	53
260 to 499 acres	145	141	50 177	145	50 177	34 880	4	1 456	231
500 to 999 acres	39	30	24 935	39	24 935	16 981	8	5 189	1 217
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	3	1 085	1	1 085	280	-	-	-
2,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 11. Irrigation and Artificial Drainage: 1969

	1969		1969
Class 1-5 farms with some irrigation in the last 5 years	43	Irrigated land—Continued	
Proportion of all class 1-5 farms	3.3	Cropland	35
Land in farms	10 487	acres	2 218
Cropland	8 651	Harvested	34
acres		acres	2 212
Harvested cropland		Used only for pasture	1
acres		acres	6
Irrigated land		Pasture, other than cropland pasture	1
acres		acres	4
Average per farm		Water used	850
acres		acre-feet	
Class 1-5 farms irrigated in 1969	35	Class 1-5 farms with artificial drainage	635
Proportion of all class 1-5 farms	2.7	Proportion of class 1-5 farms	49.6
Land in farms	8 917	Land in farms	108 025
Average per farm	254.7	Average per farm	170.1
acres		Drained land	62 861
acres		Average per farm	98.9
acres		acres	
Harvested cropland	6 242	Class 1-5 farms reporting both irrigation and drainage in 1969	12
acres		Land in farms	4 623
Irrigated land	2 222		
acres			
Average per farm	63.4		
acres			

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Table 12. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1969 and 1964

	1969		1964			1969		1964	
	All farms	Negro operated farms	All farms	Negro operated farms		All farms	Negro operated farms	All farms	
Farms and land in farms operated by—					Corporation, including family owned	13	-	(NA)	(NA)
Class 1-5 farm operators	1 278	-	1 382	-	acres	2 582	-	(NA)	(NA)
acres	195 743	-	200 777	-	10 or fewer shareholders	11	-	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland	126 140	-	135 920	-	acres	1 657	-	(NA)	(NA)
acres					More than 10 shareholders	2	-	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners	737	-	751	-	acres	925	-	(NA)	(NA)
acres	74 485	-	(NA)	-	Other	9	-	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland	635	-	(NA)	-	acres	1 552	-	(NA)	(NA)
acres	42 641	-	(NA)	-					
Part owners	377	-	412	-	Farm operators by age groups:				
acres	92 718	-	(NA)	-	Under 25 years	32	-	32	-
Harvested cropland	376	-	(NA)	-	25 to 34 years	214	-	211	-
acres	64 085	-	(NA)	-	35 to 44 years	279	-	352	-
Tenants	164	-	209	-	45 to 54 years	361	-	366	-
acres	28 540	-	(NA)	-	55 to 64 years	263	-	261	-
Harvested cropland	156	-	(NA)	-	65 years and over	129	-	160	-
acres	19 414	-	(NA)	-	Average age	47.3	0.0	(NA)	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	12.8	0.0	15.1	-	Farm operators by place of residence:				
					On farm operated	1 077	-	1 307	-
Farms by type of organization.					Not on farm operated	99	-	52	-
Individual or family	1 080	-	(NA)	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	777	-	822	-
acres	157 867	-	(NA)	-	1 to 49 days	157	-	195	-
Partnership	176	-	(NA)	-	50 to 99 days	74	-	85	-
acres	33 742	-	(NA)	-	100 to 199 days	101	-	130	-
					200 days and over	445	-	412	-

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Table 13. Farm Income and Sales: 1969 and 1964

	1969	1964		1969	1964
Number of class 1-5 farms by economic class:			Number of class 1-5 farms by value of agricultural products sold:		
Class 1—Sales of \$40,000 and over	174	99	\$1 to \$2,499 (see text)	9	(X)
Class 2— " \$20,000 to \$39,999	256	210	\$2,500 to \$4,999	297	328
Class 3— " \$10,000 to \$19,999	300	341	\$5,000 to \$7,499	131	236
Class 4— " \$5,000 to \$9,999	242	404	\$7,500 to \$9,999	111	168
Class 5— " \$2,500 to \$4,999	306	328	\$10,000 to \$14,999	190	214
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)			\$15,000 to \$19,999	110	127
farms	1 278	1 382	\$20,000 to \$29,999	170	158
dollars	28 471 057	24 214 583	\$30,000 to \$39,999	86	52
Average per farm	22 277	17 521	\$40,000 to \$59,999	90	52
			\$60,000 and over	84	47
			\$60,000 to \$79,999	38	(NA)
			\$80,000 and over	46	(NA)

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Table 18. Livestock Other Than Cattle: 1969 and 1964

	1969				1964			
	Inventory		Sales		Inventory		Sales	
	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number
Hogs and pigs	497	46 708	531	76 239	627	40 273	663	73 806
Farms with-								
1 to 24	132	1 617	70	963	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 49	102	3 751	106	3 966	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99	121	8 612	124	8 713	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 and over	142	32 728	231	62 597	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	89	12 337	113	15 520	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 and over	53	20 391	118	47 077	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Used or to be used for breeding	336	5 891	(X)	(X)	417	5 418	(X)	(X)
Other hogs and pigs	468	40 817	(X)	(X)	596	34 855	(X)	(X)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	133	17 893	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Litters of pigs farrowed between-								
December 1 of preceding year and December 30	355	7 674	(X)	(X)	465	8 557	(X)	(X)
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	322	3 751	(X)	(X)	417	4 264	(X)	(X)
June 1 and November 30	317	3 923	(X)	(X)	416	4 293	(X)	(X)
Sheep and lambs	115	3 650	106	3 275	146	4 309	135	3 878
Any goats	15	75	4	61	-	-	3	10
All other livestock	338	(X)	128	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 19. Agricultural Chemicals Used: 1969

	1969			1969	
	farms	dollars		farms	dollars
Total	1 109	1 657 566	Nematodes in crops	9	346
Commercial fertilizer	1 013	90 205	Diseases in crops and orchards	21	1 960
Lime	219	5 462	Weeds or grass in crops	634	55 609
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control-			Weeds or brush in pasture	30	226 206
Insects on hay crops	118	61 378	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	9	388
Insects on other crops	823	10 041	Insect control on livestock and poultry	241	16 456

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Table 20. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops: 1969

	Farms reporting	Acres	Commercial fertilizer used							
			Irrigated land		Total		Dry		Liquid	
			Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Tons	Farms reporting	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	727	17 033	1	6	89	1 514	78	177	20	37
Improved pasture	115	1 819	1	4	12	194	10	25	3	2
Field corn for all purposes	1 012	60 863	19	1 890	815	52 643	745	6 438	385	3 817
Sorghums for all purposes	20	271	-	-	15	202	14	37	2	16
All small grains	799	18 363	1	53	642	15 322	608	1 792	117	273
Field crops other than corn, sorghums, small grains, silage, and field seeds	608	28 184	6	112	351	16 177	305	1 082	61	391
Hay or grass silage	737	18 455	-	-	133	3 376	124	418	15	65
Field seeds	29	403	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	30	267	5	57	23	238	23	64	8	56
Berries for sale	19	40	4	14	5	14	4	4	1	1
Land in orchards (see text)	14	361	1	40	8	341	7	21	1	20
Nursery or greenhouse products	17	356	8	87	13	88	10	31	4	2
All other crops	3	120	-	-	2	90	2	18	-	-

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Table 21. Corn, Sorghums, Hay, Field Seeds, and Strawberries: 1969 and 1964

	1969						1964					
	Crops harvested			Irrigated land			Crops harvested			Irrigated land		
	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity
Field corn for all purposes:												
For grain (bushels)	1 002	53 940	4 483 888	18	1 840	1 172	54 096	3 416 390				
For silage (tons, green weight)	389	6 662	99 360	3	50	443	5 380	74 626				
Cut for green or dry fodder, hogged or grazed	23	261	(X)	-	-	(NA)	230	(NA)				
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup:												
For grain or seed (bushels)	5	131	10 178	-	-	1	10	400				
For silage (tons, green weight)	5	68	470	-	-	13	50	545				
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry weight)	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)				
Hogged or grazed	10	72	(X)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)				
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating (tons, dry)	580	12 824	41 282	-	-	721	16 026	43 894				
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay (tons, dry)	265	3 999	8 565	-	-	420	6 389	11 522				
Small grain hay (tons, dry)	5	57	178	-	-	6	30	39				
Other hay (tons, dry)	15	150	324	-	-	(NA)	239	385				
Grass silage (tons, green)	45	1 076	7 579	-	-	66	1 285	9 462				
Hay crops cut and fed green (tons, green)	22	349	3 628	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)				
Red clover seed (pounds)	27	392	39 532	-	-	58	747	53 172				
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	2	11	605	-	-	-	-	-				
Strawberries (pounds)	16	17	25 961	4	14	18	30	67 185				

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Table 22. Small Grains, Soybeans, Peanuts, Potatoes, Tobacco, Cotton: 1969 and 1964

	1969								1964			
	Crops harvested			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			Crops harvested			
	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity	Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Acres	Dry, tons	Liquid, tons	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity
Wheat (bushels)	679	12 627	460 419	1	43	568	10 912	1 282	250	972	20 990	707 194
Winter wheat (bushels)	678	12 613	459 999	1	43	567	10 898	1 280	250	-	-	-
Oats for grain (bushels)	411	5 283	306 884	1	10	317	4 140	472	22	637	8 982	454 582
Barley for grain (bushels)	11	107	5 850	-	-	8	81	9	1	26	213	7 637
Rye for grain (bushels)	20	199	5 751	-	-	10	86	11	-	28	310	5 583
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	584	27 149	690 465	4	77	329	15 170	946	336	636	19 736	452 229
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	21	12	1 823	2	3	8	8	3	-	116	16	2 052
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 23. Vegetables: 1969 and 1964

	1969				1964	
	Vegetables harvested		Irrigated land		Vegetables harvested	
	Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Acres
Total, all vegetables	30	267	5	57	28	192
Selected vegetables:						
Tomatoes	8	74	2	22	9	42
Sweet corn	21	64	3	10	17	48
Cucumbers and pickles	3	27	2	1	7	13
Watermelons	6	7	1	1	6	10
Snap beans, bush, pole	3	42	1	(2)	6	2

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Table 24. Tree Fruits and Grapes: 1969 and 1964

	Farms reporting	Acres in trees or vines of all ages	Trees or vines								
			Of all ages	Not of bearing age		Of bearing age		Harvested			
				Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number		Farms reporting	Quantity	
											(X)
Land in orchards (see text)	1969	14	361	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
	1964	43	504	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Apples (pounds)	1969	12	304	15 426	6	3 133	12	12 293	12	5 204	116
	1964	40	(NA)	14 585	15	3 780	38	10 805	29	4 554	687
Peaches, all (pounds)	1969	4	32	2 948	2	975	4	1 973	3	99	620
	1964	18	(NA)	3 330	6	434	17	2 896	10	171	744
Clingstone (pounds)	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Freestone (pounds)	1969	4	32	2 948	2	975	4	1 973	3	99	620
Pears, all (pounds)	1969	4	5	232	2	16	4	216	4	35	800
	1964	26	(NA)	312	11	24	24	288	20	50	350
Bartlett (pounds)	1969	4	4	182	2	16	4	166	4	29	800
Other than Bartlett (pounds)	1969	1	1	50	-	-	1	50	1	6	000
Cherries, all (pounds)	1969	4	12	585	2	80	4	505	4	53	356
	1964	24	(NA)	518	10	28	20	490	15	51	384
Tart (pounds)	1969	4	9	519	2	78	4	441	4	26	356
Sweet (pounds)	1969	3	3	66	1	2	3	64	3	27	000
Plums and prunes, all (pounds)	1969	2	3	78	-	-	2	78	1	20	000
	1964	14	(NA)	489	4	8	13	481	8	71	120
Plums (pounds, fresh)	1969	2	3	78	-	-	2	78	1	20	000
Prunes (pounds, fresh)	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grapes, total (pounds)	1969	2	2	756	1	75	2	681	2	5	680
	1964	18	(NA)	1 118	9	84	16	1 034	17	13	973

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Table 25. Nursery and Greenhouse Products: 1969 and 1964

	1969				1964			
	Farms reporting	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in open	Sales, dollars	Farms reporting	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in open	Sales, dollars
Nursery products	6	(X)	318	406 540	11	(X)	307	271 503
Sod	1	(X)	30	(D)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Bulbs	-	(X)	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cut flowers, florist greens, and potted, bedding, or other florist plants	10	286 244	-	860 142	13	277 590	27	659 690
Flower seeds, vegetable seeds, and vegetable plants	3	3 195	-	14 218	6	62 292	114	177 973
Mushrooms	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vegetables grown under glass or other protection:								
Tomatoes	1	54 000	(X)	(D)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cucumbers	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Lettuce	1	10 500	(X)	(D)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other vegetables	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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Table 26. Forest Products: 1969 and 1964

	1969		1964	
	Farms reporting	Sales, dollars	Farms reporting	Sales, dollars
Standing timber or trees	26	37 711	40	36 735
Firewood and fuelwood	4	526	(NA)	(NA)
Sawlogs and veneer logs	15	12 239	(NA)	(NA)
Pulpwood	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Other forest products	9	9 846	(NA)	(NA)