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Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1969 and 1964

	1969	1964		1969	1964
All farms number	1 194	1 234	Number of farms by acres harvested:		
Land in farms acres	323 174	322 715	50 to 99 acres	148	138
Average size of farm acres	270.6	261.5	100 to 199 acres	265	278
Approximate land area acres	359 680	359 045	200 to 499 acres	347	393
Proportion in farms percent	89.9	89.8	500 to 999 acres	57	46
Value of land and buildings dollars	135 740 300	(NA)	1,000 acres and over	4	4
Average per farm dollars	113 685	90 100	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	404	394
Average per acre dollars	420.02	340.14	acres	15 357	10 315
Land in Farms According to Use			All other cropland (see text) farms	806	(NA)
Total cropland farms	1 135	1 186	acres	55 758	43 061
Harvested cropland farms	271 055	263 571	Woodland including woodland pasture farms	582	645
acres	1 082	1 146	acres	27 770	29 699
Number of farms by acres harvested:	199 940	210 195	All other land (see text) farms	967	(NA)
1 to 9 acres	77	83	acres	24 349	29 464
10 to 19 acres	64	65	Irrigated land farms	16	24
20 to 29 acres	49	55	acres	5 594	3 601
30 to 49 acres	71	84			

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Table 2. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969 and 1964

	1969						1964					
	Number	Acres in farms	Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land			Number	Acres in farms	Farms with harvested cropland	
			Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of harvested cropland	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of irrigated land			Number	Acres of harvested cropland
All farms	1 194	323 174	1 082	319 077	199 940	16	13 715	5 594	1 234	322 715	1 146	210 195
Farms with—												
1 to 9 acres	47	130	8	39	23	—	—	—	56	264	28	87
10 to 49 acres	183	4 807	136	3 594	1 664	2	62	22	188	4 930	137	1 958
50 to 99 acres	56	3 309	43	2 591	1 338	—	—	—	50	2 964	45	1 423
100 to 139 acres	82	6 735	79	6 490	3 450	2	175	17	84	6 933	83	3 697
140 to 179 acres	87	10 354	81	9 654	5 336	1	120	30	79	9 255	76	5 156
180 to 219 acres	95	14 942	94	14 772	9 598	1	160	80	105	16 597	105	11 115
220 to 259 acres	68	13 504	67	13 304	8 670	—	—	—	79	15 736	79	10 592
260 to 299 acres	85	20 247	85	20 247	13 293	—	—	—	84	19 902	84	13 967
300 to 399 acres	322	116 239	320	115 479	74 692	2	762	181	356	127 275	356	87 568
400 to 499 acres	141	90 307	141	90 307	57 674	5	3 714	1 210	130	85 631	130	54 130
500 to 999 acres	25	32 381	25	32 381	18 297	2	(D)	(D)	22	(D)	22	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	10 219	3	10 219	5 905	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
2,000 acres and over												

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Table 3. Farm Operators--Tenure and Characteristics: 1969 and 1964

	1969	1964		1969	1964
Farms and land in farms operated by—			Farm operators by age groups:		
All farm operators farms	1 194	1 234	Under 25 years	35	38
acres	323 174	322 715	25 to 34 years	163	160
Harvested cropland farms	1 082	1 146	35 to 44 years	287	307
acres	199 940	210 195	45 to 54 years	343	334
Full owners farms	572	533	55 to 64 years	270	258
acres	88 901	72 335	65 years and over	96	137
Harvested cropland farms	481	456	Average age	47.6	48.1
acres	48 689	42 185	Farm operators by place of residence:		
Part owners farms	355	358	On farm operated	922	1 133
acres	151 969	141 825	Not on farm operated	179	(NA)
Harvested cropland farms	350	358	Farm operators reporting days of work		
acres	96 419	91 274	off farm	664	598
Tenants farms	267	340	1 to 49 days	163	251
acres	82 304	101 505	50 to 99 days	71	
Harvested cropland farms	251	329	100 to 199 days	105	347
acres	54 832	71 431	200 days and over	325	
Percent of tenancy	22.3	27.6			

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Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1969 and 1964

	1969	1964		1969	1964
Number of farms by economic classes:			Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) dollars	37 439 078	24 431 500
Class 1--Sales of \$40,000 and over	202	114	Average per farm dollars	31 356	19 799
Class 2-- " \$20,000 to \$39,999	283	244	Crops including nursery products and hay farms	1 045	(NA)
Class 3-- " \$10,000 to \$19,999	221	310	dollars	18 064 137	14 613 214
Class 4-- " \$5,000 to \$9,999	137	169	Forest products farms	16	24
Class 5-- " \$2,500 to \$4,999	109	98	dollars	6 339	23 488
Class 6 (see text)	34	59	Livestock, poultry, and their products farms	744	(NA)
Part time (see text)	179	173	dollars	19 368 602	9 794 551
Part retirement (see text)	28	66			
Abnormal (see text)	1	1			

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Table 7. Livestock and Poultry: 1969 and 1964-Continued

	1969				1964			
	Inventory		Sales		Inventory		Sales	
	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number
Sheep and lambs	107	2 445	115	2 246	171	3 102	154	2 548
Horses and ponies	157	588	24	70	(NA)	(NA)	7	37
Chickens 3 months old or older	100	314 785	46	244 924	250	195 915	(NA)	123 255
Farms with-								
1 to 99	57	1 727	11	321	155	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 399	13	2 283	5	1 108	48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
400 to 1,599	4	2 810	4	2 671	25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,600 and over	26	307 965	26	240 824	22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets	92	280 035	41	239 431	237	188 825	(NA)	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old (see text)	2	200	4	194 678	(NA)	(NA)	6	685 205
Other livestock and poultry	43	(X)	19	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 8. Crops Harvested: 1969 and 1964

	1969		1964			1969		1964	
	farms	acres	farms	acres		farms	acres	farms	acres
Field corn for all purposes	892	993	993	989	Hay, excluding sorghum hay	229	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
For grain	886	989	989	989	acres	3 766	5 441	5 441	5 441
bushels	110 791	106 415	106 415	8 258 750	tons	11 466	11 764	11 764	11 764
bushels	11 277 364	8 258 750	8 258 750	8 258 750	Cotton	-	-	-	-
bushels	11 277 364	8 258 750	8 258 750	8 258 750	acres	-	-	-	-
bushels	11 277 364	8 258 750	8 258 750	8 258 750	bales	-	-	-	-
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	109	(NA)	(NA)	4 597	Peanuts for nuts	-	-	-	-
acres	3 162	4 597	4 597	4 597	acres	-	-	-	-
acres	3 162	4 597	4 597	4 597	pounds	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup	11	11	11	11	Tobacco	-	-	-	-
farms	6	-	-	-	acres	-	-	-	-
farms	447	-	-	-	pounds	-	-	-	-
acres	38 295	-	-	-	pounds	-	-	-	-
bushels	38 295	-	-	-	Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
bushels	38 295	-	-	-	acres	974	1 891	1 891	1 891
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed	6	(NA)	(NA)	95	Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	76	98	98	98
farms	92	95	95	95	acres	1 311	1 263	1 263	1 263
acres	92	95	95	95	acres	27	28	28	28
Wheat for grain	274	575	575	16 548	acres	175	119	119	119
acres	6 336	16 548	16 548	16 548	Land in orchards (see text)	2	12	12	12
bushels	267 331	558 185	558 185	558 185	acres	18	20	20	20
bushels	267 331	558 185	558 185	558 185	Other crops	38	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other small grains for grain	191	(NA)	(NA)	4 288	acres	3 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
farms	2 989	4 288	4 288	4 288	Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	2 989	4 288	4 288	4 288	farms	1 504	15 000	15 000	15 000
acres	2 989	4 288	4 288	4 288	sq. ft.	1 504	15 000	15 000	15 000
Soybeans for beans	841	931	931	1 641 150					
acres	77 875	68 794	68 794	1 641 150					
bushels	2 585 754	1 641 150	1 641 150	1 641 150					
bushels	2 585 754	1 641 150	1 641 150	1 641 150					

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over (Economic Classes 1-5)

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	1969		1964			1969		1964	
	farms	acres	farms	acres		farms	acres	farms	acres
Class 1-5 farms	952	935	935	935	Total woodland	474	503	503	503
Land in farms	311 794	307 046	307 046	307 046	acres	25 472	26 922	26 922	26 922
Average size of farm	327.5	328.3	328.3	328.3	Woodland pastured	267	283	283	283
Value of land and buildings	130 089 884	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	11 279	12 363	12 363	12 363
Average per farm	136 649	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Woodland not pastured	285	320	320	320
Average per acre	417.23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	14 193	14 559	14 559	14 559
Land in Farms According to Use					Pastureland and rangeland (other than cropland and woodland pasture)	162	270	270	270
Total cropland	933	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	7 768	9 897	9 897	9 897
acres	263 845	253 481	253 481	253 481	Improved pastureland and rangeland	60	117	117	117
Harvested cropland	912	915	915	915	acres	2 746	4 042	4 042	4 042
acres	196 604	204 148	204 148	204 148	Pastureland and rangeland not improved	116	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Number of farms by acres harvested:					acres	5 022	5 855	5 855	5 855
1 to 49 acres	95	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	All other land (see text)	737	908	908	908
50 to 99 acres	145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	14 709	16 753	16 753	16 753
100 to 199 acres	265	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Irrigated land	16	22	22	22
200 to 499 acres	347	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	5 594	3 597	3 597	3 597
500 to 999 acres	56	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Total pastureland (all types)	564	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	33 484	31 846	31 846	31 846
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Conservation Practices				
2,000 acres and over	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Grain or row crops farmed on the contour	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	347	339	339	339	acres	212	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	14 437	9 586	9 586	9 586	Stripcropping systems to control erosion	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	357	580	580	580	acres	40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	25 401	34 310	34 310	34 310	Cropland and pastureland having terraces	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed	9	40	40	40	acres	80	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	668	679	679	679					
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	22	-	-	-					
acres	1 574	-	-	-					
Cropland idle	359	131	131	131					
acres	25 161	4 758	4 758	4 758					

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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	427	84 074	444	141 939	475	65 099	501	113 811
Farms with—								
1 to 24	62	847	29	370	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 49	50	1 696	52	1 822	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
60 to 99	93	6 478	68	5 142	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 and over	222	75 053	295	134 605	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	95	13 602	103	14 343	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 and over	127	61 451	192	120 262	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Used or to be used for breeding	292	11 931	(X)	(X)	329	7 993	(X)	(X)
Other hogs and pigs	395	72 143	(X)	(X)	453	57 106	(X)	(X)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	78	27 846	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	305	13 266	(X)	(X)	381	11 529	(X)	(X)
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	271	6 406	(X)	(X)	314	5 469	(X)	(X)
June 1 and November 30	266	6 860	(X)	(X)	327	6 060	(X)	(X)
Sheep and lambs	80	2 089	90	1 940	133	2 565	123	2 139
Any goats	2	4	1	2	-	-	1	2
All other livestock	144	(X)	28	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 19. Agricultural Chemicals Used: 1969

	1969	1969
Total	farms.. 893 dollars.. 3 627 597	farms.. 4 acres on which used 605 dollars.. 3 971
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 850 acres on which used.. 159 158 tons.. 33 660 dollars.. 2 745 252	farms.. 13 acres on which used.. 4 170 dollars.. 41 482
Lime	farms.. 184 acres on which used.. 12 463 tons.. 25 357 dollars.. 102 017	farms.. 650 acres on which used.. 124 018 dollars.. 574 619
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops	farms.. 8 acres on which used.. 122 dollars.. 427	farms.. 28 acres on which used.. 428 dollars.. 829
Insects on other crops	farms.. 241 acres on which used.. 36 414 dollars.. 134 879	farms.. 11 acres on which used.. 1 804 dollars.. 9 854
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms.. 11 acres on which used.. 1 804 dollars.. 9 854	farms.. 152 acres on which used.. 11 783 dollars.. 11 783
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms.. 152 dollars.. 11 783	

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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	347	14 437	-	-	84	2 475	75	341	10	58
Improved pasture	60	2 746	-	-	15	494	15	52	1	2
Field corn for all purposes	843	103 127	9	1 366	733	92 028	688	14 940	527	10 251
Sorghums for all purposes	9	537	-	-	6	473	6	99	1	(2)
All small grains	362	8 914	-	-	311	7 788	304	1 169	57	146
Field crops other than corn, sorghums, small grains, silage, and field seeds	745	80 233	7	3 708	486	53 343	446	4 320	58	1 350
Hay or grass silage	218	3 664	-	-	55	1 075	55	157	1	7
Field seeds	5	68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	57	1 263	4	367	52	1 216	49	528	14	201
Berries for sale	19	173	2	13	14	134	14	30	-	-
Land in orchards (see text)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery or greenhouse products	3	19	-	-	2	17	2	3	-	-
All other crops	1	110	-	-	1	110	1	6	-	-

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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)	838	99 969	11 196 398	9	1 349	873	104 169	8 165 158	9	1 349	873	104 169
For silage (tons, green weight)	99	2 893	50 474	2	17	165	3 962	56 248	2	17	165	3 962
Cut for green or dry fodder, hogged or grazed	14	265	(X)	-	-	(NA)	576	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	576
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup:												
For grain or seed (bushels)	4	445	38 283	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
For silage (tons, green weight)	4	44	770	-	-	3	29	415	-	-	-	-
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry weight)	1	38	380	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Hogged or grazed	1	10	(X)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating (tons, dry)	108	1 695	6 288	-	-	158	2 606	6 951	-	-	-	-
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay (tons, dry)	114	1 518	3 220	-	-	152	2 172	3 253	-	-	-	-
Small grain hay (tons, dry)	4	69	122	-	-	9	76	90	-	-	-	-
Other hay (tons, dry)	5	96	104	-	-	(NA)	157	350	-	-	-	-
Grass silage (tons, green)	5	236	3 675	-	-	5	105	588	-	-	-	-
Hay crops cut and fed green (tons, green)	4	50	315	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Red clover seed (pounds)	4	28	2 480	-	-	5	64	3 940	-	-	-	-
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	300	-	-	-	-
Strawberries (pounds)	2	3	6 300	-	-	6	9	16 817	-	-	-	-

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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		Liquid, tons	Crops harvested			
	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity	Farms reporting	Acres	Farms reporting	Acres		Dry, tons	Farms reporting	Acres	Quantity
Wheat (bushels)	266	6 166	259 288	-	-	240	5 608	903	141	553	16 188	548 338
Winter wheat (bushels)	266	6 166	259 288	-	-	240	5 608	903	141	-	-	-
Oats for grain (bushels)	156	2 385	147 556	-	-	121	1 925	237	5	217	3 442	182 123
Barley for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	15	250
Rye for grain (bushels)	29	363	8 901	-	-	18	255	30	-	68	648	14 121
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	735	76 018	2 537 392	4	360	476	49 261	3 894	481	817	66 145	1 601 568
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	973	277 588	3	871	8	973	108	430	13	1 884	562 219
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	57	1 263	4	367	59	1 125
Selected vegetables:						
Tomatoes	12	30	-	-	15	38
Sweet corn	18	155	-	-	15	54
Cucumbers and pickles	6	12	1	1	7	13
Watermelons	7	16	-	-	12	16
Snap beans, bush, pole	3	7	-	-	5	7

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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						Harvested	Quantity
			Of all ages	Not of bearing age		Of bearing age		Farms reporting		
				Farms reporting	Number	Farms reporting	Number			
Land in orchards (see text)			(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
1969	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
1964	5	12	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Apples (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	44	1	4	2	40	2	680	
1964	3	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Peaches, all (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	5	1	4	1	1	1	144	
1964	2	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clingstone (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Freestone (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pears, all (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	35	1	4	2	31	2	5 300	
1964	3	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Bartlett (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other than Bartlett (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cherries, all (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	65	3	12	3	53	2	70	
1964	3	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tart (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sweet (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Plums and prunes, all (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	50	2	26	1	24	-	-	
1964	2	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Plums (pounds, fresh)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Prunes (pounds, fresh)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Grapes, total (pounds)										
1969	-	(NA)	54	2	39	1	15	1	96	
1964	2	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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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	1	(X)	3	2 500	2	(X)	2	4 500
Sod	-	(X)	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Bulbs	1	(X)	15	4 000	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cut flowers, florist greens, and potted, bedding, or other florist plants	1	-	2	6 000	3	10 000	-	6 200
Flower seeds, vegetable seeds, and vegetable plants	1	1 500	-	1 500	1	2 000	31	(D)
Mushrooms	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vegetables grown under glass or other protection:								
Tomatoes	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cucumbers	-	-	(X)	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Lettuce	-	-	(X)	-	(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	2	1 000	5	2 960
Firewood and fuelwood	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Sawlogs and veneer logs	1	64	(NA)	(NA)
Pulpwood	3	440	(NA)	(NA)
Other forest products	9	4 815	(NA)	(NA)