

Table 6. Summary by Type of Farm: 1970 and 1964
(Land use, workpower, expenditure, and livestock sales data are for the year 1969)

Class 1-7 farms

			Total ¹	Vegetable	Fruit and nut	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock	General
Land Use									
Total cropland	farms	1970 . .	43	7	9	5	1	16	5
	acres	1970 . .	8,995	26	40	1,588	120	7,174	47
Harvested cropland	farms	1964 . .	3,715	5	152	130	124	1,000	42
	farms	1970 . .	36	7	9	3	1	11	5
	farms	1964 . .	70	1	17	-	-	18	3
	acres	1970 . .	436	23	33	245	4	94	37
Other cropland	farms	1964 . .	1,860	4	67	-	-	89	19
	farms	1970 . .	20	2	1	3	1	12	1
	acres	1970 . .	8,559	4	6	1,343	116	7,080	10
	acres	1964 . .	1,855	1	85	130	124	911	23
Pasture and grazing land	farms	1970 . .	38	5	2	6	3	20	2
	acres	1970 . .	6,401	76	90	3,144	207	2,857	27
	acres	1964 . .	15,569	8	28	1,585	30	9,639	30
	Woodland not pastured	farms	1970 . .	14	3	2	1	2	5
farms		1964 . .	22	1	6	1	1	9	-
	acres	1970 . .	741	43	3	25	173	488	9
	acres	1964 . .	1,171	9	76	5	54	712	-
All other land	farms	1970 . .	42	5	5	4	4	20	4
	farms	1964 . .	108	1	15	8	6	45	4
	acres	1970 . .	740	6	5	39	33	643	14
	acres	1964 . .	754	3	19	43	25	429	5
Farms by Kind of Holding, 1970									
Farms reporting production for home consumption only			1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Farms reporting production for sale			58	7	9	7	5	24	6
Vegetable holding			9	7	1	-	-	-	1
Fruit and nut holding			9	-	8	-	-	-	1
Dairy holding			7	-	-	7	-	-	-
Livestock holding			24	-	-	-	-	24	-
Poultry holding			5	-	-	-	5	-	-
Nursery holding			3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Mixed holding			1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other holding			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Operator Characteristics									
Farm operators by age groups:									
Under 25 years			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1964			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years			2	-	1	-	-	-	1
1964			8	-	2	-	1	4	-
35 to 44 years			10	2	1	2	2	1	2
1964			18	-	2	3	2	7	1
45 to 54 years			14	2	3	2	1	6	-
1964			28	1	3	3	-	10	2
55 to 64 years			23	3	3	3	2	9	3
1964			35	-	6	1	3	16	-
65 years and over			10	-	1	-	-	9	-
1964			27	-	5	1	-	11	1
Average age			55.6	51.9	53.1	51.0	51.6	61.3	48.5
1964			55.1	51.0	56.4	50.9	46.3	55.0	52.5
Farm operators by place of birth:									
Born in the Virgin Islands			34	3	2	4	1	21	3
1964			57	-	6	4	2	31	2
Born in Puerto Rico			3	-	2	-	-	1	-
1964			26	-	1	2	-	7	-
Born elsewhere			22	4	5	3	4	3	3
1964			35	1	11	2	4	12	2
Farm operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated			51	7	9	5	5	20	5
1964			96	1	14	7	6	39	3
Not on farm operated			8	-	-	2	-	5	1
1964			21	-	4	1	-	11	-
Farm operators by main occupation, 1970:									
Agricultural			45	6	8	7	5	16	3
Nonagricultural			14	1	1	-	-	9	3
Farm operators by years of operating present farm:									
Under 2 years			1	-	-	-	-	-	1
1964			4	-	-	1	1	2	-
2 to 4 years			5	-	2	1	-	-	2
1964			12	-	-	-	1	9	-
5 to 9 years			12	1	2	1	2	5	1
1964			19	-	2	2	2	5	1
10 years and over			41	6	5	5	3	20	2
1964			83	1	16	5	2	34	3

Table 6. Summary by Type of Farm: 1970 and 1964—Continued
(Land use, workpower, expenditure, and livestock sales data are for the year 1969)

		Class 1-7 farms						
		Total ¹	Vegetable	Fruit and nut	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock	General
Farm Operator Characteristics—Continued								
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:								
1 to 99 days	1970..	6	1	2	-	-	2	1
	1964..	8	-	2	-	1	3	1
100 to 199 days	1970..	2	-	-	1	-	-	1
	1964..	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
200 days and over	1970..	8	2	-	2	-	4	-
	1964..	15	-	-	1	2	6	-
Farm operators not reporting work off their farm								
	1970..	43	4	7	4	5	19	4
	1964..	93	1	16	7	3	40	3
Farms by Type of Organization, 1970								
Individual		49	7	6	5	4	23	4
Partnership		4	-	3	-	-	1	-
Corporation		5	-	-	2	1	1	1
Other		1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Selected Equipment and Facilities								
Automobiles	farms	33	2	3	5	4	16	3
	1964..	62	1	5	7	4	31	1
	number	45	2	3	8	6	21	5
	1964..	81	1	5	13	6	36	1
Motortrucks	farms	35	5	2	6	1	17	4
	1964..	57	1	6	8	2	23	1
	number	43	5	2	13	1	17	5
	1964..	71	1	6	12	3	23	1
Tractors	farms	23	3	-	7	1	10	2
	1964..	21	-	1	5	2	7	-
	number	38	4	-	13	1	17	3
	1964..	33	-	1	8	2	10	-
Electricity	farms	52	7	5	7	4	24	5
	1964..	104	1	14	8	6	43	4
Piped running water	farms	50	7	5	6	4	23	5
	1964..	68	1	8	8	5	28	2
Telephone	farms	37	3	1	6	4	18	5
	1964..	48	1	4	5	4	23	1
Wells, 1970								
Farms reporting wells	number..	28	5	2	3	3	15	-
		55	6	3	7	4	35	-
Farms reporting no wells		21	2	7	1	2	4	5
Farms by Workpower Used								
Mechanical power ²	1970..	31	4	-	7	3	14	3
	1960..	135	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Animal power	1970..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1960..	83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farm Production Expenses								
Machine hire and customwork	farms	18	1	-	4	2	10	1
	1964..	36	-	-	5	3	11	-
	dollars	15,407	194	-	3,901	1,750	9,062	500
	1964..	46,865	-	-	3,800	4,400	24,804	-
Hired labor	farms	43	4	3	7	3	21	5
	1964..	70	1	6	8	4	27	2
	dollars	362,228	11,144	1,940	211,817	21,190	98,962	17,175
	1964..	370,017	200	4,204	71,583	25,547	83,567	2,880
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms	39	5	1	7	5	20	1
	1964..	63	-	8	6	6	28	1
	dollars	391,411	2,133	75	311,234	49,500	28,037	432
	1964..	242,553	-	1,110	97,358	85,929	50,152	1,367
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	farms	21	3	2	5	2	4	5
	dollars	6,482	320	510	2,992	150	550	1,960
Purchase of fertilizers and manure	farms	13	2	1	2	-	4	4
	1964..	39	1	9	3	1	2	4
	dollars	16,716	260	500	6,512	-	2,669	6,775
	1964..	25,789	140	418	1,240	300	260	56
Purchase of livestock and poultry	farms	15	1	-	4	4	5	1
	dollars	128,598	190	-	90,400	31,765	6,063	180
Livestock and Livestock Products								
Horses, colts, and ponies	farms	16	1	-	4	2	9	-
	1964..	38	-	1	5	1	26	-
	number	99	1	-	28	7	63	-
	1964..	137	-	1	11	1	108	-
Sales	farms	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
	number	2	-	-	2	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Summary by Type of Farm: 1970 and 1964—Continued

(Land use, workpower, expenditure, and livestock sales data are for the year 1969)

			Class 1-7 farms						
			Total ¹	Vegetable	Fruit and nut	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock	General
Livestock and Livestock Products—Continued									
Mules, asses, and burros	farms	1970 . .	3	-	-	1	-	2	-
	number	1970 . .	3	-	-	1	-	2	-
		1964 . .	39	-	14	-	-	18	1
Sheep and lambs	farms	1970 . .	13	-	-	1	3	8	1
	number	1964 . .	27	-	-	-	2	18	-
		1970 . .	1,673	-	-	200	393	1,030	50
Sales	farms	1964 . .	1,201	-	-	-	331	567	-
	number	1970 . .	13	-	-	1	2	9	1
		1964 . .	21	-	-	-	1	15	-
Goats and kids	farms	1970 . .	849	-	-	20	182	632	15
	number	1964 . .	365	-	-	-	125	171	-
		1970 . .	18	2	2	1	2	10	1
Sales	farms	1964 . .	41	1	4	1	2	27	1
	number	1970 . .	1,214	42	129	35	51	857	100
		1964 . .	1,163	5	164	12	31	697	9
Hogs and pigs	farms	1970 . .	10	-	1	-	1	7	1
	number	1964 . .	22	-	2	-	-	16	1
		1970 . .	581	-	60	-	20	466	35
Less than 8 months old ³	farms	1964 . .	358	-	67	-	-	196	35
	number	1970 . .	17	5	-	1	1	9	1
		1964 . .	42	-	5	1	1	21	3
8 months old or older ³	farms	1970 . .	473	62	-	17	35	259	100
	number	1964 . .	378	-	23	2	2	230	4
		1970 . .	15	4	-	1	1	8	1
Sales	farms	1964 . .	22	-	3	-	-	12	1
	number	1970 . .	205	35	-	11	25	110	24
		1964 . .	188	-	13	-	-	97	2
Cattle and calves	farms	1970 . .	15	4	-	1	1	8	1
	number	1964 . .	35	-	4	1	1	18	2
		1970 . .	268	27	-	6	10	149	76
Sales	farms	1964 . .	190	-	10	2	2	133	2
	number	1970 . .	12	2	-	-	1	8	1
		1964 . .	22	-	2	-	-	15	-
Cows	farms	1970 . .	233	32	-	-	20	131	50
	number	1964 . .	245	-	10	-	-	119	-
		1970 . .	30	4	-	7	1	18	-
Heifers, heifer calves 1 year old or older ⁴	farms	1964 . .	57	-	2	8	-	33	1
	number	1970 . .	5,384	74	-	1,948	3	3,359	-
		1964 . .	5,858	-	15	831	-	3,570	35
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older ⁴	farms	1970 . .	29	3	-	7	1	18	-
	number	1964 . .	55	-	2	8	-	31	1
		1970 . .	2,808	30	-	1,293	3	1,482	-
Calves less than 1 year old ⁴	farms	1964 . .	2,853	-	8	543	-	1,804	13
	number	1970 . .	25	3	-	6	-	16	-
		1964 . .	43	-	2	7	-	24	1
Sales	farms	1970 . .	1,059	25	-	340	-	694	-
	number	1964 . .	1,409	-	3	189	-	688	6
		1970 . .	25	3	-	6	-	16	-
Value of all livestock sold	farms	1964 . .	46	-	2	6	-	26	1
	number	1970 . .	662	10	-	138	-	514	-
		1964 . .	888	-	2	39	-	536	6
Milk sold	farms	1970 . .	19	2	-	4	-	13	-
	quarts	1964 . .	42	-	1	7	-	25	1
	dollars	1970 . .	855	9	-	177	-	669	-
Value of milk sold	farms	1964 . .	708	-	2	60	-	542	10
	quarts	1970 . .	26	1	-	7	-	18	-
	dollars	1964 . .	52	-	2	8	-	32	1
Value of all livestock sold	farms	1970 . .	1,634	3	-	655	-	976	-
	quarts	1964 . .	1,725	-	5	118	-	1,256	13
	dollars	1970 . .	38	2	1	7	2	25	-
Value of milk sold	farms	1964 . .	80	-	5	8	1	50	2
	quarts	1970 . .	273,466	1,080	1,500	90,870	4,559	172,562	-
	dollars	1964 . .	244,202	-	974	11,086	2,500	168,935	2,000
Milk sold	farms	1970 . .	8	-	-	7	-	1	-
	quarts	1964 . .	12	-	-	8	-	2	-
	dollars	1970 . .	3,082,015	-	-	3,058,015	-	24,000	-
Value of milk sold	farms	1964 . .	1,405,963	-	-	1,213,370	-	154,873	-
	quarts	1970 . .	8	-	-	7	-	1	-
	dollars	1964 . .	12	-	-	8	-	2	-
Value of milk sold	farms	1970 . .	808,758	-	-	803,718	-	5,040	-
	quarts	1964 . .	326,798	-	-	291,116	-	28,877	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6. Summary by Type of Farm: 1970 and 1964—Continued

(Land use workpower, expenditure, and livestock sales data are for the year 1969)

		Class 1-7 farms						
		Total ¹	Vegetable	Fruit and nut	Dairy	Poultry	Livestock	General
Poultry and Poultry Products								
Chickens	farms	16	5	1	-	5	5	-
	number	13,393	107	7	-	13,200	79	-
Sales	farms	3	1	-	-	2	-	-
	number	11	-	2	-	5	3	-
	1970..	2,305	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-
	1964..	5,242	-	25	-	5,159	57	-
5 months old or over ³	farms	13	3	-	-	5	5	-
	number	45	-	7	2	6	19	-
	1970..	11,679	34	-	-	11,600	45	-
	1964..	29,561	-	257	76	27,700	1,295	-
Sales	farms	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
	number	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry	farms	5	-	-	-	1	3	1
	number	9	1	1	-	-	6	-
	1970..	64	-	-	-	30	32	2
	1964..	152	6	1	-	-	141	-
Chicken eggs sold	farms	5	-	-	-	5	-	-
	dozens	17	-	5	-	6	5	-
	1970..	164,150	-	-	-	164,150	-	-
	1964..	315,882	-	127	-	313,860	1,875	-
Value of all poultry and eggs sold	farms	6	1	-	-	5	-	-
	dollars	18	-	5	-	6	6	-
	1970..	119,753	3	-	-	119,750	-	-
	1964..	218,564	-	131	-	216,715	1,702	-

¹Data for sugarcane farms and field-crop farms are included in the total for 1964.²For 1960, refers to tractor power only.³Census of 1964 separates them into categories of less than 4 months old and 4 months old and older.⁴Census of 1964 separates them into categories of less than 3 months old and 3 months old and older.

Table 7. Summary by Age of Operator: 1970, 1964, and 1960

		Total	Total reporting age	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over	Average age
All farm operators	1970..	212	212	2	20	48	43	59	40	51.8
	1964..	466	460	3	28	89	130	115	95	53.5
	1960..	501	488	4	32	87	132	120	113	53.9
Farms operators by place of birth:										
Born in Virgin Islands	1970..	128	128	1	10	29	31	36	21	51.7
	1964..	261	258	2	17	54	81	48	56	53.0
	1960..	288	283	2	18	57	74	60	72	53.8
Born in Puerto Rico	1970..	22	22	-	4	4	2	6	6	52.3
	1964..	66	66	-	3	11	17	23	12	54.0
	1960..	84	81	1	7	18	23	19	13	51.7
Born elsewhere	1970..	62	62	1	6	15	10	17	13	51.8
	1964..	139	136	1	8	24	32	44	27	54.1
	1960..	129	124	1	7	12	35	41	28	55.5
Farms by kind of holding, 1970:										
Farms reporting production for home consumption only		103	103	2	16	23	15	27	20	49.9
Farms reporting production for sale		109	109	-	4	25	28	32	20	53.6
Vegetable holding		15	15	-	1	3	3	5	3	54.5
Fruit and nut holding		20	20	-	1	6	4	6	3	52.6
Dairy holding		7	7	-	-	2	2	3	-	51.0
Livestock holding		50	50	-	1	9	15	13	12	55.0
Poultry holding		6	6	-	-	2	1	3	-	52.3
Nursery holding		5	5	-	1	2	1	1	-	44.4
Mixed holding		4	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	55.3
Other		2	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	53.0