

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

All Farms	1974			1969			1964			All Farms	1974			1969			1964		
	number	acres	value of production \$1,000	number	acres	value of production \$1,000	number	acres	value of production \$1,000		number	acres	value of production \$1,000	number	acres	value of production \$1,000	number	acres	value of production \$1,000
All farms	79 188			86 057			92 440			Cotton									
Farms with harvested cropland	70 573			76 110			84 171			acres									
	19 870 535			17 649 231			18 160 500			bales									
All crops harvested, including nursery products	70 573			76 110			84 171			value of production \$1,000									
Field corn for all purposes	2 394 623			830 986			642 065			Peanuts for nuts									
For grain or seed	17 762			20 563			29 777			acres									
	13 300			17 131			23 570			value of production \$1,000									
	1 597 279			1 152 878			988 065			Tobacco									
	126 247 120			90 136 720			44 103 500			acres	8	14	13						
	372 429			103 658			52 924			pounds	15	26	37						
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	8 320			7 109			(NA)			value of production \$1,000	34 772	36 577	62 876						
	378 403			254 073			325 874				40	26	36						
	70 979			27 511			21 396			Irish potatoes ¹	496	1 615	(NA)						
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	39 163			46 623			56 342			acres	914	1 084	1 174						
For grain or seed	34 821			40 159			46 959			hundredweight	93 847	(NA)	(NA)						
	3 238 489			3 167 318			2 878 050			value of production \$1,000	704	257	403						
	132 210 153			178 300 694			92 530 500			Sweetpotatoes ¹	72								
	356 967			181 867			97 157			acres	238								
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	13 684			20 863			(NA)			bushels	33 621								
	517 688			808 510			1 082 565			value of production \$1,000	134								
	58 760			50 300			44 841			Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	350	502	586						
Wheat for grain	55 895			62 204			71 703			acres	3 800	3 470	5 754						
	11 040 335			9 342 569			9 034 050			value of production \$1,000	2 154	929	1 249						
	299 416 699			268 780 083			196 895 000			Berries for sale	88	224	204						
	1 167 888			311 905			271 718			acres	119	253	158						
Other small grains for grain	8 450			10 535			(NA)			value of production \$1,000	64	111	63						
	190 558			353 839			837 856			Land in orchards	531	807	2 694						
	10 823			9 652			16 762			acres	6 103	8 693	9 419						
										value of production \$1,000	1 696	1 954	(NA)						
Soybeans for beans	14 236			15 068			16 909			Other crops	2 819	(NA)	(NA)						
	931 135			765 450			618 915			acres	120 153	168 113	225 837						
	18 634 381			17 124 661			10 948 500			value of production \$1,000	56 767	17 131	(NA)						
	122 987			37 674			27 918			Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	153	139	(NA)						
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	42 504			43 761			(NA)			sq. ft.	2 197 308	1 637 340	2 790 642						
	2 066 168			1 902 475			2 402 190			value of production \$1,000	4 914	1 840	(NA)						
	4 032 977			4 312 407			4 214 537												
	172 231			88 010			91 867												

¹Data 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	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales under \$2,500				Abnormal farms	
	Total	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming			
			Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over		
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms	79 188	69 088	10 067	2 030	1 564	5 657	816	33
percent	100.0	87.2	12.7	2.6	2.0	7.1	1.0	(Z)
Land in farms	47 945 722	46 985 958	913 492	211 541	176 763	438 467	86 721	46 272
Average size of farm	605	680	91	104	113	78	106	1 402
Value of land and buildings	14 210 626	13 798 571	392 154	73 063	61 811	224 654	32 627	19 901
Average per farm	179 454	199 725	38 954	35 992	39 521	39 713	39 984	603 057
Average per acre	296	294	429	345	350	512	376	430
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999	2 798	1 350	1 448	360	221	760	107	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 738	2 704	2 033	509	313	1 060	151	1
\$20,000 to \$39,999	10 194	7 128	3 064	523	508	1 750	283	2
\$40,000 to \$69,999	13 045	10 781	2 261	398	308	1 375	180	3
\$70,000 to \$99,999	8 905	8 275	627	127	100	367	33	3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10 108	9 718	389	66	73	207	43	1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7 420	7 310	108	29	12	64	3	2
\$200,000 to \$499,999	16 427	16 283	131	17	28	71	15	13
\$500,000 and over	5 553	5 539	6	1	1	3	1	8
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:								
Land owned	67 840	58 680	9 128	1 773	1 496	5 085	774	32
acres	27 878 172	26 740 643	1 092 257	272 123	254 815	449 764	115 555	45 272
Land rented or leased from others	44 603	42 633	1 959	414	197	1 263	85	11
acres	23 480 432	23 300 495	175 469	48 906	22 646	97 315	6 602	4 468
Land rented or leased to others	12 711	10 192	2 512	696	531	1 092	193	7
acres	3 412 882	3 055 180	354 234	109 488	100 698	108 612	35 436	3 468
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland	74 306	66 164	8 113	1 539	1 254	4 646	674	29
acres	29 984 268	29 443 921	525 429	126 078	93 222	250 410	55 719	14 918
Harvested cropland	70 573	64 600	5 945	1 097	894	3 511	443	28
acres	19 870 535	19 721 348	139 111	27 409	22 926	77 919	10 857	10 076
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	1 781	662	1 119	201	119	732	67	-
10 to 19 acres	2 811	1 039	1 771	303	273	1 056	139	1
20 to 29 acres	2 885	1 578	1 306	225	214	768	99	1
30 to 49 acres	5 420	4 175	1 241	252	199	690	100	4
50 to 99 acres	10 835	10 331	503	116	88	261	38	1
100 to 199 acres	14 291	14 284	4	-	-	4	-	3
200 to 499 acres	21 199	21 184	1	-	-	-	-	14
500 to 999 acres	8 607	8 606	-	-	-	-	-	1
1,000 acres and over	2 744	2 741	-	-	-	-	-	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	31 862	27 285	4 563	858	701	2 613	391	14
acres	3 894 420	3 589 699	303 068	72 133	53 958	138 695	38 282	1 853
Other cropland (see text)	32 627	31 004	1 605	370	308	830	97	18
acres	6 219 113	6 132 874	83 250	26 536	16 338	33 796	6 580	2 989

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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		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years		65 years and over
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.								
Woodland, including woodland pasture.....farms.....	13 999	11 934	2 057	337	308	1 245	167	8
.....acres.....	769 836	708 004	60 313	11 882	10 600	33 866	3 965	1 519
Other land (see text).....farms.....	64 628	56 936	7 661	1 544	1 283	4 258	576	31
.....acres.....	17 191 618	16 834 033	327 750	73 581	72 941	154 191	27 037	29 835
Irrigated land.....farms.....	6 710	6 569	131	26	29	72	4	10
.....acres.....	2 010 385	2 007 801	1 272	163	315	765	29	1 312
Color and Tenure of Operator								
All farm operators:								
Full owners.....	34 699	26 551	8 126	1 621	1 372	4 402	731	22
Part owners.....	32 462	31 508	944	135	113	657	39	10
Tenants.....	12 027	11 029	997	274	79	598	46	1
White farm operators:								
Full owners.....	34 210	26 121	8 089	1 618	1 372	4 385	714	(X)
Part owners.....	32 022	31 087	935	135	112	649	39	(X)
Tenants.....	11 857	10 869	988	272	77	593	46	(X)
Black and other races, see text:								
Full owners.....	124	87	37	3	—	17	17	(X)
Part owners.....	96	87	9	—	1	8	—	(X)
Tenants.....	46	37	9	2	2	5	—	(X)
Farm Operator Characteristics¹								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	2 639	2 233	406	170	—	236	—	(X)
25 to 34 years.....	7 952	6 695	1 257	295	—	962	—	(X)
35 to 44 years.....	12 403	10 428	1 975	380	—	1 595	—	(X)
45 to 54 years.....	18 851	16 701	2 150	440	—	1 710	—	(X)
55 to 64 years.....	20 250	18 351	1 899	745	—	1 154	—	(X)
65 years and over.....	16 260	13 880	2 380	—	1 564	—	816	(X)
Average age.....	52.2	52.3	51.1	46.0	72.4	44.1	71.6	(X)
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	48 243	42 869	5 374	696	820	3 343	515	(X)
On another farm.....	4 277	3 333	944	580	92	256	16	(X)
In a rural area not on a farm.....	1 393	1 128	265	62	9	163	31	(X)
In a city, town, or urban area.....	10 959	9 618	1 341	141	144	929	127	(X)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....	60 687	52 126	8 561	1 324	1 027	5 484	726	(X)
None.....	31 086	29 043	2 043	676	862	169	336	(X)
Any.....	29 601	23 083	6 518	648	165	5 315	390	(X)
1 to 49 days.....	5 853	5 325	528	213	92	163	60	(X)
50 to 99 days.....	2 106	1 925	181	49	25	64	43	(X)
100 to 149 days.....	2 026	1 772	254	97	14	96	47	(X)
150 to 199 days.....	2 646	2 228	418	31	4	358	25	(X)
200 days and over.....	16 970	11 833	5 137	258	30	4 634	215	(X)
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	57 633	54 039	3 594	2 030	1 564	—	—	(X)
Other.....	20 722	14 249	6 473	—	—	5 657	816	(X)
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:								
Reporting any.....	53 193	45 540	7 653	1 033	706	5 334	580	(X)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold.....	17 928	10 712	7 216	860	524	5 308	524	(X)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold.....	35 265	34 828	437	173	182	26	56	(X)
Not reporting or reporting none.....	25 162	22 748	2 414	997	858	323	236	(X)
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres.....	2 797	1 683	1 114	331	171	555	57	—
10 to 49 acres.....	5 127	1 922	3 204	528	306	2 130	240	1
50 to 69 acres.....	1 986	1 129	857	121	133	526	77	—
70 to 99 acres.....	5 657	3 624	2 030	383	309	1 165	173	3
100 to 139 acres.....	3 579	2 790	787	148	159	404	76	2
140 to 179 acres.....	7 752	6 763	989	212	235	468	74	—
180 to 219 acres.....	2 841	2 592	246	73	56	104	13	3
220 to 259 acres.....	3 822	3 576	246	44	68	97	37	—
260 to 499 acres.....	16 568	16 074	492	150	105	176	61	2
500 to 999 acres.....	16 047	15 948	88	35	19	28	6	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	9 193	9 176	12	4	3	4	1	5
2,000 acres and over.....	3 819	3 811	2	1	—	—	1	6
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text).....\$1,000.....	3 682 044	3 666 051	12 559	2 609	2 080	6 878	992	3 434
.....dollars.....	46 497	53 063	1 248	1 285	1 330	1 216	1 216	104 054
Average per farm.....								
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	3 845	173	3 665	701	481	2 187	296	7
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	2 539	185	2 354	434	373	1 352	195	—
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	2 290	193	2 096	464	377	1 059	196	1
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	2 231	279	1 952	431	333	1 059	129	—
\$2,500 and over.....	68 283	68 258	—	—	—	—	—	25
Crops and hay sold.....farms.....	65 025	61 016	3 984	758	628	2 292	306	25
.....\$1,000.....	1 783 910	1 778 836	4 365	941	711	2 371	342	708
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms.....	271	215	54	15	14	23	2	2
.....\$1,000.....	10 638	10 549	62	22	16	19	5	27
Forest products.....farms.....	592	534	56	9	9	36	2	2
.....\$1,000.....	516	497	17	2	2	11	1	2
Livestock and livestock products.....farms.....	58 546	51 808	6 716	1 282	1 053	3 881	500	22
.....\$1,000.....	1 864 002	1 853 625	8 014	1 629	1 320	4 426	638	2 363
Poultry and poultry products.....farms.....	4 293	3 707	573	105	112	328	28	13
.....\$1,000.....	22 978	22 543	101	15	30	51	5	334

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

All Farms	Farms with sales under \$2,500							Abnormal farms
	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Production Expenses								
Total farm production expenses.....farms.....	79 081	69 087	9 961	1 993	1 528	5 629	811	33
.....\$1,000.....	2 678 186	2 658 506	16 777	3 070	2 455	10 080	1 172	2 904
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	1 736	239	1 493	359	279	734	121	4
\$500 to \$999.....	3 126	641	2 485	511	363	1 359	252	—
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	5 749	2 639	3 110	638	465	1 731	276	—
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	5 284	3 911	1 371	236	218	843	74	2
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	8 845	7 789	1 053	165	152	669	67	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	14 943	14 493	449	84	51	293	21	1
\$10,000 and over.....	39 398	39 375	—	—	—	—	—	23
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms.....	30 960	27 505	3 435	593	374	2 256	212	20
.....\$1,000.....	738 839	736 129	2 366	361	188	1 674	143	344
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	3 125	2 232	892	183	131	511	67	1
\$100 to \$499.....	5 446	4 211	1 233	201	136	837	59	2
\$500 to \$999.....	4 145	3 624	521	95	45	342	39	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	5 039	4 475	556	84	46	392	34	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	3 687	3 469	218	26	16	164	12	—
\$5,000 and over.....	9 518	9 494	15	4	—	10	1	9
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms.....	51 867	44 956	6 889	1 283	931	4 119	556	22
.....\$1,000.....	602 285	597 085	4 241	769	615	2 547	311	959
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	3 071	1 979	1 092	217	146	641	88	—
\$100 to \$499.....	10 425	7 680	2 745	541	341	1 611	252	—
\$500 to \$999.....	8 072	6 466	1 606	255	231	1 008	112	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	12 358	11 073	1 282	243	189	757	93	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	7 365	7 202	161	24	24	102	11	2
\$5,000 and over.....	10 576	10 556	3	3	—	—	—	17
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms.....	38 983	34 853	4 110	855	595	2 325	335	20
.....tons.....	1 301 452	1 287 148	12 137	2 580	2 069	6 443	1 045	2 147
.....\$1,000.....	191 714	189 530	1 805	397	299	961	148	380
Farms that used—								
1 to 49 tons.....	34 974	30 857	4 110	855	595	2 325	335	7
50 to 99 tons.....	1 981	1 974	—	—	—	—	—	7
100 to 199 tons.....	1 070	1 068	—	—	—	—	—	2
200 to 499 tons.....	681	677	—	—	—	—	—	4
500 tons and over.....	277	277	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	3 946	2 878	1 068	207	131	642	88	—
\$100 to \$499.....	9 697	7 845	1 850	374	264	1 054	158	2
\$500 to \$999.....	6 212	5 535	675	150	106	372	47	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	8 680	8 206	473	117	86	231	39	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	4 455	4 410	44	7	8	26	3	1
\$5,000 and over.....	5 993	5 979	—	—	—	—	—	14
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	53 987	50 654	3 308	676	438	1 985	209	25
.....\$1,000.....	54 398	54 017	347	69	58	200	20	34
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	9 420	7 318	2 101	447	233	1 276	145	1
\$100 to \$499.....	21 601	20 438	1 159	219	191	687	62	4
\$500 to \$999.....	9 512	9 453	47	10	14	21	2	12
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	8 412	8 407	1	—	—	1	—	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	3 206	3 204	—	—	—	—	—	2
\$5,000 and over.....	1 836	1 834	—	—	—	—	—	2
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	54 426	50 541	3 858	726	495	2 326	311	27
.....\$1,000.....	205 830	204 433	1 231	268	174	697	92	166
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	1 801	945	856	180	103	491	82	—
\$100 to \$499.....	9 737	7 383	2 351	402	290	1 487	172	3
\$500 to \$999.....	8 376	7 921	454	87	69	255	43	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	13 208	13 028	174	43	32	87	12	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	9 509	9 483	19	11	1	5	2	7
\$5,000 and over.....	11 795	11 781	4	3	—	1	—	10
Other agricultural chemicals (see text).....farms.....	33 729	32 242	1 465	244	226	917	78	22
.....\$1,000.....	43 071	42 857	155	31	22	93	10	59
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	6 516	5 514	1 000	157	153	639	51	2
\$100 to \$499.....	11 690	11 264	423	76	66	258	23	3
\$500 to \$999.....	5 535	5 493	35	7	7	17	4	7
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	5 728	5 717	6	4	—	2	—	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	2 476	2 473	—	—	—	—	—	3
\$5,000 and over.....	1 784	1 781	1	—	—	1	—	2
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms.....	77 218	67 965	9 220	1 780	1 442	5 239	759	33
.....\$1,000.....	138 140	135 902	2 119	429	372	1 157	162	119
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	3 762	1 367	2 394	415	296	1 446	237	1
\$100 to \$499.....	18 521	12 695	5 822	1 159	991	3 249	423	4
\$500 to \$999.....	15 332	14 439	888	172	126	497	93	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	23 108	22 984	114	34	28	46	6	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	11 336	11 328	2	—	1	1	—	6
\$5,000 and over.....	5 159	5 152	—	—	—	—	—	7
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	25 952	24 565	1 367	169	226	870	102	20
.....\$1,000.....	85 140	84 062	308	52	56	171	29	770
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	3 372	2 710	662	65	117	438	42	—
\$100 to \$499.....	8 114	7 554	560	77	81	354	48	—
\$500 to \$999.....	3 779	3 680	99	19	20	53	7	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	4 372	4 337	35	3	7	22	3	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	2 427	2 415	11	5	1	3	—	1
\$5,000 and over.....	3 888	3 869	—	—	—	—	—	19

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	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		Total	
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over		
Production Expenses—Continued									
Contract labor.....farms.....	3 156	2 917	237	31	19	173	14	2	
.....\$1,000.....	6 488	6 424	60	15	5	35	5	3	
Farms with expenditures of—									
\$1 to \$99.....	47	8	39	3	2	32	2	—	
\$100 to \$499.....	1 024	854	169	15	14	132	8	1	
\$500 to \$999.....	706	689	17	9	3	3	2	—	
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	750	738	12	4	—	6	2	—	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	338	337	—	—	—	—	—	1	
\$5,000 and over.....	291	291	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Machine hire and customwork.....farms.....	40 265	37 581	2 668	398	491	1 617	162	16	
.....\$1,000.....	78 675	78 039	596	96	117	350	33	39	
Farms with expenditures of—									
\$1 to \$99.....	3 601	2 614	987	175	162	597	53	—	
\$100 to \$499.....	12 469	11 084	1 384	177	278	830	99	1	
\$500 to \$999.....	7 627	7 380	245	32	39	164	10	2	
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	8 778	8 725	49	12	12	25	—	4	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	4 148	4 138	2	1	—	1	—	8	
\$5,000 and over.....	3 642	3 640	1	—	—	—	—	1	
Other production expenses.....farms.....	76 547	68 890	7 631	1 498	1 114	4 402	617	26	
.....\$1,000.....	725 321	719 558	5 353	980	848	3 158	367	411	
Farms with expenditures of—									
\$1 to \$99.....	1 313	472	841	182	147	443	69	—	
\$100 to \$499.....	7 199	3 705	3 492	705	432	2 047	308	2	
\$500 to \$999.....	6 801	5 321	1 480	302	240	804	134	—	
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	14 014	12 520	1 491	257	240	899	95	3	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	13 350	13 033	315	46	53	206	10	2	
\$5,000 and over.....	33 870	33 839	12	6	2	3	1	19	
Farm-Related Income and Expenses									
Farm-related income.....farms.....	23 128	21 037	2 080	474	365	1 057	184	11	
.....\$1,000.....	69 590	66 146	3 244	1 024	672	1 236	312	199	
Farms with farm-related income of—									
\$1 to \$499.....	5 892	5 056	834	130	124	530	50	2	
\$500 to \$999.....	4 338	3 880	457	134	84	194	45	1	
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	4 546	4 225	321	80	64	136	41	—	
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	2 502	2 317	185	42	44	83	16	—	
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	2 518	2 373	145	29	19	74	23	—	
\$5,000 and over.....	3 332	3 186	138	59	30	40	9	8	
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms.....	10 168	9 664	502	126	74	265	37	2	
.....\$1,000.....	31 537	30 666	861	287	195	355	24	10	
Recreational services.....farms.....	349	320	29	9	2	15	3	—	
.....\$1,000.....	355	319	36	4	7	24	2	—	
Government farm programs.....farms.....	8 384	7 890	491	101	78	277	35	3	
.....\$1,000.....	10 622	10 380	237	51	36	129	21	5	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms.....	7 517	6 303	1 207	299	238	540	130	7	
.....\$1,000.....	21 830	19 684	1 973	658	412	642	262	173	
Other farm-related sources.....farms.....	2 489	2 359	128	21	28	71	8	2	
.....\$1,000.....	5 246	5 098	137	25	21	87	4	11	
Expenses for farm-related income sources.....farms.....	8 572	7 786	780	187	135	400	58	6	
.....\$1,000.....	20 226	19 162	956	253	219	416	69	108	
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	65 165	57 835	7 319	1 553	1 135	4 024	607	11	
.....number.....	88 823	79 834	8 968	1 817	1 247	5 210	694	21	
Motortrucks, including pickups.....farms.....	69 099	61 145	7 922	1 520	1 160	4 648	594	32	
.....number.....	150 909	141 075	9 629	1 837	1 415	5 683	694	205	
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms.....	67 864	60 450	7 381	1 343	1 144	4 281	613	33	
.....number.....	161 276	149 572	11 448	2 238	1 812	6 452	946	256	
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms.....	67 693	60 307	7 353	1 335	1 138	4 271	609	33	
.....number.....	158 607	147 090	11 275	2 192	1 789	6 360	934	242	
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	2 366	2 182	170	46	23	89	12	14	
.....number.....	2 669	2 482	173	46	23	92	12	14	
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	36 401	35 782	600	121	140	305	34	19	
.....number.....	41 871	41 178	648	135	150	323	40	45	
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers.....farms.....	11 092	10 853	232	51	44	121	16	7	
.....number.....	12 162	11 907	243	52	49	126	16	12	
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	7 682	7 604	72	10	16	37	9	6	
.....number.....	8 038	7 956	73	10	17	37	9	9	
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	3 975	3 806	166	42	31	86	7	3	
.....number.....	4 124	3 951	170	42	32	89	7	3	
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	8 795	8 181	609	103	90	365	51	5	
.....number.....	9 247	8 606	636	110	95	377	54	5	
Pickup balers.....farms.....	25 536	24 358	1 157	240	201	635	81	21	
.....number.....	26 846	25 631	1 181	242	205	651	83	34	
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	8 942	8 643	287	45	32	180	30	12	
.....number.....	9 189	8 884	292	46	33	183	30	13	
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	10 121	10 002	100	27	18	50	5	19	
.....number.....	10 651	10 524	101	27	18	51	5	26	
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	75 156	65 848	9 275	1 785	1 371	5 357	762	33	
.....\$1,000.....	2 109 529	2 021 312	85 809	17 793	14 564	46 559	6 893	2 409	
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:									
\$1 to \$999.....	452	284	168	33	11	114	10	—	
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	8 636	6 057	2 578	403	326	1 626	223	1	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	11 074	7 800	3 274	694	370	1 971	239	—	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	15 911	13 481	2 429	466	517	1 210	236	1	
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	12 311	11 756	551	120	104	287	40	4	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	16 050	15 822	219	51	33	123	12	9	
\$50,000 and over.....	10 722	10 648	56	18	10	26	2	18	

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

All Farms	Farms with sales under \$2,500							Abnormal farms
	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Livestock and Poultry								
Livestock and poultry inventory:								
Cattle and calves	farms... 54 045	47 601	6 423	1 204	1 010	3 724	485	21
	number... 5 590 628	5 459 598	125 169	25 830	21 835	68 314	9 190	5 861
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 517	1 004	513	86	55	346	26	—
5 to 9	2 395	1 274	1 121	222	136	671	92	—
10 to 19	6 356	4 135	2 221	363	311	1 361	186	—
20 and over	43 777	41 188	2 568	533	508	1 346	181	21
Cows and heifers that had calved	farms... 46 537	41 313	5 206	997	851	2 974	384	18
	number... 2 039 844	1 976 156	61 680	13 509	11 201	32 728	4 242	2 008
Farms with—								
1 to 4	3 044	1 976	1 068	180	122	693	73	—
5 to 9	4 215	2 826	1 389	250	207	799	133	—
10 to 19	9 214	7 309	1 904	349	347	1 083	125	1
20 and over	30 064	29 202	845	218	175	399	53	17
Beef cows	farms... 43 545	38 583	4 945	923	812	2 838	372	17
	number... 1 890 367	1 828 600	60 131	13 116	10 898	31 929	4 188	1 636
Milk cows	farms... 7 823	7 069	749	157	103	461	28	5
	number... 149 477	147 556	1 549	393	303	799	54	372
Hogs and pigs	farms... 13 065	12 105	946	181	99	633	33	14
	number... 1 520 269	1 501 921	15 389	3 016	1 415	10 373	585	2 959
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 150	862	288	55	32	193	8	—
5 to 9	1 127	937	190	27	20	136	7	—
10 to 24	2 181	1 919	261	46	26	178	11	1
25 and over	8 607	8 387	207	53	21	126	7	13
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30	farms... 10 481	9 777	691	142	69	457	23	13
	number... 300 999	297 251	2 958	583	279	1 992	104	790
Farms by litters farrowed:								
1 litter	546	393	153	36	11	103	3	—
2 to 4 litters	1 558	1 279	279	59	28	179	13	—
5 to 9 litters	1 728	1 539	189	31	29	125	4	—
10 to 19 litters	2 398	2 327	70	16	1	50	3	—
20 litters and over	4 251	4 239	—	—	—	—	—	12
Sheep and lambs	farms... 2 290	1 925	362	63	47	242	10	3
	number... 245 543	235 083	8 679	2 200	1 358	4 750	371	1 781
Farms with—								
1	63	47	16	6	1	9	—	—
2 to 4	156	117	39	4	1	34	—	—
5 to 9	209	163	46	9	3	32	2	—
10 to 24	555	408	147	9	25	111	2	—
25 and over	1 307	1 190	114	35	17	56	6	3
Horses and ponies	farms... 11 995	9 924	2 063	298	152	1 528	85	8
	number... 43 645	37 191	6 362	884	501	4 721	256	92
Farms with—								
1	3 708	3 007	697	107	46	522	22	4
2 to 4	6 031	5 060	969	141	72	708	48	2
5 to 9	1 527	1 222	305	42	24	229	10	—
10 to 24	587	495	92	8	10	69	5	—
25 and over	142	140	—	—	—	—	—	2
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 9 615	8 112	1 490	270	261	858	101	13
	number... 2 728 432	2 636 231	56 099	11 975	11 276	29 783	3 065	36 102
Farms with—								
1 to 99	7 726	6 352	1 374	226	235	818	95	—
100 to 399	1 587	1 471	114	44	26	38	6	2
400 to 1,599	150	148	2	—	—	2	—	—
1,600 and over	152	141	—	—	—	—	—	11
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 9 430	7 971	1 446	257	255	837	97	13
	number... 2 490 582	2 404 156	50 787	9 768	10 741	27 624	2 654	35 639
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	farms... 1 146	992	154	31	14	89	20	—
	number... 203 958	194 422	9 536	1 537	441	6 380	1 178	—
Other livestock and poultry	farms... 2 080	1 335	743	112	59	545	27	2
Livestock and poultry sold:								
Cattle and calves	farms... 54 803	48 899	5 883	1 121	977	3 307	478	21
	number... 5 104 331	5 056 610	43 734	8 882	7 969	23 308	3 575	3 987
Hogs and pigs	farms... 14 558	13 552	991	203	102	649	37	15
	number... 2 829 467	2 802 676	22 095	4 643	2 310	14 203	939	4 696
Feeder pigs sold	farms... 4 132	3 709	421	92	41	274	14	2
	number... 539 180	527 331	11 759	2 423	1 204	7 625	507	90
Sheep and lambs	farms... 2 235	1 902	330	58	44	215	13	3
	number... 220 724	212 941	6 221	1 276	970	3 547	428	1 562
Horses and ponies	farms... 1 706	1 425	279	41	27	204	7	2
	number... 6 105	5 411	668	111	59	477	21	26
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 1 585	1 413	160	22	44	81	13	12
	number... 3 070 446	3 039 537	8 908	1 030	2 458	4 131	1 289	22 001
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 1 502	1 353	137	21	44	60	12	12
	number... 1 541 847	1 511 626	8 470	995	2 458	3 902	1 115	21 751
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	farms... 270	221	48	4	4	39	1	1
	number... 438 326	434 832	2 394	171	87	2 096	40	1 100
Other livestock and poultry	farms... 627	417	209	21	11	170	7	1
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes	farms... 17 762	17 122	622	139	106	316	61	18
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	431	294	137	15	22	94	6	—
5 to 14 acres	2 407	2 093	314	77	60	158	19	—
15 to 24 acres	2 298	2 202	94	34	17	39	4	2
25 acres and over	12 626	12 533	77	13	7	25	32	16
For grain or seed	farms... 13 300	12 780	506	107	84	261	54	14
	acres... 1 597 279	1 590 505	5 493	1 163	743	2 430	1 157	1 281
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	farms... 8 320	8 172	139	35	27	67	10	9
	acres... 378 403	375 901	1 532	552	321	601	58	970

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

All Farms	Farms with sales under \$2,500							Abnormal farms
	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup..... farms...	39 163	37 879	1 269	283	240	643	103	15
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	513	349	164	27	35	80	22	—
5 to 14 acres.....	3 487	2 931	555	109	106	296	44	1
15 to 24 acres.....	4 217	3 888	329	95	63	157	14	—
25 acres and over.....	30 946	30 711	221	52	36	110	23	14
For grain or seed..... farms...	34 821	33 735	1 074	238	215	526	95	12
acres.....	3 238 489	3 221 056	16 042	3 817	3 003	7 867	1 355	1 391
bushels.....	132 210 153	131 754 717	398 698	94 329	78 589	199 274	26 506	56 738
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed..... farms...	13 684	13 417	258	63	41	139	15	9
acres.....	517 688	513 933	2 656	751	416	1 341	148	1 099
Wheat for grain..... farms...	55 895	54 017	1 864	354	348	1 027	135	14
acres.....	11 040 335	11 007 668	30 850	6 083	6 603	16 235	1 929	1 817
bushels.....	299 416 699	298 713 464	641 263	132 649	130 875	333 506	44 233	61 972
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	387	225	162	36	32	85	9	—
5 to 14 acres.....	3 434	2 661	773	125	114	460	74	—
15 to 24 acres.....	4 067	3 572	494	104	102	253	35	1
25 acres and over.....	48 007	47 559	435	89	100	229	17	13
Other small grains for grain..... farms...	8 450	8 090	355	106	47	185	17	5
acres.....	190 558	186 829	3 526	1 011	300	2 040	175	203
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	518	438	80	28	24	26	2	—
5 to 14 acres.....	3 514	3 312	201	47	20	122	12	1
15 to 24 acres.....	2 136	2 091	45	27	2	14	2	—
25 acres and over.....	2 282	2 249	29	4	1	23	1	4
Soybeans for beans..... farms...	14 236	13 750	472	80	57	303	32	14
acres.....	931 135	924 998	5 163	786	683	3 457	237	974
bushels.....	18 634 381	18 531 230	75 672	10 825	9 564	50 850	4 433	27 479
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	258	188	69	15	7	36	11	1
5 to 14 acres.....	2 088	1 832	254	38	31	167	18	—
15 to 24 acres.....	2 481	2 348	133	25	18	87	3	2
25 acres and over.....	9 409	9 382	16	2	1	13	—	11
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)..... farms...	42 504	38 853	3 630	592	548	2 209	281	21
acres.....	2 066 168	1 989 285	74 252	13 541	10 590	44 384	5 737	2 631
tons.....	4 032 977	3 933 236	94 610	16 687	14 530	56 574	6 819	5 131
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	1 080	821	258	56	27	161	14	1
5 to 14 acres.....	8 089	6 750	1 337	187	210	837	103	2
15 to 24 acres.....	8 489	7 510	977	150	154	594	79	2
25 to 49 acres.....	11 949	11 137	810	145	127	475	63	2
50 acres and over.....	12 897	12 635	248	54	30	142	22	14
Cotton..... farms...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
bales.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 acres and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts..... farms...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
pounds.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 14 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15 acres and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco..... farms...	8	7	1	—	—	1	—	—
acres.....	15	14	1	—	—	1	—	—
pounds.....	34 772	32 672	2 100	—	—	2 100	—	—
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.4 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.5 to 0.9 acres.....	4	3	1	—	—	1	—	—
1.0 to 1.4 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1.5 to 1.9 acres.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
2.0 to 4.9 acres.....	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
5.0 acres and over.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes..... farms...	496	373	121	29	23	66	3	2
acres.....	914	834	78	45	6	27	1	2
hundredweight.....	93 847	89 482	3 878	1 980	329	1 534	35	487
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	416	311	104	18	21	62	3	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	35	26	8	4	2	2	—	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	9	7	2	—	—	2	—	—
5.0 acres and over.....	36	29	7	7	—	—	—	—
Sweet potatoes..... farms...	72	55	16	—	—	15	1	1
acres.....	238	226	12	—	—	11	(2)	1
bushels.....	33 621	32 101	1 295	—	—	1 265	30	225
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	37	23	13	—	—	12	1	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	12	10	2	—	—	2	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
5.0 acres and over.....	18	17	1	—	—	1	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale..... farms...	350	259	89	14	6	66	3	2
acres.....	3 800	3 643	144	30	11	99	5	12
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	95	59	35	5	2	28	—	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	84	45	39	4	3	29	3	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	40	30	10	3	—	7	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres.....	57	52	5	2	1	2	—	—
10.0 acres and over.....	74	73	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

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		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years		65 years and over
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Berries for sale..... farms.....	88	57	30	5	12	11	2	1
..... acres.....	119	91	28	12	6	9	1	(Z)
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	53	31	21	1	12	6	2	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	21	14	7	2	—	5	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	9	7	2	2	—	—	—	—
5.0 acres and over.....	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards..... farms.....	531	335	192	34	23	121	14	4
..... acres.....	6 103	5 518	504	107	66	299	32	81
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	108	49	59	11	2	43	3	—
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	171	102	69	11	9	42	7	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	55	28	26	5	7	12	2	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres.....	67	38	28	4	4	18	2	1
10.0 acres and over.....	130	118	10	3	1	6	—	2
All other crops..... farms.....	2 819	2 711	102	30	22	43	7	6
..... acres.....	120 153	119 666	425	77	145	174	29	62
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	81	66	15	2	4	8	1	—
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	151	105	46	22	9	13	2	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	161	141	18	1	4	10	3	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres.....	418	407	9	1	—	8	—	2
10.0 to 14.9 acres.....	444	437	6	4	2	—	—	1
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	565	560	5	—	—	4	1	—
25.0 acres and over.....	999	995	3	—	3	—	—	1
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection..... farms.....	153	132	19	4	6	8	1	2
..... square feet.....	2 197 308	2 176 082	13 126	2 156	2 556	7 214	(D)	(D)

Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974			1969			1964		
	Farms	Land in farms	Average size of farm	Farms	Land in farms	Average size of farm	Farms	Land in farms	Average size of farm
Farms..... number.....	69 088	68 394	68 753	69 088	68 394	68 753	69 088	68 394	68 753
Land in farms..... acres.....	46 985 958	47 295 948	47 006 268	46 985 958	47 295 948	47 006 268	46 985 958	47 295 948	47 006 268
Average size of farm..... acres.....	680	692	684	680	692	684	680	692	684
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	13 798 571	7 397 971	5 697 546	13 798 571	7 397 971	5 697 546	13 798 571	7 397 971	5 697 546
Average per farm..... dollars.....	199 725	108 166	82 870	199 725	108 166	82 870	199 725	108 166	82 870
Average per acre..... dollars.....	294	156	121	294	156	121	294	156	121
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland..... farms.....	66 164	66 036	(NA)	66 164	66 036	(NA)	66 164	66 036	(NA)
..... acres.....	29 443 921	30 551 061	27 835 122	29 443 921	30 551 061	27 835 122	29 443 921	30 551 061	27 835 122
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	64 600	64 553	67 083	64 600	64 553	67 083	64 600	64 553	67 083
..... acres.....	19 721 348	17 193 458	17 425 661	19 721 348	17 193 458	17 425 661	19 721 348	17 193 458	17 425 661
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres.....	7 454	6 292	3 548	7 454	6 292	3 548	7 454	6 292	3 548
50 to 99 acres.....	10 331	9 700	9 309	10 331	9 700	9 309	10 331	9 700	9 309
100 to 199 acres.....	14 284	16 906	20 173	14 284	16 906	20 173	14 284	16 906	20 173
200 to 499 acres.....	21 184	23 462	27 114	21 184	23 462	27 114	21 184	23 462	27 114
500 to 999 acres.....	8 606	6 756	5 961	8 606	6 756	5 961	8 606	6 756	5 961
1,000 acres and over.....	2 741	1 437	978	2 741	1 437	978	2 741	1 437	978
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2 368	1 286	(NA)	2 368	1 286	(NA)	2 368	1 286	(NA)
2,000 acres and over.....	373	151	(NA)	373	151	(NA)	373	151	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	27 285	30 341	19 569	27 285	30 341	19 569	27 285	30 341	19 569
..... acres.....	3 589 699	3 624 771	1 209 556	3 589 699	3 624 771	1 209 556	3 589 699	3 624 771	1 209 556
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	5 537	15 834	26 001	5 537	15 834	26 001	5 537	15 834	26 001
..... acres.....	234 334	894 466	1 539 041	234 334	894 466	1 539 041	234 334	894 466	1 539 041
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	5 185	3 684	7 872	5 185	3 684	7 872	5 185	3 684	7 872
..... acres.....	339 945	294 707	572 380	339 945	294 707	572 380	339 945	294 707	572 380
Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over									
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.									
Total cropland—Continued									
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	21 324	35 437	36 792	21 324	35 437	36 792	21 324	35 437	36 792
..... acres.....	4 942 909	7 059 039	6 371 219	4 942 909	7 059 039	6 371 219	4 942 909	7 059 039	6 371 219
Cropland idle..... farms.....	6 950	18 852	13 772	6 950	18 852	13 772	6 950	18 852	13 772
..... acres.....	615 686	1 484 620	717 265	615 686	1 484 620	717 265	615 686	1 484 620	717 265
Total woodland..... farms.....	11 934	13 222	12 812	11 934	13 222	12 812	11 934	13 222	12 812
..... acres.....	708 004	672 743	633 922	708 004	672 743	633 922	708 004	672 743	633 922
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	6 372	7 255	6 951	6 372	7 255	6 951	6 372	7 255	6 951
..... acres.....	309 397	363 922	377 346	309 397	363 922	377 346	309 397	363 922	377 346
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	7 224	8 147	7 969	7 224	8 147	7 969	7 224	8 147	7 969
..... acres.....	398 607	308 821	256 576	398 607	308 821	256 576	398 607	308 821	256 576
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	36 532	40 453	56 785	36 532	40 453	56 785	36 532	40 453	56 785
..... acres.....	15 193 483	14 522 195	17 151 102	15 193 483	14 522 195	17 151 102	15 193 483	14 522 195	17 151 102
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	12 340	12 508	12 109	12 340	12 508	12 109	12 340	12 508	12 109
..... acres.....	2 415 852	2 257 724	1 223 978	2 415 852	2 257 724	1 223 978	2 415 852	2 257 724	1 223 978
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	27 020	31 751	(NA)	27 020	31 751	(NA)	27 020	31 751	(NA)
..... acres.....	12 777 631	12 264 471	15 927 124	12 777 631	12 264 471	15 927 124	12 777 631	12 264 471	15 927 124
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	49 875	51 665	63 559	49 875	51 665	63 559	49 875	51 665	63 559
..... acres.....	1 640 550	1 549 949	1 385 960	1 640 550	1 549 949	1 385 960	1 640 550	1 549 949	1 385 960
Irrigated land..... farms.....	6 569	6 065	4 916	6 569	6 065	4 916	6 569	6 065	4 916
..... acres.....	2 007 801	1 516 724	999 582	2 007 801	1 516 724	999 582	2 007 801	1 516 724	999 582
Total pastureland, all types..... farms.....	54 202	57 622	(NA)	54 202	57 622	(NA)	54 202	57 622	(NA)
..... acres.....	19 092 579	18 510 888	18 738 004	19 092 579	18 510 888	18 738 004	19 092 579	18 510 888	18 738 004

Table 11. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974			1969			1964			
	1974	1969	1964	Acres in farms	Farms with harvested cropland		Farms with irrigated land			
					Number	Total acres in farms	Acres harvested	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres irrigated
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over.....	69 088	68 394	68 753	46 985 958	64 600	45 552 295	19 721 348	6 569	9 061 398	2 007 801
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres.....	1 683	1 244	460	3 418	208	759	486	59	222	113
10 to 49 acres.....	1 922	1 091	663	58 204	1 318	42 549	31 363	83	2 282	1 335
50 to 69 acres.....	1 129	512	307	65 385	902	52 463	36 225	22	1 251	689
70 to 99 acres.....	3 624	2 046	1 542	294 337	3 212	261 247	155 791	84	6 831	3 367
100 to 139 acres.....	2 790	2 019	1 795	325 669	2 520	294 813	170 514	80	9 393	3 629
140 to 179 acres.....	6 763	5 690	5 317	1 072 865	6 357	1 008 920	541 971	208	33 142	18 013
180 to 219 acres.....	2 592	2 652	2 682	511 622	2 439	481 405	247 409	88	17 389	4 909
220 to 259 acres.....	3 576	3 899	4 466	851 719	3 443	820 109	424 003	124	29 529	10 409
260 to 499 acres.....	16 074	18 561	20 862	5 996 932	15 682	5 859 491	3 068 127	1 027	399 308	151 174
500 to 999 acres.....	15 948	18 140	19 185	11 384 380	15 728	11 231 367	5 544 761	1 662	1 233 304	348 874
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	9 176	9 216	8 405	12 464 762	9 063	12 318 688	5 400 505	1 843	2 604 602	660 687
2,000 acres and over.....	3 811	3 324	3 069	13 956 665	3 728	13 180 484	4 100 193	1 289	4 724 145	804 602
5,000 acres and over.....	504	(NA)	(NA)	4 688 474	463	4 035 983	779 476	175	1 531 756	188 824