

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 . . .	125 069	133 038	150 986	1 753	2 483	3 271
acres . . .	15 968 243	16 265 180	17 030 675	114 313	123 432	148 811
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	106 561	123 100	136 803	1 466	2 365	(NA)
acres . . .	3 128 222	3 473 047	4 012 962	23 868	32 263	46 796
Full owners . . . farms . . .	96 160	84 627	97 668	1 341	1 198	1 505
acres . . .	11 148 173	9 759 084	10 425 085	82 105	63 728	72 610
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	78 924	75 599	85 460	1 079	1 097	(NA)
acres . . .	1 706 016	1 645 209	1 979 494	14 374	12 591	15 875
Part owners . . . farms . . .	17 281	25 436	27 061	244	520	650
acres . . .	3 552 655	4 163 572	3 880 453	24 176	35 007	42 885
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	16 685	25 139	26 655	232	515	(NA)
acres . . .	1 041 876	1 188 492	1 227 583	7 361	11 825	16 200
Tenants . . . farms . . .	11 628	22 562	25 927	168	759	1 116
acres . . .	1 267 415	2 026 925	2 474 094	8 032	22 830	33 316
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	10 952	21 969	24 372	155	748	(NA)
acres . . .	380 330	571 315	741 024	2 133	7 612	14 721
Percent of tenancy . . .	9.2	17.0	17.2	9.5	30.6	34.1
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years . . .	2 843	3 532	3 451	7	54	65
25 to 34 years . . .	13 140	13 048	15 275	94	163	310
35 to 44 years . . .	22 001	24 900	30 040	254	362	561
45 to 54 years . . .	30 734	33 737	37 909	380	594	755
55 to 64 years . . .	31 543	30 850	32 392	477	596	655
65 years and over . . .	24 808	26 971	30 444	541	714	860
Average age . . .	52.0	51.9	51.0	57.0	(NA)	53.3
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated . . .	83 958	117 230	130 615	1 031	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated . . .	23 603	11 021	8 968	385	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm . . .	72 127	58 187	64 221	990	1 025	1 485
1 to 49 days . . .	13 418	19 916	23 610	220	445	705
50 to 99 days . . .	6 076	38 271	40 611	98	201	295
100 to 199 days . . .	11 097			182	379	485
200 days and over . . .	41 536			490		

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

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

	1969	1964	1959
Number of farms by economic classes:			
Class 1a-Sales of \$100,000 and over . . .	383	164	564
Class 1b- " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . .	1 869	829	
Class 2- " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . .	5 487	2 840	2 264
Class 3- " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . .	10 821	9 135	7 808
Class 4- " \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . .	19 113	19 496	18 420
Class 5- " \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . .	23 174	26 342	30 438
Class 6 (see text) . . .	16 460	27 212	27 157
Part time (see text) . . .	31 971	26 750	40 461
Part retirement (see text) . . .	15 761	20 228	23 768
Abnormal (see text) . . .	30	42	92
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) . . . dollars . . .	769 857 535	591 598 210	518 069 735
Average per farm . . . dollars . . .	6 155	4 447	3 431
Crops including nursery products and hay . . . farms . . .	104 533	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	343 204 403	308 773 466	249 232 103
Forest products . . . farms . . .	4 270	6 290	6 909
dollars . . .	4 046 385	3 436 445	3 475 515
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . farms . . .	82 590	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	422 606 747	278 914 416	265 362 117
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249 . . .	8 256	13 588	(NA)
\$250 to \$499 . . .	7 073	9 081	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 . . .	17 886	18 496	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499 . . .	12 684	13 765	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999 . . .	10 234	10 616	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499 . . .	8 734	8 651	(NA)
\$2,500 and over . . .	60 202	58 841	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from-			
Customwork and other agricultural services . . . farms . . .	8 824	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	11 491 618	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services . . . farms . . .	689	400	(NA)
dollars . . .	689 747	473 883	(NA)
Government farm programs . . . farms . . .	40 332	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	30 187 175	(NA)	(NA)

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