

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..	111 332	120 381	140 353	264	524	601
acres..	17 111 459	17 619 167	18 506 796	29 572	53 431	58 748
Harvested cropland . . . farms..	98 271	110 194	125 611	194	(NA)	(NA)
acres..	8 515 275	9 276 437	9 743 467	10 742	19 724	20 152
Full owners . . . farms..	74 016	75 899	89 198	211	368	415
acres..	8 072 575	7 813 783	8 575 460	19 321	27 102	29 370
Harvested cropland . . . farms..	62 070	66 609	75 827	146	(NA)	(NA)
acres..	3 023 360	3 154 151	3 547 619	5 594	7 055	7 485
Part owners . . . farms..	24 016	27 210	28 342	35	98	80
acres..	6 529 159	6 385 936	5 759 711	6 146	17 237	8 965
Harvested cropland . . . farms..	23 650	26 954	28 071	34	(NA)	(NA)
acres..	3 935 021	3 955 653	3 535 708	3 045	8 230	4 040
Tenants . . . farms..	13 300	16 867	22 256	18	56	100
acres..	2 509 725	3 199 598	3 907 719	4 105	7 881	15 840
Harvested cropland . . . farms..	12 551	16 242	21 196	14	(NA)	(NA)
acres..	1 556 894	2 058 966	2 536 086	2 103	4 064	7 965
Percent of tenancy . . .	11.9	14.0	15.9	6.8	10.7	16.6
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years . . .	2 832	2 213	2 603	-	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 34 years . . .	12 765	12 198	15 001	9	(NA)	(NA)
35 to 44 years . . .	22 273	25 343	30 599	45	(NA)	(NA)
45 to 54 years . . .	29 557	32 055	34 353	88	(NA)	(NA)
55 to 64 years . . .	26 106	26 389	29 481	59	(NA)	(NA)
65 years and over . . .	17 799	22 183	26 110	63	(NA)	(NA)
Average age . . .	50.3	51.3	50.9	54.7	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated . . .	85 342	108 964	124 118	207	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated . . .	16 320	7 894	7 235	32	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm . . .	70 017	62 611	71 886	173	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 49 days . . .	10 041	14 296	18 614	9	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 days . . .	4 511	48 315	53 272	22	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 days . . .	8 909			22	(NA)	(NA)
200 days and over . . .	46 556			120	(NA)	(NA)

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 . . .	1 001	475	1 707
Class 1b— " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . .	4 914	2 638	
Class 2— " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . .	11 627	9 040	5 585
Class 3— " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . .	14 645	18 043	17 638
Class 4— " \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . .	16 465	20 302	26 784
Class 5— " \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . .	17 617	18 902	25 578
Class 6 (see text) . . .	5 791	9 016	7 716
Part time (see text) . . .	29 714	28 378	38 020
Part retirement (see text) . . .	9 494	13 511	17 161
Abnormal (see text) . . .	64	76	177
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) . . . dollars..	1 246 071 615	1 012 584 457	862 850 852
Average per farm . . . dollars..	11 192	8 411	6 147
Crops including nursery products and hay . . . farms..	87 039	(NA)	(NA)
dollars..	489 107 809	423 965 334	327 970 757
Forest products . . . farms..	4 037	5 406	4 948
dollars..	3 982 903	3 748 720	3 221 334
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . farms..	74 543	(NA)	(NA)
dollars..	752 980 903	583 708 837	531 658 761
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249 . . .	8 194	10 352	(NA)
\$250 to \$499 . . .	5 984	7 839	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 . . .	10 780	11 670	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499 . . .	8 523	8 557	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999 . . .	6 841	6 818	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499 . . .	5 680	5 680	(NA)
\$2,500 and over . . .	65 330	69 465	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from—			
Customwork and other agricultural services . . . farms..	14 373	(NA)	(NA)
dollars..	14 765 320	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services . . . farms..	865	705	(NA)
dollars..	1 443 530	1 161 566	(NA)
Government farm programs . . . farms..	52 755	(NA)	(NA)
dollars..	69 329 681	(NA)	(NA)

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