

All Farms

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1935 to 1969

	1969	1964	1959	1954	1950	1945	1940	1935
All farms number	29 063	39 757	42 573	54 441	59 827	63 125	61 829	64 826
Land in farms acres	18 017 850	20 509 302	21 236 298	21 047 340	20 327 683	19 745 257	17 988 307	17 357 549
Average size of farm acres	619.9	515.9	498.8	386.6	339.8	312.9	290.9	267.8
Approximate land area acres	61 557 184	61 572 480	61 598 720	61 641 600	61 641 600	61 664 000	61 664 000	61 188 480
Proportion in farms percent	29.3	33.3	34.5	34.1	33.0	32.0	29.2	28.4
Value of land and buildings dollars	2 706 773 414	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm dollars	93 134	59 079	43 608	30 178	20 327	11 054	7 712	6 922
Average per acre dollars	150.22	114.71	87.42	78.06	59.82	35.32	26.51	25.85
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland farms	26 604	34 763	38 484	47 822	54 761	57 150	59 766	(NA)
acres	5 197 520	5 281 935	5 380 144	5 249 888	5 537 147	4 909 101	5 255 467	4 921 039
Harvested cropland farms	22 117	29 981	33 420	41 218	47 482	52 630	54 589	59 508
acres	2 893 632	3 050 278	3 118 451	3 265 385	3 218 767	3 276 086	2 824 316	2 831 742
Number of farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	4 713	8 634	9 410	13 202	16 428	19 096	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 acres	3 549	4 568	4 997	6 150	7 489	8 020	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 29 acres	2 124	2 792	3 205	3 868	4 574	5 067	(NA)	(NA)
30 to 49 acres	2 728	3 471	4 028	4 797	5 600	6 335	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	3 037	3 920	4 700	5 601	6 079	6 698	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 acres	2 408	2 932	3 332	3 887	3 881	3 992	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499 acres	2 189	2 377	2 554	2 562	2 432	2 393	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	924	905	848	822	698	727	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	445	382	346	329	301	302	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	15 133	16 645	19 423	22 704	26 144	18 974	29 087	20 487
acres	1 077 257	926 416	942 236	807 142	969 029	566 251	1 213 983	723 585
All other cropland (see text) farms	7 829	10 917	11 174	12 850	17 324	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	1 226 631	1 305 241	1 319 457	1 177 361	1 349 351	1 066 764	1 217 168	1 365 712
Woodland including woodland pasture farms	10 786	15 957	17 943	22 629	27 909	24 325	23 533	(NA)
acres	2 030 077	3 193 560	3 881 367	4 637 964	4 568 622	3 262 193	2 081 907	3 349 944
All other land (see text) farms	21 132	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	10 790 253	12 033 807	11 974 787	11 159 488	10 221 914	11 573 963	(NA)	9 086 566
Irrigated land farms	12 014	15 869	17 724	19 826	17 663	15 597	16 159	13 243
acres	1 519 421	1 607 659	1 384 284	1 490 366	1 306 810	1 129 059	1 030 228	578 838

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

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Table 2. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	Number of farms			Land in farms (acres)			Harvested cropland (acres)			Irrigated land (acres)		
	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959
All farms, total number	29 063	39 757	42 573	18 017 850	20 509 302	21 236 298	2 893 632	3 050 278	3 118 451	1 519 421	1 607 659	1 395 358
farms with harvested cropland	22 117	29 981	33 420	16 171 946	(NA)	(NA)	2 893 632	3 050 278	3 118 451	1 470 229	1 085 581	967 766
farms with irrigated land	12 014	15 869	18 088	11 296 636	13 321 757	13 733 452	1 626 766	1 702 544	1 596 390	1 519 421	1 607 659	1 395 358
Farms with-												
1 to 9 acres number	2 743	4 041	5 141	12 714	18 940	24 411	5 266	6 808	8 350	3 217	4 642	6 275
farms with harvested cropland	1 536	2 504	2 909	8 087	(NA)	(NA)	5 266	6 808	8 350	2 279	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	855	1 364	1 862	4 635	(NA)	(NA)	2 149	(NA)	(NA)	3 217	4 642	6 275
10 to 49 acres number	9 000	13 817	13 609	230 142	340 534	340 513	83 338	103 050	122 442	47 804	64 138	72 534
farms with harvested cropland	6 146	9 052	9 967	162 606	(NA)	(NA)	83 338	103 050	122 442	39 270	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	3 128	4 395	5 046	81 312	(NA)	(NA)	36 953	(NA)	(NA)	47 804	64 138	72 534
50 to 69 acres number	1 996	2 817	2 922	116 225	163 391	169 879	41 030	54 210	63 663	22 510	28 777	29 201
farms with harvested cropland	1 470	2 182	2 386	85 866	(NA)	(NA)	41 030	54 210	63 663	19 212	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	710	980	1 116	41 536	(NA)	(NA)	19 000	(NA)	(NA)	22 510	28 777	29 201
70 to 99 acres number	2 551	3 566	3 885	209 771	292 796	318 817	73 796	98 095	120 986	45 367	63 496	74 695
farms with harvested cropland	1 992	2 807	3 242	164 176	(NA)	(NA)	73 796	98 095	120 986	42 322	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 024	1 446	1 734	83 985	(NA)	(NA)	38 410	(NA)	(NA)	45 367	63 496	74 695
100 to 139 acres number	2 107	2 687	3 053	245 685	312 384	356 369	90 666	111 794	136 329	53 918	66 589	77 248
farms with harvested cropland	1 710	2 213	2 606	199 647	(NA)	(NA)	90 666	111 794	136 329	50 458	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	925	1 171	1 408	108 350	(NA)	(NA)	52 072	(NA)	(NA)	53 918	66 589	77 248
140 to 179 acres number	1 716	2 371	2 691	270 288	372 436	424 898	98 595	122 217	148 479	64 325	81 360	96 765
farms with harvested cropland	1 430	1 944	2 241	225 257	(NA)	(NA)	98 595	122 217	148 479	61 951	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	797	1 086	1 330	125 646	(NA)	(NA)	61 209	(NA)	(NA)	64 325	81 360	96 765
180 to 219 acres number	1 056	1 396	1 509	208 483	275 990	297 780	79 717	100 188	111 223	50 382	60 197	59 872
farms with harvested cropland	880	1 180	1 301	173 703	(NA)	(NA)	79 717	100 188	111 223	48 185	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	530	663	767	104 478	(NA)	(NA)	50 638	(NA)	(NA)	50 382	60 197	59 872
220 to 259 acres number	798	982	1 135	189 612	232 939	270 086	69 589	86 255	101 822	44 301	48 555	48 592
farms with harvested cropland	669	836	996	158 842	(NA)	(NA)	69 589	86 255	101 822	43 605	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	404	473	547	96 035	(NA)	(NA)	44 426	(NA)	(NA)	44 301	48 555	48 592
260 to 499 acres number	2 607	3 064	3 281	922 537	1 086 810	1 158 989	345 589	376 309	407 798	195 948	194 663	159 420
farms with harvested cropland	2 253	2 673	2 909	799 927	(NA)	(NA)	345 589	376 309	407 798	192 580	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 283	1 520	1 507	455 251	(NA)	(NA)	207 764	(NA)	(NA)	195 948	194 663	159 420
500 to 999 acres number	1 642	1 882	2 099	1 144 130	1 320 350	1 466 750	394 614	386 234	406 969	174 641	167 935	161 640
farms with harvested cropland	1 429	1 669	1 874	1 000 329	(NA)	(NA)	394 614	386 234	406 969	169 470	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	796	932	996	552 783	(NA)	(NA)	209 707	(NA)	(NA)	174 641	167 935	161 640
1,000 to 1,999 acres number	1 108	1 248	1 328	1 543 688	1 750 431	1 848 263	397 740	415 093	402 875	149 062	147 338	112 455
farms with harvested cropland	997	1 139	1 209	1 394 956	(NA)	(NA)	397 740	415 093	402 875	144 515	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	526	623	604	734 290	(NA)	(NA)	184 771	(NA)	(NA)	149 062	147 338	112 455
2,000 acres and over number	1 739	1 886	1 920	12 924 575	14 342 301	14 559 543	1 213 692	1 190 025	1 087 515	667 946	679 969	496 661
farms with harvested cropland	1 605	1 782	1 780	11 798 550	(NA)	(NA)	1 213 692	1 190 025	1 087 515	656 382	(NA)	(NA)
farms with irrigated land	1 026	1 216	1 171	8 908 335	(NA)	(NA)	719 667	(NA)	(NA)	667 946	679 969	496 661

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