

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 . . .	119 386	148 202	190 567	13 111	29 926	42 613
acres . . .	12 733 751	14 381 724	15 887 724	700 608	1 342 775	1 835 799
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	102 316	137 737	177 251	11 728	29 040	(NA)
acres . . .	3 472 307	3 985 904	4 746 364	217 070	592 990	868 182
Full owners . . . farms . . .	75 625	70 658	91 393	7 107	7 720	10 562
acres . . .	7 037 982	6 522 742	7 847 444	373 929	365 814	499 530
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	60 118	61 414	80 169	5 927	7 092	(NA)
acres . . .	1 171 612	1 089 392	1 513 105	69 464	84 867	128 580
Part owners . . . farms . . .	25 889	36 953	38 758	2 580	5 651	6 778
acres . . .	4 421 616	5 029 038	4 476 344	184 932	346 631	409 181
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	25 020	36 532	38 314	2 483	5 626	(NA)
acres . . .	1 639 100	1 720 131	1 609 559	69 593	143 379	172 159
Tenants . . . farms . . .	17 872	40 115	59 925	3 424	16 538	25 236
acres . . .	1 274 153	2 385 600	3 124 968	141 747	623 526	913 362
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	17 178	39 374	58 344	3 318	16 306	(NA)
acres . . .	661 595	1 089 189	1 547 690	78 013	363 044	565 341
Percent of tenancy	14.9	27.1	31.4	26.1	55.3	59.2
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years	1 635	2 881	4 475	113	709	1 280
25 to 34 years	9 650	13 986	21 323	561	2 877	5 280
35 to 44 years	21 567	31 303	44 207	1 781	6 836	10 843
45 to 54 years	32 916	42 241	51 532	3 858	8 858	11 324
55 to 64 years	32 160	33 518	37 148	4 021	6 452	7 796
65 years and over	21 458	24 273	30 289	2 777	4 194	5 765
Average age	52.4	50.9	49.7	54.9	(NA)	48.3
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	82 392	133 338	169 111	8 845	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated	21 813	10 138	10 223	2 428	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	63 808	62 994	79 573	6 517	10 531	15 412
1 to 49 days	10 867	21 954	28 926	1 462	5 853	8 666
50 to 99 days	6 708		50 647	993	1 790	2 615
100 to 199 days	10 492		50 647	1 357	2 888	4 131
200 days and over	35 741			2 705		

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	1 165	447	1 085
Class 1b- " \$40,000 to \$99,999	4 791	2 634	
Class 2- " \$20,000 to \$39,999	8 787	7 611	3 144
Class 3- " \$10,000 to \$19,999	13 614	19 705	12 055
Class 4- " \$5,000 to \$9,999	18 710	28 870	33 579
Class 5- " \$2,500 to \$4,999	18 647	23 901	43 311
Class 6 (see text)	13 145	20 449	26 904
Part time (see text)	26 775	26 816	47 255
Part retirement (see text)	13 706	17 729	23 068
Abnormal (see text)	46	40	110
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) dollars . . .	1 195 068 745	1 067 566 832	797 213 555
Average per farm dollars . . .	10 010	7 203	4 184
Crops including nursery products and hay farms . . .	93 503	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	669 280 653	750 483 776	553 425 913
Forest products farms . . .	5 762	8 079	11 634
dollars	12 117 446	11 355 077	15 241 569
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms . . .	55 893	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	513 670 646	305 074 119	228 546 073
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249	14 365	18 167	(NA)
\$250 to \$499	7 246	10 207	(NA)
\$500 to \$999	12 173	13 883	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499	8 539	9 421	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999	6 393	7 170	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499	5 959	6 152	(NA)
\$2,500 and over	64 711	83 202	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from-			
Customwork and other agricultural services farms . . .	8 908	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	12 030 721	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services farms . . .	1 045	863	(NA)
dollars	707 749	653 860	(NA)
Government farm programs farms . . .	41 084	(NA)	(NA)
dollars	34 696 522	(NA)	(NA)

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