

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1940 to 1974

All Farms	1974		1969		1964		1959		1954		1950		1945		1940	
	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres	Number	Acres
All farms	79 188	47 945 722	86 057	49 390 369	92 440	50 271 500	104 347	50 152 870	120 167	50 023 538	131 394	48 611 366	141 192	48 589 418	156 327	48 173 635
Land in farms		605		574		544		481		416		370		344		308
Average size of farm		7.7		6.3		5.9		4.8		4.2		3.7		3.4		3.0
Approximate land area	52 345 024		52 345 024		52 510 500		52 510 720		52 549 120		52 549 120		52 552 320		52 552 320	
Proportion in farms	91.6		94.4		95.7		95.5		95.2		92.5		92.5		91.7	
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000	14 210 626		7 842 501		6 137 661		48 084		33 117		24 344		13 962		9 092
Average per farm		179 454		91 131		66 397		48 084		33 117		24 344		13 962		9 092
Average per acre		296		159		122		100		80		66		41		30
Land in Farms According to Use																
Total cropland	74 306		80 455		86 535		97 420		110 350		121 081		132 090		152 751	
Harvested cropland	29 984 268		31 767 739		29 421 600		29 623 874		29 577 170		29 439 625		28 436 340		34 193 430	
Other cropland	70 573		76 110		84 171		94 918		107 602		117 481		128 949		142 874	
Farms by acres harvested:	19 870 535		17 649 231		18 160 500		20 528 357		21 440 232		21 493 734		22 816 924		17 816 498	
1 to 9 acres	12 897		14 450		15 102		15 729		18 344		23 246		24 920		(NA)	
10 to 19 acres	1 781		2 097		2 811		2 887		3 983		6 220		7 531		(NA)	
20 to 29 acres	2 811		3 327		3 407		3 577		3 557		4 295		4 128		(NA)	
30 to 49 acres	2 885		3 124		3 020		3 060		3 495		3 943		4 075		(NA)	
50 to 99 acres	5 420		5 902		5 864		6 205		7 309		8 788		9 186		(NA)	
100 to 199 acres	10 835		12 499		13 606		15 036		18 917		22 503		25 667		(NA)	
200 to 499 acres	14 291		17 496		21 245		26 034		31 890		34 770		39 482		(NA)	
500 to 999 acres	21 199		23 467		27 274		30 723		31 429		30 567		32 167		(NA)	
1,000 acres and over	8 607		6 758		5 964		6 152		5 882		5 265		5 697		(NA)	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2 744		1 440		980		1 244		1 140		1 130		1 016		(NA)	
2,000 acres and over	2 370		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)	
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	31 862		36 588		23 337		25 191		29 252		30 131		23 668		75 934	
Other cropland (see text)	3 894 620		3 924 686		1 345 650		1 446 013		1 359 419		1 521 040		887 002		6 160 782	
Woodland, including woodland pasture	32 627		59 490		66 107		56 227		61 815		63 920		(NA)		(NA)	
Other land (see text)	6 219 113		10 193 822		9 915 450		7 649 504		6 777 519		6 424 851		4 732 414		10 216 150	
Irrigated land	13 999		16 393		16 783		18 625		22 827		26 694		19 580		32 061	
Other land (see text)	769 836		776 837		772 880		796 906		980 159		1 160 061		686 857		711 056	
Irrigated land	64 628		72 663		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)		(NA)	
Irrigated land	17 191 618		16 845 793		20 076 550		19 732 090		19 466 209		18 011 680		19 466 221		(NA)	
Irrigated land	6 710		6 271		5 102		4 592		2 736		1 166		636		1 578	
Irrigated land	2 010 385		1 522 317		1 004 250		762 101		331 551		138 686		96 248		82 872	
Farms by value of land and buildings:																
\$1 to \$9,999	2 798		6 521									293		192		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 738		9 253									1 155		1 073		
\$20,000 to \$39,999	10 194		16 521													
\$40,000 to \$69,999	13 045		17 276													
\$70,000 to \$99,999	8 905		11 421													
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10 108		10 959													
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7 420		5 755													
\$200,000 to \$499,999	16 427		7 257													
\$500,000 and over	5 553		1 094													
Farms by acres irrigated:																
1 to 9 acres																
10 to 49 acres																
50 to 99 acres																
100 to 199 acres																
200 to 499 acres																
500 to 999 acres																
1,000 acres and over																

Table 2. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms	Number of farms			Land in farms (acres)			Harvested cropland (acres)			Irrigated land (acres)		
	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964
All farms - number	79 188	86 057	92 440	47 945 722	49 390 369	50 271 500	19 870 535	17 649 231	18 160 500	2 010 385	1 522 317	1 004 210
with harvested cropland	70 573	76 110	84 171	46 116 236	47 439 380	(NA)	19 870 535	17 649 231	18 160 500	2 008 434	1 520 561	848 027
with irrigated land	6 710	6 271	5 102	9 080 333	8 117 141	6 049 014	4 299 780	3 207 244	2 216 108	2 010 385	1 522 317	1 004 210
Farms by size:												
1 to 9 acres - number	2 797	3 460	2 366	6 121	7 744	7 993	1 207	1 471	1 472	192	131	119
With harvested cropland	401	384	553	1 694	2 004	(NA)	1 207	1 471	1 472	184	121	(NA)
With irrigated land	91	50	51	331	211	(NA)	196	118	(NA)	192	131	119
10 to 19 acres - number	5 127	5 231	6 465	150 427	149 779	178 875	63 883	53 008	54 695	2 128	2 261	1 507
With harvested cropland	3 426	3 089	3 774	103 564	92 809	(NA)	63 883	53 008	54 695	2 022	1 707	(NA)
With irrigated land	160	140	110	4 141	3 939	(NA)	2 723	1 903	(NA)	2 128	2 261	1 507
20 to 29 acres - number	1 986	1 794	1 916	115 276	104 959	111 975	48 931	36 298	35 003	750	936	636
With harvested cropland	1 448	1 208	1 319	84 290	70 824	(NA)	48 931	36 298	35 003	735	856	(NA)
With irrigated land	5 29	27	28	1 623	1 526	(NA)	1 024	745	(NA)	750	936	636
30 to 49 acres - number	5 657	5 423	5 895	458 034	438 528	478 505	191 377	158 565	177 895	3 576	3 123	2 435
With harvested cropland	4 640	4 976	4 976	376 321	354 328	(NA)	191 377	158 565	177 895	3 434	2 787	(NA)
With irrigated land	96	70	66	7 818	5 681	(NA)	5 331	3 423	(NA)	3 576	3 123	2 435
50 to 99 acres - number	3 579	3 577	3 913	416 983	418 437	458 715	186 495	156 806	180 865	3 681	4 004	2 860
With harvested cropland	3 026	2 993	3 439	353 149	351 398	(NA)	186 495	156 806	180 865	3 681	3 874	(NA)
With irrigated land	82	75	58	9 649	8 593	(NA)	5 832	5 592	(NA)	3 681	4 004	2 860
100 to 199 acres - number	7 752	8 231	9 072	1 229 285	1 305 285	1 441 650	561 556	516 671	619 225	18 093	13 370	11 694
With harvested cropland	6 955	7 492	8 542	1 103 529	1 188 659	(NA)	561 556	516 671	619 225	17 869	13 370	(NA)
With irrigated land	210	181	169	33 457	28 757	(NA)	24 589	17 331	(NA)	18 093	13 370	11 694
200 to 299 acres - number	2 841	3 211	3 519	560 691	636 248	697 085	252 575	258 320	313 785	4 997	5 465	4 926
With harvested cropland	2 579	2 943	3 320	508 888	583 499	(NA)	252 575	258 320	313 785	4 997	5 465	(NA)
With irrigated land	90	85	91	17 779	16 943	(NA)	11 589	9 820	(NA)	4 997	5 465	4 926
300 to 399 acres - number	3 822	4 448	5 311	910 430	1 060 380	1 266 250	429 493	447 299	584 855	10 409	10 073	9 225
With harvested cropland	3 583	4 224	5 131	853 634	1 007 065	(NA)	429 493	447 299	584 855	10 409	10 073	(NA)
With irrigated land	124	111	126	29 529	26 506	(NA)	20 280	15 884	(NA)	10 409	10 073	9 225
400 to 499 acres - number	16 568	19 675	22 684	6 168 707	7 354 690	8 476 250	3 078 493	3 153 899	3 931 350	151 323	128 372	117 801
With harvested cropland	15 940	18 987	22 233	5 946 493	7 109 308	(NA)	3 078 493	3 153 899	3 931 350	150 448	128 372	(NA)
With irrigated land	1 029	1 004	978	399 944	392 501	(NA)	267 267	224 182	(NA)	151 323</		