

Table 14. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964		Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964	
	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text		Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text
Farms and land in farms operated by—													
All farm operators	farms 21 055	201	farms 21 342	201	farms 20 515	201	farms 129 208	(NA)	farms 152 931	(NA)	farms 84	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland	acres 33 739 546	125 203	acres 33 779 109	125 203	acres 34 077 460	125 203	acres 129 208	(NA)	acres 152 931	(NA)	acres 84	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners	farms 9 783	108	farms 9 095	108	farms 7 698	108	farms 496	1	farms 322	1	farms 322	336	
Harvested cropland	acres 8 714 151	56 807	acres 6 913 850	56 807	acres (NA)	56 807	acres 2 100	11	acres 2 281	11	acres 2 281	2 437	
Part owners	farms 7 921	58	farms 8 657	58	farms 8 272	58	acres 3 451	29	acres 4 396	29	acres 4 396	4 996	
Harvested cropland	acres 21 886 230	60 136	acres 23 554 179	60 136	acres (NA)	60 136	acres 5 417	95	acres 6 112	95	acres 6 112	6 200	
Tenants	farms 3 351	35	farms 3 590	35	farms 4 215	35	acres 5 261	48	acres 5 514	48	acres 5 514	4 471	
Harvested cropland	acres 3 139 165	8 260	acres 3 311 080	8 260	acres (NA)	8 260	acres 3 332	17	acres 2 717	17	acres 2 717	2 075	
Percent of tenancy	acres 2 957	34	acres 3 210	34	acres (NA)	34	acres 3 332	17	acres 2 717	17	acres 2 717	2 075	
	acres 791 674	5 920	acres 802 128	5 920	acres (NA)	5 920	Average age	51.3	50.1	50.1	(NA)	(NA)	
	acres 15.9	17.4	acres 16.8	17.4	acres 20.5	17.4							
Farms by type of organization:													
Individual or family	farms 17 995	178	farms 17 711	178	farms (NA)	178	On farm operated	13 493	125	16 783	17 512		
Partnership	acres 23 504 468	98 967	acres 23 269 032	98 967	acres (NA)	98 967	On another farm	830	13	3 027	2 299		
Corporation, including family corporations	farms 2 062	23	farms 2 938	23	farms (NA)	23	In a rural area, not on a farm	488	11				
	acres 5 301 547	26 236	acres 6 517 716	26 236	acres (NA)	26 236	In a city, town, or urban area	2 294	17				
	farms 931	(NA)	farms 609	(NA)	farms (NA)	(NA)	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm ¹						
	acres 4 804 323	(NA)	acres 3 839 430	(NA)	acres (NA)	(NA)	1 to 49 days	6 912	76	9 339	7 006		
							50 to 99 days	1 658	22	2 978	2 614		
							100 to 149 days	640	6	1 186	1 106		
							150 to 199 days	634	8	1 610	1 238		
							200 days and over	3 192	37	3 565	2 048		
							Farm operators by principal occupation: ¹						
							Farming	15 705	169	(NA)	(NA)		
							Other than farming	4 352	32	(NA)	(NA)		

¹1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 15. Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974	1969	Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	farms 21 055	21 342	Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued		
Average per farm	\$1,000 1 962 120	\$1,000 1 091 514	Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued		
	dollars 93 190	dollars 51 143	Cotton and cottonseed	\$1,000	
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:			Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms 6 056	7 830
Under \$2,500 (see text)	farms 567	587	Other field crops	\$1,000 72 885	35 388
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms 2 263	3 329	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms 1 858	3 283
\$5,000 to \$7,499	farms 1 737	2 480	Fruits, nuts, and berries	\$1,000 140 325	44 845
\$7,500 to \$9,999	farms 1 315	1 874	Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 532	788
\$10,000 to \$14,999	farms 2 055	2 803	Forest products sold	\$1,000 21 304	12 374
\$15,000 to \$19,999	farms 1 465	2 049	Livestock, poultry, and their products sold	farms 396	482
\$20,000 to \$29,999	farms 2 301	2 658	Poultry and poultry products	\$1,000 7 927	4 681
\$30,000 to \$39,999	farms 1 649	1 601	Dairy products	farms 381	319
\$40,000 to \$59,999	farms 2 356	1 535	Cattle and calves	\$1,000 38 041	19 685
\$60,000 and over	farms 5 347	2 426	Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms 14 432	750 098
\$60,000 to \$79,999	farms 1 394	753	Hogs and pigs	\$1,000 1 086 427	65 821
\$80,000 to \$99,999	farms 896	425	Other livestock and livestock products	farms 1 432	(NA)
\$100,000 and over	farms 3 057	1 248		\$1,000 52 095	(NA)
\$100,000 to \$199,999	farms 1 796	746		farms 2 350	(NA)
\$200,000 to \$499,999	farms 907	330		\$1,000 35 081	(NA)
\$500,000 and over	farms 354	172		farms 1 173	(NA)
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:				\$1,000 8 087	(NA)
Crops, including nursery products and hay	farms 15 107	15 452			
Grains	\$1,000 680 853	214 845			
Tobacco	farms 12 080	12 009			
	\$1,000 400 371	97 872			
	farms —	—			
	\$1,000 —	—			

¹Includes goats and mohair sold.