

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	102 053	125 069	133 035	Cotton	farms	33	116	252
Farms with harvested cropland	number	92 468	106 561	123 105		acres	3 885	4 279	6 056
	acres	3 700 920	3 128 222	3 473 050		bales	2 610	5 072	7 356
All crops harvested, including nursery products	farms	92 468	106 561	123 105		value of production \$1,000	569	583	1 177
	value of production \$1,000	1 012 905	460 570	422 761	Peanuts, for nuts	farms	11	21	17
Field corn for all purposes	farms	42 831	39 295	63 336		acres	13	(Z)	15
For grain or seed	farms	39 495	36 505	60 203		pounds	16 864	709	14 507
	acres	975 401	864 818	980 845		value of production \$1,000	3	(Z)	3
	bushels	78 231 852	64 364 866	54 268 500	Tobacco	farms	71 037	91 472	95 802
	value of production \$1,000	234 696	80 460	69 464		acres	179 075	162 323	210 375
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	farms	8 106	7 289	(NA)		pounds	388 147 707	375 548 718	396 115 000
	acres	154 685	114 274	94 478		value of production \$1,000	442 488	254 248	230 139
	value of production \$1,000	35 371	16 121	11 316	Irish potatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	5 133	9 368	(NA)
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	farms	1 346	1 837	4 616		acres	4 185	3 399	2 747
For grain or seed	farms	588	366	690		hundredweight	369 533	(NA)	(NA)
	acres	19 693	6 861	6 969		value of production \$1,000	2 771	714	1 722
	bushels	1 026 934	374 822	282 134	Sweetpotatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	1 022		
	value of production \$1,000	2 567	367	292		acres	525		
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	farms	786	1 500	(NA)		bushels	54 911		
	acres	7 480	7 104	10 131		value of production \$1,000	258		
	value of production \$1,000	1 148	463	602	Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	farms	1 987	2 133	1 681
Wheat for grain	farms	8 702	6 878	7 701		acres	4 397	6 136	5 218
	acres	331 421	156 645	152 975		value of production \$1,000	2 829	2 165	1 694
	bushels	10 460 083	5 271 900	4 908 350	Berries for sale	farms	482	807	1 350
	value of production \$1,000	38 687	6 587	6 577		acres	593	788	1 175
Other small grains for grain	farms	1 942	3 004	(NA)		value of production \$1,000	493	596	506
	acres	37 349	58 055	74 149	Land in orchards	farms	1 171	1 705	4 771
	value of production \$1,000	2 325	2 266	2 298		acres	5 030	6 471	9 416
Soybeans for beans	farms	11 032	6 395	4 643		value of production \$1,000	2 541	1 836	(NA)
	acres	874 551	391 458	236 135	Other crops	farms	2 415	(NA)	(NA)
	bushels	21 566 582	10 613 777	5 165 750		acres	50 109	135 457	182 143
	value of production \$1,000	149 888	24 412	13 431		value of production \$1,000	12 133	10 996	(NA)
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	farms	54 601	55 439	(NA)	Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	farms	213	203	(NA)
	acres	1 308 729	1 280 296	1 556 116		sq. ft.	3 159 215	3 014 590	2 572 949
	tons, dry	2 421 976	2 250 232	2 355 158		value of production \$1,000	5 422	2 693	(NA)
	value of production \$1,000	84 138	58 756	70 781					

<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			
				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	102 053	67 628	34 386	7 785	5 585	18 018	2 998	39
	percent	100.0	66.3	33.7	7.6	5.5	17.7	2.9	(Z)
Land in farms	acres	14 431 713	12 052 845	2 341 747	575 288	420 667	1 139 292	206 500	37 121
Average size of farm	acres	141	178	68	74	75	63	69	952
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000	6 158 243	5 221 011	916 090	197 175	142 964	497 504	78 447	21 142
Average per farm	dollars	60 344	77 202	26 641	25 328	25 598	27 612	26 167	542 090
Average per acre	dollars	427	433	391	343	340	437	380	570
Farms by value of farm:									
	\$1 to \$9,999	14 111	5 591	8 520	2 377	1 436	3 920	787	-
	\$10,000 to \$19,999	19 821	9 847	9 974	2 231	1 717	5 064	959	3
	\$20,000 to \$39,999	27 135	17 505	9 625	1 925	1 529	5 410	761	5
	\$40,000 to \$69,999	18 671	14 455	4 215	778	627	2 495	315	1
	\$70,000 to \$99,999	7 874	6 782	1 090	255	117	630	88	2
	\$100,000 to \$149,999	5 931	5 376	551	121	84	294	52	4
	\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 877	2 703	172	37	31	90	14	2
	\$200,000 to \$499,999	4 460	4 227	224	55	44	109	16	9
	\$500,000 and over	1 173	1 142	18	6	-	6	6	13
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned	farms	93 670	60 814	32 818	7 395	5 466	17 067	2 890	38
	acres	12 296 769	9 851 659	2 407 922	604 902	447 068	1 139 124	216 828	37 188
Land rented or leased from others	farms	26 125	21 895	4 224	1 063	401	2 547	213	6
	acres	2 824 487	2 692 886	131 178	34 584	14 528	75 366	6 700	423
Land rented or leased to others	farms	20 043	11 940	8 100	1 997	1 671	3 530	902	3
	acres	689 543	491 700	197 353	64 198	40 929	75 198	17 028	490
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>									
Total cropland	farms	99 168	66 573	32 556	7 260	5 313	17 181	2 802	39
	acres	8 803 159	7 641 355	1 148 788	271 374	213 369	567 516	96 529	13 016
Harvested cropland	farms	92 468	65 227	27 204	6 136	4 487	14 258	2 323	37
	acres	3 700 920	3 488 146	205 942	47 920	38 074	104 021	15 927	6 832
Farms by acres harvested:									
	1 to 9 acres	34 950	15 944	19 000	4 267	2 946	10 120	1 667	6
	10 to 19 acres	16 499	11 276	5 219	1 151	993	2 631	444	4
	20 to 29 acres	11 374	9 484	1 886	457	343	944	142	4
	30 to 49 acres	11 846	10 936	906	197	168	479	62	4
	50 to 99 acres	9 930	9 731	193	64	37	84	8	4
	100 to 199 acres	4 684	4 680	-	-	-	-	-	4
	200 to 499 acres	2 446	2 442	-	-	-	-	-	4
	500 to 999 acres	577	573	-	-	-	-	-	4
	1,000 acres and over	162	161	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	67 325	46 130	21 176	4 704	3 546	11 222	1 704	19
	acres	4 487 186	3 683 671	797 806	188 569	149 925	393 055	66 257	5 709
Other cropland (see text)	farms	22 168	15 470	6 686	1 535	1 169	3 407	575	12
	acres	615 053	469 538	145 040	34 885	25 370	70 440	14 345	475