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Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959
Farm production expenses, total (see text) ... farms	72 257	80 145	89 951
dollars	1 759 084 632	(NA)	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $499	2 024	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 573	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	4 688	(NA)	(NA)
$2,000 to $2,999	4 164	(NA)	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	8 105	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	15 802	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	16 740	(NA)	(NA)
$20,000 and over	18 161	(NA)	(NA)
Items Purchased			
Livestock and poultry ... farms	43 079	54 903	62 828
dollars	707 413 296	372 005 475	290 166 243
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	3 887	29 058	39 095
$100 to $499	8 102		
$500 to $999	4 757		
$1,000 to $2,499	6 154	7 990	7 427
$2,500 to $4,999	4 981	5 668	5 461
$5,000 to $9,999	5 054	5 385	4 885
$10,000 and over	10 144	6 802	5 960
Feed for livestock and poultry ... farms	55 546	66 439	78 108
dollars	308 620 011	229 790 722	154 985 611
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	2 966	3 674	5 972
$100 to $499	11 578	28 663	39 622
$500 to $999	8 265		
$1,000 to $2,499	12 335	25 287	26 353
$2,500 to $4,999	9 036		
$5,000 to $9,999	6 181	5 338	6 161
$10,000 and over	5 185	3 477	
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	44 113	61 265	(NA)
tons	1 331 187	983 456	(NA)
dollars	118 194 949	87 942 793	(NA)
Number of farms that used–			
1 to 49 tons	38 610	57 697	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	3 381	2 283	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	1 409	846	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	536	290	(NA)
500 tons and over	177	85	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	3 084	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	11 755	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	7 103	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	10 546	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	6 473	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	3 389	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	1 764	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ... farms	58 434	68 348	60 231
dollars	30 412 211	18 367 101	13 825 612
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	8 508	16 302	17 419
$100 to $499	30 044	42 837	37 411
$500 to $999	12 393	7 410	4 284
$1,000 to $2,499	6 455	1 799	1 117
$2,500 to $4,999	883		
$5,000 to $9,999	124		
$10,000 and over	27		
Commercial fertilizer ... farms	51 806	52 961	40 360
dollars	74 976 787	46 007 450	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	3 664	6 793	(NA)
$100 to $499	14 558	17 226	(NA)
$500 to $999	11 485	13 068	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	13 902	15 350	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	5 672		(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	1 955	524	(NA)
$10,000 and over	570		(NA)
Lime ... farms	2 299	3 335	1 567
dollars	831 264	(NA)	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	593	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	1 277	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	274	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	132	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	19	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	2	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	2	(NA)	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ... farms	42 490	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	20 091 981	(NA)	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	12 592	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	17 354	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	7 378	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	4 280	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	718	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	137	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	31	(NA)	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business ... farms	71 235	77 684	88 644
dollars	77 025 073	70 934 646	63 548 824
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	4 105	3 629	7 405
$100 to $499	18 466	22 629	28 809
$500 to $999	20 550	26 178	31 495
$1,000 to $2,499	22 550	24 756	20 604
$2,500 to $4,999	4 621		
$5,000 to $9,999	796	492	331
$10,000 and over	147		
Hired farm labor ... farms	35 875	41 027	44 175
dollars	51 357 358	37 051 177	33 871 328
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	6 878	28 443	31 155
$100 to $499	14 153		
$500 to $999	5 527	4 784	4 890
$1,000 to $2,499	4 901	3 979	4 738
$2,500 to $4,999	2 340	2 441	2 240
$5,000 to $9,999	1 307	921	804
$10,000 and over	769	459	348
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork ... farms	49 171	52 990	54 866
dollars	39 942 821	23 226 270	20 402 725
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	5 784	39 359	43 126
$100 to $499	21 409		
$500 to $999	10 925	8 668	7 927
$1,000 to $2,499	8 163	4 746	3 624
$2,500 to $4,999	2 126		
$5,000 to $9,999	580	167	149
$10,000 and over	184	50	40
All other production expenses ... farms	69 184	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	448 413 830	(NA)	(NA)
Number of farms with expenditures of–			
$1 to $99	893	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	4 572	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	4 962	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	13 412	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	16 368	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	17 028	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	11 949	(NA)	(NA)

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

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Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1969, 1964, and 1959

Selected Machinery and Equipment	1969 Farms reporting	1969 Number	1969 Equipment manufactured– 1965 or later Farms reporting	1969 Equipment manufactured– 1965 or later Number	1969 Equipment manufactured– 1964 or earlier Farms reporting	1969 Equipment manufactured– 1964 or earlier Number	1964 Farms reporting	1964 Number	1959 Farms reporting	1959 Number
Automobiles	64 426	88 491	43 111	50 052	31 394	38 439	76 570	105 870	84 957	110 317
Motortrucks including pickups	59 639	96 428	28 826	36 169	41 788	60 259	64 014	93 123	64 158	83 439
Tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers	63 814	166 098	25 409	40 994	54 021	125 104	74 114	180 423	81 442	175 254
Riding garden tractors 7 hp and over	6 293	6 499	4 539	4 602	1 808	1 897	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	25 209	26 730	10 228	10 547	15 362	16 183	19 891	21 119	(NA)	(NA)
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker shellers	31 990	36 567	11 688	12 650	21 740	23 917	42 411	44 152	56 179	58 546
Pickup balers	18 521	18 988	5 970	6 059	12 711	12 929	19 598	19 907	18 414	18 684

	1969 Farms reporting	1969 Dollars
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment, total	70 297	928 666 402
By value groups.		
$1 to $999	2 240	1 321 532
$1,000 to $4,999	18 301	49 878 790
$5,000 to $9,999	15 321	103 054 332
$10,000 to $19,999	17 791	232 162 072
$20,000 to $29,999	8 988	201 998 783
$30,000 to $49,999	5 453	190 273 720
$50,000 and over	2 203	149 977 173

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