

GENERAL EXPLANATIONS Continued

Grass silage, haylage, and green chop—Grass silage and haylage accounted for 5.2 percent of the total acreage of hay crops on farms with sales of \$2,500 and over in 1974, while hay crops cut and fed green (green chop) represented 1.5 percent. The acreage of grass silage and haylage almost doubled between 1969 and 1974. The number of farms reporting

grass silage or haylage increased from 41,665 to 61,850. The acreage of green chop also increased from 695,000 to 801,000 acres.

Field seeds—The field seeds acreage in 1974 harvested from farms with sales of \$2,500 and over was 1.8 million acres, compared with almost 2 million acres

in 1969. Oregon was the leading State with 322,000 acres followed by Missouri with 270,000 acres. Alfalfa seed was the leading field seed with 400,000 acres harvested or 23 percent of the field seed acreage. Red clover seed was second with 271,000 acres or 15 percent of the total field seed acreage.

Table 11. Other Field Crops: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

	Harvested			Value of production (\$1,000)	Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity (1,000)		Farms	Acres
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	29,117	1,358,514	3,156,858	566,488	2,541	179,080
.....1969..	35,941	1,377,068	2,409,195	289,537	3,280	170,558
Cotton (bales).....1974..	80,724	12,128,978	10,815	2,374,340	17,583	3,698,569
.....1969..	136,529	11,060,877	10,029	1,166,496	24,780	3,105,829
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	151,017	842,041	1,673,561	1,790,547	8,755	89,401
.....1969..	163,194	789,157	1,484,697	1,073,034	14,621	109,629
Irish potatoes (hundred weight).....1974..	33,142	1,334,060	314,930	1,357,570	6,623	769,031
.....1969..	55,455	1,260,882	273,644	545,973	8,746	706,789
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....1974..	9,564	80,976	16,771	75,771	528	11,699
.....1969..	15,696	98,703	19,643	48,858	783	15,578
Sugar beets for sugar (tons).....1974..	11,803	1,169,990	21,606	1,202,019	7,785	765,198
.....1969..	17,893	1,464,384	26,318	356,184	12,200	1,068,233
Sugar beets for seed (pounds).....1974..	97	2,580	6,749	1,445	94	2,353
.....1969..	225	8,259	21,799	4,029	223	8,049
Sugarcane for sugar (tons).....1974..	1,578	668,326	24,931	1,342,888	215	288,293
.....1969..	2,059	519,180	(NA)	213,188	161	184,045
Sugarcane for sirup.....1974..	217	1,362	(NA)	599	13	380
.....1969..	201	3,830	(NA)	1,003	4	54
Sugarcane for seed.....1974..	654	26,802	(NA)	21,686	68	7,385
.....1969..	596	16,115	(NA)	3,931	37	2,311
Shelled popcorn (pounds).....1974..	2,657	149,650	307,565	26,138	349	29,920
.....1969..	4,060	157,158	350,333	11,111	469	16,721
Sunflower seed (pounds).....1974..	4,296	536,188	493,649	80,895	51	5,283
.....1969..	1,481	143,506	(NA)	3,718	17	2,866
Mint for oil (pounds of oil).....1974..	683	87,190	4,900	61,883	523	65,284
.....1969..	972	108,407	6,377	31,108	699	83,244
Broomcorn (tons of brush).....1974..	36	6,786	1	689	1	20
.....1969..	779	107,354	16	6,214	98	9,622
Castor beans.....1974..	16	1,182	(NA)	139	16	1,182
.....1969..	400	38,529	(NA)	3,452	379	34,436
Chufas for nuts.....1974..	3	132	(NA)	20	-	-
.....1969..	6	210	(NA)	30	2	60
Cowpeas, hogged or grazed or cut for silage.....1974..	23	430	(NA)	19	1	2
.....1969..	66	965	(NA)	29	3	36
Crambe.....1974..	2	187	(NA)	22	-	-
.....1969..	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dill for oil.....1974..	28	1,548	(NA)	774	28	1,548
.....1969..	50	3,009	(NA)	328	49	2,996
Guar.....1974..	319	28,039	(NA)	1,433	25	2,992
.....1969..	767	65,152	(NA)	9,773	72	4,675
Hops.....1974..	203	33,117	(NA)	44,890	203	33,117
.....1969..	208	25,727	(NA)	20,181	208	25,727
Mungbeans for beans (pounds).....1974..	87	5,362	(NA)	514	10	532
.....1969..	396	23,063	9,597	576	16	609
Rapeseed.....1974..	21	828	(NA)	207	1	20
.....1969..	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Root crops for feed.....1974..	15	111	(NA)	3	6	29
.....1969..	345	11,286	(NA)	222	65	2,414
Sesame for seed.....1974..	1	30	(NA)	2	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for sirup.....1974..	165	2,412	(NA)	844	1	2
.....1969..	656	3,709	(NA)	644	13	175
Soybeans hogged or grazed or cut for silage.....1974..	207	3,997	(NA)	300	6	158
.....1969..	2,694	83,863	(NA)	4,009	108	4,240
Soybeans plowed under.....1974..	221	5,448	(NA)	245	4	96
.....1969..	433	19,582	(NA)	542	22	811
Sweet corn for seed.....1974..	198	6,683	(NA)	4,185	172	5,945
.....1969..	260	8,701	(NA)	1,815	224	7,332
Velvetbeans for beans.....1974..	6	164	(NA)	6	2	46
.....1969..	60	1,208	17	21	6	523
Wormseed oil.....1974..	11	125	(NA)	100	-	-
.....1969..	7	34	(NA)	9	-	-
All other crops.....1974..	2,135	33,971	(NA)	5,635	234	3,743
.....1969..	5,092	88,203	(NA)	9,444	(NA)	(NA)
Ginger root ¹ (pounds).....1974..	30	35	649	454	11	11
.....1969..	37	44	1,131	317	12	14
Lotus root ¹ (pounds).....1974..	5	24	102	66	3	22
.....1969..	5	16	32	5	4	15
Wetland taro ¹ (hundred weight).....1974..	75	299	77	773	74	298
.....1969..	59	268	45	347	59	268
Dryland taro ¹ (hundred weight).....1974..	19	34	2	21	4	9
.....1969..	11	34	2	14	2	4
Pineapples harvested ¹ (tons).....1974..	19	29,530	693	40,180	4	4,394
.....1969..	42	42,847	946	39,716	7	4,256
Pineapples not harvested ¹1974..	13	21,229	(X)	(X)	5	8,731
.....1969..	33	20,667	(X)	(X)	6	6,667
Sugarcane not harvested ¹1974..	196	122,494	(X)	(X)	19	62,556
.....1969..	292	125,769	(X)	(X)	20	65,383

¹Hawaii only.