

Table 8. Crops Harvested and Value of Production: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms	1974			1969			1964			All Farms	1974			1969			1964		
All farms	number	126 104	140 354	154 165	Cotton	farms	-	-	-										
Farms with harvested cropland	number	116 863	128 791	143 705	acres	-	-	-											
	acres	23 085 329	19 286 658	19 951 500	boles	-	-	-											
All crops harvested, including nursery products	farms	116 863	128 791	143 705	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-											
	value of production \$1,000	4 390 204	1 629 165	1 414 772	Peanuts for nuts	farms	-	-	-										
Field corn for all purposes	farms	107 737	117 047	134 725	acres	-	-	-											
For grain or seed	farms	106 135	116 162	133 915	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-											
	acres	11 865 605	9 480 821	9 612 950	Tobacco	farms	-	3	1										
	bushels	930 743 547	912 535 502	734 505 000	acres	-	6	7											
	value of production \$1,000	2 606 082	1 003 790	815 298	pounds	-	5 836	9 000											
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	farms	26 528	26 542	(NA)	value of production \$1,000	-	4	5											
	acres	840 966	548 727	513 668	Irish potatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	354	1 394	(NA)										
	value of production \$1,000	194 616	60 054	52 658	acres	2 318	1 789	2 720											
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	farms	1 056	2 121	3 655	hundredweight	453 734	(NA)	(NA)											
For grain or seed	farms	356	1 129	1 277	value of production \$1,000	1 860	743	1 798											
	acres	12 037	32 409	29 937	Sweetpotatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	16	35	18										
	bushels	531 174	2 517 844	2 101 850	acres	35	18	18											
	value of production \$1,000	1 434	2 543	2 060	bushels	4 570	18	18											
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	farms	735	1 103	(NA)	Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	farms	541	828	946										
	acres	11 016	15 901	23 266	acres	13 280	14 129	15 626											
	value of production \$1,000	1 616	1 217	2 324	value of production \$1,000	4 445	2 623	2 562											
Wheat for grain	farms	2 132	1 838	4 390	Berries for sale	farms	115	274	485										
	acres	59 874	42 711	99 185	acres	96	145	234											
	bushels	1 794 494	1 413 439	2 734 950	value of production \$1,000	68	85	92											
	value of production \$1,000	7 357	1 628	3 829	Land in orchards	farms	422	593	2 928										
Other small grains for grain	farms	54 006	69 045	(NA)	acres	2 707	3 145	5 663											
	acres	1 276 872	1 774 214	2 247 797	value of production \$1,000	1 981	844	(NA)											
	value of production \$1,000	100 248	54 108	70 271	Other crops	farms	2 056	(NA)	(NA)										
Soybeans for beans	farms	82 952	80 892	88 639	acres	62 343	69 412	128 763											
	acres	6 905 647	5 175 289	4 173 050	value of production \$1,000	24 842	12 786	(NA)											
	bushels	190 916 604	165 975 386	116 215 000	Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	farms	166	154	(NA)										
	value of production \$1,000	1 212 320	373 452	307 971	acres	2 546 684	1 755 085	3 283 316											
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	farms	72 217	84 168	(NA)	sq. ft.	6 823	2 321	(NA)											
	acres	2 259 243	2 269 783	3 201 683	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-											
	tons, dry	5 896 261	6 166 678	7 643 602															
	value of production \$1,000	233 315	115 288	138 973															

<sup>1</sup>Data for farms, acreage, and sales of Irish and sweetpotatoes were combined in 1969 and 1964.

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974

All Farms	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Farms with sales under \$2,500						Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		Total	
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over		
<b>Farms and Land in Farms</b>									
Farms	number	126 104	117 075	8 954	2 192	1 199	4 995	568	75
	percent	100.0	92.8	7.1	1.7	1.0	4.0	0.5	0.1
Land in farms	acres	33 044 768	32 444 223	567 970	191 599	87 376	254 752	34 243	32 575
	average size of farm	262	277	63	87	73	51	60	434
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000	23 754 205	23 343 951	384 290	118 785	51 265	194 466	19 774	25 964
	average per farm	188 370	199 393	42 918	54 190	42 757	38 932	34 813	346 181
	average per acre	719	720	677	620	587	763	577	797
Farms by value of farm:									
\$1 to \$9,999		3 442	2 136	1 304	364	197	652	91	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999		4 668	2 847	1 821	419	239	995	168	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999		11 353	8 557	2 791	586	353	1 686	166	5
\$40,000 to \$69,999		16 276	14 569	1 699	340	208	1 078	73	8
\$70,000 to \$99,999		14 157	13 579	570	170	90	267	43	8
\$100,000 to \$149,999		18 589	18 213	365	119	63	174	9	11
\$150,000 to \$199,999		15 094	14 935	150	65	25	51	9	9
\$200,000 to \$499,999		34 423	34 163	241	127	21	85	8	19
\$500,000 and over		8 102	8 076	13	2	3	7	1	13
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned	farms	101 133	92 753	8 315	2 019	1 159	4 603	534	65
	acres	20 396 054	19 649 616	711 687	248 421	121 435	298 286	43 545	34 751
Land rented or leased from others	farms	62 293	61 048	1 227	303	84	776	64	18
	acres	14 662 794	14 585 386	74 987	32 919	7 603	28 998	5 467	2 421
Land rented or leased to others	farms	15 173	12 794	2 367	817	421	954	175	12
	acres	2 014 080	1 790 779	218 704	89 741	41 662	72 532	14 769	4 597
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>									
Total cropland	farms	120 559	113 239	7 251	1 628	936	4 210	477	69
	acres	27 278 052	26 923 771	332 632	109 094	50 402	153 739	19 397	21 649
Harvested cropland	farms	116 863	111 562	5 238	958	675	3 265	340	63
	acres	23 085 329	22 986 785	83 290	18 690	11 839	47 630	5 131	15 254
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres		3 316	1 365	1 951	315	213	1 296	127	-
10 to 19 acres		3 980	2 241	1 735	241	217	1 145	132	4
20 to 29 acres		3 500	2 729	770	156	128	439	47	1
30 to 49 acres		7 089	6 453	631	187	104	320	20	5
50 to 99 acres		19 124	18 959	150	59	12	65	14	15
100 to 199 acres		35 116	35 100	1	-	-	-	-	15
200 to 499 acres		38 119	38 103	-	-	-	-	-	16
500 to 999 acres		5 931	5 927	-	-	-	-	-	4
1,000 acres and over		688	685	-	-	-	-	-	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	63 626	59 409	4 180	986	533	2 370	291	37
	acres	3 629 558	3 401 938	222 159	80 407	34 949	94 179	12 624	5 461
Other cropland (see text)	farms	16 778	15 807	949	272	118	507	52	22
	acres	563 165	535 048	27 183	9 997	3 614	11 930	1 642	934