

All Farms

Table 9. Summary of Selected Economic Class Groups: 1969

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	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales							Abnormal
	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement		
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms	64 572	38 434	33 427	7 343	16 935	9 149	54	
number	100.0	59.5	51.7	11.3	26.2	14.1	0.0	
percent								
Land in farms	10 649 862	8 491 221	2 678 212	565 676	1 329 602	782 934	46 105	
acres	164.9	220.9	80.1	77.0	78.5	85.5	853.7	
Average size of farm								
Value of land and buildings	3 047 271 171	2 439 763 267	731 347 277	148 915 918	388 629 098	193 802 261	25 076 545	
dollars	47 191	63 479	21 878	20 279	22 948	21 182	464 380	
Average per farm	286.13	287.32	273.07	263.25	292.28	247.53	543.90	
dollars								
Number of farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999	15 186	6 485	11 744	3 044	5 403	3 297	1	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15 094	7 393	9 760	2 062	4 998	2 700	3	
\$20,000 to \$39,999	16 109	9 830	7 774	1 500	4 184	2 090	5	
\$40,000 to \$69,999	8 491	6 248	2 663	426	1 531	706	6	
\$70,000 to \$99,999	3 409	2 856	697	150	376	171	6	
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2 534	2 196	413	79	243	91	4	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1 252	1 108	174	33	99	42	3	
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 959	1 817	168	39	87	42	13	
\$500,000 and over	538	501	34	10	14	10	13	
Owned and rented lands by farm operator:								
Land owned	59 332	34 509	31 589	6 819	15 883	8 887	53	
acres	8 978 360	6 840 637	2 661 244	565 878	1 278 990	816 376	42 357	
Land rented or leased								
from others	18 605	14 708	5 221	1 338	3 133	750	14	
acres	2 152 883	1 981 405	219 935	52 234	140 234	27 467	3 777	
Land rented or leased to others	9 942	5 423	5 857	1 341	2 671	1 845	3	
acres	481 362	330 814	202 955	52 436	89 610	60 909	29	
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland	60 877	36 834	30 780	6 789	15 533	8 458	52	
farms	4 600 549	3 776 903	1 013 177	206 695	514 770	291 712	17 164	
acres								
Harvested cropland	54 192	34 761	25 031	5 649	12 557	6 825	49	
acres	2 277 878	2 027 845	299 667	61 332	156 349	81 986	11 698	
Number of farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	17 898	7 943	13 265	3 316	6 355	3 594	6	
10 to 19 acres	11 109	5 948	6 468	1 311	3 372	1 785	4	
20 to 29 acres	6 887	4 452	3 018	584	1 626	808	1	
30 to 49 acres	7 030	5 492	1 863	332	991	540	7	
50 to 99 acres	5 910	5 601	404	101	207	96	6	
100 to 199 acres	3 233	3 217	13	5	6	2	8	
200 to 499 acres	1 750	1 742	-	-	-	-	8	
500 to 999 acres	325	317	-	-	-	-	8	
1,000 acres and over	50	49	-	-	-	-	1	
Cropland used only for pasture								
or grazing	36 325	21 406	18 878	3 992	9 701	5 185	33	
farms	1 732 309	1 294 658	542 962	109 331	275 422	158 209	4 020	
acres								
All other cropland (see text)	21 111	14 255	8 791	1 958	4 258	2 575	23	
farms	590 362	454 400	170 548	36 032	82 999	51 517	1 446	
acres								
Woodland including woodland								
pasture	45 486	28 235	21 858	4 650	11 036	6 172	43	
farms	3 911 744	3 033 470	1 098 668	235 299	552 257	311 112	14 905	
acres								
All other land (see text)	46 639	28 587	23 214	5 211	11 462	6 541	49	
farms	2 137 569	1 680 848	566 367	123 682	262 575	180 110	14 036	
acres								
Irrigated land	2 078	1 949	152	33	77	42	10	
farms	36 618	35 959	415	71	191	153	315	
acres								
Color and Tenure of Operator								
All farm operators:								
Full owners	46 277	23 956	28 330	6 049	13 859	8 422	40	
Part owners	12 886	10 447	3 182	756	1 974	452	13	
Tenants	5 409	4 031	1 915	538	1 102	275	1	
White farm operators:								
Full owners	42 833	22 387	25 816	5 409	12 880	7 527	39	
Part owners	11 578	9 474	2 695	604	1 729	362	13	
Tenants	4 597	3 468	1 519	391	924	204	1	
Negro farm operators:								
Full owners	3 356	1 531	2 445	621	949	875	1	
Part owners	1 290	957	485	152	243	90	-	
Tenants	807	561	393	147	177	69	-	
Farm Operator Characteristics								
Farm operators by age groups:								
Under 25 years	839	527	472	160	312	-	-	
25 to 34 years	4 792	2 718	2 489	421	2 068	-	6	
35 to 44 years	10 543	6 535	4 975	980	3 995	-	13	
45 to 54 years	16 218	10 581	7 652	2 032	5 620	-	17	
55 to 64 years	17 519	12 564	8 690	3 750	4 940	-	15	
65 years and over	14 661	5 509	9 149	-	-	9 149	3	
Average age	53.8	52.5	55.0	51.9	47.1	72.1	48.7	
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	45 976	28 623	22 041	4 719	10 606	6 716	31	
Not on farm operated	10 794	5 855	6 295	1 375	3 912	1 008	19	
Farm operators reporting days of work								
off farm	36 797	16 778	22 575	2 570	16 935	3 070	14	
1 to 49 days	5 755	4 680	2 665	1 591	-	1 074	1	
50 to 99 days	2 838	2 420	1 395	979	-	416	2	
100 to 199 days	5 198	2 093	3 101	-	2 662	439	4	
200 days and over	23 006	7 585	15 414	-	14 273	1 141	7	

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	4 600	2 184	3 339	924	1 640	775	1
10 to 49 acres	15 169	5 627	12 191	2 654	6 435	3 102	5
50 to 69 acres	6 508	3 032	4 437	964	2 190	1 283	3
70 to 99 acres	7 676	4 169	4 449	947	2 231	1 271	5
100 to 139 acres	8 130	5 059	3 870	804	1 912	1 154	5
140 to 179 acres	5 421	3 834	1 967	384	964	619	4
180 to 219 acres	3 847	2 924	1 172	251	594	327	2
220 to 259 acres	2 568	2 052	627	113	317	197	2
260 to 499 acres	6 765	5 901	1 104	246	513	345	6
500 to 999 acres	2 889	2 690	240	47	124	69	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres	793	767	26	7	13	6	7
2,000 acres and over	206	195	5	2	2	1	8
Farms by Type (see text)							
Cash-grain farms	4 182	2 327	2 327	475	1 186	666	3
Tobacco farms	16 863	10 883	8 616	2 638	3 696	2 282	2
Cotton farms	27	9	23	5	7	11	-
Other field-crop farms	2 285	1 882	531	129	251	151	1
Vegetable farms	455	322	188	56	77	55	1
Fruit and nut farms	672	518	200	48	105	47	2
Poultry farms							-
Dairy farms							8
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms	29 427	17 867	14 070	2 539	7 688	3 843	21
Livestock ranches (see text)							-
General farms	5 342	2 896	3 032	598	1 554	880	12
Miscellaneous farms	5 319	1 730	4 440	855	2 371	1 214	4
Value of Products Sold and Other Farm-Related Income							
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)	570 335 368	542 747 439	32 976 416	7 688 583	16 484 631	8 803 202	2 300 096
Average per farm	8 832	14 121	986	1 047	973	962	42 594
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$1 to \$249 (see text)	2 710	560	2 690	540	1 318	832	-
\$250 to \$499	4 162	883	4 133	854	2 133	1 146	-
\$500 to \$999	8 035	1 882	7 948	1 795	3 967	2 186	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499	6 155	1 452	6 062	1 359	3 091	1 612	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4 779	1 059	4 690	970	2 458	1 262	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	4 302	1 231	4 188	1 117	2 006	1 065	-
\$2,500 and over	30 625	30 575	-	-	-	-	50
Crops including nursery products and hay	42 211	28 317	18 507	4 658	8 772	5 077	45
dollars	220 444 916	208 298 854	16 212 693	4 453 494	7 511 675	4 247 524	386 863
Forest products	4 328	3 477	1 071	225	522	324	5
dollars	8 061 128	7 760 339	363 052	70 466	186 492	106 094	8 203
Livestock, poultry, and their products	43 056	28 052	18 767	3 805	9 879	5 083	42
dollars	341 829 324	326 688 246	16 400 671	3 164 623	8 786 464	4 449 584	1 905 030
Farms with farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services	5 442	4 261	1 618	437	831	350	-
dollars	6 103 903	5 501 964	887 810	285 871	430 989	170 950	-
Recreational services	688	488	261	62	122	77	1
dollars	970 068	836 969	206 402	74 178	95 389	36 835	875
Government farm programs	21 134	14 949	7 809	1 631	3 933	2 245	7
dollars	11 399 044	9 639 549	2 236 664	481 520	1 093 953	661 191	4 351
Production Expenses							
Farm production expenses, total	64 572	38 434	33 427	7 343	16 935	9 149	54
dollars	459 985 614	431 074 722	33 312 942	6 724 766	18 714 395	7 873 781	2 322 716
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$499	13 070	3 245	12 853	3 028	5 721	4 104	-
\$500 to \$999	9 798	3 047	8 770	2 020	4 409	2 341	1
\$1,000 to \$1,999	11 749	5 561	7 757	1 569	4 353	1 835	-
\$2,000 to \$2,999	6 671	4 698	2 410	440	1 413	557	3
\$3,000 to \$4,999	7 317	6 258	1 247	195	800	252	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6 926	6 616	390	91	239	60	11
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 252	4 241	-	-	-	-	11
\$20,000 and over	4 789	4 768	-	-	-	-	21
Livestock and poultry	27 499	18 048	11 903	2 486	6 452	2 965	34
dollars	71 250 460	67 222 227	4 659 755	748 480	3 009 646	901 629	116 958
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	6 202	3 243	3 941	982	1 792	1 167	-
\$100 to \$499	8 961	4 938	5 068	1 051	2 762	1 255	6
\$500 to \$999	3 557	2 232	1 578	260	1 003	315	7
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3 868	2 898	1 135	173	752	210	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2 012	1 861	167	20	130	17	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 408	1 389	14	-	13	-	5
\$10,000 and over	1 491	1 487	-	-	-	-	4
Feed for livestock and poultry	39 217	24 707	18 129	3 662	9 628	4 839	43
dollars	85 743 616	81 699 662	4 453 901	849 631	2 501 562	1 102 708	439 684
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	8 731	3 965	6 095	1 329	3 018	1 748	-
\$100 to \$499	16 526	8 815	9 613	1 905	5 190	2 518	3
\$500 to \$999	5 126	3 589	1 862	330	1 087	445	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3 963	3 500	541	92	325	124	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1 690	1 673	18	6	8	4	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 393	1 387	-	-	-	-	6
\$10,000 and over	1 788	1 778	-	-	-	-	10

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Commercially mixed formula							
feeds	24 166	18 100	7 578	1 546	4 058	1 974	34
farms	829 785	807 804	22 709	4 634	12 290	5 785	3 906
tons	67 812 615	66 073 284	1 769 073	360 569	952 154	456 350	330 827
dollars							
Number of farms that used—							
1 to 49 tons	21 440	15 387	7 576	1 544	4 058	1 974	21
50 to 99 tons	1 002	999	2	2	-	-	3
100 to 199 tons	832	827	-	-	-	-	5
200 to 499 tons	600	597	-	-	-	-	3
500 tons and over	292	290	-	-	-	-	2
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	5 332	3 120	2 791	580	1 469	742	1
\$100 to \$499	9 835	6 713	3 909	792	2 121	996	5
\$500 to \$999	2 915	2 375	665	129	358	178	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2 451	2 278	204	42	108	54	11
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1 135	1 128	9	3	2	4	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 053	1 050	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over	1 445	1 436	-	-	-	-	9
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	36 845	26 453	13 331	2 982	6 988	3 361	43
dollars	11 184 310	10 486 579	820 125	174 367	450 063	195 695	51 973
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	18 793	10 539	10 666	2 418	5 513	2 735	6
\$100 to \$499	13 837	11 734	2 649	562	1 462	625	16
\$500 to \$999	2 242	2 224	14	2	11	1	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1 406	1 398	2	-	-	-	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999	366	358	-	-	-	-	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	112	111	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over	89	89	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer	52 334	33 430	24 451	5 598	12 256	6 597	51
dollars	40 058 838	36 886 040	3 713 959	787 757	2 006 884	919 318	246 596
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	14 416	5 124	12 115	2 824	5 621	3 670	1
\$100 to \$499	22 101	13 404	11 281	2 595	6 016	2 670	11
\$500 to \$999	7 032	6 292	888	155	521	212	7
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5 240	5 098	152	21	88	43	11
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2 102	2 087	14	3	9	2	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	999	990	1	-	1	-	8
\$10,000 and over	444	435	-	-	-	-	9
Lime	14 044	9 883	5 171	1 036	2 897	1 238	26
dollars	2 787 312	2 430 023	408 526	78 911	239 885	89 730	27 674
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	7 137	4 081	3 839	788	2 115	936	5
\$100 to \$499	5 722	4 649	1 309	246	766	297	10
\$500 to \$999	794	769	23	2	16	5	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499	333	329	-	-	-	-	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45	44	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	9	-	-	-	-	2
\$10,000 and over	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	27 505	19 968	9 585	2 091	5 159	2 335	43
dollars	9 702 932	9 356 235	390 029	85 766	215 568	88 695	42 434
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	16 627	9 855	8 664	1 898	4 642	2 124	6
\$100 to \$499	7 450	6 742	866	181	487	198	23
\$500 to \$999	1 560	1 517	50	12	25	13	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1 161	1 151	5	-	5	-	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999	442	441	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	174	171	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over	91	91	-	-	-	-	-
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business	60 613	37 312	29 711	6 464	15 488	7 759	54
dollars	25 692 969	22 661 706	3 812 714	882 437	1 958 404	971 873	100 986
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	18 814	6 134	15 993	3 318	8 461	4 214	5
\$100 to \$499	27 670	17 689	12 896	2 931	6 577	3 388	16
\$500 to \$999	8 153	7 588	750	193	412	145	8
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4 632	4 571	70	22	36	12	13
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1 079	1 069	2	-	2	-	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	214	212	-	-	-	-	2
\$10,000 and over	51	49	-	-	-	-	2
Hired farm labor	36 188	25 393	13 933	3 183	7 150	3 600	45
dollars	56 303 238	53 349 770	2 976 258	711 563	1 500 327	764 368	688 773
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	8 962	3 968	6 379	1 390	3 328	1 661	5
\$100 to \$499	14 257	9 456	6 277	1 478	3 177	1 622	2
\$500 to \$999	4 564	3 972	813	221	398	194	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3 953	3 653	359	65	208	86	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2 256	2 178	101	27	37	37	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 233	1 223	4	2	2	-	8
\$10,000 and over	963	943	-	-	-	-	20
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork	30 044	20 677	11 692	2 346	6 290	3 056	21
dollars	14 844 959	13 392 424	1 735 592	318 884	979 487	437 221	35 827
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	9 458	5 011	5 625	1 181	2 946	1 498	3
\$100 to \$499	14 928	10 403	5 619	1 101	3 074	1 444	7
\$500 to \$999	3 198	2 884	361	50	218	93	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1 727	1 654	82	13	48	21	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	422	417	5	1	4	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	165	162	-	-	-	-	3
\$10,000 and over	146	146	-	-	-	-	-
All other production expenses	52 355	35 548	21 315	4 560	11 123	5 632	52
dollars	142 416 980	133 590 056	10 342 083	2 086 970	5 852 569	2 402 544	571 811
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	4 929	1 564	4 402	1 037	2 057	1 308	-
\$100 to \$499	14 803	6 895	10 124	2 219	5 152	2 753	3
\$500 to \$999	9 087	5 955	3 876	746	2 161	969	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11 109	9 092	2 467	463	1 483	521	13
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5 862	5 517	421	87	257	77	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 779	3 754	25	8	13	4	8
\$10,000 and over	2 786	2 771	-	-	-	-	15

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Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles.....farms..	41 973	26 371	19 543	3 959	10 792	4 792	18
.....number..	54 353	34 811	24 237	4 757	13 831	5 649	62
Motortrucks including pickups.....farms..	41 345	27 615	17 397	3 716	9 515	4 166	49
.....number..	55 869	40 445	19 168	4 047	10 643	4 478	303
Tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms..	47 213	31 039	20 374	4 251	11 039	5 084	51
.....number..	79 347	59 833	24 345	5 095	13 308	5 942	264
Riding garden tractors 7hp and over.....farms..	3 738	2 448	1 483	205	986	292	12
.....number..	3 967	2 624	1 522	209	1 007	306	30
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms..	3 519	3 271	315	80	157	78	13
.....number..	3 769	3 507	329	81	162	86	14
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers.....farms..	6 755	6 109	782	155	482	145	19
.....number..	7 636	6 957	817	162	498	157	24
Pickup balers.....farms..	15 567	12 531	3 710	703	2 226	781	29
.....number..	16 035	12 953	3 754	712	2 254	788	40
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms..	59 665	36 445	29 585	6 419	15 420	7 746	54
.....dollars..	371 955 535	305 372 085	81 480 452	17 009 804	45 915 840	18 554 808	2 112 802
Number of farms by value of machinery and equipment:							
\$1 to \$999.....	8 049	2 785	6 971	1 709	2 939	2 323	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	30 908	16 399	18 356	3 855	9 951	4 550	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	10 438	7 847	3 211	624	1 932	655	4
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	6 084	5 443	798	171	462	165	14
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	2 167	2 031	167	36	92	39	5
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	1 311	1 256	69	22	35	12	8
\$50,000 and over.....	708	684	13	2	9	2	13
Livestock and Poultry							
Livestock and poultry on place:							
Cattle and calves.....farms..	40 120	25 178	18 764	3 854	9 805	5 105	32
.....number..	1 422 418	1 237 525	217 534	41 291	119 465	56 778	8 650
Farms with--							
1 to 4.....	7 255	3 290	5 262	1 298	2 382	1 582	1
5 to 9.....	6 356	2 548	4 718	911	2 497	1 310	1
10 to 19.....	8 779	4 373	5 478	1 074	3 073	1 331	2
20 and over.....	17 730	14 967	3 306	571	1 853	882	28
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms..	32 680	21 617	13 959	2 925	7 152	3 882	29
.....number..	669 994	590 483	94 623	18 420	50 939	25 264	3 308
Farms with--							
1.....	3 237	1 623	2 118	504	963	651	-
2 to 4.....	6 616	2 986	4 634	1 004	2 298	1 332	-
5 to 9.....	5 974	2 999	3 778	803	1 991	984	-
10 to 24.....	9 034	6 483	3 097	551	1 710	836	5
25 and over.....	7 819	7 526	332	63	190	79	24
Milk cows.....farms..	16 038	11 409	6 205	1 593	2 675	1 937	17
.....number..	190 864	178 411	15 566	4 272	6 562	4 732	1 159
Farms with--							
1 or 2.....	8 194	4 929	4 298	1 033	1 886	1 379	-
3 or 4.....	2 104	1 390	1 006	294	398	314	2
5 to 9.....	1 895	1 307	834	247	357	230	1
10 and over.....	3 845	3 783	67	19	34	14	14
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	17 243	12 209	6 608	1 602	3 252	1 754	28
.....number..	535 949	492 397	47 030	10 439	25 339	11 252	6 961
Farms with--							
1 to 4.....	7 045	3 963	4 126	1 044	1 925	1 157	-
5 to 9.....	2 476	1 655	1 051	230	560	261	-
10 to 24.....	3 026	2 279	990	245	504	241	2
25 and over.....	4 696	4 312	441	83	263	95	26
Litters of pigs farrowed, December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....farms..	9 894	7 699	2 813	631	1 459	723	13
.....number of litters..	96 053	88 007	8 938	2 072	4 793	2 073	1 180
Farms by number of litters farrowed:							
1 litter.....	1 458	880	747	169	368	210	-
2 to 4 litters.....	3 887	2 685	1 542	340	789	413	-
5 to 9 litters.....	1 987	1 667	409	90	238	81	1
10 to 19 litters.....	1 398	1 314	111	28	64	19	1
20 litters and over.....	1 164	1 153	4	4	-	-	11
Sheep and lambs.....farms..	4 265	2 979	1 575	295	822	458	6
.....number..	247 084	213 144	39 370	7 422	20 237	11 711	1 992
Farms with--							
1.....	63	35	34	6	23	5	-
2 to 4.....	127	80	62	15	39	8	-
5 to 9.....	251	135	143	27	78	38	-
10 to 24.....	1 268	695	711	138	358	215	-
25 and over.....	2 556	2 034	625	109	324	192	6
Horses and ponies.....farms..	13 017	7 814	6 512	1 321	3 786	1 405	12
.....number..	45 872	32 283	16 639	3 138	10 460	3 041	88
Farms with--							
1.....	5 448	3 132	2 952	641	1 576	735	5
2 to 4.....	5 401	3 221	2 715	538	1 627	550	3
5 to 9.....	1 335	810	618	95	441	82	2
10 to 24.....	633	452	227	47	142	38	1
25 and over.....	200	199	-	-	-	-	1

*This is the total on all special farms
 479,130
 Beef cows
 130*

Alli Farms

Table 9. Summary of Selected Economic Class Groups: 1969-Continued

(Classes 1-6 provide data comparable to the grouping identified as "commercial farms" in earlier census publications. Table 27 provides information separately for class 1-5 farms. See text)

	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Chickens 3 months old or older . . . farms . . .	13 996	8 355	7 526	1 899	2 988	2 639	14
number . . .	4 254 883	4 075 815	219 595	55 524	81 244	82 827	14 997
Farms with—							
1 to 99	12 278	6 874	7 233	1 829	2 888	2 516	-
100 to 399	1 028	805	284	68	96	120	7
400 to 1,599	322	312	9	2	4	3	3
1,600 and over	368	364	-	-	-	-	4
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	13 172	7 958	6 981	1 781	2 734	2 466	14
number . . .	3 382 032	3 224 325	196 643	50 351	71 194	75 098	11 415
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . farms . . .	775	663	137	29	64	44	4
number . . .	12 015 906	12 008 780	5 673	389	3 437	1 847	1 842
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	7 227	5 016	3 014	810	1 410	794	7
Livestock and poultry sold:							
Cattle and calves farms . . .	36 476	24 020	15 561	3 137	8 201	4 223	32
number . . .	805 392	716 499	105 572	20 118	56 771	28 683	3 439
Hogs and pigs farms . . .	12 247	9 584	3 360	725	1 768	867	28
number . . .	845 756	793 485	55 762	11 744	30 543	13 475	8 253
Feeder pigs sold farms . . .	3 074	2 219	1 068	218	580	270	5
number . . .	166 723	146 262	22 019	4 442	12 518	5 059	2 884
Sheep and lambs farms . . .	4 230	2 989	1 514	279	778	457	6
number . . .	202 847	177 792	30 021	5 932	14 608	9 481	966
Horses and ponies farms . . .	1 614	1 127	598	118	397	83	7
number . . .	5 854	4 880	1 244	285	800	159	15
Chickens 3 months old or older farms . . .	1 655	1 368	359	85	139	135	13
number . . .	3 887 984	3 855 864	34 440	12 380	10 439	11 621	10 060
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	1 530	1 276	325	84	114	127	13
number . . .	2 005 020	1 975 363	32 829	12 374	9 957	10 498	9 202
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . farms . . .	777	754	29	8	10	11	2
number . . .	60 027 933	60 001 683	18 678	280	6 516	11 882	7 852
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	1 025	807	268	53	156	59	3
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes farms . . .	28 280	21 355	9 168	2 284	4 346	2 538	41
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	9 086	4 980	5 533	1 434	2 475	1 624	7
5 to 14 acres	9 847	7 500	3 074	728	1 552	794	1
15 to 24 acres	3 176	2 839	420	88	246	86	5
25 to 49 acres	3 062	2 954	127	29	71	27	10
50 acres and over	3 109	3 082	14	5	2	7	18
For grain farms . . .	24 571	18 374	8 279	2 120	3 785	2 374	38
acres . . .	423 864	390 632	40 844	9 973	19 622	11 249	2 361
bushels . . .	32 511 424	30 812 863	1 981 877	476 423	1 000 392	505 062	193 107
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	8 700	7 652	1 271	248	790	233	25
acres . . .	193 660	185 972	7 411	1 420	4 713	1 278	1 697
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup farms . . .	1 169	895	302	37	202	63	9
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	334	189	160	17	109	34	2
5 to 14 acres	445	353	97	12	67	18	7
15 to 24 acres	177	160	21	4	14	3	-
25 to 49 acres	125	107	20	2	10	8	-
50 acres and over	88	86	4	2	2	-	-
For grain or seed farms . . .	566	508	72	19	46	7	5
acres . . .	9 621	9 367	318	94	198	26	30
bushels . . .	489 135	476 455	13 708	2 392	9 520	1 796	1 364
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	657	433	241	21	164	56	4
acres . . .	10 120	8 351	2 060	328	1 241	491	37
Wheat for grain farms . . .	10 745	8 867	2 511	654	1 035	822	21
acres . . .	151 983	140 514	14 146	3 562	6 073	4 511	885
bushels . . .	6 477 754	6 107 350	442 219	108 802	194 571	138 846	36 987
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	3 276	2 300	1 328	358	551	419	6
5 to 14 acres	4 876	4 084	1 040	254	416	370	6
15 to 24 acres	1 164	1 090	107	35	48	24	2
25 to 49 acres	871	842	34	7	19	8	2
50 acres and over	558	551	2	-	1	1	5
Other small grains for grain . . . farms . . .	9 103	7 651	1 788	366	946	476	30
acres . . .	151 016	141 706	9 640	1 793	5 507	2 340	1 463
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	2 438	1 631	1 025	221	507	297	3
5 to 14 acres	3 721	3 174	674	134	376	164	7
15 to 24 acres	1 319	1 259	66	10	44	12	4
25 to 49 acres	1 015	989	20	1	17	2	7
50 acres and over	610	598	3	-	2	1	9

All Farms

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Soybeans for beans	farms 7 011	5 556	1 824	377	921	526	8
	acres 303 038	286 374	20 761	4 262	10 881	5 618	165
	bushels 7 776 397	7 391 509	473 425	92 469	249 612	131 344	3 932
Farms with—	978	554	529	107	248	174	2
1 to 4 acres	2 060	1 447	765	154	397	214	2
5 to 14 acres	1 063	806	329	73	169	87	1
15 to 24 acres	1 258	1 098	201	43	107	51	2
25 to 49 acres	1 652	1 651	-	-	-	-	1
50 acres and over							
Hay excluding sorghum hay	farms 31 469	19 542	14 764	2 871	7 740	4 153	34
	acres 775 454	618 711	186 711	34 313	100 492	51 906	4 345
	tons 1 278 689	1 078 125	232 404	41 292	126 919	64 193	9 452
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	4 232	1 806	3 093	669	1 534	890	2
5 to 14 acres	10 914	5 459	6 797	1 346	3 538	1 913	4
15 to 24 acres	6 434	3 902	3 080	550	1 674	856	2
25 to 49 acres	6 177	4 857	1 576	261	871	444	5
50 acres and over	3 712	3 518	218	45	123	50	21
Cotton	farms 513	397	168	53	62	53	1
	acres 5 235	4 805	439	139	147	153	130
	bales 3 175	2 928	300	99	88	113	46
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	268	169	145	46	54	45	-
5 to 14 acres	163	147	23	7	8	8	-
15 to 24 acres	38	38	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres	23	23	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over	21	20	-	-	-	-	1
Peanuts for nuts	farms 2 949	2 504	587	146	298	143	4
	acres 102 913	100 446	3 122	733	1 688	701	78
	pounds 232 930 434	229 169 348	4 577 492	975 410	2 647 410	954 672	159 004
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres	366	149	293	78	129	86	2
5 to 14 acres	838	625	275	62	159	54	-
15 to 24 acres	458	447	16	5	8	3	-
25 to 49 acres	604	600	3	1	2	-	2
50 acres and over	683	683	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco	farms 21 183	14 544	9 525	2 890	4 132	2 503	4
	acres 66 287	60 213	8 895	2 838	3 734	2 323	17
	pounds 117 547 795	107 283 382	14 992 099	4 745 344	6 362 213	3 884 542	17 658
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.4 acre	2 460	880	2 254	674	1 056	524	-
0.5 to 0.9 acre	5 313	2 422	4 075	1 184	1 734	1 157	-
1.0 to 1.4 acres	2 164	1 308	1 238	383	566	289	1
1.5 to 1.9 acres	1 410	886	766	243	307	216	1
2.0 to 4.9 acres	5 474	4 703	1 166	396	463	307	1
5 acres and over	4 362	4 345	26	10	6	10	1
Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes	farms 6 398	4 388	2 857	867	1 113	877	20
	acres 42 298	41 140	1 334	374	505	455	198
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre	5 241	3 470	2 558	789	973	796	2
1.0 to 2.9 acres	539	365	232	61	113	58	3
3.0 to 4.9 acres	91	67	26	5	10	11	3
5.0 to 9.9 acres	111	82	33	8	17	8	4
10 acres and over	416	404	8	4	-	4	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	farms 2 245	1 618	849	235	341	273	13
	acres 38 003	36 946	1 276	424	458	394	205
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre	641	320	445	124	177	144	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	661	445	283	68	120	95	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	205	163	59	19	27	13	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres	249	219	41	14	13	14	3
10 acres and over	489	471	21	10	4	7	7
Berries for sale	farms 553	373	240	62	103	75	2
	acres 1 130	1 025	133	29	53	51	1
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre	371	214	204	49	93	62	2
1.0 to 2.9 acres	97	83	26	12	6	8	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres	27	24	4	1	1	2	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres	25	19	6	-	3	3	-
10 acres and over	33	33	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards (see text)	farms 2 072	1 220	1 078	234	563	281	8
	acres 48 989	46 773	2 668	672	1 451	545	220
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre	395	149	327	81	154	92	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	632	262	448	80	235	133	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	187	92	119	25	62	32	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres	252	155	122	27	79	16	2
10 acres and over	606	562	62	21	33	8	3
Other crops	farms 3 086	1 820	1 694	433	854	407	5
	acres 27 703	25 900	2 347	574	1 291	482	30
Farms with—							
0.1 to 0.9 acre	1 069	296	1 044	271	509	264	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	896	543	473	122	242	109	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	209	160	63	15	42	6	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres	311	256	70	15	37	18	-
10 acres and over	601	565	44	10	24	10	2
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	farms 202	154	71	24	29	18	1
	sq.ft. 1 321 442	1 305 372	21 036	6 766	10 322	3 948	1 800

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