

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Age of farm operator						
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms..... number.....	2 285	1 711	26	155	207	452	509	362
..... percent.....	100.0	74.9	1.1	6.8	9.1	19.8	22.3	15.8
Land in farms..... acres.....	334 790	283 365	4 263	25 095	39 454	73 409	85 417	55 727
Average size of farm..... acres.....	147	166	164	162	191	162	168	154
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	486 677	406 113	8 060	36 241	61 661	109 919	117 778	72 453
Average per farm..... dollars.....	212 988	237 354	310 009	233 816	297 879	243 183	231 391	200 147
Average per acre..... dollars.....	1 454	1 433	1 891	1 444	1 563	1 497	1 379	1 300
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999.....	39	23	1	3	-	8	7	4
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	91	53	2	3	4	13	19	12
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	211	134	1	10	3	42	45	33
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	325	212	3	15	25	49	61	59
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	228	165	3	14	17	34	49	48
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	350	267	2	25	33	71	75	61
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	225	169	4	22	18	49	48	28
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	599	492	6	42	75	133	143	93
\$500,000 and over.....	217	196	4	21	32	53	62	24
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned..... farms.....	2 100	1 568	12	104	178	428	493	353
..... acres.....	238 916	196 166	1 183	10 397	22 280	51 355	62 376	48 575
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	1 027	839	23	109	129	224	235	119
..... acres.....	104 955	92 607	3 249	15 123	18 163	23 480	24 174	8 418
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	207	135	2	7	12	36	42	36
..... acres.....	9 081	5 408	169	425	989	1 426	1 133	1 266
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland..... farms.....	2 064	1 559	25	149	187	396	463	339
..... acres.....	180 511	155 107	2 886	15 249	23 657	40 841	45 147	27 327
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	1 967	1 496	24	145	177	373	447	330
..... acres.....	129 856	113 376	1 952	11 037	18 130	31 898	31 968	18 391
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	1 074	714	8	65	60	163	223	195
50 to 99 acres.....	459	383	10	36	41	90	115	91
100 to 199 acres.....	295	271	3	33	54	74	77	30
200 to 499 acres.....	131	120	3	10	21	43	31	12
500 to 999 acres.....	8	8	-	1	1	3	1	2
1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	951	728	13	67	106	164	228	150
..... acres.....	43 644	35 898	897	3 596	4 961	7 049	11 981	7 414
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	116	87	-	13	7	21	34	12
..... acres.....	3 011	2 521	-	283	305	601	513	819
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	47	40	-	7	5	15	7	6
..... acres.....	287	263	-	24	36	111	57	35
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	25	19	1	2	2	2	8	4
..... acres.....	497	415	33	12	38	16	183	133
Idle..... farms.....	182	143	1	17	13	37	38	37
..... acres.....	3 216	2 634	4	297	187	1 166	445	535
Total woodland..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	1 342	1 021	9	82	135	255	315	225
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	99 062	80 465	742	6 109	10 208	18 966	25 344	19 096
..... acres.....	523	427	3	42	53	100	137	92
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	28 992	25 049	149	2 556	3 078	5 822	8 498	4 946
..... acres.....	1 080	812	8	66	110	199	247	182
..... acres.....	70 070	55 416	593	3 553	7 130	13 144	16 846	14 150
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland								
pasture..... farms.....	528	443	5	25	50	130	143	90
..... acres.....	26 857	23 740	106	1 595	2 341	7 673	7 375	4 650
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	269	225	1	8	28	66	73	49
..... acres.....	13 601	11 564	8	397	1 626	4 224	3 339	1 970
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	327	278	4	18	26	82	90	58
..... acres.....	13 256	12 176	98	1 198	715	3 449	4 036	2 680
Other land (see text)..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	1 640	1 248	20	109	155	337	388	239
..... acres.....	28 360	24 053	529	2 142	3 248	5 929	7 551	4 654
Total pastureland..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	1 395	1 094	17	92	141	276	338	230
Irrigated land..... farms.....	99 493	84 687	1 152	7 747	10 380	20 544	27 854	17 010
..... acres.....	202	165	3	19	18	47	46	32
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	3 164	2 964	23	404	409	889	859	380
..... acres.....	202	165	3	19	18	47	46	32
..... acres.....	3 010	2 813	23	388	409	832	824	337
Artificial drainage..... farms.....								
..... acres drained.....	171	136	-	20	13	35	41	27
..... acres.....	3 119	2 665	-	557	144	764	712	488
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....								
..... number.....	535	420	3	42	59	117	127	72
..... acres.....	1 071	866	3	80	120	279	223	161
..... acres.....	874	665	2	58	80	191	168	167
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators.....	2 285	1 711	26	155	207	452	509	362
Full owners.....	1 263	874	3	46	78	228	276	243
Part owners.....	833	691	9	58	99	199	216	110
Tenants.....	189	146	14	51	30	25	17	9

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	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms..... number.....	574	7	58	118	150	170	71
..... percent.....	25.1	0.3	2.5	5.2	6.6	7.4	3.1
Land in farms..... acres.....	51 425	334	4 135	11 585	14 675	13 331	7 365
Average size of farm..... acres.....	90	48	71	98	98	78	104
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	80 564	893	7 341	16 642	19 881	25 012	10 795
Average per farm..... dollars.....	140 356	127 539	126 577	141 034	132 537	147 131	152 044
Average per acre..... dollars.....	1 567	2 673	1 775	1 437	1 355	1 876	1 466
Farms by value of farm:							
\$1 to \$9,999.....	16	1	—	1	8	5	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	38	—	—	11	9	10	5
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	77	1	11	10	16	23	16
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	113	1	14	23	29	34	12
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	63	2	12	18	12	16	3
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	83	—	4	16	27	31	5
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	56	—	3	14	14	17	8
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	107	2	9	22	31	25	18
\$500,000 and over.....	21	—	2	3	4	9	3
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned..... farms.....	532	3	43	108	141	167	70
..... acres.....	42 750	153	2 192	9 557	10 890	12 847	7 111
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	188	5	38	47	50	35	13
..... acres.....	12 348	181	2 018	2 673	5 163	1 510	803
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	72	—	3	13	25	16	15
..... acres.....	3 673	—	75	645	1 378	1 026	549
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland..... farms.....	505	6	55	96	134	150	64
..... acres.....	25 404	164	2 487	5 664	7 516	6 086	3 487
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	471	5	51	85	128	142	60
..... acres.....	16 480	83	2 172	2 962	4 658	4 201	2 404
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	360	5	38	62	103	112	40
50 to 99 acres.....	76	—	8	18	17	20	13
100 to 199 acres.....	24	—	2	4	4	9	5
200 to 499 acres.....	11	—	3	1	4	1	2
500 to 999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 acres and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	223	2	22	55	66	55	23
..... acres.....	7 746	29	238	2 609	2 289	1 632	949
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	29	2	2	3	9	8	5
..... acres.....	490	32	5	13	276	130	34
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	7	—	—	2	4	—	1
..... acres.....	24	—	—	6	11	—	7
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	6	—	—	2	1	—	—
..... acres.....	82	—	—	37	27	8	2
Idle..... farms.....	39	1	6	6	9	12	10
..... acres.....	582	20	72	37	255	115	83
Total woodland..... farms.....	321	3	26	70	81	105	36
..... acres.....	18 597	137	1 035	4 987	4 184	5 355	2 899
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	96	1	10	22	27	28	8
..... acres.....	3 943	45	281	1 137	1 188	783	509
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	268	2	21	62	61	90	32
..... acres.....	14 654	92	754	3 850	2 996	4 572	2 390
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland							
pasture..... farms.....	85	1	7	17	26	23	11
..... acres.....	3 117	5	447	222	1 669	563	211
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	44	1	3	10	14	13	3
..... acres.....	2 037	5	434	162	1 071	282	83
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	49	—	4	9	16	12	8
..... acres.....	1 080	—	13	60	598	281	128
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	392	5	31	82	105	126	43
..... acres.....	4 307	28	166	712	1 306	1 327	768
Total pastureland..... farms.....	301	2	30	67	91	81	30
..... acres.....	14 806	79	966	3 968	5 146	2 978	1 669
Irrigated land..... farms.....	37	—	7	3	10	13	4
..... acres.....	200	—	40	7	41	77	35
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	37	—	7	3	10	13	4
..... acres.....	197	—	37	7	41	77	35
Artificial drainage..... farms.....	35	—	4	9	10	10	2
..... acres drained.....	454	—	17	45	214	146	32
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....	115	1	17	26	30	30	11
..... number.....	205	1	29	65	46	51	13
..... acres.....	209	(Z)	8	47	39	86	30
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators.....	574	7	58	118	150	170	71
Full owners.....	389	2	20	72	102	135	58
Part owners.....	142	1	23	35	39	32	12
Tenants.....	43	4	15	11	9	3	1

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Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued								
All farm operators—Continued								
White ¹	2 271	1 699	26	154	206	451	501	361
Full owners	1 258	869	3	46	77	228	272	243
Part owners	825	685	9	57	99	199	212	109
Tenants	188	145	14	51	30	24	17	9
Black and other races ¹	14	12	—	1	1	1	8	1
Full owners	5	5	—	—	1	—	4	—
Part owners	8	6	—	1	—	—	4	1
Tenants	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family	2 037	1 500	24	140	184	382	454	316
acres	280 826	232 933	4 186	22 267	33 751	57 322	68 795	46 612
Partnership	248	211	2	15	23	70	55	46
acres	53 964	50 432	77	2 828	5 703	16 087	16 622	9 115
Corporation, including family owned	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt	855	646	17	81	111	185	181	71
\$1,000	41 329	34 714	610	4 470	7 606	10 984	9 253	1 791
debts secured by real estate	646	480	6	57	80	137	145	55
\$1,000	31 531	25 878	373	3 337	5 744	8 115	6 858	1 450
debts not secured by real estate	445	360	16	47	65	103	89	40
\$1,000	9 798	8 836	237	1 134	1 862	2 868	2 395	341
Farm Operator Characteristics¹								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	33	26	26	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years	213	155	—	155	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years	325	207	—	—	207	—	—	—
45 to 54 years	602	452	—	—	—	452	—	—
55 to 64 years	679	509	—	—	—	—	509	—
65 years and over	433	362	—	—	—	—	—	362
Average age	53.3	54.0	22.7	30.0	40.0	49.9	59.3	72.4
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	1 737	1 310	17	103	155	342	414	279
On another farm	33	28	1	4	6	9	2	6
In a rural area, not on a farm	116	73	3	16	16	19	8	11
In a city, town, or urban area	82	46	2	5	5	11	15	8
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	1 711	1 711	26	155	207	452	509	362
Other	574	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—								
Greater than value of farm products sold	505	176	2	9	18	38	43	66
Less than value of farm products sold	1 098	924	16	90	120	239	294	165
Not reporting or none	682	611	8	56	69	175	172	131
Farm operators reporting days of work								
off farm	740	274	7	33	51	81	70	32
1 to 49 days	77	72	1	8	13	12	25	13
50 to 99 days	49	39	—	6	2	14	9	8
100 to 149 days	76	53	1	9	16	16	7	4
150 to 199 days	121	50	2	4	9	20	15	—
200 days and over	417	60	3	6	11	19	14	7
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	383	253	1	22	40	82	81	27
Number of persons	461	293	—	23	50	98	90	31
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	53	42	—	6	9	16	8	3
50 to 99 days	45	32	—	—	12	5	13	2
100 to 149 days	56	30	1	1	4	14	10	—
150 to 199 days	89	62	—	6	5	17	26	8
200 days and over	218	127	—	10	20	46	33	18
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	266	161	3	18	19	48	42	31
10 to 49 acres	502	325	3	27	39	90	97	69
50 to 69 acres	181	119	3	13	4	20	40	39
70 to 99 acres	200	148	3	12	19	46	38	30
100 to 139 acres	289	225	3	19	25	53	65	60
140 to 179 acres	190	157	4	15	21	38	48	31
180 to 219 acres	155	126	2	9	11	30	39	35
220 to 259 acres	101	88	—	7	10	29	27	15
260 to 499 acres	299	269	2	27	42	76	85	37
500 to 999 acres	91	83	3	6	15	21	26	12
1,000 to 1,999 acres	9	8	—	2	2	1	2	1
2,000 acres and over	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	8	7	—	4	1	—	—	2
Cotton farms (0131)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132)	74	60	—	7	7	19	21	6

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		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White ¹	572	7	57	118	149	170	71
Full owners.....	389	2	20	72	102	135	58
Part owners.....	140	1	22	35	38	32	12
Tenants.....	43	4	15	11	9	3	1
Black and other races ¹	2	—	1	—	1	—	—
Full owners.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Part owners.....	2	—	1	—	1	—	—
Tenants.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family..... farms.....	537	7	50	113	138	162	67
..... acres.....	47 893	334	3 217	11 082	13 509	12 402	7 349
Partnership..... farms.....	37	—	8	5	12	8	4
..... acres.....	3 532	—	918	503	1 166	929	16
Corporation, including family owned..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt..... farms.....	209	5	35	61	49	49	10
..... \$1,000.....	6 615	13	1 048	2 313	1 424	1 501	316
Debts secured by real estate..... farms.....	166	1	25	54	37	41	8
..... \$1,000.....	5 654	3	933	2 012	1 124	1 315	266
Debts not secured by real estate..... farms.....	85	4	14	27	17	19	4
..... \$1,000.....	962	10	115	301	300	186	50
Farm Operator Characteristics¹							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years.....	7	7	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	58	—	58	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	118	—	—	118	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	150	—	—	—	150	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	170	—	—	—	—	170	—
65 years and over.....	71	—	—	—	—	—	71
Average age.....	50.9	22.3	30.7	39.9	49.8	59.4	70.5
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated.....	427	4	37	91	114	135	46
On another farm.....	5	—	1	—	1	—	2
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	43	—	11	13	10	6	3
In a city, town, or urban area.....	36	2	4	7	9	9	5
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	574	7	58	118	150	170	71
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	329	3	38	73	88	99	28
Less than value of farm products sold.....	174	4	16	36	51	51	16
Not reporting or none.....	71	—	4	9	11	20	27
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm—							
1 to 49 days.....	466	7	53	107	129	140	30
50 to 99 days.....	5	1	1	—	3	—	—
100 to 149 days.....	10	—	1	3	2	3	1
150 to 199 days.....	23	—	2	4	7	9	1
200 days and over.....	71	1	7	26	15	13	9
Average.....	357	5	42	74	102	115	19
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting.....	130	2	15	29	32	41	11
Number of persons.....	168	2	20	35	41	55	15
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days.....	11	—	5	3	3	—	—
50 to 99 days.....	13	—	3	5	3	2	—
100 to 149 days.....	26	—	—	4	3	18	1
150 to 199 days.....	27	—	1	8	7	8	3
200 days and over.....	91	2	11	15	25	27	11
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres.....	105	1	10	19	26	31	18
10 to 49 acres.....	177	3	23	36	42	56	17
50 to 69 acres.....	62	1	11	13	17	15	5
70 to 99 acres.....	52	—	2	13	16	15	6
100 to 139 acres.....	64	2	6	15	14	21	6
140 to 179 acres.....	33	—	—	3	10	18	2
180 to 219 acres.....	29	—	1	8	11	4	5
220 to 259 acres.....	13	—	—	3	3	5	2
260 to 499 acres.....	30	—	5	5	7	3	10
500 to 999 acres.....	8	—	—	2	4	2	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
2,000 acres and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011).....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	14	1	1	—	2	3	7

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Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	212	120	2	10	8	30	31	39
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	177	134	3	11	9	30	44	37
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	124	98	—	9	9	23	25	32
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	274	168	3	23	23	42	47	30
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	30	26	—	2	—	7	5	12
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	230	119	4	10	3	16	37	49
Dairy farms (024)	773	720	14	70	107	190	223	116
Poultry and egg farms (025)	289	221	—	7	31	84	68	31
Animal specialty farms (027)	53	20	—	1	5	8	4	2
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	8	3	—	—	1	1	1	—
Farms not classified by SIC	33	15	—	1	3	2	3	6
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold	2 285	1 711	26	155	207	452	509	362
..... \$1,000.....	129 618	118 531	946	8 713	19 645	42 950	33 171	13 107
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 and over	19	19	—	1	4	7	6	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	81	75	—	3	17	27	20	8
\$100,000 to \$199,999	205	191	1	19	33	63	60	15
\$40,000 to \$99,999	542	494	9	56	72	141	147	69
\$20,000 to \$39,999	394	331	7	33	41	97	93	60
\$10,000 to \$19,999	339	258	7	22	17	53	92	67
\$5,000 to \$9,999	337	167	2	12	13	26	41	73
\$2,500 to \$4,999	334	163	—	8	7	35	46	67
Under \$2,500 (see text)	34	13	—	1	3	3	4	2
Grain sold	55	43	1	5	9	8	12	8
..... \$1,000.....	256	245	1	105	54	20	40	25
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco sold	87	73	1	10	7	22	24	9
..... \$1,000.....	6 266	5 969	6	224	3 267	728	1 278	466
Sales of \$40,000 and over	20	17	—	2	4	5	5	1
..... \$1,000.....	5 362	5 166	—	(D)	3 229	431	973	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold	627	474	8	41	68	112	131	114
..... \$1,000.....	4 916	4 059	119	408	720	1 092	1 029	692
Sales of \$40,000 and over	14	12	1	1	2	4	1	3
..... \$1,000.....	890	793	(D)	(D)	(D)	190	(D)	201
Other field crops sold	79	61	—	2	8	15	18	18
..... \$1,000.....	1 189	828	—	4	10	411	259	143
Sales of \$40,000 and over	6	5	—	—	—	2	2	1
..... \$1,000.....	820	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	359	282	5	30	21	73	87	66
..... \$1,000.....	4 148	3 843	41	486	243	1 248	1 037	788
Sales of \$40,000 and over	26	26	—	3	1	13	5	4
..... \$1,000.....	1 732	1 732	—	(D)	(D)	831	308	284
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	222	170	—	13	17	43	46	51
..... \$1,000.....	4 410	4 028	—	391	425	1 140	1 299	774
Sales of \$40,000 and over	36	34	—	4	4	9	11	6
..... \$1,000.....	2 813	(D)	—	246	(D)	803	945	447
Poultry and poultry products sold	377	280	1	10	35	94	85	55
..... \$1,000.....	42 234	38 447	1	809	4 632	21 278	10 132	1 595
Sales of \$40,000 and over	175	146	—	7	26	56	45	12
..... \$1,000.....	39 980	36 861	—	790	4 512	20 713	9 593	1 252
Dairy products sold	796	734	14	70	111	193	226	120
..... \$1,000.....	47 561	45 400	524	4 292	7 622	13 301	13 308	6 354
Sales of \$40,000 and over	448	427	4	51	73	124	129	46
..... \$1,000.....	39 904	38 468	235	3 851	6 644	11 657	11 198	4 884
Cattle and calves sold	1 184	944	22	89	120	242	285	186
..... \$1,000.....	7 525	6 394	192	858	660	1 617	2 188	879
Sales of \$40,000 and over	24	21	1	3	3	5	6	3
..... \$1,000.....	2 386	2 115	(D)	393	(D)	446	863	156
Hogs and pigs sold	100	63	1	9	13	15	10	15
..... \$1,000.....	431	272	2	18	34	110	28	80
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	70	42	—	5	11	6	6	14
..... \$1,000.....	43	26	—	10	2	1	2	11
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products sold	103	56	—	6	15	13	15	7
..... \$1,000.....	952	568	—	11	165	230	98	64
Sales of \$40,000 and over	6	5	—	—	2	2	1	—
..... \$1,000.....	493	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	341	227	4	35	26	62	62	38
..... \$1,000.....	9 315	8 174	61	1 095	1 789	1 627	2 413	1 189
Sales of \$40,000 and over	56	51	—	6	5	13	18	9
..... \$1,000.....	6 433	6 161	—	800	1 490	1 060	1 978	833
Forest products sold	195	127	3	9	14	32	37	32
..... \$1,000.....	371	279	1	2	23	146	59	48
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
..... \$1,000.....	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.

Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	92
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	43
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	26
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	106
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	4
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	111
Dairy farms (024)	53
Poultry and egg farms (025)	68
Animal specialty farms (027)	33
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	5
Farms not classified by SIC	18

Value of Products Sold

Market value of agricultural products sold	574
\$1,000	11 086
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:	
\$500,000 and over	6
\$200,000 to \$499,999	14
\$100,000 to \$199,999	48
\$40,000 to \$99,999	63
\$20,000 to \$39,999	81
\$10,000 to \$19,999	170
\$5,000 to \$9,999	171
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21
Under \$2,500 (see text)	
Grain sold	12
\$1,000	11
Sales of \$40,000 and over	
\$1,000	14
Tobacco sold	296
\$1,000	3
Sales of \$40,000 and over	196
\$1,000	
Cotton and cottonseed sold	
\$1,000	
Sales of \$40,000 and over	
\$1,000	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold	153
\$1,000	857
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2
\$1,000	97
Other field crops sold	18
\$1,000	361
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1
\$1,000	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	77
\$1,000	305
Sales of \$40,000 and over	
\$1,000	
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	52
\$1,000	382
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2
\$1,000	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold	97
\$1,000	3 788
Sales of \$40,000 and over	29
\$1,000	3 120
Dairy products sold	62
\$1,000	2 161
Sales of \$40,000 and over	21
\$1,000	1 435
Cattle and calves sold	240
\$1,000	1 130
Sales of \$40,000 and over	3
\$1,000	271
Hogs and pigs sold	37
\$1,000	160
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1
\$1,000	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	28
\$1,000	17
Sales of \$40,000 and over	
\$1,000	
Other livestock and livestock products sold	47
\$1,000	384
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1
\$1,000	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	114
\$1,000	1 141
Sales of \$40,000 and over	5
\$1,000	273
Forest products sold	68
\$1,000	92
Sales of \$40,000 and over	
\$1,000	

	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	92	1	9	26	26	17	13
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	43	-	5	7	12	16	3
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	26	-	5	3	7	10	1
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	106	1	8	18	31	28	20
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	4	-	1	-	-	1	2
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	111	1	18	22	33	32	5
Dairy farms (024)	53	-	1	7	15	19	11
Poultry and egg farms (025)	68	2	6	16	14	25	5
Animal specialty farms (027)	33	-	1	13	8	10	1
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	5	-	2	1	-	2	-
Farms not classified by SIC	18	-	1	5	2	7	3
Market value of agricultural products sold	574	7	58	118	150	170	71
\$1,000	11 086	122	1 092	2 667	2 881	2 803	1 520
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$500,000 and over	6	-	1	2	2	-	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	14	-	2	4	3	4	1
\$100,000 to \$199,999	48	1	4	7	13	14	9
\$40,000 to \$99,999	63	1	4	15	16	17	10
\$20,000 to \$39,999	81	1	2	25	23	24	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999	170	1	20	32	38	50	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999	171	3	20	30	49	55	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	-	5	3	6	6	1
Under \$2,500 (see text)							
Grain sold	12	1	4	-	4	2	1
\$1,000	11	4	3	-	1	1	2
Sales of \$40,000 and over							
\$1,000	14	1	1	-	2	3	7
Tobacco sold	296	4	6	-	(D)	25	(D)
\$1,000	3	-	-	-	2	-	1
Sales of \$40,000 and over	196	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed sold							
\$1,000							
Sales of \$40,000 and over							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold	153	1	13	36	38	45	20
\$1,000	857	1	43	242	232	206	133
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
\$1,000	97	-	-	-	57	-	41
Other field crops sold	18	1	2	4	5	5	1
\$1,000	361	2	24	9	(D)	5	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	77	-	7	17	21	25	7
\$1,000	305	-	44	55	94	86	26
Sales of \$40,000 and over							
\$1,000							
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	52	-	7	10	15	18	2
\$1,000	382	-	156	52	63	104	7
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	(D)	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products sold	97	2	9	25	20	34	7
\$1,000	3 788	(D)	606	1 360	599	877	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 and over	29	1	4	10	3	10	1
\$1,000	3 120	(D)	560	1 199	(D)	751	(D)
Dairy products sold	62	-	1	9	20	21	11
\$1,000	2 161	-	(D)	(D)	688	701	520
Sales of \$40,000 and over	21	-	1	2	5	6	7
\$1,000	1 435	-	(D)	(D)	478	392	402
Cattle and calves sold	240	3	25	58	66	64	24
\$1,000	1 130	3	67	275	326	331	127
Sales of \$40,000 and over	3	-	-	1	1	1	-
\$1,000	271	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Hogs and pigs sold	37	2	12	13	3	5	2
\$1,000	160	(D)	29	12	2	86	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	28	-	4	13	7	2	2
\$1,000	17	-	2	7	4	3	2
Sales of \$40,000 and over							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products sold	47	-	6	16	12	12	1
\$1,000	384	-	(D)	(D)	38	58	20
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	114	1	8	21	32	31	21
\$1,000	1 141	4	50	166	438	284	199
Sales of \$40,000 and over	5	-	-	-	4	-	1
\$1,000	273	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Forest products sold	68	1	4	25	13	18	7
\$1,000	92	(2)	3	25	13	38	12
Sales of \$40,000 and over							
\$1,000							

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses ---- farms..	2 285	1 711	26	155	207	452	509	362
\$1,000..	110 960	100 661	729	7 164	16 077	37 218	28 200	11 273
Livestock and poultry purchased ---- farms..	943	714	12	64	92	199	210	137
\$1,000..	9 742	8 356	64	595	1 024	3 208	2 844	620
Feed for livestock and poultry ---- farms..	1 540	1 200	21	100	154	330	363	232
\$1,000..	46 274	42 677	310	2 556	6 120	18 310	11 679	3 702
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---- farms..	1 505	1 174	21	98	153	322	354	226
tons..	314 673	292 031	2 180	16 984	41 401	126 338	80 769	24 360
\$1,000..	44 452	41 087	288	2 395	5 926	17 916	11 112	3 450
Feed ingredients ---- farms..	236	174	4	22	27	51	51	21
tons..	3 074	2 926	13	51	317	1 143	1 015	387
\$1,000..	436	414	2	8	40	174	137	54
Whole grains ---- farms..	260	185	4	24	27	53	44	33
tons..	4 141	3 555	11	442	485	845	1 122	650
\$1,000..	554	475	2	61	60	119	151	84
Hay, green chop, and silage ---- farms..	299	237	6	31	37	48	67	48
tons..	29 293	23 154	806	3 337	4 922	2 932	7 161	3 996
\$1,000..	832	700	19	93	94	102	279	114
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---- farms..	1 127	935	14	86	138	271	285	141
\$1,000..	875	804	9	82	144	270	216	83
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ---- farms..	1 456	1 163	21	121	154	306	346	215
\$1,000..	2 174	1 858	18	198	260	453	613	317
Commercial fertilizer purchased ---- farms..	1 570	1 246	21	127	155	338	369	236
\$1,000..	4 613	4 194	40	397	707	1 335	1 251	464
Commercial fertilizer used ---- farms..	1 430	1 157	20	120	150	315	334	218
acres fertilized..	88 752	81 079	1 114	7 942	14 026	24 826	22 963	10 208
dry tons..	28 694	26 067	332	2 461	4 709	7 941	7 713	2 911
liquid or gas tons..	1 241	1 116	(Z)	212	197	326	250	131
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---- farms..	1 224	998	20	97	134	266	293	188
\$1,000..	1 315	1 192	11	106	185	387	333	170
Lime ---- farms..	414	341	8	44	50	92	101	46
tons..	19 409	18 103	308	1 511	2 498	6 222	5 453	2 111
\$1,000..	241	226	4	19	31	74	68	30
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ---- farms..	2 278	1 706	26	155	207	451	508	359
\$1,000..	3 872	3 404	46	328	561	999	994	476
Gasoline ---- farms..	2 263	1 697	25	153	206	451	504	358
\$1,000..	2 384	2 074	29	214	317	605	608	300
Diesel oil ---- farms..	707	610	12	66	93	182	170	87
\$1,000..	454	418	6	37	68	124	114	68
LP gas, butane, and propane ---- farms..	298	247	2	11	39	87	77	31
\$1,000..	332	308	(Z)	4	107	104	66	27
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ---- farms..	2 278	1 706	26	155	207	451	508	359
\$1,000..	702	605	11	72	70	165	206	80
Hired farm labor ---- farms..	1 240	1 013	15	91	135	282	300	190
\$1,000..	12 302	11 360	25	656	2 762	2 846	3 032	2 039
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more ---- farms..	649	585	5	49	85	161	187	98
workers..	2 078	1 937	6	115	426	519	556	315
25 to 149 days ---- farms..	584	486	6	44	68	135	133	100
workers..	3 106	2 823	15	228	333	741	1 056	450
Less than 25 days ---- farms..	612	484	9	40	65	131	148	91
workers..	5 004	4 146	71	303	524	1 225	1 342	681
Contract labor ---- farms..	88	67	2	8	5	14	21	17
\$1,000..	244	222	1	14	16	109	51	30
Machine hire and customwork ---- farms..	592	493	7	49	68	115	160	94
\$1,000..	616	569	5	61	94	161	165	84
All other production expenses ---- farms..	2 269	1 704	26	155	205	450	506	362
\$1,000..	28 933	26 026	198	2 171	4 204	9 142	7 024	3 287
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income ---- farms..	691	521	10	53	60	146	165	87
\$1,000..	1 836	1 239	8	88	131	394	349	269
\$10,000 and over ---- farms..	48	27	-	-	2	11	10	4
\$1,000..	915	519	-	-	(D)	163	159	(D)
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services ---- farms..	242	172	6	19	16	47	61	23
\$1,000..	989	624	2	54	64	148	166	189
Recreational services ---- farms..	23	16	-	1	2	6	4	3
\$1,000..	113	21	-	8	4	1	6	2
Payments from government farm programs ---- farms..	393	328	5	35	39	89	113	47
\$1,000..	248	210	2	13	29	68	61	36
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments ---- farms..	142	94	1	4	8	32	28	21
\$1,000..	253	172	3	7	13	84	45	20
Other farm-related income ---- farms..	94	85	2	4	8	27	26	18
\$1,000..	234	213	1	6	22	93	71	20
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---- farms..	202	139	3	9	14	48	44	21
\$1,000..	720	407	6	20	39	119	158	66

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses	574	7	58	118	150	170	71
\$1,000	10 299	125	949	2 852	2 399	2 669	1 305
Livestock and poultry purchased	229	3	29	61	54	66	16
\$1,000	1 386	14	134	683	215	253	86
Feed for livestock and poultry	340	5	36	78	84	105	32
\$1,000	3 597	54	354	1 037	695	1 029	429
Commercially mixed formula feeds	331	4	35	74	84	104	30
tons	22 643	354	2 442	6 270	4 491	6 651	2 436
\$1,000	3 365	53	348	967	642	974	382
Feed ingredients	60	2	1	22	11	14	10
tons	148	3	4	61	40	16	24
\$1,000	22	1	1	9	5	2	4
Whole grains	75	1	3	27	16	17	11
tons	586	1	8	239	147	59	133
\$1,000	79	(Z)	1	31	20	8	18
Hay, green chop, and silage	62	—	7	23	11	18	3
tons	6 139	—	84	540	1 040	4 062	414
\$1,000	131	—	4	30	27	45	25
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	192	3	21	42	48	56	22
\$1,000	71	(Z)	3	21	17	18	12
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	293	3	29	59	83	86	33
\$1,000	316	1	16	42	136	68	53
Commercial fertilizer purchased	324	4	35	69	82	96	38
\$1,000	419	2	38	56	161	83	79
Commercial fertilizer used	273	4	31	60	65	76	37
acres fertilized	7 673	45	1 086	1 218	2 237	1 943	1 144
dry tons	2 627	19	186	355	1 022	511	534
liquid or gas tons	126	(Z)	29	(Z)	34	46	16
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	226	4	22	41	68	75	16
\$1,000	123	1	13	18	53	27	11
Lime	73	2	9	13	19	27	3
tons	1 306	68	69	192	351	567	59
\$1,000	15	1	1	2	3	6	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	572	7	58	118	148	170	71
\$1,000	468	8	38	89	134	136	62
Gasoline	566	7	57	117	145	169	71
\$1,000	310	5	29	66	81	88	42
Diesel oil	97	1	12	20	28	22	14
\$1,000	37	(Z)	2	4	10	11	9
LP gas, butane, and propane	51	1	6	13	12	15	4
\$1,000	24	3	2	7	4	7	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	572	7	58	118	148	170	71
\$1,000	97	1	6	12	39	30	9
Hired farm labor	227	2	26	42	69	65	23
\$1,000	943	2	70	160	286	298	126
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more	64	—	3	13	15	20	13
workers	141	—	8	31	28	46	28
25 to 149 days	98	—	7	20	30	29	12
workers	283	—	39	42	105	62	35
Less than 25 days	128	2	21	19	43	35	8
workers	858	38	101	156	297	186	80
Contract labor	21	—	—	5	5	7	4
\$1,000	22	—	—	4	5	8	6
Machine hire and customwork	99	2	8	30	25	25	9
\$1,000	47	(Z)	5	11	12	10	8
All other production expenses	565	7	58	116	148	165	71
\$1,000	2 906	41	279	732	684	738	432
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income	170	4	14	53	50	42	7
\$1,000	597	14	42	285	150	87	19
\$10,000 and over	21	—	3	10	4	3	1
\$1,000	396	—	36	216	98	33	14
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services	70	2	9	32	16	10	1
\$1,000	365	4	41	227	31	49	14
Recreational services	7	—	—	3	3	1	—
\$1,000	92	—	—	8	83	1	—
Payments from government farm programs	65	1	5	16	19	22	2
\$1,000	38	(Z)	1	19	7	8	2
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	48	1	1	7	20	15	4
\$1,000	81	9	(Z)	15	28	26	3
Other farm-related income	9	1	—	5	1	2	—
\$1,000	21	(Z)	—	16	1	4	—
Expenses for farm-related income sources	63	1	6	24	14	17	1
\$1,000	313	7	29	177	70	29	1

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Family Off-Farm Income¹								
Family off-farm income..... farms.....	1 433	940	14	76	119	236	288	207
..... \$1,000.....	16 227	7 475	100	730	932	1 837	1 881	1 994
Farms by family off-farm income:								
\$1 to \$249.....	58	51	5	11	7	11	13	4
\$250 to \$499.....	40	33	1	8	4	4	15	1
\$500 to \$999.....	90	72	—	5	7	25	26	9
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	343	308	2	16	35	72	100	83
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	314	237	2	21	31	63	75	45
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	391	172	3	8	28	44	46	43
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	114	37	—	4	3	11	9	10
\$30,000 and over.....	83	30	1	3	4	6	4	12
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business..... farms.....	274	133	5	12	23	38	33	22
..... \$1,000.....	3 586	1 401	47	83	250	460	223	337
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	780	405	5	40	66	128	114	52
..... \$1,000.....	8 043	2 755	40	337	397	870	720	390
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	818	599	10	31	64	152	201	141
..... \$1,000.....	3 246	2 291	7	283	225	349	729	698
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms.....	268	221	1	5	9	14	42	150
..... \$1,000.....	910	687	3	10	21	43	139	471
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms.....	185	146	1	7	13	33	47	45
..... \$1,000.....	442	342	3	18	39	114	70	97
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles..... farms.....	1 793	1 412	21	129	165	385	440	272
..... number.....	2 782	2 191	32	178	256	660	693	372
2 or 3..... farms.....	611	496	7	36	52	151	171	79
..... number.....	1 334	1 077	15	79	111	337	365	170
4 and over..... farms.....	64	49	1	2	8	22	13	3
..... number.....	330	247	4	8	40	111	72	12
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms.....	1 984	1 509	25	135	183	412	445	309
..... number.....	4 457	3 650	44	304	499	1 086	1 064	653
2 or 3..... farms.....	825	645	9	67	83	183	186	117
..... number.....	1 925	1 517	18	162	192	435	450	260
4 and over..... farms.....	322	297	2	17	46	99	87	46
..... number.....	1 695	1 566	12	91	253	521	442	247
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	1 993	1 523	22	144	185	403	446	323
..... number.....	5 939	4 916	71	417	609	1 413	1 497	909
2 or 3..... farms.....	957	718	7	87	83	162	214	165
..... number.....	2 332	1 768	17	218	213	406	526	388
4 and over..... farms.....	620	558	11	33	67	183	173	91
..... number.....	3 191	2 901	50	175	361	949	912	454
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	1 965	1 498	22	142	182	397	438	317
..... number.....	5 535	4 569	68	398	561	1 303	1 397	842
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	348	294	3	15	43	91	84	58
..... number.....	404	347	3	19	48	110	100	67
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	13	12	—	4	—	3	4	1
..... number.....	13	12	—	4	—	3	4	1
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms.....	124	97	2	11	13	20	36	15
..... number.....	136	106	3	12	13	22	41	15
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	71	58	2	7	8	11	20	10
..... number.....	74	61	2	7	8	11	23	10
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	58	43	1	5	5	10	17	5
..... number.....	62	45	1	5	5	11	18	5
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	577	467	8	46	65	125	147	76
..... number.....	633	503	8	51	71	130	161	82
Pickup balers..... farms.....	956	776	15	61	89	213	240	158
..... number.....	1 002	816	17	64	91	228	249	167
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	278	203	3	17	24	53	55	51
..... number.....	296	217	4	18	24	56	59	56
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms.....	614	522	13	53	72	158	156	70
..... number.....	694	599	17	59	84	186	176	77
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms.....	2 245	1 684	26	154	203	447	498	356
..... \$1,000.....	49 805	41 977	422	3 643	5 852	12 683	12 378	6 999
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms.....	345	218	5	15	12	41	64	81
..... \$1,000.....	1 036	676	18	53	34	141	190	239
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms.....	401	270	6	23	33	60	82	66
..... \$1,000.....	2 748	1 843	38	167	218	412	551	457
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms.....	490	338	6	30	33	106	90	73
..... \$1,000.....	6 785	4 651	81	377	454	1 438	1 235	1 066
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms.....	801	655	8	72	93	166	203	113
..... \$1,000.....	23 865	19 805	230	2 087	2 846	5 078	6 148	3 415
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms.....	175	171	1	12	28	60	52	18
..... \$1,000.....	11 014	(D)	54	(D)	1 808	3 753	3 327	1 075
\$100,000 and over..... farms.....	33	32	—	2	4	14	7	5
..... \$1,000.....	4 357	(D)	—	(D)	492	1 862	926	748

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Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Family Off-Farm Income¹							
Family off-farm income..... farms..	493	7	54	107	137	147	41
..... \$1,000..	8 752	71	873	2 109	2 806	2 237	656
Farms by family off-farm income:							
\$1 to \$249..... farms..	7	—	2	—	3	1	1
..... \$1,000..	7	—	—	4	2	—	—
\$250 to \$499..... farms..	18	—	3	4	1	9	1
..... \$1,000..	35	1	2	6	7	16	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	77	3	7	10	22	25	10
..... \$1,000..	219	2	31	47	63	60	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	77	1	3	20	26	23	4
..... \$1,000..	53	—	6	16	13	12	6
\$30,000 and over..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business..... farms..	141	1	15	29	42	41	13
..... \$1,000..	2 186	11	218	667	589	503	198
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms..	375	5	47	86	104	112	21
..... \$1,000..	5 288	55	591	1 223	1 862	1 341	215
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms..	219	4	14	45	61	70	25
..... \$1,000..	954	5	62	202	304	198	182
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms..	47	—	—	2	9	24	12
..... \$1,000..	224	—	—	3	23	157	41
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms..	39	—	1	5	15	12	6
..... \$1,000..	101	—	2	14	28	37	20
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles..... farms..	381	3	34	74	96	121	53
..... number..	591	4	47	122	154	187	77
2 or 3..... farms..	115	1	11	18	32	41	12
..... number..	257	2	24	41	70	93	27
4 and over..... farms..	15	—	—	6	4	3	2
..... number..	83	—	—	31	24	17	11
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms..	475	6	44	103	131	129	62
..... number..	807	9	71	184	232	210	101
2 or 3..... farms..	180	2	14	29	61	51	23
..... number..	408	5	32	64	140	115	52
4 and over..... farms..	25	—	3	8	7	4	3
..... number..	129	—	12	54	29	21	13
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	470	5	49	96	123	138	59
..... number..	1 023	7	115	192	281	286	142
2 or 3..... farms..	239	2	25	45	60	74	33
..... number..	564	4	58	103	145	177	77
4 and over..... farms..	62	—	9	9	20	13	11
..... number..	290	—	42	47	93	58	50
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	467	5	49	95	121	138	59
..... number..	966	7	107	178	259	282	133
Crawler tractors..... farms..	54	—	8	13	22	4	7
..... number..	57	—	8	14	22	4	9
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
..... number..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms..	27	1	9	2	2	8	5
..... number..	30	1	11	2	2	9	5
Corn heads for combines..... farms..	13	—	3	1	1	6	2
..... number..	13	—	3	1	1	6	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..	15	1	6	1	1	3	3
..... number..	17	1	8	1	1	3	3
Mower conditioners..... farms..	110	1	12	26	25	32	14
..... number..	130	1	12	34	27	41	15
Pickup balers..... farms..	180	1	15	36	49	53	26
..... number..	186	1	15	38	53	53	26
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..	75	—	9	16	16	22	12
..... number..	79	—	9	20	16	22	12
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms..	92	1	6	24	24	23	14
..... number..	95	1	6	24	26	24	14
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms..	561	7	56	116	149	162	71
..... \$1,000..	7 828	54	673	1 596	1 951	2 338	1 217
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms..	127	3	15	26	33	38	12
..... \$1,000..	360	7	39	(D)	(D)	103	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	131	2	13	32	40	30	14
..... \$1,000..	906	11	86	222	293	205	91
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	152	1	18	29	47	42	15
..... \$1,000..	2 134	15	258	403	646	601	210
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms..	146	1	10	27	27	52	29
..... \$1,000..	4 060	21	290	710	774	1 429	836
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms..	4	—	—	1	2	—	1
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
\$100,000 and over..... farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—	50
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—

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Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Age of farm operator						65 years and over
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals..... farms.....	1 682	1 324	24	131	167	354	389	259
..... \$1,000.....	5 928	5 386	52	503	892	1 722	1 583	634
Commercial fertilizer..... farms.....	1 571	1 247	21	128	155	338	369	236
..... acres on which used.....	88 752	81 079	1 114	7 942	14 026	24 826	22 963	10 208
..... tons.....	29 935	27 183	332	2 673	4 907	8 267	7 962	3 041
Lime..... farms.....	4 613	4 194	40	397	707	1 335	1 251	464
..... acres on which used.....	13 535	12 581	193	1 084	1 743	3 817	4 282	1 462
..... tons.....	19 409	18 103	308	1 511	2 498	6 222	5 453	2 111
..... \$1,000.....	241	226	4	19	31	74	68	30
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops..... farms.....	39	35	2	4	2	10	10	7
..... acres on which used.....	1 071	987	63	120	17	299	347	141
..... \$1,000.....	8	8	(2)	1	(2)	2	3	1
Insects on other crops..... farms.....	430	346	2	32	51	90	105	66
..... acres on which used.....	18 106	16 497	72	1 112	4 186	4 373	4 542	2 212
..... \$1,000.....	431	367	1	20	63	119	106	58
Nematodes in crops..... farms.....	27	24	—	4	2	8	7	3
..... acres on which used.....	621	617	—	30	40	207	205	135
..... \$1,000.....	34	34	—	3	1	3	22	5
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms.....	124	104	—	13	16	21	31	23
..... acres on which used.....	3 109	3 002	—	267	770	697	731	537
..... \$1,000.....	157	150	—	14	32	49	25	30
Weeds or grass in crops..... farms.....	655	570	12	64	81	154	171	88
..... acres on which used.....	34 750	32 983	392	4 110	5 901	10 619	8 592	3 369
..... \$1,000.....	344	322	4	41	48	112	83	33
Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms.....	26	20	—	1	—	7	7	3
..... acres on which used.....	387	362	23	107	—	71	133	28
..... \$1,000.....	6	5	(2)	3	—	(2)	1	1
Weeds on other land..... farms.....	36	30	1	2	6	5	12	4
..... acres on which used.....	272	210	2	2	42	58	90	16
..... \$1,000.....	3	2	(2)	(2)	(2)	1	1	(2)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms.....	38	33	—	5	6	5	8	9
..... acres on which used.....	965	926	—	47	175	238	215	251
..... \$1,000.....	11	10	—	(2)	3	3	2	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms.....	187	166	3	15	28	48	50	22
..... \$1,000.....	31	28	1	3	3	12	6	3
Other chemicals (see text)..... farms.....	208	150	4	13	14	35	46	38
..... \$1,000.....	49	40	1	3	4	12	15	5
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None.....	1 116	836	15	67	91	235	261	167
Under 1,000 bushels.....	219	186	6	20	42	43	48	27
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	53	44	—	5	12	7	12	8
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	9	8	—	—	1	1	1	2
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	13	10	—	—	1	4	3	2
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	5	3	—	—	—	—	2	—
50,000 bushels and over.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Not reporting.....	869	623	5	62	60	159	181	156
Livestock								
Cattle and calves..... farms.....	1 227	978	22	91	128	249	287	201
..... number.....	91 181	83 041	1 435	8 508	12 593	24 184	23 936	12 385
Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms.....	1 090	891	20	82	120	231	264	174
..... number.....	53 655	49 844	726	4 702	8 096	14 325	14 685	7 310
Beef cows..... farms.....	348	209	6	19	30	49	52	53
..... number.....	3 923	2 484	84	115	368	649	610	658
Milk cows..... farms.....	904	803	14	77	111	208	244	149
..... number.....	49 732	47 360	642	4 587	7 728	13 676	14 075	6 652
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms.....	1 012	836	16	73	120	202	260	165
..... number.....	29 946	27 020	356	2 665	4 101	7 829	7 743	4 326
Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms.....	318	207	4	15	26	39	65	58
..... number.....	3 337	2 264	7	64	219	518	850	606
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms.....	825	729	15	65	109	182	222	136
..... number.....	26 609	24 756	349	2 601	3 882	7 311	6 893	3 720
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms.....	711	540	15	51	73	135	161	105
..... number.....	7 580	6 177	353	1 141	396	2 030	1 508	749
Cattle and calves sold..... farms.....	1 184	944	22	89	120	242	285	186
..... number.....	41 345	36 424	914	4 670	4 752	10 116	10 767	5 205
..... \$1,000.....	7 525	6 394	192	858	660	1 617	2 188	879
Calves..... farms.....	935	775	19	69	107	203	227	150
..... number.....	25 088	22 888	723	3 347	3 180	6 333	6 044	3 261
..... \$1,000.....	1 637	1 476	117	413	119	433	216	177
Cattle..... farms.....	1 015	807	20	74	104	205	255	149
..... number.....	16 257	13 536	191	1 323	1 572	3 783	4 723	1 944
..... \$1,000.....	5 887	4 918	75	445	540	1 184	1 972	701
Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms.....	104	59	1	8	2	12	20	16
..... number.....	890	571	10	53	53	138	239	78
..... \$1,000.....	308	203	3	17	18	54	82	28
Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	161	109	2	15	14	41	13	24
..... number.....	5 893	4 187	8	325	560	2 059	347	888
Used or to be used for breeding..... farms.....	66	38	—	7	6	11	5	9
..... number.....	653	384	—	28	41	150	50	115
Other..... farms.....	157	106	2	13	14	40	13	24
..... number.....	5 240	3 803	8	297	519	1 909	297	773

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals.....farms.....	358	4	37	75	97	105	40
\$1,000.....	542	3	51	74	214	110	90
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	324	4	35	69	82	96	38
acres on which used.....	7 673	45	1 086	1 218	2 237	1 943	1 144
tons.....	2 752	20	215	355	1 057	557	550
\$1,000.....	419	2	38	56	161	83	79
Lime.....farms.....	73	2	9	13	19	27	3
acres on which used.....	954	36	70	166	261	353	68
tons.....	1 306	68	69	192	351	567	59
\$1,000.....	15	1	1	2	3	6	1
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops.....farms.....	4	—	—	2	1	1	—
acres on which used.....	84	—	—	51	3	30	—
\$1,000.....	1	—	—	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	—
Insects on other crops.....farms.....	84	1	14	14	25	22	8
acres on which used.....	1 609	(Z)	299	199	613	253	244
\$1,000.....	64	(Z)	5	5	39	8	7
Nematodes in crops.....farms.....	3	—	—	—	1	—	—
acres on which used.....	4	—	—	—	1	3	—
\$1,000.....	(Z)	—	—	—	(Z)	(Z)	—
Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms.....	20	—	1	7	6	4	2
acres on which used.....	107	—	42	32	13	17	3
\$1,000.....	7	—	3	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops.....farms.....	85	1	6	18	25	30	5
acres on which used.....	1 767	26	98	218	566	628	231
\$1,000.....	22	(Z)	1	3	7	7	3
Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms.....	6	—	—	—	5	1	—
acres on which used.....	25	—	—	—	15	10	—
\$1,000.....	(Z)	—	—	—	(Z)	(Z)	—
Weeds on other land.....farms.....	6	—	1	2	2	1	—
acres on which used.....	62	—	1	56	4	1	—
\$1,000.....	1	—	(Z)	1	(Z)	(Z)	—
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit.....farms.....	5	—	1	1	2	1	—
acres on which used.....	39	—	28	6	4	1	—
\$1,000.....	(Z)	—	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	—
Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms.....	21	1	—	5	8	7	—
\$1,000.....	3	(Z)	—	2	1	1	—
Other chemicals (see text).....farms.....	58	—	3	11	18	24	2
\$1,000.....	9	—	2	1	3	3	(Z)
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None.....	280	5	28	49	77	88	33
Under 1,000 bushels.....	33	1	6	15	5	5	1
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	9	—	2	1	3	2	1
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	3	—	—	2	—	—	1
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	2	—	—	—	—	2	—
50,000 bushels and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reporting.....	246	1	22	51	64	73	35
Livestock							
Cattle and calves.....farms.....	249	3	26	58	75	63	24
number.....	8 140	29	654	1 531	2 313	2 387	1 226
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms.....	199	3	21	47	60	50	18
number.....	3 811	18	237	638	1 198	1 102	618
Beef cows.....farms.....	139	3	18	38	43	33	4
number.....	1 439	14	165	435	421	323	81
Milk cows.....farms.....	101	1	8	19	29	29	15
number.....	2 372	4	72	203	777	779	537
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved.....farms.....	176	2	21	42	50	43	18
number.....	2 926	6	255	585	692	970	418
Beef heifers and heifer calves.....farms.....	111	2	17	29	32	26	5
number.....	1 073	6	158	278	275	274	82
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement.....farms.....	96	—	8	22	27	26	13
number.....	1 853	—	97	307	417	696	336
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms.....	171	2	23	42	49	38	17
number.....	1 403	5	162	308	423	315	190
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	240	3	25	58	66	64	24
number.....	4 921	17	315	972	1 415	1 572	630
\$1,000.....	1 130	3	67	275	326	331	127
Calves.....farms.....	160	2	21	44	31	44	18
number.....	2 200	4	245	386	527	672	366
\$1,000.....	161	(Z)	38	37	29	34	23
Cattle.....farms.....	208	3	16	46	60	60	23
number.....	2 721	13	70	586	888	900	264
\$1,000.....	969	3	29	238	298	297	104
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms.....	45	1	3	9	18	10	4
number.....	319	8	4	24	162	60	61
\$1,000.....	105	2	1	9	58	15	21
Hogs and pigs.....farms.....	52	1	15	18	8	7	3
number.....	1 706	85	769	125	28	616	83
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms.....	28	1	14	8	1	2	2
number.....	269	12	196	28	2	2	29
Other.....farms.....	51	1	14	18	8	7	3
number.....	1 437	73	573	97	26	614	54

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming								
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over	
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years		
Livestock—Continued									
Hogs and pigs sold	farms..	100	63	1	9	13	15	10	15
	number..	7 905	4 797	20	281	757	1 505	644	1 590
	\$1,000..	431	272	2	18	34	110	28	80
Feeder pigs	farms..	38	20	-	3	5	4	3	5
	number..	2 280	1 011	-	74	517	24	214	182
	\$1,000..	65	28	-	2	17	1	4	5
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
December 1 of preceding year and									
November 30	farms..	78	45	-	7	7	13	6	12
	number..	969	604	-	37	98	214	42	213
December 1 and May 31	farms..	63	36	-	4	6	9	6	11
	number..	554	333	-	19	72	103	32	107
June 1 and November 30	farms..	57	32	-	5	5	10	1	11
	number..	415	271	-	18	26	111	10	106
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms..	94	58	1	5	11	16	10	15
	number..	1 916	1 196	2	234	142	96	78	644
Lambs under 1 year old	farms..	66	41	-	5	8	9	7	12
	number..	458	321	-	81	36	20	13	171
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms..	85	51	1	5	11	12	7	15
	number..	1 292	768	1	140	87	60	52	428
Rams and wethers 1 year old or	farms..	67	40	1	5	8	10	4	12
older	number..	166	107	1	13	19	16	13	45
Sheep and lambs sold	farms..	59	34	-	5	6	5	4	14
	number..	1 178	679	-	201	48	42	36	352
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms..	58	37	-	5	10	4	6	12
	number..	1 447	896	-	148	115	30	57	546
	pounds of wool..	10 532	6 694	-	1 164	817	161	471	4 081
Horses and ponies	farms..	268	161	1	15	32	45	41	27
	number..	2 088	1 087	1	108	224	310	343	101
Sold	farms..	74	37	-	4	12	8	10	3
	number..	878	406	-	16	275	52	41	22
	\$1,000..	648	295	-	11	165	32	30	58
Horses	farms..	232	139	1	14	27	39	34	24
	number..	1 830	953	1	102	197	290	288	75
Sold	farms..	71	35	-	4	11	8	9	3
	number..	866	402	-	16	273	52	39	22
	\$1,000..	641	291	-	11	162	32	29	58
Any goats	farms..	24	19	-	4	6	5	2	2
	number..	154	80	-	4	15	7	24	30
Sold	farms..	9	6	-	-	2	2	1	1
	number..	329	67	-	-	6	2	21	38
	\$1,000..	10	4	-	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	3
Poultry									
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms..	396	301	1	17	36	98	84	65
	number..	4 387 481	4 023 482	20	79 293	566 163	2 084 650	1 178 519	114 837
Sold	farms..	295	235	-	8	34	84	70	39
	number..	3 938 636	3 330 453	-	86 644	568 975	1 491 407	1 028 721	154 706
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms..	361	276	1	16	32	87	77	63
	number..	3 533 887	3 334 383	20	(D)	(D)	1 843 368	961 654	91 921
Kept for table or market egg	farms..	351	267	1	16	30	84	75	61
	production	3 456 648	(D)	20	(D)	369 128	1 806 618	954 306	(D)
Kept for hatching egg	farms..	14	12	-	-	2	3	4	3
	production	77 239	(D)	-	-	(D)	36 750	7 348	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older not of	farms..	51	40	-	1	6	14	14	5
laying age	number..	842 280	679 750	-	(D)	(D)	236 600	215 750	21 200
Roosters and male chickens	farms..	51	34	-	1	5	9	11	8
	number..	11 314	9 349	-	1	1 835	4 682	1 115	1 716
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3	farms..	28	24	-	1	6	9	7	1
months old	number..	378 100	333 500	-	(D)	(D)	134 800	66 200	4 000
Broilers and other meat-type	farms..	41	22	-	1	2	8	6	5
chickens sold	number..	933 275	531 825	-	(D)	(D)	231 525	204 500	60 600
Turkeys	farms..	13	10	1	-	3	1	3	2
	number..	1 334	1 119	20	-	13	1 000	58	28
Sold	farms..	15	8	1	-	-	1	3	3
	number..	16 897	15 677	75	-	-	1 000	2 952	11 650
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms..	11	8	1	-	3	1	1	2
	number..	1 327	1 112	20	-	10	1 000	54	28
Sold	farms..	15	8	1	-	-	1	3	3
	number..	15 847	14 627	75	-	-	1 000	1 952	11 600
Light breeds for slaughter	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	number..	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sold	farms..	1 050	1 050	-	-	-	-	1 000	50
	number..	3	3	-	-	1	-	2	-
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms..	7	7	-	-	3	-	4	-
	number..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sold	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	number..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes	farms..	866	736	16	72	112	197	215	124
	acres..	46 367	43 183	580	4 868	7 909	12 933	12 081	4 812
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	729	631	13	64	103	178	177	96
	acres..	41 491	38 921	427	4 388	7 330	12 229	10 616	3 931
Field corn for grain or seed	farms..	86	67	1	6	11	16	16	17
	acres..	1 939	1 666	7	317	295	440	381	226
	bushels..	170 363	147 175	560	31 350	26 945	36 331	33 297	18 692
Irrigated	farms..	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	acres..	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold	37	2	12	13	3	5	2
farms							
number	3 108	252	726	206	18	1 586	320
\$1,000	160	20	29	12	2	86	10
Feeder pigs	18	—	7	4	—	5	2
farms							
number	1 269	—	542	27	—	560	140
\$1,000	36	—	17	1	—	14	4
Litters of pigs farrowed between							
December 1 of preceding year and							
November 30	33	1	14	10	1	5	2
farms							
number	365	60	154	32	2	69	48
December 1 and May 31	27	1	12	7	1	4	2
farms							
number	221	50	75	17	1	54	24
June 1 and November 30	25	1	14	6	1	1	2
farms							
number	144	10	79	15	1	15	24
Sheep and lambs of all ages	36	—	6	15	7	6	2
farms							
number	720	—	103	322	147	110	38
Lambs under 1 year old	25	—	4	11	5	4	1
farms							
number	137	—	32	65	26	8	6
Ewes 1 year old or older	34	—	6	14	6	6	2
farms							
number	524	—	68	226	104	94	32
Rams and wethers 1 year old or							
older	27	—	3	12	6	6	—
farms							
number	59	—	3	31	17	8	—
Sheep and lambs sold	25	—	4	11	6	2	2
farms							
number	499	—	47	189	137	82	44
Sheep and lambs shorn	21	—	2	10	6	2	1
farms							
number	551	—	55	246	142	78	30
pounds of wool	3 838	—	450	1 614	1 046	494	234
Horses and ponies	107	—	15	35	26	27	4
farms							
number	1 001	—	78	527	178	182	36
Sold	37	—	3	12	10	11	1
farms							
number	472	—	8	171	140	143	10
\$1,000	353	—	3	253	25	53	20
Horses	93	—	13	32	24	21	3
farms							
number	877	—	65	478	135	166	33
Sold	36	—	3	12	9	11	1
farms							
number	464	—	8	171	132	143	10
\$1,000	349	—	3	253	22	53	20
Any goats	5	—	3	1	—	1	—
farms							
number	74	—	22	2	—	50	—
Sold	3	—	2	—	—	1	—
farms							
number	262	—	12	—	—	250	—
\$1,000	6	—	1	—	—	5	—
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older	95	1	12	36	18	18	10
farms							
number	363 999	1 200	55 519	116 277	69 238	103 178	18 587
Sold	60	2	5	18	9	21	5
farms							
number	608 183	(D)	71 944	192 797	100 774	175 068	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	85	1	11	31	16	16	10
farms							
number	199 504	1 200	(D)	72 362	28 736	(D)	18 566
Kept for table or market egg							
production	84	1	11	30	16	16	10
farms							
number	(D)	1 200	(D)	(D)	28 736	(D)	18 566
Kept for hatching egg							
production	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
farms							
number	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older not of							
laying age	11	—	1	5	3	2	—
farms							
number	162 530	—	(D)	42 030	40 500	(D)	—
Roosters and male chickens	17	—	5	7	1	2	2
farms							
number	1 965	—	54	1 885	2	3	21
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3							
months old	4	1	1	1	—	—	1
farms							
number	44 600	15 000	100	15 000	—	—	14 500
Broilers and other meat-type							
chickens sold	19	—	3	5	5	5	1
farms							
number	401 450	—	62 050	80 050	163 600	85 750	10 000
Turkeys	3	—	—	1	2	—	—
farms							
number	215	—	—	15	200	—	—
Sold	7	—	—	—	2	5	—
farms							
number	1 220	—	—	—	170	1 050	—
Heavy breeds for slaughter	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms							
number	215	—	—	15	2	—	—
Sold	7	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms							
number	1 220	—	—	—	2	5	—
Light breeds for slaughter	—	—	—	—	170	1 050	—
farms							
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms							
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms							
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms							
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes	130	1	14	33	32	36	14
farms							
acres	3 184	20	262	644	746	1 045	467
Commercial fertilizer used	98	1	12	27	21	25	12
farms							
acres	2 570	20	246	522	571	796	415
Field corn for grain or seed	19	1	6	1	6	3	2
farms							
acres	273	20	112	3	79	13	46
Irrigated	23 188	1 821	8 560	300	7 032	725	4 750
bushels							
farms							
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes.....	farms..... 22	21	—	1	2	5	11	2
.....	acres..... 386	366	—	15	9	45	227	70
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 15	14	—	1	1	5	7	—
.....	acres..... 245	225	—	15	3	45	162	—
Sorghums for grain or seed.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated.....	bushels..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans.....	farms..... 2	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
.....	acres..... 75	75	—	—	—	50	25	—
.....	bushels..... 2 625	2 625	—	—	—	1 750	875	—
Irrigated.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
.....	acres..... 50	50	—	—	—	50	—	—
Peanuts for nuts.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	pounds..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat.....	farms..... 9	5	—	—	1	1	2	1
.....	acres..... 62	30	—	—	7	1	17	5
.....	bushels..... 1 980	1 020	—	—	210	30	720	60
Irrigated.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 3	3	—	—	—	—	2	1
.....	acres..... 21	21	—	—	—	—	16	5
Cotton.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	bales..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco.....	farms..... 87	73	1	10	7	22	24	9
.....	acres..... 1 923	1 705	7	152	444	508	485	110
.....	pounds..... 3 096 567	2 745 897	12 451	272 918	658 376	839 275	796 787	166 090
Irrigated.....	farms..... 27	23	1	3	3	7	6	3
.....	acres..... 370	327	7	50	32	113	56	70
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 87	73	1	10	7	22	24	9
.....	acres..... 1 910	1 705	7	152	444	508	485	110
Irish potatoes.....	farms..... 96	75	—	3	5	21	26	20
.....	acres..... 1 590	1 073	—	11	20	532	346	163
.....	hundredweight..... 361 769	248 149	—	2 513	2 154	113 470	96 082	33 930
Irrigated.....	farms..... 14	10	—	—	—	6	2	2
.....	acres..... 248	231	—	—	—	161	67	3
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 73	55	—	3	4	16	19	13
.....	acres..... 1 572	1 055	—	11	20	528	340	156
Hay.....	farms..... 1 291	1 010	19	84	129	241	307	230
.....	acres..... 69 553	58 102	1 289	4 733	8 644	15 351	16 347	11 738
.....	tons..... 152 303	131 372	2 758	11 465	21 354	36 127	35 730	23 938
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 489	429	9	38	65	124	131	62
.....	acres..... 22 900	20 635	548	1 426	3 603	6 755	5 939	2 364
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating.....	farms..... 557	448	6	41	64	107	132	98
.....	acres..... 17 510	15 270	171	1 253	2 204	4 231	4 498	2 913
.....	tons, dry..... 47 570	42 435	430	3 802	6 856	12 009	11 475	7 863
Irrigated.....	farms..... 3	3	—	—	—	—	1	2
.....	acres..... 61	61	—	—	—	—	11	50
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay.....	farms..... 963	749	15	61	85	171	238	179
.....	acres..... 39 389	32 139	918	2 530	5 025	8 125	8 831	6 710
.....	tons, dry..... 81 515	68 303	1 965	5 808	11 425	18 513	18 356	12 236
Irrigated.....	farms..... 4	4	—	—	—	2	2	—
.....	acres..... 45	45	—	—	—	10	35	—
Field seeds.....	farms..... 2	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
.....	acres..... 57	57	—	—	—	40	17	—
Irrigated.....	farms..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
.....	acres..... 17	17	—	—	—	—	17	—
Vegetables.....	farms..... 371	290	5	30	21	76	89	69
.....	acres..... 7 556	6 843	131	1 012	541	2 131	1 721	1 307
Irrigated.....	farms..... 72	59	1	8	4	17	18	11
.....	acres..... 1 475	1 379	15	247	134	405	441	138
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 345	274	5	30	21	73	84	61
.....	acres..... 7 391	6 694	101	1 012	538	2 049	1 700	1 293
Berries.....	farms..... 108	84	—	8	12	19	24	21
.....	acres..... 254	218	—	57	26	50	54	32
Irrigated.....	farms..... 28	26	—	4	3	6	7	6
.....	acres..... 122	121	—	54	17	21	16	13
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 48	39	—	7	4	7	10	11
.....	acres..... 123	104	—	56	4	18	13	13
Land in orchards.....	farms..... 167	132	—	9	12	35	34	42
.....	acres..... 4 044	3 593	—	356	468	978	976	815
Irrigated.....	farms..... 7	6	—	1	—	—	4	—
.....	acres..... 106	97	—	20	—	—	55	22
Commercial fertilizer used.....	farms..... 97	84	—	8	10	21	24	21
.....	acres..... 3 011	2 693	—	322	392	775	711	492

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-
acres	20	-	-	-	20	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-
acres	20	-	-	-	20	-	-
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	pounds	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat	farms	4	-	4	-	-	-
acres	32	-	32	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	bushels	960	-	960	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	bales	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco	farms	14	1	1	-	2	3
acres	218	5	4	-	60	22	128
Irrigated	pounds	350 670	6 961	(D)	-	(D)	34 635
acres	4	-	1	-	2	-	1
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	44	-	4	-	20	-
acres	14	1	1	-	2	3	7
acres	206	5	4	-	60	9	128
Irish potatoes	farms	21	-	2	5	7	6
acres	518	-	47	13	398	10	50
Irrigated	hundredweight	113 620	-	7 424	2 406	94 972	1 318
acres	4	-	1	-	1	2	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	17	-	12	-	3	2
acres	18	-	2	5	5	5	1
acres	517	-	47	13	397	10	50
Hay	farms	281	3	30	57	77	84
acres	11 451	41	1 538	2 072	3 187	2 966	1 647
Commercial fertilizer used	tons	20 931	89	1 600	4 030	6 697	5 223
acres	60	2	6	9	18	18	7
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	farms	2 265	19	365	242	833	539
acres	109	2	10	18	38	32	9
Irrigated	tons, dry	2 240	13	177	435	668	493
acres	5 135	25	449	896	1 511	1 113	1 454
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 141
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	farms	214	3	18	45	59	68
acres	7 250	28	1 148	1 228	1 906	1 938	1 002
Irrigated	tons, dry	13 212	64	930	2 497	4 357	3 559
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables	farms	81	-	7	18	22	27
acres	713	-	107	167	196	196	47
Irrigated	farms	13	-	4	1	-	7
acres	96	-	19	(2)	-	67	10
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	71	-	7	16	19	23
acres	698	-	107	166	192	187	45
Berries	farms	24	-	2	4	7	11
acres	36	-	6	7	11	12	-
Irrigated	farms	2	-	1	-	-	1
acres	1	-	(2)	-	-	1	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	9	-	2	1	1	5
acres	19	-	6	4	3	6	-
Land in orchards	farms	35	-	5	8	10	10
acres	452	-	211	48	71	113	9
Irrigated	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-
acres	9	-	-	-	9	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	13	-	3	2	3	4
acres	318	-	200	28	15	74	2