

**Table 8. Characteristics of Agricultural Operations Qualifying as Farms by the 1959 Definition but Excluded by the 1974 Definition: 1974 and 1969**

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<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>									
Farms.....	152,110	23,231	16,725	96,387	15,767	570,904	106,709	334,700	129,495
Land in farms.....	8,657,228	1,937,331	1,364,870	4,447,963	907,064	44,336,622	9,057,132	24,542,310	10,737,180
Average size of farm.....	57	83	82	46	58	77	85	73	83
Value of land and buildings.....	\$5,354,548	\$881,332	\$578,808	\$3,375,256	\$519,152	\$13,159,888	\$2,469,782	\$7,923,088	\$2,767,019
Average per farm.....	\$35,202	\$37,938	\$34,607	\$35,018	\$32,926	\$23,051	\$23,145	\$23,672	\$21,368
Average per acre.....	\$619	\$455	\$424	\$759	\$572	\$297	\$273	\$323	\$258
Farms by value of farm:									
\$1 to \$9,999.....	36,306	7,004	4,616	20,554	4,132	185,549	41,285	96,862	47,402
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	34,628	5,320	3,955	21,522	3,831	166,830	29,024	99,992	37,814
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	41,105	5,248	4,286	27,512	4,059	141,554	22,119	90,627	28,808
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	23,723	2,962	2,100	16,447	2,214	50,723	8,712	31,990	10,021
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	7,453	1,013	732	5,002	706	12,914	2,569	7,605	2,740
\$100,000 and over.....	8,895	1,684	1,036	5,350	825	13,334	3,000	7,624	2,710
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned.....	144,983	21,852	16,331	91,462	15,338	532,432	97,460	310,296	124,676
Land rented or leased from others.....	10,143,276	2,340,902	1,636,389	5,073,410	1,092,575	45,477,927	9,390,089	24,200,759	11,887,079
Land rented or leased to others.....	14,234	2,677	1,003	9,702	852	82,122	17,956	52,811	11,355
Land rented or leased to others.....	1,206,560	422,903	146,590	559,955	77,112	5,774,679	1,360,558	3,643,542	770,579
Land rented or leased to others.....	36,399	8,418	4,606	19,424	3,951	102,796	21,697	53,947	27,152
Land rented or leased to others.....	2,692,608	826,474	418,109	1,185,402	262,623	6,915,984	1,693,515	3,301,991	1,920,478
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>									
Total cropland.....	107,214	15,213	11,856	68,407	11,737	491,280	90,563	287,169	113,548
Harvested cropland.....	1,847,006	359,522	253,928	1,030,411	203,145	18,624,942	3,692,268	10,480,916	4,451,758
Farms by acres harvested:	50,672	6,708	5,985	31,964	6,015	333,274	61,660	193,039	78,575
1 to 9 acres.....	199,807	24,129	22,376	129,409	23,893	3,887,163	687,118	2,303,499	896,546
10 to 19 acres.....	45,526	6,137	5,425	28,572	5,392	182,040	35,695	102,175	44,170
20 to 29 acres.....	5,146	571	560	3,392	623	89,446	15,333	53,877	20,236
30 to 49 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	34,184	5,794	20,571	7,819
50 to 99 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	20,959	3,559	12,505	4,895
100 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	6,176	1,133	3,700	1,343
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing.....	63,867	8,559	6,451	42,279	6,578	281,983	50,223	167,697	64,063
Other cropland (see text).....	887,200	137,426	102,134	550,379	97,261	9,314,223	1,850,929	5,239,368	2,223,926
Woodland, including woodland pasture.....	2,208	3,484	2,812	13,517	2,471	175,194	31,807	101,051	42,536
Other land (see text).....	759,999	197,967	129,418	350,623	81,991	5,423,556	1,154,221	2,938,049	1,331,286
Woodland, including woodland pasture.....	58,653	8,296	6,555	37,308	6,494	277,028	50,013	161,938	65,077
Other land (see text).....	2,509,294	410,379	316,122	1,468,546	314,247	12,872,284	2,442,212	7,310,855	3,119,217
Irrigated land.....	115,665	18,085	13,136	72,712	11,732	399,682	73,837	233,067	92,778
Other land (see text).....	4,300,928	1,167,430	794,820	1,949,006	389,672	12,839,396	2,922,652	6,750,539	3,166,205
Irrigated land.....	8,432	800	678	4,262	692	24,692	3,394	17,127	4,171
Other land (see text).....	54,551	6,775	5,084	37,777	4,915	281,444	42,417	192,547	46,480
<b>RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>									
All farm operators:	138,152	20,625	15,748	86,836	14,943	490,407	89,213	282,717	118,477
Full owners.....	6,360	1,094	541	4,351	374	40,329	7,791	26,701	5,837
Part owners.....	7,598	1,512	436	5,200	450	40,168	9,705	25,282	5,181
Tenants.....	130,802	19,140	14,246	83,808	13,608	457,013	80,447	270,263	106,703
White farm operators:	5,914	975	485	4,134	320	55,643	6,365	24,562	4,716
Full owners.....	7,032	1,353	346	4,956	377	33,111	7,127	22,459	3,525
Part owners.....	130,802	19,140	14,246	83,808	13,608	457,013	80,447	270,263	106,703
Tenants.....	7,032	1,353	346	4,956	377	33,111	7,127	22,459	3,525
Black and other races (see text):	7,350	1,485	1,502	3,028	1,335	33,394	9,166	12,454	11,774
Full owners.....	446	119	56	217	54	4,686	1,426	2,139	1,121
Part owners.....	566	159	90	244	73	7,057	2,578	2,823	1,656
Tenants.....	138,152	20,625	15,748	86,836	14,943	490,407	89,213	282,717	118,477
<b>FARM OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>									
Farm operators by age group:	3,384	971	-	2,413	-	10,787	3,231	7,556	-
Under 25 years.....	18,606	2,541	-	16,065	-	54,386	7,359	47,027	-
25 to 34 years.....	29,287	3,860	-	25,427	-	101,534	15,470	86,064	-
35 to 44 years.....	35,115	6,377	-	28,738	-	135,928	29,585	106,343	-
45 to 54 years.....	33,226	9,482	-	23,744	-	138,774	51,064	87,710	-
55 to 64 years.....	32,492	-	16,725	-	15,767	129,495	-	-	129,495
65 years and over.....	51.5	48.7	72.0	45.3	71.5	52.8	50.9	46.1	71.7
Average age.....	76,988	7,021	7,243	53,007	9,717	353,041	59,835	203,703	89,503
On farm operated.....	7,779	4,602	633	2,280	264	121,624	23,779	80,439	17,406
On another farm.....	4,271	705	239	2,968	359	121,624	23,779	80,439	17,406
In a rural area not on a farm.....	11,849	847	437	9,317	1,248	121,624	23,779	80,439	17,406
In a city, town, or urban area.....	138,289	16,235	12,541	94,507	15,006	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....	33,609	8,653	10,285	6,344	8,327	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
None.....	104,680	7,582	2,256	88,163	6,679	423,573	39,121	334,700	49,752
Any.....	8,683	2,145	955	4,261	1,322	40,718	23,274	-	17,444
1 to 49 days.....	4,491	1,084	380	2,199	828	21,964	15,847	-	6,117
50 to 99 days.....	4,116	788	297	2,379	652	56,536	-	49,772	6,764
100 to 149 days.....	7,620	724	116	6,052	728	304,355	-	284,928	19,427
150 to 199 days.....	79,770	2,841	508	73,272	3,149	304,355	-	284,928	19,427
200 days and over.....	39,956	23,231	16,725	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by principal occupation:	112,154	-	-	96,387	15,767	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farming.....	73,914	12,975	8,849	44,193	7,897	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other.....	67,561	12,093	8,233	40,009	7,226	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by off-farm income:	6,353	882	616	4,184	671	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Reporting any.....	78,196	10,256	7,876	52,194	7,870	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold.....	78,196	10,256	7,876	52,194	7,870	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold.....	78,196	10,256	7,876	52,194	7,870	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Not reporting or reporting none.....	78,196	10,256	7,876	52,194	7,870	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>									
1 to 9 acres.....	40,671	6,609	4,124	26,298	3,640	72,718	15,577	42,908	14,233
10 to 49 acres.....	74,147	9,789	7,371	49,226	7,761	232,827	41,625	141,773	49,429
50 to 69 acres.....	10,820	1,768	1,390	6,381	1,281	62,831	11,244	36,098	15,489
70 to 99 acres.....	9,614	1,555	1,221	5,716	1,122	73,682	13,017	42,547	18,118
100 to 139 acres.....	6,086	1,031	823	3,495	737	51,383	9,415	29,031	12,937
140 to 179 acres.....	3,674	695	572	1,966	441	30,946	5,732	17,359	7,855
180 to 219 acres.....	1,614	316	241	854	203	14,539	2,827	8,169	3,543
220 to 259 acres.....	1,091	253	164	554	120	8,606	1,779	4,733	2,094
260 to 499 acres.....	2,503	641	421	1,158	283	16,528	3,630	8,736	4,162
500 acres and over.....	1,890	574	398	739	179	6,844	1,863	3,346	1,635
<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>									
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text).....\$1,000..	39,255	5,785	4,242	25,322	3,906	232,097	43,467	136,316	52,314
Average per farm.....dollars..	258	249	254	263	248	407	407	407	404
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
Under \$250.....	85,813	13,665	9,686	53,267	9,195	205,343	38,781	118,784	47,778
\$250 to \$499.....	30,982	4,084	3,025	20,734	3,139	131,680	23,604	79,082	28,994
\$500 to \$999.....	35,315	5,482	4,014	22,386	3,433	233,881	44,324	136,834	52,723
Crops and hay sold.....farms..	34,757	5,034	4,149	21,377	4,197	250,673	49,125	141,870	59,678
.....\$1,000..	15,378	2,493	1,949	9,141	1,795	109,811	22,602	61,299	25,910
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms..	2,053	261	256	1,239	297	10,942	1,962	6,220	2,760
.....\$1,000..	946	134	128	555	130	1,765	330	1,005	430
Forest products.....farms..	2,113	193	206	1,473	241	10,942	1,962	6,220	2,760
.....\$1,000..	404	56	49	248	51	1,765	330	1,005	430
Livestock and livestock products.....farms..	56,764	7,340	4,912	39,674	4,838	264,506	45,706	161,378	57,422
.....\$1,000..	21,527	2,915	1,984	14,801	1,827	120,521	20,536	74,012	25,973
Poultry and poultry products.....farms..	6,953	964	756	4,576	657	264,506	45,706	161,378	57,422
.....\$1,000..	1,000	187	132	577	104	120,521	20,536	74,012	25,973
<b>PRODUCTION EXPENSES</b>									
Total farm production expenses.....farms..	145,304	21,139	14,860	94,060	15,245	570,886	106,695	334,698	129,493
.....\$1,000..	112,545	15,890	10,013	76,696	9,946	543,731	99,147	340,274	104,310
Farms with expenditures of --									
\$1 to \$499.....	57,181	8,980	6,978	34,266	6,957	228,188	46,728	120,670	60,790
\$500 to \$999.....	54,580	7,794	5,357	35,673	5,756	156,642	27,868	93,663	35,111
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	25,950	3,225	1,958	18,631	2,136	186,056	32,099	120,365	33,592
\$2,000 and over.....	7,593	1,140	567	5,490	396	186,056	32,099	120,365	33,592
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms..	54,060	6,833	4,113	38,205	4,909	177,657	30,190	114,464	33,003
.....\$1,000..	14,172	1,554	930	10,542	1,146	61,442	9,985	42,604	8,854
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms..	105,422	13,580	9,206	71,983	10,653	303,758	51,125	189,945	62,688
.....\$1,000..	27,131	3,409	2,176	19,075	2,471	77,296	12,391	50,874	14,032
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms..	70,466	10,385	7,043	45,397	7,641	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....cons..	94,300	13,515	9,152	62,196	9,438	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....\$1,000..	13,112	1,899	1,267	8,660	1,286	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms..	43,167	5,881	4,058	28,808	4,420	207,577	38,854	123,416	45,307
.....\$1,000..	2,136	301	195	1,427	214	12,595	2,364	7,714	2,518
Commercial fertilizer.....farms..	57,275	8,552	6,325	35,950	6,448	310,014	59,883	179,247	70,884
.....\$1,000..	4,545	727	493	2,832	492	39,316	7,689	23,603	8,024
Other agricultural chemicals (see text).....farms..	14,625	1,965	1,266	10,216	1,178	172,066	30,623	106,847	34,596
.....\$1,000..	874	166	86	563	59	10,080	1,924	6,282	1,874
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business.....farms..	127,224	18,440	13,159	82,583	13,042	515,259	94,530	306,681	114,048
.....\$1,000..	16,803	2,632	1,772	10,725	1,674	67,294	13,585	39,001	14,708
Hired farm labor.....farms..	14,478	1,965	1,334	9,795	1,384	164,378	32,237	95,151	36,990
.....\$1,000..	3,960	789	441	2,396	334	36,934	8,499	20,338	8,097
Contract labor.....farms..	2,444	247	148	1,874	175	180,487	30,987	110,004	39,496
.....\$1,000..	448	60	61	293	34	26,166	4,807	15,887	5,472
Machine hire and customwork.....farms..	19,129	2,566	2,007	12,803	1,753	362,244	65,185	217,878	79,181
.....\$1,000..	2,129	373	247	1,320	188	212,608	37,904	133,972	40,731
Other production expenses.....farms..	106,905	15,567	10,590	69,966	10,782	362,244	65,185	217,878	79,181
.....\$1,000..	40,348	5,880	3,611	27,523	3,334	212,608	37,904	133,972	40,731
<b>FARM-RELATED INCOME AND EXPENSES</b>									
Farm-related income.....farms..	22,675	4,181	2,304	13,712	2,478	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....\$1,000..	27,780	7,943	2,805	14,303	2,730	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms..	4,131	683	367	2,748	333	23,163	5,383	12,909	4,871
.....\$1,000..	5,406	1,455	363	3,125	463	17,459	3,965	10,916	2,578
Recreational services.....farms..	901	94	73	660	74	5,318	1,006	3,143	1,169
.....\$1,000..	1,714	159	45	1,399	111	4,563	1,238	2,662	663
Government farm programs.....farms..	3,807	581	392	2,439	395	150,552	27,457	86,165	36,930
.....\$1,000..	813	457	198	986	173	75,489	14,332	42,171	18,987
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms..	14,931	3,081	1,638	8,373	1,839	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....\$1,000..	17,272	5,594	2,105	7,698	1,876	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources.....farms..	1,272	186	84	911	91	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....\$1,000..	1,574	278	94	1,096	106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources.....farms..	7,827	1,489	700	4,815	823	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....\$1,000..	9,076	1,901	593	5,681	901	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>									
Automobiles.....farms..	107,980	16,287	10,976	68,864	11,853	352,792	61,903	214,887	76,002
.....number..	125,947	18,214	12,115	82,478	13,140	453,730	76,691	287,023	90,016
Motortrucks, including pickups.....farms..	107,239	15,287	10,016	71,356	10,580	316,766	56,776	198,599	61,391
.....number..	119,097	16,885	10,804	79,870	11,538	353,933	64,482	222,530	66,921
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms..	103,604	14,722	10,137	68,177	10,568	355,238	61,840	219,116	74,282
.....number..	130,748	18,700	12,793	86,022	13,233	448,718	79,556	277,458	91,704
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms..	102,491	14,605	10,038	67,369	10,479	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	128,001	18,390	12,533	84,048	13,030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crawler tractors.....farms..	2,557	283	239	1,845	190	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	2,747	310	260	1,974	203	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms..	928	308	152	409	59	7,503	1,714	4,449	1,340
.....number..	994	335	162	429	68	7,946	1,855	4,691	1,400

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<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT--Continued</b>									
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers.....farms..	1,708	330	226	1,054	98	16,511	2,566	11,169	2,776
.....number..	1,828	388	241	1,095	104	17,211	2,730	11,591	2,890
Corn heads for combines.....farms..	349	132	50	149	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	368	146	50	153	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms..	1,413	227	181	923	82	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	1,460	242	191	942	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners.....farms..	4,636	529	427	3,262	418	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	4,932	557	470	3,470	435	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pickup balers.....farms..	3,938	529	414	2,608	387	37,786	5,509	26,076	6,201
.....number..	4,016	539	421	2,667	389	38,450	5,616	26,541	6,293
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms..	1,566	268	181	970	147	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	1,604	286	183	988	147	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms..	706	97	58	499	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....number..	778	109	64	545	60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms..	138,479	19,422	13,472	90,962	14,623	509,515	93,160	303,958	112,397
\$1,000.....	940,418	145,753	97,043	601,369	96,253	1,517,508	286,438	942,932	288,138
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:									
\$1 to \$999.....	4,646	486	428	3,215	517	106,994	21,722	54,001	31,271
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	40,421	4,704	3,591	27,784	4,342	322,895	56,522	199,062	67,311
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	75,831	11,167	7,309	49,080	8,275	58,738	10,285	38,425	10,028
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	14,999	2,511	1,824	9,353	1,311	15,599	3,301	9,465	2,833
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	1,858	337	221	1,174	126				
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	589	149	82	313	45	5,289	1,330	3,005	954
\$50,000 and over.....	135	68	17	43	7				
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY</b>									
Livestock and poultry inventory:									
Cattle and calves.....farms..	47,692	5,886	4,475	32,710	4,621	270,079	47,042	163,526	59,511
.....number..	222,259	28,936	21,324	150,583	21,416	2,699,273	454,532	1,683,376	561,365
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms..	31,160	3,913	3,061	21,304	2,882	187,887	33,558	112,133	42,196
.....number..	108,251	14,189	10,546	73,900	9,616	1,079,027	190,207	660,159	228,661
Beef cows.....farms..	24,615	2,832	2,100	17,607	2,076	150,413	25,423	93,727	31,263
.....number..	90,940	11,316	8,003	63,970	7,651	958,978	163,236	601,522	194,220
Milk cows.....farms..	9,841	1,464	1,217	6,079	1,081	58,077	12,330	29,696	16,051
.....number..	17,311	2,873	2,543	9,930	1,965	120,049	26,971	58,637	34,441
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	10,921	1,712	1,108	7,171	930	75,778	16,324	43,494	15,960
.....number..	42,329	7,386	4,402	27,211	3,330	596,280	121,012	365,459	109,809
Litters of pigs farrowed between Dec. 1, of preceding year and Nov. 30.....farms..	4,876	780	496	3,221	379	36,606	7,865	21,414	7,327
.....number..	11,646	1,835	1,085	7,760	966	104,604	21,296	64,039	19,269
Sheep and lambs.....farms..	9,774	1,464	738	6,702	870	25,565	3,762	16,613	5,190
.....number..	139,904	23,295	11,956	92,331	12,322	538,782	83,077	339,475	116,230
Horses and ponies.....farms..	31,052	2,762	1,583	24,763	1,944	116,323	16,858	82,853	16,612
.....number..	115,435	10,602	4,768	93,733	6,332	354,178	48,554	263,078	42,546
Chickens 3 months old or older.....farms..	21,411	3,041	2,457	13,541	2,372	100,680	20,982	50,322	29,376
.....number..	537,136	88,914	66,769	325,445	56,008	3,113,758	641,696	1,551,687	920,375
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms..	19,817	2,844	2,309	12,435	2,229	92,822	19,325	46,166	27,331
.....number..	465,837	79,808	60,326	275,653	50,500	2,633,458	542,609	1,285,757	805,092
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....farms..	1,998	308	203	1,287	200	3,417	744	1,898	775
.....number..	31,681	4,357	2,889	21,521	2,914	147,512	28,115	91,670	27,727
Other livestock and poultry.....farms..	14,570	1,595	1,042	10,882	1,051	52,141	10,455	29,686	12,000
Livestock and poultry sold:									
Cattle and calves.....farms..	25,952	3,417	2,739	17,240	2,556	193,881	33,457	117,373	43,051
.....number..	78,529	10,771	9,064	50,568	8,126	799,727	138,651	482,665	178,411
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	7,942	1,231	704	5,434	573	43,279	8,492	26,343	8,644
.....number..	80,145	12,834	7,532	53,674	6,105	573,708	110,795	357,769	105,144
Feeder pigs sold.....farms..	2,763	364	226	1,961	212	16,874	3,192	10,563	3,119
.....number..	42,478	5,939	3,516	29,431	3,592	295,907	53,636	189,571	52,700
Sheep and lambs.....farms..	8,397	1,309	674	5,644	770	21,738	3,257	13,822	4,659
.....number..	116,309	19,900	9,450	76,431	10,528	322,801	49,091	198,581	75,129
Horses and ponies.....farms..	9,282	763	304	7,835	380	14,748	1,878	11,454	1,416
.....number..	19,039	1,720	673	15,898	748	28,524	3,634	22,095	2,795
Chickens 3 months old or older.....farms..	2,419	347	249	1,601	222	6,005	1,157	3,145	1,703
.....number..	157,120	50,704	13,091	81,163	12,162	627,123	124,238	336,083	166,802
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms..	2,126	310	232	1,380	204	4,918	984	2,427	1,507
.....number..	142,755	47,862	12,191	71,568	11,134	496,438	104,966	249,204	142,268
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....farms..	772	103	42	569	58	592	75	431	86
.....number..	56,880	7,782	2,208	41,958	4,932	86,980	17,674	54,647	14,659
Other livestock and poultry.....farms..	6,225	600	276	4,945	404	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CROPS HARVESTED</b>									
Field corn for all purposes.....farms..	7,937	1,236	1,129	4,588	984	92,700	19,666	49,272	23,762
.....acres..	16,504	2,643	2,317	9,522	2,022	616,669	134,194	337,488	144,987
For grain or seed.....farms..	7,604	1,188	1,085	4,380	951	88,098	18,715	46,491	22,892
.....acres..	15,781	2,520	2,223	9,091	1,947	572,140	124,077	311,419	136,644
bushels..	786,921	132,259	103,416	459,885	91,361	20,606,750	3,968,636	12,115,331	4,522,783
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed.....farms..	345	48	44	218	35	6,507	1,347	3,841	1,319
.....acres..	723	123	94	431	75	44,529	10,117	26,069	8,343
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup.....farms..	642	87	81	413	61	7,683	1,459	4,388	1,836
.....acres..	2,472	362	266	1,623	221	85,194	16,844	49,215	19,135
For grain or seed.....farms..	330	61	53	180	36	3,187	684	1,743	760
.....acres..	1,347	254	188	774	131	45,286	9,761	25,942	9,583
bushels..	53,181	10,681	6,180	30,572	5,748	1,141,110	240,563	653,392	247,155
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed.....farms..	314	26	30	233	25	4,690	805	2,741	1,144
.....acres..	1,125	108	78	849	90	39,908	7,083	23,273	9,552

**Table 8. Characteristics of Agricultural Operations Qualifying as Farms by the 1959 Definition but Excluded by the 1974 Definition: 1974 and 1969—Continued**

FARM or FARMS in the data line captions below means agricultural operations qualifying as farms by 1959 definition but excluded by 1974 definition (see p. IX, FARM DEFINITION)

	Specified excluded agricultural operations, 1974					Farms with sales of under \$1,000, 1969			
	Total	By occupation and age of operator				Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
		Under 65 years old	65 years old and over	Under 65 years old	65 years old and over				
<b>CROPS HARVESTED--Con.</b>									
Wheat for grain.....	farms.. 2,956	471	353	1,784	368	30,480	4,876	17,891	7,713
	acres.. 12,929	1,976	1,453	7,999	1,501	337,720	62,320	190,895	84,505
	bushels.. 336,631	52,033	40,635	205,909	38,054	7,760,450	1,312,851	4,510,174	1,937,425
Other small grains for grain.....	farms.. 1,800	244	222	1,163	171	27,917	4,124	17,533	6,260
	acres.. 9,543	1,408	1,247	5,924	964	280,037	46,438	172,853	60,746
Soybeans for beans.....	farms.. 3,841	838	390	2,282	331	33,304	5,926	20,213	7,165
	acres.. 13,458	2,844	1,335	8,204	1,075	353,101	61,907	218,555	72,639
	bushels.. 269,847	59,289	27,331	160,592	22,635	6,493,637	1,089,674	4,076,362	1,327,601
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text).....	farms.. 21,545	1,989	2,226	14,714	2,616	151,104	22,685	93,111	35,308
	acres.. 125,315	11,662	12,891	84,926	15,836	1,796,120	266,587	1,115,414	414,119
	tons.. 188,771	17,685	19,708	128,327	23,051	2,398,105	339,396	1,523,623	535,086
Cotton.....	farms.. 1,221	377	241	506	97	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	acres.. 3,544	1,117	725	1,415	287	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	bales.. 2,473	754	522	1,003	194	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Peanuts for nuts.....	farms.. 301	70	43	152	36	5,371	1,537	2,330	1,504
	acres.. 322	72	45	169	36	12,920	3,593	6,149	3,178
	pounds.. 516,093	150,059	59,995	254,128	51,911	10,083,430	2,709,950	4,974,856	2,308,624
Tobacco.....	farms.. 6,301	1,116	919	3,534	732	51,800	13,343	25,935	12,522
	acres.. 1,890	336	285	1,049	221	25,817	6,687	12,784	6,346
	pounds.. 3,463,373	613,801	528,450	1,907,202	413,920	44,596,772	11,588,189	22,005,886	11,002,697
Irish potatoes.....	farms.. 1,870	250	273	1,070	277	23,550	6,070	10,434	7,046
	acres.. 402	54	54	231	63	11,773	3,431	4,975	3,368
	hundredweight.. 38,065	5,236	5,238	21,337	6,254	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes.....	farms.. 594	77	127	305	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	acres.. 136	18	28	73	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	bushels.. 15,546	2,148	2,854	8,741	1,803	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	farms.. 2,687	315	388	1,681	303	17,008	3,629	8,617	4,762
	acres.. 1,572	189	234	973	178	29,672	6,131	15,578	7,963
Berries for sale.....	farms.. 979	107	183	557	132	5,689	900	3,155	1,634
	acres.. 409	38	69	241	62	4,746	779	2,755	1,212
Land in orchards.....	farms.. 2,733	197	256	1,934	346	32,603	4,818	20,474	7,311
	acres.. 1,575	111	130	1,111	224	125,083	17,990	81,114	25,980
All other crops.....	farms.. 2,104	274	265	1,266	299	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	acres.. 215	35	35	118	27	42,970	24,892	24,897	10,319
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection.....	farms.. 992	103	93	643	153	980	212	541	227
	square feet.. 477,197	57,445	49,142	303,773	66,837	308,532	63,985	172,980	71,567