

Class 1-5 Farms

Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959		1969	1964	1959
Class 1-5 farms . . . . . number.	20 075	19 658	21 705	Total woodland . . . . . farms . . . . .	7 469	8 845	(NA)
Land in farms . . . . . acres.	8 187 638	7 479 460	7 425 066	acres . . . . .	1 439 542	1 823 978	2 040 439
Average size of farm . . . . . acres.	407.8	380.4	342.1	Woodland pastured . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 701	5 808	6 785
Value of land and buildings . . . . . dollars.	2 555 117 061	(NA)	(NA)	acres . . . . .	673 760	982 022	1 154 402
Average per farm . . . . . dollars.	127 278	(NA)	(NA)	Woodland not pastured . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 946	4 323	5 272
Average per acre . . . . . dollars.	312.07	(NA)	(NA)	acres . . . . .	765 782	841 956	886 037
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				Pastureland and rangeland (other than	4 734	8 042	8 080
Total cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	18 935	(NA)	(NA)	cropland and woodland pasture) . . . . .	1 252 265	1 307 957	1 224 163
acres . . . . .	5 087 635	3 961 578	3 806 771	Improved pastureland and	2 998	4 134	3 194
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	17 240	17 962	19 105	rangeland . . . . . farms . . . . .	603 053	576 242	369 488
acres . . . . .	3 271 310	2 361 351	1 961 753	acres . . . . .			
Number of farms by acres harvested.				Pastureland and rangeland	2 399	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 49 acres . . . . .	6 477	8 117	9 976	not improved . . . . . farms . . . . .	649 212	731 715	854 675
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	3 249	3 788	4 049	acres . . . . .			
100 to 199 acres . . . . .	2 822	2 842	2 698	All other land (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	11 023	17 263	(NA)
200 to 499 acres . . . . .	3 072	2 366	1 809	acres . . . . .	408 196	385 947	353 693
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	1 189	644	429	Irrigated land . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 789	3 876	3 738
1,000 acres and over . . . . .	431	205	144	acres . . . . .	689 321	572 013	476 926
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	341	(NA)	(NA)	Total pastureland (all types) . . . . . farms . . . . .	13 400	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres and over . . . . .	90	(NA)	(NA)	acres . . . . .	3 096 428	3 565 072	3 931 016
Cropland used only for pasture				<b>Conservation Practices</b>			
or grazing . . . . . farms . . . . .	9 577	7 712	10 051	Grain or row crops farmed on	349	754	872
acres . . . . .	1 170 403	1 275 093	1 552 451	the contour . . . . . farms . . . . .	58 749	50 521	51 873
Cropland in cover crops, legumes,				acres . . . . .			
and soil-improvement grasses, not	939	1 722	1 335	Stripcropping systems to	27	82	57
harvested and not pastured . . . . . farms . . . . .	49 290	92 467	98 896	control erosion . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 541	4 315	4 510
acres . . . . .				acres . . . . .			
Cropland on which all crops	1 283	778	(NA)	Cropland and pastureland having	594	(NA)	2 116
failed . . . . . farms . . . . .	148 369	21 778	(NA)	terraces . . . . . farms . . . . .	91 748	(NA)	217 251
acres . . . . .				acres . . . . .			
Cropland in cultivated summer	1 548	(NA)	(NA)				
fallow . . . . . farms . . . . .	173 218	(NA)	(NA)				
acres . . . . .	3 098	(NA)	(NA)				
Cropland idle . . . . . farms . . . . .	275 045	210 889	(NA)				
acres . . . . .							

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Table 11. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959	Acres in farms	1969					
					Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land		
					Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of harvested cropland	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres of irrigated land
Class 1-5 farms . . . . .	20 075	19 658	21 705	8 187 638	17 240	7 409 766	3 271 310	3 789	2 093 977	689 321
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	316	324	398	1 098	70	301	215	25	105	66
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	2 220	3 740	4 532	69 259	1 703	55 399	37 498	241	7 450	4 203
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	1 340	1 723	2 086	78 332	1 127	65 795	38 643	150	8 788	4 663
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	2 045	2 153	2 547	169 077	1 742	143 907	76 423	214	17 760	9 941
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	2 211	2 106	2 327	257 109	1 894	220 471	111 863	273	31 817	17 567
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	1 771	1 515	1 700	278 236	1 526	239 668	116 209	231	36 431	20 094
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	1 409	1 154	1 240	278 997	1 205	238 394	121 284	261	51 732	28 395
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	1 067	873	907	254 093	965	229 829	113 016	210	49 934	25 296
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	3 529	2 673	2 677	1 273 912	3 178	1 150 514	592 782	920	342 244	159 470
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	2 528	1 885	1 840	1 731 194	2 335	1 601 761	834 989	827	573 198	224 968
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	1 118	964	912	1 489 648	1 013	1 350 267	626 936	302	398 004	108 488
2,000 acres and over . . . . .	521	548	539	2 306 683	482	2 113 460	601 452	135	576 514	86 170

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Table 12. Farm Operators-Tenure and Characteristics: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969		All farms		1969		All farms		
	All farms	Negro operated farms	1964	1959	All farms	Negro operated farms	1964	1959	
	Farms and land in farms operated by—								
Class 1-5 farm operators . . . . . farms . . . . .	20 075	1 410	19 658	21 705	468	28	(NA)	(NA)	
acres . . . . .	8 187 638	189 466	7 479 460	7 425 066	809 708	4 903	(NA)	(NA)	
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	17 240	1 330	17 962	19 105	373	25	(NA)	(NA)	
acres . . . . .	3 271 310	96 206	2 361 351	1 961 753	482 553	4 609	(NA)	(NA)	
Full owners . . . . . farms . . . . .	8 064	445	6 749	8 324	95	3	(NA)	(NA)	
acres . . . . .	2 636 835	56 116	(NA)	(NA)	327 155	294	(NA)	(NA)	
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 143	386	(NA)	(NA)	200	18	(NA)	(NA)	
acres . . . . .	685 119	18 354	(NA)	(NA)	104 455	2 835	(NA)	(NA)	
Part owners . . . . . farms . . . . .	7 982	406	7 400	7 076	Farm operators by age groups:				
acres . . . . .	4 160 526	82 481	(NA)	(NA)	Under 25 years . . . . .	328	15	411	316
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	7 390	399	(NA)	(NA)	25 to 34 years . . . . .	2 280	134	2 080	2 208
acres . . . . .	1 805 209	44 423	(NA)	(NA)	35 to 44 years . . . . .	4 056	257	4 333	5 369
Tenants . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 029	559	5 299	5 957	45 to 54 years . . . . .	5 550	412	6 555	7 164
acres . . . . .	1 390 277	50 869	(NA)	(NA)	55 to 64 years . . . . .	5 657	455	4 664	4 667
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 707	545	(NA)	(NA)	65 years and over . . . . .	2 204	137	1 615	1 743
acres . . . . .	780 982	33 429	(NA)	(NA)	Average age . . . . .	49.9	50.9	(NA)	(NA)
Percent of tenancy . . . . .	20.0	39.6	26.9	27.4	Farm operators by place of residence:				
Farms by type of organization:					On farm operated . . . . .	14 071	991	17 031	18 643
Individual or family . . . . . farms . . . . .	16 948	1 233	(NA)	(NA)	Not on farm operated . . . . .	3 922	237	1 962	1 634
acres . . . . .	5 819 269	158 343	(NA)	(NA)	Farm operators reporting days of				
Partnership . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 459	131	(NA)	(NA)	work off farm . . . . .	7 886	472	6 194	7 667
acres . . . . .	1 454 206	23 385	(NA)	(NA)	1 to 49 days . . . . .	1 424	127	1 445	2 788
					50 to 99 days . . . . .	813	72	858	2 788
					100 to 199 days . . . . .	1 390	87	1 058	1 187
					200 days and over . . . . .	4 259	186	2 833	3 692