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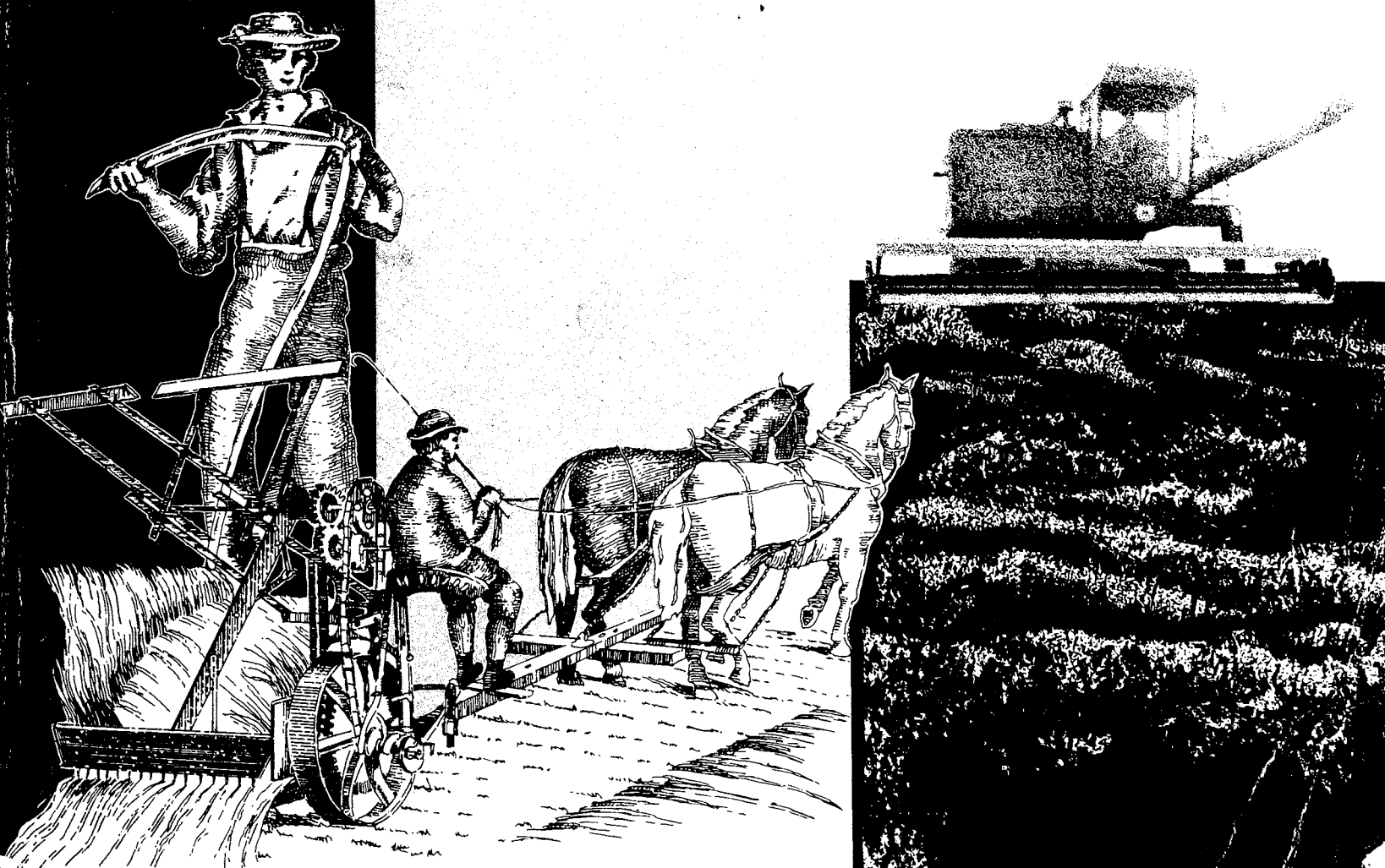

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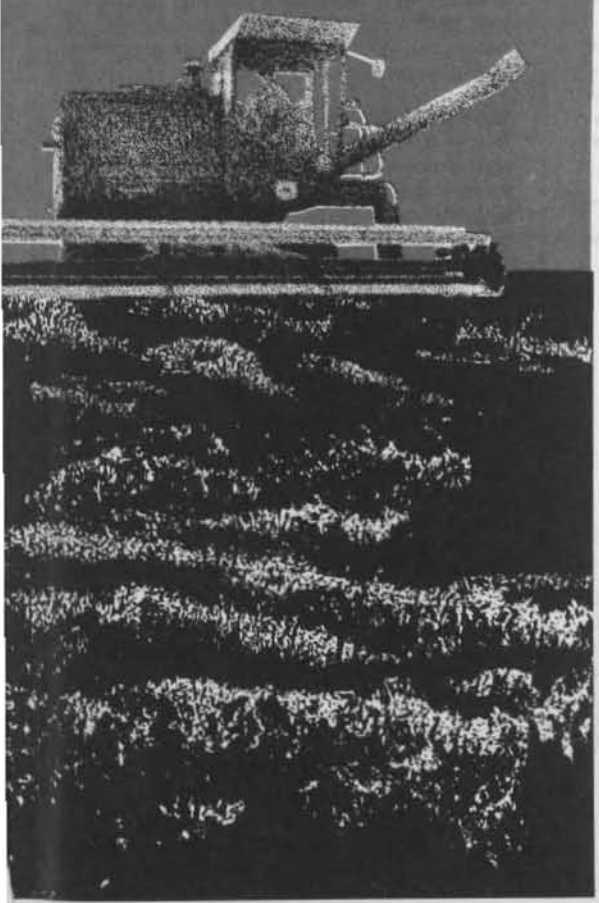

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INTRODUCTION

Authority, Area Covered, and History

The 1974 Census of Agriculture was taken in accordance with the provisions of Title 13, United States Code, reaffirmed by section 818 of the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-86). Sections 142(a) and 191 of Title 13 provide for a census of agriculture every 5 years in each State, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands.

The 1974 census is the 20th nationwide census of agriculture and the second conducted primarily by mail. The first agricultural census data were collected in 1840 as part of the sixth decennial census. Since that time, a census of agriculture has been a part of each decennial census program, and since 1920 a national census of agriculture has been taken every 5 years.

Farm Definition

For each of the 20 censuses of agriculture except the first, taken in 1840, the agency responsible for conducting the census has established minimum criteria which define a farm for the purpose of the census. As the Nation has developed and grown, agriculture also has changed and grown, and from time to time the minimum criteria for the definition of a farm have been changed.

Prior to 1974, the eighth and most recent change in minimum criteria was for the 1959 Census of Agriculture, when the definition of a farm was based primarily on a combination of acres in the place and value of agricultural products sold.

The word "place" was defined to include all land on which agricultural operations were conducted at any time in the census year under the day-to-day control or supervision of one person or partnership. Control may have been exercised through ownership or management or through a lease, rental, or cropping arrangement.

Places of less than 10 acres in the census year were counted as farms if the estimated sales of agricultural products for the year amounted to at least $250. Places of 10 or more acres in the census year were counted as farms if the estimated sales of agricultural products for the year amounted to at least $50. Places having less than the $50 or $250 minimum estimated sales in the census year were also counted as farms if they could normally be expected to produce agricultural products in sufficient quantity to meet the requirements of the definition.

Using the 1959 definition, the 1969 census reported about 571,000 farms in the United States having sales of less than $1,000; these farms comprised 20.9 percent of all farms but contributed less than 1 percent of total sales. In 1974 there were only about 152,000 such farms, accounting for less than 6 hundredths of 1 percent of total sales. Between censuses many of these small farms had ceased operations, while many others had sales of $1,000 or more in the census year, either because of increased agricultural activity or because of increases in the per unit value of agricultural products sold.

In view of increases in price levels and other changes in the structure of agricultural operations, various individuals and organizations, including members of the Census Advisory Committee on Agriculture Statistics, the Office of Management and Budget, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, agreed that a change in the definition of a farm was justified. The Department of Commerce announced on August 12, 1975, that the census definition of a farm, for purposes of publishing the 1974 census data, was any establishment which during the census year had or normally would have had sales of agricultural products of $1,000 or more.

In the next 10 months, Congress held four hearings on the appropriateness of changing the definition. During this time, Public Law 94-229, enacted March 15, 1976, included a provision requiring the statistical classification of farms in effect on January 1, 1975, to be continued in effect through June 30, 1976, and that any statistical report issued on or before June 30, 1976, should reflect such classification, but could also include additional classifications as deemed appropriate by the Secretary of Commerce.

Definition for preliminary reports. Publication of the preliminary county reports began in April 1976, and these reports for all counties and States, the four regions, and the United States were tabulated and published in accordance with the same farm definition used for the 1959, 1964, and 1969 censuses.

Definition for final reports. For all final reports, the 1974 statistics are in accordance with the 1974 definition, which differs from the earlier definition in only two respects:

1. The criterion for number of "acres in place" has been deleted.
2. The criterion for minumum value of agricultural products sold has been changed to $1,000.

Thus for 1974, a farm was defined to include all land on which agricultural operations were conducted at any time in the census year under the day-to-day control of an individual management, and from which $1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold during the census year. Control may have been exercised through ownership or management, or through a lease, rental, or cropping arrangement. Places having less than the minimum $1,000 sales in the census year were also counted as farms if they could normally be expected to produce agricultural products in sufficient quantity to meet the requirements of the definition.

Three tables in this report provide users with measures of the effect of the change in definition: The table following this introduction shows farms and sales, by county, for 1974 and 1969, for both the old and the new definitions, and also for those places excluded by the 1974 but not by the 1959 definition. In chapter II, table 33 presents data by county for 1974 showing comparisons between farms (1974 definition) and agricultural operations that would have been farms under the 1959 definition. The table that comprises appendix B presents data by State for 1974 and 1969 showing characteristics of 1974 agricultural operations excluded by the new definition and of 1969 farms having less than $1,000 total value of sales.

The 1974 "all farms" data shown in State tables 1 through 9 and county tables 1 through 10 are for those agricultural operations with at least $1,000 in total (or potential) sales of farm products. All other tables in this report are limited to farms with sales of $2,500 or more (see the paragraphs in appendix A that describe the report forms and the enumeration method).

Comparability of Data

In general, data for 1974 and earlier censuses are comparable with data from earlier censuses only for farms with $2,500 or more total value of sales, because the data for farms with $2,500 or more value of sales are not affected by the change in farm definition. Data for all farms for 1974 are based on the new definition so they are not directly comparable to earlier censuses. It is also important to note that in addition to the difference in farm definition used in this report from that in the preliminary version, this final report contains 1974 figures which will not agree with figures in the preliminary reports because of corrections, additions, and deletions.

Even for farms with $2,500 or more value of sales, the difference in timing and the change from personal interview to mail enumeration affect the comparability between the data for 1974 and 1969 and that for earlier censuses. Both 1974 and 1969 censuses were taken by mail; all earlier censuses were taken by direct interview.

Dramatic changes in rates of farm expenditure and unit prices of products sold between the 1969 and 1974 censuses affect the comparability of some census data. During the period between the two censuses, prices paid by farmers greatly increased. Prices received by farmers also increased but with wide fluctuations among commodities at different times during the census year of 1974.

Crop and livestock production data are for the calendar year 1974, except for a few crops (such as citrus) for which the production year overlaps the calendar year. Expenditures, crops irrigated, usage of agricultural chemicals and fertilizers, and sale of farm products were all asked for the calendar year. Respondents were instructed to report inventory numbers of livestock, poultry, and other specified items as of December 31, 1974. The reporting period and inventory data are the same as for the 1969 census.

Censuses prior to 1969 were taken by enumerators, each assigned to a specific geographic area. Field work for the 1964 and 1959 censuses was completed largely in October, November, and December of the reference year. Livestock and poultry inventories for those two censuses were as of the time of enumeration. Other variations in time of enumeration occurred in censuses prior to 1959.

Graphics

On the following pages, there is a graphic presentation of selected agricultural statistics for this State. The first four dot maps are being published for all States. The second four dot maps have been selected to present data of particular importance to this State.

Tabular Presentation

State data—In chapter I, State tables 1 through 27 show detailed State level data generally accompanied by historical data for one or more censuses. Tables 28 through 33 provide 1974 State data cross-tabulated by various farm classifications.

County summary data—A summary of selected data items for each county of the State is presented in chapter II of this publication. In these tables the counties are listed in alphabetical order with the State total at the beginning of each table.

County miscellaneous data—In chapter III, data for additional crop and livestock items not common to a large number of counties are reported in a separate set of tables by county for each State. Some of these items, even though reported in only a few counties of the State, are sufficiently important to account for a significant proportion of the agricultural production.

Counties not having the subject item of a given table, or with only a very limited number of farms reporting the item, are not listed separately; their data are combined with other counties and presented as "All other."

Final county data—Six pages of data are presented in chapter IV for each county with 10 farms or more in 1974. The tables include final data for each county and are more comprehensive than those in the preliminary reports. Data are for the year 1974 with inventory (on place)

figures as of December 31, 1974. Information covering all farms and farms with sales of $2,500 and over are presented for both the 1974 and 1969 censuses. A State level six-page report like the county report is published at the beginning of the chapter.

Preliminary county data—Preliminary reports have been published separately for all counties in the United States with 10 farms or more in 1974. This four-page series provided, at the earliest possible date, usable information on a limited number of major data items, with comparative final figures from the 1969 census.

The reports were issued on a flow basis, with a State report following the release of the last county report for each State. Tables showing regional and U.S. totals were also prepared as a part of this series.

For all States, the same table format was used to present the data except data for six selected crops shown in table 7. These crops were varied by State depending upon their relative importance.

For major items at the county level differences between the preliminary and final figures are in general less than 5 percent. At the State level, differences are significantly less.

"See Text" Reference

The remark "See text" in the tables refers to explanations, definitions, and classifications in sections 5 and 6 of appendix A.

Abbreviations and Symbols

The following abbreviations and symbols are used throughout the tables:

–	Represents zero.
D	Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms.
X	Not applicable.
Z	Less than half of the unit reported.
NA	Not available.

FARMS AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY 1974 AND 1959 DEFINITIONS, WITH COMPARABLE DATA FOR AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS EXCLUDED BY 1974 DEFINITION: 1974 AND 1969

PARISH	BY 1974 DEFINITION				BY 1959 DEFINITION				AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS EXCLUDED BY 1974 DEFINITION BUT NOT BY 1959 DEFINITION			
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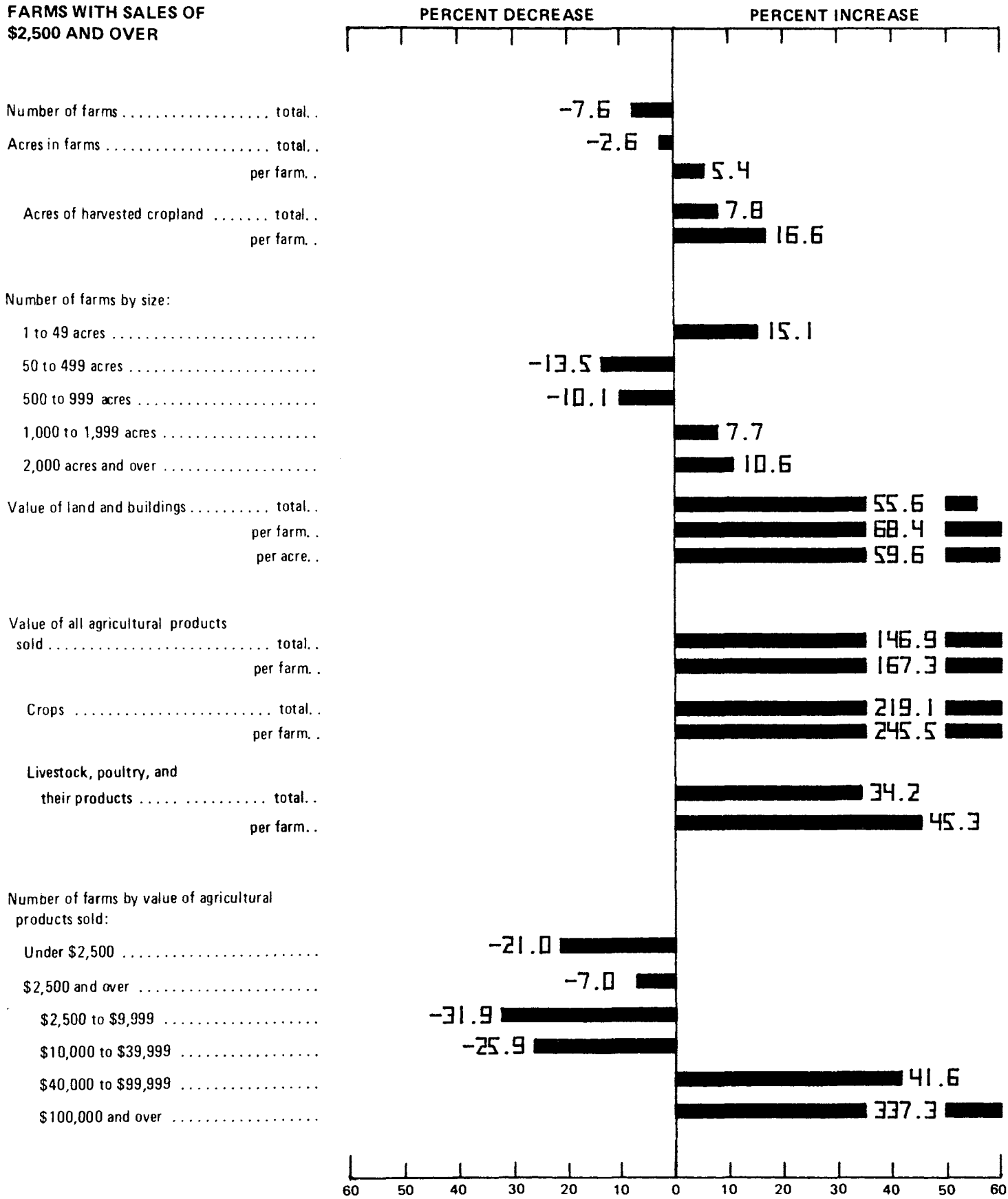
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
LOUISIANA, TOTAL	33 240	27 982	1 193 722	490 763	35 951	42 269	1 194 259	496 406	2 711	14 287	537	5 643
ACADIA	1 025	1 088	58 424	21 650	1 099	1 453	58 444	21 801	74	365	21	151
ALLEN	369	357	20 909	7 288	401	523	20 917	7 356	32	166	7	68
ASCENSION	243	161	15 069	3 915	272	293	15 074	3 965	29	132	5	50
ASSUMPTION	143	184	37 118	7 810	154	194	37 118	7 813	11	10	-	3
AVOYELLES	1 521	1 360	34 186	13 692	1 647	2 009	34 214	13 984	126	649	28	292
BEAUREGARD	695	431	10 778	4 775	745	828	10 784	4 936	50	397	6	161
BIENVILLE	386	272	3 757	2 863	433	548	3 767	2 954	47	276	9	92
BOSSIER	432	360	5 710	4 246	467	537	5 721	4 311	35	177	11	65
CADDO	656	544	15 603	10 318	719	807	15 619	10 415	63	263	16	98
CALCASIEU	665	494	32 956	13 236	727	739	32 973	13 332	62	245	17	96
CALDWELL	276	227	4 528	2 217	293	333	4 530	2 262	17	106	2	45
CAMERON	329	234	7 250	3 104	337	423	7 251	3 193	8	189	1	89
CATAHOULA	530	516	21 465	8 142	553	671	21 474	8 206	23	155	9	64
CLAIBORNE	414	288	5 214	3 471	456	535	5 220	3 558	42	247	6	87
CONCORDIA	365	343	20 223	7 170	390	443	20 228	7 214	25	100	5	44
DE SOTO	688	517	11 828	8 966	753	877	11 837	9 087	65	360	8	120
EAST BATON ROUGE	557	364	7 267	5 084	593	675	7 280	5 202	36	311	13	118
EAST CARROLL	387	397	33 060	13 274	389	445	33 060	13 297	2	48	-	23
EAST FELICIANA	502	305	6 943	4 627	536	503	6 949	4 711	34	198	6	84
EVANGELINE	932	1 042	28 118	13 026	1 019	1 519	28 133	13 203	87	477	15	176
FRANKLIN	1 272	1 330	30 519	13 284	1 335	1 701	30 533	13 451	63	371	14	166
GRANT	302	188	3 681	2 316	331	347	3 691	2 374	29	159	10	58
IBERIA	401	447	44 719	11 112	450	591	44 727	11 160	49	144	8	48
IBERVILLE	241	219	26 307	7 837	254	286	26 308	7 858	13	67	1	20
JACKSON	269	102	4 096	2 200	305	232	4 098	2 246	36	130	2	46
JEFFERSON	37	40	991	448	40	54	992	451	3	14	(Z)	2
JEFFERSON DAVIS	652	757	58 890	22 847	697	897	58 898	22 904	45	140	8	57
LA SALLE	196	122	960	567	222	283	966	625	26	161	6	59
LAFAYETTE	1 009	729	23 443	9 611	1 148	1 452	23 474	9 903	139	723	31	292
LAFOURCHE	356	416	35 566	8 676	390	519	35 571	8 713	34	103	5	38
LINCOLN	383	293	13 807	6 157	412	482	13 811	6 227	29	189	4	69
LIVINGSTON	479	243	8 973	9 254	534	489	8 985	9 352	55	246	12	98
MADISON	358	396	33 936	10 213	371	443	33 938	10 235	13	47	2	22
MOREHOUSE	511	541	40 021	13 944	556	726	40 026	14 019	45	185	5	75
NATCHITOCHES	802	596	15 710	11 570	859	881	15 721	11 686	57	285	11	115
ORLEANS	7	(D)	27	(D)	8	(D)	27	(D)	1	-	(Z)	-
OUACHITA	384	300	7 771	5 548	416	499	7 775	5 621	32	199	4	73
PLAQUEMINES	102	59	1 288	452	107	111	1 288	464	5	52	1	12
POINTE COUPEE	600	584	18 096	7 685	656	811	18 109	7 793	56	227	13	108
RAPIDES	1 053	781	25 536	13 362	1 118	1 130	25 552	13 514	65	349	16	152
RED RIVER	327	277	5 269	3 936	370	428	5 279	3 993	43	151	10	58
RICHLAND	877	899	26 608	11 538	928	1 146	26 614	11 648	51	247	6	109
SABINE	460	304	10 836	5 143	489	566	10 840	5 257	29	262	4	114
ST BERNARD	21	16	186	276	24	27	187	280	3	11	1	5
ST CHARLES	60	58	1 464	1 133	63	71	1 465	1 136	3	13	1	3
ST HELENA	489	312	10 190	6 043	535	594	10 196	6 134	46	282	6	90
ST JAMES	117	133	25 323	5 180	119	145	25 324	5 184	2	12	1	4
ST JOHN THE BAPTIST	48	43	9 508	1 909	50	47	9 508	1 911	2	4	(Z)	2
ST LANDRY	1 900	1 703	39 329	16 812	2 111	2 864	39 368	17 320	211	1 161	39	508
ST MARTIN	566	462	20 691	5 618	616	774	20 702	5 739	50	312	10	121
ST MARY	148	195	41 289	8 782	156	216	41 291	8 789	8	21	2	7
ST TAMMANY	458	286	6 584	3 729	501	526	6 594	3 817	43	240	10	88
TANGIPAHOA	1 190	1 002	39 117	26 995	1 302	1 513	39 142	27 168	112	511	24	173
TENSAS	338	372	24 817	10 196	348	459	24 818	10 237	10	87	1	42
TERREBONNE	129	149	14 577	3 991	145	217	14 581	4 017	16	68	4	26
UNION	493	324	14 862	5 713	532	574	14 867	5 809	39	250	5	96
VERMILION	1 475	1 336	56 100	23 823	1 553	1 738	56 114	23 994	78	402	13	171
VERNON	523	246	5 187	2 731	569	575	5 197	2 848	46	329	11	117
WASHINGTON	1 039	636	20 752	11 292	1 118	1 212	20 766	11 481	79	576	14	188
WEBSTER	511	301	3 671	3 401	585	545	3 681	3 489	74	244	10	88
WEST BATON ROUGE	116	103	14 625	3 501	140	141	14 626	3 519	24	38	1	17
WEST CARROLL	971	939	21 651	8 344	1 028	1 163	21 669	8 450	57	224	18	106
WEST FELICIANA	218	137	5 527	3 877	230	221	5 529	3 905	12	84	2	28
WINN	237	122	816	842	247	218	817	883	10	96	1	42

HIGHLIGHTS of the State's Agriculture: 1974 and 1969

	All Farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969[1]	1974	1969
Number of farms ..... total..	33 240	42 269	18 542	20 075
Acres in farms ..... total..	9 133 275	9 788 662	7 974 270	8 187 638
per farm..	275	232	430	408
Acres of harvested cropland ..... total..	3 628 199	3 443 108	3 527 544	3 271 310
per farm..	109	81	190	163
Number of farms by size:				
1 to 49 acres	10 942	15 643	2 918	2 536
50 to 499 acres	18 065	22 196	11 572	13 372
500 acres and over	4 233	4 430	4 052	4 167
1,000 acres and over	1 836	1 721	1 780	1 639
Value of land and buildings ..... total..	4 678 672 000	3 145 431 000	3 974 675 000	2 555 117 000
per farm..	140 754	74 415	214 361	127 279
Value of machinery and equipment on farms ..... total..	713 650 000	429 634 000	613 746 000	354 957 000
per farm..	21 470	10 164	33 100	17 682
Machinery and equipment on farms–specified items (number):				
Automobiles	26 817	32 527	16 705	17 416
Motortrucks, including pickups	41 606	44 682	29 839	28 978
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	55 933	63 194	42 678	45 493
Value of all agricultural products sold ..... total..	1 193 722 000	496 406 000	1 173 913 000	475 431 000
per farm..	35 912	11 744	63 311	23 683
Crops ..... total..	927 246 000	295 920 000	922 011 000	288 945 000
per farm..	27 895	7 001	49 726	14 393
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... total..	260 305 000	197 018 000	245 929 000	183 239 000
per farm..	7 831	4 661	13 263	9 128
Number of farms, excluding abnormal farms, by value of agricultural product sold:				
Under $2,500	15 382	23 077	724	917
$2,500 and over	17 818	19 158	17 818	19 158
$2,500 to $9,999	6 291	9 244	6 291	9 244
$10,000 to $39,999	5 008	6 759	5 008	6 759
$40,000 to $99,999	3 484	2 461	3 484	2 461
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	520	1 768	520
$200,000 and over	1 267	174	1 267	174
Value of agricultural products sold by farms, excluding abnormal farms, having sales of–				
Under $2,500	15 681 000	19 633 000	959 000	1 306 000
$2,500 and over	1 172 955 000	474 124 000	1 172 955 000	474 124 000
$2,500 to $9,999	32 988 000	47 663 000	32 988 000	47 663 000
$10,000 to $39,999	106 053 000	143 445 000	106 053 000	143 445 000
$40,000 to $99,999	223 896 000	148 724 000	223 896 000	148 724 000
$100,000 to $199,999	247 483 000	134 292 000	247 483 000	134 292 000
$200,000 and over	562 535 000		562 535 000	
Farm production expenses–specified items:				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	99 357 000	54 803 000	95 228 000	52 225 000
Commercial fertilizer	71 007 000	32 799 000	67 506 000	30 147 000
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business	46 347 000	30 745 000	43 486 000	27 204 000
Farm labor, contract labor, machine hire and customwork	101 080 000	76 197 000	97 912 000	72 086 000

[1] Not fully comparable because of change in farm definition; see introduction.

CHART 1. Changes in the State's Agriculture: 1974 From 1969



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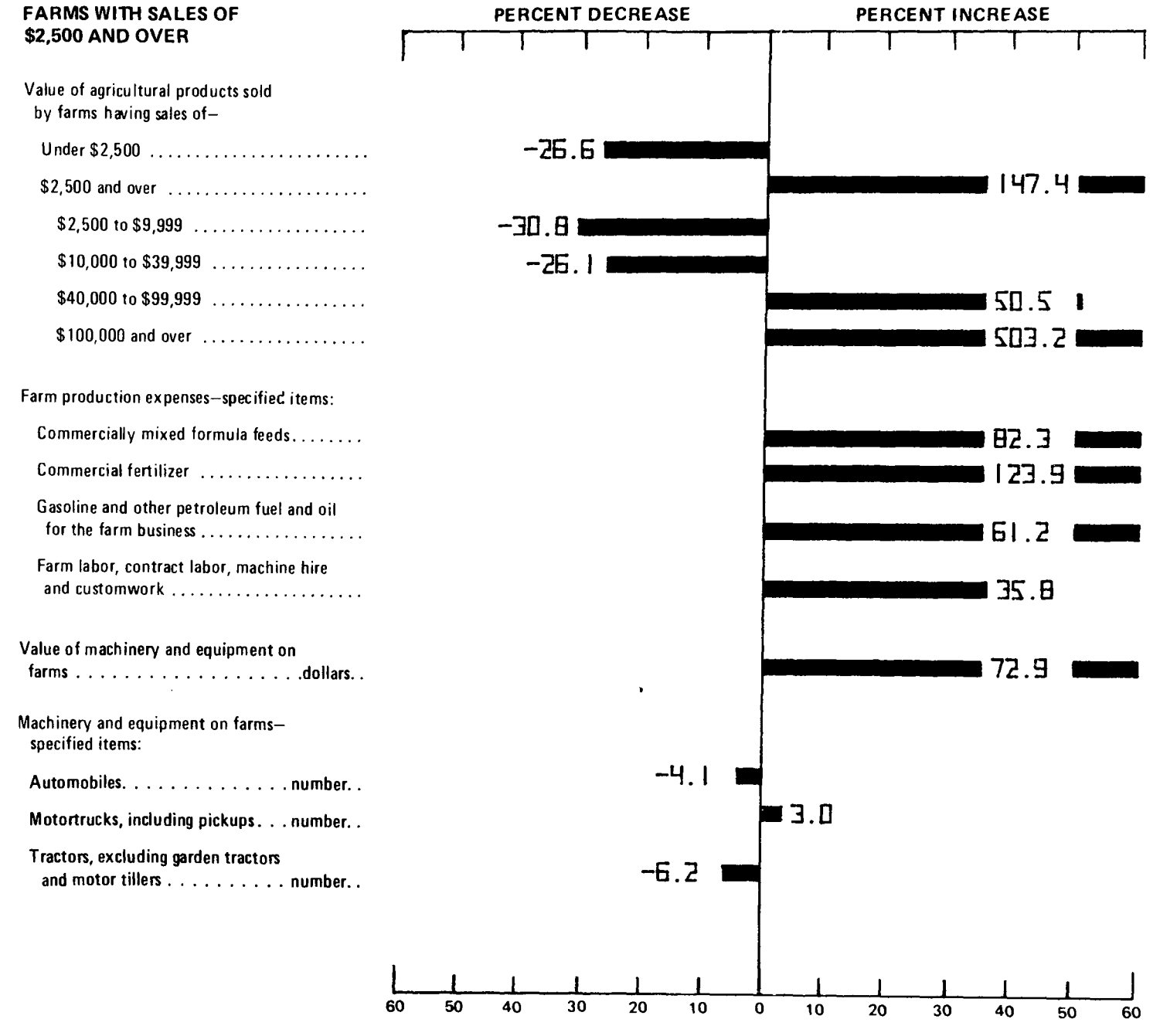
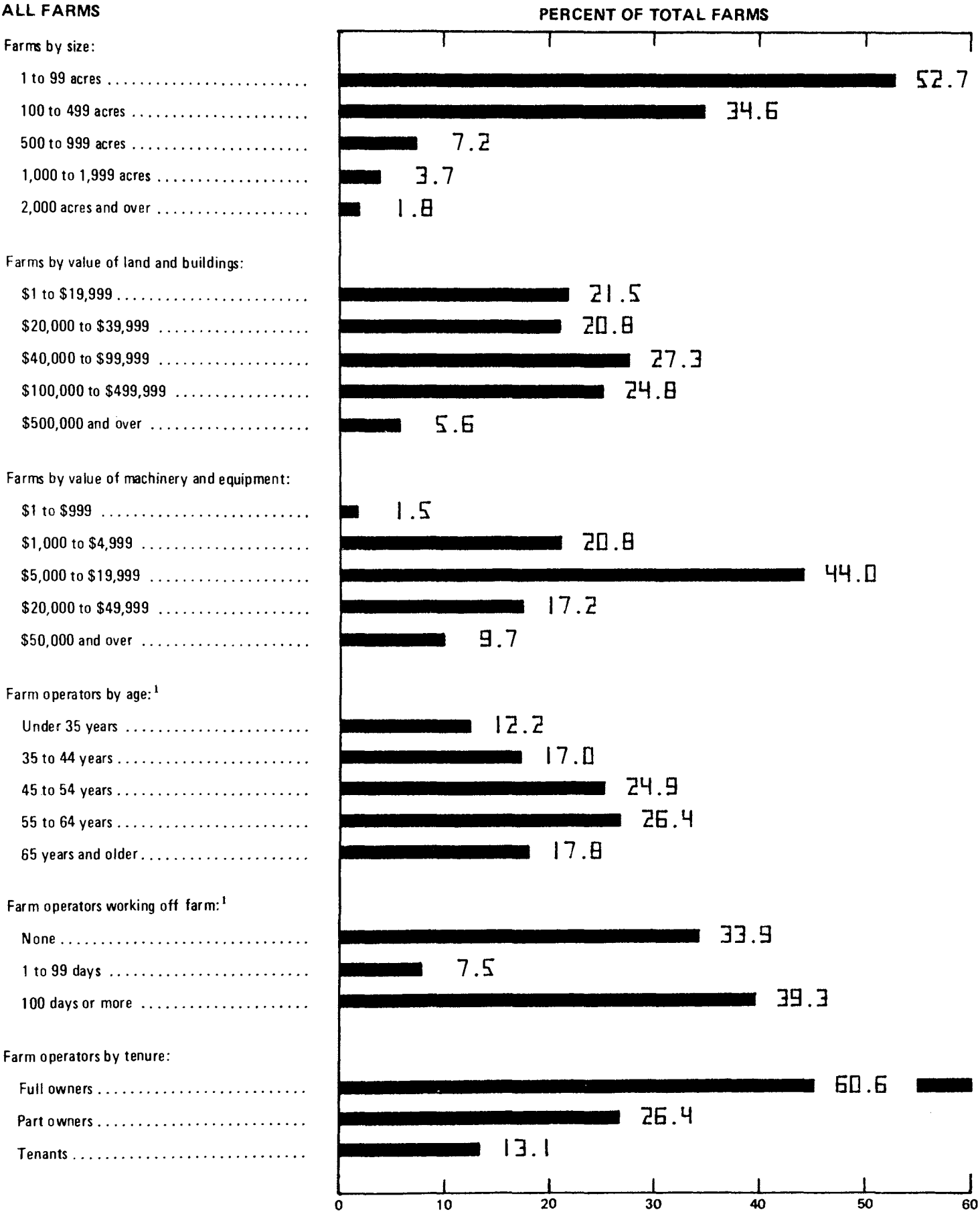
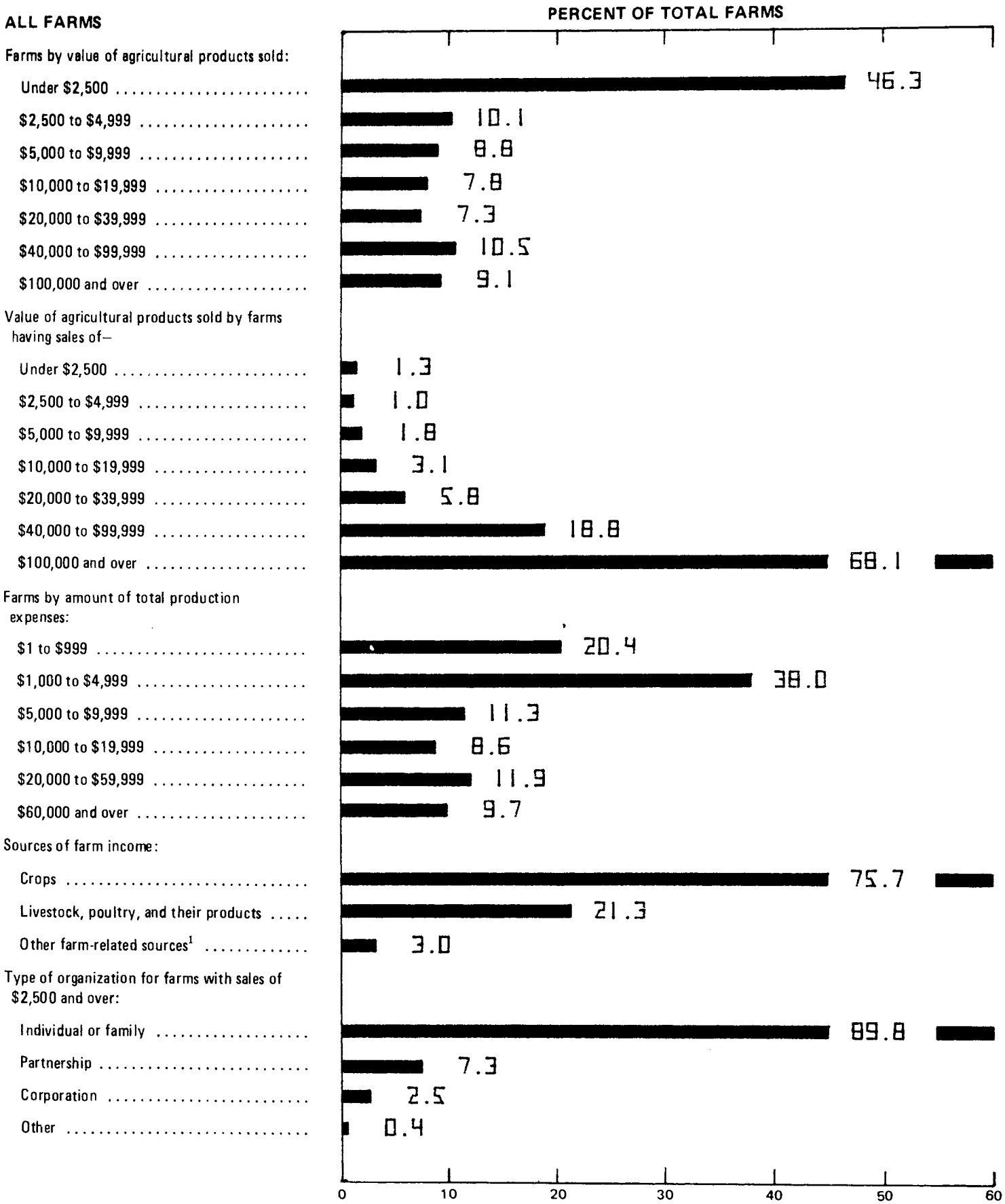


CHART 2. Profile of the State's Agriculture: 1974



[1] Data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships.

CHART 2. Profile of the State's Agriculture: 1974—Continued



[1] Includes forest products sold, and income from customwork and other agricultural services, recreational services, participation in government farm programs, rental of farm property, and other miscellaneous sources closely related to the agricultural operation.

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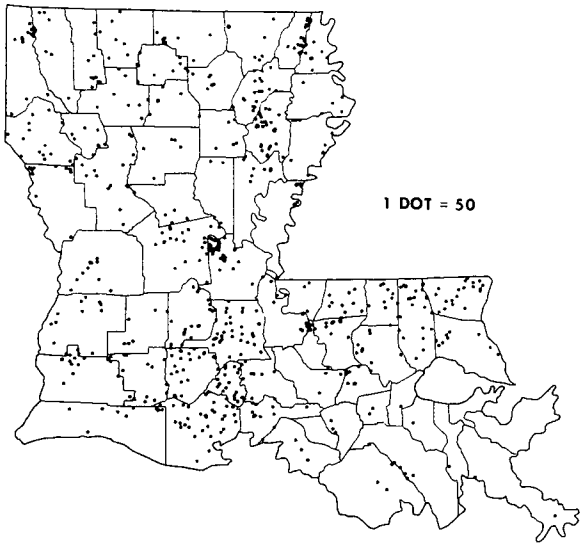

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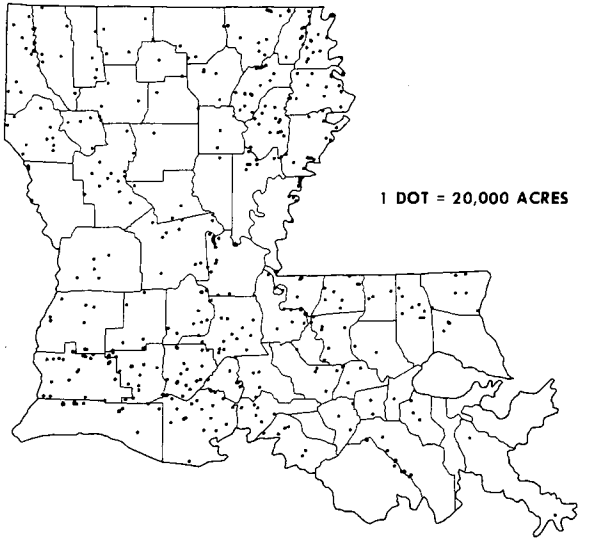

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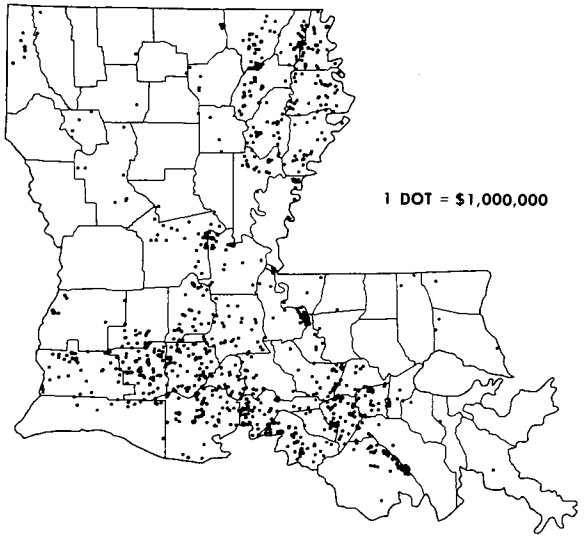

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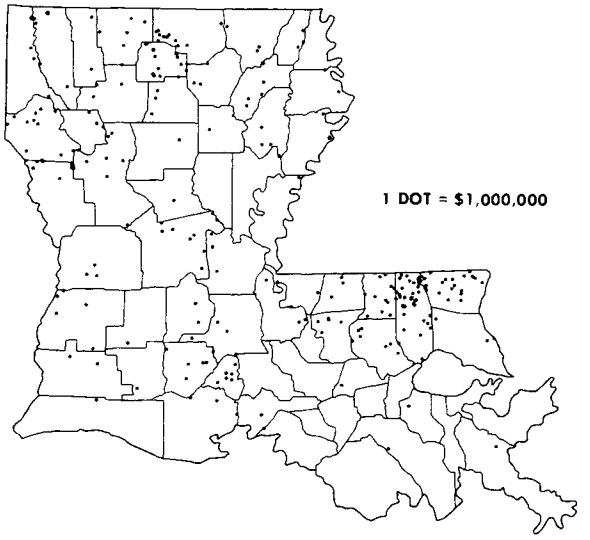
VALUE OF LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, AND THEIR PRODUCTS SOLD: 1974



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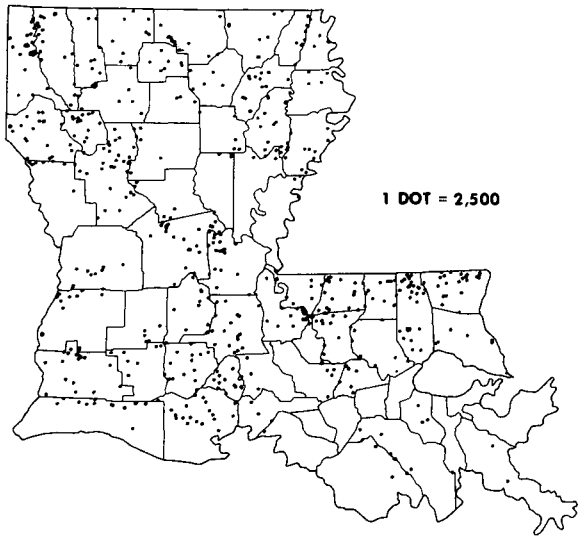

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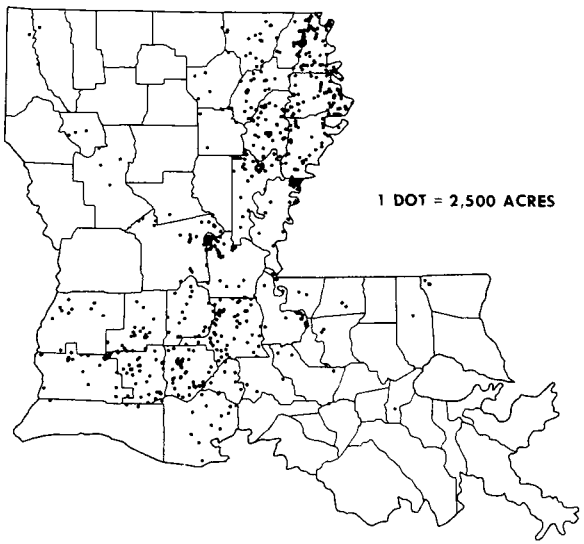

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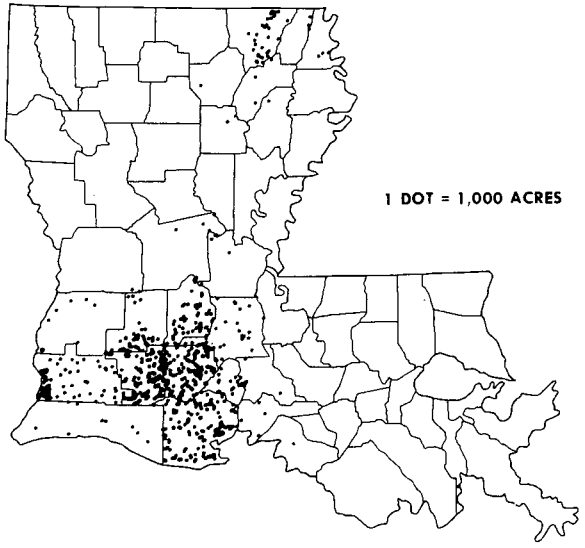
(FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 AND OVER)



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(FARMS WITH SALES OF $2,500 AND OVER)

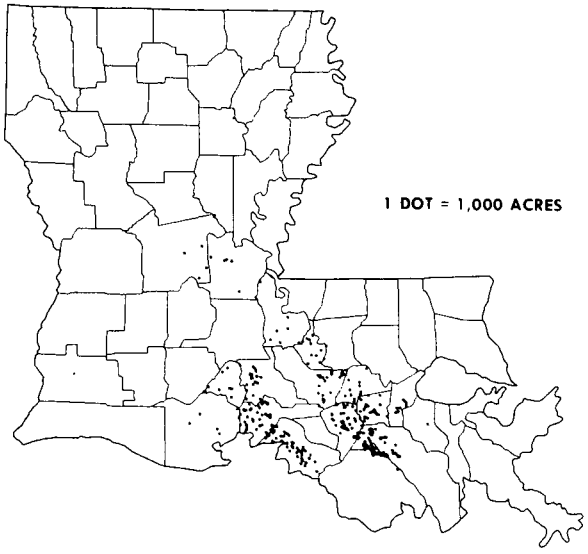

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Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1940 to 1974

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964	1959	1954	1950	1945	1940
All farms — number	33 240	42 269	62 466	74 438	111 127	124 181	129 295	150 007
Land in farms — acres	9 133 275	9 788 662	10 411 500	10 347 328	11 441 343	11 202 278	10 039 657	9 996 108
Average size of farm — acres	275	232	167	139	103	90	78	67
Approximate land area — acres	28 777 152	28 777 152	28 867 500	28 867 840	28 903 680	28 903 680	28 913 280	28 913 280
Proportion in farms — percent	31.7	34.0	36.1	35.8	39.6	38.8	34.7	34.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	4 678 672	3 145 431	2 413 454	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm — dollars	140 754	74 414	38 636	23 719	11 497	7 416	3 653	2 359
Average per acre — dollars	512	321	233	171	112	82	47	35
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland — farms	30 067	37 921	50 000	62 428	97 770	112 349	124 582	148 880
acres	5 590 488	5 842 350	4 864 405	4 907 080	5 467 502	5 657 467	5 135 416	6 038 067
Harvested cropland — farms	23 525	29 210	41 419	52 490	82 755	99 191	118 532	143 722
acres	3 628 199	3 443 108	2 672 650	2 425 936	3 010 580	3 148 881	3 490 159	4 051 670
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	13 706	18 205	31 118	42 747	71 934	89 147	108 654	(NA)
1 to 9 acres	4 762	6 032	12 395	16 445	26 254	27 327	26 295	(NA)
10 to 19 acres	3 981	5 141	8 600	12 240	22 280	29 671	38 143	(NA)
20 to 29 acres	2 396	3 444	5 245	7 581	13 619	19 694	27 963	(NA)
30 to 49 acres	2 567	3 588	4 878	6 481	9 781	12 455	16 253	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	2 782	3 466	4 149	4 614	5 375	5 351	5 470	(NA)
100 to 199 acres	2 259	2 834	2 907	2 761	2 841	2 562	2 435	(NA)
200 to 499 acres	2 757	3 082	2 389	1 801	2 063	1 631	1 504	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	1 385	1 191	649	421	396	358	347	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	636	432	207	146	146	142	122	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	127	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	17 393	22 227	21 394	28 909	38 183	42 369	28 215	55 617
acres	1 426 704	1 647 747	1 739 150	2 032 724	1 959 126	1 803 849	1 032 409	1 442 636
Other cropland (see text) — farms	4 656	9 642	11 007	12 133	18 938	26 345	(NA)	(NA)
acres	535 585	751 495	452 605	448 420	497 796	704 737	612 848	543 761
Woodland, including woodland pasture — farms	11 592	16 114	30 116	34 511	48 594	50 958	46 624	53 585
acres	1 531 661	1 916 311	2 966 200	3 212 859	3 949 247	3 768 763	2 879 832	2 950 119
Other land (see text) — farms	20 672	26 553	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	2 011 126	2 030 001	2 580 145	2 227 389	2 024 594	1 776 048	2 024 409	(NA)
Irrigated land — farms	3 777	4 611	4 844	4 817	6 897	7 438	7 185	7 037
acres	701 587	701 692	580 685	484 850	707 818	576 775	535 619	413 969

	1974	1969
Farms by value of land and buildings:		
$1 to $9,999	3 005	8 669
$10,000 to $19,999	4 147	8 483
$20,000 to $39,999	6 905	9 284
$40,000 to $69,999	6 032	6 036
$70,000 to $99,999	3 047	2 783
$100,000 to $149,999	3 039	2 375
$150,000 to $199,999	1 763	1 309
$200,000 to $499,999	3 454	2 457
$500,000 and over	1 848	873

	1974	1969
Farms by acres irrigated:		
1 to 9 acres	487	627
10 to 49 acres	747	1 002
50 to 99 acres	528	692
100 to 199 acres	704	967
200 to 499 acres	1 001	1 134
500 to 999 acres	265	170
1,000 acres and over	45	19

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	33 240	42 269	62 466	9 133 275	9 788 662	10 411 500	3 628 199	3 443 108	2 672 650	701 587	701 692	580 687
with harvested cropland	23 525	29 210	41 419	7 825 292	8 209 175	(NA)	3 628 199	3 443 108	2 672 650	695 587	696 654	549 010
with irrigated land	3 777	4 611	4 844	2 048 420	2 150 467	2 019 224	1 212 703	1 123 134	735 092	701 587	701 692	580 687
Farms by size:												
1 to 9 acres — number	1 709	2 033	4 806	6 912	8 602	21 250	3 012	3 529	7 518	485	387	598
With harvested cropland	818	839	2 051	4 218	4 705	(NA)	3 012	3 529	7 518	286	366	(NA)
With irrigated land	118	119	293	585	606	(NA)	299	371	(NA)	485	387	598
10 to 49 acres — number	9 233	13 610	27 083	264 318	381 184	720 625	74 625	116 861	217 865	6 998	10 004	8 504
With harvested cropland	5 625	8 243	16 470	162 340	236 044	(NA)	74 625	116 861	217 865	5 861	8 006	(NA)
With irrigated land	531	729	941	14 691	20 711	(NA)	6 889	9 038	(NA)	6 998	10 004	8 504
50 to 69 acres — number	3 049	3 765	5 794	176 522	218 449	335 715	47 903	62 424	92 091	5 833	6 440	6 525
With harvested cropland	1 964	2 517	3 973	113 547	145 946	(NA)	47 903	62 424	92 091	4 949	5 814	(NA)
With irrigated land	193	230	268	11 267	13 397	(NA)	5 882	6 706	(NA)	5 833	6 440	6 525
70 to 99 acres — number	3 524	4 492	6 070	289 161	368 400	497 475	73 852	99 097	118 815	8 786	11 456	12 418
With harvested cropland	2 282	3 044	4 107	187 885	249 720	(NA)	73 852	99 097	118 815	8 164	10 947	(NA)
With irrigated land	213	275	325	17 770	22 685	(NA)	9 879	12 208	(NA)	8 786	11 456	12 418
100 to 139 acres — number	3 169	3 861	4 743	366 605	446 185	548 095	105 778	126 914	139 745	15 889	18 656	20 544
With harvested cropland	2 314	2 706	3 401	268 516	313 322	(NA)	105 778	126 914	139 745	15 418	18 426	(NA)
With irrigated land	267	309	351	31 047	35 940	(NA)	19 111	20 984	(NA)	15 889	18 656	20 544
140 to 179 acres — number	2 107	2 719	2 985	331 423	425 700	469 235	103 482	123 648	125 685	16 504	20 558	24 563
With harvested cropland	1 575	1 990	2 226	247 844	311 680	(NA)	103 482	123 648	125 685	15 852	20 408	(NA)
With irrigated land	215	248	311	33 745	39 046	(NA)	21 226	24 768	(NA)	16 504	20 558	24 563
180 to 219 acres — number	1 633	1 931	1 967	322 033	381 700	388 555	112 613	125 455	110 595	21 970	28 454	23 224
With harvested cropland	1 239	1 427	1 525	244 706	282 120	(NA)	112 613	125 455	110 595	21 170	28 160	(NA)
With irrigated land	187	265	237	36 968	52 486	(NA)	27 034	35 880	(NA)	21 970	28 454	23 224
220 to 259 acres — number	1 120	1 363	1 334	266 734	324 389	317 165	99 636	115 460	100 325	17 943	25 478	26 131
With harvested cropland	889	1 096	1 071	211 794	260 906	(NA)	99 636	115 460	100 325	17 803	25 394	(NA)
With irrigated land	141	223	212	33 589	53 016	(NA)	24 800	32 428	(NA)	17 943	25 478	26 131
260 to 499 acres — number	3 463	4 065	3 752	1 232 959	1 456 624	1 335 402	559 787	598 178	419 645	132 595	159 939	127 720
With harvested cropland	2 974	3 410	3 096	1 064 609	1 227 879	(NA)	559 787	598 178	419 645	132 440	158 967	(NA)
With irrigated land	725	935	805	265 021	347 620	(NA)	189 243	224 563	(NA)	132 595	159 939	127 720
500 to 999 acres — number	2 397	2 709	2 275	1 647 922	1 849 481	1 563 250	864 475	838 186	514 515	192 408	225 160	161 115
With harvested cropland	2 165	2 410	2 002	1 492 978	1 651 395	(NA)	864 475	838 186	514 515	191 468	225 006	(NA)
With irrigated land	674	835	684	465 713	578 317	(NA)	328 811	351 776	(NA)	192 408	225 160	161 115
1,000 to 1,999 acres — number	1 242	1 185	1 059	1 650 665	1 576 669	1 445 850	814 673	629 617	384 515	166 499	108 871	94 567
With harvested cropland	1 144	1 036	954	1 529 079	1 380 249	(NA)	814 673	629 617	384 515	166 499	108 871	(NA)
With irrigated land	364	306	285	485 892	404 503	(NA)	306 927	214 401	(NA)	166 499	108 871	94 567
2,000 acres and over — number	594	536	598	2 578 021	2 351 279	2 768 550	768 363	603 739	441 325	115 677	86 289	74 778
With harvested cropland	536	492	543	2 297 776	2 145 209	(NA)	768 363	603 739	441 325	115 677	86 289	(NA)
With irrigated land	149	137	132	652 132	582 140	(NA)	272 602	190 011	(NA)	115 677	86 289	74 778

Table 3. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races[1]		
	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969[2]	1964
Farms and land in farms operated by—						
All farm operators — farms	33 240	42 269	62 466	2 723	5 518	12 300
acres	9 133 275	9 788 662	10 411 500	227 007	357 316	556 837
Harvested cropland — farms	23 525	29 210	41 419	2 068	4 401	10 391
acres	3 628 199	3 443 108	2 672 650	82 612	137 020	210 974
Full owners — farms	20 128	24 586	37 439	1 829	3 034	5 451
acres	3 506 204	3 752 338	3 896 450	113 652	170 838	243 361
Harvested cropland — farms	12 564	14 364	20 192	1 306	2 121	3 966
acres	865 453	795 967	632 585	23 623	38 936	49 568
Part owners — farms	8 765	10 918	12 617	479	850	1 593
acres	4 223 862	4 489 527	4 162 950	71 512	102 942	113 998
Harvested cropland — farms	7 473	9 229	10 762	407	768	1 494
acres	1 972 894	1 835 827	1 251 550	36 638	50 145	49 767
Tenants — farms	4 347	6 765	12 151	415	1 634	5 246
acres	1 403 209	1 546 797	1 478 050	41 843	83 536	189 304
Harvested cropland — farms	3 488	5 617	10 222	355	1 512	4 922
acres	789 852	811 314	602 565	22 351	47 939	109 995
Percent of tenancy	13.1	16.0	19.5	15.2	29.6	42.7
Farm operators by age group:[3]						
Under 25 years	608	627	933	25	74	275
25 to 34 years	3 442	4 099	5 262	158	407	985
35 to 44 years	5 643	7 867	11 726	357	873	2 023
45 to 54 years	8 289	11 110	17 660	590	1 413	3 322
55 to 64 years	8 784	12 135	15 829	819	1 719	3 243
65 years and over	5 904	6 431	11 056	774	1 032	2 452
Average age	51.7	51.4	52.1	56.0	53.4	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:[3]						
On farm operated	18 782	28 187	55 702	1 540	3 750	(NA)
On another farm	1 316			144		
In a rural area not on a farm	1 628	8 296	4 586	145	896	(NA)
In a city, town, or urban area	3 427			216		
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[3]						
None	11 283	(NA)	(NA)	1 049	(NA)	(NA)
Any	15 564	23 387	30 625	1 153	2 903	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1 505	2 958	5 940	185	551	(NA)
50 to 99 days	989	1 979		136	361	
100 to 149 days	1 080	4 509	24 685	135	813	1 035
150 to 199 days	1 861			181		
200 days and over	10 129	13 941		516	1 178	1 990
Not reporting	5 823	(NA)	(NA)	521	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by principal occupation:[3]						
Farming	17 967	(NA)	(NA)	1 767	(NA)	(NA)
Other	14 703	(NA)	(NA)	956	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by off-farm income:[3]						
Reporting any	22 060	(NA)	(NA)	1 694	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	14 540	(NA)	(NA)	1 114	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	7 520	(NA)	(NA)	580	(NA)	(NA)
Not reporting or reporting none	10 610	(NA)	(NA)	1 029	(NA)	(NA)

[1] See text.
[2] Data are only for farms operated by Blacks.
[3] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Number of farms by value of sales:			
$100,000 and over — farms	3 035	694	438
$1,000	810 017	134 292	77 415
$40,000 to $99,999 — farms	3 484	2 461	1 828
$1,000	223 896	148 724	108 430
$20,000 to $39,999 — farms	2 407	3 312	2 976
$1,000	69 066	94 036	83 326
$10,000 to $19,999 — farms	2 601	3 447	3 845
$1,000	36 987	49 409	55 265
$5,000 to $9,999 — farms	2 932	4 170	4 403
$1,000	20 894	29 624	31 341
$2,500 to $4,999 (see text) — farms	3 359	5 074	6 168
$1,000	12 094	18 039	21 726
Under $2,500 — farms	15 382	23 077	42 776
$1,000	15 681	19 633	25 464
$2,000 to $2,499 — farms	1 909	2 116	2 403
$1,000	4 236	(NA)	(NA)
$1,500 to $1,999 — farms	2 183	2 685	3 176
$1,000	3 759	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,499 — farms	3 325	3 731	4 432
$1,000	4 029	(NA)	(NA)
Under $1,000 (see text) — farms	7 965	14 545	32 765
$1,000	3 656	(NA)	(NA)
Abnormal farms — farms	40	34	32
$1,000	5 087	2 649	3 827
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) — $1,000	1 193 722	496 406	406 795
Average per farm — dollars	35 912	11 743	6 512

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Market value of agricultural products sold—Continued			
Crops, including nursery products and hay — farms	16 628	22 871	(NA)
$1,000	927 246	295 920	278 915
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	355	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	7 844	(NA)	(NA)
Forest products — farms	1 361	1 777	2 981
$1,000	6 171	3 469	3 474
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	23 464	28 453	(NA)
$1,000	260 305	197 018	124 005
Poultry and poultry products — farms	1 250	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	71 457	(NA)	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources:			
Total before taxes and expenses — farms	6 797	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	31 153	(NA)	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	1 814	2 767	(NA)
$1,000	8 872	6 672	(NA)
Recreational services — farms	143	316	229
$1,000	256	429	400
Government farm programs — farms	3 313	12 677	(NA)
$1,000	6 373	34 387	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	2 190	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	13 278	(NA)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	552	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	2 374	(NA)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources — farms	2 192	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	8 103	(NA)	(NA)

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms	1974	1969	1964
Total farm production expenses ---- farms	33 118	42 269	62 386
$1,000	738 916	422 827	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $999	6 746	13 412	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	5 673	7 432	(NA)
$2,000 to $2,999	3 243	3 932	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	3 667	4 162	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	3 758	4 462	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 863	3 814	(NA)
$20,000 to $39,999	2 541	5 055	(NA)
$40,000 and over	4 627		
Livestock and poultry purchased ---- farms	9 959	13 635	15 518
$1,000	47 653	35 994	18 182
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	1 399	2 660	12 487
$100 to $499	2 600	4 738	
$500 to $999	1 718	2 008	
$1,000 to $2,499	1 696	1 769	1 407
$2,500 to $4,999	990	945	740
$5,000 to $9,999	681	766	515
$10,000 to $19,999	425	749	369
$20,000 and over	450		
Feed for livestock and poultry ---- farms	22 859	28 517	48 234
$1,000	116 567	68 723	53 407
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	1 450	4 068	13 236
$100 to $499	7 342	12 862	28 596
$500 to $999	5 224	5 005	
$1,000 to $2,499	4 909	3 201	3 952
$2,500 to $4,999	1 471	943	
$5,000 to $9,999	625	788	1 396
$10,000 to $19,999	485	1 650	1 054
$20,000 and over	1 353		
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---- farms	16 508	17 661	34 301
tons	735 087	738 309	541 239
$1,000	99 357	54 803	42 958
Farms that used –			
1 to 49 tons	14 624	15 308	31 574
50 to 99 tons	415	609	1 212
100 to 199 tons	499	806	958
200 to 499 tons	641	679	403
500 tons and over	329	259	85
Forms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	1 972	3 167	(NA)
$100 to $499	5 604	7 565	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 898	2 365	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	3 002	1 820	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	920	633	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	441	679	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	441	1 432	(NA)
$20,000 and over	1 230		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ---- farms	15 974	23 242	37 598
$1,000	34 757	16 977	9 442
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	4 070	8 706	25 023
$100 to $499	4 932	8 149	8 800
$500 to $999	1 615	1 955	1 473
$1,000 to $2,499	1 968	2 523	2 302
$2,500 to $4,999	1 354	1 310	
$5,000 to $9,999	1 179	491	
$10,000 and over	856	108	
Commercial fertilizer ---- farms	23 877	31 691	40 286
$1,000	71 007	32 799	23 794
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	3 191	7 965	15 755
$100 to $499	7 379	12 469	14 441
$500 to $999	3 511	3 902	4 015
$1,000 to $2,499	3 819	3 802	5 310
$2,500 to $4,999	2 248	2 064	

All Farms	1974	1969	1964
Commercial fertilizer – Continued			
Farms with expenditures of – Continued			
$5,000 to $9,999	1 893	1 086	765
$10,000 to $19,999	1 192	403	
$20,000 and over	644		
Other agriculturol chemicals, including lime (see text) ---- farms	12 414	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	47 717	22 500	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	2 844	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	2 854	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 294	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	1 861	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	1 335	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	1 036	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	1 190	(NA)	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business ---- farms	31 416	40 611	43 677
$1,000	46 347	30 745	24 678
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	5 967	9 480	15 276
$100 to $499	12 557	18 372	18 469
$500 to $999	4 111	5 273	4 172
$1,000 to $2,499	3 956	4 551	5 066
$2,500 to $4,999	2 348	1 955	
$5,000 to $9,999	1 652	726	694
$10,000 and over	825	254	
Hired farm labor ---- farms	12 628	21 869	24 064
$1,000	79 639	59 485	46 238
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $499	4 972	11 416	14 597
$500 to $999	1 381	2 639	2 543
$1,000 to $2,499	1 629	2 982	3 382
$2,500 to $4,999	1 424	2 299	1 679
$5,000 to $9,999	1 413	1 367	1 005
$10,000 to $19,999	941	1 166	858
$20,000 and over	868		
Contract labor and machine hire and customwork ---- farms	(NA)	15 939	17 664
$1,000	21 442	16 712	11 181
Contract labor ---- farms	1 641	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	3 934	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	138	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	552	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	284	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	321	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	184	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	95	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	67	(NA)	(NA)
Machine hire and customwork ---- farms	9 761	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	17 508	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $99	1 677	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	3 008	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 433	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	1 830	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	1 016	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	528	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	269	(NA)	(NA)
All other production expenses ---- farms	28 548	32 240	(NA)
$1,000	273 787	138 891	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of –			
$1 to $499	10 163	11 489	(NA)
$500 to $999	3 418	4 772	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	4 441	6 085	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	2 712	3 355	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	2 278	3 308	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 177	3 231	(NA)
$20,000 and over	3 359		

Table 6. Selected Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

		Farms	Number	Manufactured in previous 5 years: Farms	Manufactured in previous 5 years: Number
Automobiles	1974	21 217	26 817	12 203	15 197
	1969	26 299	32 527	19 137	22 515
	1964	46 098	56 448	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	4 385	9 279	2 494	5 207
4 and over	1974	190	896	75	356
Motortrucks, including pickups	1974	26 314	41 606	13 630	18 413
	1969	30 982	44 682	20 604	26 586
	1964	39 690	51 297	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	6 371	14 626	2 778	6 002
4 and over	1974	1 668	8 705	341	1 900
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	1974	26 622	55 933	9 417	16 112
	1969	32 149	63 194	16 727	30 115
	1964	34 535	60 626	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	8 314	19 241	2 946	6 541
4 and over	1974	3 890	22 274	657	3 757
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	1974	26 360	54 536	9 321	15 842
Crawler tractors	1974	1 162	1 397	221	270
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	1974	4 534	7 034	1 978	2 473
	1969	4 682	6 414	3 479	4 508
	1964	2 830	3 710	(NA)	(NA)
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	1974	1 441	1 524	174	188
	1969	1 392	1 571	763	842
	1964	1 164	1 229	(NA)	(NA)

		Farms	Number	Manufactured in previous 5 years: Farms	Manufactured in previous 5 years: Number
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—Con.					
Corn heads for combines	1974	206	231	68	72
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	1974	1 254	1 293	107	116
Mower conditioners	1974	3 912	4 421	1 602	1 730
Pickup balers	1974	4 387	4 594	1 428	1 480
	1969	4 615	4 831	2 767	2 863
	1964	4 835	5 064	(NA)	(NA)
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1974	2 404	2 502	765	792
Field forage harvesters, shear bar and flywheel type	1974	711	872	291	342

	1974		1969	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	30 978	713 650	39 939	429 634
By value group:				
$1 to $999	505	298	3 916	2 276
$1,000 to $4,999	6 910	19 663	17 959	44 506
$5,000 to $9,999	8 942	64 462	7 155	46 874
$10,000 to $19,999	5 670	76 436	4 964	65 757
$20,000 to $29,999	2 785	66 667	2 208	50 907
$30,000 to $49,999	2 932	109 488	1 879	68 072
$50,000 to $69,999	1 198	67 253	1 858	151 241
$70,000 and over	2 036	309 384		

Table 7. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

		Inventory: Farms	Inventory: Number	Inventory: Value ($1,000)	Sales: Farms	Sales: Number
Value of livestock and poultry	1974	25 033	(NA)	[1]222 549	23 464	[2]260 305
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	[1]215 724	28 453	[2]197 018
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	[1]162 011	(NA)	[2]124 005
Value of poultry	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 250	[2]71 457
Value of livestock	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23 122	[2]188 848
Cattle and calves	1974	23 482	1 515 509	203 496	22 077	583 538
	1969	29 647	1 417 300	195 790	25 802	681 745
	1964	52 147	1 866 850	154 099	36 164	646 875
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	19 871	871 894	133 342	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	25 422	818 525	129 695	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	50 625	1 144 350	109 857	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	17 801	746 592	104 523	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	(NA)	680 192	102 029	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	(NA)	957 245	85 159	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	5 181	125 302	28 819	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	9 029	138 333	27 667	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	24 332	187 105	24 697	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs	1974	3 335	72 365	3 377	1 591	108 316
	1969	6 908	122 438	3 685	3 768	155 970
	1964	17 810	180 665	3 228	4 782	160 425
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	358	35 690
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	918	42 828
Sheep and lambs	1974	696	13 922	343	407	8 140
	1969	1 222	25 770	337	703	11 404
	1964	1 996	43 386	400	948	24 082
Horses and ponies	1974	6 601	23 156	4 450	774	4 078
	1969	11 127	41 020	7 707	1 153	4 021
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 249	2 698
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	5 856	3 657 907	7 167	426	4 047 149
	1969	10 268	4 476 114	5 846	641	4 429 662
	1964[3]	32 694	3 865 950	4 253	(NA)	2 101 050
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	5 620	2 915 959	5 832	383	2 440 088
	1969	9 687	3 685 025	4 976	572	2 669 972
	1964	31 127	3 351 150	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	931	8 257 461	3 716	352	44 248 794
	1969	789	7 861 850	2 359	353	37 836 499
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	410	27 980 500
Other livestock and poultry	1974	2 472	(NA)	(NA)	605	(X)
	1969	4 797	(NA)	(NA)	530	(X)

[1]Value of major poultry and livestock inventory items.
[2]Value of sales of livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000).
[3]Chickens 4 months old or older.

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

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
All farms — number	33 240	42 269	62 466
Farms with harvested cropland — number	23 525	29 210	41 419
acres	3 628 199	3 443 108	2 672 650
All crops harvested, including nursery products — farms	23 525	29 210	41 419
value of production $1,000	1 144 549	347 274	305 935
Field corn for all purposes — farms	4 193	8 082	20 793
For grain or seed — farms	3 920	7 611	18 704
acres	43 937	111 390	189 485
bushels	2 069 625	4 077 434	5 832 950
value of production $1,000	6 830	5 505	7 291
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed — farms	339	618	(NA)
acres	10 531	16 274	27 933
value of production $1,000	1 796	1 374	1 780
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup — farms	568	632	742
For grain or seed — farms	222	332	65
acres	17 325	41 294	1 446
bushels	641 175	1 307 714	39 801
value of production $1,000	1 988	1 425	45
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed — farms	368	322	(NA)
acres	12 761	9 792	18 362
value of production $1,000	1 728	647	1 428
Wheat for grain — farms	170	334	845
acres	15 092	23 878	62 628
bushels	372 834	564 412	1 568 850
value of production $1,000	1 473	660	2 275
Other small grains for grain — farms	3 092	3 654	(NA)
acres	656 079	629 495	552 988
value of production $1,000	258 732	103 368	86 245
Soybeans for beans — farms	7 180	8 224	5 075
acres	1 608 070	1 490 089	446 725
bushels	42 871 889	30 337 683	8 942 450
value of production $1,000	308 678	71 294	22 356
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text) — farms	10 297	10 350	(NA)
acres	328 109	336 772	448 660
tons, dry	658 053	584 595	716 237
value of production $1,000	24 275	14 102	16 570

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Cotton — farms	4 486	10 281	16 184
acres	584 816	453 805	511 215
bales	519 427	516 087	570 645
value of production $1,000	115 313	61 930	92 444
Peanuts for nuts — farms	193	316	966
acres	2 025	560	795
pounds	3 665 132	266 390	233 985
value of production $1,000	660	32	58
Tobacco — farms	25	19	32
acres	201	138	247
pounds	145 906	90 779	190 305
value of production $1,000	182	71	135
Irish potatoes[1] — farms	828	3 663	(NA)
acres	2 399	38 247	28 599
hundredweight	216 098	(NA)	(NA)
value of production $1,000	1 513	10 188	8 414
Sweetpotatoes[1] — farms	1 351		
acres	20 905		
bushels	3 782 754		
value of production $1,000	11 727		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale — farms	1 239	1 841	2 788
acres	8 479	12 249	16 895
value of production $1,000	6 027	3 847	2 589
Berries for sale — farms	158	337	1 335
acres	412	867	2 371
value of production $1,000	699	731	2 313
Land in orchards — farms	893	1 520	3 088
acres	28 187	37 669	50 151
value of production $1,000	2 673	3 093	(NA)
Other crops — farms	1 887	(NA)	(NA)
acres	332 947	282 539	367 236
value of production $1,000	400 258	69 005	(NA)
Greenhouse products under gloss or other protection — farms	170	97	(NA)
sq. ft.	1 238 062	1 515 462	1 397 752
value of production $1,000	1 216	2 071	(NA)

[1]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	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	Forms 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	
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms — number	33 240	18 542	14 658	2 832	1 827	8 627	1 372	40
percent	100.0	55.8	44.1	8.5	5.5	26.0	4.1	0.1
Land in farms — acres	9 133 275	7 974 270	1 108 069	198 111	149 208	639 014	121 736	50 936
Average size of farm — acres	275	430	76	70	82	74	89	1 273
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	4 678 672	3 974 675	654 545	120 335	83 885	389 747	60 579	49 452
Average per farm — dollars	140 754	214 361	44 654	42 491	45 914	45 178	44 154	1 236 304
Average per acre — dollars	512	498	591	607	562	610	498	971
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	3 005	700	2 305	589	320	1 172	224	–
$10,000 to $19,999	4 147	1 288	2 859	632	393	1 578	256	–
$20,000 to $39,999	6 905	2 750	4 154	695	505	2 566	388	1
$40,000 to $69,999	6 032	3 113	2 919	442	338	1 861	278	–
$70,000 to $99,999	3 047	2 008	1 038	191	119	638	90	1
$100,000 to $149,999	3 039	2 272	766	151	87	452	76	1
$150,000 to $199,999	1 763	1 486	276	53	24	170	29	1
$200,000 to $499,999	3 454	3 150	295	69	30	167	29	9
$500,000 and over	1 848	1 775	46	10	11	23	2	27
Owned and rented lands by form operators:								
Land owned — farms	29 069	15 487	13 543	2 546	1 749	7 932	1 316	39
acres	5 928 949	4 890 558	989 661	197 810	149 667	516 826	125 358	48 730
Land rented or leased from others — farms	13 179	9 978	3 196	713	225	2 091	167	5
acres	4 039 443	3 775 758	261 479	49 585	25 239	175 036	11 619	2 206
Land rented or leased to others — farms	4 552	2 524	2 028	663	337	825	203	–
acres	835 117	692 046	143 071	49 284	25 698	52 848	15 241	–
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland — farms	30 067	17 400	12 629	2 446	1 613	7 387	1 183	38
acres	5 590 488	4 997 307	570 680	116 449	79 142	323 246	51 843	22 501
Harvested cropland — farms	23 525	15 889	7 598	1 600	1 094	4 222	682	38
acres	3 628 199	3 527 544	88 020	19 862	13 057	48 136	6 965	12 635
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	4 762	931	3 829	744	548	2 144	393	2
10 to 19 acres	3 981	1 520	2 460	548	345	1 367	200	1
20 to 29 acres	2 396	1 611	783	183	119	434	47	2
30 to 49 acres	2 567	2 147	419	98	65	226	30	1
50 to 99 acres	2 782	2 669	106	26	17	51	12	7
100 to 199 acres	2 259	2 245	1	1	–	–	–	13
200 to 499 acres	2 757	2 749	–	–	–	–	–	8
500 to 999 acres	1 385	1 382	–	–	–	–	–	3
1,000 acres and over	636	635	–	–	–	–	–	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	17 393	7 940	9 426	1 601	1 139	5 754	932	27
acres	1 426 704	977 181	441 133	87 691	56 751	255 359	41 332	8 390
Other cropland (see text) — farms	4 656	3 360	1 280	260	160	740	120	16
acres	535 585	492 582	41 527	8 896	9 334	19 751	3 546	1 476

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	
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.								
Woodland, including woodland pasture—farms	11 592	6 021	5 544	834	653	3 478	579	27
acres	1 531 661	1 202 410	316 520	41 954	34 649	192 939	46 978	12 731
Other land (see text)—farms	20 672	11 821	8 813	1 702	1 135	5 098	878	38
acres	2 011 126	1 774 553	220 869	39 708	35 417	122 829	22 915	15 704
Irrigated land—farms	3 777	3 353	410	127	55	190	38	14
acres	701 587	694 984	6 009	2 193	557	2 457	802	594
Color and Tenure of Operator								
All farm operators:								
Full owners	20 128	8 605	11 488	2 125	1 604	6 554	1 205	35
Part owners	8 765	6 769	1 992	403	139	1 344	106	4
Tenants	4 347	3 168	1 178	304	84	729	61	1
White farm operators:								
Full owners	18 033	7 860	10 173	1 743	1 305	6 087	1 038	(X)
Part owners	8 121	6 350	1 771	304	114	1 257	96	(X)
Tenants	3 793	2 822	971	199	52	679	41	(X)
Black and other races, see text:								
Full owners	1 829	514	1 315	382	299	467	167	(X)
Part owners	479	258	221	99	25	87	10	(X)
Tenants	415	208	207	105	32	50	20	(X)
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	608	433	175	52	–	123	–	(X)
25 to 34 years	3 442	2 081	1 361	250	–	1 111	–	(X)
35 to 44 years	5 643	3 327	2 316	359	–	1 957	–	(X)
45 to 54 years	8 289	4 568	3 721	787	–	2 934	–	(X)
55 to 64 years	8 784	4 898	3 886	1 384	–	2 502	–	(X)
65 years and over	5 904	2 705	3 199	–	1 827	–	1 372	(X)
Average age	51.7	50.7	52.9	51.2	70.2	47.1	70.0	(X)
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	18 782	10 424	8 358	1 381	1 122	4 999	856	(X)
On another farm	1 316	785	531	342	49	136	4	(X)
In a rural area not on a farm	1 628	1 008	620	143	33	411	33	(X)
In a city, town, or urban area	3 427	1 726	1 701	151	86	1 279	185	(X)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	26 847	13 705	13 142	2 142	1 420	8 333	1 247	(X)
None	11 283	7 744	3 539	1 107	1 126	578	728	(X)
Any	15 564	5 961	9 603	1 035	294	7 755	519	(X)
1 to 49 days	1 505	711	794	255	84	392	63	(X)
50 to 99 days	989	425	564	185	41	266	72	(X)
100 to 149 days	1 080	543	537	140	56	282	59	(X)
150 to 199 days	1 861	811	1 050	121	35	834	60	(X)
200 days and over	10 129	3 471	6 658	334	78	5 981	265	(X)
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	17 967	13 308	4 659	2 832	1 827	–	–	(X)
Other	14 703	4 704	9 999	–	–	8 627	1 372	(X)
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:								
Reporting any	22 060	10 693	11 367	1 631	914	7 912	910	(X)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	14 540	3 995	10 545	1 335	678	7 750	782	(X)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	7 520	6 698	822	296	236	162	128	(X)
Not reporting or reporting none	10 610	7 319	3 291	1 201	913	715	462	(X)
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	1 709	455	1 254	349	136	641	128	–
10 to 49 acres	9 233	2 463	6 768	1 326	773	4 119	550	2
50 to 69 acres	3 049	1 283	1 766	292	261	1 046	167	–
70 to 99 acres	3 524	1 748	1 775	279	254	1 042	200	1
100 to 139 acres	3 169	1 914	1 254	231	155	728	140	1
140 to 179 acres	2 107	1 455	652	125	113	345	69	–
180 to 219 acres	1 633	1 265	366	65	35	234	32	2
220 to 259 acres	1 120	861	259	39	35	156	29	–
260 to 499 acres	3 463	3 046	404	101	41	225	37	13
500 to 999 acres	2 397	2 272	116	21	12	72	11	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 242	1 204	31	4	11	12	4	7
2,000 acres and over	594	576	13	–	1	7	5	5
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)—$1,000	1 193 722	1 173 913	14 722	2 983	1 963	8 450	1 326	5 087
Average per farm—dollars	35 912	63 311	1 004	1 053	1 075	980	966	127 181
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
Under $1,000 (see text)	7 966	249	7 716	1 397	876	4 705	738	1
$1,000 to $1,499	3 326	142	3 183	594	410	1 859	320	1
$1,500 to $1,999	2 183	160	2 023	431	311	1 114	167	–
$2,000 to $2,499	1 909	173	1 736	410	230	949	147	–
$2,500 and over	17 856	17 818	–	–	–	–	–	38
Crops and hay sold—farms	16 342	12 754	3 558	985	560	1 741	272	30
$1,000	919 402	914 302	3 293	1 100	515	1 474	203	1 807
Nursery and greenhouse products—farms	355	221	130	55	12	53	10	4
$1,000	7 844	7 709	128	49	16	55	9	6
Forest products—farms	1 361	917	439	58	62	272	47	5
$1,000	6 171	5 973	173	30	23	102	19	26
Livestock and livestock products—farms	23 122	11 423	11 668	1 923	1 396	7 262	1 087	31
$1,000	188 848	174 824	11 056	1 788	1 405	6 774	1 089	2 968
Poultry and poultry products—farms	1 250	732	509	95	78	275	61	9
$1,000	71 457	71 105	72	17	5	45	5	280

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

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	
Production Expenses								
Total farm production expenses—forms	33 118	18 539	14 539	2 785	1 810	8 580	1 364	40
$1,000	738 916	710 435	23 098	3 937	2 537	14 899	1 724	5 383
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $499	2 490	128	2 362	580	384	1 064	334	–
$500 to $999	4 256	354	3 901	778	560	2 176	387	1
$1,000 to $1,999	5 673	1 281	4 392	806	474	2 704	408	–
$2,000 to $2,999	3 243	1 341	1 902	323	203	1 247	129	–
$3,000 to $4,999	3 667	2 215	1 452	225	128	1 017	82	–
$5,000 to $9,999	3 758	3 225	530	73	61	372	24	3
$10,000 and over	10 031	9 995	–	–	–	–	–	36
Livestock and poultry purchased—forms	9 959	5 040	4 893	841	471	3 213	368	26
$1,000	47 653	43 936	3 449	437	264	2 576	171	268
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 399	343	1 056	251	122	580	103	–
$100 to $499	2 600	840	1 760	322	178	1 106	154	–
$500 to $999	1 718	723	994	133	83	708	70	1
$1,000 to $2,499	1 696	950	741	103	72	534	32	5
$2,500 to $4,999	990	679	304	32	16	248	8	7
$5,000 and over	1 556	1 505	38	–	–	37	1	13
Feed for livestock and poultry—forms	22 859	10 824	12 004	2 072	1 374	7 439	1 119	31
$1,000	116 567	107 875	7 399	1 193	812	4 729	665	1 294
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 450	343	1 107	239	131	643	94	–
$100 to $499	7 342	2 101	5 239	908	661	3 141	529	2
$500 to $999	5 224	1 903	3 321	547	333	2 155	286	–
$1,000 to $2,499	4 909	2 789	2 116	351	220	1 356	189	4
$2,500 to $4,999	1 471	1 254	216	27	28	141	20	1
$5,000 and over	2 463	2 434	5	–	1	3	1	24
Commercially mixed formula feeds—forms	16 508	9 395	7 084	1 344	864	4 184	692	29
tons	735 087	703 558	24 909	4 877	3 036	14 673	2 324	6 620
$1,000	99 357	95 228	3 230	594	396	1 939	301	900
Farms that used—								
1 to 49 tons	14 624	7 531	7 084	1 344	864	4 184	692	9
50 to 99 tons	415	410	–	–	–	–	–	5
100 to 199 tons	499	492	–	–	–	–	–	7
200 to 499 tons	641	637	–	–	–	–	–	4
500 tons and over	329	325	–	–	–	–	–	4
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 972	621	1 351	301	193	730	127	–
$100 to $499	5 604	2 108	3 494	619	398	2 113	364	2
$500 to $999	2 898	1 590	1 308	250	155	796	107	–
$1,000 to $2,499	3 002	2 135	864	162	105	508	89	3
$2,500 to $4,999	920	852	67	12	13	37	5	1
$5,000 and over	2 112	2 089	–	–	–	–	–	23
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees—forms	15 974	10 999	4 942	919	523	3 124	376	33
$1,000	34 757	34 158	451	85	46	290	30	148
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	4 070	912	3 157	597	343	1 947	270	1
$100 to $499	4 932	3 169	1 756	318	174	1 158	106	7
$500 to $999	1 615	1 579	29	4	6	19	–	7
$1,000 to $2,499	1 968	1 960	–	–	–	–	–	8
$2,500 to $4,999	1 354	1 349	–	–	–	–	–	5
$5,000 and over	2 035	2 030	–	–	–	–	–	5
Commercial fertilizer—forms	23 877	14 417	9 422	1 701	1 110	5 820	791	38
$1,000	71 007	67 506	3 052	528	384	1 907	233	449
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	3 191	469	2 722	497	324	1 641	260	–
$100 to $499	7 379	2 501	4 877	902	585	2 990	400	1
$500 to $999	3 511	2 240	1 270	208	119	846	97	1
$1,000 to $2,499	3 819	3 332	482	78	67	308	29	5
$2,500 to $4,999	2 248	2 174	65	16	13	32	4	9
$5,000 and over	3 729	3 701	6	–	2	3	1	22
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)—forms	12 414	9 509	2 871	519	315	1 877	160	34
$1,000	47 717	47 260	316	69	40	187	19	142
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 844	957	1 886	291	203	1 277	115	1
$100 to $499	2 854	1 955	895	201	101	556	37	4
$500 to $999	1 294	1 215	72	23	7	36	6	7
$1,000 to $2,499	1 861	1 838	17	4	4	8	1	6
$2,500 to $4,999	1 335	1 328	1	–	–	–	1	6
$5,000 and over	2 226	2 216	–	–	–	–	–	10
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business—forms	31 416	18 057	13 319	2 542	1 664	7 914	1 199	40
$1,000	46 347	43 846	2 294	462	293	1 349	189	208
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	5 967	916	5 051	905	642	3 012	492	–
$100 to $499	12 557	5 043	7 512	1 471	919	4 465	657	2
$500 to $999	4 111	3 393	712	152	96	416	48	6
$1,000 to $2,499	3 956	3 902	44	14	7	21	2	10
$2,500 to $4,999	2 348	2 339	–	–	–	–	–	9
$5,000 and over	2 477	2 464	–	–	–	–	–	13
Hired farm labor—forms	12 628	9 313	3 278	564	365	2 102	247	37
$1,000	79 639	77 152	942	215	117	540	70	1 545
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 540	448	1 092	138	124	743	87	–
$100 to $499	3 432	1 712	1 720	323	179	1 096	122	–
$500 to $999	1 381	1 081	299	54	41	182	22	1
$1,000 to $2,499	1 629	1 503	125	31	15	65	14	1
$2,500 to $4,999	1 424	1 380	41	17	6	16	2	3
$5,000 and over	3 222	3 189	1	1	–	–	–	32

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	
Production Expenses—Continued								
Contract labor—forms	1 641	1 187	450	67	42	288	53	4
$1,000	3 934	3 816	112	18	12	71	12	5
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	138	2	136	20	11	86	19	–
$100 to $499	552	301	250	31	24	166	29	1
$500 to $999	284	239	43	14	5	21	3	2
$1,000 to $2,499	321	300	21	2	2	15	2	–
$2,500 to $4,999	184	183	–	–	–	–	–	1
$5,000 and over	162	162	–	–	–	–	–	–
Machine hire and customwork—forms	9 761	6 881	2 867	508	358	1 780	221	13
$1,000	17 508	16 944	537	111	75	313	38	27
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 677	403	1 273	204	165	799	105	1
$100 to $499	3 008	1 626	1 380	261	157	857	105	2
$500 to $999	1 433	1 272	159	33	22	97	7	2
$1,000 to $2,499	1 830	1 775	51	8	14	25	4	4
$2,500 to $4,999	1 016	1 009	4	2	–	2	–	3
$5,000 and over	797	796	–	–	–	–	–	1
Other production expenses—forms	28 548	18 398	10 112	1 888	1 195	6 162	867	38
$1,000	273 787	267 942	4 546	819	494	2 937	296	1 299
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 002	373	1 629	292	245	931	161	–
$100 to $499	8 161	2 279	5 881	1 154	692	3 461	574	1
$500 to $999	3 418	2 058	1 358	227	133	922	76	2
$1,000 to $2,499	4 441	3 358	1 075	185	111	736	43	8
$2,500 to $4,999	2 712	2 549	161	27	12	109	13	2
$5,000 and over	7 814	7 781	8	3	2	3	–	25
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income—forms	6 797	4 334	2 460	631	300	1 349	180	3
$1,000	31 153	28 083	3 053	1 139	475	1 187	251	18
Farms with form-related income of—								
$1 to $499	2 275	984	1 291	263	141	790	97	–
$500 to $999	1 178	715	463	101	54	280	28	–
$1,000 to $1,999	956	627	329	102	41	162	24	–
$2,000 to $2,999	559	412	146	65	20	54	7	1
$3,000 to $4,999	532	434	98	42	22	26	8	–
$5,000 and over	1 297	1 162	133	58	22	37	16	2
Customwork and other agricultural services—forms	1 814	1 411	402	135	54	186	27	1
$1,000	8 872	8 273	592	212	104	228	48	7
Recreational services—forms	143	88	55	19	–	34	2	–
$1,000	256	223	33	10	–	22	(Z)	–
Government farm programs—forms	3 313	2 125	1 187	194	116	815	62	1
$1,000	6 373	5 836	529	118	37	355	19	8
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments—forms	2 190	1 195	994	339	154	397	104	1
$1,000	13 278	11 457	1 819	765	331	543	180	3
Other farm-related sources—forms	552	447	105	23	5	68	9	–
$1,000	2 374	2 294	80	34	4	39	3	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources—forms	2 192	1 423	768	184	97	443	44	1
$1,000	8 103	7 297	803	214	113	432	43	3
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	21 217	12 505	8 692	1 722	1 061	5 080	829	20
number	26 817	16 705	10 076	1 936	1 209	6 007	924	36
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	26 314	15 554	10 722	1 932	1 260	6 578	952	38
number	41 606	29 839	11 534	2 116	1 335	7 084	999	233
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	26 622	15 720	10 863	1 908	1 261	6 755	939	39
number	55 933	42 678	12 956	2 382	1 495	8 032	1 047	299
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	26 360	15 600	10 721	1 876	1 245	6 669	931	39
number	54 536	41 662	12 587	2 305	1 455	7 809	1 018	287
Crawler tractors—forms	1 162	822	330	63	34	206	27	10
number	1 397	1 016	369	77	40	223	29	12
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—forms	4 534	4 448	76	37	8	29	2	10
number	7 034	6 931	84	40	13	29	2	19
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—forms	1 441	1 290	144	32	23	88	1	7
number	1 524	1 365	151	32	28	90	1	8
Corn heads for combines—forms	206	198	6	–	2	3	1	2
number	231	218	11	–	7	3	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—forms	1 254	1 110	139	32	21	86	–	5
number	1 293	1 147	140	32	21	87	–	6
Mower conditioners—forms	3 912	2 704	1 187	218	119	769	81	21
number	4 421	3 100	1 294	254	128	829	83	27
Pickup balers—forms	4 387	3 288	1 076	216	104	695	61	23
number	4 594	3 469	1 093	219	105	708	61	32
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	2 404	1 849	546	90	54	362	40	9
number	2 502	1 931	561	92	55	374	40	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—forms	711	531	166	29	11	107	19	14
number	872	666	188	30	14	125	19	18
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—forms	30 978	17 383	13 555	2 494	1 620	8 177	1 264	40
$1,000	713 650	613 746	96 403	19 131	11 648	57 126	8 499	3 500
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:								
$1 to $999	505	91	414	77	64	213	60	–
$1,000 to $4,999	6 910	2 261	4 648	843	578	2 820	407	1
$5,000 to $9,999	8 942	2 988	5 954	1 059	670	3 640	585	–
$10,000 to $19,999	5 670	3 571	2 095	378	254	1 278	185	4
$20,000 to $29,999	2 785	2 449	331	97	38	172	24	5
$30,000 to $49,999	2 932	2 842	83	30	10	40	3	7
$50,000 and over	3 234	3 181	30	10	6	14	–	23

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	
Livestock and Poultry								
Livestock and poultry inventory:								
Cattle and calves—farms	23 482	11 280	12 173	2 056	1 484	7 481	1 152	29
number	1 515 509	1 198 968	302 309	49 997	38 437	187 043	26 832	14 232
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 093	436	657	206	93	285	73	–
5 to 9	1 953	517	1 436	259	164	873	140	–
10 to 19	4 886	1 120	3 766	562	404	2 395	405	–
20 and over	15 550	9 207	6 314	1 029	823	3 928	534	29
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	19 871	10 336	9 508	1 578	1 168	5 909	853	27
number	871 894	701 533	162 849	26 839	20 544	101 405	14 061	7 512
Farms with—								
1 to 4	2 082	744	1 338	308	180	732	118	–
5 to 9	2 647	723	1 924	273	201	1 231	219	–
10 to 19	4 289	1 367	2 921	443	345	1 910	223	1
20 and over	10 853	7 502	3 325	554	442	2 036	293	26
Beef cows—farms	17 801	8 889	8 889	1 407	1 061	5 630	791	23
number	746 592	583 384	157 320	25 626	19 625	98 475	13 594	5 888
Milk cows—farms	5 181	2 948	2 218	450	313	1 255	200	15
number	125 302	118 149	5 529	1 213	919	2 930	467	1 624
Hogs and pigs—farms	3 335	1 476	1 848	455	285	979	129	11
number	72 365	55 572	11 982	3 181	1 531	6 576	694	4 811
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 652	609	1 043	224	169	569	81	–
5 to 9	724	299	425	129	72	204	20	–
10 to 24	635	310	325	89	38	171	27	–
25 and over	324	258	55	13	6	35	1	11
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30—forms	1 566	838	718	207	104	373	34	10
number	15 349	12 699	1 803	450	245	1 001	107	847
Farms by litters farrowed:								
1 litter	549	249	300	101	50	142	7	–
2 to 4 litters	642	315	327	84	45	179	19	–
5 to 9 litters	185	110	74	21	6	39	8	1
10 to 19 litters	74	57	17	1	3	13	–	–
20 litters and over	116	107	–	–	–	–	–	9
Sheep and lambs—farms	696	338	353	66	51	206	30	5
number	13 922	8 612	4 317	592	681	2 580	464	993
Farms with—								
1	37	6	31	7	8	16	–	–
2 to 4	136	53	82	13	10	55	4	1
5 to 9	165	84	81	19	6	50	6	–
10 to 24	240	124	116	21	19	60	16	–
25 and over	118	71	43	6	8	25	4	4
Horses and ponies—farms	6 601	3 143	3 438	461	279	2 436	262	20
number	23 156	14 764	8 169	1 155	553	5 918	543	223
Farms with—								
1	2 287	797	1 487	177	148	1 018	144	3
2 to 4	3 139	1 534	1 596	232	115	1 152	97	9
5 to 9	821	537	280	40	15	206	19	4
10 to 24	272	195	75	12	1	60	2	2
25 and over	82	80	–	–	–	–	–	2
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	5 856	2 153	3 694	773	555	1 981	385	9
number	3 657 907	3 524 436	95 722	21 333	13 948	52 072	8 369	37 749
Farms with—								
1 to 99	5 514	1 912	3 602	756	540	1 930	376	–
100 to 399	186	93	91	16	15	51	9	2
400 to 1.599	22	18	1	1	–	–	–	3
1.600 and over	134	130	–	–	–	–	–	4
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	5 620	2 065	3 546	732	538	1 908	368	9
number	2 915 959	2 809 049	82 483	17 621	12 594	44 535	7 733	24 427
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	931	427	502	108	73	279	42	2
number	8 257 461	8 234 955	10 406	1 903	1 377	6 478	648	12 100
Other livestock and poultry—farms	2 472	805	1 659	365	201	959	134	8
Livestock and poultry sold:								
Cattle and calves—farms	22 077	10 958	11 089	1 740	1 338	6 968	1 043	30
number	583 538	498 964	79 841	13 180	11 367	47 589	7 705	4 733
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 591	878	702	176	100	381	45	11
number	108 316	95 338	8 453	1 998	1 232	4 637	586	4 525
Feeder pigs sold—farms	358	157	200	47	23	118	12	1
number	35 690	32 951	2 685	467	437	1 614	167	54
Sheep and lambs—farms	407	225	177	30	26	101	20	5
number	8 140	5 787	1 631	268	256	952	155	722
Horses and ponies—farms	774	480	289	41	14	218	16	5
number	4 078	3 507	538	80	19	414	25	33
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	426	258	160	41	26	79	14	8
number	4 047 149	4 004 634	8 334	1 004	580	6 645	105	34 181
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	383	222	153	40	26	73	14	8
number	2 440 088	2 399 488	7 454	718	580	6 051	105	33 146
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	352	310	40	9	4	23	4	2
number	44 248 794	44 216 095	699	180	42	384	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and poultry—farms	605	216	386	76	22	263	25	3
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes—farms	4 193	2 033	2 142	514	410	1 047	171	18
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	1 569	528	1 039	217	205	521	96	2
5 to 14 acres	1 837	865	970	258	185	458	69	2
15 to 24 acres	383	269	113	31	19	57	6	1
25 acres and over	404	371	20	8	1	11	–	13
For grain or seed—farms	3 920	1 847	2 059	490	391	1 010	168	14
acres	43 937	30 796	11 758	3 039	2 216	5 635	868	1 383
bushels	2 069 625	1 612 828	364 809	87 639	71 258	180 717	25 195	91 988
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed—farms	339	228	107	29	19	55	4	4
acres	10 531	9 382	772	249	98	406	19	377

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								
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup—forms	568	384	170	31	20	103	16	14
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	68	18	47	9	3	31	4	3
5 to 14 acres	161	60	100	18	15	60	7	1
15 to 24 acres	83	64	19	4	2	10	3	–
25 acres and over	256	242	4	–	–	2	2	10
For grain or seed—forms	222	178	38	2	6	28	2	6
acres	17 325	16 965	281	6	42	226	7	79
bushels	641 175	629 983	6 534	214	1 528	4 644	148	4 658
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hagged or grazed—forms	368	223	135	31	14	76	14	10
acres	12 761	10 899	1 050	261	105	523	161	812
Wheat for grain—forms	170	159	7	3	–	4	–	4
acres	15 092	15 007	53	26	–	27	–	32
bushels	372 834	370 937	743	302	–	441	–	1 154
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	11	6	3	2	–	1	–	2
5 to 14 acres	20	16	3	–	–	3	–	1
15 to 24 acres	17	15	1	1	–	–	–	1
25 acres and over	122	122	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain—forms	3 092	2 890	197	48	35	97	17	5
acres	656 079	652 535	3 148	909	560	1 390	289	396
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	57	15	41	10	5	22	4	1
5 to 14 acres	186	129	57	10	9	33	5	–
15 to 24 acres	191	132	59	16	18	23	2	–
25 acres and over	2 658	2 614	40	12	3	19	6	4
Soybeans for beans—forms	7 180	6 748	424	172	53	190	9	8
acres	1 608 070	1 599 175	4 594	1 877	623	1 997	97	4 301
bushels	42 871 889	42 668 498	90 772	35 953	12 229	40 955	1 635	112 619
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	96	40	56	24	4	24	4	–
5 to 14 acres	656	397	259	101	30	126	2	–
15 to 24 acres	678	593	84	39	14	30	1	1
25 acres and over	5 750	5 718	25	8	5	10	2	7
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)—forms	10 297	5 907	4 364	649	584	2 703	428	26
acres	328 109	267 707	57 518	9 893	8 055	34 512	5 058	2 884
tons	658 053	556 316	93 692	16 119	12 840	57 295	7 438	8 045
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	848	230	618	92	70	372	84	–
5 to 14 acres	3 717	1 377	2 339	300	321	1 483	235	1
15 to 24 acres	2 063	1 178	879	146	119	545	69	6
25 to 49 acres	1 894	1 462	430	86	58	257	29	2
50 acres and over	1 775	1 660	98	25	16	46	11	17
Cotton—farms	4 486	3 965	514	231	75	195	13	7
acres	584 816	579 572	4 136	1 984	572	1 477	103	1 108
bales	519 427	515 229	2 782	1 348	402	950	82	1 416
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	134	33	101	41	22	34	4	–
5 to 9 acres	424	195	227	96	25	101	5	2
10 acres and over	3 928	3 737	186	94	28	60	4	5
Peanuts for nuts—farms	193	78	114	28	20	42	24	1
acres	2 025	1 903	120	28	24	42	26	2
pounds	3 665 132	3 568 464	93 668	24 344	17 416	32 400	19 508	3 000
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	169	55	113	28	19	42	24	1
5 to 9 acres	3	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
10 to 14 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
15 acres and over	21	21	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco—farms	25	25	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	201	201	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	145 906	145 906	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.4 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
0.5 to 0.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.0 to 1.4 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.5 to 1.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2.0 to 4.9 acres	7	7	–	–	–	–	–	–
5.0 acres and over	18	18	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	828	369	446	97	80	226	43	13
acres	2 399	2 007	210	39	49	105	17	182
hundredweight	216 098	188 010	14 013	2 431	2 959	7 388	1 235	14 075
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	579	195	381	84	66	195	36	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres	130	70	54	13	10	24	7	6
3.0 to 4.9 acres	32	20	11	–	4	7	–	1
5.0 acres and over	87	84	–	–	–	–	–	3
Sweetpotatoes—farms	1 351	783	557	182	117	215	43	11
acres	20 905	19 806	1 031	484	185	319	43	68
bushels	3 782 754	3 665 529	107 180	47 904	20 425	34 798	4 053	10 045
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	439	117	319	92	61	140	26	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres	189	86	99	24	31	32	12	4
3.0 to 4.9 acres	121	60	60	21	10	26	3	1
5.0 acres and over	602	520	79	45	15	17	2	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale—farms	1 239	615	612	175	92	294	51	12
acres	8 479	6 566	1 281	462	206	525	88	632
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	240	80	159	28	19	96	16	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres	452	151	299	103	48	126	22	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	198	87	108	25	19	54	10	3
5.0 to 9.9 acres	153	122	31	11	4	14	2	–
10.0 acres and over	196	175	15	8	2	4	1	6

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	158	94	61	23	13	19	6	3
acres	412	319	87	38	14	28	8	6
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	39	14	24	4	7	11	2	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres	62	33	28	13	6	5	4	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	29	21	7	6	–	1	–	1
5.0 acres and over	28	26	2	–	–	2	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	893	461	419	72	44	253	50	13
acres	28 187	26 404	1 505	316	154	913	122	279
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	90	16	73	8	11	46	8	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres	212	58	152	28	19	79	26	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	122	41	79	13	1	58	7	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres	146	70	73	16	8	42	7	3
10.0 acres and over	323	276	42	7	5	28	2	5
All other crops—farms	1 887	1 510	368	126	55	162	25	9
acres	332 947	331 128	1 721	592	300	679	150	98
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	118	76	39	10	4	25	–	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres	261	93	166	63	20	68	15	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	80	37	42	13	13	16	–	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres	108	51	57	18	7	31	1	–
10.0 to 14.9 acres	108	69	39	9	7	15	8	–
15.0 to 24.9 acres	118	96	20	12	2	5	1	2
25.0 acres and over	1 094	1 088	5	1	2	2	–	1
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection—farms	170	117	50	16	6	28	–	3
square feet	1 238 062	1 185 670	42 592	13 208	4 200	25 184	–	9 800

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—number	18 542	20 075	19 658
Land in farms—acres	7 974 270	8 187 638	7 479 460
Average size of farm—acres	430	408	380
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	3 974 675	2 555 117	1 669 847
Average per farm—dollars	214 361	127 278	84 945
Average per acre—dollars	498	312	223
Land in Farms According to Use			
Total cropland—farms	17 400	18 935	(NA)
acres	4 997 307	5 087 635	3 961 578
Harvested cropland—farms	15 889	17 240	17 962
acres	3 527 544	3 271 310	2 361 351
Farms by acres harvested:			
1 to 49 acres	6 209	6 477	8 117
50 to 99 acres	2 669	3 249	3 788
100 to 199 acres	2 245	2 822	2 842
200 to 499 acres	2 749	3 072	2 366
500 to 999 acres	1 382	1 189	644
1,000 acres and over	635	431	205
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	341	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	126	90	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing—farms	7 940	9 577	7 712
acres	977 181	1 170 403	1 275 093
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured—farms	443	939	1 722
acres	22 452	49 290	92 467
Cropland on which all crops failed—farms	639	1 283	778
acres	67 152	148 369	21 778

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969	1964
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.			
Total cropland—Continued			
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow—farms	837	1 548	(NA)
acres	127 525	173 218	(NA)
Cropland idle—farms	1 789	3 098	2 652
acres	275 453	275 045	210 889
Total woodland—farms	6 021	7 469	8 845
acres	1 202 410	1 439 542	1 823 978
Woodland pastured—farms	3 553	4 701	5 808
acres	534 266	673 760	982 022
Woodland not pastured—farms	3 380	3 946	4 323
acres	668 144	765 782	841 956
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	4 248	4 734	8 042
acres	1 285 437	1 252 265	1 307 957
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 599	2 998	4 134
acres	393 156	603 053	576 242
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 216	2 399	(NA)
acres	892 281	649 212	731 715
Other land (see text)—farms	10 520	11 023	17 263
acres	489 116	408 196	385 882
Irrigated land—farms	3 353	3 789	3 876
acres	694 984	689 321	572 013
Total pastureland, all types—farms	11 384	13 400	(NA)
acres	2 796 884	3 096 428	3 565 072

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					
					Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land		
				Acres in farms	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres harvested	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres irrigated
Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	18 542	20 075	19 658	7 974 270	15 889	7 226 485	3 527 544	3 353	2 021 444	694 984
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres	455	316	324	1 658	201	990	675	61	297	155
10 to 49 acres	2 463	2 220	3 740	75 364	1 975	61 391	40 577	283	8 398	4 385
50 to 69 acres	1 283	1 340	1 723	74 356	1 084	62 748	37 011	154	9 056	4 797
70 to 99 acres	1 748	2 045	2 153	144 229	1 426	117 653	61 494	185	15 411	8 019
100 to 139 acres	1 914	2 211	2 106	222 138	1 614	187 526	94 510	244	28 434	15 027
140 to 179 acres	1 455	1 771	1 515	229 591	1 258	198 564	97 678	209	32 831	16 259
180 to 219 acres	1 265	1 409	1 154	249 820	1 057	208 954	109 073	184	36 416	21 950
220 to 259 acres	861	1 067	873	205 070	762	181 395	97 215	136	32 465	17 795
260 to 499 acres	3 046	3 529	2 673	1 093 877	2 750	989 888	554 226	716	261 666	132 282
500 to 999 acres	2 272	2 528	1 885	1 566 475	2 111	1 458 294	861 998	671	463 449	192 348
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 204	1 118	964	1 602 516	1 125	1 503 700	811 727	362	483 089	166 299
2,000 acres and over	576	521	548	2 509 176	526	2 255 382	761 360	148	649 932	115 668
5,000 acres and over	108	(NA)	(NA)	1 178 360	95	1 032 365	253 505	28	312 690	38 719

Table 12. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	3 353	3 789
Proportion of farms	percent	18.1	18.8
Total land irrigated	acres	694 984	689 321
Average per farm	acres	207.3	181.9
Irrigated farms by acres irrigated:			
1 to 9 acres	farms	262	220
	acres	999	933
10 to 49 acres	farms	577	628
	acres	15 376	18 061
50 to 99 acres	farms	503	653
	acres	35 364	46 815
100 to 199 acres	farms	700	966
	acres	99 174	138 481
200 to 499 acres	farms	1 001	1 133
	acres	302 262	339 344
500 to 999 acres	farms	265	170
	acres	169 732	109 467
1,000 acres and over	farms	45	19
	acres	72 077	36 220
Cropland irrigated	farms	3 337	3 778
	acres	693 485	687 684
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	3 310	3 739
	acres	684 939	670 642
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	59	152
	acres	5 391	13 720
Other cropland irrigated	farms	34	33
	acres	3 155	3 322
Improved pastureland and rangeland irrigated	farms	18	24
	acres	1 499	1 637

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	955 084	876 068
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.4	1.3
Method of irrigation:			
Furrows or ditches	farms	608	545
	acres	91 592	59 479
Flooding	Farms	2 539	3 000
	acres	583 257	602 875
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	60	293
	acres	4 555	16 307
Other sprinkler systems	farms	178	
	acres	8 158	
Subirrigation	farms	91	104
	acres	16 156	15 466
Land in irrigated farms	acres	2 021 444	2 093 977
Cropland	acres	1 538 107	1 608 061
Harvested cropland	acres	1 207 794	1 112 268
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	127	(X)
	acres irrigated	12 140	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage	farms	2 161	4 609
Proportion of farms	percent	11.7	23.0
Land in farms with drainage	acres	1 687 663	2 888 425
Land drained	acres	1 078 099	2 048 043
Average per farm	acres	498.9	444.4
Land drained by systems installed in census year	farms	284	206
	acres	90 609	63 961
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks	farms	3 246	(NA)
	number	10 331	(NA)
	acres	17 528	(NA)

Table 13. Agricultural Chemicals Used: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	15 247	17 983
	$1,000	114 766	51 850
Commercial fertilizer	farms	14 421	16 071
	acres on which used	2 654 075	2 482 972
	$1,000	67 506	30 147
Dry fertilizer	farms	11 312	14 471
	tons	343 576	334 134
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 49 tons		9 358	12 629
50 to 99 tons		1 187	1 281
100 to 199 tons		595	448
200 to 499 tons		156	108
500 to 799 tons		9	5
800 to 999 tons		2	
1,000 tons and over		5	–
Liquid fertilizer	farms	3 522	3 960
	tons	96 796	68 779
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 9 tons		1 655	2 226
10 to 49 tons		1 338	1 428
50 to 99 tons		332	212
100 to 199 tons		150	71
200 to 499 tons		41	21
500 tons and over		6	2
Lime	farms	1 213	2 528
	acres on which used	72 051	155 814
	tons	101 416	221 536
	$1,000	1 110	1 512
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 49 tons		635	1 209
50 to 99 tons		314	648
100 to 199 tons		162	418
200 to 499 tons		70	213
500 to 999 tons		24	26
1,000 tons and over		8	14

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—Continued			
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control insects, nematodes, diseases, and weeds:			
Insects on hay crops	farms	314	497
	acres on which used	14 269	22 403
	$1,000	78	79
Insects on other crops	farms	4 622	6 956
	acres on which used	1 374 334	1 069 424
	$1,000	20 755	8 148
Nematodes in crops	farms	165	211
	acres on which used	24 228	16 041
	$1,000	303	160
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	333	343
	acres on which used	59 222	33 418
	$1,000	754	213
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	5 026	7 220
	acres on which used	1 833 334	1 543 539
	$1,000	20 626	10 204
Weeds or brush in posture	farms	610	1 075
	acres on which used	71 436	117 424
	$1,000	238	204
Weeds on other land	farms	621	(NA)
	acres on which used	25 447	(NA)
	$1,000	135	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	1 392	1 885
	acres on which used	307 706	204 634
	$1,000	1 595	716
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	1 047	3 411
	$1,000	240	399
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	1 608	(NA)
	$1,000	1 426	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974		1969	1964
	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text		
Farms and land in farms operated by—				
All farm operators—farms	18 542	980	20 075	19 658
acres	7 974 270	139 100	8 187 638	7 479 460
Harvested cropland—farms	15 889	906	17 240	17 962
acres	3 527 544	72 072	3 271 310	2 361 351
Full owners—farms	8 605	514	8 064	6 749
acres	2 693 173	50 483	2 636 835	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	6 724	463	6 143	(NA)
acres	791 238	16 571	685 119	(NA)
Part owners—farms	6 769	258	7 982	7 400
acres	3 970 340	55 142	4 160 526	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	6 287	244	7 390	(NA)
acres	1 955 245	34 740	1 805 209	(NA)
Tenants—farms	3 168	208	4 029	5 299
acres	1 310 757	33 475	1 390 277	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	2 878	199	3 707	(NA)
acres	781 061	20 761	780 982	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	17.1	21.2	20.0	26.9
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family—farms	16 657	954	16 948	(NA)
acres	5 973 136	130 671	5 819 269	(NA)
Partnership—farms	1 355	26	2 459	(NA)
acres	1 066 915	8 429	1 454 206	(NA)
Corporation, including family corporations—farms	460	(NA)	468	(NA)
acres	881 693	(NA)	809 708	(NA)
Farms by type of organization—Continued				
Other—farms	70	(NA)	200	(NA)
acres	52 526	(NA)	104 455	(NA)
Farm operators by age group:[1]				
Under 25 years	433	10	328	411
25 to 34 years	2 081	51	2 280	2 080
35 to 44 years	3 327	149	4 056	4 333
45 to 54 years	4 568	237	5 550	6 555
55 to 64 years	4 898	312	5 657	4 664
65 years and over	2 705	221	2 204	1 615
Average age	50.7	54.7	49.9	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:[1]				
On farm operated	10 424	569	14 071	17 031
On another farm	785	50		
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	45	3 922	1 962
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	59		
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm[1]	5 961	268	7 886	6 194
1 to 49 days	711	46	1 424	1 445
50 to 99 days	425	33	813	858
100 to 149 days	543	59	1 390	1 058
150 to 199 days	811	50		
200 days and over	3 471	80	4 259	2 833
Farm operators by principal occupation:[1]				
Farming	13 308	825	(NA)	(NA)
Other than farming	4 704	155	(NA)	(NA)

[1]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 15. Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)—farms	18 542	20 075
$1,000	1 173 913	475 431
Average per farm—dollars	63 311	23 682
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:		
Under $2,500 (see text)	724	917
$2,500 to $4,999	3 359	5 074
$5,000 to $7,499	1 749	2 514
$7,500 to $9,999	1 183	1 656
$10,000 to $14,999	1 558	2 041
$15,000 to $19,999	1 043	1 406
$20,000 to $29,999	1 387	1 993
$30,000 to $39,999	1 020	1 319
$40,000 to $59,999	1 625	1 373
$60,000 and over	4 894	1 782
$60,000 to $79,999	1 113	715
$80,000 to $99,999	746	373
$100,000 and over	3 035	694
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	520
$200,000 to $499,999	987	142
$500,000 and over	280	32
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:		
Crops, including nursery products and hay—farms	12 931	14 609
$1,000	922 011	288 945
Grains—farms	8 592	9 500
$1,000	486 534	155 498
Tobacco—farms	25	19
$1,000	174	66
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued		
Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued		
Cotton and cottonseed—farms	3 953	6 271
$1,000	105 674	54 463
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage—farms	1 801	2 070
$1,000	7 673	4 638
Other field crops—farms	1 886	2 788
$1,000	307 047	64 389
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons—farms	557	759
$1,000	4 537	2 797
Fruits, nuts, and berries—farms	258	897
$1,000	2 662	3 017
Nursery and greenhouse products—farms	221	145
$1,000	7 709	4 076
Forest products sold—farms	917	1 070
$1,000	5 973	3 246
Livestock, poultry, and their products sold—farms	11 655	13 629
$1,000	245 929	183 239
Poultry and poultry products—farms	732	1 038
$1,000	71 105	44 669
Dairy products—farms	1 530	1 951
$1,000	89 114	62 508
Cattle and calves—farms	10 958	(NA)
$1,000	77 133	69 803
Sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	248	(NA)
$1,000	175	[1]6 258
Hogs and pigs—farms	878	
$1,000	4 939	
Other livestock and livestock products—farms	654	
$1,000	3 463	

[1]Includes goats and mohair sold.

Table 16. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses—farms	4 334	(NA)
$1,000	28 083	(NA)
Farms by total farm related income:		
$1 to $249	470	(NA)
$250 to $499	514	(NA)
$500 to $999	715	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	1 473	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	585	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	321	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	101	(NA)
$30,000 and over	155	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services—farms	1 411	1 971
$1,000	8 273	5 895
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	116	279
$250 to $499	112	195
$500 to $999	180	321
$1,000 to $4,999	608	879
$5,000 to $9,999	187	177
$10,000 and over	208	120
Recreational services—farms	88	183
$1,000	223	334
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	21	54
$250 to $499	7	29
$500 to $999	16	39
$1,000 to $4,999	31	46
$5,000 to $9,999	8	9
$10,000 and over	5	6
Government farm programs—farms	2 125	7 583
$1,000	5 836	32 132
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	368	980
$250 to $499	410	845
$500 to $999	437	1 304
$1,000 to $4,999	540	2 802
$5,000 to $9,999	251	782
$10,000 and over	119	870
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments—farms	1 195	(NA)
$1,000	11 457	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	116	(NA)
$250 to $499	103	(NA)
$500 to $999	221	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	431	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	131	(NA)
$10,000 and over	193	(NA)
Other farm-related sources—farms	447	(NA)
$1,000	2 294	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	102	(NA)
$250 to $499	55	(NA)
$500 to $999	63	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	121	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	70	(NA)
$10,000 and over	36	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources—farms	1 423	(NA)
$1,000	7 297	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	199	(NA)
$250 to $499	178	(NA)
$500 to $999	216	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	521	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	145	(NA)
$10,000 and over	164	(NA)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[1]—farms	9 248
$1,000	103 811
Farms by family off-farm income:	
$1 to $249	269
$250 to $499	216
$500 to $999	369
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704
$20,000 to $29,999	746
$30,000 and over	470
Nonfarm business, other than farm-related[1]—farms	1 821
$1,000	21 366
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	39
$250 to $499	25
$500 to $999	54
$1,000 to $4,999	489
$5,000 to $9,999	495
10,000 to $19,999	453
$20,000 and over	266
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips[1]—farms	5 792
$1,000	59 954
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	113
$250 to $499	143
$500 to $999	179
$1,000 to $4,999	1 276
$5,000 to $9,999	1 524
10,000 to $19,999	1 948
$20,000 and over	609
Interest, dividends, or royalties[1]—farms	3 606
$1,000	14 085
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	677
$250 to $499	399
$500 to $999	522
$1,000 to $4,999	1 354
$5,000 to $9,999	349
$10,000 and over	305
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.[1]—farms	1 649
$1,000	5 436
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	87
$250 to $499	89
$500 to $999	150
$1,000 to $4,999	1 001
$5,000 to $9,999	245
$10,000 and over	77
Rental income of nonfarm property[1]—farms	814
$1,000	2 970
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	109
$250 to $499	92
$500 to $999	144
$1,000 to $4,999	315
$5,000 to $9,999	74
$10,000 and over	80

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

Table 17. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Total farm production expenses—farms	18 539	(X)	20 075	19 688
$1,000	(X)	710 435	394 686	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $1,999	1 763	2 262	2 051	(NA)
$2,000 to $2,999	1 341	3 349	1 995	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	2 215	8 715	3 071	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	3 225	23 312	4 118	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 858	40 685	3 807	(NA)
$20,000 to $39,999	2 536	73 077	2 735	(NA)
$40,000 to $49,999	797	35 550	627	(NA)
$50,000 and over	3 804	523 485	1 671	(NA)
$50,000 to $59,999	608	33 385	(NA)	(NA)
$60,000 to $79,999	895	61 705	(NA)	(NA)
$80,000 to $99,999	531	47 419	(NA)	(NA)
$100,000 and over	1 770	380 976	(NA)	(NA)
Livestock and poultry purchased—farms	5 040	(X)	6 547	6 535
$1,000	(X)	43 936	32 791	15 548
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	1 183	253	2 132	4 077
$500 to $999	723	496	943	
$1,000 to $4,999	1 629	3 852	1 975	1 632
$5,000 to $9,999	638	4 470	755	479

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Livestock and poultry purchased—Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—Continued				
$10,000 to $14,999	267	3 076	292	223
$15,000 to $19,999	153	2 558	125	
$20,000 to $29,999	162	3 863	150	
$30,000 to $39,999	88	2 899	64	124
$40,000 to $49,999	56	2 416	31	
$50,000 and over	141	20 052	80	
Feed for livestock and poultry—farms	10 824	(X)	12 688	14 021
$1,000	(X)	107 875	62 372	43 742
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 444	630	4 844	8 815
$500 to $999	1 903	1 357	2 225	
$1,000 to $4,999	4 043	8 712	3 202	2 782
$5,000 to $9,999	618	4 230	786	1 385
$10,000 to $14,999	254	3 080	590	683
$15,000 to $19,999	223	3 827	316	
$20,000 to $29,999	394	9 593	311	
$30,000 to $39,999	256	8 706	141	356
$40,000 to $49,999	170	7 585	92	
$50,000 and over	519	60 155	181	

Table 17. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Commercially mixed formula feeds ____ farms	9 395	(X)	10 049	11 051
$1,000	(X)	95 228	52 225	37 928
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	7 531	(X)	7 717	8 405
50 to 99 tons	410	(X)	604	1 202
100 to 199 tons	492	(X)	803	953
200 to 499 tons	637	(X)	669	399
500 to 799 tons	166	(X)	140	
800 to 999 tons	57	(X)	28	80
1,000 tons and over	102	(X)	88	
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 729	622	4 356	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 590	1 119	1 489	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	2 987	6 245	2 111	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	435	3 009	676	(NA)
$10,000 to $14,999	225	2 683	503	(NA)
$15,000 to $19,999	212	3 647	283	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	347	8 450	269	(NA)
$30,000 to $39,999	237	8 031		
$40,000 to $49,999	153	6 773	362	(NA)
$50,000 and over	480	54 648		
Feed ingredients ____ farms	3 407	(X)	2 997	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	4 151	3 921	(NA)
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	3 331	(X)	2 787	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	44	(X)	103	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	16	(X)	58	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	13	(X)	36	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	–	(X)	5	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	–	(X)	3	(NA)
1,000 tons and over	3	(X)	5	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 187	262	1 906	(NA)
$500 to $999	478	332	491	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	365	497	266	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	263	780	197	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	64	419	70	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	24	319	67	(NA)
$20,000 and over	26	1 542		
Whole grains ____ farms	3 583	(X)	2 373	5 000
$1,000	(X)	5 609	3 389	3 647
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	3 457	(X)	2 169	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	56	(X)	90	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	36	(X)	59	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	25	(X)	40	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	5	(X)	9	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	–	(X)	2	(NA)
1,000 tons and over	4	(X)	4	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 230	283	1 563	(NA)
$500 to $999	536	374	326	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	397	548	225	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	262	777	140	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	80	535	60	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	35	510	59	(NA)
$20,000 and over	43	2 582		
Hay, green chop, and silage ____ farms	1 854	(X)	3 346	5 751
$1,000	(X)	2 887	2 837	2 167
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	1 398	(X)	2 770	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	198	(X)	308	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	127	(X)	151	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	88	(X)	83	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	18	(X)	28	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	5	(X)		
1,000 tons and over	20	(X)	6	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	901	188	2 072	(NA)
$500 to $999	340	233	598	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	266	353	339	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	234	671	243	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	65	426	62	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	32	418	32	(NA)
$20,000 and over	16	598		
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ____ farms	6 517	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	3 173	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	1 966	95	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	2 951	672	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	830	528	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	641	970	(NA)	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	67	243	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 and over	62	665	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ____ farms	10 999	(X)	13 658	15 676
$1,000	(X)	34 158	16 169	8 310
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	4 081	872	7 316	11 962
$500 to $999	1 579	1 115	1 923	1 441
$1,000 to $4,999	3 309	7 899	3 822	2 273
$5,000 to $9,999	1 175	8 188	490	
$10,000 and over	855	16 085	107	
Commerical fertilizer ____ farms	14 417	(X)	17 184	17 522
$1,000	(X)	67 506	30 147	20 634
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 970	750	6 730	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 240	1 599	3 311	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	5 506	13 004	5 669	(NA)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Commercial fertilizer—Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—Continued				
$5,000 to $9,999	1 882	13 180	1 077	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	1 181	16 038	328	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	352	8 378	69	(NA)
$30,000 and over	286	14 559		
Lime ____ farms	1 213	(X)	2 528	2 323
$1,000	(X)	1 110	1 512	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	102	5	345	(NA)
$100 to $499	475	131	1 331	(NA)
$500 to $999	315	217	515	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	211	284	218	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	82	239	95	(NA)
$5,000 and over	28	234	24	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals, excluding lime and fertilizer (see text) ____ farms	9 099	(X)	12 547	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	46 150	20 191	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	1 017	48	2 358	(NA)
$100 to $499	1 871	465	4 189	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 067	758	1 927	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	1 231	1 758	1 676	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	1 728	5 537	1 471	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	1 015	7 039	573	(NA)
$10,000 and over	1 170	30 546	353	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ____ farms	18 057	(X)	19 985	19 461
$1,000	(X)	43 846	27 204	21 601
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	5 959	1 451	8 239	10 019
$500 to $999	3 393	2 404	4 395	3 773
$1,000 to $1,999	3 018	4 230	3 543	4 983
$2,000 to $4,999	3 223	10 203	2 832	
$5,000 to $9,999	1 644	11 130	724	
$10,000 to $19,999	623	8 164	252	686
$20,000 and over	197	6 264		
Gasoline ____ farms	15 720	(X)	18 542	18 329
$1,000	(X)	15 601	11 496	10 895
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	7 997	1 797	11 408	(NA)
$500 to $999	3 229	2 266	4 021	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	2 473	3 372	2 087	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	1 580	4 585	874	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	339	2 205	152	(NA)
$10,000 and over	102	1 375		
Diesel oil ____ farms	11 669	(X)	10 154	5 273
$1,000	(X)	18 047	8 413	3 297
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	4 979	990	5 719	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 044	1 462	1 874	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	1 972	2 797	1 462	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	1 894	5 659	896	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	590	3 920	203	(NA)
$10,000 and over	190	3 219		
LP gas, butane, and propane ____ farms	5 484	(X)	7 392	6 312
$1,000	(X)	5 186	4 280	3 847
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	756	37	1 352	(NA)
$100 to $499	2 150	574	3 562	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 070	738	1 223	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	1 167	1 865	1 058	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	204	729	197	(NA)
$5,000 and over	137	1 243		
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ____ farms	18 029	(X)	19 951	19 395
$1,000	(X)	5 012	3 015	3 563
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	8 134	351	12 136	(NA)
$100 to $499	7 162	1 597	6 510	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 759	1 141	897	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	851	1 266	367	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	75	266	41	(NA)
$5,000 and over	48	391		
Hired farm labor ____ farms	9 313	(X)	14 123	14 038
$1,000	(X)	77 152	56 652	43 540
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	448	24	902	5 391
$100 to $499	1 712	445	3 742	
$500 to $999	1 081	750	2 062	2 013
$1,000 to $2,499	1 503	2 449	2 703	3 142
$2,500 to $4,999	1 380	5 068	2 206	1 653
$5,000 to $9,999	1 402	9 720	1 361	999
$10,000 to $19,999	936	12 741	669	488
$20,000 to $29,999	315	7 457	180	248
$30,000 to $49,999	290	10 931	169	
$50,000 and over	246	27 566	129	104
Contract labor ____ farms	1 187	(X)	1 774	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	3 816	2 905	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	303	88	715	(NA)
$500 to $999	239	165	371	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	483	1 107	588	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	95	623	65	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	36	491	24	(NA)
$20,000 and over	31	1 343	11	(NA)

Table 17. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Machine hire and customwork[1] ---- farms	6 881	(X)	9 136	9 780
$1,000	(X)	16 944	12 529	10 116
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 029	470	3 476	4 382
$500 to $999	1 272	898	2 184	2 500
$1,000 to $4,999	2 784	6 270	3 107	2 635
$5,000 to $9,999	527	3 466	254	192
$10,000 and over	269	5 841	115	71
All other production expenses ---- farms	18 319	(X)	19 819	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	264 769	132 215	(NA)

[1]Data for 1964 includes contract labor.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
All other production expenses—Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 845	679	3 184	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 985	1 374	2 508	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	5 801	14 135	7 642	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	2 227	15 434	3 266	(NA)
$10,000 and over	5 461	233 148	3 219	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 150	29 516	(NA)	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	1 011	23 941	(NA)	(NA)
$30,000 to $39,999	596	20 264	(NA)	(NA)
$40,000 to $49,999	394	17 288	(NA)	(NA)
$50,000 and over	1 310	142 139	(NA)	(NA)

Table 18. Farm Payroll and Employment: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969	1964
Hired farm labor ---- farms	9 313	14 123	14 038
workers	69 186	74 832	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	77 152	56 652	43 540
Workers and wages by number of days worked:			
150 days or more ---- farms	4 311	5 400	5 624
workers	13 619	14 743	19 837
amount paid, $1,000	56 701	(NA)	(NA)
Less than 150 days ---- farms	7 376	11 957	(NA)
workers	55 567	60 089	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	20 451	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 149 days ---- farms	3 618	(NA)	(NA)
workers	17 510	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	15 544	(NA)	(NA)
Less than 25 days ---- farms	5 068	(NA)	(NA)
workers	38 057	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	4 908	(NA)	(NA)
Contract labor ---- farms	1 187	1 774	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	3 816	2 905	(NA)
Farms reporting workers furnished by contractor ---- farms	520	(NA)	(NA)
workers	7 553	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	2 211	(NA)	(NA)
Corporations ---- farms	460	(NA)	(NA)
With salaried officers reported ---- farms	135	(NA)	(NA)
number of officers	262	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	3 758	(NA)	(NA)

Table 19. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Number	1974 Manufactured 1970 to 1974 Farms	1974 Manufactured 1970 to 1974 Number	1969 Farms	1969 Number	1969 Manufactured 1965 to 1969 Farms	1969 Manufactured 1965 to 1969 Number	1964 Farms	1964 Number
Automobiles	12 505	16 705	8 920	11 495	13 721	17 416	10 932	13 195	15 859	20 784
2 or 3	3 257	6 872	2 130	4 439	2 671	5 747	1 742	3 725	(NA)	(NA)
4 and over	154	739	71	337	161	780	78	358	(NA)	(NA)
Motortrucks, including pickups	15 554	29 839	10 191	14 764	16 914	28 978	12 488	17 892	15 983	25 000
2 or 3	5 624	13 070	2 660	5 760	6 460	18 524	3 200	8 604	(NA)	(NA)
4 and over	1 644	8 483	328	1 801						
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	15 720	42 678	7 811	14 281	17 848	45 493	11 419	23 751	16 962	40 586
2 or 3	6 690	15 731	2 824	6 278	7 506	17 775	4 371	10 143	6 476	15 039
4 and over	3 797	21 714	645	3 661	3 585	20 961	1 441	8 001	2 873	17 934
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	15 600	41 662	7 762	14 075	17 672	44 184	11 313	23 189	16 797	39 567
Crawler tractors	822	1 016	162	206	977	1 309	425	562	764	1 019
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	4 448	6 931	1 965	2 450	4 461	6 144	3 347	4 350	2 711	3 584
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	1 290	1 365	159	171	1 180	1 355	666	745	1 026	1 091
Corn heads for combines	198	218	67	71	305	357	217	247	(NA)	(NA)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	1 110	1 147	93	100	916	998	467	498	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners	2 704	3 100	1 254	1 365	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pickup balers	3 288	3 469	1 177	1 223	3 572	3 761	2 217	2 303	3 523	3 693
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1 849	1 931	622	643	1 958	2 106	1 241	1 326	(NA)	(NA)
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	531	666	234	274	639	763	399	460	507	577

	1974 Farms	1974 Value ($1,000)	1969 Farms	1969 Value ($1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	17 383	613 746	19 616	354 957
By value of machinery and equipment:				
$1 to $4,999	2 352	6 743	5 788	15 056
$5,000 to $9,999	2 988	21 332	4 194	28 172
$10,000 to $14,999	2 051	24 083	2 477	28 197
$15,000 to $19,999	1 520	25 180	1 565	25 537
$20,000 to $29,999	2 449	58 834	2 004	46 180
$30,000 to $39,999	1 561	51 423	1 127	36 820
$40,000 to $49,999	1 281	54 874	656	27 780
$50,000 and over	3 181	371 277	1 805	147 215
$50,000 to $69,999	1 177	66 087	(NA)	(NA)
$70,000 to $99,999	705	56 307	(NA)	(NA)
$100,000 and over	1 299	248 883	(NA)	(NA)

Table 20. Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
1974				
Any poultry	2 420	(X)	594	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	2 153	3 524 436	258	4 004 634
Farms with —				
1 to 1,599	2 023	77 103	107	19 435
1,600 to 3,199	3	5 750	11	25 277
3,200 to 9,999	36	227 180	49	308 528
10,000 and over	91	3 214 403	91	3 651 394
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 065	2 809 049	222	2 399 488
Farms with —				
1 to 99	1 860	45 816	64	1 795
100 to 399	70	9 510	20	4 150
400 to 1,599	20	15 630	13	12 995
1,600 to 3,199	1	2 500	11	24 995
3,200 to 9,999	36	230 650	50	316 823
10,000 to 19,999	35	464 142	26	376 004
20,000 to 49,999	33	858 287	30	777 526
50,000 to 99,999	6	390 848	5	340 200
100,000 and over	4	791 666	3	545 000

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
1974 — Continued				
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	427	8 234 955	310	44 216 095
Turkeys, total	85	619	10	415
Heavy breeds for slaughter	35	276	8	350
Light breeds for slaughter	21	102	1	1
Hens kept for breeding	53	241	2	64
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	160	(X)	32	(X)
1969				
Any poultry	3 781	(X)	820	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	3 448	4 235 039	409	4 375 461
Hens and pullets of laying age	3 261	3 483 540	370	2 617 883
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	397	7 844 886	336	37 800 877
Turkeys, total	244	1 504	11	209
Hens kept for breeding	201	928	6	28
Other turkeys	120	576	6	181

Selected poultry inventories, 1974

	Chickens 3 months old or older										Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	
	Total		Hens and pullets of laying age kept for —				Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Roosters and male chickens					
			Table or market eggs		Hatching eggs									
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Forms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	2 153	3 524 436	2 005	2 465 225	225	343 824	171	674 576	1 036	40 811	65	330 729	209	238 172
1 to 99	1 912	51 495	1 803	41 697	166	2 773	129	2 097	954	4 928	47	1 520	197	177 785
100 to 399	93	12 833	86	8 610	38	2 246	22	979	60	998	12	1 209	11	(D)
400 to 1,599	18	12 775	17	11 675	1	1 000	–	–	1	100	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	3	5 750	1	2 500	2	2 955	–	–	2	295	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	36	227 180	31	198 400	3	18 250	2	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	39	526 252	29	375 042	9	103 100	4	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	38	997 287	29	742 287	3	80 000	6	167 000	3	8 000	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	7	507 198	3	173 348	3	133 500	4	187 000	3	13 350	1	(D)	–	–
100,000 and over	7	1 183 666	6	911 666	–	–	4	272 000	–	–	3	134 000	–	–
None	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	201 877	218	7 996 783

Selected poultry sales, 1974

	Chickens 3 months old or older		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Value of poultry and poultry products	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Forms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	219	3 412 083	196	2 204 538	20	1 175 238	18	802 990	394	28 630
1 to 99	49	1 744	39	1 478	4	238	16	547 990	187	505
100 to 399	22	6 722	22	6 704	–	–	–	–	59	114
400 to 1,599	18	10 343	18	10 263	–	–	–	–	18	108
1,600 to 3,199	3	3 447	3	3 316	–	–	–	–	3	57
3,200 to 9,999	36	261 671	34	244 191	2	(D)	–	–	36	2 075
10,000 to 19,999	39	576 286	37	369 896	3	196 000	1	(D)	39	5 386
20,000 to 49,999	38	801 190	32	627 190	6	167 000	1	(D)	38	7 908
50,000 to 99,999	7	654 980	5	268 800	3	373 000	–	–	7	3 818
100,000 and over	7	1 095 700	6	672 700	2	(D)	–	–	7	8 660
None	39	592 551	26	194 950	13	390 951	292	43 413 105	338	42 475

Selected poultry sales, 1974 — Continued

	Chickens 3 months old or older		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Roosters and male chickens		Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Specified poultry sold	258	4 004 634	222	2 399 488	33	1 566 189	43	38 957	1	8
1 to 1,999	109	22 635	99	22 140	4	238	34	11 877	1	8
2,000 to 3,999	13	37 077	13	36 795	–	–	8	(D)	–	–
4,000 to 7,999	34	197 947	35	202 932	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
8,000 to 15,999	33	363 891	26	283 751	6	63 000	–	–	–	–
16,000 to 29,999	43	940 404	36	769 170	8	189 134	–	–	–	–
30,000 to 59,999	12	495 680	6	249 500	7	301 000	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	5	370 500	4	290 200	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	9	1 576 500	3	545 000	5	838 000	–	–	–	–

Selected poultry sales, 1974 — Continued

	Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Turkeys		Heavy breed turkeys for slaughter		Light breed turkeys for slaughter		Turkey hens kept for breeding	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Specified poultry sold	310	44 216 095	10	415	8	350	1	1	2	64
1 to 1,999	17	887	10	415	8	350	1	1	2	64
2,000 to 3,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
4,000 to 7,999	2	8 592	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
8,000 to 15,999	7	87 100	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
16,000 to 29,999	11	252 520	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
30,000 to 59,999	30	1 338 388	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	66	5 088 465	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	177	37 440 143	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 21. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

		Inventory		Sales		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Any livestock	1974	11 925	(X)	11 423	(X)	174 824
	1969	14 378	(X)	13 227	(X)	138 570
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1974	11 576	(X)	11 231	(X)	82 247
	1969	13 789	(X)	13 074	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	1974	11 280	1 198 968	10 958	498 964	77 133
	1969	13 263	1 122 612	12 539	576 984	69 803
Farms with—						
1 to 9 cattle and calves	1974	953	4 791	2 721	12 574	1 930
10 to 19 cattle and calves	1974	1 120	15 556	2 227	30 994	4 991
20 to 49 cattle and calves	1974	2 798	90 847	3 617	110 274	15 714
50 to 99 cattle and calves	1974	2 781	194 792	1 435	96 202	13 501
100 to 199 cattle and calves	1974	2 275	301 768	566	74 444	10 613
200 to 499 cattle and calves	1974	1 052	300 282	304	88 914	14 154
500 to 999 cattle and calves	1974	212	141 393	64	41 737	7 557
1,000 to 2,499 cattle and calves	1974	81	113 838	22	(D)	(D)
2,500 cattle and calves and over	1974	8	35 701	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	10 336	701 533	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	12 346	675 708	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	8 889	583 384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	10 254	548 584	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	2 948	118 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	4 546	127 124	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	8 115	256 451	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	10 789	258 536	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	7 052	213 051	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk heifers	1974	1 496	43 400	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	8 769	240 984	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	11 458	188 368	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold	1974	(NA)	(NA)	653	31 323	8 660
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	170	9 205	(NA)
Farms with fattened cattle sold:						
1 to 9 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	284	1 095	263
10 to 19 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	155	2 130	489
20 to 49 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	142	4 015	906
50 to 99 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	44	2 840	559
100 to 199 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	10	1 117	339
200 to 499 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	11	3 741	1 383
500 to 999 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	2 156	702
1,000 to 2,499 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	(D)	(D)
2,500 cattle and over	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974		Sales, 1974		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Cows and heifers that had calved	10 336	701 533	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	8 889	583 384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with—					
1 to 9 beef cows	1 310	6 413	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 beef cows	1 333	18 400	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49 beef cows	2 818	89 238	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 beef cows	1 901	127 198	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 beef cows	950	123 486	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499 beef cows	462	125 840	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999 beef cows	90	56 006	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 beef cows and over	25	36 803	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	2 948	118 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with—					
1 or 2 milk cows	1 029	1 515	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 to 4 milk cows	236	795	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 milk cows	158	968	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 milk cows	166	2 172	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49 milk cows	309	10 163	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 milk cows	711	49 916	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 499 milk cows	336	49 000	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500 milk cows and over	3	3 620	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cattle sold	(NA)	(NA)	7 221	211 064	49 373
Farms with—					
1 to 9 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	3 181	13 839	3 137
10 to 19 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	1 784	23 891	5 512
20 to 49 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	1 473	42 127	9 341
50 to 99 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	446	29 483	6 579
100 to 199 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	200	25 887	5 775
200 to 499 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	96	27 994	7 295
500 to 999 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	26	17 596	4 478
1,000 cattle and over	(NA)	(NA)	15	30 247	7 255
Calves sold	(NA)	(NA)	8 926	287 900	27 760
Farms with—					
1 or 2 calves	(NA)	(NA)	824	1 227	132
3 or 4 calves	(NA)	(NA)	671	2 354	238
5 to 9 calves	(NA)	(NA)	1 415	9 556	985
10 to 19 calves	(NA)	(NA)	1 991	26 985	2 695
20 to 49 calves	(NA)	(NA)	2 651	79 175	7 452
50 to 99 calves	(NA)	(NA)	826	53 678	5 111
100 to 499 calves	(NA)	(NA)	517	91 780	9 074
500 calves and over	(NA)	(NA)	31	23 145	2 074

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

Inventory, 1974

	Cattle and calves		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers for milk cow replacement		Beef heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total cows		Milk cows							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms with milk cow inventory	2 948	269 709	2 948	178 824	2 948	118 149	1 379	41 899	1 106	21 359	1 901	27 627
1 to 4 milk cows	1 265	67 345	1 265	40 942	1 265	2 310	203	763	684	11 579	873	14 061
5 to 9 milk cows	158	8 042	158	5 025	158	968	36	251	76	1 264	115	1 502
10 to 19 milk cows	166	6 469	166	4 232	166	2 172	26	284	55	731	100	1 222
20 to 29 milk cows	114	6 029	114	4 391	114	2 614	43	473	27	472	70	693
30 to 49 milk cows	195	12 607	195	8 301	195	7 549	155	2 885	48	508	118	913
50 to 99 milk cows	711	78 453	711	54 117	711	49 916	613	17 670	128	2 627	416	4 039
100 to 199 milk cows	277	57 815	277	39 568	277	34 218	248	12 816	63	2 235	170	3 196
200 to 499 milk cows	59	28 299	59	18 328	59	14 782	53	(D)	24	(D)	37	1 921
500 milk cows and over	3	4 650	3	3 920	3	3 620	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	80
No milk cows	8 332	929 259	7 388	522 709	(X)	(X)	117	1 501	5 946	191 692	6 868	213 357

Sales, 1974

	Cattle and calves			Cattle		Calves		Value of dairy products	
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with milk cow inventory	2 700	87 833	11 945	1 919	32 983	2 207	54 850	1 503	88 438
1 to 4 milk cows	1 029	25 348	3 671	663	9 683	860	15 665	11	3
5 to 9 milk cows	146	3 200	664	89	1 657	126	1 543	7	121
10 to 19 milk cows	166	2 794	552	97	1 271	134	1 523	131	1 267
20 to 29 milk cows	114	2 097	311	74	864	96	1 233	114	1 824
30 to 49 milk cows	195	3 865	562	141	1 450	156	2 415	193	5 703
50 to 99 milk cows	711	23 945	2 858	569	7 656	554	16 289	711	39 054
100 to 199 milk cows	277	17 555	2 245	233	6 661	233	10 894	276	27 169
200 to 499 milk cows	59	6 566	899	50	3 028	45	3 538	57	10 997
500 milk cows and over	3	2 463	182	3	713	3	1 750	3	2 300
No milk cows	8 258	411 131	65 188	5 302	178 081	6 719	233 050	27	675

Inventory, 1974

	Cattle and calves		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		Sales of cattle and calves, 1974		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with cattle and calves inventory	11 280	1 198 96B	10 336	701 533	8 115	256 451	8 769	240 984	10 653	480 469	74 176
1 to 9 cattle and calves	953	4 791	727	2 543	324	737	525	1 511	329	3 804	630
10 to 19 cattle and calves	1 120	15 556	976	8 930	647	3 302	814	3 324	1 120	10 193	1 683
20 to 49 cattle and calves	2 798	90 847	2 537	54 863	1 800	18 197	2 107	17 787	2 798	52 603	7 733
50 to 99 cattle and calves	2 781	194 792	2 626	120 431	2 212	40 377	2 241	33 984	2 780	78 815	11 143
100 to 199 cattle and calves	2 275	301 768	2 173	182 541	1 946	65 803	1 865	53 424	2 273	103 052	13 933
200 to 499 cattle and calves	1 052	300 282	1 015	177 876	916	64 468	926	57 938	1 052	109 249	17 498
500 to 999 cattle and calves	212	141 393	201	80 622	190	29 617	205	31 154	212	62 218	10 069
1,000 to 2,499 cattle and calves	81	113 83B	75	59 795	72	23 198	78	30 845	81	44 648	8 368
2,500 cattle and calves and over	8	35 701	6	13 932	8	10 752	8	11 017	8	15 887	3 118
No cattle and calves	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	305	18 495	2 957
Farms with cows and heifers that had calved inventory	10 336	1 124 425	10 336	701 533	7 594	227 935	7 927	194 957	9 844	427 112	62 108
1 to 4 cows	744	8 311	744	1 817	390	2 282	456	4 212	317	4 782	820
5 to 9 cows	723	10 755	723	4 981	454	3 218	533	2 556	661	6 942	1 074
10 to 19 cows	1 367	34 257	1 367	19 007	907	7 936	1 082	7 314	1 365	17 275	2 699
20 to 29 cows	1 239	51 924	1 239	29 141	828	10 828	949	11 955	1 239	25 224	4 017
30 to 49 cows	1 804	110 641	1 804	68 073	1 353	23 355	1 395	19 213	1 803	46 429	6 644
50 to 99 cows	2 560	270 608	2 560	173 711	2 087	56 940	1 990	39 957	2 560	94 931	12 456
100 to 199 cows	1 245	249 533	1 245	160 118	1 016	50 107	957	39 308	1 245	87 768	12 358
200 to 499 cows	529	227 556	529	143 420	448	43 285	444	40 851	529	86 313	13 305
500 to 999 cows	96	98 997	96	59 509	84	19 488	93	20 000	96	35 125	5 191
1,000 cows and over	29	61 843	29	41 756	27	10 496	28	9 591	29	22 323	3 545
No cows	944	74 543	(X)	(X)	521	28 516	842	46 027	1 114	71 852	15 025
Farms with beef cow inventory	8 889	992 438	8 889	614 186	6 458	192 196	7 078	186 056	8 571	383 888	56 649
1 to 4 beef cows	601	9 497	601	4 506	335	2 742	379	2 249	318	5 317	848
5 to 9 beef cows	709	13 221	709	7 234	449	3 709	516	2 278	677	7 403	1 078
10 to 19 beef cows	1 333	40 649	1 333	23 453	910	9 683	1 059	7 513	1 331	18 564	2 843
20 to 29 beef cows	1 160	55 665	1 160	31 508	803	12 200	905	11 957	1 160	25 238	3 922
30 to 49 beef cows	1 658	108 050	1 658	66 799	1 225	22 214	1 313	19 037	1 657	45 025	6 383
50 to 99 beef cows	1 901	208 015	1 901	131 253	1 493	39 743	1 601	37 019	1 901	74 483	10 120
100 to 199 beef cows	950	200 281	950	126 366	752	36 873	788	37 042	950	73 199	10 432
200 to 499 beef cows	462	207 076	462	129 626	389	37 436	405	40 014	462	81 331	12 691
500 to 999 beef cows	90	94 112	90	56 626	78	17 990	87	19 496	90	33 766	4 993
1,000 beef cows and over	25	55 872	25	36 815	24	9 606	25	9 451	25	19 562	3 339
No beef cows	2 391	206 530	1 447	87 347	1 657	64 255	1 691	54 928	2 387	115 076	20 485

Sales, 1974

	Cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves		
							Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with sales of cattle and calves	10 958	498 964	77 133	7 221	211 064	49 373	653	31 323	8 660	8 926	287 900	27 760
1 to 4 cattle and calves	1 336	3 251	522	630	1 226	301	60	86	26	931	2 025	221
5 to 9 cattle and calves	1 385	9 323	1 408	752	3 374	814	58	217	47	1 114	5 949	594
10 to 19 cattle and calves	2 227	30 994	4 991	1 489	12 707	3 084	151	1 210	293	1 752	18 287	1 907
20 to 49 cattle and calves	3 617	110 274	15 714	2 521	39 143	8 932	231	3 837	876	3 100	71 131	6 781
50 to 99 cattle and calves	1 435	96 202	13 501	1 098	35 240	7 880	84	3 013	663	1 235	60 962	5 621
100 to 199 cattle and calves	566	74 444	10 613	420	28 457	6 065	38	2 181	498	482	45 987	4 548
200 to 499 cattle and calves	304	88 914	14 154	238	36 648	8 965	23	4 344	1 527	255	52 266	5 190
500 cattle and calves and over	88	85 562	16 231	73	54 269	13 332	8	16 435	4 731	57	31 293	2 900
500 to 999 cattle and calves	64	41 737	7 557	51	21 185	5 408	3	1 506	593	45	20 552	2 148
1,000 cattle and calves and over	24	43 825	8 675	22	33 084	7 924	5	14 929	4 138	12	10 741	751

Table 21. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Sales, 1974—Continued											
	Total cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves		
							Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with beef cow inventory	8 571	383 888	56 649	5 515	145 164	32 590	552	13 482	3 466	7 118	238 724	24 059
1 to 4 beef cows	318	5 317	848	221	2 500	593	36	280	62	243	2 817	256
5 to 9 beef cows	677	7 403	1 078	357	3 083	686	44	343	77	548	4 320	392
10 to 19 beef cows	1 331	18 564	2 843	812	8 015	1 830	62	536	126	1 100	10 549	1 013
20 to 29 beef cows	1 160	25 238	3 922	742	11 271	2 522	85	816	182	962	13 967	1 400
30 to 49 beef cows	1 657	45 025	6 383	1 060	15 994	3 621	127	2 123	453	1 367	29 031	2 762
50 to 99 beef cows	1 901	74 483	10 120	1 269	23 554	5 080	108	2 155	503	1 620	50 929	5 039
100 to 199 beef cows	950	73 199	10 432	632	26 787	5 598	58	2 692	652	798	46 412	4 834
200 to 499 beef cows	462	81 331	12 691	338	31 806	7 589	28	2 051	609	387	49 525	5 102
500 to 999 beef cows	90	33 766	4 993	64	12 239	2 766	2	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	(D)
1,000 beef cows and over	25	19 562	3 339	20	9 915	2 304	2	(D)	(D)	16	(D)	(D)
No beef cows	2 387	115 076	20 485	1 706	65 900	16 783	101	17 841	5 194	1 808	49 176	3 702

Table 22. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Inventory, 1974		Sales, 1974			Inventory, 1969		Sales, 1969	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total hogs and pigs	1 476	55 572	878	95 338	4 939	2 683	84 554	1 821	122 628
1 to 24 hogs and pigs	1 218	7 799	510	5 042	255	2 071	15 417	1 017	11 480
25 to 49 hogs and pigs	91	3 032	133	4 435	227	265	8 793	294	9 837
50 to 99 hogs and pigs	63	4 255	76	5 110	310	170	11 528	215	15 024
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	44	6 174	83	10 990	667	91	12 315	159	21 802
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	40	11 961	43	13 775	942	66	18 887	101	28 270
500 hogs and pigs and over	20	22 351	33	55 986	2 537	20	17 614	35	36 215

	1974	1969		1974		1969	
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding—farms	765	1 665	Litters of pigs farrowed between— December 1 of preceding year and November 30	838	12 699	1 838	15 722
number	9 008	14 308					
Other hogs and pigs—farms	1 387	2 463					
number	46 564	70 246					
Feeder pigs sold—farms	157	454	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	673	6 633	1 523	8 128
number	32 951	34 227	June 1 and November 30	595	6 066	1 377	7 594
$1,000	647	(NA)					

	Inventory, 1974						Sales, 1974					
	Hogs and pigs		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Hogs and pigs			Feeder pigs sold		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with hog and pig inventory	1 476	55 572	765	9 008	1 387	46 564	789	88 351	4 505	146	32 650	639
1 to 9 hogs and pigs	908	3 318	309	634	833	2 684	221	3 472	171	48	853	18
10 to 24 hogs and pigs	310	4 481	234	835	301	3 646	310	6 246	316	39	1 182	32
25 to 99 hogs and pigs	154	7 287	133	1 262	150	6 025	154	9 988	539	37	2 145	45
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	44	6 174	38	831	43	5 343	44	8 768	440	14	1 329	29
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	40	11 961	34	1 483	40	10 478	40	14 165	1 053	3	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 hogs and pigs	15	9 312	12	1 232	15	8 080	15	12 498	832	4	1 995	80
1,000 hogs and pigs and over	5	13 039	5	2 731	5	10 308	5	33 214	1 154	1	(D)	(D)
No hogs and pigs	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	89	6 987	434	11	301	8
Farms with hogs and pigs sold	789	53 306	590	8 693	744	44 613	878	95 338	4 939	157	32 951	647
1 to 9 hogs and pigs	227	2 141	140	347	215	1 794	258	1 216	63	26	136	3
10 to 49 hogs and pigs	353	6 613	266	1 063	332	5 550	385	8 261	420	75	1 354	28
50 to 99 hogs and pigs	70	4 156	62	632	65	3 524	76	5 110	310	21	940	25
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	70	6 631	63	1 010	65	5 621	83	10 990	667	21	1 856	48
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	42	9 922	35	1 354	41	8 568	43	13 775	942	8	1 790	35
500 to 999 hogs and pigs	17	8 790	16	1 235	17	7 555	22	14 378	857	5	(D)	(D)
1,000 hogs and pigs and over	10	15 053	8	3 052	9	12 001	11	41 608	1 680	1	(D)	(D)
No hogs and pigs	687	2 266	175	315	643	1 951	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Farms by litters farrowed	805	47 637	762	8 994	716	38 643	642	81 157	4 043	157	32 951	647
1 litter	238	1 526	218	388	200	1 138	114	931	47	21	140	3
2 to 4 litters	297	3 585	281	807	263	2 778	254	4 725	235	60	881	17
5 to 9 litters	107	4 489	103	691	98	3 798	110	5 872	362	28	891	22
10 to 19 litters	57	2 992	54	565	56	2 427	57	4 415	233	12	894	17
20 to 49 litters	58	7 068	58	1 239	52	5 829	59	9 799	609	24	2 120	54
50 to 99 litters	33	10 294	33	1 589	33	8 705	33	14 294	958	7	1 550	36
100 to 199 litters	11	6 133	11	1 097	10	5 036	11	8 621	502	4	(D)	(D)
200 litters and over	4	11 550	4	2 618	4	8 932	4	32 500	1 098	1	(D)	(D)
No litters	671	7 935	3	14	671	7 921	236	14 181	896	–	–	–

	Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974					
	Total		December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974		June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms by litters farrowed	838	12 699	673	6 633	595	6 066
1 litter	249	249	135	135	114	114
2 to 4 litters	315	828	269	471	237	357
5 to 9 litters	110	695	105	408	88	287
10 to 19 litters	57	738	57	400	52	338
20 to 49 litters	59	1 585	59	848	57	737
50 to 99 litters	33	2 280	33	1 205	32	1 075
100 to 199 litters	11	1 409	11	721	11	688
200 litters and over	4	4 915	4	2 445	4	2 470

Table 23. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Inventory of—		
Sheep and lambs—farms	338	585
number	8 612	15 902
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	275	440
number	2 292	4 188
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	313	526
number	5 166	10 043
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	284	508
number	1 154	1 671

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	225	386
number	5 787	6 796
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	178	(NA)
number	5 323	(NA)
pounds of wool	28 539	(NA)
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	248	(NA)
$1,000	175	(NA)

	Inventory, 1974								Sales of sheep and lambs, 1974		Sheep and lambs shorn, 1974			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool, 1974	
	Total		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and wethers 1 year old or older								
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with sheep and lambs inventory	338	8 612	275	2 292	313	5 166	284	1 154	220	5 775	178	5 323	28 539	243	175
1 to 24 sheep and lambs	267	2 533	209	768	242	1 450	215	315	149	1 364	108	1 042	5 604	172	35
25 to 99 sheep and lambs	59	2 725	54	776	59	1 668	57	281	59	2 595	58	2 045	11 227	59	72
100 to 299 sheep and lambs	8	989	8	257	8	599	8	133	8	273	8	662	3 664	8	15
300 to 999 sheep and lambs	4	2 365	4	491	4	1 449	4	425	4	1 543	4	1 574	8 044	4	53
1,000 to 2,499 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 sheep and lambs and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No sheep or lambs	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	12	–	–	–	5	(Z)
Farms with ewes 1 year old or older inventory	313	8 532	257	2 225	313	5 166	275	1 141	208	5 737	174	5 313	28 452	230	172
1 to 24 ewes	270	3 372	218	982	270	1 964	233	426	165	1 910	131	1 761	8 905	187	50
25 to 99 ewes	39	2 795	35	752	39	1 753	38	290	39	2 284	39	1 978	11 503	39	69
100 to 199 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499 ewes	4	2 365	4	491	4	1 449	4	425	4	1 543	4	1 574	8 044	4	53
500 to 999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 2,499 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 ewes and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No ewes	25	80	18	67	(X)	(X)	9	13	17	50	4	10	87	18	3

Table 24. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory				Sales				
	1974		1969		1974			1969	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number
Horses and ponies	3 143	14 764	5 320	26 031	480	3 507	1 554	652	2 998
Horses	3 084	13 908	5 105	22 890	471	3 401	1 543	596	2 760
Ponies	382	856	1 003	3 141	22	106	11	82	238
Mules, burros, and donkeys	143	253	618	1 082	13	36	5	45	80
Mink and their pelts	2	11	1	10	1	6	(Z)	1	30
Colonies of bees	72	22 960	116	20 276	5	16 321	125	(NA)	(NA)
Honey sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	49	1 015 089	532	64	1 556 859
Goats	46	743	178	2 466	20	344	5	44	895
Angora goats	–	–	13	143	–	–	–	2	2
Mohair sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Milk goats	2	17	19	141	2	33	1	6	77
Goats' milk sold (gallons)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)	4	(NA)	(NA)
Other goats	44	726	154	2 182	18	311	4	38	816
Rabbits and their pelts	9	436	58	1 183	2	(D)	4	11	8 123
Chinchillas and their pelts	–	–	5	140	–	–	–	5	280
Foxes and their pelts	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Poultry hatched	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6	41 261 381	4 704	(NA)	(NA)
Other livestock and livestock products	288	(X)	152	(X)	56	(X)	514	30	(X)

	Fish sales, 1974										Acres under water for fish production	
	Total		Any			Only pounds			Only number			
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Pounds	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Acres
Catfish	32	280	26	461 273	6	57 315	26	461 273	240	6	57 315	40	28	776
Trout	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other food-type fish	10	47	9	174 982	1	800	9	174 982	46	1	800	1	10	973
Tropical fish	2	4	–	–	2	600	–	–	–	2	600	4	2	20
Other fish	7	390	5	145 100	2	(D)	5	145 100	187	2	(D)	(D)	7	257

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974			1969			1964		
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Quantity
Field corn for all purposes:									
For grain or seed (bushels)	1 847	30 796	1 612 828	3 132	77 973	3 215 291	6 665	107 349	3 762 817
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	162	8 301	104 816	205	11 429	121 047	240	8 349	84 220
Cut for dry fodder or hogged or grazed	68	1 081	(X)	152	2 751	(X)	(NA)	10 403	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup:									
For grain or seed (bushels)	178	16 965	629 983	294	40 696	1 290 806	46	1 281	35 738
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	170	9 173	93 438	104	5 399	57 455	154	6 583	72 272
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry)	40	852	1 542	56	1 229	2 483	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogged or grazed	25	874	(X)	44	1 473	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Wheat for grain (bushels)	159	15 007	370 937	289	23 481	555 536	763	61 534	1 542 744
Oats for grain (bushels)	121	5 512	238 565	347	15 397	696 844	824	35 578	1 453 926
Barley for grain (bushels)	1	40	1 400	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rye for grain (bushels)	32	1 311	29 213	10	826	11 602	–	–	–
All hay (tons, dry)	5 907	267 707	556 316	5 988	282 500	505 887	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating (tons, dry)	309	10 804	23 359	290	11 893	22 023	293	14 687	26 562
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay (tons, dry)	819	38 762	70 101	1 219	59 279	104 580	1 375	65 854	107 566
Small grain hay (tons, dry)	577	20 262	34 963	852	35 998	55 522	807	20 958	32 548
Lespedeza for hay (tons, dry)	63	2 386	3 919	179	4 641	8 046	746	20 001	36 775
Wild hay (tons, dry)	1 325	49 154	79 146	1 606	71 162	105 087	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other hay, including Coastal Bermuda grass (tons, dry)	3 375	138 364	329 124	2 415	91 725	196 035	4 994	219 752	372 340
Grass silage (tons, green)	102	4 199	25 100	79	4 131	20 674	246	11 002	50 582
Hay crops cut and fed green (tons, green)	118	3 776	21 998	92	3 671	23 109	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Field seeds	134	8 273	(X)	138	11 052	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Red clover seed (pounds)	–	–	–	2	21	2 480	1	5	750
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	1	4	240	1	19	5 400	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6 748	1 599 175	42 668 498	6 530	1 461 875	29 850 258	4 178	432 117	8 703 353
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	78	1 903	3 568 464	65	164	88 666	118	94	44 158
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	369	2 007	188 010	518	2 657	236 041	921	1 549	95 824
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	783	19 806	3 665 529	1 290	28 529	4 736 082	2 226	20 895	3 141 336
Tobacco (pounds)	25	201	145 906	19	138	90 779	27	230	181 900
Cotton (bales)	3 965	579 572	515 229	6 196	423 641	490 876	8 488	447 677	520 831
Vegetables	615	6 566	(X)	760	9 501	(X)	849	9 480	(X)
Tomatoes	182	403	(X)	259	525	(X)	182	508	(X)
Sweet corn	116	536	(X)	138	551	(X)	110	588	(X)
Cucumbers and pickles	80	184	(X)	149	257	(X)	133	297	(X)
Watermelons	140	1 428	(X)	179	2 270	(X)	140	1 480	(X)
Snap beans, bush and pole	77	119	(X)	154	587	(X)	127	499	(X)
Green peas	92	367	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)
Strawberries (pounds)	91	313	1 584 381	131	552	2 631 068	310	1 157	4 775 688
Land in orchards	461	26 404	(X)	837	34 840	(X)	1 310	42 794	(X)

			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Field corn for all purposes:								
Acres harvested, 1974	2 033	40 178	62	1 303	1 511	32 248	4 614	1 850
1 to 14 acres	1 393	8 563	41	202	1 002	6 203	1 068	247
15 to 24 acres	269	4 937	5	69	206	3 710	538	179
25 to 49 acres	177	5 805	5	161	137	4 391	572	249
50 to 99 acres	108	7 340	8	471	92	6 142	960	256
100 to 249 acres	77	10 444	2	250	66	9 002	1 227	717
250 to 499 acres	9	3 089	1	150	8	2 800	250	202
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

				Irrigated land	
	Farms	Acres	Bushels	Farms	Acres
Field corn for grain or seed:					
Acres harvested, 1974	1 847	30 796	1 612 828	53	758
1 to 14 acres	1 336	8 192	350 530	40	197
15 to 24 acres	246	4 519	191 969	5	90
25 to 49 acres	143	4 643	236 637	6	221
50 to 99 acres	65	4 238	258 615	–	–
100 to 249 acres	50	6 715	400 027	1	100
250 to 499 acres	7	2 489	175 050	1	150
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–

			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup:								
Acres harvested, 1974	384	27 864	12	407	252	20 289	2 536	886
1 to 14 acres	78	513	3	9	48	350	53	9
15 to 24 acres	64	1 192	1	17	35	644	114	11
25 to 49 acres	84	2 873	4	120	54	1 865	365	62
50 to 99 acres	70	4 401	3	161	42	2 529	398	117
100 to 249 acres	67	8 718	1	100	59	7 684	798	468
250 to 499 acres	14	4 177	–	–	9	2 527	290	129
500 acres and over	7	5 990	–	–	5	4 690	520	90

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Acres	Bushels	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres
Sorghums (milo) for grain or seed:					
Acres harvested, 1974	178	16 965	629 983	8	316
1 to 14 acres	32	171	6 404	1	4
15 to 24 acres	24	419	14 801	1	17
25 to 49 acres	32	1 093	46 969	4	120
50 to 99 acres	36	2 107	80 158	1	75
100 to 249 acres	40	5 300	201 711	1	100
250 to 499 acres	8	2 385	72 470	–	–
500 acres and over	6	5 490	207 470	–	–

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Wheat for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	159	15 007	370 937	1	20	115	13 388	874	529
1 to 14 acres	22	157	2 548	–	–	10	93	6	3
15 to 24 acres	15	294	8 090	–	–	9	175	18	1
25 to 49 acres	40	1 344	30 475	–	–	28	934	75	5
50 to 99 acres	30	1 989	49 729	–	–	19	1 263	98	23
100 to 249 acres	43	6 100	143 347	–	–	40	5 800	473	152
250 to 499 acres	6	1 770	41 237	1	20	6	1 770	123	27
500 acres and over	3	3 353	95 511	–	–	3	3 353	80	317
Soybeans for beans (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	6 748	1 599 175	42 668 498	159	18 319	1 917	478 834	63 239	5 548
1 to 14 acres	437	4 090	120 632	8	98	50	471	68	6
15 to 24 acres	593	11 250	300 628	15	293	83	1 597	209	14
25 to 49 acres	888	30 434	792 482	33	1 193	162	5 590	737	67
50 to 99 acres	1 138	78 304	2 029 977	22	1 327	260	17 376	2 191	124
100 to 249 acres	1 716	275 293	6 937 287	53	7 401	616	94 252	11 026	840
250 to 499 acres	1 099	377 507	9 721 461	16	4 280	440	141 003	16 179	1 831
500 acres and over	877	822 297	22 766 031	12	3 727	306	218 545	32 829	2 666
Oats for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	121	5 512	238 565	6	485	71	3 765	205	178
1 to 14 acres	45	366	13 029	–	–	24	(D)	27	3
15 to 24 acres	32	576	18 944	–	–	17	309	33	3
25 to 49 acres	14	434	16 014	1	40	12	381	28	13
50 to 99 acres	15	939	30 290	3	241	8	534	37	9
100 to 249 acres	11	1 201	50 700	2	204	8	831	79	11
250 to 499 acres	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres and over	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	–	140
Barley for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	1	40	1 400	–	–	–	–	–	–
1 to 14 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
15 to 24 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49 acres	1	40	1 400	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 249 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
All hay (tons, dry):									
Acres harvested, 1974	5 907	267 707	556 316	78	1 970	2 540	125 578	26 757	1 394
1 to 14 acres	1 607	13 012	28 263	36	211	522	4 433	1 254	14
15 to 24 acres	1 178	21 853	44 835	9	163	476	8 663	2 291	62
25 to 49 acres	1 462	49 581	106 527	16	423	685	22 492	5 483	192
50 to 99 acres	976	62 265	136 680	11	658	495	30 441	6 780	249
100 to 249 acres	578	78 902	149 188	6	515	297	36 593	7 148	663
250 to 499 acres	87	27 536	51 767	–	–	53	13 788	1 752	184
500 acres and over	19	14 558	39 056	–	–	12	9 168	2 049	30

	Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating			Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay			Small grain hay		
	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry
Acres harvested, 1974	309	10 804	23 359	819	38 762	70 101	577	20 262	34 963
1 to 14 acres	127	898	2 024	213	1 724	3 492	160	1 364	2 388
15 to 24 acres	48	872	1 946	150	2 775	5 468	135	2 488	4 743
25 to 49 acres	63	2 035	4 323	214	7 370	15 578	139	4 751	8 565
50 to 99 acres	38	2 341	5 292	132	8 404	15 243	105	6 281	11 138
100 to 249 acres	30	3 808	7 944	94	12 179	17 695	34	4 213	6 674
250 to 499 acres	3	850	1 830	13	3 550	6 380	4	1 165	1 455
500 acres and over	–	–	–	3	2 760	6 245	–	–	–

	Lespedeza for hay			Wild hay			Other hay, includes Coastal Bermuda grass		
	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry
Acres harvested, 1974	63	2 386	3 919	1 325	49 154	79 146	3 375	138 364	329 124
1 to 14 acres	20	177	404	440	3 470	5 236	1 001	8 036	19 922
15 to 24 acres	19	349	539	286	5 344	8 479	730	13 510	31 525
25 to 49 acres	8	270	515	303	10 088	16 770	844	28 436	67 515
50 to 99 acres	10	560	914	176	10 717	18 770	480	30 787	76 159
100 to 249 acres	5	730	947	103	13 387	20 836	274	37 729	81 185
250 to 499 acres	1	300	600	14	4 648	7 155	36	11 398	24 943
500 acres and over	–	–	–	3	1 500	1 900	10	8 468	27 875

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, dry	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, liquid
Irish potatoes (hundredweight):									
Acres harvested, 1974	369	2 007	188 010	19	66	200	1 880	764	82
0.1 to 0.9 acres	195	60	4 385	13	6	70	22	13	1
1.0 to 4.9 acres	90	159	11 773	4	4	46	86	30	–
5.0 to 14.9 acres	50	444	44 808	1	6	50	444	184	(Z)
15.0 to 24.9 acres	18	339	26 289	–	–	18	323	114	1
25.0 to 49.9 acres	5	150	15 575	–	–	5	150	54	–
50.0 to 99.9 acres	7	404	39 609	1	50	7	404	132	25
100.0 to 249.9 acres	4	450	45 571	–	–	4	450	237	55
250.0 to 499.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sweetpotatoes (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	783	19 806	3 665 529	29	683	622	19 537	4 732	228
0.1 to 0.9 acres	117	33	3 884	5	1	27	8	5	(Z)
1.0 to 2.9 acres	86	136	20 434	2	2	35	53	18	(Z)
3.0 to 4.9 acres	60	215	30 931	1	3	40	155	40	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres	99	659	114 239	3	19	99	659	178	5
10.0 to 24.9 acres	209	3 150	541 632	7	86	209	3 121	757	26
25.0 to 49.9 acres	121	3 859	659 346	7	207	121	3 831	913	61
50.0 acres and over	91	11 755	2 295 063	4	365	91	11 710	2 822	135
Tobacco (pounds):									
Acres harvested, 1974	25	201	145 906	–	–	25	201	52	–
0.1 to 0.4 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
0.5 to 0.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.0 to 1.4 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.5 to 1.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2.0 to 2.9 acres	1	3	1 665	–	–	1	3	(Z)	–
3.0 to 4.9 acres	6	19	13 600	–	–	6	19	5	–
5.0 to 9.9 acres	10	57	29 972	–	–	10	57	20	–
10.0 to 19.9 acres	7	102	(D)	–	–	7	102	22	–
20.0 acres and over	1	20	(D)	–	–	1	20	4	–
Cotton (bales):									
Acres harvested, 1974	3 965	579 572	515 229	144	13 287	3 759	571 640	48 461	44 677
1 to 14 acres	499	4 633	4 190	6	50	307	2 814	373	137
15 to 24 acres	427	8 125	7 099	3	50	413	7 836	827	489
25 to 49 acres	739	25 447	20 824	13	285	739	25 280	2 510	1 859
50 to 99 acres	770	52 585	44 783	26	1 193	770	51 784	4 935	3 697
100 to 249 acres	841	131 117	112 488	46	3 308	841	129 852	10 508	10 606
250 to 499 acres	431	146 582	128 846	29	3 677	431	144 885	11 718	11 990
500 acres and over	258	211 083	196 999	21	4 724	258	209 189	17 590	15 898

	Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Total: Trees	Trees not of bearing age: Farms	Trees not of bearing age: Trees	Trees of bearing age: Farms	Trees of bearing age: Trees	Harvested: Farms	Harvested: Quantity
Apples (pounds):									
Acres, 1974	7	10	704	5	207	3	497	1	(D)
0.1 to 0.9 acres	4	1	29	3	12	1	17	–	–
1.0 to 4.9 acres	2	3	195	1	115	1	80	–	–
5.0 to 14.9 acres	1	6	480	1	80	1	400	1	(D)
15.0 to 24.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peaches (pounds):									
Acres, 1974	64	1 455	129 877	40	29 264	57	100 613	48	6 610 966
0.1 to 0.9 acres	14	5	251	6	55	10	196	8	1 512
1.0 to 4.9 acres	11	23	1 456	2	134	10	1 322	4	14 730
5.0 to 14.9 acres	22	178	16 718	18	3 622	22	13 096	21	538 943
15.0 to 24.9 acres	8	174	15 370	7	8 171	7	7 199	7	401 469
25.0 to 49.9 acres	4	105	9 050	3	4 250	3	4 800	3	207 512
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 acres and over	5	972	87 032	4	13 032	5	74 000	5	5 446 800
Grapes (tons):									
Acres, 1974	14	11	5 295	6	1 950	10	3 345	5	1
0.1 to 0.9 acres	10	3	1 430	4	685	7	745	5	1
1.0 to 4.9 acres	4	8	3 865	2	1 265	3	2 600	–	–
5.0 to 14.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
15.0 to 24.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oranges (boxes):									
Acres, 1974	34	290	24 301	11	4 037	30	20 264	29	45 421
0.1 to 0.9 acres	1	1	60	1	20	1	40	1	50
1.0 to 4.9 acres	13	30	2 779	6	867	10	1 912	10	3 373
5.0 to 14.9 acres	14	112	11 156	3	1 200	14	9 956	13	25 751
15.0 to 24.9 acres	3	51	4 556	–	–	3	4 556	3	7 390
25.0 to 49.9 acres	3	97	5 750	1	1 950	2	3 800	2	8 857
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

	Farms	Acres	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, dry	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, liquid
Land in vegetables:								
Acres harvested, 1974	615	6 566	143	999	448	5 269	1 407	75
0.1 to 0.9 acres	80	34	20	8	42	19	13	(Z)
1.0 to 4.9 acres	238	540	66	121	174	394	157	8
5.0 to 14.9 acres	192	1 576	43	352	150	1 158	388	9
15.0 to 24.9 acres	49	921	6	93	34	584	141	3
25.0 to 49.9 acres	33	1 063	4	66	26	814	212	12
50.0 to 99.9 acres	13	783	3	(D)	12	652	236	7
100.0 to 249.9 acres	9	(D)	–	–	9	(D)	200	19
250.0 to 499.9 acres	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	60	18
500.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Land in orchards:								
Acres in orchards, 1974	461	26 404	16	490	143	13 808	2 061	2
0.1 to 0.9 acres	16	8	1	1	5	3	1	–
1.0 to 4.9 acres	99	254	4	11	38	102	30	1
5.0 to 14.9 acres	140	1 203	3	29	35	323	111	–
15.0 to 24.9 acres	70	1 330	2	16	18	315	67	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	45	1 387	2	33	16	430	67	–
50.0 to 99.9 acres	36	2 344	2	(D)	8	460	197	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	37	5 275	2	(D)	12	1 392	210	–
250.0 to 499.9 acres	9	2 844	–	–	6	1 434	210	–
500.0 acres and over	9	11 760	–	–	5	9 350	1 170	–

Table 26. Value of Agricultural Products Sold by Commodity Group and Total Value of Sales: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total		Under $2,499 (see text)		$2,500 to $4,999		$5,000 to $7,499	
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	18 542	1 173 913	724	959	3 359	12 094	1 749	10 703
Grains	8 592	486 534	17	17	814	2 095	590	2 510
Tobacco	25	174	2	3	11	33	3	15
Cotton and cottonseed	3 953	105 674	40	62	505	1 259	341	1 362
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	1 801	7 673	44	31	435	562	214	487
Other field crops	1 886	307 047	14	19	203	475	122	484
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	557	4 537	–	–	175	392	83	302
Fruits, nuts, and berries	258	2 662	14	10	63	145	37	134
Poultry and poultry products	732	71 105	8	1	76	55	47	24
Dairy products	1 530	89 114	–	–	7	8	29	152
Cattle and calves	10 958	77 133	586	741	2 329	6 127	1 176	4 501
Sheep, lambs, and wool	248	175	20	6	42	17	23	12
Hogs and pigs	878	4 939	26	10	226	263	115	208
Other livestock and livestock products	654	3 463	38	24	169	279	80	198
Nursery and greenhouse products	221	7 709	12	20	50	126	18	85
Forest products	917	5 973	32	15	215	256	104	228

	$7,500 to $9,999		$10,000 to $14,999		$15,000 to $19,999		$20,000 to $29,999	
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	1 183	10 191	1 558	19 003	1 043	17 985	1 387	33 764
Grains	467	2 852	727	6 355	571	7 305	828	15 324
Tobacco	2	9	–	–	–	–	3	24
Cotton and cottonseed	251	1 285	385	2 641	288	2 715	404	5 095
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	145	453	190	605	117	508	126	644
Other field crops	102	533	154	1 353	87	1 093	110	1 831
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	63	297	84	513	30	218	49	488
Fruits, nuts, and berries	21	113	37	317	14	107	17	305
Poultry and poultry products	31	65	44	118	29	189	35	484
Dairy products	33	256	77	728	92	1 327	122	2 541
Cattle and calves	757	3 492	933	5 119	603	3 642	748	5 200
Sheep, lambs, and wool	13	3	18	9	8	10	17	74
Hogs and pigs	75	135	87	296	54	228	68	432
Other livestock and livestock products	65	197	57	258	34	146	34	235
Nursery and greenhouse products	22	168	22	187	9	85	23	487
Forest products	101	332	90	504	57	412	66	602

	$30,000 to $39,999		$40,000 to $59,999		$60,000 to $79,999		$80,000 to $99,999		$100,000 and over	
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	1 020	35 302	1 625	80 262	1 113	76 975	746	66 659	3 035	810 017
Grains	612	16 193	950	36 812	662	37 095	454	32 483	1 900	327 493
Tobacco	–	–	4	90	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed	293	5 445	377	9 260	251	7 864	181	7 353	637	61 333
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	96	513	89	480	95	433	56	327	194	2 629
Other field crops	108	3 155	140	5 921	113	6 473	77	6 392	656	279 317
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	13	92	22	612	11	216	4	45	23	1 363
Fruits, nuts, and berries	11	187	12	158	2	79	4	9	26	1 099
Poultry and poultry products	23	574	86	2 813	56	3 359	43	3 202	254	60 221
Dairy products	138	4 291	348	15 489	265	16 326	147	11 678	272	36 317
Cattle and calves	568	3 493	920	6 700	611	4 185	393	3 889	1 334	30 043
Sheep, lambs, and wool	7	1	25	10	24	8	13	5	38	20
Hogs and pigs	40	206	55	580	28	160	27	357	77	2 063
Other livestock and livestock products	27	258	53	375	21	155	14	99	62	1 241
Nursery and greenhouse products	10	213	13	527	10	351	7	593	25	4 867
Forest products	40	680	54	437	29	270	17	225	112	2 012

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Broilers	Started pullets	Chicken eggs	Turkeys	Milk and other dairy products	Fattened cattle	Feeder cattle and/or stocker cattle	Breeding cattle	Slaughter hogs	Feeder pigs	Breeding hogs
Any contracts ---- farms	245	25	76	-	312	-	7	2	3	-	-
Production contract or agreement ---- farms	98	16	37	-	63	-	-	1	-	-	-
Co-op ---- farms	1	-	5	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feed company ---- farms	51	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ---- farms	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Processor ---- farms	18	5	11	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ---- farms	5	5	6	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	21	4	4	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marketing contract or agreement ---- farms	8	-	3	-	177	-	1	-	2	-	-
Co-op ---- farms	-	-	1	-	128	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feed company ---- farms	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ---- farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Processor ---- farms	1	-	1	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ---- farms	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	-	-	-	-	18	-	1	-	-	-	-
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ---- farms	77	4	11	-	6	-	2	-	1	-	-
Co-op ---- farms	3	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feed company ---- farms	31	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ---- farms	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Processor ---- farms	32	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ---- farms	3	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	6	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other contracts ---- farms	10	2	4	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	-
Co-op ---- farms	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feed company ---- farms	3	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ---- farms	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Processor ---- farms	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ---- farms	3	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unspecified contracts ---- farms	52	3	21	-	60	-	3	1	-	-	-
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ---- farms	203	24	58	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ---- farms	202	24	62	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Seed ---- farms	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fertilizer ---- farms	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chemicals ---- farms	21	5	21	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Labor ---- farms	31	5	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ---- farms	3	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvesting ---- farms	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation ---- farms	135	17	31	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	-
Processing/packing ---- farms	110	3	25	-	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
Credit ---- farms	7	1	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-
Technical assistance ---- farms	103	18	28	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ---- farms	10	3	3	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
None ---- farms	2	-	-	-	89	-	1	-	1	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	34	1	13	-	123	-	4	2	2	-	-
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ---- farms	218	17	58	-	222	-	3	1	3	-	-
$1,000	3 232	338	2 117	-	12 805	-	21	2	27	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	27	8	18	-	90	-	4	1	-	-	-
$1 to $2,499 ---- farms	15	2	3	-	8	-	-	1	-	-	-
$1,000	27	4	5	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
$2,500 to $4,999 ---- farms	15	2	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	65	8	15	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
$5,000 to $7,499 ---- farms	31	2	5	-	3	-	1	-	2	-	-
$1,000	202	14	32	-	20	-	6	-	12	-	-
$7,500 to $9,999 ---- farms	32	2	4	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-
$1,000	273	15	32	-	34	-	15	-	-	-	-
$10,000 to $14,999 ---- farms	46	2	11	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	551	(D)	134	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-
$15,000 to $19,999 ---- farms	24	1	10	-	9	-	-	-	1	-	-
$1,000	420	19	170	-	155	-	-	-	15	-	-
$20,000 to $29,999 ---- farms	36	2	12	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	832	(D)	265	-	579	-	-	-	-	-	-
$30,000 and over ---- farms	19	4	9	-	170	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	862	205	1 464	-	11 977	-	-	-	-	-	-
Contract specified:											
Exact price ---- farms	26	8	28	-	20	-	1	1	-	-	-
Method of determining price ---- farms	112	7	22	-	116	-	-	-	3	-	-
Neither price nor method ---- farms	17	3	4	-	86	-	2	-	-	-	-
Not reported ---- farms	90	7	22	-	90	-	4	1	-	-	-
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ---- farms	245	25	76	-	312	-	7	2	3	-	-
$1,000	34 244	4 061	16 224	-	21 610	-	529	(D)	191	-	-

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Other livestock and/or poultry	Field and seed corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Cotton	Vegetables for fresh market	Vegetables for processing	Fruit, citrus, nuts for fresh market	Fruit, including citrus for processing	Sugar beets	Other crops
Any contracts ---------- farms	2	18	1 233	3	342	5	7	6	–	–	308
Production contract or agreement ---------- farms	1	5	218	1	68	1	3	–	–	–	62
Co-op ---------- farms	1	–	51	–	4	1	–	–	–	–	15
Feed company ---------- farms	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---------- farms	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---------- farms	–	1	30	–	7	–	2	–	–	–	27
Other ---------- farms	–	2	96	1	45	–	–	–	–	–	12
Not reported ---------- farms	–	2	35	–	10	–	1	–	–	–	8
Marketing contract or agreement ---------- farms	–	8	756	1	172	3	1	5	–	–	124
Co-op ---------- farms	–	2	164	–	12	3	–	5	–	–	63
Feed company ---------- farms	–	–	24	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---------- farms	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
Processor ---------- farms	–	–	106	–	9	–	–	–	–	–	36
Other ---------- farms	–	5	338	–	127	–	–	–	–	–	14
Not reported ---------- farms	–	1	120	1	24	–	1	–	–	–	8
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ---------- farms	–	2	27	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	9
Co-op ---------- farms	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
Feed company ---------- farms	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---------- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---------- farms	–	–	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
Other ---------- farms	–	1	9	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	2
Not reported ---------- farms	–	1	7	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3
Other contracts ---------- farms	1	3	59	–	20	–	1	–	–	–	37
Co-op ---------- farms	–	–	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	9
Feed company ---------- farms	–	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---------- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
Processor ---------- farms	–	–	6	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	9
Other ---------- farms	1	2	37	–	18	–	–	–	–	–	14
Not reported ---------- farms	–	–	7	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	4
Unspecified contracts ---------- farms	–	–	173	1	78	1	2	1	–	–	76
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ---------- farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ---------- farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seed ---------- farms	–	6	35	1	4	–	1	–	–	–	9
Fertilizer ---------- farms	–	–	9	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	13
Chemicals ---------- farms	–	–	11	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	6
Labor ---------- farms	–	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	11
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ---------- farms	–	1	12	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	16
Harvesting ---------- farms	–	–	21	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	12
Transportation ---------- farms	2	1	33	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	25
Processing/packing ---------- farms	1	–	37	–	1	2	1	1	–	–	49
Credit ---------- farms	–	1	9	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	4
Technical assistance ---------- farms	1	2	8	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3
Other ---------- farms	–	2	37	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	9
None ---------- farms	–	6	684	1	197	2	3	2	–	–	138
Not reported ---------- farms	–	1	403	1	130	1	2	2	–	–	92
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ---------- farms	1	13	1 015	3	255	4	5	5	–	–	190
$1,000	16	328	36 600	37	14 350	10	39	126	–	–	31 804
Not reported ---------- farms	1	5	218	–	87	1	2	1	–	–	118
$1 to $2,499 ---------- farms	–	–	124	–	9	2	–	–	–	–	16
$1,000	–	–	54	–	6	1	–	–	–	–	15
$2,500 to $4,999 ---------- farms	–	–	61	–	8	1	2	1	–	–	8
$1,000	–	–	230	–	28	4	7	4	–	–	33
$5,000 to $7,499 ---------- farms	–	1	52	1	18	1	1	–	–	–	5
$1,000	–	7	324	(D)	110	6	5	–	–	–	30
$7,500 to $9,999 ---------- farms	–	1	79	–	9	–	–	–	–	–	5
$1,000	–	(D)	647	–	81	–	–	–	–	–	40
$10,000 to $14,999 ---------- farms	–	3	103	–	21	–	2	2	–	–	13
$1,000	–	39	1 271	–	257	–	27	(D)	–	–	158
$15,000 to $19,999 ---------- farms	1	2	93	2	18	–	–	–	–	–	9
$1,000	16	(D)	1 559	(D)	296	–	–	–	–	–	154
$20,000 to $29,999 ---------- farms	–	3	120	–	33	–	–	1	–	–	9
$1,000	–	81	2 859	–	788	–	–	24	–	–	222
$30,000 and over ---------- farms	–	3	383	–	139	–	–	1	–	–	125
$1,000	–	161	29 656	–	12 783	–	–	(D)	–	–	31 151
Contract specified:											
Exact price ---------- farms	1	14	864	1	214	1	2	–	–	–	52
Method of determining price ---- farms	1	1	162	1	62	–	2	1	–	–	110
Neither price nor method ---------- farms	–	2	26	–	3	2	1	3	–	–	54
Not reported ---------- farms	–	1	181	1	63	2	2	2	–	–	92
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ---------- farms	2	18	1 233	3	342	5	7	6	–	–	308
$1,000	(D)	2 003	144 156	572	51 695	28	166	349	–	–	73 432

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms — number	18 542	8 605	6 769	3 168	16 657	1 355	460	70
percent	100.0	46.4	36.5	17.1	89.8	7.3	2.5	0.4
Land in farms — acres	7 974 270	2 693 173	3 970 340	1 310 757	5 973 136	1 066 915	881 693	52 526
Average size of farm — acres	430	313	587	414	359	787	1 917	750
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	3 974 675	1 231 087	2 008 169	735 419	2 954 297	557 817	437 498	25 062
Average per farm — dollars	214 361	143 066	296 671	232 140	177 361	411 673	951 083	358 031
Average per acre — dollars	498	457	506	561	495	523	496	477
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	700	526	49	125	676	18	5	1
$10,000 to $19,999	1 288	932	160	196	1 228	47	12	1
$20,000 to $39,999	2 750	1 808	524	418	2 617	103	24	6
$40,000 to $69,999	3 113	1 759	910	444	2 915	165	22	11
$70,000 to $99,999	2 008	955	751	302	1 879	105	16	8
$100,000 to $149,999	2 272	957	929	386	2 070	166	26	10
$150,000 to $199,999	1 486	457	740	289	1 357	97	22	10
$200,000 to $499,999	3 150	758	1 751	641	2 676	348	113	13
$500,000 and over	1 775	453	955	367	1 239	306	220	10
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned — farms	15 487	8 605	6 769	113	14 102	986	349	50
acres	4 890 558	3 044 082	1 827 474	19 002	3 419 159	621 418	809 288	40 693
Land rented or leased from others — farms	9 978	41	6 769	3 168	8 708	967	262	41
acres	3 775 758	11 760	2 434 093	1 329 905	2 985 198	516 868	258 685	15 007
Land rented or leased to others — farms	2 524	1 645	713	166	2 220	192	100	12
acres	692 046	362 669	291 227	38 150	431 221	71 371	186 280	3 174
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland — farms	17 400	7 765	6 594	3 041	15 617	1 311	405	67
acres	4 997 307	1 374 147	2 641 359	981 801	3 791 402	700 184	480 437	25 284
Harvested cropland — farms	15 889	6 724	6 287	2 878	14 186	1 250	386	67
acres	3 527 544	791 238	1 955 245	781 061	2 613 769	535 087	357 693	20 995
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	6 209	4 026	1 494	689	5 903	251	46	9
50 to 99 acres	2 669	1 170	1 007	492	2 462	169	24	14
100 to 199 acres	2 245	696	1 035	514	1 991	193	42	19
200 to 499 acres	2 749	497	1 563	689	2 348	292	94	15
500 to 999 acres	1 382	211	811	360	1 100	197	78	7
1,000 acres and over	635	124	377	134	382	148	102	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	89	302	118	334	112	62	1
2,000 acres and over	126	35	75	16	48	36	40	2
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only — farms	7 940	4 149	3 016	775	7 308	500	113	19
acres	977 181	423 657	449 601	103 923	846 317	90 479	36 967	3 418
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	443	243	148	52	399	25	17	2
acres	22 452	10 939	8 190	3 323	15 892	3 863	2 650	47
On which all crops failed — farms	639	212	320	107	568	50	20	1
acres	67 152	18 476	41 549	7 127	54 523	5 751	6 858	20
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	837	204	373	260	595	151	84	7
acres	127 525	39 381	61 214	26 930	58 578	30 341	38 112	494
Idle — farms	1 789	611	806	372	1 523	174	87	5
acres	275 453	90 456	125 560	59 437	202 323	34 663	38 157	310
Total woodland — farms	6 021	3 342	2 203	476	5 458	386	162	15
acres	1 202 410	567 708	550 709	83 993	855 394	166 415	176 961	3 640
Woodland pastured — farms	3 553	1 973	1 319	261	3 267	214	63	9
acres	534 266	198 471	290 174	45 621	449 356	50 956	32 428	1 526
Woodland not pastured — farms	3 380	1 871	1 231	278	3 025	232	114	9
acres	668 144	369 237	260 535	38 372	406 038	115 459	144 533	2 114
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	4 248	2 081	1 706	461	3 805	286	144	13
acres	1 285 437	533 583	592 995	158 859	958 125	158 424	150 097	18 791
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	2 599	1 362	1 005	232	2 368	146	79	6
acres	393 156	177 650	177 714	37 792	309 976	40 720	34 986	7 474
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	2 216	994	930	292	1 946	178	84	8
acres	892 281	355 933	415 281	121 067	648 149	117 704	115 111	11 317
Other land (see text) — farms	10 520	5 199	4 115	1 206	9 457	733	290	40
acres	489 116	217 735	185 277	86 104	368 215	41 892	74 198	4 811
Total pastureland — farms	11 384	5 897	4 341	1 146	10 381	740	232	31
acres	2 796 884	1 155 711	1 332 770	308 403	2 253 798	299 859	219 492	23 735
Irrigated land — farms	3 353	965	1 585	803	2 902	319	103	29
acres	694 984	125 396	381 288	188 300	550 850	89 379	48 911	5 844
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	3 310	933	1 574	803	2 860	319	102	29
acres	684 939	121 042	376 623	187 274	542 577	88 275	48 243	5 844
Artificial drainage — farms	2 161	618	1 077	466	1 738	288	117	18
acres drained	1 078 099	215 766	668 539	193 794	674 110	192 821	206 454	4 714
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	3 246	1 841	1 183	222	2 862	268	105	11
number	10 331	5 776	3 924	631	8 873	873	545	40
acres	17 528	8 863	6 831	1 834	11 360	2 658	3 476	33
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	18 542	8 605	6 769	3 168	16 657	1 355	460	70
Full owners	8 605	8 605	–	–	7 986	388	202	29
Part owners	6 769	–	6 769	–	6 018	590	141	20
Tenants	3 168	–	–	3 168	2 653	377	117	21

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued								
All farm operators — Continued								
White[1]	17 032	7 860	6 350	2 822	15 703	1 329	–	–
Full owners	7 860	7 860	–	–	7 483	377	–	–
Part owners	6 350	–	6 350	–	5 767	583	–	–
Tenants	2 822	–	–	2 822	2 453	369	–	–
Black and other races[1]	980	514	258	208	954	26	–	–
Full owners	514	514	–	–	503	11	–	–
Part owners	258	–	258	–	251	7	–	–
Tenants	208	–	–	208	200	8	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family — farms	16 657	7 986	6 018	2 653	16 657	–	–	–
acres	5 973 136	2 003 112	2 982 155	987 869	5 973 136	–	–	–
Partnership — farms	1 355	388	590	377	–	1 355	–	–
acres	1 066 915	322 967	533 615	210 333	–	1 066 915	–	–
Corporation, including family owned — farms	460	202	141	117	–	–	460	–
acres	881 693	332 188	443 715	105 790	–	–	881 693	–
Other — farms	70	29	20	21	–	–	–	70
acres	52 526	34 906	10 855	6 765	–	–	–	52 526
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt — farms	6 427	2 497	3 013	917	5 666	549	186	26
$1,000	349 654	125 876	194 758	29 020	253 300	50 794	42 900	2 660
Debts secured by real estate — farms	4 342	2 058	2 284	–	3 921	307	106	8
$1,000	226 202	97 374	128 829	–	167 595	28 213	28 372	2 023
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	3 983	1 202	1 864	917	3 441	385	136	21
$1,000	123 452	28 502	65 930	29 020	85 705	22 581	14 529	638
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	433	111	76	246	395	38	–	–
25 to 34 years	2 081	606	772	703	1 934	147	–	–
35 to 44 years	3 327	1 208	1 435	684	3 107	220	–	–
45 to 54 years	4 568	2 058	1 858	652	4 209	359	–	–
55 to 64 years	4 898	2 504	1 842	552	4 494	404	–	–
65 years and over	2 705	1 887	625	193	2 518	187	–	–
Average age	50.7	54.3	49.5	43.5	50.7	50.8	–	–
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	10 424	4 703	4 499	1 222	9 554	870	–	–
On another farm	785	330	189	266	658	127	–	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	294	305	409	888	120	–	–
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	832	480	414	1 548	178	–	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	13 308	5 463	5 351	2 494	12 193	1 115	–	–
Other	4 704	2 911	1 257	536	4 464	240	–	–
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —								
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 995	2 416	1 150	429	3 816	179	–	–
Less than value of farm products sold	6 698	2 617	2 920	1 161	6 044	654	–	–
Not reporting or none	7 319	3 341	2 538	1 440	6 797	522	–	–
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	5 961	3 080	2 000	881	5 609	352	–	–
1 to 49 days	711	288	285	138	676	35	–	–
50 to 99 days	425	207	141	77	394	31	–	–
100 to 149 days	543	290	164	89	498	45	–	–
150 to 199 days	811	410	297	104	768	43	–	–
200 days and over	3 471	1 885	1 113	473	3 273	198	–	–
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	2 089	884	902	303	1 841	248	–	–
Number of persons	2 413	1 021	1 037	355	2 099	314	–	–
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	295	103	144	48	259	36	–	–
50 to 99 days	222	76	106	40	195	27	–	–
100 to 149 days	217	85	102	30	194	23	–	–
150 to 199 days	416	182	181	53	387	29	–	–
200 days and over	1 263	575	504	184	1 064	199	–	–
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	455	374	14	67	415	15	25	–
10 to 49 acres	2 463	1 794	307	362	2 349	85	27	2
50 to 69 acres	1 283	777	260	246	1 231	39	8	5
70 to 99 acres	1 748	1 071	464	213	1 677	60	7	4
100 to 139 acres	1 914	1 038	581	295	1 781	116	10	7
140 to 179 acres	1 455	680	532	243	1 347	90	10	8
180 to 219 acres	1 265	526	505	234	1 161	86	12	6
220 to 259 acres	861	316	403	142	800	53	4	4
260 to 499 acres	3 046	973	1 504	569	2 751	230	53	12
500 to 999 acres	2 272	559	1 244	469	1 885	280	96	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 204	303	650	251	920	195	82	7
2,000 acres and over	576	194	305	77	340	106	126	4
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	6 707	2 188	3 045	1 474	6 020	540	115	32
Cotton farms (0131)	2 000	765	834	401	1 827	128	36	9
Tobacco farms (0132)	20	13	5	2	19	1	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 887	600	686	601	1 513	246	115	13
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	278	153	73	52	260	16	2	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	138	110	15	13	131	3	4	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	175	138	16	21	122	20	33	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	326	156	146	24	281	38	6	1
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 539	2 833	1 286	420	4 233	205	93	8
Dairy farms (024)	1 442	808	525	109	1 309	115	14	4
Poultry and egg farms (025)	461	410	38	13	415	22	24	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	206	149	28	29	184	7	14	1
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	28	14	9	5	28	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	335	268	63	4	315	14	4	2
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	18 542	8 605	6 769	3 168	16 657	1 355	460	70
$1,000	1 173 913	330 867	577 166	265 880	798 205	184 591	183 266	7 851
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	280	75	135	70	112	65	100	3
$200,000 to $499,999	987	242	474	271	666	225	94	2
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	463	902	403	1 446	236	72	14
$40,000 to $99,999	3 484	1 028	1 716	740	3 066	311	87	20
$20,000 to $39,999	2 407	926	1 029	452	2 215	150	27	15
$10,000 to $19,999	2 601	1 345	846	410	2 433	128	37	3
$5,000 to $9,999	2 932	1 812	759	361	2 784	114	28	6
$2,500 to $4,999	3 359	2 280	713	366	3 253	91	9	6
Under $2,500 (see text)	724	434	195	95	682	35	6	1
Grain sold—farms	8 592	2 873	3 913	1 806	7 662	710	180	40
$1,000	486 534	98 529	266 887	121 119	378 865	68 973	35 839	2 859
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 254	544	1 852	858	2 708	392	132	22
$1,000	419 343	75 814	235 767	107 762	317 681	64 030	35 111	2 522
Tobacco sold—farms	25	16	5	4	24	1	–	–
$1,000	174	54	108	12	156	18	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	3 953	1 423	1 801	729	3 561	302	79	11
$1,000	105 674	25 372	62 356	17 946	80 169	16 252	8 810	444
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	715	146	435	134	540	119	53	3
$1,000	71 106	15 497	43 767	11 842	48 910	13 549	8 265	382
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 801	957	716	128	1 646	112	39	4
$1,000	7 673	3 025	3 370	1 278	5 768	676	1 205	25
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	2	6	1	6	1	2	–
$1,000	1 587	(D)	670	(D)	539	(D)	(D)	–
Other field crops sold—farms	1 886	556	715	615	1 498	259	116	13
$1,000	307 047	45 570	159 058	102 419	121 662	72 998	108 809	3 578
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	896	134	383	379	568	209	110	9
$1,000	296 486	42 304	155 119	99 063	111 965	72 313	108 727	3 481
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	557	304	169	84	518	34	3	2
$1,000	4 537	1 327	2 410	800	3 475	503	536	22
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	20	–	16	4	17	2	1	–
$1,000	1 893	–	1 613	281	1 070	(D)	(D)	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	258	190	50	18	235	14	9	–
$1,000	2 662	1 467	995	200	2 361	125	176	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	3	4	1	6	1	1	–
$1,000	1 123	(D)	782	(D)	942	(D)	(D)	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	732	554	138	40	672	36	24	–
$1,000	71 105	57 850	6 119	7 136	52 997	4 127	13 981	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	384	338	36	10	339	21	24	–
$1,000	69 567	56 491	5 961	7 115	51 515	4 072	13 981	–
Dairy products sold—farms	1 530	852	560	118	1 385	123	17	5
$1,000	89 114	43 790	38 741	6 583	77 291	9 329	2 081	412
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	920	452	398	70	808	93	15	4
$1,000	76 612	36 104	35 120	5 388	65 605	8 598	2 005	404
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	5 732	4 156	1 070	10 008	709	211	30
$1,000	77 133	38 513	31 760	6 860	61 264	9 127	6 274	468
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	248	101	125	22	157	47	40	4
$1,000	27 457	12 705	12 530	2 222	17 438	5 223	4 409	388
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	878	441	350	87	823	46	9	–
$1,000	4 939	3 184	1 376	379	4 244	360	336	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	30	22	7	1	21	4	5	–
$1,000	2 599	1 874	(D)	(D)	2 092	231	276	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	248	128	103	17	222	24	1	1
$1,000	175	113	59	3	167	8	(Z)	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	654	373	216	65	583	40	29	2
$1,000	3 463	2 198	865	400	2 093	468	894	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	16	9	5	2	8	2	6	–
$1,000	1 613	934	(D)	(D)	579	(D)	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	221	160	31	30	167	21	33	–
$1,000	7 709	5 208	1 816	686	2 868	972	3 870	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	45	30	9	6	19	5	21	–
$1,000	6 286	4 052	1 707	527	1 721	790	3 775	–
Forest products sold—farms	917	630	261	26	839	43	32	3
$1,000	5 973	4 667	1 246	59	4 825	657	455	36
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	22	18	4	–	15	4	3	–
$1,000	1 881	1 662	219	–	1 140	448	293	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses ---farms--	18 539	8 603	6 768	3 168	16 654	1 355	460	70
$1,000--	710 435	234 616	339 414	136 406	504 203	101 225	100 953	4 054
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	5 040	2 608	1 872	560	4 584	324	122	10
$1,000--	43 936	22 872	14 285	6 779	31 384	4 396	8 123	34
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	10 824	5 814	3 909	1 101	9 900	684	213	27
$1,000--	107 875	71 511	30 276	6 088	90 808	9 233	7 575	259
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	9 395	5 102	3 366	927	8 584	601	185	25
tons--	703 558	472 555	191 279	39 724	594 481	57 475	49 900	1 702
$1,000--	95 228	63 931	26 041	5 256	80 223	7 936	6 844	225
Feed ingredients----------farms--	3 407	1 753	1 367	287	3 076	248	73	10
tons--	35 043	24 573	8 924	1 546	25 449	8 536	1 009	49
$1,000--	4 151	2 697	1 254	200	3 361	641	143	6
Whole grains ----------farms--	3 583	1 892	1 364	327	3 277	221	75	10
tons--	47 178	29 167	15 192	2 819	41 299	3 838	1 923	118
$1,000--	5 609	3 413	1 854	341	4 941	411	244	13
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	1 854	949	686	219	1 687	117	45	5
tons--	133 055	63 045	54 703	15 306	102 782	12 407	17 485	380
$1,000--	2 887	1 470	1 126	291	2 284	245	344	15
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	6 517	3 348	2 555	614	5 817	511	168	21
$1,000--	3 173	1 535	1 260	378	2 296	334	519	24
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	10 999	4 172	4 752	2 075	9 881	806	262	50
$1,000--	34 158	7 174	19 106	7 878	26 032	4 769	3 177	181
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	14 417	5 957	5 862	2 598	12 810	1 167	378	62
$1,000--	67 506	17 012	36 344	14 150	50 922	9 082	7 110	392
Commercial fertilizer used -----farms--	13 356	5 281	5 569	2 506	11 791	1 129	374	62
acres fertilized--	2 654 075	621 747	1 469 100	563 228	1 942 056	393 657	300 136	18 226
dry tons--	343 576	90 617	184 036	68 923	266 151	44 230	31 338	1 857
liquid or gas tons--	96 796	18 719	56 339	21 738	61 085	16 522	18 474	714
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	9 509	3 182	4 319	2 008	8 172	967	326	44
$1,000--	47 260	9 066	28 210	9 984	30 851	9 281	6 775	353
Lime ----------farms--	1 213	533	544	136	1 081	99	33	-
tons--	101 416	34 971	53 123	13 322	84 472	9 032	7 912	-
$1,000--	1 110	385	568	157	930	96	84	-
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business -----farms--	18 057	8 309	6 663	3 085	16 183	1 346	458	70
$1,000--	43 846	11 604	22 912	9 330	32 661	6 167	4 740	278
Gasoline ----------farms--	15 720	7 093	5 924	2 703	14 009	1 223	423	65
$1,000--	15 601	4 785	7 728	3 087	12 114	1 977	1 432	78
Diesel oil----------farms--	11 669	4 417	5 030	2 222	10 200	1 044	371	54
$1,000--	18 047	3 958	9 954	4 134	12 993	2 864	2 071	119
LP gas, butane, and propone --farms--	5 484	1 930	2 454	1 100	4 702	535	212	35
$1,000--	5 186	1 428	2 721	1 038	3 790	675	684	38
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil -----farms--	18 029	6 298	6 647	3 084	16 156	1 346	457	70
$1,000--	5 012	1 433	2 508	1 070	3 764	652	553	43
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	9 313	3 378	4 230	1 705	7 939	935	387	52
$1,000--	77 152	20 492	40 683	15 977	43 198	13 737	19 479	738
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more ---------farms--	4 311	1 216	2 271	824	3 339	596	347	29
workers--	13 619	3 804	7 307	2 508	7 787	2 375	3 283	174
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	3 618	1 005	1 813	800	2 888	490	214	26
workers--	17 510	4 563	8 616	4 331	11 348	2 774	3 305	83
Less than 25 days---------farms--	5 068	2 073	2 150	845	4 474	413	152	29
workers--	38 057	13 308	17 879	6 870	30 984	3 906	2 735	432
Contract labor ----------farms--	1 187	509	513	165	1 042	91	51	3
$1,000--	3 816	1 074	1 882	860	2 771	576	463	7
Machine hire and customwork ---farms--	6 881	2 823	2 900	1 158	6 184	519	151	27
$1,000--	16 944	4 335	9 224	3 385	12 179	2 405	2 258	102
All other production expenses ---farms--	18 319	8 453	6 720	3 146	16 445	1 345	460	69
$1,000--	264 769	67 940	135 231	61 599	181 101	41 246	40 736	1 686
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income ----------farms--	4 334	1 811	1 867	656	3 789	390	142	13
$1,000--	28 083	10 438	13 949	3 696	16 825	4 238	6 643	377
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	577	211	272	94	412	91	70	4
$1,000--	19 895	7 627	10 156	2 112	9 936	3 246	6 367	347
Form-related income from —								
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	1 411	405	740	266	1 231	137	40	3
$1,000--	8 273	2 263	4 740	1 271	7 078	828	355	12
Recreational services --------farms--	88	33	37	18	69	10	9	-
$1,000--	223	133	57	33	139	40	44	-
Payments from government farm progroms ----------farms--	2 125	791	993	341	1 834	213	73	5
$1,000--	5 836	1 043	3 387	1 407	3 203	1 180	1 405	48
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	1 195	760	354	81	1 051	83	56	5
$1,000--	11 457	6 167	4 761	529	5 322	1 453	4 632	49
Other farm-related income ----farms--	447	140	235	72	369	55	20	3
$1,000--	2 294	833	1 005	456	1 082	737	208	267
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	1 423	587	615	221	1 267	108	46	2
$1,000--	7 297	2 956	3 419	922	5 275	804	1 217	1

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Family Off-Farm Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	9 248	4 482	3 450	1 316	8 565	683	–	–
$1,000	103 811	55 987	36 381	11 442	96 579	7 232	–	–
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	269	98	118	53	247	22	–	–
$250 to $499	216	79	96	41	193	23	–	–
$500 to $999	369	135	165	69	326	43	–	–
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271	998	904	369	2 111	160	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203	1 058	800	345	2 054	149	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704	1 415	966	323	2 517	187	–	–
$20,000 to $29,999	746	411	252	83	691	55	–	–
$30,000 and over	470	288	149	33	426	44	–	–
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 821	888	674	259	1 672	149	–	–
$1,000	21 366	12 147	6 793	2 427	19 802	1 564	–	–
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	5 792	2 856	2 074	862	5 448	344	–	–
$1,000	59 954	31 577	20 912	7 465	56 400	3 554	–	–
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	3 606	1 692	1 515	399	3 294	312	–	–
$1,000	14 085	7 343	5 834	908	12 742	1 344	–	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 649	1 026	487	136	1 524	125	–	–
$1,000	5 436	3 333	1 677	425	4 992	444	–	–
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	814	415	342	57	743	71	–	–
$1,000	2 970	1 587	1 165	218	2 644	326	–	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	12 505	5 468	5 060	1 977	11 346	872	246	41
number	16 705	7 110	6 904	2 691	14 721	1 486	444	54
2 or 3—farms	3 257	1 306	1 375	576	2 755	392	99	11
number	6 872	2 734	2 934	1 204	5 785	850	213	24
4 and over—farms	154	53	82	19	87	46	21	–
number	739	267	367	105	432	202	105	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	15 554	6 712	6 162	2 680	13 872	1 198	422	62
number	29 839	10 545	13 765	5 529	24 668	3 276	1 757	138
2 or 3—farms	5 624	1 991	2 574	1 059	4 924	491	189	20
number	13 070	4 459	6 081	2 530	11 403	1 157	463	47
4 and over—farms	1 644	335	935	374	1 172	314	151	7
number	8 483	1 700	5 031	1 752	5 489	1 726	1 212	56
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 720	6 829	6 179	2 712	13 967	1 255	434	64
number	42 678	14 446	19 928	8 304	34 301	5 124	3 018	235
2 or 3—farms	6 690	2 801	2 835	1 054	6 124	445	98	23
number	15 731	6 303	6 894	2 534	14 350	1 084	240	57
4 and over—farms	3 797	908	1 968	921	2 924	578	272	23
number	21 714	5 023	11 658	5 033	15 032	3 808	2 714	160
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 600	6 764	6 149	2 687	13 858	1 247	431	64
number	41 662	14 050	19 458	8 154	33 550	4 974	2 907	231
Crawler tractors—farms	822	336	364	122	611	117	90	4
number	1 016	396	470	150	751	150	111	4
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4 448	883	2 481	1 084	3 798	488	142	20
number	6 931	1 374	3 884	1 673	5 701	881	314	35
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	1 290	460	558	272	1 143	100	44	3
number	1 365	475	610	280	1 204	107	51	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	198	56	118	24	150	32	14	2
number	218	58	135	25	165	36	15	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 110	407	453	250	1 006	70	33	1
number	1 147	417	475	255	1 039	71	36	1
Mower conditioners—farms	2 704	1 210	1 217	277	2 338	272	81	13
number	3 100	1 366	1 391	343	2 653	324	107	16
Pickup balers—farms	3 288	1 528	1 465	295	2 873	303	97	15
number	3 469	1 602	1 566	301	3 014	328	111	16
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 849	868	777	204	1 636	157	52	4
number	1 931	901	819	211	1 699	171	57	4
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	531	217	251	63	430	63	33	5
number	666	262	327	77	524	85	51	6
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	17 383	7 825	6 573	2 985	15 533	1 325	456	69
$1,000	613 746	176 254	312 651	124 841	476 359	82 060	51 866	3 461
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 352	1 508	506	338	2 242	88	15	7
$1,000	6 743	4 252	1 526	964	6 432	251	40	21
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	2 988	1 769	852	367	2 810	139	30	9
$1,000	21 332	12 641	6 101	2 589	20 046	1 022	208	55
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 571	1 898	1 171	502	3 323	188	44	16
$1,000	49 263	25 837	16 430	6 996	45 935	2 508	595	225
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	5 291	2 055	2 176	1 060	4 762	379	133	17
$1,000	165 131	61 533	68 921	34 677	147 937	12 233	4 413	548
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 882	392	1 078	412	1 519	265	82	16
$1,000	122 393	24 868	71 051	26 474	97 952	17 656	5 643	1 142
$100,000 and over—farms	1 299	203	790	306	877	266	152	4
$1,000	248 883	47 121	148 621	53 141	158 058	48 390	40 967	1 469

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 247	6 306	6 153	2 788	13 552	1 234	397	64
$1,000	114 766	26 079	64 554	24 133	81 774	18 363	13 884	745
Commercial fertilizer—farms	14 421	5 957	5 862	2 602	12 814	1 167	378	62
acres on which used	2 654 075	621 747	1 469 100	563 228	1 942 056	393 657	300 136	18 226
tons	440 371	109 335	240 375	90 661	327 236	60 752	49 812	2 571
$1,000	67 506	17 012	36 344	14 150	50 922	9 082	7 110	392
Lime—farms	1 213	533	544	136	1 081	99	33	-
acres on which used	72 051	24 287	38 664	9 100	58 956	6 843	6 252	-
tons	101 416	34 971	53 123	13 322	84 472	9 032	7 912	-
$1,000	1 110	385	568	157	930	96	84	-
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	314	159	132	23	276	27	7	4
acres on which used	14 269	6 729	6 740	800	11 964	1 550	665	90
$1,000	78	40	34	4	64	11	2	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	4 622	1 188	2 314	1 120	3 849	538	212	23
acres on which used	1 374 334	246 765	810 979	316 590	875 365	266 435	224 124	8 410
$1,000	20 755	3 796	12 641	4 317	13 637	4 159	2 862	96
Nematodes in crops—farms	165	41	84	40	139	19	6	1
acres on which used	24 228	5 927	12 690	5 611	16 592	4 467	3 012	157
$1,000	303	63	196	43	178	77	46	2
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	333	128	136	69	281	29	22	1
acres on which used	59 222	15 212	30 674	13 336	38 776	9 349	10 697	400
$1,000	754	144	466	144	519	121	111	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5 026	1 092	2 618	1 316	4 165	614	221	26
acres on which used	1 833 334	305 011	1 098 889	429 434	1 226 552	337 799	257 570	11 413
$1,000	20 626	3 736	12 300	4 590	12 887	4 171	3 363	205
Weeds or brush in posture—farms	610	315	250	45	531	53	23	3
acres on which used	71 436	37 297	30 804	3 335	50 333	8 352	5 631	7 120
$1,000	238	124	102	12	157	34	27	21
Weeds on other land—farms	621	205	300	116	477	90	52	2
acres on which used	25 447	4 393	16 152	4 902	11 245	4 541	9 640	21
$1,000	135	22	85	28	72	23	39	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1 392	339	767	286	1 165	174	48	5
acres on which used	307 706	60 070	189 280	58 356	215 592	62 918	27 611	1 585
$1,000	1 595	315	928	353	1 075	349	164	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1 047	472	491	84	897	106	38	6
$1,000	240	119	108	13	191	32	16	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	1 608	768	591	249	1 473	109	22	4
$1,000	1 426	322	782	323	1 141	207	61	17
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	8 428	3 263	3 514	1 651	7 231	881	275	41
Under 1,000 bushels	560	265	234	61	515	36	7	2
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	390	179	176	35	341	36	12	1
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	221	54	130	37	171	27	22	1
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	306	65	191	50	238	45	19	4
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	240	45	157	38	171	46	20	3
50,000 bushels and over	157	32	99	26	100	35	21	1
Not reporting	8 240	4 702	2 268	1 270	7 890	249	84	17
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	11 280	5 822	4 291	1 167	10 299	734	214	33
number	1 198 968	557 097	535 777	106 094	976 803	128 095	86 691	7 379
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	10 336	5 253	4 019	1 064	9 411	696	196	33
number	701 533	323 239	314 726	63 568	577 508	72 176	47 307	4 542
Beef cows—farms	8 889	4 468	3 495	926	8 095	581	186	27
number	583 384	264 649	264 165	54 570	474 813	59 923	44 586	4 062
Milk cows—farms	2 948	1 569	1 142	237	2 699	208	30	11
number	118 149	58 590	50 561	8 998	102 695	12 253	2 721	480
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	8 115	4 059	3 224	832	7 312	594	184	25
number	256 451	120 070	114 230	22 151	206 219	28 801	19 973	1 458
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	7 052	3 507	2 808	737	6 364	493	174	21
number	213 051	99 381	94 739	18 931	169 906	23 225	18 637	1 283
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1 496	750	618	128	1 334	141	16	5
number	43 400	20 689	19 491	3 220	36 313	5 576	1 336	175
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	8 769	4 473	3 428	868	7 952	587	202	28
number	240 984	113 788	106 821	20 375	193 076	27 118	19 411	1 379
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	5 732	4 156	1 070	10 008	709	211	30
number	498 964	243 936	208 353	46 675	407 433	52 781	35 391	3 359
$1,000	77 133	38 513	31 760	6 860	61 264	9 127	6 274	468
Calves—farms	8 926	4 646	3 419	861	8 167	572	164	23
number	287 900	137 941	121 972	27 987	242 619	26 024	16 847	2 410
$1,000	27 760	13 273	11 808	2 679	23 133	2 653	1 774	200
Cattle—farms	7 221	3 882	2 631	708	6 581	476	146	18
number	211 064	105 995	86 381	18 688	164 814	26 757	18 544	949
$1,000	49 373	25 240	19 952	4 181	38 131	6 474	4 501	267
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	653	350	250	53	600	34	18	1
number	31 323	21 317	8 720	1 286	26 451	634	4 228	10
$1,000	8 660	5 838	2 435	386	7 175	130	1 352	3
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 476	729	580	167	1 393	72	11	-
number	55 572	33 729	17 541	4 302	47 855	4 681	3 036	-
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	765	368	319	78	712	46	7	-
number	9 008	6 052	2 454	502	8 065	586	357	-
Other—farms	1 387	696	540	151	1 311	65	11	-
number	46 564	27 677	15 087	3 800	39 790	4 095	2 679	-

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Livestock — Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	878	441	350	87	823	46	9	–
number	95 338	64 690	23 152	7 496	85 521	5 536	4 281	–
$1,000	4 939	3 184	1 376	379	4 244	360	336	–
Feeder pigs — farms	157	85	59	13	149	7	1	–
number	32 951	28 832	2 076	2 043	31 173	1 688	90	–
$1,000	647	558	47	42	571	73	3	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between —								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	838	412	342	84	785	46	7	–
number	12 699	8 895	2 942	862	11 623	715	361	–
December 1 and May 31 — farms	673	335	271	67	627	39	7	–
number	6 633	4 606	1 586	441	6 031	398	204	–
June 1 and November 30 — farms	595	291	244	60	559	31	5	–
number	6 066	4 289	1 356	421	5 592	317	157	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	338	168	142	28	304	30	3	1
number	8 612	5 708	2 611	293	7 981	557	38	36
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	275	136	114	25	248	25	1	1
number	2 292	1 486	721	85	2 127	138	12	15
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	313	159	128	26	282	28	2	1
number	5 166	3 436	1 564	166	4 763	363	20	20
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	284	140	123	21	255	26	2	1
number	1 154	786	326	42	1 091	56	6	1
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	225	118	93	14	202	21	1	1
number	5 787	3 249	2 388	150	5 394	356	16	21
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	178	95	71	12	158	18	1	1
number	5 323	3 596	1 613	114	4 891	398	18	16
pounds of wool	28 539	18 922	8 981	636	26 330	2 029	75	105
Horses and ponies — farms	3 143	1 477	1 306	360	2 845	214	77	7
number	14 764	6 919	5 878	1 967	12 595	1 186	971	12
Sold — farms	480	251	181	48	428	34	18	–
number	3 507	1 037	1 607	863	3 257	89	161	–
$1,000	1 554	855	408	292	1 249	53	252	–
Horses — farms	3 084	1 459	1 269	356	2 793	207	77	7
number	13 908	6 541	5 473	1 894	11 855	1 085	956	12
Sold — farms	471	248	176	47	421	32	18	–
number	3 401	990	1 585	826	3 153	87	161	–
$1,000	1 543	850	406	288	1 238	53	252	–
Any goats — farms	46	22	20	4	43	3	–	–
number	743	460	260	23	721	22	–	–
Sold — farms	20	11	5	4	20	–	–	–
number	344	282	36	26	344	–	–	–
$1,000	5	4	1	(Z)	5	–	–	–
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 153	1 189	756	208	2 024	102	21	6
number	3 524 436	2 662 231	411 973	450 232	2 369 313	185 942	969 024	157
Sold — farms	258	199	44	15	227	15	16	–
number	4 004 634	2 942 279	517 309	545 046	2 973 019	211 135	820 480	–
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 065	1 142	727	196	1 939	100	20	6
number	2 809 049	2 156 279	284 439	368 331	1 779 617	182 699	846 587	146
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	2 005	1 109	711	185	1 887	99	15	4
number	2 465 225	1 893 099	234 257	337 869	1 610 347	152 399	702 387	92
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	225	120	78	27	201	15	5	4
number	343 824	263 180	50 182	30 462	169 270	30 300	144 200	54
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	171	85	64	22	161	8	2	–
number	674 576	475 744	120 438	78 394	566 497	(D)	(D)	–
Roosters and male chickens — farms	1 036	524	399	113	969	52	9	6
number	40 811	30 208	7 096	3 507	23 199	(D)	(D)	11
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	77	41	30	6	65	9	–	3
number	532 606	380 507	151 974	125	503 210	29 291	–	105
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	310	276	29	5	292	13	5	–
number	44 216 095	40 157 755	3 672 440	385 900	40 669 117	2 645 450	901 528	–
Turkeys — farms	85	48	30	7	81	2	–	2
number	619	409	186	24	602	3	–	14
Sold — farms	10	8	2	–	10	–	–	–
number	415	350	65	–	415	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	35	21	12	2	33	1	–	1
number	276	227	46	3	272	1	–	3
Sold — farms	8	7	1	–	8	–	–	–
number	350	346	4	–	350	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	21	15	5	1	21	–	–	–
number	102	72	24	6	102	–	–	–
Sold — farms	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
number	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	53	28	20	5	50	1	–	2
number	241	110	116	15	228	2	–	11
Sold — farms	2	1	1	–	2	–	–	–
number	64	4	60	–	64	–	–	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes — farms	2 033	904	881	248	1 851	134	43	5
acres	40 178	14 880	20 561	4 737	32 882	3 756	3 320	220
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 511	611	695	205	1 356	112	38	5
acres	32 248	11 374	16 955	3 919	25 742	3 307	2 979	220
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	1 847	843	781	223	1 697	112	34	4
acres	30 796	11 639	15 450	3 707	25 922	2 609	2 175	90
bushels	1 612 828	548 056	858 113	206 659	1 304 310	164 929	137 344	6 245
Irrigated — farms	53	27	18	8	41	10	2	–
acres	758	361	315	82	549	149	60	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	384	153	190	41	327	35	17	5
acres	27 864	9 239	16 498	2 127	20 607	3 370	3 430	457
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	252	99	127	26	211	24	13	4
acres	20 289	6 028	12 474	1 787	14 381	2 542	2 954	412
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	178	58	99	21	142	24	9	3
acres	16 965	4 453	11 201	1 311	12 065	2 270	2 373	257
bushels	629 983	149 640	423 220	57 123	494 899	63 073	60 326	11 685
Irrigated—farms	8	2	6	–	8	–	–	–
acres	316	175	141	–	316	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	6 748	2 221	3 140	1 387	6 000	572	150	26
acres	1 599 175	333 494	905 146	360 535	1 224 167	251 783	116 146	7 079
bushels	42 668 498	8 824 991	24 046 588	9 796 919	32 273 463	6 876 673	3 295 053	223 309
Irrigated—farms	159	44	79	36	130	22	4	3
acres	18 319	3 661	9 531	5 127	13 531	4 096	270	422
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 917	339	1 069	509	1 620	225	55	17
acres	478 834	62 192	289 082	127 560	364 494	75 663	34 990	3 687
Peanuts for nuts—farms	78	41	34	3	72	4	2	–
acres	1 903	53	1 638	212	1 517	221	165	–
pounds	3 568 464	46 086	3 135 111	387 267	2 968 012	(D)	(D)	–
Irrigated—farms	3	–	3	–	2	1	–	–
acres	241	–	241	–	221	20	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	26	8	15	3	21	3	2	–
acres	1 570	12	1 346	212	1 185	220	165	–
Wheat—farms	159	60	73	26	119	25	14	1
acres	15 007	5 521	7 054	2 432	8 328	3 079	3 478	122
bushels	370 937	125 742	189 378	55 817	209 636	71 146	88 105	2 050
Irrigated—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	20	20	–	–	–	–	20	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	115	43	56	16	79	22	13	1
acres	13 388	4 787	6 423	2 178	6 842	2 996	3 428	122
Cotton—farms	3 965	1 431	1 802	732	3 572	303	79	11
acres	579 572	132 550	349 832	97 190	452 287	82 778	42 235	2 272
bales	515 229	122 168	305 723	87 338	390 022	80 314	42 229	2 664
Irrigated—farms	144	34	91	19	118	19	6	1
acres	13 287	3 819	7 928	1 540	9 130	2 045	1 967	145
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	3 759	1 278	1 769	712	3 374	296	78	11
acres	571 640	129 832	345 857	95 951	445 845	81 930	41 593	2 272
Tobacco—farms	25	16	5	4	24	1	–	–
acres	201	79	92	30	181	20	–	–
pounds	145 906	44 237	90 669	11 000	126 837	19 069	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	25	16	5	4	24	1	–	–
acres	201	79	92	30	181	20	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	369	195	120	54	343	23	2	1
acres	2 007	742	843	421	1 618	248	140	(Z)
hundredweight	188 010	59 407	89 818	38 785	144 517	(D)	(D)	7
Irrigated—farms	19	10	8	1	14	5	–	–
acres	66	6	54	6	13	52	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	200	79	88	33	181	16	2	1
acres	1 880	664	826	390	1 493	246	140	(Z)
Hay—farms	5 907	3 173	2 308	426	5 366	408	114	19
acres	267 707	119 692	125 360	22 655	221 078	28 528	16 824	1 277
tons	556 316	247 352	258 120	50 844	446 724	62 414	44 764	2 414
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2 540	1 271	1 101	168	2 247	212	74	7
acres	125 578	53 910	62 080	9 588	98 313	15 535	10 850	880
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	309	187	99	23	287	18	3	1
acres	10 804	5 894	4 197	713	8 999	1 560	210	35
tons, dry	23 359	13 842	8 157	1 360	19 216	3 466	557	120
Irrigated—farms	5	2	–	3	5	–	–	–
acres	136	31	–	105	136	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	819	410	332	77	753	51	12	3
acres	38 762	15 405	19 820	3 537	33 664	3 537	1 335	226
tons, dry	70 101	28 163	35 728	6 210	61 437	6 250	2 074	340
Irrigated—farms	5	3	2	–	5	–	–	–
acres	69	18	51	–	69	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	134	58	64	12	116	13	5	–
acres	8 273	1 733	6 014	526	6 451	1 202	620	–
Irrigated—farms	3	2	1	–	2	1	–	–
acres	56	46	10	–	46	10	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	63	29	30	4	52	8	3	–
acres	2 716	965	1 587	164	1 761	455	500	–
Vegetables—farms	615	344	184	87	575	35	3	2
acres	6 566	2 123	3 399	1 044	5 466	728	(D)	(D)
Irrigated—farms	143	90	39	14	133	9	1	–
acres	999	366	499	135	704	(D)	(D)	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	448	241	135	72	413	31	2	2
acres	5 269	1 487	2 856	925	4 297	(D)	(D)	(D)
Berries—farms	94	83	5	6	94	–	–	–
acres	319	269	24	26	319	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	77	68	5	4	77	–	–	–
acres	280	239	24	17	280	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	82	72	5	5	82	–	–	–
acres	299	254	24	21	299	–	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	461	272	166	23	393	45	21	2
acres	26 404	15 657	9 113	1 633	17 768	2 562	6 053	21
Irrigated—farms	16	12	4	–	13	3	–	–
acres	490	385	105	–	385	105	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	143	95	42	6	119	12	12	–
acres	13 808	10 066	3 262	480	8 046	929	4 834	–

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
			Age of farm operator					
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms—number	18 012	13 308	370	1 557	2 341	3 143	3 768	2 129
percent	100.0	73.9	2.1	8.6	13.0	17.4	20.9	11.8
Land in farms—acres	7 040 051	5 757 854	117 459	745 168	1 261 267	1 474 258	1 385 989	773 713
Average size of farm—acres	391	433	317	479	539	469	368	363
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	3 512 114	2 866 454	55 111	384 663	625 293	769 500	681 932	349 955
Average per farm—dollars	194 987	215 393	148 949	247 054	267 105	244 830	180 980	164 375
Average per acre—dollars	499	498	469	516	496	522	492	452
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	694	463	14	32	89	93	127	108
$10,000 to $19,999	1 275	860	16	77	118	175	282	192
$20,000 to $39,999	2 720	1 774	68	152	194	348	574	438
$40,000 to $69,999	3 080	1 997	64	195	283	446	618	391
$70,000 to $99,999	1 984	1 397	42	175	219	334	423	204
$100,000 to $149,999	2 236	1 704	54	200	288	419	501	242
$150,000 to $199,999	1 454	1 161	40	157	237	284	316	127
$200,000 to $499,999	3 024	2 572	54	372	579	659	624	284
$500,000 and over	1 545	1 380	18	197	334	385	303	143
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned—farms	15 088	10 898	153	1 005	1 811	2 639	3 310	1 980
acres	4 040 577	3 047 728	39 705	270 209	542 537	767 366	831 911	596 000
Land rented or leased from others—farms	9 675	7 872	288	1 193	1 648	1 961	2 088	694
acres	3 502 066	3 079 390	80 923	508 161	767 782	773 125	688 207	261 192
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 412	1 714	27	153	239	356	513	426
acres	502 592	369 264	3 169	33 202	49 052	66 233	134 129	83 479
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland—farms	16 928	12 725	362	1 503	2 244	3 017	3 601	1 998
acres	4 491 586	3 923 813	91 827	577 015	883 292	1 010 519	936 964	424 196
Harvested cropland—farms	15 436	11 966	354	1 447	2 156	2 842	3 397	1 770
acres	3 148 856	2 906 870	75 551	478 468	693 305	755 951	650 062	253 533
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	6 154	3 847	72	289	541	797	1 243	905
50 to 99 acres	2 631	1 988	75	185	295	475	623	335
100 to 199 acres	2 184	1 880	77	247	307	472	560	217
200 to 499 acres	2 640	2 488	93	390	524	648	637	196
500 to 999 acres	1 297	1 251	31	253	348	306	240	73
1,000 acres and over	530	512	6	83	141	144	94	44
1,000 to 1,999 acres	446	432	6	72	119	123	78	34
2,000 acres and over	84	80	–	11	22	21	16	10
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only—farms	7 808	5 366	70	487	840	1 276	1 648	1 045
acres	936 796	679 152	6 040	58 495	118 069	171 850	195 485	129 213
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	424	307	10	17	45	53	108	74
acres	19 755	14 735	656	1 668	1 616	1 882	5 042	3 871
On which all crops failed—farms	618	527	22	57	126	120	147	55
acres	60 274	51 304	3 153	6 979	12 892	9 607	14 003	4 670
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	746	645	6	65	137	177	200	60
acres	88 919	70 908	583	5 547	18 372	17 821	18 548	10 037
Idle—farms	1 697	1 416	25	182	299	339	410	161
acres	236 986	200 844	5 844	25 858	39 038	53 408	53 824	22 872
Total woodland—farms	5 844	3 910	60	343	586	931	1 193	797
acres	1 021 809	683 991	11 146	70 816	115 246	160 611	170 837	155 335
Woodland pastured—farms	3 481	2 276	26	186	335	521	711	497
acres	500 312	303 174	1 278	24 191	51 628	73 800	76 415	75 862
Woodland not pastured—farms	3 257	2 210	41	193	315	560	666	435
acres	521 497	380 817	9 868	46 625	63 618	86 811	94 422	79 473
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	4 091	2 846	39	276	498	684	806	543
acres	1 116 549	815 604	9 897	63 448	193 231	196 939	207 093	144 996
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 514	1 671	24	167	271	389	474	346
acres	350 696	256 041	2 253	25 568	60 068	63 491	57 144	47 517
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 124	1 541	19	152	291	382	420	277
acres	765 853	559 563	7 644	37 880	133 163	133 448	149 949	97 479
Other land (see text)—farms	10 190	7 625	139	841	1 348	1 837	2 211	1 249
acres	410 107	334 446	4 589	33 889	69 498	106 189	71 095	49 186
Total pastureland—farms	11 121	7 653	112	718	1 248	1 842	2 275	1 458
acres	2 553 657	1 797 930	17 215	146 134	362 928	442 589	478 993	350 071
Irrigated land—farms	3 221	2 882	113	421	534	732	775	307
acres	640 229	611 542	20 073	98 937	137 193	164 329	142 219	48 791
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	3 179	2 853	111	420	531	727	760	304
acres	630 852	604 277	19 202	98 643	136 389	163 088	138 730	48 225
Artificial drainage—farms	2 026	1 674	53	255	364	371	461	170
acres drained	866 931	771 027	11 983	111 016	190 090	195 363	175 981	86 594
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 130	2 039	16	218	356	513	594	342
number	9 746	6 314	56	618	1 115	1 671	1 711	1 143
acres	14 019	9 305	40	884	2 073	2 492	2 280	1 537
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	18 012	13 308	370	1 557	2 341	3 143	3 768	2 129
Full owners	8 374	5 463	82	366	694	1 186	1 689	1 446
Part owners	6 608	5 351	69	623	1 100	1 434	1 602	523
Tenants	3 030	2 494	219	568	547	523	477	160

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms — number	4 704	63	524	986	1 425	1 130	576
percent	26.1	0.3	2.9	5.5	7.9	6.3	3.2
Land in farms — acres	1 282 197	10 205	82 539	229 526	408 090	348 958	202 879
Average size of farm — acres	273	162	158	233	286	309	352
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	645 661	6 098	46 553	128 271	227 668	145 920	91 151
Average per farm — dollars	137 258	96 798	88 841	130 092	159 767	129 133	158 248
Average per acre — dollars	504	598	564	559	558	418	449
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	231	6	27	41	52	82	23
$10,000 to $19,999	415	6	45	94	121	80	69
$20,000 to $39,999	946	14	121	178	258	264	111
$40,000 to $69,999	1 083	15	131	250	317	250	120
$70,000 to $99,999	587	4	75	124	178	132	74
$100,000 to $149,999	532	10	55	118	163	111	75
$150,000 to $199,999	293	–	22	59	118	62	32
$200,000 to $499,999	452	3	38	91	166	102	52
$500,000 and over	165	5	10	31	52	47	20
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned — farms	4 190	37	394	855	1 303	1 056	545
acres	992 849	6 421	47 098	121 715	320 108	317 787	179 720
Land rented or leased from others — farms	1 803	34	286	473	556	318	136
acres	422 676	5 151	39 146	122 717	117 552	74 786	63 324
Land rented or leased to others — farms	698	8	55	109	198	202	126
acres	133 328	1 367	3 705	14 906	29 570	43 615	40 165
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland — farms	4 203	50	462	892	1 289	998	512
acres	567 773	5 274	49 538	101 559	188 160	154 246	68 996
Harvested cropland — farms	3 470	37	396	743	1 080	805	409
acres	241 986	2 471	25 814	49 688	79 725	56 261	28 027
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	2 307	26	245	476	709	556	295
50 to 99 acres	643	4	91	144	207	142	55
100 to 199 acres	304	4	37	75	99	58	31
200 to 499 acres	152	2	17	37	51	27	18
500 to 999 acres	46	1	4	10	9	15	7
1,000 acres and over	18	–	2	1	5	7	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	–	2	1	3	5	3
2,000 acres and over	4	–	–	–	2	2	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only — farms	2 442	23	246	531	748	596	298
acres	257 644	2 323	20 173	44 377	84 515	69 651	36 605
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	117	1	6	27	44	36	3
acres	5 020	480	75	1 694	693	1 896	182
On which all crops failed — farms	91	–	18	19	36	11	7
acres	8 970	–	779	1 227	5 847	515	602
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	101	–	12	17	21	35	16
acres	18 011	–	1 275	994	10 673	3 493	1 576
Idle — farms	281	–	24	68	86	72	31
acres	36 142	–	1 422	3 579	6 707	22 430	2 004
Total woodland — farms	1 934	13	208	408	617	454	234
acres	337 818	1 262	15 891	86 652	94 928	96 799	42 286
Woodland pastured — farms	1 205	11	115	257	378	289	155
acres	197 138	1 054	8 868	72 996	44 897	49 620	19 703
Woodland not pastured — farms	1 047	6	112	213	346	254	116
acres	140 680	208	7 023	13 656	50 031	47 179	22 583
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	1 245	15	127	240	402	308	153
acres	300 945	3 382	10 544	29 043	108 816	68 646	80 514
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	843	12	84	171	275	200	101
acres	94 655	841	5 501	11 849	39 324	23 442	13 698
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	583	7	70	103	177	156	70
acres	206 290	2 541	5 043	17 194	69 492	45 204	66 816
Other land (see text) — farms	2 565	17	254	523	803	639	329
acres	75 661	287	6 566	12 272	16 186	29 267	11 083
Total postureland — farms	3 468	40	355	734	1 080	840	419
acres	755 727	6 759	39 585	146 416	238 228	187 917	136 822
Irrigated land — farms	339	3	37	66	116	78	39
acres	28 687	419	2 272	4 311	8 722	10 382	2 581
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	326	3	37	62	113	75	36
acres	26 575	419	2 272	3 505	8 002	10 057	2 320
Artificial drainage — farms	352	7	59	64	102	78	42
acres drained	95 904	711	6 041	13 100	20 304	22 398	33 350
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	1 091	12	85	201	392	282	119
number	3 432	52	205	511	1 360	954	350
acres	4 714	52	245	510	1 541	1 964	402
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	4 704	63	524	986	1 425	1 130	576
Full owners	2 911	29	240	514	872	815	441
Part owners	1 257	7	149	335	424	240	102
Tenants	536	27	135	137	129	75	33

Table 29. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of farm operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued								
All farm operators—Continued								
White[1]	17 032	12 483	364	1 516	2 216	2 951	3 500	1 936
Full owners	7 860	5 038	79	349	641	1 117	1 547	1 305
Part owners	6 350	5 133	69	612	1 071	1 367	1 526	488
Tenants	2 822	2 312	216	555	504	467	427	143
Black and other races[1]	980	825	6	41	125	192	268	193
Full owners	514	425	3	17	53	69	142	141
Part owners	258	218	–	11	29	67	76	35
Tenants	208	182	3	13	43	56	50	17
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family—farms	16 657	12 193	337	1 436	2 159	2 854	3 431	1 976
acres	5 973 136	4 857 068	96 540	622 175	1 094 404	1 252 258	1 142 493	649 198
Partnership—farms	1 355	1 115	33	121	182	289	337	153
acres	1 066 915	900 786	20 919	122 993	166 863	222 000	243 496	124 515
Corporation, including family owned—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt—forms	6 215	4 586	136	679	1 022	1 207	1 143	399
$1,000	304 094	250 405	4 194	41 270	70 158	68 601	48 492	17 691
Debts secured by real estate—forms	4 228	2 995	49	385	694	815	782	270
$1,000	195 808	156 116	2 036	22 895	42 976	44 827	30 378	13 004
Debts not secured by real estate—forms	3 826	2 979	105	484	681	795	682	232
$1,000	108 286	94 289	2 158	18 374	27 182	23 774	18 114	4 687
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	433	370	370	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	2 081	1 557	–	1 557	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	3 327	2 341	–	–	2 341	–	–	–
45 to 54 years	4 568	3 143	–	–	–	3 143	–	–
55 to 64 years	4 898	3 768	–	–	–	–	3 768	–
65 years and over	2 705	2 129	–	–	–	–	–	2 129
Average age	50.7	51.0	21.6	30.2	39.7	49.7	59.5	70.6
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	10 424	7 823	152	792	1 410	1 941	2 289	1 239
On another farm	785	682	66	138	120	144	157	57
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	649	49	154	144	122	134	46
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	854	24	103	125	185	237	180
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	13 308	13 308	370	1 557	2 341	3 143	3 768	2 129
Other	4 704	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—								
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 995	1 228	26	79	187	248	361	327
Less than value of farm products sold	6 698	5 407	145	701	1 014	1 317	1 505	725
Not reporting or none	7 319	6 673	199	777	1 140	1 578	1 902	1 077
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	5 961	2 290	85	324	494	608	566	213
1 to 49 days	711	617	24	112	118	136	163	64
50 to 99 days	425	336	16	45	59	90	105	21
100 to 149 days	543	360	18	36	68	106	84	48
150 to 199 days	811	308	1	27	82	101	78	19
200 days and over	3 471	669	26	104	167	175	136	61
Persons in household (other than form operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	2 089	1 214	28	149	258	372	305	102
Number of persons	2 413	1 390	34	158	286	434	358	120
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	295	202	2	26	45	65	50	14
50 to 99 days	222	157	7	19	24	56	41	10
100 to 149 days	217	144	7	14	21	55	31	16
150 to 199 days	416	243	5	30	62	63	54	29
200 days and over	1 263	644	13	69	134	195	182	51
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	430	246	2	25	52	58	74	35
10 to 49 acres	2 434	1 551	39	125	238	329	476	344
50 to 69 acres	1 270	820	33	74	111	160	263	179
70 to 99 acres	1 737	1 159	34	99	143	247	389	247
100 to 139 acres	1 897	1 296	46	125	179	306	401	239
140 to 179 acres	1 437	1 046	34	122	153	241	321	175
180 to 219 acres	1 247	877	33	114	150	215	231	134
220 to 259 acres	853	638	24	70	106	154	205	79
260 to 499 acres	2 981	2 404	69	313	433	604	657	328
500 to 999 acres	2 165	1 895	43	304	438	461	442	207
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 115	996	10	149	244	274	214	105
2,000 acres and over	446	380	3	37	94	94	95	57
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	6 560	5 629	230	852	1 101	1 364	1 458	624
Cotton farms (0131)	1 955	1 666	68	223	270	366	483	256
Tobacco farms (0132)	20	15	–	–	–	1	13	1

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	4 549	59	514	962	1 380	1 086	548
Full owners	2 822	29	240	504	842	793	414
Part owners	1 217	7	145	324	416	224	101
Tenants	510	23	129	134	122	69	33
Black and other races[1]	155	4	10	24	45	44	28
Full owners	89	–	–	10	30	22	27
Part owners	40	–	4	11	8	16	1
Tenants	26	4	6	3	7	6	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — forms	4 464	58	498	948	1 355	1 063	542
acres	1 116 068	9 543	75 519	216 591	327 247	307 324	179 844
Partnership — forms	240	5	26	38	70	67	34
acres	166 129	662	7 020	12 935	80 843	41 634	23 035
Corporation, including family owned — forms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other — forms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — forms	1 629	14	226	487	549	271	82
$1,000	53 689	217	5 010	13 488	20 093	10 299	4 582
Debts secured by real estate — forms	1 233	10	149	368	436	216	54
$1,000	39 692	115	3 752	10 166	13 091	8 339	4 229
Debts not secured by real estate — forms	847	9	156	264	274	104	40
$1,000	13 997	102	1 258	3 322	7 001	1 960	354
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	63	63	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	524	–	524	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	986	–	–	986	–	–	–
45 to 54 years	1 425	–	–	–	1 425	–	–
55 to 64 years	1 130	–	–	–	–	1 130	–
65 years and over	576	–	–	–	–	–	576
Average age	49.9	21.9	30.3	39.6	49.6	59.1	71.0
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	2 601	25	274	573	797	648	284
On another farm	103	11	21	20	25	17	9
In a rural area, not on a farm	359	9	66	89	112	64	19
In a city, town, or urban area	872	12	95	182	249	212	122
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	4 704	63	524	986	1 425	1 130	576
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	2 767	31	327	639	864	675	231
Less than value of farm products sold	1 291	26	151	278	397	290	149
Not reporting or none	646	6	46	69	164	165	196
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	3 671	51	445	891	1 206	857	221
1 to 49 days	94	3	9	9	27	29	17
50 to 99 days	89	2	4	23	18	30	12
100 to 149 days	183	3	17	39	51	51	22
150 to 199 days	503	7	49	112	173	130	32
200 days and over	2 802	36	366	708	937	617	138
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	875	4	105	212	297	188	69
Number of persons	1 023	6	115	238	366	216	82
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	93	2	5	22	38	19	7
50 to 99 days	65	2	7	9	35	8	4
100 to 149 days	73	1	4	16	32	17	3
150 to 199 days	173	–	24	45	50	37	17
200 days and over	619	1	75	146	211	135	51
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	184	7	26	36	50	37	28
10 to 49 acres	883	18	93	186	259	228	99
50 to 69 acres	450	6	60	112	118	113	41
70 to 99 acres	578	5	78	122	176	127	70
100 to 139 acres	601	3	67	128	202	134	67
140 to 179 acres	391	4	46	102	104	79	56
180 to 219 acres	370	8	39	85	108	92	38
220 to 259 acres	215	2	24	35	69	56	29
260 to 499 acres	577	4	69	108	178	136	82
500 to 999 acres	270	4	17	45	96	80	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres	119	2	5	16	43	26	27
2,000 acres and over	66	–	–	11	22	22	11
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	931	16	144	216	267	200	88
Cotton farms (0131)	289	5	51	68	74	65	26
Tobacco farms (0132)	5	–	–	–	2	3	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of farm operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 759	1 434	15	116	289	371	438	205
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	276	205	3	8	47	31	79	37
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	134	79	–	2	13	14	26	24
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	142	88	–	3	14	27	22	22
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	319	259	9	16	31	60	110	33
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 438	2 128	19	122	213	421	657	696
Dairy farms (024)	1 424	1 237	18	179	275	353	299	113
Poultry and egg farms (025)	437	310	6	24	63	80	105	32
Animal specialty farms (027)	191	79	–	9	14	17	30	9
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	28	23	–	–	2	9	7	5
Farms not classified by SIC	329	156	2	3	9	29	41	72
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	18 012	13 308	370	1 557	2 341	3 143	3 768	2 129
$1,000	982 795	898 208	18 803	128 566	204 139	238 684	227 291	80 724
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	177	168	–	18	39	44	46	21
$200,000 to $499,999	891	833	16	122	218	228	190	59
$100,000 to $199,999	1 682	1 596	36	270	381	434	370	105
$40,000 to $99,999	3 377	3 106	94	485	673	819	798	237
$20,000 to $39,999	2 365	2 024	77	280	375	482	572	238
$10,000 to $19,999	2 561	1 910	72	179	266	422	585	386
$5,000 to $9,999	2 898	1 669	50	96	163	322	571	467
$2,500 to $4,999	3 344	1 750	23	92	194	335	567	539
Under $2,500 (see text)	717	252	2	15	32	57	69	77
Grain sold—farms	8 372	7 132	272	1 016	1 361	1 711	1 938	834
$1,000	447 837	424 575	13 171	74 426	102 540	110 678	91 004	32 756
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 100	2 977	107	542	693	795	637	203
$1,000	381 710	368 162	10 814	66 754	92 488	97 508	74 586	26 013
Tobacco sold—farms	25	20	–	–	2	1	16	1
$1,000	174	146	–	–	6	5	133	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	3 863	3 390	123	468	602	764	977	456
$1,000	96 420	91 024	1 936	15 631	20 550	24 214	21 074	7 620
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	659	627	13	112	160	165	132	45
$1,000	62 458	60 076	792	10 954	15 108	17 161	11 835	4 226
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 758	1 128	10	107	185	259	333	234
$1,000	6 443	4 495	19	406	660	1 158	1 177	1 074
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	7	7	–	–	–	2	2	3
$1,000	586	586	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	211
Other field crops sold—farms	1 757	1 537	21	150	318	378	492	178
$1,000	194 660	184 055	998	17 237	39 448	45 496	61 617	19 261
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	777	739	7	67	168	203	234	60
$1,000	184 277	174 936	797	16 126	37 532	43 182	59 093	18 206
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	552	419	6	26	78	81	151	77
$1,000	3 978	3 424	26	92	997	579	1 470	259
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	19	18	–	–	8	2	8	–
$1,000	1 413	(D)	–	–	574	(D)	651	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	249	160	1	7	27	37	44	44
$1,000	2 486	2 127	(Z)	55	330	312	991	439
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	7	7	–	–	1	1	3	2
$1,000	1 020	1 020	–	–	(D)	(D)	679	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	708	509	6	40	80	129	175	79
$1,000	57 124	44 070	1 177	3 507	9 745	12 569	14 578	2 494
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	360	264	6	25	51	72	91	19
$1,000	55 587	43 047	1 177	3 503	9 455	12 400	14 278	2 233
Dairy products sold—farms	1 508	1 311	19	183	287	374	322	126
$1,000	86 620	79 967	791	11 628	17 968	25 659	18 369	5 553
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	901	839	8	139	198	254	189	51
$1,000	74 203	69 702	501	10 578	15 872	22 627	15 709	4 415
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 717	7 205	106	669	1 145	1 728	2 128	1 429
$1,000	70 391	52 192	651	4 577	8 920	14 568	14 263	9 212
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	204	165	1	12	38	48	43	23
$1,000	22 661	18 883	(D)	(D)	3 754	6 525	4 722	2 259
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	869	636	8	65	94	158	199	112
$1,000	4 603	3 593	8	418	1 231	924	832	180
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	25	17	–	1	4	6	5	1
$1,000	2 323	1 940	–	(D)	1 012	552	284	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	246	186	1	15	26	54	53	37
$1,000	174	121	(Z)	2	7	38	33	40
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	623	330	6	30	70	91	105	28
$1,000	2 562	1 530	6	98	373	551	355	147
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	10	8	–	1	1	4	1	1
$1,000	946	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	357	(D)	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	188	124	–	11	25	31	34	23
$1,000	3 840	3 407	–	112	865	1 363	659	408
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	24	23	–	1	6	9	4	3
$1,000	2 511	(D)	–	(D)	685	1 127	416	(D)
Forest products sold—farms	882	501	7	34	64	117	137	142
$1,000	5 482	3 482	20	378	499	570	736	1 279
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	19	11	–	2	4	1	1	3
$1,000	1 588	998	–	(D)	314	(D)	(D)	340

Table 29. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	325	2	43	45	100	76	59
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	71	–	9	15	28	14	5
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	55	–	5	18	19	7	6
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	54	1	3	8	24	10	8
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	60	–	7	8	24	11	10
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 310	35	203	457	708	601	306
Dairy farms (024)	187	1	14	42	55	48	27
Poultry and egg farms (025)	127	1	16	33	36	33	8
Animal specialty farms (027)	112	2	13	31	32	26	8
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	5	–	–	1	2	2	–
Farms not classified by SIC	173	–	16	44	54	34	25
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	4 704	63	524	986	1 425	1 130	576
$1,000	84 588	855	7 860	18 704	24 416	21 202	11 551
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	9	–	–	3	1	2	3
$200,000 to $499,999	58	1	4	12	14	17	10
$100,000 to $199,999	86	–	8	18	27	25	8
$40,000 to $99,999	271	2	36	68	85	60	20
$20,000 to $39,999	341	6	30	76	126	69	34
$10,000 to $19,999	651	7	80	127	221	142	74
$5,000 to $9,999	1 229	18	139	255	347	324	146
$2,500 to $4,999	1 594	19	182	311	473	381	228
Under $2,500 (see text)	465	10	45	116	131	110	53
Grain sold—farms	1 240	20	179	281	374	254	132
$1,000	23 262	466	2 989	4 938	6 778	6 071	2 020
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	123	1	16	31	28	37	10
$1,000	13 548	(D)	1 590	2 732	3 567	4 326	(D)
Tobacco sold—farms	5	–	–	–	2	3	–
$1,000	28	–	–	–	6	22	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	473	9	74	109	134	101	46
$1,000	5 396	45	613	1 043	1 788	1 068	839
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	32	–	5	4	11	5	7
$1,000	2 383	–	289	274	864	417	538
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	630	–	63	128	217	139	83
$1,000	1 949	–	215	281	756	395	301
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	220	2	32	38	65	43	40
$1,000	10 605	8	175	1 916	1 715	2 674	4 116
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	38	–	–	5	13	12	8
$1,000	9 341	–	–	1 678	1 292	2 495	3 877
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	133	–	18	34	38	25	18
$1,000	554	–	59	91	203	131	71
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	–	(D)	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	89	–	7	21	34	19	8
$1,000	358	–	34	132	110	50	32
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	199	3	25	51	58	48	14
$1,000	13 055	(D)	1 574	3 721	3 910	2 977	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	96	1	14	24	31	21	5
$1,000	12 540	(D)	1 564	3 508	3 862	2 763	(D)
Dairy products sold—farms	197	1	14	43	57	52	30
$1,000	6 653	(D)	633	1 798	2 024	1 448	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	62	1	8	17	22	12	2
$1,000	4 501	(D)	493	1 337	1 481	896	(D)
Cattle and calves sold—farms	3 512	40	351	718	1 071	893	439
$1,000	18 199	146	1 280	3 782	5 631	5 184	2 177
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	39	–	3	6	11	14	5
$1,000	3 778	–	148	1 030	1 021	1 317	263
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	233	3	31	63	88	34	14
$1,000	1 010	1	51	357	365	196	40
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	–	–	5	1	2	–
$1,000	382	–	–	229	(D)	(D)	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	60	–	12	8	19	12	9
$1,000	53	–	3	4	12	3	30
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	293	5	45	79	90	57	17
$1,000	1 032	71	64	319	253	260	65
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	–	–	1	–	1	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	64	1	5	10	29	10	9
$1,000	433	1	35	63	171	112	51
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Forest products sold—farms	381	3	38	73	121	93	53
$1,000	2 000	2	135	260	693	610	301
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	–	–	1	3	2	2
$1,000	590	–	–	(D)	212	(D)	(D)

Table 29. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming					
		Total	Age of farm operator				
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses ____farms__	18 009	13 305	370	1 557	2 341	3 143	3 767	2 127
$1,000__	605 428	536 766	10 642	75 735	121 686	148 149	132 853	47 702
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	4 908	3 140	63	327	575	791	890	494
$1,000__	35 780	26 437	463	2 818	5 503	8 499	7 225	1 928
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	10 584	7 050	102	663	1 110	1 705	2 087	1 383
$1,000__	100 041	81 231	1 357	8 933	17 546	24 653	22 338	6 404
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	9 185	6 129	87	590	980	1 485	1 801	1 186
tons__	651 956	537 043	9 286	59 032	110 644	161 303	156 870	39 907
$1,000__	88 159	72 205	1 265	8 138	15 226	21 670	20 507	5 399
Feed ingredients_____farms__	3 324	2 305	42	213	380	567	685	418
tons__	33 985	22 798	246	1 709	4 300	7 623	6 327	2 595
$1,000__	4 002	2 976	41	237	638	936	787	336
Whole grains _____farms__	3 498	2 357	52	225	394	570	663	453
tons__	45 137	35 209	438	3 069	11 111	11 393	5 884	3 314
$1,000__	5 352	4 187	45	374	1 373	1 334	672	388
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	1 804	1 087	13	107	154	257	352	204
tons__	115 189	86 711	150	11 521	10 951	30 302	20 565	13 221
$1,000__	2 528	1 863	5	184	309	713	371	281
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	6 328	4 386	46	453	754	1 143	1 320	670
$1,000__	2 630	2 056	31	241	440	572	535	236
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	10 687	8 638	289	1 107	1 566	2 113	2 417	1 146
$1,000__	30 801	29 104	874	5 033	6 895	7 788	6 531	1 984
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	13 977	10 672	305	1 276	1 899	2 600	3 031	1 561
$1,000__	60 005	54 223	1 261	8 253	12 157	14 404	13 027	5 120
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	12 920	10 180	293	1 240	1 856	2 508	2 883	1 400
acres fertilized__	2 335 713	2 111 313	48 063	325 554	480 600	557 008	505 677	194 411
dry tons__	310 381	279 252	6 947	43 872	64 015	74 595	64 285	25 538
liquid or gas tons__	77 607	72 503	1 370	10 031	17 849	16 904	19 731	6 618
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 139	7 507	219	1 005	1 507	1 819	2 081	876
$1,000__	40 132	38 037	815	6 566	9 100	10 176	8 314	3 066
Lime _____farms__	1 180	858	12	111	177	214	243	101
tons__	93 504	75 748	971	10 595	19 099	24 127	14 469	6 487
$1,000__	1 026	822	9	122	206	248	166	71
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	17 529	13 033	358	1 539	2 300	3 099	3 692	2 045
$1,000__	38 828	35 215	789	5 121	7 762	9 426	8 748	3 369
Gasoline _____farms__	15 232	11 471	304	1 322	2 054	2 730	3 282	1 779
$1,000__	14 091	12 392	249	1 691	2 583	3 331	3 230	1 308
Diesel oil_____farms__	11 244	9 132	261	1 265	1 783	2 262	2 467	1 094
$1,000__	15 857	14 814	334	2 341	3 430	3 989	3 476	1 244
LP gas, butane, and propone __farms__	5 237	4 488	142	595	918	1 095	1 247	491
$1,000__	4 465	4 098	110	520	930	1 062	1 067	409
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	17 502	13 023	358	1 538	2 299	3 099	3 687	2 042
$1,000__	4 415	3 912	96	569	820	1 044	976	408
Hired farm labor _____farms__	8 874	6 883	153	860	1 361	1 726	1 924	859
$1,000__	56 935	51 843	592	6 033	11 236	14 402	14 009	5 571
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more _____farms__	3 935	3 493	51	463	772	939	927	341
workers__	10 162	9 213	97	1 037	1 990	2 484	2 562	1 043
25 to 149 days _____farms__	3 378	2 878	62	364	640	762	744	306
workers__	14 122	12 715	186	1 484	2 813	3 485	3 342	1 405
Less than 25 days _____farms__	4 887	3 488	78	408	627	814	1 080	481
workers__	34 890	28 061	454	3 318	5 152	7 192	9 083	2 862
Contract labor _____farms__	1 133	785	21	94	131	191	220	128
$1,000__	3 346	2 872	45	422	583	713	893	214
Machine hire and customwork ___farms__	6 703	5 133	155	646	933	1 222	1 476	701
$1,000__	14 584	12 863	260	1 951	2 969	3 317	3 322	1 044
All other production expenses ___farms__	17 790	13 229	370	1 552	2 333	3 127	3 747	2 100
$1,000__	222 348	202 887	4 155	30 363	47 495	54 198	47 909	18 765
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 179	3 139	76	381	601	733	928	420
$1,000__	21 063	17 833	293	2 616	4 547	4 042	4 528	1 808
$10,000 and over _____farms__	503	445	8	59	112	93	117	56
$1,000__	13 181	11 477	124	1 851	3 225	2 469	2 758	1 051
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 368	1 132	47	188	257	266	273	101
$1,000__	7 906	6 858	161	1 216	1 929	1 660	1 485	407
Recreational services _____farms__	79	64	2	17	13	10	16	6
$1,000__	179	153	1	41	39	39	14	20
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 047	1 478	24	148	294	366	469	177
$1,000__	4 383	3 790	51	314	998	897	1 212	318
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	1 134	812	20	67	115	172	256	182
$1,000__	6 776	5 438	64	767	1 050	1 141	1 403	1 013
Other farm-related income ____farms__	424	351	4	47	65	90	118	27
$1,000__	1 819	1 595	16	279	531	305	414	50
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 375	1 045	40	152	228	202	291	132
$1,000__	6 079	5 253	91	916	1 403	1 044	1 370	430

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	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	4 704	63	524	986	1 425	1 130	576
$1,000__	68 661	588	6 510	16 798	21 001	16 274	7 490
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	1 768	28	230	440	539	379	152
$1,000__	9 343	126	1 142	2 992	2 649	1 935	498
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	3 534	38	369	761	1 067	851	448
$1,000__	18 810	105	1 832	5 232	5 615	4 436	1 591
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	3 056	32	331	657	942	720	374
tons__	114 913	941	11 467	30 556	31 465	29 946	10 539
$1,000__	15 954	88	1 604	4 493	4 602	3 814	1 354
Feed ingredients_____farms__	1 019	6	110	233	295	258	117
tons__	11 187	20	383	1 382	7 452	1 547	403
$1,000__	1 026	3	54	208	500	203	58
Whole grains _____farms__	1 141	10	111	261	362	258	139
tons__	9 928	76	983	3 509	2 780	1 919	662
$1,000__	1 165	8	104	401	350	223	80
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	717	6	83	160	191	182	95
tons__	28 478	429	2 215	5 393	6 711	7 459	6 272
$1,000__	665	6	70	130	164	195	100
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	1 942	22	176	441	631	472	200
$1,000__	574	4	41	120	191	159	59
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	2 049	21	255	453	649	439	232
$1,000__	1 696	13	202	373	527	428	154
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	3 305	44	368	724	1 041	747	381
$1,000__	5 782	92	517	1 167	1 981	1 343	682
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	2 740	35	304	595	874	627	305
acres fertilized__	224 400	2 396	19 876	43 499	74 720	55 174	28 735
dry tons__	31 129	265	2 958	5 833	10 555	7 841	3 677
liquid or gas tons__	5 104	89	266	1 482	1 449	1 077	741
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	1 632	25	220	374	508	357	148
$1,000__	2 095	19	222	423	645	481	305
Lime _____farms__	322	2	38	75	103	73	31
tons__	17 756	40	2 264	3 243	5 789	4 250	2 170
$1,000__	204	(Z)	27	37	62	53	24
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	4 496	59	503	950	1 342	1 096	546
$1,000__	3 613	45	344	739	1 096	906	482
Gasoline _____farms__	3 761	55	413	784	1 114	929	466
$1,000__	1 700	20	152	374	500	430	224
Diesel oil_____farms__	2 112	32	244	467	648	495	226
$1,000__	1 043	14	97	199	332	260	141
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	749	11	94	145	238	167	94
$1,000__	367	5	43	54	113	95	56
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	4 479	59	503	945	1 337	1 094	541
$1,000__	503	6	52	112	151	121	61
Hired farm labor _____farms__	1 991	21	213	409	662	461	225
$1,000__	5 092	22	240	920	1 555	1 405	951
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____farms__	442	2	25	80	145	118	72
workers__	949	2	35	156	286	287	183
25 to 149 days _____farms__	500	5	37	102	166	124	66
workers__	1 407	12	91	334	405	341	224
Less than 25 days_____farms__	1 399	16	166	289	466	317	145
workers__	6 829	60	757	1 199	2 656	1 413	744
Contract labor _____farms__	348	2	37	74	105	85	45
$1,000__	475	8	40	82	165	111	70
Machine hire and customwork ___farms__	1 570	19	206	345	498	330	172
$1,000__	1 721	8	196	328	610	390	188
All other production expenses ___farms__	4 561	58	515	968	1 373	1 091	556
$1,000__	19 461	147	1 735	4 422	5 967	4 680	2 510
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	1 040	14	141	224	315	230	116
$1,000__	3 229	21	377	586	718	631	897
$10,000 and over _____farms__	58	–	10	9	10	13	16
$1,000__	1 704	–	186	263	203	343	709
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	236	3	48	61	72	37	15
$1,000__	1 048	3	186	337	234	199	89
Recreational services _____farms__	15	–	2	2	3	2	6
$1,000__	26	–	15	2	(Z)	(Z)	9
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	569	7	68	135	175	120	64
$1,000__	593	4	59	137	173	101	118
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	322	8	38	51	85	85	55
$1,000__	1 338	13	114	94	238	311	568
Other farm-related income ____farms__	73	–	5	23	20	19	6
$1,000__	224	–	3	16	74	19	113
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	330	4	61	84	99	61	21
$1,000__	826	4	131	247	220	148	77

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	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
			Age of farm operator					
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Family Off-Farm Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	9 248	5 284	138	591	951	1 292	1 434	878
$1,000	103 811	41 987	793	4 261	7 640	10 393	11 707	7 192
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	269	234	16	35	45	49	64	25
$250 to $499	216	189	4	21	31	58	53	22
$500 to $999	369	331	12	39	57	75	109	39
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271	1 843	57	233	290	423	488	352
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203	1 277	23	130	250	325	338	211
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704	1 003	15	87	222	268	252	159
$20,000 to $29,999	746	241	11	27	38	54	74	37
$30,000 and over	470	166	–	19	18	40	56	33
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 821	861	12	103	175	246	237	88
$1,000	21 366	6 928	41	774	1 487	2 157	1 841	629
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	5 792	2 778	101	380	596	740	694	267
$1,000	59 954	20 862	687	2 768	4 815	5 616	5 135	1 841
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	3 606	2 391	37	206	392	577	736	443
$1,000	14 085	8 858	38	513	872	1 732	3 248	2 455
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 649	1 166	14	43	81	156	291	581
$1,000	5 436	3 726	28	87	328	461	933	1 888
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	814	493	–	37	51	119	146	140
$1,000	2 970	1 613	–	118	138	427	551	379
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	12 218	9 643	224	1 152	1 837	2 399	2 655	1 376
number	16 207	12 837	293	1 510	2 533	3 310	3 483	1 708
2 or 3—farms	3 147	2 527	47	287	589	701	649	254
number	6 635	5 313	98	599	1 243	1 485	1 359	529
4 and over—farms	133	107	4	13	12	33	27	18
number	634	515	22	59	54	160	145	75
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	15 070	11 503	305	1 389	2 104	2 791	3 233	1 681
number	27 944	23 136	547	3 010	4 706	5 979	6 115	2 779
2 or 3—farms	5 415	4 622	120	682	953	1 189	1 210	468
number	12 560	10 821	277	1 624	2 262	2 796	2 792	1 070
4 and over—farms	1 486	1 408	23	173	338	416	341	117
number	7 215	6 842	108	852	1 631	1 997	1 641	613
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 222	11 442	288	1 352	2 080	2 816	3 236	1 670
number	39 425	32 859	647	4 022	6 569	8 691	8 988	3 942
2 or 3—farms	6 569	5 119	133	606	918	1 283	1 500	679
number	15 434	12 199	298	1 453	2 232	3 136	3 532	1 548
4 and over—farms	3 502	3 250	50	427	737	907	822	307
number	18 840	17 587	244	2 250	3 912	4 929	4 542	1 710
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 105	11 356	285	1 350	2 064	2 791	3 207	1 659
number	38 524	32 145	636	3 988	6 405	8 453	8 806	3 857
Crawler tractors—farms	728	561	8	32	132	179	140	70
number	901	714	11	34	164	238	182	85
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4 286	4 018	134	703	927	1 049	901	304
number	6 582	6 194	171	1 066	1 407	1 726	1 392	432
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	1 243	1 105	25	161	233	290	236	160
number	1 311	1 170	26	170	246	308	247	173
Corn heads for combines—farms	182	166	4	19	41	44	34	24
number	201	185	4	21	44	47	41	28
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 076	954	21	145	194	250	204	140
number	1 110	985	22	149	202	261	206	145
Mower conditioners—farms	2 610	1 868	23	165	341	495	554	290
number	2 977	2 153	25	182	395	582	631	338
Pickup balers—farms	3 176	2 304	29	187	416	628	684	360
number	3 342	2 445	30	194	447	660	730	384
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 793	1 320	16	126	217	341	404	216
number	1 870	1 382	16	132	232	359	416	227
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	493	391	6	53	81	106	99	46
number	609	482	7	58	101	129	122	65
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	16 858	12 518	338	1 496	2 231	2 991	3 534	1 928
$1,000	558 419	493 800	11 105	74 290	109 091	135 368	117 879	46 067
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 330	1 308	45	106	124	206	430	397
$1,000	6 682	3 787	137	309	360	601	1 260	1 120
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	2 949	1 754	46	144	212	352	575	425
$1,000	21 068	12 791	318	1 099	1 576	2 606	4 150	3 041
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 511	2 327	55	221	359	528	742	422
$1,000	48 444	32 509	775	3 104	5 074	7 408	10 380	5 767
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	5 141	4 330	122	598	839	1 113	1 168	490
$1,000	160 170	137 265	3 701	19 635	27 191	35 246	36 753	14 739
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 784	1 694	51	221	421	489	398	114
$1,000	115 608	110 085	3 220	14 318	27 570	32 148	25 644	7 185
$100,000 and over—farms	1 143	1 105	19	206	276	303	221	80
$1,000	206 448	197 364	2 953	35 826	47 319	57 359	39 692	14 215

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	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	3 964	53	464	911	1 246	942	348
$1,000	61 825	461	6 209	13 467	21 167	15 139	5 382
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	35	2	2	10	10	4	7
$250 to $499	27	–	3	8	7	5	4
$500 to $999	38	2	4	3	10	13	6
$1,000 to $4,999	428	8	39	72	118	120	71
$5,000 to $9,999	926	19	133	218	260	214	82
$10,000 to $19,999	1 701	21	210	413	558	395	104
$20,000 to $29,999	505	1	51	139	167	104	43
$30,000 and over	304	–	22	48	116	87	31
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	960	10	114	222	307	234	73
$1,000	14 439	45	1 444	3 283	5 528	3 424	715
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	3 014	43	362	727	985	694	203
$1,000	39 092	379	4 224	9 459	13 827	8 895	2 308
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	1 215	13	104	222	375	340	161
$1,000	5 227	15	390	387	1 167	1 729	1 539
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	483	5	26	57	104	137	154
$1,000	1 710	20	70	220	320	524	557
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	321	3	31	43	99	93	52
$1,000	1 357	2	81	119	325	568	262
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	2 575	27	300	533	814	615	286
number	3 370	37	371	695	1 119	784	364
2 or 3—farms	620	4	61	140	231	134	50
number	1 322	8	128	296	498	286	106
4 and over—farms	26	2	1	2	10	5	6
number	119	8	5	8	48	22	28
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	3 567	46	398	760	1 127	849	387
number	4 808	67	510	1 028	1 502	1 147	554
2 or 3—farms	793	16	86	178	245	172	96
number	1 739	37	182	400	538	370	212
4 and over—farms	78	–	5	11	21	27	14
number	373	–	21	57	103	127	65
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 780	44	413	816	1 191	889	427
number	6 566	74	644	1 366	2 096	1 598	788
2 or 3—farms	1 450	15	151	310	484	333	157
number	3 235	36	330	681	1 098	739	351
4 and over—farms	252	3	13	50	74	74	38
number	1 253	12	65	229	365	377	205
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 749	44	413	811	1 179	880	422
number	6 379	71	637	1 335	2 018	1 555	763
Crawler tractors—farms	167	3	7	30	68	40	19
number	187	3	7	31	78	43	25
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	268	5	41	75	85	45	17
number	388	7	56	95	119	72	39
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	138	1	11	25	56	28	17
number	141	1	11	27	56	29	17
Corn heads for combines—farms	16	–	–	5	7	3	1
number	16	–	–	5	7	3	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	122	1	11	20	49	25	16
number	125	1	11	22	49	26	16
Mower conditioners—farms	742	15	71	170	257	156	73
number	824	18	80	194	284	171	77
Pickup balers—farms	872	9	86	196	295	204	82
number	897	9	86	205	300	214	83
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	473	5	42	118	154	113	41
number	488	5	42	118	158	123	42
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	102	1	9	24	28	29	11
number	127	1	11	27	32	43	13
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	4 340	55	490	913	1 332	1 042	508
$1,000	64 619	807	6 740	12 519	19 988	15 928	8 638
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	1 022	12	114	199	270	285	142
$1,000	2 895	37	322	574	766	809	388
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	1 195	15	136	270	346	308	120
$1,000	8 277	109	915	1 847	2 387	2 179	840
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	1 184	14	149	264	382	231	144
$1,000	15 935	188	1 975	3 592	5 114	3 103	1 964
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	811	14	75	157	296	188	81
$1,000	22 905	474	1 986	4 327	8 359	5 423	2 336
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	90	–	12	19	29	18	12
$1,000	5 523	–	706	1 169	1 719	1 142	786
$100,000 and over—farms	38	–	4	4	9	12	9
$1,000	9 084	–	836	1 010	1 642	3 272	2 324

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		Total	Age of farm operator					
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Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	14 786	11 272	328	1 368	2 035	2 728	3 184	1 629
$1,000	100 137	92 260	2 076	14 819	21 257	24 581	21 341	8 186
Commercial fertilizer—farms	13 981	10 676	305	1 280	1 899	2 600	3 031	1 561
acres on which used	2 335 713	2 111 313	48 063	325 554	480 600	557 008	505 677	194 411
tons	387 988	351 755	8 317	53 904	81 863	91 500	84 016	32 157
$1,000	60 005	54 223	1 261	8 253	12 157	14 404	13 027	5 120
Lime—farms	1 180	858	12	111	177	214	243	101
acres on which used	65 799	54 182	676	7 882	12 081	18 307	10 950	4 286
tons	93 504	75 748	971	10 595	19 099	24 127	14 469	6 487
$1,000	1 026	822	9	122	206	248	166	71
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	303	233	1	31	25	59	81	36
acres on which used	13 514	11 413	60	1 077	1 143	2 731	4 366	2 036
$1,000	75	63	(Z)	6	5	21	22	9
Insects on other crops—farms	4 387	3 927	130	586	825	936	1 058	392
acres on which used	1 141 800	1 088 842	23 244	190 589	266 120	282 759	240 057	86 073
$1,000	17 796	16 947	352	2 729	3 986	4 536	3 954	1 390
Nematodes in crops—farms	158	142	4	19	26	41	38	14
acres on which used	21 059	20 283	450	2 029	2 719	6 326	7 025	1 734
$1,000	254	251	2	19	27	94	73	36
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	310	263	9	46	30	62	78	38
acres on which used	48 125	45 697	1 367	8 104	4 721	14 813	9 036	7 656
$1,000	640	601	20	107	78	211	114	72
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 779	4 275	139	675	941	1 085	1 074	361
acres on which used	1 564 351	1 499 360	32 867	277 121	398 988	391 954	299 426	99 004
$1,000	17 058	16 364	361	3 164	4 197	4 256	3 213	1 173
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	584	394	1	35	69	105	132	52
acres on which used	58 685	43 034	30	4 106	7 068	11 137	14 448	6 245
$1,000	190	141	(Z)	13	24	38	49	17
Weeds on other land—farms	567	464	6	41	116	126	126	49
acres on which used	15 786	14 345	264	1 556	3 708	4 316	2 906	1 595
$1,000	96	89	1	7	25	31	15	10
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1 339	1 188	34	193	251	284	310	116
acres on which used	278 510	260 263	4 090	48 226	62 569	73 564	51 789	20 025
$1,000	1 424	1 347	23	256	305	373	286	104
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1 003	738	5	80	127	210	214	102
$1,000	224	197	1	12	36	60	51	37
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	1 582	1 109	36	105	195	227	359	187
$1,000	1 348	1 215	45	130	213	309	370	148
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	8 112	6 017	181	766	1 095	1 433	1 694	848
Under 1,000 bushels	551	405	6	31	66	95	136	71
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	377	321	3	43	53	97	75	50
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	198	179	4	26	38	52	43	16
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	283	263	6	36	82	63	57	19
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	217	212	3	35	59	79	27	9
50,000 bushels and over	135	129	1	29	36	36	19	8
Not reporting	8 139	5 782	166	591	912	1 288	1 717	1 108
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	11 033	7 503	121	708	1 220	1 797	2 220	1 437
number	1 104 898	813 500	9 337	72 244	140 691	212 601	226 701	151 926
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	10 107	6 910	109	653	1 105	1 675	2 059	1 309
number	649 684	478 109	5 834	45 720	83 297	119 896	135 270	88 092
Beef cows—farms	8 676	5 676	93	472	826	1 341	1 762	1 182
number	534 736	373 755	4 891	30 864	60 518	86 452	110 592	80 438
Milk cows—farms	2 907	2 303	27	257	439	599	668	313
number	114 948	104 354	943	14 856	22 779	33 444	24 678	7 654
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	7 906	5 447	74	520	900	1 343	1 617	993
number	235 020	174 694	1 478	15 497	28 963	50 705	48 888	29 163
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	6 857	4 512	62	373	684	1 084	1 392	917
number	193 131	136 344	1 231	10 162	20 810	37 663	40 134	26 344
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1 475	1 288	16	175	266	384	329	118
number	41 889	38 350	247	5 335	8 153	13 042	8 754	2 819
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	8 539	5 766	82	503	933	1 375	1 741	1 132
number	220 194	160 697	2 025	11 027	28 431	42 000	42 543	34 671
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 717	7 205	106	669	1 145	1 728	2 128	1 429
number	460 214	340 495	4 115	32 116	55 382	94 972	90 052	63 858
$1,000	70 391	52 192	651	4 577	8 920	14 568	14 263	9 212
Calves—farms	8 739	5 891	90	531	896	1 430	1 756	1 188
number	268 643	199 648	1 759	18 740	31 738	53 077	54 216	40 118
$1,000	25 786	18 890	177	1 692	2 883	4 557	5 529	4 052
Cattle—farms	7 057	4 627	60	413	746	1 112	1 351	945
number	191 571	140 847	2 356	13 376	23 644	41 895	35 836	23 740
$1,000	44 605	33 301	474	2 885	6 037	10 012	8 734	5 160
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	634	400	5	31	68	93	134	69
number	27 085	22 360	25	1 315	4 553	12 237	2 381	1 849
$1,000	7 304	5 961	5	357	1 495	3 066	523	516
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 465	1 060	21	104	209	243	313	170
number	52 536	42 294	149	5 679	14 273	9 663	10 314	2 216
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	758	565	10	52	94	141	178	90
number	8 651	6 924	30	521	3 077	1 343	1 609	344
Other—farms	1 376	991	20	98	198	231	291	153
number	43 885	35 370	119	5 158	11 196	8 320	8 705	1 872

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	3 514	46	397	769	1 104	798	400
$1,000	7 877	111	739	1 590	2 626	1 824	987
Commercial fertilizer—farms	3 305	44	368	724	1 041	747	381
acres on which used	224 400	2 396	19 876	43 499	74 720	55 174	28 735
tons	36 233	354	3 224	7 315	12 004	8 918	4 418
$1,000	5 782	92	517	1 167	1 981	1 343	682
Lime—farms	322	2	38	75	103	73	31
acres on which used	11 617	20	1 414	1 928	3 608	2 802	1 845
tons	17 756	40	2 264	3 243	5 789	4 250	2 170
$1,000	204	(Z)	27	37	62	53	24
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	70	–	9	7	26	22	6
acres on which used	2 101	–	158	131	1 048	544	220
$1,000	12	–	1	1	7	2	1
Insects on other crops—farms	460	7	76	114	140	90	33
acres on which used	52 958	488	7 212	11 479	16 627	10 268	6 884
$1,000	849	6	81	155	323	157	127
Nematodes in crops—farms	16	–	1	7	4	3	1
acres on which used	776	–	5	358	409	3	1
$1,000	4	–	(Z)	2	2	(Z)	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	47	–	4	8	18	11	6
acres on which used	2 428	–	238	601	490	1 061	38
$1,000	39	–	4	11	12	11	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	504	6	84	130	149	95	40
acres on which used	64 991	1 207	7 906	16 817	14 834	15 258	8 969
$1,000	694	9	77	168	145	187	109
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	190	3	24	25	69	51	18
acres on which used	15 651	20	1 186	1 240	6 636	5 249	1 320
$1,000	49	(Z)	3	3	18	22	4
Weeds on other land—farms	103	–	8	17	33	32	13
acres on which used	1 441	–	28	199	334	616	264
$1,000	6	–	(Z)	1	2	2	1
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	151	2	34	32	34	35	14
acres on which used	18 247	104	2 927	2 479	5 700	3 209	3 828
$1,000	77	1	12	12	25	15	13
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	265	1	28	56	86	72	22
$1,000	27	(Z)	1	4	9	9	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	473	13	73	120	123	88	56
$1,000	133	2	16	30	39	24	23
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	2 095	28	231	462	642	497	235
Under 1,000 bushels	146	3	5	36	53	42	7
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	56	–	3	12	30	5	6
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	19	–	4	4	2	8	1
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	20	–	3	8	1	6	2
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	5	–	2	–	–	3	–
50,000 bushels and over	6	–	–	–	3	2	1
Not reporting	2 357	32	276	464	694	567	324
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	3 530	32	364	732	1 078	897	427
number	291 398	1 946	21 767	51 755	91 896	82 179	41 855
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	3 197	31	329	669	989	802	377
number	171 575	1 242	13 287	30 880	53 426	48 087	24 653
Beef cows—farms	3 000	30	314	626	923	758	349
number	160 981	1 172	12 233	28 340	49 864	45 848	23 524
Milk cows—farms	604	8	63	132	180	153	68
number	10 594	70	1 054	2 540	3 562	2 239	1 129
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	2 459	20	253	484	791	617	294
number	60 326	296	4 609	10 246	19 837	17 391	7 947
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	2 345	19	242	454	754	592	284
number	56 787	276	4 351	9 350	18 392	16 796	7 622
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	187	1	17	45	70	36	18
number	3 539	20	258	896	1 445	595	325
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	2 773	24	262	563	860	709	355
number	59 497	408	3 871	10 629	18 633	16 701	9 255
Cattle and calves sold—farms	3 512	40	351	718	1 071	893	439
number	119 719	1 086	8 598	22 562	37 952	34 271	15 250
$1,000	18 199	146	1 280	3 782	5 631	5 184	2 177
Calves—farms	2 848	30	289	580	882	716	351
number	68 995	497	4 983	12 890	22 119	18 981	9 525
$1,000	6 896	47	513	1 296	2 211	1 911	917
Cattle—farms	2 430	30	223	478	757	643	299
number	50 724	589	3 615	9 672	15 833	15 290	5 725
$1,000	11 303	99	766	2 485	3 420	3 273	1 261
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	234	1	28	45	70	62	28
number	4 725	25	289	1 931	986	1 015	479
$1,000	1 343	3	76	663	211	282	107
Hogs and pigs—farms	405	3	53	100	146	70	33
number	10 242	22	631	2 892	4 695	1 628	374
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	193	3	12	61	80	26	11
number	1 727	6	111	526	744	270	70
Other—farms	385	3	53	90	139	68	32
number	8 515	16	520	2 366	3 951	1 358	304

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
			Age of farm operator					
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Livestock—Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	869	636	8	65	94	158	199	112
number	91 057	72 812	156	6 981	34 954	14 567	13 176	2 978
$1,000	4 603	3 593	8	418	1 231	924	832	180
Feeder pigs—farms	156	106	1	13	13	23	39	17
number	32 861	29 748	3	1 436	24 489	1 282	2 146	392
$1,000	644	568	(Z)	27	421	31	81	7
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	831	608	11	52	105	151	196	93
number	12 338	9 764	37	713	5 217	1 622	1 808	367
December 1 and May 31—farms	666	481	7	42	89	120	150	73
number	6 429	5 037	24	373	2 619	862	953	206
June 1 and November 30—farms	590	431	7	42	64	112	147	59
number	5 909	4 727	13	340	2 598	760	855	161
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	334	253	1	22	38	69	74	49
number	8 538	6 842	34	208	426	1 963	1 417	2 794
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	273	214	1	20	28	58	63	44
number	2 265	1 764	4	64	163	530	391	612
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	310	237	1	19	33	64	72	48
number	5 126	4 126	27	114	216	1 210	857	1 702
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	281	210	1	17	31	57	66	38
number	1 147	952	3	30	47	223	169	480
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	223	165	1	15	21	51	43	34
number	5 750	4 698	30	133	215	962	1 635	1 723
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	176	138	1	6	17	41	44	29
number	5 289	4 261	30	69	211	1 293	901	1 757
pounds of wool	28 359	22 773	126	348	962	7 768	4 620	8 949
Horses and ponies—farms	3 059	1 861	41	204	353	460	495	308
number	13 781	8 062	166	907	1 295	1 965	2 016	1 713
Sold—farms	462	241	6	27	49	71	65	23
number	3 346	1 502	18	272	160	306	595	151
$1,000	1 302	552	6	91	54	154	209	40
Horses—farms	3 000	1 815	41	198	339	454	484	299
number	12 940	7 532	165	849	1 163	1 786	1 916	1 653
Sold—farms	453	232	6	26	44	69	65	22
number	3 240	1 422	18	261	150	281	568	144
$1,000	1 291	542	6	90	53	149	206	40
Any goats—farms	46	28	–	1	12	6	6	3
number	743	592	–	75	257	39	121	100
Sold—farms	20	16	–	1	4	1	10	–
number	344	322	–	25	95	30	172	–
$1,000	5	4	–	1	1	(Z)	2	–
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	2 126	1 570	25	103	211	369	520	342
number	2 555 255	2 096 598	40 760	24 661	614 716	783 164	465 532	157 765
Sold—farms	242	177	1	8	24	51	61	32
number	3 184 154	2 485 802	(D)	(D)	888 102	958 022	478 810	134 183
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	2 039	1 507	22	95	205	350	507	328
number	1 962 316	1 601 279	40 489	23 219	369 996	610 286	406 847	150 442
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	1 986	1 467	21	93	195	339	496	323
number	1 762 746	1 450 402	40 460	15 125	336 037	580 015	329 770	148 995
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	216	161	2	9	27	38	64	21
number	199 570	150 877	29	8 094	33 959	30 271	77 077	1 447
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	169	133	5	11	26	38	38	15
number	566 576	465 989	141	219	240 763	168 976	49 597	6 293
Roosters and male chickens—farms	1 021	733	14	48	98	166	261	146
number	26 363	19 330	130	1 223	3 957	3 902	9 088	1 030
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	74	52	–	1	12	15	16	8
number	532 501	409 099	–	1	61 976	245 510	96 363	5 249
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	305	211	5	25	43	42	80	16
number	43 314 567	32 472 257	1 023 242	4 090 081	6 301 828	7 232 021	12 404 081	1 421 004
Turkeys—farms	83	62	–	3	9	15	21	14
number	605	399	–	17	20	119	146	97
Sold—farms	10	8	–	–	–	3	5	–
number	415	81	–	–	–	68	13	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	34	24	–	2	2	6	10	4
number	273	148	–	5	4	31	95	13
Sold—farms	8	6	–	–	–	1	5	–
number	350	16	–	–	–	4	12	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	21	18	–	2	2	2	2	10
number	102	87	–	10	6	6	15	50
Sold—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	51	39	–	1	5	10	14	9
number	230	164	–	2	10	82	36	34
Sold—farms	2	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
number	64	64	–	–	–	64	–	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes—farms	1 985	1 553	20	123	261	362	505	282
acres	36 638	31 197	245	4 032	6 699	7 859	7 782	4 580
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 468	1 152	15	91	206	277	372	191
acres	29 049	24 906	227	3 176	5 731	6 457	6 050	3 265
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	1 809	1 400	16	106	228	320	464	266
acres	28 531	23 862	173	3 048	5 310	5 484	6 015	3 832
bushels	1 469 239	1 248 669	9 239	175 945	325 248	271 985	273 756	192 496
Irrigated—farms	51	31	–	1	1	5	11	13
acres	698	530	–	15	150	15	275	75

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		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	233	3	31	63	88	34	14
number	18 245	14	1 014	5 841	7 102	3 620	654
$1,000	1 010	1	51	357	365	196	40
Feeder pigs—farms	50	2	3	17	19	6	3
number	3 113	2	74	1 220	1 373	264	180
$1,000	76	(Z)	2	27	32	9	8
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	223	3	18	66	92	31	13
number	2 574	7	195	739	1 134	418	81
December 1 and May 31—farms	185	3	16	53	79	24	10
number	1 392	5	119	389	593	240	46
June 1 and November 30—farms	159	1	10	48	71	20	9
number	1 182	2	76	350	541	178	35
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	81	–	13	14	26	16	12
number	1 696	–	123	197	484	234	658
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	59	–	12	8	21	10	8
number	501	–	43	49	145	53	211
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	73	–	10	14	24	15	10
number	1 000	–	66	122	289	128	395
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	71	–	10	13	22	14	12
number	195	–	14	26	50	53	52
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	58	–	12	8	19	10	9
number	1 052	–	91	93	276	136	456
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	38	–	3	7	11	11	6
number	1 028	–	38	89	304	185	412
pounds of wool	5 586	–	242	514	1 502	936	2 392
Horses and ponies—farms	1 198	13	158	294	374	264	95
number	5 719	40	651	1 491	1 809	1 239	489
Sold—farms	221	3	39	54	73	41	11
number	1 844	3	96	1 288	225	179	53
$1,000	749	1	61	298	173	185	32
Horses—farms	1 185	13	157	289	369	263	94
number	5 408	38	600	1 387	1 726	1 188	469
Sold—farms	221	3	39	54	73	41	11
number	1 818	3	94	1 268	221	179	53
$1,000	749	1	61	297	172	185	32
Any goats—farms	18	–	3	2	10	2	1
number	151	–	17	8	115	6	5
Sold—farms	4	–	1	3	–	–	–
number	22	–	15	7	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	556	5	58	122	158	137	76
number	468 657	210	11 415	171 621	181 541	79 964	23 906
Sold—farms	65	2	2	20	24	13	4
number	698 352	(D)	(D)	294 582	158 665	166 263	33 794
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	532	5	48	120	149	135	75
number	361 037	132	1 085	106 984	153 224	75 942	23 670
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	519	5	48	116	143	132	75
number	312 344	92	1 053	105 255	136 672	45 692	23 580
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	55	1	2	12	22	15	3
number	48 693	40	32	1 729	16 552	30 250	90
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	36	3	2	7	14	9	1
number	100 587	(D)	(D)	64 103	26 209	197	10
Roosters and male chickens—farms	288	3	34	68	73	72	38
number	7 033	(D)	(D)	534	2 108	3 825	226
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	22	1	2	10	6	3	–
number	123 402	40	(D)	90 089	(D)	18 005	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	94	1	16	24	23	26	4
number	10 842 310	90 000	1 758 574	3 073 003	2 627 733	2 626 750	666 250
Turkeys—farms	21	1	3	6	5	4	2
number	206	35	4	23	36	45	63
Sold—farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
number	334	–	–	–	–	275	59
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	10	–	2	1	4	2	1
number	125	–	2	8	19	37	59
Sold—farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
number	334	–	–	–	–	275	59
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	3	–	–	–	1	2	–
number	15	–	–	–	7	8	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	12	1	1	6	3	–	1
number	66	35	2	15	10	–	4
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	432	5	46	86	142	94	59
acres	5 441	37	582	716	2 033	1 120	953
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	316	5	29	69	110	71	32
acres	4 143	37	323	537	1 764	936	546
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	409	5	40	80	134	92	58
acres	4 669	37	486	683	1 885	890	688
bushels	220 570	1 700	21 535	35 746	85 393	43 508	32 688
Irrigated—farms	20	–	–	4	10	3	3
acres	168	–	–	28	78	12	50

Table 29. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974**—Continued

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	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of farm operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	362	289	10	33	66	85	68	27
acres	23 977	21 010	573	2 113	5 737	4 922	5 711	1 954
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	235	187	8	21	45	53	48	12
acres	16 923	15 013	538	1 653	4 656	3 352	3 512	1 302
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	166	140	8	13	34	38	36	11
acres	14 335	13 313	515	952	4 838	2 536	3 204	1 268
bushels	557 972	521 272	8 032	31 117	195 507	97 863	139 655	49 098
Irrigated ____ farms	8	3	–	–	–	1	2	–
acres	316	121	–	–	–	17	104	–
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	6 572	5 628	233	866	1 111	1 348	1 447	623
acres	1 475 950	1 383 098	42 737	260 509	356 299	360 671	266 739	96 143
bushels	39 150 136	36 836 086	1 126 350	6 932 290	9 489 668	9 671 884	7 012 141	2 603 753
Irrigated ____ farms	152	133	3	19	19	35	39	18
acres	17 627	16 658	713	2 864	1 980	5 241	4 443	1 417
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1 845	1 671	68	290	373	431	378	131
acres	440 157	415 208	13 643	83 564	107 898	107 827	76 413	25 863
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	76	48	–	8	9	16	8	7
acres	1 738	1 648	–	206	541	702	73	126
pounds	3 255 197	3 176 595	–	442 752	1 156 988	1 228 155	127 500	221 200
Irrigated ____ farms	3	3	–	–	1	2	–	–
acres	241	241	–	–	20	221	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	24	22	–	3	8	8	2	1
acres	1 405	1 403	–	187	540	490	66	120
Wheat ____ farms	144	135	4	23	34	35	30	9
acres	11 407	11 248	106	2 968	2 638	3 402	1 723	411
bushels	280 782	277 115	2 476	63 730	63 485	100 450	39 022	7 952
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	101	96	2	14	27	26	23	4
acres	9 838	9 684	52	2 521	2 367	2 964	1 550	230
Cotton ____ farms	3 875	3 394	123	468	602	765	978	458
acres	535 065	503 418	11 387	83 807	114 963	131 887	117 962	43 412
bales	470 336	443 942	9 703	75 046	100 928	117 918	102 604	37 743
Irrigated ____ farms	137	121	4	27	21	26	27	16
acres	11 175	10 230	302	1 408	2 320	2 305	1 958	1 937
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	3 670	3 224	121	458	577	733	922	413
acres	527 775	496 588	11 317	83 066	113 622	129 980	116 161	42 442
Tobacco ____ farms	25	20	–	–	2	1	16	1
acres	201	161	–	–	20	10	128	3
pounds	145 906	118 237	–	–	6 000	4 000	106 572	1 665
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	25	20	–	–	2	1	16	1
acres	201	161	–	–	20	10	128	3
Irish potatoes ____ farms	366	266	3	22	44	48	98	51
acres	1 866	1 458	4	152	340	409	445	108
hundredweight	166 959	140 074	273	18 924	29 557	39 711	38 616	12 993
Irrigated ____ farms	19	14	–	5	–	–	4	5
acres	66	62	–	52	–	–	7	3
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	197	152	1	18	30	29	55	19
acres	1 739	1 356	(Z)	150	327	399	386	93
Hay ____ farms	5 774	3 782	46	328	610	907	1 126	765
acres	249 606	180 476	1 913	15 889	33 101	45 266	49 681	34 626
tons	509 138	369 294	3 634	34 236	67 243	96 058	99 652	68 471
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	2 459	1 639	17	156	281	439	477	269
acres	113 848	84 616	1 212	8 272	15 862	24 356	23 138	11 776
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	305	222	2	12	32	57	74	45
acres	10 559	8 398	176	306	1 167	2 404	2 774	1 571
tons, dry	22 682	17 074	257	604	2 210	5 421	5 394	3 188
Irrigated ____ farms	5	5	–	–	–	3	1	1
acres	136	136	–	–	–	126	5	5
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	804	506	8	38	84	115	161	100
acres	37 201	25 255	191	1 277	4 865	6 764	7 041	5 117
tons, dry	67 687	46 859	276	2 219	8 772	13 732	12 898	8 962
Irrigated ____ farms	5	5	–	–	–	1	4	–
acres	69	69	–	–	–	6	63	–
Field seeds ____ farms	129	98	2	11	17	25	22	21
acres	7 653	6 722	46	929	986	989	2 154	1 618
Irrigated ____ farms	3	3	2	–	–	1	–	–
acres	56	56	46	–	–	10	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	60	43	2	6	5	12	11	7
acres	2 216	1 637	46	154	338	389	507	203
Vegetables ____ farms	610	457	6	28	87	84	166	86
acres	6 194	5 262	46	165	1 556	929	2 044	524
Irrigated ____ farms	142	105	1	14	19	20	35	16
acres	749	630	15	49	102	119	291	55
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	444	331	6	17	68	57	115	68
acres	4 937	4 221	46	141	1 401	699	1 536	398
Berries ____ farms	94	74	–	3	10	13	29	19
acres	319	262	–	10	72	48	90	42
Irrigated ____ farms	77	62	–	1	8	12	25	16
acres	280	227	–	10	57	44	83	33
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	82	65	–	1	9	13	25	17
acres	299	242	–	10	67	48	83	34
Land in orchards ____ farms	438	270	2	13	45	66	74	70
acres	20 330	15 477	77	331	1 594	2 912	3 847	6 716
Irrigated ____ farms	16	9	–	1	1	3	2	2
acres	490	356	–	2	30	(D)	(D)	18
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	131	75	1	4	14	16	20	20
acres	8 974	7 558	2	79	276	(D)	(D)	5 126

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		Age of farm operator					
	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	73	–	9	16	23	16	9
acres	2 967	–	271	383	1 259	805	249
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	48	–	4	11	19	10	4
acres	1 910	–	95	220	1 095	422	78
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	26	–	3	4	10	7	2
acres	1 022	–	106	40	323	456	97
bushels	36 700	–	7 805	1 310	7 388	18 457	1 740
Irrigated ____ farms	5	–	–	–	5	–	–
acres	195	–	–	–	195	–	–
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	944	15	146	236	269	189	89
acres	92 852	1 520	12 363	22 540	30 492	18 596	7 341
bushels	2 314 050	41 514	350 572	606 804	634 979	481 747	198 434
Irrigated ____ farms	19	–	2	4	4	5	4
acres	969	–	172	46	260	309	182
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	174	5	29	54	51	25	10
acres	24 949	854	4 518	6 582	5 994	6 227	774
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	28	–	6	3	1	3	15
acres	90	–	6	57	1	3	23
pounds	78 602	–	4 316	56 700	300	1 400	15 886
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	2	–	–	–	1	1	–
acres	2	–	–	–	1	1	–
Wheat ____ farms	9	–	–	1	7	–	1
acres	159	–	–	10	148	–	1
bushels	3 667	–	–	200	3 444	–	23
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	5	–	–	1	4	–	–
acres	154	–	–	10	144	–	–
Cotton ____ farms	481	9	76	109	134	103	50
acres	31 647	235	3 912	6 401	11 519	5 227	4 353
bales	26 394	204	3 224	5 140	8 789	4 983	4 054
Irrigated ____ farms	16	–	3	7	5	1	–
acres	945	–	234	370	337	4	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	446	9	70	103	130	88	46
acres	31 187	235	3 819	6 296	11 457	5 064	4 316
Tobacco ____ farms	5	–	–	–	2	3	–
acres	40	–	–	–	10	30	–
pounds	27 669	–	–	–	5 000	22 669	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	5	–	–	–	2	3	–
acres	40	–	–	–	10	30	–
Irish pototoes ____ farms	100	–	7	24	24	23	22
acres	408	–	23	74	173	36	102
hundredweight	26 885	–	448	7 355	9 745	1 730	7 607
Irrigated ____ farms	5	–	1	4	–	–	–
acres	3	–	1	2	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	45	–	6	12	7	10	10
acres	383	–	22	70	168	27	96
Hay ____ farms	1 992	11	194	420	655	483	229
acres	69 130	235	6 514	13 903	23 425	16 416	8 637
tons	139 844	263	10 836	25 493	52 996	32 629	17 627
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	820	2	79	180	277	202	80
acres	29 232	21	2 226	5 980	10 680	6 894	3 431
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	83	–	10	5	34	19	15
acres	2 161	–	180	54	1 067	394	466
tons, dry	5 608	–	271	50	2 622	872	1 793
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	298	1	27	49	105	76	40
acres	11 946	75	1 140	1 679	4 624	2 641	1 787
tons, dry	20 828	100	1 914	2 872	8 532	5 138	2 272
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds ____ farms	31	–	2	3	12	10	4
acres	931	–	20	19	330	475	87
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	17	–	2	3	5	5	2
acres	579	–	20	19	180	315	45
Vegetables ____ farms	153	–	19	44	45	27	18
acres	932	–	82	200	378	176	96
Irrigated ____ farms	37	–	7	11	14	2	3
acres	119	–	24	42	44	1	9
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	113	–	15	33	34	17	14
acres	716	–	56	145	322	122	72
Berries ____ farms	20	–	1	4	10	5	–
acres	58	–	4	12	34	8	–
Irrigated ____ farms	15	–	1	4	7	3	–
acres	53	–	4	12	29	8	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	17	–	1	4	9	3	–
acres	57	–	4	12	33	8	–
Land in orchards ____ farms	168	2	15	42	50	46	13
acres	4 853	105	256	1 064	1 450	1 852	127
Irrigated ____ farms	7	–	1	–	2	3	1
acres	134	–	100	–	3	19	12
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	56	–	3	9	15	22	7
acres	1 416	–	141	84	291	841	60

Table 30. Summary by Size of Farm: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms and Land in Farms						
Farms—number	18 542	455	2 463	1 283	1 748	1 914
percent	100.0	2.5	13.3	6.9	9.4	10.3
Land in farms—acres	7 974 270	1 658	75 364	74 356	144 229	222 138
Average size of farm—acres	430	4	31	58	83	116
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	3 974 675	11 100	80 115	53 707	103 173	133 626
Average per farm—dollars	214 361	24 395	32 527	41 860	59 024	69 815
Average per acre—dollars	498	6 695	1 063	722	715	602
Farms by value of farm:						
$1 to $9,999	700	155	452	51	35	6
$10,000 to $19,999	1 288	105	671	245	132	94
$20,000 to $39,999	2 750	104	744	500	590	444
$40,000 to $69,999	3 113	63	369	326	561	724
$70,000 to $99,999	2 008	15	118	70	233	295
$100,000 to $149,999	2 272	6	62	67	124	225
$150,000 to $199,999	1 486	2	28	17	37	60
$200,000 to $499,999	3 150	5	16	7	28	60
$500,000 and over	1 775	–	3	–	8	6
Owned and rented land by farm operator:						
Land owned—farms	15 487	397	2 123	1 042	1 540	1 625
acres	4 890 558	18 678	81 468	67 632	121 330	172 086
Land rented or leased from others—farms	9 978	83	674	510	682	881
acres	3 775 758	1 558	16 859	22 969	39 085	73 980
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 524	96	406	202	211	234
acres	692 046	18 578	22 963	16 245	16 186	23 928
Land in Farms According to Use						
Total cropland—farms	17 400	217	2 240	1 216	1 650	1 815
acres	4 997 307	831	56 705	55 939	104 461	161 099
Harvested cropland—farms	15 889	201	1 975	1 084	1 426	1 614
acres	3 527 544	675	40 577	37 011	61 494	94 510
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	6 209	201	1 975	770	833	738
50 to 99 acres	2 669	–	–	314	593	539
100 to 199 acres	2 245	–	–	–	–	337
200 to 499 acres	2 749	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	1 382	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	635	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	126	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only—farms	7 940	21	726	568	861	989
acres	977 181	95	13 356	16 641	35 900	57 246
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	443	1	57	33	70	47
acres	22 452	4	484	327	1 583	1 071
On which all crops failed—farms	639	–	52	30	61	41
acres	67 152	–	405	314	1 194	791
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	837	–	26	29	61	72
acres	127 525	–	216	499	1 623	2 659
Idle—farms	1 789	16	156	66	107	142
acres	275 453	57	1 667	1 147	2 667	4 822
Total woodland—farms	6 021	16	346	369	546	683
acres	1 202 410	71	3 957	6 805	15 795	25 254
Woodland pastured—farms	3 553	4	153	187	327	420
acres	534 266	20	1 671	3 113	8 424	12 487
Woodland not pastured—farms	3 380	13	209	200	273	387
acres	668 144	51	2 286	3 692	7 371	12 767
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	4 248	9	291	238	365	420
acres	1 285 437	15	4 599	5 850	12 305	20 447
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 599	6	188	170	271	297
acres	393 156	8	2 988	4 117	8 888	13 565
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 216	3	125	94	146	198
acres	892 281	7	1 611	1 733	3 417	6 882
Other land (see text)—farms	10 520	320	1 380	726	1 005	1 063
acres	489 116	741	10 103	5 762	11 668	15 338
Total pastureland—farms	11 384	30	1 025	792	1 193	1 319
acres	2 796 884	130	19 626	25 604	56 629	90 180
Irrigated land—farms	3 353	61	283	154	185	244
acres	694 984	155	4 385	4 797	8 019	15 027
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	3 310	61	279	150	183	239
acres	684 939	155	4 209	4 601	7 838	14 698
Artificial drainage—farms	2 161	26	107	89	122	181
acres drained	1 078 099	62	2 612	4 582	7 432	14 783
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 246	29	239	129	283	399
number	10 331	102	541	312	634	978
acres	17 528	49	425	205	586	1 222
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator						
All farm operators	18 542	455	2 463	1 283	1 748	1 914
Full owners	8 605	374	1 794	777	1 071	1 038
Part owners	6 769	14	307	260	464	581
Tenants	3 168	67	362	246	213	295

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	1 455	1 265	861	3 046	2 272	1 204	576
percent	7.8	6.8	4.6	16.4	12.3	6.5	3.1
Land in farms—acres	229 591	249 820	205 070	1 093 877	1 566 475	1 602 516	2 509 176
Average size of farm—acres	158	197	238	359	689	1 331	4 356
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	136 823	140 486	107 620	565 379	799 831	771 418	1 071 397
Average per farm—dollars	94 036	111 056	124 994	185 614	352 038	640 713	1 860 065
Average per acre—dollars	596	562	525	517	511	481	427
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	22	15	4	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	154	76	50	88	–	–	–
$40,000 to $69,999	407	287	129	206	41	–	–
$70,000 to $99,999	396	280	200	353	44	2	2
$100,000 to $149,999	268	334	270	746	134	27	9
$150,000 to $199,999	139	130	89	696	259	21	8
$200,000 to $499,999	62	135	109	876	1 421	395	36
$500,000 and over	7	8	10	80	373	759	521
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	1 221	1 037	724	2 491	1 817	968	502
acres	166 074	171 974	124 548	606 920	750 045	806 491	1 803 312
Land rented or leased from others—farms	777	740	546	2 076	1 720	904	385
acres	90 622	104 209	91 228	552 171	900 346	895 359	987 372
Land rented or leased to others—farms	176	159	85	344	276	195	140
acres	27 105	26 363	10 706	65 214	83 916	99 334	281 508
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	1 391	1 184	831	2 950	2 207	1 157	542
acres	167 439	178 824	149 676	821 884	1 189 275	1 081 945	1 029 229
Harvested cropland—farms	1 258	1 057	762	2 750	2 111	1 125	526
acres	97 678	109 073	97 215	554 226	861 998	811 727	761 360
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	456	303	188	459	192	59	35
50 to 99 acres	351	226	130	314	145	44	13
100 to 199 acres	451	410	216	571	179	62	19
200 to 499 acres	–	118	228	1 406	722	202	73
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	873	403	106
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	355	280
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	355	154
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	126
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	783	607	415	1 455	867	466	182
acres	59 544	59 377	43 816	205 634	225 126	163 378	97 068
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	27	41	14	74	39	20	20
acres	655	2 323	417	3 949	4 032	2 975	4 632
On which all crops failed—farms	44	28	37	135	119	59	33
acres	1 426	1 352	1 536	9 256	19 161	11 673	20 044
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	67	47	33	166	160	103	73
acres	2 782	2 247	2 174	16 831	24 030	18 831	55 633
Idle—farms	120	89	85	358	316	237	97
acres	5 354	4 452	4 518	31 988	54 928	73 361	90 492
Total woodland—farms	545	479	361	1 142	747	484	303
acres	25 341	30 923	26 428	135 634	163 233	198 073	570 896
Woodland pastured—farms	354	302	228	713	451	260	154
acres	13 490	17 667	15 035	73 389	84 988	90 396	213 586
Woodland not pastured—farms	283	248	198	643	412	303	211
acres	11 851	13 256	11 393	62 245	78 245	107 677	357 310
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	341	290	204	692	604	461	333
acres	22 958	24 410	17 541	87 932	148 226	255 582	685 572
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	239	200	130	419	344	203	132
acres	15 475	15 468	10 032	45 866	67 421	81 374	127 954
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	142	129	104	349	345	319	262
acres	7 483	8 942	7 509	42 066	80 805	174 208	557 618
Other land (see text)—farms	823	682	474	1 617	1 275	763	392
acres	13 853	15 663	11 425	48 427	65 741	66 916	223 479
Total pastureland—farms	1 049	851	574	1 991	1 329	803	428
acres	95 992	101 454	76 392	366 955	458 340	509 356	996 226
Irrigated land—farms	209	184	136	716	671	362	148
acres	16 259	21 950	17 795	132 282	192 348	166 299	115 668
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	200	180	134	708	669	359	148
acres	15 597	21 088	17 635	129 812	189 436	164 282	115 588
Artificial drainage—farms	169	131	99	420	400	267	150
acres drained	19 925	19 735	18 210	114 046	204 142	260 120	412 450
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	340	287	179	605	398	232	126
number	958	802	556	2 050	1 658	1 106	634
acres	876	831	657	2 700	3 389	2 979	3 608
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	1 455	1 265	861	3 046	2 272	1 204	576
Full owners	680	526	316	973	559	303	194
Part owners	532	505	403	1 504	1 244	650	305
Tenants	243	234	142	569	469	251	77

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued						
All farm operators—Continued						
White[1]	17 032	406	2 065	1 141	1 600	1 832
Full owners	7 860	339	1 555	710	989	996
Part owners	6 350	11	243	233	418	564
Tenants	2 822	56	267	198	193	272
Black and other races[1]	980	24	369	129	137	65
Full owners	514	23	221	62	78	33
Part owners	258	1	62	26	42	16
Tenants	208	–	86	41	17	16
Farms by Type of Organization						
Individual or family—farms	16 657	415	2 349	1 231	1 677	1 781
acres	5 973 136	1 498	72 256	71 363	138 321	206 953
Partnership—farms	1 355	15	85	39	60	116
acres	1 066 915	49	2 425	2 240	4 974	13 304
Corporation, including family owned—farms	460	25	27	8	7	10
acres	881 693	111	623	458	580	1 125
Other—farms	70	–	2	5	4	7
acres	52 526	–	60	295	354	756
Farm Credit						
Total operator farm debt—farms	6 427	87	593	340	562	578
$1,000	349 654	1 707	7 989	4 363	9 915	12 673
Debts secured by real estate—farms	4 342	66	429	232	405	408
$1,000	226 202	1 255	5 999	2 962	6 865	8 684
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	3 983	45	292	198	321	334
$1,000	123 452	452	1 990	1 400	3 050	3 989
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]						
Farm operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	433	9	57	39	39	49
25 to 34 years	2 081	51	218	134	177	192
35 to 44 years	3 327	88	424	223	265	307
45 to 54 years	4 568	108	588	278	423	508
55 to 64 years	4 898	111	704	376	516	535
65 years and over	2 705	63	443	220	317	306
Average age	50.7	50.4	52.3	51.6	52.1	51.5
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	10 424	185	1 342	738	1 027	1 134
On another farm	785	23	142	95	87	86
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	26	111	64	80	85
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	35	192	76	119	175
Farm operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	13 308	246	1 551	820	1 159	1 296
Other	4 704	184	883	450	578	601
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—						
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 995	148	798	391	500	500
Less than value of farm products sold	6 698	98	707	429	568	674
Not reporting or none	7 319	184	929	450	669	723
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	5 961	178	1 052	527	687	713
1 to 49 days	711	17	121	56	61	73
50 to 99 days	425	14	75	35	47	53
100 to 149 days	543	17	115	46	64	58
150 to 199 days	811	17	131	72	92	98
200 days and over	3 471	113	610	318	423	431
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:						
Farms reporting	2 089	39	221	122	197	233
Number of persons	2 413	42	265	132	220	280
By number of days worked:						
1 to 49 days	295	4	36	12	19	35
50 to 99 days	222	2	31	17	17	17
100 to 149 days	217	2	20	17	33	25
150 to 199 days	416	8	43	19	42	45
200 days and over	1 263	26	135	67	109	158
Farms by Size						
1 to 9 acres	455	455	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	2 463	–	2 463	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	1 283	–	–	1 283	–	–
70 to 99 acres	1 748	–	–	–	1 748	–
100 to 139 acres	1 914	–	–	–	–	1 914
140 to 179 acres	1 455	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	1 265	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	861	–	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	3 046	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	2 272	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 204	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	576	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)						
Cash grain farms (011)	6 707	13	692	381	515	564
Cotton farms (0131)	2 000	8	303	183	219	192
Tobacco farms (0132)	20	4	7	3	6	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	1 367	1 213	822	2 902	2 139	1 104	441
Full owners	644	510	301	906	506	268	136
Part owners	496	482	386	1 455	1 203	612	247
Tenants	227	221	135	541	430	224	58
Black and other races[1]	70	34	31	79	26	11	5
Full owners	30	11	13	31	9	3	–
Part owners	31	16	12	32	13	4	3
Tenants	9	7	6	16	4	4	2
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	1 347	1 161	800	2 751	1 885	920	340
acres	212 649	229 287	190 458	987 007	1 293 000	1 218 320	1 352 024
Partnership—farms	90	86	53	230	280	195	106
acres	14 101	16 980	12 764	82 532	197 111	262 544	457 891
Corporation, including family owned—farms	10	12	4	53	96	82	126
acres	1 572	2 394	912	19 979	69 455	113 159	671 325
Other—farms	8	6	4	12	11	7	4
acres	1 269	1 159	936	4 359	6 909	8 493	27 936
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	521	456	342	1 188	984	545	231
$1,000	13 773	13 165	10 523	45 618	68 770	67 764	93 395
Debts secured by real estate—farms	360	321	223	762	622	345	169
$1,000	9 174	8 912	6 503	29 242	41 283	41 207	64 115
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	324	266	224	759	675	395	150
$1,000	4 598	4 253	4 019	16 376	27 487	26 557	29 280
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	38	41	26	73	47	12	3
25 to 34 years	168	153	94	382	321	154	37
35 to 44 years	255	235	141	541	483	260	105
45 to 54 years	345	323	223	782	557	317	116
55 to 64 years	400	323	261	793	522	240	117
65 years and over	231	172	108	410	235	132	68
Average age	51.0	49.8	50.6	50.1	48.6	49.1	51.3
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	918	721	510	1 793	1 237	611	208
On another farm	54	46	32	99	77	35	9
In a rural area, not on a farm	66	97	38	181	158	78	24
In a city, town, or urban area	114	133	93	298	255	147	89
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 046	877	638	2 404	1 895	996	380
Other	391	370	215	577	270	119	66
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	340	307	179	482	226	88	36
Less than value of farm products sold	553	463	334	1 210	948	507	207
Not reporting or none	544	477	340	1 289	991	520	203
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	510	433	297	777	476	222	89
1 to 49 days	59	37	39	102	87	44	15
50 to 99 days	44	18	26	49	38	17	9
100 to 149 days	46	32	34	58	37	25	11
150 to 199 days	90	58	40	126	60	14	13
200 days and over	271	288	158	442	254	122	41
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	216	161	134	371	246	114	35
Number of persons	236	196	155	421	292	136	38
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	25	16	18	55	47	23	5
50 to 99 days	19	17	19	33	29	17	4
100 to 149 days	21	9	11	39	25	10	5
150 to 199 days	44	44	21	82	44	18	6
200 days and over	127	110	86	212	147	68	18
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 139 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
140 to 179 acres	1 455	–	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	–	1 265	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	–	–	861	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	–	–	–	3 046	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	2 272	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	1 204	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	576
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	440	387	316	1 363	1 168	631	237
Cotton farms (0131)	133	96	77	300	258	162	69
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.						
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 887	23	309	169	172	164
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	278	33	133	30	28	25
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	138	14	56	21	19	11
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	175	76	52	13	2	11
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	326	–	48	35	32	40
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 539	144	547	296	454	541
Dairy farms (024)	1 442	27	82	67	167	244
Poultry and egg farms (025)	461	68	145	44	70	53
Animal specialty farms (027)	206	44	61	24	23	20
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	28	–	7	1	–	2
Farms not classified by SIC	335	1	21	16	41	47
Value of Products Sold						
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	18 542	455	2 463	1 283	1 748	1 914
$1,000	1 173 913	14 205	36 314	22 535	33 556	50 352
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:						
$500,000 and over	280	1	3	2	1	5
$200,000 to $499,999	987	12	16	5	11	14
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	14	45	21	32	54
$40,000 to $99,999	3 484	46	96	67	160	249
$20,000 to $39,999	2 407	36	109	111	196	344
$10,000 to $19,999	2 601	47	293	271	431	412
$5,000 to $9,999	2 932	82	721	362	419	378
$2,500 to $4,999	3 359	196	1 078	389	416	367
Under $2,500 (see text)	724	21	102	55	82	91
Grain sold—farms	8 592	21	924	510	672	743
$1,000	486 534	49	3 916	3 660	6 408	10 277
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 254	–	–	–	4	30
$1,000	419 343	–	–	–	191	1 444
Tobacco sold—farms	25	4	12	3	6	–
$1,000	174	10	41	26	97	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	3 953	8	486	297	369	357
$1,000	105 674	26	1 497	1 369	2 014	2 721
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	715	–	–	1	–	–
$1,000	71 106	–	–	(D)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 801	–	119	127	155	208
$1,000	7 673	–	158	260	278	381
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 587	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	1 886	28	379	174	193	169
$1,000	307 047	92	3 403	2 959	4 872	7 728
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	896	–	11	22	49	81
$1,000	296 486	–	603	1 300	3 001	6 496
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	557	38	228	62	68	57
$1,000	4 537	153	1 060	544	499	460
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	20	–	–	4	2	3
$1,000	1 893	–	–	204	(D)	222
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	258	18	83	37	24	21
$1,000	2 662	72	579	267	192	118
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	–	–	1	–	1
$1,000	1 123	–	–	(D)	–	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	732	79	199	76	104	82
$1,000	71 105	9 180	15 041	8 365	9 280	11 658
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	384	46	109	39	62	53
$1,000	69 567	8 724	14 519	8 252	9 060	11 645
Dairy products sold—farms	1 530	32	88	68	173	248
$1,000	89 114	850	1 912	1 889	5 531	10 845
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	920	10	15	18	60	133
$1,000	76 612	549	924	1 032	3 283	8 029
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	175	1 031	697	1 095	1 307
$1,000	77 133	845	5 528	2 026	3 378	4 319
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	248	–	4	1	3	1
$1,000	27 457	–	2 641	(D)	218	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	878	40	223	91	101	93
$1,000	4 939	338	1 082	222	270	821
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	30	1	7	–	2	1
$1,000	2 599	(D)	480	–	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	248	5	29	14	21	20
$1,000	175	6	7	7	8	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	654	46	106	44	60	69
$1,000	3 463	735	740	215	185	130
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	16	2	4	1	–	–
$1,000	1 613	(D)	228	(D)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	221	80	65	16	8	17
$1,000	7 709	1 846	1 300	607	292	433
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	45	12	10	3	2	3
$1,000	6 286	1 285	794	535	(D)	274
Forest products sold—farms	917	6	44	45	82	101
$1,000	5 973	5	49	118	253	454
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	22	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 881	–	–	–	–	–

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Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	160	136	79	266	207	125	77
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	7	9	5	4	1	2	1
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	1	6	1	4	3	1	1
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	1	3	6	7	3	1	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	19	16	9	52	30	23	22
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	413	380	241	729	441	215	138
Dairy farms (024)	226	166	103	220	101	27	12
Poultry and egg farms (025)	25	15	6	25	7	1	2
Animal specialty farms (027)	5	6	5	8	8	2	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	4	7	1	5	1	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	21	38	12	63	44	14	17
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	1 455	1 265	861	3 046	2 272	1 204	576
$1,000	43 067	44 074	34 041	171 986	250 051	227 005	246 728
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	–	1	1	6	48	71	141
$200,000 to $499,999	10	13	14	110	234	361	187
$100,000 to $199,999	54	74	51	336	650	338	99
$40,000 to $99,999	286	288	232	1 075	712	203	70
$20,000 to $39,999	309	254	207	556	202	65	18
$10,000 to $19,999	275	211	108	309	157	69	18
$5,000 to $9,999	213	180	100	287	124	54	12
$2,500 to $4,999	238	179	103	247	97	28	21
Under $2,500 (see text)	70	65	45	120	48	15	10
Grain sold—farms	575	515	401	1 653	1 417	820	341
$1,000	10 068	13 181	12 186	80 520	128 729	121 226	96 314
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	48	115	123	866	1 105	673	290
$1,000	2 431	6 656	7 331	64 642	122 451	118 757	95 439
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	255	221	161	661	603	360	175
$1,000	2 488	2 582	2 237	13 510	24 344	28 304	24 582
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	6	6	79	236	243	142
$1,000	(D)	286	284	4 371	16 866	25 438	23 729
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	200	145	99	327	216	138	67
$1,000	579	502	376	1 292	993	1 096	1 758
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	2	–	2	5
$1,000	–	–	–	(D)	–	(D)	1 189
Other field crops sold—farms	132	123	71	227	187	127	76
$1,000	8 269	10 238	6 605	37 813	66 796	57 544	100 728
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	86	75	46	181	166	108	71
$1,000	7 525	9 610	6 262	37 275	66 490	57 285	100 639
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	29	22	12	22	8	9	2
$1,000	176	175	413	342	(D)	164	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	2	2	3	1	1	1
$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	233	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	3	13	6	16	11	11	15
$1,000	(D)	129	8	219	345	(D)	380
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	1	–	1	1	1	2
$1,000	–	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	46	35	20	60	22	5	4
$1,000	4 398	2 829	1 304	6 284	1 934	(D)	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	22	12	5	26	7	1	2
$1,000	4 327	2 719	1 295	6 265	1 931	(D)	(D)
Dairy products sold—farms	235	175	104	239	114	36	18
$1,000	12 599	9 794	7 029	18 253	12 793	4 194	3 424
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	161	119	74	185	96	32	17
$1,000	10 853	8 626	6 272	17 125	12 451	4 079	3 389
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 009	864	555	1 879	1 277	695	374
$1,000	3 982	3 594	2 875	10 713	11 744	11 921	16 208
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	4	2	3	21	36	58	115
$1,000	181	(D)	494	1 750	3 184	5 521	13 055
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	53	58	33	95	61	18	12
$1,000	135	266	70	409	564	348	413
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	2	–	3	5	3	5
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	148	385	253	388
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	21	10	17	47	36	21	7
$1,000	3	28	30	48	16	12	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	36	41	19	86	74	42	31
$1,000	85	45	87	515	314	213	200
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	3	3	1	2
$1,000	–	–	–	392	225	(D)	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	2	5	8	14	3	3	–
$1,000	(D)	273	677	1 123	368	(D)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	2	3	4	3	2	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	635	1 062	368	(D)	–
Forest products sold—farms	63	92	40	178	134	71	61
$1,000	213	438	144	944	1 043	685	1 627
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	1	–	1	4	4	12
$1,000	–	(D)	–	(D)	303	263	1 145

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farm Production Expenses						
Total production expenses ---farms--	18 539	455	2 461	1 283	1 748	1 914
$1,000--	710 435	12 009	28 762	14 984	24 311	36 288
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	5 040	164	643	319	503	560
$1,000--	43 936	3 361	5 688	2 271	2 614	3 370
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	10 824	279	1 324	749	1 082	1 302
$1,000--	107 875	4 903	13 228	5 664	10 647	14 831
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	9 395	263	1 180	593	951	1 118
tons--	703 558	34 780	82 190	37 985	74 748	98 418
$1,000--	95 228	4 718	11 428	5 156	9 955	13 496
Feed ingredients----------farms--	3 407	68	294	203	337	398
tons--	35 043	513	4 603	2 597	1 524	2 758
$1,000--	4 151	72	482	288	206	402
Whole grains ----------farms--	3 583	76	386	232	356	446
tons--	47 178	825	9 055	1 173	2 491	5 766
$1,000--	5 609	97	1 046	141	314	671
Hay, green chop, and silage---farms--	1 854	27	267	157	178	250
tons--	133 055	520	13 343	3 410	8 750	12 845
$1,000--	2 887	15	272	80	171	262
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	6 517	148	571	325	588	767
$1,000--	3 173	208	235	77	154	226
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	10 999	118	1 222	696	928	1 042
$1,000--	34 158	240	421	327	485	783
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	14 417	167	1 606	929	1 295	1 494
$1,000--	67 506	49	926	852	1 515	2 453
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	13 356	121	1 421	834	1 157	1 341
acres fertilized--	2 654 075	464	26 680	26 418	48 775	80 134
dry tons--	343 576	184	4 838	4 461	7 725	12 887
liquid or gas tons--	96 796	12	931	904	1 545	2 735
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	9 509	112	777	535	696	839
$1,000--	47 260	10	245	288	493	800
Lime ----------farms--	1 213	8	73	58	95	155
tons--	101 416	19	991	1 653	3 434	5 772
$1,000--	1 110	(Z)	12	20	41	62
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	18 057	414	2 337	1 247	1 679	1 872
$1,000--	43 846	352	1 174	828	1 286	1 785
Gasoline ----------farms--	15 720	357	1 988	1 035	1 346	1 551
$1,000--	15 601	175	607	377	591	793
Diesel oil----------farms--	11 669	169	963	596	846	1 018
$1,000--	18 047	50	236	203	320	524
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	5 484	82	367	202	372	456
$1,000--	5 186	36	132	125	174	197
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil -------farms--	18 029	414	2 334	1 246	1 678	1 864
$1,000--	5 012	91	199	122	201	271
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	9 313	129	693	380	582	757
$1,000--	77 152	875	1 256	766	1 026	1 625
Workers by number of days worked:						
150 days or more ---------farms--	4 311	47	87	55	103	168
workers--	13 619	186	192	204	192	291
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	3 618	40	164	110	129	199
workers--	17 510	170	968	559	569	579
Less than 25 days---------farms--	5 068	75	505	262	413	519
workers--	38 057	452	2 952	1 283	2 200	3 031
Contract labor ----------farms--	1 187	7	74	48	79	108
$1,000--	3 816	6	60	78	116	210
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	6 881	65	814	451	627	715
$1,000--	16 944	32	489	360	664	865
All other production expenses ---farms--	18 319	453	2 422	1 261	1 715	1 892
$1,000--	264 769	1 973	5 040	3 474	5 312	9 338
Farm-Related Income and Expenses						
Farm-related income ----------farms--	4 334	68	424	295	361	431
$1,000--	28 083	206	859	691	956	1 201
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	577	6	14	16	21	29
$1,000--	19 895	106	243	273	425	523
Farm-related income from—						
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	1 411	11	118	90	107	113
$1,000--	8 273	63	326	320	507	478
Recreational services --------farms--	88	1	7	7	4	5
$1,000--	223	(Z)	26	3	3	4
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	2 125	19	146	114	183	200
$1,000--	5 836	33	106	119	175	217
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	1 195	40	190	102	94	148
$1,000--	11 457	109	347	211	229	473
Other farm-related income ----farms--	447	2	18	22	22	35
$1,000--	2 294	1	55	39	43	27
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	1 423	31	139	122	122	136
$1,000--	7 297	62	211	273	294	393

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses — farms	1 454	1 265	861	3 046	2 272	1 204	576
$1,000	30 541	28 414	21 269	101 216	141 574	129 213	141 854
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	446	360	206	790	527	333	189
$1,000	2 350	2 030	1 170	5 439	4 874	5 060	5 709
Feed for livestock and poultry — farms	935	821	514	1 725	1 156	614	323
$1,000	10 250	7 748	5 032	14 975	10 420	4 341	5 836
Commercially mixed formula feeds — forms	807	719	443	1 492	1 014	529	286
tons	69 412	51 860	34 096	98 839	62 610	25 081	33 539
$1,000	9 346	6 811	4 564	13 226	8 565	3 441	4 521
Feed ingredients — farms	285	279	174	588	424	244	113
tons	2 040	2 583	790	4 500	8 417	2 246	2 473
$1,000	310	365	112	616	636	301	362
Whole grains — farms	304	272	182	574	417	224	114
tons	3 618	2 960	1 898	5 530	6 236	2 530	5 096
$1,000	424	357	211	711	728	301	607
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	153	143	81	282	177	87	52
tons	9 768	9 112	5 475	18 101	22 381	15 293	14 057
$1,000	171	215	144	421	492	297	346
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry — farms	621	534	321	1 130	793	447	272
$1,000	230	188	160	481	476	328	411
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees — farms	806	716	495	2 004	1 633	932	407
$1,000	799	1 108	869	5 547	8 753	8 281	6 545
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	1 218	981	690	2 549	1 943	1 043	502
$1,000	2 647	2 652	2 226	11 277	16 200	14 106	12 604
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 112	912	646	2 427	1 877	1 017	491
acres fertilized	86 011	89 096	73 465	430 650	639 460	591 953	560 969
dry tons	13 810	13 400	10 995	59 208	81 341	73 180	61 549
liquid or gas tons	2 376	2 897	2 100	14 074	23 442	20 652	25 128
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) — farms	691	613	457	1 841	1 604	903	441
$1,000	878	1 067	840	5 875	11 433	12 135	13 195
Lime — farms	117	90	77	242	168	84	46
tons	5 901	4 820	4 818	19 445	23 029	18 450	13 084
$1,000	68	59	54	220	256	179	137
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	1 427	1 240	843	2 990	2 252	1 190	566
$1,000	1 652	1 758	1 395	7 181	10 269	8 573	7 594
Gasoline — farms	1 196	1 055	746	2 678	2 095	1 135	538
$1,000	690	673	546	2 586	3 407	2 872	2 284
Diesel oil — farms	887	790	587	2 295	1 941	1 076	501
$1,000	542	642	522	2 992	4 583	3 939	3 495
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	376	343	279	1 073*	1 057	584	293
$1,000	186	208	144	775	1 226	930	1 053
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	1 425	1 238	842	2 988	2 248	1 189	563
$1,000	234	236	183	828	1 053	832	762
Hired farm labor — farms	728	622	459	1 832	1 666	978	487
$1,000	1 761	1 910	1 672	8 804	15 619	17 067	24 770
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more — farms	209	210	146	829	1 187	827	443
workers	327	369	323	1 635	2 908	2 858	4 134
25 to 149 days — farms	235	188	195	782	776	541	259
workers	732	640	612	2 431	3 514	3 081	3 655
Less than 25 days — farms	461	389	254	933	671	383	203
workers	3 085	2 833	2 009	7 114	5 770	3 862	3 466
Contract labor — farms	102	81	63	235	201	126	63
$1,000	279	136	115	593	689	647	888
Machine hire and customwork — farms	548	478	309	1 231	916	494	233
$1,000	686	821	573	2 681	3 198	3 099	3 476
All other production expenses — farms	1 435	1 242	853	3 022	2 257	1 196	571
$1,000	9 008	8 995	7 217	38 364	59 644	55 578	60 825
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income — farms	331	319	194	799	602	344	166
$1,000	2 037	1 307	662	3 880	4 981	3 802	7 500
$10,000 and over — farms	46	33	16	93	121	105	77
$1,000	1 355	689	312	2 143	3 632	2 998	7 195
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	110	112	63	280	243	127	37
$1,000	845	450	305	1 663	1 760	970	586
Recreational services — farms	3	8	2	10	16	9	16
$1,000	(Z)	4	1	44	35	13	91
Payments from government farm programs — farms	188	156	114	426	315	175	89
$1,000	283	250	176	964	1 065	999	1 451
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments — farms	73	66	32	164	119	98	69
$1,000	644	485	127	836	1 741	1 380	4 874
Other farm-related income — farms	38	38	21	104	86	43	18
$1,000	265	119	53	374	381	440	498
Expenses for farm-related income sources — farms	118	106	76	255	173	93	52
$1,000	813	422	291	1 385	1 282	756	1 115

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Family Off-Farm Income[1]						
Family off-farm income—forms	9 248	218	1 352	703	957	1 044
$1,000	103 811	2 713	13 026	7 038	9 611	11 346
Farms by family off-farm income:						
$1 to $249	269	3	29	15	24	39
$250 to $499	216	–	30	8	26	30
$500 to $999	369	9	49	26	28	31
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271	32	366	170	249	237
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203	63	343	182	242	251
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704	72	404	224	277	322
$20,000 to $29,999	746	29	92	60	77	88
$30,000 and over	470	10	39	18	34	46
Family off-farm income from—						
Nonfarm-related business—forms	1 821	58	271	117	211	209
$1,000	21 366	725	2 564	1 017	1 850	2 492
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—forms	5 792	143	948	497	639	669
$1,000	59 954	1 719	8 783	5 026	6 430	7 055
Interest, dividends, or royalties—forms	3 606	55	359	190	279	367
$1,000	14 085	113	703	426	581	902
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—forms	1 649	30	257	135	175	206
$1,000	5 436	126	707	417	558	664
Rent of nonfarm property—forms	814	11	84	54	62	85
$1,000	2 970	31	270	152	193	234
Selected Machinery and Equipment						
Automobiles—forms	12 505	261	1 352	755	1 103	1 192
number	16 705	327	1 603	893	1 313	1 507
2 or 3—forms	3 257	60	196	107	188	266
number	6 872	123	419	224	386	563
4 and over—forms	154	1	6	6	4	6
number	739	4	34	27	16	24
Motortrucks, including pickups—forms	15 554	316	1 693	958	1 354	1 552
number	29 839	449	2 037	1 228	1 741	2 184
2 or 3—forms	5 624	79	261	172	296	418
number	13 070	162	545	359	625	899
4 and over—forms	1 644	13	17	24	19	42
number	8 483	63	77	107	77	193
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	15 720	266	1 684	984	1 395	1 590
number	42 678	405	2 417	1 604	2 386	3 020
2 or 3—forms	6 690	84	548	351	616	755
number	15 731	176	1 161	784	1 353	1 725
4 and over—forms	3 797	14	33	56	69	135
number	21 714	61	153	243	323	595
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	15 600	261	1 656	967	1 380	1 575
number	41 662	396	2 370	1 564	2 338	2 969
Crawler tractors—forms	822	7	41	32	44	39
number	1 016	9	47	40	48	51
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—forms	4 448	9	31	50	103	210
number	6 931	13	37	58	114	265
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—forms	1 290	1	46	44	52	68
number	1 365	1	47	48	52	68
Corn heads for combines—forms	198	–	7	3	5	5
number	218	–	7	3	5	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—forms	1 110	1	40	42	47	63
number	1 147	1	40	45	47	63
Mower conditioners—forms	2 704	20	144	119	180	275
number	3 100	20	158	130	194	301
Pickup balers—forms	3 288	28	140	118	178	357
number	3 469	28	140	122	180	360
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	1 849	11	93	76	97	206
number	1 931	11	93	76	98	211
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—forms	531	5	18	13	45	44
number	666	5	23	15	55	46
Value of Machinery and Equipment						
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—forms	17 383	365	2 087	1 175	1 580	1 795
$1,000	613 746	5 486	20 663	13 430	20 802	29 075
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $4,999—forms	2 352	92	707	346	314	292
$1,000	6 743	240	1 968	977	899	872
$5,000 to $9,999—forms	2 988	93	599	351	442	422
$1,000	21 332	681	4 215	2 405	3 140	3 008
$10,000 to $19,999—forms	3 571	76	523	273	474	540
$1,000	49 263	1 062	7 068	3 642	6 428	7 415
$20,000 to $49,999—forms	5 291	98	249	191	337	488
$1,000	165 131	2 799	6 726	5 578	9 377	13 797
$50,000 to $99,999—forms	1 882	3	6	14	12	44
$1,000	122 393	(D)	310	829	(D)	2 658
$100,000 and over—forms	1 299	3	3	–	1	9
$1,000	248 883	(D)	375	–	(D)	1 325

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	791	666	458	1 418	952	483	206
$1,000	7 907	7 648	5 759	16 220	11 930	6 773	3 839
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	26	19	12	45	37	11	9
$250 to $499	8	23	13	29	29	18	2
$500 to $999	22	37	15	66	58	23	5
$1,000 to $4,999	173	133	98	363	255	145	50
$5,000 to $9,999	229	137	121	321	198	79	37
$10,000 to $19,999	260	222	136	389	228	119	51
$20,000 to $29,999	51	56	35	118	74	42	24
$30,000 and over	22	39	28	87	73	46	28
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	173	133	73	267	168	92	49
$1,000	1 654	1 630	956	3 360	2 412	1 746	961
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	483	419	306	822	518	247	101
$1,000	4 542	4 709	3 553	8 291	6 057	2 682	1 107
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	322	255	181	697	505	270	126
$1,000	1 045	727	904	3 215	2 252	1 852	1 365
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	155	127	77	254	159	46	28
$1,000	500	380	252	847	617	182	188
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	79	59	33	150	101	59	37
$1,000	166	203	95	507	592	312	218
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	996	874	618	2 247	1 753	946	408
number	1 250	1 102	813	2 991	2 565	1 564	777
2 or 3—farms	212	199	143	576	655	438	217
number	445	413	300	1 213	1 381	937	468
4 and over—farms	7	3	11	26	24	36	24
number	28	17	49	133	110	155	142
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 219	1 097	763	2 774	2 136	1 140	552
number	1 801	1 688	1 295	5 454	5 475	3 753	2 734
2 or 3—farms	400	398	314	1 355	1 144	559	228
number	861	868	707	3 184	2 841	1 422	597
4 and over—farms	39	34	41	260	454	431	270
number	160	155	180	1 111	2 096	2 181	2 083
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 266	1 108	756	2 807	2 162	1 153	549
number	2 655	2 463	1 827	7 820	8 106	5 584	4 391
2 or 3—farms	676	591	401	1 444	883	260	81
number	1 562	1 365	951	3 538	2 255	656	205
4 and over—farms	140	156	138	744	1 061	815	436
number	643	737	659	3 663	5 633	4 850	4 154
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 261	1 101	754	2 795	2 157	1 148	545
number	2 608	2 423	1 791	7 660	7 928	5 418	4 197
Crawler tractors—farms	42	31	23	137	143	135	148
number	47	40	36	160	178	166	194
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	220	249	238	1 141	1 193	704	300
number	306	358	348	1 553	1 825	1 305	749
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	79	92	64	261	276	200	107
number	81	95	64	278	294	217	120
Corn heads for combines—farms	9	16	6	36	40	36	35
number	10	17	6	39	46	43	37
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	70	78	58	229	237	166	79
number	71	78	58	239	248	174	83
Mower conditioners—farms	300	224	173	511	385	231	142
number	346	253	199	591	448	284	176
Pickup balers—farms	334	294	207	641	457	336	198
number	346	302	224	667	488	367	245
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	185	159	117	370	254	169	112
number	193	167	126	380	268	180	128
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	64	46	42	95	78	46	35
number	72	56	46	113	100	71	64
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	1 383	1 218	827	2 969	2 236	1 186	562
$1,000	27 908	29 096	22 956	112 820	141 762	105 659	84 088
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	158	135	62	163	62	14	7
$1,000	502	403	173	452	199	40	19
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	270	180	120	327	122	49	13
$1,000	1 952	1 302	901	2 360	900	374	93
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	364	310	199	504	195	87	26
$1,000	5 093	4 236	2 857	7 145	2 686	1 248	382
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	521	507	344	1 315	783	319	139
$1,000	14 986	15 236	10 442	42 633	27 180	11 404	4 973
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	61	71	86	509	661	302	113
$1,000	3 574	4 470	5 005	32 296	44 015	20 766	7 534
$100,000 and over—farms	9	15	16	151	413	415	264
$1,000	1 800	3 449	3 578	27 934	66 782	71 827	71 087

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Agricultural Chemicals						
Agricultural chemicals—forms	15 247	188	1 710	1 008	1 352	1 571
$1,000	114 766	59	1 171	1 139	2 007	3 254
Commercial fertilizer—farms	14 421	167	1 610	929	1 295	1 494
acres on which used	2 654 075	464	26 680	26 418	48 775	80 134
tons	440 371	196	5 769	5 365	9 270	15 622
$1,000	67 506	49	926	852	1 515	2 453
Lime—forms	1 213	8	73	58	95	155
acres on which used	72 051	15	787	942	2 373	3 915
tons	101 416	19	991	1 653	3 434	5 772
$1,000	1 110	(Z)	12	20	41	62
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—						
Insects on hay crops—forms	314	–	13	15	26	42
acres on which used	14 269	–	136	373	307	846
$1,000	78	–	(Z)	2	1	6
Insects on other crops—forms	4 622	43	291	219	316	363
acres on which used	1 374 334	136	5 091	6 866	12 437	20 914
$1,000	20 755	4	105	117	205	345
Nematodes in crops—forms	165	8	19	8	13	20
acres on which used	24 228	11	73	64	532	587
$1,000	303	(Z)	1	1	6	11
Diseases in crops and orchards—forms	333	18	45	25	29	25
acres on which used	59 222	30	379	389	435	1 347
$1,000	754	1	8	9	8	24
Weeds or grass in crops—forms	5 026	10	228	209	294	346
acres on which used	1 833 334	28	4 799	7 287	14 409	21 792
$1,000	20 626	(Z)	49	64	139	211
Weeds or brush in pasture—forms	610	–	17	20	42	51
acres on which used	71 436	–	269	254	965	2 044
$1,000	238	–	1	1	3	9
Weeds on other land—forms	621	5	35	31	28	56
acres on which used	25 447	6	176	139	142	635
$1,000	135	(Z)	1	1	1	4
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—forms	1 392	–	62	71	92	100
acres on which used	307 706	–	1 285	2 163	2 963	4 865
$1,000	1 595	–	6	14	13	28
Insect control on livestock and poultry—forms	1 047	12	50	42	72	97
$1,000	240	2	5	18	6	13
Other chemicals (see text)—forms	1 608	41	298	161	154	166
$1,000	1 426	2	57	40	72	87
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm						
Farms with grain storage facilities:						
None	8 428	146	856	497	732	895
Under 1,000 bushels	560	7	69	36	65	83
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	390	7	14	9	18	26
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	221	–	–	–	3	7
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	306	–	4	–	1	2
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	240	–	1	1	1	–
50,000 bushels and over	157	1	2	–	–	2
Not reporting	8 240	294	1 517	740	928	899
Livestock						
Cattle and calves—forms	11 280	171	1 184	744	1 141	1 346
number	1 198 968	7 817	41 550	24 524	50 968	77 219
Cows and heifers that had calved—forms	10 336	139	998	645	1 021	1 246
number	701 533	4 737	18 165	13 733	30 518	47 265
Beef cows—forms	8 889	112	853	563	837	1 008
number	583 384	3 615	14 975	10 896	22 218	33 146
Milk cows—forms	2 948	52	360	209	372	428
number	118 149	1 122	3 190	2 837	8 300	14 119
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—forms	8 115	94	618	438	754	957
number	256 451	1 369	10 442	5 248	10 911	16 817
Beef heifers and heifer calves—forms	7 052	86	553	394	626	782
number	213 051	1 225	9 698	4 368	8 417	12 073
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—forms	1 496	18	85	63	171	231
number	43 400	144	744	880	2 494	4 744
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—forms	8 769	121	792	530	821	1 028
number	240 984	1 711	12 943	5 543	9 539	13 137
Cattle and calves sold—forms	10 958	175	1 031	697	1 095	1 307
number	498 964	5 064	29 423	13 192	21 515	29 977
$1,000	77 133	845	5 528	2 026	3 378	4 319
Calves—forms	8 926	131	811	549	896	1 053
number	287 900	2 902	10 863	7 745	12 408	18 197
$1,000	27 760	324	1 159	784	1 133	1 689
Cattle—forms	7 221	118	654	445	725	863
number	211 064	2 162	18 560	5 447	9 107	11 780
$1,000	49 373	520	4 369	1 242	2 245	2 630
Fattened on grain and concentrates—forms	653	11	92	48	74	73
number	31 323	241	10 892	501	1 278	1 031
$1,000	8 660	58	2 610	113	325	250
Hogs and pigs—forms	1 476	43	390	144	178	166
number	55 572	2 970	12 231	3 605	3 160	10 533
Used or to be used for breeding—forms	765	24	180	87	96	79
number	9 008	374	1 841	532	530	2 366
Other—forms	1 387	41	375	133	166	160
number	46 564	2 596	10 390	3 073	2 630	8 167

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	1 274	1 031	728	2 696	2 059	1 097	533
$1,000	3 526	3 719	3 065	17 152	27 632	26 240	25 800
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 218	981	690	2 549	1 943	1 043	502
acres on which used	86 011	89 096	73 465	430 650	639 460	591 953	560 969
tons	16 186	16 296	13 095	73 282	104 782	93 832	86 677
$1,000	2 647	2 652	2 226	11 277	16 200	14 106	12 604
Lime—farms	117	90	77	242	168	84	46
acres on which used	3 745	3 156	3 380	13 841	15 787	12 803	11 307
tons	5 901	4 820	4 818	19 445	23 029	18 450	13 084
$1,000	68	59	54	220	256	179	137
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	42	18	21	57	46	15	19
acres on which used	1 004	470	749	2 492	2 605	2 281	3 006
$1,000	4	2	5	14	19	10	15
Insects on other crops—farms	259	253	177	855	922	612	312
acres on which used	21 566	27 562	21 382	153 652	327 148	366 720	410 860
$1,000	344	441	299	2 305	5 096	5 759	5 735
Nematodes in crops—farms	8	15	7	23	23	17	4
acres on which used	547	1 424	838	3 187	6 078	5 919	4 968
$1,000	4	12	6	30	139	53	39
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	16	21	12	52	45	30	15
acres on which used	932	2 289	795	7 321	11 578	18 099	15 628
$1,000	15	28	9	102	147	219	185
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	303	305	240	1 081	1 055	639	316
acres on which used	29 806	37 225	35 281	242 798	463 926	468 797	507 186
$1,000	287	367	322	2 498	4 976	5 268	6 443
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	70	59	35	137	90	53	36
acres on which used	3 000	2 799	2 462	11 194	12 286	10 975	25 188
$1,000	11	11	8	32	36	30	97
Weeds on other land—farms	57	38	29	107	117	67	51
acres on which used	754	806	403	2 138	4 481	4 814	10 953
$1,000	4	5	2	13	26	27	52
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	99	64	66	254	279	207	98
acres on which used	6 540	5 424	5 980	33 637	73 200	88 279	83 370
$1,000	44	26	25	179	376	468	416
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	87	86	68	191	158	106	78
$1,000	14	16	9	33	41	38	46
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	135	101	87	280	122	43	20
$1,000	84	100	101	449	321	83	31
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	738	612	440	1 596	1 163	529	224
Under 1,000 bushels	70	54	23	90	36	17	10
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	34	26	24	111	56	49	16
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	9	6	7	55	71	42	21
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	10	3	6	46	110	88	36
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	2	–	3	27	84	86	35
50,000 bushels and over	3	3	1	4	31	59	51
Not reporting	589	561	357	1 117	721	334	183
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	1 014	869	562	1 917	1 265	698	369
number	74 235	69 141	49 831	195 173	207 065	174 784	226 661
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	950	805	540	1 802	1 193	659	338
number	45 272	41 793	32 141	115 211	121 659	100 326	130 713
Beef cows—farms	732	652	436	1 616	1 110	640	330
number	28 885	28 977	23 035	92 569	105 666	94 247	125 155
Milk cows—farms	351	263	161	446	201	73	32
number	16 387	12 816	9 106	22 642	15 993	6 079	5 558
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	785	672	437	1 490	1 027	538	305
number	17 575	15 874	10 399	43 251	44 371	33 487	46 707
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	608	540	354	1 336	951	521	301
number	11 399	10 889	7 074	33 911	37 560	31 353	45 084
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	231	167	113	236	127	40	14
number	6 176	4 985	3 325	9 340	6 811	2 134	1 623
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	784	668	442	1 557	1 073	610	343
number	11 388	11 474	7 291	36 711	41 035	40 971	49 241
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 009	864	555	1 879	1 277	695	374
number	29 616	27 031	19 231	74 429	79 098	71 323	99 065
$1,000	3 982	3 594	2 875	10 713	11 744	11 921	16 208
Calves—farms	832	718	445	1 577	1 051	565	298
number	18 881	16 852	11 476	46 308	49 521	40 603	52 144
$1,000	1 481	1 485	941	4 351	4 780	4 316	5 316
Cattle—farms	705	592	392	1 201	804	452	270
number	10 735	10 179	7 755	28 121	29 577	30 720	46 921
$1,000	2 501	2 109	1 933	6 362	6 963	7 605	10 892
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	65	45	29	96	74	31	15
number	1 022	552	1 465	3 119	4 058	1 859	5 305
$1,000	212	137	482	861	1 230	609	1 771
Hogs and pigs—farms	115	93	50	172	84	25	16
number	1 244	2 597	1 125	5 150	5 664	4 151	3 142
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	55	57	33	79	52	14	9
number	159	495	315	647	655	501	593
Other—farms	104	81	42	165	81	24	15
number	1 085	2 102	810	4 503	5 009	3 650	2 549

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Livestock — Continued						
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	878	40	223	91	101	93
number	95 338	5 595	17 556	4 311	5 027	29 522
$1,000	4 939	338	1 082	222	270	821
Feeder pigs — farms	157	4	40	17	24	27
number	32 951	762	3 290	1 371	1 451	24 721
$1,000	647	21	111	29	29	426
Litters of pigs farrowed between —						
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	838	25	209	94	108	87
number	12 699	631	2 370	643	759	4 189
December 1 and May 31 — farms	673	23	172	73	93	65
number	6 633	307	1 270	329	421	2 118
June 1 and November 30 — farms	595	22	145	59	74	70
number	6 066	324	1 100	314	338	2 071
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	338	7	51	19	24	35
number	8 612	285	514	998	411	369
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	275	6	42	14	19	29
number	2 292	104	182	299	124	111
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	313	6	48	14	22	31
number	5 166	155	286	580	232	211
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	284	7	36	15	22	30
number	1 154	26	46	119	55	47
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	225	5	22	14	17	20
number	5 787	168	219	295	177	211
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	178	5	22	10	14	7
number	5 323	189	246	625	232	128
pounds of wool	28 539	1 015	1 305	2 805	1 316	649
Horses and ponies — farms	3 143	58	326	181	297	338
number	14 764	237	1 633	789	1 093	1 315
Sold — farms	480	20	67	27	48	45
number	3 507	72	551	116	202	132
$1,000	1 554	72	406	91	143	46
Horses — farms	3 084	58	323	178	287	329
number	13 908	220	1 548	771	1 006	1 229
Sold — farms	471	20	66	26	48	45
number	3 401	72	530	115	194	131
$1,000	1 543	72	402	91	143	46
Any goats — farms	46	–	4	3	7	5
number	743	–	150	22	79	64
Sold — farms	20	–	4	–	–	5
number	344	–	28	–	–	99
$1,000	5	–	(Z)	–	–	1
Poultry						
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 153	70	522	228	292	267
number	3 524 436	297 552	778 278	615 330	243 354	752 878
Sold — farms	258	32	82	32	33	21
number	4 004 634	390 206	882 968	585 880	292 655	940 880
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 065	69	483	217	283	258
number	2 809 049	278 511	567 302	514 712	225 695	562 827
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	2 005	64	465	211	273	255
number	2 465 225	220 391	539 963	488 770	148 988	482 436
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	225	8	51	33	38	20
number	343 824	58 120	27 339	25 942	76 707	80 391
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	171	7	35	17	19	20
number	674 576	13 100	206 537	97 383	8 740	181 231
Roosters and male chickens — farms	1 036	28	228	121	121	147
number	40 811	5 941	4 439	3 235	8 919	8 820
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	77	3	20	8	4	10
number	532 606	50 010	63 260	55 264	236	113 141
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	310	38	82	29	59	39
number	44 216 095	3 265 649	9 199 675	3 975 687	7 899 704	6 885 040
Turkeys — farms	85	4	11	14	7	6
number	619	12	41	111	48	16
Sold — farms	10	–	–	–	–	–
number	415	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	35	4	3	5	1	–
number	276	8	6	9	12	–
Sold — farms	8	–	–	–	–	–
number	350	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	21	–	5	6	3	3
number	102	–	24	36	15	10
Sold — farms	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	1	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	53	2	7	9	6	4
number	241	4	11	66	21	6
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–
number	64	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested						
Field corn for all purposes — farms	2 033	7	400	180	238	201
acres	40 178	21	2 823	1 685	2 374	2 369
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 511	4	253	122	171	135
acres	32 248	18	1 570	1 003	1 656	1 713
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	1 847	7	380	175	220	184
acres	30 796	21	2 661	1 536	2 080	1 817
bushels	1 612 828	816	118 450	55 917	91 072	71 341
Irrigated — farms	53	2	11	8	2	5
acres	758	4	60	29	11	71

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Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	53	58	33	95	61	18	12
number	2 571	4 259	1 784	5 980	8 034	4 958	5 741
$1,000	135	266	70	409	564	348	413
Feeder pigs—farms	7	17	6	8	5	2	–
number	136	156	57	263	276	468	–
$1,000	2	4	1	5	7	13	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	62	60	36	81	53	14	9
number	185	581	330	629	836	688	858
December 1 and May 31—farms	42	45	27	66	46	13	8
number	105	300	168	350	463	319	483
June 1 and November 30—farms	41	39	25	66	37	12	5
number	80	281	162	279	373	369	375
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	28	13	19	69	41	23	9
number	509	449	651	2 528	947	671	280
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	23	10	13	62	36	17	4
number	123	119	203	532	249	186	60
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	27	13	19	65	38	22	8
number	300	285	386	1 546	587	403	195
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	25	13	16	59	34	20	7
number	86	45	62	450	111	82	25
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	17	10	15	44	33	21	7
number	148	1 251	431	1 681	499	518	189
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	12	10	12	32	29	18	7
number	305	283	403	1 520	641	505	246
pounds of wool	1 418	1 217	2 550	8 276	4 048	2 571	1 369
Horses and ponies—farms	212	244	153	533	406	250	145
number	800	937	988	2 235	1 859	1 435	1 443
Sold—farms	23	37	14	73	61	37	28
number	144	130	49	1 260	561	118	172
$1,000	46	32	52	291	210	56	108
Horses—farms	207	237	149	523	401	248	144
number	738	858	955	2 113	1 731	1 352	1 387
Sold—farms	23	37	14	71	58	36	27
number	142	107	49	1 257	525	115	164
$1,000	46	31	52	290	205	56	108
Any goats—farms	10	2	2	5	3	4	1
number	126	6	9	137	114	30	6
Sold—farms	5	–	–	2	2	1	1
number	61	–	–	41	27	30	58
$1,000	1	–	–	1	1	(Z)	(Z)
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	173	140	70	234	117	30	10
number	136 929	66 214	114 395	337 477	166 530	1 213	14 286
Sold—farms	11	15	9	15	5	2	1
number	122 558	148 364	39 241	415 233	175 327	(D)	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	168	138	68	227	116	29	9
number	102 307	64 340	108 138	273 875	96 117	1 002	14 223
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	159	137	65	224	115	28	9
number	64 319	52 088	108 062	249 340	95 800	873	14 195
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	20	13	6	20	9	5	2
number	37 988	12 252	76	24 535	317	129	28
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	16	18	6	18	8	5	2
number	30 454	457	6 121	60 282	70 125	123	23
Roosters and male chickens—farms	98	64	28	126	51	19	5
number	4 168	1 417	136	3 320	288	88	40
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	6	5	1	13	1	4	2
number	969	18 095	40	226 366	120	90	5 015
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	21	12	5	18	4	2	1
number	4 128 308	2 472 100	540 050	3 946 582	1 023 000	(D)	(D)
Turkeys—farms	7	13	2	12	7	1	1
number	29	88	3	108	93	11	59
Sold—farms	–	1	–	4	4	–	1
number	–	275	–	73	8	–	59
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	1	5	1	6	7	1	1
number	7	55	1	27	89	3	59
Sold—farms	–	1	–	2	4	–	1
number	–	275	–	8	8	–	59
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	1	3	–	–	–	–	–
number	6	11	–	–	–	–	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	6	7	1	8	2	1	–
number	16	22	2	81	4	8	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	64	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	167	135	85	286	166	108	60
acres	2 748	2 136	1 497	7 459	6 228	5 665	5 173
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	135	103	66	238	140	93	51
acres	2 025	1 454	1 240	5 992	5 536	5 107	4 934
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	145	123	76	250	140	94	53
acres	1 654	1 340	1 058	5 429	4 416	4 022	4 762
bushels	77 633	66 903	43 337	293 960	274 082	223 609	295 708
Irrigated—farms	4	2	–	9	7	2	1
acres	29	19	–	102	138	145	150

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Crops Harvested—Continued						
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	384	–	10	17	12	27
acres	27 864	–	170	355	296	638
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	252	–	5	10	8	19
acres	20 289	–	92	125	139	431
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	178	–	5	4	2	8
acres	16 965	–	93	22	8	277
bushels	629 983	–	6 395	720	342	6 564
Irrigated—farms	8	–	–	–	–	1
acres	316	–	–	–	–	75
Soybeans for beans—farms	6 748	11	672	382	515	542
acres	1 599 175	64	13 448	12 171	21 731	31 646
bushels	42 668 498	3 572	375 456	334 641	560 435	838 529
Irrigated—farms	159	–	13	8	13	9
acres	18 319	–	348	185	433	465
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 917	1	77	53	75	91
acres	478 834	6	1 699	1 866	3 295	5 304
Peanuts for nuts—farms	78	–	24	3	6	10
acres	1 903	–	32	3	10	10
pounds	3 568 464	–	20 652	3 200	14 750	8 200
Irrigated—farms	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	241	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	26	–	–	1	1	3
acres	1 570	–	–	1	5	3
Wheat—farms	159	–	1	6	8	4
acres	15 007	–	30	82	98	89
bushels	370 937	–	474	1 836	1 194	2 696
Irrigated—farms	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	20	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	115	–	1	2	2	4
acres	13 388	–	30	12	24	89
Cotton—farms	3 965	9	491	299	369	357
acres	579 572	54	8 717	8 049	12 099	15 837
bales	515 229	109	7 398	6 446	9 900	13 278
Irrigated—farms	144	–	2	11	7	12
acres	13 287	–	12	271	177	588
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	3 759	2	402	271	336	337
acres	571 640	10	7 801	7 713	11 553	15 472
Tobacco—farms	25	4	12	3	6	–
acres	201	12	74	31	84	–
pounds	145 906	8 000	34 672	25 634	77 600	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	25	4	12	3	6	–
acres	201	12	74	31	84	–
Irish potatoes—farms	369	14	105	37	59	41
acres	2 007	55	331	221	137	188
hundredweight	188 010	6 274	27 787	18 406	10 738	17 883
Irrigated—farms	19	–	7	2	6	1
acres	66	–	5	1	2	1
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	200	10	47	19	29	24
acres	1 880	52	263	209	124	178
Hay—farms	5 907	12	383	331	554	792
acres	267 707	36	4 714	5 623	10 758	20 098
tons	556 316	38	9 717	11 732	21 508	40 034
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2 540	2	104	106	195	319
acres	125 578	2	1 213	1 939	4 003	7 835
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	309	–	19	10	37	35
acres	10 804	–	214	156	718	508
tons, dry	23 359	–	523	435	1 808	1 124
Irrigated—farms	5	–	1	–	–	–
acres	136	–	5	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	819	–	52	51	72	82
acres	38 762	–	682	836	1 426	2 322
tons, dry	70 101	–	1 498	1 325	3 071	4 210
Irrigated—farms	5	–	–	2	–	–
acres	69	–	–	12	–	–
Field seeds—farms	134	–	2	7	7	11
acres	8 273	–	16	79	179	183
Irrigated—farms	3	–	–	–	2	–
acres	56	–	–	–	46	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	63	–	–	2	3	8
acres	2 716	–	–	24	126	128
Vegetables—farms	615	42	243	71	76	62
acres	6 566	150	1 609	703	761	706
Irrigated—farms	143	17	75	15	17	6
acres	999	46	357	92	127	8
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	448	26	174	61	56	41
acres	5 269	91	1 022	667	506	573
Berries—farms	94	14	53	13	8	1
acres	319	25	186	55	47	1
Irrigated—farms	77	9	47	11	7	1
acres	280	18	173	51	37	1
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	82	10	48	13	8	1
acres	299	19	177	55	47	1
Land in orchards—farms	461	5	49	36	48	40
acres	26 404	15	589	558	402	1 183
Irrigated—farms	16	2	1	5	1	3
acres	490	5	2	32	30	200
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	143	3	21	11	18	20
acres	13 808	13	203	95	180	714

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Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	31	29	13	89	59	55	42
acres	1 037	955	685	4 450	2 996	6 099	10 183
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	17	18	10	60	36	36	33
acres	598	493	547	3 438	2 113	4 176	8 137
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	6	8	4	40	29	42	30
acres	233	206	203	1 993	1 487	4 174	8 269
bushels	4 109	8 052	6 868	57 753	73 300	149 976	315 904
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	5	1	1	–
acres	–	–	–	124	17	100	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	428	388	316	1 282	1 212	709	291
acres	34 541	39 110	42 883	246 072	421 285	398 852	337 372
bushels	895 641	1 016 787	1 078 556	6 276 480	11 060 550	10 958 326	9 269 525
Irrigated—farms	21	5	9	37	28	14	2
acres	1 466	515	1 497	3 903	5 667	3 590	250
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	89	99	91	470	491	283	97
acres	7 081	9 344	11 103	82 196	145 482	130 957	80 501
Peanuts for nuts—farms	–	7	–	10	4	7	7
acres	–	291	–	170	275	493	619
pounds	–	488 864	–	215 970	580 252	855 652	1 380 924
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	1	2
acres	–	–	–	–	–	20	221
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	2	–	5	3	5	6
acres	–	156	–	111	260	490	544
Wheat—farms	5	2	7	28	22	46	30
acres	103	32	321	1 328	1 394	5 005	6 525
bushels	2 105	1 110	4 929	27 951	27 690	134 843	166 109
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	20	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	1	7	18	14	37	29
acres	–	30	321	912	1 058	4 388	6 524
Cotton—farms	255	221	161	665	603	360	175
acres	14 740	15 957	14 003	81 786	140 978	143 676	123 676
bales	12 267	12 966	11 541	67 078	121 176	134 828	118 242
Irrigated—farms	14	1	4	35	39	10	9
acres	786	120	330	2 648	4 450	1 620	2 285
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	246	217	155	658	601	360	174
acres	14 395	15 843	13 711	80 465	139 359	142 257	123 061
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	33	22	11	30	10	4	3
acres	106	50	162	242	109	111	295
hundredweight	9 235	4 870	11 307	20 382	12 510	9 347	39 271
Irrigated—farms	–	1	–	2*	–	–	–
acres	–	1	–	56	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	20	9	8	18	9	4	3
acres	101	41	159	239	108	111	295
Hay—farms	647	489	348	1 057	702	374	218
acres	21 345	19 362	14 769	51 298	43 785	35 503	40 416
tons	44 017	37 493	28 825	104 678	89 441	77 614	91 219
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	306	207	159	508	337	177	120
acres	11 371	7 932	6 223	25 288	21 093	15 848	22 831
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	39	30	21	53	30	27	8
acres	955	570	682	2 621	1 290	1 860	1 230
tons, dry	1 969	946	2 104	4 408	3 814	3 811	2 417
Irrigated—farms	2	–	–	1	1	–	–
acres	100	–	–	5	26	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	79	65	57	165	110	54	32
acres	2 582	2 280	2 080	7 423	6 960	6 220	5 951
tons, dry	5 097	3 535	3 431	13 369	12 711	10 318	11 536
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	1	2	–	–
acres	–	–	–	36	21	–	–
Field seeds—farms	7	9	5	34	17	21	14
acres	147	169	110	1 010	1 170	2 435	2 775
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	10	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5	8	3	12	10	7	5
acres	122	124	35	347	595	410	805
Vegetables—farms	36	24	14	27	9	9	2
acres	313	621	419	613	245	(D)	(D)
Irrigated—farms	3	1	2	2	1	3	1
acres	8	3	2	60	1	(D)	(D)
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	28	18	10	18	6	8	2
acres	242	542	408	590	242	(D)	(D)
Berries—farms	2	–	3	–	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	6	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	24	34	12	70	60	48	35
acres	500	1 044	101	3 153	2 445	3 294	13 121
Irrigated—farms	–	–	1	1	1	1	–
acres	–	–	4	12	5	200	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	6	6	6	16	15	11	10
acres	247	224	74	931	828	468	9 834

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms									
Farms—number	18 542	280	987	1 768	3 484	2 407	2 601	2 932	4 083
percent	100.0	1.5	5.3	9.5	18.8	13.0	14.0	15.8	22.0
Land in farms—acres	7 974 270	929 526	1 396 851	1 433 411	1 654 578	730 564	585 146	522 615	721 579
Average size of farm—acres	430	3 320	1 415	811	475	304	225	178	177
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	3 974 675	483 904	711 392	692 562	828 290	360 204	267 270	252 298	378 755
Average per farm—dollars	214 361	1 728 229	720 762	391 720	237 741	149 648	102 757	86 050	92 764
Average per acre—dollars	498	521	509	483	501	493	457	483	525
Farms by value of farm:									
$1 to $9,999	700	–	1	8	23	16	79	176	397
$10,000 to $19,999	1 288	1	7	9	54	71	189	350	607
$20,000 to $39,999	2 750	1	10	47	184	262	524	796	926
$40,000 to $69,999	3 113	2	30	92	332	492	708	624	833
$70,000 to $99,999	2 008	1	27	83	408	416	345	314	414
$100,000 to $149,999	2 272	1	42	167	614	495	304	249	400
$150,000 to $199,999	1 486	5	42	150	536	255	165	140	193
$200,000 to $499,999	3 150	42	262	785	1 053	315	219	227	247
$500,000 and over	1 775	227	566	427	280	85	68	56	66
Owned and rented land by farm operator:									
Land owned—farms	15 487	210	728	1 382	2 759	1 971	2 202	2 592	3 643
acres	4 890 558	723 146	690 245	690 602	900 502	496 832	421 250	426 902	541 079
Land rented or leased from others—farms	9 978	206	747	1 305	2 460	1 487	1 264	1 126	1 383
acres	3 775 758	345 782	745 939	803 494	863 400	308 818	226 960	202 284	279 081
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 524	56	98	172	299	303	399	528	669
acres	692 046	139 402	39 333	60 685	109 324	75 086	63 064	106 571	98 581
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland—farms	17 400	268	956	1 702	3 328	2 326	2 479	2 701	3 640
acres	4 997 307	593 524	979 182	1 001 429	1 106 634	456 552	324 072	243 090	292 824
Harvested cropland—farms	15 889	266	937	1 645	3 169	2 204	2 289	2 417	2 962
acres	3 527 544	478 230	807 836	799 502	812 750	296 320	163 273	94 199	75 434
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres	6 209	4	39	97	377	394	868	1 758	2 672
50 to 99 acres	2 669	3	13	82	406	488	886	557	234
100 to 199 acres	2 245	2	34	212	568	843	453	84	49
200 to 499 acres	2 749	16	220	481	1 463	463	81	18	7
500 to 999 acres	1 382	94	285	643	343	16	1	–	–
1,000 acres and over	635	147	346	130	12	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	68	302	127	12	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	126	79	44	3	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only—farms	7 940	54	256	609	1 370	967	1 141	1 417	2 126
acres	977 181	15 400	72 690	123 497	188 771	126 884	129 523	129 711	190 705
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	443	10	21	30	77	38	66	91	110
acres	22 452	2 463	4 510	1 933	3 736	1 434	1 993	2 836	3 547
On which all crops failed—farms	639	12	34	72	148	100	93	96	84
acres	67 152	7 125	5 293	11 819	18 283	7 568	5 362	4 416	7 286
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	837	112	160	151	192	80	45	42	55
acres	127 525	53 643	29 532	13 903	14 816	5 578	3 547	2 970	3 536
Idle—farms	1 789	63	205	239	453	226	213	190	200
acres	275 453	36 663	59 321	50 775	68 278	18 768	20 374	8 958	12 316
Total woodland—farms	6 021	97	277	491	976	715	833	1 075	1 557
acres	1 202 410	168 432	136 701	149 445	178 232	98 617	114 877	120 826	235 280
Woodland pastured—farms	3 553	26	111	253	542	403	530	678	1 010
acres	534 266	27 581	36 723	57 675	68 948	40 891	67 359	68 765	166 324
Woodland not pastured—farms	3 380	80	197	314	563	417	439	587	783
acres	668 144	140 851	99 978	91 770	109 284	57 726	47 518	52 061	68 956
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	4 248	78	262	406	811	463	559	678	991
acres	1 285 437	98 982	205 359	193 858	297 776	102 484	114 361	123 340	149 277
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 599	32	102	182	476	290	352	446	719
acres	393 156	19 131	41 227	58 487	89 889	40 961	43 662	40 626	59 173
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 216	56	189	264	444	230	274	311	448
acres	892 281	79 851	164 132	135 371	207 887	61 523	70 699	82 714	90 104
Other land (see text)—farms	10 520	198	616	1 066	2 006	1 278	1 474	1 681	2 201
acres	489 116	68 588	75 609	88 679	71 936	72 911	31 836	35 359	44 198
Total postureland—farms	11 384	121	464	907	1 990	1 379	1 615	1 966	2 942
acres	2 796 884	141 963	314 772	375 030	555 495	270 259	311 243	321 816	506 306
Irrigated land—farms	3 353	58	374	653	957	523	342	259	187
acres	694 984	68 302	187 629	201 403	166 636	44 012	16 107	5 700	5 195
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	3 310	58	374	653	952	519	338	254	162
acres	684 939	68 102	186 882	200 219	164 280	42 610	15 599	5 468	1 779
Artificial drainage—farms	2 161	91	224	325	483	364	233	220	221
acres drained	1 078 099	252 818	241 781	212 057	204 415	83 252	35 393	23 550	24 833
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 246	39	147	290	646	381	398	544	801
number	10 331	146	524	1 306	1 982	1 035	1 316	1 737	2 285
acres	17 528	1 220	2 106	2 844	3 101	1 438	1 741	1 909	3 169
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator									
All farm operators	18 542	280	987	1 768	3 484	2 407	2 601	2 932	4 083
Full owners	8 605	75	242	463	1 028	926	1 345	1 812	2 714
Part owners	6 769	135	474	902	1 716	1 029	846	759	908
Tenants	3 168	70	271	403	740	452	410	361	461

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued									
All farm operators—Continued									
White[1]	17 032	171	878	1 659	3 297	2 278	2 400	2 661	3 688
Full owners	7 860	41	206	421	955	862	1 241	1 665	2 469
Part owners	6 350	88	431	865	1 647	998	784	700	837
Tenants	2 822	42	241	373	695	418	375	296	382
Black and other races[1]	980	6	13	23	80	87	161	237	373
Full owners	514	–	1	6	23	43	81	127	233
Part owners	258	3	7	8	39	24	51	58	68
Tenants	208	3	5	9	18	20	29	52	72
Farms by Type of Organization									
Individual or family—forms	16 657	112	666	1 446	3 066	2 215	2 433	2 784	3 935
acres	5 973 136	237 637	899 101	1 138 538	1 375 618	668 993	505 791	461 995	685 463
Partnership—forms	1 355	65	225	236	311	150	128	114	126
acres	1 066 915	217 392	339 260	199 768	155 903	45 025	48 568	30 235	30 764
Corporation, including family owned—forms	460	100	94	72	87	27	37	28	15
acres	881 693	455 370	156 473	80 704	112 655	12 916	30 238	29 853	3 484
Other—forms	70	3	2	14	20	15	3	6	7
acres	52 526	19 127	2 017	14 401	10 402	3 630	549	532	1 868
Farm Credit									
Total operator farm debt—farms	6 427	118	431	821	1 518	895	797	776	1 071
$1,000	349 654	52 093	62 768	72 802	84 337	28 709	18 803	13 036	17 106
Debts secured by real estate—farms	4 342	72	251	522	1 003	599	554	524	817
$1,000	226 202	32 828	40 401	44 069	53 379	17 952	13 894	9 455	14 224
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	3 983	86	293	573	1 018	577	468	422	546
$1,000	123 452	19 265	22 367	28 733	30 957	10 757	4 909	3 581	2 882
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]									
Farm operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	433	–	17	36	96	83	79	68	54
25 to 34 years	2 081	18	126	278	521	310	259	235	334
35 to 44 years	3 327	42	230	399	741	451	393	418	653
45 to 54 years	4 568	45	242	461	904	608	643	669	996
55 to 64 years	4 898	48	207	395	858	641	727	895	1 127
65 years and over	2 705	24	69	113	257	272	460	613	897
Average age	50.7	50.7	47.6	47.1	47.6	49.3	51.8	53.6	53.5
Farm operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	10 424	83	511	1 056	2 145	1 393	1 370	1 559	2 307
On another farm	785	4	23	54	129	124	125	155	171
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	15	67	97	208	129	126	152	214
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	24	103	130	208	177	260	334	490
Farm operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	13 308	168	833	1 596	3 106	2 024	1 910	1 669	2 002
Other	4 704	9	58	86	271	341	651	1 229	2 059
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—									
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 995	–	1	3	20	83	423	1 117	2 348
Less than value of farm products sold	6 698	82	418	800	1 696	1 244	1 065	829	564
Not reporting or none	7 319	95	472	879	1 661	1 038	1 073	952	1 149
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	5 961	24	119	233	651	650	908	1 310	2 066
1 to 49 days	711	6	25	61	126	117	107	107	162
50 to 99 days	425	4	11	23	52	62	72	96	105
100 to 149 days	543	1	11	19	61	66	96	132	157
150 to 199 days	811	2	9	28	105	109	140	175	243
200 days and over	3 471	11	63	102	307	296	493	800	1 399
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:									
Farms reporting	2 089	4	78	153	397	282	291	363	521
Number of persons	2 413	4	94	183	453	317	355	413	594
By number of days worked:									
1 to 49 days	295	–	17	41	62	34	37	53	51
50 to 99 days	222	1	10	22	39	32	38	39	41
100 to 149 days	217	–	12	16	41	36	36	32	44
150 to 199 days	416	3	14	18	70	49	70	90	102
200 days and over	1 263	–	41	86	241	166	174	199	356
Farms by Size									
1 to 9 acres	455	1	12	14	46	36	47	82	217
10 to 49 acres	2 463	3	16	45	96	109	293	721	1 180
50 to 69 acres	1 283	2	5	21	67	111	271	362	444
70 to 99 acres	1 748	1	11	32	160	196	431	419	498
100 to 139 acres	1 914	5	14	54	249	344	412	378	458
140 to 179 acres	1 455	–	10	54	286	309	275	213	308
180 to 219 acres	1 265	1	13	74	288	254	211	180	244
220 to 259 acres	861	1	14	51	232	207	108	100	148
260 to 499 acres	3 046	6	110	336	1 075	556	309	287	367
500 to 999 acres	2 272	48	234	650	712	202	157	124	145
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 204	71	361	338	203	65	69	54	43
2,000 acres and over	576	141	187	99	70	18	18	12	31
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)									
Cash grain farms (011)	6 707	73	499	966	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
Cotton farms (0131)	2 000	5	78	149	340	337	353	361	377
Tobacco farms (0132)	20	–	–	–	4	1	–	2	13

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

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

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Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.									
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 887	168	238	219	294	201	241	263	263
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	278	–	2	3	14	19	48	84	108
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	138	–	2	2	3	19	27	35	50
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	175	1	9	12	22	26	21	34	50
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	326	6	15	20	48	51	50	59	77
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 539	7	22	42	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
Dairy farms (024)	1 442	3	39	199	731	249	159	60	2
Poultry and egg farms (025)	461	17	79	144	140	39	19	9	14
Animal specialty farms (027)	206	–	2	4	11	16	29	53	91
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	28	–	–	1	3	5	5	6	8
Farms not classified by SIC	335	–	2	7	10	49	72	88	107
Value of Products Sold									
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	18 542	280	987	1 768	3 484	2 407	2 601	2 932	4 083
$1,000	1 173 913	273 090	289 445	247 483	223 896	69 066	36 987	20 894	13 053
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
$500,000 and over	280	280	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	987	–	987	–	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	–	–	1 768	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	3 484	–	–	–	3 484	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	2 407	–	–	–	–	2 407	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	2 601	–	–	–	–	–	2 601	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2 932	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 932	–
$2,500 to $4,999	3 359	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3 359
Under $2,500 (see text)	724	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	724
Grain sold—farms	8 592	126	616	1 158	2 066	1 440	1 298	1 057	831
$1,000	486 534	55 802	139 745	131 945	106 390	31 517	13 660	5 363	2 112
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 254	107	572	1 040	1 535	–	–	–	–
$1,000	419 343	55 481	139 068	129 962	94 833	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	25	–	–	–	4	3	–	5	13
$1,000	174	–	–	–	90	24	–	24	36
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	3 953	48	208	381	809	697	673	592	545
$1,000	105 674	9 914	27 401	24 019	24 477	10 540	5 356	2 648	1 321
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	715	42	177	251	245	–	–	–	–
$1,000	71 106	9 764	26 597	21 016	13 729	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 801	11	67	116	240	222	307	359	479
$1,000	7 673	916	811	901	1 240	1 157	1 113	941	593
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	1	4	3	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 587	(D)	425	273	(D)	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	1 886	172	252	232	330	218	241	224	217
$1,000	307 047	175 431	73 618	30 268	18 786	4 987	2 446	1 017	494
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	896	171	241	216	268	–	–	–	–
$1,000	296 486	175 429	73 414	30 110	17 532	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	557	–	8	15	37	62	114	146	175
$1,000	4 537	–	926	436	872	579	731	599	392
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	20	–	3	3	14	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 893	–	868	349	677	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	258	–	11	15	18	28	51	58	77
$1,000	2 662	–	726	373	246	492	424	246	155
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	–	3	2	3	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 123	–	(D)	(D)	179	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	732	19	81	154	185	58	73	78	84
$1,000	71 105	18 637	21 206	20 378	9 374	1 058	307	89	56
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	384	18	79	147	140	–	–	–	–
$1,000	69 567	18 636	21 206	20 377	9 348	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	1 530	6	53	213	760	260	169	62	7
$1,000	89 114	2 829	10 017	23 471	43 493	6 832	2 055	409	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	920	6	51	204	659	–	–	–	–
$1,000	76 612	2 829	9 947	23 298	40 538	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	88	397	849	1 924	1 316	1 536	1 933	2 915
$1,000	77 133	7 734	10 913	11 397	14 775	8 693	8 761	7 993	6 869
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	248	25	61	63	99	–	–	–	–
$1,000	27 457	7 201	8 387	6 202	5 668	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	878	5	16	56	110	108	141	190	252
$1,000	4 939	778	437	848	1 097	638	524	343	273
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	30	3	4	9	14	–	–	–	–
$1,000	2 599	777	374	704	744	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	248	1	13	24	62	24	26	36	62
$1,000	175	(Z)	8	12	24	75	19	15	23
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	654	5	17	40	88	61	91	145	207
$1,000	3 463	35	552	654	629	493	404	394	303
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	16	–	4	4	8	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 613	–	542	608	463	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	221	1	10	14	30	33	31	40	62
$1,000	7 709	(D)	(D)	1 787	1 471	700	272	253	146
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	45	1	9	13	22	–	–	–	–
$1,000	6 286	(D)	(D)	1 782	1 426	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	917	12	36	64	100	106	147	205	247
$1,000	5 973	(D)	(D)	993	933	1 281	916	560	271
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	22	1	5	7	9	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 881	(D)	(D)	664	455	–	–	–	–

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses									
Total production expenses ____farms__	18 539	280	987	1 768	3 484	2 407	2 601	2 932	4 080
$1,000__	710 435	135 515	163 600	153 085	149 824	45 022	25 911	17 924	19 554
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	5 040	58	224	472	970	544	688	818	1 266
$1,000__	43 936	9 578	7 237	7 936	7 604	3 032	2 483	2 632	3 434
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	10 824	91	386	845	1 878	1 227	1 542	1 915	2 940
$1,000__	107 875	11 562	21 515	27 838	30 104	6 607	3 285	2 985	3 979
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	9 395	76	359	774	1 716	1 068	1 297	1 614	2 491
tons__	703 558	69 945	143 013	190 181	205 989	41 106	17 626	15 868	19 830
$1,000__	95 228	9 731	19 689	25 808	27 472	5 471	2 348	2 076	2 634
Feed ingredients_____farms__	3 407	22	150	319	669	403	463	575	806
tons__	35 043	4 245	8 092	6 527	6 140	2 376	2 560	2 176	2 928
$1,000__	4 151	482	597	845	868	330	330	298	402
Whole grains _____farms__	3 583	30	155	291	667	406	516	655	863
tons__	47 178	8 440	7 546	6 450	10 196	4 641	3 535	2 544	3 827
$1,000__	5 609	952	877	777	1 203	551	457	325	467
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	1 854	23	47	114	280	206	228	373	583
tons__	133 055	18 923	14 737	22 464	25 349	10 674	8 810	13 491	18 606
$1,000__	2 887	397	353	408	561	255	150	287	476
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	6 517	70	304	693	1 466	758	819	1 002	1 405
$1,000__	3 173	347	426	554	853	287	240	216	250
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	10 999	172	703	1 281	2 370	1 689	1 600	1 494	1 690
$1,000__	34 158	3 982	8 892	8 389	8 138	2 579	1 207	536	436
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	14 417	258	886	1 514	2 945	2 015	1 975	2 123	2 701
$1,000__	67 506	8 896	14 652	14 723	16 073	5 319	3 159	2 276	2 408
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	13 356	258	881	1 503	2 912	1 903	1 835	1 859	2 205
acres fertilized__	2 654 075	361 120	593 155	589 266	609 212	210 719	119 840	88 186	82 577
dry tons__	343 576	35 536	74 138	79 060	83 573	26 696	17 585	13 230	13 758
liquid or gas tons__	96 796	22 906	21 644	19 451	19 727	7 194	3 240	1 759	874
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 509	254	770	1 291	2 270	1 381	1 271	1 096	1 176
$1,000__	47 260	9 068	12 675	10 809	9 080	3 190	1 393	625	421
Lime _____farms__	1 213	15	68	137	257	149	150	195	242
tons__	101 416	4 242	17 252	19 423	23 128	9 929	9 615	8 306	9 521
$1,000__	1 110	44	178	220	240	105	112	97	115
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	18 057	280	987	1 768	3 483	2 361	2 489	2 831	3 858
$1,000__	43 846	5 931	8 713	9 404	10 530	3 814	2 439	1 554	1 460
Gasoline _____farms__	15 720	277	961	1 720	3 099	2 042	2 019	2 387	3 215
$1,000__	15 601	1 694	2 804	3 110	3 635	1 399	1 182	899	877
Diesel oil_____farms__	11 669	264	895	1 613	3 065	1 816	1 336	1 249	1 431
$1,000__	18 047	2 827	3 948	4 135	4 433	1 498	631	331	244
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	5 484	170	534	1 045	1 611	745	646	337	396
$1,000__	5 186	788	1 052	1 236	1 274	386	299	83	69
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	18 029	279	986	1 766	3 482	2 361	2 488	2 830	3 837
$1,000__	5 012	622	910	922	1 189	531	326	241	270
Hired farm labor _____farms__	9 313	272	872	1 370	2 279	1 183	996	986	1 355
$1,000__	77 152	25 300	20 009	13 740	11 330	3 109	1 639	1 013	1 011
Workers by number of days worked:									
150 days or more _____farms__	4 311	269	799	1 121	1 340	351	191	125	115
workers__	13 619	3 825	3 387	2 832	2 433	560	277	160	145
25 to 149 days _____farms__	3 618	184	514	685	937	510	309	252	227
workers__	17 510	4 204	3 633	2 699	2 943	1 681	1 214	620	516
Less than 25 days_____farms__	5 068	111	333	508	989	614	667	735	1 111
workers__	38 057	3 363	4 066	5 008	8 289	5 380	3 474	3 588	4 889
Contract labor _____farms__	1 187	29	72	166	237	137	156	162	228
$1,000__	3 816	832	476	898	764	272	215	159	199
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	6 881	113	394	744	1 414	1 043	932	1 000	1 241
$1,000__	16 944	2 571	2 979	3 273	3 736	1 781	1 145	788	671
All other production expenses ___farms__	18 319	280	987	1 767	3 484	2 407	2 600	2 932	3 862
$1,000__	264 769	57 449	66 025	55 522	51 613	15 031	8 707	5 138	5 284
Farm-Related Income and Expenses									
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 334	100	256	445	836	587	524	653	933
$1,000__	28 083	6 679	2 943	3 417	5 344	3 075	2 221	1 852	2 551
$10,000 and over _____farms__	577	80	82	92	122	68	52	29	52
$1,000__	19 895	6 598	2 181	2 281	3 609	1 861	1 286	835	1 245
Farm-related income from—									
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 411	23	84	175	355	212	182	166	214
$1,000__	8 273	413	1 002	1 200	2 555	1 008	852	627	616
Recreational services _____farms__	88	5	6	5	24	8	15	6	19
$1,000__	223	41	19	13	32	32	25	35	27
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 125	74	162	235	429	263	215	304	443
$1,000__	5 836	1 866	1 076	796	879	390	250	234	346
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	1 195	29	34	95	148	137	169	239	344
$1,000__	11 457	3 646	526	1 034	1 493	1 429	1 035	850	1 443
Other farm-related income ____farms__	447	14	33	69	109	76	44	37	65
$1,000__	2 294	714	319	373	384	216	60	107	120
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 423	25	65	134	273	193	194	234	305
$1,000__	7 297	577	587	951	2 067	1 033	834	623	627

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]									
Family off-farm income—forms	9 248	55	323	617	1 358	1 119	1 337	1 783	2 656
$1,000	103 811	730	3 706	5 874	12 608	10 778	15 804	19 852	34 459
Farms by family off-farm income:									
$1 to $249	269	6	11	32	60	39	34	44	43
$250 to $499	216	–	11	30	48	31	26	32	38
$500 to $999	369	3	16	60	81	52	59	49	49
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271	10	113	203	404	339	309	420	473
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203	12	69	130	331	254	336	429	642
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704	12	68	100	305	283	390	583	963
$20,000 to $29,999	746	5	18	26	76	85	96	149	291
$30,000 and over	470	7	17	36	53	36	87	77	157
Family off-farm income from—									
Nonfarm-related business—forms	1 821	9	59	112	262	208	256	343	572
$1,000	21 366	243	1 385	1 471	2 265	1 841	3 265	3 695	7 202
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—forms	5 792	27	145	286	755	693	897	1 190	1 799
$1,000	59 954	265	1 177	2 408	6 891	6 874	9 285	12 249	20 805
Interest, dividends, or royalties—forms	3 606	35	171	357	630	460	487	606	860
$1,000	14 085	161	837	1 502	2 582	1 386	1 842	2 258	3 517
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—forms	1 649	3	22	71	133	180	248	369	623
$1,000	5 436	25	88	207	387	478	864	1 163	2 224
Rent of nonfarm property—forms	814	11	29	62	86	92	135	149	250
$1,000	2 970	35	220	286	483	200	548	486	711
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles—forms	12 505	180	784	1 475	2 865	1 786	1 594	1 658	2 163
number	16 705	384	1 398	2 240	4 063	2 199	1 870	1 951	2 600
2 or 3—forms	3 257	88	436	605	1 027	335	209	227	330
number	6 872	189	939	1 276	2 143	689	440	487	709
4 and over—forms	154	23	31	25	20	17	13	10	15
number	739	126	142	119	102	76	58	43	73
Motortrucks, including pickups—forms	15 554	274	966	1 720	3 305	2 102	2 064	2 185	2 938
number	29 839	1 770	3 477	4 772	7 237	3 486	2 884	2 720	3 493
2 or 3—forms	5 624	73	422	956	1 708	986	654	404	421
number	13 070	191	1 065	2 409	4 117	2 130	1 398	856	904
4 and over—forms	1 644	185	439	439	445	73	21	23	19
number	8 483	1 563	2 307	2 038	1 968	313	97	106	91
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	15 720	279	971	1 724	3 320	2 115	2 063	2 211	3 037
number	42 678	3 278	5 279	6 902	10 113	5 152	3 790	3 604	4 560
2 or 3—forms	6 690	11	155	565	1 696	1 205	1 076	946	1 036
number	15 731	28	379	1 443	4 158	2 993	2 390	2 077	2 263
4 and over—forms	3 797	257	767	1 023	1 106	373	111	76	84
number	21 714	3 239	4 851	5 323	5 437	1 622	524	338	380
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—forms	15 600	278	969	1 718	3 302	2 105	2 043	2 188	2 997
number	41 662	3 160	5 121	6 757	9 927	5 058	3 693	3 523	4 423
Crawler tractors—forms	822	90	120	118	141	81	73	72	127
number	1 016	118	158	145	186	94	97	81	137
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—forms	4 448	109	553	994	1 581	714	314	116	67
number	6 931	342	1 127	1 615	2 209	1 020	393	143	82
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—forms	1 290	33	156	254	348	191	117	97	94
number	1 365	41	169	270	368	200	119	98	100
Corn heads for combines—forms	198	11	41	41	49	23	14	8	11
number	218	14	47	46	52	25	15	8	11
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—forms	1 110	25	119	215	303	170	103	89	86
number	1 147	27	122	224	316	175	104	90	89
Mower conditioners—forms	2 704	40	125	269	638	333	307	383	609
number	3 100	54	150	322	734	398	347	414	681
Pickup balers—forms	3 288	44	160	332	718	428	429	517	660
number	3 469	56	178	358	775	459	439	533	671
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	1 849	23	88	172	396	243	257	320	350
number	1 931	26	95	187	421	255	262	328	357
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—forms	531	26	52	90	152	62	34	51	64
number	666	53	75	111	168	73	40	66	80
Value of Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—forms	17 383	280	987	1 768	3 484	2 331	2 356	2 586	3 591
$1,000	613 746	60 669	105 720	124 637	161 093	54 537	39 719	30 360	37 011
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $4,999—forms	2 352	–	3	14	90	168	353	675	1 049
$1,000	6 743	–	7	50	270	491	1 023	1 941	2 961
$5,000 to $9,999—forms	2 988	4	22	72	181	390	512	699	1 108
$1,000	21 332	28	168	546	1 364	2 960	3 578	4 888	7 800
$10,000 to $19,999—forms	3 571	1	37	100	456	601	621	676	1 079
$1,000	49 263	17	509	1 401	6 611	8 559	8 424	8 911	14 831
$20,000 to $49,999—forms	5 291	51	260	633	1 729	968	811	512	327
$1,000	165 131	2 046	9 832	22 896	57 116	28 813	22 488	12 980	8 960
$50,000 to $99,999—forms	1 882	37	225	572	777	178	50	21	22
$1,000	122 393	2 673	15 874	38 392	49 229	10 644	3 008	1 190	1 384
$100,000 and over—forms	1 299	187	440	377	251	26	9	3	6
$1,000	248 883	55 905	79 330	61 352	46 503	3 069	1 199	450	1 075

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

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals									
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 247	265	923	1 609	3 135	2 115	2 126	2 234	2 840
$1,000	114 766	17 965	27 326	25 531	25 153	8 509	4 552	2 901	2 828
Commercial fertilizer—farms	14 421	258	886	1 514	2 945	2 015	1 979	2 123	2 701
acres on which used	2 654 075	361 120	593 155	589 266	609 212	210 719	119 840	88 186	82 577
tons	440 371	58 442	95 782	98 511	103 300	33 890	20 825	14 990	14 632
$1,000	67 506	8 896	14 652	14 723	16 073	5 319	3 159	2 276	2 408
Lime—farms	1 213	15	68	137	257	149	150	195	242
acres on which used	72 051	3 475	13 197	14 394	16 485	5 955	6 410	5 720	6 415
tons	101 416	4 242	17 252	19 423	23 128	9 929	9 615	8 306	9 521
$1,000	1 110	44	178	220	240	105	112	97	115
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—									
Insects on hay crops—farms	314	2	12	29	77	47	58	41	48
acres on which used	14 269	525	2 113	2 283	3 912	1 548	1 980	1 031	877
$1,000	78	6	13	12	17	10	11	5	4
Insects on other crops—farms	4 622	198	508	689	1 112	766	634	418	297
acres on which used	1 374 334	297 248	361 346	299 125	267 010	91 686	38 441	13 967	5 511
$1,000	20 755	3 590	5 763	4 739	4 101	1 585	626	254	98
Nematodes in crops—farms	165	7	17	17	29	36	24	24	11
acres on which used	24 228	6 670	4 464	4 731	4 608	1 984	1 213	543	15
$1,000	303	63	59	76	49	19	30	7	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	333	9	27	43	65	51	49	35	54
acres on which used	59 222	9 828	15 740	15 585	11 718	3 323	1 650	577	801
$1,000	754	135	204	162	149	47	29	10	17
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5 026	214	578	908	1 386	797	564	359	220
acres on which used	1 833 334	372 434	475 438	440 784	377 230	110 502	38 625	14 075	4 246
$1,000	20 626	4 975	5 708	4 840	3 563	1 042	343	118	38
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	610	7	34	69	124	70	82	100	124
acres on which used	71 436	2 504	10 455	17 703	13 272	7 993	7 241	6 764	5 504
$1,000	238	17	32	61	41	22	18	31	17
Weeds on other land—farms	621	36	87	90	135	60	66	63	84
acres on which used	25 447	10 205	5 103	3 417	3 130	1 135	925	654	878
$1,000	135	45	34	22	16	7	4	3	4
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1 392	36	137	244	343	267	182	122	61
acres on which used	307 706	36 030	88 758	78 931	63 889	26 085	8 903	3 920	1 190
$1,000	1 595	177	497	383	360	116	40	17	6
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1 047	21	70	143	265	107	121	145	175
$1,000	240	16	44	46	58	20	19	13	24
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	1 608	4	39	119	267	208	269	285	417
$1,000	1 426	2	143	248	485	218	162	70	97
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm									
Farms with grain storage facilities:									
None	8 428	144	436	843	1 816	1 238	1 144	1 227	1 580
Under 1,000 bushels	560	1	14	46	107	65	91	100	136
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	390	4	26	57	130	56	43	32	42
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	221	8	23	59	93	16	14	1	7
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	306	9	52	122	94	18	4	2	5
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	240	11	91	89	37	6	3	1	2
50,000 bushels and over	157	34	68	34	14	1	–	2	4
Not reporting	8 240	69	277	518	1 193	1 007	1 302	1 567	2 307
Livestock									
Cattle and calves—farms	11 280	88	406	880	1 998	1 353	1 595	1 952	3 008
number	1 198 968	57 979	116 273	162 045	264 580	126 686	141 870	134 031	195 504
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	10 336	77	380	832	1 902	1 269	1 457	1 762	2 657
number	701 533	26 756	63 186	97 456	163 723	77 679	82 875	79 905	109 953
Beef cows—farms	8 889	73	334	672	1 240	1 049	1 315	1 645	2 561
number	583 384	22 511	51 344	71 146	107 923	65 325	78 469	77 873	108 793
Milk cows—farms	2 948	8	84	273	930	410	382	396	465
number	118 149	4 245	11 842	26 310	55 800	12 354	4 406	2 032	1 160
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	8 115	59	312	696	1 615	1 007	1 097	1 317	2 012
number	256 451	16 013	24 353	34 772	59 331	25 682	28 201	25 880	42 219
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	7 052	57	274	553	1 060	841	1 028	1 261	1 978
number	213 051	15 233	18 791	24 177	39 711	21 750	26 831	25 009	41 549
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1 496	5	56	207	696	230	122	99	81
number	43 400	780	5 562	10 595	19 620	3 932	1 370	871	670
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	8 769	75	338	709	1 432	1 046	1 272	1 532	2 365
number	240 984	15 210	28 734	29 817	41 526	23 325	30 794	28 246	43 332
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	88	397	849	1 924	1 316	1 536	1 933	2 915
number	498 964	35 733	56 392	71 713	103 760	56 210	60 765	56 784	57 607
$1,000	77 133	7 734	10 913	11 397	14 775	8 693	8 761	7 993	6 869
Calves—farms	8 926	58	313	712	1 525	1 036	1 214	1 601	2 467
number	287 900	10 225	24 284	38 895	65 337	32 945	38 334	36 743	41 137
$1,000	27 760	966	2 411	3 690	6 029	3 370	3 767	3 776	3 752
Cattle—farms	7 221	58	260	563	1 310	850	1 014	1 324	1 842
number	211 064	25 508	32 108	32 818	38 423	23 265	22 431	20 041	16 470
$1,000	49 373	6 768	8 502	7 706	8 746	5 323	4 994	4 218	3 117
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	653	10	23	33	79	81	102	146	179
number	31 323	14 187	4 301	2 486	2 358	2 190	2 050	2 119	1 632
$1,000	8 660	3 794	1 634	832	599	554	476	459	311
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 476	5	22	87	202	179	253	309	419
number	55 572	9 040	3 467	8 768	9 496	8 939	5 318	4 767	5 777
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	765	5	14	47	87	101	152	180	179
number	9 008	2 211	607	866	1 384	1 319	993	790	838
Other—farms	1 387	5	21	82	193	167	231	288	400
number	46 564	6 829	2 860	7 902	8 112	7 620	4 325	3 977	4 939

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock—Continued									
Hogs and pigs sold ---farms	878	5	16	56	110	108	141	190	252
number	95 338	28 060	6 031	12 073	16 171	11 385	8 846	6 555	6 217
$1,000	4 939	778	437	848	1 097	638	524	343	273
Feeder pigs---farms	157	1	2	9	7	23	30	47	38
number	32 951	(D)	(D)	682	853	2 572	2 062	1 620	1 057
$1,000	647	(D)	(D)	18	17	85	43	42	28
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ---farms	838	5	14	50	95	102	157	209	206
number	12 699	3 892	1 046	1 081	1 874	1 549	1 261	1 011	985
December 1 and May 31 ---farms	673	5	13	41	85	83	121	163	162
number	6 633	1 958	550	539	1 040	775	671	544	556
June 1 and November 30 ---farms	595	5	12	39	71	77	112	148	131
number	6 066	1 934	496	542	834	774	590	467	429
Sheep and lambs of all ages---farms	338	2	14	30	82	39	42	40	89
number	8 612	34	453	741	1 396	2 027	1 438	959	1 564
Lambs under 1 year old ---farms	275	1	8	27	70	32	37	35	65
number	2 292	12	100	213	381	427	434	253	472
Ewes 1 year old or older ---farms	313	2	12	28	76	36	39	37	83
number	5 166	18	323	457	815	1 235	798	582	938
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ---farms	284	2	12	24	67	30	37	33	79
number	1 154	4	30	71	200	365	206	124	154
Sheep and lambs sold ---farms	225	1	13	22	54	22	24	35	54
number	5 787	16	331	442	711	2 534	562	413	778
Sheep and lambs shorn---farms	178	1	12	19	42	14	18	26	46
number	5 323	18	394	447	801	1 200	934	666	863
pounds of wool	28 539	75	2 241	2 305	4 963	6 876	3 970	3 583	4 526
Horses and ponies---farms	3 143	27	126	250	547	343	426	524	900
number	14 764	303	779	1 183	2 506	1 451	1 611	2 454	4 477
Sold ---farms	480	5	14	35	71	43	62	99	151
number	3 507	34	1 051	467	434	220	303	430	568
$1,000	1 554	35	208	131	360	167	226	223	203
Horses ---farms	3 084	27	125	242	534	328	422	516	890
number	13 908	301	733	1 119	2 324	1 370	1 538	2 270	4 253
Sold ---farms	471	5	13	32	68	43	62	98	150
number	3 401	34	1 049	435	410	218	303	416	536
$1,000	1 543	35	208	127	359	167	226	219	202
Any goats ---farms	46	–	1	–	5	5	9	12	14
number	743	–	125	–	51	48	107	136	276
Sold ---farms	20	–	1	1	2	1	3	6	6
number	344	–	20	30	60	4	52	129	49
$1,000	5	–	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	1	1	1
Poultry									
Chickens 3 months old or older ---farms	2 153	13	54	104	270	247	368	423	674
number	3 524 436	1 359 432	1 025 773	621 522	410 479	46 752	22 360	15 447	22 671
Sold ---farms	258	10	32	47	52	18	28	28	43
number	4 004 634	1 273 500	1 192 376	867 480	460 022	94 911	46 493	54 657	15 195
Hens and pullets of laying age ---farms	2 065	12	51	102	252	240	359	407	642
number	2 809 049	1 132 682	769 340	564 353	251 173	37 828	20 129	13 747	19 797
Kept for table or market egg production ---farms	2 005	11	45	94	245	235	351	399	625
number	2 465 225	(D)	(D)	487 318	232 555	37 349	15 808	12 468	17 464
Kept for hatching egg production ---farms	225	2	10	14	20	22	41	49	67
number	343 824	(D)	(D)	77 035	18 618	479	4 321	1 279	2 333
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ---farms	171	4	9	6	35	20	33	23	41
number	674 576	(D)	(D)	49 063	156 189	8 349	762	408	677
Roosters and male chickens ---farms	1 036	2	18	31	119	119	182	205	360
number	40 811	(D)	(D)	8 106	3 117	575	1 469	1 292	2 197
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ---farms	77	3	3	10	6	12	13	17	13
number	532 606	119 000	204 015	158 080	12 155	491	19 929	18 669	267
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ---farms	310	6	49	102	97	25	15	10	6
number	44 216 095	3 287 500	14 687 553	17 203 000	7 943 043	872 424	174 393	39 244	8 938
Turkeys ---farms	85	–	–	3	13	10	10	18	31
number	619	–	–	75	158	48	67	120	151
Sold ---farms	10	–	–	1	5	1	1	2	–
number	415	–	–	59	68	5	275	8	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ---farms	35	–	–	3	6	2	4	7	13
number	276	–	–	67	84	4	30	35	56
Sold ---farms	8	–	–	1	4	1	1	1	–
number	350	–	–	59	8	4	275	4	–
Light breeds for slaughter ---farms	21	–	–	–	–	5	3	5	8
number	102	–	–	–	–	28	17	18	39
Sold ---farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ---farms	53	–	–	1	9	5	5	11	22
number	241	–	–	8	74	16	20	67	56
Sold ---farms	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–
number	64	–	–	–	60	–	–	4	–
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes ---farms	2 033	19	78	131	282	250	352	404	517
acres	40 178	1 084	7 360	5 326	9 345	4 301	4 518	4 041	4 203
Commercial fertilizer used ---farms	1 511	15	69	112	216	186	269	289	355
acres	32 248	1 001	6 803	4 912	7 576	2 903	3 410	2 845	2 798
Field corn for grain or seed ---farms	1 847	17	54	104	229	228	332	387	496
acres	30 796	800	4 869	3 399	6 597	3 367	3 957	3 776	4 031
bushels	1 612 828	50 795	330 190	204 289	378 407	160 415	177 310	151 456	159 966
Irrigated ---farms	53	–	4	–	9	5	8	15	12
acres	758	–	335	–	130	28	92	87	86

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued									
Sorghums for all purposes ____farms	384	16	39	60	126	33	35	36	39
acres	27 864	4 828	4 258	6 059	7 458	1 740	1 755	820	946
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	252	15	30	44	70	27	19	24	23
acres	20 289	4 728	3 796	4 135	4 316	1 453	869	603	389
Sorghums for grain or seed ____farms	178	13	18	28	52	13	18	16	20
acres	16 965	4 245	2 438	4 020	3 130	1 025	1 091	367	649
bushels	629 983	158 597	127 900	120 606	135 373	38 047	15 815	13 432	20 213
Irrigated ____farms	8	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	4
acres	316	–	100	–	17	–	75	4	120
Soybeans for beans ____farms	6 748	110	538	938	1 625	1 098	1 010	820	609
acres	1 599 175	168 280	379 264	398 556	407 781	140 472	64 951	27 586	12 285
bushels	42 668 498	4 902 110	10 943 314	10 856 605	10 146 908	3 373 021	1 550 158	634 732	261 650
Irrigated ____farms	159	–	11	29	42	32	14	17	14
acres	18 319	–	2 414	6 275	4 936	2 635	1 157	650	252
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	1 917	35	258	426	606	264	156	108	64
acres	478 834	36 133	138 195	131 384	127 000	30 308	9 901	4 683	1 230
Peanuts for nuts ____farms	78	2	9	7	7	3	9	19	22
acres	1 903	80	825	394	413	133	9	27	22
pounds	3 568 464	(D)	1 733 191	672 532	725 839	(D)	6 700	17 766	19 436
Irrigated ____farms	3	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	241	–	241	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	26	2	8	3	6	2	3	–	2
acres	1 570	80	824	301	358	2	3	–	2
Wheat ____farms	159	17	29	23	47	15	11	6	11
acres	15 007	5 329	3 450	2 075	2 794	745	377	101	136
bushels	370 937	144 142	89 608	49 125	63 583	13 346	6 064	1 357	3 712
Irrigated ____farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	20	–	20	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	115	16	26	19	31	12	3	2	6
acres	13 388	5 324	3 258	1 845	2 046	551	214	42	108
Cotton ____farms	3 965	48	208	381	809	697	678	594	550
acres	579 572	43 741	125 685	125 432	149 894	70 940	35 296	18 484	10 100
bales	515 229	46 058	129 231	116 758	122 264	53 918	26 320	13 743	6 937
Irrigated ____farms	144	5	7	21	47	26	16	16	6
acres	13 287	1 903	1 065	2 453	4 664	1 844	840	434	84
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	3 759	48	208	381	805	683	645	543	446
acres	571 640	43 428	124 419	124 459	148 198	69 815	34 534	17 793	8 994
Tobacco ____farms	25	–	–	–	4	3	–	5	13
acres	201	–	–	–	72	40	–	35	54
pounds	145 906	–	–	–	71 600	25 069	–	19 372	29 865
Irrigated ____farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	25	–	–	–	4	3	–	5	13
acres	201	–	–	–	72	40	–	35	54
Irish potatoes ____farms	369	4	6	9	25	51	75	91	108
acres	2 007	345	185	84	296	361	339	217	181
hundredweight	188 010	43 658	16 859	9 957	25 970	33 201	30 593	17 368	10 404
Irrigated ____farms	19	–	1	–	2	2	4	1	9
acres	66	–	50	–	6	2	3	1	4
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	200	4	5	8	16	35	49	44	39
acres	1 880	345	184	83	290	351	300	182	144
Hay ____farms	5 907	44	185	409	1 041	662	856	1 089	1 621
acres	267 707	10 812	19 852	34 928	57 968	32 204	36 106	34 380	41 457
tons	556 316	27 079	48 725	76 171	121 837	71 782	70 785	66 651	73 286
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	2 540	23	87	226	556	282	334	424	608
acres	125 578	7 614	10 896	19 057	31 169	13 012	14 678	14 434	14 718
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____farms	309	4	12	15	39	57	76	47	59
acres	10 804	460	1 197	1 186	1 657	2 014	1 611	1 384	1 295
tons, dry	23 359	670	2 541	2 579	3 645	4 669	3 502	3 316	2 437
Irrigated ____farms	5	–	–	–	4	–	–	1	–
acres	136	–	–	–	131	–	–	5	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____farms	819	5	15	48	120	80	136	185	230
acres	38 762	784	1 728	6 136	5 355	4 803	6 231	6 534	7 191
tons, dry	70 101	1 629	4 417	10 804	10 112	9 688	11 401	10 827	11 223
Irrigated ____farms	5	–	–	–	2	–	2	–	1
acres	69	–	–	–	21	–	12	–	36
Field seeds ____farms	134	2	7	23	29	13	19	18	23
acres	8 273	110	1 795	1 754	2 319	472	861	563	399
Irrigated ____farms	3	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	–
acres	56	–	–	10	–	–	46	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	63	–	3	11	13	5	11	6	14
acres	2 716	–	265	342	1 043	70	508	230	258
Vegetables ____farms	615	–	8	17	39	67	123	157	204
acres	6 566	–	584	482	1 733	769	1 110	1 111	779
Irrigated ____farms	143	–	3	6	4	25	27	34	44
acres	999	–	291	21	120	91	203	137	136
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	448	–	7	14	30	58	96	98	145
acres	5 269	–	583	438	1 551	703	846	631	517
Berries ____farms	94	–	–	1	2	16	20	31	24
acres	319	–	–	1	11	110	59	107	32
Irrigated ____farms	77	–	–	1	1	16	16	26	17
acres	280	–	–	1	1	110	55	92	22
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	82	–	–	1	2	16	16	30	17
acres	299	–	–	1	11	110	55	101	22
Land in orchards ____farms	461	4	28	28	67	43	76	74	141
acres	26 404	1 486	6 449	7 109	1 960	2 158	2 580	1 256	3 405
Irrigated ____farms	16	–	–	1	1	–	6	2	6
acres	490	–	–	5	30	–	405	18	32
Commercial fertilizer used ____farms	143	1	8	10	13	11	29	20	51
acres	13 808	600	4 794	4 866	594	805	965	307	879

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	18 542	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
percent	100.0	36.2	10.8	0.1	10.2	1.5	0.7
Land in farms—acres	7 974 270	3 475 300	851 165	802	902 664	25 591	14 743
Average size of farm—acres	430	518	426	40	478	92	107
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	3 974 675	1 687 199	408 351	1 465	564 425	16 476	11 507
Average per farm—dollars	214 361	251 558	204 176	73 243	299 112	59 267	83 381
Average per acre—dollars	498	485	480	1 827	625	644	780
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	700	184	94	–	97	42	12
$10,000 to $19,999	1 288	352	163	10	161	43	13
$20,000 to $39,999	2 750	824	381	3	264	84	36
$40,000 to $69,999	3 113	936	319	1	251	38	34
$70,000 to $99,999	2 008	628	167	4	189	20	17
$100,000 to $149,999	2 272	821	171	–	205	25	11
$150,000 to $199,999	1 486	607	138	–	146	11	5
$200,000 to $499,999	3 150	1 506	352	2	291	13	6
$500,000 and over	1 775	849	215	–	283	2	4
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	15 487	5 290	1 616	18	1 295	228	125
acres	4 890 558	1 720 000	478 704	726	527 024	19 165	14 942
Land rented or leased from others—farms	9 978	4 528	1 241	7	1 287	126	29
acres	3 775 758	1 975 356	426 262	76	445 854	7 901	2 903
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 524	956	326	–	192	23	13
acres	692 046	220 056	53 801	–	70 214	1 475	3 102
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	17 400	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
acres	4 997 307	2 746 410	622 507	624	601 077	12 320	9 077
Harvested cropland—farms	15 889	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
acres	3 527 544	2 289 954	484 280	319	419 855	7 250	6 984
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	6 209	1 299	616	20	642	245	119
50 to 99 acres	2 669	1 060	356	–	396	20	3
100 to 199 acres	2 245	1 088	355	–	343	7	9
200 to 499 acres	2 749	1 827	382	–	289	6	4
500 to 999 acres	1 382	975	208	–	146	–	2
1,000 acres and over	635	458	83	–	71	–	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres	509	374	68	–	51	–	1
2,000 acres and over	126	84	15	–	20	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	7 940	2 015	668	8	531	102	38
acres	977 181	238 251	79 485	99	46 215	3 547	1 367
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	443	107	37	–	56	23	22
acres	22 452	6 309	1 880	–	4 114	326	287
On which all crops failed—farms	639	304	142	–	64	19	5
acres	67 152	30 092	19 131	–	6 927	148	11
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	837	163	48	7	512	5	4
acres	127 525	35 234	4 513	111	78 626	145	159
Idle—farms	1 789	841	224	8	309	37	25
acres	275 453	146 570	33 218	95	45 340	904	269
Total woodland—farms	6 021	1 364	622	3	426	63	62
acres	1 202 410	243 034	77 866	40	181 382	2 971	2 799
Woodland pastured—farms	3 553	639	315	–	208	26	29
acres	534 266	68 193	32 168	–	63 356	731	890
Woodland not pastured—farms	3 380	889	375	3	261	44	41
acres	668 144	174 841	45 698	40	118 026	2 240	1 909
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	4 248	1 051	393	–	286	34	27
acres	1 285 437	284 483	118 986	–	64 246	2 862	1 568
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 599	517	189	–	168	27	16
acres	393 156	66 925	32 250	–	25 596	588	323
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	2 216	620	240	–	160	9	15
acres	892 281	217 558	86 736	–	38 650	2 274	1 245
Other land (see text)—farms	10 520	3 562	1 179	12	1 064	162	90
acres	489 116	201 373	31 806	138	55 959	7 438	1 299
Total pastureland—farms	11 384	2 910	1 044	8	775	127	57
acres	2 796 884	590 927	230 639	99	173 817	7 140	3 825
Irrigated land—farms	3 353	2 791	145	–	66	66	54
acres	694 984	660 331	15 096	–	6 748	829	462
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	3 310	2 786	137	–	66	66	54
acres	684 939	655 460	14 496	–	6 445	823	404
Artificial drainage—farms	2 161	1 028	293	2	296	21	17
acres drained	1 078 099	567 447	144 455	62	169 041	1 559	2 086
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 246	463	185	–	143	30	38
number	10 331	1 153	544	–	473	51	84
acres	17 528	3 066	938	–	956	73	56
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	18 542	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
Full owners	8 605	2 188	765	13	600	153	110
Part owners	6 769	3 045	834	5	686	73	15
Tenants	3 168	1 474	401	2	601	52	13

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms—number	175	326	4 539	1 442	461	206	28	335
percent	0.9	1.8	24.5	7.8	2.5	1.1	0.2	1.8
Land in farms—acres	11 479	204 144	1 859 534	350 768	47 349	20 984	5 751	203 996
Average size of farm—acres	66	626	410	243	103	102	205	609
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	17 440	83 876	826 567	205 622	34 992	18 834	3 266	94 655
Average per farm—dollars	99 660	257 288	182 103	142 595	75 904	91 428	116 657	282 553
Average per acre—dollars	1 519	411	445	586	739	898	568	464
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	27	6	148	27	39	18	–	6
$10,000 to $19,999	20	27	335	63	52	22	1	26
$20,000 to $39,999	38	71	721	131	113	38	6	40
$40,000 to $69,999	33	57	937	269	102	54	8	74
$70,000 to $99,999	11	26	565	252	58	24	3	44
$100,000 to $149,999	12	27	570	290	57	20	3	60
$150,000 to $199,999	10	24	346	144	16	14	1	24
$200,000 to $499,999	16	46	629	215	18	10	5	41
$500,000 and over	8	42	288	51	6	6	1	20
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned—farms	156	305	4 136	1 335	449	179	23	332
acres	10 775	161 535	1 425 501	255 124	43 917	17 750	3 104	212 291
Land rented or leased from others—farms	37	171	1 727	635	51	58	14	67
acres	1 632	52 221	727 261	106 643	5 844	8 407	2 647	12 751
Land rented or leased to others—farms	7	64	764	93	10	21	–	55
acres	928	9 612	293 228	10 999	2 412	5 173	–	21 046
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland—farms	175	326	3 831	1 329	283	120	28	278
acres	5 732	108 424	619 956	198 543	17 390	9 110	3 968	42 169
Harvested cropland—farms	173	326	2 797	1 078	183	64	26	212
acres	3 664	79 374	139 355	75 638	5 472	1 883	1 402	12 114
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	150	134	2 058	541	157	57	17	154
50 to 99 acres	13	52	401	299	16	5	3	45
100 to 199 acres	5	47	200	171	8	1	5	6
200 to 499 acres	5	47	120	60	1	1	1	6
500 to 999 acres	–	28	15	7	1	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	18	3	–	–	–	–	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	12	3	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	6	–	–	–	–	–	1
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only—farms	29	181	2 850	1 020	188	83	22	205
acres	1 230	20 498	428 194	116 319	10 892	6 408	2 494	22 182
Cover crops, legumes, and sail improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	3	19	103	44	9	3	2	15
acres	15	1 652	5 249	1 567	387	340	36	290
On which all crops failed—farms	–	19	53	24	2	4	–	3
acres	–	991	4 623	439	11	134	–	4 645
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	1	7	62	24	–	1	–	3
acres	20	720	6 643	1 044	–	30	–	280
Idle—farms	23	21	192	55	27	11	2	14
acres	803	5 189	35 892	3 536	628	315	36	2 658
Total woodland—farms	34	140	2 064	680	202	46	14	301
acres	3 332	44 537	443 326	68 031	14 215	3 160	979	116 738
Woodland pastured—farms	10	91	1 443	445	108	23	11	205
acres	1 402	15 205	273 330	37 427	5 810	1 495	673	33 586
Woodland not pastured—farms	27	75	986	345	116	28	5	185
acres	1 930	29 332	169 996	30 604	8 405	1 665	306	83 152
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	17	115	1 555	438	130	64	8	130
acres	825	43 401	647 399	67 442	10 218	4 809	729	38 469
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	14	68	1 062	304	84	44	8	98
acres	522	10 640	197 761	39 825	4 605	2 365	324	11 432
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	4	63	762	199	72	22	1	49
acres	303	32 761	449 638	27 617	5 613	2 444	405	27 037
Other land (see text)—farms	99	205	2 475	967	357	156	15	177
acres	1 590	7 782	148 853	16 752	5 526	3 905	75	6 620
Total postureland—farms	43	261	4 050	1 336	311	130	28	304
acres	3 457	79 104	1 348 923	221 188	26 920	12 712	3 896	94 237
Irrigated land—farms	72	30	83	21	11	4	6	4
acres	1 360	2 467	5 489	1 516	40	196	139	311
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	72	30	60	19	11	–	6	3
acres	1 090	2 452	2 192	1 277	40	–	139	121
Artificial drainage—farms	15	51	336	62	14	13	3	10
acres drained	787	39 479	137 465	9 815	1 537	1 664	1 163	1 539
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	40	41	1 344	636	145	57	13	111
number	179	108	4 509	2 104	302	430	37	357
acres	123	169	6 048	2 437	409	2 471	39	744
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	175	326	4 539	1 442	461	206	28	335
Full owners	138	156	2 833	808	410	149	14	268
Part owners	16	146	1 286	525	38	28	9	63
Tenants	21	24	420	109	13	29	5	4

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	17 032	6 264	1 766	12	1 564	222	129
Full owners	7 860	1 979	646	5	503	117	104
Part owners	6 350	2 908	776	5	580	64	14
Tenants	2 822	1 377	344	2	481	41	11
Black and other races[1]	980	296	189	8	195	54	5
Full owners	514	158	90	8	65	36	5
Part owners	258	86	49	–	53	7	–
Tenants	208	52	50	–	77	11	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	16 657	6 020	1 827	19	1 513	260	131
acres	5 973 136	2 674 412	682 833	742	434 237	16 469	10 840
Partnership—farms	1 355	540	128	1	246	16	3
acres	1 066 915	488 371	105 896	60	164 354	(D)	511
Corporation, including family owned—farms	460	115	36	–	115	2	4
acres	881 693	282 145	60 005	–	297 566	(D)	3 392
Other—farms	70	32	9	–	13	–	–
acres	52 526	30 372	2 431	–	6 507	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	6 427	2 356	878	2	526	77	30
$1,000	349 654	143 053	53 079	13	30 061	1 032	1 485
Debts secured by real estate—farms	4 342	1 550	600	2	256	47	19
$1,000	226 202	92 723	32 225	13	15 106	673	1 279
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	3 983	1 472	585	–	372	48	19
$1,000	123 452	50 330	20 855	–	14 955	359	206
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	433	246	73	–	17	3	–
25 to 34 years	2 081	996	274	–	159	17	7
35 to 44 years	3 327	1 317	338	–	334	62	31
45 to 54 years	4 568	1 631	440	3	471	59	33
55 to 64 years	4 898	1 658	548	16	514	93	33
65 years and over	2 705	712	282	1	264	42	30
Average age	50.7	48.3	49.9	58.3	51.8	52.9	54.1
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	10 424	3 568	1 058	11	977	177	103
On another farm	785	384	162	–	81	4	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 008	396	110	–	151	18	2
In a city, town, or urban area	1 726	506	153	–	124	15	12
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	13 308	5 629	1 666	15	1 434	205	79
Other	4 704	931	289	5	325	71	55
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 995	597	278	9	252	71	53
Less than value of farm products sold	6 698	2 657	872	6	775	92	41
Not reporting or none	7 319	3 306	805	5	732	113	40
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	5 961	1 567	510	11	470	100	63
1 to 49 days	711	237	122	–	60	17	5
50 to 99 days	425	155	35	1	29	11	–
100 to 149 days	543	167	57	5	65	12	2
150 to 199 days	811	256	59	–	60	15	10
200 days and over	3 471	752	237	5	256	45	46
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	2 089	585	244	1	151	28	12
Number of persons	2 413	666	285	1	185	32	13
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	295	93	36	–	30	–	6
50 to 99 days	222	63	40	–	25	–	–
100 to 149 days	217	73	29	–	15	3	–
150 to 199 days	416	121	51	–	27	6	2
200 days and over	1 263	316	129	1	88	23	5
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	455	13	8	4	23	33	14
10 to 49 acres	2 463	692	303	7	309	133	56
50 to 69 acres	1 283	381	183	3	169	30	21
70 to 99 acres	1 748	515	219	6	172	28	19
100 to 139 acres	1 914	564	192	–	164	25	11
140 to 179 acres	1 455	440	133	–	160	7	1
180 to 219 acres	1 265	387	96	–	136	9	6
220 to 259 acres	861	316	77	–	79	5	1
260 to 499 acres	3 046	1 363	300	–	266	4	4
500 to 999 acres	2 272	1 168	258	–	207	1	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 204	631	162	–	125	2	1
2,000 acres and over	576	237	69	–	77	1	1
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	6 707	6 707	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	2 000	–	2 000	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	20	–	–	20	–	–	–

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

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued								
All farm operators—Continued								
White[1]	138	281	4 324	1 361	431	190	28	322
Full owners	118	138	2 706	746	387	138	14	259
Part owners	10	122	1 229	510	36	28	9	59
Tenants	10	21	389	105	8	24	5	4
Black and other races[1]	4	38	114	63	6	1	–	7
Full owners	3	16	68	53	6	1	–	5
Part owners	1	20	33	7	–	–	–	2
Tenants	–	2	13	3	–	–	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family—farms	122	281	4 233	1 309	415	184	28	315
acres	5 768	99 030	1 530 255	305 567	39 499	15 222	5 751	152 511
Partnership—farms	20	38	205	115	22	7	–	14
acres	1 244	82 545	160 939	34 693	6 584	(D)	–	17 935
Corporation, including family owned—farms	33	6	93	14	24	14	–	4
acres	4 467	22 381	158 467	9 203	1 266	4 145	–	(D)
Other—farms	–	1	8	4	–	1	–	2
acres	–	188	9 873	1 305	–	(D)	–	(D)
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt—farms	45	143	1 306	718	188	59	13	86
$1,000	2 634	9 894	56 314	37 523	6 911	1 823	232	5 600
Debts secured by real estate—farms	32	101	939	522	153	49	10	62
$1,000	2 145	6 144	40 764	23 474	5 070	1 423	139	5 024
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	23	93	718	485	80	30	9	49
$1,000	489	3 751	15 549	14 049	1 841	400	94	576
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1	9	54	19	7	2	–	2
25 to 34 years	6	23	325	193	40	22	–	19
35 to 44 years	22	39	670	317	96	45	3	53
45 to 54 years	51	84	1 129	408	116	49	11	83
55 to 64 years	32	121	1 258	347	138	56	9	75
65 years and over	30	43	1 002	140	40	17	5	97
Average age	53.8	52.6	54.0	48.8	50.1	49.4	55.3	55.5
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	94	225	2 469	1 109	310	113	20	190
On another farm	4	14	99	20	6	–	–	11
In a rural area, not on a farm	7	6	259	29	6	8	1	15
In a city, town, or urbon area	13	31	723	33	8	36	5	67
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	88	259	2 128	1 237	310	79	23	156
Other	54	60	2 310	187	127	112	5	173
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—								
Greater than value of farm products sold	46	54	2 299	41	19	106	12	158
Less than value of farm products sold	42	143	970	718	234	44	9	95
Not reporting or none	54	122	1 169	665	184	41	7	76
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	48	86	2 282	337	176	115	10	186
1 to 49 days	6	10	152	64	13	9	–	16
50 to 99 days	4	10	123	23	10	7	2	15
100 to 149 days	3	10	155	22	12	11	3	19
150 to 199 days	2	15	271	62	29	13	–	19
200 days and over	33	41	1 581	166	112	75	5	117
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	23	35	689	194	55	24	6	42
Number of persons	27	41	792	220	63	25	8	55
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	6	5	67	23	11	7	1	10
50 to 99 days	3	1	56	19	5	2	–	8
100 to 149 days	–	4	63	20	4	1	–	5
150 to 199 days	–	14	147	25	11	1	4	7
200 days and over	18	17	459	133	32	14	3	25
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	76	–	144	27	68	44	–	1
10 to 49 acres	52	48	547	82	145	61	7	21
50 to 69 acres	13	35	296	67	44	24	1	16
70 to 99 acres	2	32	454	167	70	23	–	41
100 to 139 acres	11	40	541	244	53	20	2	47
140 to 179 acres	1	19	413	226	25	5	4	21
180 to 219 acres	3	16	380	166	15	6	7	38
220 to 259 acres	6	9	241	103	6	5	1	12
260 to 499 acres	7	52	729	220	25	8	5	63
500 to 999 acres	3	30	441	101	7	8	1	44
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	23	215	27	1	2	–	14
2,000 acres and over	–	22	138	12	2	–	–	17
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cattan farms (0131)	Tabacca farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 887	–	–	–	1 887	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	278	–	–	–	–	278	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	138	–	–	–	–	–	138
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	175	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	326	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 539	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	1 442	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	461	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	206	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	28	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	335	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	18 542	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
$1,000	1 173 913	501 926	87 229	249	317 720	4 073	2 480
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	280	73	5	–	168	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	987	499	78	–	238	2	2
$100,000 to $199,999	1 768	966	149	–	219	3	2
$40,000 to $99,999	3 484	1 717	340	4	294	14	3
$20,000 to $39,999	2 407	1 133	337	1	201	19	19
$10,000 to $19,999	2 601	988	353	–	241	48	27
$5,000 to $9,999	2 932	755	361	2	263	84	35
$2,500 to $4,999	3 359	564	341	11	239	108	44
Under $2,500 (see text)	724	12	36	2	24	–	6
Grain sold—farms	8 592	6 699	882	7	309	40	1
$1,000	486 534	457 057	14 461	5	5 860	74	28
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 254	3 063	97	–	43	–	–
$1,000	419 343	402 755	7 284	–	4 259	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	25	–	–	20	1	4	–
$1,000	174	–	–	155	4	15	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	3 953	1 454	2 000	–	113	12	3
$1,000	105 674	29 675	66 975	–	1 695	20	77
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	715	186	469	–	12	–	1
$1,000	71 106	16 963	48 630	–	843	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 801	284	151	–	415	15	1
$1,000	7 673	671	350	–	4 209	19	10
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	1	–	–	6	–	–
$1,000	1 587	(D)	–	–	1 443	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	1 886	125	36	–	1 501	57	2
$1,000	307 047	3 180	344	–	302 312	129	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	896	13	3	–	875	–	–
$1,000	296 486	2 185	(D)	–	293 800	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	557	35	24	5	69	278	25
$1,000	4 537	72	36	88	336	3 598	74
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	20	–	–	–	1	19	–
$1,000	1 893	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	258	20	9	–	11	30	138
$1,000	2 662	77	42	–	30	60	2 134
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	8	–	–	–	–	–	7
$1,000	1 123	–	–	–	–	–	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	732	68	17	2	26	12	–
$1,000	71 105	60	3	(Z)	10	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	384	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	69 567	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	1 530	25	2	–	9	1	–
$1,000	89 114	647	15	–	531	26	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	920	5	–	–	4	–	–
$1,000	76 612	361	–	–	442	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	2 569	850	4	590	82	36
$1,000	77 133	9 244	4 732	2	2 457	107	138
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	248	17	19	–	10	–	1
$1,000	27 457	1 220	1 397	–	826	–	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	878	254	61	–	77	12	1
$1,000	4 939	461	210	–	137	10	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	30	2	3	–	1	–	–
$1,000	2 599	(D)	140	–	(D)	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	248	133	7	–	8	1	3
$1,000	175	45	1	–	2	(Z)	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	654	97	19	–	21	8	7
$1,000	3 463	210	6	–	33	3	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	16	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 613	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	221	7	–	–	2	4	9
$1,000	7 709	14	–	–	4	4	10
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	45	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	6 286	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	917	81	27	–	30	6	5
$1,000	5 973	513	55	–	101	7	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	22	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 881	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	175	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	326	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	4 539	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	1 442	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	461	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	206	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	28	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	335
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	175	326	4 539	1 442	461	206	28	335
$1,000	7 624	16 844	57 835	96 329	72 278	3 236	534	5 555
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	1	6	7	3	17	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	9	15	22	39	79	2	–	2
$100,000 to $199,999	12	20	42	199	144	4	1	7
$40,000 to $99,999	22	48	147	731	140	11	3	10
$20,000 to $39,999	26	51	262	249	39	16	5	49
$10,000 to $19,999	21	50	589	159	19	29	5	72
$5,000 to $9,999	34	59	1 123	60	9	53	6	88
$2,500 to $4,999	38	74	1 784	2	12	75	8	59
Under $2,500 (see text)	12	3	563	–	2	16	–	48
Grain sold—farms	–	269	266	82	6	12	7	12
$1,000	–	6 116	1 636	1 134	29	37	30	67
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	39	6	6	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	4 165	518	362	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	–	219	114	34	–	1	–	3
$1,000	–	5 483	1 447	285	–	3	–	13
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	38	9	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	3 769	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	3	62	615	123	51	12	12	57
$1,000	3	181	1 302	621	123	13	78	94
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	4	94	42	14	–	2	3	6
$1,000	3	939	50	72	–	1	6	10
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	4	–	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	310	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	–	40	49	16	8	2	1	5
$1,000	–	137	84	57	45	2	1	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	2	9	27	4	1	4	–	3
$1,000	6	70	61	8	2	2	–	169
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	1	21	72	26	461	8	8	10
$1,000	(Z)	5	(D)	145	70 609	2	(D)	7
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	1	2	380	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	(D)	(D)	69 177	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	–	12	15	1 442	9	–	10	5
$1,000	–	545	(D)	86 468	474	–	(D)	90
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	3	1	900	5	–	1	1
$1,000	–	416	(D)	74 741	443	–	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves sold—farms	15	283	4 460	1 441	266	59	28	275
$1,000	17	3 075	48 224	6 984	752	205	174	1 023
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	21	162	12	1	1	1	3
$1,000	–	1 752	21 081	651	(D)	(D)	(D)	301
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	3	44	365	36	12	–	5	8
$1,000	2	118	3 776	156	12	–	10	46
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	1	21	1	–	–	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)	2 153	(D)	–	–	–	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	–	3	80	5	2	–	1	5
$1,000	–	(Z)	115	(D)	4	–	(D)	4
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	–	15	218	33	3	206	16	11
$1,000	–	14	169	30	(Z)	2 964	30	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	14	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	(D)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	175	8	11	1	4	–	–	–
$1,000	7 567	48	5	(D)	14	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	44	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	7	13	336	76	29	4	8	295
$1,000	25	113	557	322	213	8	35	4 023
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	18
$1,000	–	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	1 464

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	18 539	6 707	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
$1,000__	710 435	267 522	69 949	200	130 830	2 071	2 117
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	5 040	1 022	328	–	337	44	18
$1,000__	43 936	3 139	1 438	–	1 143	42	75
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	10 824	2 551	711	–	670	109	42
$1,000__	107 875	3 611	1 208	–	1 388	74	72
Commerciolly mixed formula feeds _____farms__	9 395	2 142	559	–	572	95	38
tons__	703 558	19 858	5 920	–	8 385	398	419
$1,000__	95 228	2 578	818	–	1 025	56	62
Feed ingredients_____farms__	3 407	732	255	–	142	14	13
tons__	35 043	2 530	1 089	–	574	20	32
$1,000__	4 151	307	143	–	85	4	6
Whole grains _____farms__	3 583	808	208	–	176	30	13
tons__	47 178	3 669	1 206	–	1 140	67	23
$1,000__	5 609	403	139	–	155	8	3
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	1 854	463	150	–	86	21	5
tons__	133 055	19 983	5 709	–	5 204	350	69
$1,000__	2 887	322	107	–	123	7	2
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	6 517	1 357	429	–	324	36	16
$1,000__	3 173	337	153	–	128	4	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	10 999	5 404	1 974	7	739	222	70
$1,000__	34 158	25 828	3 436	2	2 128	94	47
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	14 417	5 246	1 953	20	1 757	237	114
$1,000__	67 506	34 398	9 246	9	9 778	214	150
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	13 356	5 007	1 947	20	1 702	227	97
acres fertilized__	2 654 075	1 369 550	415 782	186	388 008	5 826	4 781
dry tons__	343 576	200 554	38 700	42	24 218	1 438	963
liquid or gas tons__	96 796	23 178	29 153	–	37 199	83	118
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 509	4 046	1 652	7	1 144	156	90
$1,000__	47 260	22 239	13 245	2	8 128	74	209
Lime _____farms__	1 213	252	153	–	75	21	7
tons__	101 416	29 555	20 603	–	7 146	181	1 240
$1,000__	1 110	310	195	–	87	2	12
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	18 057	6 623	1 938	20	1 833	271	136
$1,000__	43 846	22 537	5 386	25	7 681	181	119
Gasoline _____farms__	15 720	5 846	1 646	17	1 667	225	104
$1,000__	15 601	7 330	1 629	12	2 485	99	67
Diesel oil_____farms__	11 669	5 253	1 441	20	1 382	69	33
$1,000__	18 047	10 320	2 227	10	3 397	32	24
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	5 484	2 572	781	3	682	65	38
$1,000__	5 186	2 644	872	(Z)	812	20	11
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	18 029	6 621	1 938	20	1 830	271	136
$1,000__	5 012	2 243	659	4	987	30	17
Hired farm labor _____farms__	9 313	3 357	972	9	1 215	129	90
$1,000__	77 152	22 822	7 714	7	29 465	482	588
Workers by number of days worked: 150 days or more _____farms__	4 311	1 701	511	–	698	18	18
workers__	13 619	3 988	1 668	–	4 346	62	83
25 to 149 days _____farms__	3 618	1 423	406	–	679	48	40
workers__	17 510	4 600	1 166	–	7 400	426	630
Less than 25 days _____farms__	5 068	1 640	459	9	658	98	61
workers__	38 057	9 527	3 756	34	8 550	995	1 212
Contract labor _____farms__	1 187	304	116	–	158	10	14
$1,000__	3 816	1 445	392	–	919	72	24
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	6 881	3 118	918	11	666	45	31
$1,000__	16 944	9 245	2 991	16	2 359	22	14
All other production expenses ___farms__	18 319	6 701	1 994	20	1 880	278	138
$1,000__	264 769	121 922	24 739	140	67 714	811	813
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 334	1 390	565	5	625	41	22
$1,000__	28 083	8 347	2 870	15	8 637	61	81
$10,000 and over _____farms__	577	181	62	–	163	1	3
$1,000__	19 895	5 456	1 594	–	7 048	(D)	71
Farm-related income from— Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 411	621	228	–	142	14	7
$1,000__	8 273	3 569	1 298	–	1 318	11	12
Recreational services _____farms__	88	27	12	–	5	2	–
$1,000__	223	53	19	–	12	2	–
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 125	440	217	5	484	13	13
$1,000__	5 836	772	479	14	3 682	14	1
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments _____farms__	1 195	438	168	1	105	11	2
$1,000__	11 457	3 192	851	1	2 739	33	(D)
Other farm-related income ____farms__	447	156	72	–	73	3	1
$1,000__	2 294	760	224	–	885	3	(D)
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 423	524	204	–	171	24	11
$1,000__	7 297	2 764	856	–	1 117	29	26

Table 32. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses ____farms__	175	326	4 539	1 442	461	206	28	332
$1,000__	5 284	12 257	66 485	77 019	68 434	3 294	468	4 506
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	8	113	1 920	580	455	80	17	118
$1,000__	34	652	17 321	4 532	13 986	738	52	784
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	31	236	4 101	1 438	457	163	26	289
$1,000__	27	728	14 440	39 677	45 350	597	115	586
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	30	191	3 503	1 390	456	137	21	261
tons__	146	3 643	65 636	274 994	317 130	3 031	937	3 061
$1,000__	23	494	8 964	36 079	44 191	435	100	402
Feed ingredients_____farms__	3	108	1 345	486	174	45	7	83
tons__	11	637	11 935	7 184	10 198	395	26	412
$1,000__	1	103	1 528	1 040	813	60	4	58
Whole grains _____farms__	3	102	1 428	499	174	51	10	81
tons__	6	550	24 659	12 533	2 549	415	82	280
$1,000__	1	69	2 923	1 520	284	58	9	37
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	7	46	722	217	41	35	5	56
tons__	57	2 443	41 042	49 871	1 704	1 361	168	5 094
$1,000__	2	63	1 025	1 039	61	45	2	90
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	11	141	2 410	1 185	414	72	18	104
$1,000__	2	78	942	878	476	121	9	38
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	120	271	1 362	595	49	54	14	118
$1,000__	619	635	683	571	20	11	10	75
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	140	318	3 017	1 146	116	76	25	252
$1,000__	158	1 194	5 958	5 513	188	71	38	591
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	111	314	2 481	1 084	107	57	24	178
acres fertilized__	3 413	57 009	245 099	134 707	6 020	3 370	1 836	18 488
dry tons__	983	5 418	35 172	31 371	1 225	390	336	2 766
liquid or gas tons__	15	2 472	2 757	1 664	76	13	3	65
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	114	241	1 254	562	89	31	15	108
$1,000__	44	1 632	1 073	441	34	11	8	120
Lime _____farms__	14	30	379	215	17	13	4	33
tons__	405	2 907	22 083	13 996	537	659	113	1 991
$1,000__	6	23	266	172	6	7	1	24
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	157	323	4 327	1 427	458	199	28	317
$1,000__	264	896	3 315	2 016	915	208	32	270
Gasoline _____farms__	134	286	3 720	1 169	428	175	24	279
$1,000__	157	326	1 931	923	352	114	15	161
Diesel oil_____farms__	69	216	1 836	942	170	82	20	136
$1,000__	41	389	747	680	75	39	12	55
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	38	99	499	352	272	45	4	34
$1,000__	14	85	187	154	350	23	1	13
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	157	323	4 307	1 427	457	198	28	316
$1,000__	53	96	450	259	139	31	4	40
Hired farm labor _____farms__	111	178	1 946	852	194	93	13	154
$1,000__	2 017	1 692	4 625	4 923	1 832	423	44	519
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more _____farms__	66	91	462	558	116	32	5	35
workers__	445	346	896	1 112	472	73	10	118
25 to 149 days _____farms__	62	79	469	263	67	41	5	36
workers__	420	384	1 158	780	214	174	28	130
Less than 25 days _____farms__	38	85	1 382	401	79	38	10	110
workers__	432	858	7 138	4 200	623	179	38	515
Contract labor _____farms__	14	17	365	110	19	11	4	45
$1,000__	55	75	461	208	63	15	2	85
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	27	146	1 224	467	72	26	8	122
$1,000__	40	357	1 073	609	100	19	5	94
All other production expenses ___farms__	174	323	4 377	1 442	459	199	28	306
$1,000__	2 025	4 318	16 594	17 649	5 470	1 080	152	1 343
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income _____farms__	7	94	1 093	299	40	55	13	85
$1,000__	43	417	5 599	974	431	291	34	282
$10,000 and over _____farms__	2	13	107	23	7	8	–	7
$1,000__	(D)	253	3 994	682	373	183	–	171
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1	35	221	75	21	17	6	23
$1,000__	20	163	905	610	152	70	25	120
Recreational services _____farms__	1	6	21	7	1	2	–	4
$1,000__	19	16	74	6	(Z)	19	–	5
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	1	51	629	183	17	22	7	43
$1,000__	(Z)	85	546	162	7	41	8	24
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	4	23	350	50	2	15	2	24
$1,000__	3	145	3 928	159	(D)	48	1	95
Other farm-related income ____farms__	1	6	83	37	1	10	–	4
$1,000__	(Z)	8	147	37	(D)	112	–	39
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	2	36	306	64	22	27	3	29
$1,000__	10	125	1 630	419	98	136	3	83

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	9 248	2 714	914	11	778	151	85
$1,000	103 811	23 371	7 835	161	8 683	1 299	945
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	269	106	23	–	37	5	1
$250 to $499	216	82	23	–	18	1	1
$500 to $999	369	146	38	–	44	8	4
$1,000 to $4,999	2 271	859	315	4	186	52	16
$5,000 to $9,999	2 203	654	221	–	182	38	27
$10,000 to $19,999	2 704	638	212	3	230	31	28
$20,000 to $29,999	746	159	58	4	46	12	4
$30,000 and over	470	70	24	–	35	4	4
Family off-form income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 821	474	178	3	165	23	13
$1,000	21 366	4 389	1 514	17	2 077	173	160
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	5 792	1 604	571	7	464	105	61
$1,000	59 954	13 827	4 631	137	4 751	993	640
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	3 606	1 022	313	2	301	46	31
$1,000	14 085	3 486	1 026	6	1 279	50	78
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 649	392	157	1	108	26	14
$1,000	5 436	1 048	407	(Z)	329	45	64
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	814	183	71	–	60	15	2
$1,000	2 970	622	257	–	246	38	2
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	12 505	4 932	1 439	11	1 188	153	78
number	16 705	6 639	1 910	11	1 702	168	99
2 or 3—farms	3 257	1 296	373	–	388	14	17
number	6 872	2 733	795	–	821	29	38
4 and over—farms	154	66	15	–	22	–	–
number	739	336	64	–	103	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	15 554	5 840	1 652	15	1 553	232	115
number	29 839	13 638	2 912	28	3 716	306	164
2 or 3—farms	5 624	2 813	543	1	474	43	21
number	13 070	6 840	1 290	2	1 066	90	46
4 and over—farms	1 644	960	128	4	312	7	5
number	8 483	4 731	641	16	1 883	34	29
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 720	5 829	1 687	19	1 616	229	122
number	42 678	18 165	4 875	66	7 299	430	234
2 or 3—farms	6 690	2 656	703	2	501	91	39
number	15 731	6 449	1 695	5	1 214	199	91
4 and over—farms	3 797	1 967	501	8	781	24	11
number	21 714	10 510	2 697	52	5 751	117	71
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	15 600	5 795	1 676	19	1 598	224	122
number	41 662	17 783	4 806	66	7 128	421	226
Crawler tractors—farms	822	289	50	–	134	8	8
number	1 016	382	69	–	171	9	8
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4 448	3 791	337	–	100	2	1
number	6 931	6 021	463	–	153	2	3
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	1 290	809	115	–	106	7	1
number	1 365	836	133	–	115	7	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	198	112	19	–	21	–	1
number	218	121	21	–	26	–	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 110	706	98	–	88	7	–
number	1 147	715	112	–	89	7	–
Mower conditioners—farms	2 704	497	219	–	261	20	15
number	3 100	566	237	–	309	25	22
Pickup balers—farms	3 288	655	273	–	240	12	12
number	3 469	677	288	–	258	12	14
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 849	351	192	–	136	9	13
number	1 931	362	199	–	142	11	15
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	531	45	22	–	99	1	3
number	666	64	25	–	138	1	4
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	17 383	6 344	1 858	19	1 755	249	134
$1,000	613 746	326 359	66 273	444	86 353	3 238	2 314
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 352	490	246	3	218	70	36
$1,000	6 743	1 416	667	8	604	215	100
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	2 988	719	269	5	245	72	28
$1,000	21 332	5 174	1 944	35	1 730	495	207
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 571	975	336	2	309	60	41
$1,000	49 263	13 505	4 653	27	4 321	820	586
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	5 291	2 298	531	5	549	42	23
$1,000	165 131	76 239	15 675	(D)	18 425	1 154	676
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 882	1 061	326	4	209	4	1
$1,000	122 393	70 037	20 380	(D)	14 148	(D)	77
$100,000 and over—farms	1 299	801	150	–	225	1	5
$1,000	248 883	159 988	22 953	–	47 123	(D)	667

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Family Off-Farm Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	85	160	3 086	636	244	134	18	232
$1,000	1 004	1 558	45 784	5 313	2 443	2 139	206	3 072
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	2	8	49	28	5	1	–	4
$250 to $499	4	6	42	32	2	1	–	4
$500 to $999	4	3	61	40	13	3	1	4
$1,000 to $4,999	18	52	484	175	55	18	5	32
$5,000 to $9,999	12	37	703	158	73	33	5	60
$10,000 to $19,999	29	34	1 132	159	76	41	4	87
$20,000 to $29,999	8	11	359	22	10	24	1	28
$30,000 and over	8	9	256	22	10	13	2	13
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	23	40	638	129	47	45	1	42
$1,000	303	430	9 381	1 132	445	863	2	479
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	44	86	2 046	375	168	85	11	165
$1,000	541	827	25 824	3 192	1 736	933	132	1 788
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	38	68	1 284	275	59	46	9	112
$1,000	71	166	6 663	585	145	94	27	410
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	15	39	706	85	33	14	6	53
$1,000	78	91	2 708	217	88	69	32	261
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	7	24	345	41	11	20	3	32
$1,000	11	43	1 207	188	28	181	14	133
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	90	236	2 522	1 202	359	94	20	181
number	113	328	3 129	1 712	509	121	29	235
2 or 3—farms	23	66	465	407	142	23	3	40
number	46	141	991	852	288	50	6	82
4 and over—farms	–	5	23	16	1	–	2	4
number	–	22	104	81	5	–	8	16
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	136	299	3 551	1 295	413	152	28	273
number	310	600	4 891	1 959	678	222	50	365
2 or 3—farms	55	81	837	467	178	38	11	62
number	118	185	1 816	1 010	364	86	27	130
4 and over—farms	27	46	88	35	18	5	2	7
number	138	243	449	156	97	27	8	31
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	116	304	3 647	1 311	415	133	20	272
number	284	874	6 416	2 660	688	200	48	439
2 or 3—farms	42	125	1 487	715	211	30	8	80
number	97	290	3 330	1 648	443	68	20	182
4 and over—farms	27	85	241	113	11	9	5	14
number	140	490	1 167	529	52	38	21	79
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	116	300	3 614	1 300	412	132	20	272
number	270	849	6 183	2 593	673	193	45	426
Crawler tractors—farms	10	17	212	61	14	4	3	12
number	14	25	233	67	15	7	3	13
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	74	93	34	3	4	2	7
number	–	111	120	42	3	4	2	7
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	–	38	153	46	3	–	2	10
number	–	43	162	51	3	–	2	10
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	13	23	8	1	–	–	–
number	–	14	24	8	1	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–	26	132	39	2	–	2	10
number	–	29	138	43	2	–	2	10
Mower conditioners—farms	8	65	997	492	42	23	6	59
number	10	79	1 149	560	47	26	10	60
Pickup balers—farms	6	64	1 273	584	71	23	10	65
number	6	75	1 338	624	73	25	10	69
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	5	32	684	325	43	17	4	38
number	5	33	709	348	45	19	4	39
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar—farms	–	10	125	206	9	1	1	9
number	–	15	155	242	9	1	1	11
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	151	317	4 149	1 425	455	182	28	317
$1,000	2 753	10 645	61 568	37 997	9 151	2 010	467	4 174
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	33	55	905	114	51	37	8	86
$1,000	86	187	2 593	348	155	104	24	238
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	29	62	1 093	180	113	71	4	98
$1,000	202	443	7 752	1 352	813	470	27	687
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	42	66	1 187	334	94	46	9	70
$1,000	548	906	16 185	4 707	1 246	650	150	959
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	39	76	824	636	181	26	6	55
$1,000	1 206	2 426	22 696	18 952	5 207	(D)	216	1 446
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	5	30	103	121	10	2	1	5
$1,000	335	1 900	6 301	7 650	641	(D)	50	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	3	28	37	40	6	–	–	3
$1,000	376	4 783	6 042	4 987	1 089	–	–	(D)

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Table 32. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 247	5 814	1 959	20	1 762	243	120
$1,000	114 766	56 637	22 491	11	17 905	288	359
Commercial fertilizer—farms	14 421	5 246	1 953	20	1 757	237	114
acres on which used	2 654 075	1 369 550	415 782	186	388 008	5 826	4 781
tons	440 371	223 732	67 853	42	61 417	1 521	1 081
$1,000	67 506	34 398	9 246	9	9 778	214	150
Lime—farms	1 213	252	153	–	75	21	7
acres on which used	72 051	23 566	12 879	–	5 047	151	620
tons	101 416	29 555	20 603	–	7 146	181	1 240
$1,000	1 110	310	195	–	87	2	12
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	314	50	24	–	21	2	2
acres on which used	14 269	799	712	–	2 476	2	8
$1,000	78	4	4	–	13	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	4 622	2 063	1 380	5	618	83	36
acres on which used	1 374 334	715 053	344 589	61	244 926	1 905	3 153
$1,000	20 755	7 935	8 218	1	3 222	43	81
Nematodes in crops—farms	165	55	29	–	35	6	16
acres on which used	24 228	9 870	5 561	–	7 817	53	113
$1,000	303	131	77	–	84	1	3
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	333	102	59	–	61	19	41
acres on which used	59 222	31 465	9 780	–	9 301	301	4 215
$1,000	754	319	171	–	128	4	81
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5 026	2 871	911	–	703	35	29
acres on which used	1 833 334	1 199 834	275 013	–	276 241	1 011	1 326
$1,000	20 626	12 120	3 444	–	4 152	11	19
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	610	55	37	–	42	2	3
acres on which used	71 436	5 999	4 554	–	6 086	36	30
$1,000	238	20	19	–	22	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	621	187	62	–	148	9	7
acres on which used	25 447	9 089	3 300	–	9 297	147	26
$1,000	135	40	23	–	55	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1 392	615	591	1	73	2	2
acres on which used	307 706	123 023	153 219	33	11 304	24	312
$1,000	1 595	681	707	(Z)	109	(Z)	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1 047	161	112	–	55	4	3
$1,000	240	30	35	–	15	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	1 608	544	215	2	181	52	33
$1,000	1 426	647	353	(Z)	240	13	10
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	8 428	3 065	932	7	906	116	59
Under 1,000 bushels	560	123	54	–	64	12	–
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	390	136	48	–	20	4	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	221	141	17	–	11	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	306	220	21	–	10	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	240	205	10	–	4	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	157	129	3	–	4	–	–
Not reporting	8 240	2 688	915	13	868	146	79
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	11 280	2 808	923	6	701	116	39
number	1 198 968	200 375	102 680	44	53 741	2 663	3 954
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	10 336	2 558	846	6	607	93	36
number	701 533	119 609	58 860	44	29 760	1 496	2 119
Beef cows—farms	8 889	2 409	795	4	558	80	32
number	583 384	117 427	58 196	32	28 605	1 319	1 749
Milk cows—farms	2 948	508	146	6	141	43	9
number	118 149	2 182	664	12	1 155	177	370
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	8 115	1 855	665	–	466	53	23
number	256 451	40 665	20 006	–	10 682	632	805
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	7 052	1 810	635	–	426	49	21
number	213 051	40 100	19 695	–	10 141	608	781
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1 496	112	38	–	62	8	3
number	43 400	565	311	–	541	24	24
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	8 769	2 221	770	–	505	76	32
number	240 984	40 101	23 814	–	13 299	535	1 030
Cattle and calves sold—farms	10 958	2 569	850	4	590	82	36
number	498 964	71 700	36 527	24	17 203	956	510
$1,000	77 133	9 244	4 732	2	2 457	107	138
Calves—farms	8 926	2 154	741	4	484	71	24
number	287 900	50 540	25 289	24	9 951	671	246
$1,000	27 760	5 085	2 519	2	1 004	55	31
Cattle—farms	7 221	1 322	456	–	344	37	26
number	211 064	21 160	11 238	–	7 252	285	264
$1,000	49 373	4 160	2 213	–	1 452	51	108
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	653	120	34	–	44	1	1
number	31 323	1 545	857	–	1 557	1	1
$1,000	8 660	309	228	–	336	(Z)	(Z)
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 476	462	140	–	166	42	5
number	55 572	7 226	2 643	–	1 949	240	31
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	765	237	72	–	80	12	–
number	9 008	1 164	275	–	304	24	–
Other—farms	1 387	437	129	–	151	42	5
number	46 564	6 062	2 368	–	1 645	216	31

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Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	151	321	3 151	1 188	149	85	26	258
$1,000	202	2 826	7 031	5 955	222	82	46	711
Commercial fertilizer—farms	140	318	3 021	1 146	116	76	25	252
acres on which used	3 413	57 009	245 099	134 707	6 020	3 370	1 836	18 488
tons	997	7 890	37 929	33 036	1 301	403	339	2 831
$1,000	158	1 194	5 958	5 513	188	71	38	591
Lime—farms	14	30	379	215	17	13	4	33
acres on which used	245	1 952	14 774	10 417	374	405	155	1 466
tons	405	2 907	22 083	13 996	537	659	113	1 991
$1,000	6	23	266	172	6	7	1	24
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	8	109	78	7	2	4	7
acres on which used	–	1 068	4 972	3 429	224	50	180	349
$1,000	–	8	25	22	1	(Z)	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	53	188	131	55	2	1	3	4
acres on which used	1 336	42 429	12 305	4 237	3	14	212	4 111
$1,000	17	819	313	55	(Z)	(Z)	1	49
Nematodes in crops—farms	12	8	4	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	52	530	232	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1	5	1	–	–	–	–	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	25	3	19	1	–	–	–	3
acres on which used	609	276	1 132	70	–	–	–	2 073
$1,000	7	5	19	(Z)	–	–	–	20
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	18	132	187	108	12	5	5	10
acres on which used	446	50 492	17 430	9 018	1 362	128	422	611
$1,000	9	628	159	69	8	1	3	4
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	8	280	127	23	4	6	23
acres on which used	–	1 496	39 849	9 873	1 193	117	199	2 004
$1,000	–	12	124	30	3	(Z)	1	6
Weeds on other land—farms	10	15	123	41	8	–	4	7
acres on which used	27	674	1 876	425	112	–	47	427
$1,000	(Z)	3	8	2	(Z)	–	(Z)	2
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1	58	30	15	1	–	–	3
acres on which used	1	15 837	3 015	783	60	–	–	95
$1,000	(Z)	80	11	4	(Z)	–	–	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	3	28	386	213	46	11	2	23
$1,000	(Z)	13	74	51	14	1	1	7
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	30	38	319	122	17	12	3	40
$1,000	4	37	75	37	3	1	(Z)	7
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	106	149	2 031	624	225	87	16	105
Under 1,000 bushels	3	15	173	86	16	6	1	7
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	–	12	82	72	5	4	–	7
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	–	9	21	18	2	1	–	1
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	–	9	22	19	1	–	1	3
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	–	2	11	8	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	–	5	8	6	1	–	–	1
Not reporting	66	125	2 191	609	211	108	10	211
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	19	288	4 284	1 434	292	70	28	272
number	777	39 976	563 214	180 935	17 559	3 957	2 860	26 233
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	19	273	3 863	1 429	263	57	27	259
number	526	24 121	312 894	124 476	10 263	1 978	1 544	13 843
Beef cows—farms	19	250	3 798	356	251	56	27	254
number	525	23 202	311 416	14 380	9 493	1 972	1 440	13 628
Milk cows—farms	1	80	496	1 424	49	6	8	31
number	1	919	1 478	110 096	770	6	104	215
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	14	209	3 154	1 194	213	38	26	205
number	169	8 111	117 626	46 367	4 012	1 075	776	5 525
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	14	198	3 122	304	206	38	26	203
number	169	7 733	116 204	6 548	3 839	1 073	692	5 468
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	–	25	109	1 106	19	2	5	7
number	–	378	1 422	39 819	173	2	84	57
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	15	224	3 540	850	235	53	28	220
number	82	7 744	132 694	10 092	3 284	904	540	6 865
Cattle and calves sold—farms	15	283	4 460	1 441	266	59	28	275
number	145	18 914	281 605	55 740	5 833	1 463	937	7 407
$1,000	17	3 075	48 224	6 984	752	205	174	1 023
Calves—farms	12	227	3 539	1 150	214	43	27	236
number	129	10 215	146 046	34 989	3 832	721	482	4 765
$1,000	14	1 093	15 205	1 853	300	72	43	484
Cattle—farms	8	202	3 349	1 121	150	35	22	149
number	16	8 699	135 559	20 751	2 001	742	455	2 642
$1,000	3	1 981	33 019	5 131	451	133	131	539
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	2	16	370	34	13	6	5	7
number	2	466	25 939	727	63	46	59	60
$1,000	(Z)	166	7 401	167	16	12	9	14
Hogs and pigs—farms	3	60	427	123	27	1	3	17
number	66	1 926	38 660	1 966	300	4	153	408
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3	32	266	39	12	–	3	9
number	11	231	6 554	281	29	–	33	102
Other—farms	2	58	404	116	26	1	3	13
number	55	1 695	32 106	1 685	271	4	120	306

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	878	254	61	–	77	12	1
number	95 338	8 499	3 463	–	2 094	189	6
$1,000	4 939	461	210	–	137	10	(Z)
Feeder pigs—farms	157	36	16	–	9	2	–
number	32 951	1 350	583	–	195	20	–
$1,000	647	29	13	–	5	(Z)	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	838	251	81	–	91	12	–
number	12 699	1 297	357	–	272	23	–
December 1 and May 31—farms	673	203	66	–	60	9	–
number	6 633	765	201	–	156	11	–
June 1 and November 30—farms	595	169	49	–	59	7	–
number	6 066	532	156	–	116	12	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	338	181	9	–	11	1	4
number	8 612	3 072	61	–	155	36	76
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	275	151	7	–	8	1	3
number	2 292	845	24	–	58	3	18
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	313	174	7	–	10	1	4
number	5 166	1 861	28	–	85	32	43
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	284	154	6	–	10	1	4
number	1 154	366	9	–	12	1	15
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	225	119	7	–	6	1	3
number	5 787	1 732	35	–	75	8	52
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	178	96	3	–	4	1	1
number	5 323	1 832	15	–	65	5	32
pounds of wool	28 539	10 622	88	–	334	18	182
Horses and ponies—farms	3 143	819	177	–	192	36	18
number	14 764	2 847	765	–	660	147	73
Sold—farms	480	84	17	–	18	8	6
number	3 507	227	41	–	41	48	11
$1,000	1 554	110	6	–	16	3	3
Horses—farms	3 084	798	171	–	183	36	18
number	13 908	2 678	661	–	589	97	71
Sold—farms	471	79	15	–	18	8	6
number	3 401	219	33	–	40	28	11
$1,000	1 543	110	5	–	16	3	3
Any goats—farms	46	7	–	–	2	–	2
number	743	80	–	–	4	–	27
Sold—farms	20	3	–	–	–	–	1
number	344	90	–	–	–	–	4
$1,000	5	1	–	–	–	–	(Z)
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	2 153	645	206	–	219	62	10
number	3 524 436	25 440	5 275	–	7 990	1 615	273
Sold—farms	258	18	2	2	5	4	–
number	4 004 634	1 960	45	100	126	494	–
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	2 065	616	202	–	211	51	10
number	2 809 049	22 586	4 780	–	6 605	1 240	256
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	2 005	604	196	–	205	50	10
number	2 465 225	21 549	4 218	–	5 797	1 165	256
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	225	50	33	–	33	5	–
number	343 824	1 037	562	–	808	75	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	171	51	14	–	26	5	–
number	674 576	962	191	–	661	86	–
Roosters and male chickens—farms	1 036	321	118	–	99	36	5
number	40 811	1 892	304	–	724	289	17
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	77	19	8	–	7	1	–
number	532 606	766	208	–	198	2	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	310	1	3	–	–	1	–
number	44 216 095	25	13	–	–	3	–
Turkeys—farms	85	20	8	–	10	6	–
number	619	230	44	–	41	38	–
Sold—farms	10	2	1	–	–	–	–
number	415	119	5	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	35	8	2	–	3	6	–
number	276	78	4	–	14	25	–
Sold—farms	8	1	1	–	–	–	–
number	350	59	4	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	21	9	4	–	2	–	–
number	102	54	21	–	6	–	–
Sold—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	53	13	5	–	8	4	–
number	241	98	19	–	21	13	–
Sold—farms	2	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	64	60	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	2 033	632	212	6	359	69	4
acres	40 178	14 043	2 463	44	5 130	493	108
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 511	430	163	2	260	57	4
acres	32 248	10 607	2 001	20	3 425	415	108
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	1 847	600	199	6	329	67	3
acres	30 796	13 142	2 159	44	3 619	480	8
bushels	1 612 828	805 189	96 266	1 900	148 773	16 115	294
Irrigated—farms	53	14	8	–	10	2	–
acres	758	260	45	–	122	4	–

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Livestock—Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold ——farms	3	44	365	36	12	–	5	8
number	49	2 047	75 917	2 111	233	–	120	610
$1,000	2	118	3 776	156	12	–	10	46
Feeder pigs——farms	1	7	74	7	4	–	1	–
number	13	500	30 154	70	55	–	11	–
$1,000	(Z)	12	586	1	1	–	(Z)	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ——farms	3	33	294	49	12	–	3	9
number	11	219	10 038	282	32	–	32	136
December 1 and May 31 ——farms	2	28	254	32	9	–	3	7
number	2	121	5 124	155	14	–	15	69
June 1 and November 30 ——farms	3	24	233	34	10	–	3	4
number	9	98	4 914	127	18	–	17	67
Sheep and lambs of all ages——farms	–	5	105	12	4	2	1	3
number	–	41	4 748	240	95	14	7	67
Lambs under 1 year old ——farms	–	5	82	11	3	–	1	3
number	–	16	1 216	65	23	–	1	23
Ewes 1 year old or older ——farms	–	5	94	9	3	2	1	3
number	–	19	2 837	150	62	12	5	32
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ——farms	–	3	90	7	3	2	1	3
number	–	6	695	25	10	2	1	12
Sheep and lambs sold ——farms	–	3	73	5	2	–	1	5
number	–	19	3 700	70	44	–	4	48
Sheep and lambs shorn——farms	–	1	63	3	2	–	1	3
number	–	8	3 118	132	70	–	6	40
pounds of wool	–	40	15 997	608	350	–	34	266
Horses and ponies——farms	12	67	1 252	309	43	124	13	81
number	37	262	5 603	834	103	2 659	134	640
Sold ——farms	–	8	174	28	2	120	9	6
number	–	19	517	94	2	2 439	55	13
$1,000	–	4	151	29	(Z)	1 216	14	1
Horses ——farms	12	66	1 239	301	42	124	13	81
number	37	252	5 293	770	97	2 614	132	617
Sold ——farms	–	8	172	28	2	120	9	6
number	–	19	491	94	2	2 396	55	13
$1,000	–	4	146	29	(Z)	1 212	14	1
Any goats ——farms	–	1	23	4	1	2	1	3
number	–	2	374	43	125	40	7	41
Sold ——farms	–	–	12	–	1	–	2	1
number	–	–	186	–	20	–	38	6
$1,000	–	–	2	–	(Z)	–	1	(Z)
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older ——farms	4	77	534	176	151	17	8	44
number	197	2 737	16 777	22 037	3 437 630	369	1 616	2 480
Sold ——farms	–	3	33	8	167	4	6	6
number	–	46	1 063	12 229	3 981 218	4	6 787	562
Hens and pullets of laying age——farms	4	75	518	171	138	17	8	44
number	192	2 228	14 518	21 219	2 731 244	296	1 546	2 339
Kept for table or market egg production ——farms	4	73	505	171	118	17	8	44
number	192	2 020	12 778	20 920	2 392 429	296	1 326	2 279
Kept for hatching egg production ——farms	–	12	54	12	22	–	2	2
number	–	208	1 740	299	338 815	–	220	60
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age——farms	1	6	33	10	20	1	1	3
number	4	157	654	232	671 500	40	36	53
Roosters and male chickens ——farms	1	44	278	77	23	9	3	22
number	1	352	1 605	586	34 886	33	34	88
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ——farms	3	5	12	3	17	1	1	–
number	11	219	1 135	170	529 817	40	40	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ——farms	–	–	6	3	293	2	1	–
number	–	–	(D)	60	43 935 508	4	(D)	–
Turkeys ——farms	–	6	20	6	2	3	1	3
number	–	85	132	32	2	3	2	10
Sold ——farms	–	4	2	1	–	–	–	–
number	–	8	8	275	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ——farms	–	5	8	1	2	–	–	–
number	–	81	47	25	2	–	–	–
Sold ——farms	–	4	1	1	–	–	–	–
number	–	8	4	275	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter ——farms	–	1	2	–	–	1	–	2
number	–	2	10	–	–	1	–	8
Sold ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding——farms	–	1	13	5	–	2	1	1
number	–	2	75	7	–	2	2	2
Sold ——farms	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes ——farms	–	115	419	164	16	7	6	24
acres	–	3 479	6 648	6 954	111	83	268	354
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	92	333	133	9	4	6	18
acres	–	3 176	5 782	6 027	45	52	268	322
Field corn for grain or seed ——farms	–	112	397	83	16	6	5	24
acres	–	2 914	6 102	1 607	111	74	182	354
bushels	–	152 973	279 068	79 675	3 746	2 522	8 565	17 742
Irrigated ——farms	–	2	14	1	2	–	–	–
acres	–	14	271	40	2	–	–	–

Table 32. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	384	103	23	–	41	2	–
acres	27 864	11 327	1 025	–	2 632	8	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	252	62	11	–	25	1	–
acres	20 289	8 330	478	–	1 646	3	–
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	178	86	15	–	15	1	–
acres	16 965	10 775	862	–	901	3	–
bushels	629 983	372 776	27 518	–	39 859	240	–
Irrigated—farms	8	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres	316	100	17	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	6 748	5 309	821	1	154	14	1
acres	1 599 175	1 428 151	96 840	6	26 477	608	250
bushels	42 668 498	38 533 997	2 124 583	240	768 033	7 190	8 000
Irrigated—farms	159	138	9	–	–	–	–
acres	18 319	17 279	482	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 917	1 742	65	–	31	1	–
acres	478 834	457 721	8 996	–	4 230	20	–
Peanuts for nuts—farms	78	6	21	–	13	1	1
acres	1 903	367	1 010	–	297	1	1
pounds	3 568 464	773 767	1 962 861	–	491 080	600	1 200
Irrigated—farms	3	–	3	–	–	–	–
acres	241	–	241	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	26	4	10	–	2	–	–
acres	1 570	291	930	–	156	–	–
Wheat—farms	159	101	32	–	5	1	–
acres	15 007	11 131	2 361	–	445	18	–
bushels	370 937	276 445	59 493	–	8 985	360	–
Irrigated—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	20	–	20	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	115	75	22	–	4	–	–
acres	13 388	10 068	1 949	–	405	–	–
Cotton—farms	3 965	1 459	2 000	–	115	12	3
acres	579 572	169 701	359 004	–	9 648	192	613
bales	515 229	149 462	321 280	–	8 209	115	512
Irrigated—farms	144	30	96	–	4	–	–
acres	13 287	1 530	10 422	–	188	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	3 759	1 344	1 943	–	108	11	2
acres	571 640	167 355	354 402	–	9 466	187	610
Tobacco—farms	25	–	–	20	1	4	–
acres	201	–	–	164	5	32	–
pounds	145 906	–	–	129 434	2 890	13 582	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	25	–	–	20	1	4	–
acres	201	–	–	164	5	32	–
Irish potatoes—farms	369	64	22	1	112	53	4
acres	2 007	360	12	1	1 223	160	2
hundredweight	188 010	31 883	493	20	129 452	11 297	206
Irrigated—farms	19	3	–	–	4	5	2
acres	66	2	–	–	52	9	2
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	200	35	11	1	75	29	2
acres	1 880	346	3	1	1 178	143	2
Hay—farms	5 907	833	486	–	483	37	18
acres	267 707	27 670	19 904	–	39 452	565	488
tons	556 316	48 835	42 908	–	106 643	1 042	972
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2 540	269	193	–	173	13	1
acres	125 578	10 033	8 690	–	16 367	111	130
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	309	56	40	–	30	4	1
acres	10 804	714	1 422	–	1 702	21	40
tons, dry	23 359	1 249	3 284	–	4 525	44	80
Irrigated—farms	5	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	136	–	–	–	–	5	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	819	124	54	–	83	4	3
acres	38 762	3 467	2 357	–	8 038	71	114
tons, dry	70 101	5 721	3 998	–	17 202	140	379
Irrigated—farms	5	1	–	–	–	2	–
acres	69	15	–	–	–	12	–
Field seeds—farms	134	28	9	–	13	–	–
acres	8 273	1 733	253	–	2 265	–	–
Irrigated—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	56	56	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	63	14	–	–	3	–	–
acres	2 716	648	–	–	150	–	–
Vegetables—farms	615	53	34	5	73	278	25
acres	6 566	103	81	108	442	5 031	73
Irrigated—farms	143	14	2	–	6	65	22
acres	999	12	2	–	63	771	68
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	448	31	18	–	56	209	23
acres	5 269	58	53	–	367	4 093	72
Berries—farms	94	2	–	–	1	19	59
acres	319	(Z)	–	–	1	49	249
Irrigated—farms	77	2	–	–	1	16	50
acres	280	(Z)	–	–	1	44	225
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	82	2	–	–	1	18	52
acres	299	(Z)	–	–	1	49	229
Land in orchards—farms	461	81	52	–	35	16	80
acres	26 404	6 320	2 832	–	1 134	150	5 217
Irrigated—farms	16	1	–	–	2	–	6
acres	490	5	–	–	5	–	122
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	143	22	7	–	9	6	42
acres	13 808	3 993	719	–	78	61	3 323

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Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	–	14	70	125	3	–	–	3
acres	–	792	5 295	6 319	359	–	–	107
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	12	44	92	3	–	–	2
acres	–	720	3 701	4 947	359	–	–	105
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	–	7	43	8	2	–	–	1
acres	–	506	3 123	410	355	–	–	30
bushels	–	(D)	136 867	17 076	(D)	–	–	1 500
Irrigated—farms	–	–	6	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	199	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	–	226	142	65	3	8	1	3
acres	–	32 114	7 796	6 134	54	285	50	410
bushels	–	870 606	202 012	144 615	1 580	4 354	500	2 788
Irrigated—farms	–	2	6	4	–	–	–	–
acres	–	110	159	289	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	32	19	27	–	–	–	–
acres	–	3 230	1 331	3 306	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts—farms	–	5	14	13	1	–	–	3
acres	–	128	22	73	1	–	–	3
pounds	–	230 300	14 000	91 970	2 000	–	–	686
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	3	2	5	–	–	–	–
acres	–	126	2	65	–	–	–	–
Wheat—farms	–	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	865	187	–	–	–	–	–
bushels	–	19 175	6 479	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	10	4	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	865	101	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton—farms	–	219	114	39	–	1	–	3
acres	–	29 545	9 052	1 707	–	30	–	80
bales	–	27 115	7 163	1 296	–	15	–	62
Irrigated—farms	–	10	3	–	–	–	–	1
acres	–	852	293	–	–	–	–	2
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	214	101	33	–	1	–	2
acres	–	29 266	8 592	1 654	–	30	–	78
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	2	20	63	19	4	2	1	2
acres	(Z)	179	30	33	(Z)	1	3	2
hundredweight	4	9 256	2 369	2 610	16	26	300	78
Irrigated—farms	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	(Z)	1	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	10	25	7	3	–	1	1
acres	–	173	16	15	(Z)	–	(Z)	2
Hay—farms	6	157	2 505	965	165	50	20	182
acres	120	7 813	103 580	54 621	4 924	1 324	863	6 383
tons	230	17 351	197 963	111 718	10 752	2 434	2 031	13 437
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	3	62	1 086	565	64	19	12	80
acres	72	4 190	46 334	33 630	2 207	542	492	2 780
Alfalfa and alfalfo mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	–	22	107	31	8	2	3	5
acres	–	904	4 619	730	447	16	105	84
tons, dry	–	2 022	9 837	1 135	689	67	305	122
Irrigated—farms	–	1	1	–	–	–	2	–
acres	–	5	26	–	–	–	100	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	1	14	393	105	8	9	2	19
acres	15	779	17 430	4 997	228	277	40	949
tons, dry	35	1 712	28 960	9 039	604	368	42	1 901
Irrigated—farms	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	42	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	–	3	49	27	–	1	1	3
acres	–	420	2 620	777	–	20	160	25
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	1	30	14	–	–	1	–
acres	–	125	1 397	346	–	–	50	–
Vegetables—farms	6	48	55	16	11	2	1	8
acres	1	269	296	105	34	2	3	18
Irrigated—farms	5	12	9	–	8	–	–	–
acres	1	32	19	–	32	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5	35	38	14	11	–	1	7
acres	1	221	247	102	34	–	3	17
Berries—farms	–	4	3	2	1	2	–	1
acres	–	15	3	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	2
Irrigated—farms	–	3	3	–	1	–	–	1
acres	–	5	3	–	1	–	–	2
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	4	3	–	1	–	–	1
acres	–	15	3	–	1	–	–	2
Land in orchards—farms	3	22	132	11	–	6	–	23
acres	152	926	4 831	229	–	90	–	4 522
Irrigated—farms	2	1	4	–	–	–	–	–
acres	100	30	228	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2	6	35	2	–	1	–	11
acres	100	223	1 131	27	–	2	–	4 154

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
percent	100.0	22.9	25.6	16.9	14.7	11.3	8.6
Land in farms—acres	3 475 300	2 126 188	830 924	277 653	148 696	61 962	29 877
Average size of farm—acres	518	1 382	484	245	151	82	52
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	1 687 199	1 013 610	403 877	139 746	74 998	37 583	17 384
Average per farm—dollars	251 558	659 044	235 223	123 342	75 909	49 779	30 180
Average per acre—dollars	485	477	486	503	504	607	582
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	184	–	–	–	17	53	114
$10,000 to $19,999	352	–	3	18	60	107	164
$20,000 to $39,999	824	1	33	96	250	271	173
$40,000 to $69,999	936	17	94	241	315	189	80
$70,000 to $99,999	628	23	157	232	144	54	18
$100,000 to $149,999	821	58	312	296	98	39	18
$150,000 to $199,999	607	79	340	109	51	21	7
$200,000 to $499,999	1 506	657	663	117	47	21	1
$500,000 and over	849	703	115	24	6	–	1
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	5 290	1 157	1 266	882	823	651	511
acres	1 720 000	1 052 441	334 390	146 522	107 244	51 495	27 908
Land rented or leased from others—farms	4 528	1 283	1 435	810	517	322	161
acres	1 975 356	1 212 565	524 294	148 726	60 568	21 012	8 191
Land rented or leased to others—farms	956	183	139	146	163	172	153
acres	220 056	138 818	27 760	17 595	19 116	10 545	6 222
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
acres	2 746 410	1 639 175	691 873	229 985	116 016	48 479	20 882
Harvested cropland—farms	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
acres	2 289 954	1 409 002	570 541	181 269	81 186	33 578	14 378
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	1 299	–	–	25	223	507	544
50 to 99 acres	1 060	–	33	258	512	229	28
100 to 199 acres	1 088	3	307	542	216	16	4
200 to 499 acres	1 827	373	1 114	300	37	3	–
500 to 999 acres	975	712	255	8	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	458	450	8	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	374	366	8	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	84	84	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	2 015	391	494	351	341	269	169
acres	238 251	103 703	65 483	30 499	22 543	10 695	5 328
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	107	16	28	13	20	20	10
acres	6 309	2 667	1 314	772	919	553	84
On which all crops failed—farms	304	64	83	59	45	32	21
acres	30 092	11 258	9 696	4 671	2 878	1 280	309
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	163	72	41	23	10	14	3
acres	35 234	23 782	7 999	2 050	486	804	113
Idle—farms	841	257	275	127	93	55	34
acres	146 570	88 763	36 840	10 724	8 004	1 569	670
Total woodland—farms	1 364	312	320	216	205	151	160
acres	243 034	161 679	48 376	13 734	10 132	5 074	4 039
Woodland pastured—farms	639	129	145	109	109	86	61
acres	68 193	37 401	16 027	5 667	4 249	3 298	1 551
Woodland not pastured—farms	889	226	207	145	115	88	108
acres	174 841	124 278	32 349	8 067	5 883	1 776	2 488
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	1 051	339	268	152	146	84	62
acres	284 483	189 560	57 948	19 531	12 046	3 232	2 166
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	517	105	148	81	91	54	38
acres	66 925	25 693	21 524	10 272	6 118	2 146	1 172
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	620	256	148	80	66	38	32
acres	217 558	163 867	36 424	9 259	5 928	1 086	994
Other land (see text)—farms	3 562	898	833	548	534	437	312
acres	201 373	135 774	32 727	14 403	10 502	5 177	2 790
Total postureland—farms	2 910	650	701	504	480	351	224
acres	590 927	330 664	139 458	55 697	38 838	17 225	9 045
Irrigated land—farms	2 791	989	868	447	271	149	67
acres	660 331	440 870	159 473	41 005	14 002	3 976	1 005
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	2 786	989	867	445	271	149	65
acres	655 460	439 299	157 775	39 737	13 739	3 968	942
Artificial drainage—farms	1 028	341	294	208	101	60	24
acres drained	567 447	400 090	114 073	38 839	9 480	4 042	923
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	463	125	121	65	65	53	34
number	1 153	363	339	112	170	100	69
acres	3 066	2 052	459	209	196	72	79
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
Full owners	2 188	256	284	326	473	434	415
Part owners	3 045	879	975	549	343	208	91
Tenants	1 474	403	458	258	172	113	70

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	6 264	1 441	1 645	1 090	944	672	472
Full owners	1 979	226	264	306	449	387	347
Part owners	2 908	838	942	536	329	189	74
Tenants	1 377	377	439	248	166	96	51
Black and other races[1]	296	14	32	27	38	81	104
Full owners	158	1	7	15	21	46	68
Part owners	86	8	20	9	13	19	17
Tenants	52	5	5	3	4	16	19
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	6 020	1 217	1 544	1 043	938	715	563
—acres	2 674 412	1 453 946	736 343	256 562	139 737	58 834	28 990
Partnership—farms	540	238	133	74	44	38	13
—acres	488 371	393 888	66 475	17 001	7 217	2 903	887
Corporation, including family owned—farms	115	74	27	7	5	2	–
—acres	282 145	256 732	21 758	1 805	1 625	225	–
Other—farms	32	9	13	9	1	–	–
—acres	30 372	21 622	6 348	2 285	117	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	2 356	668	678	395	290	184	141
—$1,000	143 053	93 392	31 430	10 402	4 703	1 952	1 174
Debts secured by real estate—farms	1 550	405	422	257	215	137	114
—$1,000	92 723	60 562	19 607	6 835	3 297	1 484	939
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	1 472	467	438	256	158	96	57
—$1,000	50 330	32 830	11 824	3 567	1 406	468	235
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	246	40	67	58	44	28	9
25 to 34 years	996	275	294	181	121	55	70
35 to 44 years	1 317	373	361	209	166	106	102
45 to 54 years	1 631	387	431	279	241	183	110
55 to 64 years	1 658	288	397	287	276	238	172
65 years and over	712	92	127	103	134	143	113
Average age	48.3	45.8	46.8	47.4	49.7	53.0	52.7
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	3 568	813	984	605	516	372	278
On another farm	384	52	88	76	43	64	61
In a rural area, not on a farm	396	84	125	74	56	39	18
In a city, town, or urban area	506	133	118	73	65	63	54
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	5 629	1 409	1 595	984	779	497	365
Other	931	46	82	133	203	256	211
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	597	1	8	24	113	218	233
Less than value of farm products sold	2 657	570	741	541	414	270	121
Not reporting or none	3 306	884	928	552	455	265	222
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	1 567	148	256	286	321	310	246
1 to 49 days	237	39	47	51	31	26	43
50 to 99 days	155	21	27	32	39	19	17
100 to 149 days	167	16	30	30	28	45	18
150 to 199 days	256	10	43	56	60	52	35
200 days and over	752	62	109	117	163	168	133
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	585	98	158	124	86	83	36
Number of persons	666	117	177	142	99	91	40
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	93	23	30	18	8	10	4
50 to 99 days	63	10	15	16	11	10	1
100 to 149 days	73	12	18	17	15	8	3
150 to 199 days	121	21	31	25	18	18	8
200 days and over	316	51	83	66	47	45	24
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	13	–	–	–	–	1	12
10 to 49 acres	692	–	–	7	53	268	364
50 to 69 acres	381	–	1	28	133	140	79
70 to 99 acres	515	–	4	73	228	153	57
100 to 139 acres	564	–	32	186	213	99	34
140 to 179 acres	440	1	55	180	131	51	22
180 to 219 acres	387	3	131	158	82	9	4
220 to 259 acres	316	8	129	125	42	11	1
260 to 499 acres	1 363	174	780	302	84	21	2
500 to 999 acres	1 168	608	484	60	14	2	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	631	520	89	14	7	–	1
2,000 acres and over	237	224	12	–	1	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
Cattan farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
$1,000	501 926	336 980	110 372	32 581	14 360	5 506	2 127
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	73	73	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	499	499	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	966	966	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	1 717	–	1 717	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	1 133	–	–	1 133	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	988	–	–	–	988	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	755	–	–	–	–	755	–
$2,500 to $4,999	564	–	–	–	–	–	564
Under $2,500 (see text)	12	–	–	–	–	–	12
Grain sold—farms	6 699	1 536	1 716	1 128	988	755	576
$1,000	457 057	308 267	100 548	28 957	12 620	4 800	1 865
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3 063	1 536	1 527	–	–	–	–
$1,000	402 755	308 267	94 489	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	1 454	324	391	278	227	138	96
$1,000	29 675	20 131	6 181	2 064	917	281	102
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	186	182	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	16 963	16 790	172	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	284	48	61	52	62	40	21
$1,000	671	227	189	144	58	37	16
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	125	25	28	23	25	16	8
$1,000	3 180	2 195	608	277	72	24	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	13	9	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	2 185	1 983	203	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	35	2	4	9	7	7	6
$1,000	72	4	3	21	31	8	4
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	20	8	3	5	1	–	3
$1,000	77	71	1	1	3	–	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	68	6	15	7	16	13	11
$1,000	60	41	7	2	5	2	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	25	12	9	–	2	–	2
$1,000	647	536	110	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	361	361	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	2 569	577	677	456	390	298	171
$1,000	9 244	4 692	2 483	1 059	595	304	110
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	17	17	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 220	1 220	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	254	31	51	37	47	55	33
$1,000	461	222	121	23	42	38	16
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	133	32	54	11	12	13	11
$1,000	45	14	21	2	4	2	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	97	23	30	12	13	10	9
$1,000	210	166	12	15	6	9	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	7	2	1	4	–	–	–
$1,000	14	7	1	6	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	81	35	17	10	7	6	6
$1,000	513	407	87	11	6	2	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	6 707	1 538	1 717	1 133	988	755	576
$1,000--	267 522	178 183	60 092	16 772	8 208	3 031	1 236
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	1 022	203	279	143	171	134	92
$1,000--	3 139	1 593	826	235	263	160	62
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	2 551	518	619	409	432	341	232
$1,000--	3 611	1 650	861	385	351	264	99
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	2 142	460	520	347	342	279	194
tons--	19 858	9 287	4 657	2 228	1 807	1 388	491
$1,000--	2 578	1 254	584	269	229	176	66
Feed ingredients----------farms--	732	192	220	106	97	88	29
tons--	2 530	835	808	232	345	268	41
$1,000--	307	110	90	27	45	32	4
Whole grains ----------farms--	808	191	228	137	98	102	52
tons--	3 669	1 228	1 004	575	390	308	164
$1,000--	403	136	113	59	44	32	20
Hay, green chop, and silage---farms--	463	73	103	74	86	80	47
tons--	19 983	10 599	2 983	1 595	2 629	1 365	813
$1,000--	322	150	74	30	33	25	10
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	1 357	327	346	216	243	142	83
$1,000--	337	168	81	36	29	16	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	5 404	1 438	1 506	931	737	473	319
$1,000--	25 828	16 810	6 324	1 731	666	210	86
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	5 246	1 391	1 475	924	708	467	281
$1,000--	34 398	22 377	8 387	2 254	891	374	115
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	5 007	1 386	1 461	882	668	398	212
acres fertilized--	1 369 550	887 173	339 280	89 772	35 912	13 375	4 038
dry tons--	200 554	134 097	47 058	11 845	4 949	2 010	596
liquid or gas tons--	23 178	13 975	6 073	2 065	766	217	82
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	4 046	1 217	1 249	635	490	278	177
$1,000--	22 239	15 563	4 828	1 164	511	125	48
Lime ----------farms--	252	64	78	41	37	20	12
tons--	29 555	13 774	10 123	2 785	1 820	525	528
$1,000--	310	147	96	34	19	6	8
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	6 623	1 538	1 717	1 115	962	738	553
$1,000--	22 537	12 864	6 137	1 936	1 028	393	179
Gasoline ----------farms--	5 846	1 510	1 606	932	763	579	456
$1,000--	7 330	4 024	2 001	575	443	193	94
Diesel oil----------farms--	5 253	1 476	1 607	965	575	376	254
$1,000--	10 320	6 156	2 849	891	264	111	48
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	2 572	860	855	378	329	97	53
$1,000--	2 644	1 539	688	200	178	31	9
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil -------farms--	6 621	1 537	1 717	1 115	961	738	553
$1,000--	2 243	1 145	599	271	143	57	28
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	3 357	1 240	1 058	495	273	171	120
$1,000--	22 822	17 736	3 929	771	241	105	41
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------farms--	1 701	1 052	512	90	25	19	3
workers--	3 988	3 044	782	105	35	19	3
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	1 423	648	463	194	77	34	7
workers--	4 600	2 887	1 139	360	143	63	8
Less than 25 days---------farms--	1 640	447	478	277	196	132	110
workers--	9 527	3 936	3 036	1 315	621	389	230
Contract labor ----------farms--	304	115	93	45	24	19	8
$1,000--	1 445	1 045	261	74	34	23	7
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	3 118	701	754	590	449	355	269
$1,000--	9 245	5 093	2 116	1 039	604	269	123
All other production expenses ---farms--	6 701	1 537	1 717	1 133	988	755	571
$1,000--	121 922	83 283	26 342	7 147	3 590	1 092	469
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ----------farms--	1 390	293	361	235	175	177	149
$1,000--	8 347	3 807	2 078	994	747	473	247
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	181	65	59	28	20	7	2
$1,000--	5 456	3 091	1 285	491	388	181	20
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	621	147	200	106	77	58	33
$1,000--	3 569	1 338	1 185	419	302	284	41
Recreational services --------farms--	27	9	7	5	5	–	1
$1,000--	53	42	8	2	1	–	(Z)
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	440	103	136	74	53	37	37
$1,000--	772	235	268	131	75	25	38
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	438	71	66	54	66	92	89
$1,000--	3 192	1 766	427	346	366	162	125
Other farm-related income ----farms--	156	39	50	35	11	4	17
$1,000--	760	425	190	96	4	1	43
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	524	103	140	92	77	64	48
$1,000--	2 764	1 043	814	366	297	196	47

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	2 714	447	588	475	483	428	293
$1,000	23 371	3 835	4 963	3 817	4 201	3 679	2 876
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	106	25	28	18	19	11	5
$250 to $499	82	23	25	14	6	6	8
$500 to $999	146	42	38	20	21	16	9
$1,000 to $4,999	859	159	186	167	129	142	76
$5,000 to $9,999	654	88	148	102	140	101	75
$10,000 to $19,999	638	62	117	108	133	123	95
$20,000 to $29,999	159	26	26	39	29	20	19
$30,000 and over	70	22	20	7	6	9	6
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	474	70	103	81	83	88	49
$1,000	4 389	904	923	640	682	815	425
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	1 604	186	300	299	324	287	208
$1,000	13 827	1 460	2 620	2 510	2 759	2 436	2 042
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	1 022	269	282	180	143	97	51
$1,000	3 486	1 187	1 171	450	408	151	118
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	392	29	58	72	83	76	74
$1,000	1 048	68	161	143	246	203	226
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	183	41	36	27	35	23	21
$1,000	622	217	87	74	106	74	65
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	4 932	1 307	1 419	851	629	407	319
number	6 639	2 122	1 953	1 021	700	472	371
2 or 3—farms	1 296	584	433	119	65	54	41
number	2 733	1 242	910	245	133	115	88
4 and over—farms	66	38	13	12	1	1	1
number	336	195	70	56	4	5	6
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	5 840	1 512	1 663	998	789	507	371
number	13 638	5 514	4 128	1 782	1 170	623	421
2 or 3—farms	2 813	785	1 022	555	331	79	41
number	6 840	2 114	2 563	1 208	697	172	86
4 and over—farms	960	631	275	41	5	7	1
number	4 731	3 304	1 199	172	20	30	6
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	5 829	1 510	1 654	989	786	513	377
number	18 165	7 401	5 477	2 442	1 467	811	567
2 or 3—farms	2 656	344	867	600	469	222	154
number	6 449	917	2 208	1 484	1 030	483	327
4 and over—farms	1 967	1 123	622	173	34	11	4
number	10 510	6 441	3 104	742	154	48	21
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	5 795	1 507	1 646	984	784	504	370
number	17 783	7 196	5 379	2 399	1 455	794	560
Crawler tractors—farms	289	153	66	38	12	13	7
number	382	205	98	43	12	17	7
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 791	1 395	1 395	614	262	94	31
number	6 021	2 693	1 952	889	336	116	35
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	809	312	261	120	60	38	18
number	836	326	270	123	60	38	19
Corn heads for combines—farms	112	49	36	12	10	2	3
number	121	56	38	12	10	2	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	706	268	227	109	50	36	16
number	715	270	232	111	50	36	16
Mower conditioners—farms	497	127	149	79	57	58	27
number	566	156	168	88	62	60	32
Pickup balers—farms	655	163	180	132	92	71	17
number	677	175	189	133	92	71	17
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	351	79	85	77	56	46	8
number	362	82	93	77	56	46	8
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar—farms	45	16	10	11	3	5	–
number	64	25	12	14	4	9	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	6 344	1 538	1 717	1 093	889	617	490
$1,000	326 359	169 269	101 767	27 665	16 161	7 060	4 436
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	490	5	18	38	83	163	183
$1,000	1 416	19	51	113	256	452	524
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	719	9	44	163	197	176	130
$1,000	5 174	69	343	1 265	1 374	1 184	939
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	975	26	124	274	242	155	154
$1,000	13 505	369	1 746	3 878	3 291	1 997	2 224
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	2 298	430	862	522	344	119	21
$1,000	76 239	16 873	29 904	16 026	9 746	3 167	522
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 061	460	493	83	21	3	1
$1,000	70 037	31 774	31 912	4 832	(D)	(D)	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	801	608	176	13	2	1	1
$1,000	159 988	120 164	37 812	1 550	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	5 814	1 489	1 624	1 010	819	532	340
$1,000	56 637	37 940	13 214	3 418	1 403	499	163
Commercial fertilizer—farms	5 246	1 391	1 475	924	708	467	281
acres on which used	1 369 550	887 173	339 280	89 772	35 912	13 375	4 038
tons	223 732	148 072	53 131	13 910	5 715	2 227	678
$1,000	34 398	22 377	8 387	2 254	891	374	115
Lime—farms	252	64	78	41	37	20	12
acres on which used	23 566	12 209	7 708	1 740	1 143	472	294
tons	29 555	13 774	10 123	2 785	1 820	525	528
$1,000	310	147	96	34	19	6	8
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	50	5	8	13	15	9	–
acres on which used	799	306	158	135	112	88	–
$1,000	4	1	1	1	1	1	–
Insects on other crops—farms	2 063	718	614	318	236	121	56
acres on which used	715 053	508 250	151 329	36 395	14 156	3 662	1 261
$1,000	7 935	5 661	1 641	403	176	41	14
Nematodes in crops—farms	55	14	17	11	13	–	–
acres on which used	9 870	5 704	2 384	777	1 005	–	–
$1,000	131	71	25	8	28	–	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	102	36	39	15	6	1	5
acres on which used	31 465	21 201	9 158	835	116	100	55
$1,000	319	211	101	6	1	(Z)	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	2 871	983	923	449	303	156	57
acres on which used	1 199 834	830 110	271 957	66 453	23 220	6 736	1 358
$1,000	12 120	8 787	2 490	574	199	56	13
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	55	16	17	11	9	2	–
acres on which used	5 999	3 273	2 043	422	236	25	–
$1,000	20	9	9	1	1	(Z)	–
Weeds on other land—farms	187	70	59	19	27	8	4
acres on which used	9 089	7 135	1 317	239	258	106	34
$1,000	40	29	7	1	1	1	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	615	218	179	95	75	38	10
acres on which used	123 023	88 831	23 430	6 467	3 018	1 073	204
$1,000	681	474	149	34	16	5	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	161	53	55	21	22	9	1
$1,000	30	19	8	1	1	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	544	62	155	88	98	59	82
$1,000	647	154	301	99	68	14	10
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	3 065	602	922	610	466	314	151
Under 1,000 bushels	123	8	30	20	23	22	20
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	136	25	60	23	16	7	5
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	141	46	78	10	4	–	3
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	220	134	76	8	1	–	1
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	205	170	29	5	–	1	–
50,000 bushels and over	129	119	9	–	–	1	–
Not reporting	2 688	434	513	457	478	410	396
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	2 808	584	715	490	446	341	232
number	200 375	92 129	56 807	22 151	15 310	9 634	4 344
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	2 558	555	662	455	398	299	189
number	119 609	55 607	34 034	13 263	8 973	5 490	2 242
Beef cows—farms	2 409	542	623	435	371	274	164
number	117 427	54 741	33 578	13 015	8 732	5 275	2 086
Milk cows—farms	508	51	123	94	93	80	67
number	2 182	866	456	248	241	215	156
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	1 855	431	515	325	280	197	107
number	40 665	19 068	11 398	4 445	2 983	1 952	819
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	1 810	426	507	315	273	187	102
number	40 100	18 944	11 285	4 345	2 828	1 907	791
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	112	14	23	25	22	19	9
number	565	124	113	100	155	45	28
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	2 221	494	569	394	345	246	173
number	40 101	17 454	11 375	4 443	3 354	2 192	1 283
Cattle and calves sold—farms	2 569	577	677	456	390	298	171
number	71 700	34 850	19 939	8 421	4 694	2 658	1 138
$1,000	9 244	4 692	2 483	1 059	595	304	110
Calves—farms	2 154	499	560	381	313	257	144
number	50 540	24 666	14 265	5 359	3 371	1 990	889
$1,000	5 085	2 606	1 374	506	339	193	67
Cattle—farms	1 322	308	365	241	195	138	75
number	21 160	10 184	5 674	3 062	1 323	668	249
$1,000	4 160	2 086	1 109	553	257	110	44
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	120	20	37	24	16	17	6
number	1 545	439	564	335	122	77	8
$1,000	309	74	122	74	26	13	1
Hogs and pigs—farms	462	45	104	62	75	98	78
number	7 226	3 010	1 560	663	733	822	438
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	237	28	47	37	51	57	17
number	1 164	453	232	110	171	149	49
Other—farms	437	44	100	59	63	93	78
number	6 062	2 557	1 328	553	562	673	389

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold ___ farms	254	31	51	37	47	55	33
number	8 499	3 652	2 010	618	839	896	484
$1,000	461	222	121	23	42	38	16
Feeder pigs ___ farms	36	5	3	7	5	13	3
number	1 350	577	119	230	203	199	22
$1,000	29	15	2	3	5	4	1
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ___ farms	251	29	48	37	53	65	19
number	1 297	496	319	89	159	176	58
December 1 and May 31 ___ farms	203	26	40	32	41	48	16
number	765	292	208	55	83	93	34
June 1 and November 30 ___ farms	169	21	35	24	31	45	13
number	532	204	111	34	76	83	24
Sheep and lambs of all ages ___ farms	181	38	71	21	20	15	16
number	3 072	936	1 269	182	338	188	159
Lambs under 1 year old ___ farms	151	30	61	14	19	15	12
number	845	270	334	52	111	47	31
Ewes 1 year old or older ___ farms	174	35	67	21	20	15	16
number	1 861	595	747	103	184	124	108
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ___ farms	154	31	60	17	20	11	15
number	366	71	188	27	43	17	20
Sheep and lambs sold ___ farms	119	30	48	10	11	12	8
number	1 732	661	652	91	124	113	91
Sheep and lambs shorn ___ farms	96	26	38	7	8	7	10
number	1 832	643	743	69	157	110	110
pounds of wool	10 622	3 602	4 629	322	862	674	533
Horses and ponies ___ farms	819	192	248	135	105	89	50
number	2 847	894	946	347	241	295	124
Sold ___ farms	84	21	29	11	13	6	4
number	227	84	60	19	28	30	6
$1,000	110	76	12	7	6	8	1
Horses ___ farms	798	190	244	126	103	85	50
number	2 678	859	872	325	226	277	119
Sold ___ farms	79	18	27	11	13	6	4
number	219	80	56	19	28	30	6
$1,000	110	76	12	7	6	8	1
Any goats ___ farms	7	–	2	–	–	5	–
number	80	–	26	–	–	54	–
Sold ___ farms	3	–	1	–	–	2	–
number	90	–	2	–	–	88	–
$1,000	1	–	(Z)	–	–	1	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older ___ farms	645	50	122	106	119	127	121
number	25 440	6 053	4 191	2 675	5 124	4 080	3 317
Sold ___ farms	18	1	1	2	6	3	5
number	1 960	1 200	25	35	386	58	256
Hens and pullets of laying age ___ farms	616	48	115	103	118	121	111
number	22 586	5 846	3 608	2 316	4 739	3 423	2 654
Kept for table or market egg production ___ farms	604	46	114	103	116	118	107
number	21 549	5 788	3 478	2 172	4 407	3 171	2 533
Kept for hatching egg production ___ farms	50	5	5	7	13	12	8
number	1 037	58	130	144	332	252	121
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ___ farms	51	5	14	7	9	10	6
number	962	121	314	150	103	184	90
Roosters and male chickens ___ farms	321	21	60	55	58	66	61
number	1 892	86	269	209	282	473	573
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ___ farms	19	2	2	6	2	5	2
number	766	75	60	279	26	266	60
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ___ farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	25	–	–	–	25	–	–
Turkeys ___ farms	20	3	4	2	2	5	4
number	230	75	69	21	28	12	25
Sold ___ farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
number	119	59	60	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ___ farms	8	3	2	–	–	1	2
number	78	67	4	–	–	2	5
Sold ___ farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	59	59	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter ___ farms	9	–	–	2	2	2	3
number	54	–	–	14	16	6	18
Sold ___ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ___ farms	13	1	4	2	2	2	2
number	98	8	65	7	12	4	2
Sold ___ farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	60	–	60	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes ___ farms	632	71	123	97	130	120	91
acres	14 043	4 371	3 770	1 652	1 831	1 436	983
Commercial fertilizer used ___ farms	430	63	89	75	88	64	51
acres	10 607	4 117	2 960	982	1 343	768	437
Field corn for grain or seed ___ farms	600	65	113	93	125	115	89
acres	13 142	4 064	3 503	1 479	1 705	1 414	977
bushels	805 189	295 647	233 365	74 891	87 865	63 607	49 814
Irrigated ___ farms	14	1	4	2	–	4	3
acres	260	100	92	18	–	18	32

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	103	33	30	8	14	14	4
acres	11 327	8 136	1 472	605	696	391	27
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	62	21	14	6	9	9	3
acres	8 330	6 567	445	570	442	285	21
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	86	29	26	7	11	10	3
acres	10 775	7 895	1 282	575	684	329	10
bushels	372 776	278 967	54 182	19 798	7 396	12 141	292
Irrigated—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	100	100	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	5 309	1 281	1 321	836	769	612	490
acres	1 428 151	846 868	366 814	122 427	56 943	24 298	10 801
bushels	38 533 997	24 062 738	9 278 906	2 994 946	1 394 405	564 851	238 151
Irrigated—farms	138	33	38	27	13	15	12
acres	17 279	8 150	4 676	2 523	1 097	624	209
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 742	670	560	222	141	96	53
acres	457 721	293 438	121 159	28 142	9 399	4 504	1 079
Peanuts for nuts—farms	6	5	–	–	–	1	–
acres	367	366	–	–	–	1	–
pounds	773 767	772 267	–	–	–	1 500	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
acres	291	291	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat—farms	101	44	33	9	8	4	3
acres	11 131	8 069	1 983	591	328	98	62
bushels	276 445	212 678	46 457	9 548	4 598	1 324	1 840
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	75	40	21	7	3	2	2
acres	10 068	7 914	1 401	437	214	42	60
Cotton—farms	1 459	324	391	278	227	139	100
acres	169 701	103 252	39 734	16 868	6 604	2 275	968
bales	149 462	99 580	32 167	10 907	4 674	1 551	583
Irrigated—farms	30	8	12	5	2	2	1
acres	1 530	680	590	164	70	24	2
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 344	324	390	265	201	103	61
acres	167 355	102 742	39 360	16 455	6 266	1 893	639
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	64	4	6	17	20	10	7
acres	360	113	150	58	32	5	2
hundredweight	31 883	9 907	13 844	4 834	2 703	461	134
Irrigated—farms	3	–	–	1	2	–	–
acres	2	–	–	1	1	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	35	4	6	11	10	2	2
acres	346	113	150	56	25	2	(Z)
Hay—farms	833	135	197	137	168	126	70
acres	27 670	11 034	7 090	3 955	2 876	1 766	949
tons	48 835	18 722	13 231	7 852	5 014	2 641	1 375
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	269	60	75	41	50	32	11
acres	10 033	5 216	2 509	849	851	458	150
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	56	3	5	16	25	5	2
acres	714	56	106	273	218	45	16
tons, dry	1 249	183	107	387	426	114	32
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	124	13	35	16	24	28	8
acres	3 467	775	1 147	529	426	477	113
tons, dry	5 721	1 168	1 802	991	870	756	134
Irrigated—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	15	–	15	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	28	14	7	2	4	–	1
acres	1 733	1 095	474	35	109	–	20
Irrigated—farms	3	1	–	–	2	–	–
acres	56	10	–	–	46	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	14	7	3	–	4	–	–
acres	648	415	124	–	109	–	–
Vegetables—farms	53	3	5	9	13	10	13
acres	103	7	11	24	38	11	12
Irrigated—farms	14	2	–	7	2	2	1
acres	12	(Z)	–	7	3	1	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	31	3	2	8	6	5	7
acres	58	7	7	15	15	6	8
Berries—farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	(Z)	–	–
Irrigated—farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	(Z)	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	(Z)	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	81	20	21	15	10	8	7
acres	6 320	5 378	447	172	94	173	57
Irrigated—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	22	6	6	4	3	1	2
acres	3 993	3 515	264	62	29	100	23

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
percent	100.0	11.6	17.0	16.9	17.7	18.1	18.9
Land in farms—acres	851 165	383 301	238 283	111 544	62 098	35 313	20 626
Average size of farm—acres	426	1 652	701	331	176	98	55
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	408 351	181 659	118 599	50 709	29 745	15 946	11 692
Average per farm—dollars	204 176	783 014	348 821	150 473	84 264	44 173	31 013
Average per acre—dollars	480	474	498	455	479	452	567
Forms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	94	–	–	–	4	16	74
$10,000 to $19,999	163	–	–	4	10	63	86
$20,000 to $39,999	381	1	2	14	74	157	133
$40,000 to $69,999	319	–	7	58	124	70	60
$70,000 to $99,999	167	–	15	57	60	20	15
$100,000 to $149,999	171	2	31	63	44	26	5
$150,000 to $199,999	138	7	46	71	11	2	1
$200,000 to $499,999	352	84	177	63	20	7	1
$500,000 and over	215	138	62	7	6	–	2
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	1 616	194	272	272	265	307	306
acres	478 704	214 599	115 977	62 950	39 355	28 422	17 401
Land rented or leased from others—farms	1 241	181	280	254	239	149	138
acres	426 262	189 238	133 837	56 734	28 776	12 317	5 360
Land rented or leased to others—farms	326	40	41	40	53	73	79
acres	53 801	20 536	11 531	8 140	6 033	5 426	2 135
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
acres	622 507	275 637	178 438	84 957	44 823	23 752	14 900
Harvested cropland—farms	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
acres	484 280	228 380	132 678	63 088	32 931	17 102	10 101
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	616	–	1	1	46	216	352
50 to 99 acres	356	–	–	34	163	134	25
100 to 199 acres	355	1	23	185	135	11	–
200 to 499 acres	382	16	244	113	9	–	–
500 to 999 acres	208	135	69	4	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	83	80	3	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	68	65	3	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	15	15	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	668	80	127	119	120	111	111
acres	79 485	24 107	25 505	13 929	7 991	4 402	3 551
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	37	7	7	2	4	9	8
acres	1 880	1 058	268	16	68	250	220
On which all crops failed—farms	142	23	41	33	17	18	10
acres	19 131	6 986	6 588	2 662	2 012	486	397
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	48	18	11	8	1	2	8
acres	4 513	2 799	641	729	5	103	236
Idle—farms	224	46	59	43	32	31	13
acres	33 218	12 307	12 758	4 533	1 816	1 409	395
Total woodland—farms	622	86	114	101	105	122	94
acres	77 866	35 081	18 313	8 431	7 994	4 808	3 239
Woodland pastured—farms	315	44	51	58	52	54	56
acres	32 168	13 271	7 917	4 334	2 480	2 492	1 674
Woodland not pastured—farms	375	53	73	54	67	76	52
acres	45 698	21 810	10 396	4 097	5 514	2 316	1 565
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	393	77	98	60	62	65	31
acres	118 986	62 462	33 406	13 514	6 095	2 812	697
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	189	33	41	26	40	36	13
acres	32 250	14 968	9 098	2 017	4 334	1 478	355
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	240	58	69	35	26	32	20
acres	86 736	47 494	24 308	11 497	1 761	1 334	342
Other land (see text)—farms	1 179	154	215	192	189	220	209
acres	31 806	10 121	8 126	4 642	3 186	3 941	1 790
Total pastureland—farms	1 044	135	195	191	180	178	165
acres	230 639	99 840	66 828	31 777	16 566	9 706	5 922
Irrigated land—farms	145	38	36	30	18	17	6
acres	15 096	7 274	4 444	1 970	1 016	280	112
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	137	38	34	29	14	16	6
acres	14 496	7 244	4 153	1 955	772	260	112
Artificial drainage—farms	293	69	68	72	39	32	13
acres drained	144 455	85 827	33 566	16 147	6 151	2 141	623
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	185	32	42	42	25	29	15
number	544	86	89	92	47	51	179
acres	938	439	282	79	30	33	76
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
Full owners	765	52	60	83	114	213	243
Part owners	834	139	208	187	151	90	59
Tenants	401	41	72	67	88	58	75

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	1 766	207	327	324	327	315	266
Full owners	646	39	51	79	107	187	183
Part owners	776	131	205	184	136	79	41
Tenants	344	37	71	61	84	49	42
Black and other races[1]	189	–	4	9	24	42	110
Full owners	90	–	1	1	5	24	59
Part owners	49	–	3	2	15	11	18
Tenants	50	–	–	6	4	7	33
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	1 827	170	297	312	339	342	367
acres	682 833	262 647	203 685	103 890	59 741	32 896	19 974
Partnership—farms	128	37	34	21	12	15	9
acres	105 896	73 914	21 969	5 957	1 450	2 065	541
Corporation, including family owned—farms	36	24	8	3	1	–	–
acres	60 005	46 340	11 700	1 400	565	–	–
Other—farms	9	1	1	1	1	4	1
acres	2 431	400	929	297	342	352	111
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	878	131	187	177	147	113	123
$1,000	53 079	25 291	16 288	5 798	2 887	1 727	1 088
Debts secured by real estate—farms	600	92	128	121	87	78	94
$1,000	32 225	15 725	9 611	2 908	1 846	1 266	869
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	585	97	137	126	100	58	67
$1,000	20 855	9 566	6 677	2 890	1 041	461	220
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	73	2	11	10	24	14	12
25 to 34 years	274	36	53	56	44	50	35
35 to 44 years	338	53	82	49	42	61	51
45 to 54 years	440	61	71	76	90	63	79
55 to 64 years	548	40	86	111	96	107	108
65 years and over	282	15	28	31	55	62	91
Average age	49.9	46.9	47.3	49.2	49.9	50.6	53.5
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	1 058	111	195	201	175	173	203
On another farm	162	4	6	21	39	43	49
In a rural area, not on a farm	110	11	27	16	15	21	20
In a city, town, or urban area	153	49	29	22	17	23	13
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 666	203	311	308	303	258	283
Other	289	4	20	25	48	99	93
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	278	–	1	11	37	101	128
Less than value of farm products sold	872	120	205	185	150	110	102
Not reporting or none	805	87	125	137	164	146	146
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	510	36	67	75	92	124	116
1 to 49 days	122	22	28	28	22	13	9
50 to 99 days	35	3	4	2	3	11	12
100 to 149 days	57	4	5	9	10	15	14
150 to 199 days	59	2	2	5	17	16	17
200 days and over	237	5	28	31	40	69	64
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	244	18	48	55	46	45	32
Number of persons	285	23	54	61	58	54	35
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	36	8	9	8	2	5	4
50 to 99 days	40	4	7	2	11	14	2
100 to 149 days	29	2	2	8	8	7	2
150 to 199 days	51	–	10	5	16	11	9
200 days and over	129	9	26	38	21	17	18
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	8	–	–	–	–	–	8
10 to 49 acres	303	–	–	–	13	92	198
50 to 69 acres	183	–	1	3	30	68	81
70 to 99 acres	219	–	–	8	63	91	57
100 to 139 acres	192	–	–	39	80	57	16
140 to 179 acres	133	–	2	49	56	17	9
180 to 219 acres	96	–	12	32	36	14	2
220 to 259 acres	77	–	16	31	20	8	2
260 to 499 acres	300	5	111	126	46	8	4
500 to 999 acres	258	72	133	40	7	6	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	162	100	52	8	2	–	–
2,000 acres and over	69	55	13	1	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
$1,000	87 229	46 840	21 739	9 775	4 994	2 568	1 314
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	78	78	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	149	149	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	340	–	340	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	337	–	–	337	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	353	–	–	–	353	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	361	–	–	–	–	361	–
$2,500 to $4,999	341	–	–	–	–	–	341
Under $2,500 (see text)	36	–	–	–	–	–	36
Grain sold—farms	882	167	193	181	142	113	86
$1,000	14 461	8 525	3 542	1 568	514	226	86
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	97	93	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	7 284	7 109	175	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
$1,000	66 975	35 251	16 721	7 656	4 068	2 152	1 128
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	469	232	237	–	–	–	–
$1,000	48 630	35 251	13 378	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	151	25	32	27	32	27	8
$1,000	350	161	83	44	44	14	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	36	10	3	4	4	6	9
$1,000	344	259	52	17	8	3	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	24	–	–	4	8	5	7
$1,000	36	–	–	7	19	4	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	9	4	1	1	3	–	–
$1,000	42	30	1	1	10	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	17	1	3	4	3	3	3
$1,000	3	(Z)	2	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	15	–	15	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	850	115	176	153	153	138	115
$1,000	4 732	2 429	1 284	467	317	160	75
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	19	19	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 397	1 397	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	61	6	7	10	9	12	17
$1,000	210	166	5	10	13	8	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	140	140	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	7	–	2	4	–	1	–
$1,000	1	–	(Z)	1	–	(Z)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	19	4	4	3	3	4	1
$1,000	6	2	2	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	27	9	6	5	1	4	2
$1,000	55	17	31	4	(Z)	1	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
$1,000__	69 949	36 464	19 103	7 677	3 686	1 919	1 101
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	328	51	70	46	55	54	52
$1,000__	1 438	677	497	88	87	52	37
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	711	93	131	122	113	133	119
$1,000__	1 208	473	370	129	109	75	52
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	559	75	111	96	87	99	91
tons__	5 920	2 096	2 166	645	491	315	208
$1,000__	818	301	289	82	69	46	31
Feed ingredients_____farms__	255	47	56	49	38	36	29
tons__	1 089	349	370	144	109	84	34
$1,000__	143	46	45	20	14	11	6
Whole grains _____farms__	208	32	43	38	39	30	26
tons__	1 206	698	221	88	88	35	76
$1,000__	139	80	23	12	12	5	8
Hay, green chop, and silage___farms__	150	11	16	29	29	39	26
tons__	5 709	1 627	426	548	2 189	465	455
$1,000__	107	46	13	15	14	12	7
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	429	72	105	83	59	71	39
$1,000__	153	72	40	14	18	6	3
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	1 974	232	340	337	353	358	354
$1,000__	3 436	1 563	1 004	426	246	119	78
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	1 953	232	340	337	353	355	336
$1,000__	9 246	4 246	2 646	1 190	634	348	182
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	1 947	232	340	337	353	355	330
acres fertilized__	415 782	195 020	114 393	53 776	28 375	15 786	8 432
dry tons__	38 700	17 293	11 479	4 692	2 677	1 664	895
liquid or gas tons__	29 153	13 659	8 222	3 760	1 943	1 072	498
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	1 652	231	340	335	304	243	199
$1,000__	13 245	7 412	3 232	1 594	601	290	117
Lime _____farms__	153	30	27	28	25	30	13
tons__	20 603	10 894	3 237	3 286	1 940	873	373
$1,000__	195	105	28	30	19	9	4
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	1 938	232	340	336	319	351	360
$1,000__	5 386	2 333	1 569	737	376	225	146
Gasoline _____farms__	1 646	213	324	290	246	284	289
$1,000__	1 629	616	492	232	106	109	74
Diesel oil_____farms__	1 441	225	331	274	227	209	175
$1,000__	2 227	1 059	620	289	140	76	42
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	781	172	218	158	172	30	31
$1,000__	872	413	269	104	70	7	7
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	1 938	232	340	336	319	351	360
$1,000__	659	244	188	112	59	33	23
Hired farm labor _____farms__	972	213	271	195	123	87	83
$1,000__	7 714	4 807	2 106	528	169	61	42
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____farms__	511	201	214	65	20	8	3
workers__	1 668	1 051	474	109	22	9	3
25 to 149 days _____farms__	406	102	124	99	39	28	14
workers__	1 166	423	382	189	105	41	26
Less than 25 days _____farms__	459	64	93	90	80	66	66
workers__	3 756	830	830	1 251	417	230	198
Contract labor _____farms__	116	34	22	23	10	13	14
$1,000__	392	208	80	59	16	15	15
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	918	112	162	150	137	179	178
$1,000__	2 991	1 384	686	383	228	205	104
All other production expenses ___farms__	1 994	232	340	337	353	361	371
$1,000__	24 739	13 289	6 872	2 529	1 203	523	325
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	565	80	116	106	80	77	106
$1,000__	2 870	986	808	421	321	144	190
$10,000 and over _____farms__	62	23	20	8	9	1	1
$1,000__	1 594	781	475	101	178	31	28
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	228	39	63	45	30	18	33
$1,000__	1 298	307	459	197	196	36	102
Recreational services _____farms__	12	–	6	–	4	–	2
$1,000__	19	–	15	–	3	–	1
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	217	19	57	39	29	40	33
$1,000__	479	59	193	110	41	28	48
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	168	29	16	25	22	32	44
$1,000__	851	536	78	72	63	73	30
Other farm-related income ____farms__	72	16	24	15	8	6	3
$1,000__	224	84	64	42	19	7	9
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	204	17	37	36	24	37	53
$1,000__	856	133	305	112	149	50	108

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	914	89	163	156	152	184	170
$1,000	7 835	977	1 402	1 262	1 219	1 610	1 365
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	23	1	4	7	4	3	4
$250 to $499	23	4	3	6	4	5	1
$500 to $999	38	3	11	10	9	2	3
$1,000 to $4,999	315	35	61	46	50	61	62
$5,000 to $9,999	221	17	34	45	40	38	47
$10,000 to $19,999	212	17	34	27	33	62	39
$20,000 to $29,999	58	4	10	11	9	11	13
$30,000 and over	24	8	6	4	3	2	1
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	178	14	36	34	26	35	33
$1,000	1 514	335	301	221	162	307	189
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	571	47	92	93	103	121	115
$1,000	4 631	281	694	654	887	1 070	1 045
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	313	54	78	71	41	44	25
$1,000	1 026	301	318	263	45	76	22
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	157	9	16	31	25	42	34
$1,000	407	36	56	80	54	109	71
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	71	10	14	17	10	12	8
$1,000	257	23	33	44	70	48	39
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	1 439	190	304	268	224	237	216
number	1 910	336	458	339	264	275	238
2 or 3—farms	373	103	139	51	27	33	20
number	795	223	293	110	56	71	42
4 and over—farms	15	8	–	4	3	–	–
number	64	34	–	16	14	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 652	230	332	315	284	261	230
number	2 912	788	747	514	334	285	244
2 or 3—farms	543	126	194	153	33	23	14
number	1 290	329	491	324	71	47	28
4 and over—farms	128	83	32	9	4	–	–
number	641	438	150	37	16	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 687	226	331	322	275	280	253
number	4 875	1 279	1 312	935	516	495	338
2 or 3—farms	703	32	128	189	144	156	54
number	1 695	88	337	485	322	345	118
4 and over—farms	501	190	187	93	17	8	6
number	2 697	1 187	959	410	80	34	27
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 676	224	330	321	273	280	248
number	4 806	1 258	1 303	924	498	494	329
Crawler tractors—farms	50	21	6	9	7	1	6
number	69	21	9	11	18	1	9
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	337	124	114	66	28	2	3
number	463	184	150	95	29	2	3
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	115	42	28	19	12	7	7
number	133	47	35	24	12	7	8
Corn heads for combines—farms	19	12	4	3	–	–	–
number	21	12	4	5	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	98	31	24	17	12	7	7
number	112	35	31	19	12	7	8
Mower conditioners—farms	219	42	76	47	18	22	14
number	237	48	84	51	18	22	14
Pickup balers—farms	273	53	76	63	40	36	5
number	288	58	82	66	40	36	6
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	192	34	50	39	35	28	6
number	199	36	52	41	35	28	7
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar—farms	22	7	6	2	2	5	–
number	25	9	7	2	2	5	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	1 858	232	340	336	312	325	313
$1,000	66 273	24 968	18 964	9 984	5 584	4 076	2 699
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	246	1	1	15	28	83	118
$1,000	667	4	3	48	86	235	290
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	269	–	3	41	60	74	91
$1,000	1 944	–	27	327	408	529	654
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	336	4	12	67	94	77	82
$1,000	4 653	62	171	1 028	1 269	1 010	1 113
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	531	25	120	155	123	88	20
$1,000	15 675	908	4 008	4 714	3 381	(D)	(D)
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	326	102	161	51	7	3	2
$1,000	20 380	6 729	9 796	3 137	439	(D)	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	150	100	43	7	–	–	–
$1,000	22 953	17 265	4 958	730	–	–	–

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

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	1 959	232	340	337	353	356	341
$1,000	22 491	11 658	5 878	2 784	1 235	638	299
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 953	232	340	337	353	355	336
acres on which used	415 782	195 020	114 393	53 776	28 375	15 786	8 432
tons	67 853	30 952	19 701	8 452	4 620	2 736	1 393
$1,000	9 246	4 246	2 646	1 190	634	348	182
Lime—farms	153	30	27	28	25	30	13
acres on which used	12 879	7 116	1 944	1 830	1 068	702	219
tons	20 603	10 894	3 237	3 286	1 940	873	373
$1,000	195	105	28	30	19	9	4
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	24	3	7	2	2	5	5
acres on which used	712	205	330	25	40	64	48
$1,000	4	1	2	(Z)	(Z)	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	1 380	215	305	295	256	181	128
acres on which used	344 589	174 737	92 516	45 674	20 604	8 041	3 017
$1,000	8 218	4 488	2 097	1 014	384	175	60
Nematodes in crops—farms	29	6	8	7	1	7	–
acres on which used	5 561	2 891	1 832	384	40	414	–
$1,000	77	52	18	2	(Z)	5	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	59	8	10	8	7	13	13
acres on which used	9 780	6 774	1 709	556	264	306	171
$1,000	171	107	35	13	4	8	4
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	911	170	203	194	146	119	79
acres on which used	275 013	148 796	74 954	32 393	11 680	5 322	1 868
$1,000	3 444	2 142	755	372	109	49	18
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	37	8	9	5	5	8	2
acres on which used	4 554	2 287	1 174	465	318	256	54
$1,000	19	10	4	2	1	1	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	62	21	14	12	4	3	8
acres on which used	3 300	2 300	548	365	32	18	37
$1,000	23	17	3	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	591	127	128	136	90	67	43
acres on which used	153 219	92 318	34 691	17 653	5 282	2 433	842
$1,000	707	437	164	73	20	10	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	112	27	29	21	10	19	6
$1,000	35	11	12	5	6	1	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	215	6	25	36	45	50	53
$1,000	353	43	114	81	56	32	27
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	932	131	198	189	149	148	117
Under 1,000 bushels	54	5	5	11	12	14	7
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	48	13	14	9	4	5	3
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	17	12	3	2	–	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	21	13	4	4	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	3	2	1	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	915	46	115	122	188	194	250
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	923	115	177	162	165	161	143
number	102 680	41 338	32 638	11 892	8 811	4 767	3 234
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	846	111	169	155	146	141	124
number	58 860	23 366	19 152	7 022	4 606	2 894	1 820
Beef cows—farms	795	110	166	150	137	120	112
number	58 196	23 357	18 823	6 957	4 554	2 808	1 697
Milk cows—farms	146	3	13	22	25	40	43
number	664	9	329	65	52	86	123
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	665	95	141	128	117	103	81
number	20 006	8 434	6 175	2 171	1 791	930	505
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	635	95	136	124	109	96	75
number	19 695	8 434	5 998	2 142	1 764	906	451
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	38	–	7	4	8	10	9
number	311	–	177	29	27	24	54
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	770	106	157	141	139	122	105
number	23 814	9 538	7 311	2 699	2 414	943	909
Cattle and calves sold—farms	850	115	176	153	153	138	115
number	36 527	17 475	10 741	3 678	2 574	1 407	652
$1,000	4 732	2 429	1 284	467	317	160	75
Calves—farms	741	96	146	137	136	121	105
number	25 289	11 231	7 786	2 783	1 943	1 091	455
$1,000	2 519	1 147	741	302	186	100	42
Cattle—farms	456	77	104	77	83	59	56
number	11 238	6 244	2 955	895	631	316	197
$1,000	2 213	1 281	543	164	131	60	33
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	34	3	9	6	6	7	3
number	857	283	427	78	41	21	7
$1,000	228	101	95	13	12	5	3
Hogs and pigs—farms	140	6	8	19	18	26	63
number	2 643	1 410	172	290	204	208	359
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	72	2	6	10	9	18	27
number	275	54	34	39	49	50	49
Other—farms	129	5	8	17	18	22	59
number	2 368	1 356	138	251	155	158	310

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold ——— farms	61	6	7	10	9	12	17
number	3 463	2 221	97	329	419	198	199
$1,000	210	166	5	10	13	8	8
Feeder pigs ——— farms	16	–	–	5	6	4	1
number	583	–	–	181	300	87	15
$1,000	13	–	–	3	7	2	1
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ——— farms	81	2	6	10	10	19	34
number	357	121	23	57	62	41	53
December 1 and May 31 ——— farms	66	2	6	8	7	16	27
number	201	61	13	25	37	29	36
June 1 and November 30 ——— farms	49	1	3	9	10	9	17
number	156	60	10	32	25	12	17
Sheep and lambs of all ages ——— farms	9	–	3	4	1	1	–
number	61	–	13	38	7	3	–
Lambs under 1 year old ——— farms	7	–	1	4	1	1	–
number	24	–	1	17	3	3	–
Ewes 1 year old or older ——— farms	7	–	2	4	1	–	–
number	28	–	10	17	1	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ——— farms	6	–	1	4	1	–	–
number	9	–	2	4	3	–	–
Sheep and lambs sold ——— farms	7	–	2	4	–	1	–
number	35	–	8	24	–	3	–
Sheep and lambs shorn ——— farms	3	–	1	1	–	1	–
number	15	–	7	5	–	3	–
pounds of wool	88	–	39	28	–	21	–
Horses and ponies ——— farms	177	34	39	25	31	22	26
number	765	303	168	95	89	57	53
Sold ——— farms	17	4	4	2	3	4	–
number	41	9	14	4	3	11	–
$1,000	6	2	2	1	(Z)	1	–
Horses ——— farms	171	33	37	24	31	20	26
number	661	260	141	71	85	52	52
Sold ——— farms	15	3	3	2	3	4	–
number	33	7	8	4	3	11	–
$1,000	5	1	1	1	(Z)	1	–
Any goats ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older ——— farms	206	3	14	29	30	52	78
number	5 275	192	351	683	864	1 545	1 640
Sold ——— farms	2	–	–	1	–	1	–
number	45	–	–	5	–	40	–
Hens and pullets of laying age ——— farms	202	3	14	29	30	52	74
number	4 780	190	327	578	806	1 459	1 420
Kept for table or market egg production ——— farms	196	3	14	26	30	52	71
number	4 218	180	290	514	782	1 240	1 212
Kept for hatching egg production ——— farms	33	1	2	5	2	9	14
number	562	10	37	64	24	219	208
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ——— farms	14	–	1	2	2	2	7
number	191	–	10	60	22	30	69
Roosters and male chickens ——— farms	118	1	7	18	13	28	51
number	304	2	14	45	36	56	151
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ——— farms	8	1	–	2	1	1	3
number	208	5	–	130	40	9	24
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ——— farms	3	–	–	1	1	1	–
number	13	–	–	4	8	1	–
Turkeys ——— farms	8	–	–	5	–	2	1
number	44	–	–	18	–	18	8
Sold ——— farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	5	–	–	5	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ——— farms	2	–	–	2	–	–	–
number	4	–	–	4	–	–	–
Sold ——— farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	4	–	–	4	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter ——— farms	4	–	–	1	–	2	1
number	21	–	–	6	–	10	5
Sold ——— farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ——— farms	5	–	–	2	–	2	1
number	19	–	–	8	–	8	3
Sold ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes ——— farms	212	13	16	38	28	45	72
acres	2 463	797	280	390	221	325	450
Commercial fertilizer used ——— farms	163	12	15	33	24	34	45
acres	2 001	737	264	339	203	235	223
Field corn for grain or seed ——— farms	199	12	16	35	23	44	69
acres	2 159	647	280	351	146	290	445
bushels	96 266	32 862	16 621	18 795	5 904	8 490	13 594
Irrigated ——— farms	8	–	2	2	1	2	1
acres	45	–	21	6	5	12	1

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	23	6	10	2	1	2	2
acres	1 025	395	342	163	100	13	12
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	11	4	2	1	1	1	2
acres	478	315	44	3	100	4	12
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	15	5	8	1	1	–	–
acres	862	285	317	160	100	–	–
bushels	27 518	9 211	10 590	5 357	2 360	–	–
Irrigated—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	17	–	17	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	821	159	185	169	139	106	63
acres	96 840	50 844	27 179	11 487	5 003	1 599	728
bushels	2 124 583	1 206 533	545 847	239 042	88 772	33 741	10 648
Irrigated—farms	9	5	–	4	–	–	–
acres	482	390	–	92	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	65	17	16	16	6	6	4
acres	8 996	5 605	2 501	619	109	126	36
Peanuts for nuts—farms	21	11	3	–	–	–	7
acres	1 010	812	191	–	–	–	7
pounds	1 962 861	1 650 456	307 105	–	–	–	5 300
Irrigated—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	241	241	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	10	8	2	–	–	–	–
acres	930	794	136	–	–	–	–
Wheat—farms	32	16	9	2	1	–	4
acres	2 361	1 715	511	69	30	–	36
bushels	59 493	46 512	9 336	1 873	1 086	–	686
Irrigated—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	20	20	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	22	12	6	2	–	–	2
acres	1 949	1 443	425	69	–	–	12
Cotton—farms	2 000	232	340	337	353	361	377
acres	359 004	162 694	98 940	48 543	26 097	14 429	8 301
bales	321 280	163 825	81 946	38 943	19 815	10 966	5 785
Irrigated—farms	96	19	30	20	12	11	4
acres	10 422	4 003	3 752	1 630	733	232	72
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 943	232	340	337	353	355	326
acres	354 402	160 973	97 755	48 053	25 760	14 214	7 647
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	22	1	1	4	4	5	7
acres	12	(Z)	(Z)	1	1	2	7
hundredweight	493	8	8	87	85	66	239
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	11	1	–	2	4	4	–
acres	3	(Z)	–	(Z)	1	1	–
Hay—farms	486	82	115	74	86	75	54
acres	19 904	8 127	5 951	2 481	1 786	890	669
tons	42 908	17 814	13 179	5 477	3 828	1 695	915
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	193	47	53	27	31	24	11
acres	8 690	4 444	2 417	841	521	377	90
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	40	6	8	5	8	7	6
acres	1 422	640	328	128	174	83	69
tons, dry	3 284	1 848	522	292	358	189	75
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	54	5	17	7	10	9	6
acres	2 357	775	934	285	186	101	76
tons, dry	3 998	1 075	1 785	451	437	164	86
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	9	1	4	1	–	1	2
acres	253	80	70	72	–	11	20
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables—farms	34	–	1	5	8	9	11
acres	81	–	(Z)	21	38	11	12
Irrigated—farms	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
acres	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	18	–	–	3	3	5	7
acres	53	–	–	18	22	3	10
Berries—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	52	14	12	12	6	6	2
acres	2 832	2 133	323	274	37	51	15
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	7	3	–	2	–	2	–
acres	719	664	–	24	–	32	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
percent	100.0	33.1	15.6	10.7	12.8	13.9	13.9
Land in farms—acres	902 664	668 806	59 980	42 173	41 392	41 353	48 960
Average size of farm—acres	478	1 070	204	210	172	157	186
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	564 425	429 977	43 858	24 044	19 659	20 481	26 406
Average per farm—dollars	299 112	687 963	149 177	119 623	81 575	77 874	100 401
Average per acre—dollars	625	643	731	570	475	495	539
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	97	2	–	3	15	35	42
$10,000 to $19,999	161	–	11	12	36	48	54
$20,000 to $39,999	264	15	33	49	50	62	55
$40,000 to $69,999	251	29	44	49	61	33	35
$70,000 to $99,999	189	23	60	26	27	25	28
$100,000 to $149,999	205	62	57	26	14	22	24
$150,000 to $199,999	146	50	44	10	19	15	8
$200,000 to $499,999	291	196	35	17	14	14	15
$500,000 and over	283	248	10	9	5	9	2
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	1 295	363	180	138	185	203	226
acres	527 024	392 810	23 609	24 754	31 796	27 515	26 540
Land rented or leased from others—farms	1 287	542	239	148	123	131	104
acres	445 854	330 840	38 936	21 381	10 940	15 594	28 163
Land rented or leased to others—farms	192	49	24	25	29	29	36
acres	70 214	54 844	2 565	3 962	1 344	1 756	5 743
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
acres	601 077	467 553	43 915	25 750	25 883	21 754	16 222
Harvested cropland—farms	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
acres	419 855	338 248	31 330	15 868	14 212	12 172	8 025
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	642	–	29	85	139	171	218
50 to 99 acres	396	23	146	65	57	69	36
100 to 199 acres	343	148	95	37	35	20	8
200 to 499 acres	289	242	21	12	10	3	1
500 to 999 acres	146	141	3	2	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	71	71	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	51	51	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	20	20	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	531	106	57	59	83	111	115
acres	46 215	15 449	2 643	6 485	7 274	7 605	6 759
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	56	25	13	4	4	6	4
acres	4 114	3 370	233	62	31	231	187
On which all crops failed—farms	64	19	10	1	9	17	8
acres	6 927	4 677	1 676	10	141	108	315
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	512	325	115	38	21	10	3
acres	78 626	69 357	4 866	2 114	1 581	590	118
Idle—farms	309	171	61	22	27	19	9
acres	45 340	36 452	3 167	1 211	2 644	1 048	818
Total woodland—farms	426	146	40	41	46	83	70
acres	181 382	121 256	4 669	5 893	9 414	13 248	26 902
Woodland pastured—farms	208	36	19	24	34	57	38
acres	63 356	19 632	2 257	2 506	5 247	10 119	23 595
Woodland not pastured—farms	261	120	24	26	20	37	34
acres	118 026	101 624	2 412	3 387	4 167	3 129	3 307
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	286	88	49	19	42	46	42
acres	64 246	36 081	7 801	8 657	4 012	3 921	3 774
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	168	43	22	14	28	29	32
acres	25 596	14 028	5 073	1 795	1 154	1 639	1 907
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	160	58	31	7	19	29	16
acres	38 650	22 053	2 728	6 862	2 858	2 282	1 867
Other land (see text)—farms	1 064	369	177	110	123	127	158
acres	55 959	43 916	3 595	1 873	2 083	2 430	2 062
Total pastureland—farms	775	181	101	79	118	149	147
acres	173 817	71 162	12 701	17 648	16 533	21 645	34 128
Irrigated land—farms	66	18	15	6	5	13	9
acres	6 748	4 793	882	258	89	568	158
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	66	18	15	6	5	13	9
acres	6 445	4 593	784	258	89	563	158
Artificial drainage—farms	296	170	45	28	25	17	11
acres drained	169 041	153 698	5 585	4 589	2 989	1 735	445
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	143	29	14	7	21	34	38
number	473	121	51	16	57	98	130
acres	956	590	54	37	70	107	99
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
Full owners	600	83	55	53	118	132	159
Part owners	686	277	124	81	67	71	66
Tenants	601	265	115	67	56	60	38

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	1 564	486	264	175	201	212	226
Full owners	503	52	49	47	99	117	139
Part owners	580	216	115	73	61	56	59
Tenants	481	218	100	55	41	39	28
Black and other races[1]	195	24	24	22	39	51	35
Full owners	65	2	5	6	18	15	19
Part owners	53	10	8	8	6	15	6
Tenants	77	12	11	8	15	21	10
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	1 513	340	248	185	225	258	257
acres	434 237	215 380	52 673	40 111	36 399	41 267	48 407
Partnership—farms	246	170	40	12	15	5	4
acres	164 354	150 961	6 094	1 746	4 981	86	486
Corporation, including family owned—farms	115	110	2	1	1	–	1
acres	297 566	297 157	330	56	12	–	11
Other—farms	13	5	4	3	–	–	1
acres	6 507	5 308	883	260	–	–	56
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	526	232	75	46	59	64	50
$1,000	30 061	23 565	2 583	681	1 490	1 035	707
Debts secured by real estate—farms	256	82	36	20	40	38	40
$1,000	15 106	10 470	1 762	353	1 180	723	618
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	372	187	48	32	37	44	24
$1,000	14 955	13 094	822	328	310	312	89
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	17	3	4	4	2	2	2
25 to 34 years	159	45	22	17	22	28	25
35 to 44 years	334	116	62	42	39	42	33
45 to 54 years	471	134	84	55	62	70	66
55 to 64 years	514	165	94	44	61	79	71
65 years and over	264	47	22	35	54	42	64
Average age	51.8	50.5	50.6	51.4	53.9	51.9	53.7
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	977	298	164	111	117	140	147
On another farm	81	17	21	12	13	8	10
In a rural area, not on a farm	151	67	33	17	17	7	10
In a city, town, or urban area	124	35	11	7	22	30	19
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 434	488	266	174	197	171	138
Other	325	22	22	23	43	92	123
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	252	1	3	3	37	75	133
Less than value of farm products sold	775	294	168	108	100	72	33
Not reporting or none	732	215	117	86	103	116	95
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	470	55	60	47	80	99	129
1 to 49 days	60	14	8	11	8	8	11
50 to 99 days	29	5	4	9	3	4	4
100 to 149 days	65	2	9	6	19	14	15
150 to 199 days	60	3	14	6	9	13	15
200 days and over	256	31	25	15	41	60	84
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	151	35	30	17	23	27	19
Number of persons	185	44	38	20	26	36	21
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	30	8	6	6	3	6	1
50 to 99 days	25	10	6	–	4	3	2
100 to 149 days	15	3	4	3	3	2	–
150 to 199 days	27	4	4	5	2	8	4
200 days and over	88	19	18	6	14	17	14
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	23	–	–	–	–	3	20
10 to 49 acres	309	–	11	28	75	94	101
50 to 69 acres	169	–	21	30	42	40	36
70 to 99 acres	172	3	51	41	32	20	25
100 to 139 acres	164	22	58	26	23	19	16
140 to 179 acres	160	26	63	22	11	17	21
180 to 219 acres	136	51	29	12	8	20	16
220 to 259 acres	79	27	21	11	7	5	8
260 to 499 acres	266	158	27	16	24	30	11
500 to 999 acres	207	164	5	9	13	10	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres	125	104	5	4	5	5	2
2,000 acres and over	77	70	3	2	1	–	1
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
$1,000	317 720	286 516	19 207	5 757	3 437	1 905	899
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	168	168	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	238	238	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	219	219	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	294	–	294	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	201	–	–	201	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	241	–	–	–	241	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	263	–	–	–	–	263	–
$2,500 to $4,999	239	–	–	–	–	–	239
Under $2,500 (see text)	24	–	–	–	–	–	24
Grain sold—farms	309	109	33	33	54	43	37
$1,000	5 860	5 118	378	151	121	68	23
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	43	43	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4 259	4 259	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	4	–	–	–	–	4	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	113	22	17	20	20	22	12
$1,000	1 695	1 047	325	182	86	43	11
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	12	11	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	843	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	415	22	19	34	75	120	145
$1,000	4 209	1 534	333	602	694	671	375
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 443	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	1 501	614	279	168	172	144	124
$1,000	302 312	276 656	17 688	4 544	2 185	870	369
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	875	614	261	–	–	–	–
$1,000	293 800	276 656	17 144	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	69	8	7	11	12	13	18
$1,000	336	175	56	31	37	23	15
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	11	4	1	–	1	2	3
$1,000	30	14	11	–	3	1	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	26	3	9	3	3	6	2
$1,000	10	1	3	1	2	3	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	9	6	2	1	–	–	–
$1,000	531	488	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	442	442	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	590	121	69	61	102	136	101
$1,000	2 457	1 316	349	224	274	208	86
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	826	826	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	77	12	13	10	12	13	17
$1,000	137	76	20	7	19	8	7
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	8	1	4	–	2	–	1
$1,000	2	(Z)	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	21	7	3	1	5	3	2
$1,000	33	10	(D)	(D)	9	2	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
$1,000	4	–	–	–	–	2	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	30	8	–	1	4	9	8
$1,000	101	80	–	6	6	3	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	1 887	625	294	201	241	263	263
$1,000--	130 830	115 217	8 872	2 656	1 959	1 267	860
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	337	62	39	41	62	53	80
$1,000--	1 143	567	170	100	147	80	79
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	670	114	74	65	129	143	145
$1,000--	1 388	822	150	96	108	111	101
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---farms--	572	92	68	52	108	124	128
tons--	8 385	4 918	1 170	412	571	729	587
$1,000--	1 025	595	129	63	74	88	77
Feed ingredients---farms--	142	35	18	16	21	26	26
tons--	574	265	41	118	57	59	35
$1,000--	85	44	7	13	8	8	6
Whole grains ---farms--	176	41	18	15	33	44	25
tons--	1 140	695	53	51	149	134	58
$1,000--	155	104	6	7	18	13	7
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	86	18	9	14	18	5	22
tons--	5 204	3 351	303	414	765	77	294
$1,000--	123	79	8	13	8	2	12
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---farms--	324	71	42	33	55	57	66
$1,000--	128	68	15	9	17	11	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	739	221	91	76	114	113	124
$1,000--	2 128	1 639	217	115	79	49	29
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	1 757	625	292	192	223	222	203
$1,000--	9 778	7 794	903	354	314	267	144
Commercial fertilizer used ---farms--	1 702	625	292	190	211	204	180
acres fertilized--	388 008	321 088	29 811	14 211	10 089	8 481	4 328
dry tons--	24 218	15 780	2 454	1 549	1 931	1 662	843
liquid or gas tons--	37 199	32 862	3 060	953	187	95	42
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---farms--	1 144	547	213	129	109	85	61
$1,000--	8 128	7 536	367	129	55	24	17
Lime ---farms--	75	28	3	6	9	11	18
tons--	7 146	5 340	125	256	587	234	604
$1,000--	87	64	1	4	7	3	8
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ---farms--	1 833	625	294	188	227	252	247
$1,000--	7 681	6 245	747	267	176	148	98
Gasoline ---farms--	1 667	617	276	147	172	237	218
$1,000--	2 485	1 895	267	91	92	82	57
Diesel oil---farms--	1 382	585	269	168	140	117	103
$1,000--	3 397	2 943	256	95	46	37	19
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	682	326	194	83	33	25	21
$1,000--	812	654	97	39	13	4	5
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ---farms--	1 830	623	294	188	227	252	246
$1,000--	987	753	126	42	24	25	17
Hired farm labor ---farms--	1 215	585	214	110	109	115	82
$1,000--	29 465	27 474	1 259	368	198	103	63
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---farms--	698	521	119	30	15	7	6
workers--	4 346	3 997	253	60	23	7	6
25 to 149 days ---farms--	679	434	112	60	36	22	15
workers--	7 400	6 092	580	326	306	51	45
Less than 25 days---farms--	658	275	96	61	71	90	65
workers--	8 550	5 383	891	695	689	601	291
Contract labor ---farms--	158	54	30	15	29	23	7
$1,000--	919	643	188	17	34	30	6
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	666	246	142	76	67	75	60
$1,000--	2 359	1 704	409	92	74	51	29
All other production expenses ---farms--	1 880	625	294	201	241	263	256
$1,000--	67 714	60 724	4 445	1 110	756	392	286
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ---farms--	625	297	114	66	52	46	50
$1,000--	8 637	7 369	711	218	119	120	99
$10,000 and over ---farms--	163	142	15	1	2	2	1
$1,000--	7 048	6 515	412	(D)	(D)	25	20
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services---farms--	142	62	24	21	12	14	9
$1,000--	1 318	759	319	113	40	72	14
Recreational services ---farms--	5	1	2	–	2	–	–
$1,000--	12	7	3	–	3	–	–
Payments from government farm programs ---farms--	484	271	93	44	24	26	26
$1,000--	3 682	3 282	257	60	30	35	19
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments---farms--	105	31	16	9	19	9	21
$1,000--	2 739	2 563	48	15	40	11	62
Other farm-related income ---farms--	73	44	11	7	5	2	4
$1,000--	885	759	84	29	6	3	5
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---farms--	171	72	37	17	17	14	14
$1,000--	1 117	810	186	28	35	40	19

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Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	778	180	124	84	112	127	151
$1,000	8 683	2 031	1 512	549	1 647	1 374	1 571
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	37	10	5	6	1	6	9
$250 to $499	18	2	3	3	3	6	1
$500 to $999	44	20	7	5	5	4	3
$1,000 to $4,999	186	56	36	26	21	25	22
$5,000 to $9,999	182	42	26	22	23	30	39
$10,000 to $19,999	230	35	30	19	41	41	64
$20,000 to $29,999	46	7	13	2	8	6	10
$30,000 and over	35	8	4	1	10	9	3
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	165	32	25	23	28	24	33
$1,000	2 077	710	237	145	455	264	265
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	464	71	69	44	81	96	103
$1,000	4 751	661	729	308	963	951	1 139
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	301	114	56	30	28	34	39
$1,000	1 279	432	501	48	131	67	101
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	108	16	12	16	16	19	29
$1,000	329	83	26	27	67	69	57
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	60	19	7	9	11	5	9
$1,000	246	145	18	20	31	23	8
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	1 188	432	222	131	131	135	137
number	1 702	735	332	149	167	156	163
2 or 3—farms	388	207	105	16	29	18	13
number	821	439	215	34	65	39	29
4 and over—farms	22	20	–	–	–	–	2
number	103	91	–	–	–	–	12
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 553	602	261	155	176	182	177
number	3 716	2 226	548	246	246	242	208
2 or 3—farms	474	228	55	71	59	38	23
number	1 066	541	125	149	123	80	48
4 and over—farms	312	235	63	4	2	6	2
number	1 883	1 546	280	17	8	24	8
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 616	612	276	170	193	183	182
number	7 299	4 889	970	478	364	330	268
2 or 3—farms	501	48	105	103	100	88	57
number	1 214	132	273	266	224	193	126
4 and over—farms	781	555	153	43	12	13	5
number	5 751	4 748	679	188	59	55	22
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 598	610	273	168	186	180	181
number	7 128	4 772	958	465	346	321	266
Crawler tractors—farms	134	90	12	8	13	9	2
number	171	117	12	13	18	9	2
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	100	72	9	4	4	5	6
number	153	113	17	4	4	5	10
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	106	52	18	9	12	12	3
number	115	59	19	9	13	12	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	21	15	1	1	1	2	1
number	26	19	1	1	2	2	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	88	39	18	8	11	10	2
number	89	40	18	8	11	10	2
Mower conditioners—farms	261	62	38	37	44	47	33
number	309	76	48	54	45	50	36
Pickup balers—farms	240	47	22	26	34	65	46
number	258	52	24	32	37	67	46
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	136	25	9	16	18	45	23
number	142	27	9	16	19	47	24
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	99	55	13	16	4	7	4
number	138	87	13	18	5	11	4
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	1 755	625	294	182	214	228	212
$1,000	86 353	66 676	8 364	3 351	3 083	2 519	2 359
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	218	2	15	19	55	75	52
$1,000	604	5	46	56	154	185	159
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	245	19	18	38	34	62	74
$1,000	1 730	145	125	276	239	422	523
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	309	14	65	61	59	48	62
$1,000	4 321	213	1 015	840	811	599	844
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	549	194	176	57	64	38	20
$1,000	18 425	7 468	5 941	1 653	(D)	1 023	(D)
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	209	174	18	6	2	5	4
$1,000	14 148	12 082	(D)	(D)	(D)	290	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	225	222	2	1	–	–	–
$1,000	47 123	46 763	(D)	(D)	–	–	–

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

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	1 762	625	292	192	225	224	204
$1,000	17 905	15 330	1 271	483	369	291	161
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 757	625	292	192	223	222	203
acres on which used	388 008	321 088	29 811	14 211	10 089	8 481	4 328
tons	61 417	48 641	5 514	2 502	2 118	1 757	885
$1,000	9 778	7 794	903	354	314	267	144
Lime—farms	75	28	3	6	9	11	18
acres on which used	5 047	3 896	80	141	398	138	394
tons	7 146	5 340	125	256	587	234	604
$1,000	87	64	1	4	7	3	8
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	21	2	–	5	6	5	3
acres on which used	2 476	1 460	–	310	346	250	110
$1,000	13	6	–	3	2	2	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	618	362	100	68	40	29	19
acres on which used	244 926	229 200	10 523	3 204	1 126	685	188
$1,000	3 222	3 003	140	48	18	11	3
Nematodes in crops—farms	35	16	4	9	4	2	–
acres on which used	7 817	6 720	392	565	100	40	–
$1,000	84	70	7	5	1	(Z)	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	61	28	4	7	13	1	8
acres on which used	9 301	8 337	317	181	405	6	55
$1,000	128	111	5	4	6	(Z)	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	703	437	142	64	37	18	5
acres on which used	276 241	257 754	13 377	3 588	1 011	445	66
$1,000	4 152	3 950	151	40	10	3	(Z)
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	42	14	8	5	8	5	2
acres on which used	6 086	4 181	415	448	795	157	90
$1,000	22	16	3	1	1	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	148	91	25	15	11	2	4
acres on which used	9 297	8 388	550	222	106	7	24
$1,000	55	51	3	1	1	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	73	36	15	8	6	6	2
acres on which used	11 304	8 888	1 476	423	285	228	4
$1,000	109	83	20	3	2	1	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	55	20	3	10	9	8	5
$1,000	15	11	1	2	1	1	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	181	45	26	27	25	37	21
$1,000	240	172	37	19	5	4	3
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	906	392	160	91	91	85	87
Under 1,000 bushels	64	15	11	11	11	7	9
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	20	7	6	–	3	2	2
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	11	9	–	–	2	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	10	9	–	–	–	–	1
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	868	185	117	99	134	169	164
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	701	147	101	74	123	140	116
number	53 741	24 279	5 945	5 144	6 846	7 124	4 403
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	607	137	92	64	101	117	96
number	29 760	13 700	3 293	3 033	3 346	4 240	2 148
Beef cows—farms	558	124	75	62	94	114	89
number	28 605	12 882	3 149	3 011	3 291	4 204	2 068
Milk cows—farms	141	29	33	9	19	19	32
number	1 155	818	144	22	55	36	80
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	466	105	72	51	86	88	64
number	10 682	4 373	1 030	1 045	1 963	1 507	764
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	426	93	58	48	84	85	58
number	10 141	4 071	942	1 030	1 938	1 480	680
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	62	19	19	4	6	5	9
number	541	302	88	15	25	27	84
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	505	107	70	59	84	101	84
number	13 299	6 206	1 622	1 066	1 537	1 377	1 491
Cattle and calves sold—farms	590	121	69	61	102	136	101
number	17 203	8 409	2 399	1 746	2 077	1 664	908
$1,000	2 457	1 316	349	224	274	208	86
Calves—farms	484	97	55	49	85	113	85
number	9 951	3 824	1 525	1 180	1 477	1 201	744
$1,000	1 004	411	180	109	138	107	59
Cattle—farms	344	76	42	42	54	85	45
number	7 252	4 585	874	566	600	463	164
$1,000	1 452	905	168	115	136	101	27
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	44	15	6	2	7	8	6
number	1 557	1 313	73	56	36	59	20
$1,000	336	283	18	13	9	10	3
Hogs and pigs—farms	166	18	24	20	33	36	35
number	1 949	906	383	118	172	198	172
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	80	13	7	9	17	21	13
number	304	103	47	20	52	54	28
Other—farms	151	15	24	20	30	28	34
number	1 645	803	336	98	120	144	144

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	77	12	13	10	12	13	17
number	2 094	933	407	143	242	205	164
$1,000	137	76	20	7	19	8	7
Feeder pigs—farms	9	–	1	–	2	3	3
number	195	–	94	–	24	28	49
$1,000	5	–	2	–	(Z)	1	2
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	91	14	10	9	17	23	18
number	272	72	72	25	31	40	32
December 1 and May 31—farms	60	10	10	5	10	14	11
number	156	33	46	17	18	23	19
June 1 and November 30—farms	59	14	5	4	9	16	11
number	116	39	26	8	13	17	13
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	11	2	4	–	3	–	2
number	155	23	38	–	17	–	77
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	8	–	4	–	3	–	1
number	58	–	20	–	6	–	32
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	10	2	4	–	2	–	2
number	85	21	14	–	9	–	41
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	10	2	4	–	2	–	2
number	12	2	4	–	2	–	4
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	6	1	2	–	2	–	1
number	75	4	30	–	12	–	29
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	4	1	2	–	–	–	1
number	65	19	6	–	–	–	40
pounds of wool	334	114	20	–	–	–	200
Horses and ponies—farms	192	42	24	18	30	37	41
number	660	193	73	50	77	174	93
Sold—farms	18	7	2	1	3	3	2
number	41	15	2	2	7	8	7
$1,000	16	10	(Z)	1	2	2	2
Horses—farms	183	39	20	17	30	36	41
number	589	185	48	45	75	147	89
Sold—farms	18	7	2	1	3	3	2
number	40	14	2	2	7	8	7
$1,000	16	10	(Z)	1	2	2	2
Any goats—farms	2	–	–	1	1	–	–
number	4	–	–	2	2	–	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	219	24	23	22	47	49	54
number	7 990	941	1 199	678	1 459	1 858	1 855
Sold—farms	5	1	2	–	1	1	–
number	126	50	24	–	12	40	–
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	211	24	21	21	45	49	51
number	6 605	806	879	584	1 141	1 733	1 462
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	205	24	20	19	44	49	49
number	5 797	715	817	432	981	1 690	1 162
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	33	4	3	4	7	4	11
number	808	91	62	152	160	43	300
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	26	4	5	3	6	3	5
number	661	60	290	31	79	16	185
Roosters and male chickens—farms	99	9	10	10	21	20	29
number	724	75	30	63	239	109	208
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	7	1	1	1	1	2	1
number	198	15	60	15	5	100	3
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys—farms	10	–	1	–	–	4	5
number	41	–	3	–	–	24	14
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	3	–	–	–	–	2	1
number	14	–	–	–	–	12	2
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	6	–	–	–	–	–	6
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	8	–	1	–	–	4	3
number	21	–	3	–	–	12	6
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	359	73	46	50	58	63	69
acres	5 130	2 045	678	775	660	596	376
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	260	57	33	36	40	49	45
acres	3 425	1 640	420	425	317	368	255
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	329	65	39	46	56	59	64
acres	3 619	1 547	441	412	400	521	298
bushels	148 773	77 606	14 023	16 213	13 169	17 064	10 698
Irrigated—farms	10	1	2	–	2	3	2
acres	122	45	16	–	40	12	9

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	41	15	3	3	7	8	5
acres	2 632	1 161	400	291	385	253	142
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	25	12	–	3	2	6	2
acres	1 646	1 025	–	291	73	181	76
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	15	12	–	–	–	–	3
acres	901	876	–	–	–	–	25
bushels	39 859	39 210	–	–	–	–	649
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	154	67	20	15	29	16	7
acres	26 477	22 325	2 051	753	886	356	106
bushels	768 033	673 422	51 971	15 997	18 416	6 758	1 469
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	31	12	6	8	2	3	–
acres	4 230	3 241	460	362	130	37	–
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	13	–	2	1	–	4	6
acres	297	–	156	131	–	4	6
pounds	491 080	–	(D)	(D)	–	2 016	5 900
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
acres	156	–	156	–	–	–	–
Wheat ____ farms	5	4	–	1	–	–	–
acres	445	405	–	40	–	–	–
bushels	8 985	8 185	–	800	–	–	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
acres	405	405	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton ____ farms	115	22	17	20	20	23	13
acres	9 648	5 235	1 930	1 235	648	463	137
bales	8 209	4 962	1 557	912	414	270	94
Irrigated ____ farms	4	–	–	–	–	3	1
acres	188	–	–	–	–	178	10
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	108	22	17	20	18	22	9
acres	9 466	5 155	1 894	1 233	616	456	112
Tobacco ____ farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	5	–	–	–	–	5	–
pounds	2 890	–	–	–	–	2 890	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	5	–	–	–	–	5	–
Irish potatoes ____ farms	112	10	7	13	26	26	30
acres	1 223	451	25	166	270	178	134
hundredweight	129 452	57 422	2 173	23 046	25 100	14 282	7 429
Irrigated ____ farms	4	1	1	1	–	–	1
acres	52	50	(Z)	1	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	75	8	2	11	20	18	16
acres	1 178	450	21	164	256	163	124
Hay ____ farms	483	47	37	37	83	122	157
acres	39 452	10 476	2 855	5 054	7 264	8 031	5 772
tons	106 643	34 019	8 503	13 894	18 602	20 088	11 537
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	173	20	13	16	30	44	50
acres	16 367	6 384	1 391	1 483	2 930	2 589	1 590
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	30	2	3	2	2	9	12
acres	1 702	310	262	239	57	517	317
tons, dry	4 525	650	781	650	133	1 351	960
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	83	13	4	11	9	21	25
acres	8 038	3 679	320	1 120	609	1 248	1 062
tons, dry	17 202	8 115	838	2 496	1 408	2 525	1 820
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds ____ farms	13	3	–	–	–	7	3
acres	2 265	1 877	–	–	–	334	54
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	3	–	–	–	–	3	–
acres	150	–	–	–	–	150	–
Vegetables ____ farms	73	8	7	11	14	15	18
acres	442	186	54	59	61	54	28
Irrigated ____ farms	6	1	1	3	–	1	–
acres	63	40	10	12	–	1	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	56	5	7	10	13	8	13
acres	367	143	54	45	59	45	22
Berries ____ farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ____ farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards ____ farms	35	10	3	1	7	5	9
acres	1 134	365	232	4	221	36	277
Irrigated ____ farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
acres	5	–	–	–	–	2	3
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	9	2	–	–	3	1	3
acres	78	42	–	–	6	6	24

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	4 539	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
percent	100.0	1.6	3.2	5.8	13.0	24.7	51.7
Land in farms—acres	1 859 534	207 556	285 868	203 800	277 426	335 601	549 283
Average size of farm—acres	410	2 923	1 945	778	471	299	234
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	826 567	82 106	124 634	98 850	113 596	150 412	256 969
Average per farm—dollars	182 103	1 156 427	847 850	377 291	192 862	133 938	109 488
Average per acre—dollars	445	396	436	485	409	448	468
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	148	1	–	4	13	37	93
$10,000 to $19,999	335	2	2	8	24	75	224
$20,000 to $39,999	721	–	2	21	59	198	441
$40,000 to $69,999	937	2	11	33	99	236	556
$70,000 to $99,999	565	2	6	26	63	161	307
$100,000 to $149,999	570	1	10	31	100	122	306
$150,000 to $199,999	346	1	11	19	67	86	162
$200,000 to $499,999	629	19	45	82	115	163	205
$500,000 and over	288	43	60	38	49	45	53
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	4 136	64	132	243	527	1 034	2 136
acres	1 425 501	145 697	236 684	182 778	190 088	275 950	394 304
Land rented or leased from others—farms	1 727	33	82	112	263	398	839
acres	727 261	74 745	105 122	63 605	117 384	143 248	223 157
Land rented or leased to others—farms	764	17	44	54	104	202	343
acres	293 228	12 886	55 938	42 583	30 046	83 597	68 178
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	3 831	57	121	225	506	953	1 969
acres	619 956	31 611	62 641	68 664	110 197	128 683	218 160
Harvested cropland—farms	2 797	49	106	183	397	713	1 349
acres	139 355	17 249	19 771	16 866	24 788	24 271	36 410
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	2 058	3	13	57	228	575	1 182
50 to 99 acres	401	8	16	67	90	92	128
100 to 199 acres	200	8	34	37	54	34	33
200 to 499 acres	120	18	39	21	24	12	6
500 to 999 acres	15	10	3	1	1	–	–
1,000 acres and over	3	2	1	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	2	1	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	2 850	24	77	156	351	730	1 512
acres	428 194	12 814	29 683	49 271	76 029	95 546	164 851
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	103	2	–	4	12	24	61
acres	5 249	653	–	338	413	1 069	2 776
On which all crops failed—farms	53	3	1	1	6	18	24
acres	4 623	635	20	30	166	2 269	1 503
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	62	–	3	4	8	12	35
acres	6 643	–	483	477	1 393	1 311	2 979
Idle—farms	192	3	3	10	33	50	93
acres	35 892	260	12 684	1 682	7 408	4 217	9 641
Total woodland—farms	2 064	28	67	120	277	533	1 039
acres	443 326	28 770	49 477	38 749	68 839	79 199	178 292
Woodland pastured—farms	1 443	20	41	78	205	363	736
acres	273 330	15 784	20 114	18 400	44 506	45 414	129 112
Woodland not pastured—farms	986	12	34	55	130	276	479
acres	169 996	12 986	29 363	20 349	24 333	33 785	49 180
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	1 555	49	83	115	221	373	714
acres	647 399	124 462	157 335	48 846	87 124	107 346	122 286
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 062	24	40	80	139	241	538
acres	197 761	37 886	26 837	20 461	28 784	31 794	51 999
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	762	28	55	56	121	175	327
acres	449 638	86 576	130 498	28 385	58 340	75 552	70 287
Other land (see text)—farms	2 475	48	105	130	334	632	1 226
acres	148 853	22 713	16 415	47 541	11 266	20 373	30 545
Total pastureland—farms	4 050	63	136	236	519	1 007	2 089
acres	1 348 923	153 060	207 132	116 517	207 659	248 306	416 249
Irrigated land—farms	83	5	2	4	14	23	35
acres	5 489	867	138	139	460	461	3 424
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	60	5	2	3	14	19	17
acres	2 192	867	138	70	460	278	379
Artificial drainage—farms	336	13	27	27	42	83	144
acres drained	137 465	26 375	44 716	19 188	14 307	12 859	20 020
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	1 344	27	55	99	192	338	633
number	4 509	186	236	375	765	1 289	1 658
acres	6 048	324	910	568	1 077	1 245	1 923
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	4 539	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
Full owners	2 833	38	67	153	330	728	1 517
Part owners	1 286	25	65	90	193	301	612
Tenants	420	8	15	19	66	94	218

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	4 324	61	120	255	548	1 079	2 261
Full owners	2 706	33	55	148	310	700	1 460
Part owners	1 229	23	55	89	178	293	591
Tenants	389	5	10	18	60	86	210
Black and other races[1]	114	–	2	–	13	25	74
Full owners	68	–	1	–	5	14	48
Part owners	33	–	–	–	6	7	20
Tenants	13	–	1	–	2	4	6
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	4 233	49	101	240	524	1 056	2 263
acres	1 530 255	123 417	197 478	180 769	217 272	283 628	527 691
Partnership—farms	205	12	21	15	37	48	72
acres	160 939	41 396	31 271	15 022	32 138	23 153	17 959
Corporation, including family owned—farms	93	9	23	7	28	18	8
acres	158 467	(D)	(D)	8 009	28 016	28 660	3 162
Other—farms	8	1	2	–	–	1	4
acres	9 873	(D)	(D)	–	–	160	471
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	1 306	42	58	94	193	301	618
$1,000	56 314	14 609	9 081	6 617	7 338	6 572	12 098
Debts secured by real estate—farms	939	32	42	65	132	205	463
$1,000	40 764	8 911	6 939	4 439	5 615	4 753	10 107
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	718	27	36	55	116	157	327
$1,000	15 549	5 697	2 142	2 178	1 723	1 819	1 991
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	54	1	2	1	3	18	29
25 to 34 years	325	5	9	25	47	75	164
35 to 44 years	670	15	16	46	72	147	374
45 to 54 years	1 129	15	32	78	147	248	609
55 to 64 years	1 258	19	41	66	166	337	629
65 years and over	1 002	6	22	39	126	279	530
Average age	54.0	50.4	53.8	52.0	54.2	55.1	53.7
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	2 469	29	63	147	284	612	1 334
On another farm	99	2	3	10	25	28	31
In a rural area, not on a farm	259	3	8	9	25	66	148
In a city, town, or urban area	723	15	25	43	106	179	355
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	2 128	45	95	178	351	492	967
Other	2 310	16	27	77	210	612	1 368
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	2 299	1	1	34	163	562	1 538
Less than value of farm products sold	970	36	69	150	214	261	240
Not reporting or none	1 169	24	52	71	184	281	557
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	2 282	16	35	111	249	577	1 294
1 to 49 days	152	2	–	13	21	41	75
50 to 99 days	123	1	2	8	16	42	54
100 to 149 days	155	4	1	8	15	41	86
150 to 199 days	271	–	6	19	31	72	143
200 days and over	1 581	9	26	63	166	381	936
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	689	10	16	37	90	160	376
Number of persons	792	15	17	41	113	179	427
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	67	1	1	1	7	23	34
50 to 99 days	56	1	1	8	9	8	29
100 to 149 days	63	5	–	6	7	10	35
150 to 199 days	147	1	2	6	30	42	66
200 days and over	459	7	13	20	60	96	263
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	144	–	3	9	20	34	78
10 to 49 acres	547	3	8	15	50	127	344
50 to 69 acres	296	1	–	12	20	68	195
70 to 99 acres	454	1	4	12	38	101	298
100 to 139 acres	541	1	–	12	39	149	340
140 to 179 acres	413	–	3	9	52	113	236
180 to 219 acres	380	1	3	10	51	113	202
220 to 259 acres	241	1	2	19	19	68	132
260 to 499 acres	729	5	27	51	117	196	333
500 to 999 acres	441	11	26	65	114	98	127
1,000 to 1,999 acres	215	12	35	36	53	44	35
2,000 acres and over	138	35	36	12	16	12	27
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	4 539	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	4 539	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
$1,000	57 835	19 039	8 849	7 001	8 067	7 791	7 088
Farms by value of agriculturol products sold:							
$500,000 ond over	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	22	22	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	42	42	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	147	–	147	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	262	–	–	262	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	589	–	–	–	589	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	1 123	–	–	–	–	1 123	–
$2,500 to $4,999	1 784	–	–	–	–	–	1 784
Under $2,500 (see text)	563	–	–	–	–	–	563
Grain sold—farms	266	15	34	31	46	78	62
$1,000	1 636	708	433	164	151	118	63
Sales of $40,000 ond over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	518	518	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	114	11	13	11	26	26	27
$1,000	1 447	912	250	92	103	54	36
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	9	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	615	8	41	65	100	145	256
$1,000	1 302	76	352	261	255	191	165
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	42	–	1	1	5	24	11
$1,000	50	–	5	1	5	25	13
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	49	1	2	–	17	19	10
$1,000	84	3	17	–	35	21	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	27	–	3	2	8	5	9
$1,000	61	–	16	7	25	7	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	72	1	2	3	11	27	28
$1,000	(D)	(D)	(Z)	(Z)	2	9	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	15	1	3	3	4	1	3
$1,000	(D)	(D)	31	27	21	(Z)	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	4 460	67	138	251	580	1 104	2 320
$1,000	48 224	15 510	6 727	5 723	6 896	6 955	6 413
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	162	65	97	–	–	–	–
$1,000	21 081	15 503	5 578	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	365	8	18	31	58	89	161
$1,000	3 776	1 451	837	556	432	274	225
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	21	8	13	–	–	–	–
$1,000	2 153	1 451	702	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	80	1	–	8	10	18	43
$1,000	115	1	–	72	12	13	16
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	218	9	15	17	34	57	86
$1,000	169	38	18	10	33	31	39
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	11	–	–	–	4	2	5
$1,000	5	–	–	–	1	1	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	336	7	16	29	50	89	145
$1,000	557	28	162	87	95	92	94
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	4 539	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 347
$1,000--	66 485	18 351	9 048	7 505	8 193	9 391	13 996
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	1 920	60	79	135	285	462	899
$1,000--	17 321	7 086	2 001	1 799	1 528	2 149	2 759
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	4 101	66	122	233	525	1 015	2 140
$1,000--	14 440	4 287	1 543	1 534	1 683	2 052	3 342
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	3 503	63	113	206	448	857	1 816
tons--	65 636	13 790	8 799	7 574	8 273	10 498	16 702
$1,000--	8 964	2 010	1 212	1 036	1 111	1 398	2 198
Feed ingredients----------farms--	1 345	28	42	93	197	333	652
tons--	11 935	4 836	597	1 012	1 299	1 515	2 675
$1,000--	1 528	551	82	141	179	209	367
Whole grains ----------farms--	1 428	29	43	83	235	365	673
tons--	24 659	13 061	2 017	2 330	2 491	1 719	3 042
$1,000--	2 923	1 492	228	273	325	227	376
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	722	10	10	29	55	202	416
tons--	41 042	9 850	644	3 079	1 993	9 750	15 727
$1,000--	1 025	234	20	84	69	217	402
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	2 410	71	110	166	328	613	1 122
$1,000--	942	188	142	118	144	145	204
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	1 362	27	60	99	202	323	651
$1,000--	683	107	110	95	121	87	164
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	3 017	46	110	189	389	772	1 511
$1,000--	5 958	545	854	749	990	1 059	1 760
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	2 481	43	107	170	341	631	1 189
acres fertilized--	245 099	32 511	43 166	30 654	35 504	43 136	60 128
dry tons--	35 172	3 210	4 790	4 185	6 057	6 629	10 302
liquid or gas tons--	2 757	984	963	206	174	243	187
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	1 254	41	71	81	199	320	542
$1,000--	1 073	357	134	110	144	139	189
Lime ----------farms--	379	8	14	20	57	105	175
tons--	22 083	1 520	1 233	1 126	4 628	5 938	7 638
$1,000--	266	19	15	11	60	69	91
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	4 327	71	147	250	562	1 078	2 219
$1,000--	3 315	414	448	406	596	582	868
Gasoline ----------farms--	3 720	71	139	234	468	944	1 864
$1,000--	1 931	185	192	222	384	392	556
Diesel oil----------farms--	1 836	60	132	193	258	415	778
$1,000--	747	153	151	122	134	76	110
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	499	33	56	29	45	115	221
$1,000--	187	44	58	*18	14	22	32
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ------farms--	4 307	71	147	250	562	1 078	2 199
$1,000--	450	32	48	44	64	92	171
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	1 946	57	110	141	310	441	887
$1,000--	4 625	1 272	880	588	739	469	677
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------farms--	462	52	86	70	104	68	82
workers--	896	245	183	123	157	88	100
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	469	26	36	52	92	107	156
workers--	1 158	110	103	150	280	211	304
Less than 25 days---------farms--	1 382	14	35	74	205	331	723
workers--	7 138	95	270	595	1 024	1 556	3 598
Contract labor ----------farms--	365	6	18	26	62	87	166
$1,000--	461	17	54	89	82	76	142
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	1 224	16	40	83	173	293	619
$1,000--	1 073	95	132	129	160	194	364
All other production expenses ---farms--	4 377	71	147	262	589	1 123	2 185
$1,000--	16 594	3 982	2 750	1 889	2 007	2 439	3 526
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ----------farms--	1 093	17	50	87	140	272	527
$1,000--	5 599	255	952	1 100	794	891	1 607
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	107	6	10	18	13	16	44
$1,000--	3 994	215	871	971	527	491	920
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	221	3	8	16	37	50	107
$1,000--	905	33	47	92	210	183	341
Recreational services --------farms--	21	1	2	2	3	2	11
$1,000--	74	(D)	(D)	27	3	12	24
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	629	8	24	52	74	161	310
$1,000--	546	47	28	53	77	110	231
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	350	11	22	29	46	88	154
$1,000--	3 928	125	850	924	483	574	972
Other farm-related income ----farms--	83	2	5	8	14	20	34
$1,000--	147	(D)	(D)	4	21	13	40
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	306	5	9	20	43	87	142
$1,000--	1 630	41	337	380	267	236	369

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	3 086	35	60	166	352	781	1 692
$1,000	45 784	840	923	3 029	6 134	10 378	24 479
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	49	3	1	4	4	18	19
$250 to $499	42	–	1	1	5	13	22
$500 to $999	61	–	1	5	11	17	27
$1,000 to $4,999	484	12	12	36	46	127	251
$5,000 to $9,999	703	2	9	28	81	200	383
$10,000 to $19,999	1 132	8	20	56	117	282	649
$20,000 to $29,999	359	2	10	17	40	76	214
$30,000 and over	256	8	6	19	48	48	127
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	638	9	15	29	65	139	381
$1,000	9 381	402	186	431	1 062	1 717	5 584
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	2 046	19	34	116	245	508	1 124
$1,000	25 824	207	364	2 061	3 426	5 979	13 787
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	1 284	18	31	82	184	336	633
$1,000	6 663	153	289	398	1 033	1 747	3 044
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	706	3	8	23	72	186	414
$1,000	2 708	6	37	114	317	627	1 607
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	345	5	10	20	57	90	163
$1,000	1 207	73	48	24	296	308	458
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	2 522	46	105	167	332	629	1 243
number	3 129	85	154	226	396	738	1 530
2 or 3—farms	465	24	41	56	49	86	209
number	991	51	87	112	104	184	453
4 and over—farms	23	3	1	1	3	3	12
number	104	15	4	4	12	14	55
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	3 551	70	135	208	480	889	1 769
number	4 891	229	296	349	713	1 142	2 162
2 or 3—farms	837	31	73	91	159	194	289
number	1 816	67	162	199	349	414	625
4 and over—farms	88	27	19	9	10	8	15
number	449	150	91	42	53	41	72
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 647	71	136	210	469	912	1 849
number	6 416	280	393	482	947	1 461	2 853
2 or 3—farms	1 487	23	78	125	228	372	661
number	3 330	52	180	299	526	818	1 455
4 and over—farms	241	37	41	27	47	30	59
number	1 167	217	196	125	227	133	269
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 614	71	136	210	465	903	1 829
number	6 183	262	379	465	907	1 423	2 747
Crawler tractors—farms	212	14	13	17	32	37	99
number	233	18	14	17	40	38	106
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	93	13	20	11	18	10	21
number	120	17	28	11	22	14	28
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	153	6	17	19	18	33	60
number	162	7	19	20	19	33	64
Corn heads for combines—farms	23	2	5	3	2	4	7
number	24	2	6	3	2	4	7
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	132	4	12	16	16	29	55
number	138	5	13	17	17	29	57
Mower conditioners—farms	997	21	47	84	142	218	485
number	1 149	24	60	102	175	244	544
Pickup balers—farms	1 273	36	77	103	203	304	550
number	1 338	42	94	118	209	316	559
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	684	22	36	58	113	164	291
number	709	27	39	61	117	169	296
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	125	5	8	10	19	27	56
number	155	7	11	12	23	34	68
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	4 149	71	147	251	540	1 027	2 113
$1,000	61 568	4 795	4 772	5 653	10 164	12 621	23 563
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	905	–	6	42	87	246	524
$1,000	2 593	–	15	105	240	744	1 490
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	1 093	3	11	35	109	265	670
$1,000	7 752	29	82	267	770	1 899	4 704
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	1 187	7	32	56	124	304	664
$1,000	16 185	94	491	810	1 734	4 075	8 981
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	824	31	70	92	195	201	235
$1,000	22 696	996	2 158	2 594	5 390	5 043	6 515
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	103	15	24	22	18	9	15
$1,000	6 301	916	1 519	1 363	1 045	(D)	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	37	15	4	4	7	2	5
$1,000	6 042	2 759	507	514	987	(D)	(D)

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

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	3 151	55	118	193	410	808	1 567
$1,000	7 031	902	988	859	1 134	1 198	1 949
Commercial fertilizer—farms	3 021	46	110	189	393	772	1 511
acres on which used	245 099	32 511	43 166	30 654	35 504	43 136	60 128
tons	37 929	4 194	5 752	4 391	6 231	6 872	10 489
$1,000	5 958	545	854	749	990	1 059	1 760
Lime—farms	379	8	14	20	57	105	175
acres on which used	14 774	900	725	619	3 392	3 891	5 247
tons	22 083	1 520	1 233	1 126	4 628	5 938	7 638
$1,000	266	19	15	11	60	69	91
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	109	2	6	17	28	19	37
acres on which used	4 972	300	1 100	876	1 406	613	677
$1,000	25	2	4	5	8	2	3
Insects on other crops—farms	131	15	19	16	31	23	27
acres on which used	12 305	6 772	2 237	1 578	835	507	376
$1,000	313	206	41	34	15	10	7
Nematodes in crops—farms	4	1	–	–	1	–	2
acres on which used	232	180	–	–	46	–	6
$1,000	1	1	–	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	19	–	1	3	5	6	4
acres on which used	1 132	–	50	649	262	79	92
$1,000	19	–	1	13	4	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	187	11	26	27	39	39	45
acres on which used	17 430	6 936	3 972	3 098	1 652	1 140	632
$1,000	159	66	47	19	16	7	4
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	280	8	16	25	46	77	108
acres on which used	39 849	12 631	5 465	5 714	4 911	6 056	5 072
$1,000	124	42	12	15	12	29	15
Weeds on other land—farms	123	2	5	5	18	37	56
acres on which used	1 876	122	75	133	507	480	559
$1,000	8	1	1	1	1	1	3
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	30	5	2	6	8	5	4
acres on which used	3 015	1 870	255	428	227	114	121
$1,000	11	6	1	2	1	(Z)	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	386	21	31	27	62	94	151
$1,000	74	13	12	7	9	10	23
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	319	3	3	14	43	79	177
$1,000	75	1	(Z)	4	18	10	41
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	2 031	29	59	117	283	523	1 020
Under 1,000 bushels	173	4	6	8	30	40	85
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	82	5	14	12	13	14	24
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	21	6	–	2	8	1	4
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	22	7	5	3	2	2	3
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	11	3	4	1	1	–	2
50,000 bushels and over	8	2	1	1	–	1	3
Not reporting	2 191	15	58	118	252	542	1 206
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	4 284	63	134	236	547	1 050	2 254
number	563 214	64 673	70 538	57 458	93 341	101 710	175 494
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	3 863	38	119	218	511	969	2 008
number	312 894	22 964	40 185	34 725	55 004	60 779	99 237
Beef cows—farms	3 798	37	118	217	500	943	1 983
number	311 416	22 850	40 155	34 609	54 797	60 366	98 639
Milk cows—farms	496	5	9	11	58	153	260
number	1 478	114	30	116	207	413	598
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	3 154	41	112	192	425	774	1 610
number	117 626	14 588	15 912	11 313	18 262	19 337	38 214
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	3 122	41	112	189	421	761	1 598
number	116 204	14 588	15 909	11 058	17 993	18 925	37 731
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	109	–	2	9	22	31	45
number	1 422	–	3	255	269	412	483
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	3 540	60	112	200	480	873	1 815
number	132 694	27 121	14 441	11 420	20 075	21 594	38 043
Cattle and calves sold—farms	4 460	67	138	251	580	1 104	2 320
number	281 605	61 925	39 591	32 979	45 969	47 923	53 218
$1,000	48 224	15 510	6 727	5 723	6 896	6 955	6 413
Calves—farms	3 539	31	95	155	426	890	1 942
number	146 046	11 363	21 542	17 413	27 770	30 212	37 746
$1,000	15 205	1 271	2 534	1 961	2 788	3 184	3 468
Cattle—farms	3 349	64	116	220	484	896	1 569
number	135 559	50 562	18 049	15 566	18 199	17 711	15 472
$1,000	33 019	14 238	4 193	3 763	4 108	3 772	2 945
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	370	14	10	27	61	102	156
number	25 939	18 371	917	1 452	1 729	1 895	1 575
$1,000	7 401	5 605	286	402	396	414	298
Hogs and pigs—farms	427	7	19	32	73	108	188
number	38 660	13 815	6 149	7 299	3 786	3 184	4 427
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	266	6	15	24	54	63	104
number	6 554	2 852	860	1 061	642	464	675
Other—farms	404	7	18	32	67	106	174
number	32 106	10 963	5 289	6 238	3 144	2 720	3 752

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	365	8	18	31	58	89	161
number	75 917	37 370	11 994	9 530	7 032	4 923	5 068
$1,000	3 776	1 451	837	556	432	274	225
Feeder pigs—farms	74	1	1	5	15	22	30
number	30 154	(D)	(D)	2 091	1 515	1 198	925
$1,000	586	(D)	(D)	77	30	33	24
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	294	6	15	24	56	77	116
number	10 038	5 162	1 191	1 274	930	686	795
December 1 and May 31—farms	254	6	15	24	48	67	94
number	5 124	2 570	631	620	496	371	436
June 1 and November 30—farms	233	6	15	24	49	59	80
number	4 914	2 592	560	654	434	315	359
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	105	1	–	10	14	21	59
number	4 748	60	–	1 781	999	741	1 167
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	82	1	–	10	10	17	44
number	1 216	16	–	347	274	200	379
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	94	1	–	8	12	19	54
number	2 837	39	–	1 102	578	438	680
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	90	1	–	7	12	19	51
number	695	5	–	332	147	103	108
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	73	1	–	7	9	18	38
number	3 700	44	–	2 413	393	277	573
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	63	1	–	6	9	16	31
number	3 118	44	–	1 126	753	535	660
pounds of wool	15 997	250	–	6 526	2 962	2 786	3 473
Horses and ponies—farms	1 252	27	60	71	175	277	642
number	5 603	411	377	430	735	1 068	2 582
Sold—farms	174	8	12	14	28	42	70
number	517	55	72	46	135	81	128
$1,000	151	37	17	8	31	26	31
Horses—farms	1 239	27	60	70	174	276	632
number	5 293	409	369	408	693	977	2 437
Sold—farms	172	8	12	14	28	41	69
number	491	55	66	44	135	67	124
$1,000	146	37	17	8	31	22	30
Any goats—farms	23	–	1	–	4	6	12
number	374	–	15	–	48	75	236
Sold—farms	12	1	1	–	1	3	6
number	186	30	58	–	15	34	49
$1,000	2	(Z)	(Z)	–	(Z)	(Z)	1
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	534	1	5	19	68	127	314
number	16 777	133	245	678	2 698	4 548	8 475
Sold—farms	33	–	–	–	6	11	16
number	1 063	–	–	–	98	571	394
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	518	1	5	19	65	123	305
number	14 518	115	188	624	2 142	4 047	7 402
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	505	1	5	19	63	119	298
number	12 778	80	158	624	1 699	3 429	6 788
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	54	1	1	–	9	13	30
number	1 740	35	30	–	443	618	614
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	33	1	2	1	7	3	19
number	654	10	34	4	266	77	263
Roosters and male chickens—farms	278	1	4	9	42	61	161
number	1 605	8	23	50	290	424	810
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	12	–	–	1	4	2	5
number	1 135	–	–	6	861	140	128
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	6	1	–	–	–	2	3
number	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	136	46
Turkeys—farms	20	–	–	–	2	6	12
number	132	–	–	–	5	63	64
Sold—farms	2	–	–	–	–	2	–
number	8	–	–	–	–	8	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	8	–	–	–	1	3	4
number	47	–	–	–	1	20	26
Sold—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	4	–	–	–	–	4	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	10	–	–	–	–	–	10
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	13	–	–	–	1	3	9
number	75	–	–	–	4	43	28
Sold—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	4	–	–	–	–	4	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	419	6	18	23	74	108	190
acres	6 648	657	1 511	754	1 063	1 068	1 595
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	333	6	15	17	65	90	140
acres	5 782	657	1 321	671	952	944	1 237
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	397	5	17	22	69	103	181
acres	6 102	561	1 281	738	978	1 025	1 519
bushels	279 068	41 390	55 081	34 896	42 742	44 294	60 665
Irrigated—farms	14	1	–	–	5	4	4
acres	271	150	–	–	47	34	40

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and aver	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	70	7	18	5	9	6	25
acres	5 295	947	2 658	340	477	124	749
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	44	5	13	4	5	3	14
acres	3 701	882	1 947	270	237	99	266
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	43	5	12	3	6	3	14
acres	3 123	722	1 226	230	307	24	614
bushels	136 867	44 588	56 886	9 607	6 059	455	19 272
Irrigated—farms	6	–	–	–	1	1	4
acres	199	–	–	–	75	4	120
Soybeans for beans—farms	142	12	26	15	26	37	26
acres	7 796	3 393	1 970	864	800	412	357
bushels	202 012	103 900	47 169	17 528	17 451	10 003	5 961
Irrigated—farms	6	1	–	–	1	2	2
acres	159	30	–	–	60	26	43
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	19	1	6	2	5	–	5
acres	1 331	300	425	280	227	–	99
Peanuts for nuts—farms	14	–	–	–	2	8	4
acres	22	–	–	–	2	16	4
pounds	14 000	–	–	–	1 500	9 000	3 500
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2	–	–	–	1	–	1
acres	2	–	–	–	1	–	1
Wheat—farms	10	–	3	–	1	2	4
acres	187	–	145	–	1	3	38
bushels	6 479	–	5 240	–	20	33	1 186
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	4	–	2	–	–	–	2
acres	101	–	65	–	–	–	36
Cotton—farms	114	11	13	11	26	26	27
acres	9 052	5 304	1 502	825	629	475	317
bales	7 163	4 375	1 324	454	500	322	188
Irrigated—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	293	293	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	101	11	13	11	25	20	21
acres	8 592	5 102	1 437	775	615	410	253
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	63	–	–	3	6	24	30
acres	30	–	–	1	3	10	16
hundredweight	2 369	–	–	217	104	1 127	921
Irrigated—farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
acres	1	–	–	–	–	1	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	25	–	–	1	4	9	11
acres	16	–	–	1	2	4	9
Hay—farms	2 505	37	92	169	356	639	1 212
acres	103 580	6 613	10 839	13 241	20 032	21 388	31 467
tons	197 963	14 122	27 298	28 843	35 070	37 589	55 041
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 086	16	51	77	160	281	501
acres	46 334	2 778	6 148	6 223	8 636	10 278	12 271
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	107	2	8	16	34	20	27
acres	4 619	285	610	1 175	1 077	660	812
tons, dry	9 837	360	1 485	2 841	2 408	1 491	1 252
Irrigated—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	26	–	26	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	393	5	11	20	66	114	177
acres	17 430	610	623	1 982	4 120	4 484	5 611
tons, dry	28 960	945	1 103	4 175	7 129	7 021	8 587
Irrigated—farms	2	–	1	–	–	–	1
acres	42	–	6	–	–	–	36
Field seeds—farms	49	–	5	8	12	8	16
acres	2 620	–	1 080	340	707	208	285
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	30	–	2	4	7	3	14
acres	1 397	–	600	60	399	80	258
Vegetables—farms	55	1	2	–	17	19	16
acres	296	(D)	(D)	–	59	88	22
Irrigated—farms	9	–	–	–	5	2	2
acres	19	–	–	–	11	3	5
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	38	1	2	–	14	11	10
acres	247	(D)	(D)	–	51	52	18
Berries—farms	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
acres	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
Irrigated—farms	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
acres	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
acres	3	–	–	–	2	–	1
Land in orchards—farms	132	3	8	7	28	29	57
acres	4 831	235	335	665	1 411	354	1 832
Irrigated—farms	4	–	–	–	2	–	2
acres	228	–	–	–	(D)	–	(D)
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	35	–	1	2	8	6	18
acres	1 131	–	2	(D)	498	(D)	280

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
percent	100.0	16.7	50.7	17.3	11.0	4.2	0.1
Land in farms—acres	350 768	134 363	158 200	34 861	18 235	4 943	166
Average size of farm—acres	243	558	216	140	115	82	83
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	205 622	74 426	94 463	22 573	9 609	4 496	55
Average per farm—dollars	142 595	308 822	129 224	90 656	60 432	74 925	27 615
Average per acre—dollars	586	554	597	648	527	909	333
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	27	–	5	6	12	4	–
$10,000 to $19,999	63	1	15	7	27	12	1
$20,000 to $39,999	131	1	56	33	30	10	1
$40,000 to $69,999	269	11	139	67	35	17	–
$70,000 to $99,999	252	19	146	47	29	11	–
$100,000 to $149,999	290	41	178	52	18	1	–
$150,000 to $199,999	144	39	82	20	3	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	215	93	97	17	5	3	–
$500,000 and over	51	36	13	–	–	2	–
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	1 335	225	671	229	151	57	2
acres	255 124	87 368	121 441	25 857	16 349	3 943	166
Land rented or leased from others—farms	635	143	341	89	51	11	–
acres	106 643	51 254	40 520	9 488	4 101	1 280	–
Land rented or leased to others—farms	93	17	29	12	26	9	–
acres	10 999	4 259	3 761	484	2 215	280	–
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	1 329	233	669	238	145	42	2
acres	198 543	71 092	93 282	21 741	9 692	2 644	92
Harvested cropland—farms	1 078	210	569	170	101	28	–
acres	75 638	31 683	35 035	5 810	2 718	392	–
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	541	35	269	128	84	25	–
50 to 99 acres	299	47	198	37	14	3	–
100 to 199 acres	171	74	89	5	3	–	–
200 to 499 acres	60	47	13	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	1 020	183	510	179	113	33	2
acres	116 319	37 091	55 086	15 431	6 401	2 218	92
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	44	5	17	5	13	4	–
acres	1 567	237	830	116	356	28	–
On which all crops failed—farms	24	3	12	2	6	1	–
acres	439	45	299	33	61	1	–
In cultivated summer follow—farms	24	4	15	4	–	1	–
acres	1 044	405	517	117	–	5	–
Idle—farms	55	9	32	8	6	–	–
acres	3 536	1 631	1 515	234	156	–	–
Total woodland—farms	680	131	339	115	66	28	1
acres	68 031	28 179	27 271	6 613	4 528	1 369	71
Woodland pastured—farms	445	77	231	75	44	17	1
acres	37 427	15 556	14 799	3 729	2 535	737	71
Woodland not pastured—farms	345	78	168	51	34	14	–
acres	30 604	12 623	12 472	2 884	1 993	632	–
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	438	86	237	61	30	24	–
acres	67 442	30 550	29 667	4 947	1 581	697	–
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	304	50	179	48	14	13	–
acres	39 825	13 371	21 944	3 178	888	444	–
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	199	46	95	27	18	13	–
acres	27 617	17 179	7 723	1 769	693	253	–
Other land (see text)—farms	967	171	499	150	113	33	1
acres	16 752	4 542	7 980	1 560	2 434	233	3
Total pastureland—farms	1 336	233	692	226	132	51	2
acres	221 188	83 197	99 552	24 107	10 517	3 652	163
Irrigated land—farms	21	8	11	2	–	–	–
acres	1 516	769	667	80	–	–	–
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	19	8	9	2	–	–	–
acres	1 277	709	488	80	–	–	–
Artificial drainage—farms	62	18	36	4	4	–	–
acres drained	9 815	4 393	4 147	205	1 070	–	–
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	636	145	359	97	28	7	–
number	2 104	679	1 137	219	58	11	–
acres	2 437	917	1 238	172	62	48	–
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
Full owners	808	99	390	160	108	49	2
Part owners	525	126	280	68	43	8	–
Tenants	109	16	61	21	8	3	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	1 361	230	715	232	132	50	2
Full owners	746	93	380	145	85	41	2
Part owners	510	122	274	67	39	8	–
Tenants	105	15	61	20	8	1	–
Black and other races[1]	63	1	9	17	26	10	–
Full owners	53	1	7	15	22	8	–
Part owners	7	–	2	1	4	–	–
Tenants	3	–	–	1	–	2	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	1 309	200	661	238	150	58	2
acres	305 567	110 167	140 238	33 116	17 155	4 725	166
Partnership—farms	115	31	63	11	8	2	–
acres	34 693	15 659	16 081	1 745	990	218	–
Corporation, including family owned—farms	14	7	7	–	–	–	–
acres	9 203	7 322	1 881	–	–	–	–
Other—farms	4	3	–	–	1	–	–
acres	1 305	1 215	–	–	90	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	718	128	420	107	42	20	1
$1,000	37 523	13 451	20 110	2 789	867	303	4
Debts secured by real estate—farms	522	96	304	79	26	17	–
$1,000	23 474	8 651	12 152	1 786	646	239	–
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	485	90	298	67	24	5	1
$1,000	14 049	4 800	7 958	1 003	221	64	4
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	19	1	9	8	1	–	–
25 to 34 years	193	37	121	22	8	5	–
35 to 44 years	317	50	175	65	22	5	–
45 to 54 years	408	66	224	71	38	8	1
55 to 64 years	347	56	159	60	46	26	–
65 years and over	140	21	36	23	43	16	1
Average age	48.8	48.4	46.7	48.7	55.6	57.6	59.0
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	1 109	193	585	189	113	28	1
On another farm	20	–	9	2	4	5	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	29	3	13	6	5	2	–
In a city, town, or urban area	33	4	11	5	10	3	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 237	224	663	210	104	35	1
Other	187	7	61	39	54	25	1
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	41	–	4	1	17	18	1
Less than value of farm products sold	718	126	370	137	68	17	–
Not reporting or none	665	105	350	111	73	25	1
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	337	31	148	77	53	27	1
1 to 49 days	64	7	35	8	8	6	–
50 to 99 days	23	2	9	7	–	5	–
100 to 149 days	22	1	10	3	7	1	–
150 to 199 days	62	5	27	15	9	5	1
200 days and over	166	16	67	44	29	10	–
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	194	29	120	28	13	4	–
Number of persons	220	33	137	28	18	4	–
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	23	6	13	1	3	–	–
50 to 99 days	19	4	10	3	2	–	–
100 to 149 days	20	4	13	1	2	–	–
150 to 199 days	25	3	17	3	1	1	–
200 days and over	133	16	84	20	10	3	–
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	27	–	10	5	7	5	–
10 to 49 acres	82	3	12	16	30	20	1
50 to 69 acres	67	–	23	21	17	6	–
70 to 99 acres	167	–	70	47	36	14	–
100 to 139 acres	244	10	140	63	22	9	–
140 to 179 acres	226	16	156	41	9	3	1
180 to 219 acres	166	21	104	23	18	–	–
220 to 259 acres	103	24	59	11	9	–	–
260 to 499 acres	220	78	111	18	11	2	–
500 to 999 acres	101	60	36	4	–	1	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	27	18	9	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	12	11	1	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
$1,000	96 329	38 724	47 181	7 554	2 404	459	8
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	39	39	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	199	199	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	731	–	731	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	249	–	–	249	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	159	–	–	–	159	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	60	–	–	–	–	60	–
$2,500 to $4,999	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Under $2,500 (see text)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grain sold—farms	82	27	34	12	9	–	–
$1,000	1 134	659	397	56	22	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	362	362	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	34	7	7	9	10	1	–
$1,000	285	181	22	61	20	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	123	42	63	7	11	–	–
$1,000	621	402	186	22	11	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	14	1	4	4	4	1	–
$1,000	72	1	65	(Z)	5	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	16	3	2	1	10	–	–
$1,000	57	15	14	2	27	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	4	–	2	–	2	–	–
$1,000	8	–	8	–	(Z)	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	26	3	11	1	11	–	–
$1,000	145	126	12	(Z)	6	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
$1,000	86 468	34 203	43 097	6 735	2 019	408	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	900	241	659	–	–	–	–
$1,000	74 741	34 203	40 538	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 441	241	731	249	159	59	2
$1,000	6 984	2 855	3 152	640	289	47	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	12	10	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	651	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	36	5	14	11	5	1	–
$1,000	156	71	62	21	2	(Z)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	5	2	1	–	1	1	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	(Z)	–	(Z)	(Z)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	33	6	16	5	3	3	–
$1,000	30	5	22	1	(Z)	2	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	76	20	36	8	8	4	–
$1,000	322	161	143	16	2	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
$1,000__	77 019	31 176	38 433	5 716	1 375	314	5
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	580	108	327	91	36	18	–
$1,000__	4 532	1 498	2 483	371	164	15	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	1 438	240	731	247	158	60	2
$1,000__	39 677	15 612	20 019	3 293	577	177	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	1 390	235	710	239	147	57	2
tons__	274 994	108 450	138 898	22 748	3 707	1 186	5
$1,000__	36 079	14 215	18 282	2 960	478	143	1
Feed ingredients_____farms__	486	76	245	79	64	20	2
tons__	7 184	2 050	3 831	635	586	82	1
$1,000__	1 040	293	576	98	60	12	(Z)
Whole grains _____farms__	499	74	252	82	61	28	2
tons__	12 533	4 424	6 394	1 394	212	107	1
$1,000__	1 520	536	762	175	29	17	(Z)
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	217	46	118	35	10	8	–
tons__	49 871	28 579	17 226	3 330	525	212	–
$1,000__	1 039	567	398	59	9	5	–
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	1 185	241	692	175	52	25	–
$1,000__	878	336	478	49	10	6	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	595	141	265	120	53	16	–
$1,000__	571	288	209	56	16	2	–
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	1 146	221	599	200	102	24	–
$1,000__	5 513	2 125	2 823	448	102	14	–
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	1 084	218	590	175	83	18	–
acres fertilized__	134 707	56 974	63 565	10 938	2 736	494	–
dry tons__	31 371	12 873	15 312	2 563	531	92	–
liquid or gas tons__	1 664	809	746	35	64	10	–
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	562	151	295	70	38	8	–
$1,000__	441	237	173	24	7	(Z)	–
Lime _____farms__	215	65	121	25	4	–	–
tons__	13 996	6 227	6 754	871	144	–	–
$1,000__	172	74	85	11	2	–	–
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	1 427	241	731	248	154	52	1
$1,000__	2 016	691	1 036	197	68	24	(Z)
Gasoline _____farms__	1 169	233	518	226	149	43	–
$1,000__	923	286	427	143	54	14	–
Diesel oil_____farms__	942	217	621	67	16	21	–
$1,000__	680	224	426	23	4	3	–
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	352	160	142	33	6	10	1
$1,000__	154	101	41	9	1	2	(Z)
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	1 427	241	731	248	154	52	1
$1,000__	259	81	142	22	9	5	(Z)
Hired farm labor _____farms__	852	203	489	109	44	7	–
$1,000__	4 923	2 700	1 967	206	45	5	–
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____farms__	558	189	320	43	5	1	–
workers__	1 112	554	495	52	10	1	–
25 to 149 days _____farms__	263	83	131	35	14	–	–
workers__	780	309	349	70	52	–	–
Less than 25 days_____farms__	401	74	237	54	30	6	–
workers__	4 200	1 037	2 485	562	101	15	–
Contract labor _____farms__	110	28	59	13	8	2	–
$1,000__	208	65	119	13	9	1	–
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	467	103	265	63	25	11	–
$1,000__	609	265	293	37	7	8	–
All other production expenses ___farms__	1 442	241	731	249	159	60	2
$1,000__	17 649	7 358	8 834	1 022	369	61	4
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	299	69	155	39	25	11	–
$1,000__	974	253	572	116	26	8	–
$10,000 and over _____farms__	23	7	10	6	–	–	–
$1,000__	682	183	408	91	–	–	–
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	75	11	47	10	6	1	–
$1,000__	610	67	446	94	3	(Z)	–
Recreational services _____farms__	7	1	6	–	–	–	–
$1,000__	6	3	3	–	–	–	–
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	183	51	93	23	11	5	–
$1,000__	162	62	75	11	10	4	–
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	50	10	19	7	9	5	–
$1,000__	159	112	26	6	12	3	–
Other farm-related income ____farms__	37	11	18	6	2	–	–
$1,000__	37	10	22	5	(Z)	–	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	64	6	33	11	8	6	–
$1,000__	419	12	320	81	6	(Z)	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-form income—farms	636	101	297	124	78	35	1
$1,000	5 313	935	2 337	986	696	341	17
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	28	4	20	2	2	–	–
$250 to $499	32	11	14	4	2	1	–
$500 to $999	40	7	21	4	5	3	–
$1,000 to $4,999	175	31	72	38	24	10	–
$5,000 to $9,999	158	22	82	31	18	5	–
$10,000 to $19,999	159	18	72	36	22	10	1
$20,000 to $29,999	22	2	8	9	1	2	–
$30,000 and over	22	6	8	–	4	4	–
Family off-form income from—							
Nonform-related business—farms	129	22	61	25	13	7	1
$1,000	1 132	316	405	173	164	68	6
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	375	45	178	76	47	29	–
$1,000	3 192	345	1 532	682	399	234	–
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	275	53	145	47	20	10	–
$1,000	585	190	230	73	68	23	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	85	16	25	19	21	3	1
$1,000	217	46	69	42	50	7	3
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	41	14	11	4	8	3	1
$1,000	188	38	101	15	16	9	9
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	1 202	215	630	211	109	36	1
number	1 712	359	871	279	153	49	1
2 or 3—farms	407	93	214	67	23	10	–
number	852	202	444	135	48	23	–
4 and over—farms	16	8	3	–	5	–	–
number	81	43	14	–	24	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 295	235	680	216	117	47	–
number	1 959	486	1 013	265	140	55	–
2 or 3—farms	467	146	264	36	14	7	–
number	1 010	327	554	77	37	15	–
4 and over—farms	35	20	13	2	–	–	–
number	156	90	56	10	–	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 311	237	697	223	122	31	1
number	2 660	703	1 368	388	159	41	1
2 or 3—farms	715	150	426	95	34	10	–
number	1 648	368	954	235	71	20	–
4 and over—farms	113	64	41	8	–	–	–
number	529	312	184	33	–	–	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 300	237	692	223	117	30	1
number	2 593	686	1 326	387	153	40	1
Crawler tractors—farms	61	17	36	1	6	1	–
number	67	17	42	1	6	1	–
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	34	17	16	1	–	–	–
number	42	19	22	1	–	–	–
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	46	12	15	12	5	2	–
number	51	16	16	12	5	2	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	8	2	2	4	–	–	–
number	8	2	2	4	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	39	10	14	8	5	2	–
number	43	14	14	8	5	2	–
Mower conditioners—farms	492	119	293	58	17	5	–
number	560	145	328	65	17	5	–
Pickup balers—farms	584	145	336	72	31	–	–
number	624	161	358	74	31	–	–
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	325	71	199	37	18	–	–
number	348	79	211	40	18	–	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	206	74	110	18	2	2	–
number	242	98	120	20	2	2	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	1 425	241	731	248	151	53	1
$1,000	37 997	11 284	20 495	4 075	1 698	438	7
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	114	–	24	20	43	27	–
$1,000	348	–	72	73	113	90	–
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	180	5	54	64	44	12	1
$1,000	1 352	41	422	485	313	85	7
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	334	26	187	85	29	7	–
$1,000	4 707	374	2 709	1 177	352	96	–
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	636	138	386	72	33	7	–
$1,000	18 952	4 705	11 339	(D)	(D)	167	–
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	121	51	61	7	2	–	–
$1,000	7 650	3 368	3 763	(D)	(D)	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	40	21	19	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4 987	2 797	2 190	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	1 188	227	621	205	110	25	–
$1,000	5 955	2 362	2 996	472	109	15	–
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 146	221	599	200	102	24	–
acres on which used	134 707	56 974	63 565	10 938	2 736	494	–
tons	33 036	13 682	16 058	2 598	595	102	–
$1,000	5 513	2 125	2 823	448	102	14	–
Lime—farms	215	65	121	25	4	–	–
acres on which used	10 417	4 809	5 063	481	64	–	–
tons	13 996	6 227	6 754	871	144	–	–
$1,000	172	74	85	11	2	–	–
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	78	19	51	5	3	–	–
acres on which used	3 429	1 551	1 753	86	39	–	–
$1,000	22	13	9	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	55	21	16	7	10	1	–
acres on which used	4 237	3 131	723	277	102	4	–
$1,000	55	45	5	3	2	(Z)	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	70	–	70	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	108	41	47	13	7	–	–
acres on which used	9 018	5 196	3 245	479	98	–	–
$1,000	69	46	20	2	1	–	–
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	127	48	64	11	4	–	–
acres on which used	9 873	5 796	3 505	454	118	–	–
$1,000	30	18	11	1	(Z)	–	–
Weeds on other land—farms	41	12	25	3	–	1	–
acres on which used	425	152	222	50	–	1	–
$1,000	2	1	1	(Z)	–	(Z)	–
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	15	5	6	4	–	–	–
acres on which used	783	429	234	120	–	–	–
$1,000	4	2	1	1	–	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	213	68	130	13	2	–	–
$1,000	51	26	23	2	(Z)	–	–
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	122	29	49	19	18	7	–
$1,000	37	13	18	3	2	(Z)	–
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	624	101	358	113	37	14	1
Under 1,000 bushels	86	19	47	11	7	1	1
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	72	31	34	4	3	–	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	18	8	10	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	19	12	4	3	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	8	2	4	–	2	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	6	3	3	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	609	65	271	118	110	45	–
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	1 434	240	727	248	159	58	2
number	180 935	68 020	84 520	18 398	7 934	2 015	48
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	1 429	240	727	243	159	58	2
number	124 476	45 467	58 826	13 157	5 505	1 486	35
Beef cows—farms	356	64	133	61	75	23	–
number	14 380	6 533	4 378	1 405	1 739	325	–
Milk cows—farms	1 424	240	723	243	158	58	2
number	110 096	38 934	54 448	11 752	3 766	1 161	35
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	1 194	221	667	198	84	22	2
number	46 367	18 776	21 754	4 151	1 335	343	8
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	304	62	142	55	36	7	2
number	6 548	2 663	2 724	660	447	46	8
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1 106	214	636	179	58	19	–
number	39 819	16 113	19 030	3 491	888	297	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	850	164	414	142	96	33	1
number	10 092	3 777	3 940	1 090	1 094	186	5
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 441	241	731	249	159	59	2
number	55 740	22 073	25 204	5 538	2 394	516	15
$1,000	6 984	2 855	3 152	640	289	47	2
Calves—farms	1 150	201	560	197	135	55	2
number	34 989	13 019	16 193	3 672	1 667	423	15
$1,000	1 853	694	817	185	125	30	2
Cattle—farms	1 121	214	605	179	105	18	–
number	20 751	9 054	9 011	1 866	727	93	–
$1,000	5 131	2 161	2 335	454	164	17	–
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	34	5	15	11	2	1	–
number	727	216	336	159	11	5	–
$1,000	167	65	69	29	3	1	–
Hogs and pigs—farms	123	13	35	34	31	10	–
number	1 966	712	758	317	151	28	–
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	39	4	8	14	12	1	–
number	281	90	113	46	31	1	–
Other—farms	116	13	32	30	31	10	–
number	1 685	622	645	271	120	27	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold ——— farms	36	5	14	11	5	1	–
number	2 111	831	770	452	57	1	–
$1,000	156	71	62	21	2	(Z)	–
Feeder pigs ——— farms	7	1	1	5	–	–	–
number	70	35	5	30	–	–	–
$1,000	1	(Z)	(Z)	1	–	–	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ——— farms	49	5	12	15	12	5	–
number	282	93	116	45	22	6	–
December 1 and May 31 ——— farms	32	4	10	9	8	1	–
number	155	46	65	29	14	1	–
June 1 and November 30 ——— farms	34	3	9	12	5	5	–
number	127	47	51	16	8	5	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages ——— farms	12	3	2	3	3	1	–
number	240	172	8	16	32	12	–
Lambs under 1 year old ——— farms	11	3	2	3	3	–	–
number	65	34	5	7	19	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older ——— farms	9	2	1	2	3	1	–
number	150	119	2	7	12	10	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ——— farms	7	2	1	2	1	1	–
number	25	19	1	2	1	2	–
Sheep and lambs sold ——— farms	5	2	1	–	1	1	–
number	70	48	1	–	9	12	–
Sheep and lambs shorn ——— farms	3	2	–	–	–	1	–
number	132	120	–	–	–	12	–
pounds of wool	608	540	–	–	–	68	–
Horses and ponies ——— farms	309	61	141	48	36	22	1
number	834	236	379	95	89	29	6
Sold ——— farms	28	6	13	5	1	3	–
number	94	18	57	11	1	7	–
$1,000	29	5	21	1	(Z)	2	–
Horses ——— farms	301	59	138	45	36	22	1
number	770	218	346	89	85	29	3
Sold ——— farms	28	6	13	5	1	3	–
number	94	18	57	11	1	7	–
$1,000	29	5	21	1	(Z)	2	–
Any goats ——— farms	4	–	2	1	1	–	–
number	43	–	10	20	13	–	–
Sold ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older ——— farms	176	13	54	41	54	13	1
number	22 037	14 867	3 213	1 447	2 209	276	25
Sold ——— farms	8	2	5	–	1	–	–
number	12 229	11 636	540	–	53	–	–
Hens and pullets of laying age ——— farms	171	13	52	40	54	11	1
number	21 219	14 837	3 060	1 185	1 890	222	25
Kept for table or market egg production ——— farms	171	13	52	40	54	11	1
number	20 920	14 837	3 007	1 106	1 723	222	25
Kept for hatching egg production ——— farms	12	–	3	4	5	–	–
number	299	–	53	79	167	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ——— farms	10	–	3	3	4	–	–
number	232	–	31	64	137	–	–
Roosters and male chickens ——— farms	77	4	25	21	24	3	–
number	586	30	122	198	182	54	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ——— farms	3	–	1	1	1	–	–
number	170	–	10	60	100	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ——— farms	3	–	–	–	3	–	–
number	60	–	–	–	60	–	–
Turkeys ——— farms	6	–	4	1	1	–	–
number	32	–	6	1	25	–	–
Sold ——— farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	275	–	–	–	275	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ——— farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	25	–	–	–	25	–	–
Sold ——— farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	275	–	–	–	275	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ——— farms	5	–	4	1	–	–	–
number	7	–	6	1	–	–	–
Sold ——— farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes ——— farms	164	40	62	22	25	15	–
acres	6 954	3 400	2 576	500	337	141	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——— farms	133	37	53	13	23	7	–
acres	6 027	3 117	2 175	303	311	121	–
Field corn for grain or seed ——— farms	83	7	27	13	23	13	–
acres	1 607	489	568	166	333	51	–
bushels	79 675	27 424	36 843	7 684	6 742	982	–
Irrigated ——— farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	40	–	–	–	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	125	45	64	13	1	2	–
acres	6 319	3 439	2 561	281	18	20	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	92	38	40	11	1	2	–
acres	4 947	2 803	1 855	259	10	20	–
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	8	3	5	–	–	–	–
acres	410	130	280	–	–	–	–
bushels	17 076	4 253	12 823	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	65	23	26	10	6	–	–
acres	6 134	3 941	1 785	309	99	–	–
bushels	144 615	96 440	38 596	7 309	2 270	–	–
Irrigated—farms	4	1	2	1	–	–	–
acres	289	119	150	20	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	27	12	12	2	1	–	–
acres	3 306	2 123	1 085	80	18	–	–
Peanuts for nuts—farms	13	–	1	2	6	4	–
acres	73	–	61	2	6	4	–
pounds	91 970	–	82 770	800	4 000	4 400	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5	–	1	2	2	–	–
acres	65	–	61	2	2	–	–
Wheat—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
bushels	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton—farms	39	7	7	9	15	1	–
acres	1 707	1 069	118	322	194	4	–
bales	1 296	814	101	277	100	4	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	33	7	5	8	12	1	–
acres	1 654	1 069	94	314	173	4	–
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	19	–	4	3	8	4	–
acres	33	–	11	1	21	(Z)	–
hundredweight	2 610	–	1 041	42	1 519	8	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	7	–	3	1	3	–	–
acres	15	–	10	1	4	–	–
Hay—farms	965	190	529	155	74	17	–
acres	54 621	19 948	27 938	4 545	1 976	214	–
tons	111 718	45 657	52 823	8 888	3 892	458	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	565	137	327	77	19	5	–
acres	33 630	13 851	16 860	2 246	606	67	–
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	31	6	9	11	4	1	–
acres	730	405	160	102	53	10	–
tons, dry	1 135	550	273	186	106	20	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	105	22	50	17	15	1	–
acres	4 997	1 844	2 263	367	521	2	–
tons, dry	9 039	3 021	4 451	711	851	5	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	27	12	11	2	2	–	–
acres	777	437	285	25	30	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	14	7	6	1	–	–	–
acres	346	192	144	10	–	–	–
Vegetables—farms	16	3	2	1	10	–	–
acres	105	39	23	2	41	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	14	2	2	–	10	–	–
acres	102	38	23	–	41	–	–
Berries—farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	(Z)	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards—farms	11	2	7	2	–	–	–
acres	229	27	199	3	–	–	–
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres	27	12	15	–	–	–	–

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
percent	100.0	52.1	30.4	8.5	4.1	2.0	3.0
Land in farms—acres	47 349	33 719	8 788	2 051	725	507	1 559
Average size of farm—acres	103	140	63	53	38	56	111
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	34 992	25 056	5 984	1 281	377	381	1 912
Average per farm—dollars	75 904	104 400	42 744	32 858	19 839	42 323	136 590
Average per acre—dollars	739	743	681	625	520	751	1 227
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	39	5	18	2	7	3	4
$10,000 to $19,999	52	14	20	9	4	1	4
$20,000 to $39,999	113	40	51	17	5	–	–
$40,000 to $69,999	102	62	26	10	2	2	–
$70,000 to $99,999	58	41	11	–	1	2	3
$100,000 to $149,999	57	43	10	1	–	1	2
$150,000 to $199,999	16	13	3	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	18	17	1	–	–	–	–
$500,000 and over	6	5	–	–	–	–	1
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	449	233	137	39	19	8	13
acres	43 917	29 152	8 099	1 997	725	422	3 522
Land rented or leased from others—farms	51	29	14	4	–	2	2
acres	5 844	4 824	759	174	–	85	2
Land rented or leased to others—farms	10	4	2	2	–	–	2
acres	2 412	257	70	120	–	–	1 965
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	283	160	79	23	10	5	6
acres	17 390	12 792	2 962	920	440	192	84
Harvested cropland—farms	183	116	37	16	8	5	1
acres	5 472	4 483	699	185	56	41	8
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	157	93	35	15	8	5	1
50 to 99 acres	16	14	1	1	–	–	–
100 to 199 acres	8	7	1	–	–	–	–
200 to 499 acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	188	105	53	17	7	3	3
acres	10 892	7 623	2 018	728	320	151	52
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	9	3	4	–	–	–	2
acres	387	346	23	–	–	–	18
On which all crops failed—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	11	11	–	–	–	–	–
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Idle—farms	27	9	11	3	2	–	2
acres	628	329	222	7	64	–	6
Total woodland—farms	202	118	52	14	6	4	8
acres	14 215	9 567	2 685	488	154	143	1 178
Woodland pastured—farms	108	62	27	8	4	3	4
acres	5 810	4 167	1 022	319	83	75	144
Woodland not pastured—farms	116	67	32	7	3	2	5
acres	8 405	5 400	1 663	169	71	68	1 034
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	130	70	40	10	3	4	3
acres	10 218	7 815	1 767	475	9	95	57
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	84	44	27	7	–	4	2
acres	4 605	2 784	1 303	373	–	95	50
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	72	36	25	7	3	–	1
acres	5 613	5 031	464	102	9	–	7
Other land (see text)—farms	357	183	108	32	14	8	12
acres	5 526	3 545	1 374	168	122	77	240
Total pastureland—farms	311	169	90	27	11	7	7
acres	26 920	19 605	4 807	1 522	412	321	253
Irrigated land—farms	11	6	–	4	–	1	–
acres	40	27	–	12	–	1	–
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	11	6	–	4	–	1	–
acres	40	27	–	12	–	1	–
Artificial drainage—farms	14	6	3	2	–	2	1
acres drained	1 537	134	42	10	–	(D)	(D)
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	145	90	33	14	4	3	1
number	302	220	48	19	9	5	1
acres	409	327	45	25	6	5	1
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
Full owners	410	211	126	35	19	7	12
Part owners	38	22	11	4	–	1	–
Tenants	13	7	3	–	–	1	2

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Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White[1]	431	218	134	37	19	9	14
Full owners	387	196	120	33	19	7	12
Part owners	36	20	11	4	–	1	–
Tenants	8	2	3	–	–	1	2
Black and other races[1]	6	3	1	2	–	–	–
Full owners	6	3	1	2	–	–	–
Part owners	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tenants	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family—farms	415	206	131	38	18	9	13
acres	39 499	27 610	8 574	1 858	722	507	228
Partnership—farms	22	15	4	1	1	–	1
acres	6 584	4 923	134	193	3	–	1 331
Corporation, including family owned—farms	24	19	5	–	–	–	–
acres	1 266	1 186	80	–	–	–	–
Other—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt—farms	188	116	54	11	3	4	–
$1,000	6 911	5 703	842	262	72	32	–
Debts secured by real estate—farms	153	100	41	9	3	–	–
$1,000	5 070	4 285	531	182	72	–	–
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	80	44	28	4	–	4	–
$1,000	1 841	1 417	311	80	–	32	–
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	7	5	2	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	40	21	17	–	–	–	2
35 to 44 years	96	49	26	14	4	1	2
45 to 54 years	116	68	34	5	4	1	4
55 to 64 years	138	65	45	14	10	3	1
65 years and over	40	13	11	6	1	4	5
Average age	50.1	49.1	49.6	51.9	53.4	61.8	54.4
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	310	168	94	20	14	6	8
On another farm	6	3	1	2	–	–	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
In a city, town, or urban area	8	6	1	–	1	–	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	310	171	89	28	10	5	7
Other	127	50	46	11	9	4	7
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	19	–	–	1	5	3	10
Less than value of farm products sold	234	112	91	22	7	2	–
Not reporting or none	184	109	44	16	7	4	4
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	176	78	63	14	11	3	7
1 to 49 days	13	6	6	–	1	–	–
50 to 99 days	10	5	4	1	–	–	–
100 to 149 days	12	2	3	2	4	–	1
150 to 199 days	29	18	8	2	1	–	–
200 days and over	112	47	42	9	5	3	6
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	55	34	14	4	–	–	3
Number of persons	63	37	15	8	–	–	3
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	11	9	2	–	–	–	–
50 to 99 days	5	3	–	2	–	–	–
100 to 149 days	4	2	2	–	–	–	–
150 to 199 days	11	5	4	2	–	–	–
200 days and over	32	18	7	4	–	–	3
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	68	22	24	11	4	2	5
10 to 49 acres	145	55	54	11	12	5	8
50 to 69 acres	44	24	15	5	–	–	–
70 to 99 acres	70	38	24	7	1	–	–
100 to 139 acres	53	38	14	–	–	1	–
140 to 179 acres	25	19	2	2	2	–	–
180 to 219 acres	15	11	1	3	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	6	3	2	–	–	1	–
260 to 499 acres	25	22	3	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	7	6	1	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
2,000 acres and over	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
$1,000	72 278	61 230	9 526	1 121	282	74	45
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	17	17	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	79	79	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	144	144	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	140	–	140	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	39	–	–	39	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	19	–	–	–	19	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	9	–	–	–	–	9	–
$2,500 to $4,999	12	–	–	–	–	–	12
Under $2,500 (see text)	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Grain sold—farms	6	4	1	–	1	–	–
$1,000	29	25	4	–	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	51	35	12	2	2	–	–
$1,000	123	96	24	1	2	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	8	4	1	2	–	1	–
$1,000	45	34	(Z)	10	–	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
$1,000	70 609	59 829	9 348	1 054	270	66	41
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	380	240	140	–	–	–	–
$1,000	69 177	59 829	9 348	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	9	7	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	474	465	10	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	443	443	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	266	156	66	30	5	5	4
$1,000	752	562	114	55	10	7	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	12	11	–	1	–	–	–
$1,000	12	12	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4	2	2	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	4	–	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	14	–	14	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	29	20	8	–	1	–	–
$1,000	213	203	10	–	(Z)	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	461	240	140	39	19	9	14
$1,000__	68 434	57 377	9 357	1 230	320	75	76
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	455	238	140	37	19	8	13
$1,000__	13 986	12 327	1 394	196	50	9	10
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	457	238	139	39	19	9	13
$1,000__	45 350	37 287	6 909	854	210	42	47
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	456	238	139	39	19	8	13
tons__	317 130	260 066	49 177	5 964	1 414	292	217
$1,000__	44 191	36 253	6 819	842	208	38	32
Feed ingredients_____farms__	174	94	52	21	4	1	2
tons__	10 198	9 857	274	53	4	10	1
$1,000__	813	767	37	7	1	2	(Z)
Whole grains _____farms__	174	95	51	20	4	1	3
tons__	2 549	2 121	254	43	6	18	107
$1,000__	284	233	31	6	1	3	11
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	41	19	13	2	3	1	3
tons__	1 704	920	636	26	23	15	84
$1,000__	61	34	22	1	1	(Z)	3
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	414	239	124	30	9	4	8
$1,000__	476	412	57	5	1	(Z)	(Z)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	49	24	16	4	3	2	–
$1,000__	20	11	7	1	(Z)	(Z)	–
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	116	64	32	10	2	6	2
$1,000__	188	136	37	8	3	4	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	107	59	28	10	2	6	2
acres fertilized__	6 020	4 233	1 091	372	127	162	35
dry tons__	1 225	849	239	80	16	37	4
liquid or gas tons__	76	76	–	–	–	–	–
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	89	53	22	7	1	4	2
$1,000__	34	26	5	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Lime _____farms__	17	10	3	2	–	2	–
tons__	537	424	77	16	–	20	–
$1,000__	6	4	1	(Z)	–	(Z)	–
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	458	240	140	39	19	9	11
$1,000__	915	693	180	23	11	5	2
Gasoline _____farms__	428	227	125	37	19	9	11
$1,000__	352	256	65	18	7	4	2
Diesel oil_____farms__	170	128	33	7	2	–	–
$1,000__	75	67	5	2	1	–	–
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	272	162	101	7	2	–	–
$1,000__	350	260	88	1	1	–	–
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	457	239	140	39	19	9	11
$1,000__	139	109	22	3	2	1	(Z)
Hired farm labor _____farms__	194	132	46	9	3	3	1
$1,000__	1 832	1 679	110	28	7	4	4
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____farms__	116	95	15	3	2	–	1
workers__	472	445	21	3	2	–	1
25 to 149 days _____farms__	67	41	22	2	1	1	–
workers__	214	100	88	8	5	13	–
Less than 25 days_____farms__	79	50	19	6	2	2	–
workers__	623	448	105	57	11	2	–
Contract labor _____farms__	19	13	6	–	–	–	–
$1,000__	63	57	6	–	–	–	–
Machine hire and customwork ___farms__	72	39	17	10	1	5	–
$1,000__	100	80	8	11	(Z)	1	–
All other production expenses ___farms__	459	240	140	39	19	9	12
$1,000__	5 470	4 668	643	102	36	9	11
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	40	17	13	2	2	4	2
$1,000__	431	(D)	56	1	10	8	(D)
$10,000 and over _____farms__	7	4	2	–	–	–	1
$1,000__	373	131	(D)	–	–	–	(D)
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	21	11	7	–	2	1	–
$1,000__	152	81	54	–	10	7	–
Recreational services _____farms__	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
$1,000__	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	(Z)
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	17	6	6	2	–	3	–
$1,000__	7	4	2	1	–	1	–
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
$1,000__	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	(D)
Other farm-related income ____farms__	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000__	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	22	11	8	–	1	1	1
$1,000__	98	39	51	–	(Z)	7	(Z)

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	244	111	83	23	12	5	10
$1,000	2 443	1 151	832	205	116	40	98
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$250 to $499	2	–	–	2	–	–	–
$500 to $999	13	7	2	1	2	–	1
$1,000 to $4,999	55	20	27	2	1	2	3
$5,000 to $9,999	73	37	21	10	3	1	1
$10,000 to $19,999	76	33	24	7	5	2	5
$20,000 to $29,999	10	5	3	1	1	–	–
$30,000 and over	10	4	6	–	–	–	–
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	47	22	18	2	3	1	1
$1,000	445	243	149	28	13	9	4
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	168	75	57	18	8	2	8
$1,000	1 736	731	631	157	101	26	91
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	59	31	15	6	3	1	3
$1,000	145	108	24	9	2	(Z)	1
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	33	17	11	3	–	2	–
$1,000	88	45	26	11	–	5	–
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	11	8	1	–	–	–	2
$1,000	28	25	2	–	–	–	1
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	359	190	104	37	13	8	7
number	509	280	156	40	14	10	9
2 or 3—farms	142	83	52	3	1	1	2
number	288	169	104	6	2	3	4
4 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	413	225	124	32	16	7	9
number	678	403	193	41	23	8	10
2 or 3—farms	178	104	60	5	7	1	1
number	364	213	123	10	14	2	2
4 and over—farms	18	15	2	1	–	–	–
number	97	84	8	5	–	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	415	232	120	35	12	8	8
number	688	413	184	51	20	9	11
2 or 3—farms	211	124	62	14	7	1	3
number	443	264	126	30	15	2	6
4 and over—farms	11	11	–	–	–	–	–
number	52	52	–	–	–	–	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	412	231	120	33	12	8	8
number	673	402	182	49	20	9	11
Crawler tractors—farms	14	10	2	2	–	–	–
number	15	11	2	2	–	–	–
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
number	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	3	2	–	1	–	–	–
number	3	2	–	1	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
number	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	42	30	9	3	–	–	–
number	47	34	9	4	–	–	–
Pickup balers—farms	71	54	7	7	1	1	1
number	73	56	7	7	1	1	1
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	43	32	6	2	2	1	–
number	45	34	6	2	2	1	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	9	4	1	2	2	–	–
number	9	4	1	2	2	–	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	455	240	140	39	16	9	11
$1,000	9 151	5 883	2 270	511	263	128	96
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	51	9	25	8	4	1	4
$1,000	155	29	80	22	13	2	10
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	113	58	42	8	2	1	2
$1,000	813	425	300	55	13	9	11
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	94	55	19	9	3	3	5
$1,000	1 246	716	258	129	35	32	75
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	181	102	54	14	7	4	–
$1,000	5 207	2 982	1 632	306	202	84	–
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	641	641	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 089	1 089	–	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	149	88	38	11	2	6	4
$1,000	222	162	43	9	3	5	1
Commercial fertilizer—farms	116	64	32	10	2	6	2
acres on which used	6 020	4 233	1 091	372	127	162	35
tons	1 301	926	239	80	16	37	4
$1,000	188	136	37	8	3	4	(Z)
Lime—farms	17	10	3	2	–	2	–
acres on which used	374	295	43	16	–	20	–
tons	537	424	77	16	–	20	–
$1,000	6	4	1	(Z)	–	(Z)	–
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	224	224	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	3	1	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	12	6	4	2	–	–	–
acres on which used	1 362	1 232	120	10	–	–	–
$1,000	8	6	1	(Z)	–	–	–
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	23	12	6	2	1	–	2
acres on which used	1 193	832	181	120	20	–	40
$1,000	3	2	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	8	4	2	2	–	–	–
acres on which used	112	93	9	10	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	60	60	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	46	28	11	3	1	3	–
$1,000	14	11	2	1	(Z)	(Z)	–
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	17	12	3	–	–	2	–
$1,000	3	2	1	–	–	(Z)	–
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	225	122	60	20	12	5	6
Under 1,000 bushels	16	10	3	2	–	–	1
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	5	4	1	–	–	–	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	211	100	76	17	7	4	7
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	292	168	76	30	5	7	6
number	17 559	13 132	2 762	1 063	234	241	127
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	263	151	69	27	5	5	6
number	10 263	7 797	1 522	599	129	121	95
Beef cows—farms	251	146	66	25	5	4	5
number	9 493	7 083	1 487	581	129	119	94
Milk cows—farms	49	31	10	6	–	1	1
number	770	714	35	18	–	2	1
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	213	119	57	23	5	6	3
number	4 012	2 848	746	272	48	81	17
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	206	113	57	23	5	5	3
number	3 839	2 720	719	256	48	79	17
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	19	15	1	2	–	1	–
number	173	128	27	16	–	2	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	235	137	57	26	5	6	4
number	3 284	2 487	494	192	57	39	15
Cattle and calves sold—farms	266	156	66	30	5	5	4
number	5 833	4 243	1 119	324	59	58	30
$1,000	752	562	114	55	10	7	3
Calves—farms	214	117	57	26	5	5	4
number	3 832	2 584	899	246	45	28	30
$1,000	300	200	59	31	5	2	3
Cattle—farms	150	96	36	11	2	5	–
number	2 001	1 659	220	78	14	30	–
$1,000	451	362	55	24	5	5	–
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	13	8	1	2	1	1	–
number	63	52	1	2	7	1	–
$1,000	16	12	(Z)	(Z)	3	(Z)	–
Hogs and pigs—farms	27	20	2	4	1	–	–
number	300	281	3	14	2	–	–
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	12	10	–	2	–	–	–
number	29	22	–	7	–	–	–
Other—farms	26	19	2	4	1	–	–
number	271	259	3	7	2	–	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold ____ farms	12	11	–	1	–	–	–
number	233	229	–	4	–	–	–
$1,000	12	12	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Feeder pigs ____ farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
number	55	55	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ____ farms	12	10	–	2	–	–	–
number	32	30	–	2	–	–	–
December 1 and May 31 ____ farms	9	8	–	1	–	–	–
number	14	13	–	1	–	–	–
June 1 and November 30 ____ farms	10	9	–	1	–	–	–
number	18	17	–	1	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages ____ farms	4	1	2	–	–	–	1
number	95	26	68	–	–	–	1
Lambs under 1 year old ____ farms	3	1	2	–	–	–	–
number	23	2	21	–	–	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older ____ farms	3	1	2	–	–	–	–
number	62	20	42	–	–	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older ____ farms	3	1	1	–	–	–	1
number	10	4	5	–	–	–	1
Sheep and lambs sold ____ farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
number	44	24	20	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs shorn ____ farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
number	70	25	45	–	–	–	–
pounds of wool	350	75	275	–	–	–	–
Horses and ponies ____ farms	43	23	12	4	–	2	2
number	103	42	33	5	–	2	21
Sold ____ farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
number	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Horses ____ farms	42	22	12	4	–	2	2
number	97	39	30	5	–	2	21
Sold ____ farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
number	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Any goats ____ farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	125	125	–	–	–	–	–
Sold ____ farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	20	20	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older ____ farms	151	79	41	12	6	2	11
number	3 437 630	2 984 526	400 903	40 000	6 550	1 200	4 451
Sold ____ farms	167	85	43	15	9	5	10
number	3 981 218	3 320 470	459 421	94 871	44 698	47 550	14 208
Hens and pullets of laying age ____ farms	138	75	34	10	6	2	11
number	2 731 244	2 444 566	242 872	32 000	6 255	1 200	4 351
Kept for table or market egg production ____ farms	118	62	30	10	4	2	10
number	2 392 429	2 127 966	224 612	32 000	3 300	1 200	3 351
Kept for hatching egg production ____ farms	22	15	4	–	2	–	1
number	338 815	316 600	18 260	–	2 955	–	1 000
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ____ farms	20	9	9	2	–	–	–
number	671 500	508 000	155 500	8 000	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens ____ farms	23	15	5	–	2	–	1
number	34 886	31 960	2 531	–	295	–	100
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ____ farms	17	12	1	–	2	2	–
number	529 817	481 000	12 000	–	18 817	18 000	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ____ farms	293	156	97	24	10	3	3
number	43 935 508	34 898 053	7 943 043	872 420	174 300	38 800	8 892
Turkeys ____ farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Sold ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter ____ farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Sold ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes ____ farms	16	9	3	–	3	1	–
acres	111	93	3	–	14	1	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	9	5	3	–	–	1	–
acres	45	41	3	–	–	1	–
Field corn for grain or seed ____ farms	16	9	3	–	3	1	–
acres	111	93	3	–	14	1	–
bushels	3 746	3 230	94	–	392	30	–
Irrigated ____ farms	2	–	1	–	–	1	–
acres	2	–	1	–	–	1	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ——farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	359	359	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	359	359	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain or seed ——farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	355	355	–	–	–	–	–
bushels	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans ——farms	3	2	1	–	–	–	–
acres	54	24	30	–	–	–	–
bushels	1 580	1 040	540	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts ——farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	2 000	2 000	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
bushels	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattan ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
bales	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes ——farms	4	1	1	2	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–
hundredweight	16	2	4	10	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	3	1	–	2	–	–	–
acres	(Z)	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Hay ——farms	165	107	34	14	5	4	1
acres	4 924	3 995	660	182	39	40	8
tons	10 752	8 266	1 842	434	89	112	9
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	64	34	19	7	1	3	–
acres	2 207	1 740	339	96	7	25	–
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ——farms	8	8	–	–	–	–	–
acres	447	447	–	–	–	–	–
tons, dry	689	689	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ——farms	8	6	2	–	–	–	–
acres	228	205	23	–	–	–	–
tons, dry	604	551	53	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables ——farms	11	5	1	4	–	1	–
acres	34	22	1	11	–	1	–
Irrigated ——farms	8	5	–	2	–	1	–
acres	32	22	–	10	–	1	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	11	5	1	4	–	1	–
acres	34	22	1	11	–	1	–
Berries ——farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ——farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 1. **Number, Land, and Value of Farms: 1974 and 1969**

		Farms and land in farms							Value of land and buildings			
		All farms				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Percent of land area	Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Average per farm	Average per acre	Average per farm	Average per acre
Louisiana, total	1974	33 240	9 133 275	275	31.7	18 542	7 974 270	430	140 754	512	214 361	498
	1969	42 269	9 788 662	232	34.0	20 075	8 187 638	408	74 414	321	127 278	312
Acadia	1974	1 025	335 658	327	79.1	740	315 580	426	183 326	560	233 996	549
	1969	1 453	335 630	231	79.1	838	302 439	361	85 058	368	128 840	357
Allen	1974	369	149 060	404	30.1	204	138 684	680	174 923	433	289 246	425
	1969	523	161 088	308	32.5	249	143 278	575	70 822	230	129 689	225
Ascension	1974	243	56 446	232	29.3	83	45 265	545	207 653	894	440 474	808
	1969	293	64 135	219	33.3	107	54 493	509	152 104	695	350 224	688
Assumption	1974	143	76 634	536	33.7	130	74 080	570	292 532	546	313 985	551
	1969	194	84 743	437	37.2	179	83 577	467	189 647	434	202 463	434
Avoyelles	1974	1 521	261 261	172	49.1	859	233 633	272	88 441	515	139 304	512
	1969	2 009	257 609	128	48.4	879	215 325	245	39 427	307	71 738	293
Beauregard	1974	695	159 518	230	21.1	294	124 359	423	100 374	437	171 797	406
	1969	828	157 174	190	20.7	241	90 604	376	43 449	229	84 770	225
Bienville	1974	386	60 979	158	11.4	135	36 605	271	52 670	333	82 366	304
	1969	548	95 396	174	17.9	155	60 613	391	29 332	168	59 253	152
Bossier	1974	432	130 397	302	24.0	198	111 989	566	157 319	521	286 334	506
	1969	537	181 350	338	33.4	250	151 508	606	93 218	276	165 027	272
Caddo	1974	656	251 413	383	43.7	364	221 753	609	160 042	418	249 174	409
	1969	807	277 386	344	48.2	400	228 858	572	95 231	277	156 499	274
Calcasieu	1974	665	408 088	614	57.7	395	373 778	946	310 057	505	467 672	494
	1969	739	403 435	546	57.0	365	360 022	986	156 084	286	268 332	272
Caldwell	1974	276	60 419	219	17.1	148	50 632	342	86 217	394	136 800	400
	1969	333	61 375	184	17.4	137	48 513	354	53 891	292	106 240	300
Cameron	1974	329	245 323	746	26.6	148	223 674	1 511	273 278	366	538 294	356
	1969	423	287 385	679	31.2	163	252 454	1 549	110 368	162	217 806	141
Catahoula	1974	530	206 581	390	43.5	389	194 470	500	161 596	415	205 701	411
	1969	671	204 071	304	43.0	389	188 224	484	74 573	245	113 526	235
Claiborne	1974	414	90 191	218	18.5	178	56 798	319	66 586	306	85 335	267
	1969	535	113 677	212	23.3	172	66 908	389	36 241	171	58 950	152
Concordia	1974	365	219 190	601	47.7	281	214 752	764	242 393	404	306 026	400
	1969	443	237 946	537	51.8	272	227 985	838	129 787	242	196 928	235
De Soto	1974	688	187 547	273	32.8	288	140 024	486	92 040	338	155 393	320
	1969	877	246 552	281	43.1	344	177 082	515	48 823	174	83 227	162
East Baton Rouge	1974	557	123 485	222	42.0	220	85 866	390	216 215	975	354 508	908
	1969	675	133 511	198	45.4	246	95 298	387	146 232	739	230 784	596
East Carroll	1974	387	228 719	591	82.1	351	225 723	643	305 218	516	331 474	515
	1969	445	211 010	474	75.7	344	206 230	600	172 010	363	215 877	360
East Feliciana	1974	502	155 047	309	53.4	229	122 364	534	142 436	461	225 052	421
	1969	503	184 764	367	63.6	222	146 366	659	88 481	241	137 654	209
Evangeline	1974	932	206 803	222	48.3	537	178 427	332	118 138	532	180 782	544
	1969	1 519	222 317	146	52.0	687	183 158	267	46 262	316	80 421	302
Franklin	1974	1 272	304 928	240	73.6	959	289 246	302	114 585	478	144 236	478
	1969	1 701	326 782	192	78.8	1 032	296 697	287	57 467	299	84 326	293
Grant	1974	302	55 498	184	12.9	117	40 974	350	105 769	576	209 169	597
	1969	347	62 796	181	14.7	98	40 899	417	43 369	240	105 917	254
Iberia	1974	401	110 391	275	29.3	265	104 019	393	190 067	690	262 956	670
	1969	591	131 051	222	34.8	381	116 091	305	93 093	420	126 754	416
Iberville	1974	241	110 719	459	27.6	152	101 241	666	270 614	589	365 863	549
	1969	286	122 340	428	30.5	183	109 931	601	206 606	483	292 506	487
Jackson	1974	269	38 449	143	10.3	68	9 723	143	52 563	368	71 044	497
	1969	232	29 063	125	7.8	52	10 328	199	27 167	217	41 154	207
Jefferson	1974	37	7 606	206	3.2	26	6 673	257	204 348	994	268 273	1 045
	1969	54	8 951	166	3.8	32	7 170	224	169 623	1 023	224 249	1 001
Jefferson Davis	1974	652	328 212	503	78.0	561	318 469	568	252 536	502	285 066	502
	1969	897	365 769	408	86.9	696	350 881	504	132 474	325	163 043	323
Lafayette	1974	1 009	111 550	111	61.6	436	89 322	205	107 561	973	178 660	872
	1969	1 452	136 453	94	75.3	445	97 239	219	61 064	650	129 119	591
Lafourche	1974	356	203 876	573	27.9	235	191 911	817	304 350	531	423 907	519
	1969	519	204 629	394	28.0	330	188 726	572	173 979	441	249 768	437
La Salle	1974	196	17 382	89	4.2	56	7 488	134	39 282	443	60 598	453
	1969	283	21 695	77	5.3	59	9 821	166	25 348	331	41 813	251
Lincoln	1974	383	65 011	170	21.7	148	38 949	263	72 513	427	108 126	411
	1969	482	77 333	160	25.8	154	40 307	262	40 267	251	62 388	238
Livingston	1974	479	43 336	90	10.4	156	26 763	172	90 788	1 003	165 055	962
	1969	489	44 864	92	10.7	158	24 246	153	42 254	461	60 911	397
Madison	1974	358	238 239	665	56.3	329	237 016	720	330 771	497	357 953	497
	1969	443	242 575	548	57.3	339	237 110	699	174 284	318	220 817	316
Morehouse	1974	511	280 722	549	54.6	376	271 215	721	261 030	475	340 445	472
	1969	726	268 449	370	52.2	426	249 905	587	110 213	298	168 199	287
Natchitoches	1974	802	251 628	314	30.4	385	214 418	557	142 659	455	256 005	460
	1969	881	267 807	304	32.3	411	227 310	553	71 094	234	123 625	224
Orleans	1974	7	38	5	100.0	2	5	3	38 571	7 105	36 000	14 400
	1969	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ouachita	1974	384	90 754	236	22.2	182	74 318	408	161 702	684	260 332	638
	1969	499	111 771	224	27.4	224	91 841	410	86 293	385	150 412	367
Plaquemines	1974	102	38 169	374	5.8	46	31 669	688	200 914	537	342 074	497
	1969	111	31 691	286	4.8	39	22 692	582	85 784	300	117 366	202
Pointe Coupee	1974	600	196 567	328	54.5	321	176 880	551	148 851	454	242 039	439
	1969	811	228 458	282	63.4	389	198 791	511	71 245	253	121 722	238
Rapides	1974	1 053	213 628	203	25.3	507	174 940	345	120 609	594	201 181	583
	1969	1 130	197 839	175	23.4	537	157 628	294	73 417	419	124 597	424
Red River	1974	327	119 984	367	46.2	179	107 562	601	132 979	362	213 621	355
	1969	428	131 513	307	50.6	189	109 021	577	64 784	211	120 060	208
Richland	1974	877	274 107	313	74.3	579	257 910	445	129 486	414	182 901	411
	1969	1 146	263 814	230	71.5	686	238 435	348	63 275	275	91 446	263
Sabine	1974	460	64 414	140	11.5	202	41 388	205	51 635	369	69 713	340
	1969	566	82 557	146	14.8	186	45 338	244	29 324	201	47 499	195
St Bernard	1974	21	7 488	357	2.3	8	5 359	670	205 909	577	393 500	587
	1969	27	7 112	263	2.2	12	5 594	466	76 033	289	123 166	264
St Charles	1974	60	57 073	951	30.3	37	55 602	1 503	384 378	404	577 414	384
	1969	71	33 653	474	17.9	45	31 875	708	181 811	384	257 907	364
St Helena	1974	489	68 008	139	25.3	226	47 275	209	73 492	528	112 361	537
	1969	594	71 249	120	26.5	213	44 657	210	34 803	290	61 725	294

Table 1. **Number, Land, and Value of Farms: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms and land in farms							Value of land and buildings			
		All farms				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Percent of land area	Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Average per farm	Average per acre	Average per farm	Average per acre
St James	1974	117	46 997	402	29.0	106	46 448	438	430 045	1 071	466 342	1 064
	1969	145	56 900	392	35.1	127	56 012	441	322 179	821	361 292	819
St John the Baptist	1974	48	26 881	560	18.5	38	26 680	702	719 100	1 284	895 022	1 275
	1969	47	22 556	480	15.6	39	22 247	570	617 452	1 287	739 776	1 297
St Landry	1974	1 900	309 073	163	51.8	976	270 891	278	83 956	516	134 745	485
	1969	2 864	336 329	117	56.4	1 011	263 588	261	39 758	339	80 331	308
St Martin	1974	566	91 458	162	19.4	262	74 179	283	90 930	563	152 858	540
	1969	774	99 532	129	21.1	329	81 631	248	49 678	386	88 519	357
St Mary	1974	148	117 530	794	29.5	103	116 504	1 131	391 671	493	556 773	492
	1969	216	121 199	561	30.4	165	114 603	695	222 227	396	276 284	398
St Tammy	1974	458	64 969	142	11.5	192	49 217	256	141 161	995	226 285	883
	1969	526	80 206	152	14.1	197	61 054	310	81 146	532	151 317	488
Tangipahoo	1974	1 190	149 800	126	29.0	700	118 612	169	90 126	716	117 132	691
	1969	1 513	159 592	105	30.9	815	123 653	152	44 679	424	62 371	411
Tensas	1974	338	228 876	677	57.1	281	222 975	794	297 075	439	347 233	438
	1969	459	235 042	512	58.6	303	225 625	745	131 126	256	187 031	251
Terrebonne	1974	129	60 392	468	6.9	90	57 625	640	257 558	550	337 448	527
	1969	217	100 080	461	11.4	119	90 481	760	196 424	426	314 715	414
Union	1974	493	76 064	154	13.1	201	51 409	256	65 889	427	107 245	419
	1969	574	89 885	157	15.5	198	55 682	281	28 684	183	47 952	171
Vermilion	1974	1 475	374 523	254	48.6	1 023	340 391	333	140 324	553	181 103	544
	1969	1 738	393 113	226	51.0	1 125	352 768	314	86 833	384	117 440	375
Vernon	1974	523	91 337	175	10.5	164	60 495	369	76 323	437	151 789	411
	1969	575	63 142	110	7.3	156	27 971	179	23 504	214	38 058	212
Washington	1974	1 039	125 926	121	29.6	468	87 927	188	78 113	645	121 390	646
	1969	1 212	137 405	113	32.3	431	81 492	189	35 462	313	57 800	306
Webster	1974	511	82 648	162	21.0	187	52 221	279	56 874	352	89 592	321
	1969	545	103 758	190	26.3	176	64 598	367	34 787	183	61 501	168
West Baton Rouge	1974	116	37 498	323	28.9	68	35 289	519	270 796	838	421 600	812
	1969	141	55 334	392	42.6	75	48 142	642	182 988	466	311 548	485
West Carroll	1974	971	184 493	190	81.0	753	174 458	232	81 269	428	97 550	421
	1969	1 163	196 855	169	86.4	706	173 772	246	49 945	295	68 805	280
West Feliciana	1974	218	125 109	574	48.3	136	84 754	623	235 479	410	196 280	315
	1969	221	121 455	550	46.9	92	96 702	1 051	142 345	259	287 824	274
Winn	1974	237	29 165	123	4.8	65	15 404	237	41 785	340	80 695	341
	1969	218	25 511	117	4.2	56	12 149	217	23 514	201	39 263	181

Table 2. **Land Use: 1974**

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	Cropland											
	Total				Harvested				Used only for pasture			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	30 067	5 590 488	17 400	4 997 307	23 525	3 628 199	15 889	3 527 544	17 393	1 426 704	7 940	977 181
Acadia	923	267 568	706	258 515	774	201 848	677	200 254	417	36 689	253	30 757
Allen	347	102 365	195	96 953	286	88 046	190	86 878	174	9 820	65	5 974
Ascension	207	34 128	73	28 534	148	18 345	64	17 030	139	8 434	29	4 421
Assumption	139	54 303	127	52 926	130	39 366	127	39 341	16	1 550	8	274
Avoyelles	1 436	190 201	848	174 154	1 234	146 604	816	141 908	653	32 395	298	21 723
Beauregard	641	64 604	271	51 885	501	41 164	246	38 469	445	21 186	156	11 506
Bienville	349	25 827	121	15 432	249	7 180	105	5 603	284	17 314	98	9 192
Bossier	375	63 634	181	53 841	250	28 675	144	27 219	259	31 162	104	23 457
Caddo	551	120 335	322	105 510	399	60 106	278	58 142	359	46 212	177	34 789
Calcasieu	549	207 470	344	192 610	406	126 428	314	125 329	273	44 952	131	33 886
Caldwell	239	35 061	137	31 251	191	22 727	125	22 000	132	6 666	59	4 129
Cameron	254	65 693	122	52 351	157	23 217	90	22 390	174	39 820	63	27 840
Catahoula	502	157 347	379	150 808	450	124 953	367	123 819	224	18 224	132	13 420
Claiborne	373	35 968	163	22 445	260	7 938	137	6 223	301	24 948	119	15 072
Concordia	343	137 857	272	135 810	327	112 630	269	112 121	116	14 259	82	12 856
De Soto	587	71 664	252	47 916	351	12 786	192	10 860	477	57 015	189	35 893
East Baton Rouge	478	61 430	194	42 162	330	18 687	160	15 561	351	39 113	131	23 792
East Carroll	377	193 207	348	190 944	369	171 168	348	169 965	48	5 123	29	4 085
East Feliciana	437	63 481	199	46 622	296	19 316	165	16 925	312	41 730	132	28 090
Evangeline	849	143 807	516	130 696	622	104 911	484	103 424	481	33 045	218	21 946
Franklin	1 214	240 590	950	231 567	1 099	180 600	928	178 401	502	34 300	335	28 103
Grant	248	29 694	101	23 493	154	13 755	82	12 812	198	14 744	74	9 793
Iberia	377	85 699	257	81 607	321	53 328	243	52 268	152	9 787	80	7 110
Iberville	213	65 606	141	60 257	176	38 312	132	37 681	95	16 803	46	12 265
Jackson	228	14 690	54	5 161	150	2 533	34	1 274	196	10 899	45	3 731
Jefferson	21	1 995	13	1 352	14	1 333	13	1 332	7	642	–	–
Jefferson Davis	617	284 829	539	277 744	558	215 277	523	214 755	225	41 373	164	36 450
Lafayette	922	92 477	415	75 111	692	54 515	373	50 535	608	27 579	226	14 903
Lafourche	316	74 139	215	66 785	265	44 104	205	43 458	93	13 372	36	6 930
La Salle	176	7 606	51	3 987	120	3 266	39	2 544	120	3 870	32	1 298
Lincoln	338	25 914	127	15 025	228	6 229	103	4 512	242	18 604	81	9 981
Livingston	407	18 338	112	9 486	282	4 269	92	2 444	304	13 157	71	6 313
Madison	346	181 453	322	180 431	339	167 970	322	167 761	72	5 177	61	4 422
Morehouse	484	212 249	370	207 774	421	170 220	357	169 252	199	20 004	125	16 892
Natchitoches	657	117 472	335	98 207	442	61 283	273	58 952	480	53 490	217	37 325
Orleans	6	27	2	5	6	27	2	5	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	320	51 633	164	44 122	249	35 465	152	34 058	202	12 031	83	6 782

Table 2. **Land Use: 1974**—Continued

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	Cropland											
	Total				Harvested				Used only for pasture			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Plaquemines	90	6 106	38	2 638	80	1 102	36	849	12	4 127	5	1 371
Pointe Coupee	529	98 317	294	86 776	404	59 829	262	57 923	324	35 026	159	25 884
Rapides	944	131 935	472	111 983	681	82 335	416	78 789	608	45 433	256	29 879
Red River	306	58 832	172	50 902	228	25 284	150	24 334	212	27 296	108	21 018
Richland	810	191 568	565	183 279	707	148 533	544	146 492	365	26 439	218	20 686
Sabine	377	31 707	167	18 790	218	6 085	106	4 811	330	24 957	139	13 819
St Bernard	19	1 078	8	411	18	379	8	216	8	540	1	72
St Charles	45	7 787	34	7 401	34	2 522	27	2 440	21	4 250	18	4 144
St Helena	440	34 025	203	23 758	288	9 368	149	7 739	357	23 812	161	15 529
St James	117	37 668	106	37 232	109	26 471	104	26 452	26	1 256	21	1 022
St John the Baptist	45	15 880	36	15 751	40	11 618	31	11 555	6	563	5	497
St Landry	1 772	231 270	948	205 025	1 403	178 424	904	173 363	990	48 422	374	27 986
St Martin	514	64 338	241	52 722	435	39 944	238	37 089	259	15 534	95	8 482
St Mary	141	77 498	100	76 865	132	50 181	99	49 860	18	1 118	8	821
St Tammy	408	25 830	169	17 839	259	7 943	130	6 389	262	14 350	87	8 496
Tangipahoa	1 067	84 083	623	65 535	766	25 293	482	22 297	785	55 916	450	41 113
Tensas	330	140 187	277	136 829	303	116 169	268	115 300	109	14 983	85	12 941
Terrebanne	121	38 545	86	37 197	102	21 923	79	21 617	43	6 688	28	5 711
Union	434	30 836	173	20 026	332	8 178	144	6 314	346	21 408	137	13 354
Vermilion	1 392	292 633	1 004	268 656	1 153	172 154	957	169 414	777	74 778	438	55 184
Vernon	486	27 358	154	14 066	389	8 905	142	5 890	336	16 410	103	7 817
Washington	968	76 119	440	56 228	696	27 094	377	23 557	798	46 417	338	31 132
Webster	442	39 041	169	24 908	306	9 937	139	7 683	326	26 814	117	16 146
West Baton Rouge	102	31 431	61	30 126	77	18 448	50	18 207	54	3 905	29	2 932
West Carroll	933	156 430	745	151 469	876	124 080	733	122 585	386	22 291	276	19 504
West Feliciana	190	49 215	125	32 482	139	15 194	101	9 186	142	31 396	93	22 995
Winn	199	10 410	52	4 934	104	2 225	42	1 688	163	7 086	42	3 246

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	Woodland, including woodland pasture				Other land, including other pastureland			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	11 592	1 531 661	6 021	1 202 410	20 672	2 011 126	11 821	1 774 553
Acadia	180	16 616	118	11 781	627	51 474	448	45 284
Allen	164	21 957	85	18 587	223	24 738	119	23 144
Ascension	103	7 985	25	5 579	165	14 333	57	11 152
Assumption	29	18 006	24	17 680	83	4 325	78	3 474
Avoyelles	365	33 380	205	27 650	886	37 680	506	31 829
Beauregard	381	65 694	177	51 379	429	29 220	193	21 095
Bienville	232	21 634	84	12 824	240	13 518	89	8 349
Bossier	198	31 491	86	24 877	248	35 272	132	33 271
Caddo	266	45 522	153	36 920	443	85 556	267	79 323
Calcasieu	149	50 075	84	44 191	416	150 543	237	136 977
Caldwell	131	15 652	58	10 940	174	9 706	95	8 441
Cameron	18	15 397	8	14 942	200	164 233	83	156 381
Catahoula	180	22 241	128	18 718	327	26 993	238	24 944
Claiborne	270	35 278	125	21 001	267	18 945	125	13 352
Concordia	84	26 187	68	25 088	210	55 146	166	53 854
De Soto	408	65 115	176	48 272	408	50 768	196	43 836
East Baton Rouge	269	29 263	113	17 283	361	32 792	146	26 421
East Carroll	40	17 082	34	16 683	225	18 430	212	18 096
East Feliciana	267	54 922	138	44 792	339	36 644	158	30 950
Evangeline	172	20 269	94	11 656	523	42 727	298	36 075
Franklin	423	21 901	320	18 258	806	42 437	598	39 421
Grant	143	12 630	49	8 025	192	13 174	74	9 456
Iberia	30	4 800	18	3 966	230	19 892	156	18 446
Iberville	66	24 907	39	23 885	127	20 206	78	17 099
Jackson	148	20 059	37	3 007	182	3 700	45	1 555
Jefferson	3	809	2	770	26	4 802	20	4 551
Jefferson Davis	97	10 123	78	9 346	407	33 260	343	31 379
Lafayette	84	1 893	49	1 212	559	17 180	260	12 999
Lafourche	54	30 204	27	28 346	225	99 533	156	96 780
La Salle	106	6 722	28	1 443	113	3 054	38	2 058
Lincoln	235	25 359	90	15 270	258	13 738	110	8 654
Livingston	214	17 412	63	12 833	312	7 586	115	4 444
Madison	71	30 399	70	30 335	216	26 387	203	26 250
Morehouse	161	15 972	113	13 294	317	52 501	252	50 147
Natchitoches	375	34 486	174	25 743	516	99 670	262	90 468
Orleans	–	–	–	–	2	11	–	–
Ouachita	179	26 220	83	21 653	247	12 901	117	8 543
Plaquemines	22	2 404	8	1 958	65	29 659	29	27 073
Pointe Coupee	208	48 977	121	45 733	367	49 273	196	44 371
Rapides	376	39 835	182	27 941	648	41 858	337	35 016
Red River	158	16 873	87	14 264	202	44 279	133	42 396
Richland	396	43 524	271	39 096	616	39 015	420	35 535
Sabine	268	23 073	124	16 275	302	9 634	149	6 323
St Bernard	6	1 004	–	–	15	5 406	5	4 948
St Charles	10	6 419	3	6 030	39	42 867	24	42 171
St Helena	251	21 292	119	13 887	333	12 691	162	9 630
St James	24	5 718	23	5 708	69	3 611	63	3 508
St John the Baptist	8	9 073	8	9 073	28	1 928	20	1 856
St Landry	359	36 121	185	31 524	1 115	41 682	589	34 342
St Martin	73	12 145	37	9 748	328	14 975	164	11 709
St Mary	30	29 711	26	29 707	107	10 321	78	9 932
St Tammy	145	17 990	64	13 031	318	21 149	144	18 347
Tangipahoa	579	34 613	342	26 013	839	31 104	528	27 064
Tensas	104	42 732	89	41 140	213	45 957	183	45 006

Table 2. **Land Use: 1974**—Continued

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	Woodland, including woodland posture				Other land, including other pastureland			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Terrebonne	37	11 484	22	10 989	86	10 363	59	9 439
Union	310	31 484	133	21 353	314	13 744	150	10 030
Vermilion	118	11 326	80	10 208	797	70 564	523	61 527
Vernon	311	53 238	113	42 074	335	10 741	117	4 355
Washington	626	32 520	286	19 263	713	17 287	336	12 436
Webster	270	24 132	113	13 891	332	19 475	128	13 422
West Baton Rouge	31	3 029	18	2 754	64	3 038	36	2 409
West Carroll	276	10 453	206	8 836	606	17 610	446	14 153
West Feliciana	141	51 878	88	36 585	142	24 016	82	15 687
Winn	160	12 951	50	7 100	150	5 804	50	3 370

Table 3. **Irrigation: 1974**

	All irrigated farms			Irrigated farms with sales of $2,500 and over								
				Land irrigated		Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied		Harvested cropland irrigated			Land irrigated by sprinklers	
	Farms	Land irrigated (acres)	Land in irrigated farms (acres)	Farms	Acres	Total (acre-feet)	Average per acre irrigated (acre-feet)	Farms	Acres	Land in irrigated farms (acres)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	3 777	701 587	2 048 420	3 353	694 984	955 084	1.4	3 310	684 939	2 021 444	237	12 713
Acadia	566	115 828	278 859	540	115 189	162 526	1.4	536	113 902	276 871	1	2
Allen	127	36 125	118 429	123	36 087	48 370	1.3	123	36 000	118 295	–	–
Ascension	6	39	229	3	27	28	1.0	3	27	155	–	–
Assumption	6	518	1 483	5	517	425	.8	5	517	1 482	1	7
Avoyelles	39	5 910	18 208	28	5 618	8 154	1.5	28	5 618	17 901	3	89
Beauregard	21	5 693	27 222	19	5 656	11 334	2.0	19	5 656	26 490	–	–
Bienville	1	2	46	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	3	374	3 904	3	374	406	1.1	3	294	3 904	–	–
Caddo	14	1 452	5 922	11	1 440	1 107	.8	11	1 440	5 878	7	187
Calcasieu	233	80 893	222 821	220	80 486	117 662	1.5	213	79 420	220 806	1	1
Caldwell	10	1 244	4 766	9	1 242	1 460	1.2	9	1 017	4 688	4	457
Cameron	64	17 381	78 572	56	17 084	20 399	1.2	56	17 069	76 815	–	–
Catahoula	9	484	30 644	7	419	272	.6	6	219	30 553	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	3	17	140	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	8	140	951	3	5	24	4.8	3	5	130	3	5
East Carroll	11	3 801	32 045	11	3 801	5 076	1.3	11	3 801	32 045	–	–
East Feliciana	7	137	2 552	5	102	141	1.4	4	52	760	2	2
Evangeline	295	50 189	131 231	257	49 251	60 067	1.2	256	49 014	129 794	1	115
Franklin	122	7 801	44 828	106	7 670	8 071	1.1	101	6 631	44 100	22	1 988
Grant	2	33	100	1	30	50	1.7	1	30	80	–	–
Iberia	31	5 541	23 255	27	5 478	7 633	1.4	25	5 340	23 052	1	250
Iberville	3	37	2 508	2	28	35	1.3	–	–	308	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	5	600	3 484	5	600	621	1.0	5	600	3 484	3	15
Jefferson Davis	448	121 350	301 565	440	121 135	189 888	1.6	440	121 025	301 036	2	822
Lafayette	112	14 915	31 157	90	14 549	15 075	1.0	89	14 247	30 151	6	58
Lafourche	7	253	438	3	181	201	1.1	3	145	275	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	4	6	159	3	5	5	1.0	3	5	63	3	5
Livingston	31	212	1 025	18	130	106	.8	18	86	740	16	121
Madison	4	533	34 577	4	533	716	1.3	4	533	34 577	–	–
Morehouse	66	34 195	91 768	66	34 195	60 000	1.8	66	33 843	91 768	5	1 573
Natchitoches	2	120	5 310	2	120	53	.4	2	120	5 310	–	–
Orleans	3	21	31	1	1	3	3.0	1	1	1	1	1
Ouachita	30	2 691	17 291	24	2 588	3 119	1.2	22	2 584	16 790	2	4
Plaquemines	12	63	2 568	6	39	24	.6	6	39	1 743	3	8
Pointe Coupee	7	462	2 532	4	431	591	1.4	4	431	2 434	–	–
Rapides	36	2 822	11 312	23	2 762	4 984	1.8	23	2 762	11 106	14	68
Red River	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	37	8 212	66 461	37	8 212	10 351	1.3	33	8 138	66 461	11	2 832
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	1	1	1	–	–
St Charles	2	4	8	2	4	2	.5	2	4	8	–	–
St Helena	3	18	197	2	17	11	.6	2	17	165	1	10
St James	6	1 031	2 040	4	1 001	1 223	1.2	4	1 001	1 980	–	–
St John the Baptist	2	6	16	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	167	23 181	71 915	147	22 840	25 829	1.1	147	22 838	71 081	12	647
St Martin	31	5 083	11 165	28	5 023	5 677	1.1	24	4 627	11 088	3	6
St Mary	4	1 461	19 489	4	1 461	2 365	1.6	4	1 461	19 489	–	–
St Tammy	28	1 104	3 544	17	962	1 243	1.3	17	692	2 898	15	851
Tangipahoa	149	959	6 169	85	677	620	.9	84	505	4 780	62	507
Tensas	15	1 124	29 999	14	1 114	921	.8	12	1 046	29 253	4	320
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Vermilion	893	143 865	292 620	831	142 304	172 843	1.2	825	138 542	289 152	12	1 306
Vernon	4	391	758	2	385	341	.9	2	385	730	1	55
Washington	9	46	862	5	34	81	2.4	5	34	440	3	24
Webster	1	1	4	1	1	2	2.0	1	1	4	1	1
West Baton Rouge	2	2	22	2	2	2	1.0	2	2	22	–	–
West Carroll	71	3 212	10 684	42	3 169	4 947	1.6	42	3 168	9 773	9	374
West Feliciana	4	4	534	4	4	3	.8	4	4	534	2	2
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–

Table 4. **Tenure of Farm Operators and Type of Organization of Farms: 1974**

	Farm operators by tenure									Farms with sales of $2,500 and over by type of organization			
	All farms					Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Percent of tenancy	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Percent of tenancy	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Louisiana, total	33 240	20 128	8 765	4 347	13.1	18 542	8 605	6 769	3 168	17.1	16 657	1 355	460	70
Acadia	1 025	445	389	191	18.6	740	219	350	171	23.1	663	52	16	9
Allen	369	190	132	47	12.7	204	65	97	42	20.6	180	22	2	–
Ascension	243	141	68	34	14.0	83	39	27	17	20.5	66	7	9	1
Assumption	143	45	38	60	42.0	130	34	37	59	45.4	72	36	19	3
Avoyelles	1 521	879	518	124	8.2	859	352	423	84	9.8	801	44	13	1
Beauregard	695	505	153	37	5.3	294	172	93	29	9.9	275	13	5	1
Bienville	386	280	66	40	10.4	135	88	37	10	7.4	125	6	4	–
Bossier	432	281	107	44	10.2	198	97	71	30	15.2	181	15	2	–
Caddo	656	353	189	114	17.4	364	151	138	75	20.6	303	38	21	2
Calcasieu	665	301	225	139	20.9	395	118	164	113	28.6	351	30	13	1
Caldwell	276	168	87	21	7.6	148	67	65	16	10.8	139	7	2	–
Cameron	329	147	135	47	14.3	148	54	63	31	20.9	141	4	2	1
Catahoula	530	296	171	63	11.9	389	171	160	58	14.9	352	30	3	4
Claiborne	414	293	84	37	8.9	178	106	51	21	11.8	159	13	5	1
Concordia	365	166	132	67	18.4	281	100	126	55	19.6	252	19	10	–
De Soto	688	477	146	65	9.4	288	171	84	33	11.5	274	11	1	2
East Baton Rouge	557	367	136	54	9.7	220	123	65	32	14.5	201	9	9	1
East Carroll	387	154	147	86	22.2	351	121	147	83	23.6	313	16	22	–
East Feliciana	502	366	93	43	8.6	229	154	60	15	6.6	214	9	5	1
Evangeline	932	580	246	106	11.4	537	242	213	82	15.3	483	42	11	1
Franklin	1 272	658	419	195	15.3	959	396	395	168	17.5	895	60	4	–
Grant	302	234	51	17	5.6	117	77	30	10	8.5	108	4	5	–
Iberia	401	169	141	91	22.7	265	72	121	72	27.2	206	41	15	3
Iberville	241	65	93	83	34.4	152	27	62	63	41.4	123	21	8	–
Jackson	269	229	31	9	3.3	68	55	8	5	7.4	65	1	2	–
Jeffersan	37	16	8	13	35.1	26	13	6	7	26.9	22	1	3	–
Jeffersan Davis	652	229	245	178	27.3	561	162	233	166	29.6	475	65	16	5
Lafayette	1 009	588	262	159	15.8	436	184	175	77	17.7	391	30	12	3
Lafaurche	356	119	120	117	32.9	235	55	90	90	38.3	182	37	16	–
La Salle	196	153	33	10	5.1	56	39	16	1	1.8	56	–	–	–
Lincoln	383	284	67	32	8.4	148	103	32	13	8.8	133	7	8	–
Livingstan	479	385	81	13	2.7	156	108	44	4	2.6	151	4	1	–
Madisan	358	178	121	59	16.5	329	154	120	55	16.7	301	17	11	–
Marehause	511	280	152	79	15.5	376	169	142	65	17.3	324	30	19	3
Natchitaches	802	583	146	73	9.1	385	239	104	42	10.9	343	32	7	3
Orleans	7	5	–	2	28.6	2	2	–	–	.0	–	2	–	–
Ouachita	384	279	66	39	10.2	182	114	45	23	12.6	161	11	9	1
Plaquemines	102	72	16	14	13.7	46	29	11	6	13.0	42	2	2	–
Pointe Coupee	600	296	175	129	21.5	321	128	114	79	24.6	286	24	7	4
Rapides	1 053	704	240	109	10.4	507	268	168	71	14.0	466	32	9	–
Red River	327	200	95	32	9.8	179	90	68	21	11.7	163	15	1	–
Richland	877	478	265	134	15.3	579	250	229	100	17.3	530	43	5	1
Sabine	460	383	59	18	3.9	202	158	35	9	4.5	192	9	1	–
St Bernard	21	15	3	3	14.3	8	4	2	2	25.0	6	2	–	–
St Charles	60	11	7	42	70.0	37	3	4	30	81.1	27	6	4	–
St Helena	489	372	97	20	4.1	226	140	72	14	6.2	218	6	2	–
St James	117	24	36	57	48.7	106	23	33	50	47.2	74	20	12	–
St John the Baptist	48	16	10	22	45.8	38	10	6	22	57.9	26	9	3	–
St Landry	1 900	1 237	420	243	12.8	976	471	340	165	16.9	894	64	15	3
St Martin	566	266	177	123	21.7	262	86	101	75	28.6	217	37	6	2
St Mary	148	53	39	56	37.8	103	21	35	47	45.6	66	21	16	–
St Tammy	458	387	44	27	5.9	192	149	27	16	8.3	164	8	19	1
Tangipahoa	1 190	927	200	63	5.3	700	520	144	36	5.1	651	39	10	–
Tensas	338	173	102	63	18.6	281	126	98	57	20.3	244	32	4	1
Terrebanne	129	43	42	44	34.1	90	21	32	37	41.1	71	14	5	–
Union	493	398	77	18	3.7	201	143	53	5	2.5	191	9	–	1
Vermilian	1 475	691	513	271	18.4	1 023	338	454	231	22.6	920	83	11	9
Vernon	523	432	78	13	2.5	164	118	40	6	3.7	160	4	–	–
Washington	1 039	827	186	26	2.5	468	311	144	13	2.8	436	26	6	–
Webster	511	369	107	35	6.8	187	123	56	8	4.3	180	6	1	–
West Baton Rauge	116	48	36	32	27.6	68	19	22	27	39.7	54	10	4	–
West Carroll	971	499	356	116	11.9	753	327	328	98	13.0	710	40	3	–
West Feliciana	218	113	66	39	17.9	136	66	47	23	16.9	125	8	2	1
Winn	237	206	21	10	4.2	65	50	12	3	4.6	63	–	2	–

Table 5. **Characteristics of All Farm Operators: 1974**

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

			Farm operators by place of residence				Farm operators reporting days of work off farm				Farm operators by principal occupation	
	Farm operators	Average age of farm operator	On farm operated	On another farm	In a rural area, not on a farm	In a city, town, or urban area	Any days	Under 100 days	100 to 199 days	200 days and over	Farming	Other
Louisiana, total	32 670	51.7	18 782	1 316	1 628	3 427	15 564	2 494	2 941	10 129	17 967	14 703
Acadia	999	51.0	543	62	41	88	282	69	55	158	749	250
Allen	367	48.5	214	7	32	19	172	15	33	124	196	171
Ascension	233	55.8	153	2	11	17	154	14	24	116	85	148
Assumption	121	49.6	66	8	18	9	19	3	1	15	108	13
Avoyelles	1 507	50.9	911	60	63	116	736	176	144	416	917	590
Beauregard	688	51.5	454	10	12	77	443	50	87	306	276	412
Bienville	382	51.6	253	4	21	56	268	29	37	202	107	275
Bossier	429	52.8	217	2	20	90	240	25	30	185	161	268
Caddo	631	53.1	299	14	46	138	344	43	54	247	284	347
Calcasieu	649	49.7	306	19	45	87	292	36	39	217	327	322
Caldwell	274	50.5	169	8	12	26	146	24	25	97	127	147

Table 5. Characteristics of All Farm Operators: 1974 — Continued

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

	Farm operators	Average age of farm operator	Farm operators by place of residence				Farm operators reporting days of work off farm				Farm operators by principal occupation	
			On farm operated	On another farm	In a rural area, not on a farm	In a city, town, or urban area	Any days	Under 100 days	100 to 199 days	200 days and over	Farming	Other
Cameron	326	54.5	173	7	20	25	147	14	27	106	128	198
Catahoula	523	51.7	298	23	29	40	219	46	66	107	344	179
Claiborne	407	56.6	240	5	16	71	219	39	41	139	150	257
Concordia	355	50.7	210	5	29	29	129	26	32	71	247	108
De Soto	685	54.4	363	16	29	135	401	66	54	281	257	428
East Baton Rouge	540	52.0	311	6	26	94	324	40	40	244	182	358
East Carroll	364	48.8	209	4	17	28	91	28	21	42	323	41
East Feliciana	494	54.1	268	8	23	86	281	19	34	228	177	317
Evangeline	920	49.3	467	55	55	67	385	95	44	246	586	334
Franklin	1 267	51.3	666	129	63	88	366	88	65	213	960	307
Grant	297	55.6	196	5	6	28	178	13	26	139	115	182
Iberia	382	52.9	195	25	31	43	134	24	28	82	263	119
Iberville	232	52.9	124	12	23	31	93	11	25	57	145	87
Jackson	267	53.2	171	7	4	34	184	5	16	163	56	211
Jefferson	34	51.7	11	1	2	11	19	3	–	16	16	18
Jefferson Davis	631	48.0	361	42	28	52	123	27	34	62	530	101
Lafayette	993	53.0	538	54	54	118	503	96	90	317	544	449
Lafourche	340	50.1	156	17	49	26	149	20	37	92	208	132
La Salle	196	51.9	123	1	5	19	139	16	7	116	48	148
Lincoln	374	52.7	218	13	17	53	237	31	35	171	133	241
Livingston	478	50.8	323	4	18	31	322	30	64	228	136	342
Madison	347	49.7	178	14	11	54	75	20	26	29	306	41
Morehouse	489	49.0	252	37	27	83	210	49	21	140	334	155
Natchitoches	791	54.4	428	15	30	112	407	59	94	254	369	422
Orleans	7	58.3	5	–	1	–	3	–	1	2	2	5
Ouachita	369	51.2	199	7	22	56	224	26	28	170	136	233
Plaquemines	99	52.3	56	1	8	12	70	6	22	42	33	66
Pointe Coupee	589	50.9	323	28	42	63	274	36	43	195	315	274
Rapides	1 041	51.4	650	39	37	86	557	78	129	350	508	533
Red River	326	53.7	198	11	16	38	172	31	34	107	174	152
Richland	871	50.4	451	109	42	65	355	95	55	205	599	272
Sabine	459	52.6	261	3	13	50	295	30	56	209	168	291
St Bernard	21	50.4	15	–	3	1	12	1	–	11	10	11
St Charles	56	49.6	21	–	12	13	35	1	9	25	23	33
St Helena	487	51.7	349	3	17	21	271	54	72	145	256	231
St James	105	55.2	59	2	12	1	36	3	16	17	88	17
St John the Baptist	45	53.7	15	2	11	12	27	1	11	15	18	27
St Landry	1 882	52.6	1 070	127	80	192	796	159	190	447	1 228	654
St Martin	558	53.3	298	23	45	62	283	105	51	127	325	233
St Mary	132	50.4	51	12	27	18	48	17	6	25	107	25
St Tammy	437	50.9	284	6	22	45	281	37	41	203	138	299
Tangipahoa	1 179	50.5	836	9	25	82	520	55	112	353	684	495
Tensas	332	51.2	174	23	16	32	82	24	23	35	278	54
Terrebonne	124	49.0	61	10	20	11	66	20	8	38	77	47
Union	492	53.5	285	4	27	46	306	37	66	203	168	324
Vermilion	1 455	51.8	770	98	89	152	459	107	106	246	1 074	381
Vernon	522	54.0	368	6	13	28	354	31	83	240	164	358
Washington	1 032	51.2	711	17	14	64	566	65	105	396	443	589
Webster	509	53.8	291	3	8	79	357	22	62	273	130	379
West Baton Rouge	112	51.1	63	3	13	18	75	6	7	62	41	71
West Carroll	968	49.0	562	62	44	44	329	63	94	172	725	243
West Feliciana	214	54.3	135	7	9	29	114	16	29	69	104	110
Winn	235	52.9	157	–	7	26	166	19	26	121	57	178

Table 6. Farms by Standard Industrial Classification for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

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	Farms	Cash grains (011)	Field crops, except cash grains				Vegetables and melons (016)	Fruits and tree nuts (017)
			Total (013)	Cotton (0131)	Tobacco (0132)	Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)		
Louisiana, total	18 542	6 707	3 907	2 000	20	1 887	278	138
Acadia	740	606	27	11	–	16	4	–
Allen	204	164	4	–	–	4	1	–
Ascension	83	6	29	–	–	29	2	1
Assumption	130	6	120	–	–	120	–	–
Avoyelles	859	472	199	71	–	128	4	–
Beauregard	294	87	9	–	–	9	10	3
Bienville	135	–	9	1	–	8	7	2
Bossier	198	10	46	29	–	17	7	–
Caddo	364	3	112	88	–	24	13	3
Calcasieu	395	253	3	–	–	3	–	2
Caldwell	148	18	81	73	–	8	–	–
Cameron	148	57	4	–	–	4	–	–
Catahoula	389	302	34	33	–	1	–	–
Claiborne	178	1	14	2	–	12	2	–
Concordia	281	212	28	28	–	–	–	–
De Soto	288	1	17	2	–	15	–	3
East Baton Rouge	220	24	12	–	–	12	1	2
East Carroll	351	246	85	85	–	–	–	6
East Feliciana	229	15	5	–	–	5	–	2
Evangeline	537	347	68	9	–	59	–	–
Franklin	959	350	431	419	–	12	1	–
Grant	117	9	33	24	–	9	–	–
Iberia	265	20	180	–	–	180	5	–
Iberville	152	22	87	–	–	87	1	–

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	Farms	Cash grains (011)	Field crops, except cash grains: Total (013)	Cotton (0131)	Tobacco (0132)	Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetables and melons (016)	Fruits and tree nuts (017)
Jackson	68	–	1	–	–	1	3	–
Jefferson	26	1	–	–	–	–	6	–
Jefferson Davis	561	488	14	–	–	14	–	–
Lafayette	436	154	65	14	4	47	13	1
Lafourche	235	–	162	–	–	162	7	–
La Salle	56	12	5	2	–	3	1	–
Lincoln	148	–	7	–	–	7	–	6
Livingston	156	1	4	–	–	4	2	16
Madison	329	273	40	39	–	1	–	1
Morehouse	376	85	208	199	–	9	1	7
Natchitoches	385	20	103	77	–	26	–	–
Orleans	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	182	26	51	42	–	9	11	8
Plaquemines	46	–	2	–	–	2	13	18
Pointe Coupee	321	75	76	10	–	66	5	1
Rapides	507	149	109	77	1	31	10	2
Red River	179	7	32	23	–	9	4	1
Richland	579	121	365	359	–	6	2	–
Sabine	202	–	4	–	–	4	–	–
St Bernard	8	–	–	–	–	–	6	–
St Charles	37	–	4	–	–	4	2	–
St Helena	226	7	4	–	–	4	5	–
St James	106	2	87	–	15	72	12	–
St John the Baptist	38	2	22	–	–	22	3	–
St Landry	976	511	186	41	–	145	11	2
St Martin	262	36	128	1	–	127	31	–
St Mary	103	2	96	–	–	96	–	–
St Tammy	192	3	5	–	–	5	2	6
Tangipahoa	700	11	18	–	–	18	31	38
Tensas	281	176	66	63	–	3	–	–
Terrebonne	90	2	59	–	–	59	1	2
Union	201	–	7	1	–	6	8	1
Vermilion	1 023	857	39	1	–	38	–	–
Vernon	164	7	8	–	–	8	4	2
Washington	468	7	18	2	–	16	4	–
Webster	187	2	16	4	–	12	1	–
West Baton Rouge	68	5	24	–	–	24	2	–
West Carroll	753	427	195	170	–	25	16	2
West Feliciana	136	6	37	–	–	37	2	–
Winn	65	1	3	–	–	3	1	–

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	Horticultural specialties (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	Dairy (024)	Poultry and eggs (025)	Animal specialties (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Louisiana, total	175	326	4 539	1 442	461	206	28	335
Acadia	3	4	75	11	–	6	2	2
Allen	–	–	29	3	–	1	–	2
Ascension	2	–	36	–	1	6	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	4	–	–
Avoyelles	3	33	108	26	–	13	1	–
Beauregard	1	2	133	22	4	2	1	20
Bienville	3	4	71	13	8	4	4	10
Bossier	1	6	111	7	–	3	–	7
Caddo	7	2	189	19	3	4	3	6
Calcasieu	5	–	109	1	3	11	–	8
Caldwell	1	3	41	–	–	2	–	2
Cameron	–	–	87	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	2	3	40	2	–	3	–	3
Claiborne	–	1	105	30	7	–	1	17
Concordia	–	7	32	–	–	2	–	–
De Soto	1	2	168	71	12	1	1	11
East Baton Rouge	8	1	132	20	1	13	1	5
East Carroll	1	1	11	–	–	1	–	–
East Feliciana	2	–	169	23	1	3	–	9
Evangeline	–	17	79	19	–	1	6	–
Franklin	–	59	94	18	–	3	1	2
Grant	1	2	60	4	1	1	–	6
Iberia	3	–	32	19	–	6	–	–
Iberville	–	–	39	1	–	1	–	1
Jackson	–	–	35	4	20	1	–	4
Jefferson	6	–	8	–	1	4	–	–
Jefferson Davis	1	–	53	3	–	1	–	1
Lafayette	9	1	100	82	–	11	–	–
Lafourche	1	–	57	2	4	2	–	–
La Salle	–	–	36	1	1	–	–	–
Lincoln	3	–	71	16	37	–	1	7
Livingston	1	–	73	11	41	2	1	4
Madison	–	1	14	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	2	3	52	10	–	5	–	3
Natchitoches	–	8	180	2	46	3	–	23
Orleans	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	7	2	55	7	3	2	–	10
Plaquemines	1	–	12	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	1	1	148	12	1	–	–	1
Rapides	28	22	134	17	13	6	–	17
Red River	–	9	121	2	1	1	–	1
Richland	–	7	57	21	–	3	–	3
Sabine	–	–	93	21	66	–	–	18
St Bernard	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	2	–	26	–	–	2	–	1
St Helena	–	–	67	123	6	2	–	12

Table 6. Farms by Standard Industrial Classification for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974—Con.

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	Horticultural specialties (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	Dairy (024)	Poultry and eggs (025)	Animal specialties (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
St James	2	–	3	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	11	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	7	56	149	43	–	8	–	3
St Martin	2	2	29	18	–	15	–	1
St Mary	–	–	3	–	–	1	–	1
St Tammy	36	1	93	16	5	17	–	8
Tangipahoa	10	5	142	349	73	10	–	13
Tensas	–	16	21	2	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	19	–	–	7	–	–
Union	–	–	69	16	78	–	–	22
Vermilion	1	1	97	19	1	1	1	6
Vernon	–	1	86	30	10	–	–	16
Washington	4	2	142	279	–	–	2	10
Webster	2	2	135	8	6	3	1	11
West Baton Rouge	2	1	28	3	–	1	–	2
West Carroll	–	37	60	7	4	2	–	3
West Feliciana	–	1	71	9	–	–	–	10
Winn	–	–	38	–	3	5	1	13

Table 7. Farms by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974

	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, excluding abnormal farms							Farms with sales under $2,500, excluding abnormal farms			
		Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999, (see text)	Total	$2,000 to $2,499	$1,500 to $1,999	$1,000 to $1,499, (see text)
Louisiana, total	33 240	18 542	3 035	3 484	2 407	2 601	2 932	4 083	14 658	1 736	2 023	10 899
Acadia	1 025	740	178	195	120	101	72	74	284	42	43	199
Allen	369	204	67	52	20	14	22	29	165	11	20	134
Ascension	243	83	26	6	4	11	5	31	160	19	25	116
Assumption	143	130	83	24	19	4	–	–	13	1	–	12
Avoyelles	1 521	859	71	106	123	182	177	200	662	100	92	470
Beauregard	695	294	28	33	23	49	67	94	400	45	45	310
Bienville	386	135	10	12	6	13	20	74	251	29	39	183
Bossier	432	198	11	25	26	41	38	57	233	24	41	168
Caddo	656	364	37	57	42	53	79	96	290	30	38	222
Calcasieu	665	395	111	91	35	36	45	77	268	29	19	220
Caldwell	276	148	11	22	12	24	29	50	128	13	13	102
Cameron	329	148	25	30	7	4	21	61	181	19	26	136
Catahoula	530	389	55	77	49	74	62	72	141	26	20	95
Claiborne	414	178	13	12	19	29	46	59	235	28	30	177
Concordia	365	281	63	57	52	34	46	29	84	8	20	56
De Soto	688	288	38	29	19	29	59	114	400	44	72	284
East Baton Rouge	557	220	20	18	17	33	47	85	330	36	46	248
East Carroll	387	351	85	80	54	47	39	46	35	7	8	20
East Feliciana	502	229	15	14	34	42	54	70	271	32	32	207
Evangeline	932	537	85	108	87	63	86	108	395	52	52	291
Franklin	1 272	959	52	156	172	208	178	193	312	37	51	224
Grant	302	117	8	8	12	16	26	47	185	31	24	130
Iberia	401	265	99	67	26	22	20	31	135	21	19	95
Iberville	241	152	61	33	8	9	18	23	88	14	17	57
Jackson	269	68	15	4	2	8	14	25	201	25	25	151
Jefferson	37	26	3	2	4	5	4	8	11	–	1	10
Jefferson Davis	652	561	227	147	65	21	53	48	91	7	14	70
Lafayette	1 009	436	46	102	51	62	69	106	572	59	87	426
Lafourche	356	235	73	47	33	25	15	42	121	14	16	91
La Salle	196	56	1	3	5	11	18	18	140	21	10	109
Lincoln	383	148	37	15	4	22	16	54	234	30	35	169
Livingston	479	156	17	21	20	16	28	54	323	27	51	245
Madison	358	329	87	86	48	39	40	29	29	6	5	18
Morehouse	511	376	113	72	45	41	55	50	135	19	28	88
Natchitoches	802	385	47	61	26	60	83	108	416	60	63	293
Orleans	7	2	–	–	1	–	–	1	5	–	–	5
Ouachita	384	182	22	24	22	24	35	55	197	16	24	157
Plaquemines	102	46	2	7	4	5	12	16	55	10	11	34
Pointe Coupee	600	321	42	53	40	45	45	96	279	32	32	215
Rapides	1 053	507	58	82	78	68	107	114	543	62	82	399
Red River	327	179	13	24	20	25	27	70	148	22	18	108
Richland	877	579	69	104	88	106	100	112	298	33	49	216
Sabine	460	202	45	32	9	30	40	46	258	21	33	204
St Bernard	21	8	1	–	–	3	1	3	13	1	1	11
St Charles	60	37	4	1	5	2	11	14	23	1	4	18
St Helena	489	226	26	74	28	21	30	47	263	24	34	205
St James	117	106	51	23	9	4	7	12	11	–	1	10
St John the Baptist	48	38	14	7	2	4	6	5	10	4	2	4
St Landry	1 900	976	104	164	109	149	174	276	924	107	122	695
St Martin	566	262	57	38	24	40	43	60	304	37	40	227
St Mary	148	103	61	17	8	10	5	2	45	6	10	29
St Tammy	458	192	16	19	21	21	48	67	265	31	42	192
Tangipahoa	1 190	700	98	225	101	67	81	128	489	71	52	366
Tensas	338	281	88	65	32	34	34	28	56	3	12	41
Terrebonne	129	90	29	11	9	10	11	20	39	8	6	25
Union	493	201	47	34	19	18	39	44	292	30	24	238
Vermilion	1 475	1 023	163	269	210	163	114	104	452	54	47	351
Vernon	523	164	15	17	11	13	27	81	358	29	41	288
Washington	1 039	468	30	181	76	46	41	94	570	67	73	430
Webster	511	187	8	8	14	26	36	95	323	37	45	241
West Baton Rouge	116	68	13	11	1	6	18	19	48	6	10	32
West Carroll	971	753	33	102	161	176	136	145	218	28	48	142
West Feliciana	218	136	7	18	13	28	33	37	81	9	10	62
Winn	237	65	1	2	3	9	20	30	172	21	23	128

Table 8. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974

Part 1 of 2 All Farms

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	1 193 722	35 912	16 342	919 402	355	7 844	1 361	6 171	23 122	188 848	1 250	71 457
Acadia	58 424	56 999	700	53 438	10	248	5	3	618	4 728	25	7
Allen	20 909	56 664	225	20 106	–	–	20	85	248	718	10	1
Ascension	15 069	62 012	80	14 086	2	(D)	2	1	200	745	5	(D)
Assumption	37 118	259 566	128	36 997	1	(Z)	–	–	20	119	2	1
Avoyelles	34 186	22 476	1 040	30 765	3	10	22	28	915	3 378	36	5
Beauregard	10 778	15 508	236	6 863	11	16	78	332	583	3 015	37	553
Bienville	3 757	9 733	86	639	5	36	57	91	323	1 772	13	1 219
Bossier	5 710	13 218	144	2 810	5	21	26	100	393	2 776	16	3
Caddo	15 603	23 785	249	7 565	15	184	34	151	560	6 937	13	767
Calcasieu	32 956	49 558	308	30 269	10	42	12	41	466	2 350	25	254
Caldwell	4 528	16 406	143	3 649	1	7	12	48	191	824	7	1
Cameron	7 250	22 036	82	5 971	–	–	2	(D)	298	1 259	6	(D)
Catahoula	21 465	40 500	392	19 953	4	5	9	26	277	1 479	7	1
Claiborne	5 214	12 594	112	316	1	2	76	196	361	3 165	17	1 535
Concordia	20 223	55 405	297	18 758	–	–	3	103	164	1 361	5	(Z)
De Soto	11 828	17 192	113	341	1	3	60	360	624	9 446	34	1 677
East Baton Rouge	7 267	13 047	134	1 668	14	548	14	46	484	4 712	10	293
East Carroll	33 060	85 426	365	32 608	1	3	6	1	76	447	4	1
East Feliciana	6 943	13 831	118	1 308	3	6	42	298	452	5 249	19	83
Evangeline	28 118	30 170	533	25 539	–	–	13	18	631	2 556	14	4
Franklin	30 519	23 993	1 007	27 009	1	(D)	7	(D)	698	3 412	24	5
Grant	3 681	12 189	78	1 749	2	(D)	32	(D)	278	1 061	6	800
Iberia	44 719	111 519	255	42 304	4	23	–	–	196	2 392	7	1
Iberville	26 307	109 158	140	25 508	–	–	6	13	143	786	–	–
Jackson	4 096	15 227	45	65	–	–	32	40	243	566	29	3 424
Jefferson	991	26 784	7	484	7	237	–	–	23	267	2	3
Jefferson Davis	58 890	90 322	539	57 383	4	(D)	6	(D)	311	1 399	5	3
Lafayette	23 443	23 234	449	16 482	18	764	–	–	754	6 188	45	9
Lafourche	35 566	99 904	216	34 438	2	(D)	1	(D)	172	1 060	6	34
La Salle	960	4 898	61	314	2	2	11	9	165	545	6	91
Lincoln	13 807	36 050	94	685	3	133	48	50	320	1 972	51	10 967
Livingston	8 973	18 733	95	377	6	7	15	61	396	1 718	63	6 810
Madison	33 936	94 793	333	31 860	1	(D)	4	150	103	1 884	2	(D)
Morehouse	40 021	78 319	364	37 049	2	(D)	9	(D)	254	2 886	5	(Z)
Natchitoches	15 710	19 589	256	7 196	2	2	73	389	672	4 529	60	3 594
Orleans	27	3 857	1	1	4	26	1	(Z)	1	1	–	–
Ouachita	7 771	20 237	152	5 118	12	312	16	14	292	1 769	6	557
Plaquemines	1 288	12 627	69	605	12	76	–	–	23	608	–	–
Pointe Coupee	18 096	30 160	252	15 236	1	4	10	13	460	2 776	7	67
Rapides	25 536	24 251	432	17 847	53	583	52	435	778	4 420	34	2 250
Red River	5 269	16 113	113	2 505	–	–	33	(D)	301	2 477	5	(D)
Richland	26 608	30 340	638	21 461	–	–	11	94	496	5 052	10	1
Sabine	10 836	23 557	77	159	2	1	51	421	400	2 514	76	7 740
St Bernard	186	8 857	11	49	1	(D)	1	(Z)	13	(D)	–	–
St Charles	1 464	24 400	11	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	51	707	–	–
St Helena	10 190	20 838	111	299	–	–	23	89	407	8 875	19	927
St James	25 323	216 436	106	25 271	2	5	–	–	16	47	4	(Z)
St John the Baptist	9 508	198 083	35	9 398	–	–	–	–	19	110	–	–
St Landry	39 329	20 699	1 124	34 069	9	251	3	97	1 224	4 892	64	19
St Martin	20 691	36 557	316	19 633	4	18	1	(Z)	334	1 036	22	4
St Mary	41 289	278 980	131	41 242	–	–	–	–	23	45	10	2
St Tammy	6 584	14 376	92	269	50	2 706	16	327	370	2 582	30	701
Tangipahoa	39 117	32 871	293	1 556	20	552	55	277	959	24 711	101	12 022
Tensas	24 817	73 423	294	22 584	4	2	8	43	126	2 188	2	(Z)
Terrebonne	14 577	113 000	84	14 373	–	–	2	1	69	203	1	(Z)
Union	14 862	30 146	134	264	4	14	72	335	413	3 083	92	11 166
Vermilion	56 100	38 034	1 015	52 886	6	12	–	–	955	3 183	27	20
Vernon	5 187	9 918	151	388	7	4	71	169	462	2 782	32	1 844
Washington	20 752	19 973	210	1 136	7	564	81	295	912	18 752	31	5
Webster	3 671	7 184	113	332	5	11	54	152	464	2 485	22	690
West Baton Rouge	14 625	126 078	44	14 172	2	8	–	–	78	442	6	3
West Carroll	21 651	22 298	801	18 289	5	5	4	40	458	2 623	18	695
West Feliciana	5 527	25 353	80	2 919	–	–	28	290	185	2 318	2	(Z)
Winn	816	3 443	28	48	–	–	31	158	221	450	13	160

Part 2 of 2 Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	1 173 913	63 311	12 754	914 302	221	7 709	917	5 973	11 423	174 824	732	71 105
Acadia	58 025	78 412	654	53 335	3	243	4	3	372	4 439	14	5
Allen	20 761	101 770	176	20 064	–	–	15	82	111	616	3	(Z)
Ascension	14 901	179 530	48	14 071	2	(D)	2	1	51	594	1	(D)
Assumption	37 109	285 454	127	36 996	–	–	–	–	13	112	2	1
Avoyelles	33 482	38 978	766	30 443	3	10	17	24	452	3 002	7	3
Beauregard	10 227	34 786	157	6 774	4	11	60	322	228	2 583	13	537
Bienville	3 518	26 059	45	608	3	32	33	83	118	1 576	8	1 219
Bossier	5 414	27 343	100	2 736	2	(D)	13	(D)	177	2 563	3	(Z)
Caddo	15 177	41 695	199	7 515	7	176	24	147	311	6 572	7	766
Calcasieu	32 689	82 757	272	30 204	5	35	10	40	238	2 159	7	251
Caldwell	4 401	29 736	111	3 621	1	7	5	44	92	728	3	1
Cameron	7 081	47 845	72	5 965	–	–	2	(D)	121	1 096	2	(D)
Catahoula	21 306	54 771	348	19 906	4	5	9	26	171	1 368	4	(Z)
Claiborne	4 823	27 096	66	287	–	–	54	183	167	2 819	15	1 534
Concordia	20 134	71 651	259	18 713	–	–	3	103	117	1 317	4	(Z)
De Soto	11 407	39 608	58	310	1	3	42	354	274	9 065	17	1 676
East Baton Rouge	6 370	28 955	72	1 553	8	540	8	45	191	3 982	3	250
East Carroll	32 753	93 313	345	32 333	1	3	6	1	59	415	2	1
East Feliciana	6 228	27 197	64	1 281	3	6	33	296	219	4 643	4	3
Evangeline	27 725	51 629	455	25 453	–	–	11	15	326	2 254	5	3
Franklin	30 153	31 442	890	26 823	1	(D)	7	(D)	505	3 236	15	1

Table 8. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974**—Continued

Part 2 of 2 Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Grant	3 478	29 726	50	1 730	2	(D)	16	(D)	104	882	4	800
Iberia	44 250	166 981	216	42 250	3	23	–	–	111	1 976	5	1
Iberville	26 110	171 776	115	25 422	–	–	1	9	65	680	–	–
Jackson	3 901	57 368	17	50	–	–	8	34	60	393	21	3 424
Jefferson	982	37 769	7	484	6	236	–	–	14	260	1	3
Jefferson Davis	58 801	104 815	511	57 353	1	(D)	3	(D)	240	1 345	4	3
Lafayette	22 710	52 087	278	16 331	11	758	–	–	303	5 620	19	2
Lafourche	35 449	150 847	177	34 395	1	(D)	1	(D)	94	986	6	34
La Salle	818	14 607	24	287	–	–	6	5	46	435	4	91
Lincoln	13 528	91 405	42	633	3	133	31	43	130	1 768	38	10 951
Livingston	8 659	55 506	37	344	2	3	7	59	115	1 451	42	6 801
Madison	33 901	103 043	320	31 836	1	(D)	4	150	91	1 874	2	(D)
Morehouse	39 880	106 064	328	37 009	2	(D)	9	(D)	162	2 785	1	(Z)
Natchitoches	15 183	39 436	172	7 120	–	–	49	380	319	4 090	48	3 593
Orleans	24	12 000	–	–	2	24	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	7 257	39 874	114	5 029	8	305	7	11	116	1 445	4	467
Plaquemines	1 187	25 804	33	528	8	70	–	–	12	589	–	–
Pointe Coupee	17 802	55 458	194	15 179	1	4	6	11	233	2 542	3	65
Rapides	24 646	48 611	326	17 708	32	562	41	431	344	3 731	21	2 212
Red River	5 120	28 603	87	2 482	–	–	22	(D)	171	2 354	1	(D)
Richland	26 289	45 404	518	21 338	–	–	11	94	296	4 857	1	(Z)
Sabine	10 612	52 535	36	142	–	–	36	416	180	2 314	70	7 740
St Bernard	174	21 750	7	44	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
St Charles	1 442	38 973	11	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	30	686	–	–
St Helena	9 971	44 119	40	258	–	–	22	88	210	8 699	14	926
St James	25 316	238 830	101	25 267	2	5	–	–	12	43	3	(Z)
St John the Baptist	9 493	249 816	29	9 388	–	–	–	–	12	105	–	–
St Landry	38 409	39 353	817	33 769	9	251	3	97	536	4 282	27	10
St Martin	20 405	77 882	208	19 526	3	16	1	(Z)	133	859	8	3
St Mary	41 233	400 320	98	41 196	–	–	–	–	12	36	1	1
St Tammy	6 300	32 813	51	232	41	2 698	9	321	146	2 353	9	696
Tangipahoa	38 609	55 156	172	1 434	14	543	45	266	579	24 346	88	12 019
Tensas	24 732	88 014	263	22 517	2	(Z)	8	43	110	2 172	–	–
Terrebonne	14 530	161 444	66	14 350	–	–	2	1	42	179	–	–
Union	14 587	72 572	56	216	4	14	41	326	172	2 868	79	11 164
Vermilion	55 655	54 404	921	52 779	2	7	–	–	579	2 849	16	19
Vernon	4 833	29 470	50	320	2	1	43	158	149	2 513	15	1 840
Washington	19 999	42 733	101	1 051	4	562	41	283	453	18 102	4	1
Webster	3 290	17 594	63	299	2	10	37	126	175	2 165	12	689
West Baton Rouge	14 579	214 397	36	14 164	2	8	–	–	42	405	3	3
West Carroll	21 407	28 429	704	18 164	–	–	4	40	329	2 509	12	694
West Feliciana	4 035	29 669	64	1 906	–	–	26	290	118	1 839	–	–
Winn	643	9 892	10	38	–	–	19	155	64	289	7	160

Table 9. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974**

	Farm production expenses				Farms by farm production expenses for all farms							
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Under $1,000	$1,000 to $2,999	$3,000 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$40,000 to $59,999	$60,000 and over
Louisiana, total	738 916	22 312	710 435	38 321	6 746	8 916	3 667	3 758	2 863	2 541	1 411	3 216
Acadia	30 386	29 819	29 863	40 410	138	200	71	112	133	153	84	128
Allen	11 245	30 474	10 948	53 667	45	107	44	25	33	32	19	64
Ascension	6 423	26 432	6 123	73 771	59	87	27	27	7	5	2	29
Assumption	14 127	98 790	14 106	108 508	13	2	4	12	10	24	16	62
Avoyelles	18 776	12 377	17 894	20 831	389	453	162	204	112	86	29	82
Beauregard	7 193	10 350	6 381	21 704	137	282	78	75	51	28	18	26
Bienville	3 470	9 036	3 039	22 511	98	146	58	40	17	8	4	13
Bossier	6 265	14 570	5 718	28 879	64	131	56	78	36	22	14	29
Caddo	15 487	23 608	14 957	41 091	137	147	87	91	55	37	36	66
Calcasieu	20 455	30 899	19 970	50 557	111	150	65	74	56	65	45	96
Caldwell	3 729	13 511	3 512	23 730	60	79	41	32	22	20	7	15
Cameron	4 589	14 077	4 348	29 378	94	101	39	22	14	20	10	26
Catahoula	12 264	23 227	12 042	31 116	56	139	66	75	67	49	26	50
Claiborne	4 701	11 355	4 144	23 281	111	132	67	41	24	13	5	21
Concordia	11 821	32 386	11 720	41 708	59	64	38	46	52	34	16	56
De Soto	11 222	16 359	10 419	36 177	144	206	101	107	44	20	16	48
East Baton Rouge	6 884	12 359	5 337	24 259	144	162	76	80	37	21	7	30
East Carroll	21 303	55 047	21 069	60 026	23	56	36	42	59	45	31	95
East Feliciana	6 349	12 749	5 219	22 790	103	156	73	73	46	22	2	23
Evangeline	15 730	16 950	15 183	28 274	198	274	104	80	79	77	44	72
Franklin	21 148	16 665	20 759	21 647	200	257	157	183	208	138	53	73
Grant	3 525	11 711	3 202	27 368	68	114	43	29	24	7	7	9
Iberia	18 687	46 601	18 163	68 540	75	71	40	23	42	46	25	79
Iberville	11 729	48 668	11 399	74 993	31	48	17	31	16	23	15	60
Jackson	4 162	15 472	3 777	55 544	73	96	44	26	9	2	1	18
Jefferson	778	21 027	764	29 385	6	13	2	5	3	3	1	4
Jefferson Davis	29 947	46 215	29 822	53 159	54	58	50	48	80	105	78	175
Lafayette	12 645	12 595	11 791	27 044	331	282	104	76	55	66	40	50
Lafourche	14 037	39 653	13 855	58 957	64	58	35	39	42	42	27	47
La Salle	846	4 338	569	10 161	43	90	23	26	8	1	2	2
Lincoln	13 612	35 634	13 155	88 885	64	151	44	38	24	12	7	42
Livingston	8 422	17 619	7 907	50 686	116	197	53	44	11	20	10	27
Madison	19 598	54 743	19 573	59 492	22	49	34	45	48	48	26	86
Morehouse	29 973	59 118	29 758	79 144	63	97	36	57	48	37	32	137
Natchitoches	15 620	19 476	14 818	38 488	157	252	102	110	40	34	29	78

Table 9. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974**—Continued

	Farm production expenses				Farms by farm production expenses for all farms							
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Under $1,000	$1,000 to $2,999	$3,000 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$40,000 to $59,999	$60,000 and over
Orleans	41	5 857	34	17 000	3	3	–	–	–	1	–	–
Ouachita	7 007	18 295	6 337	34 819	69	126	44	46	29	30	12	27
Plaquemines	870	8 529	760	16 522	38	27	8	11	7	9	1	1
Pointe Coupee	9 509	15 875	9 097	28 340	141	169	60	77	62	33	21	36
Rapides	18 007	17 199	16 765	33 067	239	326	121	102	71	79	39	70
Red River	5 256	16 123	5 024	28 067	66	76	43	51	36	15	14	25
Richland	19 794	22 726	19 391	33 491	170	179	85	135	75	88	54	85
Sabine	10 423	22 807	10 003	49 520	92	160	74	31	15	11	10	64
St Bernard	123	5 857	96	12 000	2	11	3	1	3	1	–	–
St Charles	1 085	18 083	1 041	28 135	9	15	11	8	5	7	1	4
St Helena	9 044	18 647	8 635	38 208	97	148	60	33	21	48	39	39
St James	10 420	90 609	10 409	98 198	11	11	5	12	4	20	8	44
St John the Baptist	2 834	59 042	2 824	74 316	9	6	5	5	5	3	1	14
St Landry	23 477	12 415	22 373	22 923	601	552	174	177	118	112	47	110
St Martin	9 272	16 382	8 911	34 011	196	144	62	46	27	30	18	43
St Mary	17 128	115 730	17 060	165 631	21	20	11	10	14	11	5	56
St Tammy	6 180	13 493	5 633	29 339	111	128	68	64	31	21	11	24
Tangipahoa	32 584	27 590	31 745	45 350	209	270	112	105	110	114	79	182
Tensas	16 369	48 717	16 154	57 488	34	50	34	33	23	51	31	80
Terrebonne	6 746	52 295	6 696	74 400	21	22	12	24	14	5	8	23
Union	14 563	29 540	14 074	70 020	117	168	52	34	23	12	13	74
Vermilion	29 632	20 296	28 959	28 308	242	230	146	186	228	222	83	123
Vernon	5 132	9 850	4 433	27 030	118	228	51	63	24	7	12	18
Washington	16 973	16 383	15 787	33 733	197	350	80	81	78	100	65	85
Webster	3 923	7 722	3 255	17 406	110	179	86	64	36	13	9	11
West Baton Rouge	6 588	56 793	6 514	95 794	25	31	16	9	15	5	4	11
West Carroll	13 760	14 171	13 490	17 915	144	218	111	162	154	115	32	35
West Feliciana	4 200	19 266	3 079	22 640	43	56	27	45	16	9	9	13
Winn	826	3 500	551	8 477	61	106	29	27	7	4	1	1

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	Farm production expenses				Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Livestock and poultry		Feed for livestock and poultry				
							Total		Commercially mixed formula feed		
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	33 118	738 916	18 539	710 435	5 040	43 936	10 824	107 875	9 395	703 558	95 228
Acadia	1 019	30 386	739	29 863	93	1 503	321	1 793	292	5 582	656
Allen	369	11 245	204	10 948	42	103	98	208	93	1 469	192
Ascension	243	6 423	83	6 123	30	339	40	180	32	1 064	161
Assumption	143	14 127	130	14 106	12	15	12	14	9	91	11
Avoyelles	1 517	18 776	859	17 894	171	314	396	873	316	4 102	626
Beauregard	695	7 193	294	6 381	103	636	218	1 192	204	8 305	1 096
Bienville	384	3 470	135	3 039	54	431	119	1 301	105	8 069	1 222
Bossier	430	6 265	198	5 718	81	578	161	569	145	2 751	445
Caddo	656	15 487	364	14 957	152	2 009	281	2 310	255	15 143	1 997
Calcasieu	662	20 455	395	19 970	117	1 392	237	903	221	5 737	765
Caldwell	276	3 729	148	3 512	29	194	93	160	82	819	109
Cameron	326	4 589	148	4 348	38	91	107	358	93	1 574	239
Catahoula	528	12 264	387	12 042	89	384	165	429	136	1 775	273
Claiborne	414	4 701	178	4 144	71	437	163	2 020	155	12 785	1 893
Concordia	365	11 821	281	11 720	57	289	101	220	82	1 360	169
De Soto	686	11 222	288	10 419	129	1 245	277	4 957	238	38 483	4 590
East Baton Rouge	557	6 884	220	5 337	90	827	177	1 274	164	7 676	1 143
East Carroll	387	21 303	351	21 069	42	363	55	99	41	311	48
East Feliciana	498	6 349	229	5 219	106	593	195	1 238	182	8 042	1 110
Evangeline	928	15 730	537	15 183	117	437	320	801	285	6 656	631
Franklin	1 269	21 148	959	20 759	181	601	426	1 003	345	6 291	774
Grant	301	3 525	117	3 202	35	282	93	1 040	89	6 008	979
Iberia	401	18 687	265	18 163	41	129	115	870	105	6 354	770
Iberville	241	11 729	152	11 399	27	257	63	156	53	1 018	119
Jackson	269	4 162	68	3 777	41	614	62	2 577	57	18 994	2 527
Jefferson	37	778	26	764	9	102	11	86	9	351	50
Jeffersan Davis	648	29 947	561	29 822	74	342	205	505	190	3 207	397
Lafayette	1 004	12 645	436	11 791	107	345	308	2 207	267	16 081	1 927
Lafourche	354	14 037	235	13 855	66	297	88	308	70	1 502	174
La Salle	195	846	56	569	13	33	48	265	43	1 331	217
Lincoln	382	13 612	148	13 155	94	4 618	136	5 501	127	37 177	5 217
Livingston	478	8 422	156	7 907	80	1 364	124	4 533	104	30 537	4 464
Madison	358	19 598	329	19 573	35	1 109	89	682	75	2 667	497
Morehouse	507	29 973	376	29 758	70	1 361	143	977	124	4 940	684
Natchitoches	802	15 620	385	14 818	189	2 124	292	3 910	250	23 956	3 558
Orleans	7	41	2	34	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	383	7 007	182	6 337	50	376	120	922	100	5 602	809
Plaquemines	102	870	46	760	10	180	10	60	8	312	35
Pointe Coupee	599	9 509	321	9 097	106	638	187	611	154	3 668	479
Rapides	1 047	18 007	507	16 765	138	1 082	337	2 900	277	15 921	2 434
Red River	326	5 256	179	5 024	68	560	150	636	126	3 487	518
Richland	871	19 794	579	19 391	115	804	265	1 755	228	10 784	1 480
Sabine	457	10 423	202	10 003	129	1 452	195	6 922	170	47 907	6 713
St Bernard	21	123	8	96	–	–	1	4	1	27	4
St Charles	60	1 085	37	1 041	19	143	26	70	19	238	35
St Helena	485	9 044	226	8 635	106	672	209	4 308	192	34 434	4 015
St James	115	10 420	106	10 409	10	13	13	22	12	83	13
St John the Baptist	48	2 834	38	2 824	4	17	5	28	5	161	28

Table 10. **Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974**—Continued

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	Farm production expenses				Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Livestock and poultry		Feed for livestock and poultry				
							Total		Commercially mixed formula feed		
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)
St Landry	1 891	23 477	976	22 373	223	922	490	1 618	403	11 453	1 437
St Martin	566	9 272	262	8 911	45	39	130	273	111	1 664	194
St Mary	148	17 128	103	17 060	7	8	20	19	18	83	12
St Tammy	458	6 180	192	5 633	65	496	146	1 254	132	6 025	958
Tangipahoa	1 181	32 584	700	31 745	290	3 833	599	17 273	541	115 262	15 745
Tensas	336	16 369	281	16 154	56	602	90	554	71	1 431	247
Terrebonne	129	6 746	90	6 696	24	74	37	62	19	183	23
Union	493	14 563	201	14 074	138	2 468	184	8 969	176	63 226	8 141
Vermilion	1 460	29 632	1 023	28 959	194	362	606	1 227	501	8 074	950
Vernon	521	5 132	164	4 433	68	470	146	2 340	138	15 292	2 262
Washington	1 036	16 973	468	15 787	175	1 328	427	7 130	390	46 990	6 436
Webster	508	3 923	187	3 255	99	401	157	1 169	150	6 533	925
West Baton Rouge	116	6 588	68	6 514	30	82	43	144	35	902	125
West Carroll	971	13 760	753	13 490	126	797	319	1 319	222	6 288	786
West Feliciana	218	4 200	136	3 079	42	288	109	552	100	4 274	513
Winn	236	826	65	551	18	68	64	215	58	1 048	178

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	Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over—Continued											
	Feed for livestock and poultry—Continued									Animal health costs		Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees
	Feed ingredients			Whole grains			Hay, green chop, silage, etc.					
	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	3 407	35 043	4 151	3 583	47 178	5 609	1 854	133 055	2 887	6 517	3 173	10 999	34 158
Acadia	104	3 570	335	123	5 541	618	48	9 199	183	124	32	611	3 261
Allen	29	16	3	29	37	5	12	253	8	54	15	149	1 282
Ascension	16	44	8	12	51	7	8	68	3	28	14	30	95
Assumption	–	–	–	3	19	3	3	4	(Z)	5	(Z)	24	147
Avoyelles	141	791	120	138	519	75	83	2 803	52	227	58	500	1 145
Beauregard	53	455	47	41	102	14	31	918	35	129	46	137	420
Bienville	33	180	21	44	230	40	14	425	18	72	24	51	26
Bossier	56	315	51	48	190	29	31	1 368	43	109	73	89	136
Caddo	85	513	64	85	673	78	66	7 076	171	202	145	168	241
Calcasieu	60	235	42	73	516	65	35	950	31	134	61	259	2 027
Caldwell	32	222	21	28	142	16	17	442	14	48	15	117	156
Cameron	17	52	10	56	648	71	22	919	38	46	33	67	345
Catahoula	41	102	17	42	1 128	124	42	400	15	87	23	257	951
Claiborne	48	138	19	66	317	46	29	1 946	62	100	51	51	22
Concordia	29	124	22	23	108	13	23	370	16	82	37	183	746
De Soto	99	727	82	90	526	87	59	8 225	199	153	68	91	54
East Baton Rouge	40	200	28	53	375	53	33	2 044	50	104	54	99	157
East Carroll	10	60	7	23	304	41	9	67	2	31	11	289	1 490
East Feliciana	56	196	27	57	689	77	39	1 158	24	117	45	99	113
Evangeline	72	141	27	128	1 370	99	59	2 987	44	153	41	358	1 418
Franklin	171	643	90	131	603	81	84	9 366	58	231	58	820	1 381
Grant	34	182	30	26	148	19	12	422	12	41	32	55	85
Iberia	24	109	21	30	314	37	20	1 907	42	60	44	94	284
Iberville	21	76	13	19	97	13	9	561	10	47	22	49	233
Jackson	12	148	14	22	198	22	11	267	14	40	23	13	11
Jefferson	–	–	–	5	241	35	1	15	1	7	3	10	44
Jefferson Davis	47	156	17	62	467	59	25	4 342	31	96	33	468	3 165
Lafayette	69	481	48	105	818	98	53	9 518	135	157	91	216	416
Lafourche	23	96	17	40	687	106	13	678	11	54	30	74	183
La Salle	17	216	20	24	131	15	5	437	13	18	5	27	23
Lincoln	44	1 692	146	65	668	73	22	1 702	65	96	249	43	22
Livingston	38	143	24	37	224	32	10	395	13	84	39	52	25
Madison	22	304	77	27	513	67	19	1 811	41	60	31	223	1 287
Morehouse	33	649	107	31	826	91	36	4 861	95	93	44	316	1 570
Natchitoches	141	954	138	91	1 229	137	36	2 588	78	197	110	171	361
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(Z)
Ouachita	33	179	29	43	161	21	21	1 360	64	69	34	117	342
Plaquemines	1	3	(Z)	2	207	23	2	34	1	5	1	19	15
Pointe Coupee	79	289	44	62	316	37	36	1 581	51	142	50	179	385
Rapides	125	1 028	151	97	1 356	161	80	5 134	155	174	83	300	699
Red River	57	475	70	30	141	10	26	1 842	38	96	60	73	138
Richland	91	561	75	91	846	100	52	3 835	100	183	54	501	928
Sabine	85	491	70	80	632	91	39	1 516	47	130	59	52	21
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	8
St Charles	10	78	10	10	170	19	4	164	6	18	10	9	5
St Helena	65	614	111	64	1 017	145	28	1 582	37	151	75	83	51
St James	4	6	1	5	64	8	3	9	(Z)	9	2	35	59
St John the Baptist	2	1	(Z)	2	1	(Z)	–	–	–	6	3	12	89
St Landry	164	446	59	185	512	59	76	3 621	62	276	134	617	1 730
St Martin	29	52	9	45	243	30	16	1 760	39	54	17	118	221
St Mary	4	12	2	4	32	5	1	7	(Z)	13	2	26	327
St Tammy	54	592	74	68	924	148	26	1 690	73	83	72	80	247
Tangipahoa	179	3 478	540	203	6 329	785	75	12 657	203	435	286	257	189
Tensas	41	868	97	27	1 835	205	10	238	6	72	72	230	885
Terrebonne	5	31	5	20	187	26	6	167	8	29	12	24	50
Union	58	7 270	508	89	2 314	237	29	2 372	84	120	84	51	30
Vermilion	168	1 102	89	194	1 174	117	107	4 101	71	337	97	871	2 983
Vernon	36	222	33	29	179	25	27	735	19	92	26	81	45
Washington	140	1 586	241	135	2 500	364	47	2 618	89	308	142	192	262
Webster	54	549	57	43	1 695	143	25	1 325	44	109	47	68	30
West Baton Rouge	14	50	10	16	52	7	6	145	2	22	6	26	32
West Carroll	134	959	133	110	3 311	360	70	1 716	40	217	60	621	941
West Feliciana	40	86	8	36	263	27	10	1 408	4	50	19	64	122
Winn	18	87	11	16	65	10	13	947	16	31	6	26	5

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Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over—Continued

	Commercial fertilizer		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil									
			Total		Gasoline		Diesel fuel		LP gas, butane, propane		Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	14 417	67 506	18 057	43 846	15 720	15 601	11 669	18 047	5 484	5 186	18 029	5 012
Acadia	650	4 961	729	2 239	653	796	581	950	270	263	728	229
Allen	187	2 273	202	941	190	353	163	454	67	55	202	79
Ascension	59	303	80	345	69	104	51	167	18	29	80	45
Assumption	125	676	129	731	127	250	117	327	48	63	129	91
Avoyelles	648	1 580	845	1 546	797	592	502	713	137	75	845	165
Beauregard	224	925	286	348	240	163	175	129	37	16	286	40
Bienville	100	210	130	108	111	55	85	31	15	7	130	15
Bossier	148	593	183	384	160	148	87	107	77	84	183	45
Caddo	248	997	353	868	321	326	159	221	116	220	347	101
Calcasieu	312	3 300	377	1 320	345	511	278	577	114	107	375	124
Caldwell	123	414	143	299	117	108	98	107	42	42	142	42
Cameron	95	562	140	353	131	156	91	140	34	35	137	22
Catahoula	201	1 285	382	897	316	336	275	392	86	83	382	86
Claiborne	143	347	167	204	140	92	72	56	76	35	166	20
Concordia	150	471	281	901	259	293	193	419	131	107	281	83
De Soto	174	623	285	362	235	223	194	74	34	22	285	43
East Baton Rouge	166	454	216	247	182	113	107	76	25	16	216	42
East Carroll	256	1 134	349	1 752	272	469	252	767	191	340	349	176
East Feliciana	178	700	217	247	195	124	121	69	13	16	217	39
Evangeline	473	2 639	527	1 165	440	403	325	510	155	98	527	155
Franklin	823	2 418	929	1 709	834	648	596	631	268	217	929	213
Grant	85	174	112	205	89	83	65	70	18	30	110	22
Iberia	238	1 854	253	1 214	237	390	199	483	143	182	253	159
Iberville	127	622	151	665	132	237	115	285	63	59	151	85
Jackson	33	36	68	43	62	26	27	4	24	6	68	7
Jefferson	12	60	21	52	17	32	8	6	3	6	21	8
Jefferson Davis	511	5 888	552	2 373	528	858	429	1 080	225	183	551	252
Lafayette	323	1 292	426	637	366	251	293	276	68	28	426	83
Lafourche	192	798	227	792	199	289	175	349	51	38	226	116
La Salle	39	22	52	33	33	12	26	11	7	2	52	7
Lincoln	98	249	148	213	126	106	56	27	46	22	147	58
Livingston	95	138	154	127	109	48	91	41	33	22	154	17
Madison	198	565	329	1 449	259	374	260	688	170	252	329	135
Morehouse	330	3 627	374	1 866	350	471	306	857	181	346	374	191
Natchitoches	247	987	376	744	348	321	180	286	107	71	374	66
Orleans	2	(Z)	2	3	2	1	1	1	–	–	2	(Z)
Ouachita	151	773	179	370	157	169	88	129	48	26	179	46
Plaquemines	29	31	43	43	35	18	24	15	11	4	43	6
Pointe Coupee	222	542	319	735	303	296	166	299	68	59	319	81
Rapides	372	1 181	500	1 019	403	396	358	464	107	57	500	103
Red River	147	460	178	340	168	152	91	110	54	48	178	30
Richland	505	2 295	570	1 364	537	483	441	571	235	148	570	162
Sabine	104	197	199	213	177	95	90	29	63	67	198	22
St Bernard	6	3	8	11	7	8	3	2	1	(Z)	8	1
St Charles	15	22	33	44	25	22	14	16	3	1	33	5
St Helena	182	717	223	215	201	99	133	70	28	15	222	31
St James	100	503	103	554	99	183	89	271	39	32	103	69
St John the Baptist	29	226	38	159	37	58	30	59	17	25	38	17
St Landry	694	2 230	937	1 772	838	694	466	788	214	106	937	183
St Martin	220	930	252	635	214	175	154	248	136	126	252	85
St Mary	99	1 340	101	925	98	278	98	440	31	68	100	140
St Tammy	150	439	172	182	156	99	61	40	29	9	171	33
Tangipahoa	519	1 877	656	683	465	264	349	237	136	84	656	98
Tensas	223	802	281	1 177	211	346	242	573	118	124	281	133
Terrebonne	70	394	88	352	75	109	75	174	24	23	88	47
Union	120	333	195	309	162	124	62	19	103	119	194	47
Vermilion	926	4 578	991	2 711	899	860	797	1 121	461	480	989	250
Vernon	136	340	164	115	143	52	87	35	31	13	164	15
Washington	402	1 782	439	482	378	245	248	143	54	22	439	73
Webster	142	340	183	155	159	83	85	32	33	23	183	16
West Baton Rouge	45	239	67	393	52	65	30	189	19	85	67	54
West Carroll	633	1 421	751	1 308	575	375	520	523	304	235	751	175
West Feliciana	115	279	129	171	111	78	91	63	10	6	129	23
Winn	48	56	63	25	44	11	24	5	14	3	63	5

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Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over—Continued

	Hired farm labor		Contract labor		Machine hire and customwork		Agricultural chemicals, including lime		All other production expenses	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	9 313	77 152	1 187	3 816	6 881	16 944	9 509	47 260	18 319	264 769
Acadia	398	2 259	28	401	301	775	364	1 208	736	11 434
Allen	110	823	5	7	68	210	123	657	203	4 430
Ascension	52	1 329	4	8	15	50	45	386	81	3 073
Assumption	107	3 428	6	20	38	142	94	988	130	7 945
Avoyelles	381	1 932	27	31	416	689	521	1 777	853	7 951
Beauregard	109	421	26	33	73	104	103	319	290	1 936
Bienville	67	278	17	11	34	27	35	24	134	599
Bossier	114	716	33	65	72	146	98	736	198	1 723
Caddo	202	1 809	45	74	110	329	167	1 605	360	4 569
Calcasieu	205	1 418	16	68	146	412	198	879	388	8 189
Caldwell	69	266	9	57	66	139	82	490	144	1 320
Cameron	72	404	2	1	28	114	52	185	137	1 903
Catahoula	188	982	19	49	161	638	208	1 056	380	5 348
Claiborne	81	261	19	35	52	50	51	64	172	652
Concordia	155	1 350	23	57	118	367	163	1 492	281	5 791

Table 10. **Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974**—Continued

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	Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over—Continued									
	Hired farm labor		Contract labor		Machine hire and customwork		Agricultural chemicals, including lime		All other production expenses	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
De Soto	152	711	28	57	106	150	83	93	282	2 099
East Baton Rouge	108	567	9	13	68	64	86	139	212	1 541
East Carroll	197	2 488	54	169	142	825	249	3 230	351	9 508
East Feliciana	113	465	22	34	89	127	77	91	226	1 567
Evangeline	264	1 337	12	40	188	461	286	763	531	6 081
Franklin	402	1 714	56	109	444	1 002	685	2 686	948	8 076
Grant	49	297	13	14	23	72	54	257	109	743
Iberia	170	3 309	21	187	105	417	162	1 038	265	8 818
Iberville	102	1 897	12	28	40	149	95	712	152	6 656
Jackson	26	150	3	4	12	7	13	3	67	309
Jefferson	9	125	1	(Z)	4	5	13	31	26	256
Jefferson Davis	328	2 178	29	295	228	744	345	1 567	560	12 731
Lafayette	190	1 483	23	82	130	207	166	397	433	4 634
Lafourche	147	3 443	17	247	89	337	149	905	233	6 516
La Salle	20	25	1	2	12	15	15	7	52	139
Lincoln	87	714	17	21	42	48	61	68	144	1 452
Livingston	70	292	5	32	37	67	48	20	153	1 269
Madison	176	2 002	31	117	146	689	261	2 688	329	8 955
Morehouse	220	2 847	41	92	194	1 346	271	4 118	375	11 910
Natchitoches	161	1 135	32	63	99	192	159	1 021	380	4 171
Orleans	1	11	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	20
Ouachita	75	751	7	14	54	125	96	814	175	1 815
Plaquemines	24	111	6	16	6	3	26	20	46	278
Pointe Coupee	184	1 449	12	23	120	250	151	708	317	3 707
Rapides	241	1 904	30	62	210	410	273	1 509	500	5 917
Red River	99	501	27	78	67	128	75	386	176	1 737
Richland	286	1 668	21	53	279	896	432	2 535	571	7 039
Sabine	61	157	17	21	52	44	53	17	197	900
St Bernard	7	42	–	–	3	4	5	2	8	22
St Charles	18	162	–	–	2	1	17	14	36	571
St Helena	128	447	25	35	75	75	79	45	225	1 996
St James	78	2 578	9	49	33	189	77	591	106	5 848
St John the Baptist	26	753	3	8	10	29	27	265	38	1 247
St Landry	455	2 389	18	23	328	490	422	1 447	972	9 620
St Martin	147	1 769	10	59	74	151	152	419	258	4 397
St Mary	81	4 104	20	99	34	196	81	1 053	103	8 987
St Tammy	97	1 164	13	55	47	25	62	38	186	1 662
Tangipahoa	394	1 629	53	78	197	196	302	176	696	5 525
Tensas	168	1 929	32	136	152	509	204	2 382	281	7 106
Terrebonne	50	1 735	6	64	21	119	48	366	88	3 468
Union	91	421	14	19	47	83	56	34	199	1 323
Vermilion	476	2 215	34	106	443	962	400	910	1 019	12 807
Vernon	71	179	13	65	49	50	44	24	148	781
Washington	239	910	38	63	186	159	164	131	462	3 400
Webster	90	267	14	21	57	46	54	32	182	746
West Baton Rouge	31	1 553	5	31	16	103	37	434	66	3 498
West Carroll	284	951	32	62	378	486	515	1 142	751	5 002
West Feliciana	82	510	16	49	37	88	63	66	134	935
Winn	28	38	6	4	8	11	12	2	62	120

Table 11. **Machinery and Equipment: 1974**

	Estimated market value of machinery and equipment				Farms by estimated value of machinery and equipment for all farms						Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over								All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	$1 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $29,999	$30,000 to $49,999	$50,000 and over	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	30 978	713 650	17 383	613 746	7 415	8 942	5 670	2 785	2 932	3 234	26 622	55 933	15 720	42 678
Acadia	940	32 157	687	29 834	165	204	118	105	162	186	817	2 272	620	2 007
Allen	352	12 614	195	11 343	65	93	54	25	45	70	314	795	179	610
Ascension	237	4 649	77	3 447	73	76	49	11	12	16	203	438	69	277
Assumption	141	8 285	129	8 200	6	17	17	10	37	54	134	792	125	779
Avoyelles	1 409	26 935	798	23 138	411	410	257	118	95	118	1 222	2 218	737	1 671
Beauregard	651	9 428	271	6 707	179	213	160	41	32	26	569	913	244	492
Bienville	361	3 246	120	1 664	131	134	64	15	12	5	287	410	101	175
Bossier	391	7 111	175	5 344	111	132	75	30	12	31	343	633	151	385
Caddo	608	11 556	340	9 588	146	195	120	47	42	58	531	1 098	305	822
Calcasieu	593	19 490	363	17 732	116	144	91	46	77	119	525	1 227	328	990
Caldwell	265	4 691	140	3 781	60	87	57	14	23	24	228	441	122	305
Cameron	287	5 511	130	4 300	69	95	56	23	22	22	214	371	109	255
Catahoula	500	18 968	374	17 921	77	110	100	57	57	99	447	1 068	339	939
Claiborne	385	4 245	165	2 588	129	121	68	45	16	6	310	476	139	245
Concordia	363	17 820	281	17 313	58	66	45	45	69	80	332	911	267	834
De Soto	626	6 880	269	4 521	207	219	103	52	31	14	493	727	233	415
East Baton Rouge	505	6 478	201	3 912	135	186	103	30	31	20	453	765	182	363
East Carroll	387	22 921	351	22 633	40	61	45	39	89	113	349	1 214	324	1 181
East Feliciana	460	6 266	210	4 120	119	169	93	49	13	17	399	654	197	411
Evangeline	839	25 566	488	23 292	217	241	121	57	96	107	701	1 516	423	1 220
Franklin	1 188	27 589	899	25 569	238	307	223	159	127	134	1 012	2 157	796	1 914
Grant	287	3 593	110	2 375	80	108	59	21	9	10	234	382	98	217
Iberia	374	13 575	252	12 586	60	80	64	34	73	63	338	1 141	232	998
Iberville	230	10 496	149	9 673	27	52	49	19	29	54	219	736	142	628

Table 11. **Machinery and Equipment: 1974**—Continued

	Estimated market value of machinery and equipment				Farms by estimated value of machinery and equipment for all farms						Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over								All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	$1 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $29,999	$30,000 to $49,999	$50,000 and over	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Jackson	263	2 305	68	907	84	108	53	9	7	2	220	275	57	91
Jefferson	30	368	21	320	5	16	3	2	3	1	23	50	17	43
Jefferson Davis	616	33 564	534	33 008	52	76	79	56	131	222	529	1 720	478	1 657
Lafayette	924	15 283	387	11 482	252	345	133	72	69	53	779	1 304	351	835
Lafourche	327	10 830	226	9 832	57	59	65	48	51	47	304	1 120	219	1 001
La Salle	185	1 602	51	692	57	89	28	6	3	2	148	185	43	69
Lincoln	359	4 285	143	2 821	101	136	69	17	26	10	298	414	125	215
Livingston	457	4 474	148	2 212	138	154	119	31	11	4	411	544	130	209
Madison	358	21 626	329	21 437	37	51	46	48	61	115	327	1 096	304	1 071
Morehouse	489	19 872	365	18 968	90	87	72	63	56	121	435	1 158	336	1 041
Natchitoches	766	12 149	360	9 136	235	231	138	63	50	49	622	1 113	307	713
Orleans	6	15	2	5	5	1	–	–	–	–	3	6	1	3
Ouachita	370	7 433	181	5 780	82	124	75	29	22	38	320	640	164	439
Plaquemines	88	1 008	39	706	32	25	17	4	8	2	79	141	38	91
Pointe Coupee	561	12 392	302	10 468	143	155	118	50	44	51	531	1 100	293	815
Rapides	952	19 769	463	16 072	221	307	189	79	68	88	843	1 688	437	1 197
Red River	302	4 733	165	3 810	84	94	63	20	20	21	251	500	142	365
Richland	816	20 052	548	18 318	186	192	120	108	84	126	714	1 627	504	1 355
Sabine	428	4 595	192	2 727	136	147	78	31	31	5	372	523	182	289
St Bernard	21	194	8	105	8	7	3	2	1	–	17	35	7	20
St Charles	54	1 025	32	865	13	16	12	9	1	3	48	95	30	76
St Helena	472	6 412	224	4 717	135	141	97	44	41	14	348	515	189	325
St James	104	6 467	97	6 377	10	11	13	10	25	35	100	540	94	522
St John the Baptist	46	1 809	36	1 742	6	12	7	5	4	12	42	211	36	202
St Landry	1 733	34 791	869	29 264	523	564	267	101	131	147	1 430	2 641	766	1 915
St Martin	534	9 506	244	7 425	145	195	86	34	32	42	466	931	220	634
St Mary	138	9 155	97	8 893	17	26	16	13	21	45	126	745	93	708
St Tammy	428	5 038	169	3 036	120	153	98	30	17	10	377	557	158	298
Tangipahoa	1 109	16 736	663	13 449	240	313	276	120	114	46	963	1 506	608	1 072
Tensas	336	16 291	281	15 673	36	43	46	54	58	99	298	922	256	860
Terrebonne	123	4 969	84	4 663	16	28	31	8	18	22	113	406	78	365
Union	455	5 436	192	3 728	133	162	78	38	39	5	375	526	170	296
Vermilion	1 318	35 605	920	32 387	225	326	237	141	198	191	1 128	2 657	824	2 276
Vernon	504	5 242	158	2 600	160	177	103	33	23	8	432	617	142	273
Washington	991	13 583	446	9 677	288	284	214	92	70	43	785	1 166	400	707
Webster	461	4 798	166	2 600	131	178	91	36	17	8	394	567	149	280
West Baton Rouge	113	3 236	65	2 937	27	42	20	4	10	10	102	331	61	281
West Carroll	940	21 653	742	20 088	147	206	221	145	135	86	842	1 807	676	1 601
West Feliciana	207	3 296	132	2 376	51	62	49	25	15	5	175	340	117	234
Winn	215	1 982	60	861	68	79	49	13	6	–	178	259	56	101

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Cows and heifers that had calved							
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total				Beef cows			
					All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	23 482	1 515 509	11 280	1 198 968	19 871	871 894	10 336	701 533	17 801	746 592	8 889	583 384
Acadia	622	36 526	377	30 863	524	16 817	340	13 904	473	15 777	307	12 967
Allen	245	11 831	106	8 164	205	6 740	95	4 720	190	6 420	88	4 446
Ascension	202	9 869	46	6 211	162	5 867	39	3 766	159	5 798	39	3 758
Assumption	22	429	15	228	19	254	14	163	16	212	11	127
Avoyelles	951	43 033	453	32 885	826	24 744	420	19 262	746	23 083	382	17 942
Beauregard	605	28 469	228	18 976	509	16 114	200	10 875	483	14 574	180	9 471
Bienville	338	15 208	115	9 283	285	8 792	109	5 734	263	7 446	97	4 485
Bossier	379	40 534	166	35 120	306	22 518	150	19 653	291	21 704	145	18 956
Caddo	531	60 704	290	54 189	456	31 383	261	27 683	446	29 697	256	26 185
Calcasieu	456	43 602	228	37 949	373	26 892	207	23 691	367	26 742	204	23 631
Caldwell	198	10 409	89	7 638	171	5 735	84	4 302	157	5 654	80	4 268
Cameron	291	31 764	118	25 918	232	19 250	102	16 302	228	19 115	100	16 285
Catahoula	271	15 147	162	12 445	219	7 308	143	5 968	199	6 978	131	5 649
Claiborne	354	22 529	157	16 706	303	12 750	149	9 668	277	9 877	133	6 977
Concordia	166	16 058	120	14 860	145	9 650	110	9 074	139	9 582	106	9 033
De Soto	618	52 654	267	42 518	507	32 741	246	27 168	464	22 762	215	17 320
East Baton Rouge	465	30 556	176	21 385	385	17 946	160	12 752	368	15 059	145	10 067
East Carroll	76	7 773	59	7 338	65	2 221	49	1 951	51	2 180	39	1 920
East Feliciana	447	40 268	215	32 891	385	23 319	204	19 412	352	20 283	186	16 778
Evangeline	648	29 821	322	22 304	575	19 380	308	14 977	535	18 087	285	13 793
Franklin	741	42 908	522	38 172	608	24 347	461	22 247	548	22 681	423	20 676
Grant	269	14 713	97	10 683	225	8 989	89	6 938	211	8 656	85	6 649
Iberia	221	10 888	122	7 728	200	6 750	114	4 970	159	4 577	83	3 024
Iberville	143	18 226	70	14 742	117	9 775	59	7 762	117	9 666	59	7 657
Jackson	245	8 717	56	3 606	208	4 975	53	2 016	189	4 685	49	1 801
Jefferson	18	1 454	11	1 259	15	813	9	693	15	813	9	693
Jefferson Davis	302	18 899	234	17 247	281	11 408	221	10 411	273	11 135	213	10 149
Lafayette	802	28 029	316	18 398	676	18 242	293	12 765	554	12 679	211	7 693
Lafourche	174	20 862	96	18 473	154	12 274	91	10 906	145	12 186	88	10 840
La Salle	163	7 987	41	4 124	133	4 311	37	2 344	128	4 103	36	2 185
Lincoln	326	18 297	125	12 747	286	10 353	116	7 011	265	8 974	104	5 720
Livingston	415	15 382	113	8 287	343	9 169	101	5 140	313	8 007	84	4 085
Madison	90	9 192	80	8 995	71	3 623	63	3 470	62	3 225	54	3 074
Morehouse	255	22 050	158	19 789	219	11 329	141	10 118	195	9 910	128	8 767

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Cows and heifers that had calved							
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total				Beef cows			
					All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Natchitoches	673	72 267	305	61 401	566	40 088	276	34 507	551	39 826	274	34 369
Orleans	1	50	–	–	1	50	–	–	1	50	–	–
Ouachita	277	15 493	108	10 277	233	8 273	101	5 527	226	7 428	97	4 807
Plaquemines	24	3 775	12	3 139	20	1 590	9	1 166	20	1 590	9	1 166
Pointe Coupee	447	38 909	223	32 229	396	24 371	210	20 674	376	23 673	198	20 042
Rapides	756	50 266	325	37 656	642	28 652	302	21 831	605	26 847	279	20 319
Red River	297	39 831	163	36 320	264	23 092	153	21 205	252	22 932	148	21 117
Richland	511	35 107	305	29 801	445	20 616	288	17 837	411	17 267	261	14 568
Sabine	412	18 160	177	11 943	324	9 853	161	7 058	289	8 308	137	5 577
St Bernard	12	768	1	(D)	11	645	1	(D)	11	644	1	(D)
St Charles	50	7 844	29	7 259	43	3 697	24	3 301	43	3 693	24	3 297
St Helena	425	26 760	209	21 702	363	16 791	196	13 700	243	7 007	99	4 063
St James	19	750	14	673	16	463	12	417	14	445	10	405
St John the Baptist	14	918	11	868	12	431	9	392	12	429	9	390
St Landry	1 322	45 252	557	30 719	1 073	25 754	496	18 383	951	22 290	422	15 484
St Martin	370	10 671	136	6 375	313	6 600	130	4 277	276	5 670	111	3 539
St Mary	28	827	14	(D)	21	422	13	(D)	18	414	10	(D)
St Tammy	360	22 176	131	16 866	298	12 625	119	9 596	275	11 411	107	8 451
Tangipahoa	965	71 892	575	61 957	842	44 380	532	38 708	528	17 276	235	11 807
Tensas	122	24 011	105	23 366	111	15 561	95	15 129	99	15 410	86	14 997
Terrebonne	62	4 224	36	3 526	51	2 498	34	2 203	49	2 481	34	2 200
Union	444	24 199	168	16 783	362	13 460	159	10 006	334	11 966	146	8 718
Vermilion	983	49 403	596	39 474	881	31 183	555	25 464	830	29 261	525	23 725
Vernon	472	25 054	149	15 015	370	12 875	133	8 329	343	10 094	113	5 619
Washington	941	56 048	442	43 494	821	33 978	422	26 878	534	14 095	170	7 444
Webster	451	25 872	163	18 237	366	14 534	152	10 878	348	13 248	146	9 696
West Baton Rouge	81	4 264	46	3 284	75	2 708	42	2 072	70	2 497	38	1 887
West Carroll	494	22 807	346	19 826	424	11 956	304	10 312	396	11 129	281	9 564
West Feliciana	197	23 479	122	18 029	167	12 924	109	9 887	157	11 927	104	9 123
Winn	223	9 644	62	5 582	172	5 045	61	3 226	161	4 957	60	3 193

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	Inventory—Continued											
	Cows and heifers that had calved—Continued				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
	Milk cows				Heifers and heifer calves						Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total		For beef purposes		For milk cow replacement			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	5 181	125 302	2 948	118 149	8 115	256 451	7 052	213 051	1 496	43 400	8 769	240 984
Acadia	122	1 040	77	937	228	7 785	218	7 536	23	249	262	9 174
Allen	50	320	22	274	61	1 139	56	1 081	7	58	87	2 305
Ascension	41	69	4	8	29	1 039	28	1 028	2	11	36	1 406
Assumption	10	42	8	36	9	46	5	38	4	8	11	19
Avoyelles	275	1 661	135	1 320	304	7 447	287	7 175	31	272	367	6 176
Beauregard	113	1 540	52	1 404	163	4 344	154	3 766	19	578	189	3 757
Bienville	62	1 346	28	1 249	79	2 221	70	1 778	13	443	85	1 328
Bossier	46	814	15	697	123	6 584	116	6 347	9	237	144	8 883
Caddo	62	1 686	28	1 498	221	13 582	216	13 034	17	548	237	12 924
Calcasieu	52	150	21	60	151	6 449	151	6 438	4	11	185	7 809
Caldwell	38	81	19	34	73	1 866	71	1 824	4	42	74	1 470
Cameron	53	135	10	17	74	4 406	73	4 351	1	55	92	5 210
Catahoula	48	330	37	319	122	2 792	118	2 647	7	145	135	3 685
Claiborne	75	2 873	47	2 691	127	4 050	117	3 170	21	880	121	2 988
Concordia	33	68	21	41	91	2 452	90	2 435	3	17	99	3 334
De Soto	115	9 979	76	9 848	203	8 733	177	5 600	52	3 133	205	6 617
East Baton Rouge	54	2 887	37	2 685	142	5 031	126	3 688	25	1 343	140	3 602
East Carroll	20	41	14	31	37	3 647	32	3 636	5	11	46	1 740
East Feliciana	79	3 036	46	2 634	163	5 912	150	4 818	30	1 094	169	7 567
Evangeline	143	1 293	77	1 184	209	3 896	197	3 564	20	332	234	3 431
Franklin	155	1 666	110	1 571	361	7 722	341	7 217	30	505	421	8 203
Grant	41	333	19	289	71	1 568	65	1 516	6	52	71	2 177
Iberia	83	2 173	55	1 946	85	2 015	63	1 219	29	796	82	743
Iberville	5	109	4	105	60	3 080	58	3 078	2	2	56	3 900
Jackson	57	290	20	215	42	870	39	794	6	76	47	720
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	9	301	9	301	–	–	10	265
Jefferson Davis	37	273	29	262	164	3 210	162	3 139	10	71	201	3 626
Lafayette	291	5 563	151	5 072	195	3 496	140	1 932	74	1 564	221	2 137
Lafourche	21	88	8	66	78	3 824	77	3 814	3	10	83	3 743
La Salle	36	208	9	159	32	1 053	30	984	3	69	28	727
Lincoln	57	1 379	26	1 291	97	3 217	87	2 639	17	578	106	2 519
Livingston	79	1 162	28	1 055	84	2 042	74	1 594	15	448	88	1 105
Madison	17	398	16	396	48	1 505	45	1 481	5	24	59	4 020
Morehouse	44	1 419	19	1 351	131	5 382	119	4 608	13	774	132	4 289
Natchitoches	94	262	41	138	213	11 982	212	11 935	6	47	251	14 912
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	35	845	15	720	85	2 722	84	2 242	2	480	94	2 028
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	6	212	6	212	–	–	10	1 761
Pointe Coupee	65	698	30	632	172	5 687	168	5 558	8	129	185	5 868
Rapides	137	1 805	68	1 512	242	7 469	230	6 952	23	517	274	8 356
Red River	33	160	14	88	132	7 100	130	6 970	5	130	135	8 015
Richland	103	3 349	65	3 269	222	6 810	210	5 731	19	1 079	250	5 154
Sabine	88	1 545	46	1 481	121	2 427	107	2 052	16	375	137	2 458
St Bernard	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	25
St Charles	3	4	3	4	22	1 149	22	1 149	–	–	27	2 809
St Helena	186	9 784	135	9 637	164	5 776	75	2 277	111	3 499	156	2 226
St James	8	18	6	12	5	119	5	114	1	5	6	137
St John the Baptist	1	2	1	2	10	197	10	197	–	–	11	279
St Landry	414	3 464	205	2 899	344	6 595	308	5 505	65	1 090	382	5 741

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Inventory—Continued											
	Cows and heifers that had calved—Continued				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
	Milk cows				Heifers and heifer calves						Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total		For beef purposes		For milk cow replacement			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
St Martin	110	930	47	738	78	1 295	71	1 153	13	142	82	803
St Mary	5	8	5	8	10	69	6	63	4	6	11	198
St Tammy	62	1 214	30	1 145	95	3 552	84	3 109	18	443	100	3 718
Tangipahoa	438	27 104	374	26 901	466	16 981	191	6 509	323	10 472	368	6 268
Tensas	20	151	12	132	75	3 912	67	3 800	8	112	88	4 325
Terrebonne	5	17	1	3	30	742	30	742	–	–	31	581
Union	79	1 494	28	1 288	127	3 654	120	3 314	10	340	140	3 123
Vermilion	158	1 922	91	1 739	436	7 545	418	7 056	31	489	504	6 465
Vernon	83	2 781	39	2 710	118	3 479	98	2 482	29	997	127	3 207
Washington	407	19 883	304	19 434	360	10 971	152	3 480	252	7 491	277	5 645
Webster	55	1 286	17	1 182	124	4 114	117	3 635	8	479	135	3 245
West Baton Rouge	18	211	9	185	19	423	16	321	3	102	36	789
West Carroll	97	827	72	748	231	4 302	219	4 047	20	255	283	5 212
West Feliciana	28	997	14	764	91	3 162	84	2 878	10	284	91	4 980
Winn	34	88	8	33	51	1 299	51	1 298	1	1	54	1 057

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	Sales							
	Cattle and calves					Calves for farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	22 077	583 538	10 958	498 964	77 133	8 926	287 900	27 760
Acadia	578	20 946	350	19 090	3 733	302	5 057	489
Allen	229	3 231	103	2 533	405	88	1 722	210
Ascension	189	4 617	44	3 516	527	37	1 791	202
Assumption	16	101	9	55	9	6	49	8
Avoyelles	835	14 336	416	11 721	1 721	320	6 976	749
Beauregard	561	11 567	221	9 179	1 416	173	5 424	477
Bienville	311	5 866	112	4 348	649	97	2 234	212
Bossier	389	14 870	174	13 482	2 120	133	7 052	719
Caddo	540	31 450	306	29 686	5 267	235	14 548	1 551
Calcasieu	446	14 550	228	13 083	1 833	201	9 538	944
Caldwell	185	4 781	87	4 171	683	65	1 951	224
Cameron	288	9 849	120	8 493	1 073	104	5 817	439
Catahoula	248	5 076	151	4 294	757	115	2 411	283
Claiborne	352	9 188	166	7 571	1 026	144	5 076	451
Concordia	158	8 933	116	8 675	1 210	90	5 185	577
De Soto	618	18 379	274	15 377	2 061	231	9 201	723
East Baton Rouge	464	13 250	177	10 431	1 650	146	6 341	603
East Carroll	55	2 576	40	2 453	360	35	1 910	225
East Feliciana	436	15 995	218	14 076	2 638	175	7 350	834
Evangeline	594	12 088	313	9 773	1 295	286	7 074	656
Franklin	681	15 239	496	13 986	1 898	416	9 712	952
Grant	263	5 048	96	3 776	553	80	2 480	268
Iberia	183	4 173	99	2 705	369	81	1 733	121
Iberville	139	5 527	65	4 925	648	44	2 738	244
Jackson	229	2 574	56	1 340	203	38	695	69
Jefferson	18	643	12	610	112	5	334	35
Jefferson Davis	297	8 330	229	7 888	1 075	193	4 993	495
Lafayette	720	11 552	293	8 483	1 409	221	5 045	458
Lafourche	167	6 825	92	6 241	898	77	3 572	359
La Salle	155	2 058	42	1 326	230	32	415	43
Lincoln	317	6 059	130	4 535	640	99	2 797	256
Livingston	381	5 007	111	3 204	531	79	1 555	159
Madison	81	6 716	71	6 642	1 572	42	1 146	119
Morehouse	236	9 135	159	8 492	1 601	137	4 811	562
Natchitoches	668	30 242	316	27 149	4 004	279	16 528	1 677
Orleans	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	283	5 352	110	3 996	597	75	1 874	182
Plaquemines	23	2 357	12	2 197	589	5	147	14
Pointe Coupee	443	15 330	229	13 398	1 958	186	7 461	819
Rapides	738	18 311	328	14 813	2 117	291	10 005	1 153
Red River	292	17 686	169	16 726	2 181	156	11 979	1 241
Richland	481	12 704	283	11 302	1 601	237	6 616	607
Sabine	395	8 289	179	6 772	1 003	142	4 087	278
St Bernard	11	138	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
St Charles	49	3 858	28	3 718	668	23	1 701	170
St Helena	387	10 152	210	8 736	1 142	175	5 624	317
St James	14	268	11	260	41	8	92	8
St John the Baptist	15	448	12	441	57	6	212	19
St Landry	1 124	17 139	500	12 865	1 814	406	8 305	845
St Martin	292	2 812	111	1 675	232	85	1 128	114
St Mary	17	234	10	183	29	9	111	13
St Tammy	348	8 580	133	7 013	1 289	89	3 763	455
Tangipahoa	938	26 751	570	24 075	3 154	448	15 095	690
Tensas	111	10 424	96	10 309	1 666	82	6 249	731
Terrebonne	58	1 210	36	1 053	153	30	613	79
Union	406	7 284	171	5 728	1 580	132	2 712	266
Vermilion	930	15 678	568	13 254	1 688	484	9 227	879
Vernon	451	6 136	149	4 335	613	122	2 868	305
Washington	893	18 509	449	14 968	2 700	331	7 348	449
Webster	446	10 664	170	8 621	1 056	149	6 053	629
West Baton Rouge	76	1 716	41	1 463	238	34	892	110
West Carroll	433	9 052	310	8 151	1 257	257	4 370	531
West Feliciana	184	8 889	118	7 843	1 328	98	2 847	346
Winn	211	2 786	62	1 660	199	59	1 160	109

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales—Continued							
	Cattle for farms with sales of $2,500 and over						Value of dairy products sold for farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates				
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	7 221	211 064	49 373	653	31 323	8 660	1 530	89 114
Acadia	205	14 033	3 244	21	10 863	2 646	13	499
Allen	55	811	195	6	47	11	4	192
Ascension	32	1 725	324	2	46	10	–	–
Assumption	5	6	1	3	3	1	–	–
Avoyelles	261	4 745	971	51	717	141	28	828
Beauregard	133	3 755	939	10	225	47	23	1 059
Bienville	84	2 114	437	9	129	33	18	870
Bossier	127	6 430	1 401	8	162	29	8	403
Caddo	226	15 138	3 717	17	3 154	1 157	21	1 129
Calcasieu	123	3 545	889	15	227	57	1	8
Caldwell	56	2 220	459	2	(D)	(D)	–	–
Cameron	76	2 676	634	1	2	1	2	1
Catahoula	96	1 883	474	7	800	275	3	188
Claiborne	120	2 495	575	13	227	39	33	1 782
Concordia	91	3 490	634	4	14	6	–	–
De Soto	191	6 176	1 338	19	329	85	71	6 985
East Baton Rouge	133	4 090	1 047	12	371	132	22	1 952
East Carroll	23	543	134	1	30	8	–	–
East Feliciana	179	6 726	1 805	14	1 314	467	23	1 975
Evangeline	145	2 699	640	17	165	45	23	897
Franklin	286	4 274	946	26	436	123	25	1 016
Grant	52	1 296	284	4	53	14	5	149
Iberia	73	972	248	16	135	34	25	1 460
Iberville	44	2 187	405	5	30	6	2	(D)
Jackson	45	645	134	6	27	5	4	167
Jefferson	11	276	77	1	(D)	(D)	–	–
Jefferson Davis	125	2 895	581	1	478	118	7	110
Lafayette	212	3 438	950	12	190	28	83	4 112
Lafourche	53	2 669	539	4	425	115	2	(D)
La Salle	37	911	187	4	74	30	1	(D)
Lincoln	99	1 738	384	5	29	7	18	1 117
Livingston	80	1 649	372	7	102	18	12	869
Madison	52	5 496	1 453	3	1 560	549	3	17
Morehouse	95	3 681	1 038	5	282	110	11	948
Natchitoches	212	10 621	2 327	1	(D)	(D)	3	59
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	77	2 122	415	16	198	62	7	667
Plaquemines	10	2 050	575	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	157	5 937	1 139	18	385	70	12	530
Rapides	219	4 808	964	24	387	87	19	1 216
Red River	117	4 747	939	2	37	(D)	2	(D)
Richland	164	4 686	994	4	86	15	23	3 010
Sabine	130	2 685	725	21	767	222	24	1 265
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	22	2 017	498	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	163	3 112	825	5	181	35	124	7 474
St James	6	168	33	4	84	16	–	–
St John the Baptist	9	229	38	1	20	4	–	–
St Landry	311	4 560	969	32	864	210	45	2 225
St Martin	62	547	117	8	106	24	19	408
St Mary	4	72	16	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	120	3 250	834	24	359	78	16	705
Tangipahoa	447	8 980	2 464	30	313	80	353	21 020
Tensas	58	4 060	935	1	418	188	2	(D)
Terrebonne	19	440	74	1	13	4	–	–
Union	107	3 016	1 314	8	170	28	19	1 184
Vermilion	278	4 027	809	27	396	90	26	1 105
Vernon	95	1 467	308	13	160	41	30	1 879
Washington	354	7 620	2 250	15	1 209	414	282	15 208
Webster	128	2 568	427	12	218	41	9	930
West Baton Rouge	27	571	128	5	126	31	3	164
West Carroll	170	3 781	726	36	572	123	8	503
West Feliciana	101	4 996	981	7	884	183	11	506
Winn	29	500	90	7	108	17	2	(D)

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Hogs and pigs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	3 335	72 365	1 476	55 572	765	9 008	1 387	46 564	1 566	15 349	838	12 699
Acadia	89	1 871	59	1 618	25	242	58	1 376	45	404	27	335
Allen	50	321	19	89	9	15	19	74	25	61	9	14
Ascension	24	109	6	12	–	–	6	12	14	38	1	21
Assumption	3	36	3	36	1	6	3	30	1	10	1	10
Avoyelles	303	3 562	155	2 540	102	498	151	2 042	185	828	108	561
Beauregard	57	796	25	402	10	48	25	354	26	179	12	95
Bienville	53	407	18	216	3	34	18	182	15	59	3	30

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

Part 1 of 2

	Inventory											
	Hogs and pigs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Bossier	42	329	9	136	4	13	8	123	16	36	4	13
Caddo	46	835	25	537	14	97	23	440	25	202	16	154
Calcasieu	35	889	9	764	8	115	7	649	16	217	8	201
Caldwell	32	1 039	16	897	10	113	16	784	22	168	10	145
Cameron	12	141	7	119	5	12	7	107	7	40	5	38
Catahoula	63	2 885	41	2 528	25	311	40	2 217	39	548	26	478
Claiborne	67	506	16	139	5	30	15	109	33	87	5	29
Concordia	28	1 000	10	862	8	158	9	704	14	151	8	142
De Soto	53	252	17	91	5	5	17	86	19	39	9	11
East Baton Rouge	28	629	8	109	3	38	8	71	7	153	3	43
East Carroll	36	451	28	227	11	28	28	199	25	61	19	51
East Feliciana	71	1 124	15	142	5	37	15	105	14	85	5	14
Evangeline	97	1 370	41	702	28	101	39	601	58	246	30	146
Franklin	87	1 213	68	1 109	26	104	60	1 005	43	119	28	96
Grant	30	1 964	12	1 881	11	312	11	1 569	21	285	13	265
Iberia	40	1 082	20	944	10	119	19	825	24	200	13	173
Iberville	8	22	5	14	–	–	5	14	6	16	2	10
Jackson	32	478	10	313	7	36	9	277	22	104	7	67
Jefferson	3	146	2	104	2	24	2	80	3	25	2	22
Jefferson Davis	35	1 415	26	1 348	10	139	25	1 209	15	245	11	234
Lafayette	138	1 499	38	880	17	115	37	765	41	248	17	165
Lafourche	9	45	4	14	1	2	4	12	1	5	1	5
La Salle	28	638	15	568	12	111	15	457	21	159	12	141
Lincoln	28	275	3	155	1	8	3	147	13	57	2	31
Livingston	43	1 322	13	1 154	6	99	13	1 055	15	169	6	138
Madison	30	1 638	26	1 612	19	298	26	1 314	22	360	20	356
Morehouse	46	1 017	22	768	13	93	17	675	29	110	14	68
Natchitoches	35	178	7	75	3	16	6	59	12	36	3	15
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	21	1 757	9	1 502	7	236	9	1 266	13	410	7	372
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	64	616	31	434	16	125	27	309	31	192	17	169
Rapides	108	4 570	49	3 521	29	521	43	3 000	59	812	32	657
Red River	45	974	22	895	11	195	21	700	18	167	11	157
Richland	54	1 762	35	1 660	20	141	33	1 519	30	385	23	374
Sabine	44	687	16	597	8	13	16	584	15	33	9	27
St Bernard	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	85	879	27	708	6	91	25	617	15	112	8	94
St James	3	17	2	9	1	3	2	6	2	5	1	3
St John the Baptist	6	511	2	471	2	49	2	422	2	10	2	10
St Landry	315	2 854	128	1 391	72	233	115	1 158	167	430	77	253
St Martin	74	584	25	293	9	27	25	266	24	65	9	31
St Mary	7	69	2	19	2	13	2	6	4	17	2	15
St Tammy	60	940	21	702	15	141	19	561	32	169	17	121
Tangipahoa	93	1 047	39	693	12	71	38	622	26	96	12	69
Tensas	33	5 065	25	5 008	12	765	21	4 243	18	1 121	13	1 114
Terrebonne	5	12	4	10	2	3	3	7	2	3	2	3
Union	49	728	13	635	5	104	12	531	7	105	5	100
Vermilion	123	633	74	416	36	106	64	310	54	140	38	108
Vernon	56	496	18	284	12	52	18	232	24	68	12	47
Washington	117	2 768	37	2 240	12	302	37	1 938	31	467	15	416
Webster	39	1 910	16	1 629	10	254	16	1 375	17	248	13	216
West Baton Rouge	11	34	7	21	5	8	3	13	6	7	5	6
West Carroll	82	9 222	51	9 086	32	2 139	48	6 947	41	3 974	35	3 961
West Feliciana	29	2 291	18	75	6	6	18	69	14	466	8	10
Winn	27	445	7	168	4	33	6	135	20	97	5	49

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	Sales									
	Hogs and pigs					Feeder pigs				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	1 591	108 316	878	95 338	4 939	358	35 690	157	32 951	647
Acadia	48	2 196	29	1 817	90	13	913	7	781	19
Allen	21	261	6	58	1	7	104	3	32	(Z)
Ascension	4	178	1	125	4	4	141	1	93	2
Assumption	2	43	2	43	1	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	172	4 635	103	3 365	135	47	1 559	27	901	18
Beauregard	32	1 164	16	628	47	12	112	7	91	1
Bienville	17	313	9	248	18	4	38	1	2	(Z)
Bossier	21	220	8	140	6	7	52	–	–	–
Caddo	26	2 387	15	2 164	141	3	480	1	460	9
Calcasieu	20	1 573	9	1 487	138	2	16	–	–	–
Caldwell	21	749	13	662	31	3	50	3	50	1
Cameron	8	244	5	221	13	3	160	3	160	7
Catahoula	46	3 539	32	3 321	207	7	603	3	470	14
Claiborne	19	272	5	200	8	4	37	1	7	(Z)
Concordia	14	1 511	8	1 436	94	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	16	178	4	42	3	3	21	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	10	1 045	4	405	13	2	301	1	300	5
East Carroll	21	676	18	467	28	1	5	1	5	(Z)
East Feliciana	26	691	11	163	5	7	105	3	80	1
Evangeline	58	1 263	25	852	48	14	332	6	247	7
Franklin	31	2 537	24	2 467	140	6	285	6	285	5
Grant	27	2 695	14	2 548	178	7	458	2	380	10
Iberia	19	1 513	15	1 437	74	1	94	1	94	2

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales									
	Hogs and pigs					Feeder pigs				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Iberville	4	90	2	70	6	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	23	412	7	307	20	8	179	2	155	4
Jefferson	3	183	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	20	1 857	17	1 825	142	3	33	1	11	(Z)
Lafayette	40	1 487	16	1 040	47	9	98	3	79	1
Lafourche	3	55	1	35	1	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	22	1 379	17	1 261	80	6	169	2	65	2
Lincoln	11	229	1	169	11	9	66	1	20	(Z)
Livingston	23	1 000	11	831	42	5	123	–	–	–
Madison	23	2 241	22	2 213	170	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	26	1 031	11	828	53	10	105	3	35	1
Natchitoches	12	245	4	151	12	6	82	–	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	11	2 132	7	1 966	159	1	6	–	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	36	1 096	19	998	39	6	497	4	485	12
Rapides	65	6 553	36	5 579	320	25	575	14	386	11
Red River	21	1 227	12	1 180	96	7	36	3	28	1
Richland	21	3 838	18	3 806	210	2	25	1	15	1
Sabine	12	703	6	673	45	2	31	2	31	1
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	23	962	12	852	75	7	102	2	21	1
St James	2	26	1	21	2	1	3	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	6	512	2	(D)	(D)	1	34	1	34	1
St Landry	155	2 990	78	2 168	131	27	309	9	176	4
St Martin	22	449	10	225	16	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	5	60	2	46	1	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	32	991	16	810	56	11	148	6	102	2
Tangipahoa	38	831	14	546	37	12	162	6	87	1
Tensas	21	6 789	17	6 733	417	4	2 070	3	2 050	76
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	15	1 884	8	1 866	96	3	44	2	33	1
Vermilion	37	668	30	575	34	–	–	–	–	–
Vernon	35	692	16	483	21	13	139	5	66	2
Washington	45	2 486	22	2 257	184	6	93	–	–	–
Webster	19	2 326	15	2 198	169	2	10	1	4	(Z)
West Baton Rouge	2	21	1	14	1	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	46	28 105	39	28 025	727	10	24 420	7	24 410	420
West Feliciana	8	1 974	1	7	1	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	25	909	9	652	35	5	265	2	220	6

Table 14. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory									
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and whethers 1 year old or older	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	696	13 922	338	8 612	275	2 292	313	5 166	284	1 154
Acadia	96	2 587	54	2 021	48	395	52	1 265	41	361
Allen	31	673	15	439	12	147	14	266	12	26
Ascension	3	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	21	203	13	94	12	31	12	47	12	16
Beauregard	48	2 571	19	1 955	18	542	19	1 134	18	279
Bienville	1	7	1	7	–	–	1	6	1	1
Bossier	8	42	4	22	2	10	3	7	4	5
Caddo	3	130	3	130	3	40	1	76	1	14
Calcasieu	23	416	7	179	4	32	7	122	7	25
Caldwell	2	4	2	4	2	4	–	–	–	–
Cameron	27	392	8	202	3	38	7	146	7	18
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	2	84	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	6	92	2	70	2	13	2	49	2	8
East Baton Rouge	5	386	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	3	8	2	4	–	–	2	4	–	–
East Feliciana	3	39	2	35	2	12	2	20	2	3
Evangeline	60	767	31	479	28	175	30	252	28	52
Franklin	3	25	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberia	5	102	2	14	2	6	2	6	2	2
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	36	770	25	540	21	166	23	311	20	63
Lafayette	58	476	17	136	15	52	17	72	10	12
Lafourche	1	7	1	7	1	2	1	3	1	2
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	2	13	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 14. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Inventory									
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and whethers 1 year old or older	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Madison	2	35	2	35	2	9	2	23	2	3
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Natchitoches	2	33	1	19	–	–	1	18	1	1
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	2	635	1	60	1	16	1	39	1	5
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	2	11	1	7	–	–	1	7	–	–
Rapides	7	162	4	48	4	36	2	7	2	5
Red River	2	72	2	72	2	30	2	32	2	10
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	5	24	2	9	1	1	2	6	1	2
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	68	718	28	413	22	97	27	275	25	41
St Martin	10	88	6	44	5	14	6	25	5	5
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	13	294	8	171	6	55	7	99	6	17
Tangipahoa	16	543	7	466	6	85	6	303	7	78
Tensas	1	72	1	72	1	20	1	48	1	4
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	1	26	1	26	1	2	1	20	1	4
Vermilion	91	1 007	55	694	44	220	52	398	52	76
Vernon	11	257	3	65	2	19	3	38	3	8
Washington	3	69	1	2	1	1	–	–	1	1
Webster	11	72	5	66	1	20	3	40	5	6
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	1	3	1	3	–	–	1	2	1	1
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Sales								
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sheep and lambs shorn			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool sold	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Wool (pounds)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	407	8 140	225	5 787	178	5 323	28 539	248	175
Acadia	64	2 800	40	2 549	28	1 203	6 890	43	53
Allen	18	293	11	221	11	281	2 095	12	5
Ascension	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	7	34	4	24	4	22	89	5	(Z)
Beauregard	36	912	17	776	16	1 405	6 811	19	55
Bienville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	6	26	2	14	–	–	–	2	1
Caddo	3	19	3	19	2	93	669	3	2
Calcasieu	20	283	7	145	2	112	400	7	4
Caldwell	2	3	2	3	–	–	–	2	(Z)
Cameron	23	270	8	163	7	159	748	8	4
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	2	80	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	5	66	2	57	2	59	334	2	3
East Baton Rouge	2	113	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	1	20	1	20	1	25	169	1	2
Evangeline	30	306	19	249	10	191	1 091	21	7
Franklin	1	9	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberia	2	36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	28	447	21	373	17	358	1 591	22	8
Lafayette	20	188	6	62	6	46	180	9	1
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	1	6	22	1	(Z)
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	1	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	2	26	2	26	2	20	157	2	1
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Natchitoches	2	18	1	4	1	19	114	1	(Z)
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	2	(D)	1	44	1	44	250	1	1
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	1	7	1	7	1	7	39	1	(Z)
Rapides	6	37	3	28	1	8	40	3	2
Red River	2	12	2	12	2	36	260	2	(Z)
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	34	357	21	263	14	242	1 202	21	4
St Martin	5	30	3	12	4	20	88	5	(Z)

Table 14. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales								
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sheep and lambs shorn			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool sold	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Wool (pounds)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	9	127	6	91	5	108	576	6	6
Tangipahoa	10	154	6	110	6	340	2 356	6	6
Tensas	1	(D)	1	52	1	52	296	1	2
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	1	24	1	24	1	25	75	1	2
Vermilion	42	514	30	401	28	366	1 579	36	6
Vernon	7	81	2	16	2	45	206	2	(Z)
Washington	3	40	1	2	–	–	–	1	(Z)
Webster	6	121	1	20	2	31	212	2	(Z)
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 15. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Hens and pullets of laying age for—								Other chickens 3 months old or older			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	5 620	2 915 959	2 065	2 809 049	2 005	2 465 225	225	343 824	2 255	741 948	1 086	715 387
Acadia	153	5 021	82	2 576	80	2 180	7	396	66	1 119	46	438
Allen	97	2 085	28	544	25	484	4	60	45	724	24	151
Ascension	38	20 372	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	12	108	2	11
Assumption	6	268	6	268	6	268	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	334	8 815	136	4 115	134	3 548	17	567	137	1 714	74	796
Beauregard	171	56 223	57	53 542	55	53 487	3	55	75	839	36	315
Bienville	98	50 249	23	48 840	21	(D)	2	(D)	30	2 134	10	2 058
Bossier	66	1 587	14	318	13	253	2	65	25	203	5	17
Caddo	62	93 237	22	92 662	21	90 947	4	1 715	34	370	13	225
Calcasieu	81	30 324	28	28 504	28	28 502	1	2	32	889	10	145
Caldwell	55	1 391	22	702	22	690	1	12	26	210	12	85
Cameron	50	1 242	13	308	13	276	2	32	15	215	6	32
Catahoula	60	1 541	39	1 077	39	882	7	195	25	93	17	75
Claiborne	96	4 781	32	3 711	32	3 707	1	4	32	176	17	115
Concordia	28	859	11	326	11	326	–	–	8	33	6	25
De Soto	103	85 294	30	83 973	29	83 908	3	65	37	40 242	16	40 146
East Baton Rouge	54	27 402	17	(D)	17	(D)	2	100	18	7 210	5	17
East Carroll	25	727	21	669	20	561	7	108	15	365	11	125
East Feliciana	101	13 445	29	840	28	822	1	18	30	259	8	107
Evangeline	185	4 875	68	2 144	64	1 790	15	354	99	1 528	48	599
Franklin	186	3 433	117	2 297	117	2 222	5	75	79	495	61	361
Grant	65	101 316	17	100 552	17	100 527	1	25	32	243	10	86
Iberia	45	1 231	18	544	18	477	3	67	14	334	12	284
Iberville	21	504	6	265	6	220	2	45	7	95	4	73
Jackson	61	107 783	6	106 550	3	50	3	106 500	21	40 867	6	40 772
Jefferson	3	355	1	300	1	300	–	–	1	6	–	–
Jefferson Davis	50	1 502	35	1 248	35	1 226	2	22	17	144	13	122
Lafayette	272	7 283	79	1 696	76	1 576	7	120	87	1 232	34	459
Lafourche	31	2 716	20	2 344	19	2 224	2	120	9	126	6	90
La Salle	51	12 544	13	11 814	13	11 814	–	–	26	231	4	21
Lincoln	60	58 042	12	56 818	9	818	3	56 000	19	5 692	8	5 625
Livingston	97	538 269	21	535 625	21	(D)	1	(D)	37	229 112	15	228 959
Madison	22	4 896	19	4 854	19	4 834	1	20	13	68	12	66
Morehouse	56	1 137	22	463	22	445	4	18	18	213	4	12
Natchitoches	133	2 506	31	581	30	457	7	124	49	218	21	115
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	44	21 566	10	14 882	10	14 787	3	95	19	6 160	6	88
Plaquemines	2	60	1	30	1	30	–	–	3	8	1	1
Pointe Coupee	77	8 553	28	7 306	28	7 261	2	45	40	706	20	592
Rapides	164	168 934	51	162 334	50	97 284	3	65 050	79	94 421	29	94 134
Red River	60	23 325	14	22 275	14	22 232	3	43	32	267	13	151
Richland	109	2 253	58	1 192	55	1 131	7	61	55	287	32	185
Sabine	90	7 927	26	6 969	26	6 969	–	–	31	6 173	6	6 042
St Bernard	4	78	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	20	–	–
St Charles	1	18	1	18	1	18	–	–	1	2	1	2
St Helena	91	86 833	32	85 965	32	85 903	3	62	60	40 624	21	40 293
St James	4	175	2	135	2	95	1	40	4	111	1	33
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	548	15 803	216	7 388	212	6 628	26	760	194	2 138	111	1 043
St Martin	142	5 011	50	1 663	48	1 591	4	72	45	584	28	173
St Mary	13	528	3	105	3	75	1	30	8	128	3	45
St Tammy	97	78 935	19	76 541	19	76 481	3	60	25	631	6	66
Tangipahoa	163	985 651	92	983 407	88	945 329	5	38 078	55	244 188	30	243 936
Tensas	30	629	18	386	17	343	3	43	6	47	6	47

Table 15. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974** — Continued

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	Inventory											
	Hens and pullets of laying age for —								Other chickens 3 months old or older			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Terrebonne	14	496	6	290	5	210	2	80	6	68	6	68
Union	64	71 374	18	70 455	11	25 160	8	45 295	21	5 048	9	4 837
Vermilion	220	7 286	109	4 458	106	4 271	10	187	94	706	65	270
Vernon	156	12 428	33	9 873	33	9 859	1	14	59	380	17	64
Washington	220	4 764	52	1 398	49	1 207	6	191	79	818	25	318
Webster	81	66 131	22	64 562	22	64 562	–	–	26	212	6	61
West Baton Rouge	18	733	11	523	11	523	–	–	8	112	5	87
West Carroll	99	81 108	66	80 397	66	80 190	11	207	58	236	43	162
West Feliciana	40	776	19	380	19	353	3	27	27	176	16	112
Winn	53	11 329	10	10 516	10	10 516	–	–	26	190	4	50

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	Inventory — Continued											
	Other chickens 3 months old or older for farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old for farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Broilers and other meat-type chickens				Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	171	674 576	1 036	40 811	77	532 606	931	8 257 461	427	8 234 955	85	619
Acadia	10	201	42	237	2	75	19	345	12	174	6	34
Allen	7	90	22	61	–	–	14	566	2	23	–	–
Ascension	–	–	2	11	–	–	4	100	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	14	265	70	531	8	415	80	3 741	33	1 859	4	74
Beauregard	3	53	36	262	1	2	17	492	5	185	3	13
Bienville	–	–	10	2 058	1	(D)	12	192 214	7	192 079	–	–
Bossier	–	–	5	17	–	–	12	177	–	–	–	–
Caddo	–	–	13	225	–	–	14	215	4	48	4	18
Calcasieu	3	103	9	42	–	–	10	331	–	–	1	12
Caldwell	–	–	12	85	–	–	1	12	–	–	–	–
Cameron	2	18	6	14	1	50	5	172	1	25	–	–
Catahoula	4	28	17	47	1	1	2	112	2	112	2	4
Claiborne	2	53	17	62	–	–	16	283 160	9	283 030	–	–
Concordia	–	–	6	25	–	–	2	70	1	50	1	59
De Soto	5	40 054	15	92	2	(D)	29	137 470	11	137 224	–	–
East Baton Rouge	–	–	5	17	–	–	10	243	3	206	–	–
East Carroll	4	72	10	53	3	56	1	41	1	41	–	–
East Feliciana	1	4	7	103	1	6	10	238	2	3	–	–
Evangeline	14	377	46	222	8	264	39	918	15	430	1	1
Franklin	5	83	60	278	3	64	18	352	7	76	5	83
Grant	–	–	10	86	–	–	3	92	2	72	–	–
Iberia	4	225	9	59	1	5	7	381	5	375	–	–
Iberville	2	20	3	53	–	–	6	23	1	10	–	–
Jackson	1	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	13	477 202	10	477 192	1	12
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	7	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	2	68	12	54	–	–	7	126	2	63	–	–
Lafayette	7	195	34	264	–	–	39	682	14	236	8	41
Lafourche	3	72	5	18	–	–	3	314	3	314	–	–
La Salle	–	–	4	21	–	–	3	32	2	8	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	8	5 625	1	(D)	21	1 065 946	18	1 053 910	1	1
Livingston	6	228 000	9	959	4	98 050	18	95 165	6	95 010	–	–
Madison	3	41	12	25	2	22	1	1	1	1	2	28
Morehouse	–	–	4	12	–	–	4	92	1	12	1	2
Natchitoches	2	30	21	85	1	15	46	898 152	36	898 018	1	1
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	2	50	6	38	3	71	4	(D)	1	(D)	2	39
Plaquemines	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	2	22	20	570	–	–	3	62	1	12	–	–
Rapides	6	87 560	26	6 574	2	10	26	105 731	6	105 220	2	8
Red River	–	–	13	151	1	16	13	134	3	20	–	–
Richland	4	60	31	125	2	45	11	185	4	82	4	12
Sabine	3	6 023	5	19	–	–	57	1 828 565	49	1 828 444	2	2
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	1	2	1	8	1	18	1	18	–	–
St Helena	4	(D)	19	(D)	–	–	17	238	4	120	1	2
St James	1	30	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	13	247	108	796	7	612	88	1 752	26	564	14	53
St Martin	2	16	28	157	1	60	17	332	10	172	1	3
St Mary	2	32	3	13	–	–	2	90	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	1	25	6	41	3	51	7	147	2	36	–	–
Tangipahoa	7	240 010	24	3 926	8	161 827	20	175 000	7	174 800	5	31
Tensas	2	30	6	17	–	–	2	4	2	4	3	21
Terrebonne	1	20	6	48	1	10	3	12	1	2	–	–
Union	–	–	9	4 837	1	(D)	73	2 440 632	62	2 440 450	–	–
Vermilion	9	115	63	155	1	10	22	595	5	154	4	31
Vernon	–	–	17	64	–	–	30	447 102	9	446 610	1	2
Washington	1	150	25	168	1	800	21	123	1	12	2	11
Webster	2	34	6	27	1	(D)	11	15 150	8	15 103	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	5	87	–	–	4	250	4	250	2	20
West Carroll	3	35	40	127	2	11	9	115	4	96	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	16	112	1	50	1	10	–	–	1	1
Winn	2	40	4	10	–	–	2	(D)	1	(D)	–	–

Table 15. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974—Continued

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	Inventory—Continued				Sales									
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Hens and pullets of laying age								Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old sold for farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
							Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	21	102	53	241	383	2 440 088	222	2 399 488	196	2 010 832	30	388 656	1	8
Acadia	1	4	6	24	5	270	3	60	2	35	1	25	–	–
Allen	–	–	–	–	5	91	2	48	2	48	–	–	–	–
Ascension	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	3	11	2	63	15	175	2	40	2	40	–	–	–	–
Beauregard	–	–	3	5	12	45 629	7	38 606	7	38 606	–	–	–	–
Bienville	–	–	–	–	6	66 836	4	66 800	1	(D)	3	(D)	–	–
Bossier	–	–	–	–	5	60	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caddo	–	–	3	8	8	66 434	5	66 375	3	65 015	2	1 360	–	–
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	6	27 585	4	27 350	4	27 350	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	4	69	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	–	–	–	–	3	110	2	100	2	50	2	50	–	–
Catahoula	–	–	2	4	1	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	–	–	–	–	6	86 520	4	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	4	33 441	1	25 000	1	25 000	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	3	57	1	17	1	17	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	–	–	–	–	6	9 621	1	221	1	221	–	–	1	8
Evangeline	–	–	1	1	8	415	5	235	5	235	–	–	–	–
Franklin	–	–	1	2	7	47	3	15	3	15	–	–	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	3	74	3	74	3	74	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	4	117 700	4	117 700	–	–	4	117 700	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	2	500	1	300	1	300	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	1	25	1	25	1	25	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	2	6	3	10	6	666	1	420	1	420	–	–	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	3	1 800	3	1 800	3	1 800	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	5	6 209	4	6 192	4	6 192	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	11	75 270	6	74 900	1	100	5	74 800	–	–
Livingston	–	–	–	–	21	368 459	15	368 039	14	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
Madison	2	16	2	12	2	1 240	2	1 240	2	1 240	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Natchitoches	–	–	–	–	5	20	1	12	1	12	–	–	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	–	–	2	39	3	17 022	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	4 875	–	–	–	–
Rapides	2	8	–	–	15	121 512	9	119 230	8	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
Red River	–	–	–	–	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Richland	1	6	1	2	5	36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	4	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	1	2	11	86 109	7	86 009	7	86 009	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	2	100	2	100	2	100	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	2	11	12	31	17	424	4	72	4	72	–	–	–	–
St Martin	–	–	1	3	1	50	1	50	1	50	–	–	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	2	40	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	15	52 101	7	51 890	7	51 890	–	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	–	–	2	2	62	1 075 133	56	1 071 830	52	1 017 814	4	54 016	–	–
Tensas	3	12	2	8	2	50	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	12	37 281	6	37 255	1	(D)	5	(D)	–	–
Vermilion	4	25	3	6	8	1 825	5	1 813	5	1 813	–	–	–	–
Vernon	–	–	1	1	11	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	–	–	–	–
Washington	1	3	2	8	4	111	1	48	1	48	–	–	–	–
Webster	–	–	–	–	7	34 911	6	34 910	6	34 910	–	–	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	2	8	3	8	1	4	1	4	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	–	–	–	–	15	34 284	11	34 144	11	34 144	–	–	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	4	3 665	3	3 653	3	3 653	–	–	–	–

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	Sales											
	Other chickens 3 months old or older								Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	113	1 607 061	73	1 605 146	33	1 566 189	43	38 957	352	44 248 794	310	44 216 095
Acadia	2	227	1	2	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–
Allen	2	13	1	3	–	–	1	3	1	20	–	–
Ascension	2	130	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	4	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	86	–	–
Beauregard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bienville	4	36 100	4	36 100	1	(D)	3	(D)	4	430 500	4	430 500
Bossier	2	70	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	1	3
Caddo	5	225	2	136	–	–	2	136	3	204	2	136
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	20	–	–
Caldwell	1	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	2	22	2	22	2	18	2	4	1	5	–	–

Table 15. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales											
	Other chickens 3 months old or older								Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	1 601 078	5	1 601 078
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	12	420 187	10	420 127
East Baton Rouge	1	1 005	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	–	–
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	2	26	1	1	–	–	1	1	5	79	–	–
Evangeline	3	210	1	200	1	200	–	–	1	300	1	300
Franklin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	5	81 770	5	81 770	1	(D)	4	(D)	16	2 246 980	16	2 246 980
Jefferson	1	30	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	30	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	50	–	–
Lafayette	4	4	4	4	–	–	4	4	4	6	2	4
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	300	1	300
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–
Lincoln	7	22 510	6	22 480	1	(D)	5	(D)	32	7 087 235	30	7 075 227
Livingston	10	468 690	9	468 640	7	467 000	2	1 640	20	1 236 221	19	1 236 213
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	8	1	8
Natchitoches	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	46	4 483 728	46	4 483 728
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	285 004	3	285 004
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	1	50	1	50	–	–	1	50	1	40	–	–
Rapides	9	145 238	5	145 200	3	(D)	2	(D)	4	628 242	4	628 242
Red River	4	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	65	9 264 833	65	9 264 833
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	11	(D)	7	(D)	2	(D)	5	(D)	–	–	–	–
St James	1	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	1	23	1	23	1	20	1	3	5	67	2	35
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	4	60	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	30	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	50	–	–
Tangipahoa	14	560 218	14	560 218	10	554 817	4	5 401	15	2 354 536	15	2 354 536
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	8	110 284	8	110 284	3	107 134	5	3 150	77	12 070 459	72	12 070 440
Vermilion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	50	–	–
Vernon	2	100	–	–	–	–	–	–	9	2 002 435	8	2 002 400
Washington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Webster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)

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	Sales—Continued											
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over								Market value of poultry and poultry products			
	Total		Heavy breeds for slaughter		Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	10	415	8	350	1	1	2	64	1 250	71 457	732	71 105
Acadia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	25	7	14	5
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	1	3	(Z)
Ascension	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	(D)	1	(D)
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	1
Avoyelles	1	60	–	–	–	–	1	60	36	5	7	3
Beauregard	1	4	–	–	–	–	1	4	37	553	13	537
Bienville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	13	1 219	8	1 219
Bossier	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	3	3	(Z)
Caddo	1	4	1	4	–	–	–	–	13	767	7	766
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	25	254	7	251
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	1	3	1
Cameron	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	(D)	2	(D)
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	1	4	(Z)
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	17	1 535	15	1 534
Concordia	1	59	1	59	–	–	–	–	5	(Z)	4	(Z)
De Soto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	34	1 677	17	1 676
East Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	293	3	250
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	1	2	1
East Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	19	83	4	3
Evangeline	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	14	4	5	3
Franklin	4	8	4	8	–	–	–	–	24	5	15	1
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	800	4	800
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	1	5	1
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	29	3 424	21	3 424

Table 15. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales—Continued											
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over								Market value of poultry and poultry products			
	Total		Heavy breeds for slaughter		Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	3	1	3
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	3	4	3
Lafayette	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	45	9	19	2
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	34	6	34
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	91	4	91
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	51	10 967	38	10 951
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	63	6 810	42	6 801
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	(Z)	1	(Z)
Natchitoches	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	60	3 594	48	3 593
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	1	5	1	4	1	1	–	–	6	557	4	467
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	67	3	65
Rapides	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	34	2 250	21	2 212
Red River	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	(D)	1	(D)
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	1	1	(Z)
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	76	7 740	70	7 740
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	19	927	14	926
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	(Z)	3	(Z)
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	64	19	27	10
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	22	4	8	3
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	2	1	1
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	30	701	9	696
Tangipahoa	1	275	1	275	–	–	–	–	101	12 022	88	12 019
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	(Z)	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(Z)	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	92	11 166	79	11 164
Vermilion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	20	16	19
Vernon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	32	1 844	15	1 840
Washington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	31	5	4	1
Webster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	22	690	12	689
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	3	3	3
West Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	18	695	12	694
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	(Z)	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	13	160	7	160

Table 16. **Horses and Ponies—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Louisiana, total	6 601	23 156	3 143	14 764	774	4 078	480	3 507
Acadia	133	827	89	655	17	52	14	47
Allen	98	246	37	118	9	16	7	12
Ascension	49	172	21	112	8	30	6	27
Assumption	5	30	4	24	1	50	1	50
Avoyelles	186	440	93	284	16	25	10	17
Beauregard	233	712	89	418	23	87	13	72
Bienville	88	453	34	278	18	103	14	87
Bossier	129	516	53	302	14	96	9	87
Caddo	160	797	82	541	25	105	18	89
Calcasieu	202	887	93	590	28	94	13	61
Caldwell	84	240	42	128	4	8	3	6
Cameron	145	556	58	325	13	21	7	15
Catahoula	80	226	60	177	2	15	1	13
Claiborne	84	235	23	73	11	16	4	6
Concordia	63	262	44	225	10	29	10	29
De Soto	197	535	79	271	14	33	7	22
East Baton Rouge	170	918	76	569	41	172	23	131
East Carroll	25	134	20	128	3	12	3	12
East Feliciana	135	457	64	251	19	49	6	23
Evangeline	166	451	97	326	12	42	7	32
Franklin	108	454	90	408	8	114	8	114
Grant	83	281	33	188	6	20	4	17
Iberia	64	255	37	173	17	69	17	69
Iberville	44	195	19	136	6	11	2	4
Jackson	55	136	10	51	4	12	2	4
Jefferson	8	209	5	200	4	550	4	550
Jefferson Davis	102	383	75	316	16	45	12	36
Lafayette	221	637	81	303	25	61	16	39
Lafourche	46	179	29	154	6	14	4	12
La Salle	62	163	18	46	10	18	3	3
Lincoln	77	194	27	92	6	11	2	4
Livingston	116	250	26	66	19	36	3	9
Madison	21	111	19	107	2	17	2	17
Morehouse	66	229	40	169	5	985	5	985
Natchitaches	200	856	108	634	41	109	31	76

Table 16. **Horses and Ponies—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Orleans	2	26	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	94	378	39	254	9	49	4	43
Plaquemines	6	21	2	7	1	2	1	2
Pointe Coupee	90	312	49	237	12	79	7	68
Rapides	269	888	111	525	35	118	15	79
Red River	80	305	41	205	7	20	6	19
Richland	91	284	51	213	6	18	6	18
Sabine	96	211	45	110	7	15	3	7
St Bernard	6	12	–	–	1	1	–	–
St Charles	21	155	15	120	4	10	2	4
St Helena	148	338	70	208	12	47	9	44
St James	5	16	3	9	1	2	–	–
St John the Baptist	2	3	2	3	–	–	–	–
St Landry	291	1 060	136	706	25	74	16	62
St Martin	91	321	37	185	6	14	4	12
St Mary	8	31	2	3	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	160	1 023	64	718	41	181	24	142
Tangipahoa	242	746	137	474	31	78	26	67
Tensas	40	231	34	202	6	15	6	15
Terrebonne	22	145	13	83	6	19	3	12
Union	140	301	46	137	8	22	6	18
Vermilion	262	692	160	459	25	41	14	22
Vernon	166	359	45	104	7	10	2	3
Washington	168	469	64	271	15	45	8	37
Webster	125	366	46	163	18	28	9	11
West Baton Rouge	20	163	10	145	4	4	1	1
West Carroll	109	251	79	198	6	16	4	6
West Feliciana	83	310	55	145	14	27	10	23
Winn	59	113	12	42	4	16	3	15

Table 17. **Field Corn for All Purposes: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	4 193	54 468	2 033	40 178	62	1 303
Acadia	55	791	36	597	2	15
Allen	30	187	7	36	–	–
Ascension	37	466	8	338	–	–
Assumption	5	40	5	40	–	–
Avoyelles	446	4 286	250	3 098	2	12
Beauregard	107	1 064	37	708	–	–
Bienville	72	801	26	536	–	–
Bossier	59	453	17	203	–	–
Caddo	43	509	19	336	1	25
Calcasieu	11	85	6	52	–	–
Caldwell	32	232	12	108	–	–
Cameron	8	33	1	10	–	–
Catahoula	125	1 936	91	1 684	3	12
Claiborne	70	690	30	457	–	–
Concordia	67	1 118	44	998	–	–
De Soto	33	231	13	152	–	–
East Baton Rouge	58	1 587	29	1 260	–	–
East Carroll	9	148	5	144	1	50
East Feliciana	94	2 136	34	1 445	–	–
Evangeline	75	912	39	785	1	100
Franklin	131	1 054	105	976	19	343
Grant	25	132	9	66	–	–
Iberia	52	780	33	508	–	–
Iberville	46	1 126	26	972	–	–
Jackson	36	152	10	38	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	10	52	8	42	2	10
Lafayette	173	2 000	61	1 048	1	8
Lafourche	43	468	32	407	–	–
La Salle	28	153	13	102	–	–
Lincoln	49	435	7	185	–	–
Livingston	43	278	9	199	3	8
Madison	37	647	35	637	–	–
Morehouse	33	748	26	727	1	15
Natchitoches	54	536	15	386	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	34	741	21	610	1	27
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	196	2 730	113	2 087	–	–
Rapides	109	3 449	60	3 005	–	–
Red River	42	479	20	354	–	–
Richland	41	510	24	441	–	–
Sabine	24	224	5	193	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	4	40	4	40	–	–
St Helena	105	1 216	29	778	1	10
St James	11	81	9	79	–	–
St John the Baptist	6	131	2	115	–	–
St Landry	530	7 820	276	6 206	6	195
St Martin	182	2 952	83	2 174	2	80

Table 17. **Field Corn for All Purposes: 1974**—Continued

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
St Mary	6	51	5	48	1	6
St Tammy	32	553	9	421	–	–
Tangipahoa	63	821	20	640	3	3
Tensas	24	866	20	819	3	321
Terrebonne	6	45	4	28	–	–
Union	73	353	24	125	–	–
Vermilion	80	881	38	518	4	32
Vernon	80	550	31	223	1	25
Washington	160	1 550	43	809	2	4
Webster	55	378	18	122	–	–
West Baton Rouge	26	250	10	179	–	–
West Carroll	34	252	23	230	2	2
West Feliciana	64	1 233	41	631	–	–
Winn	10	46	3	23	–	–

Table 18. **Field Corn for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	3 920	43 937	2 069 625	1 847	30 796	1 612 828	53	758
Acadia	50	634	23 124	34	516	21 482	1	10
Allen	29	184	5 842	6	33	1 467	–	–
Ascension	37	466	12 691	8	338	7 386	–	–
Assumption	4	30	850	4	30	850	–	–
Avoyelles	430	3 960	213 153	240	2 845	164 428	2	12
Beauregard	94	576	20 833	30	233	7 668	–	–
Bienville	69	692	22 597	24	439	14 012	–	–
Bossier	59	440	17 589	17	190	7 645	–	–
Caddo	39	386	16 287	17	295	11 251	1	25
Calcasieu	10	83	3 378	6	52	2 067	–	–
Caldwell	29	198	4 358	10	84	1 750	–	–
Cameron	8	33	1 268	1	10	416	–	–
Catahoula	124	1 713	80 877	90	1 464	73 366	3	12
Claiborne	70	690	22 575	30	457	15 343	–	–
Concordia	64	1 103	52 895	41	983	48 981	–	–
De Soto	30	120	2 350	11	52	1 018	–	–
East Baton Rouge	51	1 045	61 676	24	794	49 321	–	–
East Carroll	8	98	3 207	4	94	3 019	–	–
East Feliciana	90	1 818	91 745	30	1 127	58 226	–	–
Evangeline	70	635	39 140	36	520	35 119	1	100
Franklin	126	866	38 988	102	794	37 353	19	233
Grant	24	131	4 127	8	65	1 879	–	–
Iberia	47	462	14 274	30	368	10 927	–	–
Iberville	42	967	57 507	22	813	54 682	–	–
Jackson	35	139	5 639	10	38	1 883	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	9	47	1 765	7	37	1 733	2	10
Lafayette	152	1 471	48 881	49	559	25 845	1	8
Lafourche	39	414	9 309	28	353	8 198	–	–
La Salle	25	134	4 931	11	92	3 690	–	–
Lincoln	47	285	7 685	5	35	1 480	–	–
Livingston	42	154	6 998	8	75	3 686	2	4
Madison	33	198	9 387	31	188	8 987	–	–
Morehouse	29	293	9 612	22	272	9 217	–	–
Natchitoches	51	530	18 284	13	382	13 989	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	30	569	29 137	18	453	23 660	1	27
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	188	2 621	131 159	106	1 999	113 395	–	–
Rapides	103	3 116	251 942	56	2 748	230 691	–	–
Red River	37	387	14 230	15	262	10 755	–	–
Richland	30	171	7 000	17	130	5 510	–	–
Sabine	23	219	12 060	4	188	11 260	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	4	40	1 200	4	40	1 200	–	–
St Helena	100	900	41 695	24	478	29 609	–	–
St James	11	81	3 060	9	79	3 000	–	–
St John the Baptist	6	111	9 069	2	95	(D)	–	–
St Landry	493	6 165	311 590	257	4 713	264 070	4	35
St Martin	169	2 296	77 044	73	1 523	57 234	2	40
St Mary	5	19	665	4	16	575	1	6
St Tammy	27	372	12 812	5	246	9 973	–	–
Tangipahoa	50	264	7 870	9	93	2 748	3	3
Tensas	21	699	44 402	17	666	42 242	2	195
Terrebonne	6	45	1 159	4	28	650	–	–
Union	67	303	10 768	24	125	5 033	–	–
Vermilion	78	751	22 638	36	388	13 180	4	32
Vernon	78	499	16 072	29	192	6 885	–	–
Washington	151	1 291	46 057	37	636	28 755	2	4
Webster	55	378	12 209	18	122	5 505	–	–
West Baton Rouge	21	228	6 987	10	179	5 386	–	–
West Carroll	28	158	6 528	17	136	5 744	2	2
West Feliciana	63	1 213	57 391	40	611	19 275	–	–
Winn	10	46	1 059	3	23	340	–	–

Table 19. **Sorghums for All Purposes, Except Sirup: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	568	30 086	384	27 864	12	407
Acadia	6	98	1	42	–	–
Allen	5	37	–	–	–	–
Ascension	4	24	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	26	1 373	15	1 302	–	–
Beauregard	13	214	7	180	–	–
Bienville	9	587	5	539	–	–
Bossier	10	466	6	416	–	–
Caddo	16	1 157	15	1 121	1	75
Calcasieu	4	361	2	350	–	–
Caldwell	10	136	5	125	–	–
Cameron	7	195	4	160	–	–
Catahoula	18	1 744	10	1 671	1	4
Claiborne	2	41	2	41	–	–
Concordia	8	632	7	627	–	–
De Soto	8	436	8	436	–	–
East Baton Rouge	13	365	5	174	–	–
East Carroll	2	140	2	140	–	–
East Feliciana	6	665	5	663	–	–
Evangeline	17	1 047	11	1 001	1	100
Franklin	25	916	20	850	6	193
Grant	3	74	2	70	–	–
Iberia	9	411	8	340	–	–
Iberville	4	500	4	500	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	21	397	10	349	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	3	157	2	150	–	–
Livingston	1	30	1	30	–	–
Madison	1	75	1	75	–	–
Morehouse	18	3 011	12	2 939	–	–
Natchitoches	9	994	6	970	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	13	606	10	563	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	9	127	2	80	–	–
Rapides	27	1 152	20	1 094	–	–
Red River	8	551	7	545	–	–
Richland	12	727	9	713	–	–
Sabine	2	2	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	1	15	1	15	–	–
St Helena	8	411	5	395	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	32	1 548	24	1 502	–	–
St Martin	8	221	8	221	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	9	289	6	236	–	–
Tangipahoa	39	1 223	29	1 141	2	5
Tensas	10	1 145	9	1 115	–	–
Terrebonne	1	30	–	–	–	–
Union	4	208	3	200	–	–
Vermilion	16	341	7	268	–	–
Vernon	13	1 163	11	1 152	1	30
Washington	30	1 572	22	1 494	–	–
Webster	11	542	5	477	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	24	885	21	868	–	–
West Feliciana	13	1 045	9	524	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 20. **Sorghums for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	222	17 325	641 175	178	16 965	629 983	8	316
Acadia	4	64	1 862	1	42	1 392	–	–
Allen	3	33	499	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	4	24	1 200	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	13	1 278	33 639	13	1 278	33 639	–	–
Beauregard	4	20	531	3	14	435	–	–
Bienville	4	229	9 712	2	199	9 392	–	–
Bossier	4	315	15 584	4	315	15 584	–	–
Caddo	9	668	20 571	9	668	20 571	1	75
Calcasieu	2	350	(D)	2	350	(D)	–	–
Caldwell	5	23	549	1	15	357	–	–
Cameron	3	140	4 292	3	140	4 292	–	–
Catahoula	10	1 672	43 639	8	1 661	43 283	1	4
Claiborne	1	1	53	1	1	53	–	–
Concordia	5	477	10 254	5	477	10 254	–	–

Table 20. **Sorghums for Grain: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
De Soto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	3	107	(D)	2	100	(D)	–	–
East Carroll	2	140	(D)	2	140	(D)	–	–
East Feliciana	2	51	963	1	50	892	–	–
Evangeline	9	517	16 358	5	495	15 754	1	100
Franklin	13	594	12 171	11	590	12 051	5	137
Grant	2	70	2 721	2	70	2 721	–	–
Iberia	4	174	12 469	4	174	12 469	–	–
Iberville	4	500	28 842	4	500	28 842	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	3	103	1 668	3	103	1 668	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	15	2 815	113 681	9	2 743	112 644	–	–
Natchitoches	4	370	17 128	4	370	17 128	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	8	363	14 926	8	363	14 926	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	1	50	2 678	1	50	2 678	–	–
Rapides	10	824	28 803	9	821	28 558	–	–
Red River	5	341	15 920	4	335	15 808	–	–
Richland	4	143	4 132	4	143	4 132	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	10	1 133	58 207	8	1 121	57 607	–	–
St Martin	1	27	1 485	1	27	1 485	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	2	25	471	2	25	471	–	–
Tangipahoa	1	200	(D)	1	200	(D)	–	–
Tensas	8	880	56 228	7	850	54 228	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	1	55	1 100	1	55	1 100	–	–
Vermilion	2	180	5 414	2	180	5 414	–	–
Vernon	2	60	1 950	2	60	1 950	–	–
Washington	8	1 114	31 165	8	1 114	31 165	–	–
Webster	9	481	15 692	4	427	13 636	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	15	560	9 844	14	545	9 130	–	–
West Feliciana	3	154	8 426	3	154	8 426	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 21. **Wheat for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	170	15 092	372 834	159	15 007	370 937	1	20
Acadia	7	351	8 800	6	350	8 780	–	–
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	2	260	(D)	2	260	(D)	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	3	155	(D)	2	154	(D)	–	–
Beauregard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bienville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	4	185	4 170	3	175	3 850	–	–
Caddo	2	45	750	2	45	750	–	–
Calcasieu	1	1	20	1	1	20	–	–
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	4	280	7 823	4	280	7 823	–	–
Claiborne	3	38	1 162	3	38	1 162	–	–
Concordia	2	220	4 400	2	220	4 400	–	–
De Soto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	1	4	100	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	36	6 430	185 294	36	6 430	185 294	1	20
East Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Evangeline	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Franklin	10	403	8 621	9	383	8 399	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	3	41	655	1	35	575	–	–
Lafayette	3	201	4 023	3	201	4 023	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 21. **Wheat for Grain: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	22	2 059	39 779	20	2 039	39 643	–	–
Morehouse	5	745	16 470	5	745	16 470	–	–
Natchitoches	3	130	1 998	3	130	1 998	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	3	200	3 485	3	200	3 485	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	2	106	2 300	1	100	2 000	–	–
Rapides	4	187	6 324	3	170	5 610	–	–
Red River	4	415	11 980	4	415	11 980	–	–
Richland	1	73	1 600	1	73	1 600	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	2	60	1 800	2	60	1 800	–	–
Tensas	25	1 624	31 536	25	1 624	31 536	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	1	18	360	1	18	360	–	–
Vermilion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vernon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Washington	1	100	2 000	1	100	2 000	–	–
Webster	2	2	34	2	2	34	–	–
West Baton Rouge	1	270	2 737	1	270	2 737	–	–
West Carroll	13	489	11 466	13	489	11 466	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 22. **Soybeans: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	7 180	1 608 070	42 871 889	6 748	1 599 175	42 668 498	159	18 319
Acadia	432	84 655	2 257 573	417	84 452	2 253 511	32	2 768
Allen	168	51 755	1 230 424	156	51 594	1 227 500	4	1 020
Ascension	8	1 780	44 209	8	1 780	44 209	–	–
Assumption	4	648	19 153	4	648	19 153	–	–
Avoyelles	612	101 007	3 005 272	558	100 520	2 993 617	4	100
Beauregard	97	26 904	715 538	95	26 900	715 450	–	–
Bienville	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	–	–
Bossier	29	3 923	99 428	28	3 823	95 428	–	–
Caddo	20	5 845	97 291	20	5 845	97 291	–	–
Calcasieu	158	44 510	1 083 477	156	44 496	1 083 075	9	1 409
Caldwell	49	7 840	169 751	47	7 800	169 221	2	12
Cameron	15	3 983	78 737	13	3 973	78 595	1	112
Catahoula	327	102 389	2 976 625	308	102 106	2 971 355	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	255	91 125	2 696 983	237	90 968	2 693 223	–	–
De Soto	1	25	515	1	25	515	–	–
East Baton Rouge	28	7 492	195 652	25	7 412	193 352	–	–
East Carroll	325	113 947	3 153 925	316	113 334	3 139 856	2	200
East Feliciana	14	5 660	165 986	13	5 650	165 706	–	–
Evangeline	303	45 828	1 167 545	280	45 562	1 161 713	13	1 235
Franklin	667	92 426	2 170 044	633	92 039	2 163 491	10	394
Grant	16	4 083	107 948	16	4 083	107 948	–	–
Iberia	6	1 145	34 358	6	1 145	34 358	–	–
Iberville	20	9 386	222 853	20	9 386	222 853	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	–	–
Jefferson Davis	394	97 118	2 550 494	390	97 087	2 549 651	19	4 032
Lafayette	152	18 699	501 948	132	18 519	497 632	5	302
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	20	1 438	43 820	14	1 386	42 260	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	1	286	(D)	1	286	(D)	–	–
Madison	314	134 680	4 066 356	301	134 513	4 062 969	1	200
Morehouse	182	48 320	912 709	170	48 179	911 026	3	480
Natchitoches	65	14 168	375 538	56	14 067	373 368	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	45	12 395	286 077	42	12 352	285 002	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	78	35 158	1 160 050	78	35 158	1 160 050	–	–
Rapides	231	39 959	1 259 349	217	39 707	1 249 554	–	–
Red River	33	7 135	163 851	33	7 135	163 851	–	–
Richland	300	58 854	1 039 854	279	58 535	1 035 136	3	930
Sabine	5	510	12 800	5	510	12 800	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	5	234	(D)	1	230	(D)	–	–
St James	7	1 969	42 207	7	1 969	42 207	–	–

Table 22. **Soybeans: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
St John the Baptist	6	2 704	67 913	6	2 704	67 913	–	–
St Landry	583	122 687	3 435 292	536	122 139	3 425 610	11	918
St Martin	26	6 612	178 594	25	6 609	178 499	–	–
St Mary	2	126	(D)	2	126	(D)	–	–
St Tammy	5	544	10 156	5	544	10 156	–	–
Tangipahoa	26	2 400	54 761	23	2 372	54 257	–	–
Tensas	248	73 415	2 279 694	230	73 118	2 274 887	4	190
Terrebonne	4	1 565	43 207	4	1 565	43 207	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vermilion	218	26 837	653 193	202	26 642	648 710	35	3 877
Vernon	6	747	12 522	6	747	12 522	–	–
Washington	16	4 192	96 372	14	4 168	95 840	–	–
Webster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Baton Rouge	5	3 283	113 038	5	3 283	113 038	–	–
West Carroll	635	78 220	1 606 063	594	77 825	1 598 093	1	140
West Feliciana	10	6 339	163 244	9	3 039	79 420	–	–
Winn	1	60	1 300	1	60	1 300	–	–

Table 23. **Hay, Excluding Sorghum Hay: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (tons, dry)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (tons, dry)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	10 297	328 109	658 053	5 907	267 707	556 316	78	1 970
Acadia	93	2 279	3 783	50	1 789	2 828	7	177
Allen	94	1 883	3 443	33	1 122	2 012	–	–
Ascension	87	2 877	4 271	25	1 733	2 527	–	–
Assumption	4	28	54	3	16	43	–	–
Avoyelles	373	10 131	22 224	210	7 944	17 946	–	–
Beauregard	330	6 919	13 158	154	4 823	9 625	–	–
Bienville	193	4 711	10 557	89	3 521	8 566	–	–
Bossier	179	9 271	18 200	110	8 350	16 287	–	–
Caddo	263	15 875	32 831	196	14 412	31 008	1	80
Calcasieu	125	3 199	5 766	66	2 489	4 475	1	15
Caldwell	80	2 074	4 021	47	1 600	2 978	1	50
Cameron	87	1 850	3 559	33	1 130	2 570	–	–
Catahoula	136	3 071	5 680	91	2 583	4 780	–	–
Claiborne	215	6 356	16 480	120	4 965	13 161	–	–
Concordia	56	2 125	3 720	50	2 030	3 622	–	–
De Soto	299	10 812	21 742	178	8 965	18 182	–	–
East Baton Rouge	245	7 828	14 583	124	5 531	10 531	–	–
East Carroll	20	2 322	2 814	18	2 302	2 768	–	–
East Feliciana	235	9 739	15 372	146	8 170	12 948	–	–
Evangeline	138	3 321	5 810	85	2 764	4 863	3	26
Franklin	336	7 081	18 438	268	6 261	17 314	24	390
Grant	102	3 867	6 046	52	3 077	4 814	–	–
Iberia	83	3 744	5 203	53	3 394	4 699	–	–
Iberville	48	2 505	5 535	35	2 178	4 916	–	–
Jackson	132	2 318	4 383	32	1 171	2 100	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	69	1 677	3 087	50	1 416	2 708	4	140
Lafayette	337	7 086	12 326	168	4 913	9 311	3	101
Lafourche	73	4 701	7 140	43	4 235	6 478	–	–
La Salle	78	1 328	2 513	23	745	1 427	–	–
Lincoln	181	4 671	10 075	94	3 410	7 885	–	–
Livingston	225	3 452	6 719	68	1 762	4 150	1	5
Madison	23	482	567	21	462	517	–	–
Morehouse	130	6 836	22 971	100	6 268	22 071	2	70
Natchitoches	332	16 919	37 181	210	15 087	33 942	–	–
Orleans	1	10	4	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	157	3 717	9 602	85	2 598	6 935	–	–
Plaquemines	3	90	85	3	90	85	–	–
Pointe Coupee	185	7 789	15 111	125	6 929	13 952	–	–
Rapides	326	10 014	18 797	163	7 578	14 338	–	–
Red River	184	9 466	22 686	125	8 678	21 499	–	–
Richland	195	5 511	11 051	137	4 647	9 374	1	3
Sabine	185	5 300	10 859	100	4 102	8 618	–	–
St Bernard	8	153	199	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	21	1 387	2 123	16	1 307	2 008	–	–
St Helena	202	7 621	13 910	136	6 605	12 697	–	–
St James	3	80	112	2	70	108	–	–
St John the Baptist	8	391	261	5	360	241	–	–
St Landry	424	7 647	14 479	241	5 787	11 661	–	–
St Martin	162	4 753	5 935	72	3 079	4 327	1	5
St Mary	2	70	28	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	171	4 934	10 074	77	3 642	8 193	–	–
Tangipahoa	549	19 693	38 210	378	17 224	34 429	6	41
Tensas	51	5 093	15 135	48	4 873	14 973	2	20
Terrebonne	33	1 717	2 036	25	1 529	1 814	–	–
Union	282	7 015	14 718	133	5 513	11 601	–	–
Vermilion	210	5 952	9 171	114	4 816	7 609	21	847
Vernon	331	6 022	14 398	120	3 402	8 764	–	–
Washington	523	19 930	35 587	331	17 415	32 111	–	–
Webster	255	8 188	18 166	120	6 351	15 046	–	–
West Baton Rouge	32	1 194	2 086	20	1 065	1 939	–	–
West Carroll	243	5 938	13 419	199	5 333	12 514	–	–
West Feliciana	64	2 982	4 991	49	2 497	3 872	–	–
Winn	86	2 114	4 568	38	1 599	3 556	–	–

Table 24. **Peanuts for Nuts: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	193	2 025	3 665 132	78	1 903	3 568 464	3	241
Acadia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	1	1	200	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beauregard	8	58	(D)	1	51	(D)	–	–
Bienville	3	3	3 300	1	1	1 100	–	–
Bossier	10	10	7 400	1	1	600	–	–
Caddo	7	8	6 300	2	2	900	–	–
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	2	2	2 000	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	16	16	15 500	6	6	4 900	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	5	5	9 100	2	2	4 000	–	–
East Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	14	18	10 800	–	–	–	–	–
Evangeline	1	1	1 500	–	–	–	–	–
Franklin	8	8	10 512	4	4	3 400	–	–
Grant	3	7	12 000	2	6	10 900	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	4	4	4 200	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	19	1 366	2 642 738	19	1 366	2 642 738	3	241
Natchitaches	2	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	2	2	2 400	2	2	2 400	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rapides	2	2	(D)	2	2	(D)	–	–
Red River	2	2	800	2	2	800	–	–
Richland	4	420	735 024	4	420	735 024	–	–
Sabine	3	3	4 400	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	16	16	7 340	2	2	1 000	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	1	1	200	1	1	200	–	–
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	7	7	7 700	5	5	5 500	–	–
Vermilion	2	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	–
Vernon	2	2	2 250	2	2	2 250	–	–
Washington	29	39	26 340	9	17	9 036	–	–
Webster	7	7	3 400	1	1	1 100	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	4	4	2 400	4	4	2 400	–	–
West Feliciana	9	9	4 728	6	6	3 216	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 25. **Cotton: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	4 486	584 816	519 427	3 965	579 572	515 229	144	13 287
Acadia	33	2 407	1 508	33	2 407	1 508	1	17
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	331	15 344	13 089	251	14 814	12 614	2	70
Beauregard	1	9	6	1	9	6	–	–
Bienville	1	78	(D)	1	78	(D)	–	–
Bossier	52	13 346	7 999	51	13 246	7 899	1	2
Caddo	118	34 298	28 187	106	34 179	28 157	4	1 253
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	97	12 348	11 081	88	12 289	11 038	5	330
Cameron	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	90	15 820	10 852	87	15 780	10 841	1	60
Claiborne	9	606	286	6	580	268	–	–
Concordia	99	17 351	14 375	81	17 230	14 307	–	–

Table 25. **Cotton: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres
De Soto	7	1 129	589	7	1 129	589	–	–
East Baton Rouge	3	32	35	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	238	47 027	46 805	228	46 485	45 816	–	–
East Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Evangeline	35	3 070	2 081	29	3 010	2 055	–	–
Franklin	816	78 981	58 314	728	78 167	57 751	73	4 027
Grant	46	4 981	4 032	34	4 908	3 980	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	1	8	7	1	8	7	–	–
Lafayette	55	2 303	1 336	34	2 218	1 270	1	10
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	8	345	350	4	316	331	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	171	28 863	30 003	171	28 863	30 003	2	133
Morehouse	273	78 517	80 983	256	78 390	80 894	16	2 117
Natchitaches	131	20 729	20 909	116	20 597	20 832	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	62	13 890	12 779	59	13 868	12 761	8	912
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	39	2 220	1 709	26	2 137	1 658	–	–
Rapides	164	20 947	20 897	149	20 783	20 758	–	–
Red River	48	6 985	5 475	41	6 932	5 433	–	–
Richland	543	79 027	66 667	471	78 295	66 212	19	3 667
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	193	11 130	8 657	156	10 868	8 495	3	219
St Martin	9	661	398	9	661	398	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tensas	217	34 410	40 089	202	34 141	39 925	6	370
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	1	290	(D)	1	290	(D)	–	–
Vermilion	3	61	35	2	58	33	–	–
Vernon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Washington	3	110	76	3	110	76	–	–
Webster	5	436	226	4	426	222	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	581	36 612	28 940	527	36 220	28 679	2	100
West Feliciana	3	445	287	2	80	48	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 26. **Tobacco: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	25	201	145 906	25	201	145 906	–	–
Acadia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beauregard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bienville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caddo	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Evangeline	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Franklin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	4	12	8 000	4	12	8 000	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 26. **Tobacco: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
Livingston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Natchitoches	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rapides	1	3	1 665	1	3	1 665	–	–
Red River	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	20	186	136 241	20	186	136 241	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vermilion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vernon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Washington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Webster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 27. **Irish Potatoes: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	828	2 399	216 098	369	2 007	188 010	19	66
Acadia	6	4	(D)	5	4	(D)	1	1
Allen	7	2	203	1	(Z)	25	–	–
Ascension	12	5	247	2	1	24	2	1
Assumption	2	1	70	2	1	70	–	–
Avoyelles	72	627	70 237	47	612	68 852	–	–
Beauregard	35	33	3 042	9	17	1 276	–	–
Bienville	13	5	184	4	2	80	–	–
Bossier	18	17	1 186	8	14	1 081	–	–
Caddo	9	9	896	5	6	380	–	–
Calcasieu	2	1	38	–	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	4	1	140	2	(Z)	40	–	–
Cameron	6	1	218	2	(Z)	42	–	–
Catahoula	3	1	25	3	1	25	–	–
Claiborne	18	106	2 718	6	102	2 615	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	5	1	28	2	(Z)	6	–	–
East Baton Rouge	15	13	1 997	3	1	32	–	–
East Carroll	3	85	7 580	3	85	7 580	2	1
East Feliciana	16	7	1 017	3	1	217	–	–
Evangeline	14	29	2 775	12	29	2 763	–	–
Franklin	24	64	7 215	21	63	7 093	1	50
Grant	2	20	810	1	20	800	–	–
Iberia	2	(Z)	22	2	(Z)	22	–	–
Iberville	13	5	278	1	1	50	–	–
Jackson	12	19	944	3	1	95	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	3	12	(D)	2	12	(D)	–	–
Lafayette	44	65	4 134	19	53	3 211	3	3
Lafourche	13	138	8 734	10	128	8 174	1	1
La Salle	10	3	236	4	2	140	–	–
Lincoln	18	3	116	1	(Z)	18	–	–
Livingston	12	3	178	1	(Z)	4	–	–
Madison	4	1	56	4	1	56	–	–
Morehouse	3	(Z)	38	2	(Z)	30	–	–
Natchitoches	17	4	144	1	1	10	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	7	8	340	2	(Z)	20	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	26	79	7 120	7	61	5 686	1	(Z)
Rapides	22	18	1 011	13	16	907	2	2
Red River	7	2	194	5	1	36	–	–
Richland	5	2	120	5	2	120	–	–
Sabine	9	1	60	2	(Z)	13	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	29	10	898	1	(Z)	12	–	–
St James	4	2	154	1	1	20	–	–

Table 27. **Irish Potatoes: 1974**—Continued

	All farms			Forms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres
St John the Baptist	4	2	240	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	55	146	9 748	33	129	8 705	2	1
St Martin	22	44	2 536	10	37	2 190	1	6
St Mary	1	1	35	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	13	5	286	4	1	38	–	–
Tangipahoa	8	4	109	4	2	55	1	(Z)
Tensas	3	17	1 204	3	17	1 204	–	–
Terrebonne	10	95	4 805	5	85	4 200	–	–
Union	27	6	181	14	3	106	–	–
Vermilion	9	47	3 392	7	46	3 332	–	–
Vernon	20	26	1 131	9	23	943	–	–
Washington	35	9	401	6	2	74	–	–
Webster	8	2	122	4	1	68	–	–
West Baton Rouge	3	1	64	3	1	64	2	(Z)
West Carroll	14	4	264	8	2	173	–	–
West Feliciana	41	583	62 389	32	419	51 533	–	–
Winn	9	2	63	–	–	–	–	–

Table 28. **Vegetables, Sweet Corn, or Melons: 1974**

	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	1 239	8 479	615	6 566	143	999
Acadia	12	49	6	36	1	10
Allen	11	25	4	20	–	–
Ascension	5	28	2	27	2	(D)
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	39	153	20	108	2	6
Beauregard	42	230	16	155	–	–
Bienville	29	402	15	359	–	–
Bossier	21	132	9	100	1	14
Caddo	31	407	18	375	1	3
Calcasieu	7	10	1	1	–	–
Caldwell	5	14	–	–	–	–
Cameron	1	2	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	4	1	2	(Z)	–	–
Claiborne	27	86	16	77	–	–
Concordia	3	11	1	7	–	–
De Soto	8	13	4	8	–	–
East Baton Rouge	13	30	2	5	–	–
East Carroll	3	3	3	3	–	–
East Feliciana	8	2	2	1	2	1
Evangeline	12	15	6	6	–	–
Franklin	13	57	7	48	–	–
Grant	7	21	4	19	–	–
Iberia	15	318	11	312	2	(D)
Iberville	2	16	1	15	–	–
Jackson	7	75	5	72	–	–
Jefferson	6	92	6	92	–	–
Jefferson Davis	2	3	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	53	204	20	121	3	27
Lafourche	18	547	14	541	–	–
La Salle	7	23	3	16	–	–
Lincoln	24	128	3	4	–	–
Livingston	12	21	3	6	2	3
Madison	2	1	2	1	–	–
Morehouse	3	8	2	7	–	–
Natchitoches	18	35	2	10	–	–
Orleans	1	10	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	21	723	13	661	1	15
Plaquemines	24	469	14	435	1	5
Pointe Coupee	17	88	5	69	–	–
Rapides	54	242	27	191	3	33
Red River	13	52	7	42	–	–
Richland	12	23	8	17	1	(Z)
Sabine	11	9	2	2	–	–
St Bernard	6	114	6	114	1	1
St Charles	2	40	2	40	–	–
St Helena	33	107	10	36	1	7
St James	21	453	19	451	2	50
St John the Baptist	8	75	4	71	–	–
St Landry	86	395	45	323	11	48
St Martin	81	695	47	551	7	134
St Mary	1	4	1	4	–	–
St Tammy	10	33	7	26	2	3
Tangipahoa	117	510	72	426	59	263
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	10	52	5	38	–	–
Union	41	200	15	153	–	–
Vermilion	18	21	4	2	3	2
Vernon	24	65	7	37	–	–
Washington	44	120	11	69	2	13
Webster	15	47	6	17	1	(Z)
West Baton Rouge	4	24	4	24	2	(Z)
West Carroll	85	187	58	158	30	77
West Feliciana	7	554	5	54	–	–
Winn	3	11	1	4	–	–

Table 29. **Berries: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	158	412	94	319	77	280
Acadia	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allen	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ascension	4	4	–	–	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
Beauregard	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Bienville	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caddo	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calcasieu	–	–	–	–	–	–
Caldwell	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cameron	–	–	–	–	–	–
Catahoula	–	–	–	–	–	–
Claiborne	–	–	–	–	–	–
Concordia	–	–	–	–	–	–
De Soto	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Carroll	–	–	–	–	–	–
East Feliciana	1	2	–	–	–	–
Evangeline	–	–	–	–	–	–
Franklin	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grant	1	10	1	10	–	–
Iberia	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iberville	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lafayette	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Lafourche	–	–	–	–	–	–
La Salle	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livingston	25	80	19	76	13	66
Madison	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morehouse	–	–	–	–	–	–
Natchitoches	–	–	–	–	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	1	6	1	6	–	–
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pointe Coupee	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rapides	2	8	2	8	2	8
Red River	–	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sabine	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	1	1	–	–	–	–
St James	1	1	1	1	1	1
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Martin	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Mary	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Tammy	2	3	2	3	2	3
Tangipahoa	110	297	64	215	57	202
Tensas	–	–	–	–	–	–
Terrebonne	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vermilion	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vernon	–	–	–	–	–	–
Washington	2	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Webster	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Baton Rouge	–	–	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	4	(Z)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)
West Feliciana	–	–	–	–	–	–
Winn	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 30. **Land in Orchards: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Louisiana, total	893	28 187	461	26 404	16	490
Acadia	3	10	1	10	–	–
Allen	4	32	1	26	–	–
Ascension	3	62	3	62	–	–
Assumption	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avoyelles	42	222	14	151	–	–
Beauregard	40	210	14	138	1	4
Bienville	8	54	5	50	–	–
Bossier	15	1 289	14	1 288	1	(D)
Caddo	27	2 002	19	1 895	–	–
Calcasieu	14	21	5	9	–	–
Caldwell	7	214	6	213	–	–
Cameron	5	36	1	30	1	3
Catahoula	10	261	8	254	–	–
Claiborne	8	9	1	3	–	–
Concordia	12	378	8	374	–	–

Table 30. **Land in Orchards: 1974**—Continued

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
De Soto	24	147	12	125	–	–
East Baton Rouge	22	269	9	201	–	–
East Carroll	23	1 690	20	1 666	–	–
East Feliciana	8	57	6	49	–	–
Evangeline	5	29	3	9	–	–
Franklin	28	160	25	147	1	5
Grant	15	923	11	914	1	30
Iberia	8	20	–	–	–	–
Iberville	5	179	4	169	–	–
Jackson	6	5	–	–	–	–
Jefferson	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	5	27	5	27	–	–
Lafayette	18	113	3	46	–	–
Lafourche	8	19	2	5	–	–
La Salle	2	4	–	–	–	–
Lincoln	9	794	6	776	–	–
Livingston	8	20	1	1	1	1
Madison	16	858	12	852	–	–
Morehouse	18	609	15	578	–	–
Natchitoches	23	8 845	19	8 782	–	–
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	20	2 130	11	2 083	1	(D)
Plaquemines	64	533	29	315	5	33
Pointe Coupee	41	2 548	23	2 325	–	–
Rapides	56	860	24	771	–	–
Red River	6	205	6	205	–	–
Richland	18	394	15	354	1	12
Sabine	8	11	2	3	–	–
St Bernard	4	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
St Charles	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Helena	–	–	–	–	–	–
St James	1	10	–	–	–	–
St John the Baptist	–	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	26	170	10	110	1	2
St Martin	15	253	13	247	2	(D)
St Mary	1	70	1	70	–	–
St Tammy	22	141	7	84	–	–
Tangipahoa	25	106	9	57	–	–
Tensas	11	339	9	334	–	–
Terrebonne	7	37	4	24	–	–
Union	13	63	2	30	–	–
Vermilion	15	37	7	20	–	–
Vernon	18	48	4	18	–	–
Washington	29	131	9	61	–	–
Webster	19	140	10	128	–	–
West Baton Rouge	4	8	–	–	–	–
West Carroll	8	52	7	42	–	–
West Feliciana	9	223	5	175	–	–
Winn	4	1	–	–	–	–

Table 31. **Farm Operator Debt for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974**

	Total debt			Debt secured by real estate				Debt not secured by real estate		
	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Percent value of owned land operated (see text)	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm
Louisiana, total	6 427	349 654	54 404	4 342	226 202	52 096	30.7	3 983	123 452	30 995
Acadia	180	8 447	46 928	96	5 740	59 792	44.9	118	2 707	22 941
Allen	67	2 177	32 493	41	1 133	27 634	25.2	52	1 044	20 077
Ascension	21	737	35 095	12	383	31 917	10.0	11	354	32 182
Assumption	38	1 684	44 316	19	1 007	53 000	19.0	25	678	27 120
Avoyelles	297	13 114	44 155	236	9 678	41 008	24.1	152	3 436	22 605
Beauregard	95	3 609	37 989	70	2 084	29 771	33.0	61	1 525	25 000
Bienville	68	2 658	39 088	59	2 069	35 068	44.8	31	589	19 000
Bossier	86	5 954	69 233	59	2 590	43 898	26.9	56	3 364	60 071
Caddo	126	9 222	73 190	65	3 653	56 200	29.8	99	5 568	56 242
Calcasieu	110	5 000	45 455	47	1 838	39 106	6.2	85	3 162	37 200
Caldwell	65	2 890	44 462	47	1 893	40 277	47.0	44	997	22 659
Cameron	25	3 280	131 200	12	2 648	220 667	41.3	17	632	37 176
Catahoula	160	12 218	76 363	125	9 483	75 864	45.2	82	2 735	33 354
Claiborne	60	2 213	36 883	40	1 358	33 950	38.6	37	856	23 135
Concordia	118	13 478	114 220	84	9 791	116 560	52.6	78	3 688	47 282
De Soto	120	6 545	54 542	84	3 818	45 452	39.2	61	2 727	44 705
East Baton Rouge	68	2 815	41 397	47	2 104	44 766	10.8	38	711	18 711
East Carroll	174	16 030	92 126	133	12 065	90 714	34.2	107	3 965	37 056
East Feliciana	83	2 990	36 024	59	2 093	35 475	15.9	43	897	20 860
Evangeline	125	5 060	40 480	88	3 252	36 955	29.2	70	1 808	25 829
Franklin	351	13 088	37 288	257	9 345	36 362	29.3	209	3 743	17 909
Grant	39	1 766	45 282	30	1 201	40 033	37.2	20	564	28 200
Iberia	80	4 346	54 325	38	2 284	60 105	28.7	56	2 062	36 821
Iberville	50	2 722	54 440	24	1 474	61 417	42.3	33	1 247	37 788
Jackson	30	895	29 833	21	714	34 000	52.5	13	181	13 923
Jefferson	5	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	1	2	2 000
Jefferson Davis	172	9 510	55 291	91	4 589	50 429	30.0	120	4 921	41 008
Lafayette	93	3 376	36 301	47	1 535	32 660	29.7	58	1 841	31 741
Lafourche	60	1 652	27 533	12	269	22 417	7.3	54	1 383	25 611
La Salle	20	216	10 800	15	162	10 800	32.4	11	55	5 000
Lincoln	48	1 606	33 458	31	853	27 516	36.6	26	753	28 962

Table 31. Farm Operator Debt for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974—Continued

	Total debt			Debt secured by real estate				Debt not secured by real estate		
	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Percent value of owned land operated (see text)	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm
Livingston	45	2 176	48 356	42	1 926	45 857	29.6	15	250	16 667
Madison	168	19 361	115 244	129	15 060	116 744	41.6	96	4 301	44 802
Morehouse	201	17 893	89 020	125	10 981	87 848	39.1	146	6 912	47 342
Natchitoches	141	12 557	89 057	112	9 892	88 321	28.9	80	2 666	33 325
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–
Ouachita	65	3 971	61 092	48	2 767	57 646	22.0	39	1 205	30 897
Plaquemines	12	163	13 583	9	138	15 333	24.1	5	25	5 000
Pointe Coupee	108	5 676	52 556	61	4 188	68 656	17.1	64	1 487	23 234
Rapides	197	13 290	67 462	151	9 336	61 828	35.2	111	3 955	35 631
Red River	76	5 851	76 987	49	3 517	71 776	30.5	48	2 334	48 625
Richland	262	14 812	56 534	205	7 595	37 049	31.6	160	7 217	45 106
Sabine	67	1 543	23 030	46	956	20 783	36.0	39	587	15 051
St Bernard	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
St Charles	10	594	59 400	–	–	–	.0	10	594	59 400
St Helena	119	5 658	47 546	88	3 921	44 557	41.4	71	1 737	24 465
St James	28	720	25 714	11	121	11 000	15.7	22	599	27 227
St John the Baptist	14	920	65 714	5	554	110 800	4.1	10	365	36 500
St Landry	258	10 661	41 322	155	5 998	38 697	44.6	167	4 664	27 928
St Martin	59	1 278	21 661	24	537	22 375	37.6	45	741	16 467
St Mary	28	4 173	149 036	10	2 720	272 000	51.0	23	1 453	63 174
St Tammy	65	5 644	86 831	51	3 797	74 451	24.1	37	1 847	49 919
Tangipahoa	273	13 126	48 081	204	8 728	42 784	35.2	188	4 399	23 399
Tensas	120	14 061	117 175	92	10 841	117 837	32.6	74	3 219	43 500
Terrebonne	23	863	37 522	6	364	60 667	46.6	19	499	26 263
Union	75	2 043	27 240	47	1 544	32 851	32.2	45	500	11 111
Vermilion	239	6 831	28 582	129	3 281	25 434	26.5	154	3 550	23 052
Vernon	46	1 737	37 761	38	927	24 395	29.0	34	810	23 824
Washington	201	6 952	34 587	145	4 622	31 876	32.4	137	2 331	17 015
Webster	60	2 081	34 683	46	1 516	32 957	34.5	35	565	16 143
West Baton Rouge	16	4 267	266 688	4	700	175 000	47.9	14	3 567	254 786
West Carroll	360	8 816	24 489	279	6 479	23 222	37.0	188	2 337	12 431
West Feliciana	40	2 144	53 600	22	1 685	76 591	31.4	30	459	15 300
Winn	16	378	23 625	15	295	19 667	24.4	9	83	9 222

Table 32. Grain Storage Capacity for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Farms reporting grain storage	Under 1,000 bushels	1,000 to 4,999 bushels	5,000 to 9,999 bushels	10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25,000 to 49,999 bushels	50,000 bushels and over	None	Not reporting
Louisiana, total	1 874	560	390	221	306	240	157	8 428	8 240
Acadia	85	8	4	11	18	22	22	383	272
Allen	61	4	9	6	17	15	10	71	72
Ascension	4	3	–	–	1	–	–	44	35
Assumption	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	90	37
Avoyelles	122	53	26	12	20	5	6	368	369
Beauregard	34	3	3	12	8	5	3	110	150
Bienville	9	5	2	1	1	–	–	43	83
Bossier	17	3	6	4	2	1	1	92	89
Caddo	21	11	6	3	1	–	–	206	137
Calcasieu	56	2	4	5	18	18	9	166	173
Caldwell	12	1	9	1	–	1	–	63	73
Cameron	6	–	–	2	–	1	3	69	73
Catahoula	45	17	13	4	6	4	1	171	173
Claiborne	10	5	4	1	–	–	–	78	90
Concordia	52	6	10	8	13	11	4	125	104
De Soto	14	9	2	–	2	–	1	121	153
East Baton Rouge	24	10	6	3	4	1	–	105	91
East Carroll	35	–	12	3	5	5	10	176	140
East Feliciana	28	8	5	7	3	4	1	93	108
Evangeline	55	13	3	5	12	17	5	242	240
Franklin	85	37	24	16	3	4	1	430	444
Grant	7	3	–	1	2	1	–	45	65
Iberia	12	4	8	–	–	–	–	128	125
Iberville	18	9	3	2	3	1	–	86	48
Jackson	5	4	1	–	–	–	–	29	34
Jefferson	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	13	11
Jefferson Davis	106	–	2	9	28	39	28	259	196
Lafayette	29	14	4	3	4	4	–	189	218
Lafourche	13	11	–	1	1	–	–	123	99
La Salle	7	5	–	2	–	–	–	16	33
Lincoln	4	3	–	1	–	–	–	53	91
Livingston	10	6	3	–	1	–	–	64	82
Madison	39	6	13	3	6	6	5	177	113
Morehouse	42	3	11	8	6	6	8	191	143
Natchitoches	18	3	–	8	4	3	–	183	184
Orleans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1
Ouachita	17	4	2	2	7	1	1	75	90
Plaquemines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	21	25
Pointe Coupee	45	21	10	6	5	3	–	153	123
Rapides	42	13	5	8	10	3	3	254	211
Red River	15	6	4	–	3	1	1	84	80
Richland	52	12	21	9	4	4	2	282	245
Sabine	11	9	–	1	1	–	–	87	104
St Bernard	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	3
St Charles	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	18	17
St Helena	35	17	13	–	3	–	2	94	97
St James	3	1	–	2	–	–	–	59	44
St John the Baptist	3	1	1	1	–	–	–	26	9
St Landry	109	31	12	14	30	18	4	365	502
St Martin	30	23	5	1	–	1	–	111	121

Table 32. Grain Storage Capacity for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974—Continued

	Farms reporting grain storage	Under 1,000 bushels	1,000 to 4,999 bushels	5,000 to 9,999 bushels	10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25,000 to 49,999 bushels	50,000 bushels and over	None	Not reporting
St Mary	3	–	–	1	1	–	1	61	39
St Tammy	21	10	7	2	2	–	–	83	88
Tangipahoa	74	31	33	3	3	3	1	290	336
Tensas	46	3	17	5	13	3	5	118	117
Terrebonne	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	49	40
Union	6	3	2	1	–	–	–	75	120
Vermilion	93	12	10	11	19	26	15	539	391
Vernon	12	8	2	1	–	1	–	72	80
Washington	46	22	16	3	4	1	–	197	225
Webster	13	8	4	–	1	–	–	73	101
West Baton Rouge	8	4	3	–	1	–	–	30	30
West Carroll	85	38	28	7	9	–	3	328	340
West Feliciana	11	5	2	1	1	1	1	49	76
Winn	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	27	37

Table 33. Characteristics of Farms and Specified Excluded Agricultural Operations (See Text): 1974

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	Total (number)		Total land (acres)		Total value of land and buildings ($1,000)		Total cropland			
							Number reporting		Acres	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Louisiana, total	33 240	2 711	9 133 275	104 221	4 678 672	73 076	30 067	1 834	5 590 488	26 124
Acadia	1 025	74	335 658	1 836	187 909	1 466	923	38	267 568	558
Allen	369	32	149 060	1 369	64 547	849	347	27	102 365	261
Ascension	243	29	56 446	458	50 460	819	207	12	34 128	143
Assumption	143	11	76 634	646	41 832	222	139	10	54 303	358
Avoyelles	1 521	126	261 261	2 740	134 519	1 784	1 436	90	190 201	924
Beauregard	695	50	159 518	2 396	69 760	1 317	641	32	64 604	532
Bienville	386	47	60 979	6 173	20 330	2 242	349	27	25 827	774
Bossier	432	35	130 397	2 590	67 962	2 023	375	27	63 634	380
Caddo	656	63	251 413	3 473	104 988	1 511	551	34	120 335	371
Calcasieu	665	62	408 088	4 209	206 188	2 712	549	28	207 470	1 034
Caldwell	276	17	60 419	1 371	23 796	507	239	14	35 061	447
Cameron	329	8	245 323	459	89 908	232	254	2	65 693	24
Catahoula	530	23	206 581	588	85 646	748	502	20	157 347	237
Claiborne	414	42	90 191	2 999	27 567	1 288	373	34	35 968	525
Concordia	365	25	219 190	632	88 473	462	343	18	137 857	154
De Soto	688	65	187 547	4 264	63 324	1 936	587	46	71 664	699
East Baton Rouge	557	36	123 485	2 639	120 432	2 566	478	25	61 430	218
East Carroll	387	2	228 719	40	118 119	32	377	–	193 207	–
East Feliciana	502	34	155 047	1 274	71 503	1 288	437	23	63 481	362
Evangeline	932	87	206 803	2 426	110 105	1 526	849	55	143 807	766
Franklin	1 272	63	304 928	1 314	145 752	703	1 214	53	240 590	478
Grant	302	29	55 498	1 279	31 942	927	248	15	29 694	183
Iberia	401	49	110 391	766	76 217	807	377	26	85 699	449
Iberville	241	13	110 719	919	65 218	850	213	11	65 606	182
Jackson	269	36	38 449	1 241	14 139	1 201	228	24	14 690	296
Jefferson	37	3	7 606	90	7 561	96	21	3	1 995	86
Jefferson Davis	652	45	328 212	3 086	164 653	1 408	617	27	284 829	386
Lafayette	1 009	139	111 550	2 528	108 529	4 218	922	64	92 477	1 093
Lafourche	356	34	203 876	1 015	108 349	1 436	316	24	74 139	447
La Salle	196	26	17 382	2 610	7 699	935	176	20	7 606	111
Lincoln	383	29	65 011	1 605	27 773	836	338	12	25 914	208
Livingston	479	55	43 336	1 278	43 488	2 478	407	44	18 338	563
Madison	358	13	238 239	265	118 416	192	346	11	181 453	68
Morehouse	511	45	280 722	3 933	133 386	1 507	484	21	212 249	172
Natchitoches	802	57	251 628	2 284	114 413	1 199	657	22	117 472	271
Orleans	7	1	38	1	270	6	6	–	27	–
Ouachita	384	32	90 754	1 729	62 094	1 451	320	22	51 633	438
Plaquemines	102	5	38 169	107	20 493	261	90	5	6 106	23
Pointe Coupee	600	56	196 567	1 549	89 311	1 110	529	37	98 317	659
Rapides	1 053	65	213 628	2 037	127 001	1 580	944	46	131 935	544
Red River	327	43	119 984	2 271	43 484	1 334	306	33	58 832	872
Richland	877	51	274 107	1 998	113 559	889	810	35	191 568	431
Sabine	460	29	64 414	893	23 752	1 046	377	21	31 707	247
St Bernard	21	3	7 488	34	4 324	103	19	2	1 078	33
St Charles	60	3	57 073	57	23 063	215	45	1	7 787	2
St Helena	489	46	68 008	1 186	35 937	946	440	46	34 025	631
St James	117	2	46 997	10	50 315	23	117	2	37 668	2
St John the Baptist	48	2	26 881	84	34 517	337	45	1	15 880	4
St Landry	1 900	211	309 073	4 279	159 517	3 131	1 772	157	231 270	2 130
St Martin	566	50	91 458	1 154	51 466	1 207	514	33	64 338	672
St Mary	148	8	117 530	148	57 967	146	141	8	77 498	74
St Tammy	458	43	64 969	1 119	64 652	1 768	408	38	25 830	472
Tangipahoa	1 190	112	149 800	3 105	107 250	2 906	1 067	84	84 083	987
Tensas	338	10	228 876	261	100 411	120	330	10	140 187	54
Terrebonne	129	16	60 392	494	33 225	741	121	9	38 545	59
Union	493	39	76 064	2 341	32 483	839	434	28	30 836	438
Vermilion	1 475	78	374 523	1 341	206 978	1 093	1 392	46	292 633	620
Vernon	523	46	91 337	2 084	39 917	1 397	486	33	27 358	525
Washington	1 039	79	125 926	2 320	81 159	1 812	968	58	76 119	592
Webster	511	74	82 648	4 011	29 062	2 176	442	57	39 041	852
West Baton Rouge	116	24	37 498	716	31 412	550	102	21	31 431	341
West Carroll	971	57	184 493	1 164	78 912	858	933	47	156 430	467
West Feliciana	218	12	125 109	534	51 334	566	190	6	49 215	95
Winn	237	10	29 165	399	9 903	142	199	9	10 410	100

Table 33. Characteristics of Farms and Specified Excluded Agricultural Operations (See Text): 1974—Con.

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	Harvested cropland				Farm production expenses				Value of machinery and equipment			
	Number reporting		Acres		Number reporting		Expenses ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Louisiana, total	23 525	646	3 628 199	2 280	33 118	2 566	738 916	1 816	30 978	2 453	713 650	15 904
Acadia	774	12	201 848	59	1 019	63	30 386	51	940	62	32 157	403
Allen	286	4	88 046	40	369	31	11 245	19	352	31	12 614	216
Ascension	148	–	18 345	–	243	28	6 423	21	237	24	4 649	109
Assumption	130	–	39 366	–	143	11	14 127	6	141	11	8 285	77
Avoyelles	1 234	37	146 604	153	1 517	118	18 776	75	1 409	114	26 935	667
Beauregard	501	18	41 164	69	695	46	7 193	30	651	41	9 428	240
Bienville	249	8	7 180	16	384	44	3 470	40	361	44	3 246	326
Bossier	250	9	28 675	37	430	33	6 265	38	391	32	7 111	220
Caddo	399	14	60 106	76	656	60	15 487	53	608	58	11 556	304
Calcasieu	406	16	126 428	48	662	60	20 455	45	593	56	19 490	366
Caldwell	191	5	22 727	7	276	16	3 729	10	265	17	4 691	83
Cameron	157	1	23 217	2	326	3	4 589	4	287	4	5 511	19
Catahoula	450	10	124 953	64	528	23	12 264	11	500	23	18 968	173
Claiborne	260	17	7 938	42	414	39	4 701	27	385	39	4 245	224
Concordia	327	10	112 630	28	365	25	11 821	10	363	25	17 820	192
De Soto	351	16	12 786	65	686	61	11 222	40	626	57	6 880	357
East Baton Rouge	330	11	18 687	34	557	35	6 884	35	505	33	6 478	216
East Carroll	369	–	171 168	–	387	2	21 303	1	387	2	22 921	15
East Feliciana	296	4	19 316	38	498	29	6 349	30	460	29	6 266	197
Evangeline	622	17	104 911	71	928	82	15 730	52	839	76	25 566	458
Franklin	1 099	28	180 600	105	1 269	63	21 148	37	1 188	63	27 589	419
Grant	154	–	13 755	–	301	29	3 525	25	287	25	3 593	144
Iberia	321	5	53 328	9	401	48	18 687	24	374	48	13 575	361
Iberville	176	6	38 312	8	241	9	11 729	5	230	9	10 496	67
Jackson	150	4	2 533	14	269	36	4 162	26	263	33	2 305	168
Jefferson	14	1	1 333	6	37	3	778	1	30	3	368	23
Jefferson Davis	558	10	215 277	44	648	42	29 947	45	616	44	33 564	459
Lafayette	692	18	54 515	90	1 004	136	12 645	98	924	124	15 283	796
Lafourche	265	1	44 104	16	354	29	14 037	15	327	28	10 830	177
La Salle	120	8	3 266	31	195	26	846	26	185	26	1 602	168
Lincoln	228	2	6 229	2	382	27	13 612	17	359	27	4 285	185
Livingston	282	10	4 269	17	478	54	8 422	30	457	54	4 474	344
Madison	339	2	167 970	6	358	13	19 598	3	358	13	21 626	196
Morehouse	421	6	170 220	10	507	44	29 973	29	489	43	19 872	274
Natchitaches	442	11	61 283	46	802	57	15 620	26	766	52	12 149	345
Orleans	6	–	27	–	7	1	41	1	6	1	15	8
Ouachita	249	4	35 465	21	383	26	7 007	25	370	25	7 433	197
Plaquemines	80	5	1 102	9	102	5	870	3	88	4	1 008	24
Pointe Coupee	404	19	59 829	61	599	51	9 509	25	561	50	12 392	263
Rapides	681	23	82 335	85	1 047	63	18 007	46	952	61	19 769	333
Red River	228	11	25 284	77	326	42	5 256	34	302	40	4 733	232
Richland	707	6	148 533	31	871	49	19 794	31	816	49	20 052	366
Sabine	218	5	6 085	5	457	28	10 423	20	428	28	4 595	160
St Bernard	18	1	379	1	21	3	123	3	21	2	194	13
St Charles	34	1	2 522	2	60	3	1 085	2	54	2	1 025	14
St Helena	288	14	9 368	21	485	45	9 044	32	472	43	6 412	275
St James	109	2	26 471	2	115	2	10 420	1	104	2	6 467	44
St John the Baptist	40	1	11 618	4	48	2	2 834	2	46	2	1 809	4
St Landry	1 403	51	178 424	156	1 891	203	23 477	145	1 733	196	34 791	1 178
St Martin	435	7	39 944	23	566	48	9 272	36	534	48	9 506	346
St Mary	132	4	50 181	4	148	8	17 128	3	138	6	9 155	49
St Tammy	259	12	7 943	36	458	43	6 180	42	428	36	5 038	238
Tangipahoa	766	40	25 293	134	1 181	103	32 584	72	1 109	100	16 736	609
Tensas	303	3	116 169	10	336	10	16 369	4	336	10	16 291	65
Terrebonne	102	8	21 923	34	129	16	6 746	9	123	14	4 969	79
Union	332	10	8 178	29	493	36	14 563	24	455	32	5 436	175
Vermilion	1 153	6	172 154	46	1 460	69	29 632	50	1 318	66	35 605	491
Vernon	389	13	8 905	51	521	44	5 132	32	504	39	5 242	294
Washington	696	28	27 094	72	1 036	75	16 973	50	991	72	13 583	396
Webster	306	23	9 937	46	508	73	3 923	57	461	69	4 798	430
West Baton Rouge	77	5	18 448	23	116	22	6 588	17	113	21	3 236	144
West Carroll	876	19	124 080	40	971	50	13 760	30	940	47	21 653	376
West Feliciana	139	2	15 194	2	218	11	4 200	8	207	9	3 296	61
Winn	104	2	2 225	2	236	10	826	7	215	9	1 982	50

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	Market value of all agricultural products sold											
	Total				Crops, including hay, nursery, and greenhouse products				Livestock, poultry, and their products			
	Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Louisiana, total	33 240	2 711	1 193 722	537	16 628	420	927 246	196	23 464	983	260 305	337
Acadia	1 025	74	58 424	21	705	12	53 685	8	619	28	4 735	13
Allen	369	32	20 909	7	225	4	20 106	3	249	8	719	5
Ascension	243	29	15 069	5	82	–	14 125	–	200	15	942	5
Assumption	143	11	37 118	–	129	–	36 998	–	20	–	120	–
Avoyelles	1 521	126	34 186	28	1 043	25	30 775	14	922	43	3 382	14
Beauregard	695	50	10 778	6	241	6	6 878	2	588	12	3 568	4
Bienville	386	47	3 757	9	91	2	675	2	327	13	2 991	7
Bossier	432	35	5 710	11	148	4	2 830	4	395	16	2 779	8
Caddo	656	63	15 603	16	264	13	7 748	7	561	26	7 704	9
Calcasieu	665	62	32 956	17	318	11	30 312	5	473	35	2 604	13
Caldwell	276	17	4 528	2	144	4	3 656	1	193	3	825	1
Cameron	329	8	7 250	1	82	–	5 971	–	299	2	1 260	1
Catahoula	530	23	21 465	9	395	8	19 959	5	277	9	1 480	5

Table 33. **Characteristics of Farms and Specified Excluded Agricultural Operations (See Text): 1974**—Con.

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	Market value of all agricultural products sold											
	Total				Crops, including hay, nursery, and greenhouse products				Livestock, poultry, and their products			
	Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Claiborne	414	42	5 214	6	113	10	318	3	365	11	4 700	3
Concordia	365	25	20 223	5	297	10	18 758	5	167	–	1 361	–
De Soto	688	65	11 828	8	114	8	344	2	630	26	11 124	7
East Baton Rouge	557	36	7 267	13	147	9	2 217	4	485	27	5 004	9
East Carroll	387	2	33 060	–	366	–	32 610	–	77	–	448	–
East Feliciana	502	34	6 943	6	121	3	1 314	2	457	8	5 331	4
Evangeline	932	87	28 118	15	533	9	25 539	4	633	37	2 560	11
Franklin	1 272	63	30 519	14	1 007	26	27 029	12	704	9	3 417	2
Grant	302	29	3 681	10	79	–	1 767	–	278	15	1 861	10
Iberia	401	49	44 719	8	259	6	42 327	3	198	19	2 392	5
Iberville	241	13	26 307	1	140	–	25 508	–	143	5	786	1
Jackson	269	36	4 096	2	45	2	65	1	254	11	3 991	1
Jefferson	37	3	991	(Z)	14	1	721	(Z)	24	–	270	–
Jefferson Davis	652	45	58 890	8	541	11	57 480	4	313	20	1 403	4
Lafayette	1 009	139	23 443	31	464	9	17 246	6	770	75	6 197	25
Lafourche	356	34	35 566	5	218	1	34 442	1	177	7	1 094	4
La Salle	196	26	960	6	63	4	316	1	169	11	636	4
Lincoln	383	29	13 807	4	97	–	818	–	337	12	12 939	4
Livingston	479	55	8 973	12	100	7	384	2	422	31	8 528	10
Madison	358	13	33 936	2	333	2	31 861	1	104	1	1 924	(Z)
Morehouse	511	45	40 021	5	366	4	37 123	(Z)	255	22	2 886	5
Natchitoches	802	57	15 710	11	256	7	7 198	2	703	23	8 123	9
Orleans	7	1	27	(Z)	5	–	27	–	1	1	1	(Z)
Ouachita	384	32	7 771	4	162	3	5 430	3	294	8	2 327	1
Plaquemines	102	5	1 288	1	72	3	680	1	23	–	608	–
Pointe Coupee	600	56	18 096	13	253	15	15 241	9	461	17	2 843	4
Rapides	1 053	65	25 536	16	481	18	18 431	10	783	24	6 670	6
Red River	327	43	5 269	10	113	6	2 505	3	301	16	2 677	7
Richland	877	51	26 608	6	638	5	21 461	1	499	10	5 053	5
Sabine	460	29	10 836	4	79	1	161	(Z)	422	13	10 254	4
St Bernard	21	3	186	1	12	1	169	(Z)	13	2	17	1
St Charles	60	3	1 464	1	15	1	757	(Z)	51	2	707	1
St Helena	489	46	10 190	6	111	6	299	2	412	14	9 802	5
St James	117	2	25 323	1	108	2	25 276	1	19	–	47	–
St John the Baptist	48	2	9 508	(Z)	35	–	9 398	–	19	1	110	(Z)
St Landry	1 900	211	39 329	39	1 131	26	34 320	14	1 241	74	4 911	25
St Martin	566	50	20 691	10	317	7	19 651	3	336	16	1 040	7
St Mary	148	8	41 289	2	131	4	41 242	2	28	6	47	(Z)
St Tammy	458	43	6 584	10	134	2	2 975	1	375	22	3 282	8
Tangipahoa	1 190	112	39 117	24	307	28	2 107	13	998	36	36 733	11
Tensas	338	10	24 817	1	296	3	22 586	1	126	–	2 188	–
Terrebonne	129	16	14 577	4	84	5	14 373	3	69	5	203	1
Union	493	39	14 862	5	138	2	278	(Z)	440	15	14 249	5
Vermilion	1 475	78	56 100	13	1 020	6	52 898	4	960	28	3 202	10
Vernon	523	46	5 187	11	156	7	392	3	464	23	4 626	8
Washington	1 039	79	20 752	14	214	16	1 700	7	922	20	18 757	7
Webster	511	74	3 671	10	118	15	344	2	466	21	3 175	8
West Baton Rouge	116	24	14 625	1	46	–	14 180	–	80	4	445	1
West Carroll	971	57	21 651	18	804	20	18 294	11	465	16	3 317	7
West Feliciana	218	12	5 527	2	80	–	2 919	–	185	5	2 318	2
Winn	237	10	816	1	28	–	48	–	223	4	611	1

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Hogs and pigs				Chickens 3 months old or older			
	Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Birds on hand	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Louisiana, total	23 482	1 164	1 515 509	5 931	3 335	260	72 365	837	5 856	540	3 657 907	11 490
Acadia	622	33	36 526	198	89	4	1 871	12	161	13	6 140	466
Allen	245	16	11 831	69	50	1	321	6	98	4	2 809	67
Ascension	202	22	9 869	126	24	2	109	7	40	4	20 480	32
Assumption	22	3	429	15	3	–	36	–	6	–	268	–
Avoyelles	951	57	43 033	330	303	10	3 562	39	353	30	10 529	511
Beauregard	605	21	28 469	133	57	3	796	3	181	7	57 062	164
Bienville	338	15	15 208	93	53	–	407	–	100	3	52 383	221
Bossier	379	10	40 534	60	42	1	329	9	68	5	1 790	86
Caddo	531	33	60 704	181	46	5	835	5	69	8	93 607	92
Calcasieu	456	25	43 602	114	35	1	889	2	85	8	31 213	219
Caldwell	198	6	10 409	19	32	2	1 039	14	57	5	1 601	156
Cameron	291	2	31 764	18	12	–	141	–	52	2	1 457	24
Catahoula	271	7	15 147	36	63	1	2 885	7	60	1	1 634	8
Claiborne	354	20	22 529	96	67	8	506	17	96	14	4 957	285
Concordia	166	3	16 058	7	28	6	1 000	16	28	4	892	88
De Soto	618	39	52 654	150	53	19	252	39	108	28	125 536	455
East Baton Rouge	465	15	30 556	78	28	3	629	10	59	5	34 612	113
East Carroll	76	2	7 773	16	36	–	451	–	29	–	1 092	–
East Feliciana	447	11	40 268	63	71	–	1 124	–	106	1	13 704	10
Evangeline	648	33	29 821	146	97	8	1 370	22	201	19	6 403	706
Franklin	741	15	42 908	69	87	2	1 213	8	188	11	3 928	237
Grant	269	19	14 713	103	30	–	1 964	–	68	3	101 559	60
Iberia	221	26	10 888	131	40	3	1 082	8	48	9	1 565	124
Iberville	143	7	18 226	23	8	4	22	4	21	6	599	84
Jackson	245	26	8 717	97	32	2	478	17	63	5	148 650	70
Jefferson	18	–	1 454	–	3	–	146	–	3	–	361	–
Jefferson Davis	302	12	18 899	53	35	9	1 415	24	51	16	1 646	205
Lafayette	802	88	28 029	552	138	7	1 499	10	280	25	8 515	386
Lafourche	174	8	20 862	57	9	–	45	–	31	5	2 842	194

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Hogs and pigs				Chickens 3 months old or older			
	Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Birds on hand	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
La Salle	163	23	7 987	130	28	2	638	2	51	6	12 775	52
Lincoln	326	18	18 297	116	28	1	275	11	61	6	63 734	100
Livingston	415	28	15 382	165	43	1	1 322	2	107	15	767 381	278
Madison	90	1	9 192	3	30	8	1 638	72	23	8	4 964	52
Morehouse	255	19	22 050	100	46	4	1 017	19	59	14	1 350	328
Natchitoches	673	31	72 267	186	35	4	178	12	135	9	2 724	185
Orleans	1	1	50	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ouachita	277	12	15 493	43	21	–	1 757	–	45	–	27 726	–
Plaquemines	24	–	3 775	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	68	–
Pointe Coupee	447	9	38 909	39	64	14	616	53	78	11	9 259	352
Rapides	756	24	50 266	82	108	4	4 570	24	167	15	263 355	352
Red River	297	6	39 831	26	45	6	974	8	65	5	23 592	196
Richland	511	19	35 107	99	54	3	1 762	9	113	12	2 540	285
Sabine	412	25	18 160	122	44	4	687	4	95	9	14 100	48
St Bernard	12	–	768	–	2	–	6	–	4	–	98	–
St Charles	50	1	7 844	2	2	–	4	–	1	–	20	–
St Helena	425	17	26 760	38	85	3	879	10	104	5	127 457	47
St James	19	–	750	–	3	–	17	–	5	–	286	–
St John the Baptist	14	2	918	9	6	–	511	–	–	–	–	–
St Landry	1 322	104	45 252	489	315	35	2 854	120	571	47	17 941	1 256
St Martin	370	22	10 671	126	74	4	584	6	144	11	5 595	327
St Mary	28	4	827	10	7	–	69	–	13	4	656	86
St Tammy	360	16	22 176	70	60	2	940	5	101	9	79 566	175
Tangipahoa	965	45	71 892	225	93	8	1 047	14	178	21	1 229 839	292
Tensas	122	5	24 011	24	33	6	5 065	8	30	5	676	90
Terrebanne	62	2	4 224	16	5	–	12	–	14	–	564	–
Union	444	10	24 199	59	49	–	728	–	64	6	76 422	81
Vermilion	983	40	49 403	245	123	10	633	23	228	13	7 992	216
Vernon	472	15	25 054	84	56	2	496	18	160	12	12 808	436
Washington	941	37	56 048	158	117	13	2 768	35	226	21	5 582	431
Webster	451	28	25 872	120	39	10	1 910	30	82	12	66 343	310
West Baton Rouge	81	8	4 264	29	11	3	34	16	18	3	845	73
West Carroll	494	11	22 807	41	82	8	9 222	51	107	12	81 344	255
West Feliciana	197	5	23 479	28	29	2	2 291	4	40	2	952	40
Winn	223	2	9 644	4	27	2	445	2	54	6	11 519	84

Table 1. **Miscellaneous Poultry: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Ducks				
Louisiana, total	123	1 960	11	1 015
Acadia	12	196	–	–
Avoyelles	5	25	–	–
Beauregard	7	144	1	(D)
Catahoula	3	17	–	–
East Carroll	3	8	–	–
Evangeline	3	56	1	(D)
Grant	5	106	1	(D)
Jefferson Davis	4	66	–	–
Lafayette	3	105	2	(D)
Richland	4	34	–	–
St. Landry	9	130	1	(D)
St. Tammany	5	107	2	(D)
Tangipahoa	4	19	–	–
Tensas	5	74	–	–
Vermilion	16	330	–	–
Washington	3	55	–	–
All other	32	488	3	619
Geese				
Louisiana, total	34	315	2	(D)
Avoyelles	5	48	–	–
St. Landry	3	24	–	–
All other	26	243	2	(D)
Pigeons & Squabs				
Louisiana, total	10	612	2	(D)
All other	10	612	2	(D)
Pheasants				
Louisiana, total	5	145	3	88
All other	5	145	3	88
Quail				
Louisiana, total	8	3 467	3	6 321
All other	8	3 467	3	6 321
Other Poultry				
Louisiana, total	47	1 514	12	761
Acadia	5	520	3	347
Beauregard	3	318	2	302
Franklin	4	176	4	24
Natchitoches	3	29	–	–
Richland	4	22	–	–
Vermilion	4	60	–	–
All other	24	389	3	88

Table 2. **Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Horses of All Ages					
Louisiana, total	3 084	13 908	471	3 401	1 543
Acadia	89	641	13	46	34
Allen	36	106	7	12	2
Ascension	21	110	6	27	23
Assumption	4	24	1	(D)	(D)
Avoyelles	91	249	9	15	3
Beauregard	85	332	13	52	6
Bienville	32	267	14	87	37
Bossier	52	224	8	74	27
Caddo	79	486	17	83	29
Calcasieu	93	573	13	61	58
Caldwell	42	126	3	6	1
Cameron	58	311	7	15	6
Catahoula	58	166	1	(D)	(D)
Claiborne	22	67	4	6	1
Concordia	44	221	10	29	10
De Soto	79	261	7	19	12
East Baton Rouge	76	558	23	131	97
East Carroll	20	117	3	12	26
East Feliciana	64	235	6	21	14
Evangeline	96	306	7	31	7
Franklin	87	387	8	114	13
Grant	32	157	4	17	2
Iberia	36	160	17	69	51
Iberville	19	132	2	(D)	(D)
Jackson	10	51	2	(D)	(D)
Jefferson	5	190	4	515	130
Jefferson Davis	74	292	11	35	9
Lafayette	77	287	16	39	51
Lafourche	29	153	4	12	2
La Salle	18	44	3	3	(Z)
Lincoln	26	80	2	(D)	(D)
Livingston	26	57	3	9	1
Madison	17	101	1	(D)	(D)
Morehouse	39	157	5	985	179
Natchitoches	108	621	31	76	14
Ouachita	39	250	4	43	17
Pointe coupe	49	226	7	62	15
Rapides	110	496	15	79	68
Red River	40	202	6	19	52
Richland	50	208	5	17	13
Sabine	45	105	3	7	1
St. Charles	14	111	2	(D)	(D)
St. Helena	67	187	9	36	5
St. James	3	7	–	–	–
St. Landry	131	675	16	62	85
St. Martin	37	176	4	12	9
St. Tammany	64	692	24	141	297
Tangipahoa	132	432	26	67	43
Tensas	33	191	5	13	3
Terrebonne	13	79	3	12	7
Union	45	135	6	18	4
Vermilion	157	432	13	21	6
Vernon	45	100	2	(D)	(D)
Washington	64	267	8	37	8
Webster	46	161	9	11	3
West Baton Rouge	8	143	1	(D)	(D)
West Carroll	75	187	4	6	1
West Feliciana	55	143	10	22	5
Winn	12	41	3	15	3
All other	6	13	1	(D)	(D)
Ponies of All Ages					
Louisiana, total	382	856	22	106	11
Acadia	9	14	1	(D)	(D)
Allen	7	12	–	–	–
Avoyelles	13	35	2	(D)	(D)
Beauregard	18	86	1	(D)	(D)
Bienville	5	11	–	–	–
Bossier	12	78	1	(D)	(D)
Caddo	12	55	1	(D)	(D)
Calcasieu	5	17	–	–	–
Cameron	7	14	–	–	–
Catahoula	8	11	–	–	–
Claiborne	5	6	–	–	–
De Soto	4	10	2	(D)	(D)
East Baton Rouge	3	11	–	–	–
East Carroll	5	11	–	–	–
East Feliciana	7	16	1	(D)	(D)
Evangeline	12	20	1	(D)	(D)
Franklin	11	21	–	–	–
Grant	10	31	–	–	–
Iberia	4	13	–	–	–
Iberville	3	4	–	–	–
Jefferson Davis	14	24	1	(D)	(D)
Lafayette	10	16	–	–	–
Lincoln	5	12	–	–	–
Livingston	4	9	–	–	–
Madison	4	6	1	(D)	(D)
Morehouse	5	12	–	–	–
Natchitoches	11	13	–	–	–
Ouachita	3	4	–	–	–
Pointe coupe	6	11	1	(D)	(D)
Rapides	14	29	–	–	–
Red River	3	3	–	–	–
Richland	4	5	1	(D)	(D)

Table 2. **Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Ponies of All Ages — Con.					
Sabine	5	5	–	–	–
St. Charles	5	9	–	–	–
St. Helena	11	21	2	(D)	(D)
St. Landry	19	31	–	–	–
St. Martin	3	9	–	–	–
St. Tammany	15	26	1	(D)	(D)
Tangipahoa	24	42	–	–	–
Tensas	5	11	1	(D)	(D)
Terrebonne	3	4	–	–	–
Vermilion	16	27	1	(D)	(D)
Vernon	3	4	–	–	–
West Carroll	9	11	–	–	–
All other	21	36	3	36	4
Mules, Burros, and Donkeys of All Ages					
Louisiana, total	143	253	13	36	5
Acadia	4	4	–	–	–
Beauregard	7	14	3	3	(Z)
Caldwell	3	3	–	–	–
Claiborne	4	4	–	–	–
De Soto	6	8	1	(D)	(D)
East Baton Rouge	4	8	–	–	–
East Feliciana	3	3	–	–	–
Evangeline	4	4	–	–	–
Jefferson	3	11	1	(D)	(D)
Jefferson Davis	5	11	1	(D)	(D)
Lafayette	3	5	–	–	–
Lincoln	4	10	–	–	–
Natchitoches	3	3	–	–	–
Ouachita	4	4	–	–	–
Pointe coupe	3	9	–	–	–
Rapides	7	11	–	–	–
Red River	3	8	–	–	–
Sabine	7	7	–	–	–
St. Helena	4	4	2	(D)	(D)
St. Landry	7	47	–	–	–
St. Martin	4	6	–	–	–
Tangipahoa	8	9	–	–	–
Washington	5	5	2	(D)	(D)
West Carroll	4	4	–	–	–
Winn	3	5	–	–	–
All other	31	46	3	6	(Z)
Goats, Except Angora and Milk Goats					
Louisiana, total	44	726	18	311	4
Ouachita	3	17	1	(D)	(D)
Rapides	6	48	1	(D)	(D)
St. Tammany	3	43	–	–	–
All other	32	618	16	271	2

	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Rabbits & Their Pelts					
Louisiana, total	9	436	2	(D)	(D)
All other	9	436	2	(D)	(D)
Poultry Hatched					
Louisiana, total	(X)	(X)	6	41 261 381	4 704
All other	(X)	(X)	6	41 261 381	4 704
Other Livestock					
Louisiana, total	288	(X)	56	(X)	514
Acadia	9	(X)	–	(X)	–
Allen	6	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Assumption	3	(X)	3	(X)	82
Avoyelles	10	(X)	3	(X)	16
Beauregard	7	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Bienville	8	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Bossier	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Caddo	4	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Calcasieu	6	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Caldwell	3	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Catahoula	5	(X)	3	(X)	24
Claiborne	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
De Soto	4	(X)	3	(X)	(Z)
East Feliciana	3	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Evangeline	8	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Franklin	11	(X)	4	(X)	(Z)
Jackson	3	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Lafayette	10	(X)	–	(X)	–
La Salle	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Lincoln	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Morehouse	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Natchitoches	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Ouachita	7	(X)	–	(X)	–
Rapides	7	(X)	3	(X)	(Z)
Red River	6	(X)	–	(X)	–
Richland	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Sabine	6	(X)	–	(X)	–
St. Helena	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
St. Landry	31	(X)	–	(X)	–
St. Martin	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
St. Tammany	5	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Tangipahoa	22	(X)	5	(X)	71
Union	6	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Vermilion	5	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Vernon	6	(X)	4	(X)	(Z)
Washington	10	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Webster	7	(X)	–	(X)	–
West Carroll	8	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
West Feliciana	12	(X)	–	(X)	–
All other	19	(X)	10	(X)	296

Table 3. Mink: 1974, not shown for Louisiana

Table 4. **Colonies of Bees: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory of colonies of bees		Sales					
			Colonies of bees			Pounds of honey		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Louisiana, total	72	22 960	5	16 321	125	49	1 015 089	532
Avoyelles	13	9 519	1	(D)	(D)	13	469 728	294
Beauregard	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bossier	4	72	–	–	–	3	2 940	1
Catahoula	4	14	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
East Baton Rouge	3	403	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Grant	3	32	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
Rapides	4	404	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
St. Landry	5	790	–	–	–	5	48 538	23
St. Martin	4	4 540	2	(D)	(D)	4	92 937	32
Washington	3	10	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
All other	26	7 173	1	(D)	(D)	15	363 082	164

Table 5. Angora Goats: 1974, not shown for Louisiana

Table 6. Milk Goats: 1974, not shown for Louisiana

Table 7. Fish: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Fish sales, 1974												Acres under water for fish production	
	Total		Any				Only pounds			Only number				
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Pounds	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Acres
Catfish														
Louisiana, total	32	280	26	461 273	6	57 315	26	461 273	240	6	57 315	40	28	776
All other	32	280	26	461 273	6	57 315	26	461 273	240	6	57 315	40	28	776
Other Food-Type Fish														
Louisiana, total	10	47	9	174 982	(D)	(D)	9	174 982	46	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	973
All other	10	47	9	174 982	(D)	(D)	9	174 982	46	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	973
Other Fish														
Louisiana, total	7	390	5	145 100	(D)	(D)	5	145 100	187	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	257
All other	7	390	5	145 100	(D)	(D)	5	145 100	187	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	257

Table 8. Hay, Field Seeds, Other Specified Field Crops, and Berries: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixtures for Hay or Dehydrating (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	309	10 804	23 359	5	136
Acadia	4	133	331	2	(D)
Allen	3	84	126	–	–
Avoyelles	13	282	530	–	–
Beauregard	7	240	483	–	–
Bienville	6	82	67	–	–
Bossier	12	983	1 252	–	–
Caddo	32	1 529	4 205	–	–
Claiborne	4	72	151	–	–
Concordia	3	16	42	–	–
De Soto	6	375	649	–	–
East Baton Rouge	6	256	243	–	–
Evangeline	5	60	107	–	–
Franklin	22	465	1 506	–	–
Grant	7	316	652	–	–
Iberville	4	300	617	–	–
Lafayette	5	72	223	–	–
Lincoln	5	405	470	–	–
Madison	4	51	75	–	–
Morehouse	5	115	201	1	(D)
Natchitoches	10	240	549	–	–
Ouachita	6	188	131	–	–
Pointe coupe	8	164	183	–	–
Rapides	7	208	834	–	–
Red River	7	645	1 311	–	–
Richland	3	75	253	–	–
Sabine	8	310	630	–	–
St. Helena	3	52	58	–	–
St. Landry	7	150	130	–	–
St. Martin	9	281	654	1	(D)
St. Tammany	5	286	1 190	–	–
Tangipahoa	6	80	157	1	(D)
Tensas	6	351	678	–	–
Union	7	309	496	–	–
Vermilion	11	97	211	–	–
Washington	21	545	1 845	–	–
West Carroll	16	403	721	–	–
All other	16	584	1 398	–	–
Clover, Timothy, & Mixtures of Clover & Grasses for Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	819	38 762	70 101	5	69
Acadia	4	124	156	–	–
Ascension	3	150	235	–	–
Avoyelles	84	3 791	8 000	–	–
Beauregard	11	534	1 427	–	–
Bienville	7	167	356	–	–
Bossier	12	698	879	–	–
Caddo	39	2 389	4 432	–	–
Calcasieu	7	164	420	1	(D)
Catahoula	8	145	293	–	–
Claiborne	5	297	408	–	–
Concordia	9	281	717	–	–
De Soto	24	1 217	1 820	–	–
East Baton Rouge	13	629	1 004	–	–
East Feliciana	16	589	1 154	–	–
Evangeline	18	292	826	–	–
Franklin	7	213	391	–	–
Grant	12	828	1 241	–	–
Iberia	12	717	750	–	–
Iberville	18	940	1 834	–	–
Jefferson Davis	10	338	570	–	–
Lafayette	24	982	1 428	–	–

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Clover, Timothy, & Mixtures of Clover & Grasses for Hay (dry tons)—Con.					
Lafourche	16	1 284	1 439	–	–
La Salle	3	79	165	–	–
Lincoln	3	92	361	–	–
Livingston	7	249	442	–	–
Madison	5	155	131	–	–
Morehouse	9	200	211	1	(D)
Natchitoches	59	5 084	11 162	–	–
Ouachita	11	142	182	–	–
Pointe coupe	42	2 104	3 638	–	–
Rapides	42	2 047	3 194	–	–
Red River	8	912	1 625	–	–
Richland	12	303	708	–	–
Sabine	12	389	1 037	–	–
St. Helena	10	538	668	–	–
St. Landry	42	1 006	2 307	–	–
St. Martin	14	746	983	–	–
St. Tammany	21	535	922	–	–
Tangipahoa	31	1 192	2 325	2	(D)
Tensas	5	353	388	–	–
Terrebonne	11	755	777	–	–
Union	3	200	290	–	–
Vermilion	5	286	336	1	(D)
Vernon	7	402	582	–	–
Washington	33	1 338	2 376	–	–
Webster	16	682	1 337	–	–
West Baton Rouge	7	481	920	–	–
West Carroll	13	475	776	–	–
West Feliciana	9	524	975	–	–
Winn	6	220	605	–	–
All other	14	504	898	–	–
Small Grain Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	577	20 262	34 963	12	422
Avoyelles	9	113	136	–	–
Beauregard	9	276	335	–	–
Bienville	4	438	666	–	–
Caddo	4	112	170	–	–
Cameron	3	260	718	–	–
Catahoula	7	157	172	–	–
Claiborne	3	135	117	–	–
De Soto	10	372	683	–	–
East Baton Rouge	24	1 145	1 847	–	–
East Feliciana	47	2 104	3 452	–	–
Evangeline	8	207	399	–	–
Franklin	12	164	371	3	18
Iberia	8	496	897	–	–
Jefferson Davis	4	159	286	2	(D)
Lafayette	17	407	825	–	–
Lincoln	8	202	558	–	–
Livingston	11	144	336	–	–
Pointe coupe	7	296	541	–	–
Rapides	8	185	476	–	–
Sabine	4	127	191	–	–
St. Helena	46	1 460	2 361	–	–
St. Landry	8	56	76	–	–
St. Martin	5	87	217	–	–
St. Tammany	10	465	565	–	–
Tangipahoa	105	3 441	5 957	–	–
Vermilion	18	585	1 089	6	348
Vernon	8	174	380	–	–
Washington	131	5 616	9 665	–	–
Webster	9	190	315	–	–
West Feliciana	6	123	201	–	–
All other	24	566	961	1	(D)

Table 8. **Hay, Field Seeds, Other Specified Field Crops, and Berries: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Lespedeza for Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	63	2 386	3 919	1	(D)
Avoyelles	5	105	191	–	–
Beauregard	3	51	85	–	–
Caddo	5	345	664	–	–
Caldwell	3	53	56	–	–
Jefferson Davis	3	49	166	1	(D)
Lafayette	9	149	246	–	–
St. Landry	3	47	56	–	–
St. Tammany	3	364	770	–	–
Tangipahoa	3	185	295	–	–
Washington	3	175	176	–	–
All other	23	863	1 214	–	–
Coastal Bermuda Grass for Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	1 768	69 967	190 781	28	533
Acadia	7	231	259	2	(D)
Allen	8	157	520	–	–
Avoyelles	30	590	1 594	–	–
Beauregard	45	1 018	2 291	–	–
Bienville	52	1 648	5 105	–	–
Bossier	59	3 583	8 246	–	–
Caddo	71	4 515	11 462	1	(D)
Calcasieu	22	329	801	–	–
Caldwell	20	586	1 429	1	(D)
Cameron	7	130	258	–	–
Catahoula	34	558	1 376	–	–
Claiborne	98	3 286	10 102	–	–
Concordia	10	452	1 076	–	–
De Soto	46	2 019	5 146	–	–
East Baton Rouge	4	123	754	–	–
East Carroll	8	1 652	1 635	–	–
East Feliciana	11	589	1 222	–	–
Evangeline	13	152	441	1	(D)
Franklin	121	2 779	8 968	15	309
Grant	19	560	1 113	–	–
Iberia	3	552	280	–	–
Jackson	16	512	924	–	–
Jefferson Davis	7	213	586	–	–
Lafayette	21	403	1 132	1	(D)
Lafourche	11	1 112	1 850	–	–
La Salle	4	106	146	–	–
Lincoln	65	1 738	4 022	–	–
Madison	3	41	56	–	–
Morehouse	80	5 667	21 139	1	(D)
Natchitoches	77	4 464	13 564	–	–
Ouachita	48	1 490	5 551	–	–
Pointe coupe	14	424	827	–	–
Rapides	30	812	1 984	–	–
Red River	92	5 431	14 647	–	–
Richland	76	2 577	5 311	1	(D)
Sabine	32	1 083	2 765	–	–
St. Charles	3	230	220	–	–
St. Helena	5	156	300	–	–
St. Landry	57	1 483	3 695	–	–
Tangipahoa	14	737	2 386	–	–
Tensas	25	2 911	11 784	2	(D)
Union	114	4 368	9 912	–	–
Vermilion	12	307	706	3	20
Vernon	53	1 166	3 105	–	–
Washington	12	417	1 010	–	–
Webster	78	3 133	9 767	–	–
West Carroll	99	2 365	7 373	–	–
West Feliciana	5	184	330	–	–
Winn	14	463	1 144	–	–
All other	13	465	467	–	–
Wild Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	1 325	49 154	79 146	14	185
Acadia	24	862	1 365	1	(D)
Allen	4	88	215	–	–
Ascension	13	1 282	1 933	–	–
Avoyelles	58	1 711	3 116	–	–
Beauregard	12	252	640	–	–
Bienville	7	249	508	–	–
Bossier	19	1 218	1 389	–	–
Caddo	41	2 495	3 932	–	–
Calcasieu	18	902	1 194	–	–
Caldwell	6	365	196	–	–
Cameron	15	418	620	–	–
Catahoula	11	286	341	–	–
Claiborne	19	731	1 435	–	–
Concordia	23	637	1 153	–	–
De Soto	56	2 080	3 964	–	–
East Baton Rouge	40	1 505	2 240	–	–
East Carroll	7	570	1 019	–	–
East Feliciana	42	2 210	2 329	–	–
Evangeline	24	601	1 044	1	(D)
Franklin	55	1 250	2 885	3	22
Grant	11	695	802	–	–
Iberia	29	1 020	1 682	–	–
Iberville	12	803	2 308	–	–
Jackson	5	129	180	–	–
Jefferson Davis	17	307	394	–	–
Lafayette	85	1 714	2 823	3	71
Lafourche	10	591	995	–	–
Lincoln	3	100	250	–	–
Livingston	3	130	172	–	–
Madison	6	179	198	–	–
Morehouse	6	75	74	–	–
Natchitoches	46	2 682	4 471	–	–
Ouachita	17	393	275	–	–
Pointe coupe	51	2 090	3 956	–	–
Rapides	46	3 069	5 500	–	–
Red River	13	622	1 318	–	–
Richland	19	399	690	–	–
Sabine	28	927	1 413	–	–
St. Charles	11	877	1 533	–	–
St. Helena	6	290	932	–	–
St. John the Baptist	3	260	170	–	–
St. Landry	80	1 492	2 401	–	–
St. Martin	35	1 449	1 446	–	–
St. Tammany	6	85	111	–	–
Tangipahoa	67	2 054	3 382	–	–
Tensas	9	680	1 155	–	–
Terrebonne	13	554	697	–	–
Union	6	67	84	–	–
Vermilion	57	1 775	2 645	6	67
Vernon	6	93	125	–	–
Washington	38	867	1 010	–	–
Webster	20	1 038	1 382	–	–
West Baton Rouge	11	261	553	–	–
West Carroll	27	676	836	–	–
West Feliciana	12	463	600	–	–
Winn	11	370	831	–	–
All other	6	166	234	–	–
Other Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	1 753	68 397	138 343	19	575
Acadia	10	284	505	2	(D)
Allen	16	692	1 050	–	–
Ascension	4	105	189	–	–
Avoyelles	36	1 332	4 359	–	–
Beauregard	82	2 388	4 304	–	–
Bienville	25	703	1 435	–	–
Bossier	30	1 828	4 421	–	–
Caddo	50	2 742	5 793	–	–
Calcasieu	21	1 046	2 016	–	–
Caldwell	18	500	1 028	–	–
Cameron	6	238	648	–	–
Catahoula	35	1 258	2 229	–	–
Claiborne	15	408	852	–	–
Concordia	7	635	620	–	–
De Soto	45	2 487	5 167	–	–
East Baton Rouge	47	1 703	3 796	–	–
East Feliciana	36	2 453	4 632	–	–
Evangeline	16	1 327	1 866	1	(D)
Franklin	77	1 340	2 993	5	41
Grant	10	548	782	–	–
Iberia	16	359	666	–	–
Iberville	3	115	133	–	–
Jackson	15	379	718	–	–
Jefferson Davis	13	280	533	1	(D)
Lafayette	30	1 117	2 324	–	–
Lafourche	9	654	1 198	–	–
La Salle	13	412	727	–	–
Lincoln	23	647	1 589	–	–
Livingston	44	1 038	2 641	1	(D)
Madison	6	36	57	–	–
Morehouse	4	53	130	–	–
Natchitoches	54	2 362	3 627	–	–
Ouachita	21	329	747	–	–
Pointe coupe	18	1 816	4 790	–	–
Rapides	39	1 082	2 175	–	–
Red River	17	1 048	2 573	–	–
Richland	40	1 064	1 938	–	–
Sabine	23	1 188	2 348	–	–
St. Helena	81	3 446	6 925	–	–
St. Landry	54	1 529	2 940	–	–
St. Martin	9	401	921	–	–
St. Tammany	46	1 822	4 533	–	–
Tangipahoa	199	8 351	16 395	3	24
Tensas	9	578	968	–	–
Union	15	509	729	–	–
Vermilion	25	1 081	1 936	6	356
Vernon	54	1 389	4 084	–	–
Washington	158	7 000	13 813	–	–
Webster	29	873	1 558	–	–
West Baton Rouge	3	278	401	–	–
West Carroll	63	1 297	2 644	–	–
West Feliciana	21	1 171	1 726	–	–
Winn	9	546	976	–	–
All other	4	130	195	–	–
Grass Silage and Haylage (green tons)					
Louisiana, total	102	4 199	25 100	1	(D)
Beauregard	5	64	182	–	–
Bienville	4	200	738	–	–
De Soto	4	286	1 631	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Grass Silage and Haylage (green tons)—Con.					
Evangeline	4	14	171	–	–
Iberia	3	125	540	–	–
Lincoln	6	155	1 212	–	–
Livingston	4	116	1 155	–	–
Richland	4	99	234	–	–
St. Helena	8	400	3 248	–	–
Tangipahoa	12	470	4 636	–	–
Vermilion	3	470	1 125	1	(D)
Vernon	5	140	1 200	–	–
Washington	10	221	1 402	–	–
Webster	4	215	1 770	–	–
West Carroll	3	31	126	–	–
All other	23	1 193	5 730	–	–
Hay Crops Cut & Fed Green (green tons)					
Louisiana, total	118	3 776	21 998	–	–
Caddo	4	245	851	–	–
De Soto	3	99	510	–	–
East Baton Rouge	3	50	740	–	–
Evangeline	8	91	306	–	–
Iberia	6	113	640	–	–
Lafayette	3	54	750	–	–
Richland	3	81	805	–	–
St. Helena	6	245	1 020	–	–
Tangipahoa	21	714	5 960	–	–
Terrebonne	4	80	360	–	–
Washington	30	1 236	5 237	–	–
All other	27	768	4 819	–	–
Ky 31 Fescue Seed (lb)					
Louisiana, total	3	40	4 600	–	–
All other	3	40	4 600	–	–
Bahia Grass Seed					
Louisiana, total	22	876	103 705	–	–
Tangipahoa	3	147	8 595	–	–
Washington	4	280	47 100	–	–
All other	15	449	48 010	–	–
Annual Ryegrass Seed (lb)					
Louisiana, total	95	4 511	1 147 329	3	56
Acadia	5	137	29 400	1	(D)
Beauregard	3	63	15 300	–	–
Calcasieu	3	325	84 000	–	–
East Baton Rouge	5	360	96 000	–	–
East Feliciana	11	357	90 500	–	–
Franklin	7	106	19 833	–	–
Iberia	3	84	17 760	–	–
Jefferson Davis	4	314	39 000	–	–
St. Helena	4	70	28 833	–	–
St. Tammany	4	90	26 600	–	–
Tangipahoa	16	666	197 428	–	–
Washington	8	279	68 700	–	–
West Feliciana	6	205	37 165	–	–
All other	16	1 455	396 810	2	(D)
Perennial Ryegrass Seed (lb)					
Louisiana, total	10	480	137 100	–	–
All other	10	480	137 100	–	–
White Clover Seed (lb)					
Louisiana, total	7	1 560	152 390	–	–
Avoyelles	5	1 480	146 390	–	–
All Other Seeds					
Louisiana, total	11	802	207 400	–	–
East Baton Rouge	6	494	39 100	–	–
All other	5	308	168 300	–	–
Field Corn for Silage or Green Chop (green tons)					
Louisiana, total	162	8 301	104 816	9	486
Acadia	4	81	446	1	(D)
Avoyelles	3	201	3 021	–	–
Beauregard	7	475	7 183	–	–
East Baton Rouge	6	466	4 781	–	–
East Feliciana	4	318	3 875	–	–
Evangeline	3	260	4 600	–	–
Iberia	3	140	1 450	–	–
Lafayette	10	446	5 123	–	–
Madison	6	449	5 188	–	–
Morehouse	4	440	5 980	–	–
Rapides	5	257	3 942	–	–
Red River	4	72	668	–	–
Richland	5	274	2 956	–	–
St. Helena	5	300	3 845	1	(D)

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Field Corn for Silage or Green Chop (green tons)—Con.					
St. Landry	26	1 440	18 936	2	(D)
St. Martin	7	403	4 330	–	–
St. Tammany	4	175	2 075	–	–
Tangipahoa	10	372	3 910	–	–
Tensas	4	150	2 488	2	(D)
Washington	6	173	1 730	–	–
West Carroll	5	91	760	–	–
All other	31	1 318	17 529	3	185
Field Corn for Dry Fodder, Hogged or Grazed					
Louisiana, total	68	1 081	(X)	4	59
Avoyelles	8	52	(X)	–	–
Catahoula	3	120	(X)	–	–
Iberville	4	59	(X)	–	–
Lafayette	3	43	(X)	–	–
Lafourche	3	45	(X)	–	–
La Salle	3	10	(X)	–	–
Pointe coupe	7	88	(X)	–	–
Richland	4	37	(X)	–	–
St. Landry	4	53	(X)	–	–
St. Martin	10	248	(X)	2	(D)
All other	19	326	(X)	2	(D)
Sorghums for Silage or Green Chop (green tons)					
Louisiana, total	170	9 173	93 438	2	(D)
Beauregard	4	166	1 071	–	–
Bienville	3	290	3 600	–	–
Bossier	3	101	1 500	–	–
Caddo	5	350	3 780	–	–
Concordia	4	50	1 310	–	–
De Soto	8	436	4 473	–	–
East Feliciana	4	613	4 840	–	–
Evangeline	4	481	5 168	–	–
Iberia	4	141	1 814	–	–
Lafayette	6	230	2 830	–	–
Morehouse	4	196	1 410	–	–
Rapides	3	83	1 240	–	–
Richland	4	280	2 410	–	–
St. Helena	5	360	6 150	–	–
St. Landry	13	360	2 183	–	–
St. Martin	6	172	2 015	–	–
St. Tammany	3	172	1 710	–	–
Tangipahoa	24	835	9 442	1	(D)
Tensas	3	265	1 620	–	–
Vermilion	3	74	462	–	–
Vernon	11	1 082	9 847	1	(D)
Washington	14	342	3 431	–	–
West Carroll	4	243	1 169	–	–
West Feliciana	6	295	3 290	–	–
All other	22	1 556	16 673	–	–
Sorghums Cut for Dry Forage or Hay (dry tons)					
Louisiana, total	40	852	1 542	–	–
Avoyelles	3	24	110	–	–
Franklin	6	68	68	–	–
Tangipahoa	4	84	196	–	–
All other	27	676	1 168	–	–
Sorghums Hogged or Grazed					
Louisiana, total	25	874	(X)	2	(D)
Rapides	9	188	(X)	–	–
St. Landry	3	11	(X)	–	–
All other	13	675	(X)	2	(D)
All Other Crops					
Louisiana, total	42	661	(X)	4	9
St. Martin	5	142	(X)	2	(D)
St. Tammany	5	30	(X)	–	–
Tangipahoa	3	3	(X)	–	–
Vermilion	5	91	(X)	–	–
Washington	3	21	(X)	–	–
All other	21	374	(X)	2	(D)
Strawberries (lb)					
Louisiana, total	91	313	1 584 381	77	280
Livingston	19	76	573 440	13	66
Tangipahoa	62	215	915 389	57	202
All other	10	22	95 552	7	12
Tame Blueberries (lb)					
Louisiana, total	3	6	17 980	–	–
All other	3	6	17 980	–	–

Table 9. Grains, Dry Beans and Peas, Sweetpotatoes, and Sugar Crops: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Oats for Grain (bu)					
Louisiana, total	121	5 512	238 565	6	485
Acadia	6	305	3 050	–	–
Bienville	4	20	1 000	–	–
Caddo	6	85	2 900	–	–
East Carroll	6	849	53 272	–	–
East Feliciana	3	166	4 820	–	–
Franklin	14	277	8 560	1	40
Ouachita	7	473	18 740	5	445
Red River	4	183	10 990	–	–
Richland	8	146	6 050	–	–
Tensas	8	457	19 845	–	–
Webster	3	65	650	–	–
West Carroll	36	1 338	73 955	–	–
All other	16	1 148	34 733	–	–
Rye for Grain (bu)					
Louisiana, total	32	1 311	29 213	2	(D)
Bienville	3	84	1 680	–	–
East Feliciana	4	135	3 196	1	(D)
Lafayette	5	314	7 280	–	–
Vermilion	6	560	12 900	1	(D)
West Feliciana	4	16	320	–	–
All other	10	202	3 837	–	–
Mixed Grains (bu)					
Louisiana, total	3	48	288	–	–
All other	3	48	288	–	–
Rice (100-lb bags)					
Louisiana, total	2 745	645 504	24 579 124	2 745	645 504
Acadia	516	111 430	4 486 725	516	111 430
Allen	123	35 101	1 426 474	123	35 101
Avoyelles	18	5 321	200 108	18	5 321
Beauregard	18	5 652	191 864	18	5 652
Calcasieu	211	78 356	2 584 067	211	78 356
Cameron	55	17 112	576 155	55	17 112
East Carroll	8	3 531	156 643	8	3 531
Evangeline	251	47 640	1 869 383	251	47 640
Iberia	19	4 268	146 228	19	4 268
Jefferson Davis	430	117 269	4 538 271	430	117 269
Lafayette	72	13 729	517 433	72	13 729
Morehouse	48	30 891	1 309 109	48	30 891
Ouachita	4	1 077	43 304	4	1 077
Rapides	8	2 693	102 608	8	2 693
Richland	12	3 526	82 655	12	3 526
St. Landry	120	21 450	783 586	120	21 450
St. Martin	12	4 202	110 774	12	4 202
St. Mary	3	1 301	40 976	3	1 301
Vermilion	796	134 427	5 140 759	796	134 427
West Carroll	8	2 755	117 239	8	2 755
All other	13	3 773	154 763	13	3 773
Dry Field and Seed Peas (lb)					
Louisiana, total	28	82	60 532	1	(D)
Caddo	3	8	6 200	–	–
Franklin	7	9	10 800	–	–
Richland	3	3	5 300	–	–
Washington	3	3	2 600	–	–
All other	12	59	35 632	1	(D)
Cowpeas for Dry Peas (bu)					
Louisiana, total	10	373	3 808	–	–
All other	10	373	3 808	–	–
Sweetpotatoes (bu)					
Louisiana, total	783	19 806	3 665 529	29	683
Acadia	24	727	125 380	1	(D)
Avoyelles	143	3 342	587 303	6	116
Beauregard	5	7	1 143	–	–
Bienville	7	164	30 800	–	–
Bossier	9	67	16 236	–	–
Caddo	3	2	409	–	–

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Sweetpotatoes (bu)—Con.					
Catahoula	3	1	50	–	–
Claiborne	7	6	298	–	–
Concordia	5	31	9 040	–	–
De Soto	5	8	656	–	–
East Baton Rouge	5	137	20 300	–	–
Evangeline	92	3 946	669 719	1	(D)
Franklin	20	252	61 179	3	220
Grant	3	12	2 400	–	–
Jefferson Davis	8	60	12 000	–	–
Lafayette	14	590	75 951	2	(D)
La Salle	3	1	150	–	–
Madison	6	1	86	–	–
Morehouse	3	1	75	–	–
Natchitoches	5	1	138	–	–
Ouachita	4	2	250	–	–
Pointe coupe	3	1	126	–	–
Rapides	8	44	5 420	–	–
Red River	7	3	141	–	–
Richland	5	3	413	–	–
St. Helena	7	17	827	–	–
St. Landry	201	6 325	1 189 200	7	196
St. Martin	30	951	160 569	–	–
Tangipahoa	7	6	1 030	1	(D)
Terrebonne	5	9	900	–	–
Union	7	3	275	1	(D)
Vermilion	3	3	700	2	(D)
Vernon	5	3	225	–	–
Washington	15	166	18 515	–	–
Webster	5	101	10 063	–	–
West Carroll	50	1 085	200 084	3	89
West Feliciana	36	1 667	452 159	–	–
All other	15	67	11 319	2	(D)
Sugarcane for Sugar (tons)					
Louisiana, total	1 087	302 629	6 997 684	17	2 719
Ascension	30	12 315	325 422	–	–
Assumption	125	36 757	907 739	4	485
Avoyelles	19	5 483	150 092	–	–
Iberia	176	39 890	934 942	4	813
Iberville	84	23 553	549 077	–	–
Lafayette	32	7 895	170 923	2	(D)
Lafourche	156	37 052	824 471	3	145
Pointe coupe	56	8 064	180 887	1	(D)
Rapides	10	3 579	103 250	–	–
St. Charles	4	1 033	17 907	–	–
St. James	72	22 689	582 944	1	(D)
St. John the Baptist	22	7 919	205 058	–	–
St. Martin	105	17 722	399 299	1	(D)
St. Mary	94	45 124	917 123	1	(D)
Terrebonne	51	17 314	343 321	–	–
Vermilion	29	3 840	75 055	–	–
West Baton Rouge	22	12 400	310 174	–	–
Sugarcane for Sirup					
Louisiana, total	18	635	(X)	–	–
Iberia	3	249	(X)	–	–
St. Mary	6	364	(X)	–	–
Vermilion	3	16	(X)	–	–
All other	6	6	(X)	–	–
Sugarcane for Seed					
Louisiana, total	555	15 004	(X)	4	48
Ascension	18	534	(X)	–	–
Assumption	73	1 949	(X)	1	(D)
Avoyelles	9	204	(X)	–	–
Iberia	90	2 097	(X)	–	–
Iberville	53	1 102	(X)	–	–
Lafayette	11	313	(X)	–	–
Lafourche	62	1 139	(X)	–	–
Pointe coupe	25	394	(X)	2	(D)
Rapides	3	88	(X)	–	–
St. James	44	1 062	(X)	–	–
St. John the Baptist	16	386	(X)	–	–
St. Martin	39	770	(X)	1	(D)
St. Mary	62	2 833	(X)	–	–
Terrebonne	29	1 053	(X)	–	–
Vermilion	3	95	(X)	–	–
West Baton Rouge	16	983	(X)	–	–

Table 10. Vegetables Harvested for Sale: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Sweet Corn				
Louisiana, total	116	536	18	36
Avoyelles	4	16	–	–
Bossier	5	21	1	(D)
Caddo	6	60	–	–
Iberia	3	6	1	(D)
Jackson	4	2	–	–
Lafourche	12	144	–	–
La Salle	3	1	–	–
Ouachita	8	39	–	–
Pointe coupe	3	32	–	–
Rapides	9	20	2	(D)
Richland	4	1	–	–
St. Landry	17	103	6	13
Terrebonne	5	15	–	–
Washington	3	3	2	(D)
All other	30	77	6	8
Tomatoes				
Louisiana, total	182	403	54	105
Beauregard	7	5	–	–
Bossier	8	21	1	(D)
Caddo	11	35	1	(D)
Franklin	3	3	–	–
Jefferson	6	21	–	–
Lafayette	4	1	2	(D)
Plaquemines	13	84	1	(D)
Rapides	9	20	–	–
St. Bernard	5	27	1	(D)
St. Landry	12	14	2	(D)
Tangipahoa	10	15	6	6
Union	3	12	–	–
Washington	3	1	2	(D)
West Carroll	51	109	30	80
All other	37	33	8	5
Cucumbers and Pickles				
Louisiana, total	80	184	27	38
Beauregard	3	1	–	–
Bossier	3	(Z)	–	–
Caddo	6	10	–	–
Lafayette	3	2	2	(D)
Plaquemines	6	40	–	–
Rapides	4	4	2	(D)
Red River	5	1	–	–
St. James	6	27	–	–
St. Landry	6	5	4	3
Tangipahoa	12	18	12	18
Washington	3	5	2	(D)
All other	23	71	5	7
Watermelons				
Louisiana, total	140	1 428	17	21
Beauregard	13	121	–	–
Bienville	13	344	–	–
Bossier	8	42	1	(D)
Caddo	6	29	–	–
Jackson	5	62	–	–
Lafayette	3	1	2	(D)
Ouachita	8	480	–	–
Rapides	5	14	2	(D)
Red River	6	33	–	–
Richland	7	12	–	–
St. Helena	7	20	–	–
St. Landry	7	6	2	(D)
Tangipahoa	4	36	3	6
Union	9	94	–	–
Vernon	7	23	–	–
Washington	6	27	2	(D)
West Carroll	5	29	2	(D)
All other	21	57	3	1
Green Peas, Including English, Excluding Green Cowpeas				
Louisiana, total	92	367	3	5
Beauregard	4	16	–	–
Bossier	5	6	–	–
Caddo	7	30	1	(D)
Claiborne	15	75	–	–
Jackson	3	7	–	–
Ouachita	6	78	–	–
Richland	4	2	–	–
St. Helena	5	8	–	–
Union	6	45	–	–
Webster	4	16	–	–
West Carroll	3	3	–	–
All other	30	83	2	(D)
Snap Beans, Bush and Pole				
Louisiana, total	77	119	13	10
Acadia	3	5	–	–
Beauregard	4	1	–	–

	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Snap Beans, Bush and Pole—Con.				
Caddo	9	19	–	–
Lafayette	3	1	2	(D)
Ouachita	3	4	1	(D)
Plaquemines	5	31	1	(D)
Rapides	8	6	–	–
St. James	3	2	–	–
St. Landry	5	7	2	(D)
West Feliciana	3	11	–	–
All other	31	33	7	6
Beets				
Louisiana, total	14	14	3	2
Caddo	3	3	–	–
West Carroll	4	6	–	–
All other	7	5	3	2
Broccoli				
Louisiana, total	4	6	2	(D)
All other	4	6	2	(D)
Head Cabbage				
Louisiana, total	70	673	16	129
Avoyelles	3	31	–	–
Caddo	3	14	–	–
Jefferson	3	31	–	–
Lafayette	5	5	2	1
Lafourche	4	90	–	–
Plaquemines	7	47	–	–
Rapides	5	4	–	–
St. James	6	153	–	–
St. Landry	4	34	3	3
St. Martin	14	224	5	119
Tangipahoa	3	4	3	4
All other	13	37	3	2
Cantaloups and Persian Melons				
Louisiana, total	21	36	1	(D)
Caddo	7	9	–	–
Vernon	6	7	–	–
All other	8	20	1	(D)
Carrots				
Louisiana, total	6	10	2	(D)
Lafayette	5	9	1	(D)
Cauliflower				
Louisiana, total	8	26	2	(D)
Plaquemines	4	19	–	–
All other	4	7	2	(D)
Collards				
Louisiana, total	20	24	1	(D)
Caddo	3	2	–	–
Rapides	3	2	–	–
All other	14	20	1	(D)
Cowpeas, Blackeyed and Other Green Cowpeas				
Louisiana, total	47	243	8	29
Beauregard	5	2	–	–
Caddo	4	24	–	–
Lafayette	8	26	3	12
Ouachita	6	37	1	(D)
Rapides	4	20	2	(D)
St. Landry	4	6	–	–
All other	16	130	2	(D)
Eggplant				
Louisiana, total	42	108	5	3
Caddo	3	1	–	–
Plaquemines	7	30	–	–
St. Bernard	3	9	–	–
St. James	8	30	–	–
St. John the Baptist	3	26	–	–
St. Landry	4	2	2	1
All other	14	11	3	2
Garlic				
Louisiana, total	8	22	2	(D)
St. Tammany	3	2	2	(D)
All other	5	20	–	–
Head Lettuce				
Louisiana, total	4	5	2	(D)
All other	4	5	2	(D)

Table 10. Vegetables Harvested for Sale: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Lima Beans				
Louisiana, total	28	32	2	(D)
Caddo	4	4	–	–
Rapides	3	6	–	–
Vernon	6	7	–	–
All other	15	15	2	(D)
Mustard Greens				
Louisiana, total	76	253	6	12
Caddo	8	38	–	–
Plaquemines	7	49	–	–
Rapides	14	35	–	–
St. Bernard	3	9	–	–
St. James	7	42	–	–
St. John the Baptist	3	8	–	–
St. Landry	5	4	–	–
Terrebonne	5	13	–	–
All other	24	55	6	12
Dry Onions				
Louisiana, total	3	1	–	–
All other	3	1	–	–
Green Onions				
Louisiana, total	19	81	–	–
Caddo	4	7	–	–
Rapides	5	7	–	–
Terrebonne	5	11	–	–
All other	5	56	–	–
Okra				
Louisiana, total	108	296	16	33
Acadia	3	3	1	(D)
Bossier	3	1	–	–
Caddo	7	17	–	–
Iberia	6	21	–	–
Lafayette	7	22	2	(D)
Plaquemines	3	11	1	(D)
Rapides	7	10	2	(D)
St. Bernard	3	19	–	–
St. Landry	14	32	2	(D)
St. Martin	30	126	2	(D)
St. Tammany	4	9	2	(D)
All other	21	25	4	6
Sweet Peppers				
Louisiana, total	118	558	63	306
Acadia	3	13	1	(D)
Iberia	5	8	–	–
Rapides	4	4	1	(D)
St. James	15	201	2	(D)
St. John the Baptist	3	3	–	–
St. Landry	4	10	2	(D)
St. Martin	6	22	–	–
Tangipahoa	61	258	54	238
All other	17	40	3	9
Hot Peppers				
Louisiana, total	56	524	8	273
Iberia	4	261	1	(D)
Lafayette	9	42	1	(D)
St. Landry	8	59	3	16
St. Martin	29	157	–	–
All other	6	6	3	3
Pumpkins				
Louisiana, total	6	26	–	–
Washington	3	20	–	–
All other	3	6	–	–
Shallots				
Louisiana, total	24	386	1	(D)
Avoyelles	3	71	–	–
Lafourche	3	252	–	–
Plaquemines	5	32	–	–
Pointe coupe	3	11	–	–
St. Bernard	3	9	1	(D)
All other	7	10	–	–
Spinach				
Louisiana, total	4	2	–	–
All other	4	2	–	–
Squash				
Louisiana, total	55	119	10	13
Avoyelles	7	9	2	(D)
Caddo	8	22	–	–
Plaquemines	6	18	–	–
Rapides	6	6	2	(D)
St. Bernard	3	6	–	–
St. Landry	4	44	2	(D)
St. Martin	5	7	–	–
All other	16	6	4	3
Turnips				
Louisiana, total	51	134	4	4
Caddo	4	22	–	–
Plaquemines	3	3	–	–
Rapides	14	21	–	–
St. Bernard	3	12	–	–
St. James	4	25	–	–
St. Landry	3	3	–	–
All other	20	48	4	4
Turnip Greens				
Louisiana, total	19	56	2	(D)
Caddo	5	34	–	–
All other	14	22	2	(D)
Other Vegetables				
Louisiana, total	18	35	–	–
Plaquemines	5	22	–	–
All other	13	13	–	–

Table 11. Fruits and Nuts: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total			Nonbearing age		Bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Quantity
Standard Apples (lb)									
Louisiana, total	6	9	589	4	92	3	497	1	(D)
All other	6	9	589	4	92	3	497	1	(D)
Clingstone Peaches (lb)									
Louisiana, total	38	321	30 445	9	4 233	34	26 212	28	2 037 740
Beauregard	7	17	1 653	–	–	7	1 653	4	62 400
De Soto	3	12	1 200	–	–	3	1 200	3	48 000
Franklin	3	5	360	–	–	3	360	3	9 640
Lincoln	5	200	19 498	3	2 038	5	17 460	5	1 427 200
All other	20	88	7 734	6	2 195	16	5 539	13	490 500
Freestone Peaches (lb)									
Louisiana, total	59	1 134	99 432	39	25 031	52	74 401	45	4 573 226
Beauregard	6	24	2 360	4	390	6	1 970	4	43 699
Calcasieu	3	1	54	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
De Soto	4	19	1 870	3	300	4	1 570	3	33 615
Franklin	4	9	524	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	16 501
Lincoln	6	576	51 658	5	5 276	6	46 382	6	2 293 600
Madison	3	80	5 450	–	–	3	5 450	1	(D)
Morehouse	7	232	20 774	6	11 097	7	9 677	7	727 998
Ouachita	5	91	7 335	4	3 124	5	4 211	5	237 530
West Carroll	5	18	1 868	4	684	4	1 184	4	52 959
All other	16	83	7 539	10	4 024	11	3 515	9	177 264
Pears, Excluding Bartlett (lb)									
Louisiana, total	10	16	1 181	4	140	7	1 041	1	(D)
All other	10	16	1 181	4	140	7	1 041	1	(D)
Grapes (tons, fresh)									
Louisiana, total	14	11	5 295	6	1 950	10	3 345	5	1
Beauregard	3	(Z)	95	–	–	3	95	2	1
All other	11	10	5 200	6	1 950	7	3 250	3	–
Plums (tons, fresh)									
Louisiana, total	18	11	745	11	441	9	304	3	(Z)
Calcasieu	3	1	30	2	12	3	18	1	(Z)
All other	15	10	715	9	429	6	286	2	(Z)
Navel Oranges (boxes)									
Louisiana, total	25	118	11 399	5	722	23	10 677	22	19 818
Plaquemines	22	116	11 109	4	672	21	10 437	20	19 748
All other	3	2	290	1	50	2	240	2	70
Other Oranges (boxes)									
Louisiana, total	24	171	12 752	7	3 265	21	9 487	21	25 303
Plaquemines	17	122	9 032	4	1 145	15	7 887	15	19 062
All other	7	49	3 720	3	2 120	6	1 600	6	6 241
Tangerines and Mandarins (boxes)									
Louisiana, total	11	135	18 640	1	(D)	10	(D)	8	13 535
Plaquemines	6	30	2 290	–	–	6	2 290	5	12 522
All other	5	105	16 350	1	(D)	4	(D)	3	1 013
Figs (lb)									
Louisiana, total	3	1	14	–	–	3	14	–	–
All other	3	1	14	–	–	3	14	–	–
Improved Pecans (lb)									
Louisiana, total	276	17 818	254 122	108	100 545	218	153 577	118	1 210 065
Ascension	3	62	1 164	3	936	3	228	3	3 120
Avoyelles	10	94	2 295	6	1 493	6	802	2	(D)
Beauregard	7	80	1 033	3	662	5	371	–	–
Bossier	12	843	11 967	5	2 368	9	9 599	6	111 800
Caddo	17	1 667	18 880	2	(D)	16	(D)	9	104 216
Calcasieu	3	2	40	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Caldwell	3	188	2 924	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Catahoula	8	242	4 350	7	1 010	3	3 340	–	–
Concordia	7	354	5 301	4	87	4	5 214	4	26 663
De Soto	4	29	415	3	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
East Baton Rouge	5	148	2 275	1	(D)	5	(D)	3	10 110
East Carroll	15	704	6 560	3	220	14	6 340	9	114 774
East Feliciana	3	36	962	–	–	3	962	2	(D)
Evangeline	3	9	179	–	–	3	179	–	–
Franklin	9	55	678	3	83	7	595	3	11 210
Grant	7	767	15 040	5	7 580	4	7 460	2	(D)
Jefferson Davis	5	27	350	–	–	5	350	3	5 400

Table 11. **Fruits and Nuts: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total			Nonbearing age		Bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Quantity
Improved Pecans (lb)—Con.									
Madison	7	737	12 530	2	(D)	7	(D)	2	(D)
Morehouse	7	287	3 772	4	2 202	4	1 570	3	13 250
Natchitoches	16	7 268	101 086	5	50 240	14	50 846	5	240 060
Ouachita	5	1 917	22 310	3	8 260	4	14 050	3	325 271
Pointe coupe	13	413	9 209	6	4 314	10	4 895	6	12 782
Rapides	9	122	2 965	2	(D)	7	(D)	2	(D)
Red River	5	178	2 111	–	–	5	2 111	3	6 600
Richland	8	225	3 032	4	2 570	6	462	2	(D)
St. Landry	6	62	1 238	2	(D)	4	(D)	4	4 980
St. Martin	12	217	2 881	9	1 487	11	1 394	4	391
St. Tammany	7	84	1 666	2	(D)	6	(D)	5	3 865
Tangipahoa	8	56	1 344	4	84	4	1 260	4	1 474
Tensas	9	282	4 492	4	2 960	6	1 532	2	(D)
Vermilion	3	6	94	–	–	3	94	1	(D)
Washington	9	54	561	4	76	5	485	4	8 000
Webster	8	108	1 922	1	(D)	8	(D)	6	4 600
West Carroll	3	14	132	–	–	3	132	3	600
West Feliciana	5	145	2 290	1	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)
All other	15	340	6 074	6	2 186	14	3 888	7	53 161
Wild and Seedling Pecans (lb)									
Louisiana, total	121	6 643	96 149	45	37 426	93	58 723	40	190 632
Avoyelles	7	57	914	5	668	4	246	2	(D)
Bossier	3	437	5 815	1	(D)	3	(D)	–	–
Caddo	4	228	4 868	–	–	4	4 868	1	(D)
Catahoula	3	12	80	–	–	3	80	3	1 400
De Soto	4	56	920	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
East Baton Rouge	4	53	948	2	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)
East Carroll	5	957	13 150	–	–	5	13 150	2	(D)
Franklin	11	73	1 028	1	(D)	11	(D)	10	4 937
Grant	4	109	1 740	1	(D)	3	(D)	–	–
Madison	4	7	56	–	–	4	56	–	–
Natchitoches	7	1 514	15 050	2	(D)	7	(D)	5	19 130
Pointe coupe	10	1 882	31 710	8	20 150	4	11 560	2	(D)
Rapides	14	643	11 103	6	2 220	10	8 883	1	(D)
Richland	8	129	1 945	5	1 480	3	465	1	(D)
St. Landry	6	48	915	3	74	4	841	1	(D)
Vermilion	4	14	118	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
All other	23	426	5 789	6	1 311	21	4 478	9	34 502

Table 12. **Forest Products—Sales: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Standing Timber or Trees		
Louisiana, total	459	3 821
Acadia	3	1
Allen	10	55
Avoyelles	8	10
Beauregard	31	253
Bienville	10	18
Bossier	9	90
Caddo	14	122
Calcasieu	7	38
Caldwell	3	35
Catahoula	7	25
Claiborne	25	70
De Soto	19	173
East Carroll	4	(Z)
East Feliciana	20	200
Evangeline	5	14
Franklin	4	61
Grant	7	37
Jackson	5	31
La Salle	4	2
Lincoln	15	24
Livingston	5	50
Morehouse	3	8
Natchitoches	31	169
Rapides	22	384
Red River	6	60
Sabine	18	117
St. Helena	12	58
St. Tammany	6	319
Tangipahoa	24	220
Union	15	178
Vernon	23	103
Washington	26	252
Webster	10	70
West Feliciana	15	248
Winn	13	110
All other	20	219

	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Firewood and Fuelwood		
Louisiana, total	12	2
Claiborne	3	1
All other	9	1
Saw Logs and Veneer Logs		
Louisiana, total	190	1 561
Allen	3	10
Beauregard	8	22
Bienville	8	43
Bossier	3	5
Claiborne	14	88
De Soto	10	52
East Baton Rouge	4	34
East Feliciana	4	67
Grant	3	6
Lincoln	5	8
Natchitoches	11	182
Rapides	10	30
Richland	5	32
Sabine	14	286
St. Helena	7	23
St. Tammany	3	2
Tangipahoa	10	37
Union	12	131
Vernon	5	43
Washington	4	21
Webster	11	40
West Feliciana	6	35
Winn	4	40
All other	26	326
Pulpwood		
Louisiana, total	364	565
Allen	4	14
Avoyelles	9	13

	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Pulpwood—Con.		
Beauregard	23	35
Bienville	22	22
Caddo	9	3
Catahoula	3	1
Claiborne	23	25
De Soto	24	129
East Feliciana	16	29
Evangeline	6	1
Grant	7	3
Jackson	3	3
Lincoln	13	11
Madison	3	13
Morehouse	5	3
Natchitoches	10	26
Ouachita	4	3
Pointe coupe	4	6
Rapides	13	17
Red River	15	21
Richland	7	30
Sabine	10	13
St. Helena	7	8
Tangipahoa	13	7
Tensas	6	10
Union	19	16
Vernon	17	12
Washington	14	10
Webster	28	16
West Feliciana	6	8
Winn	4	5
All other	17	53
Other Forest Products		
Louisiana, total	21	23
Beauregard	4	12
All other	17	11

Table 13. Nursery and Greenhouse Products: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in open	Value of sales($1,000)
Nursery Products				
Louisiana, total	101	(X)	2 887	4 593
Beauregard	4	(X)	8	11
East Baton Rouge	4	(X)	228	288
Iberia	3	(X)	9	23
Lafayette	5	(X)	452	612
Ouachita	3	(X)	113	258
Plaquemines	8	(X)	13	33
Rapides	22	(X)	354	522
St. Landry	3	(X)	143	218
St. Tammany	19	(X)	1 045	1 814
Tangipahoa	6	(X)	259	348
All other	24	(X)	264	465
Sod Harvested				
Louisiana, total	7	(X)	306	525
St. Tammany	3	(X)	220	403
All other	4	(X)	86	122
Bulbs				
Louisiana, total	6	(X)	17	34
All other	6	(X)	17	34
Cut Flowers, Florist Greens, and Potted, Bedding, or Other Florist Plants				
Louisiana, total	99	904 302	109	2 148
Caddo	5	44 112	–	93
Calcasieu	3	12 992	3	28
Catahoula	3	4 240	–	4
East Baton Rouge	4	140 080	–	251
Jeffersan	6	78 600	–	146
Lafayette	5	13 600	4	145
Ouachita	4	15 444	(Z)	36

	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in open	Value of sales ($1,000)
Cut Flowers, Florist Greens, and Potted, Bedding, or Other Florist Plants—Con.				
Rapides	7	9 440	3	29
St. Tammany	19	181 740	92	450
Tangipahoo	8	92 240	2	196
Union	4	4 000	–	14
Washington	3	109 000	2	318
All other	28	198 814	3	442
Flower Seeds, Vegetable Seeds, and Vegetable Plants				
Louisiana, total	28	105 062	22	181
Caddo	6	56 000	–	78
Rapides	5	5 712	–	5
All other	17	43 350	22	98
Tomatoes Grown Under Glass or Other Protection				
Louisiana, total	16	130 102	(X)	213
All other	16	130 102	(X)	213
Other Vegetables Grown Under Glass or Other Protection				
Louisiana, total	4	46 204	(X)	14
All other	4	46 204	(X)	14

Table 14. Farm Operators by Selected Racial and Ethnic Group: 1974

	Farm operators	
	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over
Black		
Louisiana, total	2 619	924
Acadia	16	12
Allen	14	9
Ascension	14	2
Assumption	4	4
Avoyelles	63	23
Bienville	37	11
Bossier	33	11
Caddo	66	18
Calcasieu	7	–
Caldwell	21	13
Catahoula	28	23
Claiborne	64	15
Concordia	40	20
De Sota	101	30
East Baton Rouge	38	5
East Carroll	64	51
East Feliciana	78	5
Evangeline	57	34
Franklin	125	71
Grant	22	2
Iberia	42	15
Iberville	11	1
Jackson	22	–
Lafayette	107	28
Lincoln	24	1
Livingston	8	5
Madison	55	44
Morehouse	49	22
Natchitoches	87	29

	Farm operators	
	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over
Black—Con.		
Ouachita	12	7
Pointe coupe	75	21
Rapides	33	6
Red River	31	4
Richland	72	21
Sabine	8	–
St. Helena	130	7
St. James	22	17
St. John the Baptist	9	3
St. Landry	366	131
St. Martin	85	30
St. Mary	23	10
St. Tammony	13	4
Tangipahoo	46	12
Tensas	61	37
Terrebonne	5	5
Union	31	6
Vermilian	28	12
Washington	117	18
Webster	20	1
West Baton Rouge	13	3
West Carroll	58	26
West Feliciana	54	34
All other	10	5
American Indian		
Louisiana, total	37	19
Caddo	5	–
Natchitoches	4	1

	Farm operators	
	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over
American Indian—Con.		
St. Helena	6	4
All other	22	14
Spanish Origin		
Louisiana, total	34	23
Avoyelles	9	6
Caldwell	7	5
St. Landry	5	5
All other	13	7
Japanese, Chinese, and Filipino		
Louisiana, total	3	1
All other	3	1
Other		
Louisiana, total	64	36
Acadia	12	11
Natchitoches	15	6
St. Landry	5	–
St. Martin	5	5
St. Mary	4	–
Vermilion	3	1
All other	20	13

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	33 240	42 269	18 542	20 075
Land in farms — acres	9 133 275	9 788 662	7 974 270	8 187 638
Average size of farm — acres	275	232	430	408
Approximate land area — acres	28 777 152	28 777 152	28 777 152	28 777 152
Proportion in farms — percent	31.7	34.0	27.7	28.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	4 678 672	3 145 431	3 974 675	2 555 117
Average per farm — dollars	140 754	74 414	214 361	127 278
Average per acre — dollars	512	321	498	312
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	1 709	2 033	455	316
10 to 49 acres	9 233	13 610	2 463	2 220
50 to 69 acres	3 049	3 765	1 283	1 340
70 to 99 acres	3 524	4 492	1 748	2 045
100 to 139 acres	3 169	3 861	1 914	2 211
140 to 179 acres	2 107	2 719	1 455	1 771
180 to 219 acres	1 633	1 931	1 265	1 409
220 to 259 acres	1 120	1 363	861	1 067
260 to 499 acres	3 463	4 065	3 046	3 529
500 to 999 acres	2 397	2 709	2 272	2 528
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 242	1 185	1 204	1 118
2,000 acres and over	594	536	576	521

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	3 360	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	492 582	645 922
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	443	939
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	22 452	49 290
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	639	1 283
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	67 152	148 369
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	837	1 548
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	127 525	173 218
Cropland idle — farms	1 789	3 098
Cropland idle — acres	275 453	275 045
Total woodland — farms	6 021	7 469
Total woodland — acres	1 202 410	1 439 542
Woodland pastured — farms	3 553	4 701
Woodland pastured — acres	534 266	673 760

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	30 067	37 921	17 400	18 935
Total cropland — acres	5 590 488	5 842 350	4 997 307	5 087 635
Harvested cropland — farms	23 525	29 210	15 889	17 240
Harvested cropland — acres	3 628 199	3 443 108	3 527 544	3 271 310
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	4 762	6 032	931	6 477
10 to 19 acres	3 981	5 141	1 520	
20 to 29 acres	2 396	3 444	1 611	
30 to 49 acres	2 567	3 588	2 147	
50 to 99 acres	2 782	3 466	2 669	3 249
100 to 199 acres	2 259	2 834	2 245	2 822
200 to 499 acres	2 757	3 082	2 749	3 072
500 to 999 acres	1 385	1 191	1 382	1 189
1,000 acres and over	636	432	635	431
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	17 393	22 227	7 940	9 577
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	1 426 704	1 647 747	977 181	1 170 403
Other cropland (see text) — farms	4 656	9 642	3 360	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	535 585	751 495	492 582	645 922
Total woodland — farms	11 592	16 114	6 021	7 469
Total woodland — acres	1 531 661	1 916 311	1 202 410	1 439 542
Other land (see text) — farms	20 672	26 553	11 821	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	2 011 126	2 030 001	1 774 553	1 660 461
Irrigated land — farms	3 777	4 611	3 353	3 789
Irrigated land — acres	701 587	701 692	694 984	689 321

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	3 380	3 946
Woodland not pastured — acres	668 144	765 782
Other land — farms	11 821	(NA)
Other land — acres	1 774 553	1 660 461
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	4 248	4 734
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	1 285 437	1 252 265
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	2 599	2 998
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	393 156	603 053
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	2 216	2 399
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	892 281	649 212
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	10 520	11 023
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	489 116	408 196

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	33 240	42 269	18 542	20 075
Land in farms — acres	9 133 275	9 788 662	7 974 270	8 187 638
Harvested cropland — acres	3 628 199	3 443 108	3 527 544	3 271 310
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	20 128	24 586	8 605	8 064
Land in farms — acres	3 506 204	3 752 338	2 693 173	2 636 835
Harvested cropland — acres	865 453	795 967	791 238	685 119
Part owners — number	8 765	10 918	6 769	7 982
Land in farms — acres	4 223 862	4 489 527	3 970 340	4 160 526
Harvested cropland — acres	1 972 894	1 835 827	1 955 245	1 805 209
Tenants — number	4 347	6 765	3 168	4 029
Land in farms — acres	1 403 209	1 546 797	1 310 757	1 390 277
Harvested cropland — acres	789 852	811 314	781 061	780 982
Percent of tenancy	13.1	16.0	17.1	20.0
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	2 723	5 518	980	1 410
Land in farms — acres	227 007	357 316	139 100	189 466
Harvested cropland — acres	82 612	137 020	72 072	96 206
Full owners — number	1 829	3 034	514	445
Land in farms — acres	113 652	170 838	50 483	56 116
Harvested cropland — acres	23 623	38 936	16 571	18 354
Part owners — number	479	850	258	406
Land in farms — acres	71 512	102 942	55 142	82 481
Harvested cropland — acres	36 638	50 145	34 740	44 423
Tenants — number	415	1 634	208	559
Land in farms — acres	41 843	83 536	33 475	50 869
Harvested cropland — acres	22 351	47 939	20 761	33 429
Percent of tenancy	15.2	29.6	21.2	39.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	16 657	16 948
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 973 136	5 819 269

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	1 355	2 459
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 066 915	1 454 206
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	460	468
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	881 693	809 708
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	70	200
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	52 526	104 455
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	608	627	433	328
25 to 34 years	3 442	4 099	2 081	2 280
35 to 44 years	5 643	7 867	3 327	4 056
45 to 54 years	8 289	11 110	4 568	5 550
55 to 64 years	8 784	12 135	4 898	5 657
65 years and over	5 904	6 431	2 705	2 204
Average age	51.7	51.4	50.7	49.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	18 782	28 187	10 424	14 071
On another farm	1 316	8 296	785	3 922
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 628		1 008	
In a city, town, or urban area	3 427		1 726	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	11 283	(NA)	7 744	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1 505	2 958	711	1 424
50 to 99 days	989	1 979	425	813
100 to 149 days	1 080	4 509	543	1 390
150 to 199 days	1 861		811	
200 days and over	10 129	13 941	3 471	4 259
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	17 967	(NA)	13 308	(NA)
Other	14 703	(NA)	4 704	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	856	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	2 403	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Forms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	3 048	3 155	3 035	3 155
$40,000 to $99,999	3 494		3 484	
$20,000 to $39,999	2 415	3 312	2 407	3 312
$10,000 to $19,999	2 604	3 447	2 601	3 447
$5,000 to $9,999	2 934	4 170	2 932	4 170
$2,500 to $4,999	3 361	5 108	3 359	5 074
Under $2,500 (see text)	15 384	23 077	724	917
$2,000 to $2,499	1 909	2 116	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	2 183	2 685	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	3 326	3 731	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	7 966	14 545	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	1 193 722	496 406	1 173 913	475 431
Average per farm (dollars)	35 912	11 743	63 311	23 682
Crops, including hay (farms)	16 342	22 871	12 754	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	919 402	295 920	914 302	284 870
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	355		221	145
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	7 844		7 709	4 076
Forest products (farms)	1 361	1 777	917	1 070
Forest products ($1,000)	6 171	3 469	5 973	3 246
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	23 464	28 453	11 655	13 629
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	260 305	197 018	245 929	183 239
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	1 250	(NA)	732	1 038
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	71 457	(NA)	71 105	44 669

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	12 754	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	914 302	284 870
Grains (farms)	8 592	9 500
Grains ($1,000)	486 534	155 498
Tobacco (farms)	25	19
Tobacco ($1,000)	174	66
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	3 953	6 271
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	105 674	54 463
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	1 801	2 070
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	7 673	4 638
Other field crops (farms)	1 886	2 788
Other field crops ($1,000)	307 047	64 389
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	557	759
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	4 537	2 797
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	258	897
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	2 662	3 017
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	11 655	13 629
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	245 929	183 239
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	732	1 038
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	71 105	44 669
Dairy products (farms)	1 530	1 951
Dairy products ($1,000)	89 114	62 508
Cattle and calves (farms)	10 958	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	77 133	69 803
Hogs and pigs (farms)	878	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	4 939	6 258
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	248	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	175	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	654	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	3 463	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	14 540	(NA)	3 995	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	6 797	(NA)	4 334	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	31 153	(NA)	28 083	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	1 814	2 767	1 411	1 971
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	8 872	6 672	8 273	5 895
Recreational services (farms)	143	316	88	183
Recreational services ($1,000)	256	429	223	334
Government farm programs (farms)	3 313	12 677	2 125	7 583
Government farm programs ($1,000)	6 373	34 387	5 836	32 132
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	2 190	(NA)	1 195	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	13 278	(NA)	11 457	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	552	(NA)	447	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	2 374	(NA)	2 294	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	2 192	(NA)	1 423	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	8 103	(NA)	7 297	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	9 248
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	103 811
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	1 821
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	21 366
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	5 792
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	59 954
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	3 606
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	14 085
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	1 649
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	5 436
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	814
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	2 970

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	33 118	42 269	18 539	20 075
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	738 916	422 827	710 435	394 686
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	6 746	13 412	482	2 051
$1,000 to $1,999	5 673	7 432	1 281	
$2,000 to $2,999	3 243	3 932	1 341	1 995
$3,000 to $4,999	3 667	4 162	2 215	3 071
$5,000 to $9,999	3 758	4 462	3 225	4 118
$10,000 to $19,999	2 863	8 869	2 858	3 807
$20,000 to $39,999	2 541		2 536	2 735
$40,000 to $59,999	1 411		1 405	2 298
$60,000 and over	3 216		3 196	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	9 959	13 635	5 040	6 547
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	47 653	35 994	43 936	32 791
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	22 859	28 517	10 824	12 688
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	116 567	68 723	107 875	62 372
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	16 508	17 661	9 395	10 049
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	99 357	54 803	95 228	52 225
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	3 407	2 997
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	4 151	3 921
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	3 583	2 373
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5 609	3 389
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	1 854	3 346
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2 887	2 837
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	6 517	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3 173	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	15 974	23 242	10 999	13 658
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	34 757	16 977	34 158	16 169
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	23 877	31 691	14 417	17 184
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	71 007	32 799	67 506	30 147
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	12 414	(NA)	9 509	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	47 717	22 500	47 260	21 703
Lime (farms)	(NA)	4 324	1 213	2 528
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	1 759	1 110	1 512
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	31 416	40 611	18 057	19 985
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	46 347	30 745	43 846	27 204
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	15 720	18 542
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	15 601	11 496
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	11 669	10 154
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	18 047	8 413
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5 484	7 392
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5 186	4 280
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	18 029	19 951
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5 012	3 015
Hired farm labor (farms)	12 628	21 869	9 313	14 123
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	79 639	59 485	77 152	56 652
Contract labor (farms)	1 641	15 939	1 187	1 774
Contract labor ($1,000)	3 934	16 712	3 816	2 905
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	9 761		6 881	9 136
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	17 508		16 944	12 529
All other production expenses (farms)	28 548	32 240	18 319	19 819
All other production expenses ($1,000)	273 787	138 891	264 769	132 215

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	30 978	39 939	17 383	19 616
$1,000	713 650	429 634	613 746	354 957
Average per farm—dollars	23 037	10 757	35 307	18 095
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	505	3 916	91	5 788
$1,000 to $4,999	6 910	17 959	2 261	
$5,000 to $9,999	8 942	7 155	2 988	4 194
$10,000 to $19,999	5 670	4 964	3 571	4 042
$20,000 to $29,999	2 785		2 449	2 004
$30,000 to $49,999	2 932	5 945	2 842	1 783
$50,000 to $69,999	1 198		1 177	1 805
$70,000 and over	2 036		2 004	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	21 217	26 299	12 505	13 721
number	26 817	32 527	16 705	17 416
mfd in last 5 years, number	15 197	22 515	11 495	13 195
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	26 314	30 982	15 554	16 914
number	41 606	44 682	29 839	28 978
mfd in last 5 years, number	18 413	26 586	14 764	17 892
Wheel tractors—farms	26 360	32 149	15 600	17 672
number	54 536	63 194	41 662	44 184
mfd in last 5 years, number	15 842	30 115	14 075	23 189
Crawler tractors—farms	1 162		822	977
number	1 397		1 016	1 309
mfd in last 5 years, number	270		206	562

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4 534	4 682	4 448	4 461
number	7 034	6 414	6 931	6 144
mfd in last 5 years, number	2 473	4 508	2 450	4 350
Corn heads for combines—farms	206	1 392	198	305
number	231	1 571	218	357
mfd in last 5 years, number	72	842	71	247
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 254		1 110	916
number	1 293		1 147	998
mfd in last 5 years, number	116		100	498
Mower conditioners—farms	3 912	(NA)	2 704	(NA)
number	4 421	(NA)	3 100	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 730	(NA)	1 365	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	4 387	4 615	3 288	3 572
number	4 594	4 831	3 469	3 761
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 480	2 863	1 223	2 303
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	2 404	(NA)	1 849	1 958
number	2 502	(NA)	1 931	2 106
mfd in last 5 years, number	792	(NA)	643	1 326
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	711	(NA)	531	639
number	872	(NA)	666	763
mfd in last 5 years, number	342	(NA)	274	460

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	25 033	(X)	12 233	(X)	23 464	(X)	11 655	(X)	245 929
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	24 038	(X)	11 576	(X)	22 653	(X)	11 231	(X)	82 247
1969	31 140	(X)	13 789	(X)	27 317	(X)	13 074	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	23 482	1 515 509	11 280	1 198 968	22 077	583 538	10 958	498 964	77 133
1969	29 647	1 417 300	13 263	1 122 612	25 802	681 745	12 539	576 984	69 803
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	1 093	3 057	436	1 184	5 636	14 245	1 336	3 251	522
5 to 9—1974	1 953	13 656	517	3 607	5 250	34 850	1 385	9 323	1 408
10 to 19—1974	4 886	67 810	1 120	15 556	4 654	62 224	2 227	30 994	4 991
20 to 49—1974	7 710	238 530	2 798	90 847	4 122	122 543	3 617	110 274	15 714
50 to 99—1974	4 183	284 975	2 781	194 792	1 443	96 777	1 435	96 202	13 501
100 to 199—1974	2 286	303 307	2 275	301 768	574	75 468	566	74 444	10 613
200 to 499—1974	1 061	303 136	1 052	300 282	307	89 778	304	88 914	14 154
500 and over—1974	310	301 038	301	290 932	91	87 653	88	85 562	16 231
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	19 871	871 894	10 336	701 533	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	25 422	818 525	12 346	675 708	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	17 801	746 592	8 889	583 384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	680 192	10 254	548 584	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	5 181	125 302	2 948	118 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	9 029	138 333	4 546	127 124	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 530	(X)	89 114
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 951	(X)	62 508

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	17 801	746 592	8 889	583 384
Farms with—				
1 to 4	1 679	4 426	601	1 538
5 to 9	2 467	16 996	709	4 875
10 to 19	4 143	56 830	1 333	18 400
20 to 49	5 717	172 526	2 818	89 238
50 to 99	2 252	148 084	1 901	127 198
100 to 199	958	124 674	950	123 486
200 to 499	467	127 405	462	125 840
500 and over	118	95 651	115	92 809
Milk cows	5 181	125 302	2 948	118 149
Farms with—				
1 or 2	2 591	3 709	1 029	1 515
3 or 4	564	1 892	236	795
5 to 9	436	2 691	158	968
10 to 19	220	2 737	166	2 172
20 to 49	309	10 163	309	10 163
50 to 99	714	50 145	711	49 916
100 to 199	284	35 236	277	34 218
200 to 499	60	15 109	59	14 782
500 and over	3	3 620	3	3 620

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	7 221	211 064	49 373
Farms with—			
1 to 4	1 736	4 189	924
5 to 9	1 445	9 650	2 213
10 to 19	1 784	23 891	5 512
20 to 49	1 473	42 127	9 341
50 to 99	446	29 483	6 579
100 to 199	200	25 887	5 775
200 to 499	96	27 994	7 295
500 and over	41	47 843	11 734
Calves sold	8 926	287 900	27 760
Farms with—			
1 or 2	824	1 227	132
3 or 4	671	2 354	238
5 to 9	1 415	9 556	985
10 to 19	1 991	26 985	2 695
20 to 49	2 651	79 175	7 452
50 to 99	826	53 678	5 111
100 to 199	357	46 390	4 623
200 to 499	160	45 390	4 451
500 and over	31	23 145	2 074

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	8 115	256 451	653	31 323	8 660
	1969	10 789	258 536	170	9 205	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	7 052	213 051	Farms with—		
Milk heifers	1974	1 496	43 400	1 to 9	1974	284	1 095	263
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	8 769	240 984	10 to 19	1974	155	2 130	489
	1969	11 458	188 368	20 to 49	1974	142	4 015	906
				50 to 99	1974	44	2 840	559
				100 to 199	1974	10	1 117	339
				200 to 499	1974	11	3 741	1 383
				500 and over	1974	7	16 385	4 721
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974							
	1969							

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	3 335	72 365	1 476	55 572	1 591	108 316	878	95 338	4 939
	1969	6 908	122 438	2 683	84 554	3 768	155 970	1 821	122 628	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	1 652	3 725	609	1 383	308	706	117	270	16
5 to 9	1974	724	4 661	299	1 935	312	2 069	141	946	47
10 to 24	1974	635	9 166	310	4 481	509	7 511	252	3 826	192
25 to 49	1974	134	4 414	91	3 032	199	6 559	133	4 435	227
50 to 99	1974	76	5 133	63	4 255	93	6 118	76	5 110	310
100 to 199	1974	49	6 943	44	6 174	89	11 750	83	10 990	667
200 to 499	1974	43	13 101	40	11 961	46	15 039	43	13 775	942
500 and over	1974	22	25 222	20	22 351	35	58 564	33	55 986	2 537
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	358	35 690	157	32 951	647
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	918	42 828	454	34 227	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	696	13 922	338	8 612	407	8 140	225	5 787	(NA)
	1969	1 222	25 770	585	15 902	703	11 404	386	6 796	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	178	5 323	[1]28 539
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	248	(X)	175
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	46	743	(NA)	(NA)	20	344	5
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	178	2 466	(NA)	(NA)	44	895	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	6 601	23 156	3 143	14 764	774	4 078	480	3 507	1 554
	1969	11 127	41 020	(NA)	(NA)	1 153	4 021	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	765	9 008	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969	1 665	14 308	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	1 566	15 349	838	12 699
Other hogs and pigs	1974	1 387	46 564		1969	3 949	22 035	1 838	15 722
	1969	2 463	70 246	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	1 238	7 965	673	6 633
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	275	2 292		1969	3 247	11 909	1 523	8 128
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	313	5 166	June 1 and November 30	1974	1 046	7 384	595	6 066
Rams and wethers	1974	284	1 154		1969	2 640	10 126	1 377	7 594

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	6 225	(X)	2 420	(X)	788	(X)	594	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	3 781	(X)	(NA)	(X)	820	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	5 856	3 657 907	2 153	3 524 436	426	4 047 149	258	4 004 634
	1969	10 268	4 476 114	3 448	4 235 039	641	4 429 662	409	4 375 461
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	5 620	2 915 959	2 065	2 809 049	383	2 440 088	222	2 399 488
	1969	9 687	3 685 025	3 261	3 483 540	572	2 669 972	370	2 617 883
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	5 341	119 254	1 860	45 816	205	4 060	64	1 795
100 to 399	1974	137	19 005	70	9 510	34	7 274	20	4 150
400 to 1,599	1974	24	18 300	20	15 630	13	12 995	13	12 995
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	2 500	1	2 500	13	30 156	11	24 995
3,200 to 9,999	1974	38	240 957	36	230 650	54	346 873	50	316 823
10,000 to 19,999	1974	36	475 142	35	464 142	26	376 004	26	376 004
20,000 to 49,999	1974	33	858 287	33	858 287	30	777 526	30	777 526
50,000 to 99,999	1974	6	390 848	6	390 848	5	340 200	5	340 200
100,000 and over	1974	4	791 666	4	791 666	3	545 000	3	545 000
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	931	8 257 461	427	8 234 955	352	44 248 794	310	44 216 095
	1969	789	7 861 850	397	7 844 886	353	37 836 499	336	37 800 877
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1 250	71 457	732	71 105
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1 038	44 669

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	2 065	2 809 049	222	2 399 488
	1969	3 261	3 483 540	370	2 617 883
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	2 005	2 465 225	196	2 010 832
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	225	343 824	30	388 656
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	171	674 576	33	1 566 189
	1969	478	671 694	38	1 660 951
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	1 036	40 811	43	38 957
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	77	532 606	1	8

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	85	619	10	415
	1969	244	1 504	11	209
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	54	378	8	351
Heavy breed	1974	35	276	8	350
Light breed	1974	21	102	1	1
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	53	241	2	64
	1969	201	928	6	28
Other poultry	1974	160	(X)	32	(X)
	1969	718	(X)	87	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All forms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	4 193	8 082	54 468	127 664	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	568	632	30 086	51 086	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	7 180	8 224	1 608 070	1 490 089	42 871 889	30 337 683
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	193	316	2 025	560	3 665 132	266 390
Wheat (bushels)	170	334	15 092	23 878	372 834	564 412
Other small grains for grain	3 092	3 654	656 079	629 495	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	4 486	10 281	584 816	453 805	519 427	516 087
Tobacco (pounds)	25	19	201	138	145 906	90 779
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	828	(NA)	2 399	(NA)	216 098	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1 351	(NA)	20 905	(NA)	3 782 754	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	10 297	10 350	328 109	336 772	658 053	584 595
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1 239	1 841	8 479	12 249	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	893	1 520	28 187	37 669	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	158	337	412	867	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1 887	(NA)	332 947	282 539	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1 847	3 132	30 796	77 973	1 612 828	3 215 291	53	112	758	3 112
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	162	205	8 301	11 429	104 816	121 047	9	13	486	912
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	68	152	1 081	2 751	(X)	(X)	4	6	59	26
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	178	294	16 965	40 696	629 983	1 290 806	8	8	316	291
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	223	(NA)	10 899	8 101	(X)	(X)	4	(NA)	91	415
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	309	290	10 804	11 893	23 359	22 023	5	4	136	102

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	7 940	977 181	(X)	59	5 391	3 005	254 829	2 925	39 635	138	1 471
	1969	9 577	1 170 403	(X)	152	13 720	4 207	337 224	4 095	56 257	182	1 495
Improved pasture	1974	2 599	393 156	(X)	18	1 499	1 093	137 113	1 070	17 441	46	1 187
	1969	2 998	603 053	(X)	24	1 638	1 503	184 590	1 459	24 660	80	1 161
Corn for all purposes	1974	2 033	40 178	(X)	62	1 303	1 511	32 248	1 229	4 614	385	1 850
	1969	3 400	92 153	(X)	126	4 050	2 467	70 403	1 926	7 773	768	4 640
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	384	27 864	(X)	12	407	252	20 289	204	2 536	67	886
	1969	467	48 797	(X)	17	706	334	37 188	287	4 063	65	749
Wheat (bushels)	1974	159	15 007	370 937	1	20	115	13 388	96	874	22	529
	1969	289	23 481	555 536	8	335	242	19 599	(NA)	1 502	(NA)	273
Oats (bushels)	1974	121	5 512	238 565	6	485	71	3 765	58	205	14	178
	1969	347	15 397	696 844	5	48	270	13 350	(NA)	1 098	(NA)	189
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	40	1 400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	32	1 311	29 213	2	64	15	769	15	154	–	–
	1969	10	826	11 602	1	6	5	575	(NA)	76	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	2 750	645 672	(X)	2 745	645 504	2 748	643 531	2 713	116 091	100	2 805
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	6 748	1 599 175	42 668 498	159	18 319	1 917	478 834	1 754	63 239	203	5 548
	1969	6 530	1 461 875	29 850 258	207	23 830	1 901	365 034	(NA)	44 997	(NA)	2 036
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	78	1 903	3 568 464	3	241	26	1 570	23	224	3	44
	1969	65	164	88 666	1	1	14	17	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	5 907	267 707	556 316	78	1 970	2 540	125 578	2 466	26 757	140	1 394
	1969	5 988	282 500	505 887	151	6 965	2 377	106 963	2 325	21 398	109	820
Field seed crops	1974	134	8 273	(X)	3	56	63	2 716	62	502	2	8
	1969	138	11 052	(X)	4	205	79	5 314	73	690	13	142
Cotton (bales)	1974	3 965	579 572	515 229	144	13 287	3 759	571 640	2 177	48 461	1 852	44 677
	1969	6 196	423 641	490 876	319	24 191	5 787	417 181	(NA)	44 636	(NA)	28 257
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	25	201	145 906	–	–	25	201	25	52	–	–
	1969	19	138	90 779	2	13	19	138	(NA)	43	(NA)	10
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	369	2 007	188 010	19	66	200	1 880	195	764	7	82
	1969	518	2 657	236 041	22	51	313	2 515	(NA)	827	(NA)	12
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	615	6 566	(X)	143	999	448	5 269	434	1 407	27	75
	1969	760	9 501	(X)	145	1 138	544	7 768	528	2 095	31	43
Land in orchards	1974	461	26 404	(X)	16	490	143	13 808	141	2 061	2	2
	1969	837	34 833	(X)	32	856	306	14 851	281	2 066	26	430

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	94	319	(X)	77	280	82	299	79	209	13	8
1969	140	578	(X)	107	506	122	534	122	335	2	4
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	221	3 367	(X)	81	982	125	2 714	127	809	19	15
1969	146	3 243	(X)	46	685	97	2 187	94	564	9	5
Other crops 1974	1 855	339 306	(X)	49	3 460	1 713	336 538	1 006	16 616	972	35 659

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	15 247	17 983
$1,000	114 766	51 850
Commercial fertilizer—farms	14 421	16 071
acres on which used	2 654 075	2 482 972
tons	440 371	402 967
$1,000	67 506	30 147
Lime—farms	1 213	2 528
acres on which used	72 051	155 814
tons	101 416	221 536
$1,000	1 110	1 512
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	314	497
acres on which used	14 269	22 403
$1,000	78	79
Insects on other crops—farms	4 622	6 956
acres on which used	1 374 334	1 069 424
$1,000	20 755	8 148
Nemotodes in crops—farms	165	211
acres on which used	24 228	16 041
$1,000	303	160

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	333	343
acres on which used	59 222	33 418
$1,000	754	213
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5 026	7 220
acres on which used	1 833 334	1 543 539
$1,000	20 626	10 204
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	610	1 075
acres on which used	71 436	117 424
$1,000	238	204
Weeds on all other land—farms	621	(NA)
acres on which used	25 447	(NA)
$1,000	135	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1 392	1 885
acres on which used	307 706	204 634
$1,000	1 595	716
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1 047	3 411
$1,000	240	399
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	1 608	(NA)
$1,000	1 426	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Forms irrigated in census year—forms	3 353	3 789
Proportion of farms—percent	18.1	18.8
Total land irrigated—acres	694 984	689 321
Average per farm—acres	207.3	181.9
Cropland irrigated—farms	3 337	3 778
acres	693 485	687 684
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3 310	3 739
acres	684 939	670 642
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	59	152
acres	5 391	13 720
Other cropland irrigated—farms	34	(NA)
acres	3 155	3 322
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	18	24
acres	1 499	1 637
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	955 084	876 068
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	608	(NA)
acres	91 592	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	60	(NA)
acres	4 555	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	178	(NA)
acres	8 158	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 021 444	2 093 977
Cropland—acres	1 538 107	1 608 061
Harvested cropland—acres	1 207 794	1 112 268
Forms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—forms	127	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	12 140	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—forms	2 161	4 609
Proportion of farms—percent	11.7	23.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	1 687 663	2 888 425
Land drained—acres	1 078 099	2 048 043
Average per farm—acres	498.9	444.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 246	(NA)
number	10 331	(NA)
acres	17 528	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	6 427	4 342	3 983
$1,000	349 654	226 202	123 452
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	933	633	966
$5,000 to $9,999	895	609	701
$10,000 to $29,999	1 998	1 418	1 210
$30,000 to $49,999	888	604	460
$50,000 and over	1 713	1 078	646

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	4 311	5 400	13 619	14 743	56 701	
25 to 149 days	3 618 }	11 957	17 510 }	60 089	15 544 }	56 652
Less than 25 days	5 068 }		38 057 }		4 908 }	
Total contract labor	1 187	1 774	(NA)	(NA)	3 816	2 905
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	520	(NA)	7 553	(NA)	2 211	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	9 313	4 311	3 618	5 068
Cash wages paid—$1,000	77 152	56 701	15 544	4 908
Number of workers	69 186	13 619	17 510	38 057
Farms with—				
1 worker	2 577	1 856	1 230	1 374
2 workers	1 373	1 040	761	659
3 or 4 workers	1 678	756	693	926
5 to 9 workers	1 841	440	515	1 006
10 workers and over	1 842	219	419	1 103

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 025	1 453	740	838
Land in farms — acres	335 658	335 630	315 580	302 439
Average size of farm — acres	327	231	426	361
Approximate land area — acres	424 192	424 192	424 192	424 192
Proportion in farms — percent	79.1	79.1	74.4	71.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	187 909	123 589	173 157	107 969
Average per farm — dollars	183 326	85 058	233 996	128 840
Average per acre — dollars	560	368	549	357
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	52	72	18	3
10 to 49 acres	247	436	72	60
50 to 69 acres	64	118	35	52
70 to 99 acres	59	93	44	51
100 to 139 acres	68	92	54	69
140 to 179 acres	58	85	52	70
180 to 219 acres	56	67	53	62
220 to 259 acres	40	57	40	55
260 to 499 acres	175	236	172	226
500 to 999 acres	130	151	128	146
1,000 to 1,999 acres	61	38	58	36
2,000 acres and over	15	8	14	8

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	128	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	27 504	35 291
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	7	13
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	156	515
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	31
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	144	1 959
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	22	33
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	1 441	2 737
Cropland idle — farms	98	223
Cropland idle — acres	25 763	30 080
Total woodland — farms	118	183
Total woodland — acres	11 781	18 163
Woodland pastured — farms	58	98
Woodland pastured — acres	5 053	11 810

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	923	1 325	706	824
Total cropland — acres	267 568	277 357	258 515	253 748
Harvested cropland — farms	774	1 075	677	787
Harvested cropland — acres	201 848	172 843	200 254	167 567
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	57	83	16	
10 to 19 acres	64	134	33	143
20 to 29 acres	40	97	23	
30 to 49 acres	62	108	56	
50 to 99 acres	92	124	91	116
100 to 199 acres	134	200	134	200
200 to 499 acres	197	263	196	262
500 to 999 acres	95	61	95	61
1,000 acres and over	33	5	33	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	417	715	253	393
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	36 689	64 314	30 757	50 890
Other cropland (see text) — farms	154	383	128	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	29 031	40 200	27 504	35 291
Total woodland — farms	180	273	118	183
Total woodland — acres	16 616	20 582	11 781	18 163
Other land (see text) — farms	627	867	448	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	51 474	37 691	45 284	30 528
Irrigated land — farms	566	711	540	618
Irrigated land — acres	115 828	113 606	115 189	111 137

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	72	114
Woodland not pastured — acres	6 728	6 353
Other land — farms	448	(NA)
Other land — acres	45 284	30 528
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	110	136
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	17 143	16 545
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	51	79
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 987	10 502
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	63	65
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	13 156	6 043
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	414	440
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	28 141	13 983

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 025	1 453	740	838
Land in farms — acres	335 658	335 630	315 580	302 439
Harvested cropland — acres	201 848	172 843	200 254	167 567
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	445	646	219	197
Land in farms — acres	77 929	77 232	63 717	53 418
Harvested cropland — acres	29 368	21 150	28 043	18 144
Part owners — number	389	490	350	412
Land in farms — acres	183 788	186 257	179 320	180 153
Harvested cropland — acres	119 708	102 250	119 545	101 357
Tenants — number	191	317	171	229
Land in farms — acres	73 941	72 141	72 543	68 868
Harvested cropland — acres	52 772	49 443	52 666	48 066
Percent of tenancy	18.6	21.8	23.1	27.3
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	28	75	23	24
Land in farms — acres	7 187	3 368	5 923	1 707
Harvested cropland — acres	3 180	1 999	3 142	1 243
Full owners — number	18	35	14	7
Land in farms — acres	4 871	1 288	3 615	375
Harvested cropland — acres	1 408	572	1 370	240
Part owners — number	10	12	9	6
Land in farms — acres	2 316	909	2 308	681
Harvested cropland — acres	1 772	557	1 772	479
Tenants — number	–	28	–	11
Land in farms — acres	–	1 171	–	651
Harvested cropland — acres	–	870	–	524
Percent of tenancy	–	37.3	–	45.8
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	663	673
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	265 107	226 665

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	52	125
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	36 436	60 357
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	16	26
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 789	10 673
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	14
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 248	4 744
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	16	17	14	14
25 to 34 years	117	150	80	109
35 to 44 years	185	275	140	164
45 to 54 years	242	368	179	235
55 to 64 years	265	428	215	240
65 years and over	174	215	87	76
Average age	51.0	51.3	50.3	49.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	543	993	401	615
On another farm	62		35	
In a rural area, not on a farm	41	297	34	162
In a city, town, or urban area	88		61	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	464	(NA)	378	(NA)
1 to 49 days	40	129	26	63
50 to 99 days	29	74	25	37
100 to 149 days	18		6	
150 to 199 days	37	106	17	36
200 days and over	158	266	63	91
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	749	(NA)	636	(NA)
Other	250	(NA)	79	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	70	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	178	168	178	168
$40,000 to $99,999	196		195	
$20,000 to $39,999	120	216	120	216
$10,000 to $19,999	101	168	101	168
$5,000 to $9,999	72	129	72	129
$2,500 to $4,999	57	143	57	142
Under $2,500 (see text)	301	629	17	15
$2,000 to $2,499	45	54	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	43	96	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	75	114	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	138	365	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	58 424	21 801	58 025	21 162
Average per farm (dollars)	56 999	15 004	78 412	25 253
Crops, including hay (farms)	700	1 030	654	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	53 438	19 194	53 335	18 915
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	10		3	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	248		243	(D)
Forest products (farms)	5	20	4	12
Forest products ($1,000)	3	45	3	43
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	619	962	373	541
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	4 735	2 562	4 445	2 203
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	25	(NA)	14	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	7	(NA)	5	6

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	654	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	53 335	18 915
Grains (farms)	624	707
Grains ($1,000)	52 658	17 981
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	33	117
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	281	621
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	14	48
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	39	82
Other field crops (farms)	28	53
Other field crops ($1,000)	328	189
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	5	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	28	21
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	4
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	373	541
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	4 445	2 203
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	14	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	5	6
Dairy products (farms)	13	29
Dairy products ($1,000)	499	605
Cattle and calves (farms)	350	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	3 733	1 449
Hogs and pigs (farms)	29	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	90	144
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	43	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	53	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	15	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	64	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	246	(NA)	61	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	164	(NA)	106	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	1 170	(NA)	1 060	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	40	82	38	75
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	283	323	279	305
Recreational services (farms)	2	2	2	1
Recreational services ($1,000)	4	1	4	1
Government farm programs (farms)	35	286	21	153
Government farm programs ($1,000)	28	285	24	223
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	90	(NA)	44	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	830	(NA)	731	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	13	(NA)	12	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	25	(NA)	22	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	38	(NA)	30	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	292	(NA)	286	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	271
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	2 522
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	52
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	586
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	136
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	1 100
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	141
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	680
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	42
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	105
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	20
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	51

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	1 019	1 453	739	838
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	30 386	15 229	29 863	14 413
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	138	371	6	58
$1,000 to $1,999	111	206	39	
$2,000 to $2,999	89	101	40	46
$3,000 to $4,999	71	124	50	94
$5,000 to $9,999	112	203	107	193
$10,000 to $19,999	133	448	133	223
$20,000 to $39,999	153		153	147
$40,000 to $59,999	84		84	77
$60,000 and over	128		127	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	192	369	93	161
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 591	400	1 503	329
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	545	950	321	481
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 954	820	1 793	659
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	440	561	292	340
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	736	430	656	370
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	104	122
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	335	128
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	123	95
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	618	92
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	48	157
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	183	69
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	124	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	670	1 023	611	753
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	3 270	1 478	3 261	1 450
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	767	1 153	650	800
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	5 010	2 286	4 961	2 210
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	396	(NA)	364	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	1 215	508	1 208	489
Lime (farms)	(NA)	57	11	28
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	13	7	11
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	967	1 411	729	838
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	2 289	1 513	2 239	1 389
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	653	785
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	796	572
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	581	487
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	950	413
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	270	355
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	263	250
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	728	838
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	229	154
Hired farm labor (farms)	449	837	398	631
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	2 308	1 831	2 259	1 739
Contract labor (farms)	34	551	28	43
Contract labor ($1,000)	402	611	401	44
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	332		301	381
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	784		775	529
All other production expenses (farms)	918	1 179	736	831
All other production expenses ($1,000)	11 563	5 783	11 434	5 574

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	940	1 393	687	832
$1,000	32 157	20 201	29 834	17 834
Average per farm—dollars	34 210	14 501	43 427	21 434
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	13	112	1	168
$1,000 to $4,999	152	478	70	
$5,000 to $9,999	204	202	83	131
$10,000 to $19,999	118	254	94	201
$20,000 to $29,999	105		96	117
$30,000 to $49,999	162	347	160	110
$50,000 to $69,999	54		54	105
$70,000 and over	132		129	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	732	1 063	552	678
number	968	1 284	764	843
mfd in last 5 years, number	623	927	546	677
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	789	1 075	611	730
number	1 664	1 916	1 457	1 478
mfd in last 5 years, number	741	1 090	672	862
Wheel tractors—farms	809	1 137	615	766
number	2 239	2 611	1 978	2 020
mfd in last 5 years, number	668	1 200	638	1 015
Crawler tractors—farms	23		20	24
number	33		29	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		8	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	407	452	399	435
number	594	604	583	572
mfd in last 5 years, number	241	369	238	359
Corn heads for combines—farms	3	24	3	6
number	3	26	3	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	16	–	4
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	83		83	16
number	83		83	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	11
Mower conditioners—farms	74	(NA)	58	(NA)
number	88	(NA)	70	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	16	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	64	139	55	110
number	67	147	58	118
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	61	11	53
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	19	(NA)	16	53
number	21	(NA)	18	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	1	33
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	6	14
number	9	(NA)	7	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	15

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	662	(X)	406	(X)	619	(X)	373	(X)	4 445
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	639	(X)	387	(X)	606	(X)	361	(X)	3 876
1969	1 079	(X)	574	(X)	926	(X)	528	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	622	36 526	377	30 863	578	20 946	350	19 090	3 733
1969	1 036	36 233	553	27 776	879	15 903	509	12 896	1 449
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	30	78	19	44	125	303	59	132	17
5 to 9—1974	47	324	23	159	162	1 065	72	485	51
10 to 19—1974	159	2 154	68	943	140	1 832	78	1 059	129
20 to 49—1974	235	7 026	135	3 968	99	2 894	90	2 692	343
50 to 99—1974	98	6 478	80	5 444	34	2 227	34	2 227	348
100 to 199—1974	31	3 977	30	3 816	13	1 700	12	1 570	305
200 to 499—1974	20	(D)	20	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	524	16 817	340	13 904	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	925	21 425	526	17 040	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	473	15 777	307	12 967	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	19 405	475	15 444	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	122	1 040	77	937	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	384	2 020	188	1 596	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	499
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	605

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	473	15 777	307	12 967			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	29	86	15	43			
5 to 9	65	426	34	220			
10 to 19	137	1 836	80	1 104			
20 to 49	158	4 528	96	2 824			
50 to 99	56	3 639	54	3 514			
100 to 199	17	2 186	17	2 186			
200 to 499	11	3 076	11	3 076			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	122	1 040	77	937			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	73	102	37	54			
3 or 4	23	81	20	71			
5 to 9	10	72	5	37			
10 to 19	4	45	3	35			
20 to 49	6	172	6	172			
50 to 99	3	188	3	188			
100 to 199	3	380	3	380			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					205	14 033	3 244
Farms with—							
1 to 4					65	157	28
5 to 9					33	200	31
10 to 19					55	734	115
20 to 49					28	794	169
50 to 99					13	876	215
100 to 199					9	1 047	240
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					302	5 057	489
Farms with—							
1 or 2					48	61	6
3 or 4					33	113	9
5 to 9					76	502	41
10 to 19					65	923	88
20 to 49					57	1 718	153
50 to 99					17	976	108
100 to 199					5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	228	7 785
	1969	442	6 184
Beef heifers	1974	218	7 536
Milk heifers	1974	23	249
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	262	9 174
	1969	482	4 552

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	21	10 863	2 646
	1969	3	21	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	3	3	1
10 to 19	1974	4	60	13
20 to 49	1974	5	130	35
50 to 99	1974	4	250	75
100 to 199	1974	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	89	1 871	59	1 618	48	2 196	29	1 817	90
	1969	258	3 108	118	1 956	111	4 261	50	3 238	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	37	89	26	60	5	8	2	5	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	26	168	20	133	10	68	6	39	2
10 to 24	1974	21	309	8	120	17	269	9	162	11
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	4	109	4	109	5
50 to 99	1974	2	164	2	164	6	388	2	148	6
100 to 199	1974	1	150	1	150	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	913	7	781	19
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	1 103	7	766	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	96	2 587	54	2 021	64	2 800	40	2 549	(NA)
	1969	176	2 482	99	1 630	85	1 165	61	877	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	28	1 203	[1] 6 890
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	43	(X)	53
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	10	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	133	827	89	655	17	52	14	47	34
	1969	326	1 123	(NA)	(NA)	23	54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	25	242
	1969	60	261
Other hogs and pigs	1974	58	1 376
	1969	117	1 695
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	48	395
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	52	1 265
Rams and wethers	1974	41	361

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	45	404	27	335
	1969	128	534	63	330
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	43	200	25	161
	1969	105	304	50	179
June 1 and November 30	1974	30	204	19	174
	1969	82	230	43	151

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	171	(X)	92	(X)	8	(X)	6	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	187	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	161	6 140	84	3 014	5	497	3	62
	1969	436	17 414	183	7 382	10	489	3	174
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	153	5 021	82	2 576	5	270	3	60
	1969	415	14 247	173	6 054	10	489	3	174
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	147	3 971	80	2 176	4	120	3	60
100 to 399	1974	6	1 050	2	400	1	150	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	19	345	12	174	–	–	–	–
	1969	22	804	6	167	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	7	14	5
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	6

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	82	2 576	3	60
	1969	173	6 054	3	174
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	80	2 180	2	35
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	396	1	25
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	10	201	–	–
	1969	16	538	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	42	237	1	2
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	75	–	–
Turkeys	1974	6	34	–	–
	1969	12	75	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	10	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	6	–	–
Light breed	1974	1	4	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	6	24	–	–
	1969	12	63	–	–
Other poultry	1974	16	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	50	(X)	9	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	55	216	791	2 763	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	6	20	98	710	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	432	370	84 655	50 267	2 257 573	1 114 108
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	4	–	3	–	1 201
Wheat (bushels)	7	11	351	421	8 800	7 810
Other small grains for grain	547	630	112 403	107 032	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	33	239	2 407	6 387	1 508	6 940
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	(NA)	4	(NA)	710	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	25	(NA)	730	(NA)	125 980	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	93	162	2 279	4 668	3 783	6 786
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	19	49	62	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	3	10	10	51	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	16	(NA)	258	807	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	34	80	516	1 462	21 482	50 902	1	7	10	396
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	6	81	110	446	1 056	1	–	5	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	2	–	133	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	13	42	620	1 392	12 596	–	1	–	25
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	60	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	7
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	1	133	3	331	2	2	–	100	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	253	30 757	(X)	7	384	56	4 067	56	522	–	–
	1969	393	50 890	(X)	20	2 031	106	7 373	106	1 204	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	51	3 987	(X)	4	895	14	911	14	98	–	–
	1969	79	10 502	(X)	3	104	34	2 679	34	422	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	36	597	(X)	2	15	31	557	30	104	1	2
	1969	84	1 705	(X)	7	396	62	1 196	60	172	2	4
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	42	(X)	–	–	1	42	1	2	–	–
	1969	19	680	(X)	2	32	14	291	14	46	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	6	350	8 780	–	–	1	30	1	4	–	–
	1969	8	404	7 463	1	10	7	396	(NA)	63	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	6	305	3 050	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	292	11 208	1	20	10	292	(NA)	33	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	40	1 400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	485	3 832	–	–	2	485	(NA)	60	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	516	111 430	(X)	516	111 430	516	111 275	514	21 563	9	280
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	417	84 452	2 253 511	32	2 768	314	68 316	303	8 554	16	270
	1969	325	49 420	1 098 858	37	3 230	250	40 788	(NA)	5 059	(NA)	20
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 000	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	50	1 789	2 828	7	177	13	511	13	116	–	–
	1969	88	3 747	5 505	11	290	25	1 068	25	113	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	6	187	(X)	1	10	3	110	3	13	–	–
	1969	11	758	(X)	2	111	7	397	7	84	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	33	2 407	1 508	1	17	33	2 407	31	393	2	73
	1969	115	5 407	6 093	7	208	102	5 243	(NA)	907	(NA)	4
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	4	700	1	1	2	1	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	12	8	664	3	1	6	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	36	(X)	1	10	3	16	–	–	3	3
	1969	8	34	(X)	1	4	8	34	8	7	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	38	(X)	–	–	1	6	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Forms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	61	(X)	1	2	3	61	3	16	–	–
1969	1	10	(X)	1	10	1	10	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	24	727	(X)	1	36	24	727	23	168	1	(Z)

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	660	810
$1,000	6 168	2 699
Commercial fertilizer—farms	650	779
acres on which used	189 031	166 685
tons	32 181	28 484
$1,000	4 961	2 210
Lime—farms	11	28
acres on which used	598	1 376
tons	490	1 526
$1,000	7	11
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	5	5
acres on which used	193	160
$1,000	2	2
Insects on other crops—farms	130	254
acres on which used	33 499	34 814
$1,000	269	129
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	5
acres on which used	300	431
$1,000	9	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	14	23
acres on which used	1 539	2 026
$1,000	8	11
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	286	333
acres on which used	96 697	58 439
$1,000	850	322
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	8
acres on which used	160	469
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	22	(NA)
acres on which used	327	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	15	6
acres on which used	2 307	500
$1,000	13	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	13	87
$1,000	2	9
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	44	(NA)
$1,000	44	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	540	618
Proportion of farms—percent	73.0	73.7
Total land irrigated—acres	115 189	111 137
Average per farm—acres	213.3	179.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	536	617
acres	114 294	111 033
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	536	613
acres	113 902	108 833
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	7	20
acres	384	2 031
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	8	169
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	4	3
acres	895	104
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	162 526	140 169
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	59	(NA)
acres	9 071	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	276 871	256 878
Cropland—acres	229 756	223 250
Harvested cropland—acres	184 042	149 263
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	9	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	952	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	73	184
Proportion of farms—percent	9.9	21.9
Land in farms with drainage—acres	41 805	72 431
Land drained—acres	36 308	59 689
Average per farm—acres	497.4	324.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	55	(NA)
number	141	(NA)
acres	174	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	180	96	118
$1,000	8 447	5 740	2 707
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	27	25	16
$5,000 to $9,999	24	7	21
$10,000 to $29,999	71	31	50
$30,000 to $49,999	21	10	15
$50,000 and over	37	23	16

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	234	286	434	481	1 691	1 739
25 to 149 days	155	501	492	1 786	411	
Less than 25 days	180		1 017		156	
Total contract labor	28	43	(NA)	(NA)	401	44
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	230	(NA)	370	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	398	234	155	180
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 259	1 691	411	156
Number of workers	1 943	434	492	1 017
Farms with—				
1 worker	124	127	59	40
2 workers	64	61	29	34
3 or 4 workers	77	33	40	45
5 to 9 workers	79	12	18	28
10 workers and over	54	1	9	33

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	369	523	204	249
Land in farms ____ acres	149 060	161 088	138 684	143 278
Average size of farm ____ acres	404	308	680	575
Approximate land area ____ acres	495 488	495 488	495 488	495 488
Proportion in farms ____ percent	30.1	32.5	28.0	28.9
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	64 547	37 040	59 006	32 293
Average per farm ____ dollars	174 923	70 822	289 246	129 689
Average per acre ____ dollars	433	230	425	225
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	12	18	1	–
10 to 49 acres	110	148	18	8
50 to 69 acres	18	42	3	7
70 to 99 acres	38	51	15	18
100 to 139 acres	22	45	14	28
140 to 179 acres	18	29	12	15
180 to 219 acres	11	13	8	8
220 to 259 acres	11	25	8	18
260 to 499 acres	41	55	38	52
500 to 999 acres	46	60	45	58
1,000 to 1,999 acres	27	26	27	26
2,000 acres and over	15	11	15	11

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	28	(NA)
____ acres	4 101	10 003
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	–	8
____ acres	–	317
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	2	24
____ acres	180	2 307
Cropland in cultivated summer follow ____ farms	6	16
____ acres	1 052	1 778
Cropland idle ____ farms	22	30
____ acres	2 869	5 601
Total woodland ____ farms	85	117
____ acres	18 587	29 401
Woodland pastured ____ farms	61	70
____ acres	10 346	23 792

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	347	477	195	241
____ acres	102 365	106 012	96 953	98 575
Harvested cropland ____ farms	286	370	190	225
____ acres	88 046	76 708	86 878	74 942
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	43	67	4	
10 to 19 acres	49	59	12	35
20 to 29 acres	25	29	10	
30 to 49 acres	24	24	20	
50 to 99 acres	11	25	10	24
100 to 199 acres	19	36	19	36
200 to 499 acres	53	78	53	78
500 to 999 acres	40	40	40	40
1,000 acres and over	22	12	22	12
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	174	306	65	117
____ acres	9 820	18 133	5 974	13 630
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	44	108	28	(NA)
____ acres	4 499	11 171	4 101	10 003
Total woodland ____ farms	164	257	85	117
____ acres	21 957	36 062	18 587	29 401
Other land (see text) ____ farms	223	340	119	(NA)
____ acres	24 738	19 014	23 144	15 302
Irrigated land ____ farms	127	166	123	149
____ acres	36 125	34 424	36 087	34 194

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	52	61
____ acres	8 241	5 609
Other land ____ farms	119	(NA)
____ acres	23 144	15 302
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	37	45
____ acres	19 651	10 081
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	15	30
____ acres	1 395	4 594
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	27	26
____ acres	18 256	5 487
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	104	128
____ acres	3 493	5 221

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	369	523	204	249
Land in farms ____ acres	149 060	161 088	138 684	143 278
Harvested cropland ____ acres	88 046	76 708	86 878	74 942
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	190	301	65	68
Land in farms ____ acres	28 997	29 109	23 494	15 162
Harvested cropland ____ acres	13 297	7 045	12 496	5 716
Part owners ____ number	132	157	97	125
Land in farms ____ acres	88 668	106 384	83 980	103 019
Harvested cropland ____ acres	54 295	50 421	53 958	50 066
Tenants ____ number	47	65	42	56
Land in farms ____ acres	31 395	25 595	31 210	25 097
Harvested cropland ____ acres	20 454	19 242	20 424	19 160
Percent of tenancy	12.7	12.4	20.6	22.4
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	15	30	10	14
Land in farms ____ acres	4 157	3 574	3 991	2 899
Harvested cropland ____ acres	3 611	2 556	3 610	2 444
Full owners ____ number	8	23	5	7
Land in farms ____ acres	533	1 207	447	532
Harvested cropland ____ acres	77	220	76	108
Part owners ____ number	5	3	3	3
Land in farms ____ acres	(D)	548	(D)	548
Harvested cropland ____ acres	(D)	519	(D)	519
Tenants ____ number	2	4	2	4
Land in farms ____ acres	(D)	1 819	(D)	1 819
Harvested cropland ____ acres	(D)	1 817	(D)	1 817
Percent of tenancy	13.3	13.3	20.0	28.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	180	203
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	117 003	120 722

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	22	33
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	15 008
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 000
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	12
____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	6 548
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	10	13	10	7
25 to 34 years	43	63	24	42
35 to 44 years	78	82	40	53
45 to 54 years	133	176	77	80
55 to 64 years	63	120	31	45
65 years and over	40	69	20	22
Average age	48.5	50.1	47.7	46.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	214	367	116	177
On another farm	7		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	32	67	22	42
In a city, town, or urban area	19		10	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	127	(NA)	107	(NA)
1 to 49 days	7	50	3	19
50 to 99 days	8	15	5	6
100 to 149 days	5	61	4	15
150 to 199 days	28		9	
200 days and over	124	164	23	44
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	196	(NA)	161	(NA)
Other	171	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	67	60	67	60
$40,000 to $99,999	52		52	
$20,000 to $39,999	20	57	20	57
$10,000 to $19,999	14	40	14	40
$5,000 to $9,999	22	31	22	31
$2,500 to $4,999	28	47	28	47
Under $2,500 (see text)	166	288	1	14
$2,000 to $2,499	11	44	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	20	23	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	40	49	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	95	172	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	20 909	7 356	20 761	7 106
Average per farm (dollars)	56 665	14 064	101 771	28 537
Crops, including hay (farms)	225	298	176	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	20 106	6 411	20 064	6 354
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	–		–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	–		–	–
Forest products (farms)	20	32	15	17
Forest products ($1,000)	85	24	82	17
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	249	364	111	150
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	719	921	616	735
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	10	(NA)	3	5
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1	(NA)	(Z)	56

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	176	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	20 064	6 354
Grains (farms)	166	199
Grains ($1,000)	20 029	6 262
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	8
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	19
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	9	9
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	28	10
Other field crops (farms)	–	3
Other field crops ($1,000)	–	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	3	7
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	7	52
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	111	150
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	616	735
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	3	5
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(Z)	56
Dairy products (farms)	4	8
Dairy products ($1,000)	192	190
Cattle and calves (farms)	103	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	405	456
Hogs and pigs (farms)	6	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	1	33
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	12	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	5	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	10	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	12	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	165	(NA)	28	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	66	(NA)	38	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	246	(NA)	223	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	15	24	12	9
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	130	16	129	7
Recreational services (farms)	–	4	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	(Z)	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	32	87	12	35
Government farm programs ($1,000)	18	56	10	45
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	23	(NA)	15	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	87	(NA)	75	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	28	(NA)	16	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	105	(NA)	89	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	75
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	627
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	12
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	96
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	47
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	425
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	27
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	53
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	11
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	49
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	4
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	369	523	204	249
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	11 245	5 545	10 948	5 217
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	45	157	–	16
$1,000 to $1,999	68	71	5	
$2,000 to $2,999	39	73	11	22
$3,000 to $4,999	44	46	19	37
$5,000 to $9,999	25	29	21	27
$10,000 to $19,999	33		33	66
$20,000 to $39,999	32	147	32	40
$40,000 to $59,999	19		19	41
$60,000 and over	64		64	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	121	176	42	63
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	156	196	103	143
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	249	363	98	134
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	306	290	208	220
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	174	247	93	119
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	228	230	192	190
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	29	15
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	29	23
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5	11
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	12	15
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	13
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	232	303	149	193
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	1 290	498	1 282	491
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	320	425	187	219
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	2 317	1 017	2 273	972
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	166	(NA)	123	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	662	272	657	268
Lime (farms)	(NA)	67	13	51
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	50	12	49
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	360	518	202	248
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	975	560	941	517
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	190	230
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	353	192
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	163	189
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	454	194
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	67	120
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	55	68
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	202	248
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	79	64
Hired farm labor (farms)	148	274	110	182
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	832	620	823	600
Contract labor (farms)	5	148	5	12
Contract labor ($1,000)	7	141	7	16
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	93		68	87
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	214		210	115
All other production expenses (farms)	319	388	203	245
All other production expenses ($1,000)	4 487	1 951	4 430	1 875

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	352	508	195	243
$1,000	12 614	7 048	11 343	6 078
Average per farm—dollars	35 836	13 873	58 172	25 012
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	40	–	43
$1,000 to $4,999	63	219	13	
$5,000 to $9,999	93	59	22	25
$10,000 to $19,999	54	72	26	59
$20,000 to $29,999	25		20	37
$30,000 to $49,999	45	118	45	39
$50,000 to $69,999	21		21	40
$70,000 and over	49		48	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	259	346	163	189
number	348	428	238	235
mfd in last 5 years, number	217	315	181	186
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	305	446	178	225
number	583	692	444	452
mfd in last 5 years, number	272	460	233	307
Wheel tractors—farms	310	395	179	215
number	773	826	593	587
mfd in last 5 years, number	261	493	239	397
Crawler tractors—farms	19		15	18
number	22		17	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		4	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	127	149	123	144
number	233	233	229	227
mfd in last 5 years, number	103	170	103	164
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	13	1	2
number	1	16	1	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	8	1	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	21		20	7
number	21		20	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	4
Mower conditioners—farms	34	(NA)	12	(NA)
number	39	(NA)	13	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	4	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	44	70	24	44
number	45	70	24	44
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	44	5	23
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	24	(NA)	14	23
number	25	(NA)	15	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	13
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	2	5
number	9	(NA)	3	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	–	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	265	(X)	117	(X)	249	(X)	111	(X)	616
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	257	(X)	110	(X)	242	(X)	107	(X)	412
1969	404	(X)	158	(X)	347	(X)	139	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	245	11 831	106	8 164	229	3 231	103	2 533	405
1969	349	12 987	135	9 244	282	5 911	121	4 334	456
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	12	38	5	19	93	225	18	36	4
5 to 9—1974	18	114	1	5	43	286	15	103	13
10 to 19—1974	47	629	17	205	41	529	22	289	47
20 to 49—1974	93	2 876	30	1 027	38	1 087	34	1 001	154
50 to 99—1974	43	2 750	21	1 484	10	653	10	653	95
100 to 199—1974	25	3 424	25	3 424	4	451	4	451	91
200 to 499—1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	205	6 740	95	4 720	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	289	6 935	116	5 117	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	190	6 420	88	4 446	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 408	109	4 683	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	50	320	22	274	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	99	527	37	434	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	192
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	190

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	190	6 420	88	4 446			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	25	64	10	26			
5 to 9	20	136	5	36			
10 to 19	32	431	9	128			
20 to 49	78	2 367	31	944			
50 to 99	22	1 518	20	1 408			
100 to 199	10	1 254	10	1 254			
200 to 499	3	650	3	650			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	50	320	22	274			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	37	49	14	19			
3 or 4	8	26	3	10			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	1	10	1	10			
20 to 49	1	23	1	23			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					55	811	195
Farms with—							
1 to 4					20	46	11
5 to 9					7	49	9
10 to 19					16	203	46
20 to 49					9	246	44
50 to 99					1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					88	1 722	210
Farms with—							
1 or 2					12	20	2
3 or 4					7	26	2
5 to 9					18	121	12
10 to 19					17	231	25
20 to 49					27	783	107
50 to 99					6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	61	1 139
	1969	98	1 921
Beef heifers	1974	56	1 081
Milk heifers	1974	7	58
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	87	2 305
	1969	118	2 206

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	6	47	11
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	3	9	2
10 to 19	1974	3	38	10
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	50	321	19	89	21	261	6	58	1
	1969	128	1 238	49	407	74	1 789	28	731	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	28	53	14	31	5	10	4	8	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	8	55	2	13	7	47	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	13	186	3	45	6	100	1	20	1
25 to 49	1974	1	27	–	–	3	104	1	30	(Z)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	104	3	32	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	422	7	188	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	31	673	15	439	18	293	11	221	(NA)
	1969	67	1 300	31	719	50	789	20	394	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	281	[1]2 095
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	(X)	5
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	37	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	98	246	37	118	9	16	7	12	2
	1969	191	771	(NA)	(NA)	22	36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	9	15
	1969	23	72
Other hogs and pigs	1974	19	74
	1969	45	335
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	12	147
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	14	266
Rams and wethers	1974	12	26

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	25	61	9	14
	1969	72	228	28	97
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	20	37	7	9
	1969	56	127	22	55
June 1 and November 30	1974	12	24	3	5
	1969	43	101	20	42

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	100	(X)	29	(X)	6	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	60	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	98	2 809	29	695	6	104	3	51
	1969	183	15 610	58	11 777	2	2 525	2	2 525
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	97	2 085	28	544	5	91	2	48
	1969	166	14 460	49	11 328	2	2 525	2	2 525
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	96	1 935	28	544	5	91	2	48
100 to 399	1974	1	150	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	14	566	2	23	1	20	–	–
	1969	14	262	8	162	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	1	3	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	56

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	28	544	2	48
	1969	49	11 328	2	2 525
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	25	484	2	48
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	60	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	90	–	–
	1969	8	219	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	22	61	1	3
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	8	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	6	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	13	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	30	81	187	661	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	5	4	37	24	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	168	192	51 755	42 385	1 230 424	902 102
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	10	–	12	–	3 720
Wheat (bushels)	–	7	–	466	–	13 550
Other small grains for grain	125	152	35 125	31 325	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	17	–	317	–	230
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	7	(NA)	2	(NA)	203	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	34	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	94	103	1 883	1 509	3 443	3 204
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	11	35	25	509	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	4	4	32	17	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	4	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	17	48	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	6	9	33	205	1 467	5 132	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	1	3	10	15	80	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	7	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	–	84	–	126	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	65	5 974	(X)	–	–	18	952	18	146	–	–
	1969	117	13 630	(X)	6	430	36	1 976	36	284	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	15	1 395	(X)	–	–	5	857	5	91	1	5
	1969	30	4 594	(X)	–	–	15	2 015	15	277	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	7	36	(X)	–	–	6	30	6	7	–	–
	1969	10	222	(X)	–	–	8	82	8	17	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	435	13 150	–	–	1	430	(NA)	43	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	123	35 101	(X)	123	35 101	123	35 089	117	7 974	14	194
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	156	51 594	1 227 500	4	1 020	142	50 295	117	6 550	34	1 429
	1969	175	42 050	895 063	11	2 508	148	39 158	(NA)	5 440	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 000	–	–	2	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	33	1 122	2 012	–	–	16	338	16	82	–	–
	1969	33	910	2 233	2	36	20	523	20	160	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	239	191	–	–	5	194	(NA)	49	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	(Z)	25	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	–	8	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	20	(X)	–	–	3	20	3	5	–	–
	1969	9	362	(X)	–	–	6	307	6	34	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	26	(X)	–	–	1	26	1	4	–	–
	1969	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	187	227
$1,000	2 930	1 240
Commercial fertilizer—farms	187	210
acres on which used	87 607	75 978
tons	16 486	12 649
$1,000	2 273	972
Lime—farms	13	51
acres on which used	2 122	5 144
tons	1 353	5 849
$1,000	12	49
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	6
acres on which used	36	178
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	55	79
acres on which used	19 756	24 984
$1,000	163	63
Nemotodes in crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	152	60
$1,000	1	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	6
acres on which used	686	1 146
$1,000	10	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	95	102
acres on which used	49 775	29 710
$1,000	454	149
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	8
acres on which used	10	147
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	20	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	8	–
acres on which used	684	–
$1,000	5	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	4	27
$1,000	1	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	123	149
Proportion of farms—percent	60.3	59.8
Total land irrigated—acres	36 087	34 194
Average per farm—acres	293.4	229.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	123	149
acres	36 087	34 194
Horvested cropland irrigated—farms	123	149
acres	36 000	33 764
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	6
acres	–	430
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	87	–
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	48 370	42 094
Average per ocre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	16	(NA)
acres	4 526	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated forms—acres	118 295	115 917
Cropland—acres	85 239	80 693
Horvested cropland—acres	77 185	64 275
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	4	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	292	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	33	76
Proportion of farms—percent	16.2	30.5
Land in forms with drainage—acres	24 909	50 655
Land drained—acres	16 923	43 060
Average per farm—acres	512.8	566.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	28	(NA)
number	66	(NA)
acres	123	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	67	41	52
$1,000	2 177	1 133	1 044
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	4	12	11
$5,000 to $9,999	15	4	10
$10,000 to $29,999	23	10	19
$30,000 to $49,999	8	6	9
$50,000 and over	17	9	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	69	87	147	157	656	600
25 to 149 days	46	150	137	692	140	
Less than 25 days	45		158		27	
Total contract labor	5	12	(NA)	(NA)	7	16
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	18	(NA)	5	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	110	69	46	45
Cash wages paid $1,000	823	656	140	27
Number of workers	442	147	137	158
Farms with—				
1 worker	29	28	17	12
2 workers	21	23	11	9
3 or 4 workers	28	15	9	13
5 to 9 workers	22	3	7	9
10 workers and over	10	–	2	2

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	243	293	83	107
Land in farms — acres	56 446	64 135	45 265	54 493
Average size of farm — acres	232	219	545	509
Approximate land area — acres	192 640	192 640	192 640	192 640
Proportian in farms — percent	29.3	33.3	23.5	28.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	50 460	44 567	36 559	37 474
Average per farm — dollars	207 653	152 104	440 474	350 224
Average per acre — dollars	894	695	808	688
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	12	17	4	1
10 to 49 acres	86	98	16	9
50 to 69 acres	31	41	2	6
70 to 99 acres	23	31	3	7
100 to 139 acres	24	27	8	15
140 to 179 acres	14	17	7	11
180 to 219 acres	5	9	4	7
220 to 259 acres	1	8	–	7
260 to 499 acres	22	16	14	15
500 to 999 acres	12	16	12	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	5	7	5
2,000 acres and over	6	8	6	8

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	31	(NA)
acres	7 083	11 622
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	3	7
acres	620	243
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	5	9
acres	432	1 980
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	27	33
acres	4 696	7 291
Cropland idle — farms	10	16
acres	1 335	2 108
Total woodland — farms	25	47
acres	5 579	6 392
Woodland pastured — farms	8	34
acres	2 107	3 455

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	207	253	73	100
acres	34 128	44 349	28 534	38 678
Harvested cropland — farms	148	149	64	88
acres	18 345	19 609	17 030	18 999
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	46	43	6	
10 to 19 acres	23	33	5	44
20 to 29 acres	26	14	11	
30 to 49 acres	13	14	4	
50 to 99 acres	4	9	2	8
100 to 199 acres	10	11	10	11
200 to 499 acres	15	15	15	15
500 to 999 acres	8	5	8	5
1,000 acres and over	3	5	3	5
Cropland used only for posture or grazing — farms	139	176	29	47
acres	8 434	12 788	4 421	8 057
Other cropland (see text) — farms	55	72	31	(NA)
acres	7 349	11 952	7 083	11 622
Total woodland — farms	103	135	25	47
acres	7 985	8 136	5 579	6 392
Other land (see text) — farms	165	189	57	(NA)
acres	14 333	11 650	11 152	9 423
Irrigated land — farms	6	5	3	5
acres	39	385	27	385

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	18	22
acres	3 472	2 937
Other land — farms	57	(NA)
acres	11 152	9 423
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	20	35
acres	5 994	6 212
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	15
acres	3 717	2 174
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	22
acres	2 277	4 038
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	47	66
acres	5 158	3 211

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	243	293	83	107
Land in farms — acres	56 446	64 135	45 265	54 493
Harvested cropland — acres	18 345	19 609	17 030	18 999
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	141	170	39	32
Land in farms — acres	20 058	20 578	14 539	14 461
Harvested cropland — acres	5 874	5 014	5 386	4 763
Part owners — number	68	81	27	45
Land in farms — acres	27 430	24 804	22 875	22 021
Harvested cropland — acres	8 239	7 525	7 799	7 200
Tenants — number	34	42	17	30
Land in farms — acres	8 958	18 753	7 851	18 011
Harvested cropland — acres	4 232	7 070	3 845	7 036
Percent of tenancy	14.0	14.3	20.5	28.0
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	14	6	2	1
Land in farms — acres	1 662	668	214	490
Harvested cropland — acres	84	287	32	275
Full owners — number	4	1	–	–
Land in farms — acres	28	68	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	8	–	–	–
Part owners — number	9	2	1	1
Land in farms — acres	1 620	540	200	490
Harvested cropland — acres	64	275	20	275
Tenants — number	1	3	1	–
Land in farms — acres	14	60	14	–
Harvested cropland — acres	12	12	12	–
Percent of tenancy	7.1	50.0	50.0	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	66	86
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 696	29 789

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	11
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 490	5 109
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	10
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 693	19 595
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	386	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	4	2	–
25 to 34 years	17	25	7	11
35 to 44 years	33	68	8	27
45 to 54 years	41	91	19	33
55 to 64 years	76	70	19	24
65 years and over	64	35	18	12
Average age	55.8	49.8	55.0	49.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	153	202	42	73
On another farm	2		1	
In a rural area, not an a farm	11	49	5	19
In a city, town, or urban area	17		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	63	(NA)	28	(NA)
1 to 49 days	8	13	1	6
50 to 99 days	6	21	–	7
100 to 149 days	11	28	2	4
150 to 199 days	13		3	
200 days and over	116	158	27	35
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	85	(NA)	39	(NA)
Other	148	(NA)	34	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	26	25	26	25
$40,000 to $99,999	6		6	
$20,000 to $39,999	4	10	4	10
$10,000 to $19,999	11	16	11	16
$5,000 to $9,999	5	14	5	14
$2,500 to $4,999	26	37	26	37
Under $2,500 (see text)	165	191	5	5
$2,000 to $2,499	21	19	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	27	9	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	37	26	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	80	137	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	15 069	3 965	14 901	3 828
Average per farm (dollars)	62 010	13 533	179 527	35 771
Crops, including hay (farms)	80	90	48	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	14 086	3 103	14 071	3 083
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	2		2	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	(D)		(D)	3
Forest products (farms)	2	5	2	3
Forest products ($1,000)	1	1	1	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	200	216	51	73
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	942	861	791	741
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	5	(NA)	1	1
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(D)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	48	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	14 071	3 083
Grains (farms)	12	17
Grains ($1,000)	369	326
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	7	8
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	20	34
Other field crops (farms)	30	34
Other field crops ($1,000)	13 672	2 704
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	2	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	8	6
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	3	9
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	2	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	51	73
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	791	741
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	1	1
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	(D)
Dairy products (farms)	–	1
Dairy products ($1,000)	–	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	44	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	527	435
Hogs and pigs (farms)	1	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	4	110
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	8	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	164	(NA)	33	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	44	(NA)	21	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	474	(NA)	465	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	9	14	3	11
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	38	23	36	23
Recreational services (farms)	–	2	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	(Z)	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	28	60	14	40
Government farm programs ($1,000)	152	281	146	276
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	279	(NA)	278	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	13	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	7	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	49
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	828
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	10
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	131
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	37
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	501
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	19
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	131
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	13
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	46
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	8
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	19

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	243	293	83	107
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	6 423	3 725	6 123	3 480
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	59	104	2	16
$1,000 to $1,999	59	47	6	
$2,000 to $2,999	28	51	7	17
$3,000 to $4,999	27	29	12	14
$5,000 to $9,999	27	21	13	19
$10,000 to $19,999	7	41	7	10
$20,000 to $39,999	5		5	10
$40,000 to $59,999	2		2	21
$60,000 and over	29		29	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	97	98	30	40
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	416	194	339	155
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	181	225	40	65
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	252	213	180	156
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	107	129	32	58
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	191	143	161	121
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	16	8
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	8
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	12	12
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	7	18
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	8	8
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	96	106	30	47
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	100	41	95	34
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	175	208	59	88
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	345	198	303	176
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	90	(NA)	45	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	390	218	386	214
Lime (farms)	(NA)	25	1	6
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	6	(Z)	4
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	227	279	80	107
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	368	242	345	217
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	69	107
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	104	92
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	51	53
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	167	65
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	18	21
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	29	25
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	80	107
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	45	35
Hired farm labor (farms)	89	137	52	81
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 339	992	1 329	981
Contract labor (farms)	6	81	4	6
Contract labor ($1,000)	9	90	8	9
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	37		15	39
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	52		50	74
All other production expenses (farms)	197	229	81	105
All other production expenses ($1,000)	3 150	1 537	3 073	1 463

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	237	273	77	103
$1,000	4 649	3 242	3 447	2 444
Average per farm—dollars	19 614	11 874	44 767	23 729
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	7	1	24
$1,000 to $4,999	66	132	11	
$5,000 to $9,999	76	68	14	20
$10,000 to $19,999	49	21	19	18
$20,000 to $29,999	11	45	6	16
$30,000 to $49,999	12		10	7
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	18
$70,000 and over	13		13	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	148	171	40	68
number	188	221	52	86
mfd in last 5 years, number	92	160	38	64
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	193	191	67	95
number	287	298	153	200
mfd in last 5 years, number	128	189	89	116
Wheel tractors—farms	203	238	69	97
number	427	560	266	360
mfd in last 5 years, number	110	267	80	169
Crawler tractors—farms	9		9	13
number	11		11	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	9	17	9	17
number	12	24	12	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	20	1	20
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	11	2	1
number	2	11	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	7	1	1
Other carnpickers and picker-shellers—farms	9		3	7
number	9		3	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	5
Mower conditioners—farms	36	(NA)	13	(NA)
number	46	(NA)	18	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	27	38	8	30
number	28	39	9	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	25	4	19
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	13	(NA)	8	10
number	13	(NA)	8	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	1	(NA)	1	4
number	1	(NA)	1	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	212	(X)	55	(X)	200	(X)	51	(X)	791
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	202	(X)	46	(X)	190	(X)	45	(X)	531
1969	238	(X)	73	(X)	208	(X)	70	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	202	9 869	46	6 211	189	4 617	44	3 516	527
1969	231	10 204	69	7 164	204	4 857	67	3 766	435
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	7	–	–	62	181	4	14	3
5 to 9—1974	27	190	6	35	47	311	–	–	–
10 to 19—1974	57	767	3	42	40	529	9	149	30
20 to 49—1974	72	2 164	10	350	23	677	14	434	48
50 to 99—1974	24	1 500	9	543	9	581	9	581	67
100 to 199—1974	12	1 768	12	1 768	4	585	4	585	75
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	162	5 867	39	3 766	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	201	5 758	62	4 175	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	159	5 798	39	3 758	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 691	59	4 151	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	41	69	4	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	43	67	12	24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	159	5 798	39	3 758			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	7	21	1	3			
5 to 9	46	320	2	14			
10 to 19	28	362	2	28			
20 to 49	52	1 470	14	451			
50 to 99	15	1 002	9	639			
100 to 199	5	635	5	635			
200 to 499	6	1 988	6	1 988			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	41	69	4	8			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	34	43	2	2			
3 or 4	5	16	2	6			
5 to 9	2	10	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					32	1 725	324
Farms with—							
1 to 4					5	16	4
5 to 9					6	43	9
10 to 19					9	116	23
20 to 49					6	188	31
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					37	1 791	202
Farms with—							
1 or 2					3	5	(Z)
3 or 4					2	8	1
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					7	104	14
20 to 49					16	498	47
50 to 99					5	342	37
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	29	1 039	2	46	10
	1969	61	1 577	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	28	1 028	1	4	1
Milk heifers	1974	2	11	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	36	1 406	1	42	8
	1969	61	1 412	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	2	46	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974	1	4	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	1	42	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	24	109	6	12	4	178	1	125	4
	1969	19	563	10	535	8	1 010	6	967	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	17	36	6	12	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	5	29	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	2	44	–	–	3	53	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	125	1	125	4
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	141	1	93	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	40	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	6	–	–	1	1	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	31	(NA)	(NA)	2	10	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	49	172	21	112	8	30	6	27	23
	1969	91	448	(NA)	(NA)	12	58	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	–	–
	1969	3	8
Other hogs and pigs	1974	6	12
	1969	10	527
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	14	38	1	21
	1969	5	22	3	7
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	13	33	1	21
	1969	5	21	3	6
June 1 and November 30	1974	3	5	–	–
	1969	1	1	1	1

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	40	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	40	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	44	18 712	10	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	38	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	44	18 581	10	17 779	1	(D)	1	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	35	1 042	2	53	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	330	–	–	2	400	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	100	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	3	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	10	17 779	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	3	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	40	–	–
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	2	11	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	18	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	37	49	466	393	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	1	24	98	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	8	20	1 780	5 315	44 209	133 890
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	–	1	–	200	–
Wheat (bushels)	2	3	260	437	(D)	9 241
Other small grains for grain	–	5	–	70	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	5	(NA)	247	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	9	(NA)	515	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	87	69	2 877	1 907	4 271	3 748
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	5	1	28	34	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	3	16	62	330	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	4	–	4	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	33	(NA)	12 869	11 114	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	8	18	338	183	7 386	8 431	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	1	–	25	–	375	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	4	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	98	–	3 882	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	–	6	–	22	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	29	4 421	(X)	–	–	10	1 111	9	226	1	1
	1969	47	8 057	(X)	–	–	19	1 276	18	218	1	5
Improved pasture	1974	16	3 717	(X)	–	–	8	1 608	8	206	–	–
	1969	15	2 174	(X)	–	–	7	1 450	7	239	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	8	338	(X)	–	–	7	334	5	48	2	1
	1969	19	212	(X)	–	–	16	155	16	25	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	98	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	260	(D)	–	–	2	260	2	54	–	–
	1969	3	437	9 241	–	–	2	301	(NA)	16	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	30	1 500	–	–	1	30	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	8	1 780	44 209	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	16	5 275	133 058	–	–	4	1 235	(NA)	82	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	25	1 733	2 527	–	–	6	166	6	25	–	–
	1969	34	1 574	3 259	1	7	6	517	6	44	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	1	24	2	1	2	1	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	8	3	114	–	–	5	2	2	1	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	27	(X)	2	27	2	27	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
	1969	1	34	(X)	1	4	1	34	2	5	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	3	62	(X)	–	–	–	–	1	36	–	–
	1969	15	320	(X)	1	5	7	48	–	–	–	–
									6	3	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	1	(X)	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	30	12 849	(X)	–	–	30	12 849	13	295	25	1 145

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	64	96
$1,000	689	390
Commercial fertilizer—farms	59	83
acres on which used	16 358	15 916
tons	2 007	1 983
$1,000	303	176
Lime—farms	1	6
acres on which used	20	375
tons	40	695
$1,000	(Z)	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	6	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	22	19
acres on which used	12 331	10 529
$1,000	135	54
Nemotodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	2
acres on which used	13	637
$1,000	(Z)	10
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	27	32
acres on which used	12 788	10 667
$1,000	230	140
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	8
acres on which used	1 558	1 049
$1,000	6	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	169	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	4
acres on which used	450	559
$1,000	8	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	7	25
$1,000	1	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—forms	3	5
Proportion of farms—percent	3.6	4.6
Total land irrigated—acres	27	385
Average per farm—acres	9.0	77.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	5
acres	27	385
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	5
acres	27	381
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	4
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	28	206
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.0	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	27	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	155	3 333
Cropland—acres	87	3 012
Harvested cropland—acres	27	1 978
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	14	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	11	38
Proportion of farms—percent	13.3	35.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	8 011	31 384
Land drained—acres	6 302	29 354
Average per farm—acres	572.9	772.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	7	(NA)
number	21	(NA)
acres	30	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	21	12	11
$1,000	737	383	354
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	3	2
$5,000 to $9,999	–	1	–
$10,000 to $29,999	6	2	3
$30,000 to $49,999	6	4	2
$50,000 and over	6	2	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	28	33	168	215	854	
25 to 149 days	33	76	343	450	414	981
Less than 25 days	29		358		61	
Total contract labor	4	6	(NA)	(NA)	8	9
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	4	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	52	28	33	29
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 329	854	414	61
Number of workers	869	168	343	358
Farms with—				
1 worker	12	6	5	7
2 workers	2	4	2	3
3 or 4 workers	7	4	3	6
5 to 9 workers	7	8	9	5
10 workers and over	24	6	14	8

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	143	194	130	179
Land in farms — acres	76 634	84 743	74 080	83 577
Average size of farm — acres	536	437	570	467
Approximate land area — acres	227 584	227 584	227 584	227 584
Proportion in farms — percent	33.7	37.2	32.6	36.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	41 832	36 792	40 818	36 241
Average per farm — dollars	292 532	189 647	313 985	202 463
Average per acre — dollars	546	434	551	434
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	5	4	3	2
10 to 49 acres	13	21	9	13
50 to 69 acres	8	7	8	6
70 to 99 acres	7	26	7	25
100 to 139 acres	12	16	12	16
140 to 179 acres	9	24	9	24
180 to 219 acres	13	21	12	20
220 to 259 acres	10	9	6	8
260 to 499 acres	30	32	29	31
500 to 999 acres	23	23	22	23
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	4	7	4
2,000 acres and over	6	7	6	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	139	187	127	173
acres	54 303	60 719	52 926	59 927
Harvested cropland — farms	130	184	127	171
acres	39 366	37 631	39 341	37 450
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	2	8	1	
10 to 19 acres	4	5	2	33
20 to 29 acres	10	11	10	
30 to 49 acres	11	22	11	
50 to 99 acres	17	48	17	48
100 to 199 acres	28	53	28	53
200 to 499 acres	34	21	34	21
500 to 999 acres	17	9	17	9
1,000 acres and over	7	7	7	7
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	16	26	8	26
acres	1 550	1 010	274	1 010
Other cropland (see text) — farms	96	139	95	(NA)
acres	13 387	22 078	13 311	21 467
Total woodland — farms	29	39	24	36
acres	18 006	17 396	17 680	17 185
Other land (see text) — farms	83	105	78	(NA)
acres	4 325	6 628	3 474	6 465
Irrigated land — farms	6	4	5	4
acres	518	737	517	737

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — forms	95	(NA)
acres	13 311	21 467
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	4	15
acres	389	848
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	5
acres	100	217
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	78	87
acres	9 888	13 939
Cropland idle — farms	31	70
acres	2 934	6 463
Total woodland — farms	24	36
acres	17 680	17 185
Woodland pastured — farms	3	14
acres	7 386	1 969

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	21	27
acres	10 294	15 216
Other land — farms	78	(NA)
acres	3 474	6 465
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	5	14
acres	383	562
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1	7
acres	100	57
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	5	9
acres	283	505
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	78	93
acres	3 091	5 903

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	143	194	130	179
Land in farms — acres	76 634	84 743	74 080	83 577
Harvested cropland — acres	39 366	37 631	39 341	37 450
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	45	41	34	31
Land in farms — acres	25 558	17 832	23 895	17 278
Harvested cropland — acres	11 575	6 716	11 551	6 586
Part owners — number	38	59	37	57
Land in farms — acres	30 772	33 192	29 882	32 738
Harvested cropland — acres	13 632	10 856	13 632	10 835
Tenants — number	60	94	59	91
Land in farms — acres	20 304	33 719	20 303	33 561
Harvested cropland — acres	14 159	20 059	14 158	20 029
Percent of tenancy	42.0	48.4	45.4	50.8
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	4	5	4	4
Land in farms — acres	152	414	152	329
Harvested cropland — acres	104	215	104	213
Full owners — number	4	2	4	2
Land in farms — acres	152	2	152	2
Harvested cropland — acres	104	–	104	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	3	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	412	–	327
Harvested cropland — acres	–	215	–	213
Percent of tenancy	–	60.0	–	50.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	72	117
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 681	32 578

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	36	45
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 955	18 144
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	19	11
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	27 011	31 050
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 433	1 805
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	2	–
25 to 34 years	9	17	7	16
35 to 44 years	29	37	25	35
45 to 54 years	35	67	33	61
55 to 64 years	40	61	35	56
65 years and over	6	12	6	11
Average age	49.6	49.7	49.8	49.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	66	127	63	121
On another farm	8		5	
In a rural area, not on a farm	18	51	18	43
In a city, town, or urban area	9		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	69	(NA)	66	(NA)
1 to 49 days	2	16	1	16
50 to 99 days	1	7	1	4
100 to 149 days	1	5	1	3
150 to 199 days	–		–	
200 days and over	15	20	7	18
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	108	(NA)	103	(NA)
Other	13	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	27	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Forms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	83	41	83	41
$40,000 to $99,999	24		24	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	47	19	47
$10,000 to $19,999	4	39	4	39
$5,000 to $9,999	–	38	–	38
$2,500 to $4,999	–	8	–	8
Under $2,500 (see text)	13	21	–	6
$2,000 to $2,499	1	4	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	–	1	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	4	3	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	8	13	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	37 118	7 813	37 109	7 799
Average per farm ... dollars	259 567	40 275	285 455	43 570
Crops, including hay ... farms	128	180	127	(NA)
$1,000	36 997	7 748	36 996	7 738
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		–	–
$1,000	(Z)		–	–
Forest products ... farms	–	1	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	20	23	13	18
$1,000	120	66	113	61
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	(NA)	2	5
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	32

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	127	(NA)
$1,000	36 996	7 738
Grains ... farms	5	32
$1,000	137	317
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	2	5
$1,000	1	11
Other field crops ... farms	125	161
$1,000	36 858	7 410
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	13	18
$1,000	113	61
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	5
$1,000	1	32
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	9	(NA)
$1,000	9	28
Hogs and pigs ... farms	2	(NA)
$1,000	1	1
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	4	
$1,000	102	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	11	(NA)	–	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	53	(NA)	49	(NA)
$1,000	641	(NA)	623	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	8	13	7	11
$1,000	90	111	84	105
Recreational services ... farms	1	3	–	3
$1,000	(Z)	6	–	6
Government farm programs ... farms	47	101	44	98
$1,000	345	601	342	594
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	5	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	131	(NA)	122	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	75	(NA)	75	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	91	(NA)	91	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	31
$1,000	219
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	6
$1,000	28
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	14
$1,000	102
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	20
$1,000	42
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	2
$1,000	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	4
$1,000	44

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	143	194	130	179
$1,000	14 127	6 460	14 106	6 439
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	13	10	4	2
$1,000 to $1,999	1	3	–	
$2,000 to $2,999	1	11	1	8
$3,000 to $4,999	4	14	3	14
$5,000 to $9,999	12	42	10	41
$10,000 to $19,999	10		10	41
$20,000 to $39,999	24	114	24	42
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	31
$60,000 and over	62		62	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	16	13	12	10
$1,000	21	7	15	7
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	21	26	12	20
$1,000	18	34	14	33
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	18	23	9	18
$1,000	14	33	11	32
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	(Z)
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	(Z)
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	(Z)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	28	64	24	59
$1,000	148	40	147	40
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	129	176	125	164
$1,000	676	290	676	288
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	96	(NA)	94	(NA)
$1,000	988	493	988	493
Lime ... farms	(NA)	3	–	3
$1,000	(NA)	5	–	5
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	141	194	129	179
$1,000	734	408	731	405
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	127	175
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	250	186
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	117	143
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	327	127
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	50
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	63	39
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	129	179
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	91	53
Hired farm labor ... farms	107	173	107	164
$1,000	3 428	1 914	3 428	1 908
Contract labor ... farms	7	58	6	17
$1,000	21	117	20	39
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	40		38	47
$1,000	142		142	78
All other production expenses ... farms	142	186	130	179
$1,000	7 951	3 156	7 945	3 149

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	141	191	129	176
$1,000	8 285	5 019	8 200	4 928
Average per farm—dollars	58 760	26 276	63 568	28 001
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	1	–	26
$1,000 to $4,999	6	35	1	
$5,000 to $9,999	17	34	12	33
$10,000 to $19,999	17	39	15	36
$20,000 to $29,999	10	82	10	27
$30,000 to $49,999	37		37	24
$50,000 to $69,999	18		18	30
$70,000 and over	36		36	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	92	96	81	90
number	138	153	127	146
mfd in last 5 years, number	102	114	102	109
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	119	154	111	144
number	336	289	328	278
mfd in last 5 years, number	160	154	160	148
Wheel tractors—farms	132	182	123	172
number	755	829	744	786
mfd in last 5 years, number	244	353	244	333
Crawler tractors—farms	21		19	20
number	37		35	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	6	5	6	5
number	8	9	8	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	9	1	9
Corn heods for combines—farms	–	3	–	1
number	–	3	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	2
number	1		1	2
mfd in lost 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	12	(NA)	10	(NA)
number	16	(NA)	12	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	1	9	1	8
number	1	10	1	9
mfd in lost 5 years, number	–	6	–	5
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	2	(NA)	2	2
number	2	(NA)	2	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	2
Field forage horvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	22
number	4	(NA)	4	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	15

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	27	(X)	20	(X)	20	(X)	13	(X)	113
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	22	(X)	15	(X)	16	(X)	9	(X)	10
1969	39	(X)	33	(X)	17	(X)	15	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	22	429	15	228	16	101	9	55	9
1969	38	634	32	483	17	334	15	297	28
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	11	4	11	7	16	6	13	2
5 to 9—1974	4	24	4	24	5	31	1	8	1
10 to 19—1974	5	55	5	55	3	30	1	10	1
20 to 49—1974	8	248	1	47	1	24	1	24	6
50 to 99—1974	1	91	1	91	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had colved—1974	19	254	14	163	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	36	500	30	395	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	16	212	11	127	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	443	16	344	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	10	42	8	36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	22	57	19	51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	16	212	11	127			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	8	17	8	17			
5 to 9	3	25	1	7			
10 to 19	1	15	–	–			
20 to 49	3	97	1	45			
50 to 99	1	58	1	58			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	10	42	8	36			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	3	3	3	3			
3 or 4	4	12	2	6			
5 to 9	1	7	1	7			
10 to 19	2	20	2	20			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					5	6	1
Farms with—							
1 to 4					5	6	1
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					–	–	–
20 to 49					–	–	–
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					6	49	8
Farms with—							
1 or 2					1	1	(Z)
3 or 4					2	6	1
5 to 9					1	8	1
10 to 19					1	10	1
20 to 49					1	24	6
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	9	46
	1969	19	54
Beef heifers	1974	5	38
Milk heifers	1974	4	8
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	11	19
	1969	24	34

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	3	3	1
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	3	3	1
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	3	36	3	36	2	43	2	43	1
	1969	5	21	5	21	2	18	2	18	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	1	8	1	8	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	1	25	1	25	1	40	1	40	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	5	30	4	24	1	50	1	50	20
	1969	11	73	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	1	6
	1969	3	4
Other hogs and pigs	1974	3	30
	1969	3	17
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	1	10	1	10
	1969	3	7	3	7
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	1	5	1	5
	1969	2	4	2	4
June 1 and November 30	1974	1	5	1	5
	1969	3	3	3	3

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	6	(X)	6	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	6	268	6	268	–	–	–	–
	1969	13	6 071	12	5 971	4	2 100	4	2 100
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	6	268	6	268	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	6 046	11	5 946	4	2 100	4	2 100
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	5	168	5	168	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	1	2	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	32

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	6	268	–	–
	1969	11	5 946	4	2 100
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	6	268	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	25	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	5	40	40	661	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	4	20	648	4 858	19 153	105 986
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	100	–	1 000
Other small grains for grain	–	1	–	600	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	70	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	4	18	28	524	54	502
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	–	6	–	6	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	126	(NA)	38 718	30 987	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	31	30	473	850	15 519	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	2	5	90	60	900	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	2	5	13	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	–	10	–	37	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	8	274	(X)	–	–	2	10	2	1	–	–
	1969	26	1 010	(X)	–	–	4	233	3	41	1	1
Improved pasture	1974	1	100	(X)	–	–	1	100	1	5	–	–
	1969	7	57	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	5	40	(X)	–	–	4	22	1	1	3	4
	1969	34	576	(X)	–	–	27	321	11	15	16	28
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	100	1 000	–	–	1	100	(NA)	15	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	4	648	19 153	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	20	4 858	105 986	–	–	1	50	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	3	16	43	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	13	471	428	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	1	70	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	100	6 605	–	–	8	100	(NA)	48	(NA)	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	125	38 706	(X)	5	517	125	38 706	27	576	115	4 150

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	125	169
$1,000	1 663	781
Commercial fertilizer—farms	125	160
acres on which used	38 842	32 199
tons	4 737	4 191
$1,000	676	288
Lime—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	212
tons	–	278
$1,000	–	5
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	50
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	53	72
acres on which used	25 533	22 413
$1,000	414	196
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	500	–
$1,000	11	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	3
acres on which used	1 058	156
$1,000	18	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	68	129
acres on which used	26 567	28 205
$1,000	473	281
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	1 961	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	4	6
acres on which used	846	674
$1,000	8	8
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	–	4
$1,000	–	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	13	(NA)
$1,000	56	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	5	4
Proportion of farms—percent	3.8	2.2
Total land irrigated—acres	517	737
Average per farm—acres	103.4	184.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	5	4
acres	517	737
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	5	3
acres	517	692
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	45
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	425	763
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	1.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	210	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	7	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 482	2 298
Cropland—acres	1 435	2 172
Harvested cropland—acres	1 086	1 812
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	100	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	25	51
Proportion of farms—percent	19.2	28.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	27 491	41 242
Land drained—acres	15 102	27 725
Average per farm—acres	604.1	543.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3	(NA)
number	3	(NA)
acres	19	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	38	19	25
$1,000	1 684	1 007	678
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	2	1	1
$5,000 to $9,999	2	1	2
$10,000 to $29,999	20	7	18
$30,000 to $49,999	4	5	–
$50,000 and over	10	5	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	85	103	563	507	2 701	1 908
25 to 149 days	67 } 140		588 } 897		653 }	
Less than 25 days	50 }		606 }		74 }	
Total contract labor	6	17	(NA)	(NA)	20	39
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	44	(NA)	19	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	107	85	67	50
Cash wages paid—$1,000	3 428	2 701	653	74
Number of workers	1 757	563	588	606
Farms with—				
1 worker	7	21	4	4
2 workers	10	19	11	6
3 or 4 workers	11	10	14	5
5 to 9 workers	28	22	19	11
10 workers and over	51	13	19	24

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 521	2 009	859	879
Land in farms — acres	261 261	257 609	233 633	215 325
Average size of farm — acres	172	128	272	245
Approximate land area — acres	532 480	532 480	532 480	532 480
Proportion in farms — percent	49.1	48.4	43.9	40.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	134 519	79 209	119 662	63 058
Average per farm — dollars	88 441	39 427	139 304	71 738
Average per acre — dollars	515	307	512	293
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	103	131	19	9
10 to 49 acres	616	974	219	201
50 to 69 acres	162	201	98	118
70 to 99 acres	149	191	88	105
100 to 139 acres	125	139	97	105
140 to 179 acres	72	116	63	102
180 to 219 acres	60	54	49	45
220 to 259 acres	35	34	30	31
260 to 499 acres	94	82	92	77
500 to 999 acres	63	57	62	56
1,000 to 1,999 acres	25	22	25	22
2,000 acres and over	17	8	17	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 436	1 890	848	854
acres	190 201	183 771	174 154	155 569
Harvested cropland — farms	1 234	1 633	816	822
acres	146 604	122 935	141 908	111 303
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	249	350	33	
10 to 19 acres	256	379	105	412
20 to 29 acres	138	255	103	
30 to 49 acres	148	229	139	
50 to 99 acres	155	197	148	187
100 to 199 acres	116	105	116	105
200 to 499 acres	98	74	98	74
500 to 999 acres	45	30	45	30
1,000 acres and over	29	14	29	14
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	653	961	298	423
acres	32 395	38 887	21 723	25 839
Other cropland (see text) — farms	146	428	108	(NA)
acres	11 202	21 949	10 523	18 427
Total woodland — farms	365	530	205	252
acres	33 380	40 030	27 650	33 314
Other land (see text) — farms	886	1 216	506	(NA)
acres	37 680	33 808	31 829	26 442
Irrigated land — farms	39	40	28	21
acres	5 910	2 658	5 618	2 481

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	108	(NA)
acres	10 523	18 427
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	17	33
acres	461	615
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	27	100
acres	2 705	12 954
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	14	43
acres	1 703	1 762
Cropland idle — farms	58	110
acres	5 654	3 096
Total woodland — farms	205	252
acres	27 650	33 314
Woodland pastured — farms	101	159
acres	5 828	9 717

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	129	128
acres	21 822	23 597
Other land — farms	506	(NA)
acres	31 829	26 442
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	105	158
acres	22 209	18 039
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	68	109
acres	13 161	13 489
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	47	65
acres	9 048	4 550
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	467	507
acres	9 620	8 403

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 521	2 009	859	879
Land in farms — acres	261 261	257 609	233 633	215 325
Harvested cropland — acres	146 604	122 935	141 908	111 303
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	879	1 176	352	361
Land in farms — acres	72 000	121 917	51 126	91 496
Harvested cropland — acres	24 632	41 823	20 947	33 983
Part owners — number	518	631	423	444
Land in farms — acres	170 646	120 717	165 086	112 027
Harvested cropland — acres	107 453	70 976	106 732	68 581
Tenants — number	124	202	84	74
Land in farms — acres	18 615	14 975	17 421	11 802
Harvested cropland — acres	14 519	10 136	14 229	8 739
Percent of tenancy	8.2	10.0	9.8	8.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	63	146	23	34
Land in farms — acres	2 026	7 349	1 070	4 471
Harvested cropland — acres	984	3 352	799	2 184
Full owners — number	41	73	14	14
Land in farms — acres	887	3 466	290	1 704
Harvested cropland — acres	335	930	222	343
Part owners — number	14	40	8	16
Land in farms — acres	1 086	3 231	762	2 617
Harvested cropland — acres	602	1 904	561	1 691
Tenants — number	8	33	1	4
Land in farms — acres	53	652	18	150
Harvested cropland — acres	47	518	16	150
Percent of tenancy	12.7	22.6	4.3	11.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	801	776
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	174 296	159 328

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	44	87
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	32 023	32 045
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	27 274	23 028
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	8
acres	(NA)	(NA)	40	924
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	25	36	17	14
25 to 34 years	146	184	94	99
35 to 44 years	273	382	164	202
45 to 54 years	390	564	233	278
55 to 64 years	498	639	270	252
65 years and over	175	204	67	34
Average age	50.9	50.6	49.5	48.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	911	1 439	509	667
On another farm	60		38	
In a rural area, not on a farm	63	297	37	121
In a city, town, or urban area	116		49	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	502	(NA)	342	(NA)
1 to 49 days	113	170	37	81
50 to 99 days	63	130	23	44
100 to 149 days	61	301	21	81
150 to 199 days	83		57	
200 days and over	416	584	175	204
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	917	(NA)	634	(NA)
Other	590	(NA)	211	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	66	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	130	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	71	67	71	67
$40,000 to $99,999	106		106	
$20,000 to $39,999	123	58	123	58
$10,000 to $19,999	182	135	182	135
$5,000 to $9,999	177	244	177	244
$2,500 to $4,999	183	357	183	357
Under $2,500 (see text)	679	1 148	17	18
$2,000 to $2,499	102	147	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	95	155	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	143	195	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	339	651	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	34 186	13 984	33 482	12 885
Average per farm ... dollars	22 476	6 960	38 978	14 659
Crops, including hay ... forms	1 040	1 476	766	(NA)
$1,000	30 765	9 417	30 443	8 769
Nursery and greenhouse products ... forms	3		3	1
$1,000	10		10	(Z)
Forest products ... forms	22	35	17	22
$1,000	28	20	24	16
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... forms	922	1 231	453	601
$1,000	3 382	4 547	3 005	4 100
Poultry and poultry products ... forms	36	(NA)	7	40
$1,000	5	(NA)	3	22

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... forms	766	(NA)
$1,000	30 443	8 769
Grains ... forms	608	524
$1,000	18 981	4 358
Tobacco ... forms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... forms	249	538
$1,000	2 693	2 460
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... forms	72	94
$1,000	454	372
Other field crops ... forms	170	208
$1,000	8 215	1 511
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... forms	15	26
$1,000	96	50
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... forms	4	53
$1,000	3	19
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... forms	453	601
$1,000	3 005	4 100
Poultry and poultry products ... forms	7	40
$1,000	3	22
Dairy products ... forms	28	41
$1,000	828	862
Cattle and calves ... forms	416	(NA)
$1,000	1 721	2 715
Hogs and pigs ... forms	103	(NA)
$1,000	135	500
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... forms	5	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... forms	26	
$1,000	318	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	605	(NA)	165	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... forms	374	(NA)	242	(NA)
$1,000	1 082	(NA)	974	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... forms	111	180	72	120
$1,000	278	339	259	285
Recreational services ... forms	3	23	2	10
$1,000	(Z)	17	(Z)	12
Government farm programs ... forms	154	871	117	462
$1,000	366	1 407	349	1 181
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... forms	145	(NA)	80	(NA)
$1,000	346	(NA)	276	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... forms	32	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	92	(NA)	90	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... forms	138	(NA)	93	(NA)
$1,000	283	(NA)	246	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... forms	449
$1,000	3 991
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... forms	96
$1,000	887
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... forms	293
$1,000	2 434
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... forms	105
$1,000	183
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... forms	86
$1,000	298
Rent income of nonfarm property ... forms	27
$1,000	188

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... forms	1 517	2 009	859	879
$1,000	18 776	10 675	17 894	9 659
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	389	790	46	176
$1,000 to $1,999	305	430	116	
$2,000 to $2,999	148	212	80	162
$3,000 to $4,999	162	205	118	175
$5,000 to $9,999	204	174	190	168
$10,000 to $19,999	112	198	112	99
$20,000 to $39,999	86		86	54
$40,000 to $59,999	29		29	45
$60,000 and over	82		82	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... forms	441	655	171	324
$1,000	445	805	314	727
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... forms	921	1 252	396	558
$1,000	1 146	812	873	650
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... forms	616	685	316	397
$1,000	718	520	626	466
Feed ingredients ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	141	141
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	120	34
Whole grains ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	138	128
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	75	63
Hay, green chop, and silage ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	83	175
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	52	87
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	227	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... forms	734	1 309	500	709
$1,000	1 165	508	1 145	471
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... forms	1 037	1 617	648	807
$1,000	1 680	753	1 580	654
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... forms	683	(NA)	521	(NA)
$1,000	1 795	681	1 777	635
Lime ... forms	(NA)	104	35	55
$1,000	(NA)	25	24	20
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... forms	1 474	1 954	845	879
$1,000	1 639	891	1 546	732
Gasoline ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	797	840
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	592	371
Diesel oil ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	502	335
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	713	206
LP gas, butane, and propane ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	137	287
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	75	79
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	845	879
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	165	76
Hired farm labor ... forms	552	1 020	381	564
$1,000	1 966	1 407	1 932	1 308
Contract labor ... forms	33	967	27	61
$1,000	32	665	31	72
Machine hire and customwork ... forms	606		416	504
$1,000	726		689	489
All other production expenses ... forms	1 279	1 529	853	872
$1,000	8 181	4 154	7 951	3 922

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 409	1 932	798	872
$1,000	26 935	15 196	23 138	11 739
Average per farm—dollars	19 117	7 865	28 995	13 462
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	14	172	–	322
$1,000 to $4,999	397	1 023	120	
$5,000 to $9,999	410	344	186	233
$10,000 to $19,999	257	234	173	171
$20,000 to $29,999	118	159	107	56
$30,000 to $49,999	95		95	44
$50,000 to $69,999	46		45	46
$70,000 and over	72		72	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	950	1 233	574	611
number	1 132	1 426	709	734
mfd in last 5 years, number	585	987	455	548
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 226	1 509	731	780
number	1 819	1 909	1 292	1 125
mfd in last 5 years, number	704	1 067	571	670
Wheel tractors—farms	1 203	1 650	727	789
number	2 170	2 518	1 640	1 537
mfd in last 5 years, number	475	1 095	447	776
Crawler tractors—farms	46		29	30
number	48		31	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	15

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	193	131	189	118
number	291	191	287	176
mfd in last 5 years, number	98	125	98	114
Corn heads for combines—farms	11	182	11	28
number	12	192	12	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	121	5	23
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	105		88	125
number	106		89	128
mfd in last 5 years, number	11		11	76
Mower conditioners—farms	124	(NA)	90	(NA)
number	135	(NA)	97	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	44	(NA)	35	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	112	133	84	109
number	115	135	87	111
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	81	29	66
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	62	(NA)	40	60
number	64	(NA)	42	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	17	41
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	24	(NA)	20	25
number	31	(NA)	27	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	10	22

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	1 070	(X)	513	(X)	922	(X)	453	(X)	3 005
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	1 022	(X)	490	(X)	898	(X)	442	(X)	1 857
1969	1 446	(X)	631	(X)	1 183	(X)	582	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	951	43 033	453	32 885	835	14 336	416	11 721	1 721
1969	1 315	43 158	578	33 396	1 035	24 511	524	21 117	2 715
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	73	201	29	72	293	700	98	243	34
5 to 9—1974	111	762	26	183	231	1 481	98	649	87
10 to 19—1974	253	3 483	96	1 294	137	1 799	62	870	133
20 to 49—1974	305	9 115	129	4 007	122	3 583	106	3 186	479
50 to 99—1974	134	8 577	98	6 434	34	2 300	34	2 300	307
100 to 199—1974	50	6 445	50	6 445	10	1 468	10	1 468	285
200 to 499—1974	15	4 359	15	4 359	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	10	10 091	10	10 091	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	826	24 744	420	19 262	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 138	23 430	532	18 704	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	746	23 083	382	17 942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	20 541	452	16 390	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	275	1 661	135	1 320	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	532	2 889	258	2 314	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	828
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41	(X)	862

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	746	23 083	382	17 942			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	98	237	40	96			
5 to 9	151	1 032	59	413			
10 to 19	200	2 685	77	1 039			
20 to 49	207	6 302	123	3 941			
50 to 99	57	3 869	50	3 495			
100 to 199	18	2 250	18	2 250			
200 to 499	8	2 358	8	2 358			
500 and over	7	4 350	7	4 350			
Milk cows	275	1 661	135	1 320			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	173	260	75	118			
3 or 4	46	149	22	70			
5 to 9	22	134	9	64			
10 to 19	14	175	9	125			
20 to 49	13	375	13	375			
50 to 99	7	568	7	568			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					261	4 745	971
Farms with—							
1 to 4					93	205	35
5 to 9					51	331	68
10 to 19					49	686	148
20 to 49					54	1 653	335
50 to 99					7	470	95
100 to 199					4	587	143
200 to 499					3	813	147
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					320	6 976	749
Farms with—							
1 or 2					53	79	7
3 or 4					43	143	16
5 to 9					67	422	43
10 to 19					58	761	68
20 to 49					70	1 944	195
50 to 99					20	1 307	153
100 to 199					4	514	71
200 to 499					4	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	304	7 447
	1969	457	8 414
Beef heifers	1974	287	7 175
Milk heifers	1974	31	272
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	367	6 176
	1969	507	6 278

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	51	717	141
	1969	10	126	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	23	75	12
10 to 19	1974	14	171	45
20 to 49	1974	12	369	71
50 to 99	1974	2	102	14
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	303	3 562	155	2 540	172	4 635	103	3 365	135
	1969	607	9 388	285	6 485	400	13 680	215	10 756	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	113	240	45	94	28	58	14	28	1
5 to 9	1974	83	532	39	248	18	130	11	79	3
10 to 24	1974	78	1 207	43	660	80	1 204	43	655	24
25 to 49	1974	22	763	21	718	26	841	21	661	15
50 to 99	1974	4	240	4	240	9	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	10	1 456	8	1 236	52
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	47	1 559	27	901	18
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	126	4 927	72	3 911	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	21	203	13	94	7	34	4	24	(NA)
	1969	35	396	15	124	19	109	7	59	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	22	[1]89
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	10	(NA)	(NA)	2	31	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	186	440	93	284	16	25	10	17	3
	1969	332	824	(NA)	(NA)	24	67	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

[1]Pounds of wool.

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	102	498
	1969	221	1 355
Other hogs and pigs	1974	151	2 042
	1969	252	5 130
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	12	31
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	12	47
Rams and wethers	1974	12	16

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	185	828	108	561
	1969	438	2 283	235	1 677
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	148	451	90	311
	1969	381	1 265	212	911
June 1 and November 30	1974	138	377	87	250
	1969	347	1 018	197	766

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	372	(X)	151	(X)	18	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	268	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	353	10 529	142	4 911	15	195	2	40
	1969	663	26 225	256	13 593	23	1 318	8	610
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	334	8 815	136	4 115	15	175	2	40
	1969	613	20 683	243	11 235	18	1 046	7	580
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	328	8 108	131	3 508	15	175	2	40
100 to 399	1974	6	707	5	607	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	80	3 741	33	1 859	6	86	–	–
	1969	68	2 822	28	1 322	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	36	5	7	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	40	22

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	136	4 115	2	40
	1969	243	11 235	7	580
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	134	3 548	2	40
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	17	567	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	14	265	–	–
	1969	47	1 314	1	30
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	70	531	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	8	415	–	–
Turkeys	1974	4	74	1	60
	1969	16	118	2	101
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	11	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	3	11	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	63	1	60
	1969	12	43	1	8
Other poultry	1974	7	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	69	(X)	6	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	446	891	4 286	13 019	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	26	30	1 373	3 972	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	612	575	101 007	67 028	3 005 272	1 654 834
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	7	–	59	–	29 800
Wheat (bushels)	3	–	155	–	(D)	–
Other small grains for grain	20	14	5 371	2 266	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	331	1 031	15 344	18 890	13 089	26 099
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	72	(NA)	627	(NA)	70 237	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	187	(NA)	3 485	(NA)	608 795	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	373	433	10 131	10 935	22 224	21 951
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	39	35	153	135	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	42	46	222	322	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	4	(Z)	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	33	(NA)	7 768	5 436	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	240	420	2 845	9 035	164 428	422 999	2	1	12	32
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	10	201	146	3 021	2 159	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	8	16	52	134	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	13	16	1 278	3 738	33 639	112 395	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	24	201	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	13	17	282	387	530	894	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	298	21 723	(X)	–	–	104	6 267	101	721	3	13
	1969	423	25 839	(X)	–	–	166	6 382	166	1 007	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	68	13 161	(X)	–	–	28	2 371	27	344	1	10
	1969	109	13 489	(X)	–	–	49	4 243	49	442	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	250	3 098	(X)	2	12	192	2 394	183	420	13	28
	1969	436	9 315	(X)	1	32	319	7 601	266	936	68	409
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	15	1 302	(X)	–	–	8	400	2	5	6	24
	1969	24	3 939	(X)	–	–	13	4 104	13	415	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	154	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	18	5 321	(X)	18	5 321	18	5 321	18	927	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	558	100 520	2 993 617	4	100	127	21 564	118	2 109	14	339
	1969	407	64 710	1 606 720	3	59	88	9 582	(NA)	747	(NA)	172
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	500	–	–	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	210	7 944	17 946	–	–	69	2 862	66	381	3	39
	1969	244	8 969	18 726	1	12	66	2 629	66	400	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	6	2 031	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	2 594	(X)	–	–	2	800	2	124	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	251	14 814	12 614	2	70	224	14 354	185	1 401	44	736
	1969	528	15 782	22 469	6	106	459	15 145	(NA)	1 964	(NA)	454
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	47	612	68 852	–	–	34	588	30	223	6	81
	1969	76	496	67 608	–	–	58	484	(NA)	200	(NA)	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	20	108	(X)	2	6	11	87	11	17	–	–
	1969	22	124	(X)	1	5	11	62	11	17	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	14	151	(X)	–	–	3	44	3	7	–	–
	1969	29	255	(X)	1	(Z)	10	101	10	18	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	1	(X)	2	1	3	1	3	1	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	18	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	160	9 051	(X)	6	116	151	9 010	143	1 355	15	709

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	730	828
$1,000	3 358	1 289
Commercial fertilizer—farms	648	746
acres on which used	65 574	58 919
tons	9 953	8 686
$1,000	1 580	654
Lime—farms	35	55
acres on which used	1 763	1 901
tons	2 134	2 693
$1,000	24	20
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	21	22
acres on which used	2 203	2 110
$1,000	9	11
Insects on other crops—farms	303	519
acres on which used	66 887	57 780
$1,000	765	336
Nematodes in crops—farms	17	25
acres on which used	679	1 149
$1,000	7	7

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	15	20
acres on which used	836	1 239
$1,000	10	7
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	261	377
acres on which used	77 694	45 173
$1,000	821	208
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	22	47
acres on which used	4 028	4 039
$1,000	19	6
Weeds on all other land—farms	34	(NA)
acres on which used	656	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	108	281
acres on which used	9 002	9 593
$1,000	40	27
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	31	159
$1,000	6	10
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	127	(NA)
$1,000	71	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	28	21
Proportion of farms—percent	3.3	2.3
Total land irrigated—acres	5 618	2 481
Average per farm—acres	200.6	118.1
Cropland irrigated—farms	28	21
acres	5 618	2 481
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	28	21
acres	5 618	2 481
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	8 154	3 531
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.5	1.4
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	10	(NA)
acres	1 923	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	89	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	17 901	10 084
Cropland—acres	16 041	9 093
Harvested cropland—acres	15 731	6 667
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	262	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	99	199
Proportion of farms—percent	11.5	22.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	71 651	83 780
Land drained—acres	45 830	58 067
Average per farm—acres	462.9	291.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	60	(NA)
number	140	(NA)
acres	369	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operotor debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	297	236	152
$1,000	13 114	9 678	3 436
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	55	47	53
$5,000 to $9,999	55	52	31
$10,000 to $29,999	95	69	36
$30,000 to $49,999	34	26	17
$50,000 and over	58	42	15

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	116	115	310	305	1 245	1 308
25 to 149 days	156	536	651	2 342	537	
Less than 25 days	213		1 225		149	
Total contract labor	27	61	(NA)	(NA)	31	72
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	22	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	381	116	156	213
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 932	1 245	537	149
Number of workers	2 186	310	651	1 225
Farms with—				
1 worker	119	50	51	74
2 workers	47	29	21	28
3 or 4 workers	68	22	33	35
5 to 9 workers	92	10	39	43
10 workers and over	55	5	12	33

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	695	828	294	241
Land in farms — acres	159 518	157 174	124 359	90 604
Average size of farm — acres	230	190	423	376
Approximate land area — acres	757 568	757 568	757 568	757 568
Proportion in farms — percent	21.1	20.7	16.4	12.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	69 760	35 976	50 508	20 430
Average per farm — dollars	100 374	43 449	171 797	84 770
Average per acre — dollars	437	229	406	225
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	24	14	3	2
10 to 49 acres	236	273	32	21
50 to 69 acres	47	53	12	10
70 to 99 acres	101	121	49	14
100 to 139 acres	57	78	23	21
140 to 179 acres	50	73	30	39
180 to 219 acres	33	43	24	24
220 to 259 acres	20	34	16	18
260 to 499 acres	56	73	46	46
500 to 999 acres	41	44	31	32
1,000 to 1,999 acres	19	14	18	7
2,000 acres and over	11	8	10	7

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	21	(NA)
acres	1 910	3 368
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	11	10
acres	1 418	86
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	13
acres	4	751
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	4
acres	30	642
Cropland idle — farms	12	18
acres	458	1 889
Total woodland — farms	177	147
acres	51 379	29 704
Woodland pastured — farms	111	105
acres	39 441	22 297

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	641	719	271	216
acres	64 604	59 270	51 885	41 568
Harvested cropland — farms	501	502	246	186
acres	41 164	28 963	38 469	24 825
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	161	165	22	
10 to 19 acres	113	128	32	98
20 to 29 acres	68	54	47	
30 to 49 acres	43	57	33	
50 to 99 acres	47	36	44	27
100 to 199 acres	24	25	23	24
200 to 499 acres	19	25	19	25
500 to 999 acres	17	9	17	9
1,000 acres and over	9	3	9	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	445	490	156	133
acres	21 186	25 371	11 506	13 375
Other cropland (see text) — farms	50	120	21	(NA)
acres	2 254	4 936	1 910	3 368
Total woodland — farms	381	491	177	147
acres	65 694	60 536	51 379	29 704
Other land (see text) — farms	429	521	193	(NA)
acres	29 220	37 368	21 095	19 332
Irrigated land — farms	21	29	19	18
acres	5 693	4 603	5 656	4 379

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	99	71
acres	11 938	7 407
Other land — farms	193	(NA)
acres	21 095	19 332
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	87	106
acres	15 497	16 471
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	58	69
acres	4 928	9 673
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	47	55
acres	10 569	6 798
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	169	143
acres	5 598	2 861

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	695	828	294	241
Land in farms — acres	159 518	157 174	124 359	90 604
Harvested cropland — acres	41 164	28 963	38 469	24 825
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	505	606	172	137
Land in farms — acres	54 390	71 868	34 777	27 059
Harvested cropland — acres	9 754	7 459	7 628	4 279
Part owners — number	153	165	93	78
Land in farms — acres	87 412	69 760	72 648	51 614
Harvested cropland — acres	20 843	13 400	20 288	12 641
Tenants — number	37	57	29	26
Land in farms — acres	17 716	15 546	16 934	11 931
Harvested cropland — acres	10 567	8 104	10 553	7 905
Percent of tenancy	5.3	6.8	9.9	10.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	2	–	2	–
Land in farms — acres	(D)	–	(D)	–
Harvested cropland — acres	103	–	103	–
Full owners — number	1	–	1	–
Land in farms — acres	407	–	407	–
Harvested cropland — acres	24	–	24	–
Part owners — number	1	–	1	–
Land in farms — acres	(D)	–	(D)	–
Harvested cropland — acres	79	–	79	–
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	275	213
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	110 029	76 980

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	26
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 336	(D)
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 913	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	81	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	12	5	7
25 to 34 years	81	65	34	18
35 to 44 years	126	164	60	53
45 to 54 years	176	211	70	59
55 to 64 years	193	247	77	72
65 years and over	107	129	42	32
Average age	51.5	51.7	50.5	50.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	454	600	168	182
On another farm	10		9	
In a rural area, not on a farm	12	131	8	33
In a city, town, or urban area	77		31	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	183	(NA)	100	(NA)
1 to 49 days	28	78	10	34
50 to 99 days	22	42	14	12
100 to 149 days	41	80	12	17
150 to 199 days	46		21	
200 days and over	306	400	86	69
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	276	(NA)	181	(NA)
Other	412	(NA)	107	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	29	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	29	25	28	25
$40,000 to $99,999	33		33	
$20,000 to $39,999	23	43	23	43
$10,000 to $19,999	49	31	49	31
$5,000 to $9,999	67	51	67	51
$2,500 to $4,999	73	81	73	80
Under $2,500 (see text)	421	597	21	11
$2,000 to $2,499	52	43	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	50	65	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	81	89	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	238	400	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	10 778	4 936	10 227	4 399
Average per farm ... dollars	15 509	5 961	34 785	18 254
Crops, including hay ... farms	236	244	157	(NA)
$1,000	6 863	1 384	6 774	1 303
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	11		4	4
$1,000	16		11	27
Forest products ... farms	78	72	60	33
$1,000	332	50	322	38
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	588	715	230	208
$1,000	3 568	3 502	3 120	3 031
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	37	(NA)	13	25
$1,000	553	(NA)	537	871

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	157	(NA)
$1,000	6 774	1 303
Grains ... farms	102	77
$1,000	6 487	1 195
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	1	1
$1,000	1	2
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	53	44
$1,000	163	76
Other field crops ... farms	9	9
$1,000	32	12
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	15	12
$1,000	71	15
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	8
$1,000	20	3
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	230	208
$1,000	3 120	3 031
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	13	25
$1,000	537	871
Dairy products ... farms	23	41
$1,000	1 059	1 132
Cattle and calves ... farms	221	(NA)
$1,000	1 416	916
Hogs and pigs ... farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	47	111
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	19	
$1,000	55	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	15	
$1,000	6	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	429	(NA)	101	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	110	(NA)	59	(NA)
$1,000	415	(NA)	379	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	24	43	19	26
$1,000	71	50	68	34
Recreational services ... farms	2	6	2	4
$1,000	2	1	2	1
Government farm programs ... farms	71	167	30	52
$1,000	34	43	16	17
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	24	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	288	(NA)	273	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	20	(NA)	20	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	35	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	261	(NA)	254	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	177
$1,000	1 875
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	29
$1,000	285
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	134
$1,000	1 354
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	46
$1,000	96
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	29
$1,000	106
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	20
$1,000	34

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	695	828	294	241
$1,000	7 193	4 684	6 381	3 936
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	137	336	6	21
$1,000 to $1,999	188	174	35	
$2,000 to $2,999	94	96	29	32
$3,000 to $4,999	78	67	49	39
$5,000 to $9,999	75	53	53	48
$10,000 to $19,999	51	102	51	48
$20,000 to $39,999	28		28	33
$40,000 to $59,999	18		18	20
$60,000 and over	26		25	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	237	314	103	104
$1,000	743	592	636	518
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	574	672	218	184
$1,000	1 446	1 347	1 192	1 146
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	393	403	204	167
$1,000	1 210	1 093	1 096	1 016
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	53	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	28
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	82
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	26
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	20
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	129	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	327	354	137	133
$1,000	437	136	420	123
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	545	637	224	205
$1,000	1 045	524	925	425
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	205	(NA)	103	(NA)
$1,000	329	105	319	92
Lime ... farms	(NA)	110	45	47
$1,000	(NA)	42	62	34
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	675	793	286	240
$1,000	426	303	348	210
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	240	225
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	163	107
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	175	110
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	129	52
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	91
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	29
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	286	240
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	22
Hired farm labor ... farms	199	287	109	119
$1,000	467	308	421	255
Contract labor ... farms	38	236	26	29
$1,000	37	97	33	32
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	122		73	78
$1,000	109		104	35
All other production expenses ... farms	577	569	290	236
$1,000	2 155	1 272	1 936	1 099

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	651	782	271	234
$1,000	9 428	4 500	6 707	2 664
Average per farm—dollars	14 482	5 754	24 749	11 385
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	63	–	65
$1,000 to $4,999	176	438	37	
$5,000 to $9,999	213	175	64	82
$10,000 to $19,999	160	69	78	54
$20,000 to $29,999	41	37	37	17
$30,000 to $49,999	32		29	9
$50,000 to $69,999	12		12	7
$70,000 and over	14		14	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	437	538	198	180
number	530	677	251	220
mfd in last 5 years, number	297	446	168	149
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	576	609	247	208
number	764	784	407	319
mfd in last 5 years, number	330	472	202	204
Wheel tractors—farms	565	652	242	215
number	893	968	482	419
mfd in last 5 years, number	206	386	149	191
Crawler tractors—farms	20		10	20
number	20		10	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	9

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	51	44	50	43
number	89	63	87	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	26	23	26
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	13	1	1
number	2	13	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	5	2	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	21		16	7
number	21		16	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	3
Mower conditioners—farms	100	(NA)	62	(NA)
number	107	(NA)	68	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	49	(NA)	32	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	140	139	91	87
number	148	145	97	93
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	73	29	47
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	49	(NA)	29	54
number	54	(NA)	34	54
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	6	28
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	18	(NA)	11	21
number	21	(NA)	12	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	5	13

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	616	(X)	235	(X)	588	(X)	230	(X)	3 120
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	608	(X)	230	(X)	570	(X)	224	(X)	1 517
1969	732	(X)	193	(X)	685	(X)	199	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	605	28 469	228	18 976	561	11 567	221	9 179	1 416
1969	708	27 042	190	15 676	649	12 677	194	8 536	916
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	23	64	12	30	167	405	17	33	4
5 to 9—1974	58	384	7	44	139	910	27	188	27
10 to 19—1974	123	1 689	10	141	119	1 651	55	822	158
20 to 49—1974	231	7 321	61	2 064	91	2 794	78	2 499	419
50 to 99—1974	114	7 629	83	5 565	29	2 016	29	2 016	246
100 to 199—1974	35	4 265	35	4 265	12	1 424	11	1 254	172
200 to 499—1974	17	4 018	16	3 768	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	4	3 099	4	3 099	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	509	16 114	200	10 875	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	575	14 436	178	9 371	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	483	14 574	180	9 471	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	12 283	148	7 432	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	113	1 540	52	1 404	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	194	2 153	79	1 939	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	1 059
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41	(X)	1 132

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	483	14 574	180	9 471			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	40	107	11	34			
5 to 9	87	584	9	64			
10 to 19	119	1 670	20	294			
20 to 49	168	5 178	81	2 702			
50 to 99	44	2 623	35	2 115			
100 to 199	21	2 881	20	2 731			
200 to 499	4	1 531	4	1 531			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	113	1 540	52	1 404			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	83	109	29	44			
3 or 4	6	19	1	4			
5 to 9	2	13	1	7			
10 to 19	3	40	3	40			
20 to 49	7	235	7	235			
50 to 99	8	486	7	436			
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					133	3 755	939
Farms with—							
1 to 4					21	50	14
5 to 9					30	202	48
10 to 19					33	441	134
20 to 49					34	993	281
50 to 99					8	480	103
100 to 199					5	657	156
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					173	5 424	477
Farms with—							
1 or 2					8	12	2
3 or 4					11	41	4
5 to 9					31	232	24
10 to 19					43	576	57
20 to 49					55	1 795	161
50 to 99					17	1 126	84
100 to 199					7	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	163	4 344	10	225	47
	1969	165	4 079	5	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	154	3 766			
Milk heifers	1974	19	578			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	189	3 757			
	1969	176	2 226			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			10	225	47
	1969			5	(D)	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			5	13	3
10 to 19	1974			1	11	3
20 to 49	1974			2	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974			2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	57	796	25	402	32	1 164	16	628	47
	1969	137	2 914	32	1 439	98	3 761	35	2 364	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	33	74	14	27	11	31	4	9	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	8	50	4	24	4	26	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	12	155	4	59	14	201	8	129	3
25 to 49	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	112	7	91	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	40	1 298	14	865	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	48	2 571	19	1 955	36	912	17	776	(NA)
	1969	63	4 606	19	3 024	57	1 833	19	804	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	1 405	[1]6 811
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	19	(X)	55
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	2	24	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	68	(NA)	(NA)	5	71	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	233	712	89	418	23	87	13	72	6
	1969	345	1 182	(NA)	(NA)	32	137	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	10	48
	1969	25	511
Other hogs and pigs	1974	25	354
	1969	27	928
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	18	542
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	19	1 134
Rams and wethers	1974	18	279

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	26	179	12	95
	1969	76	521	28	333
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	21	106	10	65
	1969	67	269	22	163
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	73	9	30
	1969	54	252	22	170

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	185	(X)	64	(X)	15	(X)	10	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	47	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	181	57 062	61	53 857	12	45 629	7	38 606
	1969	235	133 767	47	128 542	24	121 503	20	117 273
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	171	56 223	57	53 542	12	45 629	7	38 606
	1969	223	133 051	46	128 501	24	121 503	20	117 273
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	165	2 898	52	1 117	7	83	3	60
100 to 399	1974	2	250	2	250	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 575	1	675	1	675	1	675
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	17	492	5	185	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	103	1	10	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	37	553	13	537
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	25	871

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	57	53 542	7	38 606
	1969	46	128 501	20	117 273
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	55	53 487	7	38 606
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	55	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	53	–	–
	1969	2	21	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	36	262	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	2	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	3	13	1	4
	1969	1	2	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	8	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	8	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	5	1	4
	1969	1	1	–	–
Other poultry	1974	7	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	7	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	107	158	1 064	1 498	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	13	19	214	435	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	97	73	26 904	14 922	715 538	243 995
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	8	6	58	6	137 200	1 800
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	62	–	700
Other small grains for grain	20	25	5 695	4 480	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	2	9	37	6	14
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	35	(NA)	33	(NA)	3 042	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	18	(NA)	28	(NA)	3 749	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	330	340	6 919	6 913	13 158	11 676
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	42	51	230	175	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	40	73	210	336	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	2	(Z)	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	20	(NA)	106	177	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	30	28	233	341	7 668	9 530	–	1	–	2
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	7	11	475	440	7 183	3 720	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	14	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	3	14	189	435	2 860	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	166	182	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	5
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	3	240	53	483	50	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Forms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	156	11 506	(X)	–	–	73	4 565	71	661	2	10
	1969	133	13 375	(X)	–	–	86	4 695	86	1 053	2	11
Improved pasture	1974	58	4 928	(X)	–	–	21	1 019	21	168	–	–
	1969	69	9 673	(X)	–	–	37	2 430	37	407	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	37	708	(X)	–	–	28	434	28	100	1	7
	1969	40	795	(X)	1	2	33	674	33	187	1	7
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	7	180	(X)	–	–	5	172	5	27	1	9
	1969	9	371	(X)	1	5	9	371	9	103	1	9
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	62	700	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	43	245	–	–	1	40	1	9	–	–
	1969	2	6	236	–	–	2	6	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	18	5 652	(X)	18	5 652	18	5 652	18	1 001	4	114
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	95	26 900	715 450	–	–	60	21 774	56	3 121	4	297
	1969	66	14 754	240 951	–	–	51	13 806	(NA)	2 088	(NA)	44
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	51	(D)	–	–	1	51	1	11	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	154	4 823	9 625	–	–	74	2 482	74	621	1	8
	1969	119	4 170	7 848	–	–	78	2 336	78	566	3	7
Field seed crops	1974	4	86	(X)	–	–	1	15	–	–	1	3
	1969	6	86	(X)	–	–	5	36	5	5	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	9	6	–	–	1	9	1	2	–	–
	1969	1	35	13	–	–	1	35	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	9	17	1 276	–	–	6	11	6	3	–	–
	1969	6	2	188	–	–	5	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	16	155	(X)	–	–	9	33	9	11	–	–
	1969	12	115	(X)	–	–	10	94	10	33	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	14	138	(X)	1	4	6	43	6	9	–	–
	1969	11	120	(X)	–	–	7	72	7	21	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	4	8	(X)	–	–	3	8	3	7	–	–
1969	4	26	(X)	–	–	3	14	3	5	–	–
Other crops 1974	4	8	(X)	–	–	2	2	3	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	231	213
$1,000	1 244	517
Commercial fertilizer—farms	224	193
acres on which used	36 311	28 968
tons	6 198	5 623
$1,000	925	425
Lime—farms	45	47
acres on which used	3 156	3 082
tons	4 392	4 169
$1,000	62	34
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	9	3
acres on which used	197	128
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	29	36
acres on which used	10 884	9 443
$1,000	104	22
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	2	2
acres on which used	25	41
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	46	36
acres on which used	19 511	5 276
$1,000	141	29
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	10	11
acres on which used	450	337
$1,000	2	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	7	(NA)
acres on which used	52	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	6	–
acres on which used	723	–
$1,000	4	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	18	55
$1,000	1	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	19	18
Proportion of farms—percent	6.5	7.4
Total land irrigated—acres	5 656	4 379
Average per farm—acres	297.7	243.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	19	18
acres	5 656	4 379
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	19	18
acres	5 656	4 379
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	11 334	6 474
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	2.0	1.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	5	(NA)
acres	1 985	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	26 490	17 674
Cropland—acres	17 611	12 213
Harvested cropland—acres	14 971	9 404
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	2	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	6	11
Proportion of farms—percent	2.0	4.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	21 640	8 609
Land drained—acres	979	3 695
Average per farm—acres	163.2	335.9
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	107	(NA)
number	280	(NA)
acres	380	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	95	70	61
$1,000	3 609	2 084	1 525
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	19	11	20
$5,000 to $9,999	12	13	12
$10,000 to $29,999	35	28	14
$30,000 to $49,999	10	5	7
$50,000 and over	19	13	8

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	33	35	72	59	293	
25 to 149 days	33		90		83	255
Less than 25 days	78	107	336	382	46	
Total contract labor	26	29	(NA)	(NA)	33	32
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	93	(NA)	10	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	109	33	33	78
Cash wages paid $1,000	421	293	83	46
Number of workers	498	72	90	336
Farms with—				
1 worker	34	12	10	24
2 workers	14	13	13	13
3 or 4 workers	22	6	5	18
5 to 9 workers	28	2	3	16
10 workers and over	11	–	2	7

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	386	548	135	155
Land in farms — acres	60 979	95 396	36 605	60 613
Average size of farm — acres	158	174	271	391
Approximate land area — acres	532 608	532 608	532 608	532 608
Proportion in farms — percent	11.4	17.9	6.9	11.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	20 330	16 074	11 119	9 184
Average per farm — dollars	52 670	29 332	82 366	59 253
Average per acre — dollars	333	168	304	152
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	20	16	8	4
10 to 49 acres	85	153	13	7
50 to 69 acres	35	52	7	9
70 to 99 acres	61	74	13	9
100 to 139 acres	68	73	26	18
140 to 179 acres	28	54	11	17
180 to 219 acres	26	24	14	14
220 to 259 acres	8	18	4	9
260 to 499 acres	32	55	17	42
500 to 999 acres	18	16	17	13
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	10	3	10
2,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	349	471	121	136
acres	25 827	29 838	15 432	15 952
Harvested cropland — farms	249	244	105	118
acres	7 180	6 502	5 603	5 326
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	100	101	23	
10 to 19 acres	69	51	25	94
20 to 29 acres	30	37	17	
30 to 49 acres	22	31	14	
50 to 99 acres	13	14	11	14
100 to 199 acres	10	6	10	6
200 to 499 acres	4	3	4	3
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	284	375	98	94
acres	17 314	19 598	9 192	9 341
Other cropland (see text) — farms	62	134	21	(NA)
acres	1 333	3 738	637	1 285
Total woodland — farms	232	372	84	116
acres	21 634	47 143	12 824	31 293
Other land (see text) — farms	240	349	89	(NA)
acres	13 518	18 415	8 349	13 368
Irrigated land — farms	1	6	–	2
acres	2	131	–	69

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	21	(NA)
acres	637	1 285
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	11	14
acres	131	402
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	4	9
acres	60	272
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	2
acres	40	134
Cropland idle — farms	6	23
acres	406	477
Total woodland — farms	84	116
acres	12 824	31 293
Woodland pastured — farms	53	81
acres	4 640	11 547

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	49	75
acres	8 184	19 746
Other land — farms	89	(NA)
acres	8 349	13 368
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	45	57
acres	5 630	10 985
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	30	51
acres	2 558	6 803
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	23
acres	3 072	4 182
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	69	95
acres	2 719	2 383

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	386	548	135	155
Land in farms — acres	60 979	95 396	36 605	60 613
Harvested cropland — acres	7 180	6 502	5 603	5 326
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	280	415	88	93
Land in farms — acres	37 070	56 365	19 747	29 387
Harvested cropland — acres	3 131	3 799	2 027	2 838
Part owners — number	66	104	37	56
Land in farms — acres	19 304	35 407	15 752	29 562
Harvested cropland — acres	3 520	2 671	3 282	2 488
Tenants — number	40	29	10	6
Land in farms — acres	4 605	3 624	1 106	1 664
Harvested cropland — acres	529	32	294	–
Percent of tenancy	10.4	5.2	7.4	3.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	39	78	13	7
Land in farms — acres	2 817	6 256	1 011	2 341
Harvested cropland — acres	310	630	203	414
Full owners — number	33	67	13	4
Land in farms — acres	2 371	4 135	1 011	512
Harvested cropland — acres	280	241	203	59
Part owners — number	5	7	–	3
Land in farms — acres	419	1 961	–	1 829
Harvested cropland — acres	30	389	–	355
Tenants — number	1	4	–	–
Land in farms — acres	27	160	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	2.6	5.1	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	125	141
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	34 087	54 790

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 311	4 613
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 207	10
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 200
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	2	2	–
25 to 34 years	43	43	20	8
35 to 44 years	79	83	25	34
45 to 54 years	93	116	33	40
55 to 64 years	86	159	25	38
65 years and over	78	145	26	35
Average age	51.6	54.5	50.5	53.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	253	347	88	98
On another farm	4		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	21	104	4	42
In a city, town, or urban area	56		22	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	79	(NA)	32	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	25	11	12
50 to 99 days	12	29	5	4
100 to 149 days	19	52	5	16
150 to 199 days	18		2	
200 days and over	202	259	55	56
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	107	(NA)	57	(NA)
Other	275	(NA)	74	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	10	21	10	21
$40,000 to $99,999	12		12	
$20,000 to $39,999	6	13	6	13
$10,000 to $19,999	13	15	13	15
$5,000 to $9,999	20	33	20	33
$2,500 to $4,999	66	64	66	64
Under $2,500 (see text)	259	402	8	9
$2,000 to $2,499	33	26	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	40	44	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	41	54	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	145	278	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	3 757	2 954	3 518	2 674
Average per farm (dollars)	9 734	5 391	26 058	17 249
Crops, including hay — farms	86	110	45	(NA)
Crops, including hay — $1,000	639	315	608	253
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	5		3	6
Nursery and greenhouse products — $1,000	36		32	43
Forest products — farms	57	66	33	41
Forest products — $1,000	91	264	83	256
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	327	436	122	146
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	2 991	2 376	2 795	2 122
Poultry and poultry products — farms	13	(NA)	8	11
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	1 219	(NA)	1 219	599

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops — farms	45	(NA)
Crops — $1,000	608	253
Grains — farms	13	2
Grains — $1,000	116	4
Tobacco — farms	–	–
Tobacco — $1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed — farms	1	7
Cotton and cottonseed — $1,000	(D)	15
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — farms	28	26
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — $1,000	176	62
Other field crops — farms	7	8
Other field crops — $1,000	190	128
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — farms	8	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — $1,000	109	41
Fruits, nuts, and berries — farms	2	4
Fruits, nuts, and berries — $1,000	(D)	3
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	122	146
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	2 795	2 122
Poultry and poultry products — farms	8	11
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	1 219	599
Dairy products — farms	18	21
Dairy products — $1,000	870	806
Cattle and calves — farms	112	(NA)
Cattle and calves — $1,000	649	688
Hogs and pigs — farms	9	(NA)
Hogs and pigs — $1,000	18	29
Sheep, lambs, and wool — farms	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool — $1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products — farms	16	
Other livestock and livestock products — $1,000	38	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] — farms	288	(NA)	75	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — farms	70	(NA)	30	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — $1,000	87	(NA)	53	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	21	28	14	17
Customwork and other agricultural services — $1,000	55	44	36	38
Recreational services — farms	–	1	–	–
Recreational services — $1,000	–	(Z)	–	–
Government farm programs — farms	45	161	14	54
Government farm programs — $1,000	25	54	12	25
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	6	(NA)	3	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — $1,000	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — $1,000	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — farms	21	(NA)	13	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — $1,000	30	(NA)	22	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — farms	100
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — $1,000	1 214
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — farms	22
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — $1,000	318
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — farms	71
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — $1,000	707
Interest, dividends, or royalties — farms	26
Interest, dividends, or royalties — $1,000	51
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — farms	27
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — $1,000	75
Rent income of nonfarm property — farms	5
Rent income of nonfarm property — $1,000	63

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses — farms	384	548	135	155
Total farm production expenses — $1,000	3 470	2 646	3 039	2 213
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	98	239	3	33
$1,000 to $1,999	102	126	19	
$2,000 to $2,999	44	67	17	27
$3,000 to $4,999	58	37	24	24
$5,000 to $9,999	40	35	30	27
$10,000 to $19,999	17	44	17	16
$20,000 to $39,999	8		8	10
$40,000 to $59,999	4		4	18
$60,000 and over	13		13	
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	138	205	54	68
Livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	482	366	431	282
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — farms	341	458	119	134
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	1 439	976	1 301	847
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	213	269	105	119
Commercially mixed formula feeds — $1,000	1 273	810	1 222	767
Feed ingredients — farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	37
Feed ingredients — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	22
Whole grains — farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	18
Whole grains — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	25
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	(NA)	(NA)	14	36
Hay, green chop, and silage — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	33
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — farms	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — farms	147	151	51	57
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — $1,000	32	21	26	15
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	275	363	100	122
Commercial fertilizer purchased — $1,000	283	179	210	137
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — farms	100	(NA)	35	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — $1,000	29	26	24	21
Lime — farms	(NA)	43	9	18
Lime — $1,000	(NA)	10	7	8
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	358	475	130	154
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — $1,000	152	142	108	93
Gasoline — farms	(NA)	(NA)	111	145
Gasoline — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	55	59
Diesel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	85	49
Diesel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	16
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	35
LP gas, butane, and propane — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	9
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	130	154
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	9
Hired farm labor — farms	139	207	67	95
Hired farm labor — $1,000	290	248	278	231
Contract labor — farms	22	147	17	12
Contract labor — $1,000	13	53	11	12
Machine hire and customwork — farms	76		34	58
Machine hire and customwork — $1,000	33		27	25
All other production expenses — farms	309	359	134	153
All other production expenses — $1,000	716	635	599	550

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	361	485	120	149
$1,000	3 246	2 317	1 664	1 382
Average per farm—dollars	8 992	4 776	13 868	9 274
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	5	62	–	65
$1,000 to $4,999	126	273	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	134	101	28	39
$10,000 to $19,999	64	34	27	31
$20,000 to $29,999	15	15	15	8
$30,000 to $49,999	12		10	1
$50,000 to $69,999	4		4	5
$70,000 and over	1		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	210	295	70	96
number	258	370	91	125
mfd in last 5 years, number	92	228	42	97
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	289	376	106	124
number	365	481	156	195
mfd in last 5 years, number	118	260	60	120
Wheel tractors—farms	286	334	100	125
number	399	463	170	229
mfd in last 5 years, number	73	200	53	113
Crawler tractors—farms	10		4	11
number	11		5	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3	1	1	1
number	3	1	1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	–	1	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	2	1	–
number	1	2	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	–	1	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	4		2	2
number	4		2	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	–
Mower conditioners—farms	40	(NA)	26	(NA)
number	44	(NA)	27	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	73	59	37	45
number	73	61	37	47
mfd in last 5 years, number	32	36	22	28
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	27	(NA)	14	21
number	29	(NA)	14	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	5	13
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	9	(NA)	5	10
number	10	(NA)	6	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	3	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	356	(X)	124	(X)	327	(X)	122	(X)	2 795
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	342	(X)	117	(X)	316	(X)	114	(X)	667
1969	482	(X)	134	(X)	424	(X)	141	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	338	15 208	115	9 283	311	5 866	112	4 348	649
1969	474	16 734	132	11 842	406	8 210	137	5 962	688
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	21	52	5	12	72	188	6	13	2
5 to 9—1974	27	196	4	29	88	621	8	59	18
10 to 19—1974	60	902	5	63	81	1 046	37	487	81
20 to 49—1974	136	4 193	35	1 118	54	1 521	45	1 299	170
50 to 99—1974	64	4 315	36	2 511	13	857	13	857	112
100 to 199—1974	20	2 535	20	2 535	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	285	8 792	109	5 734	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	376	8 943	119	6 776	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	263	7 446	97	4 485	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 225	105	5 207	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	62	1 346	28	1 249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	117	1 718	35	1 569	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	870
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	806

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	263	7 446	97	4 485	Cattle sold	84	2 114	437
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	27	64	9	23	1 to 4	25	65	11
5 to 9	34	231	4	26	5 to 9	25	159	43
10 to 19	62	889	4	54	10 to 19	18	231	50
20 to 49	103	3 123	46	1 403	20 to 49	11	307	66
50 to 99	28	1 785	25	1 625	50 to 99	3	194	57
100 to 199	8	(D)	8	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	62	1 346	28	1 249	Calves sold	97	2 234	212
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	29	49	6	9	1 or 2	9	12	2
3 or 4	8	26	2	8	3 or 4	–	–	–
5 to 9	5	37	2	18	5 to 9	11	59	4
10 to 19	5	53	3	33	10 to 19	35	433	49
20 to 49	7	229	7	229	20 to 49	35	1 019	103
50 to 99	4	319	4	319	50 to 99	6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	79	2 221
	1969	118	3 439
Beef heifers	1974	70	1 778
Milk heifers	1974	13	443
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	85	1 328
	1969	121	1 627

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	9	129	33
	1969	1	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	8	93	22
20 to 49	1974	1	36	11
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	53	407	18	216	17	313	9	248	18
	1969	84	1 291	12	620	32	1 056	9	679	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	34	90	11	29	6	13	4	8	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	57	1	7	3	23	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	7	74	5	50	7	77	4	40	3
25 to 49	1974	2	56	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	130	1	130	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	200	1	200	15
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	38	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	451	5	224	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	7	1	7	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	5	–	–	4	22	2	8	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	276	(NA)	(NA)	3	65	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	88	453	34	278	18	103	14	87	37
	1969	146	422	(NA)	(NA)	12	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	3	34
	1969	9	108
Other hogs and pigs	1974	18	182
	1969	12	512
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	6
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	59	3	30
	1969	36	179	9	94
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	8	24	2	15
	1969	32	116	9	67
June 1 and November 30	1974	11	35	2	15
	1969	19	63	3	27

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	105	(X)	27	(X)	10	(X)	8	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	27	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	100	52 383	23	50 898	7	102 936	5	102 900
	1969	151	14 019	22	10 513	10	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	98	50 249	23	48 840	6	66 836	4	66 800
	1969	138	13 013	22	10 513	8	2 096	2	2 020
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	95	1 749	20	340	2	36	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	12	192 214	7	192 079	4	430 500	4	430 500
	1969	11	356 156	5	356 000	5	931 200	5	931 200
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	1 219	8	1 219
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	599

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	23	48 840	4	66 800
	1969	22	10 513	2	2 020
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	21	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	(D)	3	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	1	(D)
	1969	–	–	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	10	2 058	3	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	3	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	72	66	801	642	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	4	587	239	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	2	1	(D)	25	(D)	200
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	3	14	3	26	3 300	12 840
Wheat (bushels)	–	2	–	106	–	3 180
Other small grains for grain	7	2	104	310	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	9	78	252	(D)	153
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	5	(NA)	184	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	20	(NA)	171	(NA)	31 313	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	193	159	4 711	4 076	10 557	7 966
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	29	28	402	476	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	15	54	81	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	33	48	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	24	7	439	96	14 012	862	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	3	97	255	1 075	1 862	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	5	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	2	199	33	(D)	965	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	340	200	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	1	82	20	67	60	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	98	9 192	(X)	–	–	39	2 646	39	423	1	5
	1969	94	9 341	(X)	–	–	57	3 301	57	610	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	30	2 558	(X)	–	–	12	805	12	151	–	–
	1969	51	6 803	(X)	–	–	29	2 200	29	372	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	26	536	(X)	–	–	20	518	20	85	2	2
	1969	11	356	(X)	–	–	10	354	10	93	1	1
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	539	(X)	–	–	4	289	3	17	1	65
	1969	3	233	(X)	–	–	3	233	3	27	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	100	3 000	–	–	1	100	(NA)	10	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	4	20	1 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	300	18 000	–	–	1	300	(NA)	30	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	3	84	1 680	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	2	420	2	50	–	–
	1969	1	25	200	–	–	1	75	(NA)	10	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	1 100	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	3	1 400	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	89	3 521	8 566	–	–	38	1 997	38	583	1	18
	1969	85	3 331	7 051	–	–	49	1 737	49	549	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	18	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	78	55	–	–	1	78	1	18	–	–
	1969	6	238	141	–	–	5	228	(NA)	56	(NA)	2
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	2	80	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	96	–	–	1	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	15	359	(X)	–	–	9	318	9	75	–	–
	1969	12	428	(X)	1	2	9	354	9	101	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	5	50	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	75	(X)	–	–	3	22	3	2	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	15	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	6	2	(X)	2	1	2	2	2	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	9	175	(X)	–	–	1	150	1	40	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	103	127
$1,000	235	157
Commercial fertilizer—farms	100	111
acres on which used	7 223	9 135
tons	1 531	1 929
$1,000	210	137
Lime—farms	9	18
acres on which used	545	839
tons	580	1 254
$1,000	7	8
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	25
acres on which used	131	1 007
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	4	7
acres on which used	167	319
$1,000	2	2
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	150	214
$1,000	3	3

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	14
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5	7
acres on which used	620	492
$1,000	7	2
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	17
acres on which used	360	571
$1,000	2	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	40	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	90
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	11	56
$1,000	2	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	2
Proportion of farms—percent	–	1.2
Total land irrigated—acres	–	69
Average per farm—acres	–	34.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	69
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	69
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	31
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	0.4
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	1 666
Cropland—acres	–	341
Harvested cropland—acres	–	247
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	45	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	1	6
Proportion of farms—percent	0.7	3.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	420	3 052
Land drained—acres	120	640
Average per farm—acres	120.0	106.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	52	(NA)
number	181	(NA)
acres	190	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Forms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	68	59	31
$1,000	2 658	2 069	589
Forms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	11	10
$5,000 to $9,999	9	9	5
$10,000 to $29,999	24	19	11
$30,000 to $49,999	7	8	2
$50,000 and over	16	12	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	20	23	60	57	187	
25 to 149 days	13	89	55	473	43	231
Less than 25 days	52		386		48	
Total contract labor	17	12	(NA)	(NA)	11	12
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	10	(NA)	4	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	67	20	13	52
Cash wages paid $1,000	278	187	43	48
Number of workers	501	60	55	386
Farms with—				
1 worker	20	10	6	14
2 workers	1	4	1	1
3 or 4 workers	19	4	2	14
5 to 9 workers	12	1	3	9
10 workers and over	15	1	1	14

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	432	537	198	250
Land in farms — acres	130 397	181 350	111 989	151 508
Average size of farm — acres	302	338	566	606
Approximate land area — acres	543 040	543 040	543 040	543 040
Proportion in farms — percent	24.0	33.4	20.6	27.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	67 962	50 058	56 694	41 257
Average per farm — dollars	157 319	93 218	286 334	165 027
Average per acre — dollars	521	276	506	272
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	26	5	7
10 to 49 acres	107	130	20	27
50 to 69 acres	50	31	8	3
70 to 99 acres	32	52	8	16
100 to 139 acres	49	53	15	25
140 to 179 acres	25	44	14	17
180 to 219 acres	27	32	16	14
220 to 259 acres	9	16	6	7
260 to 499 acres	37	68	33	55
500 to 999 acres	38	50	37	44
1,000 to 1,999 acres	28	22	27	22
2,000 acres and over	9	13	9	13

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	27	(NA)
acres	3 165	10 568
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	6	14
acres	294	686
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	37
acres	1 247	5 185
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	9
acres	200	1 966
Cropland idle — farms	14	31
acres	1 424	2 731
Total woodland — farms	86	118
acres	24 877	35 806
Woodland pastured — farms	60	81
acres	14 269	18 064

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	375	432	181	223
acres	63 634	73 367	53 841	62 608
Harvested cropland — farms	250	261	144	171
acres	28 675	28 995	27 219	27 567
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	65	51	11	
10 to 19 acres	43	45	12	69
20 to 29 acres	29	27	16	
30 to 49 acres	23	34	17	
50 to 99 acres	25	35	24	34
100 to 199 acres	24	24	24	24
200 to 499 acres	27	30	26	29
500 to 999 acres	9	13	9	13
1,000 acres and over	5	2	5	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	259	299	104	146
acres	31 162	32 461	23 457	24 473
Other cropland (see text) — farms	47	114	27	(NA)
acres	3 797	11 911	3 165	10 568
Total woodland — farms	198	272	86	118
acres	31 491	47 719	24 877	35 806
Other land (see text) — farms	248	338	132	(NA)
acres	35 272	60 264	33 271	53 094
Irrigated land — farms	3	17	3	13
acres	374	1 275	374	1 248

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	52	58
acres	10 608	17 742
Other land — farms	132	(NA)
acres	33 271	53 094
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	86	88
acres	30 495	47 177
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	50	61
acres	12 661	22 404
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	53	37
acres	17 834	24 773
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	106	122
acres	2 776	5 917

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	432	537	198	250
Land in farms — acres	130 397	181 350	111 989	151 508
Harvested cropland — acres	28 675	28 995	27 219	27 567
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	281	330	97	105
Land in farms — acres	50 601	70 511	37 345	48 219
Harvested cropland — acres	7 555	9 654	6 409	8 582
Part owners — number	107	134	71	100
Land in farms — acres	64 305	84 257	60 129	79 658
Harvested cropland — acres	17 324	12 567	17 041	12 377
Tenants — number	44	73	30	45
Land in farms — acres	15 491	26 582	14 515	23 631
Harvested cropland — acres	3 796	6 774	3 769	6 608
Percent of tenancy	10.2	13.5	15.2	18.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	33	92	11	13
Land in farms — acres	1 932	7 811	809	1 273
Harvested cropland — acres	220	728	175	380
Full owners — number	25	66	9	3
Land in farms — acres	1 300	5 915	573	501
Harvested cropland — acres	185	350	155	111
Part owners — number	3	14	1	8
Land in farms — acres	372	1 216	116	770
Harvested cropland — acres	32	305	20	269
Tenants — number	5	12	1	2
Land in farms — acres	260	680	120	2
Harvested cropland — acres	3	73	–	–
Percent of tenancy	15.2	13.0	9.1	15.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	181	207
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	95 048	119 427

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	15	40
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	23 872
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	(D)
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	5	–	4
25 to 34 years	42	40	23	18
35 to 44 years	92	108	30	44
45 to 54 years	92	111	43	47
55 to 64 years	114	165	55	89
65 years and over	89	108	45	48
Average age	52.8	53.1	54.1	53.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	217	281	90	123
On another farm	2		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	20	176	12	91
In a city, town, or urban area	90		52	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	119	(NA)	69	(NA)
1 to 49 days	13	35	8	16
50 to 99 days	12	22	2	6
100 to 149 days	9	57	4	25
150 to 199 days	21		6	
200 days and over	185	223	54	83
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	161	(NA)	122	(NA)
Other	268	(NA)	74	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	11	23	11	23
$40,000 to $99,999	26		25	
$20,000 to $39,999	26	25	26	25
$10,000 to $19,999	41	48	41	48
$5,000 to $9,999	38	57	38	57
$2,500 to $4,999	50	81	50	80
Under $2,500 (see text)	240	303	7	17
$2,000 to $2,499	25	26	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	43	33	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	48	58	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	124	186	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	5 710	4 311	5 414	4 018
Average per farm ... dollars	13 217	8 028	27 341	16 070
Crops, including hay ... farms	144	191	100	(NA)
$1,000	2 810	1 647	2 736	1 589
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	5		2	1
$1,000	21		(D)	1
Forest products ... farms	26	36	13	16
$1,000	100	58	(D)	52
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	395	442	178	217
$1,000	2 779	2 607	2 563	2 376
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	16	(NA)	3	5
$1,000	3	(NA)	(Z)	134

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	100	(NA)
$1,000	2 736	1 589
Grains ... farms	34	47
$1,000	701	182
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	51	74
$1,000	1 659	1 093
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	48	68
$1,000	223	209
Other field crops ... farms	9	3
$1,000	59	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	9	11
$1,000	58	27
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	6	22
$1,000	36	76
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	178	217
$1,000	2 563	2 376
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	5
$1,000	(Z)	134
Dairy products ... farms	8	9
$1,000	403	239
Cattle and calves ... farms	174	(NA)
$1,000	2 120	1 828
Hogs and pigs ... farms	8	(NA)
$1,000	6	175
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	2	
$1,000	1	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	13	
$1,000	32	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	249	(NA)	64	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	71	(NA)	50	(NA)
$1,000	248	(NA)	225	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	19	31	17	26
$1,000	65	91	54	91
Recreational services ... farms	4	4	4	4
$1,000	7	2	7	2
Government farm programs ... farms	39	136	31	92
$1,000	115	850	112	834
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	19	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	21	(NA)	12	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	41	(NA)	41	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	23	(NA)	19	(NA)
$1,000	97	(NA)	96	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	116
$1,000	1 952
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	26
$1,000	421
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	63
$1,000	786
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	66
$1,000	560
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	25
$1,000	127
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	21
$1,000	59

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	430	537	198	250
$1,000	6 265	4 497	5 718	4 042
Farms with–				
$1 to $999	64	152	1	21
$1,000 to $1,999	81	95	2	
$2,000 to $2,999	50	57	13	22
$3,000 to $4,999	56	65	23	44
$5,000 to $9,999	78	53	59	49
$10,000 to $19,999	36		36	61
$20,000 to $39,999	22	115	22	30
$40,000 to $59,999	14		14	23
$60,000 and over	29		28	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	179	236	81	128
$1,000	660	556	578	499
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	375	438	161	204
$1,000	760	667	569	553
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	275	288	145	166
$1,000	514	396	445	356
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	56	76
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	85
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	35
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	37
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	77
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	43	75
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	109	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	142	216	89	128
$1,000	141	99	136	93
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	290	336	148	188
$1,000	651	332	593	302
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	135	(NA)	98	(NA)
$1,000	746	292	736	277
Lime ... farms	(NA)	50	10	18
$1,000	(NA)	16	6	10
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	397	509	183	247
$1,000	426	338	384	295
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	160	225
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	148	116
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	87	92
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	70
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	77	124
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	84	73
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	183	247
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	37
Hired farm labor ... farms	160	275	114	186
$1,000	773	645	716	591
Contract labor ... farms	51	199	33	34
$1,000	68	171	65	38
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	90		72	113
$1,000	149		146	118
All other production expenses ... farms	368	414	198	247
$1,000	1 889	1 397	1 723	1 275

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	391	495	175	239
$1,000	7 111	4 450	5 344	3 549
Average per farm—dollars	18 188	8 990	30 540	14 847
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	6	53	2	90
$1,000 to $4,999	105	236	21	
$5,000 to $9,999	132	115	42	66
$10,000 to $19,999	75	40	46	35
$20,000 to $29,999	30	51	24	14
$30,000 to $49,999	12		12	15
$50,000 to $69,999	11		9	19
$70,000 and over	20		19	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	235	265	108	138
number	304	348	146	195
mfd in last 5 years, number	132	238	88	125
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	330	400	155	205
number	471	540	267	323
mfd in last 5 years, number	218	309	153	208
Wheel tractors—farms	340	406	150	212
number	615	775	374	516
mfd in last 5 years, number	127	339	99	247
Crawler tractors—farms	18		11	21
number	18		11	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	19	27	18	26
number	23	38	22	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	21	6	21
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	12	1	6
number	1	14	1	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	5	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	8		2	7
number	8		2	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	3
Mower conditioners—farms	84	(NA)	63	(NA)
number	91	(NA)	68	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	(NA)	36	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	98	107	70	87
number	100	110	72	90
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	58	21	51
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	54	(NA)	39	53
number	55	(NA)	40	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	(NA)	24	37
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	10	(NA)	8	12
number	10	(NA)	8	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	7

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	386	(X)	169	(X)	395	(X)	178	(X)	2 563
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	380	(X)	167	(X)	389	(X)	174	(X)	2 127
1969	446	(X)	207	(X)	429	(X)	211	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	379	40 534	166	35 120	389	14 870	174	13 482	2 120
1969	430	32 399	206	28 097	413	16 941	209	14 869	1 828
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	6	19	2	6	106	256	8	17	2
5 to 9—1974	24	168	2	15	73	498	2	10	2
10 to 19—1974	89	1 202	11	161	62	792	23	342	72
20 to 49—1974	107	3 403	22	789	68	2 170	62	2 009	280
50 to 99—1974	56	3 755	33	2 362	41	2 720	40	2 670	397
100 to 199—1974	42	6 102	42	6 102	27	3 690	27	3 690	534
200 to 499—1974	42	13 145	41	12 945	7	2 002	7	2 002	255
500 and over—1974	13	12 740	13	12 740	5	2 742	5	2 742	578
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	306	22 518	150	19 653	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	349	18 023	190	16 500	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	291	21 704	145	18 956	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	17 317	185	15 927	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	46	814	15	697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	78	706	28	573	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	403
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	239

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	291	21 704	145	18 956			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	19	59	5	15			
5 to 9	21	145	1	5			
10 to 19	66	945	12	178			
20 to 49	84	2 645	28	1 000			
50 to 99	40	2 764	39	2 712			
100 to 199	34	4 676	33	4 576			
200 to 499	21	5 317	21	5 317			
500 and over	6	5 153	6	5 153			
Milk cows	46	814	15	697			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	22	27	3	4			
3 or 4	3	11	1	3			
5 to 9	8	58	2	12			
10 to 19	8	86	4	46			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	62	1	62			
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					127	6 430	1 401
Farms with—							
1 to 4					12	31	5
5 to 9					17	111	22
10 to 19					37	532	115
20 to 49					28	827	157
50 to 99					16	965	191
100 to 199					13	2 014	393
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					3	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					133	7 052	719
Farms with—							
1 or 2					3	5	1
3 or 4					5	17	1
5 to 9					12	84	8
10 to 19					20	260	32
20 to 49					48	1 493	152
50 to 99					27	1 833	210
100 to 199					13	1 575	183
200 to 499					4	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	123	6 584
	1969	177	6 205
Beef heifers	1974	116	6 347
Milk heifers	1974	9	237
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	144	8 883
	1969	198	5 392

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	8	162	29
	1969	1	16	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	5	72	16
20 to 49	1974	2	40	7
50 to 99	1974	1	50	6
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	42	329	9	136	21	220	8	140	6
	1969	96	3 525	34	3 044	60	3 578	28	3 232	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	25	47	4	10	7	19	3	10	1
5 to 9	1974	7	43	1	6	6	35	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	6	100	1	12	5	71	2	35	2
25 to 49	1974	3	89	2	58	3	95	3	95	4
50 to 99	1974	1	50	1	50	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	52	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	231	6	162	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	8	42	4	22	6	26	2	14	(NA)
	1969	5	180	4	176	2	128	2	128	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	10	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	19	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	129	516	53	302	14	96	9	87	31
	1969	164	707	(NA)	(NA)	34	78	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	4	13
	1969	18	411
Other hogs and pigs	1974	8	123
	1969	34	2 633
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	10
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	3	7
Rams and wethers	1974	4	5

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	16	36	4	13
	1969	65	501	23	420
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	15	2	2
	1969	53	253	21	199
June 1 and November 30	1974	10	21	4	11
	1969	40	248	20	221

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	72	(X)	14	(X)	6	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	68	1 790	14	335	5	130	–	–
	1969	97	3 444	21	1 641	2	1 015	1	1 000
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	66	1 587	14	318	5	60	–	–
	1969	84	2 779	20	1 429	2	1 015	1	1 000
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	66	1 587	14	318	5	60	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	12	177	–	–	1	3	1	3
	1969	9	60 040	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	3	3	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	134

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	14	318	–	–
	1969	20	1 429	1	1 000
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	253	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	65	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	58	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	17	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	59	55	453	630	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	14	466	834	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	29	30	3 923	1 943	99 428	36 202
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	10	10	10	9	7 400	2 480
Wheat (bushels)	4	16	185	1 287	4 170	23 677
Other small grains for grain	2	5	81	47	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	52	96	13 346	11 033	7 999	8 894
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	18	(NA)	17	(NA)	1 186	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	21	(NA)	70	(NA)	16 461	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	179	162	9 271	11 684	18 200	22 106
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	16	132	83	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	33	1 289	1 615	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	15	(NA)	87	132	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	17	18	190	391	7 645	16 130	–	2	–	55
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	1	13	32	150	200	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	25	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	11	315	613	15,584	28 649	–	2	–	120
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	101	141	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	116
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	12	29	983	2 459	1 252	4 338	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Forms	Acres	Quantity	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	104	23 457	(X)	–	–	37	4 244	31	384	9	118
	1969	146	24 473	(X)	3	63	77	7 728	69	837	12	103
Improved pasture	1974	50	12 661	(X)	–	–	29	4 376	28	407	1	120
	1969	61	22 404	(X)	4	340	28	7 163	24	794	8	167
Corn for all purposes	1974	17	203	(X)	–	–	11	172	11	15	2	2
	1969	19	448	(X)	2	55	16	335	15	46	3	18
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	416	(X)	–	–	5	405	4	40	1	40
	1969	12	754	(X)	2	236	7	230	2	28	5	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	175	3 850	–	–	3	175	2	6	1	10
	1969	13	1 275	23 353	1	50	12	775	(NA)	112	(NA)	9
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	41	1 150	–	–	1	30	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	78	(X)	1	78	1	78	1	4	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	28	3 823	95 428	–	–	1	600	1	22	–	–
	1969	25	1 858	33 982	–	–	3	136	(NA)	6	(NA)	6
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	600	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	–	80	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	110	8 350	16 287	–	–	52	2 970	49	612	4	24
	1969	119	11 001	21 238	6	348	46	3 299	41	534	7	58
Field seed crops	1974	1	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	82	(X)	–	–	2	52	2	5	1	1
Cotton (bales)	1974	51	13 246	7 899	1	2	50	13 129	23	457	31	695
	1969	70	10 731	8 668	1	108	70	10 680	(NA)	974	(NA)	627
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	14	1 081	–	–	2	1	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
	1969	5	1	100	–	–	2	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	9	100	(X)	1	14	8	92	8	39	–	–
	1969	8	74	(X)	–	–	4	40	3	3	1	7
Land in orchards	1974	14	1 288	(X)	1	(D)	2	48	2	5	–	–
	1969	23	1 558	(X)	1	50	11	862	11	166	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	6	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	9	118	(X)	–	–	5	65	6	26	1	(Z)

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	154	200
$1,000	1 329	579
Commercial fertilizer—farms	148	168
acres on which used	27 239	31 359
tons	3 423	4 521
$1,000	593	302
Lime—farms	10	18
acres on which used	356	674
tons	575	1 287
$1,000	6	10
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	12	13
acres on which used	1 347	755
$1,000	9	3
Insects on other crops—farms	52	62
acres on which used	14 327	10 617
$1,000	443	136
Nemotodes in crops—farms	–	4
acres on which used	–	62
$1,000	–	2

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	3
acres on which used	395	57
$1,000	5	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	43	56
acres on which used	14 957	11 859
$1,000	231	88
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	14	22
acres on which used	1 018	3 098
$1,000	3	8
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	60	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	25	28
acres on which used	6 387	6 959
$1,000	27	20
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	24	61
$1,000	5	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	13
Proportion of farms—percent	1.5	5.2
Total land irrigated—acres	374	1 248
Average per farm—acres	124.7	96.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	10
acres	374	908
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	9
acres	294	844
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	3
acres	–	63
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	80	1
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	4
acres	–	340
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	406	1 356
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	1.1
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	214	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	3 904	30 492
Cropland—acres	1 244	6 861
Harvested cropland—acres	844	4 105
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	16	54
Proportion of farms—percent	8.1	21.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	20 800	53 826
Land drained—acres	13 989	23 372
Average per farm—acres	874.3	432.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	41	(NA)
number	121	(NA)
acres	231	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	86	59	56
$1,000	5 954	2 590	3 364
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	4	4	6
$5,000 to $9,999	15	8	13
$10,000 to $29,999	25	22	13
$30,000 to $49,999	8	7	5
$50,000 and over	34	18	19

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	59	65	164	189	598	
25 to 149 days	33	160	110	827	80	591
Less than 25 days	62		723		38	
Total contract labor	33	34	(NA)	(NA)	65	38
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	18	(NA)	108	(NA)	54	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	114	59	33	62
Cash wages paid $1,000	716	598	80	38
Number of workers	997	164	110	723
Farms with—				
1 worker	30	18	8	16
2 workers	16	16	6	4
3 or 4 workers	21	18	11	10
5 to 9 workers	21	5	7	12
10 workers and over	26	2	1	20

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ... number	656	807	364	400
Land in farms ... acres	251 413	277 386	221 753	228 858
Average size of farm ... acres	383	344	609	572
Approximate land area ... acres	575 296	575 296	575 296	575 296
Proportion in farms ... percent	43.7	48.2	38.5	39.8
Value of land and buildings ... $1,000	104 988	76 852	90 699	62 600
Average per farm ... dollars	160 042	95 231	249 174	156 499
Average per acre ... dollars	418	277	409	274
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	36	64	9	16
10 to 49 acres	148	204	34	27
50 to 69 acres	42	56	11	23
70 to 99 acres	54	47	20	23
100 to 139 acres	61	62	33	29
140 to 179 acres	34	48	19	26
180 to 219 acres	29	37	15	23
220 to 259 acres	28	32	17	11
260 to 499 acres	82	94	70	73
500 to 999 acres	61	84	58	78
1,000 to 1,999 acres	58	57	55	49
2,000 acres and over	23	22	23	22

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ... farms	52	(NA)
... acres	12 579	16 305
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ... farms	12	17
... acres	1 217	1 659
Cropland on which all crops failed ... farms	10	19
... acres	633	3 594
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ... farms	5	15
... acres	368	2 559
Cropland idle ... farms	32	54
... acres	10 361	8 493
Total woodland ... farms	153	169
... acres	36 920	46 456
Woodland pastured ... farms	85	127
... acres	19 595	29 423

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ... farms	551	664	322	346
... acres	120 335	141 783	105 510	119 045
Harvested cropland ... farms	399	371	278	265
... acres	60 106	50 396	58 142	48 970
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	69	69	16	
10 to 19 acres	64	53	33	99
20 to 29 acres	39	33	24	
30 to 49 acres	46	48	32	
50 to 99 acres	55	50	48	49
100 to 199 acres	41	39	40	38
200 to 499 acres	53	54	53	54
500 to 999 acres	24	19	24	19
1,000 acres and over	8	6	8	6
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ... farms	359	483	177	230
... acres	46 212	72 985	34 789	53 770
Other cropland (see text) ... farms	78	143	52	(NA)
... acres	14 017	18 402	12 579	16 305
Total woodland ... farms	266	320	153	169
... acres	45 522	64 104	36 920	46 456
Other land (see text) ... farms	443	445	267	(NA)
... acres	85 556	71 499	79 323	63 357
Irrigated land ... farms	14	37	11	24
... acres	1 452	2 382	1 440	2 183

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured ... farms	79	69
... acres	17 325	17 033
Other land ... farms	267	(NA)
... acres	79 323	63 357
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ... farms	158	124
... acres	69 687	57 604
Improved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	82	95
... acres	23 128	37 697
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	88	63
... acres	46 559	19 907
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	223	162
... acres	9 636	5 753

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ... number	656	807	364	400
Land in farms ... acres	251 413	277 386	221 753	228 858
Harvested cropland ... acres	60 106	50 396	58 142	48 970
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ... number	353	433	151	160
Land in farms ... acres	87 412	94 160	69 054	71 741
Harvested cropland ... acres	16 770	15 029	15 470	14 145
Part owners ... number	189	225	138	152
Land in farms ... acres	118 600	136 284	111 162	118 944
Harvested cropland ... acres	30 143	26 475	29 749	26 098
Tenants ... number	114	149	75	88
Land in farms ... acres	45 401	46 942	41 537	38 173
Harvested cropland ... acres	13 193	8 892	12 923	8 727
Percent of tenancy	17.4	18.4	20.6	22.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ... number	73	113	20	20
Land in farms ... acres	6 142	7 250	2 678	2 535
Harvested cropland ... acres	1 872	1 062	1 574	687
Full owners ... number	42	78	8	7
Land in farms ... acres	2 223	3 939	463	1 483
Harvested cropland ... acres	246	353	96	123
Part owners ... number	24	16	9	5
Land in farms ... acres	3 533	2 149	2 009	593
Harvested cropland ... acres	1 431	263	1 323	186
Tenants ... number	7	19	3	8
Land in farms ... acres	386	1 162	206	459
Harvested cropland ... acres	195	446	155	378
Percent of tenancy	9.6	16.8	15.0	40.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ... number	(NA)	(NA)	303	330
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	143 470	158 666

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership ... number	(NA)	(NA)	38	59
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	50 255	52 301
Corporation ... number	(NA)	(NA)	21	7
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	15 964
Other ... number	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
... acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 927
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	6	2	2
25 to 34 years	34	88	22	44
35 to 44 years	137	168	63	78
45 to 54 years	172	203	93	107
55 to 64 years	142	200	88	97
65 years and over	144	142	73	72
Average age	53.1	51.8	53.2	52.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	299	418	164	223
On another farm	14		10	
In a rural area, not on a farm	46	273	28	139
In a city, town, or urban area	138		76	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	173	(NA)	111	(NA)
1 to 49 days	26	41	9	24
50 to 99 days	17	26	7	11
100 to 149 days	23		10	
150 to 199 days	31	53	17	23
200 days and over	247	400	111	145
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	284	(NA)	207	(NA)
Other	347	(NA)	134	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	38	70	37	70
$40,000 to $99,999	57		57	
$20,000 to $39,999	42	60	42	60
$10,000 to $19,999	53	69	53	69
$5,000 to $9,999	79	103	79	103
$2,500 to $4,999	76	88	75	87
Under $2,500 (see text)	311	417	21	11
$2,000 to $2,499	34	26	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	44	49	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	67	75	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	166	267	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	15 603	10 415	15 177	9 997
Average per farm (dollars)	23 785	12 906	41 694	24 991
Crops, including hay (farms)	249	284	199	(NA)
($1,000)	7 565	4 128	7 515	3 973
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	15		7	5
($1,000)	184		176	80
Forest products (farms)	34	49	24	32
($1,000)	151	86	147	82
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	561	642	312	339
($1,000)	7 704	6 201	7 338	5 861
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	13	(NA)	7	7
($1,000)	767	(NA)	766	362

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	199	(NA)
($1,000)	7 515	3 973
Grains (farms)	35	53
($1,000)	741	261
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	106	125
($1,000)	6 059	3 112
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	84	82
($1,000)	432	190
Other field crops (farms)	5	9
($1,000)	4	17
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	16	20
($1,000)	193	143
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	6	42
($1,000)	86	251
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	312	339
($1,000)	7 338	5 861
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	7	7
($1,000)	766	362
Dairy products (farms)	21	28
($1,000)	1 129	1 091
Cattle and calves (farms)	306	(NA)
($1,000)	5 267	4 042
Hogs and pigs (farms)	15	(NA)
($1,000)	141	366
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	3	
($1,000)	2	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	23	
($1,000)	33	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	335	(NA)	123	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	112	(NA)	80	(NA)
($1,000)	409	(NA)	344	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	37	57	31	38
($1,000)	137	117	126	103
Recreational services (farms)	4	9	1	4
($1,000)	3	21	1	21
Government farm programs (farms)	35	213	23	157
($1,000)	84	1 929	67	1 898
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	50	(NA)	38	(NA)
($1,000)	137	(NA)	101	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
($1,000)	49	(NA)	49	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	28	(NA)	21	(NA)
($1,000)	91	(NA)	79	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	234
($1,000)	3 462
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	50
($1,000)	591
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	146
($1,000)	2 013
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	112
($1,000)	667
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	37
($1,000)	131
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	37
($1,000)	59

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	656	807	364	400
($1,000)	15 487	10 135	14 957	9 509
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	137	214	7	27
$1,000 to $1,999	100	126	13	
$2,000 to $2,999	47	86	21	36
$3,000 to $4,999	87	87	50	55
$5,000 to $9,999	91	97	80	86
$10,000 to $19,999	55		55	68
$20,000 to $39,999	37	197	37	62
$40,000 to $59,999	36		35	66
$60,000 and over	66		66	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	225	324	152	184
($1,000)	2 061	1 433	2 009	1 364
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	523	630	281	305
($1,000)	2 519	1 578	2 310	1 391
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	399	400	255	247
($1,000)	2 068	1 024	1 997	952
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	85	80
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	64	135
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	85	48
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	78	115
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	66	109
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	171	189
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	202	(NA)
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	145	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	248	310	168	200
($1,000)	248	176	241	164
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	411	493	248	285
($1,000)	1 055	527	997	486
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	228	(NA)	167	(NA)
($1,000)	1 611	698	1 605	684
Lime (farms)	(NA)	59	14	26
($1,000)	(NA)	23	28	17
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	607	762	353	399
($1,000)	917	589	868	535
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	321	372
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	326	211
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	159	126
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	221	113
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	116	156
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	220	152
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	347	399
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	101	60
Hired farm labor (farms)	266	434	202	315
($1,000)	1 844	1 627	1 809	1 568
Contract labor (farms)	60	259	45	62
($1,000)	77	296	74	93
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	159		110	132
($1,000)	334		329	183
All other production expenses (farms)	560	648	360	400
($1,000)	4 821	3 210	4 569	3 042

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	608	751	340	384
$1,000	11 556	7 066	9 588	5 636
Average per farm—dollars	19 006	9 408	28 200	14 677
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	11	69	2	140
$1,000 to $4,999	135	368	50	
$5,000 to $9,999	195	141	67	88
$10,000 to $19,999	120	74	83	65
$20,000 to $29,999	47	99	41	34
$30,000 to $49,999	42		41	27
$50,000 to $69,999	30		28	30
$70,000 and over	28		28	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	351	416	193	233
number	475	541	285	310
mfd in last 5 years, number	257	347	196	223
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	495	572	291	319
number	770	829	531	521
mfd in last 5 years, number	313	455	250	324
Wheel tractors—farms	530	587	305	349
number	1 079	1 173	806	865
mfd in last 5 years, number	268	450	242	356
Crawler tractors—farms	19		16	20
number	19		16	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	30	25	29	22
number	37	29	36	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	24	7	21
Corn heads for combines—farms	5	9	5	5
number	5	10	5	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	5	1	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	5		4	5
number	9		8	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2
Mower conditioners—farms	107	(NA)	81	(NA)
number	114	(NA)	86	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	42	(NA)	38	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	126	152	103	130
number	130	160	107	138
mfd in last 5 years, number	44	99	43	83
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	84	(NA)	75	87
number	86	(NA)	77	95
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	(NA)	29	54
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	22	(NA)	15	20
number	24	(NA)	16	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	5	17

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	561	(X)	300	(X)	561	(X)	312	(X)	7 338
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	536	(X)	292	(X)	549	(X)	309	(X)	5 410
1969	633	(X)	324	(X)	605	(X)	333	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	531	60 704	290	54 189	540	31 450	306	29 686	5 267
1969	613	55 999	316	49 640	586	35 339	327	32 893	4 042
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	8	18	–	–	90	221	13	27	5
5 to 9—1974	29	210	1	5	115	788	18	129	20
10 to 19—1974	108	1 550	14	218	105	1 446	55	770	149
20 to 49—1974	139	4 526	59	2 041	114	3 266	104	3 031	470
50 to 99—1974	89	6 032	61	4 290	49	3 385	49	3 385	505
100 to 199—1974	68	9 187	66	8 987	22	3 005	22	3 005	414
200 to 499—1974	68	20 540	68	20 540	35	9 265	35	9 265	1 442
500 and over—1974	22	18 641	21	18 108	10	10 074	10	10 074	2 263
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	456	31 383	261	27 683	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	498	30 357	288	27 494	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	446	29 697	256	26 185	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	27 926	274	25 292	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	62	1 686	28	1 498	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	90	2 431	42	2 202	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	1 129
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	1 091

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	446	29 697	256	26 185
Forms with—				
1 to 4	22	62	3	9
5 to 9	55	384	10	67
10 to 19	69	963	17	261
20 to 49	138	4 197	72	2 326
50 to 99	69	4 496	62	4 116
100 to 199	62	8 767	61	8 578
200 to 499	26	7 701	26	7 701
500 and over	5	3 127	5	3 127
Milk cows	62	1 686	28	1 498
Forms with—				
1 or 2	36	49	7	10
3 or 4	1	3	–	–
5 to 9	4	21	1	6
10 to 19	1	10	1	10
20 to 49	6	144	6	144
50 to 99	7	551	7	551
100 to 199	7	908	6	777
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	226	15 138	3 717
Forms with—			
1 to 4	46	109	25
5 to 9	30	208	47
10 to 19	53	731	184
20 to 49	44	1 322	322
50 to 99	29	2 109	456
100 to 199	10	1 304	305
200 to 499	7	2 043	425
500 and over	7	7 312	1 952
Calves sold	235	14 548	1 551
Forms with—			
1 or 2	7	11	2
3 or 4	9	32	3
5 to 9	20	149	16
10 to 19	50	693	79
20 to 49	72	2 168	218
50 to 99	29	1 872	188
100 to 199	30	4 218	441
200 to 499	17	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	221	13 582
	1969	266	10 226
Beef heifers	1974	216	13 034
Milk heifers	1974	17	548
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	237	12 924
	1969	300	11 920

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	17	3 154	1 157
	1969	5	84	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	30	13
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	5	135	38
50 to 99	1974	5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	46	835	25	537	26	2 387	15	2 164	141
	1969	101	2 295	41	1 771	55	4 961	28	4 458	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	20	52	10	19	6	15	2	5	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	12	91	6	47	2	14	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	6	86	4	56	7	109	5	77	5
25 to 49	1974	3	105	1	45	4	164	2	84	6
50 to 99	1974	3	240	3	240	3	223	2	136	10
100 to 199	1974	2	261	1	130	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	480	1	460	9
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	186	3	61	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	130	3	130	3	19	3	19	(NA)
	1969	9	214	7	153	3	104	2	69	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	93	[1]669
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	1	31	1
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	13	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	160	797	82	541	25	105	18	89	30
	1969	276	1 304	(NA)	(NA)	58	220	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	14	97
	1969	18	135
Other hogs and pigs	1974	23	440
	1969	38	1 636
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	3	40
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	76
Rams and wethers	1974	1	14

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	25	202	16	154
	1969	50	194	18	113
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	18	105	13	77
	1969	37	101	12	52
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	97	9	77
	1969	32	93	16	61

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	70	(X)	24	(X)	10	(X)	7	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	69	93 607	24	92 887	8	66 659	5	66 511
	1969	126	(D)	37	(D)	7	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	62	93 237	22	92 662	8	66 434	5	66 375
	1969	117	60 219	37	58 280	6	21 192	3	(D)
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	58	1 139	18	564	4	74	1	15
100 to 399	1974	1	250	1	250	1	160	1	160
400 to 1,599	1974	1	1 500	1	1 500	1	1 200	1	1 200
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	14	215	4	48	3	204	2	136
	1969	7	23 628	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	767	7	766
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	362

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	92 662	5	66 375
	1969	37	58 280	3	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	21	90 947	3	65 015
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	1 715	2	1 360
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	9 893	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	13	225	2	136
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	4	18	1	4
	1969	1	3	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	10	1	4
Heavy breed	1974	1	10	1	4
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	8	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	8	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	43	28	509	999	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	16	16	1 157	1 415	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	20	43	5 845	6 633	97 291	94 322
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	7	7	8	7	6 300	2 500
Wheat (bushels)	2	6	45	116	750	3 656
Other small grains for grain	9	9	100	175	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	118	170	34 298	24 863	28 187	26 953
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	9	(NA)	896	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	7	(NA)	5	(NA)	683	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	263	217	15 875	13 445	32 831	21 733
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	31	32	407	498	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	27	62	2 002	2 370	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	18	(NA)	25	99	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	17	8	295	713	11 251	23 550	1	2	25	272
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	1	41	70	732	600	–	1	–	70
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	50	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	9	10	668	1 013	20 571	42 250	1	–	75	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	7	(NA)	453	362	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	32	50	1 529	2 389	4 205	5 682	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	177	34 789	(X)	–	–	73	9 504	59	811	14	226
	1969	230	53 770	(X)	2	105	97	15 509	84	1 455	17	148
Improved pasture	1974	82	23 128	(X)	–	–	39	8 807	30	589	10	293
	1969	95	37 697	(X)	–	–	49	9 865	42	825	11	120
Corn for all purposes	1974	19	336	(X)	1	25	17	331	8	34	13	33
	1969	10	833	(X)	3	342	9	777	8	102	3	44
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	15	1 121	(X)	1	75	8	785	3	26	6	52
	1969	15	1 375	(X)	–	–	11	1 289	8	273	3	26
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	45	750	–	–	2	45	1	3	1	1
	1969	4	114	3 632	–	–	3	94	(NA)	9	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	6	85	2 900	–	–	2	35	–	–	2	3
	1969	9	175	4 430	1	10	4	86	(NA)	6	(NA)	11
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	20	5 845	97 291	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	43	6 633	94 322	1	120	3	210	(NA)	26	(NA)	10
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	900	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	196	14 412	31 008	1	80	78	5 713	68	928	17	176
	1969	185	12 815	20 974	2	32	44	1 875	41	276	6	24
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	36	(X)	–	–	1	24	1	2	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	106	34 179	28 157	4	1 253	103	33 924	32	1 627	77	2 066
	1969	123	24 441	26 620	17	1 551	123	24 213	(NA)	985	(NA)	1 557
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	6	380	–	–	4	5	4	2	–	–
	1969	8	6	182	–	–	1	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	18	375	(X)	1	3	14	335	14	55	–	–
	1969	22	426	(X)	3	23	14	386	14	51	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	19	1 895	(X)	–	–	3	535	3	57	–	–
	1969	44	2 327	(X)	–	–	11	782	8	106	3	60

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	7	4	(X)	4	3	4	3	4	6	–	–
1969	5	6	(X)	–	–	2	1	–	–	2	(Z)
Other crops 1974	5	17	(X)	–	–	3	3	3	(Z)	2	(Z)

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	254	315
$1,000	2 602	1 170
Commercial fertilizer—farms	248	261
acres on which used	60 172	55 122
tons	6 996	6 120
$1,000	997	486
Lime—farms	14	26
acres on which used	1 946	2 444
tons	3 624	2 393
$1,000	28	17
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	9	12
acres on which used	445	364
$1,000	2	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	107	110
acres on which used	36 664	21 815
$1,000	1 091	376
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	2
acres on which used	12	21
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	7	10
acres on which used	989	547
$1,000	5	6
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	76	93
acres on which used	28 577	24 651
$1,000	354	213
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	16	35
acres on which used	2 861	5 791
$1,000	8	12
Weeds on all other land—farms	8	(NA)
acres on which used	470	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	44	61
acres on which used	18 235	13 133
$1,000	89	45
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	35	103
$1,000	8	14
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	20	(NA)
$1,000	18	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	11	24
Proportion of farms—percent	3.0	6.0
Total land irrigated—acres	1 440	2 183
Average per farm—acres	130.9	90.9
Cropland irrigated—farms	11	24
acres	1 440	2 183
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	11	23
acres	1 440	2 078
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	105
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1 107	1 399
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	4	(NA)
acres	1 253	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	187	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	5 878	29 325
Cropland—acres	3 507	16 732
Harvested cropland—acres	3 115	9 498
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	5	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	615	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	44	79
Proportion of farms—percent	12.1	19.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	42 777	70 457
Land drained—acres	29 476	51 163
Average per farm—acres	669.9	647.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	116	(NA)
number	370	(NA)
acres	555	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	126	65	99
$1,000	9 222	3 653	5 568
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	19	6	20
$5,000 to $9,999	11	7	11
$10,000 to $29,999	31	18	22
$30,000 to $49,999	19	11	14
$50,000 and over	46	23	32

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	117	156	395	432	1 582	
25 to 149 days	82	236	192	957	155	1 568
Less than 25 days	85		525		71	
Total contract labor	45	62	(NA)	(NA)	74	93
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	16	(NA)	74	(NA)	33	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	202	117	82	85
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 809	1 582	155	71
Number of workers	1 112	395	192	525
Farms with—				
1 worker	54	40	34	28
2 workers	25	17	19	9
3 or 4 workers	42	31	22	16
5 to 9 workers	47	22	7	16
10 workers and over	34	7	–	16

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	665	739	395	365
Land in farms — acres	408 088	403 435	373 778	360 022
Average size of farm — acres	614	546	946	986
Approximate land area — acres	707 200	707 200	707 200	707 200
Proportion in farms — percent	57.7	57.0	52.9	50.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	206 188	115 346	184 731	97 941
Average per farm — dollars	310 057	156 084	467 372	268 332
Average per acre — dollars	505	286	494	272
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	45	40	14	7
10 to 49 acres	130	183	17	14
50 to 69 acres	25	24	5	4
70 to 99 acres	49	57	26	10
100 to 139 acres	49	38	22	12
140 to 179 acres	31	35	21	17
180 to 219 acres	29	30	24	18
220 to 259 acres	29	30	20	18
260 to 499 acres	87	119	68	96
500 to 999 acres	93	101	84	94
1,000 to 1,999 acres	60	44	58	38
2,000 acres and over	38	38	36	37

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	68	(NA)
acres	33 395	22 538
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	8	12
acres	1 124	1 163
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	20
acres	145	1 954
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	9
acres	–	1 414
Cropland idle — farms	58	62
acres	32 126	18 007
Total woodland — farms	84	58
acres	44 191	30 525
Woodland pastured — farms	60	41
acres	30 477	20 187

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	549	607	344	341
acres	207 470	210 512	192 610	195 380
Harvested cropland — farms	406	417	314	306
acres	126 428	109 551	125 329	107 812
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	73	49	21	
10 to 19 acres	30	53	12	43
20 to 29 acres	24	20	11	
30 to 49 acres	33	27	25	
50 to 99 acres	27	33	27	28
100 to 199 acres	28	51	27	51
200 to 499 acres	103	115	103	115
500 to 999 acres	69	58	69	58
1,000 acres and over	19	11	19	11
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	273	355	131	155
acres	44 952	76 471	33 886	65 030
Other cropland (see text) — farms	90	113	68	(NA)
acres	36 090	24 490	33 395	22 538
Total woodland — farms	149	136	84	58
acres	50 075	40 663	44 191	30 525
Other land (see text) — farms	416	447	237	(NA)
acres	150 543	152 260	136 977	134 117
Irrigated land — farms	233	233	220	217
acres	80 893	76 724	80 486	76 458

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	41	22
acres	13 714	10 338
Other land — farms	237	(NA)
acres	136 977	134 117
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	110	108
acres	106 613	107 421
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	45	46
acres	11 299	19 304
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	82	77
acres	95 314	88 117
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	190	153
acres	30 364	26 696

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	665	739	395	365
Land in farms — acres	408 088	403 435	373 778	360 022
Harvested cropland — acres	126 428	109 551	125 329	107 812
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	301	301	118	64
Land in farms — acres	129 794	68 797	115 118	53 061
Harvested cropland — acres	18 016	6 347	17 295	5 542
Part owners — number	225	252	164	159
Land in farms — acres	187 905	224 952	174 348	204 749
Harvested cropland — acres	67 249	57 841	66 966	57 143
Tenants — number	139	186	113	142
Land in farms — acres	90 389	109 686	84 312	102 212
Harvested cropland — acres	41 163	45 363	41 068	45 127
Percent of tenancy	20.9	25.1	28.6	38.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	10	3	–	–
Land in farms — acres	315	64	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	22	9	–	–
Full owners — number	7	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	246	24	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	2	4	–	–
Part owners — number	1	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	59	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	10	–	–	–
Tenants — number	2	1	–	–
Land in farms — acres	10	40	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	10	5	–	–
Percent of tenancy	20.0	33.3	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	351	291
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	279 989	234 267

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	30	57
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	52 606	71 373
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	40 679	49 086
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	504	5 296
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	23	17	18	14
25 to 34 years	81	120	57	56
35 to 44 years	137	160	58	71
45 to 54 years	162	160	92	78
55 to 64 years	137	190	90	96
65 years and over	109	92	66	50
Average age	49.7	48.4	50.0	48.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	306	439	177	228
On another farm	19		16	
In a rural area, not on a farm	45	213	30	112
In a city, town, or urban area	87		47	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	217	(NA)	163	(NA)
1 to 49 days	27	35	9	14
50 to 99 days	9	17	6	12
100 to 149 days	13	62	9	24
150 to 199 days	26		15	
200 days and over	217	316	62	69
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	327	(NA)	263	(NA)
Other	322	(NA)	118	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	23	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	111	105	111	105
$40,000 to $99,999	91		91	
$20,000 to $39,999	36	76	35	76
$10,000 to $19,999	36	62	36	62
$5,000 to $9,999	45	47	45	47
$2,500 to $4,999	48	53	48	52
Under $2,500 (see text)	298	396	29	23
$2,000 to $2,499	37	38	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	23	44	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	61	67	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	177	247	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	32 956	13 332	32 689	13 005
Average per farm ... dollars	49 558	18 040	82 756	35 631
Crops, including hay ... farms	308	351	272	(NA)
$1,000	30 269	10 733	30 204	10 682
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	10		5	2
$1,000	42		35	7
Forest products ... farms	12	15	10	5
$1,000	41	14	40	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	473	544	242	241
$1,000	2 604	2 585	2 410	2 304
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	25	(NA)	7	8
$1,000	254	(NA)	251	355

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	272	(NA)
$1,000	30 204	10 682
Grains ... farms	258	255
$1,000	30 141	10 596
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	18	29
$1,000	52	67
Other field crops ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	8
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	2
$1,000	10	6
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	242	241
$1,000	2 410	2 304
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	8
$1,000	251	355
Dairy products ... farms	1	3
$1,000	8	28
Cattle and calves ... farms	228	(NA)
$1,000	1 833	1 782
Hogs and pigs ... farms	9	(NA)
$1,000	138	139
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	7	
$1,000	4	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	19	
$1,000	176	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	280	(NA)	80	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	91	(NA)	45	(NA)
$1,000	471	(NA)	415	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	19	41	11	27
$1,000	40	118	31	113
Recreational services ... farms	2	7	1	4
$1,000	1	11	(Z)	11
Government farm programs ... farms	49	94	24	65
$1,000	31	68	16	59
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	29	(NA)	18	(NA)
$1,000	391	(NA)	368	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	41	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	303	(NA)	274	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	169
$1,000	2 174
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	27
$1,000	437
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	99
$1,000	1 174
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	76
$1,000	286
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	23
$1,000	95
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	16
$1,000	182

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	662	739	395	365
$1,000	20 455	9 650	19 970	9 169
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	111	184	2	30
$1,000 to $1,999	86	157	11	
$2,000 to $2,999	64	50	20	24
$3,000 to $4,999	65	69	38	35
$5,000 to $9,999	74	61	63	58
$10,000 to $19,999	56		56	80
$20,000 to $39,999	65	218	64	83
$40,000 to $59,999	45		45	55
$60,000 and over	96		96	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	202	232	117	107
$1,000	1 480	450	1 392	383
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	466	560	237	238
$1,000	1 063	726	903	577
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	379	346	221	207
$1,000	855	512	765	438
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	21
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	48
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	73	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	50
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	41
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	134	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	61	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	326	376	259	269
$1,000	2 037	939	2 027	928
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	495	496	312	306
$1,000	3 371	1 332	3 300	1 292
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	245	(NA)	198	(NA)
$1,000	886	484	879	477
Lime ... farms	(NA)	49	14	23
$1,000	(NA)	12	20	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	590	691	377	364
$1,000	1 356	828	1 320	769
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	345	347
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	511	281
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	278	289
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	577	300
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	114	149
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	115
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	375	364
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	74
Hired farm labor ... farms	243	372	205	270
$1,000	1 437	1 009	1 418	986
Contract labor ... farms	22	211	16	18
$1,000	70	265	68	26
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	172		146	135
$1,000	419		412	231
All other production expenses ... farms	580	570	388	356
$1,000	8 337	3 617	8 189	3 500

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—forms	593	688	363	358
$1,000	19 490	10 723	17 732	9 221
Average per farm—dollars	32 867	15 586	48 850	25 757
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	40	2	59
$1,000 to $4,999	106	245	32	
$5,000 to $9,999	144	140	41	59
$10,000 to $19,999	91	87	58	72
$20,000 to $29,999	46	176	40	57
$30,000 to $49,999	77		72	46
$50,000 to $69,999	40		40	65
$70,000 and over	79		78	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	392	453	241	256
number	508	561	341	314
mfd in last 5 years, number	345	425	279	250
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	501	594	323	325
number	944	1 019	748	700
mfd in last 5 years, number	475	625	402	422
Wheel tractors—farms	520	564	326	324
number	1 175	1 315	945	956
mfd in last 5 years, number	428	704	378	571
Crawler tractors—farms	39		32	24
number	52		45	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	10		9	19

	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	197	194	195	190
number	310	294	308	290
mfd in last 5 years, number	141	199	141	195
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	3	2	2
number	3	3	3	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	2	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	36		35	–
number	36		35	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	77	(NA)	45	(NA)
number	86	(NA)	51	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	(NA)	19	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	73	111	48	78
number	77	129	51	87
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	69	14	44
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	41	(NA)	23	38
number	42	(NA)	24	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	7	20
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	4	8
number	12	(NA)	4	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	486	(X)	248	(X)	473	(X)	242	(X)	2 410
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	461	(X)	231	(X)	459	(X)	234	(X)	1 975
1969	557	(X)	240	(X)	529	(X)	237	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	456	43 602	228	37 949	446	14 550	228	13 083	1 833
1969	534	46 504	231	39 458	502	19 575	233	17 230	1 782
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	18	53	5	14	115	309	20	61	8
5 to 9—1974	20	148	5	40	93	584	21	137	16
10 to 19—1974	104	1 451	19	281	80	1 095	40	563	70
20 to 49—1974	129	4 062	34	1 108	92	2 642	81	2 402	321
50 to 99—1974	95	6 379	76	5 140	32	2 169	32	2 169	288
100 to 199—1974	51	6 405	50	6 262	22	2 841	22	2 841	296
200 to 499—1974	28	8 046	28	8 046	7	1 942	7	1 942	264
500 and over—1974	11	17 058	11	17 058	5	2 968	5	2 968	571
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	373	26 892	207	23 691	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	475	31 134	220	27 068	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	367	26 742	204	23 631	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	30 890	216	26 932	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	52	150	21	60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	64	244	21	136	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	8
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	28

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	367	26 742	204	23 631
Farms with—				
1 to 4	25	71	9	27
5 to 9	41	301	9	75
10 to 19	70	981	19	258
20 to 49	112	3 414	56	1 802
50 to 99	69	4 499	61	3 993
100 to 199	23	3 061	23	3 061
200 to 499	21	5 731	21	5 731
500 and over	6	8 684	6	8 684
Milk cows	52	150	21	60
Farms with—				
1 or 2	42	59	19	28
3 or 4	2	7	1	3
5 to 9	6	38	–	–
10 to 19	1	17	–	–
20 to 49	1	29	1	29
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	123	3 545	889
Farms with—			
1 to 4	32	74	14
5 to 9	18	121	21
10 to 19	30	386	74
20 to 49	25	677	174
50 to 99	11	651	137
100 to 199	5	765	177
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	201	9 538	944
Farms with—			
1 or 2	13	22	2
3 or 4	10	37	5
5 to 9	20	137	12
10 to 19	43	603	59
20 to 49	67	1 992	195
50 to 99	24	1 533	131
100 to 199	15	1 878	157
200 to 499	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	151	6 449
	1969	170	6 722
Beef heifers	1974	151	6 438
Milk heifers	1974	4	11
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	185	7 809
	1969	211	5 668

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	227	57
	1969	1	35	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	8	2
10 to 19	1974	8	90	19
20 to 49	1974	2	72	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	57	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	35	889	9	764	20	1 573	9	1 487	138
	1969	60	1 430	15	1 058	31	2 174	9	1 781	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	15	34	2	4	7	16	2	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	11	64	2	13	3	21	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	4	44	–	–	2	25	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	2	58	1	28	2
50 to 99	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	207	3	207	17
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	16	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	68	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	23	416	7	179	20	283	7	145	(NA)
	1969	59	2 894	18	2 335	39	591	12	389	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	112	[1]400
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(X)	4
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	40	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	40	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	202	887	93	590	28	94	13	61	58
	1969	380	1 736	(NA)	(NA)	32	91	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	8	115
	1969	8	128
Other hogs and pigs	1974	7	649
	1969	11	930
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	4	32
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	7	122
Rams and wethers	1974	7	25

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	16	217	8	201
	1969	26	200	10	154
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	15	122	8	113
	1969	19	101	7	76
June 1 and November 30	1974	11	95	6	88
	1969	20	99	8	78

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	88	(X)	29	(X)	9	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	36	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	85	31 213	28	28 649	6	27 585	4	27 350
	1969	105	48 466	31	46 254	7	38 080	5	37 530
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	81	30 324	28	28 504	6	27 585	4	27 350
	1969	99	47 954	31	46 137	7	38 080	5	37 530
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	73	1 749	24	604	1	10	–	–
100 to 399	1974	4	675	–	–	3	775	2	550
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 100	2	1 100	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	331	–	–	2	20	–	–
	1969	12	161	1	20	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	254	7	251
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	355

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	28	28 504	4	27 350
	1969	31	46 137	5	37 530
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	28	28 502	4	27 350
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	2	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	103	–	–
	1969	5	88	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	42	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	12	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	12	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	12	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	12	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	11	21	85	283	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	10	361	294	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	158	160	44 510	29 100	1 083 477	549 800
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	2	–	2	–	400
Wheat (bushels)	1	7	1	41	20	830
Other small grains for grain	223	217	78 654	75 426	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	38	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	15	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	125	139	3 199	5 029	5 766	8 189
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	15	10	34	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	14	19	21	99	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	16	(NA)	385	406	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	6	6	52	190	2 067	8 248	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	20	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	6	350	248	(D)	5 299	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	10	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	131	33 886	(X)	2	195	42	4 235	42	476	1	4
	1969	155	65 030	(X)	3	473	46	5 557	45	589	2	9
Improved pasture	1974	45	11 299	(X)	1	71	17	1 993	17	244	–	–
	1969	46	19 304	(X)	–	–	25	3 426	25	488	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	6	52	(X)	–	–	4	12	4	3	–	–
	1969	7	210	(X)	–	–	3	33	3	5	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	350	(X)	–	–	2	350	1	38	1	15
	1969	7	258	(X)	–	–	4	210	4	27	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	1	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	211	78 356	(X)	211	78 356	211	77 859	210	13 132	7	148
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	156	44 496	1 083 075	9	1 409	117	37 831	111	5 333	7	240
	1969	145	28 704	542 673	10	1 289	125	25 682	(NA)	3 241	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	66	2 489	4 475	1	15	28	1 120	26	227	2	3
	1969	74	4 062	6 694	9	414	31	1 436	31	233	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	4	355	(X)	–	–	3	325	3	39	–	–
	1969	5	382	(X)	–	–	3	252	3	30	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	–	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	12	(X)	–	–	2	9	2	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	5	9	(X)	–	–	3	8	3	4	–	–
	1969	2	28	(X)	1	10	1	20	1	20	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	5	6	(X)	1	(Z)	3	5	3	2	–	–
	1969	2	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	2	–	–
Other crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	321	320
$1,000	4 179	1 769
Commercial fertilizer—farms	312	290
acres on which used	123 761	111 822
tons	19 907	17 052
$1,000	3 300	1 292
Lime—farms	14	23
acres on which used	1 194	1 389
tons	1 405	1 339
$1,000	20	9
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	4	4
acres on which used	45	90
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	79	104
acres on which used	27 527	29 182
$1,000	230	103
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	2
acres on which used	400	445
$1,000	2	2

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	9	4
acres on which used	624	950
$1,000	4	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	134	173
acres on which used	60 874	65 865
$1,000	574	347
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	8
acres on which used	1 021	305
$1,000	15	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	51	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	10	4
acres on which used	1 541	906
$1,000	8	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	59
$1,000	3	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	21	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	220	217
Proportion of farms—percent	55.7	59.4
Total land irrigated—acres	80 486	76 458
Average per farm—acres	365.8	352.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	219	217
acres	80 415	76 458
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	213	216
acres	79 420	75 985
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	2	3
acres	195	473
Other cropland irrigated—farms	4	(NA)
acres	800	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	–
acres	71	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	117 662	89 641
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.5	1.2
Land irrigated by— Furrows or ditches—farms	35	(NA)
acres	10 594	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	220 806	251 379
Cropland—acres	155 340	154 477
Harvested cropland—acres	114 223	98 249
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	6	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	613	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	46	91
Proportion of farms—percent	11.6	24.9
Land in farms with drainage—acres	92 570	122 200
Land drained—acres	45 727	79 492
Average per farm—acres	994.1	873.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	40	(NA)
number	128	(NA)
acres	881	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	110	47	85
$1,000	5 000	1 838	3 162
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	7	6	12
$5,000 to $9,999	12	4	16
$10,000 to $29,999	43	23	22
$30,000 to $49,999	14	5	10
$50,000 and over	34	9	25

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	114	126	250	235	1 112	986
25 to 149 days	85	213	276	716	238	
Less than 25 days	97		429		68	
Total contract labor	16	18	(NA)	(NA)	68	26
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	121	(NA)	51	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	205	114	85	97
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 418	1 112	238	68
Number of workers	955	250	276	429
Farms with—				
1 worker	59	60	30	30
2 workers	33	32	25	17
3 or 4 workers	50	14	13	21
5 to 9 workers	39	6	12	19
10 workers and over	24	2	5	10

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	276	333	148	137
Land in farms — acres	60 419	61 375	50 632	48 513
Average size of farm — acres	219	184	342	354
Approximate land area — acres	352 448	352 448	352 448	352 448
Proportion in farms — percent	17.1	17.4	14.4	13.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	23 796	17 946	20 246	14 555
Average per farm — dollars	86 217	53 891	136 800	106 240
Average per acre — dollars	394	292	400	300
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	7	2	2
10 to 49 acres	90	118	29	13
50 to 69 acres	25	37	15	11
70 to 99 acres	29	40	13	18
100 to 139 acres	23	32	12	15
140 to 179 acres	9	21	6	11
180 to 219 acres	13	14	7	12
220 to 259 acres	16	9	11	3
260 to 499 acres	32	32	27	29
500 to 999 acres	16	11	16	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	11	7	11
2,000 acres and over	3	1	3	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	239	304	137	131
acres	35 061	37 044	31 251	31 130
Harvested cropland — farms	191	226	125	117
acres	22 727	24 079	22 000	22 388
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	41	47	3	47
10 to 19 acres	15	49	2	
20 to 29 acres	36	22	25	
30 to 49 acres	27	36	24	
50 to 99 acres	22	17	21	15
100 to 199 acres	14	21	14	21
200 to 499 acres	24	22	24	22
500 to 999 acres	10	9	10	9
1,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	132	159	59	58
acres	6 666	8 865	4 129	5 695
Other cropland (see text) — farms	48	82	36	(NA)
acres	5 668	4 100	5 122	3 047
Total woodland — farms	131	151	58	64
acres	15 652	16 846	10 940	12 577
Other land (see text) — farms	174	235	95	(NA)
acres	9 706	7 485	8 441	4 806
Irrigated land — farms	10	20	9	15
acres	1 244	1 815	1 242	1 699

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	36	(NA)
acres	5 122	3 047
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	8	7
acres	490	264
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	16	10
acres	3 136	708
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	7
acres	–	988
Cropland idle — farms	14	22
acres	1 496	1 087
Total woodland — farms	58	64
acres	10 940	12 577
Woodland pastured — farms	42	36
acres	3 469	3 795

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	26	35
acres	7 471	8 782
Other land — farms	95	(NA)
acres	8 441	4 806
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	36	29
acres	7 090	2 572
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	22	17
acres	1 993	1 410
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	26	15
acres	5 097	1 162
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	88	99
acres	1 351	2 234

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	276	333	148	137
Land in farms — acres	60 419	61 375	50 632	48 513
Harvested cropland — acres	22 727	24 079	22 000	22 388
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	168	213	67	58
Land in farms — acres	24 775	20 917	17 382	10 898
Harvested cropland — acres	4 447	4 035	3 971	2 863
Part owners — number	87	86	65	63
Land in farms — acres	32 203	32 870	29 981	30 577
Harvested cropland — acres	16 125	15 623	15 921	15 364
Tenants — number	21	34	16	16
Land in farms — acres	3 441	7 588	3 269	7 038
Harvested cropland — acres	2 155	4 421	2 108	4 161
Percent of tenancy	7.6	10.2	10.8	11.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	21	39	13	7
Land in farms — acres	922	1 863	683	456
Harvested cropland — acres	516	862	491	297
Full owners — number	6	26	1	3
Land in farms — acres	143	1 124	22	149
Harvested cropland — acres	26	484	16	89
Part owners — number	12	6	9	3
Land in farms — acres	659	497	541	267
Harvested cropland — acres	411	229	396	168
Tenants — number	3	7	3	1
Land in farms — acres	120	242	120	40
Harvested cropland — acres	79	149	79	40
Percent of tenancy	14.3	17.9	23.1	14.2
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	139	123
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	40 100	40 974

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	13
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	6 596
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	943
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	8	4	3
25 to 34 years	21	33	17	19
35 to 44 years	51	67	21	31
45 to 54 years	87	77	36	29
55 to 64 years	76	96	42	31
65 years and over	34	52	26	24
Average age	50.5	51.2	51.5	49.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	169	235	93	103
On another farm	8	56	1	21
In a rural area, not on a farm	12		7	
In a city, town, or urban area	26		13	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	74	(NA)	49	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	32	10	10
50 to 99 days	7	22	5	6
100 to 149 days	10	38	2	9
150 to 199 days	15		6	
200 days and over	97	123	30	36
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	127	(NA)	99	(NA)
Other	147	(NA)	47	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	11	12	11	12
$40,000 to $99,999	22		22	
$20,000 to $39,999	12	18	12	18
$10,000 to $19,999	24	19	24	19
$5,000 to $9,999	29	38	29	38
$2,500 to $4,999	36	40	36	40
Under $2,500 (see text)	142	206	14	10
$2,000 to $2,499	15	34	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	18	23	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	36	42	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	73	107	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	4 528	2 262	4 401	2 069
Average per farm ... dollars	16 406	6 793	29 737	15 098
Crops, including hay ... farms	143	189	111	(NA)
$1,000	3 649	1 699	3 621	1 611
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	–
$1,000	7		7	–
Forest products ... farms	12	9	5	3
$1,000	48	4	44	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	193	234	92	106
$1,000	825	559	729	456
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	(NA)	3	3
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	11

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	111	(NA)
$1,000	3 621	1 611
Grains ... farms	48	79
$1,000	1 272	419
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	88	89
$1,000	2 265	1 079
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	17	17
$1,000	47	55
Other field crops ... farms	1	–
$1,000	11	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	5
$1,000	26	57
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	92	106
$1,000	729	456
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	3
$1,000	1	11
Dairy products ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	8
Cattle and calves ... farms	87	(NA)
$1,000	683	416
Hogs and pigs ... farms	13	(NA)
$1,000	31	21
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	5	
$1,000	13	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	146	(NA)	48	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	83	(NA)	54	(NA)
$1,000	404	(NA)	378	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	21	24	18	16
$1,000	181	47	180	43
Recreational services ... farms	2	1	2	1
$1,000	2	1	2	1
Government farm programs ... farms	44	138	26	79
$1,000	51	445	38	413
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	27	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	154	(NA)	143	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	16	(NA)	16	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	34	(NA)	27	(NA)
$1,000	183	(NA)	181	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	74
$1,000	766
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	14
$1,000	90
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	51
$1,000	544
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	34
$1,000	63
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	16
$1,000	58
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	4
$1,000	11

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	276	333	148	137
$1,000	3 729	2 478	3 512	2 227
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	60	97	4	12
$1,000 to $1,999	44	72	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	35	50	18	19
$3,000 to $4,999	41	32	22	24
$5,000 to $9,999	32	35	28	35
$10,000 to $19,999	22	47	22	14
$20,000 to $39,999	20		20	19
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	14
$60,000 and over	15		15	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	89	106	29	54
$1,000	228	236	194	220
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	208	233	93	92
$1,000	241	148	160	89
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	161	133	82	70
$1,000	143	71	109	53
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	32	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	12
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	8
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	15
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	162	211	117	112
$1,000	160	88	156	80
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	222	260	123	126
$1,000	439	235	414	208
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	108	(NA)	82	(NA)
$1,000	493	255	490	241
Lime ... farms	(NA)	71	8	36
$1,000	(NA)	39	7	35
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	263	316	143	134
$1,000	318	211	299	174
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	117	130
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	108	79
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	98	57
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	43
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	35
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	29
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	142	134
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	22
Hired farm labor ... farms	103	178	69	86
$1,000	282	268	266	246
Contract labor ... farms	11	145	9	10
$1,000	57	180	57	24
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	84		66	81
$1,000	142		139	143
All other production expenses ... farms	224	246	144	134
$1,000	1 369	855	1 320	801

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	265	312	140	134
$1,000	4 691	3 347	3 781	2 717
Average per farm—dollars	17 702	10 728	27 010	20 275
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	39	–	35
$1,000 to $4,999	60	128	21	
$5,000 to $9,999	87	66	29	30
$10,000 to $19,999	57	42	31	34
$20,000 to $29,999	14	37	12	13
$30,000 to $49,999	23		23	8
$50,000 to $69,999	15		15	14
$70,000 and over	9		9	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	178	188	99	92
number	225	230	130	106
mfd in last 5 years, number	120	177	82	88
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	230	243	125	124
number	345	333	234	201
mfd in last 5 yeors, number	158	207	122	129
Wheel tractors—farms	228	258	122	118
number	435	489	301	312
mfd in last 5 years, number	120	243	108	174
Crawler tractors—farms	4		2	5
number	6		4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	25	25	25	24
number	36	36	36	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	31	16	30
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	5	–	4
number	–	6	–	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	5	–	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	6		5	–
number	6		5	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	36	(NA)	20	(NA)
number	38	(NA)	22	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	6	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	52	34	31	26
number	53	34	32	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	24	12	18
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	33	(NA)	25	16
number	34	(NA)	26	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	13	11
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	5	(NA)	4	3
number	5	(NA)	4	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	2

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	216	(X)	102	(X)	193	(X)	92	(X)	729
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	203	(X)	93	(X)	189	(X)	90	(X)	714
1969	256	(X)	108	(X)	230	(X)	105	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	198	10 409	89	7 638	185	4 781	87	4 171	683
1969	242	9 048	103	6 946	211	4 230	99	3 345	416
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	6	18	2	6	61	158	17	37	8
5 to 9—1974	21	140	5	36	51	336	13	87	12
10 to 19—1974	40	556	10	136	37	493	24	333	47
20 to 49—1974	71	2 203	22	684	18	491	15	411	67
50 to 99—1974	30	2 108	20	1 392	9	658	9	658	90
100 to 199—1974	20	2 347	20	2 347	6	720	6	720	111
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	171	5 735	84	4 302	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	208	4 922	92	3 859	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	157	5 654	80	4 268	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 825	88	3 821	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	38	81	19	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	46	97	17	38	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	8

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	157	5 654	80	4 268
Farms with—				
1 to 4	19	60	6	17
5 to 9	20	130	8	53
10 to 19	29	355	10	108
20 to 49	51	1 419	25	810
50 to 99	27	1 740	20	1 330
100 to 199	7	925	7	925
200 to 499	4	1 025	4	1 025
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	38	81	19	34
Farms with—				
1 or 2	30	43	17	26
3 or 4	3	9	1	3
5 to 9	5	29	1	5
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	56	2 220	459
Farms with—			
1 to 4	13	32	9
5 to 9	15	114	25
10 to 19	10	131	30
20 to 49	12	323	58
50 to 99	1	50	7
100 to 199	3	326	60
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	65	1 951	224
Farms with—			
1 or 2	12	20	2
3 or 4	4	14	1
5 to 9	15	103	9
10 to 19	13	162	15
20 to 49	8	253	27
50 to 99	10	652	85
100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	73	1 866	2	(D)	(D)
	1969	89	1 510	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	71	1 824	1	6	1
Milk heifers	1974	4	42	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	74	1 470	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	97	1 577	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			2	(D)	(D)
	1969			–	–	(NA)
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			1	6	1
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	32	1 039	16	897	21	749	13	662	31
	1969	64	1 135	26	662	50	1 463	24	977	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	11	31	3	11	2	6	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	2	13	2	13	7	51	5	37	1
10 to 24	1974	11	165	4	68	7	117	2	48	2
25 to 49	1974	5	180	4	155	2	75	2	75	3
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	2	300	2	300	20
200 to 499	1974	3	650	3	650	1	200	1	200	4
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	50	3	50	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	735	10	633	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	4	2	4	2	3	2	3	(NA)
	1969	2	50	–	–	2	20	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	101	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	52	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	84	240	42	128	4	8	3	6	1
	1969	105	298	(NA)	(NA)	7	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	10	113				
	1969	17	143				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	16	784				
	1969	23	519				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	4				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			22	168	10	145
	1969			49	189	20	113
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			18	94	8	79
	1969			38	103	16	57
June 1 and November 30	1974			11	74	6	66
	1969			36	86	15	56

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	58	(X)	22	(X)	4	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	57	1 601	22	787	4	74	–	–
	1969	74	3 519	22	2 372	1	1 825	1	1 825
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	55	1 391	22	702	4	69	–	–
	1969	70	3 324	20	2 283	1	1 825	1	1 825
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	53	1 191	20	502	4	69	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	200	2	200	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	110	1	10	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	1	3	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	11

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	702	–	–
	1969	20	2 283	1	1 825
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	22	690	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	12	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	50	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	12	85	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	5	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	32	62	232	803	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	11	136	1 040	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	49	100	7 840	10 600	169 751	138 707
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	3	–	3	–	1 400
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	15	–	400
Other small grains for grain	2	10	635	702	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	97	150	12 348	8 016	11 081	10 878
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	140	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	4	(NA)	25	(NA)	4 364	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	80	75	2 074	2 721	4 021	4 716
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	5	3	14	9	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	7	14	214	259	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	2	170	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	10	33	84	580	1 750	20 526	–	4	–	124
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	1	–	7	–	46	–	1	–	7
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	2	24	34	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	5	15	1 016	357	28 844	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	110	1	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	2	50	18	200	13	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	59	4 129	(X)	1	225	11	916	11	80	–	–
	1969	58	5 695	(X)	1	20	21	2 491	19	177	2	18
Improved posture	1974	22	1 993	(X)	–	–	12	861	12	84	–	–
	1969	17	1 410	(X)	–	–	12	832	11	77	1	2
Corn for all purposes	1974	12	108	(X)	–	–	10	81	10	20	3	6
	1969	36	621	(X)	5	131	33	557	32	72	3	30
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	125	(X)	–	–	3	95	–	–	3	32
	1969	6	1 017	(X)	–	–	3	560	1	16	2	28
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	15	400	–	–	1	15	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	293	17 156	–	–	6	290	(NA)	19	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	2	635	(X)	2	635	2	635	2	34	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	47	7 800	169 221	2	12	3	460	3	19	–	–
	1969	72	10 195	133 288	3	94	16	1 983	(NA)	204	(NA)	1
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	600	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	47	1 600	2 978	1	50	20	625	20	98	–	–
	1969	45	2 328	4 181	3	250	21	1 048	20	115	2	48
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	17	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	88	12 289	11 038	5	330	88	12 195	60	1 369	38	1 522
	1969	88	7 404	10 314	11	804	87	7 389	(NA)	1 060	(NA)	746
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	40	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	1	23	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	8	(X)	–	–	1	4	1	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	6	213	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	236	(X)	–	–	5	196	2	2	3	8

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	22	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	20	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	125	128
$1,000	905	450
Commercial fertilizer—farms	123	120
acres on which used	15 910	15 867
tons	3 284	2 676
$1,000	414	208
Lime—farms	8	36
acres on which used	337	3 919
tons	603	6 141
$1,000	7	35
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	1	4
acres on which used	16	656
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	58	73
acres on which used	14 162	8 784
$1,000	297	116
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	170	40
$1,000	3	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	2
acres on which used	323	76
$1,000	5	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	43	66
acres on which used	11 854	10 718
$1,000	146	77
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	3	10
acres on which used	300	873
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	30	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	24	31
acres on which used	4 193	3 858
$1,000	18	9
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	8	29
$1,000	1	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	9	15
Proportion of farms—percent	6.1	10.9
Total land irrigated—acres	1 242	1 699
Average per farm—acres	138.0	113.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	9	15
acres	1 242	1 699
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	9	15
acres	1 017	1 679
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	1
acres	225	20
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1 460	1 091
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	0.6
Land irrigated by— Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	330	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	457	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	4 688	7 736
Cropland—acres	3 955	5 904
Harvested cropland—acres	3 394	4 716
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	65	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	12	41
Proportion of farms—percent	8.1	29.9
Land in farms with drainage—acres	4 223	20 466
Land drained—acres	2 364	15 928
Average per farm—acres	197.0	388.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	27	(NA)
number	72	(NA)
acres	74	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	65	47	44
$1,000	2 890	1 893	997
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	11	7	11
$5,000 to $9,999	13	4	15
$10,000 to $29,999	13	14	4
$30,000 to $49,999	12	12	8
$50,000 and over	16	10	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	25	30	55	70	197	
25 to 149 days	27	75	49	389	39	246
Less than 25 days	42		198		30	
Total contract labor	9	10	(NA)	(NA)	57	24
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working— 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	69	25	27	42
Cash wages paid—$1,000	266	197	39	30
Number of workers	302	55	49	198
Farms with—				
1 worker	27	12	16	17
2 workers	14	5	4	7
3 or 4 workers	5	5	7	2
5 to 9 workers	12	3	–	7
10 workers and over	11	–	–	9

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	329	423	148	163
Land in farms — acres	245 323	287 385	223 674	252 454
Average size of farm — acres	746	679	1 511	1 549
Approximate land area — acres	922 368	922 368	922 368	922 368
Proportion in farms — percent	26.6	31.2	24.2	27.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	89 908	46 686	79 668	35 502
Average per farm — dollars	273 278	110 368	538 294	217 806
Average per acre — dollars	366	162	356	141
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	20	26	3	3
10 to 49 acres	50	93	9	5
50 to 69 acres	21	29	2	–
70 to 99 acres	41	28	7	10
100 to 139 acres	23	33	8	12
140 to 179 acres	22	34	4	10
180 to 219 acres	14	27	10	8
220 to 259 acres	19	21	9	11
260 to 499 acres	49	46	30	29
500 to 999 acres	34	41	30	34
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	23	17	19
2,000 acres and over	19	22	19	22

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	254	312	122	141
acres	65 693	65 571	52 351	54 328
Harvested cropland — farms	157	190	90	117
acres	23 217	20 463	22 390	19 623
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	44	56	6	
10 to 19 acres	24	33	8	52
20 to 29 acres	11	17	5	
30 to 49 acres	12	17	7	
50 to 99 acres	10	11	8	9
100 to 199 acres	13	19	13	19
200 to 499 acres	30	27	30	27
500 to 999 acres	10	10	10	10
1,000 acres and over	3	–	3	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	174	224	63	70
acres	39 820	41 722	27 840	31 580
Other cropland (see text) — farms	18	26	10	(NA)
acres	2 656	3 386	2 121	3 125
Total woodland — farms	18	52	8	25
acres	15 397	14 259	14 942	10 744
Other land (see text) — farms	200	299	83	(NA)
acres	164 233	207 555	156 381	187 382
Irrigated land — farms	64	58	56	57
acres	17 381	14 953	17 084	14 913

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	10	(NA)
acres	2 121	3 125
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	4
acres	480	737
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	1	3
acres	100	436
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland idle — farms	8	10
acres	1 541	1 952
Total woodland — farms	8	25
acres	14 942	10 744
Woodland pastured — farms	7	20
acres	9 877	10 241

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	1	5
acres	5 065	503
Other land — farms	83	(NA)
acres	156 381	187 382
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	56	86
acres	140 877	161 017
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	25	41
acres	16 307	7 860
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	47	73
acres	124 570	153 157
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	49	86
acres	15 504	26 365

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	329	423	148	163
Land in farms — acres	245 323	287 385	223 674	252 454
Harvested cropland — acres	23 217	20 463	22 390	19 623
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	147	227	54	48
Land in farms — acres	80 954	59 610	72 869	44 239
Harvested cropland — acres	4 960	2 096	4 594	1 631
Part owners — number	135	138	63	78
Land in farms — acres	132 532	193 321	120 324	179 207
Harvested cropland — acres	7 408	10 433	6 989	10 146
Tenants — number	47	58	31	37
Land in farms — acres	31 837	34 454	30 481	29 008
Harvested cropland — acres	10 849	7 934	10 807	7 846
Percent of tenancy	14.3	13.7	20.9	22.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	3	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	42	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Full owners — number	1	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	20	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	2	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	22	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	66.7	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	141	131
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	188 037	164 770

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	23
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 458	21 130
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	58 669
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	7 885
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	4	3	–
25 to 34 years	18	23	10	19
35 to 44 years	46	72	26	26
45 to 54 years	95	115	41	47
55 to 64 years	82	122	45	36
65 years and over	77	87	20	35
Average age	54.5	54.1	53.0	53.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	173	254	78	108
On another farm	7		2	
In a rural area, not on a farm	20	91	9	40
In a city, town, or urban area	25		12	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	117	(NA)	68	(NA)
1 to 49 days	5	43	1	24
50 to 99 days	9	12	–	6
100 to 149 days	10	56	4	9
150 to 199 days	17		5	
200 days and over	106	156	25	42
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	128	(NA)	87	(NA)
Other	198	(NA)	58	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Forms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	25	19	25	19
$40,000 to $99,999	30		30	
$20,000 to $39,999	7	28	7	28
$10,000 to $19,999	4	20	4	20
$5,000 to $9,999	21	27	21	27
$2,500 to $4,999	39	51	39	51
Under $2,500 (see text)	203	278	22	18
$2,000 to $2,499	26	30	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	30	19	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	39	40	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	108	189	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 250	3 193	7 081	2 992
Average per farm ... dollars	22 037	7 549	47 843	18 355
Crops, including hay ... farms	82	91	72	(NA)
$1,000	5 971	1 791	5 965	1 784
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	2	1	2	–
$1,000	(D)	(Z)	(D)	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	299	384	121	140
$1,000	1 260	1 402	1 096	1 208
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	(NA)	2	3
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	79

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	72	(NA)
$1,000	5 965	1 784
Grains ... farms	62	62
$1,000	5 918	1 763
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	13	7
$1,000	47	20
Other field crops ... farms	1	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	121	140
$1,000	1 096	1 208
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	3
$1,000	(D)	79
Dairy products ... farms	2	1
$1,000	1	3
Cattle and calves ... farms	120	(NA)
$1,000	1 073	1 112
Hogs and pigs ... farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	13	13
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	8	
$1,000	4	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	162	(NA)	42	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	36	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	682	(NA)	657	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	8	9	2	6
$1,000	23	27	13	26
Recreational services ... farms	4	10	1	5
$1,000	8	8	7	6
Government farm programs ... farms	18	47	7	22
$1,000	8	14	6	10
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	11	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	642	(NA)	631	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	13	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	361	(NA)	348	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	71
$1,000	839
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	13
$1,000	85
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	37
$1,000	286
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	33
$1,000	308
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	18
$1,000	117
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	10
$1,000	43

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	326	423	148	163
$1,000	4 589	2 889	4 348	2 651
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	94	193	10	24
$1,000 to $1,999	56	61	10	
$2,000 to $2,999	45	25	10	9
$3,000 to $4,999	39	38	29	27
$5,000 to $9,999	22	41	19	38
$10,000 to $19,999	14		14	35
$20,000 to $39,999	20	65	20	16
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	14
$60,000 and over	26		26	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	102	151	38	59
$1,000	133	261	91	212
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	266	359	107	132
$1,000	458	335	358	264
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	181	204	93	103
$1,000	288	199	239	173
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	22
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	56	29
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	53
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	22	15
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	38	17
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	111	138	67	83
$1,000	348	161	345	158
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	176	218	95	114
$1,000	579	236	562	224
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	72	(NA)	52	(NA)
$1,000	187	83	185	79
Lime ... farms	(NA)	7	1	4
$1,000	(NA)	14	1	13
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	300	399	140	163
$1,000	378	263	353	220
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	131	151
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	156	99
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	91	93
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	140	62
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	34	50
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	35
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	137	161
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	24
Hired farm labor ... farms	92	138	72	96
$1,000	406	302	404	293
Contract labor ... farms	6	57	2	3
$1,000	2	70	1	9
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	36		28	44
$1,000	115		114	60
All other production expenses ... farms	261	279	137	153
$1,000	1 983	1 178	1 903	1 133

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	287	374	130	150
$1,000	5 511	3 320	4 300	2 465
Average per farm—dollars	19 202	8 878	33 075	16 436
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	41	–	36
$1,000 to $4,999	67	158	22	
$5,000 to $9,999	95	93	21	39
$10,000 to $19,999	56	43	25	41
$20,000 to $29,999	23	39	20	10
$30,000 to $49,999	22		20	9
$50,000 to $69,999	10		10	15
$70,000 and over	12		12	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	208	255	97	113
number	248	312	127	151
mfd in last 5 years, number	150	225	87	114
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	247	294	119	128
number	369	412	234	232
mfd in last 5 years, number	197	270	133	161
Wheel tractors—farms	208	293	105	132
number	357	495	245	276
mfd in last 5 years, number	113	268	92	175
Crawler tractors—farms	13		9	8
number	14		10	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		3	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	46	45	44	45
number	69	60	67	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	31	24	31
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	6	–	3
number	–	6	–	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	7		7	2
number	7		7	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	19	(NA)	11	(NA)
number	24	(NA)	14	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	31	43	17	30
number	31	49	17	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	21	6	12
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	19	(NA)	9	11
number	20	(NA)	10	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	4	6
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	5	(NA)	–	–
number	7	(NA)	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	300	(X)	122	(X)	299	(X)	121	(X)	1 096
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	296	(X)	121	(X)	296	(X)	121	(X)	1 089
1969	392	(X)	141	(X)	384	(X)	140	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	291	31 764	118	25 918	288	9 849	120	8 493	1 073
1969	390	38 992	139	31 240	383	13 236	139	11 126	1 112
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	12	3	8	53	137	6	16	3
5 to 9—1974	14	89	2	12	75	487	7	45	11
10 to 19—1974	43	642	5	68	60	815	17	245	32
20 to 49—1974	92	2 991	12	383	61	1 778	51	1 555	160
50 to 99—1974	63	4 108	21	1 525	21	1 299	21	1 299	131
100 to 199—1974	44	5 669	44	5 669	9	1 110	9	1 110	143
200 to 499—1974	23	5 404	23	5 404	5	1 351	5	1 351	170
500 and over—1974	8	12 849	8	12 849	4	2 872	4	2 872	423
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	232	19 250	102	16 302	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	323	24 283	131	20 488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	228	19 115	100	16 285	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	24 141	131	20 442	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	53	135	10	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	70	142	23	46	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	1
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	3

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number			Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	228	19 115	100	16 285	Cattle sold		76	2 676	634
Forms with—					Forms with—				
1 to 4	14	32	1	4	1 to 4		14	29	6
5 to 9	21	132	2	11	5 to 9		20	128	25
10 to 19	40	545	7	94	10 to 19		12	160	26
20 to 49	73	2 435	17	571	20 to 49		21	669	126
50 to 99	41	2 810	34	2 444	50 to 99		3	204	40
100 to 199	23	3 031	23	3 031	100 to 199		3	386	92
200 to 499	9	2 035	9	2 035	200 to 499		2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	7	8 095	7	8 095	500 and over		1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	53	135	10	17	Calves sold		104	5 817	439
Forms with—					Forms with—				
1 or 2	36	47	9	12	1 or 2		4	6	1
3 or 4	8	25	–	–	3 or 4		6	21	2
5 to 9	7	43	1	5	5 to 9		1	5	1
10 to 19	2	20	–	–	10 to 19		19	255	29
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	20 to 49		47	1 328	106
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99		15	951	71
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199		6	709	52
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499		3	675	50
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over		3	1 867	127

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	74	4 406	1	2	1
	1969	120	6 697	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	73	4 351	1	2	1
Milk heifers	1974	1	55	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	92	5 210	–	–	–
	1969	130	4 055	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	2	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–
Forms with—						
1 to 9	1974	1	2	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	12	141	7	119	8	244	5	221	13
	1969	35	211	10	151	9	230	6	214	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	3	7	1	2	1	3	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	5	32	2	15	1	5	1	5	1
10 to 24	1974	3	36	3	36	2	20	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	28	1	28	4
50 to 99	1974	1	66	1	66	3	188	3	188	8
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	160	3	160	7
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	59	1	59	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	27	392	8	202	23	270	8	163	(NA)
	1969	37	529	14	306	20	258	12	184	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	159	[1]748
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	(X)	4
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	20	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	10	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	145	556	58	325	13	21	7	15	6
	1969	201	1 054	(NA)	(NA)	11	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	12				
	1969	9	39				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	7	107				
	1969	9	112				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	3	38				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	7	146				
Rams and wethers	1974	7	18				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			7	40	5	38
	1969			12	29	9	23
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			5	25	5	25
	1969			10	15	7	12
June 1 and November 30	1974			6	15	4	13
	1969			10	14	7	11

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	54	(X)	13	(X)	4	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	52	1 457	13	340	3	132	2	122
	1969	73	14 204	22	12 892	2	9 065	2	9 065
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	50	1 242	13	308	3	110	2	100
	1969	67	13 703	20	12 653	2	9 065	2	9 065
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	50	1 242	13	308	3	110	2	100
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	5	172	1	25	1	5	–	–
	1969	3	112	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	79

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	13	308	2	100
	1969	20	12 653	2	9 065
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	276	2	50
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	32	2	50
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	18	2	18
	1969	2	45	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	14	2	4
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	50	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	8	28	33	214	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	7	–	195	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	15	23	3 983	2 998	78 737	50 712
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	–	2	–	2 000	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	58	60	17 135	14 282	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	218	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	87	98	1 850	2 890	3 559	4 486
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	8	2	8	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	5	36	8	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1	(NA)	165	64	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1	7	10	101	416	3 450	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	–	140	–	4 292	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	20	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	2	20	240	32	539	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	63	27 840	(X)	–	–	14	710	14	108	–	–
	1969	70	31 580	(X)	–	–	17	1 939	17	283	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	25	16 307	(X)	1	15	6	2 256	5	17	1	100
	1969	41	7 860	(X)	1	250	16	625	16	148	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	3	–	–
	1969	7	101	(X)	–	–	6	41	6	12	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	160	(X)	–	–	4	160	4	35	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	30	600	–	–	1	30	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	55	17 112	(X)	55	17 112	55	16 806	55	2 862	1	15
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	13	3 973	78 595	1	112	10	3 373	10	497	–	–
	1969	17	2 958	49 740	1	150	16	2 833	(NA)	433	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	33	1 130	2 570	–	–	11	317	11	55	–	–
	1969	57	2 257	3 815	5	297	20	632	20	91	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	1	165	(X)	–	–	1	165	1	60	–	–
	1969	2	57	(X)	–	–	2	57	2	7	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	42	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2	420	–	–	2	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	4	(X)	–	–	2	4	2	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	30	(X)	1	3	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	98	123
$1,000	747	302
Commercial fertilizer—farms	95	105
acres on which used	23 797	20 377
tons	3 751	3 185
$1,000	562	224
Lime—farms	1	4
acres on which used	30	820
tons	60	1 640
$1,000	1	13
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	4
acres on which used	60	206
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	14	22
acres on which used	4 859	2 930
$1,000	30	5
Nemotodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	301
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	38	40
acres on which used	12 624	10 161
$1,000	114	52
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	6
acres on which used	6 975	255
$1,000	21	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	–
acres on which used	450	–
$1,000	3	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	6	26
$1,000	1	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	16	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	56	57
Proportion of farms—percent	37.8	34.9
Total land irrigated—acres	17 084	14 913
Average per farm—acres	305.1	261.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	56	56
acres	17 069	14 663
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	56	56
acres	17 069	14 663
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	1
acres	15	250
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	20 399	17 233
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	10	(NA)
acres	3 197	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	76 815	53 451
Cropland—acres	29 349	31 782
Harvested cropland—acres	19 678	16 575
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	24	53
Proportion of farms—percent	16.2	32.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	93 250	117 465
Land drained—acres	31 208	70 786
Average per farm—acres	1300.3	1335.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	4	(NA)
number	6	(NA)
acres	504	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	25	12	17
$1,000	3 280	2 648	632
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	1	–	2
$5,000 to $9,999	6	3	4
$10,000 to $29,999	10	5	7
$30,000 to $49,999	4	3	1
$50,000 and over	4	1	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	29	28	63	57	258	293
25 to 149 days	26	86	117	277	123	
Less than 25 days	42		160		22	
Total contract labor	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	1	9
Forms reporting number of cantract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	2	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	72	29	26	42
Cash wages paid $1,000	404	258	123	22
Number of workers	340	63	117	160
Farms with—				
1 worker	22	13	5	13
2 workers	8	9	8	8
3 or 4 workers	17	4	5	9
5 to 9 workers	17	3	5	8
10 workers and over	8	–	3	4

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	530	671	389	389
Land in farms — acres	206 581	204 071	194 470	188 224
Average size of farm — acres	390	304	500	484
Approximate land area — acres	474 944	474 944	474 944	474 944
Proportion in farms — percent	43.5	43.0	40.9	39.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	85 646	50 039	80 018	44 162
Average per farm — dollars	161 596	74 573	205 701	113 526
Average per acre — dollars	415	245	411	235
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	16	21	2	3
10 to 49 acres	105	202	54	23
50 to 69 acres	52	61	32	37
70 to 99 acres	60	71	37	41
100 to 139 acres	51	55	40	40
140 to 179 acres	30	39	22	33
180 to 219 acres	28	23	25	22
220 to 259 acres	16	28	12	25
260 to 499 acres	70	52	65	50
500 to 999 acres	51	69	49	66
1,000 to 1,999 acres	38	38	38	37
2,000 acres and over	13	12	13	12

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	502	624	379	381
acres	157 347	169 846	150 808	161 750
Harvested cropland — farms	450	556	367	372
acres	124 953	131 594	123 819	128 645
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	34	67	3	
10 to 19 acres	60	94	30	93
20 to 29 acres	43	55	24	
30 to 49 acres	51	59	48	
50 to 99 acres	66	84	66	82
100 to 199 acres	56	47	56	47
200 to 499 acres	70	73	70	73
500 to 999 acres	39	44	39	44
1,000 acres and over	31	33	31	33
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	224	277	132	147
acres	18 224	13 722	13 420	9 733
Other cropland (see text) — farms	95	181	79	(NA)
acres	14 170	24 530	13 569	23 372
Total woodland — farms	180	235	128	134
acres	22 241	17 295	18 718	13 210
Other land (see text) — farms	327	385	238	(NA)
acres	26 993	16 930	24 944	13 264
Irrigated land — farms	9	20	7	14
acres	484	2 115	419	2 088

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — forms	79	(NA)
acres	13 569	23 372
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	8	13
acres	505	747
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	37	60
acres	5 589	17 227
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	3	15
acres	366	2 139
Cropland idle — farms	38	62
acres	7 109	3 259
Total woodland — farms	128	134
acres	18 718	13 210
Woodland pastured — farms	70	81
acres	7 267	5 403

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	76	65
acres	11 451	7 807
Other land — farms	238	(NA)
acres	24 944	13 264
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	56	58
acres	11 815	5 624
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	42
acres	2 011	4 884
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	26	21
acres	9 804	740
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	225	214
acres	13 129	7 640

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	530	671	389	389
Land in farms — acres	206 581	204 071	194 470	188 224
Harvested cropland — acres	124 953	131 594	123 819	128 645
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	296	389	171	167
Land in farms — acres	54 123	75 404	43 883	63 969
Harvested cropland — acres	25 317	37 432	24 361	35 332
Part owners — number	171	191	160	154
Land in farms — acres	111 646	66 722	110 267	63 719
Harvested cropland — acres	65 482	44 076	65 351	43 620
Tenants — number	63	91	58	68
Land in farms — acres	40 812	61 945	40 320	60 536
Harvested cropland — acres	34 154	50 086	34 107	49 693
Percent of tenancy	11.9	13.5	14.9	17.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	28	80	23	29
Land in farms — acres	3 968	4 825	3 817	3 568
Harvested cropland — acres	2 351	3 002	2 304	2 232
Full owners — number	15	39	13	11
Land in farms — acres	1 314	2 312	1 235	1 636
Harvested cropland — acres	420	1 017	420	704
Part owners — number	5	24	5	12
Land in farms — acres	822	1 917	822	1 615
Harvested cropland — acres	207	1 475	207	1 248
Tenants — number	8	17	5	6
Land in farms — acres	1 832	596	1 760	317
Harvested cropland — acres	1 724	510	1 677	280
Percent of tenancy	28.6	21.2	21.7	20.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	352	322
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	131 167	126 023

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	30	59
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	28 882	38 382
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	33 736	23 421
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	685	398
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	6	8	3
25 to 34 years	59	65	52	43
35 to 44 years	89	154	73	101
45 to 54 years	144	128	107	84
55 to 64 years	125	201	91	104
65 years and over	98	117	51	54
Average age	51.7	52.0	49.9	50.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	298	424	229	241
On another farm	23		20	
In a rural area, not on a farm	29	115	24	75
In a city, town, or urban area	40		21	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	178	(NA)	149	(NA)
1 to 49 days	34	83	21	61
50 to 99 days	12	36	12	24
100 to 149 days	24	78	16	37
150 to 199 days	42		29	
200 days and over	107	180	52	68
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	344	(NA)	293	(NA)
Other	179	(NA)	89	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	39	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	70	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	55	54	55	54
$40,000 to $99,999	77		77	
$20,000 to $39,999	49	49	49	49
$10,000 to $19,999	74	71	74	71
$5,000 to $9,999	62	92	62	92
$2,500 to $4,999	59	109	59	109
Under $2,500 (see text)	154	296	13	14
$2,000 to $2,499	26	34	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	26	35	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	29	72	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	73	155	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	21 465	8 206	21 306	7 948
Average per farm ... dollars	40 499	12 229	54 771	20 431
Crops, including hay ... farms	392	496	348	(NA)
$1,000	19 953	6 932	19 906	6 813
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		4	
$1,000	5		5	–
Forest products ... farms	9	16	9	15
$1,000	26	23	26	22
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	277	395	171	223
$1,000	1 480	1 251	1 368	1 112
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	(NA)	4	11
$1,000	1	(NA)	(Z)	8

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	348	(NA)
$1,000	19 906	6 813
Grains ... farms	318	325
$1,000	17 615	5 310
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	87	175
$1,000	2 240	1 447
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	24	37
$1,000	51	41
Other field crops ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	20
$1,000	–	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	171	223
$1,000	1 368	1 112
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	11
$1,000	(Z)	8
Dairy products ... farms	3	7
$1,000	188	171
Cattle and calves ... farms	151	(NA)
$1,000	757	715
Hogs and pigs ... farms	32	(NA)
$1,000	207	219
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	215	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	163	(NA)	65	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	139	(NA)	118	(NA)
$1,000	610	(NA)	564	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	72	61	68	54
$1,000	379	115	379	112
Recreationol services ... farms	2	7	2	3
$1,000	(Z)	7	(Z)	6
Government farm progroms ... farms	42	277	37	174
$1,000	57	559	56	503
Rent of farmland or from leose or sale of allotments ... farms	47	(NA)	32	(NA)
$1,000	150	(NA)	106	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
Expenses for farm-reloted income sources[1] ... farms	56	(NA)	48	(NA)
$1,000	219	(NA)	214	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	184
$1,000	1 420
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	44
$1,000	332
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	107
$1,000	909
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	51
$1,000	111
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	28
$1,000	50
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	14
$1,000	19

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	528	671	387	389
$1,000	12 264	7 259	12 042	6 979
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	56	174	4	40
$1,000 to $1,999	84	116	30	
$2,000 to $2,999	55	77	39	48
$3,000 to $4,999	66	62	49	60
$5,000 to $9,999	75	80	73	79
$10,000 to $19,999	67		67	83
$20,000 to $39,999	49	162	49	38
$40,000 to $59,999	26		26	41
$60,000 and over	50		50	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	124	177	89	102
$1,000	413	218	384	190
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	276	334	165	174
$1,000	500	278	429	233
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	213	183	136	109
$1,000	305	136	273	124
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	69
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	50
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	46
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	12
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	87	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	320	484	257	318
$1,000	960	510	951	494
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	272	438	201	280
$1,000	1 306	340	1 285	322
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	228	(NA)	208	(NA)
$1,000	1 059	534	1 056	522
Lime ... farms	(NA)	69	20	54
$1,000	(NA)	35	17	32
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	517	658	382	389
$1,000	925	713	897	670
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	316	361
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	336	261
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	275	232
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	392	268
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	86	134
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	71
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	382	387
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	86	70
Hired farm labor ... farms	225	390	188	277
$1,000	992	1 148	982	1 128
Contract labor ... farms	19	329	19	28
$1,000	49	448	49	29
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	215		161	200
$1,000	648		638	393
All other production expenses ... farms	489	556	380	384
$1,000	5 412	3 071	5 348	2 997

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	500	649	374	386
$1,000	18 968	9 791	17 921	8 919
Average per farm—dollars	37 937	15 086	47 916	23 106
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	59	2	82
$1,000 to $4,999	74	243	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	110	123	52	96
$10,000 to $19,999	100	81	77	70
$20,000 to $29,999	57	143	55	36
$30,000 to $49,999	57		55	53
$50,000 to $69,999	33		33	49
$70,000 and over	66		65	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	340	445	263	292
number	425	569	340	398
mfd in last 5 years, number	272	406	243	305
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	458	549	341	345
number	893	871	765	640
mfd in last 5 years, number	427	542	387	404
Wheel tractors—farms	442	586	334	360
number	1 040	1 239	911	937
mfd in last 5 years, number	351	751	341	624
Crawler tractors—farms	23		23	16
number	28		28	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	16

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	156	136	154	131
number	277	176	275	170
mfd in last 5 years, number	90	140	90	139
Corn heads for combines—farms	7	40	7	16
number	7	42	7	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	25	3	14
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	31		29	22
number	32		30	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	8
Mower conditioners—farms	58	(NA)	51	(NA)
number	65	(NA)	58	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	71	81	57	72
number	71	84	57	74
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	54	19	48
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	38	(NA)	30	46
number	38	(NA)	30	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	4	33
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	2	(NA)	1	2
number	2	(NA)	1	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	1

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	313	(X)	198	(X)	277	(X)	171	(X)	1 368
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	293	(X)	179	(X)	270	(X)	167	(X)	965
1969	414	(X)	216	(X)	384	(X)	216	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	271	15 147	162	12 445	248	5 076	151	4 294	757
1969	387	15 631	205	12 567	346	7 331	198	6 192	715
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	19	49	10	30	65	160	35	84	12
5 to 9—1974	14	97	4	31	63	415	32	195	24
10 to 19—1974	43	575	20	273	66	852	32	418	57
20 to 49—1974	102	3 006	46	1 338	37	1 002	35	950	124
50 to 99—1974	56	3 761	45	3 114	9	707	9	707	87
100 to 199—1974	22	2 796	22	2 796	4	486	4	486	85
200 to 499—1974	14	(D)	14	(D)	4	1 454	4	1 454	369
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	219	7 308	143	5 968	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	332	8 613	187	7 293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	199	6 978	131	5 649	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 017	168	6 832	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	48	330	37	319	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	133	596	70	461	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	188
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	171

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	199	6 978	131	5 649			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	15	31	9	21			
5 to 9	11	64	6	33			
10 to 19	61	873	34	503			
20 to 49	70	1 970	42	1 202			
50 to 99	31	1 982	29	1 832			
100 to 199	8	1 113	8	1 113			
200 to 499	3	945	3	945			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	48	330	37	319			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	41	56	30	45			
3 or 4	3	11	3	11			
5 to 9	1	7	1	7			
10 to 19	1	11	1	11			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					96	1 883	474
Forms with—							
1 to 4					52	118	22
5 to 9					18	108	22
10 to 19					10	138	24
20 to 49					9	218	39
50 to 99					3	189	42
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					3	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					115	2 411	283
Forms with—							
1 or 2					9	16	2
3 or 4					12	41	4
5 to 9					39	261	26
10 to 19					20	284	33
20 to 49					25	741	79
50 to 99					7	483	51
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	122	2 792
	1969	164	2 821
Beef heifers	1974	118	2 647
Milk heifers	1974	7	145
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	135	3 685
	1969	175	2 453

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	7	800	275
	1969	4	54	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	20	7
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	63	2 885	41	2 528	46	3 539	32	3 321	207
	1969	124	3 649	69	2 863	109	6 613	68	5 781	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	9	13	2	2	4	8	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	18	115	14	87	17	105	12	80	3
10 to 24	1974	24	318	17	203	7	99	5	66	4
25 to 49	1974	4	133	3	103	12	452	8	298	9
50 to 99	1974	3	173	–	–	1	77	1	77	6
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	603	3	470	14
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	41	2 222	27	1 815	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	56	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(NA)	(NA)	1	22	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	80	226	60	177	2	15	1	13	(Z)
	1969	152	390	(NA)	(NA)	11	22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	25	311
	1969	46	525
Other hogs and pigs	1974	40	2 217
	1969	63	2 338
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	39	548	26	478
	1969	84	808	54	670
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	32	277	21	248
	1969	68	404	47	334
June 1 and November 30	1974	29	271	17	230
	1969	61	404	40	336

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	63	(X)	42	(X)	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	58	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	60	1 634	39	1 152	1	20	–	–
	1969	134	3 974	57	2 015	6	5 142	4	4 992
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	60	1 541	39	1 077	1	20	–	–
	1969	129	3 439	55	1 904	6	5 142	4	4 992
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	59	1 426	38	962	1	20	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	115	1	115	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	112	2	112	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	73	4	73	2	454	2	454
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	1	4	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	8

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	39	1 077	–	–
	1969	55	1 904	4	4 992
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	39	882	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	195	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	28	–	–
	1969	5	79	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	47	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	1	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	4	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	4	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	7	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	125	203	1 936	4 283	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	18	27	1 744	3 052	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	327	400	102 389	110 762	2 976 625	2 238 654
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	2	–	–	–	50
Wheat (bushels)	4	6	280	1 978	7 823	51 526
Other small grains for grain	1	10	146	605	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	90	236	15 820	9 981	10 852	13 546
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	1	(NA)	25	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	70	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	136	139	3 071	2 880	5 680	6 468
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	4	14	1	11	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	10	13	261	286	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	20	287	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	90	126	1 464	3 850	73 366	163 366	3	6	12	370
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	–	100	–	1 000	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	–	120	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	8	13	1 661	2 810	43 283	72 411	1	–	4	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	10	55	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	7	–	323	–	581	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	132	13 420	(X)	1	200	31	2 093	31	299	–	–
	1969	147	9 733	(X)	2	130	60	4 607	54	385	6	19
Improved pasture	1974	32	2 011	(X)	–	–	7	516	7	72	–	–
	1969	42	4 884	(X)	–	–	19	1 892	19	170	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	91	1 684	(X)	3	12	63	1 348	41	167	24	173
	1969	126	3 850	(X)	6	370	107	3 385	68	289	49	323
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	10	1 671	(X)	1	4	6	1 559	2	124	4	49
	1969	18	2 865	(X)	–	–	13	2 380	12	202	2	38
Wheat (bushels)	1974	4	280	7 823	–	–	4	280	4	34	–	–
	1969	6	1 978	51 526	2	9	6	1 628	(NA)	116	(NA)	27
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	182	7 744	–	–	5	182	(NA)	9	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	146	(X)	1	146	1	146	1	8	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	308	102 106	2 971 355	–	–	22	11 386	22	7 530	–	–
	1969	305	109 434	2 212 711	2	155	30	4 502	(NA)	338	(NA)	214
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	–	50	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	91	2 583	4 780	–	–	38	955	37	133	1	23
	1969	95	2 398	5 744	1	12	45	1 059	44	171	2	7
Field seed crops	1974	2	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	87	15 780	10 841	1	60	85	15 742	34	1 135	54	1 645
	1969	169	9 488	13 031	8	1 038	159	9 410	(NA)	1 447	(NA)	974
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	25	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	2	124	–	–	2	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	8	(X)	–	–	2	3	2	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	8	254	(X)	–	–	1	150	1	15	–	–
	1969	11	285	(X)	–	–	2	50	1	3	1	5

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	4	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	276	324
	$1,000	2 340	845
Commercial fertilizer	farms	201	260
	acres on which used	34 252	29 779
	tons	11 413	4 838
	$1,000	1 285	322
Lime	farms	20	54
	acres on which used	1 028	3 406
	tons	1 876	5 000
	$1,000	17	32
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	–	4
	acres on which used	–	52
	$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops	farms	104	202
	acres on which used	54 004	48 075
	$1,000	478	241
Nematodes in crops	farms	4	2
	acres on which used	378	29
	$1,000	2	(Z)

		1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	4	6
	acres on which used	164	937
	$1,000	1	2
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	126	171
	acres on which used	59 002	44 617
	$1,000	478	221
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	5	18
	acres on which used	420	2 828
	$1,000	1	6
Weeds on all other land	farms	6	(NA)
	acres on which used	3 746	(NA)
	$1,000	8	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	33	31
	acres on which used	10 450	4 851
	$1,000	50	17
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	3	58
	$1,000	1	3
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	33	(NA)
	$1,000	19	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census yeor	farms	7	14
Proportion of farms	percent	1.8	3.5
Total land irrigated	acres	419	2 088
Average per farm	acres	59.9	149.1
Cropland irrigated	farms	7	14
	acres	419	2 088
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	6	14
	acres	219	1 938
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	1	2
	acres	200	130
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	20
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	272	2 114
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.6	1.0
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	3	(NA)
	acres	9	(NA)

		1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	30 553	28 738
Cropland	acres	19 832	27 550
Harvested cropland	acres	12 804	22 548
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	1	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	75	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	46	105
Proportion of farms	percent	11.8	26.9
Land in farms with drainage	acres	72 209	76 294
Land drained	acres	56 854	60 148
Average per farm	acres	1236.0	572.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	31	(NA)
	number	118	(NA)
	acres	354	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	160	125	82
	$1,000	12 218	9 483	2 735
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		21	21	15
$5,000 to $9,999		25	26	20
$10,000 to $29,999		46	41	22
$30,000 to $49,999		31	14	13
$50,000 and over		37	23	12

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired form workers working—						
150 days or more	62	85	151	195	638	1 128
25 to 149 days	81	255	251	1 297	290	
Less than 25 days	99		412		54	
Total contract labor	19	28	(NA)	(NA)	49	29
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	116	(NA)	27	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired form workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	188	62	81	99
Cash wages paid $1,000	982	638	290	54
Number of workers	814	151	251	412
Farms with—				
1 worker	67	27	37	35
2 workers	38	17	26	14
3 or 4 workers	34	15	12	18
5 to 9 workers	32	2	3	21
10 workers and over	17	1	3	11

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	414	535	178	172
Land in farms — acres	90 191	113 677	56 798	66 908
Average size of farm — acres	218	212	319	389
Approximate land area — acres	488 448	488 448	488 448	488 448
Proportion in farms — percent	18.5	23.3	11.6	13.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	27 567	19 389	15 190	10 140
Average per farm — dollars	66 586	36 241	85 335	58 950
Average per acre — dollars	306	171	267	152
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	22	7	1
10 to 49 acres	56	80	6	6
50 to 69 acres	28	41	2	1
70 to 99 acres	49	73	10	7
100 to 139 acres	60	80	22	18
140 to 179 acres	40	41	13	14
180 to 219 acres	49	42	27	18
220 to 259 acres	21	15	15	10
260 to 499 acres	59	91	47	57
500 to 999 acres	30	37	23	31
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	12	4	8
2,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	373	467	163	155
acres	35 968	47 597	22 445	27 103
Harvested cropland — farms	260	279	137	123
acres	7 938	7 623	6 223	5 748
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	73	97	14	
10 to 19 acres	75	59	38	86
20 to 29 acres	35	43	20	
30 to 49 acres	36	42	25	
50 to 99 acres	29	29	29	29
100 to 199 acres	6	5	6	5
200 to 499 acres	6	3	5	2
500 to 999 acres	–	1	–	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	301	381	119	129
acres	24 948	34 782	15 072	19 387
Other cropland (see text) — farms	80	121	31	(NA)
acres	3 082	5 192	1 150	1 968
Total woodland — farms	270	395	125	145
acres	35 278	44 623	21 001	26 640
Other land (see text) — farms	267	334	125	(NA)
acres	18 945	21 457	13 352	13 165
Irrigated land — farms	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	31	(NA)
acres	1 150	1 968
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	16	13
acres	330	395
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	1	12
acres	40	327
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	4
acres	8	167
Cropland idle — farms	11	21
acres	772	1 079
Total woodland — farms	125	145
acres	21 001	26 640
Woodland pastured — farms	98	120
acres	11 335	14 438

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	53	91
acres	9 666	12 202
Other land — farms	125	(NA)
acres	13 352	13 165
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	52	60
acres	9 747	9 053
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	41	45
acres	5 817	5 084
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	23	25
acres	3 930	3 969
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	113	104
acres	3 605	4 112

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	414	535	178	172
Land in farms — acres	90 191	113 677	56 798	66 908
Harvested cropland — acres	7 938	7 623	6 223	5 748
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	293	376	106	95
Land in farms — acres	53 928	70 518	29 089	35 390
Harvested cropland — acres	3 942	4 023	2 671	2 660
Part owners — number	84	112	51	69
Land in farms — acres	27 815	35 078	23 279	28 404
Harvested cropland — acres	3 450	3 078	3 086	2 793
Tenants — number	37	47	21	8
Land in farms — acres	8 448	8 081	4 430	3 114
Harvested cropland — acres	546	522	466	295
Percent of tenancy	8.9	8.7	11.8	4.6
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	66	119	17	14
Land in farms — acres	11 529	12 681	4 124	3 660
Harvested cropland — acres	673	743	363	279
Full owners — number	58	97	16	11
Land in farms — acres	9 990	10 245	3 775	2 880
Harvested cropland — acres	543	491	320	164
Part owners — number	5	7	–	3
Land in farms — acres	930	1 110	–	780
Harvested cropland — acres	85	148	–	115
Tenants — number	3	15	1	–
Land in farms — acres	609	1 326	349	–
Harvested cropland — acres	45	104	43	–
Percent of tenancy	4.5	12.6	5.9	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	159	151
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	46 172	58 616

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	20
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 546	7 776
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 564	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	516	516
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	1	1	1
25 to 34 years	17	31	9	7
35 to 44 years	55	60	25	26
45 to 54 years	99	141	34	48
55 to 64 years	88	145	41	44
65 years and over	144	157	62	46
Average age	56.6	56.1	56.9	55.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	240	314	100	114
On another farm	5		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	16	119	11	39
In a city, town, or urban area	71		30	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	153	(NA)	79	(NA)
1 to 49 days	21	13	11	6
50 to 99 days	18	11	3	2
100 to 149 days	12	52	4	10
150 to 199 days	29		8	
200 days and over	139	241	38	54
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	150	(NA)	98	(NA)
Other	257	(NA)	74	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	14	21	13	21
$40,000 to $99,999	12		12	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	26	19	26
$10,000 to $19,999	29	24	29	24
$5,000 to $9,999	46	48	46	48
$2,500 to $4,999	49	51	49	50
Under $2,500 (see text)	245	365	10	3
$2,000 to $2,499	31	30	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	32	30	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	51	56	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	131	249	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	5 214	3 558	4 823	3 180
Average per farm ... dollars	12 594	6 651	27 097	18 487
Crops, including hay ... farms	112	120	66	(NA)
$1,000	316	162	287	127
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		–	–
$1,000	2		–	–
Forest products ... farms	76	81	54	45
$1,000	196	112	183	100
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	365	437	171	168
$1,000	4 700	3 285	4 354	2 953
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	17	(NA)	15	8
$1,000	1 535	(NA)	1 534	676

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	66	(NA)
$1,000	287	127
Grains ... farms	10	9
$1,000	16	46
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	2	4
$1,000	(D)	12
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	45	33
$1,000	150	56
Other field crops ... farms	1	1
$1,000	(D)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	16	6
$1,000	47	12
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	171	168
$1,000	4 354	2 953
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	15	8
$1,000	1 534	676
Dairy products ... farms	33	46
$1,000	1 782	1 351
Cattle and calves ... farms	166	(NA)
$1,000	1 026	913
Hogs and pigs ... farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	8	12
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	4	
$1,000	3	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	225	(NA)	56	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	84	(NA)	44	(NA)
$1,000	108	(NA)	91	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	14	28	11	16
$1,000	57	43	57	41
Recreational services ... farms	3	2	2	1
$1,000	2	1	(Z)	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	73	161	37	68
$1,000	45	72	32	52
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	23	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	26	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	101
$1,000	1 208
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	19
$1,000	367
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	58
$1,000	634
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	43
$1,000	83
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	22
$1,000	75
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	48

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	414	535	178	172
$1,000	4 701	3 086	4 144	2 591
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	111	220	8	22
$1,000 to $1,999	82	123	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	50	43	19	24
$3,000 to $4,999	67	41	35	28
$5,000 to $9,999	41	39	39	30
$10,000 to $19,999	24	69	24	32
$20,000 to $39,999	13		13	18
$40,000 to $59,999	5		5	18
$60,000 and over	21		20	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	142	231	71	88
$1,000	475	410	437	361
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	381	475	163	159
$1,000	2 206	1 305	2 020	1 146
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	291	278	155	141
$1,000	1 991	1 111	1 893	1 041
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	16
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	13
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	66	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	5
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	49
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	62	87
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	100	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	113	134	51	60
$1,000	30	18	22	13
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	307	378	143	145
$1,000	440	230	347	182
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	107	(NA)	51	(NA)
$1,000	76	46	64	34
Lime ... farms	(NA)	64	23	35
$1,000	(NA)	24	38	19
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	384	504	167	172
$1,000	251	166	204	112
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	140	166
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	92	68
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	72	55
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	17
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	76	61
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	14
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	166	172
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	20	12
Hired farm labor ... farms	152	237	81	113
$1,000	319	288	261	233
Contract labor ... farms	25	166	19	23
$1,000	38	76	35	27
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	99		52	67
$1,000	60		50	39
All other production expenses ... farms	357	371	172	172
$1,000	807	547	652	445

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	385	499	165	167
$1,000	4 245	2 805	2 588	1 589
Average per farm—dollars	11 027	5 620	15 682	9 512
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	41	–	69
$1,000 to $4,999	128	317	38	
$5,000 to $9,999	121	69	40	43
$10,000 to $19,999	68	49	29	36
$20,000 to $29,999	45	23	37	12
$30,000 to $49,999	16		16	4
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	3
$70,000 and over	3		2	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	281	312	110	111
number	375	403	159	146
mfd in last 5 years, number	155	250	95	113
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	329	393	145	147
number	425	525	215	221
mfd in last 5 years, number	154	286	102	129
Wheel tractors—farms	306	338	136	140
number	464	506	241	238
mfd in last 5 years, number	113	225	84	147
Crawler tractors—farms	12		4	7
number	12		4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	1	6	1	5
number	1	7	1	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	2
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	2	–	–
number	–	3	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	2		2	2
number	2		2	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2
Mower conditioners—farms	51	(NA)	36	(NA)
number	62	(NA)	47	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	81	79	62	52
number	88	81	68	54
mfd in last 5 years, number	32	53	28	38
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	40	(NA)	31	23
number	43	(NA)	34	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	13	19
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	6	(NA)	4	4
number	8	(NA)	5	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	7

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	371	(X)	162	(X)	365	(X)	171	(X)	4 354
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	365	(X)	160	(X)	359	(X)	167	(X)	1 033
1969	474	(X)	165	(X)	423	(X)	165	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	354	22 529	157	16 706	352	9 188	166	7 571	1 026
1969	452	19 988	164	14 508	406	10 231	165	7 742	913
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	33	–	–	80	189	8	27	6
5 to 9—1974	26	184	6	50	81	577	8	62	13
10 to 19—1974	79	1 108	8	115	72	984	39	583	138
20 to 49—1974	101	3 152	33	1 062	74	2 160	67	2 000	291
50 to 99—1974	65	4 511	39	2 833	28	1 784	28	1 784	204
100 to 199—1974	51	6 694	51	6 694	10	1 177	10	1 177	176
200 to 499—1974	19	(D)	19	(D)	6	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	303	12 750	149	9 668	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	386	11 337	150	8 676	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	277	9 877	133	6 977	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 228	121	5 843	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	75	2 873	47	2 691	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	133	3 109	55	2 833	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	33	(X)	1 782
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	46	(X)	1 351

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Beef cows	277	9 877	133	6 977
Farms with—				
1 to 4	25	67	7	24
5 to 9	34	230	5	35
10 to 19	62	875	19	274
20 to 49	92	2 905	44	1 524
50 to 99	48	3 163	43	2 858
100 to 199	12	1 554	12	1 554
200 to 499	4	1 083	3	708
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	75	2 873	47	2 691
Farms with—				
1 or 2	21	30	6	8
3 or 4	3	9	–	–
5 to 9	15	85	6	31
10 to 19	12	153	12	153
20 to 49	4	121	4	121
50 to 99	7	582	6	485
100 to 199	9	1 053	9	1 053
200 to 499	4	840	4	840
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	120	2 495	575
Farms with—			
1 to 4	19	47	13
5 to 9	20	132	46
10 to 19	40	530	149
20 to 49	36	990	218
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	144	5 076	451
Farms with—			
1 or 2	9	17	1
3 or 4	3	12	2
5 to 9	21	152	25
10 to 19	35	465	49
20 to 49	48	1 459	140
50 to 99	18	1 148	101
100 to 199	7	886	94
200 to 499	3	937	38
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	127	4 050
	1969	139	3 183
Beef heifers	1974	117	3 170
Milk heifers	1974	21	880
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	121	2 988
	1969	149	2 649

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	13	227	39
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	33	7
10 to 19	1974	2	36	11
20 to 49	1974	6	158	21
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	67	506	16	139	19	272	5	200	8
	1969	130	986	24	272	50	519	12	224	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	35	71	8	15	7	16	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	25	164	5	38	8	50	3	24	1
10 to 24	1974	4	69	2	32	2	30	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	3	202	1	54	1	50	1	50	3
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	126	1	126	3
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	37	1	7	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	52	1	8	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	14	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	84	235	23	73	11	16	4	6	1
	1969	174	480	(NA)	(NA)	21	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	30
	1969	12	63
Other hogs and pigs	1974	15	109
	1969	24	209
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	33	87	5	29
	1969	49	128	13	42
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	25	38	5	15
	1969	39	84	8	29
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	49	3	14
	1969	26	44	11	13

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	100	(X)	36	(X)	9	(X)	9	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	27	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	96	4 957	32	3 826	3	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	157	32 289	24	29 461	17	20 089	4	19 902
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	96	4 781	32	3 711	3	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	150	31 905	24	29 421	11	20 015	4	19 902
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	89	1 531	25	461	1	40	1	40
100 to 399	1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	16	283 160	9	283 030	5	1 601 078	5	1 601 078
	1969	5	(D)	2	(D)	7	864 862	3	864 800
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	1 535	15	1 534
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	676

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	32	3 711	3	(D)
	1969	24	29 421	4	19 902
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	32	3 707	3	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	4	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	53	–	–
	1969	2	35	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	62	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	70	83	690	608	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	4	41	202	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	2	–	(D)	–	(D)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	16	19	16	17	15 500	8 150
Wheat (bushels)	3	–	38	–	1 162	–
Other small grains for grain	–	4	–	56	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	9	17	606	296	286	153
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	18	(NA)	106	(NA)	2 718	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	19	(NA)	14	(NA)	668	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	215	197	6 356	5 600	16 480	10 891
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	27	26	86	107	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	12	9	29	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	20	64	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	30	19	457	192	15 343	3 818	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	2	–	4	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	2	1	140	58	2 430	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	40	20	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	3	72	88	151	220	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	119	15 072	(X)	–	–	57	4 184	57	695	1	10
	1969	129	19 387	(X)	–	–	87	8 812	86	1 448	3	12
Improved pasture	1974	41	5 817	(X)	–	–	19	2 066	19	268	3	72
	1969	45	5 084	(X)	–	–	25	1 760	25	327	2	4
Corn for all purposes	1974	30	457	(X)	–	–	26	415	26	85	–	–
	1969	21	196	(X)	–	–	15	135	15	36	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	41	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	3	160	(X)	–	–	2	140	2	21	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	38	1 162	–	–	2	36	2	4	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	50	2 465	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	1	15	(NA)	–	(NA)	2
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	6	6	4 900	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	5	3	1 750	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	120	4 965	13 161	–	–	76	3 347	76	972	3	111
	1969	112	4 419	8 760	–	–	59	2 803	59	961	3	42
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	6	580	268	–	–	6	580	2	118	4	1
	1969	6	226	126	–	–	4	216	(NA)	48	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	6	102	2 615	–	–	3	101	3	101	–	–
	1969	5	1	50	–	–	2	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	16	77	(X)	–	–	12	57	12	37	–	–
	1969	7	68	(X)	–	–	5	65	5	9	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	3	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	8	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	7	12	(X)	–	–	2	3	2	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	144	156
	$1,000	411	216
Commercial fertilizer	farms	143	133
	acres on which used	10 793	13 955
	tons	2 475	2 914
	$1,000	347	182
Lime	farms	23	35
	acres on which used	1 466	2 414
	tons	2 803	3 572
	$1,000	38	19
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	6	44
	acres on which used	170	1 420
	$1,000	1	4
Insects on other crops	farms	3	8
	acres on which used	562	235
	$1,000	12	1
Nematodes in crops	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–

		1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1	–
	acres on which used	3	–
	$1,000	(Z)	–
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	6	13
	acres on which used	719	841
	$1,000	5	4
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	16	20
	acres on which used	1 529	1 463
	$1,000	4	2
Weeds on all other land	farms	2	(NA)
	acres on which used	9	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	2	3
	acres on which used	380	96
	$1,000	1	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	18	59
	$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	8	(NA)
	$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	–
Proportion of farms	percent	–	–
Total land irrigated	acres	–	–
Average per farm	acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)

		1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	–
Cropland	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland	acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year		–	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage	farms	5	3
Proportion of farms	percent	2.8	1.7
Land in farms with drainage	acres	2 718	1 474
Land drained	acres	726	975
Average per farm	acres	145.2	325.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	78	(NA)
	number	276	(NA)
	acres	348	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	60	40	37
	$1,000	2 213	1 358	856
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		10	2	12
$5,000 to $9,999		6	4	8
$10,000 to $29,999		23	20	10
$30,000 to $49,999		9	5	3
$50,000 and over		12	9	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	30	45	49	73	173	233
25 to 149 days	27	97	67	393	43	
Less than 25 days	57		395		45	
Total contract labor	19	23	(NA)	(NA)	35	27
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	13	(NA)	70	(NA)	27	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	81	30	27	57
Cash wages paid $1,000	261	173	43	45
Number of workers	511	49	67	395
Farms with—				
1 worker	22	17	13	17
2 workers	13	8	6	3
3 or 4 workers	9	5	6	5
5 to 9 workers	16	–	1	15
10 workers and over	21	–	1	17

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	365	443	281	272
Land in farms — acres	219 190	237 946	214 752	227 985
Average size of farm — acres	601	537	764	838
Approximate land area — acres	459 264	459 264	459 264	459 264
Proportion in farms — percent	47.7	51.8	46.8	49.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	88 473	57 496	85 993	53 565
Average per farm — dollars	242 393	129 787	306 026	196 928
Average per acre — dollars	404	242	400	235
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	10	–	1
10 to 49 acres	65	118	29	9
50 to 69 acres	24	41	17	18
70 to 99 acres	24	33	18	23
100 to 139 acres	31	29	24	22
140 to 179 acres	23	20	19	15
180 to 219 acres	14	15	14	13
220 to 259 acres	15	16	13	14
260 to 499 acres	47	53	47	52
500 to 999 acres	46	53	45	50
1,000 to 1,999 acres	31	34	31	34
2,000 acres and over	24	21	24	21

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	52	(NA)
acres	10 833	14 393
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	9
acres	142	545
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	14	72
acres	1 885	11 392
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	5	15
acres	3 368	1 137
Cropland idle — farms	34	27
acres	5 438	1 319
Total woodland — farms	68	105
acres	25 088	63 665
Woodland pastured — farms	29	60
acres	4 307	21 500

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	343	424	272	265
acres	137 857	122 928	135 810	117 497
Harvested cropland — farms	327	386	269	258
acres	112 630	94 173	112 121	91 942
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	38	43	1	
10 to 19 acres	23	43	8	44
20 to 29 acres	25	44	21	
30 to 49 acres	28	41	26	
50 to 99 acres	49	38	49	37
100 to 199 acres	26	39	26	39
200 to 499 acres	64	74	64	74
500 to 999 acres	43	45	43	45
1,000 acres and over	31	19	31	19
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	116	133	82	93
acres	14 259	12 658	12 856	11 162
Other cropland (see text) — farms	57	147	52	(NA)
acres	10 968	16 097	10 833	14 393
Total woodland — farms	84	156	68	105
acres	26 187	65 418	25 088	63 665
Other land (see text) — farms	210	297	166	(NA)
acres	55 146	49 600	53 854	46 823
Irrigated land — farms	–	1	–	–
acres	–	30	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	42	57
acres	20 781	42 165
Other land — farms	166	(NA)
acres	53 854	46 823
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	58	68
acres	37 093	40 086
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	33	43
acres	5 064	20 903
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	34
acres	32 029	19 183
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	145	170
acres	16 761	6 737

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	365	443	281	272
Land in farms — acres	219 190	237 946	214 752	227 985
Harvested cropland — acres	112 630	94 173	112 121	91 942
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	166	204	100	94
Land in farms — acres	93 206	105 736	90 231	100 034
Harvested cropland — acres	30 584	24 532	30 212	23 235
Part owners — number	132	166	126	136
Land in farms — acres	93 845	97 852	92 939	94 929
Harvested cropland — acres	61 281	52 381	61 220	51 996
Tenants — number	67	73	55	42
Land in farms — acres	32 139	34 358	31 582	33 022
Harvested cropland — acres	20 765	17 260	20 689	16 711
Percent of tenancy	18.4	16.4	19.6	15.4
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	40	77	20	16
Land in farms — acres	2 982	4 952	1 552	3 302
Harvested cropland — acres	1 505	2 974	1 346	2 273
Full owners — number	23	42	7	4
Land in farms — acres	1 021	1 071	437	216
Harvested cropland — acres	439	478	320	110
Part owners — number	11	18	7	7
Land in farms — acres	1 783	3 094	937	2 730
Harvested cropland — acres	897	2 143	857	1 993
Tenants — number	6	17	6	5
Land in farms — acres	178	787	178	356
Harvested cropland — acres	169	353	169	170
Percent of tenancy	15.0	22.0	30.0	31.2
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	252	221
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	149 584	159 036

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	19	40
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	28 627	39 847
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	10	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	36 541	27 536
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 566
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	5	6	3
25 to 34 years	35	54	34	43
35 to 44 years	94	96	76	68
45 to 54 years	78	102	61	58
55 to 64 years	79	122	60	67
65 years and over	63	64	34	33
Average age	50.7	50.4	48.6	48.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	210	304	163	192
On another farm	5		5	
In a rural area, not on a farm	29	92	20	55
In a city, town, or urban area	29		21	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	145	(NA)	116	(NA)
1 to 49 days	21	29	12	20
50 to 99 days	5	6	3	6
100 to 149 days	10	47	7	23
150 to 199 days	22		16	
200 days and over	71	118	39	41
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	247	(NA)	217	(NA)
Other	108	(NA)	54	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	79	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	63	50	63	50
$40,000 to $99,999	57		57	
$20,000 to $39,999	52	42	52	42
$10,000 to $19,999	34	51	34	51
$5,000 to $9,999	46	62	46	62
$2,500 to $4,999	24	60	24	60
Under $2,500 (see text)	89	178	5	7
$2,000 to $2,499	9	13	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	24	34	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	17	30	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	39	101	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	20 223	7 214	20 134	7 057
Average per farm ... dollars	55 404	16 283	71 651	25 943
Crops, including hay ... farms	297	359	259	(NA)
$1,000	18 758	5 525	18 713	5 427
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	1
$1,000	–		–	(Z)
Forest products ... farms	3	23	3	20
$1,000	103	91	103	91
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	167	222	120	140
$1,000	1 361	1 597	1 318	1 538
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	(NA)	4	4
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	76

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	259	(NA)
$1,000	18 713	5 427
Grains ... farms	237	227
$1,000	15 565	3 969
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	81	96
$1,000	3 066	1 404
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	19	13
$1,000	49	28
Other field crops ... farms	1	–
$1,000	(D)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	1
$1,000	1	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	9
$1,000	(D)	24
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	120	140
$1,000	1 318	1 538
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	4
$1,000	(Z)	76
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	116	(NA)
$1,000	1 210	1 341
Hogs and pigs ... farms	8	(NA)
$1,000	94	121
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	12	
$1,000	13	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	90	(NA)	29	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	84	(NA)	59	(NA)
$1,000	556	(NA)	489	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	34	32	26	28
$1,000	192	152	180	148
Recreational services ... farms	3	6	3	5
$1,000	7	10	7	9
Government farm programs ... farms	25	127	19	92
$1,000	34	566	32	548
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	25	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	308	(NA)	262	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	6	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	14	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	29	(NA)	18	(NA)
$1,000	83	(NA)	46	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	139
$1,000	1 327
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	28
$1,000	323
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	82
$1,000	714
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	65
$1,000	183
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	25
$1,000	69
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	39

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	365	443	281	272
$1,000	11 821	6 334	11 720	6 144
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	59	118	12	12
$1,000 to $1,999	33	37	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	31	39	20	29
$3,000 to $4,999	38	57	33	41
$5,000 to $9,999	46	70	46	68
$10,000 to $19,999	52		52	51
$20,000 to $39,999	34	122	34	37
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	34
$60,000 and over	56		56	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	88	76	57	57
$1,000	308	501	289	486
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	141	187	101	116
$1,000	243	205	220	188
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	103	133	82	96
$1,000	180	119	169	112
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	15
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	34
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	28
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	35
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	23
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	8
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	82	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	218	318	183	220
$1,000	749	372	746	361
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	200	230	150	169
$1,000	481	221	471	213
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	180	(NA)	163	(NA)
$1,000	1 493	538	1 492	532
Lime ... farms	(NA)	32	5	25
$1,000	(NA)	22	4	21
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	363	432	281	272
$1,000	912	553	901	523
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	259	236
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	293	191
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	193	190
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	419	219
LP gas, butane, and propone ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	131	139
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	65
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	281	272
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	48
Hired farm labor ... farms	175	247	155	200
$1,000	1 359	975	1 350	959
Contract labor ... farms	31	208	23	19
$1,000	59	336	57	39
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	127		118	127
$1,000	369		367	280
All other production expenses ... farms	333	394	281	272
$1,000	5 847	2 633	5 791	2 563

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	363	427	281	269
$1,000	17 820	8 519	17 313	7 803
Average per farm—dollars	49 091	19 951	61 613	29 006
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	4	21	–	46
$1,000 to $4,999	54	131	26	
$5,000 to $9,999	66	69	27	31
$10,000 to $19,999	45	77	35	66
$20,000 to $29,999	45	129	44	36
$30,000 to $49,999	69		69	36
$50,000 to $69,999	20		20	54
$70,000 and over	60		60	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	255	288	206	197
number	342	363	291	262
mfd in last 5 years, number	258	265	235	202
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	331	367	260	247
number	661	630	587	497
mfd in last 5 years, number	324	387	303	327
Wheel tractors—farms	330	385	266	255
number	880	912	805	725
mfd in last 5 years, number	319	484	311	432
Crawler tractors—farms	17		15	20
number	31		29	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	11		11	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	141	158	141	150
number	244	201	244	192
mfd in last 5 years, number	79	156	79	150
Corn heads for combines—farms	12	37	12	17
number	13	44	13	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	20	3	14
Other carnpickers and picker-shellers—farms	29		28	16
number	29		28	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	5
Mower conditioners—farms	38	(NA)	30	(NA)
number	46	(NA)	38	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	84	60	74	57
number	88	64	76	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	31	18	31
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	54	(NA)	48	31
number	56	(NA)	50	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	2	(NA)	2	7
number	4	(NA)	4	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	195	(X)	131	(X)	167	(X)	120	(X)	1 318
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	179	(X)	121	(X)	163	(X)	117	(X)	1 304
1969	234	(X)	140	(X)	210	(X)	133	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	166	16 058	120	14 860	158	8 933	116	8 675	1 210
1969	211	20 867	135	19 424	190	10 071	126	9 589	1 341
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	3	8	3	8	32	76	11	28	7
5 to 9—1974	14	98	6	43	18	116	9	56	11
10 to 19—1974	16	214	6	72	38	512	26	362	60
20 to 49—1974	55	1 635	32	981	42	1 242	42	1 242	199
50 to 99—1974	29	2 046	24	1 699	12	824	12	824	106
100 to 199—1974	32	4 132	32	4 132	7	819	7	819	124
200 to 499—1974	11	3 269	11	3 269	4	1 044	4	1 044	186
500 and over—1974	6	4 656	6	4 656	5	4 300	5	4 300	517
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	145	9 650	110	9 074	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	184	11 767	131	11 124	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	139	9 582	106	9 033	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	11 676	125	11 062	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	33	68	21	41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	48	91	34	62	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	139	9 582	106	9 033			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	12	35	8	23			
5 to 9	8	57	5	36			
10 to 19	18	239	7	100			
20 to 49	45	1 300	30	923			
50 to 99	34	2 425	34	2 425			
100 to 199	12	1 539	12	1 539			
200 to 499	8	(D)	8	(D)			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Milk cows	33	68	21	41			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	27	41	17	25			
3 or 4	4	15	3	11			
5 to 9	2	12	1	5			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					91	3 490	634
Farms with—							
1 to 4					23	56	12
5 to 9					18	120	26
10 to 19					22	283	66
20 to 49					17	446	93
50 to 99					4	299	50
100 to 199					4	505	77
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					90	5 185	577
Farms with—							
1 or 2					5	9	1
3 or 4					2	7	1
5 to 9					15	105	10
10 to 19					24	335	34
20 to 49					25	736	100
50 to 99					7	468	55
100 to 199					5	617	97
200 to 499					4	1 107	147
500 and over					3	1 801	133

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	91	2 452
	1969	115	3 510
Beef heifers	1974	90	2 435
Milk heifers	1974	3	17
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	99	3 334
	1969	119	4 790

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	14	6
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	14	6
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	28	1 000	10	862	14	1 511	8	1 436	94
	1969	72	2 105	30	1 594	58	2 934	31	2 514	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	10	20	3	5	3	10	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	67	2	18	3	22	3	22	2
10 to 24	1974	4	63	1	15	4	68	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	1	26	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	100	1	100	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	553	14	545	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	84	–	–	2	80	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	32	1	32	1	26	1	26	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	1	58	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	77	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	63	262	44	225	10	29	10	29	10
	1969	129	694	(NA)	(NA)	21	79	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	8	158
	1969	18	158
Other hogs and pigs	1974	9	704
	1969	26	1 436
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	14	151	8	142
	1969	51	336	23	261
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	8	130	6	127
	1969	47	220	20	167
June 1 and November 30	1974	10	21	5	15
	1969	27	116	16	94

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Any poultry	1974	30	(X)	13	(X)	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	28	892	11	351	–	–	–	–
	1969	63	10 878	28	9 973	8	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	28	859	11	326	–	–	–	–
	1969	61	10 743	27	9 951	8	14 894	3	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	27	734	11	326	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	125	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	70	1	50	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	50	1	50	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(Z)	4	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	76

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	11	326	–	–
	1969	27	9 951	3	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	11	326	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	25	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	59	1	59
	1969	5	15	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	59	1	59
Heavy breed	1974	1	59	1	59
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	9	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	67	125	1 118	4 821	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	14	632	1 064	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	255	294	91 125	75 747	2 696 983	1 737 504
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	2	9	220	707	(D)	18 029
Other small grains for grain	1	13	60	970	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	99	127	17 351	8 251	14 375	12 739
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	7	(NA)	31	(NA)	9 140	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	56	79	2 125	3 074	3 720	4 851
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	2	11	10	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	15	378	172	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	–	(NA)	–	8	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	41	84	983	4 097	48 981	183 738	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	2	12	420	144	2 900	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	5	3	104	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	5	6	477	1 006	10 254	27 013	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	150	30	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	16	26	42	41	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	82	12 856	(X)	–	–	33	4 524	31	261	2	33
	1969	93	11 162	(X)	–	–	27	3 407	24	322	4	14
Improved pasture	1974	33	5 064	(X)	–	–	15	2 680	14	185	1	3
	1969	43	20 903	(X)	–	–	15	4 326	12	219	3	37
Corn for all purposes	1974	44	998	(X)	–	–	31	955	13	73	20	91
	1969	88	4 621	(X)	–	–	67	3 409	25	153	47	292
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	7	627	(X)	–	–	5	171	3	6	3	18
	1969	8	1 036	(X)	–	–	4	205	2	3	3	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	220	(D)	–	–	2	220	–	–	2	40
	1969	8	692	17 654	–	–	7	682	(NA)	45	(NA)	8
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	60	1 800	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	11	905	41 450	–	–	7	458	(NA)	36	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	237	90 968	2 693 223	–	–	5	4 465	4	277	1	44
	1969	218	74 303	1 706 687	–	–	14	4 801	(NA)	453	(NA)	44
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	50	2 030	3 622	–	–	19	890	15	70	4	46
	1969	58	2 775	4 488	–	–	13	1 142	12	77	1	3
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	81	17 230	14 307	–	–	79	17 041	17	439	74	1 713
	1969	94	8 014	12 555	–	–	88	7 948	(NA)	355	(NA)	814
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	7	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	9	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	8	374	(X)	–	–	2	144	2	17	–	–
	1969	15	172	(X)	–	–	3	62	3	10	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	9	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	198	226
	$1,000	1 962	744
Commercial fertilizer	farms	150	153
	acres on which used	31 326	26 500
	tons	3 341	2 903
	$1,000	471	213
Lime	farms	5	25
	acres on which used	382	2 132
	tons	394	3 290
	$1,000	4	21
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	2	4
	acres on which used	10	173
	$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops	farms	94	122
	acres on which used	50 777	28 119
	$1,000	667	228
Nematodes in crops	farms	1	–
	acres on which used	55	–
	$1,000	1	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	2	5
	acres on which used	190	875
	$1,000	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	118	151
	acres on which used	56 910	46 745
	$1,000	714	245
Weeds or brush in posture	farms	9	10
	acres on which used	701	648
	$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land	farms	12	(NA)
	acres on which used	856	(NA)
	$1,000	4	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	48	43
	acres on which used	18 410	6 850
	$1,000	84	25
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	17	33
	$1,000	9	8
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	11	(NA)
	$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	–
Proportion of farms	percent	–	–
Total land irrigated	acres	–	–
Average per farm	acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	–
Cropland	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland	acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	63	107
Proportion of farms	percent	22.4	39.3
Land in farms with drainage	acres	62 796	88 143
Land drained	acres	47 866	49 136
Average per farm	acres	759.8	459.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	14	(NA)
	number	32	(NA)
	acres	98	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	118	84	78
	$1,000	13 478	9 791	3 688
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		14	9	12
$5,000 to $9,999		19	16	14
$10,000 to $29,999		35	22	26
$30,000 to $49,999		7	6	7
$50,000 and over		43	31	19

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	67	78	224	207	1 064	
25 to 149 days	61	175	203	987	225	959
Less than 25 days	89		374		61	
Total contract labor	23	19	(NA)	(NA)	57	39
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	12	(NA)	146	(NA)	27	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	155	67	61	89
Cash wages paid	$1,000 1 350	1 064	225	61
Number of workers	801	224	203	374
Farms with—				
1 worker	48	29	25	32
2 workers	33	11	12	20
3 or 4 workers	29	12	9	17
5 to 9 workers	21	9	12	13
10 workers and over	24	6	3	7

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	688	877	288	344
Land in farms — acres	187 547	246 552	140 024	177 082
Average size of farm — acres	273	281	486	515
Approximate land area — acres	572 160	572 160	572 160	572 160
Proportion in farms — percent	32.8	43.1	24.5	30.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	63 324	42 818	44 753	28 630
Average per farm — dollars	92 040	48 823	155 393	83 227
Average per acre — dollars	338	174	320	162
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	16	30	2	7
10 to 49 acres	129	198	13	24
50 to 69 acres	71	73	9	13
70 to 99 acres	82	94	28	14
100 to 139 acres	61	81	20	23
140 to 179 acres	62	63	24	22
180 to 219 acres	39	58	23	32
220 to 259 acres	32	30	12	14
260 to 499 acres	104	120	78	86
500 to 999 acres	58	70	45	57
1,000 to 1,999 acres	20	45	20	39
2,000 acres and over	14	15	14	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	587	689	252	275
acres	71 664	76 076	47 916	48 798
Harvested cropland — farms	351	356	192	196
acres	12 786	13 544	10 860	11 538
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	88	90	15	
10 to 19 acres	83	93	31	129
20 to 29 acres	43	47	26	
30 to 49 acres	65	52	50	
50 to 99 acres	41	40	39	33
100 to 199 acres	22	22	22	22
200 to 499 acres	7	11	7	11
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	477	500	189	186
acres	57 015	57 796	35 893	35 321
Other cropland (see text) — farms	60	124	27	(NA)
acres	1 863	4 736	1 163	1 939
Total woodland — farms	408	565	176	236
acres	65 115	100 641	48 272	72 784
Other land (see text) — farms	408	574	196	(NA)
acres	50 768	69 835	43 836	55 500
Irrigated land — farms	3	10	–	6
acres	17	658	–	628

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — forms	27	(NA)
acres	1 163	1 939
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	12	12
acres	143	533
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	7
acres	472	124
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	8
acres	100	523
Cropland idle — farms	8	23
acres	448	759
Total woodland — farms	176	236
acres	48 272	72 784
Woodland pastured — farms	116	180
acres	25 268	40 532

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	81	106
acres	23 004	32 252
Other land — farms	196	(NA)
acres	43 836	55 500
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	137	152
acres	39 346	51 065
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	93	129
acres	19 085	42 628
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	65	53
acres	20 261	8 437
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	153	199
acres	4 490	4 435

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	688	877	288	344
Land in farms — acres	187 547	246 552	140 024	177 082
Harvested cropland — acres	12 786	13 544	10 860	11 538
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	477	608	171	202
Land in farms — acres	108 823	142 363	75 381	95 141
Harvested cropland — acres	7 030	6 565	5 570	5 257
Part owners — number	146	178	84	106
Land in farms — acres	61 046	79 023	50 324	66 296
Harvested cropland — acres	4 756	5 669	4 504	5 220
Tenants — number	65	91	33	36
Land in farms — acres	17 678	25 166	14 319	15 645
Harvested cropland — acres	1 000	1 310	786	1 061
Percent of tenancy	9.4	10.3	11.5	10.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	101	206	30	25
Land in farms — acres	10 078	21 320	3 916	8 847
Harvested cropland — acres	838	1 504	648	613
Full owners — number	84	159	25	20
Land in farms — acres	7 115	16 920	3 077	8 096
Harvested cropland — acres	761	1 041	621	475
Part owners — number	11	23	3	3
Land in farms — acres	2 103	2 645	519	628
Harvested cropland — acres	71	206	27	72
Tenants — number	6	24	2	2
Land in farms — acres	860	1 755	320	123
Harvested cropland — acres	6	257	–	66
Percent of tenancy	5.9	11.6	6.7	8.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	274	309
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	128 808	151 618

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	31
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 336	14 333
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 820	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 060	(D)
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	10	18	1	9
25 to 34 years	78	82	35	28
35 to 44 years	58	122	24	47
45 to 54 years	172	226	77	99
55 to 64 years	184	237	81	96
65 years and over	183	192	67	65
Average age	54.4	53.1	54.1	52.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	363	533	154	220
On another farm	16		9	
In a rural area, not on a farm	29	215	10	79
In a city, town, or urban area	135		56	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	189	(NA)	90	(NA)
1 to 49 days	38	41	15	9
50 to 99 days	28	34	14	16
100 to 149 days	24	76	13	21
150 to 199 days	30		14	
200 days and over	281	409	85	123
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	257	(NA)	170	(NA)
Other	428	(NA)	115	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	38	68	38	68
$40,000 to $99,999	29		29	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	59	19	59
$10,000 to $19,999	29	36	29	36
$5,000 to $9,999	59	64	59	64
$2,500 to $4,999	93	97	93	97
Under $2,500 (see text)	421	553	21	20
$2,000 to $2,499	48	45	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	82	53	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	86	87	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	205	368	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	11 828	9 087	11 407	8 694
Average per farm ... dollars	17 192	10 361	39 609	25 273
Crops, including hay ... farms	113	157	58	(NA)
$1,000	341	290	310	251
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	2
$1,000	3		3	8
Forest products ... farms	60	80	42	56
$1,000	360	204	354	193
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	630	747	279	331
$1,000	11 124	8 593	10 741	8 242
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	34	(NA)	17	36
$1,000	1 677	(NA)	1 676	1 615

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	58	(NA)
$1,000	310	251
Grains ... farms	2	5
$1,000	7	4
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	7	26
$1,000	121	118
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	49	56
$1,000	161	107
Other field crops ... farms	2	4
$1,000	2	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	7
$1,000	1	15
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	8
$1,000	16	5
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	279	331
$1,000	10 741	8 242
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	17	36
$1,000	1 676	1 615
Dairy products ... farms	71	87
$1,000	6 985	4 352
Cattle and calves ... farms	274	(NA)
$1,000	2 061	2 164
Hogs and pigs ... farms	4	(NA)
$1,000	3	111
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	2	
$1,000	3	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	11	
$1,000	14	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	403	(NA)	112	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	94	(NA)	55	(NA)
$1,000	244	(NA)	202	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	27	27	19	21
$1,000	120	57	108	56
Recreational services ... farms	7	6	7	2
$1,000	7	2	7	1
Government farm programs ... farms	49	137	24	72
$1,000	81	131	61	116
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	22	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	26	(NA)	17	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	11	(NA)	10	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	24	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	73	(NA)	63	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	193
$1,000	2 757
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	47
$1,000	709
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	124
$1,000	1 463
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	89
$1,000	380
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	43
$1,000	124
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	16
$1,000	82

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	686	877	288	344
$1,000	11 222	8 394	10 419	7 747
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	144	323	3	43
$1,000 to $1,999	119	164	8	
$2,000 to $2,999	87	62	27	32
$3,000 to $4,999	101	91	49	46
$5,000 to $9,999	107	76	73	62
$10,000 to $19,999	44	161	44	45
$20,000 to $39,999	20		20	60
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	56
$60,000 and over	48		48	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	239	365	129	190
$1,000	1 339	1 435	1 245	1 312
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	633	776	277	325
$1,000	5 247	3 377	4 957	3 162
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	469	547	238	300
$1,000	4 714	2 968	4 590	2 877
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	99	51
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	118
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	90	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	87	22
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	89
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	199	145
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	153	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	197	197	91	86
$1,000	64	35	54	28
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	412	497	174	230
$1,000	727	443	623	397
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	157	(NA)	83	(NA)
$1,000	101	106	93	94
Lime ... farms	(NA)	111	31	72
$1,000	(NA)	57	21	51
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	653	801	285	343
$1,000	453	335	362	266
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	235	321
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	223	163
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	194	103
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	74	32
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	34	117
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	41
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	285	343
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	43	30
Hired farm labor ... farms	253	374	152	224
$1,000	738	697	711	663
Contract labor ... farms	50	245	28	46
$1,000	61	180	57	54
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	170		106	117
$1,000	164		150	108
All other production expenses ... farms	574	624	282	341
$1,000	2 329	1 785	2 099	1 663

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	626	788	269	332
$1,000	6 880	4 127	4 521	2 901
Average per farm—dollars	10 990	5 237	16 805	8 739
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	22	109	4	160
$1,000 to $4,999	185	432	56	
$5,000 to $9,999	219	141	64	77
$10,000 to $19,999	103	63	59	52
$20,000 to $29,999	52		42	24
$30,000 to $49,999	31	43	30	13
$50,000 to $69,999	11		11	6
$70,000 and over	3		3	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	386	402	170	186
number	482	481	229	213
mfd in last 5 years, number	253	355	145	174
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	537	586	238	272
number	691	711	372	377
mfd in last 5 years, number	307	447	186	257
Wheel tractors—farms	492	528	232	272
number	706	844	396	508
mfd in last 5 years, number	145	383	107	256
Crawler tractors—farms	19		17	25
number	21		19	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	2	4	2
number	7	2	7	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	2
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	7	–	2
number	–	8	–	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	4	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	6
number	1		1	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	3
Mower conditioners—farms	72	(NA)	51	(NA)
number	76	(NA)	51	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	90	90	66	76
number	97	97	73	83
mfd in last 5 years, number	35	59	31	51
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	44	(NA)	31	47
number	45	(NA)	32	56
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	13	32
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	13	(NA)	7	17
number	22	(NA)	10	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	(NA)	6	9

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	644	(X)	278	(X)	630	(X)	279	(X)	10 741
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	622	(X)	269	(X)	621	(X)	274	(X)	2 066
1969	778	(X)	311	(X)	720	(X)	322	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	618	52 654	267	42 518	618	18 379	274	15 377	2 061
1969	764	46 411	307	38 317	706	22 704	320	19 409	2 164
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	15	32	–	–	115	306	11	30	4
5 to 9—1974	27	189	2	11	146	991	14	93	15
10 to 19—1974	111	1 523	11	165	136	1 912	60	906	139
20 to 49—1974	204	6 483	49	1 611	130	3 776	98	2 954	388
50 to 99—1974	124	8 642	68	4 946	55	3 545	55	3 545	461
100 to 199—1974	84	11 924	84	11 924	21	2 896	21	2 896	335
200 to 499—1974	38	10 991	38	10 991	13	(D)	13	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	15	12 870	15	12 870	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	507	32 741	246	27 168	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	615	28 862	285	24 976	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	464	22 762	215	17 320	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	19 803	227	16 094	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	115	9 979	76	9 848	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	187	9 059	102	8 882	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	71	(X)	6 985
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	87	(X)	4 352

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	464	22 762	215	17 320			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	27	70	9	26			
5 to 9	46	313	3	19			
10 to 19	78	1 061	16	228			
20 to 49	179	5 551	69	2 143			
50 to 99	79	5 222	63	4 359			
100 to 199	36	4 556	36	4 556			
200 to 499	16	4 038	16	4 038			
500 and over	3	1 951	3	1 951			
Milk cows	115	9 979	76	9 848			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	21	30	2	3			
3 or 4	9	31	1	3			
5 to 9	12	76	–	–			
10 to 19	13	164	13	164			
20 to 49	5	173	5	173			
50 to 99	21	1 468	21	1 468			
100 to 199	23	3 122	23	3 122			
200 to 499	9	(D)	9	(D)			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Cattle sold					191	6 176	1 338
Forms with—							
1 to 4					29	66	13
5 to 9					34	237	54
10 to 19					63	831	176
20 to 49					33	953	204
50 to 99					17	1 095	255
100 to 199					9	1 171	257
200 to 499					6	1 823	380
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					231	9 201	723
Forms with—							
1 or 2					17	28	2
3 or 4					5	19	2
5 to 9					25	168	15
10 to 19					50	703	58
20 to 49					79	2 387	225
50 to 99					37	2 450	189
100 to 199					10	1 319	78
200 to 499					7	(D)	149
500 and over					1	(D)	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	203	8 733
	1969	259	9 115
Beef heifers	1974	177	5 600
Milk heifers	1974	52	3 133
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	205	6 617
	1969	270	4 226

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	19	329	85
	1969	3	109	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	8	57	14
10 to 19	1974	8	96	21
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	3	176	50
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	53	252	17	91	16	178	4	42	3
	1969	115	2 143	26	1 612	39	2 772	17	2 377	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	36	74	10	17	6	19	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	9	55	3	20	4	28	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	7	91	4	54	3	43	2	28	2
25 to 49	1974	1	32	–	–	3	88	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	21	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	187	3	22	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	6	92	2	70	5	66	2	57	(NA)
	1969	22	424	11	302	17	301	12	276	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	59	[1]334
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	3
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	51	(NA)	(NA)	2	37	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	197	535	79	271	14	33	7	22	12
	1969	287	981	(NA)	(NA)	36	98	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	5
	1969	18	218
Other hogs and pigs	1974	17	86
	1969	21	1 394
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	13
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	49
Rams and wethers	1974	2	8

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	19	39	9	11
	1969	62	333	19	228
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	15	4	4
	1969	44	126	12	66
June 1 and November 30	1974	12	24	7	7
	1969	29	207	12	162

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	118	(X)	40	(X)	16	(X)	14	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	58	(X)	(NA)	(X)	32	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	108	125 536	34	124 119	6	226 520	4	226 500
	1969	164	66 860	36	63 958	14	17 551	6	17 485
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	103	85 294	30	83 973	6	86 520	4	(D)
	1969	154	64 407	34	62 111	14	16 301	6	16 235
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	99	1 994	26	673	2	20	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	1	1 200	1	1 200	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	29	137 470	11	137 224	12	420 187	10	420 127
	1969	42	505 640	24	505 398	26	2 277 650	26	2 277 650
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	1 677	17	1 676
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	1 615

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	30	83 973	4	(D)
	1969	34	62 111	6	16 235
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	29	83 908	4	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	65	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	5	40 054	1	(D)
	1969	6	500	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	15	92	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	25	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	25	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	10	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	33	78	231	848	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	8	436	252	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	5	25	51	515	1 256
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	5	5	5	9 100	2 100
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	4	–	120
Other small grains for grain	1	3	100	58	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	7	51	1 129	1 640	589	1 212
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	28	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	21	(NA)	15	(NA)	1 721	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	299	236	10 812	10 236	21 742	17 219
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	8	24	13	136	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	24	19	147	233	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	37	62	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	11	11	52	279	1 018	30 895	–	1	–	30
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	4	100	49	1 100	736	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	34	(X)	(X)	–	1	–	12
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	125	–	1 429	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	436	103	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	8	375	277	649	489	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	189	35 893	(X)	–	–	65	7 557	65	1 502	2	36
	1969	186	35 321	(X)	2	140	88	10 066	85	1 738	3	22
Improved pasture	1974	93	19 085	(X)	–	–	39	7 627	39	1 358	–	–
	1969	129	42 628	(X)	2	120	84	16 724	83	2 710	2	65
Corn for all purposes	1974	13	152	(X)	–	–	6	56	6	7	1	2
	1969	14	362	(X)	1	42	12	354	12	47	2	21
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	8	436	(X)	–	–	7	391	5	38	3	48
	1969	4	228	(X)	–	–	3	103	2	1	1	5
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	50	2 000	–	–	1	50	1	3	–	–
	1969	1	38	1 500	–	–	1	38	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	50	1 000	–	–	1	50	1	18	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	25	515	–	–	1	25	1	2	–	–
	1969	4	50	1 220	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	4 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	600	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	178	8 965	18 182	–	–	73	3 949	72	1 016	7	87
	1969	163	9 106	15 886	5	314	71	4 007	70	941	2	5
Field seed crops	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	6	1	5
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	7	1 129	589	–	–	7	1 129	6	153	1	5
	1969	25	1 408	1 088	1	12	22	1 298	(NA)	168	(NA)	44
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2	114	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	8	(X)	–	–	4	9	4	2	–	–
	1969	8	107	(X)	–	–	5	98	5	20	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	12	125	(X)	–	–	1	12	1	3	–	–
	1969	14	211	(X)	–	–	5	57	5	8	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	2	1	2	(Z)
Other crops 1974	7	13	(X)	–	–	2	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	183	254
$1,000	716	491
Commercial fertilizer—farms	174	205
acres on which used	20 928	32 781
tons	4 296	5 806
$1,000	623	397
Lime—farms	31	72
acres on which used	2 271	7 627
tons	2 036	8 194
$1,000	21	51
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	6	9
acres on which used	165	627
$1,000	1	2
Insects on other crops—farms	4	15
acres on which used	1 111	1 291
$1,000	41	13
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	67
$1,000	–	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	6	9
acres on which used	310	1 157
$1,000	1	12
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	19	25
acres on which used	4 693	3 378
$1,000	12	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	11	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	5
acres on which used	190	277
$1,000	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	33	110
$1,000	9	10
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	21	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	6
Proportion of farms—percent	–	1.7
Total land irrigated—acres	–	628
Average per farm—acres	–	104.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	6
acres	–	508
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	5
acres	–	368
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	140
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	2
acres	–	120
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	511
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	0.8
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	3 737
Cropland—acres	–	805
Harvested cropland—acres	–	559
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	30	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2	14
Proportion of farms—percent	0.7	4.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	382	14 381
Land drained—acres	242	3 798
Average per farm—acres	121.0	271.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	127	(NA)
number	530	(NA)
acres	931	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	120	84	61
$1,000	6 545	3 818	2 727
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	23	22	9
$5,000 to $9,999	15	8	12
$10,000 to $29,999	43	32	19
$30,000 to $49,999	14	6	10
$50,000 and over	25	16	11

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	65	104	168	199	573	663
25 to 149 days	34		117		79	
Less than 25 days	101	171	423	476	59	
Total contract labor	28	46	(NA)	(NA)	57	54
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	50	(NA)	12	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	152	65	34	101
Cash wages paid $1,000	711	573	79	59
Number of workers	708	168	117	423
Farms with—				
1 worker	63	32	12	52
2 workers	20	11	9	7
3 or 4 workers	25	16	5	14
5 to 9 workers	26	4	6	17
10 workers and over	18	2	2	11

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	557	675	220	246
Land in farms — acres	123 485	133 511	85 866	95 298
Average size of farm — acres	222	198	390	387
Approximate land area — acres	293 760	293 760	293 760	293 760
Proportion in farms — percent	42.0	45.4	29.2	32.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	120 432	98 707	77 992	56 773
Average per farm — dollars	216 215	146 232	354 508	230 784
Average per acre — dollars	975	739	908	596
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	34	31	8	5
10 to 49 acres	141	203	27	24
50 to 69 acres	62	59	13	10
70 to 99 acres	63	69	20	16
100 to 139 acres	51	78	20	17
140 to 179 acres	35	36	11	19
180 to 219 acres	23	35	9	20
220 to 259 acres	17	26	8	17
260 to 499 acres	73	79	55	70
500 to 999 acres	36	38	30	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	14	13	14
2,000 acres and over	8	7	6	6

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	13	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	2 809	5 117
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	5	7
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	128	369
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	8
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	74	3 699
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	5
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	500	595
Cropland idle — farms	5	12
Cropland idle — acres	2 107	454
Total woodland — farms	113	132
Total woodland — acres	17 283	21 425
Woodland pastured — farms	82	112
Woodland pastured — acres	11 423	15 172

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	478	562	194	214
Total cropland — acres	61 430	59 390	42 162	43 456
Harvested cropland — farms	330	347	160	158
Harvested cropland — acres	18 687	18 997	15 561	16 369
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	93	135	16	92
10 to 19 acres	81	65	38	
20 to 29 acres	47	38	21	
30 to 49 acres	28	38	17	
50 to 99 acres	36	24	27	23
100 to 199 acres	24	28	21	25
200 to 499 acres	17	13	16	13
500 to 999 acres	3	4	3	3
1,000 acres and over	1	2	1	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	351	418	131	143
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	39 113	33 543	23 792	21 970
Other cropland (see text) — farms	30	65	13	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	3 630	6 850	2 809	5 117
Total woodland — farms	269	315	113	132
Total woodland — acres	29 263	31 621	17 283	21 425
Other land (see text) — farms	361	458	146	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	32 792	42 500	26 421	30 417
Irrigated land — farms	8	9	3	2
Irrigated land — acres	140	221	5	18

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	38	36
Woodland not pastured — acres	5 860	6 253
Other land — farms	146	(NA)
Other land — acres	26 421	30 417
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	74	102
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	24 130	28 281
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	57	74
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	9 398	17 483
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	40	44
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	14 732	10 798
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	121	133
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 291	2 136

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	557	675	220	246
Land in farms — acres	123 485	133 511	85 866	95 298
Harvested cropland — acres	18 687	18 997	15 561	16 369
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	367	407	123	123
Land in farms — acres	61 422	53 607	37 216	31 120
Harvested cropland — acres	6 255	4 975	3 871	3 510
Part owners — number	136	181	65	89
Land in farms — acres	46 226	63 050	36 185	51 616
Harvested cropland — acres	7 192	11 416	6 684	10 400
Tenants — number	54	87	32	34
Land in farms — acres	15 837	16 854	12 465	12 562
Harvested cropland — acres	5 240	2 606	5 006	2 459
Percent of tenancy	9.7	12.8	14.5	13.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	38	26	5	3
Land in farms — acres	5 124	5 791	1 783	3 412
Harvested cropland — acres	307	510	136	52
Full owners — number	25	18	2	2
Land in farms — acres	2 965	2 032	(D)	379
Harvested cropland — acres	163	447	66	52
Part owners — number	7	4	2	1
Land in farms — acres	1 127	3 109	(D)	3 033
Harvested cropland — acres	124	15	70	–
Tenants — number	6	4	1	–
Land in farms — acres	1 032	650	100	–
Harvested cropland — acres	20	48	–	–
Percent of tenancy	15.8	15.3	20.0	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	201	228
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	74 093	76 164

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	11
Partnership — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 251	11 879
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	5
Corporation — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 502	6 806
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20	449
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	7	4	4	3
25 to 34 years	52	61	14	27
35 to 44 years	82	142	40	50
45 to 54 years	169	179	66	58
55 to 64 years	132	178	46	64
65 years and over	98	111	40	44
Average age	52.0	51.5	52.6	51.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	311	438	131	153
On another farm	6		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	26	152	13	66
In a city, town, or urban area	94		41	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	130	(NA)	66	(NA)
1 to 49 days	29	17	7	6
50 to 99 days	11	25	3	12
100 to 149 days	15	52	5	18
150 to 199 days	25		2	
200 days and over	244	409	75	116
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	182	(NA)	105	(NA)
Other	358	(NA)	105	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	22	31	20	31
$40,000 to $99,999	20		18	
$20,000 to $39,999	18	20	17	20
$10,000 to $19,999	34	17	33	17
$5,000 to $9,999	48	66	47	66
$2,500 to $4,999	65	87	65	83
Under $2,500 (see text)	350	454	20	29
$2,000 to $2,499	42	32	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	50	36	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	70	65	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	188	321	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 267	5 202	6 370	4 421
Average per farm ... dollars	13 047	7 706	28 954	17 971
Crops, including hay ... farms	134	144	72	(NA)
$1,000	1 668	923	1 553	693
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	14		8	4
$1,000	548		540	175
Forest products ... farms	14	12	8	7
$1,000	46	5	45	3
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	485	565	192	225
$1,000	5 004	4 275	4 232	3 550
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	10	(NA)	3	8
$1,000	293	(NA)	250	230

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	72	(NA)
$1,000	1 553	693
Grains ... farms	32	30
$1,000	1 268	342
Tobacco ... farms	-	-
$1,000	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	-	-
$1,000	-	-
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	40	39
$1,000	174	75
Other field crops ... farms	6	4
$1,000	97	253
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	4
$1,000	4	5
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	3	19
$1,000	9	18
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	192	225
$1,000	4 232	3 550
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	8
$1,000	250	230
Dairy products ... farms	22	31
$1,000	1 952	1 573
Cattle and calves ... farms	177	(NA)
$1,000	1 650	1 617
Hogs and pigs ... farms	4	(NA)
$1,000	13	130
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	-	
$1,000	-	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	26	
$1,000	366	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	354	(NA)	99	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	112	(NA)	61	(NA)
$1,000	157	(NA)	126	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	18	23	9	13
$1,000	54	62	37	56
Recreational services ... farms	2	4	2	2
$1,000	(D)	8	(D)	7
Government farm programs ... farms	70	86	34	52
$1,000	30	38	19	32
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	21	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	37	(NA)	34	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	17	(NA)	11	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	39	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	65	(NA)	52	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	137
$1,000	2 259
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	27
$1,000	546
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	85
$1,000	1 154
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	73
$1,000	293
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	39
$1,000	205
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	19
$1,000	61

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	557	675	220	246
$1,000	6 884	5 034	5 337	3 900
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	144	222	5	33
$1,000 to $1,999	104	152	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	58	74	13	27
$3,000 to $4,999	76	81	39	48
$5,000 to $9,999	80	68	59	63
$10,000 to $19,999	37	78	35	30
$20,000 to $39,999	21		20	19
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	26
$60,000 and over	30		27	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	213	284	90	121
$1,000	1 007	995	827	813
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	460	563	177	203
$1,000	1 706	1 257	1 274	882
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	342	349	164	172
$1,000	1 400	888	1 143	749
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	40	47
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	28	38
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	53	45
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	53	38
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	56
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	50	57
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	104	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	255	231	99	93
$1,000	190	109	157	85
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	381	468	166	182
$1,000	589	350	454	282
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	159	(NA)	86	(NA)
$1,000	160	107	139	86
Lime ... farms	(NA)	93	34	44
$1,000	(NA)	55	33	47
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	534	654	216	244
$1,000	326	238	247	160
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	182	217
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	113	83
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	107	119
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	76	43
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	17
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	216	244
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	17
Hired farm labor ... farms	178	321	108	167
$1,000	913	710	567	558
Contract labor ... farms	21	198	9	24
$1,000	15	148	13	28
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	149		68	90
$1,000	79		64	71
All other production expenses ... farms	484	507	212	236
$1,000	1 899	1 120	1 541	935

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—forms	505	648	201	238
$1,000	6 478	4 567	3 912	2 816
Average per form—dollars	12 827	7 047	19 464	11 830
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	75	–	97
$1,000 to $4,999	133	330	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	186	151	45	69
$10,000 to $19,999	103	52	56	36
$20,000 to $29,999	30	40	23	18
$30,000 to $49,999	31		27	9
$50,000 to $69,999	11		8	9
$70,000 and over	9		7	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—forms	313	390	137	156
number	398	543	192	219
mfd in last 5 years, number	192	403	121	173
Motor trucks, including pickups—forms	405	455	172	176
number	555	597	267	252
mfd in last 5 years, number	220	374	115	165
Wheel tractors—forms	452	531	182	213
number	740	852	346	387
mfd in last 5 years, number	179	414	104	226
Crawler tractors—forms	22		16	15
number	25		17	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		5	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Groin and bean combines, self-propelled—forms	22	19	19	17
number	25	31	22	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	17	4	16
Corn heads for combines—forms	3	17	2	1
number	3	21	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	15	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—forms	18		16	9
number	18		16	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		2	10
Mower conditioners—forms	75	(NA)	43	(NA)
number	92	(NA)	55	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	36	(NA)	23	(NA)
Pickup balers—forms	87	91	64	51
number	95	96	71	56
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	54	21	38
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	44	(NA)	29	36
number	45	(NA)	30	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	9	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—forms	22	(NA)	16	15
number	27	(NA)	20	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	10	12

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	497	(X)	198	(X)	485	(X)	192	(X)	4 232
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	465	(X)	176	(X)	465	(X)	177	(X)	1 664
1969	550	(X)	210	(X)	525	(X)	214	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	465	30 556	176	21 385	464	13 250	177	10 431	1 650
1969	541	32 000	208	23 746	518	15 221	211	12 316	1 617
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	9	24	3	8	132	339	8	18	3
5 to 9—1974	24	165	3	21	102	682	1	7	1
10 to 19—1974	94	1 298	3	43	71	962	27	423	86
20 to 49—1974	165	4 941	37	1 233	93	2 908	79	2 517	407
50 to 99—1974	88	6 011	49	3 514	36	2 587	34	2 414	293
100 to 199—1974	52	7 299	50	7 007	21	2 671	20	(D)	348
200 to 499—1974	29	8 260	28	7 939	8	(D)	8	(D)	512
500 and over—1974	4	2 558	3	1 620	1	(D)	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	385	17 946	160	12 752	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	465	18 531	196	14 255	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	368	15 059	145	10 067	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	15 313	176	11 396	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	54	2 887	37	2 685	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	96	3 218	41	2 859	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	1 952
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	31	(X)	1 573

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	368	15 059	145	10 067			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	25	68	4	10			
5 to 9	40	270	1	9			
10 to 19	73	1 019	14	189			
20 to 49	141	4 187	47	1 519			
50 to 99	56	3 822	48	3 308			
100 to 199	26	3 380	25	3 249			
200 to 499	6	(D)	6	1 783			
500 and over	1	(D)	–	–			
Milk cows	54	2 887	37	2 685			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	22	32	12	17			
3 or 4	4	13	2	7			
5 to 9	2	16	–	–			
10 to 19	3	36	1	10			
20 to 49	3	93	3	93			
50 to 99	6	480	6	480			
100 to 199	11	1 542	10	1 403			
200 to 499	3	675	3	675			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					133	4 090	1 047
Forms with—							
1 to 4					13	31	7
5 to 9					23	166	31
10 to 19					47	630	145
20 to 49					34	1 021	268
50 to 99					5	324	54
100 to 199					7	830	187
200 to 499					4	1 088	356
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					146	6 341	603
Forms with—							
1 or 2					2	4	(Z)
3 or 4					4	14	1
5 to 9					13	102	14
10 to 19					30	402	45
20 to 49					54	1 620	165
50 to 99					26	1 715	177
100 to 199					13	1 590	121
200 to 499					4	894	80
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	142	5 031
	1969	170	5 849
Beef heifers	1974	126	3 688
Milk heifers	1974	25	1 343
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	140	3 602
	1969	188	3 642

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	12	371	132
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	3	20	4
10 to 19	1974	7	115	19
20 to 49	1974	1	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	28	629	8	109	10	1 045	4	405	13
	1969	44	1 312	15	148	21	2 197	12	782	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	23	54	5	8	4	10	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	1	9	–	–	2	10	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	2	36	2	36	1	14	1	14	1
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	38	1	(D)	2
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	1	65	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	11
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	301	1	300	5
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	219	3	119	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	5	386	1	2	2	113	–	–	(NA)
	1969	12	648	4	34	9	260	3	27	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	35	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	170	918	76	569	41	172	23	131	97
	1969	260	1 553	(NA)	(NA)	60	229	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	3	38
	1969	9	70
Other hogs and pigs	1974	8	71
	1969	11	78
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	2
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	7	153	3	43
	1969	15	261	9	72
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	5	81	2	22
	1969	13	143	7	35
June 1 and November 30	1974	6	72	2	21
	1969	10	118	7	37

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	60	(X)	17	(X)	5	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	59	34 612	17	25 495	4	34 446	1	(D)
	1969	87	40 220	19	30 888	10	34 119	6	26 659
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	54	27 402	17	(D)	4	33 441	1	(D)
	1969	75	39 563	18	30 852	10	33 969	6	26 659
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	49	982	14	278	1	6	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	200	2	200	1	385	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	243	3	206	2	(D)	–	–
	1969	4	445	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	293	3	250
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	230

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	17	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	18	30 852	6	26 659
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	100	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	6	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	17	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	58	75	1 587	1 450	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	13	6	365	(D)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	28	27	7 492	7 181	195 652	140 542
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1	2	4	25	100	480
Other small grains for grain	6	6	172	97	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	3	5	32	30	35	23
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	15	(NA)	13	(NA)	1 997	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	11	(NA)	157	(NA)	23 131	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	245	260	7 828	7 433	14 583	13 504
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	13	20	30	89	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	22	45	269	679	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	32	(NA)	1 196	1 208	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	24	25	794	604	49 321	32 048	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	7	466	443	4 781	5 020	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	8	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	100	500	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	74	59	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	2	256	105	243	196	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	131	23 792	(X)	–	–	68	5 960	67	845	1	9
	1969	143	21 970	(X)	–	–	71	6 285	67	998	7	131
Improved pasture	1974	57	9 398	(X)	–	–	28	3 431	28	511	–	–
	1969	74	17 483	(X)	–	–	40	4 863	38	875	3	48
Corn for all purposes	1974	29	1 260	(X)	–	–	24	1 043	24	217	1	1
	1969	28	1 055	(X)	–	–	21	917	19	150	3	73
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	174	(X)	–	–	3	74	3	18	–	–
	1969	4	559	(X)	–	–	4	559	4	69	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	25	480	1	15	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	115	6 250	–	–	1	100	1	25	–	–
	1969	3	41	1 555	–	–	3	41	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	30	708	–	–	1	30	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	20	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	5	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	25	7 412	193 352	–	–	17	4 956	14	550	3	6
	1969	24	7 116	138 492	–	–	17	4 543	(NA)	539	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	124	5 531	10 531	–	–	64	3 079	64	536	1	48
	1969	119	5 496	10 332	–	–	55	2 855	52	584	4	53
Field seed crops	1974	11	899	(X)	–	–	4	204	4	41	–	–
	1969	13	1 121	(X)	–	–	5	338	5	40	1	5
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish pototoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	32	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	50	4 012	–	–	2	50	(NA)	40	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	5	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	4	27	(X)	–	–	3	23	3	7	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	201	(X)	–	–	3	89	3	15	–	–
	1969	25	552	(X)	–	–	11	258	11	58	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	8	232	(X)	1	3	2	13	1	5	1	2
1969	4	8	(X)	1	2	2	2	2	(Z)	1	2
Other crops 1974	6	159	(X)	–	–	6	159	5	31	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	175	197
$1,000	593	368
Commercial fertilizer—farms	166	157
acres on which used	19 229	21 217
tons	2 870	3 736
$1,000	454	282
Lime—farms	34	44
acres on which used	1 674	3 841
tons	2 563	4 872
$1,000	33	47
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	7	9
acres on which used	393	335
$1,000	2	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	13	19
acres on which used	1 953	3 625
$1,000	23	8
Nemotodes in crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	1	82
$1,000	(Z)	3

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	2	3
acres on which used	86	170
$1,000	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	23	19
acres on which used	5 903	4 370
$1,000	51	15
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	16	27
acres on which used	1 273	3 727
$1,000	4	5
Weeds on all other land—farms	7	(NA)
acres on which used	79	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	–
acres on which used	136	–
$1,000	1	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	18	75
$1,000	18	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	26	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—forms	3	2
Proportion of farms—percent	1.4	0.8
Total land irrigated—acres	5	18
Average per farm—acres	1.7	9.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	2
acres	5	18
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	2
acres	5	18
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	24	15
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	4.9	0.8
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	5	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	130	354
Cropland—acres	29	252
Harvested cropland—acres	5	52
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	50	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	21	24
Proportion of farms—percent	9.5	9.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	4 914	14 898
Land drained—acres	3 476	14 308
Average per farm—acres	165.5	596.1
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	83	(NA)
number	409	(NA)
acres	286	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	68	47	38
$1,000	2 815	2 104	711
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	6	4	10
$5,000 to $9,999	13	8	11
$10,000 to $29,999	23	17	8
$30,000 to $49,999	11	6	5
$50,000 and over	15	12	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	41	68	108	167	459	558
25 to 149 days	31	139	89	720	81	
Less than 25 days	65		366		28	
Total contract labor	9	24	(NA)	(NA)	13	28
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	13	(NA)	5	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	108	41	31	65
Cash wages paid—$1,000	567	459	81	28
Number of workers	563	108	89	366
Farms with—				
1 worker	42	20	14	21
2 workers	8	6	7	6
3 or 4 workers	17	8	5	12
5 to 9 workers	22	6	2	14
10 workers and over	19	1	3	12

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	387	445	351	344
Land in farms — acres	228 719	211 010	225 723	206 230
Average size of farm — acres	591	474	643	600
Approximate land area — acres	278 720	278 720	278 720	278 720
Proportion in farms — percent	82.1	75.7	81.0	74.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	118 119	76 545	116 347	74 262
Average per farm — dollars	305 218	172 010	331 474	215 877
Average per acre — dollars	516	363	515	360
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	3	6	1	–
10 to 49 acres	67	99	47	28
50 to 69 acres	29	35	25	20
70 to 99 acres	35	48	31	44
100 to 139 acres	25	29	24	29
140 to 179 acres	23	24	22	21
180 to 219 acres	15	19	13	18
220 to 259 acres	13	18	12	18
260 to 499 acres	62	59	62	59
500 to 999 acres	55	47	55	47
1,000 to 1,999 acres	44	43	43	42
2,000 acres and over	16	18	16	18

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	110	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	16 894	11 574
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	8	5
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	988	557
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	46	21
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	5 678	2 727
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	12	52
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — acres	918	4 993
Cropland idle — farms	56	60
Cropland idle — acres	9 310	3 297
Total woodland — farms	34	59
Total woodland — acres	16 683	12 563
Woodland pastured — farms	12	20
Woodland pastured — acres	241	854

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	377	434	348	340
Total cropland — acres	193 207	175 471	190 944	172 090
Harvested cropland — farms	369	408	348	333
Harvested cropland — acres	171 168	157 193	169 965	154 771
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	10	19	3	
10 to 19 acres	23	24	12	45
20 to 29 acres	20	27	18	
30 to 49 acres	36	49	36	
50 to 99 acres	58	59	58	59
100 to 199 acres	39	58	39	58
200 to 499 acres	86	78	86	78
500 to 999 acres	53	49	52	48
1,000 acres and over	44	45	44	45
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	48	104	29	70
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	5 123	6 247	4 085	5 745
Other cropland (see text) — farms	116	137	110	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	16 916	12 031	16 894	11 574
Total woodland — farms	40	92	34	59
Total woodland — acres	17 082	13 260	16 683	12 563
Other land (see text) — farms	225	304	212	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	18 430	22 279	18 096	21 577
Irrigated land — farms	11	34	11	32
Irrigated land — acres	3 801	6 652	3 801	6 634

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	23	41
Woodland not pastured — acres	16 442	11 709
Other land — farms	212	(NA)
Other land — acres	18 096	21 577
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	42	31
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	11 880	9 574
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	13
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	1 895	8 379
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	26	19
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	9 985	1 195
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	206	222
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	6 216	12 003

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	387	445	351	344
Land in farms — acres	228 719	211 010	225 723	206 230
Harvested cropland — acres	171 168	157 193	169 965	154 771
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	154	191	121	116
Land in farms — acres	49 010	48 060	46 069	44 415
Harvested cropland — acres	35 993	32 642	34 830	30 793
Part owners — number	147	173	147	164
Land in farms — acres	138 719	128 879	138 719	128 374
Harvested cropland — acres	100 461	96 204	100 461	95 987
Tenants — number	86	81	83	64
Land in farms — acres	40 990	34 071	40 935	33 441
Harvested cropland — acres	34 714	28 347	34 674	27 991
Percent of tenancy	22.2	18.2	23.6	18.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	64	94	51	42
Land in farms — acres	15 687	10 359	15 307	8 452
Harvested cropland — acres	10 475	7 661	10 377	6 789
Full owners — number	37	53	24	14
Land in farms — acres	1 437	3 645	1 057	2 303
Harvested cropland — acres	829	2 460	731	1 927
Part owners — number	19	26	19	21
Land in farms — acres	13 920	5 608	13 920	5 329
Harvested cropland — acres	9 362	4 352	9 362	4 196
Tenants — number	8	15	8	7
Land in farms — acres	330	1 106	330	820
Harvested cropland — acres	284	849	284	666
Percent of tenancy	12.5	15.9	15.7	16.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	313	278
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	143 557	126 010

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	16	52
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 137	49 537
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	22	14
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	74 029	30 683
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	11	15	11	13
25 to 34 years	61	51	56	46
35 to 44 years	73	96	70	76
45 to 54 years	64	128	64	96
55 to 64 years	111	98	96	76
65 years and over	44	57	32	37
Average age	48.8	48.9	47.9	47.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	209	306	194	244
On another farm	4		4	
In a rural area, not on a farm	17	87	13	65
In a city, town, or urban area	28		22	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	212	(NA)	198	(NA)
1 to 49 days	19	49	16	39
50 to 99 days	9	17	9	11
100 to 149 days	11	35	11	13
150 to 199 days	10		8	
200 days and over	42	70	33	38
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	323	(NA)	301	(NA)
Other	41	(NA)	28	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	81	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	86	94	85	94
$40,000 to $99,999	80		80	
$20,000 to $39,999	54	41	54	41
$10,000 to $19,999	47	80	47	80
$5,000 to $9,999	39	60	39	60
$2,500 to $4,999	46	60	46	59
Under $2,500 (see text)	35	110	–	10
$2,000 to $2,499	7	21	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	8	19	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	5	18	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	15	52	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold $1,000	33 060	13 297	32 753	13 103
Average per farm ..... dollars	85 427	29 880	93 314	38 091
Crops, including hay ..... farms	365	408	345	(NA)
$1,000	32 608	12 283	32 333	12 115
Nursery and greenhouse products ..... farms	1		1	–
$1,000	3		3	–
Forest products ..... farms	6	7	6	5
$1,000	1	42	1	42
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	77	104	60	72
$1,000	448	972	416	947
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms	4	(NA)	2	5
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	46

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ..... farms	345	(NA)
$1,000	32 333	12 115
Grains ..... farms	317	319
$1,000	22 702	7 283
Tobacco ..... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	228	278
$1,000	9 486	4 719
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ..... farms	7	18
$1,000	(D)	56
Other field crops ..... farms	2	2
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms	9	28
$1,000	45	43
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	60	72
$1,000	416	947
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms	2	5
$1,000	1	46
Dairy products ..... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)
Cattle and calves ..... farms	40	(NA)
$1,000	360	(D)
Hogs and pigs ..... farms	18	(NA)
$1,000	28	47
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ..... farms	7	
$1,000	27	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	50	(NA)	37	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ..... farms	83	(NA)	77	(NA)
$1,000	724	(NA)	699	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms	42	55	39	50
$1,000	251	205	246	197
Recreational services ..... farms	10	8	7	6
$1,000	18	7	16	7
Government farm programs ..... farms	28	278	28	233
$1,000	73	2 372	73	2 329
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ..... farms	29	(NA)	24	(NA)
$1,000	339	(NA)	321	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ..... farms	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	43	(NA)	43	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ..... farms	33	(NA)	33	(NA)
$1,000	212	(NA)	212	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ..... farms	138
$1,000	840
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ..... farms	21
$1,000	88
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ..... farms	92
$1,000	531
Interest, dividends, or royalties ..... farms	36
$1,000	134
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ..... farms	12
$1,000	70
Rent income of nonfarm property ..... farms	6
$1,000	18

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ..... farms	387	445	351	344
$1,000	21 303	11 998	21 069	11 847
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	23	51	4	14
$1,000 to $1,999	30	42	24	
$2,000 to $2,999	26	39	23	29
$3,000 to $4,999	36	56	31	46
$5,000 to $9,999	42	59	40	58
$10,000 to $19,999	59		59	69
$20,000 to $39,999	45	198	45	48
$40,000 to $59,999	31		31	80
$60,000 and over	95		94	
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms	49	64	42	41
$1,000	378	420	363	417
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms	77	120	55	81
$1,000	123	147	99	139
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms	52	65	41	45
$1,000	64	81	48	77
Feed ingredients ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	22
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	14
Whole grains ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	24
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	23
Hay, green chop, and silage ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	28
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	25
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ..... farms	312	368	289	307
$1,000	1 496	628	1 490	616
Commercial fertilizer purchased ..... farms	274	366	256	308
$1,000	1 163	421	1 134	413
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ..... farms	257	(NA)	249	(NA)
$1,000	3 244	1 460	3 230	1 450
Lime ..... farms	(NA)	17	2	16
$1,000	(NA)	16	6	16
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ..... farms	384	441	349	343
$1,000	1 765	1 062	1 752	1 029
Gasoline ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	272	307
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	469	297
Diesel oil ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	252	248
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	767	453
LP gas, butane, and propane ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	191	220
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	340	184
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	349	343
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	176	95
Hired farm labor ..... farms	207	307	197	274
$1,000	2 490	2 012	2 488	1 997
Contract labor ..... farms	57	263	54	46
$1,000	170	714	169	126
Machine hire and customwork ..... farms	153		142	201
$1,000	828		825	572
All other production expenses ..... farms	382	396	351	340
$1,000	9 646	5 134	9 508	5 087

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	387	435	351	338
$1,000	22 921	13 454	22 633	12 676
Average per farm—dollars	59 229	30 927	64 481	37 503
Forms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	13	–	54
$1,000 to $4,999	39	110	28	
$5,000 to $9,999	61	54	43	42
$10,000 to $19,999	45	72	41	63
$20,000 to $29,999	39	186	39	52
$30,000 to $49,999	89		87	43
$50,000 to $69,999	34		34	84
$70,000 and over	79		79	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	320	331	293	267
number	445	410	408	339
mfd in last 5 years, number	342	323	322	276
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	348	375	327	310
number	873	806	844	727
mfd in last 5 years, number	479	500	466	463
Wheel tractors—farms	348	403	324	317
number	1 188	1 332	1 158	1 156
mfd in last 5 years, number	542	778	532	714
Crawler tractors—farms	19		18	30
number	26		23	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	191	199	190	189
number	332	313	331	299
mfd in last 5 years, number	143	220	143	209
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	17	1	9
number	1	20	1	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	8	1	4
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	34		34	9
number	38		38	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	4
Mower conditioners—farms	13	(NA)	13	(NA)
number	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	41	26	39	24
number	41	30	39	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	16	7	16
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	34	(NA)	34	13
number	34	(NA)	34	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	10
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	5
number	4	(NA)	4	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	105	(X)	83	(X)	77	(X)	60	(X)	416
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	97	(X)	75	(X)	72	(X)	55	(X)	388
1969	137	(X)	92	(X)	97	(X)	67	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	76	7 773	59	7 338	55	2 576	40	2 453	360
1969	114	8 341	81	8 135	76	5 181	56	5 062	(D)
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	18	44	14	33	14	26	9	17	2
5 to 9—1974	10	70	9	65	13	89	7	47	11
10 to 19—1974	7	98	6	82	9	121	8	111	30
20 to 49—1974	21	676	12	411	7	169	4	107	34
50 to 99—1974	8	499	6	361	3	186	3	186	27
100 to 199—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	771	5	771	108
200 to 499—1974	9	2 675	9	2 675	4	1 214	4	1 214	148
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	65	2 221	49	1 951	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	97	3 337	69	3 234	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	51	2 180	39	1 920	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 164	49	3 105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	20	41	14	31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	50	173	34	129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	51	2 180	39	1 920			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	12	21	11	17			
5 to 9	4	30	4	30			
10 to 19	3	36	3	36			
20 to 49	22	552	11	296			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	4	490	4	490			
200 to 499	4	(D)	4	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	20	41	14	31			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	18	29	13	24			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	2	12	1	7			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold	23	543	134				
Forms with—							
1 to 4	5	10	5				
5 to 9	6	33	24				
10 to 19	2	36	5				
20 to 49	6	131	46				
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)				
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)				
200 to 499	–	–	–				
500 and over	–	–	–				
Calves sold	35	1 910	225				
Forms with—							
1 or 2	7	9	1				
3 or 4	5	17	2				
5 to 9	8	55	4				
10 to 19	3	35	3				
20 to 49	3	85	11				
50 to 99	3	267	36				
100 to 199	3	438	63				
200 to 499	3	1 004	106				
500 and over	–	–	–				

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	37	3 647
	1969	59	1 202
Beef heifers	1974	32	3 636
Milk heifers	1974	5	11
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	46	1 740
	1969	66	3 699

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	1	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	36	451	28	227	21	676	18	467	28
	1969	54	1 015	30	739	27	1 261	15	1 001	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	18	35	17	31	6	11	5	7	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	54	4	21	3	22	3	22	1
10 to 24	1974	5	71	4	61	1	10	1	10	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	3	114	3	114	8	256	7	228	13
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	177	–	–	3	377	2	200	13
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	5	1	5	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	235	3	207	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	8	2	4	1	4	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	39	1	11	3	8	1	2	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(NA)	(NA)	2	88	1
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	26	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	25	134	20	128	3	12	3	12	26
	1969	52	332	(NA)	(NA)	8	28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	11	28
	1969	12	47
Other hogs and pigs	1974	28	199
	1969	28	692
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	4
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	25	61	19	51
	1969	26	105	13	60
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	23	39	17	31
	1969	24	71	12	40
June 1 and November 30	1974	10	22	9	20
	1969	14	34	7	20

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	29	(X)	21	(X)	4	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	29	1 092	21	794	3	57	1	17
	1969	57	3 248	30	2 463	3	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	25	727	21	669	3	57	1	17
	1969	53	3 033	29	2 413	2	856	2	856
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	25	727	21	669	3	57	1	17
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	41	1	41	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	70	3	70	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	1	2	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	46

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and aver			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	21	669	1	17
	1969	29	2 413	2	856
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	20	561	1	17
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	108	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	72	–	–
	1969	2	38	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	10	53	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	56	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	58	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	51	–	–
Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	9	26	148	473	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	140	130	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	325	341	113 947	112 927	3 153 925	2 831 863
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	1	–	1	–	200
Wheat (bushels)	36	56	6 430	5 122	185 294	139 439
Other small grains for grain	13	24	4 380	5 421	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	238	331	47 027	32 662	46 805	42 679
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	85	(NA)	7 580	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	31	(NA)	5 530	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	20	36	2 322	2 072	2 814	3 925
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	4	3	17	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	23	29	1 690	820	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1	(NA)	2	68	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and aver									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	11	94	65	3 019	3 720	–	1	–	3
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	4	50	300	1 000	3 950	1	–	50	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	2	140	130	(D)	5 536	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	5	–	112	–	229	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	29	4 085	(X)	–	–	8	1 880	7	124	1	5
	1969	70	5 745	(X)	1	4	16	2 492	16	247	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	16	1 895	(X)	–	–	3	620	3	144	1	19
	1969	13	8 379	(X)	–	–	4	3 340	4	156	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	5	144	(X)	1	50	4	135	3	17	1	7
	1969	15	365	(X)	1	3	13	356	7	5	7	35
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	140	(X)	–	–	2	140	–	–	2	44
	1969	2	130	(X)	–	–	1	35	–	–	1	5
Wheat (bushels)	1974	36	6 430	185 294	1	20	28	6 130	23	382	8	284
	1969	52	5 048	137 249	2	51	48	4 733	(NA)	238	(NA)	104
Oats (bushels)	1974	6	849	53 272	–	–	2	817	–	–	2	77
	1969	15	1 267	72 226	–	–	13	1 250	(NA)	52	(NA)	51
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	8	3 531	(X)	8	3 531	8	3 531	7	411	1	45
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	316	113 334	3 139 856	2	200	7	2 826	7	283	–	–
	1969	295	111 420	2 793 503	10	676	10	7 551	(NA)	926	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	18	2 302	2 768	–	–	8	1 542	7	99	2	35
	1969	31	2 051	3 895	–	–	4	373	3	32	1	4
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	228	46 485	45 816	–	–	219	45 698	54	1 395	173	3 662
	1969	275	32 003	41 955	19	1 734	259	31 487	(NA)	1 226	(NA)	1 902
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	85	7 580	2	1	3	85	3	15	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	3	3	(X)	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	3	16	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	20	1 666	(X)	–	–	4	256	4	27	–	–
	1969	24	784	(X)	1	10	10	242	9	36	1	6

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	33	(X)	–	–	2	31	1	(Z)	1	3

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	287	329
$1,000	4 364	1 864
Commercial fertilizer—farms	256	287
acres on which used	64 509	56 092
tons	7 145	5 470
$1,000	1 134	413
Lime—farms	2	16
acres on which used	719	1 197
tons	719	1 998
$1,000	6	16
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	6	40
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	185	262
acres on which used	76 065	51 682
$1,000	1 473	615
Nematodes in crops—farms	6	4
acres on which used	3 928	553
$1,000	77	18

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	14	7
acres on which used	7 330	2 443
$1,000	123	5
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	142	224
acres on which used	95 278	102 969
$1,000	1 284	721
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	3	3
acres on which used	490	615
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	1 771	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	108	165
acres on which used	27 850	27 265
$1,000	192	71
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	5	17
$1,000	7	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	29	(NA)
$1,000	56	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	11	32
Proportion of farms—percent	3.1	9.3
Total land irrigated—acres	3 801	6 634
Average per farm—acres	345.5	207.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	11	32
acres	3 801	6 634
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	11	32
acres	3 801	6 630
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	4
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	5 076	11 796
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	1.8
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	270	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	32 045	49 125
Cropland—acres	28 792	39 702
Harvested cropland—acres	27 388	35 472
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	4	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	610	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	79	144
Proportion of farms—percent	22.5	41.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	63 850	122 315
Land drained—acres	56 738	108 377
Average per farm—acres	718.2	752.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	14	(NA)
number	43	(NA)
acres	200	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	174	133	107
$1,000	16 030	12 065	3 965
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	27	22	37
$5,000 to $9,999	16	16	8
$10,000 to $29,999	36	28	24
$30,000 to $49,999	21	17	14
$50,000 and over	74	50	24

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	115	129	444	474	1 956	1 997
25 to 149 days	73	219	329	1 567	283	
Less than 25 days	109		1 487		250	
Total contract labor	54	46	(NA)	(NA)	169	126
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	33	(NA)	1 330	(NA)	142	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	197	115	73	109
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 488	1 956	283	250
Number of workers	2 260	444	329	1 487
Farms with—				
1 worker	41	32	20	29
2 workers	23	25	16	9
3 or 4 workers	37	26	21	15
5 to 9 workers	41	21	9	18
10 workers and over	55	11	7	38

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	502	503	229	222
Land in farms — acres	155 047	184 764	122 364	146 366
Average size of farm — acres	309	367	534	659
Approximate land area — acres	290 496	290 496	290 496	290 496
Proportion in farms — percent	53.4	63.6	42.1	50.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	71 503	44 506	51 537	30 559
Average per farm — dollars	142 436	88 481	225 052	137 654
Average per acre — dollars	461	241	421	209
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	35	14	9	–
10 to 49 acres	86	60	12	2
50 to 69 acres	45	42	10	6
70 to 99 acres	51	55	11	12
100 to 139 acres	62	65	26	13
140 to 179 acres	40	57	24	21
180 to 219 acres	33	41	15	21
220 to 259 acres	18	24	10	19
260 to 499 acres	61	50	47	43
500 to 999 acres	36	53	32	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres	27	30	26	26
2,000 acres and over	8	12	7	11

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	13	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	1 607	3 393
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	14
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	150	959
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	7
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	–	579
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	3	7
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — acres	239	194
Cropland idle — farms	8	13
Cropland idle — acres	1 218	1 661
Total woodland — farms	138	180
Total woodland — acres	44 792	64 673
Woodland pastured — farms	113	150
Woodland pastured — acres	24 992	38 447

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	437	447	199	211
Total cropland — acres	63 481	71 429	46 622	55 939
Harvested cropland — farms	296	330	165	174
Harvested cropland — acres	19 316	25 452	16 925	22 103
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	72	84	17	
10 to 19 acres	75	68	26	99
20 to 29 acres	48	59	33	
30 to 49 acres	33	37	26	
50 to 99 acres	29	35	25	30
100 to 199 acres	16	19	16	18
200 to 499 acres	17	19	17	19
500 to 999 acres	4	5	3	5
1,000 acres and over	2	4	2	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	312	375	132	163
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	41 730	41 814	28 090	30 443
Other cropland (see text) — farms	42	71	13	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	2 435	4 163	1 607	3 393
Total woodland — farms	267	366	138	180
Total woodland — acres	54 922	81 817	44 792	64 673
Other land (see text) — farms	339	337	158	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	36 644	31 518	30 950	25 754
Irrigated land — farms	7	3	5	–
Irrigated land — acres	137	18	102	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	51	58
Woodland not pastured — acres	19 800	26 226
Other land — farms	158	(NA)
Other land — acres	30 950	25 754
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	108	79
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	26 334	23 291
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	74	66
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	14 080	16 097
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	49	27
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	12 254	7 194
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	140	110
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	4 616	2 463

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	502	503	229	222
Land in farms — acres	155 047	184 764	122 364	146 366
Harvested cropland — acres	19 316	25 452	16 925	22 103
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	366	343	154	136
Land in farms — acres	91 360	106 175	65 434	74 794
Harvested cropland — acres	7 743	9 471	5 808	6 741
Part owners — number	93	104	60	70
Land in farms — acres	54 808	67 194	51 796	64 335
Harvested cropland — acres	11 007	14 513	10 770	14 193
Tenants — number	43	56	15	16
Land in farms — acres	8 879	11 395	5 134	7 237
Harvested cropland — acres	566	1 468	347	1 169
Percent of tenancy	8.6	11.1	6.6	7.2
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	80	87	5	5
Land in farms — acres	4 450	6 854	440	1 035
Harvested cropland — acres	548	788	104	210
Full owners — number	66	68	5	5
Land in farms — acres	3 388	6 072	440	1 035
Harvested cropland — acres	433	603	104	210
Part owners — number	8	6	–	–
Land in farms — acres	320	480	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	69	108	–	–
Tenants — number	6	13	–	–
Land in farms — acres	742	302	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	46	77	–	–
Percent of tenancy	7.5	14.9	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	214	199
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	104 158	122 515

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	18
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 752	19 493
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 294	3 557
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	160	801
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	5	–	3
25 to 34 years	68	64	17	21
35 to 44 years	70	73	39	42
45 to 54 years	96	119	55	61
55 to 64 years	123	131	60	50
65 years and over	136	111	52	45
Average age	54.1	52.6	54.9	52.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	268	341	120	145
On another farm	8		4	
In a rural area, not on a farm	23	89	16	50
In a city, town, or urban area	86		41	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	137	(NA)	62	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	45	6	18
50 to 99 days	9	22	4	6
100 to 149 days	21	37	6	11
150 to 199 days	13		3	
200 days and over	228	233	95	89
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	177	(NA)	108	(NA)
Other	317	(NA)	115	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	16	29	15	29
$40,000 to $99,999	14		14	
$20,000 to $39,999	34	30	34	30
$10,000 to $19,999	42	29	42	29
$5,000 to $9,999	54	55	54	55
$2,500 to $4,999	58	72	58	70
Under $2,500 (see text)	284	288	12	9
$2,000 to $2,499	37	31	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	34	19	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	62	36	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	151	202	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	6 943	4 711	6 228	4 252
Average per farm ... dollars	13 831	9 365	27 196	19 155
Crops, including hay ... farms	118	163	64	(NA)
$1,000	1 308	827	1 281	789
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	2
$1,000	6		6	(D)
Forest products ... farms	42	50	33	33
$1,000	298	173	296	170
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	457	431	220	215
$1,000	5 331	3 711	4 646	3 294
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	19	(NA)	4	5
$1,000	83	(NA)	3	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	64	(NA)
$1,000	1 281	789
Grains ... farms	22	28
$1,000	1 101	543
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	4
$1,000	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	45	43
$1,000	173	101
Other field crops ... farms	1	9
$1,000	1	70
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	12
$1,000	6	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	220	215
$1,000	4 646	3 294
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	5
$1,000	3	1
Dairy products ... farms	23	34
$1,000	1 975	1 431
Cattle and calves ... farms	218	(NA)
$1,000	2 638	1 841
Hogs and pigs ... farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	5	21
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	2	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	9	
$1,000	22	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	294	(NA)	91	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	121	(NA)	69	(NA)
$1,000	138	(NA)	100	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	20	38	13	24
$1,000	57	53	45	44
Recreational services ... farms	4	–	–	–
$1,000	7	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	82	119	45	67
$1,000	45	49	30	32
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	18	(NA)	14	(NA)
$1,000	17	(NA)	16	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	22	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	25	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	14	(NA)	8	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	146
$1,000	2 661
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	30
$1,000	483
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	101
$1,000	1 660
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	68
$1,000	327
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	33
$1,000	126
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	18
$1,000	65

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	498	503	229	222
$1,000	6 349	4 318	5 219	3 759
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	103	161	4	30
$1,000 to $1,999	110	99	23	
$2,000 to $2,999	46	52	21	26
$3,000 to $4,999	73	51	29	29
$5,000 to $9,999	73	42	61	40
$10,000 to $19,999	46	98	46	52
$20,000 to $39,999	22		21	22
$40,000 to $59,999	2		2	23
$60,000 and over	23		22	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	193	239	106	108
$1,000	702	554	593	480
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	427	423	195	197
$1,000	1 448	771	1 238	657
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	301	279	182	171
$1,000	1 217	590	1 110	539
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	56	55
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	41
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	57	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	77	20
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	24	57
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	117	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	200	247	99	102
$1,000	129	86	113	67
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	362	389	178	191
$1,000	826	575	700	476
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	122	(NA)	77	(NA)
$1,000	100	102	91	92
Lime ... farms	(NA)	96	38	66
$1,000	(NA)	42	24	35
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	457	491	217	220
$1,000	315	237	247	173
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	195	203
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	101
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	121	98
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	69	40
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	63
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	16
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	217	219
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	39	15
Hired farm labor ... farms	190	289	113	174
$1,000	694	555	465	480
Contract labor ... farms	26	215	22	30
$1,000	34	139	34	35
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	168		89	117
$1,000	140		127	87
All other production expenses ... farms	424	374	226	221
$1,000	1 961	1 298	1 567	1 212

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	460	481	210	215
$1,000	6 266	3 694	4 120	2 698
Average per farm—dollars	13 623	7 679	19 621	12 549
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	74	2	81
$1,000 to $4,999	109	206	34	
$5,000 to $9,999	169	111	56	64
$10,000 to $19,999	93	47	49	32
$20,000 to $29,999	49	43	41	19
$30,000 to $49,999	13		12	12
$50,000 to $69,999	9		9	7
$70,000 and over	8		7	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	274	301	130	138
number	336	389	177	189
mfd in last 5 years, number	157	249	109	141
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	361	380	163	177
number	483	483	256	264
mfd in last 5 years, number	211	298	144	183
Wheel tractors—farms	392	373	196	189
number	618	602	387	355
mfd in last 5 years, number	182	318	144	214
Crawler tractors—farms	33		21	21
number	36		24	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		4	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	18	23	17	22
number	23	32	22	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	25	11	25
Corn heads for combines—farms	6	23	5	7
number	7	26	6	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	19	4	7
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	20		17	13
number	21		17	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		1	9
Mower conditioners—farms	76	(NA)	46	(NA)
number	89	(NA)	52	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	89	105	70	75
number	100	114	79	82
mfd in last 5 years, number	32	72	24	58
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	46	(NA)	37	46
number	51	(NA)	41	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	11	30
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	20	(NA)	16	11
number	25	(NA)	21	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	12	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	470	(X)	218	(X)	457	(X)	220	(X)	4 646
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	456	(X)	215	(X)	442	(X)	218	(X)	2 645
1969	450	(X)	205	(X)	425	(X)	214	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	447	40 268	215	32 891	436	15 995	218	14 076	2 638
1969	445	33 171	204	27 152	422	17 095	213	15 264	1 841
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	17	38	2	2	84	231	10	24	5
5 to 9—1974	16	118	–	–	84	525	2	11	1
10 to 19—1974	77	1 072	9	145	77	1 031	32	442	91
20 to 49—1974	135	4 354	38	1 311	107	3 206	91	2 857	602
50 to 99—1974	106	7 292	72	5 110	48	3 460	48	3 460	624
100 to 199—1974	54	7 353	53	7 212	28	3 713	28	3 713	589
200 to 499—1974	30	8 931	30	8 931	6	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	12	11 110	11	10 180	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	385	23 319	204	19 412	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	360	18 764	185	15 728	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	352	20 283	186	16 778	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	15 322	157	12 689	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	79	3 036	46	2 634	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	97	3 442	60	3 039	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	1 975
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	34	(X)	1 431

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	352	20 283	186	16 778	Cattle sold	179	6 726	1 805
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	26	70	6	12	1 to 4	30	60	16
5 to 9	33	236	5	40	5 to 9	26	178	46
10 to 19	50	736	13	212	10 to 19	38	506	149
20 to 49	131	4 142	59	2 047	20 to 49	52	1 582	475
50 to 99	58	3 825	50	3 398	50 to 99	17	1 155	278
100 to 199	34	4 213	34	4 213	100 to 199	13	1 496	319
200 to 499	17	4 361	16	4 156	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	3	2 700	3	2 700	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	79	3 036	46	2 634	Calves sold	175	7 350	834
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	40	53	17	27	1 or 2	7	12	2
3 or 4	5	17	2	6	3 or 4	5	17	1
5 to 9	7	38	2	10	5 to 9	19	128	19
10 to 19	4	43	3	33	10 to 19	34	477	62
20 to 49	3	138	3	138	20 to 49	63	1 958	243
50 to 99	12	894	12	894	50 to 99	33	2 101	251
100 to 199	2	261	2	261	100 to 199	11	1 384	132
200 to 499	6	1 592	5	1 265	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	163	5 912
	1969	164	6 249
Beef heifers	1974	150	4 818
Milk heifers	1974	30	1 094
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	169	7 567
	1969	191	5 175

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	14	1 314	467
	1969	3	157	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	1	7	1
10 to 19	1974	8	97	26
20 to 49	1974	2	57	13
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	71	1 124	15	142	26	691	11	163	5
	1969	79	1 055	23	212	22	748	8	280	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	49	97	7	20	6	17	5	13	1
5 to 9	1974	5	27	3	15	5	29	1	5	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	13	181	4	44	13	142	4	44	2
25 to 49	1974	2	76	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	1	63	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	101	2
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	105	3	80	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	58	3	58	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	39	2	35	1	20	1	20	(NA)
	1969	2	15	1	13	1	8	1	8	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	25	[1]69
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	81	(NA)	(NA)	1	250	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	135	457	64	251	19	49	6	23	14
	1969	194	649	(NA)	(NA)	16	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	37
	1969	11	33
Other hogs and pigs	1974	15	105
	1969	21	179
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	12
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	20
Rams and wethers	1974	2	3

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	14	85	5	14
	1969	31	191	12	68
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	7	37	1	5
	1969	20	99	7	34
June 1 and November 30	1974	11	48	5	9
	1969	21	92	12	34

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	109	(X)	31	(X)	14	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	106	13 704	31	947	8	(D)	2	222
	1969	108	12 798	20	933	3	7 630	2	130
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	101	13 445	29	840	6	(D)	1	221
	1969	101	12 417	20	805	3	7 630	2	130
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	99	2 195	28	590	3	110	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	(D)	1	250	2	(D)	1	221
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	238	2	3	5	79	–	–
	1969	2	48	2	48	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	83	4	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	1

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	29	840	1	221
	1969	20	805	2	130
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	28	822	1	221
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	18	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	4	–	–
	1969	5	79	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	7	103	1	1
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	6	1	8
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	94	123	2 136	3 183	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	6	5	665	356	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	14	22	5 660	10 284	165 986	231 195
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	14	24	18	23	10 800	7 234
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	14	5	381	612	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	23	–	137	–	85
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	16	(NA)	7	(NA)	1 017	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	19	(NA)	10	(NA)	629	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	235	208	9 739	9 791	15 372	16 069
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	8	12	2	16	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	26	57	264	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	2	2	10	(X)	(X)
Other crops	21	(NA)	868	852	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	30	36	1 127	1 751	58 226	48 557	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	3	318	336	3 875	2 675	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	25	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	1	50	20	892	1 785	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	613	336	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	2	–	40	–	145	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	132	28 090	(X)	–	–	74	9 331	71	1 523	3	23
	1969	163	30 443	(X)	–	–	88	8 678	88	1 924	3	16
Improved posture	1974	74	14 080	(X)	1	50	33	5 666	33	907	–	–
	1969	66	16 097	(X)	–	–	39	4 968	38	806	1	251
Corn for all purposes	1974	34	1 445	(X)	–	–	24	1 219	24	259	2	56
	1969	40	2 112	(X)	–	–	33	1 846	33	395	3	99
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	663	(X)	–	–	4	613	4	183	–	–
	1969	5	356	(X)	–	–	5	356	5	82	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	3	166	4 820	–	–	2	16	2	5	–	–
	1969	5	612	36 800	–	–	5	612	(NA)	35	(NA)	40
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	4	135	3 196	1	40	1	20	1	5	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	10	(X)	1	10	1	10	1	2	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	13	5 650	165 706	–	–	8	5 240	8	735	–	–
	1969	21	10 281	231 108	–	–	20	9 781	(NA)	1 499	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	400	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	146	8 170	12 948	–	–	59	4 096	57	786	3	22
	1969	130	7 927	12 838	–	–	67	4 139	66	859	6	78
Field seed crops	1974	14	847	(X)	–	–	7	264	7	96	–	–
	1969	10	781	(X)	–	–	6	330	6	42	1	18
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	6	6	–	–	2	6	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	217	–	–	2	1	2	1	–	–
	1969	7	23	2 121	–	–	2	20	(NA)	7	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	1	(X)	2	1	2	1	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	2	5	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	6	49	(X)	–	–	2	8	2	2	–	–
	1969	13	139	(X)	–	–	4	84	4	41	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	(Z)	(X)	2	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	1	(X)	–	–	2	1	2	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	2	3	(X)	–	–	2	3	2	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	179	195
$1,000	790	569
Commercial fertilizer—farms	178	170
acres on which used	26 487	31 144
tons	4 604	6 276
$1,000	700	476
Lime—farms	38	66
acres on which used	1 385	3 934
tons	1 660	4 817
$1,000	24	35
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	6	7
acres on which used	570	381
$1,000	2	1
Insects on other crops—farms	3	16
acres on which used	3 430	3 179
$1,000	13	5
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	16	23
acres on which used	5 306	8 950
$1,000	39	42
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	17	20
acres on which used	2 475	3 157
$1,000	6	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	44	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	3
acres on which used	200	145
$1,000	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	22	55
$1,000	4	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	5	–
Proportion of farms—percent	2.2	–
Total land irrigated—acres	102	–
Average per farm—acres	20.4	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	–
acres	52	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	–
acres	52	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	–
acres	50	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	141	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	50	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	760	–
Cropland—acres	284	–
Harvested cropland—acres	137	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	–	9
Proportion of farms—percent	–	4.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	–	8 249
Land drained—acres	–	3 397
Average per farm—acres	–	377.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	122	(NA)
number	687	(NA)
acres	781	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	83	59	43
$1,000	2 990	2 093	897
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	13	9	10
$5,000 to $9,999	17	9	9
$10,000 to $29,999	19	15	20
$30,000 to $49,999	14	10	–
$50,000 and over	20	16	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	40	70	97	143	387	480
25 to 149 days	27	137	71	433	47	
Less than 25 days	75		443		30	
Total contract labor	22	30	(NA)	(NA)	34	35
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	45	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	113	40	27	75
Cash wages paid $1,000	465	387	47	30
Number of workers	611	97	71	443
Farms with—				
1 worker	35	18	14	22
2 workers	20	8	5	14
3 or 4 workers	14	10	3	9
5 to 9 workers	27	4	4	15
10 workers and over	17	–	1	15

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	932	1 519	537	687
Land in farms — acres	206 803	222 317	178 427	183 158
Average size of farm — acres	222	146	332	267
Approximate land area — acres	427 840	427 840	427 840	427 840
Proportion in farms — percent	48.3	52.0	41.7	42.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	110 105	70 273	97 080	55 249
Average per farm — dollars	118 138	46 262	180 782	80 421
Average per acre — dollars	532	316	544	302
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	41	78	12	1
10 to 49 acres	317	708	88	162
50 to 69 acres	87	129	46	67
70 to 99 acres	92	127	55	69
100 to 139 acres	95	104	58	63
140 to 179 acres	45	79	36	51
180 to 219 acres	41	42	39	38
220 to 259 acres	21	38	20	33
260 to 499 acres	92	100	88	91
500 to 999 acres	60	84	56	82
1,000 to 1,999 acres	32	24	31	24
2,000 acres and over	9	6	8	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	849	1 376	516	680
acres	143 807	170 065	130 696	145 195
Harvested cropland — farms	622	1 105	484	651
acres	104 911	104 933	103 424	97 938
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	93	185	20	
10 to 19 acres	102	215	54	287
20 to 29 acres	68	178	55	
30 to 49 acres	54	152	51	
50 to 99 acres	80	115	79	105
100 to 199 acres	51	103	51	102
200 to 499 acres	106	106	106	106
500 to 999 acres	55	46	55	46
1,000 acres and over	13	5	13	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	481	770	218	323
acres	33 045	48 164	21 946	33 416
Other cropland (see text) — farms	96	299	72	(NA)
acres	5 851	16 968	5 326	13 841
Total woodland — farms	172	323	94	136
acres	20 269	24 329	11 656	17 650
Other land (see text) — farms	523	791	298	(NA)
acres	42 727	27 923	36 075	20 313
Irrigated land — farms	295	367	257	294
acres	50 189	52 315	49 251	50 898

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	72	(NA)
acres	5 326	13 841
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	9	19
acres	804	1 755
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	9	42
acres	161	2 947
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	13
acres	601	789
Cropland idle — farms	51	105
acres	3 760	8 350
Total woodland — farms	94	136
acres	11 656	17 650
Woodland pastured — farms	55	85
acres	7 063	11 975

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	48	60
acres	4 593	5 675
Other land — farms	298	(NA)
acres	36 075	20 313
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	122	103
acres	24 442	14 042
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	57	59
acres	2 341	6 328
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	69	52
acres	22 101	7 714
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	247	287
acres	11 633	6 271

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	932	1 519	537	687
Land in farms — acres	206 803	222 317	178 427	183 158
Harvested cropland — acres	104 911	104 933	103 424	97 938
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	580	830	242	239
Land in farms — acres	68 059	83 557	51 971	56 748
Harvested cropland — acres	20 063	22 830	18 851	18 862
Part owners — number	246	329	213	251
Land in farms — acres	112 288	106 424	100 912	99 286
Harvested cropland — acres	63 670	59 489	63 488	58 795
Tenants — number	106	360	82	197
Land in farms — acres	26 456	32 336	25 544	27 124
Harvested cropland — acres	21 178	22 614	21 085	20 281
Percent of tenancy	11.4	23.6	15.3	28.6
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	58	236	35	106
Land in farms — acres	7 867	11 882	7 383	8 065
Harvested cropland — acres	4 777	8 086	4 686	6 262
Full owners — number	28	74	13	16
Land in farms — acres	2 088	3 616	1 710	1 440
Harvested cropland — acres	957	1 318	896	770
Part owners — number	16	14	16	8
Land in farms — acres	5 253	2 838	5 253	2 707
Harvested cropland — acres	3 466	2 194	3 466	2 136
Tenants — number	14	148	6	82
Land in farms — acres	526	5 428	420	3 918
Harvested cropland — acres	354	4 574	324	3 356
Percent of tenancy	24.1	62.7	17.1	77.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	483	588
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	140 280	147 829

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	42	67
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 465	22 106
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	21
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 582	11 001
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	11
acres	(NA)	(NA)	100	2 222
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	28	54	21	31
25 to 34 years	128	212	81	115
35 to 44 years	142	283	79	147
45 to 54 years	265	411	147	191
55 to 64 years	277	387	168	159
65 years and over	80	172	29	44
Average age	49.3	48.8	48.1	46.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	467	979	271	472
On another farm	55		30	
In a rural area, not on a farm	55	326	32	129
In a city, town, or urban area	67		36	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	330	(NA)	233	(NA)
1 to 49 days	33	92	5	31
50 to 99 days	62	82	32	28
100 to 149 days	26	197	18	50
150 to 199 days	18		6	
200 days and over	246	399	86	130
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	586	(NA)	427	(NA)
Other	334	(NA)	98	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	85	94	85	94
$40,000 to $99,999	108		108	
$20,000 to $39,999	87	99	87	99
$10,000 to $19,999	63	92	63	92
$5,000 to $9,999	86	174	86	174
$2,500 to $4,999	92	216	92	216
Under $2,500 (see text)	411	844	16	12
$2,000 to $2,499	55	67	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	56	137	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	81	160	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	219	480	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	28 118	13 203	27 725	12 461
Average per farm ... dollars	30 169	8 691	51 629	18 138
Crops, including hay ... farms	533	1 008	455	(NA)
$1,000	25 539	11 048	25 453	10 677
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	1
$1,000	–		–	4
Forest products ... farms	13	17	11	11
$1,000	18	23	15	23
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	633	966	326	437
$1,000	2 560	2 131	2 257	1 758
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	14	(NA)	5	23
$1,000	4	(NA)	3	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	455	(NA)
$1,000	25 453	10 677
Grains ... farms	379	399
$1,000	23 260	8 540
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	29	299
$1,000	373	693
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	27	28
$1,000	162	59
Other field crops ... farms	93	249
$1,000	1 654	1 365
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	15
$1,000	3	18
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	5
$1,000	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	326	437
$1,000	2 257	1 758
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	23
$1,000	3	5
Dairy products ... farms	23	19
$1,000	897	494
Cattle and calves ... farms	313	(NA)
$1,000	1 295	1 161
Hogs and pigs ... farms	25	(NA)
$1,000	48	99
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	21	
$1,000	7	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	7	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	325	(NA)	76	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	241	(NA)	141	(NA)
$1,000	1 054	(NA)	827	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	50	63	41	36
$1,000	297	88	287	65
Recreational services ... farms	2	12	1	4
$1,000	2	18	1	13
Government farm programs ... farms	86	380	55	198
$1,000	114	411	100	336
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	120	(NA)	51	(NA)
$1,000	596	(NA)	399	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	17	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	45	(NA)	40	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	95	(NA)	67	(NA)
$1,000	362	(NA)	316	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	231
$1,000	2 140
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	40
$1,000	473
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	154
$1,000	1 212
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	80
$1,000	342
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	26
$1,000	79
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	31
$1,000	34

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	928	1 519	537	687
$1,000	15 730	9 410	15 183	8 522
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	198	541	17	125
$1,000 to $1,999	175	324	39	
$2,000 to $2,999	99	144	63	94
$3,000 to $4,999	104	151	76	119
$5,000 to $9,999	80	132	70	122
$10,000 to $19,999	79	227	79	94
$20,000 to $39,999	77		77	83
$40,000 to $59,999	44		44	50
$60,000 and over	72		72	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	220	450	117	182
$1,000	504	339	437	250
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	668	934	320	378
$1,000	1 001	580	801	412
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	510	592	285	289
$1,000	732	365	631	292
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	72	75
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	43
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	128	73
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	99	39
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	85
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	44	38
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	153	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	469	946	358	590
$1,000	1 428	799	1 418	766
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	713	1 261	473	660
$1,000	2 713	1 406	2 639	1 293
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	350	(NA)	286	(NA)
$1,000	770	577	763	539
Lime ... farms	(NA)	60	14	20
$1,000	(NA)	14	11	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	895	1 470	527	681
$1,000	1 232	953	1 165	807
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	440	603
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	403	325
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	325	277
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	510	249
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	155	237
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	98	136
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	527	680
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	155	97
Hired farm labor ... farms	326	774	264	475
$1,000	1 350	1 140	1 337	1 046
Contract labor ... farms	15	434	12	33
$1,000	41	280	40	38
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	277		188	244
$1,000	476		461	213
All other production expenses ... farms	793	1 095	531	685
$1,000	6 215	3 336	6 081	3 160

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	839	1 398	488	648
$1,000	25 566	13 074	23 292	10 543
Average per farm—dollars	30 472	9 351	47 729	16 270
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	24	166	3	233
$1,000 to $4,999	193	670	76	
$5,000 to $9,999	241	227	81	125
$10,000 to $19,999	121	152	75	121
$20,000 to $29,999	57	183	51	59
$30,000 to $49,999	96		95	55
$50,000 to $69,999	32		32	55
$70,000 and over	75		75	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	594	951	354	481
number	732	1 048	455	541
mfd in last 5 years, number	382	681	302	383
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	728	1 063	446	531
number	1 191	1 454	895	876
mfd in last 5 years, number	532	907	464	589
Wheel tractors—farms	692	1 054	420	551
number	1 488	1 883	1 200	1 219
mfd in last 5 years, number	417	910	406	694
Crawler tractors—farms	25		17	32
number	28		20	43
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		4	15

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	195	223	192	210
number	335	283	332	270
mfd in last 5 years, number	103	219	102	210
Corn heads for combines—farms	4	24	4	3
number	6	27	6	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	20	2	5
Other carnpickers and picker-shellers—farms	18		17	13
number	19		18	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	10
Mower conditioners—farms	59	(NA)	41	(NA)
number	71	(NA)	47	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	25	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	37	59	34	40
number	38	63	35	42
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	37	7	24
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	19	(NA)	17	19
number	19	(NA)	17	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	6	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	10	(NA)	7	5
number	10	(NA)	7	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	684	(X)	342	(X)	633	(X)	326	(X)	2 257
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	670	(X)	334	(X)	623	(X)	323	(X)	1 350
1969	1 136	(X)	477	(X)	940	(X)	425	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	648	29 821	322	22 304	594	12 088	313	9 773	1 295
1969	1 048	31 424	435	21 810	860	13 528	393	10 266	1 161
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	31	79	11	25	121	316	37	106	14
5 to 9—1974	72	516	22	154	168	1 127	70	493	70
10 to 19—1974	150	2 106	46	624	162	2 132	81	1 079	137
20 to 49—1974	232	6 891	112	3 338	101	3 009	83	2 591	322
50 to 99—1974	98	6 366	66	4 300	25	1 661	25	1 661	182
100 to 199—1974	46	6 009	46	6 009	11	1 583	11	1 583	170
200 to 499—1974	16	5 149	16	5 149	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	3	2 705	3	2 705	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	575	19 380	308	14 977	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	896	18 870	385	13 572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	535	18 087	285	13 793	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	17 332	351	12 391	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	143	1 293	77	1 184	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	335	1 538	145	1 181	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	897
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	494

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	535	18 087	285	13 793
Farms with—				
1 to 4	69	192	27	83
5 to 9	66	470	32	218
10 to 19	150	2 048	60	848
20 to 49	172	5 007	96	2 814
50 to 99	49	3 390	41	2 850
100 to 199	18	2 330	18	2 330
200 to 499	9	(D)	9	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)
Milk cows	143	1 293	77	1 184
Farms with—				
1 or 2	102	151	42	64
3 or 4	14	45	10	33
5 to 9	7	38	5	28
10 to 19	3	42	3	42
20 to 49	5	178	5	178
50 to 99	11	730	11	730
100 to 199	1	109	1	109
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	145	2 699	640
Farms with—			
1 to 4	39	99	19
5 to 9	35	242	63
10 to 19	45	571	133
20 to 49	22	634	116
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	286	7 074	656
Farms with—			
1 or 2	29	47	4
3 or 4	23	77	9
5 to 9	72	482	44
10 to 19	73	967	92
20 to 49	59	1 832	142
50 to 99	15	1 054	101
100 to 199	11	1 560	130
200 to 499	4	1 055	134
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	209	3 896
	1969	313	4 644
Beef heifers	1974	197	3 564
Milk heifers	1974	20	332
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	234	3 431
	1969	371	3 594

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	17	165	45
	1969	9	64	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	9	20	5
10 to 19	1974	5	60	16
20 to 49	1974	3	85	24
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	97	1 370	41	702	58	1 263	25	852	48
	1969	297	2 860	131	1 827	155	4 574	76	3 401	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	35	80	11	28	10	17	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	26	152	9	49	17	109	6	40	2
10 to 24	1974	25	355	15	197	14	190	8	104	7
25 to 49	1974	4	116	4	116	12	359	4	116	6
50 to 99	1974	5	(D)	–	–	2	130	2	130	3
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	458	3	458	29
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	332	6	247	7
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	2 259	14	1 750	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	60	767	31	479	30	306	19	249	(NA)
	1969	92	914	41	400	49	433	25	236	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	191	[1] 1 091
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	(X)	7
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	9	(NA)	(NA)	2	45	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	166	451	97	326	12	42	7	32	7
	1969	351	881	(NA)	(NA)	31	49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	28	101
	1969	75	465
Other hogs and pigs	1974	39	601
	1969	118	1 362
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	28	175
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	30	252
Rams and wethers	1974	28	52

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	58	246	30	146
	1969	168	730	87	509
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	50	149	24	83
	1969	143	404	75	269
June 1 and November 30	1974	35	97	21	63
	1969	112	326	61	240

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	206	(X)	79	(X)	8	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	194	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	201	6 403	78	2 743	8	625	5	435
	1969	519	17 909	190	7 374	10	1 119	4	51
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	185	4 875	68	2 144	8	415	5	235
	1969	497	14 492	178	5 859	8	963	4	51
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	182	4 350	66	1 819	6	149	4	119
100 to 399	1974	3	525	2	325	2	266	1	116
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	39	918	15	430	1	300	1	300
	1969	28	689	6	152	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	4	5	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	23	5

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	68	2 144	5	235
	1969	178	5 859	4	51
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	64	1 790	5	235
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	15	354	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	14	377	1	200
	1969	38	1 005	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	46	222	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	8	264	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	10	37	2	6
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	8	28	2	6
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	52	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	75	363	912	2 551	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	17	21	1 047	501	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	303	280	45 828	33 427	1 167 545	750 686
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	3	1	3	1 500	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	60	–	1 800
Other small grains for grain	267	314	47 945	49 456	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	35	537	3 070	8 177	2 081	8 072
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	14	(NA)	29	(NA)	2 775	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	109	(NA)	4 052	(NA)	678 469	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	138	156	3 321	2 904	5 810	4 554
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	27	15	63	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	21	29	36	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	5	(NA)	72	319	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	36	147	520	1 198	35 119	45 012	1	8	100	31
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	11	260	125	4 600	1 894	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	13	5	68	(X)	(X)	–	2	–	9
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	5	11	495	340	15 754	8 503	1	–	100	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	506	98	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	6	60	133	107	232	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	218	21 946	(X)	3	237	80	6 069	80	924	4	25
	1969	323	33 416	(X)	10	606	148	12 553	147	1 655	2	40
Improved pasture	1974	57	2 341	(X)	–	–	29	1 153	29	176	–	–
	1969	59	6 328	(X)	2	55	35	3 467	35	209	1	3
Corn for all purposes	1974	39	785	(X)	1	100	24	622	23	149	1	1
	1969	166	1 391	(X)	8	40	105	914	103	171	6	8
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	11	1 001	(X)	1	100	6	881	6	210	–	–
	1969	13	438	(X)	–	–	10	267	10	34	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	60	1 800	–	–	1	60	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	8	250	–	–	2	8	2	2	–	–
	1969	1	80	1 600	–	–	1	80	(NA)	16	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	251	47 640	(X)	251	47 640	251	47 580	245	9 529	13	613
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	280	45 562	1 161 713	13	1 235	151	27 438	139	3 236	12	313
	1969	226	32 444	730 341	12	1 427	148	24 429	(NA)	3 417	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	85	2 764	4 863	3	26	37	898	37	227	–	–
	1969	69	2 087	3 444	3	122	22	560	22	86	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	1	50	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	85	(X)	–	–	2	55	2	21	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	29	3 010	2 055	–	–	29	3 010	24	517	5	54
	1969	310	6 711	6 909	16	251	276	6 372	(NA)	1 412	(NA)	22
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	12	29	2 763	–	–	5	26	5	3	–	–
	1969	13	171	5 322	–	–	10	168	(NA)	36	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	6	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	13	42	(X)	–	–	5	16	5	4	1	(Z)
Land in orchards	1974	3	9	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	25	(X)	–	–	3	4	3	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	92	3 950	(X)	1	7	88	3 899	77	1 016	11	53

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	490	669
	$1,000	3 402	1 832
Commercial fertilizer	farms	473	630
	acres on which used	91 604	103 487
	tons	17 053	17 874
	$1,000	2 639	1 293
Lime	farms	14	20
	acres on which used	1 362	1 164
	tons	1 915	1 157
	$1,000	11	9
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	5	2
	acres on which used	91	165
	$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops	farms	106	309
	acres on which used	23 998	29 505
	$1,000	207	174
Nemotodes in crops	farms	4	6
	acres on which used	580	70
	$1,000	6	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	13	11
	acres on which used	4 465	2 744
	$1,000	35	30
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	162	270
	acres on which used	54 556	48 495
	$1,000	450	308
Weeds or brush in posture	farms	5	8
	acres on which used	45	1 583
	$1,000	(Z)	7
Weeds on all other land	farms	16	(NA)
	acres on which used	335	(NA)
	$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	16	19
	acres on which used	2 217	994
	$1,000	14	5
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	14	64
	$1,000	1	3
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	56	(NA)
	$1,000	36	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	257	294
Proportion of farms	percent	47.9	42.7
Total land irrigated	acres	49 251	50 898
Average per farm	acres	191.6	173.1
Cropland irrigated	farms	257	293
	acres	49 251	50 843
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	256	291
	acres	49 014	50 237
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	3	10
	acres	237	606
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	2
	acres	–	55
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	60 067	58 011
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.2	1.1
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	28	(NA)
	acres	5 061	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	1	(NA)
	acres	115	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	129 794	127 464
Cropland	acres	97 643	105 349
Harvested cropland	acres	82 445	75 775
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	12	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year		1 432	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	34	78
Proportion of farms	percent	6.3	11.3
Land in farms with drainage	acres	14 380	30 082
Land drained	acres	11 269	23 358
Average per farm	acres	331.4	299.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	69	(NA)
	number	180	(NA)
	acres	293	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	125	88	70
	$1,000	5 060	3 252	1 808
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		12	7	13
$5,000 to $9,999		20	12	14
$10,000 to $29,999		34	24	23
$30,000 to $49,999		21	27	9
$50,000 and over		38	18	11

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	120	147	224	266	944	1 046
25 to 149 days	102	410	358	2 042	272	
Less than 25 days	129		851		122	
Total contract labor	12	33	(NA)	(NA)	40	38
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	100	(NA)	30	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	264	120	102	129
Cosh wages paid	1 337	944	272	122
Number of workers	1 433	224	358	851
Farms with—				
1 worker	89	60	42	48
2 workers	36	34	15	13
3 or 4 workers	58	24	21	22
5 to 9 workers	39	1	12	25
10 workers and over	40	1	12	21

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ---- number	1 272	1 701	959	1 032
Land in farms ---- acres	304 928	326 782	289 246	296 697
Average size of farm ---- acres	240	192	302	287
Approximate land area ---- acres	414 528	414 528	414 528	414 528
Proportion in farms ---- percent	73.6	78.8	69.8	71.6
Value of land and buildings ---- $1,000	145 752	97 752	138 323	87 025
Average per farm ---- dollars	114 585	57 467	144 236	84 326
Average per acre ---- dollars	478	299	478	293
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	34	70	3	3
10 to 49 acres	286	468	105	81
50 to 69 acres	142	163	104	67
70 to 99 acres	147	216	115	137
100 to 139 acres	129	169	118	146
140 to 179 acres	87	124	77	116
180 to 219 acres	61	86	58	81
220 to 259 acres	56	61	56	61
260 to 499 acres	176	198	169	195
500 to 999 acres	109	107	109	106
1,000 to 1,999 acres	33	32	33	32
2,000 acres and over	12	7	12	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ---- farms	1 214	1 620	950	1 027
acres	240 590	252 722	231 567	234 044
Harvested cropland ---- farms	1 099	1 477	928	1 014
acres	180 600	187 002	178 401	179 055
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	76	160	8	
10 to 19 acres	135	211	55	298
20 to 29 acres	112	130	96	
30 to 49 acres	150	251	147	
50 to 99 acres	199	233	197	225
100 to 199 acres	168	239	166	238
200 to 499 acres	178	183	178	183
500 to 999 acres	58	50	58	50
1,000 acres and over	23	20	23	20
Cropland used only for posture or grazing ---- farms	502	838	335	526
acres	34 300	47 787	28 103	39 167
Other cropland (see text) ---- farms	221	318	196	(NA)
acres	25 690	17 933	25 063	15 822
Total woodland ---- farms	423	694	320	441
acres	21 901	39 987	18 258	34 600
Other land (see text) ---- farms	806	1 106	598	(NA)
acres	42 437	34 073	39 421	28 053
Irrigated land ---- farms	122	113	106	99
acres	7 801	7 265	7 670	7 134

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ---- farms	196	(NA)
acres	25 063	15 822
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ---- farms	22	37
acres	1 285	1 619
Cropland on which all crops failed ---- farms	66	66
acres	8 082	8 588
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ---- farms	23	24
acres	1 330	1 165
Cropland idle ---- farms	110	103
acres	14 366	4 450
Total woodland ---- farms	320	441
acres	18 258	34 600
Woodland pastured ---- farms	182	264
acres	10 379	14 161

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured ---- farms	172	231
acres	7 879	20 439
Other land ---- farms	598	(NA)
acres	39 421	28 053
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ---- farms	207	236
acres	26 083	16 646
Improved pastureland and rangeland ---- farms	120	153
acres	10 310	11 171
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ---- farms	112	107
acres	15 773	5 475
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ---- farms	543	597
acres	13 338	11 407

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ---- number	1 272	1 701	959	1 032
Land in farms ---- acres	304 928	326 782	289 246	296 697
Harvested cropland ---- acres	180 600	187 002	178 401	179 055
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ---- number	658	891	396	370
Land in farms ---- acres	90 720	105 417	77 708	82 271
Harvested cropland ---- acres	41 734	49 320	39 970	43 774
Part owners ---- number	419	546	395	472
Land in farms ---- acres	170 303	173 525	168 922	168 699
Harvested cropland ---- acres	107 097	108 118	106 896	106 867
Tenants ---- number	195	264	168	190
Land in farms ---- acres	43 905	47 840	42 616	45 727
Harvested cropland ---- acres	31 769	29 564	31 535	28 414
Percent of tenancy	15.3	15.5	17.5	18.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ---- number	125	193	71	72
Land in farms ---- acres	9 913	11 034	7 868	7 565
Harvested cropland ---- acres	5 403	6 348	4 909	4 932
Full owners ---- number	76	88	36	13
Land in farms ---- acres	3 759	3 734	2 250	1 509
Harvested cropland ---- acres	1 668	1 544	1 338	791
Part owners ---- number	25	48	22	32
Land in farms ---- acres	3 612	4 838	3 454	4 254
Harvested cropland ---- acres	2 580	2 855	2 574	2 609
Tenants ---- number	24	57	13	27
Land in farms ---- acres	2 542	2 462	2 164	1 802
Harvested cropland ---- acres	1 155	1 949	997	1 532
Percent of tenancy	19.2	29.5	18.3	37.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	895	884
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	247 878	232 185

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	60	135
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	37 207	61 673
Corporation ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	4	7
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 161	1 505
Other ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	–	6
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 334
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	54	21	43	8
25 to 34 years	151	175	119	110
35 to 44 years	190	273	161	182
45 to 54 years	285	463	211	275
55 to 64 years	341	548	248	366
65 years and over	246	221	173	91
Average age	51.3	51.5	50.6	50.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	666	1 162	517	787
On another farm	129	340	91	168
In a rural area, not on a farm	63		43	
In a city, town, or urban area	88		60	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	560	(NA)	439	(NA)
1 to 49 days	56	193	43	126
50 to 99 days	32	81	20	39
100 to 149 days	30	180	24	67
150 to 199 days	35		23	
200 days and over	213	327	125	128
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	960	(NA)	796	(NA)
Other	307	(NA)	159	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	44	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	156	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Forms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	52	46	52	46
$40,000 to $99,999	156		156	
$20,000 to $39,999	173	102	172	102
$10,000 to $19,999	208	204	208	204
$5,000 to $9,999	178	277	178	277
$2,500 to $4,999	162	328	162	327
Under $2,500 (see text)	343	744	31	76
$2,000 to $2,499	44	94	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	56	135	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	85	142	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	158	373	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	30 519	13 451	30 153	12 761
Average per farm ... dollars	23 993	7 907	31 442	12 365
Crops, including hay ... forms	1 007	1 412	890	(NA)
$1,000	27 009	10 386	26 823	9 971
Nursery and greenhouse products ... forms	1		1	–
$1,000	(D)		(D)	–
Forest products ... forms	7	28	7	16
$1,000	(D)	24	(D)	18
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... forms	704	991	505	636
$1,000	3 417	3 041	3 237	2 772
Poultry and poultry products ... forms	24	(NA)	15	18
$1,000	5	(NA)	1	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... forms	890	(NA)
$1,000	26 823	9 971
Grains ... forms	647	808
$1,000	14 251	4 095
Tobacco ... forms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... forms	728	939
$1,000	12 168	5 394
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... forms	73	71
$1,000	166	128
Other field crops ... forms	10	22
$1,000	210	319
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... forms	6	17
$1,000	20	7
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... forms	6	19
$1,000	8	28
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... forms	505	636
$1,000	3 237	2 772
Poultry and poultry products ... forms	15	18
$1,000	1	5
Dairy products ... forms	25	26
$1,000	1 016	867
Cattle and calves ... forms	496	(NA)
$1,000	1 898	1 786
Hogs and pigs ... forms	24	(NA)
$1,000	140	113
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... forms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... forms	18	
$1,000	183	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	304	(NA)	146	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... forms	350	(NA)	269	(NA)
$1,000	1 701	(NA)	1 575	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... forms	105	213	91	161
$1,000	693	434	659	381
Recreational services ... forms	5	17	3	14
$1,000	4	15	4	14
Government farm programs ... forms	133	1 039	114	736
$1,000	219	3 024	204	2 847
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... forms	148	(NA)	93	(NA)
$1,000	643	(NA)	569	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... forms	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
$1,000	142	(NA)	138	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... forms	134	(NA)	112	(NA)
$1,000	702	(NA)	670	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... forms	421
$1,000	3 087
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... forms	82
$1,000	678
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... forms	250
$1,000	1 820
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... forms	127
$1,000	252
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... forms	91
$1,000	211
Rent income of nonfarm property ... forms	27
$1,000	126

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 269	1 701	959	1 032
$1,000	21 148	12 405	20 759	11 621
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	200	425	22	119
$1,000 to $1,999	138	265	56	
$2,000 to $2,999	119	181	89	121
$3,000 to $4,999	157	239	141	210
$5,000 to $9,999	183	267	180	259
$10,000 to $19,999	208		208	183
$20,000 to $39,999	138	324	137	91
$40,000 to $59,999	53		53	49
$60,000 and over	73		73	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... forms	242	414	181	249
$1,000	630	439	601	372
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... forms	643	958	426	587
$1,000	1 105	733	1 003	635
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... forms	471	593	345	416
$1,000	808	489	774	449
Feed ingredients ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	171	189
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	90	73
Whole grains ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	131	113
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	81	47
Hay, green chop, and silage ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	84	192
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	66
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	231	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... forms	918	1 347	820	962
$1,000	1 390	663	1 381	626
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... forms	998	1 498	823	985
$1,000	2 469	1 229	2 418	1 151
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... forms	765	(NA)	685	(NA)
$1,000	2 700	1 245	2 686	1 192
Lime ... forms	(NA)	402	124	293
$1,000	(NA)	152	111	130
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... forms	1 202	1 655	929	1 026
$1,000	1 755	1 241	1 709	1 134
Gasoline ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	834	925
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	648	418
Diesel oil ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	596	637
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	631	424
LP gas, butane, and propane ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	268	416
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	217	161
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... forms	(NA)	(NA)	929	1 026
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	213	131
Hired farm labor ... forms	472	952	402	682
$1,000	1 740	1 392	1 714	1 309
Contract labor ... forms	62	974	56	74
$1,000	111	898	109	56
Machine hire and customwork ... forms	523		444	663
$1,000	1 026		1 002	777
All other production expenses ... forms	1 157	1 401	948	1 011
$1,000	8 222	4 566	8 076	4 368

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 188	1 638	899	1 018
$1,000	27 589	17 880	25 569	15 820
Average per farm—dollars	23 223	10 915	28 442	15 540
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	23	154	11	299
$1,000 to $4,999	215	662	121	
$5,000 to $9,999	307	255	163	194
$10,000 to $19,999	223	275	191	243
$20,000 to $29,999	159	292	155	123
$30,000 to $49,999	127		125	101
$50,000 to $69,999	63		63	58
$70,000 and over	71		70	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	846	1 066	655	677
number	1 017	1 229	808	797
mfd in last 5 years, number	571	837	511	598
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 008	1 323	786	918
number	1 567	1 784	1 338	1 344
mfd in last 5 years, number	686	1 049	625	838
Wheel tractors—farms	1 003	1 421	788	957
number	2 103	2 735	1 862	2 147
mfd in last 5 years, number	564	1 397	545	1 192
Crawler tractors—farms	33		31	18
number	54		52	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	239	246	235	233
number	344	291	339	277
mfd in last 5 years, number	67	227	67	215
Corn heads for combines—farms	7	53	7	7
number	8	62	8	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	35	–	4
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	29		28	41
number	35		34	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	10		9	26
Mower conditioners—farms	108	(NA)	96	(NA)
number	117	(NA)	105	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	47	(NA)	45	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	115	117	106	107
number	118	117	109	107
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	73	28	69
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	94	(NA)	86	76
number	95	(NA)	87	76
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	21	45
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	7	(NA)	6	15
number	12	(NA)	11	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	16

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	804	(X)	569	(X)	704	(X)	505	(X)	3 237
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	759	(X)	537	(X)	689	(X)	501	(X)	2 037
1969	1 083	(X)	665	(X)	974	(X)	631	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	741	42 908	522	38 172	681	15 239	496	13 986	1 898
1969	1 029	35 939	641	30 445	935	18 978	615	16 614	1 786
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	41	110	26	77	145	377	75	186	32
5 to 9—1974	82	597	44	313	172	1 161	98	664	98
10 to 19—1974	132	1 934	73	1 064	146	1 962	111	1 523	252
20 to 49—1974	255	7 797	164	5 306	145	4 239	139	4 113	539
50 to 99—1974	124	8 599	108	7 541	48	3 092	48	3 092	423
100 to 199—1974	68	9 087	68	9 087	15	2 085	15	2 085	237
200 to 499—1974	29	8 464	29	8 464	10	2 323	10	2 323	316
500 and over—1974	10	6 320	10	6 320	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	608	24 347	461	22 247	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	946	21 624	607	18 616	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	548	22 681	423	20 676	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	19 356	544	16 582	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	155	1 666	110	1 571	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	310	2 268	183	2 034	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	1 016
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	867

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	548	22 681	423	20 676			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	51	132	34	93			
5 to 9	64	439	39	257			
10 to 19	138	1 898	92	1 272			
20 to 49	168	5 159	134	4 151			
50 to 99	78	5 115	75	4 965			
100 to 199	29	3 740	29	3 740			
200 to 499	17	4 399	17	4 399			
500 and over	3	1 799	3	1 799			
Milk cows	155	1 666	110	1 571			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	92	127	59	81			
3 or 4	25	87	18	65			
5 to 9	14	80	9	53			
10 to 19	8	122	8	122			
20 to 49	9	217	9	217			
50 to 99	3	230	3	230			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					286	4 274	946
Farms with—							
1 to 4					111	261	65
5 to 9					62	394	89
10 to 19					58	788	203
20 to 49					36	1 124	230
50 to 99					14	880	190
100 to 199					4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					416	9 712	952
Farms with—							
1 or 2					35	52	6
3 or 4					46	158	18
5 to 9					81	538	59
10 to 19					96	1 267	131
20 to 49					111	3 196	336
50 to 99					31	1 958	197
100 to 199					14	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	361	7 722
	1969	525	6 599
Beef heifers	1974	341	7 217
Milk heifers	1974	30	505
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	421	8 203
	1969	561	5 230

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	26	436	123
	1969	10	188	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	19	94	32
10 to 19	1974	3	46	15
20 to 49	1974	3	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	87	1 213	68	1 109	31	2 537	24	2 467	140
	1969	189	3 262	113	2 657	120	3 396	81	2 882	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	55	133	42	93	7	19	2	5	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	13	80	9	58	5	31	5	31	1
10 to 24	1974	14	210	12	168	9	138	9	138	7
25 to 49	1974	1	38	1	38	4	120	2	64	2
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	120	1	120	3	325	3	325	17
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	285	6	285	5
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	647	18	577	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	25	–	–	1	9	–	–	(NA)
	1969	10	257	3	56	6	208	1	37	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	32	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	108	454	90	408	8	114	8	114	13
	1969	235	703	(NA)	(NA)	24	57	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	26	104
	1969	72	433
Other hogs and pigs	1974	60	1 005
	1969	98	2 224
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	43	119	28	96
	1969	114	496	82	426
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	37	62	22	45
	1969	94	308	70	268
June 1 and November 30	1974	22	57	18	51
	1969	71	188	50	158

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	192	(X)	118	(X)	12	(X)	8	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	188	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	188	3 928	117	2 658	7	47	3	15
	1969	364	11 131	187	6 284	8	434	4	356
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	186	3 433	117	2 297	7	47	3	15
	1969	346	9 572	183	5 507	8	434	4	356
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	186	3 433	117	2 297	7	47	3	15
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	18	352	7	76	1	1	1	1
	1969	8	167	4	76	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	5	15	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	18	5

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	117	2 297	3	15
	1969	183	5 507	4	356
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	117	2 222	3	15
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	75	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	5	83	–	–
	1969	22	356	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	60	278	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	64	–	–
Turkeys	1974	5	83	4	8
	1969	12	58	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	5	81	4	8
Heavy breed	1974	5	81	4	8
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	11	52	–	–
Other poultry	1974	6	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	21	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	131	211	1 054	1 927	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	25	50	916	2 066	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	667	965	92 426	113 992	2 170 044	1 759 613
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	8	10	8	62	10 512	31 200
Wheat (bushels)	10	14	403	742	8 621	21 028
Other small grains for grain	14	81	1 427	2 354	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	816	1 284	78 981	59 849	58 314	51 343
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	24	(NA)	64	(NA)	7 215	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	24	(NA)	283	(NA)	65 225	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	336	326	7 081	6 612	18 438	12 042
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	13	38	57	74	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	28	30	160	225	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	16	(NA)	193	725	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	102	141	794	1 474	37 353	46 195	19	17	233	228
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	2	175	195	2 830	2 300	1	2	110	195
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	2	7	12	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	11	32	590	1 658	12 051	45 918	5	2	137	51
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	9	(NA)	260	353	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	56	74
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	22	11	465	201	1 506	393	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	335	28 103	(X)	12	939	124	7 620	104	932	22	108
	1969	526	39 167	(X)	8	361	195	10 977	189	1 342	11	50
Improved pasture	1974	120	10 310	(X)	3	100	36	1 719	34	219	2	26
	1969	153	11 171	(X)	1	60	62	4 575	58	777	7	19
Corn for all purposes	1974	105	976	(X)	19	343	72	727	50	141	23	55
	1969	144	1 681	(X)	19	423	94	1 227	81	188	19	81
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	20	850	(X)	6	193	15	696	15	134	1	3
	1969	40	2 011	(X)	6	125	30	1 370	22	147	10	56
Wheat (bushels)	1974	9	383	8 399	–	–	7	319	7	27	–	–
	1969	14	742	21 028	–	–	12	720	(NA)	54	(NA)	27
Oats (bushels)	1974	14	277	8 560	1	40	10	225	8	20	2	7
	1969	66	1 239	46 918	2	12	56	1 059	(NA)	153	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	82	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	633	92 039	2 163 491	10	394	70	8 737	52	705	18	195
	1969	751	110 537	1 719 087	12	659	162	14 365	(NA)	1 052	(NA)	342
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	3 400	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	5	57	28 600	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	268	6 261	17 314	24	390	109	3 036	99	511	12	141
	1969	247	5 960	11 216	9	205	79	1 630	75	318	5	11
Field seed crops	1974	11	179	(X)	–	–	3	30	3	5	–	–
	1969	5	53	(X)	–	–	2	19	2	4	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	728	78 167	57 751	73	4 027	693	76 564	356	6 452	359	7 161
	1969	914	56 527	49 022	86	4 260	893	55 926	(NA)	7 827	(NA)	3 735
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	21	63	7 093	1	50	10	53	10	20	–	–
	1969	33	181	14 088	3	22	16	177	(NA)	81	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	48	(X)	–	–	5	44	5	9	1	1
	1969	22	51	(X)	1	10	14	28	12	4	2	2
Land in orchards	1974	25	147	(X)	1	5	6	58	6	9	–	–
	1969	19	203	(X)	1	20	6	58	5	25	1	(Z)

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	5	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	2	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	16	260	(X)	2	220	5	238	9	37	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	876	995
$1,000	5 105	2 343
Commercial fertilizer—farms	823	959
acres on which used	102 938	94 006
tons	17 333	16 513
$1,000	2 418	1 151
Lime—farms	124	293
acres on which used	7 506	13 115
tons	12 469	20 931
$1,000	111	130
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	10	12
acres on which used	215	237
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	517	710
acres on which used	87 669	61 996
$1,000	1 493	480
Nematodes in crops—farms	6	6
acres on which used	832	388
$1,000	5	6

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	31	10
acres on which used	2 674	1 036
$1,000	52	7
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	375	631
acres on which used	89 317	92 317
$1,000	808	519
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	20	49
acres on which used	2 280	2 961
$1,000	6	5
Weeds on all other land—farms	22	(NA)
acres on which used	588	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	158	153
acres on which used	21 428	12 348
$1,000	107	32
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	54	165
$1,000	9	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	93	(NA)
$1,000	91	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	106	99
Proportion of farms—percent	11.1	9.5
Total land irrigated—acres	7 670	7 134
Average per farm—acres	72.4	72.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	103	98
acres	7 570	7 074
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	101	98
acres	6 631	6 683
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	12	8
acres	939	361
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	30
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	3	1
acres	100	60
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	8 071	5 636
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	0.8
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	51	(NA)
acres	2 697	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	230	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	20	(NA)
acres	1 758	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	44 100	52 992
Cropland—acres	36 087	39 855
Harvested cropland—acres	28 213	29 193
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	5	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	105	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	147	296
Proportion of farms—percent	15.3	28.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	68 094	118 064
Land drained—acres	44 397	93 032
Average per farm—acres	302.0	314.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	139	(NA)
number	387	(NA)
acres	1 276	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	351	257	209
$1,000	13 088	9 345	3 743
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	81	49	69
$5,000 to $9,999	50	41	42
$10,000 to $29,999	102	82	59
$30,000 to $49,999	41	30	21
$50,000 and over	77	55	18

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	140	172	311	327	1 112	
25 to 149 days	156	615	458	3 307	390	1 309
Less than 25 days	224		1 431		213	
Total contract labor	56	74	(NA)	(NA)	109	56
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	27	(NA)	280	(NA)	59	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	402	140	156	224
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 714	1 112	390	213
Number of workers	2 200	311	458	1 431
Farms with—				
1 worker	133	65	67	78
2 workers	66	40	36	29
3 or 4 workers	79	23	28	34
5 to 9 workers	60	10	15	36
10 workers and over	64	2	10	47

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	302	347	117	98
Land in farms — acres	55 498	62 796	40 974	40 899
Average size of farm — acres	184	181	350	417
Approximate land area — acres	428 608	428 608	428 608	428 608
Proportion in farms — percent	12.9	14.7	9.6	9.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	31 942	15 049	24 473	10 380
Average per farm — dollars	105 769	43 369	209 169	105 917
Average per acre — dollars	576	240	597	254
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	26	4	4
10 to 49 acres	102	107	14	11
50 to 69 acres	30	38	9	8
70 to 99 acres	35	52	9	7
100 to 139 acres	41	45	22	11
140 to 179 acres	15	21	7	10
180 to 219 acres	9	7	6	7
220 to 259 acres	13	10	9	7
260 to 499 acres	17	20	14	14
500 to 999 acres	18	10	14	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	9	5	9
2,000 acres and over	4	2	4	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	10	(NA)
acres	888	526
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	3
acres	37	77
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	2
acres	–	2
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	5
acres	62	95
Cropland idle — farms	6	9
acres	789	352
Total woodland — farms	49	43
acres	8 025	15 738
Woodland pastured — farms	34	29
acres	6 161	13 742

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	248	293	101	84
acres	29 694	22 667	23 493	14 591
Harvested cropland — farms	154	159	82	76
acres	13 755	10 152	12 812	9 207
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	45	41	6	
10 to 19 acres	28	43	9	35
20 to 29 acres	21	18	15	
30 to 49 acres	19	16	13	
50 to 99 acres	17	19	15	19
100 to 199 acres	8	12	8	12
200 to 499 acres	8	6	8	6
500 to 999 acres	6	3	6	3
1,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	198	235	74	54
acres	14 744	11 384	9 793	4 858
Other cropland (see text) — farms	27	51	10	(NA)
acres	1 195	1 131	888	526
Total woodland — farms	143	174	49	43
acres	12 630	21 756	8 025	15 738
Other land (see text) — farms	192	214	74	(NA)
acres	13 174	18 373	9 456	10 570
Irrigated land — farms	2	1	1	–
acres	33	12	30	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	21	20
acres	1 864	1 996
Other land — farms	74	(NA)
acres	9 456	10 570
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	31	36
acres	7 494	9 911
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	29
acres	2 373	5 343
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	10
acres	5 121	4 568
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	64	53
acres	1 962	659

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	302	347	117	98
Land in farms — acres	55 498	62 796	40 974	40 899
Harvested cropland — acres	13 755	10 152	12 812	9 207
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	234	249	77	54
Land in farms — acres	25 609	33 707	16 211	21 387
Harvested cropland — acres	3 920	4 404	3 317	3 792
Part owners — number	51	70	30	36
Land in farms — acres	23 220	27 296	18 496	18 591
Harvested cropland — acres	7 467	5 218	7 179	4 969
Tenants — number	17	28	10	8
Land in farms — acres	6 669	1 793	6 267	921
Harvested cropland — acres	2 368	530	2 316	446
Percent of tenancy	5.6	8.0	8.5	8.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	24	37	3	10
Land in farms — acres	1 642	2 307	398	1 223
Harvested cropland — acres	338	529	223	368
Full owners — number	19	16	1	3
Land in farms — acres	1 207	801	80	159
Harvested cropland — acres	193	241	78	157
Part owners — number	2	13	1	7
Land in farms — acres	269	1 299	202	1 064
Harvested cropland — acres	125	247	125	211
Tenants — number	3	8	1	–
Land in farms — acres	166	207	116	–
Harvested cropland — acres	20	41	20	–
Percent of tenancy	12.5	21.6	33.3	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	108	88
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	34 842	26 637

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	9
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 094	(D)
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 038	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	3	–	1
25 to 34 years	24	24	11	6
35 to 44 years	29	50	7	15
45 to 54 years	77	104	27	23
55 to 64 years	82	93	21	40
65 years and over	85	73	46	13
Average age	55.6	53.6	57.0	53.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	196	227	70	67
On another farm	5		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	6	50	2	21
In a city, town, or urban area	28		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	87	(NA)	49	(NA)
1 to 49 days	2	34	1	8
50 to 99 days	11	6	6	4
100 to 149 days	13	54	6	6
150 to 199 days	13		2	
200 days and over	139	154	28	37
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	115	(NA)	78	(NA)
Other	182	(NA)	34	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	11	8	11
$40,000 to $99,999	8		8	
$20,000 to $39,999	12	6	12	6
$10,000 to $19,999	16	23	16	23
$5,000 to $9,999	26	17	26	17
$2,500 to $4,999	25	37	25	37
Under $2,500 (see text)	207	253	22	4
$2,000 to $2,499	37	22	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	27	27	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	42	45	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	101	159	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	3 681	2 374	3 478	2 177
Average per farm ... dollars	12 189	6 842	29 724	22 217
Crops, including hay ... farms	78	109	50	(NA)
$1,000	1 749	805	1 730	771
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	6
Forest products ... farms	32	28	16	11
$1,000	(D)	16	(D)	12
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	278	275	104	88
$1,000	1 861	1 553	1 683	1 389
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	(NA)	4	4
$1,000	800	(NA)	800	563

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	50	(NA)
$1,000	1 730	771
Grains ... farms	17	9
$1,000	736	21
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	34	38
$1,000	854	624
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	18	23
$1,000	75	37
Other field crops ... farms	4	2
$1,000	15	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	1
$1,000	(D)	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	24
$1,000	(D)	84
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	104	88
$1,000	1 683	1 389
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	4
$1,000	800	563
Dairy products ... farms	5	8
$1,000	149	200
Cattle and calves ... farms	96	(NA)
$1,000	553	571
Hogs and pigs ... farms	14	(NA)
$1,000	178	54
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	3	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	204	(NA)	41	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	49	(NA)	25	(NA)
$1,000	73	(NA)	65	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	10	22	9	13
$1,000	33	42	33	32
Recreational services ... farms	–	2	–	2
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	23	71	10	39
$1,000	12	269	7	258
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	16	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	27	(NA)	24	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	21	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	16	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	70
$1,000	739
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	7
$1,000	63
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	57
$1,000	467
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	27
$1,000	76
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	32
$1,000	131
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	7
$1,000	2

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	301	347	117	98
$1,000	3 525	2 173	3 202	1 844
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	68	129	6	19
$1,000 to $1,999	88	84	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	26	47	9	9
$3,000 to $4,999	43	33	22	20
$5,000 to $9,999	29	21	18	17
$10,000 to $19,999	24		24	16
$20,000 to $39,999	7	33	7	6
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	11
$60,000 and over	9		9	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	108	143	35	51
$1,000	371	258	282	199
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	257	285	93	79
$1,000	1 147	548	1 040	445
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	177	136	89	64
$1,000	1 016	144	979	112
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	34	29
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	112
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	26	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	201
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	12	18
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	12	20
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	109	134	55	50
$1,000	89	32	85	28
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	209	208	85	74
$1,000	209	102	174	80
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	95	(NA)	54	(NA)
$1,000	260	111	257	106
Lime ... farms	(NA)	13	6	4
$1,000	(NA)	2	2	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	288	318	112	98
$1,000	227	125	205	93
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	96
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	57
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	65	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	22
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	17
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	3
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	97
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	11
Hired farm labor ... farms	78	135	49	67
$1,000	304	242	297	229
Contract labor ... farms	21	99	13	9
$1,000	15	114	14	19
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	56		23	41
$1,000	77		72	83
All other production expenses ... farms	235	239	109	98
$1,000	826	641	743	562

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	287	321	110	96
$1,000	3 593	2 278	2 375	1 310
Average per farm—dollars	12 519	7 097	21 592	13 647
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	34	–	35
$1,000 to $4,999	77	185	16	
$5,000 to $9,999	108	50	30	24
$10,000 to $19,999	59	25	29	15
$20,000 to $29,999	21	27	16	11
$30,000 to $49,999	9		9	4
$50,000 to $69,999	4		4	7
$70,000 and over	6		6	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	200	181	77	60
number	244	229	104	75
mfd in last 5 years, number	131	138	64	60
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	257	280	101	89
number	336	353	161	139
mfd in last 5 years, number	154	230	90	95
Wheel tractors—farms	234	264	98	83
number	370	408	213	186
mfd in last 5 years, number	77	173	60	84
Crawler tractors—farms	11		4	7
number	12		4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	8	–	8	–
number	10	–	10	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	–	1	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	8	2	1
number	2	9	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	5	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	6		5	6
number	7		5	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		–	5
Mower conditioners—farms	50	(NA)	33	(NA)
number	54	(NA)	35	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	56	48	44	29
number	59	49	47	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	27	24	17
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	28	(NA)	21	12
number	30	(NA)	22	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	11	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	5	10
number	8	(NA)	5	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	9

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	279	(X)	103	(X)	278	(X)	104	(X)	1 683
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	278	(X)	102	(X)	275	(X)	103	(X)	730
1969	296	(X)	82	(X)	274	(X)	87	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	269	14 713	97	10 683	263	5 048	96	3 776	553
1969	285	12 403	76	8 216	257	6 722	80	5 224	571
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	7	15	2	4	59	178	9	29	4
5 to 9—1974	22	178	3	26	78	509	12	89	11
10 to 19—1974	75	1 039	7	85	71	916	23	283	35
20 to 49—1974	80	2 527	15	542	33	1 012	30	942	119
50 to 99—1974	44	2 925	29	1 997	16	1 076	16	1 076	165
100 to 199—1974	31	4 224	31	4 224	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	225	8 989	89	6 938	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	229	7 178	75	5 473	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	211	8 656	85	6 649	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 622	67	5 000	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	41	333	19	289	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	69	556	21	473	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	149
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	200

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	211	8 656	85	6 649
Farms with—				
1 to 4	9	26	–	–
5 to 9	31	218	4	24
10 to 19	58	801	4	59
20 to 49	58	1 655	26	830
50 to 99	36	2 433	32	2 213
100 to 199	14	1 998	14	1 998
200 to 499	5	1 525	5	1 525
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	41	333	19	289
Farms with—				
1 or 2	31	42	13	17
3 or 4	3	9	1	3
5 to 9	2	13	–	–
10 to 19	1	10	1	10
20 to 49	1	29	1	29
50 to 99	3	230	3	230
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	52	1 296	284
Farms with—			
1 to 4	13	32	6
5 to 9	7	48	7
10 to 19	11	139	25
20 to 49	14	378	68
50 to 99	5	295	72
100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	80	2 480	268
Farms with—			
1 or 2	3	6	(Z)
3 or 4	6	21	2
5 to 9	9	68	8
10 to 19	28	354	40
20 to 49	23	768	77
50 to 99	6	371	41
100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	71	1 568	4	53	14
	1969	70	1 604	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	65	1 516	2	9	1
Milk heifers	1974	6	52	1	13	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	71	2 177	1	31	11
	1969	74	1 139	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			–	–	–
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	30	1 964	12	1 881	27	2 695	14	2 548	178
	1969	50	769	16	429	40	2 254	14	1 774	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	14	28	2	6	7	12	2	5	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	3	22	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	7	102	4	63	10	175	2	35	3
25 to 49	1974	1	26	1	26	1	42	1	42	4
50 to 99	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	246	3	246	13
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	3	380	3	380	26
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	458	2	380	10
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	925	3	757	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	83	281	33	188	6	20	4	17	2
	1969	86	242	(NA)	(NA)	10	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	11	312				
	1969	11	94				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	11	1 569				
	1969	13	335				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			21	285	13	265
	1969			40	251	12	157
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			19	118	12	108
	1969			37	130	12	79
June 1 and November 30	1974			17	167	10	157
	1969			27	121	6	78

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	72	(X)	22	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	68	(D)	18	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	77	(D)	9	(D)	6	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	65	(D)	17	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	75	64 648	9	63 130	6	47 446	3	47 400
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	64	1 316	16	552	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	92	2	72	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	46	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	800	4	800
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	563

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	17	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	9	63 130	3	47 400
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	25	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	10	86	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All forms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	25	33	132	617	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	3	9	74	272	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	16	4	4 083	117	107 948	3 158
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	3	1	7	–	12 000	100
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	1	–	15	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	46	57	4 981	4 297	4 032	5 795
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	20	(NA)	810	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	13	(NA)	2 460	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	102	98	3 867	3 646	6 046	7 819
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	9	21	37	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	35	923	1 024	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	–	10	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	6	142	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	8	12	65	507	1 879	15 555	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	–	1	–	12	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	10	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	70	12	2 721	900	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	180	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	1	316	44	652	40	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	74	9 793	(X)	–	–	26	1 911	25	269	2	40
	1969	54	4 858	(X)	–	–	25	1 354	25	145	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	16	2 373	(X)	–	–	8	1 028	8	95	–	–
	1969	29	5 343	(X)	–	–	10	949	10	81	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	9	66	(X)	–	–	7	36	7	6	1	(Z)
	1969	13	517	(X)	–	–	9	416	8	22	2	9
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	70	(X)	–	–	1	50	–	–	1	17
	1969	5	192	(X)	–	–	5	84	4	22	1	2
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	15	300	–	–	1	15	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	16	4 083	107 948	–	–	5	701	5	53	–	–
	1969	4	117	3 158	–	–	2	72	(NA)	4	(NA)	5
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	6	10 900	–	–	2	6	2	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	52	3 077	4 814	–	–	17	625	17	130	–	–
	1969	55	3 098	7 020	–	–	21	919	21	115	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	34	4 908	3 980	–	–	34	4 901	12	455	25	315
	1969	37	4 151	5 636	–	–	36	4 090	(NA)	138	(NA)	445
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	20	800	–	–	1	20	1	6	–	–
	1969	2	1	40	–	–	2	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	19	(X)	–	–	3	16	3	6	–	–
	1969	2	7	(X)	–	–	2	7	2	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	11	914	(X)	1	30	2	50	2	5	–	–
	1969	25	984	(X)	–	–	10	769	10	58	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	3	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	2	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Other crops 1974	5	18	(X)	–	–	4	13	4	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	88	83
$1,000	431	186
Commercial fertilizer—farms	85	69
acres on which used	9 369	8 818
tons	1 402	1 071
$1,000	174	80
Lime—farms	6	4
acres on which used	160	126
tons	178	184
$1,000	2	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	6	1
acres on which used	116	100
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	30	37
acres on which used	6 239	4 404
$1,000	138	64
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	3
acres on which used	730	131
$1,000	3	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	2	3
acres on which used	40	1 533
$1,000	1	5
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	21	27
acres on which used	6 184	3 313
$1,000	88	24
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	10
acres on which used	833	1 073
$1,000	4	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	216	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	10	26
acres on which used	2 013	2 584
$1,000	9	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	14	31
$1,000	2	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	–
Proportion of farms—percent	0.9	–
Total land irrigated—acres	30	–
Average per farm—acres	30.0	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	–
acres	30	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	–
acres	30	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	50	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.7	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	80	–
Cropland—acres	78	–
Harvested cropland—acres	78	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	12	21
Proportion of farms—percent	10.3	21.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	2 919	9 791
Land drained—acres	2 228	6 561
Average per farm—acres	185.7	312.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	23	(NA)
number	65	(NA)
acres	104	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	39	30	20
$1,000	1 766	1 201	564
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	7	5	3
$5,000 to $9,999	8	6	5
$10,000 to $29,999	11	12	6
$30,000 to $49,999	5	–	3
$50,000 and over	8	7	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	21	20	61	77	229	
25 to 149 days	24	64	89	267	52	229
Less than 25 days	26		115		16	
Total contract labor	13	9	(NA)	(NA)	14	19
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	26	(NA)	5	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	49	21	24	26
Cash wages paid $1,000	297	229	52	16
Number of workers	265	61	89	115
Farms with—				
1 worker	15	9	9	9
2 workers	9	4	5	5
3 or 4 workers	7	5	4	7
5 to 9 workers	12	1	4	3
10 workers and over	6	2	2	2

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	401	591	265	381
Land in farms — acres	110 391	131 051	104 019	116 091
Average size of farm — acres	275	222	393	305
Approximate land area — acres	376 960	376 960	376 960	376 960
Proportion in farms — percent	29.3	34.8	27.6	30.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	76 217	55 018	69 683	48 293
Average per farm — dollars	190 067	93 093	262 956	126 754
Average per acre — dollars	690	420	670	416
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	25	28	8	8
10 to 49 acres	119	170	32	39
50 to 69 acres	34	41	19	24
70 to 99 acres	24	67	22	54
100 to 139 acres	45	59	34	47
140 to 179 acres	20	45	19	39
180 to 219 acres	21	38	21	35
220 to 259 acres	9	15	8	14
260 to 499 acres	40	67	39	65
500 to 999 acres	43	39	43	36
1,000 to 1,999 acres	15	17	14	16
2,000 acres and over	6	5	6	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	377	545	257	363
acres	85 699	92 871	81 607	85 584
Harvested cropland — farms	321	479	243	351
acres	53 328	53 412	52 268	51 390
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	61	75	12	
10 to 19 acres	40	69	13	120
20 to 29 acres	14	22	14	
30 to 49 acres	26	77	25	
50 to 99 acres	56	100	56	96
100 to 199 acres	46	56	46	56
200 to 499 acres	52	66	51	65
500 to 999 acres	19	11	19	11
1,000 acres and over	7	3	7	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	152	221	80	138
acres	9 787	11 533	7 110	8 258
Other cropland (see text) — farms	167	279	144	(NA)
acres	22 584	27 926	22 229	25 936
Total woodland — farms	30	78	18	59
acres	4 800	5 668	3 966	5 111
Other land (see text) — farms	230	430	156	(NA)
acres	19 892	32 512	18 446	25 396
Irrigated land — farms	31	46	27	42
acres	5 541	8 591	5 478	8 512

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	144	(NA)
acres	22 229	25 936
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	16	75
acres	416	4 934
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	7	23
acres	723	1 412
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	92	146
acres	11 918	13 300
Cropland idle — farms	46	82
acres	9 172	6 290
Total woodland — farms	18	59
acres	3 966	5 111
Woodland pastured — farms	9	31
acres	1 058	2 787
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	9	34
acres	2 908	2 324
Other land — farms	156	(NA)
acres	18 446	25 396
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	39	117
acres	5 956	17 962
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	60
acres	2 349	6 002
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	23	67
acres	3 607	11 960
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	145	255
acres	12 490	7 434

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	401	591	265	381
Land in farms — acres	110 391	131 051	104 019	116 091
Harvested cropland — acres	53 328	53 412	52 268	51 390
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	169	225	72	89
Land in farms — acres	21 092	21 299	17 099	15 426
Harvested cropland — acres	6 822	6 171	6 398	5 283
Part owners — number	141	221	121	193
Land in farms — acres	63 084	80 310	62 360	72 655
Harvested cropland — acres	30 890	32 561	30 786	31 953
Tenants — number	91	145	72	99
Land in farms — acres	26 215	29 442	24 560	28 010
Harvested cropland — acres	15 616	14 680	15 084	14 154
Percent of tenancy	22.7	24.5	27.2	25.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	44	82	16	45
Land in farms — acres	9 805	8 914	9 155	7 764
Harvested cropland — acres	4 855	4 388	4 732	4 095
Full owners — number	23	26	2	7
Land in farms — acres	727	1 234	223	694
Harvested cropland — acres	206	388	111	299
Part owners — number	5	26	4	24
Land in farms — acres	302	5 889	292	5 678
Harvested cropland — acres	235	3 086	231	3 075
Tenants — number	16	30	10	14
Land in farms — acres	8 776	1 791	8 640	1 392
Harvested cropland — acres	4 414	914	4 390	721
Percent of tenancy	36.4	36.5	62.5	31.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	206	294
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	55 974	69 347

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	41	68
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 223	29 648
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	15	10
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	27 231	15 791
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	9
acres	(NA)	(NA)	591	1 305
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	11	1	1
25 to 34 years	39	58	19	43
35 to 44 years	66	102	51	81
45 to 54 years	87	176	54	105
55 to 64 years	111	172	78	119
65 years and over	78	72	44	32
Average age	52.9	50.8	52.5	49.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	195	351	138	264
On another farm	25		14	
In a rural area, not on a farm	31	168	19	85
In a city, town, or urban area	43		21	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	160	(NA)	122	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	27	7	25
50 to 99 days	14	23	2	8
100 to 149 days	5	38	1	11
150 to 199 days	23		11	
200 days and over	82	169	41	61
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	263	(NA)	201	(NA)
Other	119	(NA)	46	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	100	82	99	82
$40,000 to $99,999	67		67	
$20,000 to $39,999	26	63	26	63
$10,000 to $19,999	22	73	22	73
$5,000 to $9,999	20	97	20	97
$2,500 to $4,999	27	53	27	52
Under $2,500 (see text)	139	223	4	14
$2,000 to $2,499	21	14	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	21	33	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	28	26	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	69	150	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	44 719	11 160	44 250	10 866
Average per farm ... dollars	111 519	18 883	166 980	28 519
Crops, including hay ... farms	255	415	216	(NA)
$1,000	42 304	8 411	42 250	8 306
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		3	4
$1,000	23		23	21
Forest products ... farms	–	1	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	198	292	111	192
$1,000	2 392	2 749	1 977	2 539
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	(NA)	5	9
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	17

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	216	(NA)
$1,000	42 250	8 306
Grains ... farms	34	89
$1,000	1 577	1 176
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	18	32
$1,000	74	86
Other field crops ... farms	178	262
$1,000	40 086	6 687
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	11	30
$1,000	514	346
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	18
$1,000	–	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	111	192
$1,000	1 977	2 539
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	9
$1,000	1	17
Dairy products ... farms	25	50
$1,000	1 460	1 875
Cattle and calves ... farms	99	(NA)
$1,000	369	476
Hogs and pigs ... farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	74	172
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	19	
$1,000	73	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	113	(NA)	35	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	131	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	964	(NA)	896	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	25	66	23	57
$1,000	105	151	105	142
Recreational services ... farms	2	3	2	3
$1,000	(D)	3	(D)	3
Government farm programs ... farms	89	223	72	187
$1,000	450	791	442	748
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	43	(NA)	22	(NA)
$1,000	341	(NA)	282	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	30	(NA)	26	(NA)
$1,000	113	(NA)	102	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	118
$1,000	1 322
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	27
$1,000	303
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	59
$1,000	643
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	60
$1,000	240
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	20
$1,000	64
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	15
$1,000	72

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	401	591	265	381
$1,000	18 687	9 252	18 163	8 864
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	75	129	5	16
$1,000 to $1,999	50	68	9	
$2,000 to $2,999	21	30	9	16
$3,000 to $4,999	40	78	29	71
$5,000 to $9,999	23	98	22	91
$10,000 to $19,999	42		42	74
$20,000 to $39,999	46	188	46	54
$40,000 to $59,999	25		25	59
$60,000 and over	79		78	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	67	146	41	90
$1,000	161	307	129	291
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	226	327	115	202
$1,000	1 026	1 000	870	898
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	169	230	105	159
$1,000	838	760	770	716
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	24	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	30
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	50
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	52
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	20	54
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	100
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	44	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	143	298	94	237
$1,000	291	184	284	176
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	320	468	238	341
$1,000	1 895	903	1 854	877
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	175	(NA)	162	(NA)
$1,000	1 044	460	1 038	450
Lime ... farms	(NA)	46	12	34
$1,000	(NA)	19	15	18
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	380	560	253	379
$1,000	1 246	755	1 214	710
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	237	366
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	390	284
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	199	213
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	483	203
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	143	147
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	182	122
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	253	379
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	159	100
Hired farm labor ... farms	194	357	170	301
$1,000	3 436	2 006	3 309	1 944
Contract labor ... farms	21	269	21	29
$1,000	187	398	187	118
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	139		105	210
$1,000	430		417	267
All other production expenses ... farms	372	518	265	379
$1,000	8 971	3 239	8 818	3 132

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	374	542	252	368
$1,000	13 575	9 626	12 586	8 754
Average per farm—dollars	36 296	17 759	49 945	23 787
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	28	1	72
$1,000 to $4,999	58	188	24	
$5,000 to $9,999	80	74	19	65
$10,000 to $19,999	64	106	43	93
$20,000 to $29,999	34	146	32	40
$30,000 to $49,999	73		71	55
$50,000 to $69,999	17		17	43
$70,000 and over	46		45	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	263	387	186	266
number	397	509	301	365
mfd in last 5 years, number	246	340	213	261
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	300	415	214	311
number	591	742	485	606
mfd in last 5 years, number	276	384	254	321
Wheel tractors—farms	332	473	229	343
number	1 112	1 480	975	1 255
mfd in last 5 years, number	365	592	345	519
Crawler tractors—farms	23		19	18
number	29		23	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		3	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	17	23	17	23
number	22	28	22	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	16	8	16
Corn heads for combines—farms	3	23	3	1
number	3	23	3	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	18	1	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	16		14	19
number	18		16	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	14
Mower conditioners—farms	53	(NA)	44	(NA)
number	61	(NA)	52	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	21	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	51	60	41	55
number	51	63	41	57
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	35	15	32
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	17	(NA)	15	19
number	17	(NA)	15	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	4	10
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	25	(NA)	24	22
number	28	(NA)	27	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	9	13

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	239	(X)	137	(X)	198	(X)	111	(X)	1 977
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	222	(X)	123	(X)	187	(X)	103	(X)	443
1969	386	(X)	234	(X)	273	(X)	180	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	221	10 888	122	7 728	183	4 173	99	2 705	369
1969	368	14 479	221	11 558	245	4 961	157	4 134	476
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	24	74	11	31	57	147	18	49	6
5 to 9—1974	40	298	22	155	38	265	17	116	21
10 to 19—1974	50	680	17	216	41	537	21	272	48
20 to 49—1974	52	1 694	27	889	26	731	23	654	69
50 to 99—1974	25	1 757	16	1 146	15	965	15	965	159
100 to 199—1974	17	2 439	17	2 439	5	(D)	5	649	66
200 to 499—1974	12	(D)	12	2 852	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	200	6 750	114	4 970	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	332	8 714	211	7 240	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	159	4 577	83	3 024	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 186	123	3 925	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	83	2 173	55	1 946	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	202	3 528	147	3 315	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	1 460
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	50	(X)	1 875

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	159	4 577	83	3 024			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	36	86	18	43			
5 to 9	37	264	17	120			
10 to 19	23	318	9	117			
20 to 49	36	1 071	18	586			
50 to 99	16	1 050	11	746			
100 to 199	9	(D)	9	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	83	2 173	55	1 946			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	33	55	19	32			
3 or 4	6	18	6	18			
5 to 9	15	90	5	29			
10 to 19	4	47	1	17			
20 to 49	6	171	6	171			
50 to 99	13	907	13	907			
100 to 199	4	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					73	972	248
Farms with—							
1 to 4					27	49	12
5 to 9					20	150	39
10 to 19					14	188	43
20 to 49					7	214	53
50 to 99					5	371	102
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					81	1 733	121
Farms with—							
1 or 2					13	18	2
3 or 4					17	57	3
5 to 9					5	35	3
10 to 19					14	190	18
20 to 49					21	611	35
50 to 99					9	(D)	57
100 to 199					2	(D)	3
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	85	2 015
	1969	168	2 943
Beef heifers	1974	63	1 219
Milk heifers	1974	29	796
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	82	743
	1969	165	1 375

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	16	135	34
	1969	4	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	13	15	4
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	1	20	(D)
50 to 99	1974	2	100	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	40	1 082	20	944	19	1 513	15	1 437	74
	1969	97	2 254	63	2 097	49	3 021	38	2 858	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	20	44	8	16	2	4	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	58	5	34	2	13	2	13	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	5	69	3	39	9	155	5	79	2
25 to 49	1974	2	56	–	–	2	56	2	56	5
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	94	1	94	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	663	8	663	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	5	102	2	14	2	36	–	–	(NA)
	1969	27	766	15	597	11	166	7	142	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	8	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	64	255	37	173	17	69	17	69	51
	1969	132	658	(NA)	(NA)	11	59	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	10	119
	1969	42	301
Other hogs and pigs	1974	19	825
	1969	59	1 796
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	6
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	6
Rams and wethers	1974	2	2

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	24	200	13	173
	1969	59	481	43	450
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	21	108	11	86
	1969	45	269	31	250
June 1 and November 30	1974	12	92	9	87
	1969	44	212	35	200

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Any poultry	1974	48	(X)	21	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	92	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	48	1 565	21	828	3	74	3	74
	1969	150	7 822	89	5 173	2	713	2	713
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	45	1 231	18	544	3	74	3	74
	1969	141	6 491	84	4 455	2	713	2	713
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	44	1 131	17	444	3	74	3	74
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	7	381	5	375	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	370	2	150	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	1	5	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	17

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	18	544	3	74
	1969	84	4 455	2	713
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	18	477	3	74
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	67	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	225	–	–
	1969	14	403	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	59	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	5	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	71	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	28	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	27	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	52	184	780	4 218	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	13	411	735	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6	25	1 145	2 681	34 358	83 310
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	22	36	4 362	6 881	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	1	–	1	–	1
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	22	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	100	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	83	151	3 744	5 854	5 203	8 135
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	15	45	318	426	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	25	20	139	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	216	(NA)	42 698	32 692	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	30	106	368	2 231	10 927	61 597	–	2	–	325
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	10	140	914	1 450	8 282	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	7	–	319	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	2	174	124	12 469	4 960	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	166	554	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	3	12	90	31	131	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	80	7 110	(X)	2	76	23	1 615	23	283	2	30
	1969	138	8 258	(X)	1	8	45	3 077	33	547	15	161
Improved pasture	1974	20	2 349	(X)	–	–	10	902	10	147	2	40
	1969	60	6 002	(X)	–	–	33	2 046	30	297	8	107
Corn for all purposes	1974	33	508	(X)	–	–	20	392	14	41	12	31
	1969	122	3 464	(X)	2	325	90	2 407	70	183	49	176
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	8	340	(X)	–	–	5	204	4	25	1	5
	1969	12	678	(X)	–	–	9	573	6	28	3	38
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	70	1 800	–	–	2	70	(NA)	7	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	19	4 268	(X)	19	4 268	19	4 268	19	1 238	1	14
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	6	1 145	34 358	–	–	1	250	1	38	–	–
	1969	21	2 625	82 646	2	90	6	629	(NA)	84	(NA)	12
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	53	3 394	4 699	–	–	19	1 332	17	203	2	42
	1969	109	5 166	7 280	4	287	44	2 683	41	433	8	98
Field seed crops	1974	3	84	(X)	–	–	3	84	3	21	–	–
	1969	2	58	(X)	–	–	1	50	–	–	1	7
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	22	–	–	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	29	24	2 148	3	3	20	21	(NA)	9	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	11	312	(X)	2	259	6	281	5	62	2	18
	1969	28	367	(X)	2	214	25	358	24	180	6	5
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	83	(X)	1	10	5	29	3	3	2	8

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	9	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	(Z)	–	–
1969	4	15	(X)	–	–	2	15	2	7	–	–
Other crops 1974	178	42 359	(X)	4	813	176	42 231	69	2 608	148	6 269

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	243	351
$1,000	2 892	1 327
Commercial fertilizer—farms	238	327
acres on which used	51 573	50 147
tons	11 116	10 935
$1,000	1 854	877
Lime—farms	12	34
acres on which used	1 215	1 541
tons	1 364	2 955
$1,000	15	18
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	7
acres on which used	20	161
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	72	108
acres on which used	24 555	21 526
$1,000	383	160
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	1
acres on which used	263	127
$1,000	3	2

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	15	8
acres on which used	2 611	931
$1,000	34	5
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	103	202
acres on which used	32 243	33 422
$1,000	509	254
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	21
acres on which used	880	981
$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	970	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	11	9
acres on which used	2 950	590
$1,000	41	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	5	47
$1,000	5	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	24	(NA)
$1,000	43	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	27	42
Proportion of farms—percent	10.2	11.0
Total land irrigated—acres	5 478	8 512
Average per farm—acres	202.9	202.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	27	42
acres	5 478	8 512
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	25	42
acres	5 340	8 424
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	76	8
Other cropland irrigated—farms	2	(NA)
acres	62	80
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	7 633	8 333
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	1.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	5	(NA)
acres	884	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	250	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	23 052	29 750
Cropland—acres	15 282	18 030
Harvested cropland—acres	8 832	12 295
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	416	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	34	69
Proportion of farms—percent	12.8	18.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	25 182	36 928
Land drained—acres	14 613	26 401
Average per farm—acres	429.8	382.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	18	(NA)
number	49	(NA)
acres	282	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	80	38	56
$1,000	4 346	2 284	2 062
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	13	4	16
$5,000 to $9,999	13	6	11
$10,000 to $29,999	25	15	12
$30,000 to $49,999	11	5	6
$50,000 and over	18	8	11

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	102	152	494	535	2 436	1 944
25 to 149 days	99	257	907	1 627	734	
Less than 25 days	86		1 163		140	
Total contract labor	21	29	(NA)	(NA)	187	118
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	80	(NA)	70	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	170	102	99	86
Cash wages paid—$1,000	3 309	2 436	734	140
Number of workers	2 564	494	907	1 163
Farms with—				
1 worker	25	26	20	13
2 workers	17	19	15	8
3 or 4 workers	30	20	16	18
5 to 9 workers	33	26	18	16
10 workers and over	65	11	30	31

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	241	286	152	183
Land in farms — acres	110 719	122 340	101 241	109 931
Average size of farm — acres	459	428	666	601
Approximate land area — acres	401 472	401 472	401 472	401 472
Proportion in farms — percent	27.6	30.5	25.2	27.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	65 218	59 089	55 611	53 529
Average per farm — dollars	270 614	206 606	365 863	292 506
Average per acre — dollars	589	483	549	487
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	12	10	3	4
10 to 49 acres	34	52	9	12
50 to 69 acres	21	22	8	11
70 to 99 acres	23	29	6	16
100 to 139 acres	25	21	11	13
140 to 179 acres	18	22	18	16
180 to 219 acres	13	16	10	15
220 to 259 acres	10	14	7	11
260 to 499 acres	32	50	29	36
500 to 999 acres	26	22	25	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres	10	15	10	15
2,000 acres and over	17	13	16	12

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	69	(NA)
acres	10 311	19 683
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	8
acres	528	208
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	4	12
acres	90	1 728
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	49	74
acres	5 736	10 429
Cropland idle — farms	18	39
acres	3 957	7 318
Total woodland — farms	39	46
acres	23 885	18 830
Woodland pastured — farms	16	18
acres	11 414	5 299

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	213	248	141	170
acres	65 606	73 012	60 257	65 952
Harvested cropland — farms	176	216	132	163
acres	38 312	37 423	37 681	36 680
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	22	35	1	
10 to 19 acres	19	20	4	40
20 to 29 acres	19	11	12	
30 to 49 acres	11	25	11	
50 to 99 acres	28	44	28	42
100 to 199 acres	24	37	23	37
200 to 499 acres	32	25	32	25
500 to 999 acres	15	12	15	12
1,000 acres and over	6	7	6	7
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	95	109	46	57
acres	16 803	12 791	12 265	9 589
Other cropland (see text) — farms	75	118	69	(NA)
acres	10 491	22 798	10 311	19 683
Total woodland — farms	66	77	39	46
acres	24 907	21 033	23 885	18 830
Other land (see text) — farms	127	175	78	(NA)
acres	20 206	28 295	17 099	25 149
Irrigated land — farms	3	3	2	1
acres	37	25	28	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	28	31
acres	12 471	13 531
Other land — farms	78	(NA)
acres	17 099	25 149
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	27	44
acres	13 765	21 139
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	14	25
acres	2 964	5 680
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	17	25
acres	10 801	15 459
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	68	89
acres	3 334	4 010

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	241	286	152	183
Land in farms — acres	110 719	122 340	101 241	109 931
Harvested cropland — acres	38 312	37 423	37 681	36 680
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	65	78	27	32
Land in farms — acres	17 268	18 138	15 423	15 136
Harvested cropland — acres	7 388	5 174	7 258	5 006
Part owners — number	93	91	62	69
Land in farms — acres	70 585	68 502	64 383	62 536
Harvested cropland — acres	18 600	16 478	18 198	16 107
Tenants — number	83	117	63	82
Land in farms — acres	22 866	35 700	21 435	32 259
Harvested cropland — acres	12 324	15 771	12 225	15 567
Percent of tenancy	34.4	40.9	41.4	44.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	11	27	1	6
Land in farms — acres	584	2 274	47	1 648
Harvested cropland — acres	62	825	47	684
Full owners — number	6	11	–	1
Land in farms — acres	202	350	–	26
Harvested cropland — acres	10	40	–	12
Part owners — number	–	5	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	1 505	–	1 406
Harvested cropland — acres	–	511	–	456
Tenants — number	5	11	1	3
Land in farms — acres	382	419	47	216
Harvested cropland — acres	52	274	47	216
Percent of tenancy	45.5	40.7	100.0	50.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	123	144
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	69 531	64 331

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	21	30
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 841	16 294
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	21 869	26 462
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	2 844
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	5	2	4
25 to 34 years	20	39	14	26
35 to 44 years	46	63	34	43
45 to 54 years	45	72	33	45
55 to 64 years	78	72	37	45
65 years and over	40	35	24	20
Average age	52.9	49.7	51.4	49.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	124	191	79	125
On another farm	12		10	
In a rural area, not on a farm	23	76	13	48
In a city, town, or urban area	31		18	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	77	(NA)	57	(NA)
1 to 49 days	5	12	4	9
50 to 99 days	6	9	4	5
100 to 149 days	19	12	6	5
150 to 199 days	6		4	
200 days and over	57	95	16	36
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	145	(NA)	121	(NA)
Other	87	(NA)	23	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	61	37	61	37
$40,000 to $99,999	34		33	
$20,000 to $39,999	8	48	8	48
$10,000 to $19,999	9	31	9	31
$5,000 to $9,999	18	33	18	33
$2,500 to $4,999	18	30	18	29
Under $2,500 (see text)	93	107	5	5
$2,000 to $2,499	15	6	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	17	16	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	22	14	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	39	71	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	26 307	7 858	26 110	7 767
Average per farm ... dollars	109 158	27 473	171 779	42 440
Crops, including hay ... farms	140	172	115	(NA)
$1,000	25 508	4 996	25 422	4 976
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	2
$1,000	–		–	(Z)
Forest products ... farms	6	2	1	2
$1,000	13	(D)	9	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	143	156	65	86
$1,000	786	2 801	680	2 729
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	(NA)	–	3
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	115	(NA)
$1,000	25 422	4 976
Grains ... farms	35	43
$1,000	1 513	721
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	2
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	10	14
$1,000	32	70
Other field crops ... farms	84	99
$1,000	23 848	4 125
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	5
$1,000	5	19
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	13
$1,000	24	39
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	65	86
$1,000	680	2 729
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	3
Dairy products ... farms	2	2
$1,000	(D)	7
Cattle and calves ... farms	65	(NA)
$1,000	648	2 713
Hogs and pigs ... farms	2	(NA)
$1,000	6	6
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	93	(NA)	22	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	80	(NA)	64	(NA)
$1,000	892	(NA)	880	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	8	16	8	14
$1,000	49	70	49	61
Recreational services ... farms	1	1	1	–
$1,000	7	9	7	–
Government farm programs ... farms	71	102	60	87
$1,000	366	432	361	425
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	21	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	464	(NA)	456	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	30	(NA)	22	(NA)
$1,000	220	(NA)	215	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	76
$1,000	764
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	10
$1,000	66
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	37
$1,000	506
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	38
$1,000	117
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	19
$1,000	60
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	15

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	241	286	152	183
$1,000	11 729	6 735	11 399	6 577
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	31	48	3	5
$1,000 to $1,999	39	39	1	
$2,000 to $2,999	9	32	5	22
$3,000 to $4,999	17	34	8	26
$5,000 to $9,999	31	36	22	34
$10,000 to $19,999	16		16	36
$20,000 to $39,999	23	97	23	33
$40,000 to $59,999	15		15	27
$60,000 and over	60		59	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	66	83	27	47
$1,000	303	1 713	257	1 685
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	136	160	63	85
$1,000	217	217	156	192
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	94	103	53	52
$1,000	158	135	119	123
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	21	24
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	20
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	19	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	21
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	19
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	29
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	81	118	49	83
$1,000	245	80	233	77
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	176	217	127	155
$1,000	661	228	622	221
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	110	(NA)	95	(NA)
$1,000	715	319	712	317
Lime ... farms	(NA)	10	4	9
$1,000	(NA)	2	14	2
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	233	276	151	181
$1,000	689	413	665	386
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	132	167
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	237	160
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	115	93
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	285	126
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	63	70
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	55
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	151	181
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	45
Hired farm labor ... farms	121	188	102	147
$1,000	1 963	1 356	1 897	1 340
Contract labor ... farms	13	111	12	16
$1,000	30	234	28	53
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	60		40	79
$1,000	151		149	172
All other production expenses ... farms	221	247	152	182
$1,000	6 756	2 176	6 656	2 134

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	230	273	149	179
$1,000	10 496	5 278	9 673	4 714
Average per farm—dollars	45 634	19 332	64 921	26 332
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	16	–	45
$1,000 to $4,999	25	89	7	
$5,000 to $9,999	52	49	15	27
$10,000 to $19,999	49	40	30	33
$20,000 to $29,999	19	79	15	28
$30,000 to $49,999	29		29	23
$50,000 to $69,999	16		16	23
$70,000 and over	38		37	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	155	155	107	104
number	198	211	146	149
mfd in last 5 years, number	138	139	119	106
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	201	221	142	152
number	388	407	321	334
mfd in last 5 years, number	194	236	177	196
Wheel tractors—farms	212	244	141	166
number	716	817	615	672
mfd in last 5 years, number	215	322	198	270
Crawler tractors—farms	18		11	18
number	20		13	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	24	20	23	18
number	41	34	39	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	26	13	26
Corn heads for combines—farms	8	26	7	4
number	9	27	8	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	11	3	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	13		12	18
number	13		12	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	8
Mower conditioners—farms	46	(NA)	28	(NA)
number	57	(NA)	39	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	(NA)	11	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	34	46	23	31
number	36	52	25	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	19	10	17
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	20	(NA)	16	16
number	22	(NA)	18	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	8	6
number	16	(NA)	16	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	8

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	150	(X)	73	(X)	143	(X)	65	(X)	680
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	143	(X)	70	(X)	141	(X)	65	(X)	654
1969	174	(X)	94	(X)	151	(X)	83	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	143	18 226	70	14 742	139	5 527	65	4 925	648
1969	166	17 549	93	15 656	142	16 285	82	15 651	2 713
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	9	4	9	37	86	6	13	2
5 to 9—1974	6	37	2	13	30	183	8	56	7
10 to 19—1974	19	271	5	69	26	344	7	102	14
20 to 49—1974	47	1 434	7	207	27	973	26	943	117
50 to 99—1974	23	1 509	9	658	6	400	6	400	49
100 to 199—1974	20	2 617	20	2 617	5	559	4	429	97
200 to 499—1974	15	4 540	15	4 540	8	2 982	8	2 982	362
500 and over—1974	9	7 809	8	6 629	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	117	9 775	59	7 762	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	151	8 720	85	7 629	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	117	9 666	59	7 657	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 622	73	7 565	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	5	109	4	105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	35	98	25	64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	7

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	117	9 666	59	7 657			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	4	10	4	10			
5 to 9	7	43	1	5			
10 to 19	25	345	6	88			
20 to 49	36	1 087	6	220			
50 to 99	23	1 654	21	1 529			
100 to 199	9	(D)	9	(D)			
200 to 499	11	3 531	11	3 531			
500 and over	2	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	5	109	4	105			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	1	2	1	2			
3 or 4	2	7	1	3			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	2	100	2	100			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					44	2 187	405
Farms with—							
1 to 4					6	16	4
5 to 9					6	39	7
10 to 19					10	120	20
20 to 49					13	419	70
50 to 99					4	234	47
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					4	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					44	2 738	244
Farms with—							
1 or 2					2	3	(Z)
3 or 4					1	4	1
5 to 9					5	37	4
10 to 19					6	96	12
20 to 49					18	594	58
50 to 99					6	404	40
100 to 199					1	100	5
200 to 499					5	1 500	122
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	60	3 080	5	30	6
	1969	72	3 945	1	47	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	58	3 078	4	14	3
Milk heifers	1974	2	2	1	16	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	56	3 900	–	–	–
	1969	76	4 082	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			–	–	–
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	8	22	5	14	4	90	2	70	6
	1969	24	279	10	47	10	201	1	8	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	8	22	5	14	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	2	20	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	2	70	2	70	6
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	52	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	20	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	44	195	19	136	6	11	2	4	(Z)
	1969	60	351	(NA)	(NA)	4	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	–	–				
	1969	3	5				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	5	14				
	1969	9	42				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			6	16	2	10
	1969			14	44	3	7
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			6	16	2	10
	1969			11	23	2	5
June 1 and November 30	1974			–	–	–	–
	1969			11	21	2	2

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	21	(X)	6	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	21	599	6	338	–	–	–	–
	1969	36	4 477	16	3 481	2	2 631	2	2 631
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	21	504	6	265	–	–	–	–
	1969	34	1 462	14	690	1	100	1	100
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	21	504	6	265	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	6	23	1	10	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	153	2	100	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	3

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	6	265	–	–
	1969	14	690	1	100
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	6	220	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	45	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	20	–	–
	1969	2	120	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	3	53	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	46	84	1 126	3 054	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	6	500	851	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	20	26	9 386	8 864	222 853	231 511
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	2	–	565	–	3 575
Other small grains for grain	1	–	50	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	7	–	42	–	29
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	5	(NA)	278	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	4	(NA)	820	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	48	55	2 505	5 091	5 535	8 096
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	7	16	28	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	25	179	418	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	95	(NA)	24 919	19 256	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	22	49	813	2 559	54 682	131 411	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	1	100	175	1 200	2 400	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	3	59	42	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	6	500	851	28 842	38 859	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	–	300	–	617	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	46	12 265	(X)	2	28	13	2 454	11	94	2	180
	1969	57	9 589	(X)	–	–	20	2 354	18	160	2	5
Improved pasture	1974	14	2 964	(X)	–	–	11	2 279	11	169	–	–
	1969	25	5 680	(X)	–	–	11	2 373	11	281	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	26	972	(X)	–	–	20	865	6	17	14	101
	1969	51	2 776	(X)	–	–	30	2 021	15	70	16	260
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	500	(X)	–	–	3	300	–	–	3	17
	1969	6	851	(X)	–	–	4	371	–	–	4	52
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	565	3 575	–	–	1	365	(NA)	–	(NA)	18
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	50	1 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	20	9 386	222 853	–	–	2	1 804	2	129	–	–
	1969	24	8 794	230 384	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	35	2 178	4 916	–	–	12	1 153	12	153	–	–
	1969	41	4 869	7 736	–	–	10	636	8	69	2	12
Field seed crops	1974	2	110	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	200	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	21	19	1	5	1	7	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	1	50	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	8	331	1	1	5	7	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	15	(X)	–	–	1	15	1	2	–	–
	1969	5	27	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	4	169	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	15	376	(X)	–	–	6	186	6	17	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	84	24 655	(X)	–	–	84	24 631	16	351	83	2 453

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	135	166
$1,000	1 335	538
Commercial fertilizer—farms	127	141
acres on which used	33 501	26 920
tons	3 665	3 143
$1,000	622	221
Lime—farms	4	9
acres on which used	625	265
tons	814	254
$1,000	14	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	2
acres on which used	35	70
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	45	76
acres on which used	18 955	17 285
$1,000	216	125
Nematodes in crops—farms	4	1
acres on which used	2 750	1 349
$1,000	12	12
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	4
acres on which used	1 577	437
$1,000	20	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	70	74
acres on which used	27 609	22 099
$1,000	430	160
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	14
acres on which used	1 003	1 936
$1,000	2	8
Weeds on all other land—farms	11	(NA)
acres on which used	750	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	3	2
acres on which used	1 136	170
$1,000	4	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	6	24
$1,000	3	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	3	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	1
Proportion of farms—percent	1.3	0.5
Total land irrigated—acres	28	5
Average per farm—acres	14.0	5.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	28	5
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	5
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	2	–
acres	28	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	35	2
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	0.4
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	28	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	308	26
Cropland—acres	60	18
Harvested cropland—acres	–	12
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	41	66
Proportion of farms—percent	27.0	36.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	23 131	41 741
Land drained—acres	21 115	38 166
Average per farm—acres	515.0	578.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	8	(NA)
number	22	(NA)
acres	89	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	50	24	33
$1,000	2 722	1 474	1 247
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	–	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	6	4	4
$10,000 to $29,999	18	7	13
$30,000 to $49,999	7	2	6
$50,000 and over	19	11	10

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	75	82	327	340	1 261	1 340
25 to 149 days	58	121	529	834	547	
Less than 25 days	43		446		89	
Total contract labor	12	16	(NA)	(NA)	28	53
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	25	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	102	75	58	43
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 897	1 261	547	89
Number of workers	1 302	327	529	446
Farms with—				
1 worker	16	20	10	4
2 workers	15	18	13	8
3 or 4 workers	16	23	7	8
5 to 9 workers	13	5	11	11
10 workers and over	42	9	17	12

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	269	232	68	52
Land in farms — acres	38 449	29 063	9 723	10 328
Average size of farm — acres	143	125	143	199
Approximate land area — acres	372 544	372 544	372 544	372 544
Proportion in farms — percent	10.3	7.8	2.6	2.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	14 139	6 303	4 831	2 140
Average per farm — dollars	52 563	27 167	71 044	41 154
Average per acre — dollars	368	217	497	207
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	8	3	3	3
10 to 49 acres	86	58	7	7
50 to 69 acres	33	23	6	2
70 to 99 acres	41	48	17	8
100 to 139 acres	40	34	10	4
140 to 179 acres	24	21	10	6
180 to 219 acres	11	11	5	3
220 to 259 acres	12	11	5	6
260 to 499 acres	7	17	2	10
500 to 999 acres	3	6	3	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	4	–	–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	228	198	54	43
acres	14 690	9 106	5 161	2 731
Harvested cropland — farms	150	117	34	36
acres	2 533	1 790	1 274	918
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	61	63	4	
10 to 19 acres	49	21	9	30
20 to 29 acres	21	17	10	
30 to 49 acres	13	7	6	
50 to 99 acres	5	8	4	5
100 to 199 acres	–	1	–	1
200 to 499 acres	1	–	1	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	196	153	45	27
acres	10 899	6 279	3 731	1 507
Other cropland (see text) — farms	34	56	6	(NA)
acres	1 258	1 037	156	306
Total woodland — farms	148	176	37	36
acres	20 059	14 852	3 007	5 604
Other land (see text) — farms	182	167	45	(NA)
acres	3 700	5 105	1 555	1 993
Irrigated land — farms	–	2	–	–
acres	–	4	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — forms	6	(NA)
acres	156	306
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	–
acres	3	–
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	2
acres	–	22
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	3
acres	20	73
Cropland idle — farms	5	7
acres	133	211
Total woodland — farms	37	36
acres	3 007	5 604
Woodland pastured — farms	24	25
acres	1 313	3 392

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	22	23
acres	1 694	2 212
Other land — farms	45	(NA)
acres	1 555	1 993
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	17	22
acres	1 055	1 404
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	6	17
acres	261	964
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	9
acres	794	440
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	42	37
acres	500	589

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	269	232	68	52
Land in farms — acres	38 449	29 063	9 723	10 328
Harvested cropland — acres	2 533	1 790	1 274	918
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	229	198	55	40
Land in farms — acres	31 522	25 130	6 115	8 836
Harvested cropland — acres	1 531	1 198	527	618
Part owners — number	31	27	8	11
Land in farms — acres	5 169	3 483	2 029	1 322
Harvested cropland — acres	355	522	145	240
Tenants — number	9	7	5	1
Land in farms — acres	1 758	450	1 579	170
Harvested cropland — acres	647	70	602	60
Percent of tenancy	3.3	3.0	7.4	1.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	22	6	–	2
Land in farms — acres	1 100	680	–	412
Harvested cropland — acres	106	73	–	61
Full owners — number	21	3	–	1
Land in farms — acres	941	250	–	182
Harvested cropland — acres	100	40	–	38
Part owners — number	1	1	–	1
Land in farms — acres	159	230	–	230
Harvested cropland — acres	6	23	–	23
Tenants — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	200	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	10	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	33.3	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	65	49
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 284	9 852

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	213	476
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	226	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	10	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	21	17	3	1
35 to 44 years	55	48	17	17
45 to 54 years	44	65	15	15
55 to 64 years	74	69	25	14
65 years and over	63	33	6	5
Average age	53.2	52.1	52.3	50.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	171	165	45	40
On another farm	7		2	
In a rural area, not in a farm	4	31	1	6
In a city, town, or urban area	34		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	67	(NA)	12	(NA)
1 to 49 days	2	9	1	5
50 to 99 days	3	7	2	1
100 to 149 days	3	28	–	4
150 to 199 days	13		8	
200 days and over	163	137	34	20
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	56	(NA)	22	(NA)
Other	211	(NA)	44	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	15	11	15	11
$40,000 to $99,999	4		4	
$20,000 to $39,999	2	5	2	5
$10,000 to $19,999	8	5	8	5
$5,000 to $9,999	14	8	14	8
$2,500 to $4,999	22	19	22	19
Under $2,500 (see text)	204	184	3	4
$2,000 to $2,499	25	14	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	26	11	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	41	27	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	112	132	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 096	2 246	3 901	2 122
Average per farm (dollars)	15 225	9 683	57 369	40 803
Crops, including hay (farms)	45	44	17	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	65	66	50	56
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	–		–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	–		–	–
Forest products (farms)	32	29	8	15
Forest products ($1,000)	40	24	34	21
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	254	188	67	45
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 991	2 156	3 817	2 045
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	29	(NA)	21	20
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	3 424	(NA)	3 424	1 890

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	17	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	50	56
Grains (farms)	2	1
Grains ($1,000)	1	(Z)
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	12	5
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	23	3
Other field crops (farms)	1	–
Other field crops ($1,000)	1	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	5	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	25	53
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	67	45
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 817	2 045
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	21	20
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	3 424	1 890
Dairy products (farms)	4	2
Dairy products ($1,000)	167	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	56	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	203	(D)
Hogs and pigs (farms)	7	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	20	17
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	5	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	2	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	187	(NA)	27	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	38	(NA)	12	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	127	(NA)	109	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	13	12	6	3
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	39	5	32	3
Recreational services (farms)	–	1	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	(Z)	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	22	35	5	11
Government farm programs ($1,000)	10	14	5	9
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	15	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	21	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	51
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	615
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	19
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	238
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	32
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	351
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	10
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	3
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	10
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	22
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	2

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	269	232	68	52
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	4 162	2 082	3 777	1 873
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	73	106	1	9
$1,000 to $1,999	63	55	8	
$2,000 to $2,999	33	21	3	7
$3,000 to $4,999	44	24	12	11
$5,000 to $9,999	26	6	14	5
$10,000 to $19,999	9		9	2
$20,000 to $39,999	2	20	2	7
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	11
$60,000 and over	18		18	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	105	102	41	32
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	692	424	614	392
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	246	204	62	45
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	2 729	1 336	2 577	1 274
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	172	124	57	42
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	2 610	1 286	2 527	1 262
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	12	6
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	14	1
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	22	6
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	22	3
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	11	12
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	14	8
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	40	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	23	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	86	69	13	20
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	15	5	11	2
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	190	179	33	40
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	85	50	36	27
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	54	(NA)	13	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	8	5	3	3
Lime (farms)	(NA)	12	4	5
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	2	1	2
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	260	226	68	52
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	69	49	43	25
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	62	48
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	26	16
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	27	8
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	4	1
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	24	17
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	6	5
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	68	51
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	7	3
Hired farm labor (farms)	57	68	26	27
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	158	45	150	32
Contract labor (farms)	15	63	3	1
Contract labor ($1,000)	10	17	4	1
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	61		12	24
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	13		7	9
All other production expenses (farms)	207	140	67	50
All other production expenses ($1,000)	383	150	309	107

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	263	220	68	47
$1,000	2 305	872	907	343
Average per farm—dollars	8 765	3 961	13 334	7 308
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	30	1	27
$1,000 to $4,999	76	138	17	
$5,000 to $9,999	108	36	12	12
$10,000 to $19,999	53	13	24	6
$20,000 to $29,999	9	3	8	–
$30,000 to $49,999	7		4	–
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	2
$70,000 and over	1		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	142	133	35	28
number	169	157	43	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	69	108	29	27
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	213	187	55	41
number	235	210	68	55
mfd in last 5 years, number	82	112	33	27
Wheel tractors—farms	219	163	57	43
number	268	194	89	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	68	80	30	24
Crawler tractors—farms	7		2	3
number	7		2	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	–
number	–		–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	45	(NA)	19	(NA)
number	47	(NA)	19	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	(NA)	14	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	47	30	21	11
number	47	31	21	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	18	11	7
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	28	(NA)	15	6
number	28	(NA)	15	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	7	5
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	1	(NA)	1	–
number	1	(NA)	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	259	(X)	65	(X)	254	(X)	67	(X)	3 817
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	249	(X)	59	(X)	233	(X)	59	(X)	223
1969	204	(X)	39	(X)	179	(X)	36	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	245	8 717	56	3 606	229	2 574	56	1 340	203
1969	204	4 334	39	1 590	175	1 640	34	557	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	7	17	1	1	68	157	5	11	3
5 to 9—1974	22	147	1	8	68	435	7	44	8
10 to 19—1974	57	778	1	18	55	667	15	204	45
20 to 49—1974	106	3 310	27	920	31	895	22	661	88
50 to 99—1974	44	3 013	17	1 207	7	420	7	420	60
100 to 199—1974	7	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	208	4 975	53	2 016	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	163	2 228	32	921	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	189	4 685	49	1 801	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 955	30	734	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	57	290	20	215	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	57	273	10	187	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	167
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	189	4 685	49	1 801
Farms with—				
1 to 4	8	22	–	–
5 to 9	24	175	4	31
10 to 19	69	884	10	123
20 to 49	69	2 167	25	796
50 to 99	17	1 087	8	501
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	57	290	20	215
Farms with—				
1 or 2	43	62	13	18
3 or 4	6	19	2	6
5 to 9	3	18	–	–
10 to 19	1	10	1	10
20 to 49	2	40	2	40
50 to 99	2	141	2	141
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	45	645	134
Farms with—			
1 to 4	10	25	7
5 to 9	8	49	13
10 to 19	15	198	46
20 to 49	11	323	59
50 to 99	1	50	10
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	38	695	69
Farms with—			
1 or 2	2	3	(Z)
3 or 4	3	12	1
5 to 9	6	39	4
10 to 19	13	178	17
20 to 49	13	412	39
50 to 99	1	51	7
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	42	870
	1969	35	385
Beef heifers	1974	39	794
Milk heifers	1974	6	76
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	47	720
	1969	34	284

		Sales—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	6	27	5
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	12	3
10 to 19	1974	1	15	2
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	32	478	10	313	23	412	7	307	20
	1969	31	513	9	126	22	739	9	535	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	17	38	3	6	8	14	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	3	22	2	14	6	45	1	6	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	7	91	2	26	4	54	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	3	93	1	33	4	128	4	128	14
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	2	234	2	234	1	171	1	171	5
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	179	2	155	4
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	572	7	421	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	55	136	10	51	4	12	2	4	1
	1969	62	271	(NA)	(NA)	12	43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	7	36
	1969	7	36
Other hogs and pigs	1974	9	277
	1969	9	90
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	22	104	7	67
	1969	24	203	9	101
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	19	47	6	24
	1969	21	121	8	54
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	57	7	43
	1969	18	82	7	47

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	74	(X)	17	(X)	21	(X)	21	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	63	148 650	6	147 322	5	199 470	5	199 470
	1969	54	181 764	11	(D)	4	345 800	4	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	61	107 783	6	106 550	4	117 700	4	117 700
	1969	54	79 310	11	78 549	4	78 350	4	78 350
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	54	883	3	50	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	4	400	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	13	477 202	10	477 192	16	2 246 980	16	2 246 980
	1969	19	585 110	13	585 000	14	1 638 300	14	1 638 300
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	3 424	21	3 424
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	20	1 890

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	6	106 550	4	117 700
	1969	11	78 549	4	78 350
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	3	50	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	106 500	4	117 700
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	1	(D)	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	(D)	4	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	12	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	12	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	12	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	36	29	152	137	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	2	–	2	–	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	1	–	1	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	1	–	7	–	2
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	19	(NA)	944	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	11	(NA)	6	(NA)	438	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	132	93	2 318	1 242	4 383	1 566
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	23	75	377	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	6	3	5	9	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	–	(NA)	–	36	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	10	7	38	33	1 883	935	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	1	–	5	–	31	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	45	3 731	(X)	–	–	15	688	15	119	–	–
	1969	27	1 507	(X)	–	–	10	457	10	86	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	6	261	(X)	–	–	3	127	3	17	–	–
	1969	17	964	(X)	–	–	11	608	11	100	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	10	38	(X)	–	–	7	27	7	6	–	–
	1969	7	38	(X)	–	–	7	33	7	9	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 200	–	–	2	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	32	1 171	2 100	–	–	11	285	11	84	–	–
	1969	27	520	713	–	–	14	319	14	80	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	6	(X)	–	–	1	6	1	2	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	95	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	1	58	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	72	(X)	–	–	3	13	3	(Z)	–	–
	1969	11	360	(X)	–	–	9	326	9	78	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	5	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	33	43
$1,000	39	31
Commercial fertilizer—farms	33	33
acres on which used	1 140	1 754
tons	227	356
$1,000	36	27
Lime—farms	4	5
acres on which used	88	210
tons	168	385
$1,000	1	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	5
acres on which used	20	63
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	28	20
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	6
acres on which used	45	195
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	39	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	6	10
$1,000	(Z)	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	3	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	3	1
Proportion of farms—percent	4.4	1.9
Land in farms with drainage—acres	632	712
Land drained—acres	56	10
Average per farm—acres	18.7	10.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	31	(NA)
number	72	(NA)
acres	97	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	30	21	13
$1,000	895	714	181
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	7	4	7
$5,000 to $9,999	4	1	3
$10,000 to $29,999	9	7	2
$30,000 to $49,999	3	3	–
$50,000 and over	7	6	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	6	2	38	8	137	32
25 to 149 days	6		12		6	
Less than 25 days	17	27	59	81	7	
Total contract labor	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	4	1
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	8	(NA)	2	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	26	6	6	17
Cash wages paid—$1,000	150	137	6	7
Number of workers	109	38	12	59
Farms with—				
1 worker	11	2	4	6
2 workers	2	2	–	1
3 or 4 workers	4	–	1	3
5 to 9 workers	7	1	1	7
10 workers and over	2	1	–	–

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	37	54	26	32
Land in farms — acres	7 606	8 951	6 673	7 170
Average size of farm — acres	206	166	257	224
Approximate land area — acres	236 416	236 416	236 416	236 416
Proportion in farms — percent	3.2	3.8	2.8	3.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	7 561	9 160	6 975	7 176
Average per farm — dollars	204 348	169 623	268 273	224 249
Average per acre — dollars	994	1 023	1 045	1 001
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	9	6	6	3
10 to 49 acres	15	19	11	11
50 to 69 acres	1	2	1	–
70 to 99 acres	2	6	–	4
100 to 139 acres	1	2	1	1
140 to 179 acres	2	5	2	1
180 to 219 acres	1	3	1	2
220 to 259 acres	1	3	–	3
260 to 499 acres	1	5	–	4
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	2	1	2
2,000 acres and over	1	–	1	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	2	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	20	243
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	–	–
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	–	–
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	2
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	–	105
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	1
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	–	60
Cropland idle — farms	2	3
Cropland idle — acres	20	78
Total woodland — farms	2	6
Total woodland — acres	770	980
Woodland pastured — farms	–	5
Woodland pastured — acres	–	535

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	21	42	13	25
Total cropland — acres	1 995	2 974	1 352	2 343
Harvested cropland — farms	14	29	13	22
Harvested cropland — acres	1 333	815	1 332	721
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	9	9	8	
10 to 19 acres	1	5	1	19
20 to 29 acres	3	9	3	
30 to 49 acres	–	2	–	
50 to 99 acres	–	1	–	–
100 to 199 acres	–	3	–	3
200 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	1	–	1	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	7	25	–	10
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	642	1 809	–	1 379
Other cropland (see text) — farms	2	9	2	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	20	350	20	243
Total woodland — farms	3	10	2	6
Total woodland — acres	809	1 483	770	980
Other land (see text) — farms	26	40	20	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	4 802	4 494	4 551	3 847
Irrigated land — farms	5	2	5	2
Irrigated land — acres	600	22	600	22

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	2	4
Woodland not pastured — acres	770	445
Other land — farms	20	(NA)
Other land — acres	4 551	3 847
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	8	11
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	4 344	3 667
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	5	6
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	644	2 529
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	3	7
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 700	1 138
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	14	15
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	207	180

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	37	54	26	32
Land in farms — acres	7 606	8 951	6 673	7 170
Harvested cropland — acres	1 333	815	1 332	721
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	16	26	13	15
Land in farms — acres	1 541	3 822	1 289	3 305
Harvested cropland — acres	15	276	15	256
Part owners — number	8	11	6	10
Land in farms — acres	269	2 341	195	2 316
Harvested cropland — acres	92	385	91	375
Tenants — number	13	17	7	7
Land in farms — acres	5 796	2 788	5 189	1 549
Harvested cropland — acres	1 226	154	1 226	90
Percent of tenancy	35.1	31.4	26.9	21.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	1	2	–	1
Land in farms — acres	80	154	–	90
Harvested cropland — acres	–	25	–	25
Full owners — number	–	2	–	1
Land in farms — acres	–	154	–	90
Harvested cropland — acres	–	25	–	25
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	1	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	80	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	100.0	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	22	25
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 560	4 598

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	30	2 572
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	83	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	3	4	1	3
35 to 44 years	9	11	5	4
45 to 54 years	4	17	4	10
55 to 64 years	14	16	11	11
65 years and over	4	6	2	4
Average age	51.7	50.5	53.1	51.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	11	27	7	17
On another farm	1		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	2	14	1	8
In a city, town, or urban area	11		5	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1	6	1	2
50 to 99 days	2	2	2	2
100 to 149 days	–	6	–	1
150 to 199 days	–		–	
200 days and over	16	19	8	11
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	16	(NA)	14	(NA)
Other	18	(NA)	9	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	3	2	3	2
$40,000 to $99,999	2		2	
$20,000 to $39,999	4	–	4	–
$10,000 to $19,999	5	12	5	12
$5,000 to $9,999	4	2	4	2
$2,500 to $4,999	8	11	8	11
Under $2,500 (see text)	11	27	–	5
$2,000 to $2,499	–	7	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	1	1	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	5	2	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	5	17	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	991	451	982	433
Average per farm (dollars)	26 789	8 344	37 783	13 516
Crops, including hay (farms)	7	18	7	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	484	319	484	319
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	7		6	2
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	237		236	(D)
Forest products (farms)	–	1	–	1
Forest products ($1,000)	–	1	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	24	29	15	17
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	270	130	263	113
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	2	(NA)	1	1
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	3	(NA)	3	(Z)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	7	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	484	319
Grains (farms)	1	–
Grains ($1,000)	409	–
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	–	1
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	–	(D)
Other field crops (farms)	–	–
Other field crops ($1,000)	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	6	13
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	75	186
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	15	17
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	263	113
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	1	1
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	3	(Z)
Dairy products (farms)	–	1
Dairy products ($1,000)	–	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	12	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	112	92
Hogs and pigs (farms)	2	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	4	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(D)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	19	(NA)	10	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	–	–	–	–
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	–	–	–	–
Recreational services (farms)	–	–	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	–	2	–	2
Government farm programs ($1,000)	–	1	–	1
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	15
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	209
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	7
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	70
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	9
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	127
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	4
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	11
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	–
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	2
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	1

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	37	54	26	32
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	778	451	764	401
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	6	9	2	5
$1,000 to $1,999	8	9	4	
$2,000 to $2,999	5	11	2	8
$3,000 to $4,999	2	6	2	4
$5,000 to $9,999	5	8	5	4
$10,000 to $19,999	3	11	3	5
$20,000 to $39,999	3		3	5
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	1
$60,000 and over	4		4	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	14	16	9	7
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	105	35	102	27
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	18	23	11	12
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	90	40	86	32
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	14	17	9	11
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	53	25	50	20
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	3
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	35	6
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	13	21	10	17
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	44	31	44	30
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	16	21	12	15
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	60	22	60	22
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	15	(NA)	13	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	31	8	31	7
Lime (farms)	(NA)	4	2	2
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	(Z)	1	(Z)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	29	52	21	32
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	54	36	52	31
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	17	30
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	32	22
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	8	10
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	6	4
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	6	2
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	21	32
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	4
Hired farm labor (farms)	10	26	9	20
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	125	135	125	120
Contract labor (farms)	1	8	1	4
Contract labor ($1,000)	(Z)	17	(Z)	15
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	5		4	5
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	5		5	3
All other production expenses (farms)	35	44	26	29
All other production expenses ($1,000)	264	128	256	114

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	30	49	21	29
$1,000	368	428	320	324
Average per farm—dollars	12 251	8 739	15 234	11 180
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	1	–	9
$1,000 to $4,999	5	21	–	
$5,000 to $9,999	16	15	12	10
$10,000 to $19,999	3	8	3	6
$20,000 to $29,999	2	4	2	3
$30,000 to $49,999	3		3	
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	1
$70,000 and over	–		–	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	17	26	13	14
number	19	36	15	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	25	8	13
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	27	41	19	28
number	40	71	32	57
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	46	14	39
Wheel tractors—farms	23	46	17	28
number	50	87	43	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	45	9	36
Crawler tractors—farms	–		–	2
number	–		–	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	1	–	–
number	–	1	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	1	–	–
number	–	1	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	1
number	–		–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
number	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	1	10	–	5
number	1	10	–	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	3
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1	(NA)	1	3
number	1	(NA)	1	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	–	(NA)	–	–
number	–	(NA)	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	25	(X)	16	(X)	24	(X)	15	(X)	263
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	18	(X)	11	(X)	19	(X)	12	(X)	124
1969	25	(X)	15	(X)	25	(X)	17	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	18	1 454	11	1 259	18	643	12	610	112
1969	23	1 445	15	1 190	24	936	17	818	92
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	1	4	1	4	3	4	1	1	(Z)
5 to 9—1974	1	5	–	–	4	26	1	7	1
10 to 19—1974	4	52	1	11	6	75	5	64	21
20 to 49—1974	4	129	2	54	2	58	2	58	13
50 to 99—1974	4	275	3	201	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	15	813	9	693	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	19	846	12	700	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	15	813	9	693	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	803	11	665	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	–	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	7	43	3	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	15	813	9	693
Farms with—				
1 to 4	1	3	–	–
5 to 9	–	–	–	–
10 to 19	4	62	2	36
20 to 49	5	131	2	40
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	–	–	–	–
Farms with—				
1 or 2	–	–	–	–
3 or 4	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	–	–	–	–
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	11	276	77
Farms with—			
1 to 4	2	3	1
5 to 9	–	–	–
10 to 19	6	83	28
20 to 49	1	33	10
50 to 99	1	57	(D)
100 to 199	1	100	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	5	334	35
Farms with—			
1 or 2	–	–	–
3 or 4	–	–	–
5 to 9	1	5	1
10 to 19	–	–	–
20 to 49	2	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	9	301
	1969	11	332
Beef heifers	1974	9	301
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	10	265
	1969	14	158

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	3	87	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	3	146	2	104	3	183	2	(D)	(D)
	1969	4	96	2	17	3	189	1	120	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	1	23	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	1	42	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	2	104	2	104	2	160	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	120	1	120	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	16	1	14	1	3	1	3	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	8	209	5	200	4	550	4	550	134
	1969	21	213	(NA)	(NA)	4	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	2	24
	1969	1	6
Other hogs and pigs	1974	2	80
	1969	2	11
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	3	25	2	22
	1969	2	17	1	15
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	2	12	2	12
	1969	1	10	1	10
June 1 and November 30	1974	3	13	2	10
	1969	2	7	1	5

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)	2	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	3	361	1	300	2	530	1	300
	1969	9	579	6	342	1	100	–	–
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	3	355	1	300	2	500	1	300
	1969	8	409	5	172	1	100	–	–
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	2	55	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	300	1	300	2	500	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	7	–	–	1	30	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	3	1	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(Z)

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	1	300	1	300
	1969	5	172	–	–
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	1	300	1	300
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	50	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	–	(D)	–	(D)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	1	–	(D)	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpototoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	–	10	–	312	–	347
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	6	14	92	425	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	–	3	–	105	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	17	24	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	1 379	(X)	–	–	3	719	3	65	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	5	644	(X)	–	–	3	231	3	47	–	–
	1969	6	2 529	(X)	–	–	2	360	2	52	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	117	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	(D)	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	1	128	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	228	264	–	–	1	100	1	50	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish pototoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	1	1	60	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	92	(X)	–	–	4	82	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
	1969	13	423	(X)	2	1	8	280	4	23	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	8	66	–	–
	1969	1	100	(X)	–	–	1	50	–	–	–	–
									1	50	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	6	16	(X)	4	16	4	16	3	16	1	1
1969	2	25	(X)	1	21	2	25	2	7	1	2
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	16	20
$1,000	90	29
Commercial fertilizer—farms	12	15
acres on which used	1 556	1 534
tons	331	292
$1,000	60	22
Lime—farms	2	2
acres on which used	78	33
tons	54	11
$1,000	1	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	11	8
acres on which used	1 285	297
$1,000	16	4
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	1	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	7
acres on which used	5	267
$1,000	(Z)	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	2	2
acres on which used	1 225	20
$1,000	(D)	(Z)
Weeds or brush in posture—farms	1	–
acres on which used	167	–
$1,000	(D)	–
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	2	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1	2
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	5	2
Proportion of farms—percent	19.2	6.2
Total land irrigated—acres	600	22
Average per farm—acres	120.0	11.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	5	2
acres	600	22
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	5	2
acres	600	22
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	621	41
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.0	1.9
Land irrigated by— Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	15	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	3 484	57
Cropland—acres	1 240	36
Harvested cropland—acres	1 240	36
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2	10
Proportion of farms—percent	7.7	31.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	54	1 428
Land drained—acres	48	1 378
Average per farm—acres	24.0	137.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	1	(NA)
number	1	(NA)
acres	5	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	5	4	1
$1,000	(D)	(D)	2
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	2	1
$5,000 to $9,999	–	–	–
$10,000 to $29,999	1	1	–
$30,000 to $49,999	–	–	–
$50,000 and over	1	1	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	5	7	21	31	96	120
25 to 149 days	6	17	31	89	24	
Less than 25 days	4		22		4	
Total contract labor	1	4	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	15
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	1974 hired farm workers working—			
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	9	5	6	4
Cash wages paid $1,000	125	96	24	4
Number of workers	74	21	31	22
Farms with—				
1 worker	1	1	1	–
2 workers	1	–	–	1
3 or 4 workers	1	2	2	–
5 to 9 workers	3	2	2	2
10 workers and over	3	–	1	1

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	652	897	561	696
Land in farms — acres	328 212	365 769	318 469	350 881
Average size of farm — acres	503	408	568	504
Approximate land area — acres	420 864	420 864	420 864	420 864
Proportion in farms — percent	78.0	86.9	75.7	83.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	164 653	118 830	159 922	113 478
Average per farm — dollars	252 536	132 474	285 066	163 043
Average per acre — dollars	502	325	502	323
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	28	43	17	6
10 to 49 acres	71	124	43	25
50 to 69 acres	34	32	16	14
70 to 99 acres	28	34	18	30
100 to 139 acres	30	52	21	34
140 to 179 acres	32	46	28	39
180 to 219 acres	32	52	31	50
220 to 259 acres	19	44	17	40
260 to 499 acres	129	199	125	191
500 to 999 acres	155	191	152	188
1,000 to 1,999 acres	78	70	77	69
2,000 acres and over	16	10	16	10

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	127	(NA)
acres	26 539	35 626
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	5	21
acres	331	2 861
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	10	35
acres	598	3 524
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	42	30
acres	8 158	6 584
Cropland idle — farms	83	137
acres	17 452	22 657
Total woodland — farms	78	129
acres	9 346	14 980
Woodland pastured — farms	38	74
acres	3 487	7 587

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	617	822	539	676
acres	284 829	310 456	277 744	304 968
Harvested cropland — farms	558	714	523	640
acres	215 277	203 753	214 755	202 715
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	20	43	9	51
10 to 19 acres	27	21	14	
20 to 29 acres	21	19	14	
30 to 49 acres	41	42	38	
50 to 99 acres	23	51	22	51
100 to 199 acres	76	146	76	146
200 to 499 acres	182	272	182	272
500 to 999 acres	127	104	127	104
1,000 acres and over	41	16	41	16
Cropland used only for posture or grazing — farms	225	402	164	311
acres	41 373	70 243	36 450	66 627
Other cropland (see text) — farms	132	206	127	(NA)
acres	28 179	36 460	26 539	35 626
Total woodland — farms	97	178	78	129
acres	10 123	17 565	9 346	14 980
Other land (see text) — farms	407	464	343	(NA)
acres	33 260	37 748	31 379	30 933
Irrigated land — farms	448	597	440	566
acres	121 350	130 656	121 135	130 074

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	57	72
acres	5 859	7 393
Other land — farms	343	(NA)
acres	31 379	30 933
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	68	80
acres	16 895	20 131
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	28	34
acres	3 647	5 054
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	47	55
acres	13 248	15 077
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	330	314
acres	14 484	10 802

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	652	897	561	696
Land in farms — acres	328 212	365 769	318 469	350 881
Harvested cropland — acres	215 277	203 753	214 755	202 715
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	229	290	162	144
Land in farms — acres	71 195	63 227	64 875	54 465
Harvested cropland — acres	36 642	21 008	36 335	20 372
Part owners — number	245	320	233	301
Land in farms — acres	169 976	186 742	167 499	182 507
Harvested cropland — acres	111 708	108 433	111 686	108 294
Tenants — number	178	287	166	251
Land in farms — acres	87 041	115 800	86 095	113 909
Harvested cropland — acres	66 927	74 312	66 734	74 049
Percent of tenancy	27.3	31.9	29.6	36.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	2	3	2	1
Land in farms — acres	85	401	85	395
Harvested cropland — acres	45	234	45	230
Full owners — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	6	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	4	–	–
Part owners — number	1	–	1	–
Land in farms — acres	48	–	48	–
Harvested cropland — acres	8	–	8	–
Tenants — number	1	1	1	1
Land in farms — acres	37	395	37	395
Harvested cropland — acres	37	230	37	230
Percent of tenancy	50.0	33.3	50.0	100.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	475	562
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	250 910	282 414

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	65	78
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	43 998	48 047
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	16	38
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 698	14 041
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	18
acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 863	6 379
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	34	65	30	40
25 to 34 years	109	152	101	128
35 to 44 years	119	167	96	133
45 to 54 years	140	192	118	158
55 to 64 years	135	226	126	177
65 years and over	94	95	69	60
Average age	48.0	47.0	47.6	46.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	361	599	312	510
On another farm	42	190	37	130
In a rural area, not on a farm	28		26	
In a city, town, or urban area	52		42	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	324	(NA)	288	(NA)
1 to 49 days	16	45	15	33
50 to 99 days	11	53	9	42
100 to 149 days	19	48	17	28
150 to 199 days	15		11	
200 days and over	62	149	30	46
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	530	(NA)	488	(NA)
Other	101	(NA)	52	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	106	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	227	192	227	192
$40,000 to $99,999	147		147	
$20,000 to $39,999	65	228	65	228
$10,000 to $19,999	21	119	21	119
$5,000 to $9,999	53	94	53	94
$2,500 to $4,999	45	49	45	49
Under $2,500 (see text)	94	215	3	14
$2,000 to $2,499	8	11	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	14	21	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	23	37	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	49	146	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	58 890	22 904	58 801	22 751
Average per farm ... dollars	90 322	25 533	104 815	32 688
Crops, including hay ... farms	539	697	511	(NA)
$1,000	57 383	21 041	57 353	20 995
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		1	2
$1,000	(D)		(D)	2
Forest products ... farms	6	13	3	12
$1,000	(D)	12	(D)	12
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	313	525	242	395
$1,000	1 403	1 851	1 348	1 742
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	(NA)	4	7
$1,000	3	(NA)	3	180

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	511	(NA)
$1,000	57 353	20 995
Grains ... farms	497	626
$1,000	57 255	20 931
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	1	–
$1,000	1	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	15	22
$1,000	42	52
Other field crops ... farms	10	5
$1,000	52	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	4
$1,000	3	2
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	242	395
$1,000	1 348	1 742
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	7
$1,000	3	180
Dairy products ... farms	7	7
$1,000	110	96
Cattle and calves ... farms	229	(NA)
$1,000	1 075	1 412
Hogs and pigs ... farms	17	(NA)
$1,000	142	54
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	22	
$1,000	8	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	13	
$1,000	10	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	106	(NA)	42	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	103	(NA)	79	(NA)
$1,000	575	(NA)	520	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	36	67	31	52
$1,000	204	265	199	196
Recreational services ... farms	–	2	–	2
$1,000	–	1	–	1
Government farm programs ... farms	29	80	24	74
$1,000	46	63	44	60
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	46	(NA)	28	(NA)
$1,000	306	(NA)	261	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	19	(NA)	16	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	32	(NA)	24	(NA)
$1,000	101	(NA)	97	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	199
$1,000	1 419
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	25
$1,000	258
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	94
$1,000	665
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	115
$1,000	380
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	34
$1,000	93
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	23

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	648	897	561	696
$1,000	29 947	16 262	29 822	16 013
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	54	126	9	31
$1,000 to $1,999	37	74	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	21	35	12	24
$3,000 to $4,999	50	65	39	51
$5,000 to $9,999	48	117	48	110
$10,000 to $19,999	80	480	80	191
$20,000 to $39,999	105		105	190
$40,000 to $59,999	78		78	99
$60,000 and over	175		175	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	94	209	74	130
$1,000	355	374	342	337
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	274	500	205	349
$1,000	549	576	505	524
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	235	355	190	296
$1,000	426	439	397	420
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	19
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	62	60
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	41
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	73
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	44
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	494	667	468	597
$1,000	3 168	1 681	3 165	1 672
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	565	746	511	642
$1,000	5 907	2 577	5 888	2 555
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	356	(NA)	345	(NA)
$1,000	1 568	833	1 567	829
Lime ... farms	(NA)	46	17	43
$1,000	(NA)	42	21	42
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	615	879	552	696
$1,000	2 384	1 477	2 373	1 440
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	528	665
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	858	490
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	429	493
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 080	537
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	225	355
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	183	265
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	551	691
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	252	147
Hired farm labor ... farms	335	593	328	555
$1,000	2 183	1 965	2 178	1 943
Contract labor ... farms	32	384	29	31
$1,000	295	607	295	48
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	246		228	333
$1,000	746		744	551
All other production expenses ... farms	621	786	560	691
$1,000	12 792	6 172	12 731	6 114

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	616	869	534	688
$1,000	33 564	21 786	33 008	20 791
Average per farm—dollars	54 487	25 070	61 813	30 219
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	6	38	1	84
$1,000 to $4,999	46	181	26	
$5,000 to $9,999	76	81	32	57
$10,000 to $19,999	79	130	68	124
$20,000 to $29,999	56	439	54	133
$30,000 to $49,999	131		131	142
$50,000 to $69,999	83		83	148
$70,000 and over	139		139	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	509	715	456	595
number	691	898	632	765
mfd in last 5 years, number	545	745	514	635
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	555	761	490	632
number	1 393	1 586	1 324	1 433
mfd in last 5 years, number	660	889	633	796
Wheel tractors—farms	528	734	477	618
number	1 699	2 110	1 636	1 894
mfd in last 5 years, number	604	1 147	597	1 068
Crawler tractors—farms	18		18	36
number	21		21	67
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	20

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	389	487	389	473
number	646	722	646	703
mfd in last 5 years, number	268	446	268	433
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	8	2	4
number	2	12	2	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	65		65	2
number	65		65	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	–
Mower conditioners—farms	47	(NA)	38	(NA)
number	58	(NA)	46	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	59	139	55	122
number	60	142	55	125
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	60	11	57
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	25	(NA)	22	57
number	26	(NA)	22	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	2	(NA)	2	6
number	3	(NA)	3	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	341	(X)	265	(X)	313	(X)	242	(X)	1 348
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	315	(X)	246	(X)	306	(X)	237	(X)	1 225
1969	549	(X)	406	(X)	605	(X)	383	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	302	18 899	234	17 247	297	8 330	229	7 888	1 075
1969	527	29 327	390	26 662	489	12 847	375	11 934	1 412
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	13	39	10	30	64	160	24	65	9
5 to 9—1974	13	89	8	52	36	253	21	142	21
10 to 19—1974	32	454	11	150	64	903	55	771	108
20 to 49—1974	106	3 310	73	2 415	87	2 685	83	2 581	342
50 to 99—1974	76	5 245	70	4 838	32	1 997	32	1 997	251
100 to 199—1974	51	6 302	51	6 302	12	(D)	12	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	281	11 408	221	10 411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	477	18 981	372	17 704	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	273	11 135	213	10 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	18 631	357	17 420	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	37	273	29	262	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	100	350	65	284	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	110
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	96

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	273	11 135	213	10 149	Cattle sold	125	2 895	581
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	10	28	4	7	1 to 4	41	101	20
5 to 9	24	170	11	82	5 to 9	18	119	26
10 to 19	59	799	35	479	10 to 19	21	274	55
20 to 49	97	3 111	82	2 694	20 to 49	33	1 016	206
50 to 99	67	4 297	65	4 157	50 to 99	7	457	71
100 to 199	13	1 724	13	1 724	100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	3	1 006	3	1 006	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	37	273	29	262	Calves sold	193	4 993	495
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	21	30	14	22	1 or 2	8	12	1
3 or 4	4	13	3	10	3 or 4	10	36	4
5 to 9	2	12	2	12	5 to 9	27	184	19
10 to 19	5	58	5	58	10 to 19	52	713	77
20 to 49	5	160	5	160	20 to 49	71	2 124	220
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99	19	1 204	116
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199	6	720	58
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	164	3 210
	1969	325	5 255
Beef heifers	1974	162	3 139
Milk heifers	1974	10	71
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	201	3 626
	1969	355	3 703

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	7	202	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	35	1 415	26	1 348	20	1 857	17	1 825	142
	1969	77	1 314	48	1 086	32	1 630	21	1 551	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	19	38	14	28	3	6	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	1	9	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	11	168	8	120	11	173	9	143	9
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	2	50	2	50	4
50 to 99	1974	1	90	1	90	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	110	1	110	11
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	33	1	11	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	1 056	13	1 050	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	36	770	25	540	28	447	21	373	(NA)
	1969	60	1 578	44	1 306	43	744	34	646	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	17	358	[1] 591
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	22	(X)	8
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	75	(NA)	(NA)	1	25	1
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	14	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	102	383	75	316	16	45	12	36	9
	1969	244	903	(NA)	(NA)	30	70	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	10	139
	1969	24	297
Other hogs and pigs	1974	25	1 209
	1969	43	789
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	21	166
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	23	311
Rams and wethers	1974	20	63

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	245	11	234
	1969	36	343	25	320
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	9	127	8	126
	1969	28	173	19	156
June 1 and November 30	1974	13	118	9	108
	1969	25	170	21	164

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	56	(X)	37	(X)	2	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	71	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	51	1 646	36	1 370	1	25	1	25
	1969	114	31 578	64	29 550	11	22 572	4	21 570
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	50	1 502	35	1 248	1	25	1	25
	1969	108	31 185	61	29 409	11	22 372	4	21 570
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	47	1 152	32	898	1	25	1	25
100 to 399	1974	3	350	3	350	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	7	126	2	63	1	50	–	–
	1969	1	15	1	15	4	100	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	3	4	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	180

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	35	1 248	1	25
	1969	61	29 409	4	21 570
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	35	1 226	1	25
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	22	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	68	–	–
	1969	5	73	–	–
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	12	54	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	10	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	7	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	17	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	10	6	52	72	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	8	–	154	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	394	404	97 118	79 894	2 550 494	1 813 923
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	3	5	41	99	655	1 760
Other small grains for grain	441	563	117 505	123 595	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	2	8	4	7	2
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	12	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	9	(NA)	61	(NA)	12 200	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	69	73	1 677	1 929	3 087	4 057
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	4	3	1	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	11	27	34	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	329	376	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	7	–	37	–	1 733	–	2	–	10	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	3	5	50	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	6	–	132	–	3 579	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	3	–	140	–	448	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	164	36 450	(X)	1	70	37	2 739	37	372	–	–
	1969	311	66 627	(X)	16	1 909	117	8 850	117	1 175	1	23
Improved pasture	1974	28	3 647	(X)	–	–	5	629	5	69	–	–
	1969	34	5 054	(X)	–	–	16	2 296	16	306	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	8	42	(X)	2	10	5	33	5	9	–	–
	1969	3	50	(X)	–	–	1	25	1	3	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	132	(X)	–	–	5	112	5	18	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	35	575	–	–	1	35	1	7	–	–
	1969	3	75	1 040	–	–	3	75	(NA)	13	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	200	–	–	1	20	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	20	160	–	–	2	20	2	6	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	430	117 269	(X)	430	117 269	430	116 949	427	21 449	14	695
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	390	97 087	2 549 651	19	4 032	319	83 752	315	11 556	8	207
	1969	367	79 343	1 802 828	32	3 958	313	69 581	(NA)	9 969	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	50	1 416	2 708	4	140	18	488	18	71	1	2
	1969	60	1 825	3 817	6	236	23	676	23	128	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	6	328	(X)	–	–	2	74	2	10	–	–
	1969	4	254	(X)	2	94	3	194	3	19	2	5
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	8	7	–	–	1	8	1	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	12	(D)	–	–	2	12	2	5	–	–
	1969	4	2	300	–	–	2	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	5	27	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	9	33	(X)	1	(Z)	1	3	1	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	–	–	1	1
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	8	60	(X)	–	–	6	58	6	15	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	514	653
$1,000	7 455	3 384
Commercial fertilizer—farms	511	630
acres on which used	204 798	204 368
tons	34 475	33 437
$1,000	5 888	2 555
Lime—farms	17	43
acres on which used	1 516	6 250
tons	1 595	6 540
$1,000	21	42
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	200
$1,000	–	2
Insects on other crops—farms	109	200
acres on which used	45 307	49 020
$1,000	331	136
Nemotodes in crops—farms	–	10
acres on which used	–	2 267
$1,000	–	6
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	9	3
acres on which used	998	735
$1,000	7	3
Weeds or gross in crops—farms	273	400
acres on which used	123 354	104 662
$1,000	1 094	630
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	8
acres on which used	140	439
$1,000	(Z)	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	15	(NA)
acres on which used	840	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	31	1
acres on which used	5 722	33
$1,000	37	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	15	87
$1,000	2	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	50	(NA)
$1,000	68	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	440	566
Proportion of farms—percent	78.4	81.3
Total land irrigated—acres	121 135	130 074
Average per farm—acres	275.3	229.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	440	566
acres	121 135	130 074
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	440	562
acres	121 025	126 975
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	16
acres	70	1 909
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	40	1 190
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	189 888	163 096
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.6	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	56	(NA)
acres	15 737	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	390	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	432	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	301 036	309 025
Cropland—acres	263 637	277 243
Harvested cropland—acres	205 971	189 151
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	14	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	1 781	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	85	215
Proportion of farms—percent	15.2	30.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	61 898	126 642
Land drained—acres	39 843	105 652
Average per farm—acres	468.7	491.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	23	(NA)
number	76	(NA)
acres	76	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	172	91	120
$1,000	9 510	4 589	4 921
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	11	10	8
$5,000 to $9,999	15	11	13
$10,000 to $29,999	70	30	54
$30,000 to $49,999	21	11	16
$50,000 and over	55	29	29

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	208	316	394	547	1 692	1 943
25 to 149 days	145	416	357	1 382	351	
Less than 25 days	158		724		135	
Total contract labor	29	31	(NA)	(NA)	295	48
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	15	(NA)	467	(NA)	202	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	328	208	145	158
Cash wages paid $1,000	2 178	1 692	351	135
Number of workers	1 475	394	357	724
Farms with—				
1 worker	86	110	58	45
2 workers	72	65	47	33
3 or 4 workers	74	24	22	32
5 to 9 workers	61	6	14	32
10 workers and over	35	3	4	16

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ---- number	1 009	1 452	436	445
Land in farms ---- acres	111 550	136 453	89 322	97 239
Average size of farm ---- acres	111	94	205	219
Approximate land area ---- acres	181 120	181 120	181 120	181 120
Proportion in farms ---- percent	61.6	75.3	49.3	53.7
Value of land and buildings ---- $1,000	108 529	88 666	77 896	57 458
Average per farm ---- dollars	107 561	61 064	178 660	129 119
Average per acre ---- dollars	973	650	872	591
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	95	105	23	8
10 to 49 acres	445	733	90	66
50 to 69 acres	128	159	54	47
70 to 99 acres	100	145	60	77
100 to 139 acres	71	107	50	69
140 to 179 acres	46	57	41	41
180 to 219 acres	22	24	21	22
220 to 259 acres	12	28	11	24
260 to 499 acres	40	49	36	47
500 to 999 acres	32	30	32	29
1,000 to 1,999 acres	16	12	16	12
2,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ---- farms	58	(NA)
---- acres	9 673	7 656
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ---- farms	9	20
---- acres	489	1 996
Cropland on which all crops failed ---- farms	8	19
---- acres	168	731
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ---- farms	7	18
---- acres	1 778	2 252
Cropland idle ---- farms	38	66
---- acres	7 238	2 677
Total woodland ---- farms	49	53
---- acres	1 212	6 299
Woodland pastured ---- farms	34	32
---- acres	782	3 056

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ---- farms	922	1 313	415	426
---- acres	92 477	104 149	75 111	76 039
Harvested cropland ---- farms	692	1 025	373	400
---- acres	54 515	57 417	50 535	48 599
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	190	278	38	
10 to 19 acres	167	268	51	192
20 to 29 acres	66	135	35	
30 to 49 acres	74	121	59	
50 to 99 acres	83	110	79	96
100 to 199 acres	34	42	34	41
200 to 499 acres	50	50	49	50
500 to 999 acres	23	18	23	18
1,000 acres and over	5	3	5	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ---- farms	608	863	226	264
---- acres	27 579	35 179	14 903	19 784
Other cropland (see text) ---- farms	85	341	58	(NA)
---- acres	10 383	11 553	9 673	7 656
Total woodland ---- farms	84	123	49	53
---- acres	1 893	7 807	1 212	6 299
Other land (see text) ---- farms	559	868	260	(NA)
---- acres	17 180	24 497	12 999	14 901
Irrigated land ---- farms	112	125	90	85
---- acres	14 915	14 319	14 549	13 638

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured ---- farms	24	22
---- acres	430	3 243
Other land ---- farms	260	(NA)
---- acres	12 999	14 901
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ---- farms	90	113
---- acres	9 827	11 183
Improved pastureland and rangeland ---- farms	57	70
---- acres	5 208	5 775
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ---- farms	40	60
---- acres	4 619	5 408
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ---- farms	237	226
---- acres	3 172	3 718

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ---- number	1 009	1 452	436	445
Land in farms ---- acres	111 550	136 453	89 322	97 239
Harvested cropland ---- acres	54 515	57 417	50 535	48 599
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ---- number	588	830	184	127
Land in farms ---- acres	29 941	42 742	15 562	15 756
Harvested cropland ---- acres	9 140	10 729	6 641	5 487
Part owners ---- number	262	337	175	209
Land in farms ---- acres	54 832	66 779	49 707	59 689
Harvested cropland ---- acres	27 196	30 291	26 439	28 893
Tenants ---- number	159	285	77	109
Land in farms ---- acres	26 777	26 932	24 053	21 794
Harvested cropland ---- acres	18 179	16 397	17 455	14 219
Percent of tenancy	15.8	19.6	17.7	24.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ---- number	107	270	28	38
Land in farms ---- acres	5 698	9 870	3 289	3 261
Harvested cropland ---- acres	3 343	4 214	2 693	1 523
Full owners ---- number	63	131	14	13
Land in farms ---- acres	1 659	4 664	365	1 063
Harvested cropland ---- acres	589	1 563	224	400
Part owners ---- number	22	33	6	11
Land in farms ---- acres	1 624	1 828	742	1 122
Harvested cropland ---- acres	577	673	420	410
Tenants ---- number	22	106	8	14
Land in farms ---- acres	2 415	3 378	2 182	1 076
Harvested cropland ---- acres	2 177	1 978	2 049	713
Percent of tenancy	20.6	39.2	28.6	36.8
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	391	367
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	73 753	70 050

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	30	55
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 103	11 463
Corporation ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	12	14
Land in farms ---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 670	14 226
Other ---- number	(NA)	(NA)	3	9
---- acres	(NA)	(NA)	796	1 500
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	16	1	5
25 to 34 years	98	119	48	44
35 to 44 years	162	258	77	81
45 to 54 years	272	384	107	138
55 to 64 years	241	413	110	120
65 years and over	218	262	78	57
Average age	53.0	52.6	52.0	50.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	538	947	233	312
On another farm	54		19	
In a rural area, not on a farm	54	324	32	95
In a city, town, or urban area	118		33	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	315	(NA)	185	(NA)
1 to 49 days	65	114	25	26
50 to 99 days	31	68	8	18
100 to 149 days	50		21	
150 to 199 days	40	162	5	27
200 days and over	317	450	67	77
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	544	(NA)	331	(NA)
Other	449	(NA)	90	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	42	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	47	63	46	63
$40,000 to $99,999	102		102	
$20,000 to $39,999	51	104	51	104
$10,000 to $19,999	62	73	62	73
$5,000 to $9,999	69	73	69	73
$2,500 to $4,999	96	100	96	99
Under $2,500 (see text)	582	1 039	10	33
$2,000 to $2,499	63	79	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	87	90	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	146	136	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	286	734	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	23 443	9 903	22 710	8 973
Average per farm (dollars)	23 234	6 820	52 088	20 164
Crops, including hay (farms)	449	729	278	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	16 482	5 280	16 331	4 417
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	18		11	6
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	764		758	555
Forest products (farms)	–	2	–	2
Forest products ($1,000)	–	1	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	770	1 011	305	342
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	6 197	4 622	5 622	4 000
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	45	(NA)	19	16
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	9	(NA)	2	12

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	278	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	16 331	4 417
Grains (farms)	185	126
Grains ($1,000)	7 802	2 399
Tobacco (farms)	4	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	10	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	34	104
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	245	453
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	41	49
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	93	96
Other field crops (farms)	46	74
Other field crops ($1,000)	8 084	1 410
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	18	30
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	94	53
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	1	11
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	3	6
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	305	342
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	5 622	4 000
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	19	16
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	2	12
Dairy products (farms)	83	111
Dairy products ($1,000)	4 112	3 010
Cattle and calves (farms)	293	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	1 409	815
Hogs and pigs (farms)	16	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	47	163
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	9	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	1	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	16	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	51	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] (farms)	508	(NA)	85	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	192	(NA)	90	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	621	(NA)	495	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	38	64	21	25
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	254	64	234	47
Recreational services (farms)	8	6	6	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	5	2	3	–
Government farm programs (farms)	74	417	32	141
Government farm programs ($1,000)	135	402	114	277
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	83	(NA)	35	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	217	(NA)	135	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	5	(NA)	4	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	51	(NA)	16	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	204	(NA)	185	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	198
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	2 067
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	28
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	221
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	112
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	1 210
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	93
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	445
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	43
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	99
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	26
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	92

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	1 004	1 452	436	445
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	12 645	7 940	11 791	6 756
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	331	669	17	59
$1,000 to $1,999	188	252	52	
$2,000 to $2,999	94	141	42	43
$3,000 to $4,999	104	84	55	51
$5,000 to $9,999	76	97	60	84
$10,000 to $19,999	55	209	55	103
$20,000 to $39,999	66		66	75
$40,000 to $59,999	40		40	30
$60,000 and over	50		49	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	321	465	107	149
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	458	457	345	352
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	790	1 085	308	323
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	2 489	1 650	2 207	1 397
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	575	642	267	272
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	2 082	1 214	1 927	1 103
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	69	61
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	48	68
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	105	73
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	98	93
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	53	96
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	135	133
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	157	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	91	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	382	894	216	303
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	431	386	416	344
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	702	1 072	323	399
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	1 416	738	1 292	636
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	239	(NA)	166	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	407	245	397	218
Lime (farms)	(NA)	160	35	58
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	50	54	39
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	931	1 351	426	445
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	727	600	637	448
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	366	415
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	251	232
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	293	175
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	276	107
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	68	149
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	28	60
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	426	445
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	83	48
Hired farm labor (farms)	295	645	190	289
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 518	1 040	1 483	950
Contract labor (farms)	28	414	23	49
Contract labor ($1,000)	83	227	82	53
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	192		130	145
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	225		207	130
All other production expenses (farms)	831	995	433	435
All other production expenses ($1,000)	4 892	2 596	4 634	2 227

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	924	1 321	387	433
$1,000	15 283	8 940	11 482	6 143
Average per farm—dollars	16 540	6 767	29 671	14 187
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	20	229	4	144
$1,000 to $4,999	232	661	63	
$5,000 to $9,999	345	184	70	88
$10,000 to $19,999	133	144	76	111
$20,000 to $29,999	72	103	59	30
$30,000 to $49,999	69		64	29
$50,000 to $69,999	21		19	31
$70,000 and over	32		32	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	664	900	285	305
number	776	1 080	374	374
mfd in last 5 years, number	361	663	248	249
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	740	850	347	350
number	989	1 064	581	527
mfd in last 5 years, number	361	599	263	317
Wheel tractors—farms	769	946	345	383
number	1 275	1 483	814	796
mfd in last 5 years, number	306	624	250	398
Crawler tractors—farms	26		18	16
number	29		21	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	67	67	66	64
number	99	94	98	90
mfd in last 5 years, number	37	67	37	63
Corn heads for combines—farms	3	43	2	10
number	3	51	2	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	24	–	11
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	54		37	22
number	56		39	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		–	11
Mower conditioners—farms	122	(NA)	74	(NA)
number	129	(NA)	79	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	65	(NA)	48	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	97	140	71	104
number	99	143	71	106
mfd in last 5 years, number	38	82	31	65
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	37	(NA)	25	38
number	39	(NA)	25	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	10	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	22	(NA)	16	18
number	29	(NA)	20	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	8	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	836	(X)	328	(X)	770	(X)	305	(X)	5 622
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	815	(X)	319	(X)	730	(X)	294	(X)	1 456
1969	1 193	(X)	360	(X)	969	(X)	335	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	802	28 029	316	18 398	720	11 552	293	8 483	1 409
1969	1 157	33 127	348	21 975	903	12 842	320	9 159	815
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	46	132	18	54	202	546	52	139	30
5 to 9—1974	109	770	26	173	203	1 351	28	198	43
10 to 19—1974	229	3 019	40	533	162	2 121	78	1 063	209
20 to 49—1974	248	7 659	83	2 892	110	3 297	92	2 846	448
50 to 99—1974	125	8 814	105	7 411	30	1 897	30	1 897	345
100 to 199—1974	38	4 831	38	4 831	10	1 357	10	1 357	216
200 to 499—1974	4	1 039	3	739	3	983	3	983	118
500 and over—1974	3	1 765	3	1 765	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	676	18 242	293	12 765	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 020	19 947	325	13 974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	554	12 679	211	7 693	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 484	215	8 341	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	291	5 563	151	5 072	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	535	6 463	198	5 633	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	83	(X)	4 112
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	111	(X)	3 010

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	554	12 679	211	7 693	Cattle sold	212	3 438	950
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	69	175	28	62	1 to 4	51	134	36
5 to 9	120	844	26	178	5 to 9	62	411	115
10 to 19	161	2 170	39	559	10 to 19	53	704	192
20 to 49	156	4 668	79	2 590	20 to 49	32	866	264
50 to 99	40	2 454	31	1 936	50 to 99	11	690	235
100 to 199	4	483	4	483	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	3	633	108
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	291	5 563	151	5 072	Calves sold	221	5 045	458
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	130	199	38	58	1 or 2	28	35	3
3 or 4	41	142	15	51	3 or 4	16	56	7
5 to 9	34	208	15	89	5 to 9	40	266	33
10 to 19	10	130	8	110	10 to 19	44	564	50
20 to 49	21	755	21	755	20 to 49	69	1 978	165
50 to 99	47	3 134	47	3 134	50 to 99	14	814	60
100 to 199	8	995	7	875	100 to 199	10	1 332	140
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	195	3 496	12	190	28
	1969	278	5 917	4	12	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	140	1 932			
Milk heifers	1974	74	1 564			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	221	2 137			
	1969	275	2 084			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			12	190	28
	1969			4	12	(NA)
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			6	19	3
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			5	121	18
50 to 99	1974			1	50	6
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	138	1 499	38	880	40	1 487	16	1 040	47
	1969	325	5 688	80	3 756	160	5 612	52	4 015	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	80	195	15	34	8	18	3	8	1
5 to 9	1974	32	192	11	68	9	61	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	19	277	6	78	14	175	7	93	4
25 to 49	1974	2	66	2	66	3	95	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	84	1	84	1	50	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	98	3	79	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	2 043	13	1 800	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	58	476	17	136	20	188	6	62	(NA)
	1969	69	559	20	191	30	381	10	83	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	46	[1]180
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	20	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	221	637	81	303	25	61	16	39	51
	1969	389	1 247	(NA)	(NA)	34	71	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	17	115
	1969	54	460
Other hogs and pigs	1974	37	765
	1969	70	3 296
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	15	52
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	17	72
Rams and wethers	1974	10	12

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	41	248	17	165
	1969	192	1 336	58	994
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	36	150	13	95
	1969	155	736	52	525
June 1 and November 30	1974	29	98	15	70
	1969	126	600	45	469

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	289	(X)	84	(X)	16	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	113	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	280	8 515	82	2 155	10	670	5	424
	1969	546	23 782	112	6 582	14	1 909	3	450
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	272	7 283	79	1 696	6	666	1	420
	1969	526	19 600	108	5 305	13	1 814	3	450
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	267	6 274	78	1 587	4	46	–	–
100 to 399	1974	4	459	1	109	1	200	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	1	550	–	–	1	420	1	420
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	39	682	14	236	4	6	2	4
	1969	21	794	4	86	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	45	9	19	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	12

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	79	1 696	1	420
	1969	108	5 305	3	450
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	76	1 576	1	420
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	120	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	195	–	–
	1969	32	775	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	34	264	4	4
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	8	41	–	–
	1969	12	64	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	8	31	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	6	25	–	–
Light breed	1974	2	6	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	10	–	–
	1969	8	30	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	35	(X)	5	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	173	466	2 000	5 663	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	21	20	397	663	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	152	77	18 699	12 517	501 948	228 171
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	1	–	–	–	200
Wheat (bushels)	3	3	201	486	4 023	14 260
Other small grains for grain	99	94	14 474	13 215	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	55	412	2 303	6 734	1 336	5 747
Tobacco (pounds)	4	–	12	–	8 000	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	44	(NA)	65	(NA)	4 134	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	40	(NA)	633	(NA)	79 856	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	337	438	7 086	9 753	12 326	17 037
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	53	91	204	380	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	18	23	113	93	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	3	(Z)	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	58	(NA)	8 734	7 201	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	49	102	559	2 047	25 845	60 141	1	2	8	39
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	10	12	446	426	5 123	4 017	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	9	43	117	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	1	103	310	1 668	(D)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	246	131	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	9	72	212	223	685	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	226	14 903	(X)	1	29	77	3 934	75	563	8	27
	1969	264	19 784	(X)	5	283	133	6 268	131	1 241	6	30
Improved pasture	1974	57	5 208	(X)	1	10	29	1 919	29	368	–	–
	1969	70	5 775	(X)	1	20	37	1 584	37	336	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	61	1 048	(X)	1	8	38	744	24	102	23	55
	1969	117	2 590	(X)	2	39	76	1 877	72	244	18	110
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	10	349	(X)	–	–	4	74	4	16	–	–
	1969	8	441	(X)	–	–	7	401	7	30	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	201	4 023	–	–	2	200	2	2	–	–
	1969	2	470	(D)	–	–	2	470	(NA)	49	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	107	5 500	–	–	2	107	(NA)	9	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	5	314	7 280	–	–	4	114	4	31	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	74	13 757	(X)	72	13 729	74	13 757	74	2 376	5	270
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	132	18 519	497 632	5	302	54	11 186	47	917	8	261
	1969	53	12 092	219 481	1	120	40	10 150	(NA)	1 017	(NA)	12
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	168	4 913	9 311	3	101	63	2 289	61	413	6	15
	1969	186	7 302	13 459	6	208	71	2 765	71	444	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	115	(X)	–	–	1	40	1	6	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	34	2 218	1 270	1	10	29	2 181	21	272	9	168
	1969	106	4 820	4 424	2	32	94	4 654	(NA)	698	(NA)	228
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	4	12	8 000	–	–	4	12	4	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	19	53	3 211	3	3	13	50	13	16	–	–
	1969	16	14	782	–	–	13	11	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	20	121	(X)	3	27	13	102	13	48	–	–
	1969	29	192	(X)	–	–	20	141	20	34	1	(Z)
Land in orchards	1974	3	46	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	29	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	11	457	(X)	6	135	7	352	7	68	1	3
1969	6	358	(X)	3	52	6	358	6	136	–	–
Other crops 1974	45	8 798	(X)	4	46	42	8 791	25	585	22	1 309

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	332	409
$1,000	1 689	854
Commercial fertilizer—farms	323	369
acres on which used	45 762	49 023
tons	7 897	7 860
$1,000	1 292	636
Lime—farms	35	58
acres on which used	2 612	2 868
tons	4 823	4 693
$1,000	54	39
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	7	10
acres on which used	243	258
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	50	126
acres on which used	11 104	14 627
$1,000	115	90
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	20	20
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	7	7
acres on which used	1 263	201
$1,000	12	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	64	91
acres on which used	19 207	12 668
$1,000	172	68
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	8	8
acres on which used	411	173
$1,000	3	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	10	(NA)
acres on which used	124	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	8	10
acres on which used	926	980
$1,000	7	13
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	24	81
$1,000	2	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	40	(NA)
$1,000	30	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	90	85
Proportion of farms—percent	20.6	19.1
Total land irrigated—acres	14 549	13 638
Average per farm—acres	161.7	160.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	90	85
acres	14 539	13 618
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	89	81
acres	14 247	13 335
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	5
acres	29	283
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	263	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	1
acres	10	20
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	15 075	19 442
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.0	1.4
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	15	(NA)
acres	1 568	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	6	(NA)
acres	58	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	30 151	33 135
Cropland—acres	27 582	30 179
Harvested cropland—acres	21 444	22 484
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	23	87
Proportion of farms—percent	5.3	19.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	5 705	20 872
Land drained—acres	3 773	17 771
Average per farm—acres	164.0	204.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	22	(NA)
number	43	(NA)
acres	110	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	93	47	58
$1,000	3 376	1 535	1 841
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	7	5	7
$5,000 to $9,999	15	7	11
$10,000 to $29,999	33	20	14
$30,000 to $49,999	17	6	17
$50,000 and over	21	9	9

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	98	113	293	264	1 125	
25 to 149 days	68	239	326	1 094	230	950
Less than 25 days	101		1 054		127	
Total contract labor	23	49	(NA)	(NA)	82	53
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	63	(NA)	13	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	190	98	68	101
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 483	1 125	230	127
Number of workers	1 673	293	326	1 054
Farms with—				
1 worker	67	50	28	32
2 workers	20	19	12	9
3 or 4 workers	25	15	7	11
5 to 9 workers	38	11	8	23
10 workers and over	40	3	13	26

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	356	519	235	330
Land in farms — acres	203 876	204 629	191 911	188 726
Average size of farm — acres	573	394	817	572
Approximate land area — acres	730 048	730 048	730 048	730 048
Proportion in farms — percent	27.9	28.0	26.3	25.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	108 349	90 295	99 618	82 424
Average per farm — dollars	304 350	173 979	423 907	249 768
Average per acre — dollars	531	441	519	437
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	15	3	2
10 to 49 acres	74	124	30	34
50 to 69 acres	18	50	9	28
70 to 99 acres	36	58	23	39
100 to 139 acres	37	59	24	44
140 to 179 acres	30	42	25	36
180 to 219 acres	15	36	11	31
220 to 259 acres	19	27	18	21
260 to 499 acres	53	50	41	39
500 to 999 acres	24	29	22	27
1,000 to 1,999 acres	13	17	13	17
2,000 acres and over	16	12	16	12

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	316	474	215	317
acres	74 139	81 409	66 785	72 749
Harvested cropland — farms	265	419	205	311
acres	44 104	46 955	43 458	45 141
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	55	47	18	104
10 to 19 acres	25	52	13	
20 to 29 acres	11	36	7	
30 to 49 acres	27	70	20	
50 to 99 acres	53	122	53	115
100 to 199 acres	46	46	46	46
200 to 499 acres	30	28	30	28
500 to 999 acres	14	13	14	13
1,000 acres and over	4	5	4	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	93	144	36	62
acres	13 372	11 309	6 930	6 298
Other cropland (see text) — farms	129	231	117	(NA)
acres	16 663	23 145	16 397	21 310
Total woodland — farms	54	129	27	80
acres	30 204	32 230	28 346	29 005
Other land (see text) — farms	225	292	156	(NA)
acres	99 533	90 990	96 780	86 972
Irrigated land — farms	7	16	3	7
acres	253	567	181	360

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	117	(NA)
acres	16 397	21 310
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	6	31
acres	271	970
Cropland on which all crops foiled — farms	4	15
acres	2 648	346
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	71	122
acres	7 617	12 409
Cropland idle — farms	50	90
acres	5 861	7 585
Total woodland — farms	27	80
acres	28 346	29 005
Woodland pastured — farms	9	32
acres	2 574	1 785

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	21	53
acres	25 772	27 220
Other land — farms	156	(NA)
acres	96 780	86 972
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	54	73
acres	34 325	33 518
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	39	28
acres	11 585	18 131
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	33	52
acres	22 740	15 387
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	133	147
acres	62 455	53 454

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	356	519	235	330
Land in farms — acres	203 876	204 629	191 911	188 726
Harvested cropland — acres	44 104	46 955	43 458	45 141
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	119	172	55	54
Land in farms — acres	85 467	86 880	80 090	79 068
Harvested cropland — acres	5 569	7 860	5 313	6 885
Part owners — number	120	185	90	139
Land in farms — acres	77 432	70 268	73 404	63 972
Harvested cropland — acres	24 419	21 502	24 062	20 851
Tenants — number	117	162	90	137
Land in farms — acres	40 977	47 481	38 417	45 686
Harvested cropland — acres	14 116	17 593	14 083	17 405
Percent of tenancy	32.9	31.2	38.3	41.5
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	–	4	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	445	–	405
Harvested cropland — acres	–	138	–	136
Full owners — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	40	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	2	–	–
Part owners — number	–	2	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	405	–	405
Harvested cropland — acres	–	136	–	136
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	182	245
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	116 055	104 844

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	37	51
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	21 044	32 338
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	16	29
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	54 812	50 875
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	669
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	6	2	3
25 to 34 years	40	64	17	39
35 to 44 years	68	110	57	69
45 to 54 years	99	141	64	89
55 to 64 years	87	148	52	106
65 years and over	43	50	27	24
Average age	50.1	49.4	50.2	49.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	156	279	115	198
On another farm	17	149	5	78
In a rural area, not on a farm	49		36	
In a city, town, or urban area	26		12	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	117	(NA)	100	(NA)
1 to 49 days	12	41	8	19
50 to 99 days	8	60	6	24
100 to 149 days	15	63	9	23
150 to 199 days	22		6	
200 days and over	92	110	36	58
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	208	(NA)	169	(NA)
Other	132	(NA)	50	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	73	40	73	40
$40,000 to $99,999	47		47	
$20,000 to $39,999	33	45	33	45
$10,000 to $19,999	25	91	25	91
$5,000 to $9,999	15	91	15	91
$2,500 to $4,999	28	54	28	54
Under $2,500 (see text)	135	198	14	9
$2,000 to $2,499	15	29	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	20	28	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	32	34	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	68	107	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	35 566	8 713	35 449	8 531
Average per farm ... dollars	99 905	16 788	150 845	25 852
Crops, including hay ... farms	216	373	177	(NA)
$1,000	34 438	7 530	34 395	7 442
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		1	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	7
Forest products ... farms	1	2	1	1
$1,000	(D)	5	(D)	5
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	177	231	99	128
$1,000	1 094	1 178	1 020	1 077
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	(NA)	6	10
$1,000	34	(NA)	34	30

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	177	(NA)
$1,000	34 395	7 442
Grains ... farms	12	68
$1,000	15	310
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	11	28
$1,000	48	42
Other field crops ... farms	165	248
$1,000	33 743	6 889
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	14	26
$1,000	590	200
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	99	128
$1,000	1 020	1 077
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	10
$1,000	34	30
Dairy products ... farms	2	3
$1,000	(D)	12
Cattle and calves ... farms	92	(NA)
$1,000	898	952
Hogs and pigs ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	1	83
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	144	(NA)	47	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	114	(NA)	87	(NA)
$1,000	1 541	(NA)	1 467	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	26	34	19	30
$1,000	254	80	207	74
Recreational services ... farms	2	1	2	1
$1,000	19	9	19	9
Government farm programs ... farms	83	176	74	149
$1,000	614	604	600	595
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	24	(NA)	11	(NA)
$1,000	341	(NA)	328	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	16	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	313	(NA)	313	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	34	(NA)	27	(NA)
$1,000	250	(NA)	203	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	115
$1,000	984
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	26
$1,000	209
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	63
$1,000	514
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	67
$1,000	190
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	8
$1,000	26
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	8
$1,000	44

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	354	519	235	330
$1,000	14 037	7 391	13 855	7 085
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	64	98	3	22
$1,000 to $1,999	34	62	8	
$2,000 to $2,999	24	56	9	37
$3,000 to $4,999	35	78	25	59
$5,000 to $9,999	39	98	32	85
$10,000 to $19,999	42		42	74
$20,000 to $39,999	42	127	42	21
$40,000 to $59,999	27		27	32
$60,000 and over	47		47	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	100	174	66	89
$1,000	335	423	297	399
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	168	240	88	121
$1,000	342	204	308	160
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	126	145	70	92
$1,000	189	127	174	109
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	11
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	40	25
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	106	28
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	28
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	12
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	107	233	74	163
$1,000	186	75	183	69
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	243	369	192	273
$1,000	808	309	798	296
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	167	(NA)	149	(NA)
$1,000	907	429	905	421
Lime ... farms	(NA)	7	–	5
$1,000	(NA)	1	–	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	334	502	227	327
$1,000	822	596	792	559
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	199	315
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	289	305
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	175	178
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	349	149
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	38	28
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	226	327
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	116	78
Hired farm labor ... farms	166	278	147	221
$1,000	3 449	2 020	3 443	1 970
Contract labor ... farms	19	161	17	20
$1,000	249	298	247	71
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	97		89	126
$1,000	338		337	218
All other production expenses ... farms	325	448	233	329
$1,000	6 602	3 036	6 516	2 922

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	327	497	226	323
$1,000	10 830	6 609	9 832	5 737
Average per farm—dollars	33 118	13 296	43 505	17 762
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	30	1	67
$1,000 to $4,999	55	153	18	
$5,000 to $9,999	59	127	15	91
$10,000 to $19,999	65	102	55	84
$20,000 to $29,999	48	85	42	28
$30,000 to $49,999	51		51	31
$50,000 to $69,999	13		13	22
$70,000 and over	34		31	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	208	289	152	179
number	266	346	207	225
mfd in last 5 years, number	159	202	146	136
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	289	366	205	252
number	573	602	479	472
mfd in last 5 years, number	253	292	231	224
Wheel tractors—farms	303	453	218	302
number	1 103	1 503	985	1 214
mfd in last 5 years, number	328	545	311	476
Crawler tractors—farms	16		15	21
number	17		16	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	12	4	10
number	4	16	4	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	10	–	9
Corn heads for combines—farms	4	27	3	3
number	5	29	4	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	6	2	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	11		10	22
number	11		10	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	5
Mower conditioners—farms	68	(NA)	45	(NA)
number	89	(NA)	64	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	34	(NA)	24	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	44	53	32	37
number	45	54	33	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	33	15	24
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	15	(NA)	13	13
number	17	(NA)	15	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	7	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	24	(NA)	21	20
number	31	(NA)	27	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	11	8

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	188	(X)	107	(X)	177	(X)	99	(X)	1 020
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	175	(X)	96	(X)	168	(X)	93	(X)	898
1969	253	(X)	148	(X)	210	(X)	119	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	174	20 862	96	18 473	167	6 825	92	6 241	898
1969	249	17 937	144	15 726	204	8 822	115	7 842	952
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	27	7	17	39	92	13	27	3
5 to 9—1974	9	66	1	8	38	255	12	78	9
10 to 19—1974	27	398	8	128	36	510	16	231	32
20 to 49—1974	46	1 560	16	545	29	873	26	810	110
50 to 99—1974	35	2 256	18	1 220	7	417	7	417	58
100 to 199—1974	22	2 852	22	2 852	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	14	4 252	14	4 252	10	2 788	10	2 788	403
500 and over—1974	10	9 451	10	9 451	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	154	12 274	91	10 906	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	221	11 086	129	9 877	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	145	12 186	88	10 840	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	10 918	112	9 765	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	21	88	8	66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	79	168	43	112	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	12

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	145	12 186	88	10 840			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	8	21	7	17			
5 to 9	18	132	4	30			
10 to 19	21	310	7	91			
20 to 49	45	1 477	22	738			
50 to 99	25	1 638	20	1 356			
100 to 199	12	1 723	12	1 723			
200 to 499	11	2 863	11	2 863			
500 and over	5	4 022	5	4 022			
Milk cows	21	88	8	66			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	18	24	7	10			
3 or 4	2	8	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	56	1	56			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold	53	2 669	539				
Farms with—							
1 to 4	10	19	3				
5 to 9	11	80	16				
10 to 19	13	189	37				
20 to 49	9	297	60				
50 to 99	3	163	27				
100 to 199	4	496	95				
200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)				
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)				
Calves sold	77	3 572	359				
Farms with—							
1 or 2	4	8	1				
3 or 4	8	25	3				
5 to 9	11	73	7				
10 to 19	14	200	23				
20 to 49	21	624	61				
50 to 99	6	433	43				
100 to 199	8	996	107				
200 to 499	5	1 213	115				
500 and over	–	–	–				

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	78	3 824
	1969	108	2 805
Beef heifers	1974	77	3 814
Milk heifers	1974	3	10
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	83	3 743
	1969	125	3 044

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	425	115
	1969	1	1	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	1	25	5
50 to 99	1974	1	50	8
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	9	45	4	14	3	55	1	35	1
	1969	33	518	19	358	16	881	8	791	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	5	12	3	7	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	2	13	1	7	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	2	20	–	–	2	20	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	35	1	35	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	559	4	557	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	7	1	7	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	84	4	74	5	68	4	60	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	122
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(NA)	(NA)	1	15	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	47	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	46	179	29	154	6	14	4	12	2
	1969	86	318	(NA)	(NA)	10	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	1	2
	1969	10	81
Other hogs and pigs	1974	4	12
	1969	18	277
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	2
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	3
Rams and wethers	1974	1	2

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	1	5	1	5
	1969	22	146	13	120
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	1	5	1	5
	1969	15	73	10	59
June 1 and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	15	73	9	61

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	32	(X)	21	(X)	4	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	48	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	31	2 842	20	2 434	3	1 800	3	1 800
	1969	95	8 710	47	5 807	9	3 106	6	2 600
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	31	2 716	20	2 344	3	1 800	3	1 800
	1969	88	7 609	45	5 401	9	3 106	6	2 600
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	27	816	16	444	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	3	1 800	3	1 800	3	1 800	3	1 800
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	314	3	314	1	300	1	300
	1969	5	317	3	167	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	34	6	34
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	30

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	20	2 344	3	1 800
	1969	45	5 401	6	2 600
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	2 224	3	1 800
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	120	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	72	–	–
	1969	13	313	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	18	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	11	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	5	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	9	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	43	140	468	3 451	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	4	–	336	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	16	–	4 273	–	88 469
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	2	–	100	–	2 000
Other small grains for grain	1	–	10	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	138	(NA)	8 734	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	100	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	73	98	4 701	5 984	7 140	6 882
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	18	29	547	747	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	8	19	15	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	181	(NA)	38 290	31 824	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	28	102	353	2 951	8 198	99 074	–	5	–	47
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	2	9	18	108	396	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	4	45	91	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	2	–	296	–	2 794	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	–	380	–	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	36	6 930	(X)	–	–	7	827	6	48	1	10
	1969	62	6 298	(X)	–	–	9	1 120	8	115	1	1
Improved pasture	1974	39	11 585	(X)	–	–	8	1 560	8	33	–	–
	1969	28	18 131	(X)	–	–	6	865	6	38	1	(Z)
Corn for all purposes	1974	32	407	(X)	–	–	22	248	5	5	17	24
	1969	106	3 060	(X)	5	47	75	980	38	53	38	72
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	296	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	100	2 000	–	–	2	100	(NA)	9	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	10	107	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	16	4 273	88 469	1	60	2	79	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	43	4 235	6 478	–	–	13	1 457	12	102	1	10
	1969	58	4 940	5 746	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	200	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	10	128	8 174	1	1	8	125	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	36	450	30 451	2	6	28	419	8	35	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	14	541	(X)	–	–	13	541	(NA)	94	(NA)	–
	1969	27	744	(X)	1	30	23	681	8	79	5	22
Land in orchards	1974	2	5	(X)	–	–	2	4	21	115	4	3
	1969	2	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	158	38 192	(X)	3	145	157	36 941	38	1 084	131	3 529

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	206	294
$1,000	1 703	717
Commercial fertilizer—farms	192	262
acres on which used	42 202	34 599
tons	5 023	4 367
$1,000	798	296
Lime—farms	–	5
acres on which used	–	194
tons	–	157
$1,000	–	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	4	6
acres on which used	96	490
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	63	100
acres on which used	26 626	20 670
$1,000	335	127
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	1
acres on which used	165	5
$1,000	1	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	7
acres on which used	92	353
$1,000	2	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	93	172
acres on which used	32 054	29 449
$1,000	480	259
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	24	26
acres on which used	5 502	10 876
$1,000	17	12
Weeds on all other land—farms	28	(NA)
acres on which used	1 454	(NA)
$1,000	11	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	5	13
acres on which used	1 040	2 011
$1,000	13	14
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	18	26
$1,000	3	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	27	(NA)
$1,000	42	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	7
Proportion of farms—percent	1.3	2.1
Total land irrigated—acres	181	360
Average per farm—acres	60.3	51.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	7
acres	181	360
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	7
acres	145	360
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	36	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	201	231
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	0.6
Land irrigated by—Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	181	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	275	713
Cropland—acres	271	597
Harvested cropland—acres	205	410
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	80	157
Proportion of farms—percent	34.0	47.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	96 435	135 027
Land drained—acres	36 766	65 490
Average per farm—acres	459.6	417.1
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	7	(NA)
number	17	(NA)
acres	39	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	60	12	54
$1,000	1 652	269	1 383
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	1	12
$5,000 to $9,999	9	3	8
$10,000 to $29,999	24	5	20
$30,000 to $49,999	6	1	7
$50,000 and over	9	2	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	82	92	477	521	2 329	1 970
25 to 149 days	84	191	888	1 406	976	
Less than 25 days	70		824		137	
Total contract labor	17	20	(NA)	(NA)	247	71
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	203	(NA)	151	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	147	82	84	70
Cash wages paid $1,000	3 443	2 329	976	137
Number of workers	2 189	477	888	824
Farms with—				
1 worker	18	35	10	5
2 workers	16	11	17	5
3 or 4 workers	28	17	23	13
5 to 9 workers	32	6	11	20
10 workers and over	53	13	23	27

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	196	283	56	59
Land in farms ____ acres	17 382	21 695	7 488	9 821
Average size of farm ____ acres	89	77	134	166
Approximate land area ____ acres	411 648	411 648	411 648	411 648
Proportion in farms ____ percent	4.2	5.3	1.8	2.4
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	7 699	7 174	3 393	2 467
Average per farm ____ dollars	39 282	25 348	60 598	41 813
Average per acre ____ dollars	443	331	453	251
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	18	41	2	3
10 to 49 acres	86	124	11	11
50 to 69 acres	17	43	6	12
70 to 99 acres	25	27	14	5
100 to 139 acres	23	15	12	7
140 to 179 acres	10	11	3	6
180 to 219 acres	7	2	2	–
220 to 259 acres	1	4	–	2
260 to 499 acres	5	11	4	10
500 to 999 acres	2	2	2	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	3	–	1
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	8	(NA)
acres	145	284
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	5	5
acres	134	28
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	2	3
acres	10	94
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	1	1
acres	1	3
Cropland idle ____ farms	–	12
acres	–	159
Total woodland ____ farms	28	37
acres	1 443	3 991
Woodland pastured ____ farms	21	26
acres	883	2 172

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	176	240	51	52
acres	7 606	9 456	3 987	4 176
Harvested cropland ____ farms	120	137	39	44
acres	3 266	2 937	2 544	2 033
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	49	59	7	
10 to 19 acres	36	36	4	35
20 to 29 acres	8	15	2	
30 to 49 acres	14	18	13	
50 to 99 acres	10	5	10	5
100 to 199 acres	1	3	1	3
200 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	120	169	32	31
acres	3 870	5 480	1 298	1 859
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	21	52	8	(NA)
acres	470	1 039	145	284
Total woodland ____ farms	106	142	28	37
acres	6 722	8 519	1 443	3 991
Other land (see text) ____ farms	113	179	38	(NA)
acres	3 054	3 720	2 058	1 654
Irrigated land ____ farms	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	12	21
acres	560	1 819
Other land ____ farms	38	(NA)
acres	2 058	1 654
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	17	10
acres	1 275	1 036
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	14	10
acres	533	1 008
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	9	1
acres	742	28
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	37	39
acres	783	618

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	196	283	56	59
Land in farms ____ acres	17 382	21 695	7 488	9 821
Harvested cropland ____ acres	3 266	2 937	2 544	2 033
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	153	227	39	34
Land in farms ____ acres	11 573	15 585	3 655	5 130
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 286	1 613	816	926
Part owners ____ number	33	35	16	17
Land in farms ____ acres	5 258	4 865	3 828	3 682
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 911	1 013	1 728	832
Tenants ____ number	10	21	1	8
Land in farms ____ acres	551	1 245	5	1 009
Harvested cropland ____ acres	69	311	–	275
Percent of tenancy	5.1	7.4	1.8	13.5
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	2	13	2	2
Land in farms ____ acres	192	83	192	10
Harvested cropland ____ acres	104	10	104	–
Full owners ____ number	2	8	2	–
Land in farms ____ acres	192	66	192	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	104	10	104	–
Part owners ____ number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants ____ number	–	5	–	2
Land in farms ____ acres	–	17	–	10
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	38.4	–	100.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	56	56
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 488	8 958

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	863
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	2	–
25 to 34 years	13	26	2	3
35 to 44 years	33	55	5	11
45 to 54 years	53	92	13	23
55 to 64 years	68	73	24	16
65 years and over	27	37	10	6
Average age	51.9	50.9	54.5	51.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	123	178	41	40
On another farm	1		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	5	35	–	7
In a city, town, or urban area	19		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	41	(NA)	15	(NA)
1 to 49 days	13	14	7	7
50 to 99 days	3	9	–	2
100 to 149 days	1	21	–	3
150 to 199 days	6		2	
200 days and over	116	163	19	25
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	48	(NA)	28	(NA)
Other	148	(NA)	28	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	1	2	1	2
$40,000 to $99,999	3		3	
$20,000 to $39,999	5	1	5	1
$10,000 to $19,999	11	6	11	6
$5,000 to $9,999	18	20	18	20
$2,500 to $4,999	14	27	14	27
Under $2,500 (see text)	144	227	4	3
$2,000 to $2,499	22	22	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	10	20	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	46	22	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	66	163	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	960	625	818	461
Average per farm (dollars)	4 900	2 210	14 613	7 808
Crops, including hay (farms)	61	74	24	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	314	146	287	120
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	2		–	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	2		–	6
Forest products (farms)	11	13	6	8
Forest products ($1,000)	9	33	5	32
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	169	225	49	50
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	636	447	526	303
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	6	(NA)	4	4
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	91	(NA)	91	42

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	24	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	287	120
Grains (farms)	14	17
Grains ($1,000)	197	65
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	4	10
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	67	45
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	5	6
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	18	1
Other field crops (farms)	2	4
Other field crops ($1,000)	(Z)	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	3	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	4	5
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	49	50
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	526	303
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	4	4
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	42
Dairy products (farms)	1	1
Dairy products ($1,000)	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	42	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	230	(D)
Hogs and pigs (farms)	17	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	80	56
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	3	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(Z)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	128	(NA)	17	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	26	(NA)	11	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	31	(NA)	20	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	7	13	4	4
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	9	20	4	13
Recreational services (farms)	–	1	–	1
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Government farm programs (farms)	16	44	3	12
Government farm programs ($1,000)	19	31	13	21
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	5	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	36
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	268
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	9
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	61
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	25
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	180
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	10
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	17
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	2
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	4
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	6

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	195	283	56	59
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	846	640	569	343
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	43	104	1	9
$1,000 to $1,999	60	85	13	
$2,000 to $2,999	30	49	5	19
$3,000 to $4,999	23	24	11	11
$5,000 to $9,999	26	14	13	13
$10,000 to $19,999	8		8	4
$20,000 to $39,999	1	7	1	3
$40,000 to $59,999	2		2	–
$60,000 and over	2		2	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	69	104	13	21
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	99	87	33	36
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	168	234	48	49
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	377	207	265	108
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	108	123	43	41
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	278	119	217	80
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	17	14
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	20	12
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	24	23
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	15	10
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	13
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	13	6
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	80	99	27	22
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	28	13	23	9
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	138	184	39	41
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	44	39	22	17
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	59	(NA)	15	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	10	20	7	13
Lime (farms)	(NA)	50	1	7
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	7	(Z)	2
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	181	273	52	59
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	49	56	33	22
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	58
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	12	13
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	26	16
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	11	4
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	7	5
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	52	59
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	7	2
Hired farm labor (farms)	52	83	20	24
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	32	25	25	16
Contract labor (farms)	6	81	1	4
Contract labor ($1,000)	3	31	2	3
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	43		12	25
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	23		15	19
All other production expenses (farms)	140	174	52	57
All other production expenses ($1,000)	181	162	139	102

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	185	265	51	55
$1,000	1 602	1 261	692	540
Average per farm—dollars	8 657	4 759	13 562	9 811
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	4	34	2	27
$1,000 to $4,999	53	162	11	
$5,000 to $9,999	89	43	20	9
$10,000 to $19,999	28	13	9	7
$20,000 to $29,999	6	13	4	8
$30,000 to $49,999	3		3	3
$50,000 to $69,999	–		–	1
$70,000 and over	2		2	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	114	184	30	34
number	136	220	38	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	73	151	28	31
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	163	222	47	45
number	189	256	63	54
mfd in last 5 years, number	89	135	42	38
Wheel tractors—farms	146	184	42	46
number	181	218	68	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	89	21	27
Crawler tractors—farms	4		1	1
number	4		1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	3	2	3
number	4	3	2	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	2
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	1	–	–
number	–	1	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	–
number	–		–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	19	(NA)	8	(NA)
number	21	(NA)	10	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	7	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	22	26	11	7
number	22	26	11	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	13	7	2
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	15	(NA)	8	5
number	15	(NA)	8	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	–
number	8	(NA)	8	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	174	(X)	47	(X)	169	(X)	49	(X)	526
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	163	(X)	41	(X)	163	(X)	46	(X)	309
1969	246	(X)	48	(X)	220	(X)	49	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	163	7 987	41	4 124	155	2 058	42	1 326	230
1969	226	6 503	46	2 550	196	2 463	46	1 406	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	6	17	3	10	49	126	2	8	2
5 to 9—1974	11	85	–	–	41	254	6	41	4
10 to 19—1974	34	464	2	36	41	540	12	183	38
20 to 49—1974	56	1 686	8	241	19	524	17	480	86
50 to 99—1974	38	2 588	10	690	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	11	1 242	11	1 242	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	7	1 905	7	1 905	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	133	4 311	37	2 344	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	175	2 746	39	1 227	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	128	4 103	36	2 185	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 523	35	1 098	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	36	208	9	159	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	66	223	16	129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	125
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	128	4 103	36	2 185			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	13	41	3	8			
5 to 9	17	120	1	9			
10 to 19	38	550	4	54			
20 to 49	37	1 189	14	471			
50 to 99	17	1 107	8	547			
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	36	208	9	159			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	30	49	7	14			
3 or 4	4	14	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	1	10	1	10			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	1	135	1	135			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					37	911	187
Forms with—							
1 to 4					6	16	4
5 to 9					4	31	12
10 to 19					17	227	65
20 to 49					8	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					32	415	43
Forms with—							
1 or 2					2	2	(Z)
3 or 4					2	7	1
5 to 9					12	90	9
10 to 19					11	153	10
20 to 49					4	109	14
50 to 99					1	54	9
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	32	1 053
	1969	32	500
Beef heifers	1974	30	984
Milk heifers	1974	3	69
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	28	727
	1969	45	823

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	74	30
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	2	18	(D)
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	2	56	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	28	638	15	568	22	1 379	17	1 261	80
	1969	87	1 989	19	800	68	3 252	18	1 873	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	5	14	1	4	2	4	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	10	60	2	14	2	10	2	10	1
10 to 24	1974	6	94	5	80	3	44	2	30	2
25 to 49	1974	4	140	4	140	8	273	4	169	10
50 to 99	1974	1	70	1	70	2	130	2	130	8
100 to 199	1974	2	260	2	260	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	169	2	65	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	1 369	11	747	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	62	163	18	46	10	18	3	3	(Z)
	1969	115	227	(NA)	(NA)	6	6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	111
	1969	17	212
Other hogs and pigs	1974	15	457
	1969	18	588
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	21	159	12	141
	1969	53	444	17	259
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	76	9	72
	1969	47	261	17	154
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	83	11	69
	1969	41	183	13	105

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	52	(X)	13	(X)	6	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	51	12 775	13	11 835	5	6 209	4	6 192
	1969	86	7 095	16	5 420	2	5 010	2	5 010
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	51	12 544	13	11 814	5	6 209	4	6 192
	1969	82	6 730	16	5 358	2	5 010	2	5 010
Forms with —									
1 to 99	1974	48	944	10	214	2	85	1	68
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	32	2	8	1	1	–	–
	1969	6	86	2	20	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	91	4	91
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	42

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	13	11 814	4	6 192
	1969	16	5 358	2	5 010
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	11 814	4	6 192
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	60	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	21	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	28	32	153	153	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	2	–	6	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	20	21	1 438	1 245	43 820	30 170
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	4	–	4	–	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	8	19	345	437	350	522
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	3	(NA)	236	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	300	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	78	70	1 328	1 018	2 513	1 295
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	5	23	19	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	2	9	4	33	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	2	7	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	11	8	92	50	3 690	2 075	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	2	–	30	–	186	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	–	10	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	–	20	–	16	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	32	1 298	(X)	–	–	16	245	16	55	–	–
	1969	31	1 859	(X)	–	–	10	374	10	67	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	14	533	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	2	–	–
	1969	10	1 008	(X)	–	–	7	247	7	59	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	13	102	(X)	–	–	9	64	9	13	2	3
	1969	10	80	(X)	–	–	7	47	4	2	3	10
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	14	1 386	42 260	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	15	1 164	28 408	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	400	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	23	745	1 427	–	–	4	190	4	40	–	–
	1969	16	386	541	–	–	6	126	6	31	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	4	316	331	–	–	4	316	2	26	2	12
	1969	10	368	447	–	–	9	365	(NA)	20	(NA)	25
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	2	140	–	–	2	1	2	1	–	–
	1969	3	1	87	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	3	16	(X)	–	–	3	16	3	3	–	–
	1969	1	14	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	2	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	42	42
$1,000	29	30
Commercial fertilizer—farms	39	32
acres on which used	853	1 178
tons	157	226
$1,000	22	17
Lime—farms	1	7
acres on which used	20	135
tons	92	422
$1,000	(Z)	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	160	16
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	5	10
acres on which used	292	364
$1,000	4	7
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	2	11
acres on which used	192	721
$1,000	1	3
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	3	1
acres on which used	70	65
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	3	12
$1,000	(Z)	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Land in farms with droinage—acres	–	–
Land drained—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tonks—farms	10	(NA)
number	37	(NA)
acres	16	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	20	15	11
$1,000	216	162	55
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	5	–	8
$5,000 to $9,999	2	4	1
$10,000 to $29,999	13	11	2
$30,000 to $49,999	–	–	–
$50,000 and over	–	–	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	3	3	4	6	16	16
25 to 149 days	1		2		2	
Less than 25 days	17	21	42	143	7	
Total contract labor	1	4	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	20	3	1	17
Cash wages paid $1,000	25	16	2	7
Number of workers	48	4	2	42
Farms with—				
1 worker	11	2	–	9
2 workers	2	1	1	2
3 or 4 workers	2	–	–	1
5 to 9 workers	5	–	–	5
10 workers and over	–	–	–	–

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	383	482	148	154
Land in farms — acres	65 011	77 333	38 949	40 307
Average size of farm — acres	170	160	263	262
Approximate land area — acres	300 032	300 032	300 032	300 032
Proportion in farms — percent	21.7	25.8	13.0	13.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	27 773	19 409	16 003	9 608
Average per farm — dollars	72 513	40 267	108 126	62 388
Average per acre — dollars	427	251	411	238
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	15	7	3
10 to 49 acres	57	84	13	16
50 to 69 acres	45	42	12	5
70 to 99 acres	59	84	10	18
100 to 139 acres	57	76	18	14
140 to 179 acres	44	31	16	13
180 to 219 acres	24	44	18	16
220 to 259 acres	19	17	8	6
260 to 499 acres	42	68	23	45
500 to 999 acres	19	19	19	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	2	4	2
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	15	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	532	616
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	7
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	20	118
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	9
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	–	209
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	6	4
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — acres	129	99
Cropland idle — farms	7	10
Cropland idle — acres	383	190
Total woodland — farms	90	105
Total woodland — acres	15 270	16 275
Woodland pastured — farms	63	79
Woodland pastured — acres	7 537	6 629

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	338	399	127	132
Total cropland — acres	25 914	26 842	15 025	13 451
Harvested cropland — farms	228	228	103	110
Harvested cropland — acres	6 229	5 730	4 512	4 452
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	75	91	16	
10 to 19 acres	48	56	16	82
20 to 29 acres	37	25	18	
30 to 49 acres	34	25	20	
50 to 99 acres	24	18	23	16
100 to 199 acres	8	10	8	9
200 to 499 acres	2	3	2	3
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	242	299	81	78
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	18 604	18 747	9 981	8 383
Other cropland (see text) — farms	34	74	15	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	1 081	2 365	532	616
Total woodland — farms	235	332	90	105
Total woodland — acres	25 359	31 594	15 270	16 275
Other land (see text) — farms	258	338	110	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	13 738	18 897	8 654	10 581
Irrigated land — farms	4	14	3	9
Irrigated land — acres	6	533	5	479

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	56	60
Woodland not pastured — acres	7 733	9 646
Other land — farms	110	(NA)
Other land — acres	8 654	10 581
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	50	59
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	6 848	7 534
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	39	45
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 949	5 680
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	21	22
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 899	1 854
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	92	95
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	1 806	3 047

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	383	482	148	154
Land in farms — acres	65 011	77 333	38 949	40 307
Harvested cropland — acres	6 229	5 730	4 512	4 452
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	284	383	103	107
Land in farms — acres	45 891	57 393	25 675	27 397
Harvested cropland — acres	3 424	3 756	2 342	2 903
Part owners — number	67	80	32	40
Land in farms — acres	15 590	17 257	12 068	11 045
Harvested cropland — acres	2 415	1 546	2 001	1 218
Tenants — number	32	19	13	7
Land in farms — acres	3 530	2 683	1 206	1 865
Harvested cropland — acres	390	428	169	331
Percent of tenancy	8.4	3.9	8.8	4.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	25	28	2	4
Land in farms — acres	3 075	1 442	(D)	398
Harvested cropland — acres	173	193	9	49
Full owners — number	20	22	2	4
Land in farms — acres	2 714	1 274	(D)	398
Harvested cropland — acres	164	172	9	49
Part owners — number	5	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	361	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	9	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	6	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	168	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	21	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	21.4	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	133	140
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	36 136	36 326

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 444	3 556
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	369	425
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	9	2	6	–
25 to 34 years	46	26	15	10
35 to 44 years	44	66	21	22
45 to 54 years	86	129	36	43
55 to 64 years	106	165	42	54
65 years and over	83	94	20	25
Average age	52.7	54.8	51.0	53.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	218	320	85	103
On another farm	13		4	
In a rural area, not on a farm	17	96	4	28
In a city, town, or urban area	53		24	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	93	(NA)	46	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	39	7	13
50 to 99 days	14	19	–	2
100 to 149 days	10	44	6	20
150 to 199 days	25		4	
200 days and over	171	224	55	46
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	133	(NA)	69	(NA)
Other	241	(NA)	71	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	37	36	37	36
$40,000 to $99,999	15		15	
$20,000 to $39,999	5	17	4	17
$10,000 to $19,999	22	18	22	18
$5,000 to $9,999	16	33	16	33
$2,500 to $4,999	45	46	45	44
Under $2,500 (see text)	243	332	9	6
$2,000 to $2,499	32	36	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	42	44	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	64	61	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	105	191	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	13 807	6 227	13 528	5 796
Average per farm ... dollars	36 049	12 918	91 403	37 638
Crops, including hay ... farms	94	108	42	(NA)
$1,000	685	358	633	304
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	1
$1,000	133		133	(D)
Forest products ... farms	48	54	31	30
$1,000	50	102	43	95
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	337	410	142	148
$1,000	12 939	5 767	12 719	5 398
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	51	(NA)	38	40
$1,000	10 967	(NA)	10 951	4 108

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	42	(NA)
$1,000	633	304
Grains ... farms	1	5
$1,000	(Z)	8
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	34	32
$1,000	144	51
Other field crops ... farms	1	7
$1,000	(Z)	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	12
$1,000	1	30
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	6	7
$1,000	487	194
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	142	148
$1,000	12 719	5 398
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	38	40
$1,000	10 951	4 108
Dairy products ... farms	18	19
$1,000	1 117	647
Cattle and calves ... farms	130	(NA)
$1,000	640	626
Hogs and pigs ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	11	16
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	234	(NA)	53	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	49	(NA)	22	(NA)
$1,000	42	(NA)	27	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	8	31	5	18
$1,000	13	107	10	95
Recreational services ... farms	–	2	–	2
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	39	96	18	39
$1,000	19	29	10	17
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	4	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)	4	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	6	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	98
$1,000	1 244
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	13
$1,000	121
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	77
$1,000	806
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	38
$1,000	255
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	16
$1,000	60
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	2
$1,000	1

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	382	482	148	154
$1,000	13 612	5 537	13 155	5 007
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	64	196	4	22
$1,000 to $1,999	104	101	9	
$2,000 to $2,999	47	38	11	11
$3,000 to $4,999	44	37	9	18
$5,000 to $9,999	38	38	31	33
$10,000 to $19,999	24		24	26
$20,000 to $39,999	12	72	11	10
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	34
$60,000 and over	42		42	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	174	196	94	97
$1,000	4 695	964	4 618	909
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	345	421	136	141
$1,000	5 641	2 942	5 501	2 770
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	275	273	127	134
$1,000	5 287	2 746	5 217	2 666
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	146	66
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	65	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	2
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	22	26
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	36
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	249	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	133	133	43	52
$1,000	27	24	22	16
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	278	335	98	118
$1,000	332	178	249	127
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	96	(NA)	61	(NA)
$1,000	70	52	68	42
Lime ... farms	(NA)	61	16	26
$1,000	(NA)	17	12	11
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	364	445	148	154
$1,000	256	160	213	115
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	126	146
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	106	69
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	56	67
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	14
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	46	40
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	20
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	147	154
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	12
Hired farm labor ... farms	148	226	87	112
$1,000	743	419	714	320
Contract labor ... farms	22	161	17	11
$1,000	23	52	21	5
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	92		42	70
$1,000	58		48	34
All other production expenses ... farms	325	347	144	151
$1,000	1 766	745	1 452	670

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	359	440	143	149
$1,000	4 285	2 451	2 821	1 277
Average per farm—dollars	11 937	5 569	19 730	8 569
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	6	44	–	70
$1,000 to $4,999	95	250	23	
$5,000 to $9,999	136	88	41	39
$10,000 to $19,999	69	45	29	31
$20,000 to $29,999	17	13	16	2
$30,000 to $49,999	26		25	1
$50,000 to $69,999	5		4	6
$70,000 and over	5		5	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	238	315	100	100
number	295	374	140	118
mfd in last 5 years, number	154	271	92	99
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	314	363	137	132
number	409	442	212	185
mfd in last 5 years, number	162	264	107	112
Wheel tractors—farms	296	337	125	131
number	405	436	209	209
mfd in last 5 years, number	114	225	80	128
Crawler tractors—farms	9		6	–
number	9		6	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		1	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	1	–	1
number	–	1	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	3	–	–
number	–	3	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	2		–	1
number	2		–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	45	(NA)	24	(NA)
number	52	(NA)	28	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	12	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	68	67	45	48
number	70	68	47	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	45	12	29
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	34	(NA)	22	28
number	34	(NA)	22	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	5	19
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	7
number	4	(NA)	4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	7

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	342	(X)	135	(X)	337	(X)	142	(X)	12 719
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	328	(X)	125	(X)	317	(X)	130	(X)	651
1969	405	(X)	129	(X)	387	(X)	133	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	326	18 297	125	12 747	317	6 059	130	4 535	640
1969	402	13 990	129	8 676	387	7 257	133	4 861	626
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	23	–	–	54	135	6	11	2
5 to 9—1974	18	123	1	6	92	639	10	74	12
10 to 19—1974	58	833	1	16	85	1 113	35	457	92
20 to 49—1974	121	3 863	35	1 157	57	1 695	50	1 516	232
50 to 99—1974	65	4 323	35	2 436	21	1 490	21	1 490	201
100 to 199—1974	42	5 687	42	5 687	8	987	8	987	101
200 to 499—1974	11	3 445	11	3 445	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	286	10 353	116	7 011	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	336	8 081	119	5 237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	265	9 974	104	5 720	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 575	99	4 062	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	57	1 379	26	1 291	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	109	1 506	37	1 175	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	1 117
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	647

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	265	8 974	104	5 720
Farms with—				
1 to 4	13	38	1	3
5 to 9	29	185	2	14
10 to 19	67	993	16	232
20 to 49	103	3 106	37	1 144
50 to 99	37	2 426	32	2 101
100 to 199	11	1 226	11	1 226
200 to 499	5	1 000	5	1 000
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	57	1 379	26	1 291
Farms with—				
1 or 2	26	38	6	10
3 or 4	3	9	1	3
5 to 9	10	59	1	5
10 to 19	3	45	3	45
20 to 49	2	79	2	79
50 to 99	8	532	8	532
100 to 199	5	617	5	617
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	99	1 738	384
Farms with—			
1 to 4	17	44	13
5 to 9	31	202	47
10 to 19	17	227	64
20 to 49	27	790	182
50 to 99	7	475	78
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	99	2 797	256
Farms with—			
1 or 2	3	3	(Z)
3 or 4	7	26	2
5 to 9	11	78	9
10 to 19	25	321	33
20 to 49	39	1 132	110
50 to 99	8	548	40
100 to 199	6	689	60
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	97	3 217	5	29	7
	1969	114	2 294	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	87	2 639			
Milk heifers	1974	17	578			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	106	2 519			
	1969	115	1 145			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			5	29	7
	1969			–	–	(NA)
Forms with—						
1 to 9	1974			4	9	2
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			1	20	5
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	28	275	3	155	11	229	1	169	11
	1969	23	336	8	138	14	544	7	312	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	19	47	2	5	2	8	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	2	10	–	–	8	52	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	6	68	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	150	1	150	1	169	1	169	11
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	66	1	20	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	172	2	50	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	71	–	–	2	23	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	19	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	11	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	77	194	27	92	6	11	2	4	(Z)
	1969	158	430	(NA)	(NA)	15	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	1	8				
	1969	3	7				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	3	147				
	1969	7	131				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			13	57	2	31
	1969			12	40	5	14
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			9	32	2	19
	1969			11	23	4	10
June 1 and November 30	1974			12	25	1	12
	1969			6	17	3	4

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	81	(X)	31	(X)	44	(X)	38	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	42	(X)	(NA)	(X)	40	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	61	63 734	12	62 443	12	97 780	7	97 380
	1969	78	129 645	17	127 275	14	132 582	5	129 550
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	60	(D)	12	(D)	11	75 270	6	74 900
	1969	69	124 112	14	122 203	12	127 540	5	124 550
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	55	992	8	118	4	20	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	350	–	–	2	450	1	100
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	800	1	800
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	21	1 065 946	18	1 053 910	32	7 087 235	30	7 075 227
	1969	29	972 555	26	971 049	39	5 452 134	35	5 449 172
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	51	10 967	38	10 951
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	40	4 108

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	12	(D)	6	74 900
	1969	14	122 203	5	124 550
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	9	(D)	1	100
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	(D)	5	74 800
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	1	(D)
	1969	2	14	–	–
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	8	5 625	5	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	49	38	435	598	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	3	4	157	101	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	3	–	158	–	3 180
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	7	4	6	4 200	3 500
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	4	–	120
Other small grains for grain	2	1	40	4	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	2	–	4	–	2
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	18	(NA)	3	(NA)	116	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	19	(NA)	12	(NA)	777	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	181	169	4 671	3 931	10 075	7 533
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	23	128	151	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	14	794	653	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	9	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	16	92	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	5	10	35	387	1 480	5 978	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	–	150	–	2 626	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	70	–	375	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	150	15	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	1	405	4	470	25	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	81	9 981	(X)	–	–	35	2 589	35	446	–	–
	1969	78	8 383	(X)	1	15	55	3 569	51	613	4	21
Improved pasture	1974	39	3 949	(X)	–	–	16	1 161	16	247	1	4
	1969	45	5 680	(X)	–	–	33	2 790	33	390	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	7	185	(X)	–	–	5	35	5	8	–	–
	1969	10	387	(X)	–	–	6	81	6	13	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	150	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	85	(X)	–	–	2	85	2	19	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	180	–	–	1	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	157	3 140	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	–	300	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	94	3 410	7 885	–	–	45	1 814	45	630	–	–
	1969	90	3 018	6 022	1	18	43	1 547	43	398	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	4	2	–	–	2	4	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	(Z)	18	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(Z)	25	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	3	4	(X)	–	–	3	4	3	1	–	–
	1969	12	120	(X)	3	67	9	104	9	30	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	6	776	(X)	–	–	4	496	4	159	–	–
	1969	10	633	(X)	6	388	8	624	8	167	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	4	(X)	3	4	2	4	1	5	1	(Z)
1969	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	1	6	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	103	127
$1,000	317	169
Commercial fertilizer—farms	98	109
acres on which used	6 104	8 870
tons	1 500	1 675
$1,000	249	127
Lime—farms	16	26
acres on which used	758	1 047
tons	954	1 807
$1,000	12	11
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	12	25
acres on which used	449	808
$1,000	2	2
Insects on other crops—farms	7	9
acres on which used	771	279
$1,000	31	8
Nemotodes in crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	31	–
$1,000	1	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	3
acres on which used	401	340
$1,000	10	7
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	6	10
acres on which used	481	841
$1,000	6	3
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	20	42
acres on which used	922	2 770
$1,000	3	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	19	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	7
acres on which used	1	20
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	18	54
$1,000	2	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	14	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	9
Proportion of farms—percent	2.0	5.8
Total land irrigated—acres	5	479
Average per farm—acres	1.7	53.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	9
acres	5	480
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	8
acres	5	464
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	15
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	1
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	5	211
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.9	0.4
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	5	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	63	3 031
Cropland—acres	39	1 429
Harvested cropland—acres	5	942
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	80	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	6	5
Proportion of farms—percent	4.1	3.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	2 392	1 817
Land drained—acres	184	466
Average per farm—acres	30.7	93.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	64	(NA)
number	188	(NA)
acres	204	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	48	31	26
$1,000	1 606	853	753
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	4	3	5
$5,000 to $9,999	2	4	1
$10,000 to $29,999	23	14	10
$30,000 to $49,999	6	3	5
$50,000 and over	13	7	5

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired form workers working—						
150 days or more	29	25	147	60	551	320
25 to 149 days	27	101	236	565	126	
Less than 25 days	58		315		37	
Total contract labor	17	11	(NA)	(NA)	21	5
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	36	(NA)	14	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	87	29	27	58
Cash wages paid $1,000	714	551	126	37
Number of workers	698	147	236	315
Farms with—				
1 worker	36	13	12	25
2 workers	12	2	2	8
3 or 4 workers	7	8	4	4
5 to 9 workers	14	3	3	15
10 workers and over	18	3	6	6

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	479	489	156	158
Land in farms ____ acres	43 336	44 864	26 763	24 246
Average size of farm ____ acres	90	92	172	153
Approximate land area ____ acres	418 368	418 368	418 368	418 368
Proportion in farms ____ percent	10.4	10.7	6.4	5.8
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	43 488	20 662	25 749	9 624
Average per farm ____ dollars	90 788	42 254	165 055	60 911
Average per acre ____ dollars	1 003	461	962	397
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	46	20	21	13
10 to 49 acres	231	266	47	67
50 to 69 acres	46	61	14	18
70 to 99 acres	48	41	13	12
100 to 139 acres	37	31	13	11
140 to 179 acres	17	19	6	5
180 to 219 acres	24	12	16	8
220 to 259 acres	9	12	6	3
260 to 499 acres	12	19	11	16
500 to 999 acres	6	7	6	4
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	–	1	–
2,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	22	(NA)
____ acres	729	619
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	14	7
____ acres	465	75
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	6	1
____ acres	12	10
Cropland in cultivated summer follow ____ farms	–	3
____ acres	–	20
Cropland idle ____ farms	12	23
____ acres	252	514
Total woodland ____ farms	63	81
____ acres	12 833	5 087
Woodland pastured ____ farms	37	45
____ acres	11 334	3 765

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	407	428	112	123
____ acres	18 338	15 764	9 486	7 488
Harvested cropland ____ farms	282	254	92	76
____ acres	4 269	3 303	2 444	1 775
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	153	141	30	
10 to 19 acres	70	67	19	68
20 to 29 acres	23	28	18	
30 to 49 acres	20	9	14	
50 to 99 acres	13	4	8	3
100 to 199 acres	2	4	2	4
200 to 499 acres	1	1	1	1
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	304	327	71	83
____ acres	13 157	11 314	6 313	5 094
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	40	69	22	(NA)
____ acres	912	1 147	729	619
Total woodland ____ farms	214	259	63	81
____ acres	17 412	13 432	12 833	5 087
Other land (see text) ____ farms	312	376	115	(NA)
____ acres	7 586	15 668	4 444	11 671
Irrigated land ____ farms	31	46	18	18
____ acres	212	202	130	117

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	32	46
____ acres	1 499	1 322
Other land ____ farms	115	(NA)
____ acres	4 444	11 671
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	42	33
____ acres	2 549	10 272
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	28	25
____ acres	1 479	1 180
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	20	14
____ acres	1 070	9 092
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	108	113
____ acres	1 895	1 399

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	479	489	156	158
Land in farms ____ acres	43 336	44 864	26 763	24 246
Harvested cropland ____ acres	4 269	3 303	2 444	1 775
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	385	421	108	134
Land in farms ____ acres	21 784	26 496	8 591	10 717
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2 817	2 513	1 199	1 335
Part owners ____ number	81	54	44	17
Land in farms ____ acres	20 485	17 544	17 897	12 929
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 446	737	1 239	421
Tenants ____ number	13	14	4	7
Land in farms ____ acres	1 067	824	275	600
Harvested cropland ____ acres	6	53	6	19
Percent of tenancy	2.7	2.8	2.6	4.4
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	8	6	5	2
Land in farms ____ acres	761	142	256	20
Harvested cropland ____ acres	90	44	60	4
Full owners ____ number	1	4	1	–
Land in farms ____ acres	136	122	136	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	60	40	60	–
Part owners ____ number	7	–	4	–
Land in farms ____ acres	625	–	120	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	30	–	–	–
Tenants ____ number	–	2	–	2
Land in farms ____ acres	–	20	–	20
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	4	–	4
Percent of tenancy	–	33.3	–	100.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	151	149
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 849	22 362

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	4	8
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	794	1 710
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	120	174
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	9	5	–	1
25 to 34 years	50	42	15	18
35 to 44 years	91	116	36	30
45 to 54 years	130	143	44	54
55 to 64 years	127	135	41	45
65 years and over	71	48	19	10
Average age	50.8	50.1	50.2	49.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	323	371	111	124
On another farm	4		2	
In a rural area, not on a farm	18	45	9	10
In a city, town, or urban area	31		4	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	109	(NA)	39	(NA)
1 to 49 days	19	19	10	5
50 to 99 days	11	22	7	10
100 to 149 days	16	58	3	16
150 to 199 days	48		13	
200 days and over	228	265	50	60
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	136	(NA)	78	(NA)
Other	342	(NA)	77	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	35	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	17	47	17	47
$40,000 to $99,999	21		21	
$20,000 to $39,999	20	22	20	22
$10,000 to $19,999	16	21	16	21
$5,000 to $9,999	28	23	28	23
$2,500 to $4,999	48	39	48	39
Under $2,500 (see text)	329	337	6	6
$2,000 to $2,499	31	17	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	52	21	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	69	51	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	177	248	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	8 973	9 352	8 659	9 128
Average per farm (dollars)	18 732	19 125	55 506	57 771
Crops, including hay (farms)	95	114	37	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	377	182	344	116
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	6		2	3
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	7		3	30
Forest products (farms)	15	21	7	10
Forest products ($1,000)	61	37	59	34
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	422	395	137	145
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	8 528	9 133	8 253	8 948
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	63	(NA)	42	77
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	6 810	(NA)	6 801	8 259

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	37	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	344	116
Grains (farms)	2	1
Grains ($1,000)	(D)	1
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	15	20
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	45	28
Other field crops (farms)	1	1
Other field crops ($1,000)	(D)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	3	6
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	6	5
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	19	17
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	213	82
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	137	145
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	8 253	8 948
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	42	77
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	6 801	8 259
Dairy products (farms)	12	11
Dairy products ($1,000)	869	288
Cattle and calves (farms)	111	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	531	352
Hogs and pigs (farms)	11	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	42	49
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	7	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	8	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	326	(NA)	58	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	47	(NA)	13	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	27	(NA)	13	(NA)
Custamwork and other agricultural services (farms)	10	20	2	7
Custamwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	11	64	8	32
Recreational services (farms)	1	–	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	1	–	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	32	73	11	21
Government farm programs ($1,000)	12	16	5	6
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	(Z)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	17	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	14	(NA)	6	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	101
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 209
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	17
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	202
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	75
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	842
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	32
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	62
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	23
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	103
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	2
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	(Z)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	478	489	156	158
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	8 422	8 368	7 907	7 957
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	116	202	1	10
$1,000 to $1,999	116	86	13	
$2,000 to $2,999	81	33	14	8
$3,000 to $4,999	53	44	21	26
$5,000 to $9,999	44	34	39	24
$10,000 to $19,999	11		11	24
$20,000 to $39,999	20	90	20	24
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	42
$60,000 and over	27		27	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	218	250	80	114
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 435	1 389	1 364	1 333
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	400	402	124	140
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	4 708	4 552	4 533	4 461
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	266	268	104	129
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	4 552	3 457	4 464	3 418
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	38	19
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	24	519
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	37	17
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	32	512
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	10	22
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	13	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	84	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	39	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	224	221	52	58
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	42	27	25	16
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	350	352	95	100
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	207	129	138	84
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	152	(NA)	48	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	28	112	20	102
Lime (farms)	(NA)	50	22	15
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	10	10	4
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	471	489	154	158
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	174	132	127	86
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	109	146
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	48	44
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	91	58
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	41	10
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	47
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	22	20
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	154	158
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	17	12
Hired farm labor (farms)	135	196	70	87
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	307	490	292	465
Contract labor (farms)	13	139	5	14
Contract labor ($1,000)	32	329	32	268
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	129		37	46
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	82		67	44
All other production expenses (farms)	380	344	153	157
All other production expenses ($1,000)	1 407	1 207	1 269	1 099

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	457	487	148	157
$1,000	4 474	2 968	2 212	1 366
Average per farm—dollars	9 790	6 093	14 945	8 700
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	14	–	62
$1,000 to $4,999	138	260	27	
$5,000 to $9,999	154	150	33	60
$10,000 to $19,999	119	44	51	24
$20,000 to $29,999	31	19	24	4
$30,000 to $49,999	11		9	5
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	2
$70,000 and over	3		3	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	308	339	111	106
number	388	437	141	132
mfd in last 5 years, number	236	334	98	109
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	371	386	120	131
number	415	470	149	202
mfd in last 5 years, number	193	297	82	121
Wheel tractors—farms	405	414	125	131
number	516	524	201	194
mfd in last 5 years, number	143	259	67	104
Crawler tractors—farms	24		8	4
number	28		8	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		2	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	2	1	1	–
number	2	1	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	5	–	–
number	6	6	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	5	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	2
number	1		1	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	2
Mower conditioners—farms	33	(NA)	16	(NA)
number	37	(NA)	19	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	46	37	24	21
number	46	39	24	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	24	5	13
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	30	(NA)	14	13
number	30	(NA)	14	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	4	9
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	7	3
number	13	(NA)	9	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	4	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Forms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	436	(X)	126	(X)	422	(X)	137	(X)	8 253
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	418	(X)	114	(X)	387	(X)	113	(X)	574
1969	402	(X)	114	(X)	353	(X)	104	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	415	15 382	113	8 287	381	5 007	111	3 204	531
1969	398	11 671	113	5 597	345	5 181	101	3 182	352
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	16	41	4	9	119	321	10	26	4
5 to 9—1974	58	382	7	48	110	715	10	65	9
10 to 19—1974	109	1 507	13	165	92	1 253	33	445	76
20 to 49—1974	136	4 081	28	887	44	1 313	42	1 263	206
50 to 99—1974	60	3 873	25	1 680	11	762	11	762	133
100 to 199—1974	29	3 758	29	3 758	5	643	5	643	103
200 to 499—1974	7	1 740	7	1 740	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	343	9 169	101	5 140	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	338	5 779	101	2 830	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	313	8 007	84	4 085	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 972	88	2 148	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	79	1 162	28	1 055	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	112	807	40	682	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	869
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	288

	Inventory, 1974					Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	313	8 007	84	4 085	Cattle sold	80	1 649	372
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	39	111	5	10	1 to 4	9	23	5
5 to 9	54	378	8	54	5 to 9	16	99	24
10 to 19	91	1 280	12	168	10 to 19	27	369	70
20 to 49	85	2 441	26	754	20 to 49	22	621	140
50 to 99	31	1 965	20	1 267	50 to 99	4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	11	1 432	11	1 432	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	400	2	400	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	79	1 162	28	1 055	Calves sold	79	1 555	159
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	51	70	13	19	1 or 2	8	15	2
3 or 4	7	21	1	3	3 or 4	7	23	2
5 to 9	10	53	3	15	5 to 9	18	124	17
10 to 19	–	–	–	–	10 to 19	16	228	30
20 to 49	1	38	1	38	20 to 49	24	660	61
50 to 99	5	375	5	375	50 to 99	4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	5	605	5	605	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	84	2 042
	1969	99	1 747
Beef heifers	1974	74	1 594
Milk heifers	1974	15	448
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	88	1 105
	1969	97	1 020

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	7	102	18
	1969	3	136	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	19	6
10 to 19	1974	1	15	2
20 to 49	1974	2	68	10
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	43	1 322	13	1 154	23	1 000	11	831	42
	1969	56	1 604	22	1 452	27	1 250	16	1 082	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	18	42	1	2	2	4	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	10	65	2	16	7	42	2	12	1
10 to 24	1974	7	115	2	36	1	15	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	5	150	1	30	2
50 to 99	1974	1	70	1	70	2	139	2	139	10
100 to 199	1974	6	830	6	830	6	650	6	650	29
200 to 499	1974	1	200	1	200	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	123	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	82	1	22	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	13	–	–	1	8	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	16	–	–	4	16	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	128	(NA)	(NA)	1	20	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	270	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	116	250	26	66	19	36	3	9	1
	1969	130	379	(NA)	(NA)	7	16	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	6	99
	1969	11	139
Other hogs and pigs	1974	13	1 055
	1969	21	1 313
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	169	6	138
	1969	22	175	13	149
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	11	85	4	72
	1969	19	86	12	74
June 1 and November 30	1974	12	84	6	66
	1969	17	89	10	75

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	114	(X)	37	(X)	48	(X)	41	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	80	(X)	(NA)	(X)	76	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	107	767 381	30	764 584	28	837 149	22	836 679
	1969	111	1 228 748	51	1 227 566	48	1 249 159	43	1 249 058
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	97	538 269	21	535 625	21	368 459	15	368 039
	1969	104	1 065 533	46	1 064 549	42	892 157	37	892 056
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	76	1 835	7	191	5	120	–	–
100 to 399	1974	7	1 000	–	–	1	300	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	7	48 500	7	48 500	9	57 743	9	57 743
10,000 to 19,999	1974	3	43 268	3	43 268	3	41 296	3	41 296
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	18	95 165	6	95 010	20	1 236 221	19	1 236 213
	1969	39	775 975	31	775 735	35	3 499 016	35	3 499 016
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	63	6 810	42	6 801
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	77	8 259

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	21	535 625	15	368 039
	1969	46	1 064 549	37	892 056
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	21	(D)	14	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	(D)	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	6	228 000	7	467 000
	1969	11	161 480	7	355 500
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	959	2	1 640
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	98 050	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	44	1	6
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	31	1	4
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	43	77	278	626	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1	2	30	12	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	2	286	10	(D)	260
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	4	–	4	–	4 448
Wheat (bushels)	–	2	–	12	–	360
Other small grains for grain	3	6	108	12	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	3	(NA)	178	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	3	(NA)	458	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	225	169	3 452	2 426	6 719	3 873
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	28	21	42	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	12	20	24	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	25	46	80	100	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	109	29	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	8	11	75	135	3 686	5 656	2	3	4	16
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	2	120	250	996	3 200	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	–	4	–	(X)	(X)	1	–	4	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	30	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	1	–	100	–	150	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	71	6 313	(X)	–	–	38	2 372	38	570	–	–
	1969	83	5 094	(X)	1	10	54	2 848	54	653	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	28	1 479	(X)	–	–	11	581	11	91	–	–
	1969	25	1 180	(X)	–	–	11	482	11	131	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	9	199	(X)	3	8	8	196	8	59	–	–
	1969	13	385	(X)	3	16	12	363	12	128	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	9	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	100	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	286	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	68	1 762	4 150	1	5	32	841	32	255	–	–
	1969	54	1 273	2 156	2	18	24	860	24	159	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	1	80	(X)	–	–	1	80	1	12	–	–
	1969	1	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	(Z)	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	180	–	–	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	3	6	(X)	2	3	3	6	3	5	–	–
	1969	6	15	(X)	5	14	5	14	5	6	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	2	18	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	19	76	(X)	13	66	15	70	15	59	1	2
1969	16	66	(X)	13	61	14	63	14	42	1	(Z)
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–	1	(Z)
1969	3	2	(X)	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	1	2	(X)	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	100	114
$1,000	158	186
Commercial fertilizer—farms	95	92
acres on which used	4 178	4 634
tons	1 062	1 121
$1,000	138	84
Lime—farms	22	15
acres on which used	497	279
tons	856	501
$1,000	10	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	6	1
acres on which used	110	20
$1,000	2	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	5	14
acres on which used	60	207
$1,000	1	1
Nematodes in crops—farms	6	4
acres on which used	28	13
$1,000	1	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	6
acres on which used	20	26
$1,000	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	9	10
acres on which used	186	216
$1,000	2	1
Weeds or brush in posture—farms	10	9
acres on which used	809	293
$1,000	2	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	6	(NA)
acres on which used	13	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	32
$1,000	–	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	10	40
$1,000	1	92
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	14	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	18	18
Proportion of farms—percent	11.5	11.3
Total land irrigated—acres	130	117
Average per farm—acres	7.2	6.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	18	18
acres	130	117
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	18	18
acres	86	107
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	10
Other cropland irrigated—farms	4	(NA)
acres	44	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	106	80
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	0.7
Land irrigated by— Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	10	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	13	(NA)
acres	111	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	740	704
Cropland—acres	458	308
Harvested cropland—acres	98	117
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical droinage—farms	15	19
Proportion of farms—percent	9.6	12.0
Land in farms with droinage—acres	1 731	4 394
Land drained—acres	857	2 900
Average per farm—acres	57.1	152.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	46	(NA)
number	106	(NA)
acres	162	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	45	42	15
$1,000	2 176	1 926	250
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	2	2	3
$5,000 to $9,999	7	9	3
$10,000 to $29,999	19	16	6
$30,000 to $49,999	8	8	2
$50,000 and over	9	7	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	16	24	57	112	211	465
25 to 149 days	10	77	121	483	39	
Less than 25 days	46		496		42	
Total contract labor	5	14	(NA)	(NA)	32	268
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	26	(NA)	31	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working— 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	70	16	10	46
Cash wages paid—$1,000	292	211	39	42
Number of workers	674	57	121	496
Farms with—				
1 worker	14	9	1	6
2 workers	7	3	1	3
3 or 4 workers	9	2	2	5
5 to 9 workers	16	1	2	13
10 workers and over	24	1	4	19

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	358	443	329	339
Land in farms — acres	238 239	242 575	237 016	237 110
Average size of farm — acres	665	548	720	699
Approximate land area — acres	423 232	423 232	423 232	423 232
Proportion in farms — percent	56.3	57.3	56.0	56.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	118 416	77 208	117 767	74 857
Average per farm — dollars	330 771	174 284	357 953	220 817
Average per acre — dollars	497	318	497	316
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	6	8	1	2
10 to 49 acres	49	105	34	23
50 to 69 acres	23	16	18	12
70 to 99 acres	31	28	31	25
100 to 139 acres	21	29	21	27
140 to 179 acres	16	25	12	25
180 to 219 acres	16	17	16	17
220 to 259 acres	21	16	21	15
260 to 499 acres	53	87	53	81
500 to 999 acres	62	57	62	57
1,000 to 1,999 acres	38	33	38	33
2,000 acres and over	22	22	22	22

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	346	423	322	329
acres	181 453	171 942	180 431	169 360
Harvested cropland — farms	339	405	322	323
acres	167 970	151 736	167 761	150 109
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	8	21	1	
10 to 19 acres	23	28	17	46
20 to 29 acres	23	35	19	
30 to 49 acres	27	42	27	
50 to 99 acres	34	42	34	40
100 to 199 acres	41	53	41	53
200 to 499 acres	79	94	79	94
500 to 999 acres	56	51	56	51
1,000 acres and over	48	39	48	39
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	72	124	61	86
acres	5 177	8 800	4 422	7 983
Other cropland (see text) — farms	62	121	60	(NA)
acres	8 306	11 406	8 248	11 268
Total woodland — farms	71	141	70	101
acres	30 399	47 637	30 335	45 704
Other land (see text) — farms	216	285	203	(NA)
acres	26 387	22 996	26 250	22 046
Irrigated land — farms	4	17	4	15
acres	533	1 955	533	1 953

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	60	(NA)
acres	8 248	11 268
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	1
acres	12	57
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	27	35
acres	3 686	4 191
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	5	45
acres	1 338	4 101
Cropland idle — farms	36	41
acres	3 212	2 919
Total woodland — farms	70	101
acres	30 335	45 704
Woodland pastured — farms	25	41
acres	966	5 992

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	46	70
acres	29 369	39 712
Other land — farms	203	(NA)
acres	26 250	22 046
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	38	58
acres	11 034	15 277
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	24	42
acres	5 532	12 560
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	14	24
acres	5 502	2 717
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	199	202
acres	15 216	6 769

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	358	443	329	339
Land in farms — acres	238 239	242 575	237 016	237 110
Harvested cropland — acres	167 970	151 736	167 761	150 109
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	178	209	154	127
Land in farms — acres	103 286	106 755	102 207	101 987
Harvested cropland — acres	62 498	48 185	62 369	47 005
Part owners — number	121	155	120	144
Land in farms — acres	103 242	90 947	103 178	90 559
Harvested cropland — acres	82 840	71 074	82 840	70 868
Tenants — number	59	79	55	68
Land in farms — acres	31 711	44 873	31 631	44 564
Harvested cropland — acres	22 632	32 477	22 552	32 236
Percent of tenancy	16.5	17.8	16.7	20.0
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	55	89	44	52
Land in farms — acres	3 549	8 023	3 321	6 135
Harvested cropland — acres	2 290	5 653	2 168	4 948
Full owners — number	40	41	33	18
Land in farms — acres	2 136	3 883	1 988	2 385
Harvested cropland — acres	1 028	2 166	986	1 775
Part owners — number	6	18	6	14
Land in farms — acres	678	1 927	678	1 815
Harvested cropland — acres	631	1 394	631	1 306
Tenants — number	9	30	5	20
Land in farms — acres	735	2 213	655	1 935
Harvested cropland — acres	631	2 093	551	1 867
Percent of tenancy	16.4	33.7	11.4	38.4
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	301	279
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	166 847	137 846

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	17	49
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	49 731	79 236
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 438	19 207
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	821
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	20	1	17	1
25 to 34 years	44	44	43	31
35 to 44 years	62	85	59	66
45 to 54 years	85	121	81	107
55 to 64 years	80	133	64	101
65 years and over	56	59	54	33
Average age	49.7	50.9	49.5	50.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	178	285	171	223
On another farm	14		12	
In a rural area, not on a farm	11	111	11	87
In a city, town, or urban area	54		46	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	164	(NA)	155	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	42	8	33
50 to 99 days	10	21	8	8
100 to 149 days	7	45	7	27
150 to 199 days	19		14	
200 days and over	29	68	28	29
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	306	(NA)	282	(NA)
Other	41	(NA)	36	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	103	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	87	68	87	68
$40,000 to $99,999	86		86	
$20,000 to $39,999	48	74	48	74
$10,000 to $19,999	39	69	39	69
$5,000 to $9,999	40	49	40	49
$2,500 to $4,999	29	67	29	67
Under $2,500 (see text)	29	116	–	12
$2,000 to $2,499	6	28	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	5	16	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	6	23	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	12	49	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	33 936	10 235	33 901	10 113
Average per farm (dollars)	94 793	23 104	103 044	29 831
Crops, including hay (farms)	333	395	320	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	31 860	9 162	31 836	9 071
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	1		1	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	(D)		(D)	–
Forest products (farms)	4	18	4	17
Forest products ($1,000)	150	125	150	125
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	104	158	92	109
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 924	948	1 914	916
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	2	(NA)	2	2
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(D)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	320	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	31 836	9 071
Grains (farms)	305	318
Grains ($1,000)	25 520	6 570
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	171	281
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	6 038	2 421
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	7	11
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	12	62
Other field crops (farms)	1	2
Other field crops ($1,000)	(Z)	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	–	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	–	(Z)
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	3	17
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	265	10
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	92	109
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 914	916
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	2	2
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	(D)
Dairy products (farms)	3	1
Dairy products ($1,000)	17	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	71	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	1 572	705
Hogs and pigs (farms)	22	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	170	101
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	2	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	1	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	3	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(D)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	38	(NA)	27	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	70	(NA)	62	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	918	(NA)	906	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	39	54	37	47
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	192	194	189	183
Recreational services (farms)	2	14	2	10
Recreational services ($1,000)	(D)	13	(D)	13
Government farm programs (farms)	11	275	11	240
Government farm programs ($1,000)	10	1 475	10	1 452
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	19	(NA)	13	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	662	(NA)	654	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	8	(NA)	8	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	31	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	23	(NA)	22	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	157	(NA)	156	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	130
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 128
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	26
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	327
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	73
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	569
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	43
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	90
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	27
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	89
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	13
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	52

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	358	443	329	339
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	19 598	9 213	19 573	9 060
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	22	49	5	20
$1,000 to $1,999	40	55	29	
$2,000 to $2,999	9	23	8	11
$3,000 to $4,999	34	55	34	48
$5,000 to $9,999	45	66	45	65
$10,000 to $19,999	48		48	80
$20,000 to $39,999	48	195	48	55
$40,000 to $59,999	26		26	60
$60,000 and over	86		86	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	36	70	35	51
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 109	299	1 109	292
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	98	148	89	103
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	686	182	682	170
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	81	87	75	65
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	499	105	497	102
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	22	34
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	77	42
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	27	24
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	67	7
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	19	21
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	41	19
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	60	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	244	382	223	302
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	1 289	577	1 287	567
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	215	377	198	304
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	568	233	565	228
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	268	(NA)	261	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	2 689	1 279	2 688	1 267
Lime (farms)	(NA)	14	7	13
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	14	6	14
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	358	441	329	337
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	1 453	855	1 449	825
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	259	308
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	374	276
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	260	225
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	688	305
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	170	176
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	252	154
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	329	337
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	135	90
Hired farm labor (farms)	181	304	176	265
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	2 003	1 368	2 002	1 359
Contract labor (farms)	31	269	31	32
Contract labor ($1,000)	117	772	117	58
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	158		146	214
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	695		689	698
All other production expenses (farms)	350	413	329	336
All other production expenses ($1,000)	8 990	3 648	8 955	3 596

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	358	432	329	334
$1,000	21 626	10 834	21 437	10 370
Average per farm—dollars	60 408	25 079	65 157	31 048
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	30	1	60
$1,000 to $4,999	36	109	27	
$5,000 to $9,999	51	55	37	45
$10,000 to $19,999	46	71	40	66
$20,000 to $29,999	48		48	51
$30,000 to $49,999	61	167	61	38
$50,000 to $69,999	27		27	74
$70,000 and over	88		88	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	267	295	241	244
number	369	394	343	333
mfd in last 5 years, number	261	298	255	261
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	321	361	304	304
number	817	712	800	644
mfd in last 5 years, number	421	452	420	411
Wheel tractors—farms	322	401	301	319
number	1 069	1 112	1 046	974
mfd in last 5 years, number	456	654	450	609
Crawler tractors—farms	23		21	24
number	27		25	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	9

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	207	178	207	172
number	373	262	373	252
mfd in last 5 years, number	142	218	142	209
Corn heads for combines—farms	6	23	6	9
number	8	29	8	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	16	5	12
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	31		31	15
number	31		31	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	4
Mower conditioners—farms	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
number	27	(NA)	27	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	14	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	46	28	46	28
number	50	29	50	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	14	5	14
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	40	(NA)	40	13
number	41	(NA)	41	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	6
number	8	(NA)	8	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	121	(X)	108	(X)	104	(X)	92	(X)	1 914
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	109	(X)	98	(X)	101	(X)	90	(X)	1 743
1969	185	(X)	122	(X)	150	(X)	103	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	90	9 192	80	8 995	81	6 716	71	6 642	1 572
1969	154	8 526	111	8 056	118	4 939	90	4 765	705
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	13	32	13	32	17	42	12	32	6
5 to 9—1974	8	52	8	52	8	52	7	46	14
10 to 19—1974	16	245	8	128	18	266	14	208	43
20 to 49—1974	28	973	26	893	24	717	24	717	118
50 to 99—1974	11	728	11	728	9	645	9	645	155
100 to 199—1974	4	550	4	550	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	1 402	5	1 402	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	5	5 210	5	5 210	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	71	3 623	63	3 470	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	134	4 188	101	3 960	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	62	3 225	54	3 074	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 932	87	3 740	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	17	398	16	396	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	45	256	28	220	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	17
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	62	3 225	54	3 074			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	7	18	7	18			
5 to 9	11	71	9	53			
10 to 19	16	240	12	187			
20 to 49	15	481	13	401			
50 to 99	3	205	3	205			
100 to 199	6	860	6	860			
200 to 499	3	(D)	3	(D)			
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	17	398	16	396			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	14	19	13	17			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	1	5	1	5			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	1	(D)	1	(D)			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					52	5 496	1 453
Farms with—							
1 to 4					11	29	7
5 to 9					9	62	22
10 to 19					15	220	55
20 to 49					9	234	56
50 to 99					5	358	118
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					2	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					42	1 146	119
Farms with—							
1 or 2					3	6	(Z)
3 or 4					4	12	1
5 to 9					7	45	4
10 to 19					7	99	8
20 to 49					14	391	36
50 to 99					5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	48	1 505
	1969	85	1 773
Beef heifers	1974	45	1 481
Milk heifers	1974	5	24
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	59	4 020
	1969	97	2 323

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	3	1 560	549
	1969	3	10	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	60	9
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	30	1 638	26	1 612	23	2 241	22	2 213	170
	1969	71	1 737	39	1 398	47	2 041	25	1 680	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	9	26	8	24	5	15	5	15	1
5 to 9	1974	5	31	3	21	3	22	3	22	2
10 to 24	1974	9	116	8	102	4	52	4	52	3
25 to 49	1974	1	25	1	25	2	56	1	28	1
50 to 99	1974	2	125	2	125	2	110	2	110	7
100 to 199	1974	1	100	1	100	4	461	4	461	34
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	452	6	213	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	35	2	35	2	26	2	26	(NA)
	1969	1	3	1	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	20	[1]157
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	144	(NA)	(NA)	3	76	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	21	111	19	107	2	17	2	17	(D)
	1969	84	250	(NA)	(NA)	7	47	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	19	298
	1969	26	101
Other hogs and pigs	1974	26	1 314
	1969	38	1 297
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	9
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	23
Rams and wethers	1974	2	3

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	22	360	20	356
	1969	44	191	26	107
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	18	171	16	169
	1969	38	106	23	54
June 1 and November 30	1974	14	189	12	187
	1969	33	85	21	53

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	23	(X)	20	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	23	4 964	20	4 920	2	1 240	2	1 240
	1969	68	6 459	35	5 511	6	3 582	2	3 546
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	4 896	19	4 854	2	1 240	2	1 240
	1969	66	6 147	33	5 335	6	3 582	2	3 546
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	21	(D)	18	(D)	1	40	1	40
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	1	1 200	1	1 200
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	67	1	15	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	4 854	2	1 240
	1969	33	5 335	2	3 546
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	4 834	2	1 240
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	20	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	41	–	–
	1969	6	92	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	12	25	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	22	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	28	–	–
	1969	2	12	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	16	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	2	16	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	12	–	–
	1969	2	11	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	37	73	647	1 382	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1	11	75	2 068	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	314	364	134 680	124 079	4 066 356	2 767 271
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	1	–	2	–	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	22	33	2 059	2 500	39 779	53 668
Other small grains for grain	2	14	(D)	1 260	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	171	338	28 863	19 338	30 003	22 187
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	56	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	86	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	23	28	482	2 154	567	3 618
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	1	1	1	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	16	26	858	491	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	332	31	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	31	47	188	1 200	8 987	51 530	–	1	–	10
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	3	449	45	5 188	605	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	3	–	38	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	8	–	1 923	–	70 276	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	75	145	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	1	51	15	75	40	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	61	4 422	(X)	–	–	16	2 256	15	429	2	3
	1969	86	7 983	(X)	3	13	33	3 109	33	246	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	24	5 532	(X)	–	–	10	4 554	9	125	2	47
	1969	42	12 560	(X)	–	–	22	3 035	22	238	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	35	637	(X)	–	–	20	494	10	14	10	39
	1969	50	1 283	(X)	1	10	30	584	15	24	15	35
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	75	(X)	–	–	1	75	–	–	1	23
	1969	11	2 068	(X)	–	–	6	1 023	3	78	3	31
Wheat (bushels)	1974	20	2 039	39 643	–	–	12	1 832	10	36	2	144
	1969	33	2 500	53 668	–	–	21	1 165	(NA)	116	(NA)	7
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	1	769	–	–	1	72
	1969	13	810	37 512	–	–	9	746	(NA)	48	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	200	(X)	1	200	1	200	–	–	1	40
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	301	134 513	4 062 969	1	200	19	6 327	16	380	3	17
	1969	301	123 098	2 748 919	5	750	6	1 254	(NA)	57	(NA)	155
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	21	462	517	–	–	8	195	7	16	1	1
	1969	24	2 090	3 554	–	–	4	340	4	18	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	171	28 863	30 003	2	133	162	28 468	56	782	110	1 853
	1969	277	18 893	21 800	10	730	254	18 585	(NA)	581	(NA)	1 075
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	1	56	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	–	6	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	1	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	12	852	(X)	–	–	6	319	6	36	–	–
	1969	17	442	(X)	–	–	6	57	5	1	1	(Z)

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Forms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	1	331	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	283	324
$1,000	3 253	1 494
Commercial fertilizer—farms	198	280
acres on which used	45 602	33 465
tons	4 074	2 782
$1,000	565	228
Lime—farms	7	13
acres on which used	589	1 563
tons	599	2 022
$1,000	6	14
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	6	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	177	242
acres on which used	71 072	35 447
$1,000	1 092	364
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	1	13
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	5
acres on which used	4 874	974
$1,000	58	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	164	220
acres on which used	110 521	102 218
$1,000	1 366	833
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	7
acres on which used	130	1 260
$1,000	(Z)	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	12	(NA)
acres on which used	289	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	62	143
acres on which used	20 811	11 653
$1,000	110	44
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	8	23
$1,000	4	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	33	(NA)
$1,000	52	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	4	15
Proportion of farms—percent	1.2	4.4
Total land irrigated—acres	533	1 953
Average per farm—acres	133.3	130.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	15
acres	533	1 953
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	14
acres	533	1 940
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	3
acres	–	13
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	716	5 242
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	2.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	333	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	34 577	41 978
Cropland—acres	15 953	16 402
Harvested cropland—acres	14 494	15 611
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	425	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage—farms	71	113
Proportion of farms—percent	21.6	33.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	66 304	112 875
Land drained—acres	53 750	75 101
Average per farm—acres	757.0	664.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	9	(NA)
number	16	(NA)
acres	383	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	168	129	96
$1,000	19 361	15 060	4 301
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	20	17	18
$5,000 to $9,999	12	4	11
$10,000 to $29,999	36	29	25
$30,000 to $49,999	21	17	16
$50,000 and over	79	62	26

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	100	116	367	324	1 689	
25 to 149 days	70	218	228	1 150	219	1 359
Less than 25 days	84		573		93	
Total contract labor	31	32	(NA)	(NA)	117	58
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	22	(NA)	1 505	(NA)	89	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	176	100	70	84
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 002	1 689	219	93
Number of workers	1 168	367	228	573
Farms with—				
1 worker	50	29	26	27
2 workers	25	27	18	11
3 or 4 workers	28	23	15	14
5 to 9 workers	37	12	7	10
10 workers and over	36	9	4	22

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ... number	511	726	376	426
Land in farms ... acres	280 722	268 449	271 215	249 905
Average size of farm ... acres	549	370	721	587
Approximate land area ... acres	514 560	514 560	514 560	514 560
Proportion in farms ... percent	54.6	52.2	52.7	48.6
Value of land and buildings ... $1,000	133 386	80 015	128 007	71 653
Average per farm ... dollars	261 030	110 213	340 445	168 199
Average per acre ... dollars	475	298	472	287
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	27	41	6	4
10 to 49 acres	97	186	37	29
50 to 69 acres	29	49	24	17
70 to 99 acres	46	80	22	52
100 to 139 acres	37	57	27	35
140 to 179 acres	28	29	23	23
180 to 219 acres	21	28	20	22
220 to 259 acres	11	16	7	14
260 to 499 acres	65	76	61	68
500 to 999 acres	62	76	62	75
1,000 to 1,999 acres	62	68	61	67
2,000 acres and over	26	20	26	20

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ... farms	84	(NA)
... acres	21 630	26 622
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ... farms	5	9
... acres	417	391
Cropland on which all crops failed ... farms	37	83
... acres	10 484	12 355
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ... farms	11	25
... acres	3 522	4 676
Cropland idle ... farms	47	76
... acres	7 207	9 200
Total woodland ... farms	113	160
... acres	13 294	27 555
Woodland pastured ... farms	35	70
... acres	2 939	6 729

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ... farms	484	681	370	412
... acres	212 249	207 149	207 774	198 568
Harvested cropland ... farms	421	613	357	397
... acres	170 220	157 563	169 252	154 560
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	30	97	9	
10 to 19 acres	60	83	30	85
20 to 29 acres	35	64	26	
30 to 49 acres	28	56	26	
50 to 99 acres	41	62	39	61
100 to 199 acres	52	56	52	56
200 to 499 acres	63	88	63	88
500 to 999 acres	61	67	61	67
1,000 acres and over	51	40	51	40
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ... farms	199	270	125	148
... acres	20 004	21 454	16 892	17 386
Other cropland (see text) ... farms	95	211	84	(NA)
... acres	22 025	28 132	21 630	26 622
Total woodland ... farms	161	280	113	160
... acres	15 972	33 211	13 294	27 555
Other land (see text) ... farms	317	437	252	(NA)
... acres	52 501	28 089	50 147	23 782
Irrigated land ... farms	66	68	66	65
... acres	34 195	18 687	34 195	18 665

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured ... farms	79	107
... acres	10 355	20 826
Other land ... farms	252	(NA)
... acres	50 147	23 782
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ... farms	92	79
... acres	40 536	15 252
Improved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	29	49
... acres	3 464	11 456
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	67	41
... acres	37 072	3 796
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	217	225
... acres	9 611	8 530

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ... number	511	726	376	426
Land in farms ... acres	280 722	268 449	271 215	249 905
Harvested cropland ... acres	170 220	157 563	169 252	154 560
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ... number	280	375	169	152
Land in farms ... acres	97 088	74 053	89 817	59 730
Harvested cropland ... acres	40 882	28 581	40 285	26 520
Part owners ... number	152	232	142	192
Land in farms ... acres	138 715	148 983	136 975	146 623
Harvested cropland ... acres	95 168	99 186	95 078	98 781
Tenants ... number	79	119	65	82
Land in farms ... acres	44 919	45 413	44 423	43 552
Harvested cropland ... acres	34 170	29 796	33 889	29 259
Percent of tenancy	15.5	16.3	17.3	19.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ... number	49	217	22	62
Land in farms ... acres	5 584	15 371	4 005	9 804
Harvested cropland ... acres	1 861	7 749	1 611	5 768
Full owners ... number	38	137	17	29
Land in farms ... acres	4 280	7 191	2 881	3 052
Harvested cropland ... acres	1 071	2 867	864	1 532
Part owners ... number	9	39	5	21
Land in farms ... acres	1 296	5 857	1 124	5 101
Harvested cropland ... acres	782	3 549	747	3 316
Tenants ... number	2	41	–	12
Land in farms ... acres	8	2 323	–	1 651
Harvested cropland ... acres	8	1 333	–	920
Percent of tenancy	4.1	18.8	–	19.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ... number	(NA)	(NA)	324	354
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	202 876	175 154

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership ... number	(NA)	(NA)	30	58
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 632	52 074
Corporation ... number	(NA)	(NA)	19	11
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	42 183	18 519
Other ... number	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
... acres	(NA)	(NA)	524	4 158
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	13	21	13	6
25 to 34 years	73	83	52	62
35 to 44 years	90	143	67	108
45 to 54 years	155	173	111	92
55 to 64 years	94	204	64	114
65 years and over	64	102	47	44
Average age	49.0	50.5	48.6	48.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	252	436	183	245
On another farm	37		17	
In a rural area, not on a farm	27	210	23	133
In a city, town, or urban area	83		63	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	192	(NA)	163	(NA)
1 to 49 days	35	43	28	31
50 to 99 days	14	28	4	14
100 to 149 days	10	67	8	22
150 to 199 days	11		7	
200 days and over	140	205	71	88
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	334	(NA)	279	(NA)
Other	155	(NA)	75	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	67	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	113	118	113	118
$40,000 to $99,999	72		72	
$20,000 to $39,999	45	61	45	61
$10,000 to $19,999	41	56	41	56
$5,000 to $9,999	55	69	55	69
$2,500 to $4,999	48	94	48	94
Under $2,500 (see text)	137	328	2	28
$2,000 to $2,499	20	35	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	28	48	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	22	56	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	67	189	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	40 021	14 019	39 880	13 757
Average per farm ... dollars	78 318	19 310	106 063	32 293
Crops, including hay ... farms	364	576	328	(NA)
$1,000	37 049	11 652	37 009	11 486
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	9	19	9	17
$1,000	(D)	51	(D)	51
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	255	346	163	205
$1,000	2 886	2 316	2 785	2 221
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	(NA)	1	6
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	101

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	328	(NA)
$1,000	37 009	11 486
Grains ... farms	180	332
$1,000	18 462	5 188
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	256	324
$1,000	17 095	6 045
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	33	43
$1,000	911	59
Other field crops ... farms	18	6
$1,000	383	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	11
$1,000	4	31
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	8	13
$1,000	154	131
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	163	205
$1,000	2 785	2 221
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	1	6
$1,000	(Z)	101
Dairy products ... farms	11	12
$1,000	948	715
Cattle and calves ... farms	159	(NA)
$1,000	1 601	1 267
Hogs and pigs ... farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	53	138
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	184	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	167	(NA)	61	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	149	(NA)	116	(NA)
$1,000	916	(NA)	859	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	57	90	52	72
$1,000	276	285	272	259
Recreational services ... farms	3	6	2	2
$1,000	1	3	1	2
Government farm programs ... farms	37	349	29	246
$1,000	20	2 466	19	2 404
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	58	(NA)	39	(NA)
$1,000	575	(NA)	524	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	17	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	44	(NA)	42	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	53	(NA)	39	(NA)
$1,000	151	(NA)	131	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	190
$1,000	1 929
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	34
$1,000	344
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	123
$1,000	1 204
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	75
$1,000	276
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	22
$1,000	73
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	19
$1,000	34

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	507	726	376	426
$1,000	29 973	13 079	29 758	12 779
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	63	195	6	41
$1,000 to $1,999	52	123	21	
$2,000 to $2,999	45	49	20	38
$3,000 to $4,999	36	55	24	48
$5,000 to $9,999	57	76	51	71
$10,000 to $19,999	48		48	63
$20,000 to $39,999	37	228	37	59
$40,000 to $59,999	32		32	106
$60,000 and over	137		137	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	139	149	70	80
$1,000	1 395	582	1 361	555
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	249	341	143	186
$1,000	1 030	624	977	579
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	183	224	124	141
$1,000	706	371	684	350
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	58
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	44
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	91	128
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	52
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	41
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	93	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	44	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	355	552	316	370
$1,000	1 574	689	1 570	677
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	408	608	330	387
$1,000	3 646	1 030	3 627	1 003
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	295	(NA)	271	(NA)
$1,000	4 123	1 339	4 118	1 321
Lime ... farms	(NA)	123	40	95
$1,000	(NA)	88	64	84
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	495	706	374	424
$1,000	1 889	1 045	1 866	1 002
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	350	374
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	471	307
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	306	218
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	857	336
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	181	232
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	346	258
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	374	424
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	191	101
Hired farm labor ... farms	252	485	220	345
$1,000	2 860	1 833	2 847	1 801
Contract labor ... farms	43	394	41	67
$1,000	92	899	92	121
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	225		194	257
$1,000	1 354		1 346	756
All other production expenses ... farms	476	586	375	416
$1,000	12 010	5 038	11 910	4 965

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	489	695	365	417
$1,000	19 872	13 739	18 968	12 540
Average per farm—dollars	40 637	19 767	51 966	30 071
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	14	59	2	95
$1,000 to $4,999	76	245	34	
$5,000 to $9,999	87	106	39	67
$10,000 to $19,999	72	91	56	73
$20,000 to $29,999	63	194	60	39
$30,000 to $49,999	56		54	47
$50,000 to $69,999	33		33	96
$70,000 and over	88		87	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	326	442	259	274
number	437	556	356	362
mfd in last 5 years, number	311	401	278	297
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	434	546	336	356
number	837	906	729	701
mfd in last 5 years, number	470	554	428	454
Wheel tractors—farms	434	604	336	376
number	1 135	1 451	1 019	1 135
mfd in last 5 years, number	478	828	465	704
Crawler tractors—farms	19		18	24
number	23		22	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		8	23

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	109	149	107	137
number	186	215	184	202
mfd in last 5 years, number	86	157	84	152
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	33	2	11
number	2	40	2	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	27	–	9
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	25		25	23
number	25		25	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	18
Mower conditioners—farms	44	(NA)	31	(NA)
number	47	(NA)	31	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	63	62	54	50
number	67	64	58	52
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	42	17	35
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	33	(NA)	28	37
number	33	(NA)	28	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	27
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	9	12
number	15	(NA)	13	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	280	(X)	174	(X)	255	(X)	163	(X)	2 785
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	264	(X)	162	(X)	247	(X)	160	(X)	1 653
1969	400	(X)	214	(X)	339	(X)	201	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	255	22 050	158	19 789	236	9 135	159	8 492	1 601
1969	352	17 910	205	15 733	300	9 955	191	9 131	1 267
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	8	25	–	–	49	122	20	39	6
5 to 9—1974	27	189	7	51	33	232	14	101	13
10 to 19—1974	41	556	14	171	59	833	32	451	80
20 to 49—1974	70	2 043	38	1 101	56	1 676	54	1 629	262
50 to 99—1974	51	3 660	41	2 889	24	1 522	24	1 522	233
100 to 199—1974	33	4 508	33	4 508	5	647	5	647	130
200 to 499—1974	20	5 799	20	5 799	7	2 113	7	2 113	331
500 and over—1974	5	5 270	5	5 270	3	1 990	3	1 990	545
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	219	11 329	141	10 118	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	301	8 485	185	7 441	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	195	9 910	128	8 767	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 094	162	6 132	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	44	1 419	19	1 351	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	81	1 391	37	1 309	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	948
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	715

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	195	9 910	128	8 767			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	17	43	9	25			
5 to 9	19	124	8	46			
10 to 19	48	713	19	281			
20 to 49	47	1 396	31	947			
50 to 99	35	2 165	32	1 999			
100 to 199	19	2 283	19	2 283			
200 to 499	9	(D)	9	(D)			
500 and aver	1	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	44	1 419	19	1 351			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	18	20	4	5			
3 or 4	6	21	1	3			
5 to 9	7	43	2	18			
10 to 19	3	37	2	27			
20 to 49	1	40	1	40			
50 to 99	3	199	3	199			
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					95	3 681	1 038
Farms with—							
1 to 4					17	34	7
5 to 9					24	161	35
10 to 19					17	228	68
20 to 49					24	611	153
50 to 99					6	451	88
100 to 199					3	347	152
200 to 499					3	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					137	4 811	562
Farms with—							
1 or 2					20	30	4
3 or 4					11	39	4
5 to 9					15	104	11
10 to 19					28	380	44
20 to 49					42	1 210	127
50 to 99					11	674	78
100 to 199					5	663	85
200 to 499					4	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	131	5 382
	1969	154	3 610
Beef heifers	1974	119	4 608
Milk heifers	1974	13	774
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	132	4 289
	1969	183	4 682

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	5	282	110
	1969	5	45	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	1	4	(Z)
10 to 19	1974	1	12	2
20 to 49	1974	1	30	12
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	46	1 017	22	768	26	1 031	11	828	53
	1969	123	2 021	48	1 485	89	2 129	44	1 816	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	15	29	9	17	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	14	93	7	47	7	52	2	15	1
10 to 24	1974	11	171	2	34	11	152	3	49	3
25 to 49	1974	4	114	2	60	2	63	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	162	3	162	7
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	105	3	35	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	300	8	221	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	4	1	4	1	5	1	5	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	12	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	66	229	40	169	5	985	5	985	179
	1969	137	649	(NA)	(NA)	9	318	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	13	93
	1969	32	206
Other hogs and pigs	1974	17	675
	1969	45	1 279
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	29	110	14	68
	1969	78	386	36	297
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	24	69	10	42
	1969	60	214	31	164
June 1 and November 30	1974	17	41	8	26
	1969	47	172	25	133

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	60	(X)	22	(X)	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	45	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	59	1 350	22	475	–	–	–	–
	1969	138	19 056	44	16 565	10	7 444	2	7 222
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	56	1 137	22	463	–	–	–	–
	1969	122	17 923	38	16 384	7	7 284	2	7 222
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	56	1 137	22	463	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	92	1	12	1	8	1	8
	1969	13	260	1	2	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(Z)	1	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	101

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	463	–	–
	1969	38	16 384	2	7 222
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	22	445	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	18	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	46	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	12	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	5	24	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	3	10	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	33	84	748	1 352	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	18	12	3 011	987	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	182	422	48 320	102 543	912 709	1 546 107
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	19	6	1 366	6	2 642 738	3 200
Wheat (bushels)	5	10	745	1 014	16 470	18 355
Other small grains for grain	48	25	30 891	9 820	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	273	458	78 517	40 834	80 983	56 137
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	38	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	103	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	130	124	6 836	2 897	22 971	6 152
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	23	8	208	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	18	26	609	546	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	28	64	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	22	36	272	850	9 217	26 584	–	5	–	71
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	4	440	246	5 980	3 170	–	3	–	160
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	1	15	50	(X)	(X)	1	–	15	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	9	5	2 743	775	112 644	21 411	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	196	201	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	4	115	287	201	156	1	–	26	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Forms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	125	16 892	(X)	–	–	37	5 048	37	508	–	–
	1969	148	17 386	(X)	4	173	61	7 343	58	779	4	41
Improved posture	1974	29	3 464	(X)	–	–	11	1 169	11	115	–	–
	1969	49	11 456	(X)	–	–	26	3 288	24	369	2	32
Corn for all purposes	1974	26	727	(X)	1	15	20	621	9	52	12	72
	1969	38	1 146	(X)	7	231	27	930	22	88	6	21
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	12	2 939	(X)	–	–	8	2 693	6	250	2	15
	1969	10	976	(X)	–	–	6	476	6	77	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	5	745	16 470	–	–	5	745	5	67	–	–
	1969	8	1 006	18 265	–	–	6	828	(NA)	55	(NA)	3
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	146	9 900	–	–	4	86	(NA)	14	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	48	30 891	(X)	48	30 891	48	30 891	47	3 802	1	15
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	170	48 179	911 026	3	480	13	5 075	12	543	3	88
	1969	321	101 207	1 529 406	19	3 136	35	10 713	(NA)	1 017	(NA)	3
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	19	1 366	2 642 738	3	241	15	1 293	12	190	3	44
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	100	6 268	22 071	2	70	49	4 800	48	1 783	2	8
	1969	103	2 676	5 847	5	161	45	1 022	44	167	3	22
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	256	78 390	80 894	16	2 117	249	77 844	160	9 979	118	6 980
	1969	317	39 676	55 124	40	4 131	307	39 510	(NA)	6 303	(NA)	3 288
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	30	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	1	158	–	–	2	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	7	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	10	192	(X)	4	11	8	191	8	93	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	15	578	(X)	–	–	3	186	2	58	1	1
	1969	18	524	(X)	1	143	8	258	6	52	2	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	28	(X)	2	28	2	18	2	20	–	–
	1969	1	15	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	337	401
$1,000	7 745	2 324
Commercial fertilizer—farms	330	368
acres on which used	130 845	74 361
tons	24 685	13 689
$1,000	3 627	1 003
Lime—farms	40	95
acres on which used	3 987	9 800
tons	6 159	13 396
$1,000	64	84
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	6
acres on which used	40	141
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	217	275
acres on which used	95 770	55 900
$1,000	2 321	576
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	4
acres on which used	500	408
$1,000	9	3

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	9	15
acres on which used	3 582	2 782
$1,000	60	17
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	168	216
acres on which used	106 593	74 420
$1,000	1 386	528
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	19
acres on which used	1 137	1 696
$1,000	2	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	14	(NA)
acres on which used	814	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	94	134
acres on which used	45 291	26 115
$1,000	205	101
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	13	57
$1,000	3	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	27	(NA)
$1,000	62	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	66	65
Proportion of farms—percent	17.6	15.2
Total land irrigated—acres	34 195	18 665
Average per farm—acres	518.1	287.1
Cropland irrigated—farms	66	65
acres	34 195	18 665
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	66	65
acres	33 843	17 484
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	4
acres	–	173
Other cropland irrigated—farms	2	(NA)
acres	352	1 008
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	60 000	23 892
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.8	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	15	(NA)
acres	2 118	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	175	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	1 398	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	91 768	74 333
Cropland—acres	78 353	64 585
Harvested cropland—acres	70 346	50 608
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	9	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	1 545	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	60	129
Proportion of farms—percent	16.0	30.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	61 456	132 590
Land drained—acres	47 005	103 142
Average per farm—acres	783.4	799.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	44	(NA)
number	167	(NA)
acres	381	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	201	125	146
$1,000	17 893	10 981	6 912
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	24	17
$5,000 to $9,999	31	6	29
$10,000 to $29,999	37	19	38
$30,000 to $49,999	29	18	20
$50,000 and over	88	58	42

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	149	183	588	494	2 265	1 801
25 to 149 days	102	281	406	1 764	450	
Less than 25 days	103		1 011		132	
Total contract labor	41	67	(NA)	(NA)	92	121
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	12	(NA)	137	(NA)	25	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	220	149	102	103
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 847	2 265	450	132
Number of workers	2 005	588	406	1 011
Farms with—				
1 worker	49	42	35	27
2 workers	30	41	20	12
3 or 4 workers	38	26	22	21
5 to 9 workers	50	31	18	16
10 workers and over	53	9	7	27

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	802	881	385	411
Land in farms — acres	251 628	267 807	214 418	227 310
Average size of farm — acres	314	304	557	553
Approximate land area — acres	828 800	828 800	828 800	828 800
Proportion in farms — percent	30.4	32.3	25.9	27.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	114 413	62 634	98 562	50 810
Average per farm — dollars	142 659	71 094	256 005	123 625
Average per acre — dollars	455	234	460	224
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	32	45	13	8
10 to 49 acres	173	208	35	47
50 to 69 acres	72	103	20	30
70 to 99 acres	119	96	39	36
100 to 139 acres	101	92	52	34
140 to 179 acres	72	68	33	26
180 to 219 acres	38	62	18	46
220 to 259 acres	25	26	19	20
260 to 499 acres	61	82	50	70
500 to 999 acres	47	46	46	42
1,000 to 1,999 acres	39	34	37	33
2,000 acres and over	23	19	23	19

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	22	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	1 930	9 237
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	3	27
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	295	1 802
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	5	22
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	652	4 183
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	5	18
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	475	874
Cropland idle — farms	13	33
Cropland idle — acres	508	2 378
Total woodland — farms	174	204
Total woodland — acres	25 743	55 519
Woodland pastured — farms	130	134
Woodland pastured — acres	13 069	21 243

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	657	745	335	349
Total cropland — acres	117 472	119 615	98 207	101 801
Harvested cropland — farms	442	516	273	305
Harvested cropland — acres	61 283	63 393	58 952	60 673
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	84	116	17	
10 to 19 acres	90	90	31	138
20 to 29 acres	73	69	44	
30 to 49 acres	47	71	34	
50 to 99 acres	51	66	51	63
100 to 199 acres	29	27	28	27
200 to 499 acres	33	49	33	49
500 to 999 acres	20	19	20	19
1,000 acres and over	15	9	15	9
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	480	473	217	187
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	53 490	44 879	37 325	31 891
Other cropland (see text) — farms	47	170	22	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	2 699	11 343	1 930	9 237
Total woodland — farms	375	426	174	204
Total woodland — acres	34 486	68 457	25 743	55 519
Other land (see text) — farms	516	585	262	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	99 670	79 735	90 468	69 990
Irrigated land — farms	2	22	2	13
Irrigated land — acres	120	2 755	120	2 566

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	83	98
Woodland not pastured — acres	12 674	34 276
Other land — farms	262	(NA)
Other land — acres	90 468	69 990
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	143	160
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	85 213	63 798
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	91	97
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	29 340	37 883
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	82	85
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	55 873	25 915
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	223	208
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	5 255	6 192

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	802	881	385	411
Land in farms — acres	251 628	267 807	214 418	227 310
Harvested cropland — acres	61 283	63 393	58 952	60 673
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	583	590	239	225
Land in farms — acres	116 743	139 079	87 071	107 556
Harvested cropland — acres	22 868	24 503	20 996	22 564
Part owners — number	146	199	104	123
Land in farms — acres	104 081	107 013	98 898	100 333
Harvested cropland — acres	25 010	32 604	24 619	32 121
Tenants — number	73	92	42	63
Land in farms — acres	30 804	21 715	28 449	19 421
Harvested cropland — acres	13 405	6 286	13 337	5 988
Percent of tenancy	9.1	10.4	10.9	15.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	106	116	36	40
Land in farms — acres	10 052	10 438	5 146	6 543
Harvested cropland — acres	2 212	3 500	1 866	2 920
Full owners — number	70	69	15	17
Land in farms — acres	6 056	5 755	2 120	2 785
Harvested cropland — acres	980	1 195	713	864
Part owners — number	18	25	13	12
Land in farms — acres	1 858	3 555	1 520	2 836
Harvested cropland — acres	558	1 600	515	1 452
Tenants — number	18	22	8	11
Land in farms — acres	2 138	1 128	1 506	922
Harvested cropland — acres	674	705	638	604
Percent of tenancy	17.0	18.9	22.2	27.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	343	336
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	164 647	135 438

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	32	61
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	34 081	62 592
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	9
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 351	26 899
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	5
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	339	2 381
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	11	7	5	6
25 to 34 years	71	62	44	35
35 to 44 years	116	143	65	65
45 to 54 years	153	215	73	117
55 to 64 years	221	265	109	125
65 years and over	219	189	79	63
Average age	54.4	53.9	52.4	52.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	428	599	182	278
On another farm	15		10	
In a rural area, not on a farm	30	175	17	95
In a city, town, or urban area	112		63	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	259	(NA)	136	(NA)
1 to 49 days	45	60	11	25
50 to 99 days	14	55	6	21
100 to 149 days	27	139	9	42
150 to 199 days	67		34	
200 days and over	254	246	106	99
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	369	(NA)	228	(NA)
Other	422	(NA)	147	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	55	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	47	73	47	73
$40,000 to $99,999	62		61	
$20,000 to $39,999	26	59	26	59
$10,000 to $19,999	60	61	60	61
$5,000 to $9,999	83	95	83	95
$2,500 to $4,999	82	110	82	109
Under $2,500 (see text)	442	483	26	14
$2,000 to $2,499	68	50	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	71	66	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	90	79	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	213	288	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	15 710	11 686	15 183	11 200
Average per farm ... dollars	19 589	13 264	39 436	27 249
Crops, including hay ... farms	256	382	172	(NA)
$1,000	7 196	4 044	7 120	3 955
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		–	1
$1,000	2		–	7
Forest products ... farms	73	84	49	49
$1,000	389	217	380	207
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	703	726	344	372
$1,000	8 123	7 424	7 683	7 030
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	60	(NA)	48	69
$1,000	3 594	(NA)	3 593	2 672

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	172	(NA)
$1,000	7 120	3 955
Grains ... farms	58	87
$1,000	2 398	862
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	116	165
$1,000	4 037	2 437
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	75	92
$1,000	499	244
Other field crops ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	5
$1,000	4	26
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	6	62
$1,000	182	385
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	344	372
$1,000	7 683	7 030
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	48	69
$1,000	3 593	2 672
Dairy products ... farms	3	4
$1,000	59	27
Cattle and calves ... farms	316	(NA)
$1,000	4 004	4 224
Hogs and pigs ... farms	4	(NA)
$1,000	12	108
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	32	
$1,000	15	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	394	(NA)	127	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	139	(NA)	73	(NA)
$1,000	331	(NA)	283	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	32	56	21	39
$1,000	98	139	86	127
Recreational services ... farms	1	6	1	3
$1,000	(Z)	3	(Z)	2
Government farm programs ... farms	70	254	33	143
$1,000	51	971	35	923
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	54	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	176	(NA)	158	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	15	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	4	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	51	(NA)	25	(NA)
$1,000	128	(NA)	108	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	237
$1,000	3 424
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	45
$1,000	772
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	160
$1,000	2 120
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	81
$1,000	243
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	52
$1,000	182
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	20
$1,000	108

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	802	881	385	411
$1,000	15 620	10 636	14 818	10 008
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	157	266	4	48
$1,000 to $1,999	174	167	28	
$2,000 to $2,999	78	94	31	36
$3,000 to $4,999	102	91	55	69
$5,000 to $9,999	110	88	87	84
$10,000 to $19,999	40	175	40	46
$20,000 to $39,999	34		34	68
$40,000 to $59,999	29		29	60
$60,000 and over	78		77	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	301	377	189	221
$1,000	2 259	2 152	2 124	2 077
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	679	710	292	337
$1,000	4 189	2 247	3 910	2 075
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	468	457	250	284
$1,000	3 673	1 931	3 558	1 878
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	141	104
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	138	65
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	91	66
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	137	49
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	76
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	82
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	197	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	110	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	262	364	171	215
$1,000	370	148	361	139
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	474	507	247	284
$1,000	1 067	436	987	405
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	233	(NA)	159	(NA)
$1,000	1 031	478	1 021	464
Lime ... farms	(NA)	68	10	28
$1,000	(NA)	17	8	13
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	770	829	376	407
$1,000	815	579	744	500
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	348	385
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	321	271
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	180	172
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	286	99
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	107	177
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	78
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	374	407
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	66	53
Hired farm labor ... farms	265	451	161	275
$1,000	1 198	1 497	1 135	1 406
Contract labor ... farms	55	314	32	60
$1,000	68	346	63	78
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	156		99	168
$1,000	202		192	242
All other production expenses ... farms	658	672	380	405
$1,000	4 421	2 755	4 171	2 622

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	766	821	360	394
$1,000	12 149	6 946	9 136	5 799
Average per farm—dollars	15 860	8 460	25 377	14 717
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	23	105	4	146
$1,000 to $4,999	212	398	72	
$5,000 to $9,999	231	161	73	101
$10,000 to $19,999	138	78	74	72
$20,000 to $29,999	63	79	43	21
$30,000 to $49,999	50		46	21
$50,000 to $69,999	23		22	33
$70,000 and over	26		26	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	477	456	230	239
number	625	600	333	339
mfd in last 5 years, number	319	398	224	248
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	641	622	306	326
number	897	887	527	550
mfd in last 5 years, number	346	544	245	341
Wheel tractors—farms	614	623	305	336
number	1 082	1 205	700	855
mfd in last 5 years, number	269	527	203	410
Crawler tractors—farms	21		10	15
number	31		13	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	11		5	10

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	34	31	34	31
number	40	42	40	42
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	33	16	33
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	25	2	7
number	2	34	2	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	20	–	7
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	22		19	19
number	23		20	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	13
Mower conditioners—farms	136	(NA)	90	(NA)
number	154	(NA)	108	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	51	(NA)	42	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	159	158	109	121
number	171	171	121	132
mfd in last 5 years, number	62	95	54	78
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	101	(NA)	73	85
number	103	(NA)	75	97
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	21	62
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	28	(NA)	17	11
number	29	(NA)	18	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	1	8

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	698	(X)	322	(X)	703	(X)	344	(X)	7 683
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	676	(X)	306	(X)	671	(X)	317	(X)	4 016
1969	730	(X)	338	(X)	693	(X)	345	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	673	72 267	305	61 401	668	30 242	316	27 149	4 004
1969	723	54 782	334	46 141	686	35 157	341	32 024	4 224
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	16	52	2	8	121	316	18	55	7
5 to 9—1974	28	189	4	27	171	1 163	29	188	23
10 to 19—1974	111	1 557	20	280	114	1 520	34	499	68
20 to 49—1974	241	7 629	66	2 329	124	3 620	98	3 009	422
50 to 99—1974	133	9 212	69	5 129	77	5 502	77	5 502	693
100 to 199—1974	61	8 436	61	8 436	33	4 397	33	4 397	538
200 to 499—1974	54	15 116	54	15 116	18	5 603	17	5 378	861
500 and over—1974	29	30 076	29	30 076	10	8 121	10	8 121	1 391
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	566	40 088	276	34 507	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	619	31 812	315	27 817	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	551	39 826	274	34 369	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	31 311	306	27 623	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	94	262	41	138	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	161	501	65	194	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	59
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	27

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	551	39 826	274	34 369			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	38	102	12	29			
5 to 9	67	459	13	90			
10 to 19	91	1 255	18	270			
20 to 49	159	4 752	52	1 624			
50 to 99	100	6 270	83	5 368			
100 to 199	50	6 633	50	6 633			
200 to 499	29	7 616	29	7 616			
500 and over	17	12 739	17	12 739			
Milk cows	94	262	41	138			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	66	93	27	36			
3 or 4	17	54	8	25			
5 to 9	7	40	3	15			
10 to 19	2	25	1	12			
20 to 49	2	50	2	50			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					212	10 621	2 327
Farms with—							
1 to 4					39	108	18
5 to 9					36	256	51
10 to 19					26	359	74
20 to 49					69	1 940	359
50 to 99					23	1 554	297
100 to 199					9	1 289	264
200 to 499					6	1 844	439
500 and over					4	3 271	825
Calves sold					279	16 528	1 677
Farms with—							
1 or 2					24	38	4
3 or 4					13	48	5
5 to 9					22	146	14
10 to 19					37	523	51
20 to 49					104	3 347	325
50 to 99					42	2 752	280
100 to 199					23	3 010	279
200 to 499					10	3 034	346
500 and over					4	3 630	374

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	213	11 982	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	292	8 770	1	20	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	212	11 935	–	–	–
Milk heifers	1974	6	47	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	251	14 912	–	–	–
	1969	314	9 554	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			1	(D)	(D)
	1969			1	20	(NA)
Forms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	35	178	7	75	12	245	4	151	12
	1969	97	2 217	48	1 936	60	2 523	41	2 256	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	28	51	5	10	4	8	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	3	19	–	–	1	6	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	1	12	–	–	5	65	3	41	3
25 to 49	1974	3	96	2	65	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	56	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	110	1	110	9
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	82	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	902	5	870	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	33	1	19	2	18	1	4	(NA)
	1969	10	128	8	126	7	61	5	51	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	19	[1]114
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	33	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	200	856	108	634	41	109	31	76	14
	1969	281	1 057	(NA)	(NA)	38	116	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	3	16				
	1969	37	458				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	6	59				
	1969	45	1 478				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	18				
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			12	36	3	15
	1969			63	500	41	455
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			9	18	3	7
	1969			57	237	39	209
June 1 and November 30	1974			10	18	3	8
	1969			44	263	31	246

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	169	(X)	66	(X)	51	(X)	47	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	113	(X)	(NA)	(X)	59	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	135	2 724	33	696	5	20	1	12
	1969	200	(D)	74	(D)	6	(D)	2	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	133	2 506	31	581	5	20	1	12
	1969	196	21 418	73	(D)	4	16 268	2	(D)
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	132	2 356	31	581	5	20	1	12
100 to 399	1974	1	150	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	46	898 152	36	898 018	46	4 483 728	46	4 483 728
	1969	52	967 110	44	967 074	56	4 880 257	56	4 880 257
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	60	3 594	48	3 593
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	69	2 672

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	31	581	1	12
	1969	73	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	30	457	1	12
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	124	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	30	–	–
	1969	9	205	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	21	85	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	15	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	7	43	1	10
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	28	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	17	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	54	100	536	2 168	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	9	994	1 690	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	65	78	14 168	12 995	375 538	237 677
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	4	2	5	1 200	2 500
Wheat (bushels)	3	5	130	158	1 998	2 700
Other small grains for grain	6	7	128	1 433	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	131	229	20 729	16 744	20 909	21 100
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	4	(NA)	144	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	21	(NA)	9	(NA)	1 143	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	332	322	16 919	18 342	37 181	32 425
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	18	15	35	142	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	23	93	8 845	9 920	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	4	(NA)	230	227	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	13	49	382	1 723	13 989	80 225	–	2	–	66
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	1	4	50	70	700	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	145	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	7	370	1 541	17 128	60 403	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	(D)	105	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	10	4	240	129	549	272	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	217	37 325	(X)	–	–	67	8 374	67	963	1	4
	1969	187	31 891	(X)	–	–	58	6 669	58	664	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	91	29 340	(X)	–	–	32	10 500	31	1 024	1	16
	1969	97	37 883	(X)	–	–	42	8 805	42	942	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	15	386	(X)	–	–	4	145	2	21	2	13
	1969	49	1 918	(X)	2	66	31	1 758	20	135	17	169
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	970	(X)	–	–	3	330	3	31	–	–
	1969	7	1 646	(X)	–	–	3	1 020	2	133	1	11
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	130	1 998	–	–	2	90	2	13	–	–
	1969	5	158	2 700	–	–	2	66	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	465	22 601	–	–	3	465	(NA)	38	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	2	120	(X)	2	120	2	120	2	6	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	56	14 067	373 368	–	–	3	605	2	203	1	13
	1969	72	12 934	236 461	1	44	12	2 333	(NA)	171	(NA)	40
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	210	15 087	33 942	–	–	77	5 961	75	1 046	3	33
	1969	207	16 682	30 493	1	115	57	5 254	56	494	2	13
Field seed crops	1974	2	230	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	160	(X)	–	–	2	60	2	4	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	116	20 597	20 832	–	–	102	20 372	70	1 222	54	1 287
	1969	165	16 211	20 660	12	1 256	155	16 178	(NA)	711	(NA)	1 369
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	1	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	100	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	10	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	5	122	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	19	8 782	(X)	–	–	6	7 007	6	824	–	–
	1969	68	9 794	(X)	1	5	15	4 769	12	420	3	19

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	8	(X)	–	–	1	8	1	3	–	–
Other crops 1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	259	301
$1,000	2 008	869
Commercial fertilizer—farms	247	238
acres on which used	53 506	48 350
tons	6 717	5 661
$1,000	987	405
Lime—farms	10	28
acres on which used	432	1 152
tons	794	1 817
$1,000	8	13
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	9	10
acres on which used	943	1 958
$1,000	3	12
Insects on other crops—farms	89	139
acres on which used	27 040	24 112
$1,000	602	278
Nemotodes in crops—farms	7	13
acres on which used	585	524
$1,000	3	3
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	10
acres on which used	4 494	535
$1,000	31	4
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	52	90
acres on which used	18 969	15 439
$1,000	287	109
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	28	33
acres on which used	4 585	7 296
$1,000	11	13
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	582	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	28	59
acres on which used	8 387	9 913
$1,000	35	21
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	30	98
$1,000	9	11
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	26	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	13
Proportion of farms—percent	0.5	3.1
Total land irrigated—acres	120	2 566
Average per farm—acres	60.0	197.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	13
acres	120	2 566
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	13
acres	120	2 435
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	131
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	53	2 573
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.4	1.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	5 310	21 867
Cropland—acres	2 078	10 666
Harvested cropland—acres	1 778	8 453
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	4	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	345	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	40	70
Proportion of farms—percent	10.4	17.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	47 409	62 545
Land drained—acres	34 521	40 337
Average per farm—acres	863.0	576.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	72	(NA)
number	155	(NA)
acres	281	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	141	112	80
$1,000	12 557	9 892	2 666
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	21	23	19
$5,000 to $9,999	18	5	19
$10,000 to $29,999	43	40	22
$30,000 to $49,999	18	14	7
$50,000 and over	41	30	13

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	77	106	280	411	946	1 406
25 to 149 days	56	223	150	1 193	127	
Less than 25 days	91		482		62	
Total contract labor	32	60	(NA)	(NA)	63	78
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	74	(NA)	28	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	161	77	56	91
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 135	946	127	62
Number of workers	912	280	150	482
Farms with—				
1 worker	38	31	22	22
2 workers	26	17	14	8
3 or 4 workers	31	17	12	22
5 to 9 workers	45	9	7	25
10 workers and over	21	3	1	14

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	384	499	182	224
Land in farms — acres	90 754	111 771	74 318	91 841
Average size of farm — acres	236	224	408	410
Approximate land area — acres	408 064	408 064	408 064	408 064
Proportion in farms — percent	22.2	27.4	18.2	22.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	62 094	43 060	47 380	33 692
Average per farm — dollars	161 702	86 293	260 332	150 412
Average per acre — dollars	684	385	638	367
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	23	34	8	7
10 to 49 acres	102	168	28	34
50 to 69 acres	45	27	13	11
70 to 99 acres	39	53	13	20
100 to 139 acres	55	54	28	19
140 to 179 acres	19	36	10	26
180 to 219 acres	21	21	11	14
220 to 259 acres	8	14	8	11
260 to 499 acres	30	33	23	26
500 to 999 acres	22	37	20	34
1,000 to 1,999 acres	13	13	13	13
2,000 acres and over	7	9	7	9

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	26	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	3 282	7 811
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	17
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	135	826
Cropland on which oil crops failed — farms	9	18
Cropland on which oil crops failed — acres	1 013	3 801
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	5	10
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	278	1 068
Cropland idle — farms	10	21
Cropland idle — acres	1 856	2 116
Total woodland — farms	83	97
Total woodland — acres	21 653	25 248
Woodland pastured — farms	42	61
Woodland pastured — acres	7 201	10 927

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	320	427	164	200
Total cropland — acres	51 633	64 882	44 122	55 177
Harvested cropland — farms	249	300	152	172
Harvested cropland — acres	35 465	35 389	34 058	33 557
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	54	86	10	68
10 to 19 acres	56	44	20	
20 to 29 acres	27	32	18	
30 to 49 acres	28	31	22	
50 to 99 acres	20	30	20	29
100 to 199 acres	19	27	18	26
200 to 499 acres	28	32	27	31
500 to 999 acres	10	12	10	12
1,000 acres and over	7	6	7	6
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	202	276	83	111
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	12 031	20 276	6 782	13 809
Other cropland (see text) — farms	41	90	26	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	4 137	9 217	3 282	7 811
Total woodland — farms	179	219	83	97
Total woodland — acres	26 220	30 657	21 653	25 248
Other land (see text) — farms	247	299	117	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	12 901	16 232	8 543	11 416
Irrigated land — farms	30	41	24	31
Irrigated land — acres	2 691	4 512	2 588	4 341

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	57	57
Woodland not pastured — acres	14 452	14 321
Other land — farms	117	(NA)
Other land — acres	8 543	11 416
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	60	54
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	6 192	7 546
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	49	34
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	4 710	5 815
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	23
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	1 482	1 731
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	97	112
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 351	3 870

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	384	499	182	224
Land in farms — acres	90 754	111 771	74 318	91 841
Harvested cropland — acres	35 465	35 389	34 058	33 557
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	279	336	114	105
Land in farms — acres	39 433	49 862	26 982	33 097
Harvested cropland — acres	11 069	10 718	9 800	9 153
Part owners — number	66	102	45	76
Land in farms — acres	39 274	53 369	37 178	51 377
Harvested cropland — acres	18 979	20 701	18 861	20 595
Tenants — number	39	61	23	43
Land in farms — acres	12 047	8 540	10 158	7 367
Harvested cropland — acres	5 417	3 970	5 397	3 809
Percent of tenancy	10.2	12.2	12.6	19.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	14	56	7	19
Land in farms — acres	749	5 658	417	4 701
Harvested cropland — acres	347	1 814	293	1 527
Full owners — number	10	30	3	5
Land in farms — acres	457	1 085	125	374
Harvested cropland — acres	139	344	85	133
Part owners — number	1	12	1	7
Land in farms — acres	72	4 059	72	3 881
Harvested cropland — acres	58	1 081	58	1 052
Tenants — number	3	14	3	7
Land in farms — acres	220	514	220	446
Harvested cropland — acres	150	389	150	342
Percent of tenancy	21.4	25.0	42.9	36.8
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	161	187
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	54 873	65 631

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	33
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 118	21 530
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	12 030	4 680
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	297	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	14	1	9	–
25 to 34 years	29	28	15	18
35 to 44 years	62	105	29	42
45 to 54 years	110	118	48	59
55 to 64 years	100	145	50	67
65 years and over	54	102	21	38
Average age	51.2	53.2	50.5	52.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	199	300	90	137
On another farm	7	122	4	60
In a rural area, not on a farm	22		12	
In a city, town, or urban area	56		29	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	104	(NA)	71	(NA)
1 to 49 days	15	36	10	22
50 to 99 days	11	24	2	5
100 to 149 days	11	58	7	18
150 to 199 days	17		8	
200 days and over	170	183	45	69
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	136	(NA)	101	(NA)
Other	233	(NA)	71	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	23	30	22	30
$40,000 to $99,999	26		24	
$20,000 to $39,999	22	26	22	26
$10,000 to $19,999	25	27	24	27
$5,000 to $9,999	35	49	35	49
$2,500 to $4,999	41	71	40	66
Under $2,500 (see text)	212	296	15	26
$2,000 to $2,499	17	17	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	27	22	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	55	48	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	113	209	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 771	5 621	7 257	5 236
Average per farm ... dollars	20 237	11 265	39 871	23 376
Crops, including hay ... farms	152	239	114	(NA)
$1,000	5 118	3 203	5 029	2 849
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	12		8	4
$1,000	312		305	261
Forest products ... farms	16	34	7	17
$1,000	14	24	11	19
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	294	346	118	166
$1,000	2 327	2 395	1 912	2 108
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	(NA)	4	19
$1,000	557	(NA)	467	552

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	114	(NA)
$1,000	5 029	2 849
Grains ... farms	49	80
$1,000	2 180	584
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	59	95
$1,000	2 338	1 857
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	36	31
$1,000	121	65
Other field crops ... farms	–	4
$1,000	–	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	13	9
$1,000	201	23
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	9	19
$1,000	189	317
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	118	166
$1,000	1 912	2 108
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	19
$1,000	467	552
Dairy products ... farms	7	13
$1,000	667	509
Cattle and calves ... farms	110	(NA)
$1,000	597	902
Hogs and pigs ... farms	7	(NA)
$1,000	159	145
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	1	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	21	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	218	(NA)	60	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	67	(NA)	40	(NA)
$1,000	234	(NA)	200	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	20	29	14	21
$1,000	65	132	61	128
Recreational services ... farms	1	3	1	2
$1,000	5	18	5	(D)
Government farm programs ... farms	35	109	18	84
$1,000	58	947	39	937
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	15	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	98	(NA)	86	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	16	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	38	(NA)	27	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	98
$1,000	1 252
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	22
$1,000	311
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	62
$1,000	700
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	40
$1,000	140
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	14
$1,000	80
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	10
$1,000	20

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	383	499	182	224
$1,000	7 007	5 586	6 337	5 087
Farms with–				
$1 to $999	69	175	13	17
$1,000 to $1,999	60	85	3	
$2,000 to $2,999	66	41	20	28
$3,000 to $4,999	44	62	18	51
$5,000 to $9,999	46	41	35	36
$10,000 to $19,999	29	95	27	48
$20,000 to $39,999	30		30	11
$40,000 to $59,999	12		10	33
$60,000 and over	27		26	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	144	161	50	83
$1,000	499	547	376	492
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	289	343	120	147
$1,000	1 154	1 010	922	852
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	206	189	100	106
$1,000	897	729	809	650
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	68
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	71
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	43	35
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	65
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	21	58
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	64	64
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	69	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	182	249	117	144
$1,000	350	168	342	158
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	298	364	151	183
$1,000	834	378	773	334
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	151	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	828	407	814	397
Lime ... farms	(NA)	49	11	30
$1,000	(NA)	39	21	36
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	360	476	179	223
$1,000	416	366	370	331
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	157	211
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	169	141
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	88	97
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	129	120
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	67
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	33
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	179	223
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	37
Hired farm labor ... farms	133	235	75	142
$1,000	829	927	751	848
Contract labor ... farms	18	158	7	22
$1,000	15	179	14	24
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	94		54	87
$1,000	131		125	146
All other production expenses ... farms	318	362	175	216
$1,000	1 951	1 604	1 815	1 506

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	370	474	181	220
$1,000	7 433	6 574	5 780	5 628
Average per farm—dollars	20 090	13 869	31 936	25 579
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	9	61	1	79
$1,000 to $4,999	73	220	21	
$5,000 to $9,999	124	75	33	41
$10,000 to $19,999	75	50	48	38
$20,000 to $29,999	29	68	24	13
$30,000 to $49,999	22		20	17
$50,000 to $69,999	12		10	32
$70,000 and over	26		24	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	240	282	113	134
number	330	392	173	187
mfd in last 5 years, number	171	251	123	148
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	304	350	154	181
number	466	533	298	337
mfd in last 5 years, number	197	311	142	205
Wheel tractors—farms	317	381	163	194
number	627	809	431	532
mfd in last 5 years, number	205	381	173	273
Crawler tractors—farms	12		7	18
number	13		8	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		1	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	33	37	32	36
number	51	56	50	55
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	41	19	41
Corn heads for combines—farms	9	25	9	8
number	11	33	11	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	18	2	7
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	13		12	16
number	14		13	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	11
Mower conditioners—farms	48	(NA)	25	(NA)
number	53	(NA)	25	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	22	(NA)	12	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	65	68	47	53
number	67	75	47	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	50	14	41
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	40	(NA)	30	37
number	43	(NA)	31	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	(NA)	9	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	4	4
number	17	(NA)	7	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	299	(X)	124	(X)	294	(X)	118	(X)	1 912
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	280	(X)	109	(X)	288	(X)	114	(X)	757
1969	347	(X)	151	(X)	323	(X)	149	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	277	15 493	108	10 277	283	5 352	110	3 996	597
1969	319	15 681	142	12 062	299	8 224	140	6 944	902
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	5	17	2	7	84	215	11	26	6
5 to 9—1974	20	137	7	46	75	480	9	60	11
10 to 19—1974	61	888	5	71	49	701	25	354	49
20 to 49—1974	110	3 492	30	1 051	44	1 311	37	1 151	214
50 to 99—1974	50	3 583	36	2 649	25	1 640	23	1 500	192
100 to 199—1974	17	2 318	16	2 166	4	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	11	3 280	9	2 509	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	3	1 778	3	1 778	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	233	8 273	101	5 527	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	272	7 848	127	5 983	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	226	7 428	97	4 807	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 565	117	4 890	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	35	845	15	720	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	50	1 283	22	1 093	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	667
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	509

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Beef cows	226	7 428	97	4 807
Forms with—				
1 to 4	15	38	3	8
5 to 9	27	173	10	65
10 to 19	68	989	14	217
20 to 49	80	2 486	39	1 285
50 to 99	23	1 636	20	1 442
100 to 199	9	1 171	7	855
200 to 499	4	935	4	935
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	35	845	15	720
Forms with—				
1 or 2	22	31	8	11
3 or 4	5	17	1	3
5 to 9	2	14	1	5
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	2	70	2	70
50 to 99	2	142	1	60
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	77	2 122	415
Forms with—			
1 to 4	13	39	9
5 to 9	15	92	18
10 to 19	14	201	36
20 to 49	19	540	135
50 to 99	12	745	112
100 to 199	4	505	104
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	75	1 874	182
Forms with—			
1 or 2	12	14	1
3 or 4	3	10	1
5 to 9	5	33	4
10 to 19	22	285	25
20 to 49	23	666	82
50 to 99	7	466	46
100 to 199	3	400	22
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	85	2 722
	1969	129	3 670
Beef heifers	1974	84	(D)
Milk heifers	1974	2	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	94	2 028
	1969	130	2 409

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	16	198	62
	1969	3	(D)	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	6	10	3
10 to 19	1974	6	84	13
20 to 49	1974	4	104	47
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	21	1 757	9	1 502	11	2 132	7	1 966	159
	1969	66	2 495	28	1 770	50	2 882	23	2 410	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	7	16	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	5	32	3	22	4	26	4	26	1
10 to 24	1974	4	54	3	30	2	38	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	1	45	–	–	2	68	1	40	2
50 to 99	1974	1	75	1	75	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	100	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	6	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	447	2	345	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	(D)	1	60	2	(D)	1	44	(NA)
	1969	5	620	1	229	2	478	1	159	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	44	[1]250
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	17	(NA)	(NA)	1	30	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	21	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	94	378	39	254	9	49	4	43	17
	1969	129	501	(NA)	(NA)	19	145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	7	236
	1969	22	221
Other hogs and pigs	1974	9	1 266
	1969	26	1 549
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	16
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	39
Rams and wethers	1974	1	5

		Inventory			
		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	13	410	7	372
	1969	43	314	23	242
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	196	7	177
	1969	33	172	19	130
June 1 and November 30	1974	9	214	4	195
	1969	30	142	19	112

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	47	(X)	13	(X)	6	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	31	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	45	27 726	11	14 970	3	17 022	1	(D)
	1969	97	57 584	27	50 458	15	47 947	11	45 427
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	44	21 566	10	14 882	3	17 022	1	(D)
	1969	94	57 369	27	50 416	15	47 947	11	45 427
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	42	992	9	308	1	22	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	(D)	1	(D)	3	285 004	3	285 004
	1969	12	73 509	4	69 000	8	424 305	6	413 905
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	557	4	467
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	19	552

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	10	14 882	1	(D)
	1969	27	50 416	11	45 427
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	10	14 787	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	95	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	50	–	–
	1969	2	30	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	38	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	71	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	2	39	1	5
	1969	4	16	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	1	5
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	1	4
Light breed	1974	–	–	1	1
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	39	–	–
	1969	3	9	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	34	55	741	1 342	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	13	5	606	84	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	45	98	12 395	13 947	286 077	215 575
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	3	2	3	2 400	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	3	3	200	136	3 485	3 650
Other small grains for grain	12	14	1 570	1 063	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	62	129	13 890	13 591	12 779	16 441
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	7	(NA)	8	(NA)	340	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	8	(NA)	8	(NA)	1 374	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	157	110	3 717	3 361	9 602	6 623
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	33	723	365	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	20	51	2 130	2 453	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	2	6	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	12	(NA)	118	327	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	18	24	453	830	23 660	39 254	1	7	27	542
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	3	152	277	2 216	3 070	–	1	–	60
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	2	5	20	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	8	3	363	36	14 926	442	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	200	3	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	3
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	–	188	–	131	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	83	6 782	(X)	2	4	31	2 155	31	428	–	–
	1969	111	13 809	(X)	1	45	58	5 029	57	501	1	16
Improved pasture	1974	49	4 710	(X)	–	–	20	2 059	20	253	–	–
	1969	34	5 815	(X)	1	256	20	1 893	18	204	2	5
Corn for all purposes	1974	21	610	(X)	1	27	19	597	18	108	8	59
	1969	29	1 127	(X)	8	602	23	1 015	15	119	14	124
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	10	563	(X)	–	–	8	510	8	103	–	–
	1969	4	39	(X)	1	3	2	23	2	4	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	200	3 485	–	–	3	200	3	36	–	–
	1969	3	136	3 650	–	–	2	133	(NA)	13	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	7	473	18 740	5	445	7	473	7	47	–	–
	1969	10	436	16 866	–	–	8	377	(NA)	24	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	5	1 097	(X)	4	1 077	4	1 077	3	150	2	15
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	42	12 352	285 002	–	–	13	5 582	12	528	3	44
	1969	74	13 697	212 067	3	144	13	2 947	(NA)	195	(NA)	120
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	2 400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	85	2 598	6 935	–	–	35	1 203	35	322	5	34
	1969	64	2 668	5 307	7	67	31	885	29	137	2	33
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	59	13 868	12 761	8	912	59	13 497	30	930	44	2 029
	1969	95	13 353	16 307	15	2 446	93	13 318	(NA)	1 074	(NA)	2 024
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	20	–	–	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	3	(Z)	33	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	13	661	(X)	1	15	9	595	9	126	5	9
	1969	10	264	(X)	2	128	5	134	5	33	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	11	2 083	(X)	1	100	7	1 950	7	320	–	–
	1969	21	2 202	(X)	2	100	12	1 753	11	61	1	300

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	1	6	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	8	115	(X)	2	6	5	113	4	7	3	(Z)
	1969	4	52	(X)	3	52	4	52	4	13	2	(Z)
Other crops	1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	154	199
$1,000	1 587	731
Commercial fertilizer—farms	151	166
acres on which used	30 013	28 360
tons	5 547	5 218
$1,000	773	334
Lime—farms	11	30
acres on which used	992	3 426
tons	1 896	5 550
$1,000	21	36
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	11
acres on which used	128	191
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	61	67
acres on which used	20 206	13 004
$1,000	473	187
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	400	64
$1,000	2	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	5
acres on which used	2 149	1 408
$1,000	45	9
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	41	75
acres on which used	17 375	16 102
$1,000	234	126
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	27
acres on which used	972	2 294
$1,000	3	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	115	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	20	30
acres on which used	6 283	7 847
$1,000	27	30
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	13	47
$1,000	3	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	24	31
Proportion of farms—percent	13.2	13.8
Total land irrigated—acres	2 588	4 341
Average per farm—acres	107.8	140.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	24	31
acres	2 588	4 085
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	22	31
acres	2 584	4 040
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	4	45
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	1
acres	–	256
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	3 119	2 958
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	10	(NA)
acres	708	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	4	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	16 790	23 015
Cropland—acres	11 490	14 185
Harvested cropland—acres	8 511	10 228
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	4	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	255	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	15	58
Proportion of farms—percent	8.2	25.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	9 743	36 684
Land drained—acres	6 874	24 314
Average per farm—acres	458.3	419.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	48	(NA)
number	235	(NA)
acres	281	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	65	48	39
$1,000	3 971	2 767	1 205
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	9	5	17
$5,000 to $9,999	5	5	1
$10,000 to $29,999	17	11	11
$30,000 to $49,999	18	14	4
$50,000 and over	16	13	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	34	59	186	204	568	848
25 to 149 days	31	118	247	455	160	
Less than 25 days	38		286		23	
Total contract labor	7	22	(NA)	(NA)	14	24
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	18	(NA)	6	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	75	34	31	38
Cash wages paid—$1,000	751	568	160	23
Number of workers	719	186	247	286
Farms with—				
1 worker	19	12	9	9
2 workers	14	8	4	9
3 or 4 workers	7	5	5	6
5 to 9 workers	17	5	6	7
10 workers and over	18	4	7	7

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	102	111	46	39
Land in farms ____ acres	38 169	31 691	31 669	22 692
Average size of farm ____ acres	374	286	688	582
Approximate land area ____ acres	658 944	658 944	658 944	658 944
Proportion in farms ____ percent	5.8	4.8	4.8	3.4
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	20 493	9 522	15 735	4 577
Average per farm ____ dollars	200 914	85 784	342 074	117 366
Average per acre ____ dollars	537	300	497	202
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	23	24	7	6
10 to 49 acres	36	33	13	4
50 to 69 acres	7	4	6	2
70 to 99 acres	7	7	4	2
100 to 139 acres	10	15	5	11
140 to 179 acres	1	2	–	1
180 to 219 acres	1	1	–	–
220 to 259 acres	1	8	1	2
260 to 499 acres	6	7	5	5
500 to 999 acres	4	6	1	4
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	2	2	1
2,000 acres and over	2	2	2	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	11	(NA)
____ acres	418	801
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	2	8
____ acres	43	300
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	–	5
____ acres	–	129
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	3	3
____ acres	156	35
Cropland idle ____ farms	8	9
____ acres	219	337
Total woodland ____ farms	8	8
____ acres	1 958	920
Woodland pastured ____ farms	1	5
____ acres	200	868

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	90	102	38	36
____ acres	6 106	8 098	2 638	3 674
Harvested cropland ____ farms	80	77	36	30
____ acres	1 102	2 281	849	1 852
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	51	43	13	
10 to 19 acres	17	12	12	24
20 to 29 acres	1	2	1	
30 to 49 acres	5	13	5	
50 to 99 acres	4	2	3	1
100 to 199 acres	2	2	2	2
200 to 499 acres	–	2	–	2
500 to 999 acres	–	1	–	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	12	28	5	8
____ acres	4 127	2 685	1 371	1 021
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	27	34	11	(NA)
____ acres	877	3 132	418	801
Total woodland ____ farms	22	17	8	8
____ acres	2 404	1 498	1 958	920
Other land (see text) ____ farms	65	53	29	(NA)
____ acres	29 659	22 095	27 073	18 098
Irrigated land ____ farms	12	13	6	3
____ acres	63	143	39	86

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	8	5
____ acres	1 758	52
Other land ____ farms	29	(NA)
____ acres	27 073	18 098
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	10	8
____ acres	19 798	12 037
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	1	6
____ acres	3	11 237
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	9	2
____ acres	19 795	800
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	22	10
____ acres	7 275	6 061

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	102	111	46	39
Land in farms ____ acres	38 169	31 691	31 669	22 692
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 102	2 281	849	1 852
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	72	66	29	14
Land in farms ____ acres	28 954	21 828	27 017	18 510
Harvested cropland ____ acres	576	1 513	337	1 238
Part owners ____ number	16	17	11	10
Land in farms ____ acres	6 080	4 937	3 963	2 531
Harvested cropland ____ acres	469	501	465	377
Tenants ____ number	14	28	6	15
Land in farms ____ acres	3 135	4 926	689	1 651
Harvested cropland ____ acres	57	267	47	237
Percent of tenancy	13.7	25.2	13.0	38.4
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	2	2	1	2
Land in farms ____ acres	127	192	118	192
Harvested cropland ____ acres	31	12	30	12
Full owners ____ number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners ____ number	–	1	–	1
Land in farms ____ acres	–	52	–	52
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	12	–	12
Tenants ____ number	2	1	1	1
Land in farms ____ acres	127	140	118	140
Harvested cropland ____ acres	31	–	30	–
Percent of tenancy	100.0	50.0	100.0	50.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	42	31
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	12 660	19 545

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	2	6
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 847
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 300
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	13	12	5	2
35 to 44 years	17	27	6	13
45 to 54 years	23	24	14	7
55 to 64 years	24	33	10	16
65 years and over	20	15	9	1
Average age	52.3	50.8	54.5	49.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	56	67	26	21
On another farm	1		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	8	28	6	14
In a city, town, or urban area	12		5	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	21	(NA)	16	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1	4	1	3
50 to 99 days	5	18	1	5
100 to 149 days	8	17	2	1
150 to 199 days	14		4	
200 days and over	42	44	14	12
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	33	(NA)	20	(NA)
Other	66	(NA)	24	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	2	1	2	1
$40,000 to $99,999	7		7	
$20,000 to $39,999	5	5	4	5
$10,000 to $19,999	5	9	5	9
$5,000 to $9,999	12	13	12	13
$2,500 to $4,999	13	11	13	10
Under $2,500 (see text)	58	72	3	1
$2,000 to $2,499	10	4	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	11	4	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	8	12	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	29	52	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	1 288	464	1 187	409
Average per farm ... dollars	12 624	4 179	25 811	10 498
Crops, including hay ... farms	69	53	33	(NA)
$1,000	605	295	528	255
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	12		8	2
$1,000	76		70	7
Forest products ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	23	36	12	15
$1,000	608	169	589	147
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	(NA)	–	–
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	33	(NA)
$1,000	528	255
Grains ... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	14
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	3	–
$1,000	3	–
Other field crops ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	14	19
$1,000	345	216
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	25	10
$1,000	180	25
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	12	15
$1,000	589	147
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	12	(NA)
$1,000	589	143
Hogs and pigs ... farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	4
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	63	(NA)	12	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	8	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)	5	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	2	2	2	–
$1,000	4	2	4	–
Recreational services ... farms	2	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	1	7	1	5
$1,000	(Z)	2	(Z)	1
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	5	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	27
$1,000	260
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	8
$1,000	67
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	16
$1,000	149
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	12
$1,000	40
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	1
$1,000	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	2
$1,000	1

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	102	111	46	39
$1,000	870	427	760	327
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	38	30	4	6
$1,000 to $1,999	20	36	5	
$2,000 to $2,999	7	14	4	7
$3,000 to $4,999	8	8	7	5
$5,000 to $9,999	11	5	9	4
$10,000 to $19,999	7		7	16
$20,000 to $39,999	9	18	9	1
$40,000 to $59,999	1		–	
$60,000 and over	1		1	–
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	19	12	10	6
$1,000	184	16	180	15
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	30	34	10	13
$1,000	64	21	60	10
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	24	21	8	10
$1,000	38	9	35	5
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	1
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	3
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	(Z)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	27	54	19	26
$1,000	17	24	15	20
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	57	80	29	28
$1,000	45	40	31	30
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	43	(NA)	26	(NA)
$1,000	33	36	20	21
Lime ... farms	(NA)	6	2	6
$1,000	(NA)	1	(Z)	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	86	107	43	39
$1,000	51	44	43	32
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	22
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	24	16
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	6
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	4	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	43	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	3
Hired farm labor ... farms	38	70	24	26
$1,000	149	122	111	98
Contract labor ... farms	9	21	6	5
$1,000	22	10	16	5
Machine hire and custamwork ... farms	10		6	4
$1,000	4		3	1
All other production expenses ... farms	92	90	46	39
$1,000	302	114	278	94

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—forms	88	106	39	38
$1,000	1 008	650	706	305
Average per farm—dollars	11 453	6 135	18 092	8 019
Forms by value group:				
$1 to $999	4	11	–	12
$1,000 to $4,999	28	45	6	
$5,000 to $9,999	25	31	10	12
$10,000 to $19,999	17	15	11	12
$20,000 to $29,999	4	4	2	2
$30,000 to $49,999	8		8	–
$50,000 to $69,999	2		2	–
$70,000 and over	–		–	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—forms	45	65	21	18
number	49	87	25	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	75	17	19
Motor trucks, including pickups—forms	69	74	31	27
number	88	90	49	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	35	65	21	26
Wheel tractors—forms	79	89	38	28
number	139	136	89	51
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	70	24	30
Crawler tractors—forms	2		2	–
number	2		2	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–

	All forms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—forms	–	3	–	2
number	–	3	–	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	2
Corn heads for combines—forms	–	2	–	–
number	–	2	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—forms	1		–	–
number	1		–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—forms	5	(NA)	4	(NA)
number	10	(NA)	8	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
Pickup balers—forms	1	5	–	–
number	1	5	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	–
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	1	(NA)	1	–
number	1	(NA)	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—forms	1	(NA)	1	–
number	1	(NA)	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All forms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All forms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	24	(X)	12	(X)	23	(X)	12	(X)	589
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	24	(X)	12	(X)	23	(X)	12	(X)	589
1969	30	(X)	11	(X)	33	(X)	14	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	24	3 775	12	3 139	23	2 357	12	2 197	589
1969	30	2 721	11	2 147	33	1 255	14	995	143
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9—1974	1	6	–	–	5	31	–	–	–
10 to 19—1974	1	19	–	–	2	22	–	–	–
20 to 49—1974	3	99	–	–	10	305	6	198	24
50 to 99—1974	9	681	2	169	1	99	1	99	25
100 to 199—1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	1 175	5	1 175	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	20	1 590	9	1 166	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	20	1 505	11	1 335	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	20	1 590	9	1 166	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 503	11	1 335	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	–	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	2	2	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All forms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	20	1 590	9	1 166			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	1	8	–	–			
10 to 19	1	12	–	–			
20 to 49	8	320	1	36			
50 to 99	5	365	3	245			
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	–	–	–	–			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	–	–	–	–			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					10	2 050	575
Forms with—							
1 to 4					1	1	(Z)
5 to 9					1	6	1
10 to 19					1	15	3
20 to 49					1	29	6
50 to 99					1	99	25
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					5	147	14
Forms with—							
1 or 2					–	–	–
3 or 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					2	34	3
20 to 49					3	113	11
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	6	212
	1969	11	639
Beef heifers	1974	6	212
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	10	1 761
	1969	10	173

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	6	21	2	7	1	2	1	2	(Z)
	1969	10	31	(NA)	(NA)	2	24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	–	–
	1969	–	–
Other hogs and pigs	1974	–	–
	1969	–	–
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
June 1 and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	3	68	1	31	–	–	–	–
	1969	11	1 026	2	56	2	408	–	–
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	2	60	1	30	–	–	–	–
	1969	11	1 000	2	56	2	408	–	–
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	2	60	1	30	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	1	30	–	–
	1969	2	56	–	–
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	1	30	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	–	5	–	51	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	1	–	2	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	4	–	541	–	6 820
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	3	6	90	504	85	755
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	23	469	673	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	64	55	533	568	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	19	5	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	5	1 371	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	1 021	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	1	3	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	1	–	–
	1969	6	11 237	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	2	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	540	6 800	–	–	2	40	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	3	90	85	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	440	640	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	1	(Z)	12	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	14	435	(X)	1	5	11	403	11	178	–	–
	1969	19	642	(X)	1	40	14	596	14	272	2	4
Land in orchards	1974	29	315	(X)	5	33	18	181	18	85	–	–
	1969	15	285	(X)	1	45	11	278	10	80	1	(Z)

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	8	13	(X)	2	2	7	8	7	6	1	(Z)
1969	2	4	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	32	31
$1,000	51	51
Commercial fertilizer—farms	29	25
acres on which used	600	923
tons	270	366
$1,000	31	30
Lime—farms	2	6
acres on which used	8	73
tons	22	93
$1,000	(Z)	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	14	8
acres on which used	372	193
$1,000	12	4
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	30	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	11	16
acres on which used	114	778
$1,000	4	14
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	10	5
acres on which used	194	366
$1,000	2	1
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	100
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1	2
$1,000	1	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	4	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	6	3
Proportion of farms—percent	13.0	7.6
Total land irrigated—acres	39	86
Average per farm—acres	6.5	28.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	6	3
acres	39	86
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	6	3
acres	39	86
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	24	46
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	21	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	5	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	3	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 743	190
Cropland—acres	296	190
Harvested cropland—acres	96	134
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage—farms	8	21
Proportion of farms—percent	17.4	53.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	662	3 829
Land drained—acres	279	1 777
Average per farm—acres	34.9	84.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	–	(NA)
number	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	12	9	5
$1,000	163	138	25
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	1	4
$5,000 to $9,999	2	3	–
$10,000 to $29,999	5	3	1
$30,000 to $49,999	2	2	–
$50,000 and over	–	–	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Forms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	6	14	11	30	45	98
25 to 149 days	7	21	31	164	48	
Less than 25 days	16		156		18	
Total contract labor	6	5	(NA)	(NA)	16	5
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	28	(NA)	2	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Forms	24	6	7	16
Cash wages paid—$1,000	111	45	48	18
Number of workers	198	11	31	156
Farms with—				
1 worker	4	3	2	1
2 workers	3	2	–	1
3 or 4 workers	3	1	3	5
5 to 9 workers	6	–	1	2
10 workers and over	8	–	1	7

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	600	811	321	389
Land in farms — acres	196 567	228 458	176 880	198 791
Average size of farm — acres	328	282	551	511
Approximate land area — acres	360 448	360 448	360 448	360 448
Proportion in farms — percent	54.5	63.4	49.1	55.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	89 311	57 780	77 694	47 350
Average per farm — dollars	148 851	71 245	242 039	121 722
Average per acre — dollars	454	253	439	238
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	30	48	5	7
10 to 49 acres	139	226	34	45
50 to 69 acres	74	105	30	43
70 to 99 acres	73	104	27	44
100 to 139 acres	50	62	26	32
140 to 179 acres	33	40	20	25
180 to 219 acres	41	35	31	26
220 to 259 acres	17	23	12	19
260 to 499 acres	55	81	49	63
500 to 999 acres	44	43	43	41
1,000 to 1,999 acres	28	24	28	24
2,000 acres and over	16	20	16	20

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	39	(NA)
acres	2 969	10 100
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	10	21
acres	328	1 211
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	4	24
acres	288	2 483
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	18	26
acres	1 620	2 090
Cropland idle — farms	13	70
acres	733	4 316
Total woodland — farms	121	154
acres	45 733	59 445
Woodland pastured — farms	84	110
acres	13 404	37 814

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	529	748	294	373
acres	98 317	115 149	86 776	98 393
Harvested cropland — farms	404	605	262	349
acres	59 829	66 747	57 923	62 712
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	78	96	12	
10 to 19 acres	69	125	21	161
20 to 29 acres	38	95	24	
30 to 49 acres	53	96	41	
50 to 99 acres	57	82	55	77
100 to 199 acres	38	43	38	43
200 to 499 acres	36	41	36	41
500 to 999 acres	19	13	19	13
1,000 acres and over	16	14	16	14
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	324	399	159	175
acres	35 026	36 444	25 884	25 581
Other cropland (see text) — farms	59	203	39	(NA)
acres	3 462	11 958	2 969	10 100
Total woodland — farms	208	293	121	154
acres	48 977	67 450	45 733	59 445
Other land (see text) — farms	367	473	196	(NA)
acres	49 273	45 859	44 371	40 953
Irrigated land — farms	7	7	4	2
acres	462	(D)	431	(D)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	68	66
acres	32 329	21 631
Other land — farms	196	(NA)
acres	44 371	40 953
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	91	100
acres	39 907	30 589
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	40	73
acres	9 960	19 133
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	58	39
acres	29 947	11 456
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	154	193
acres	4 464	10 364

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	600	811	321	389
Land in farms — acres	196 567	228 458	176 880	198 791
Harvested cropland — acres	59 829	66 747	57 923	62 712
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	296	353	128	127
Land in farms — acres	86 085	88 822	75 739	71 041
Harvested cropland — acres	14 163	17 751	13 249	16 160
Part owners — number	175	203	114	135
Land in farms — acres	80 825	96 147	73 776	90 659
Harvested cropland — acres	26 977	24 490	26 300	23 561
Tenants — number	129	255	79	127
Land in farms — acres	29 657	43 489	27 365	37 091
Harvested cropland — acres	18 689	24 506	18 374	22 991
Percent of tenancy	21.5	31.4	24.6	32.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	77	171	23	48
Land in farms — acres	4 514	8 405	1 970	4 212
Harvested cropland — acres	1 274	3 852	929	2 559
Full owners — number	43	52	8	11
Land in farms — acres	3 045	2 458	1 118	819
Harvested cropland — acres	517	499	326	250
Part owners — number	12	29	4	10
Land in farms — acres	820	2 630	481	1 584
Harvested cropland — acres	401	1 258	347	922
Tenants — number	22	90	11	27
Land in farms — acres	649	3 317	371	1 809
Harvested cropland — acres	356	2 095	256	1 387
Percent of tenancy	28.6	52.6	47.8	56.2
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	286	327
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	122 764	113 965

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	24	54
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	26 793	70 742
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 903	12 462
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 420	1 622
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	27	6	16	2
25 to 34 years	63	96	45	37
35 to 44 years	110	171	46	90
45 to 54 years	149	193	87	108
55 to 64 years	120	218	61	98
65 years and over	120	127	55	54
Average age	50.9	50.8	49.9	50.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	323	529	170	282
On another farm	28		11	
In a rural area, not on a farm	42	178	25	77
In a city, town, or urban area	63		32	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	210	(NA)	134	(NA)
1 to 49 days	27	40	8	24
50 to 99 days	9	35	6	16
100 to 149 days	9	95	4	37
150 to 199 days	34		19	
200 days and over	195	270	79	85
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	315	(NA)	210	(NA)
Other	274	(NA)	100	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	42	34	42	34
$40,000 to $99,999	53		53	
$20,000 to $39,999	40	47	40	47
$10,000 to $19,999	45	70	45	70
$5,000 to $9,999	45	98	45	98
$2,500 to $4,999	83	128	83	128
Under $2,500 (see text)	292	434	13	12
$2,000 to $2,499	39	52	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	35	55	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	82	98	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	136	229	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	18 096	7 793	17 802	7 370
Average per farm ... dollars	30 160	9 608	55 457	18 946
Crops, including hay ... farms	252	481	194	(NA)
$1,000	15 236	4 727	15 179	4 564
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	2
$1,000	4		4	4
Forest products ... farms	10	41	6	29
$1,000	13	74	11	70
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	461	551	233	275
$1,000	2 843	2 992	2 607	2 731
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	(NA)	3	8
$1,000	67	(NA)	65	19

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	194	(NA)
$1,000	15 179	4 564
Grains ... farms	125	147
$1,000	6 779	1 903
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	26	108
$1,000	390	479
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	33	47
$1,000	171	83
Other field crops ... farms	60	121
$1,000	7 752	1 963
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	5	7
$1,000	54	14
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	8	54
$1,000	34	123
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	233	275
$1,000	2 607	2 731
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	8
$1,000	65	19
Dairy products ... farms	12	13
$1,000	530	261
Cattle and calves ... farms	229	(NA)
$1,000	1 958	2 383
Hogs and pigs ... farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	39	67
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	15	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	278	(NA)	92	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	125	(NA)	91	(NA)
$1,000	633	(NA)	586	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	31	31	27	22
$1,000	100	146	97	88
Recreational services ... farms	4	2	1	2
$1,000	10	4	4	4
Government farm programs ... farms	72	291	59	160
$1,000	197	545	188	465
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	33	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	282	(NA)	266	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	11	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	44	(NA)	31	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	44	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	83	(NA)	73	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	181
$1,000	2 469
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	46
$1,000	735
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	115
$1,000	1 212
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	72
$1,000	322
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	31
$1,000	96
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	20
$1,000	104

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	599	811	321	389
$1,000	9 509	6 721	9 097	6 188
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	141	246	11	60
$1,000 to $1,999	111	171	32	
$2,000 to $2,999	58	83	17	50
$3,000 to $4,999	60	103	37	86
$5,000 to $9,999	77	96	72	81
$10,000 to $19,999	62		62	53
$20,000 to $39,999	33	112	33	28
$40,000 to $59,999	21		21	31
$60,000 and over	36		36	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	231	244	106	122
$1,000	731	593	638	519
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	405	483	187	252
$1,000	709	470	611	404
Commerciolly mixed formula feeds ... farms	295	261	154	167
$1,000	522	278	479	262
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	79	88
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	44	64
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	62	60
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	32
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	67
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	46
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	142	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	50	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	287	515	179	297
$1,000	397	220	385	205
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	402	620	222	328
$1,000	582	368	542	326
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	201	(NA)	151	(NA)
$1,000	714	310	708	293
Lime ... farms	(NA)	22	6	13
$1,000	(NA)	12	4	11
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	592	796	319	387
$1,000	776	600	735	526
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	303	346
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	296	245
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	166	140
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	299	132
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	68	137
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	104
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	319	387
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	81	45
Hired farm labor ... farms	257	458	184	278
$1,000	1 475	1 309	1 449	1 259
Contract labor ... farms	15	306	12	25
$1,000	24	311	23	57
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	175		120	169
$1,000	257		250	230
All other production expenses ... farms	523	657	317	388
$1,000	3 844	2 541	3 707	2 369

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	561	780	302	379
$1,000	12 392	7 552	10 468	6 045
Average per farm—dollars	22 088	9 681	34 662	15 948
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	75	1	129
$1,000 to $4,999	136	377	43	
$5,000 to $9,999	155	152	54	101
$10,000 to $19,999	118	86	71	70
$20,000 to $29,999	50		40	30
$30,000 to $49,999	44	90	42	19
$50,000 to $69,999	24		24	30
$70,000 and over	27		27	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—forms	376	480	212	253
number	434	574	244	317
mfd in last 5 years, number	242	408	164	238
Motor trucks, including pickups—forms	480	592	268	315
number	710	798	487	505
mfd in last 5 years, number	301	460	241	312
Wheel tractors—forms	522	692	292	351
number	1 062	1 325	794	876
mfd in last 5 years, number	226	544	203	403
Crawler tractors—forms	33		18	31
number	38		21	52
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		4	25

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	53	40	53	37
number	108	63	108	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	36	52	36	49
Corn heads for combines—farms	9	107	8	9
number	9	116	8	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	48	–	9
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	62		53	83
number	63		54	88
mfd in last 5 years, number	9		9	35
Mower conditioners—forms	122	(NA)	84	(NA)
number	142	(NA)	99	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	47	(NA)	40	(NA)
Pickup balers—forms	91	113	73	96
number	96	124	78	107
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	70	28	61
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—forms	51	(NA)	43	51
number	53	(NA)	45	52
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	(NA)	27	33
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—forms	10	(NA)	7	18
number	14	(NA)	11	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	3	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	476	(X)	230	(X)	461	(X)	233	(X)	2 607
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	466	(X)	228	(X)	452	(X)	233	(X)	1 997
1969	615	(X)	287	(X)	542	(X)	273	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	447	38 909	223	32 229	443	15 330	229	13 398	1 958
1969	562	39 256	272	32 703	508	20 971	259	18 627	2 383
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	10	20	4	10	76	194	14	33	4
5 to 9—1974	29	193	8	56	74	503	14	99	12
10 to 19—1974	72	1 021	19	264	114	1 567	36	528	76
20 to 49—1974	158	5 244	51	1 812	112	3 317	98	2 989	379
50 to 99—1974	96	6 560	59	4 216	33	2 330	33	2 330	346
100 to 199—1974	31	4 284	31	4 284	23	3 077	23	3 077	451
200 to 499—1974	39	11 623	39	11 623	10	(D)	10	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	12	9 964	12	9 964	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	396	24 371	210	20 674	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	486	23 761	251	20 344	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	376	23 673	198	20 042	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	23 010	237	19 673	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	65	698	30	632	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	108	751	59	671	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	530
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	261

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	376	23 673	198	20 042			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	23	55	5	8			
5 to 9	35	234	10	67			
10 to 19	74	1 035	22	285			
20 to 49	136	4 150	60	1 965			
50 to 99	45	2 941	38	2 459			
100 to 199	36	4 734	36	4 734			
200 to 499	21	5 864	21	5 864			
500 and over	6	4 660	6	4 660			
Milk cows	65	698	30	632			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	41	54	15	25			
3 or 4	8	27	2	7			
5 to 9	3	17	–	–			
10 to 19	4	47	4	47			
20 to 49	2	40	2	40			
50 to 99	6	(D)	6	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					157	5 937	1 139
Farms with—							
1 to 4					16	38	7
5 to 9					27	176	30
10 to 19					45	621	100
20 to 49					40	1 077	185
50 to 99					21	1 461	265
100 to 199					6	828	231
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					186	7 461	819
Farms with—							
1 or 2					7	14	2
3 or 4					8	29	3
5 to 9					23	160	16
10 to 19					45	637	70
20 to 49					66	1 917	208
50 to 99					16	1 082	115
100 to 199					17	2 248	252
200 to 499					4	1 374	152
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	172	5 687
	1969	226	7 306
Beef heifers	1974	168	5 558
Milk heifers	1974	8	129
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	185	5 868
	1969	243	5 053

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	18	385	70
	1969	9	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	25	5
10 to 19	1974	9	140	29
20 to 49	1974	2	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	64	616	31	434	36	1 096	19	998	39
	1969	150	1 916	63	1 327	76	2 153	45	1 773	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	28	76	13	28	8	15	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	20	132	5	32	12	76	5	30	2
10 to 24	1974	11	141	8	107	9	129	6	89	4
25 to 49	1974	3	93	3	93	2	57	2	57	2
50 to 99	1974	1	55	1	55	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	119	1	119	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	497	4	485	12
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	597	5	580	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	11	1	7	1	7	1	7	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	139
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	44	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	90	312	49	237	12	79	7	68	15
	1969	160	682	(NA)	(NA)	9	29	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	16	125
	1969	39	224
Other hogs and pigs	1974	27	309
	1969	60	1 103
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	7
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	31	192	17	169
	1969	80	371	45	297
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	24	122	13	109
	1969	65	204	38	164
June 1 and November 30	1974	20	70	11	60
	1969	59	167	36	133

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	79	(X)	28	(X)	2	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	78	9 259	28	7 898	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	166	8 058	60	4 788	6	592	4	542
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	77	8 553	28	7 306	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	155	6 979	59	4 488	6	592	4	542
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	74	1 803	27	806	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	62	1	12	1	40	–	–
	1969	9	287	6	252	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	67	3	65
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	19

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	28	7 306	1	(D)
	1969	59	4 488	4	542
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	28	7 261	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	45	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	22	–	–
	1969	8	200	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	20	570	1	50
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	36	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	31	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	10	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	196	373	2 730	9 153	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	16	127	6 159	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	78	53	35 158	25 039	1 160 050	619 103
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	3	–	3	–	1 500
Wheat (bushels)	2	5	106	280	2 300	5 464
Other small grains for grain	6	2	455	590	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	39	220	2 220	4 993	1 709	5 282
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	26	(NA)	79	(NA)	7 120	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	7	(NA)	3	(NA)	366	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	185	203	7 789	8 500	15 111	14 500
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	17	15	88	37	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	41	58	2 548	3 142	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	66	(NA)	9 033	9 002	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	106	199	1 999	7 073	113 395	333 496	–	1	–	14
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	5	–	263	–	3 438	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	7	8	88	76	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	10	50	6 025	2 678	192 735	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	30	60	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	8	1	164	20	183	33	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	159	25 884	(X)	–	–	73	6 545	72	584	3	39
	1969	175	25 581	(X)	–	–	56	4 782	48	543	8	48
Improved pasture	1974	40	9 960	(X)	–	–	18	2 513	18	200	–	–
	1969	73	19 133	(X)	–	–	33	3 595	31	314	3	23
Corn for all purposes	1974	113	2 087	(X)	–	–	92	1 795	72	252	22	96
	1969	206	7 412	(X)	1	14	159	6 169	92	408	75	416
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	80	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	4	–	–
	1969	12	6 085	(X)	–	–	3	4 595	2	50	2	227
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	100	2 000	–	–	1	100	–	–	1	3
	1969	3	230	4 350	–	–	3	230	(NA)	8	(NA)	10
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	50	1 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	375	(X)	1	375	1	375	1	38	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	78	35 158	1 160 050	–	–	4	601	3	111	2	11
	1969	51	25 019	618 743	–	–	6	1 416	(NA)	64	(NA)	30
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	500	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	125	6 929	13 952	–	–	54	3 099	48	301	7	26
	1969	129	7 387	12 912	–	–	38	1 427	34	162	6	28
Field seed crops	1974	3	440	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	2	–	–
	1969	1	60	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	26	2 137	1 658	–	–	23	2 120	19	210	10	38
	1969	111	4 215	4 650	1	5	101	4 136	(NA)	546	(NA)	79
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	61	5 686	1	(Z)	4	60	4	22	–	–
	1969	18	136	12 740	–	–	13	133	(NA)	43	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	69	(X)	–	–	5	69	5	21	–	–
	1969	7	29	(X)	–	–	4	19	4	3	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	23	2 325	(X)	–	–	3	1 402	3	116	–	–
	1969	43	3 073	(X)	–	–	14	1 295	14	106	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	59	8 539	(X)	3	56	56	8 458	25	251	42	1 389

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	248	348
$1,000	1 250	619
Commercial fertilizer—farms	222	291
acres on which used	27 188	36 898
tons	3 713	4 377
$1,000	542	326
Lime—farms	6	13
acres on which used	111	1 048
tons	224	1 297
$1,000	4	11
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	3	6
acres on which used	14	478
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	80	108
acres on which used	28 954	25 486
$1,000	265	96
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	670	19
$1,000	5	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	7	5
acres on which used	797	365
$1,000	10	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	87	133
acres on which used	29 625	26 549
$1,000	374	154
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	22	29
acres on which used	2 187	3 845
$1,000	6	5
Weeds on all other land—farms	19	(NA)
acres on which used	672	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	19	46
acres on which used	3 035	2 560
$1,000	9	14
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	29	82
$1,000	4	9
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	4	2
Proportion of farms—percent	1.2	0.5
Total land irrigated—acres	431	(D)
Average per farm—acres	107.8	(D)
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	2
acres	431	(D)
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	2
acres	431	(D)
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	591	1 006
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	(D)
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	56	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 434	(D)
Cropland—acres	2 427	(D)
Harvested cropland—acres	2 191	(D)
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage—farms	56	133
Proportion of farms—percent	17.4	34.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	34 360	94 807
Land drained—acres	23 800	68 222
Average per farm—acres	425.0	512.9
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	11	(NA)
number	27	(NA)
acres	48	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	108	61	64
$1,000	5 676	4 188	1 487
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	21	10	15
$5,000 to $9,999	18	4	14
$10,000 to $29,999	28	19	18
$30,000 to $49,999	15	10	6
$50,000 and over	26	18	11

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	72	81	242	289	1 094	1 259
25 to 149 days	80	259	292	1 106	226	
Less than 25 days	117		963		129	
Total contract labor	12	25	(NA)	(NA)	23	57
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	59	(NA)	11	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working— 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	184	72	80	117
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 449	1 094	226	129
Number of workers	1 497	242	292	963
Farms with—				
1 worker	36	30	24	18
2 workers	24	23	14	14
3 or 4 workers	35	7	21	24
5 to 9 workers	47	7	16	36
10 workers and over	42	5	5	25

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 053	1 130	507	537
Land in farms — acres	213 628	197 839	174 940	157 628
Average size of farm — acres	203	175	345	294
Approximate land area — acres	843 776	843 776	843 776	843 776
Proportion in farms — percent	25.3	23.4	20.7	18.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	127 001	82 962	101 999	66 909
Average per farm — dollars	170 609	73 417	201 181	124 597
Average per acre — dollars	594	419	583	424
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	69	77	13	16
10 to 49 acres	331	366	81	75
50 to 69 acres	119	142	46	51
70 to 99 acres	117	119	39	54
100 to 139 acres	92	97	62	64
140 to 179 acres	53	58	29	38
180 to 219 acres	60	35	44	24
220 to 259 acres	23	28	17	22
260 to 499 acres	86	107	78	100
500 to 999 acres	55	70	52	66
1,000 to 1,999 acres	34	24	34	21
2,000 acres and over	14	7	12	6

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	50	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	3 315	7 805
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	4	21
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	89	795
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	27
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	330	3 971
Cropland in cultivoted summer fallow — farms	17	25
Cropland in cultivoted summer fallow — acres	1 836	1 523
Cropland idle — farms	26	54
Cropland idle — acres	1 060	1 516
Total woodland — farms	182	210
Total woodland — acres	27 941	25 428
Woodland pastured — farms	103	129
Woodland pastured — acres	15 135	14 652

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	944	997	472	501
Total cropland — acres	131 935	129 404	111 983	112 538
Harvested cropland — farms	681	759	416	453
Harvested cropland — acres	82 335	75 886	78 789	70 722
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	176	179	38	
10 to 19 acres	134	114	49	184
20 to 29 acres	68	92	41	
30 to 49 acres	61	93	53	
50 to 99 acres	59	90	54	81
100 to 199 acres	70	75	69	75
200 to 499 acres	69	83	69	80
500 to 999 acres	29	28	28	28
1,000 acres and over	15	5	15	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	608	609	256	277
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	45 433	44 431	29 879	34 011
Other cropland (see text) — farms	93	191	50	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	4 167	9 087	3 315	7 805
Total woodland — farms	376	456	182	210
Total woodland — acres	39 835	38 053	27 941	25 428
Other land (see text) — farms	648	700	337	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	41 858	30 382	35 016	19 662
Irrigated land — farms	36	29	23	22
Irrigated land — acres	2 822	1 375	2 762	1 276

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	99	107
Woodland not pastured — acres	12 806	10 776
Other land — farms	337	(NA)
Other land — acres	35 016	19 662
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	125	117
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	26 061	15 485
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	90	76
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	14 242	10 288
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	53	64
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	11 819	5 197
Land in houselats, barnlots, ponds, roods, wasteland, etc. — farms	301	274
Land in houselats, barnlots, ponds, roods, wasteland, etc. — acres	8 955	4 177

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 053	1 130	507	537
Land in farms — acres	213 628	197 839	174 940	157 628
Harvested cropland — acres	82 335	75 886	78 789	70 722
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	704	704	268	244
Land in farms — acres	87 470	82 040	59 692	49 205
Harvested cropland — acres	18 124	16 194	15 498	12 371
Part owners — number	240	265	168	190
Land in farms — acres	95 224	85 204	88 388	79 862
Harvested cropland — acres	46 723	38 891	46 059	38 092
Tenants — number	109	161	71	103
Land in farms — acres	30 934	30 595	26 860	28 561
Harvested cropland — acres	17 488	20 801	17 232	20 259
Percent of tenancy	10.4	14.2	14.0	19.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	35	67	8	9
Land in farms — acres	2 082	2 357	873	982
Harvested cropland — acres	287	1 146	131	644
Full owners — number	17	37	2	2
Land in farms — acres	712	695	50	54
Harvested cropland — acres	117	222	44	30
Part owners — number	6	5	4	2
Land in farms — acres	625	347	441	202
Harvested cropland — acres	53	81	53	39
Tenants — number	12	25	2	5
Land in farms — acres	745	1 315	382	726
Harvested cropland — acres	117	843	34	575
Percent of tenancy	34.3	37.3	25.0	55.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	466	462
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	138 103	125 098

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	32	66
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 536	25 662
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 301	5 722
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	5
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 146
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	16	15	14	4
25 to 34 years	118	107	50	55
35 to 44 years	171	221	93	117
45 to 54 years	278	300	128	150
55 to 64 years	295	352	145	172
65 years and over	163	135	68	39
Average age	51.4	50.9	50.8	49.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	650	781	311	393
On another farm	39		25	
In a rural area, not on a farm	37	208	23	97
In a city, town, or urban area	86		41	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	316	(NA)	192	(NA)
1 to 49 days	57	65	28	36
50 to 99 days	21	45	8	25
100 to 149 days	43		21	
150 to 199 days	86	146	27	49
200 days and over	350	429	100	120
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	508	(NA)	341	(NA)
Other	533	(NA)	157	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	70	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	59	90	58	90
$40,000 to $99,999	83		82	
$20,000 to $39,999	79	77	78	77
$10,000 to $19,999	68	97	68	97
$5,000 to $9,999	107	112	107	112
$2,500 to $4,999	91	151	91	148
Under $2,500 (see text)	566	603	23	13
$2,000 to $2,499	68	54	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	89	80	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	117	113	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	292	356	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	25 536	13 514	24 646	12 615
Average per farm ... dollars	24 250	11 958	48 611	23 491
Crops, including hay ... farms	432	602	326	(NA)
$1,000	17 847	7 565	17 708	6 735
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	53		32	26
$1,000	583		562	641
Forest products ... farms	52	71	41	34
$1,000	435	51	431	42
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	783	844	347	393
$1,000	6 670	5 898	5 944	5 196
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	34	(NA)	21	33
$1,000	2 250	(NA)	2 212	1 575

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	326	(NA)
$1,000	17 708	6 735
Grains ... farms	239	242
$1,000	9 330	2 199
Tobacco ... farms	1	–
$1,000	2	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	149	242
$1,000	4 018	3 649
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	64	85
$1,000	185	193
Other field crops ... farms	22	23
$1,000	4 042	579
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	25	22
$1,000	96	49
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	82
$1,000	35	66
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	347	393
$1,000	5 944	5 196
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	21	33
$1,000	2 212	1 575
Dairy products ... farms	19	23
$1,000	1 216	1 075
Cattle and calves ... farms	328	(NA)
$1,000	2 117	2 051
Hogs and pigs ... farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	320	496
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	3	
$1,000	2	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	21	
$1,000	77	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	539	(NA)	133	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	206	(NA)	130	(NA)
$1,000	470	(NA)	411	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	63	107	51	85
$1,000	191	270	188	258
Recreational services ... farms	3	6	–	3
$1,000	1	3	–	2
Government farm programs ... farms	110	326	59	226
$1,000	116	1 403	99	1 348
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	60	(NA)	40	(NA)
$1,000	141	(NA)	104	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	12	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	20	(NA)	20	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	49	(NA)	37	(NA)
$1,000	109	(NA)	102	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	276
$1,000	3 343
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	57
$1,000	830
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	167
$1,000	1 911
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	123
$1,000	351
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	62
$1,000	187
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	24
$1,000	65

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 047	1 130	507	537
$1,000	18 007	12 042	16 765	10 952
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	239	355	17	25
$1,000 to $1,999	190	152	32	
$2,000 to $2,999	136	130	36	60
$3,000 to $4,999	121	109	77	86
$5,000 to $9,999	102	149	89	134
$10,000 to $19,999	71		71	87
$20,000 to $39,999	79	235	79	69
$40,000 to $59,999	39		38	76
$60,000 and over	70		68	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	331	399	138	191
$1,000	1 242	1 163	1 082	1 032
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	768	806	337	360
$1,000	3 361	2 062	2 900	1 743
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	540	480	277	286
$1,000	2 718	1 508	2 434	1 383
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	125	111
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	151	82
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	97	98
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	151
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	80	112
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	155	127
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	174	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	479	545	300	349
$1,000	725	325	699	308
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	706	790	372	444
$1,000	1 286	686	1 181	624
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	383	(NA)	273	(NA)
$1,000	1 526	719	1 509	696
Lime ... farms	(NA)	88	18	34
$1,000	(NA)	12	6	8
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 017	1 085	500	533
$1,000	1 126	752	1 019	659
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	403	496
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	396	325
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	358	273
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	464	199
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	107	181
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	69
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	500	532
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	103	65
Hired farm labor ... farms	349	543	241	374
$1,000	2 045	1 688	1 904	1 522
Contract labor ... farms	40	446	30	52
$1,000	65	574	62	117
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	336		210	278
$1,000	445		410	423
All other production expenses ... farms	862	873	500	532
$1,000	6 189	4 072	5 917	3 826

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	952	1 064	463	522
$1,000	19 769	11 342	16 072	9 022
Average per farm—dollars	20 766	10 660	34 713	17 282
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	11	62	4	155
$1,000 to $4,999	210	498	44	
$5,000 to $9,999	307	210	83	116
$10,000 to $19,999	189	121	111	95
$20,000 to $29,999	79	173	70	50
$30,000 to $49,999	68		64	59
$50,000 to $69,999	31		31	47
$70,000 and over	57		56	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	636	682	332	376
number	812	879	453	477
mfd in last 5 years, number	429	646	277	365
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	831	904	424	466
number	1 229	1 290	781	778
mfd in last 5 years, number	494	794	350	475
Wheel tractors—farms	836	896	436	468
number	1 639	1 776	1 164	1 208
mfd in last 5 years, number	411	877	352	642
Crawler tractors—farms	41		25	20
number	49		33	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	14		11	14

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	115	97	113	92
number	159	117	157	111
mfd in last 5 years, number	39	96	39	92
Corn heads for combines—farms	23	86	23	23
number	26	103	26	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	61	4	23
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	42		36	54
number	45		39	63
mfd in last 5 years, number	9		7	32
Mower conditioners—farms	143	(NA)	96	(NA)
number	152	(NA)	104	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	55	(NA)	44	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	145	143	99	104
number	147	151	101	111
mfd in last 5 years, number	43	95	29	66
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	75	(NA)	56	63
number	77	(NA)	58	71
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	22	45
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	20	(NA)	9	17
number	22	(NA)	11	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	3	11

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	805	(X)	356	(X)	783	(X)	347	(X)	5 944
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	771	(X)	333	(X)	758	(X)	338	(X)	2 438
1969	856	(X)	381	(X)	820	(X)	378	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	756	50 266	325	37 656	738	18 311	328	14 813	2 117
1969	827	42 681	369	31 790	773	20 065	365	16 564	2 051
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	26	76	11	33	178	468	34	87	15
5 to 9—1974	43	311	7	52	168	1 076	29	193	29
10 to 19—1974	157	2 209	24	346	159	2 174	61	871	121
20 to 49—1974	260	7 901	72	2 386	152	4 470	125	3 802	518
50 to 99—1974	151	10 429	94	6 594	49	3 231	48	3 137	407
100 to 199—1974	70	9 245	70	9 245	19	2 511	18	2 342	381
200 to 499—1974	37	10 725	36	10 430	10	2 659	10	2 659	360
500 and over—1974	12	9 370	11	8 570	3	1 722	3	1 722	286
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	642	28 652	302	21 831	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	716	24 073	355	19 579	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	605	26 847	279	20 319	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	21 655	333	17 632	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	137	1 805	68	1 512	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	215	2 418	86	1 947	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	1 216
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	1 075

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	605	26 847	279	20 319			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	45	111	10	20			
5 to 9	89	626	29	204			
10 to 19	136	1 831	35	517			
20 to 49	196	6 021	84	2 743			
50 to 99	76	5 056	59	4 007			
100 to 199	40	5 288	40	5 288			
200 to 499	19	5 356	18	4 982			
500 and over	4	2 558	4	2 558			
Milk cows	137	1 805	68	1 512			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	97	144	42	65			
3 or 4	14	43	6	18			
5 to 9	7	41	2	11			
10 to 19	1	13	1	13			
20 to 49	3	110	3	110			
50 to 99	8	510	8	510			
100 to 199	6	(D)	5	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					219	4 808	964
Farms with—							
1 to 4					60	159	32
5 to 9					44	304	63
10 to 19					52	679	126
20 to 49					47	1 341	251
50 to 99					7	456	94
100 to 199					6	849	189
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					291	10 005	1 153
Farms with—							
1 or 2					17	25	4
3 or 4					23	81	12
5 to 9					38	258	29
10 to 19					66	886	91
20 to 49					101	3 043	339
50 to 99					29	1 896	207
100 to 199					8	1 037	111
200 to 499					7	(D)	(D)
500 and over					2	(D)	(D)

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	242	7 469
	1969	310	6 934
Beef heifers	1974	230	6 952
Milk heifers	1974	23	517
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	274	8 356
	1969	339	5 277

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	24	387	87
	1969	6	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	14	57	12
10 to 19	1974	3	(D)	(D)
20 to 49	1974	5	143	25
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	108	4 570	49	3 521	65	6 553	36	5 579	320
	1969	230	7 484	78	4 180	161	7 809	65	4 258	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	38	70	16	35	10	28	4	12	1
5 to 9	1974	29	201	10	62	11	76	3	22	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	19	265	7	92	14	226	9	134	6
25 to 49	1974	5	157	2	55	8	244	3	84	4
50 to 99	1974	7	472	5	322	11	696	7	476	23
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	7	2 166	6	1 716	6	2 108	5	1 676	135
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	575	14	386	11
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	2 305	25	1 449	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	7	162	4	48	6	37	3	28	(NA)
	1969	10	346	8	186	8	173	6	103	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	[1]40
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	6	48	(NA)	(NA)	1	10	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	14	245	(NA)	(NA)	4	130	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	269	888	111	525	35	118	15	79	68
	1969	385	1 808	(NA)	(NA)	56	235	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	29	521
	1969	58	957
Other hogs and pigs	1974	43	3 000
	1969	73	3 223
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	4	36
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	7
Rams and wethers	1974	2	5

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	59	812	32	657
	1969	164	1 203	65	624
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	49	423	28	340
	1969	135	568	47	239
June 1 and November 30	1974	40	389	20	317
	1969	117	635	59	385

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	175	(X)	56	(X)	23	(X)	16	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	76	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	167	263 355	52	256 468	19	266 750	12	264 430
	1969	236	337 167	69	323 952	33	424 327	28	416 815
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	164	168 934	51	162 334	15	121 512	9	119 230
	1969	227	174 211	64	161 571	29	161 315	26	153 815
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	154	3 227	43	1 034	8	151	3	30
100 to 399	1974	3	400	2	300	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	3	5 361	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	4	20 307	3	16 000	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	26	105 731	6	105 220	4	628 242	4	628 242
	1969	17	75 263	7	75 072	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	2 250	21	2 212
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	33	1 575

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	51	162 334	9	119 230
	1969	64	161 571	26	153 815
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	50	97 284	8	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	65 050	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	6	87 560	3	(D)
	1969	10	162 208	3	263 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	26	6 574	2	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	10	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	8	–	–
	1969	4	19	1	3
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	8	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	2	8	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	11	1	3
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	11	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	109	227	3 449	7 153	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	27	31	1 152	2 670	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	231	237	39 959	29 431	1 259 349	761 512
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	6	2	6	3 000	2 300
Wheat (bushels)	4	4	187	125	6 324	3 715
Other small grains for grain	11	12	2 781	1 061	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	164	311	20 947	20 402	20 897	33 802
Tobacco (pounds)	1	–	3	–	1 665	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	22	(NA)	18	(NA)	1 011	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	46	(NA)	5 567	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	326	319	10 014	11 619	18 797	23 439
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	54	52	242	290	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	56	116	860	1 236	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	–	8	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	66	(NA)	4 068	2 892	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	56	104	2 748	5 527	230 691	321 371	–	3	–	139
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	5	9	257	489	3 942	7 400	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	4	–	95	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	9	16	821	2 291	28 558	49 988	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	13	(NA)	273	96	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	9	208	622	834	1 219	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	256	29 879	(X)	–	–	86	7 871	86	949	–	–
	1969	277	34 011	(X)	–	–	113	8 891	113	1 013	2	15
Improved pasture	1974	90	14 242	(X)	–	–	30	6 992	29	693	1	20
	1969	76	10 288	(X)	–	–	42	4 477	42	516	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	60	3 005	(X)	–	–	48	2 419	41	332	24	175
	1969	113	6 111	(X)	3	139	92	4 911	74	642	53	393
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	20	1 094	(X)	–	–	15	811	14	62	7	29
	1969	21	2 387	(X)	–	–	11	1 191	11	110	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	3	170	5 610	–	–	3	170	3	12	–	–
	1969	2	100	2 899	–	–	1	65	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	20	1 700	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	60	1 850	–	–	4	60	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	8	2 693	(X)	8	2 693	8	2 693	8	332	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	217	39 707	1 249 554	–	–	37	5 241	35	897	2	6
	1969	206	28 748	744 601	–	–	41	6 546	(NA)	638	(NA)	81
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	3 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	163	7 578	14 338	–	–	72	2 417	72	448	1	1
	1969	177	9 424	19 431	1	80	82	4 056	80	562	2	18
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	236	(X)	–	–	4	236	3	22	3	26
Cotton (bales)	1974	149	20 783	20 758	–	–	144	20 206	76	1 435	105	1 697
	1969	233	19 833	33 188	1	35	225	19 207	(NA)	1 358	(NA)	1 639
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	1	3	1 665	–	–	1	3	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	13	16	907	2	2	12	15	12	7	–	–
	1969	9	2	130	1	(Z)	3	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	27	191	(X)	3	33	12	66	12	15	–	–
	1969	23	187	(X)	2	4	18	165	18	45	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	24	771	(X)	–	–	5	83	5	15	–	–
	1969	71	1 025	(X)	2	16	26	500	25	74	1	17

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	2	8	(X)	2	8	2	8	2	3	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	32	360	(X)	12	35	23	325	23	85	2	1
	1969	26	582	(X)	9	32	20	407	20	85	1	1
Other crops	1974	20	3 723	(X)	–	–	18	3 720	15	369	7	330

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	397	469
	$1,000	2 690	1 321
Commercial fertilizer	farms	372	403
	acres on which used	53 042	53 684
	tons	7 918	7 726
	$1,000	1 181	624
Lime	farms	18	34
	acres on which used	517	876
	tons	642	1 138
	$1,000	6	8
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	5	3
	acres on which used	149	145
	$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops	farms	170	242
	acres on which used	44 334	35 576
	$1,000	793	384
Nemotodes in crops	farms	16	37
	acres on which used	1 322	2 795
	$1,000	11	28
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	4	9
	acres on which used	185	551
	$1,000	4	5
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	148	202
	acres on which used	48 189	35 178
	$1,000	568	224
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	14	44
	acres on which used	1 975	6 722
	$1,000	15	8
Weeds on all other land	farms	30	(NA)
	acres on which used	674	(NA)
	$1,000	4	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	69	122
	acres on which used	10 432	9 588
	$1,000	54	26
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	33	111
	$1,000	11	10
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	47	(NA)
	$1,000	41	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	23	22
Proportion of farms	percent	4.5	4.0
Total land irrigated	acres	2 762	1 276
Average per farm	acres	120.1	58.0
Cropland irrigated	farms	23	22
	acres	2 762	1 276
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	23	22
	acres	2 762	1 272
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	4
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland posture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	4 984	5 424
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.8	4.3
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	5	(NA)
	acres	11	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	10	(NA)
	acres	57	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	11 106	10 383
Cropland	acres	7 452	6 876
Harvested cropland	acres	6 297	4 978
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	1	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	12	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	79	138
Proportion of farms	percent	15.6	25.6
Land in farms with drainage	acres	43 390	58 550
Land drained	acres	35 807	50 980
Average per farm	acres	453.3	369.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	55	(NA)
	number	277	(NA)
	acres	192	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	197	151	111
	$1,000	13 290	9 336	3 955
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		33	22	28
$5,000 to $9,999		20	15	18
$10,000 to $29,999		48	38	29
$30,000 to $49,999		33	27	17
$50,000 and over		63	49	19

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	115	156	344	413	1 428	1 522
25 to 149 days	87	310	423	1 194	350	
Less than 25 days	123		1 113		125	
Total contract labor	30	52	(NA)	(NA)	62	117
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	79	(NA)	23	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	241	115	87	123
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 904	1 428	350	125
Number of workers	1 880	344	423	1 113
Farms with—				
1 worker	65	40	29	39
2 workers	38	28	18	11
3 or 4 workers	41	24	17	31
5 to 9 workers	50	19	12	12
10 workers and over	47	4	11	30

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	327	428	179	189
Land in farms — acres	119 984	131 513	107 562	109 021
Average size of farm — acres	367	307	601	577
Approximate land area — acres	259 776	259 776	259 776	259 776
Proportion in farms — percent	46.2	50.6	41.4	42.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	43 484	27 728	38 238	22 691
Average per farm — dollars	132 979	64 784	213 621	120 060
Average per acre — dollars	362	211	355	208
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	5	8	–	2
10 to 49 acres	57	95	9	3
50 to 69 acres	32	37	5	10
70 to 99 acres	48	59	20	19
100 to 139 acres	42	42	23	16
140 to 179 acres	17	39	11	22
180 to 219 acres	18	23	13	12
220 to 259 acres	11	16	8	7
260 to 499 acres	44	50	37	42
500 to 999 acres	20	23	20	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	20	23	20	23
2,000 acres and over	13	13	13	13

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	14	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	5 550	4 582
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	2	17
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	126	1 231
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	19
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	–	1 759
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	11
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	316	558
Cropland idle — farms	12	21
Cropland idle — acres	5 108	1 034
Total woodland — farms	87	119
Total woodland — acres	14 264	20 571
Woodland pastured — farms	45	94
Woodland pastured — acres	5 637	13 061

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	306	367	172	173
Total cropland — acres	58 832	65 928	50 902	56 483
Harvested cropland — farms	228	250	150	153
Harvested cropland — acres	25 284	22 806	24 334	21 508
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	51	61	14	
10 to 19 acres	46	52	20	75
20 to 29 acres	28	29	20	
30 to 49 acres	32	25	25	
50 to 99 acres	19	23	19	18
100 to 199 acres	20	32	20	32
200 to 499 acres	18	18	18	18
500 to 999 acres	11	8	11	8
1,000 acres and over	3	2	3	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	212	280	108	129
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	27 296	37 421	21 018	30 393
Other cropland (see text) — farms	34	103	14	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	6 252	5 701	5 550	4 582
Total woodland — farms	158	235	87	119
Total woodland — acres	16 873	28 618	14 264	20 571
Other land (see text) — farms	202	279	133	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	44 279	36 967	42 396	31 967
Irrigated land — farms	–	2	–	2
Irrigated land — acres	–	173	–	173

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	54	60
Woodland not pastured — acres	8 627	7 510
Other land — farms	133	(NA)
Other land — acres	42 396	31 967
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	91	84
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	39 073	29 521
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	63	55
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	11 219	21 339
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	57	44
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	27 854	8 182
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	104	109
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	3 323	2 446

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	327	428	179	189
Land in farms — acres	119 984	131 513	107 562	109 021
Harvested cropland — acres	25 284	22 806	24 334	21 508
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	200	273	90	94
Land in farms — acres	53 502	53 907	45 905	38 001
Harvested cropland — acres	9 135	6 080	8 502	5 109
Part owners — number	95	107	68	70
Land in farms — acres	55 591	64 179	51 642	58 957
Harvested cropland — acres	12 424	13 490	12 187	13 343
Tenants — number	32	48	21	25
Land in farms — acres	10 891	13 427	10 015	12 063
Harvested cropland — acres	3 725	3 236	3 645	3 056
Percent of tenancy	9.8	11.2	11.7	13.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	31	57	4	9
Land in farms — acres	1 457	2 925	204	974
Harvested cropland — acres	302	688	183	409
Full owners — number	24	40	4	5
Land in farms — acres	917	1 960	204	484
Harvested cropland — acres	266	399	183	219
Part owners — number	7	2	–	1
Land in farms — acres	540	138	–	68
Harvested cropland — acres	36	53	–	40
Tenants — number	–	15	–	3
Land in farms — acres	–	827	–	422
Harvested cropland — acres	–	236	–	150
Percent of tenancy	–	26.3	–	33.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	163	164
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	83 239	94 315

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	15	21
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	13 888
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	818
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	12	1	8	1
25 to 34 years	26	34	16	16
35 to 44 years	31	53	17	32
45 to 54 years	74	112	45	55
55 to 64 years	101	151	49	65
65 years and over	82	77	43	20
Average age	53.7	54.2	52.7	51.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	198	265	107	121
On another farm	11	89	9	47
In a rural area, not on a farm	16		11	
In a city, town, or urban area	38		22	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	104	(NA)	64	(NA)
1 to 49 days	14	31	8	12
50 to 99 days	17	18	6	8
100 to 149 days	13	47	7	21
150 to 199 days	21		16	
200 days and over	107	189	49	69
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	174	(NA)	117	(NA)
Other	152	(NA)	61	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	13	24	13	24
$40,000 to $99,999	24		24	
$20,000 to $39,999	20	21	20	21
$10,000 to $19,999	25	35	25	35
$5,000 to $9,999	27	41	27	41
$2,500 to $4,999	54	63	54	63
Under $2,500 (see text)	164	244	16	5
$2,000 to $2,499	27	22	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	21	22	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	31	49	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	85	151	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	5 269	3 993	5 120	3 800
Average per farm ... dollars	16 113	9 330	28 606	20 105
Crops, including hay ... farms	113	150	87	(NA)
$1,000	2 505	1 050	2 482	1 018
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	33	41	22	27
$1,000	(D)	57	(D)	54
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	301	355	171	175
$1,000	2 677	2 886	2 554	2 728
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	5	(NA)	1	5
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	554

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	87	(NA)
$1,000	2 482	1 018
Grains ... farms	35	33
$1,000	1 072	165
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	41	53
$1,000	1 156	671
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	43	43
$1,000	233	62
Other field crops ... farms	2	1
$1,000	(Z)	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	6	2
$1,000	17	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	27
$1,000	4	117
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	171	175
$1,000	2 554	2 728
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	1	5
$1,000	(D)	554
Dairy products ... farms	2	2
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	169	(NA)
$1,000	2 181	(D)
Hogs and pigs ... farms	12	(NA)
$1,000	96	52
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	52	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	174	(NA)	76	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	55	(NA)	43	(NA)
$1,000	144	(NA)	135	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	18	27	15	23
$1,000	77	128	71	126
Recreational services ... farms	–	3	–	2
$1,000	–	18	–	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	36	121	26	77
$1,000	23	467	19	450
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	11	(NA)	11	(NA)
$1,000	40	(NA)	40	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	13	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)	23	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	115
$1,000	1 674
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	24
$1,000	416
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	80
$1,000	976
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	39
$1,000	189
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	17
$1,000	52
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	16
$1,000	40

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	326	428	179	189
$1,000	5 256	3 999	5 024	3 685
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	66	120	2	16
$1,000 to $1,999	45	81	6	
$2,000 to $2,999	31	49	8	18
$3,000 to $4,999	43	59	24	39
$5,000 to $9,999	51	45	49	42
$10,000 to $19,999	36	74	36	28
$20,000 to $39,999	15		15	17
$40,000 to $59,999	14		14	29
$60,000 and over	25		25	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	107	185	68	108
$1,000	584	924	560	870
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	284	340	150	162
$1,000	723	693	636	618
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	201	201	126	128
$1,000	557	478	518	454
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	57	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	40
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	17
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	43
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	26	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	38	80
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	60	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	107	171	73	94
$1,000	140	69	138	64
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	249	307	147	161
$1,000	493	253	460	221
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	101	(NA)	75	(NA)
$1,000	391	216	386	209
Lime ... farms	(NA)	39	19	21
$1,000	(NA)	42	24	38
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	316	408	178	187
$1,000	364	254	340	215
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	180
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	152	91
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	91	82
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	110	48
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	97
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	52
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	178	187
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	23
Hired farm labor ... farms	129	237	99	135
$1,000	509	474	501	450
Contract labor ... farms	32	175	27	36
$1,000	80	150	78	47
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	94		67	76
$1,000	133		128	88
All other production expenses ... farms	281	326	176	189
$1,000	1 839	967	1 737	903

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	302	402	165	183
$1,000	4 733	3 091	3 810	2 300
Average per farm—dollars	15 672	7 689	23 090	12 570
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	33	–	77
$1,000 to $4,999	81	206	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	94	86	35	43
$10,000 to $19,999	63	31	35	18
$20,000 to $29,999	20	46	20	19
$30,000 to $49,999	20		19	18
$50,000 to $69,999	10		10	8
$70,000 and over	11		11	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	214	265	117	118
number	287	350	175	164
mfd in last 5 years, number	157	233	115	119
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	269	332	154	167
number	411	449	287	270
mfd in last 5 years, number	167	248	138	149
Wheel tractors—farms	250	311	141	168
number	484	579	354	412
mfd in last 5 years, number	143	309	126	223
Crawler tractors—farms	15		10	11
number	16		11	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		2	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	16	12	15	12
number	21	17	20	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	13	13	13
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	13	2	1
number	2	15	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	8	2	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	12		11	12
number	13		12	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	7
Mower conditioners—farms	74	(NA)	63	(NA)
number	85	(NA)	74	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	(NA)	36	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	79	91	68	79
number	91	95	80	83
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	65	37	55
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	40	(NA)	35	41
number	43	(NA)	38	42
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	19	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	4	6
number	10	(NA)	5	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	1	3

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	302	(X)	165	(X)	301	(X)	171	(X)	2 554
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	298	(X)	164	(X)	296	(X)	170	(X)	2 277
1969	359	(X)	168	(X)	350	(X)	174	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	297	39 831	163	36 320	292	17 686	169	16 726	2 181
1969	354	30 671	166	27 220	345	18 593	172	17 164	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	6	20	1	4	57	152	7	19	2
5 to 9—1974	18	109	4	24	38	269	6	43	5
10 to 19—1974	43	635	4	68	61	788	30	407	62
20 to 49—1974	81	2 481	24	825	72	2 153	62	1 933	254
50 to 99—1974	56	3 638	37	2 451	22	1 503	22	1 503	177
100 to 199—1974	41	5 254	41	5 254	16	2 317	16	2 317	303
200 to 499—1974	27	7 731	27	7 731	20	5 889	20	5 889	715
500 and over—1974	25	19 963	25	19 963	6	4 615	6	4 615	663
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	264	23 092	153	21 205	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	282	17 340	151	15 890	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	252	22 932	148	21 117	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	17 218	146	15 832	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	33	160	14	88	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	46	122	12	58	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	252	22 932	148	21 117
Farms with—				
1 to 4	14	39	2	2
5 to 9	24	161	–	–
10 to 19	37	541	7	91
20 to 49	78	2 465	43	1 490
50 to 99	42	2 901	39	2 709
100 to 199	22	2 904	22	2 904
200 to 499	28	8 154	28	8 154
500 and over	7	5 767	7	5 767
Milk cows	33	160	14	88
Farms with—				
1 or 2	9	15	2	4
3 or 4	14	50	6	24
5 to 9	5	29	4	24
10 to 19	5	66	2	36
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	117	4 747	939
Farms with—			
1 to 4	15	43	9
5 to 9	22	163	32
10 to 19	31	432	75
20 to 49	26	839	141
50 to 99	14	954	175
100 to 199	4	541	94
200 to 499	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	156	11 979	1 241
Farms with—			
1 or 2	4	8	1
3 or 4	8	32	3
5 to 9	16	118	13
10 to 19	29	404	42
20 to 49	48	1 346	138
50 to 99	17	1 083	107
100 to 199	18	2 449	251
200 to 499	12	3 549	370
500 and over	4	2 990	315

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	132	7 100	2	37	(D)
	1969	137	6 047	3	50	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	130	6 970			
Milk heifers	1974	5	130			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	135	8 015			
	1969	157	5 283			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			2	37	(D)
	1969			3	50	(NA)
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			1	16	7
20 to 49	1974			1	21	(D)
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	45	974	22	895	21	1 227	12	1 180	96
	1969	29	651	11	555	17	1 014	9	938	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	32	61	12	13	5	10	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	2	14	1	9	6	40	3	17	1
10 to 24	1974	8	108	6	82	6	81	5	67	5
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	40	1	40	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	3	791	3	791	3	1 056	3	1 056	89
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	36	3	28	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	169	2	121	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	72	2	72	2	12	2	12	(NA)
	1969	4	252	–	–	3	117	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	36	[1]260
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	15	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	47	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	80	305	41	205	7	20	6	19	52
	1969	119	578	(NA)	(NA)	12	68	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	11	195				
	1969	6	106				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	21	700				
	1969	11	449				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	30				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	32				
Rams and wethers	1974	2	10				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			18	167	11	157
	1969			16	97	6	78
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			11	93	10	92
	1969			14	58	5	47
June 1 and November 30	1974			16	74	9	65
	1969			11	39	5	31

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Any poultry	1974	67	(X)	19	(X)	5	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	65	(D)	19	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	79	(D)	20	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	60	(D)	14	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	78	61 234	20	(D)	4	58 050	2	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	59	(D)	13	(D)	4	100	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	13	134	3	20	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	44 098	3	44 000	3	147 342	3	147 342
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	554

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	14	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	20	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	14	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	43	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	13	151	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	16	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	6	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	3	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	42	31	479	508	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	7	551	3 530	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	33	28	7 135	2 634	163 851	41 358
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	4	2	2	800	1 060
Wheat (bushels)	4	3	415	141	11 980	1 561
Other small grains for grain	4	10	183	695	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	48	67	6 985	6 337	5 475	6 084
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	7	(NA)	2	(NA)	194	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	14	(NA)	5	(NA)	416	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	184	176	9 466	7 890	22 686	13 449
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	13	16	52	31	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	6	42	205	885	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	–	(NA)	–	439	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	15	7	262	364	10 755	14 500	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	–	72	–	668	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	–	20	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	7	335	3 530	15 808	53 213	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	210	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	7	645	184	1 311	232	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	108	21 018	(X)	–	–	57	4 886	57	599	1	22
	1969	129	30 393	(X)	–	–	66	7 033	66	911	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	63	11 219	(X)	–	–	27	4 728	26	436	1	100
	1969	55	21 339	(X)	–	–	28	5 380	27	555	1	5
Corn for all purposes	1974	20	354	(X)	–	–	14	314	13	21	1	5
	1969	7	364	(X)	–	–	7	364	5	28	4	21
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	7	545	(X)	–	–	3	255	2	12	2	6
	1969	7	3 530	(X)	–	–	7	3 530	6	305	1	50
Wheat (bushels)	1974	4	415	11 980	–	–	3	335	2	40	1	3
	1969	3	141	1 561	–	–	2	121	(NA)	10	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	4	183	10 990	–	–	3	123	2	11	1	1
	1969	10	695	17 467	–	–	9	660	(NA)	70	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	33	7 135	163 851	–	–	1	25	1	3	–	–
	1969	27	2 623	41 323	2	68	3	224	(NA)	41	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	800	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	125	8 678	21 499	–	–	69	5 430	66	1 088	3	113
	1969	118	6 936	11 855	–	–	53	3 330	53	626	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	346	(X)	–	–	3	180	3	18	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	41	6 932	5 433	–	–	39	6 875	23	250	16	276
	1969	52	6 213	5 976	2	105	52	6 281	(NA)	495	(NA)	237
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	1	36	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	–	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	42	(X)	–	–	7	42	7	4	–	–
	1969	2	7	(X)	–	–	2	46	2	5	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	6	205	(X)	–	–	2	32	2	2	–	–
	1969	38	850	(X)	–	–	10	391	10	58	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	3	3	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	149	166
	$1,000	846	430
Commercial fertilizer	farms	147	143
	acres on which used	23 045	27 620
	tons	2 992	3 446
	$1,000	460	221
Lime	farms	19	21
	acres on which used	1 861	2 621
	tons	3 000	4 884
	$1,000	24	38
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	6	10
	acres on which used	417	506
	$1,000	1	3
Insects on other crops	farms	24	50
	acres on which used	5 467	7 246
	$1,000	137	91
Nematodes in crops	farms	3	–
	acres on which used	703	–
	$1,000	24	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1	2
	acres on which used	300	650
	$1,000	10	8
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	31	35
	acres on which used	10 066	7 223
	$1,000	121	45
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	22	39
	acres on which used	2 726	5 066
	$1,000	6	7
Weeds on all other land	farms	4	(NA)
	acres on which used	101	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	17	30
	acres on which used	4 098	3 501
	$1,000	25	9
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	36	50
	$1,000	16	6
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	14	(NA)
	$1,000	21	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	2
Proportion of farms	percent	–	1.0
Total land irrigated	acres	–	173
Average per farm	acres	–	86.5
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	2
	acres	–	173
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	2
	acres	–	173
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	94
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	0.5
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	(D)
Cropland	acres	–	(D)
Harvested cropland	acres	–	(D)
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	1	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	65	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	14	43
Proportion of farms	percent	7.8	22.7
Land in farms with drainage	acres	19 415	41 560
Land drained	acres	8 824	27 463
Average per farm	acres	630.3	638.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks	farms	59	(NA)
	number	220	(NA)
	acres	172	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	76	49	48
	$1,000	5 851	3 517	2 334
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		6	3	7
$5,000 to $9,999		18	9	10
$10,000 to $29,999		17	11	13
$30,000 to $49,999		9	13	3
$50,000 and over		26	13	15

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	42	54	120	153	410	450
25 to 149 days	34	116	85	558	68	
Less than 25 days	52		273		23	
Total contract labor	27	36	(NA)	(NA)	78	47
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	16	(NA)	95	(NA)	32	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	99	42	34	52
Cash wages paid $1,000	501	410	68	23
Number of workers	478	120	85	273
Farms with—				
1 worker	29	16	14	16
2 workers	8	5	8	3
3 or 4 workers	24	12	8	10
5 to 9 workers	25	9	3	13
10 workers and over	13	–	1	10

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	877	1 146	579	686
Land in farms — acres	274 107	263 814	257 910	238 435
Average size of farm — acres	313	230	445	348
Approximate land area — acres	368 832	368 832	368 832	368 832
Proportion in farms — percent	74.3	71.5	69.9	64.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	113 559	72 514	105 900	62 732
Average per farm — dollars	129 486	63 275	182 901	91 446
Average per acre — dollars	414	275	411	263
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	27	37	6	8
10 to 49 acres	254	307	70	41
50 to 69 acres	52	90	27	41
70 to 99 acres	123	150	83	85
100 to 139 acres	68	123	53	94
140 to 179 acres	44	80	38	72
180 to 219 acres	32	47	32	40
220 to 259 acres	27	41	24	41
260 to 499 acres	109	136	107	131
500 to 999 acres	79	88	77	87
1,000 to 1,999 acres	46	35	46	34
2,000 acres and over	16	12	16	12

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	810	1 080	565	665
acres	191 568	187 751	183 279	174 583
Harvested cropland — farms	707	989	544	638
acres	148 533	136 316	146 492	130 569
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	75	132	6	
10 to 19 acres	95	158	26	186
20 to 29 acres	62	115	45	
30 to 49 acres	74	128	66	
50 to 99 acres	124	140	124	136
100 to 199 acres	87	120	87	120
200 to 499 acres	103	124	103	124
500 to 999 acres	64	56	64	56
1,000 acres and over	23	16	23	16
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	365	539	218	338
acres	26 439	36 114	20 686	30 838
Other cropland (see text) — farms	152	338	118	(NA)
acres	16 596	15 321	16 101	13 176
Total woodland — farms	396	563	271	350
acres	43 524	38 273	39 096	32 291
Other land (see text) — farms	616	779	420	(NA)
acres	39 015	37 790	35 535	31 561
Irrigated land — farms	37	67	37	57
acres	8 212	6 994	8 212	6 888

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	118	(NA)
acres	16 101	13 176
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	16	33
acres	611	1 214
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	51	66
acres	5 718	4 050
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	33
acres	7 204	1 887
Cropland idle — farms	56	138
acres	2 568	6 025
Total woodland — farms	271	350
acres	39 096	32 291
Woodland pastured — farms	114	199
acres	9 151	11 669

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	183	216
acres	29 945	20 622
Other land — farms	420	(NA)
acres	35 535	31 561
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	117	147
acres	22 410	21 477
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	70	84
acres	10 709	15 751
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	63	85
acres	11 701	5 726
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	392	428
acres	13 125	10 084

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	877	1 146	579	686
Land in farms — acres	274 107	263 814	257 910	238 435
Harvested cropland — acres	148 533	136 316	146 492	130 569
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	478	609	250	250
Land in farms — acres	113 464	71 443	102 202	52 104
Harvested cropland — acres	47 042	24 737	45 575	20 449
Part owners — number	265	368	229	330
Land in farms — acres	130 108	158 382	126 038	154 233
Harvested cropland — acres	81 128	87 412	80 798	86 724
Tenants — number	134	169	100	106
Land in farms — acres	30 535	33 989	29 670	32 098
Harvested cropland — acres	20 363	24 167	20 119	23 396
Percent of tenancy	15.3	14.7	17.3	15.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	72	176	21	63
Land in farms — acres	5 130	11 467	3 209	7 753
Harvested cropland — acres	2 583	5 935	2 116	4 694
Full owners — number	38	95	3	22
Land in farms — acres	1 363	4 336	158	1 606
Harvested cropland — acres	331	1 561	113	863
Part owners — number	12	22	7	18
Land in farms — acres	2 542	4 628	1 990	4 404
Harvested cropland — acres	1 380	2 846	1 254	2 744
Tenants — number	22	59	11	23
Land in farms — acres	1 225	2 503	1 061	1 743
Harvested cropland — acres	872	1 528	749	1 087
Percent of tenancy	30.6	33.5	52.4	36.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	530	593
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	186 320	198 000

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	43	81
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	57 309	34 803
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 352	5 632
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	929	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	19	21	11	11
25 to 34 years	115	109	88	70
35 to 44 years	160	162	103	84
45 to 54 years	216	302	129	206
55 to 64 years	219	387	154	233
65 years and over	142	165	88	82
Average age	50.4	52.1	50.2	51.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	451	760	315	482
On another farm	109		57	
In a rural area, not on a farm	42	231	33	126
In a city, town, or urban area	65		35	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	312	(NA)	248	(NA)
1 to 49 days	71	102	46	59
50 to 99 days	24	67	7	38
100 to 149 days	20	124	18	51
150 to 199 days	35		22	
200 days and over	205	256	84	98
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	599	(NA)	474	(NA)
Other	272	(NA)	99	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	76	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	69	54	69	54
$40,000 to $99,999	104		104	
$20,000 to $39,999	88	72	88	72
$10,000 to $19,999	106	123	106	123
$5,000 to $9,999	100	147	100	147
$2,500 to $4,999	94	203	94	203
Under $2,500 (see text)	316	547	18	87
$2,000 to $2,499	40	85	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	55	84	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	76	108	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	145	270	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	26 608	11 648	26 289	11 182
Average per farm (dollars)	30 340	10 163	45 403	16 299
Crops, including hay (farms)	638	953	518	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	21 461	7 394	21 338	7 094
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	–		–	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	–		–	3
Forest products (farms)	11	21	11	18
Forest products ($1,000)	94	26	94	26
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	499	643	297	409
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	5 053	4 227	4 857	4 058
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	10	(NA)	1	11
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1	(NA)	(Z)	49

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	518	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	21 338	7 094
Grains (farms)	278	473
Grains ($1,000)	7 820	2 091
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	470	597
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	13 313	4 781
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	31	61
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	67	121
Other field crops (farms)	7	15
Other field crops ($1,000)	129	44
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	5	24
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	7	51
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	1	18
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	1	7
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	297	409
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	4 857	4 058
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	1	11
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(Z)	49
Dairy products (farms)	23	24
Dairy products ($1,000)	3 010	1 970
Cattle and calves (farms)	283	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	1 601	1 968
Hogs and pigs (farms)	18	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	210	71
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	9	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	35	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	295	(NA)	106	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	286	(NA)	181	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	1 139	(NA)	993	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	89	120	74	101
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	509	366	489	335
Recreational services (farms)	4	10	4	6
Recreational services ($1,000)	9	24	9	23
Government farm programs (farms)	97	703	78	484
Government farm programs ($1,000)	178	2 628	172	2 504
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	133	(NA)	53	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	332	(NA)	216	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	30	(NA)	28	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	111	(NA)	107	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	90	(NA)	68	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	417	(NA)	383	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	293
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	2 614
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	57
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	459
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	198
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	1 710
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	102
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	226
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	45
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	145
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	19
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	73

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	871	1 146	579	686
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	19 794	11 676	19 391	11 153
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	170	259	15	84
$1,000 to $1,999	112	228	34	
$2,000 to $2,999	67	117	36	80
$3,000 to $4,999	85	118	68	99
$5,000 to $9,999	135	161	124	160
$10,000 to $19,999	75	263	75	135
$20,000 to $39,999	88		88	70
$40,000 to $59,999	54		54	58
$60,000 and over	85		85	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	190	256	115	169
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	875	751	804	718
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	486	606	265	362
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 851	1 167	1 755	1 107
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	352	367	228	245
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 515	862	1 480	833
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	91	131
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	75	113
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	91	68
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	100	73
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	52	115
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	100	88
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	183	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	606	962	501	620
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	941	543	928	506
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	654	943	505	638
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	2 330	1 001	2 295	955
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	493	(NA)	432	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	2 547	894	2 535	872
Lime (farms)	(NA)	166	58	121
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	87	69	82
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	836	1 117	570	682
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	1 407	987	1 364	905
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	537	608
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	483	328
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	441	361
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	571	307
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	235	300
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	148	178
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	570	682
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	162	92
Hired farm labor (farms)	350	686	286	475
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 686	1 483	1 668	1 446
Contract labor (farms)	25	669	21	34
Contract labor ($1,000)	53	623	53	61
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	364		279	427
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	922		896	511
All other production expenses (farms)	768	947	571	662
All other production expenses ($1,000)	7 181	4 229	7 039	4 072

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	816	1 093	548	669
$1,000	20 052	13 578	18 318	11 918
Average per farm—dollars	24 573	12 423	33 427	17 814
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	16	66	3	226
$1,000 to $4,999	170	473	67	
$5,000 to $9,999	192	198	79	113
$10,000 to $19,999	120	128	91	109
$20,000 to $29,999	108	228	100	77
$30,000 to $49,999	84		82	85
$50,000 to $69,999	62		62	59
$70,000 and over	64		64	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	602	748	434	470
number	770	962	579	612
mfd in last 5 years, number	469	654	413	430
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	683	840	500	561
number	1 099	1 231	911	933
mfd in last 5 years, number	539	735	487	588
Wheel tractors—farms	711	987	502	625
number	1 599	2 098	1 335	1 583
mfd in last 5 years, number	561	1 057	553	909
Crawler tractors—farms	19		13	26
number	28		20	50
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	131	135	131	133
number	200	172	200	170
mfd in last 5 years, number	70	126	70	126
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	48	2	8
number	2	56	2	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	33	1	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	39		38	37
number	40		39	45
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	28
Mower conditioners—farms	68	(NA)	53	(NA)
number	71	(NA)	55	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	96	94	87	85
number	100	98	91	89
mfd in last 5 years, number	22	56	20	53
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	68	(NA)	61	54
number	70	(NA)	63	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	9	40
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	10	17
number	16	(NA)	14	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	13

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	552	(X)	334	(X)	499	(X)	297	(X)	4 857
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	528	(X)	318	(X)	491	(X)	292	(X)	1 812
1969	702	(X)	439	(X)	628	(X)	404	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	511	35 107	305	29 801	481	12 704	283	11 302	1 601
1969	668	30 940	418	27 336	614	18 070	396	16 577	1 968
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	21	78	15	56	120	300	56	129	20
5 to 9—1974	46	331	26	190	132	886	52	346	45
10 to 19—1974	95	1 342	31	458	110	1 472	58	823	123
20 to 49—1974	184	5 727	89	2 816	73	2 118	71	2 076	288
50 to 99—1974	95	6 367	74	5 019	27	1 793	27	1 793	274
100 to 199—1974	38	5 250	38	5 250	10	1 317	10	1 317	213
200 to 499—1974	23	8 295	23	8 295	5	1 495	5	1 495	174
500 and over—1974	9	7 717	9	7 717	4	3 323	4	3 323	464
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	445	20 616	288	17 837	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	590	18 031	394	16 385	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	411	17 267	261	14 568	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 903	353	12 384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	103	3 349	65	3 269	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	172	4 128	103	4 001	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	3 010
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)	1 970

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	411	17 267	261	14 568	Cattle sold	164	4 686	994
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	39	109	21	48	1 to 4	62	131	26
5 to 9	52	352	19	122	5 to 9	33	217	44
10 to 19	105	1 466	57	787	10 to 19	29	400	80
20 to 49	129	4 031	82	2 606	20 to 49	21	635	124
50 to 99	51	3 349	47	3 045	50 to 99	12	825	206
100 to 199	18	2 451	18	2 451	100 to 199	3	392	78
200 to 499	14	3 726	14	3 726	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	3	1 783	3	1 783	500 and over	2	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	103	3 349	65	3 269	Calves sold	237	6 616	607
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	53	75	26	38	1 or 2	29	44	6
3 or 4	18	58	9	29	3 or 4	22	86	9
5 to 9	9	57	7	43	5 to 9	52	335	39
10 to 19	8	107	8	107	10 to 19	54	720	85
20 to 49	2	48	2	48	20 to 49	54	1 603	182
50 to 99	6	420	6	420	50 to 99	16	1 045	114
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	4	1 085	4	1 085	200 to 499	5	1 478	128
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	222	6 810
	1969	343	6 520
Beef heifers	1974	210	5 731
Milk heifers	1974	19	1 079
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	250	5 154
	1969	372	4 431

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	86	15
	1969	2	32	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	1	5	1
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	3	81	14
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	54	1 762	35	1 660	21	3 838	18	3 806	210
	1969	135	1 291	80	1 008	68	1 463	46	1 303	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	20	44	11	22	2	4	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	17	119	9	62	2	15	1	7	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	6	96	4	73	5	63	3	39	2
25 to 49	1974	3	95	3	95	1	30	1	30	2
50 to 99	1974	3	170	3	170	4	230	4	230	18
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	126	1	126	5
200 to 499	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	850	3	850	43
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	3	2 520	3	2 520	140
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	25	1	15	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	431	14	416	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	149	4	120	7	121	5	95	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	16	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	91	284	51	213	6	18	6	18	13
	1969	204	769	(NA)	(NA)	24	134	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	20	141
	1969	48	221
Other hogs and pigs	1974	33	1 519
	1969	76	787
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	30	385	23	374
	1969	80	262	52	223
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	22	203	19	198
	1969	53	123	35	102
June 1 and November 30	1974	21	182	16	176
	1969	54	139	37	121

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	115	(X)	60	(X)	5	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	113	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	113	2 540	60	1 377	5	36	–	–
	1969	220	13 744	110	(D)	13	4 189	8	3 685
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	109	2 253	58	1 192	5	36	–	–
	1969	209	13 139	106	10 156	13	4 169	8	3 685
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	109	2 253	58	1 192	5	36	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	11	185	4	82	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	153	2	28	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	1	1	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	49

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	58	1 192	–	–
	1969	106	10 156	8	3 685
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	55	1 131	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	61	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	60	–	–
	1969	10	131	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	31	125	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	45	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	4	12	–	–
	1969	11	129	1	56
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	10	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	4	–	–
Light breed	1974	1	6	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	11	71	–	–
Other poultry	1974	6	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	20	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	41	118	510	2 591	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	12	20	727	1 266	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	300	550	58 854	75 100	1 039 854	911 001
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	13	420	65	735 024	38 650
Wheat (bushels)	1	5	73	177	1 600	3 945
Other small grains for grain	20	47	3 672	3 029	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	543	880	79 027	50 439	66 667	44 547
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	2	(NA)	120	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	8	(NA)	4	(NA)	773	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	195	189	5 511	5 939	11 051	9 219
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	35	23	169	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	18	37	394	284	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	5	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	81	795	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	17	55	130	590	5 510	15 628	–	1	–	10
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	5	14	274	1 657	2 956	16 855	–	4	–	390
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	4	37	145	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	9	143	791	4 132	25 474	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	570	405	(X)*	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	5	75	185	253	90	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	218	20 686	(X)	3	42	64	5 116	63	595	2	2
	1969	338	30 838	(X)	9	425	118	12 282	114	1 453	6	34
Improved posture	1974	70	10 709	(X)	2	22	33	6 493	31	614	2	171
	1969	84	15 751	(X)	1	30	33	4 717	33	400	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	24	441	(X)	–	–	22	429	14	41	9	49
	1969	69	2 392	(X)	5	400	49	2 092	41	236	17	158
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	713	(X)	–	–	6	410	5	90	3	7
	1969	16	1 196	(X)	–	–	11	645	8	84	5	9
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	73	1 600	–	–	1	73	1	4	–	–
	1969	5	177	3 945	–	–	5	177	(NA)	13	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels)	1974	8	146	6 050	–	–	6	116	5	12	1	2
	1969	41	2 375	110 779	–	–	33	2 298	(NA)	151	(NA)	45
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	12	3 526	(X)	12	3 526	12	3 526	12	304	1	2
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	279	58 535	1 035 136	3	930	20	3 609	16	343	4	70
	1969	421	73 011	887 374	9	1 247	51	6 074	(NA)	555	(NA)	182
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	420	735 024	–	–	2	214	2	21	–	–
	1969	9	62	36 800	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	137	4 647	9 374	1	3	67	2 677	64	446	6	60
	1969	143	5 394	8 602	1	10	51	2 118	51	346	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	1	72	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	90	(X)	–	–	2	90	2	10	–	–
Cotton (boles)	1974	471	78 295	66 212	19	3 667	449	77 521	298	9 624	182	5 702
	1969	588	47 760	42 536	42	4 091	554	46 980	(NA)	6 275	(NA)	3 815
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	2	120	–	–	4	1	4	1	–	–
	1969	17	7	659	–	–	7	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	8	17	(X)	1	(Z)	3	11	3	5	–	–
	1969	26	163	(X)	6	55	14	81	14	32	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	15	354	(X)	1	12	3	38	3	8	–	–
	1969	27	254	(X)	–	–	9	135	9	62	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	5	(X)	1	3	1	3	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	4	7	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	527	644
$1,000	4 830	1 826
Commercial fertilizer—farms	505	608
acres on which used	100 405	79 021
tons	18 208	14 113
$1,000	2 295	955
Lime—farms	58	121
acres on which used	5 794	7 703
tons	7 596	11 168
$1,000	69	82
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	6
acres on which used	175	270
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	324	386
acres on which used	81 864	40 526
$1,000	1 572	372
Nematodes in crops—farms	4	7
acres on which used	428	790
$1,000	2	23

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	16	10
acres on which used	1 781	179
$1,000	25	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	229	390
acres on which used	67 373	64 330
$1,000	665	351
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	10	18
acres on which used	602	774
$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	8	(NA)
acres on which used	48	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	91	43
acres on which used	20 199	5 735
$1,000	90	22
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	24	102
$1,000	7	10
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	68	(NA)
$1,000	101	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	37	57
Proportion of farms—percent	6.4	8.3
Total land irrigated—acres	8 212	6 888
Average per farm—acres	221.9	120.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	35	57
acres	8 190	6 858
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	33	55
acres	8 138	6 433
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	3	9
acres	42	425
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	10	–
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	2	1
acres	22	30
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	10 351	7 935
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	11	(NA)
acres	1 534	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	8	(NA)
acres	1 596	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	1 236	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	66 461	47 467
Cropland—acres	46 650	32 437
Harvested cropland—acres	35 760	24 746
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	12	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	617	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	70	155
Proportion of farms—percent	12.1	22.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	40 587	80 389
Land drained—acres	24 144	58 708
Average per farm—acres	344.9	378.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	81	(NA)
number	189	(NA)
acres	342	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	262	205	160
$1,000	14 812	7 595	7 217
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	29	24	46
$5,000 to $9,999	42	41	27
$10,000 to $29,999	80	63	51
$30,000 to $49,999	42	28	11
$50,000 and over	69	49	25

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Forms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	124	174	325	403	1 230	1 446
25 to 149 days	132	417	354	1 663	318	
Less than 25 days	140		1 109		120	
Total contract labor	21	34	(NA)	(NA)	53	61
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	21	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Forms	286	124	132	140
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 668	1 230	318	120
Number of workers	1 788	325	354	1 109
Farms with—				
1 worker	85	56	60	33
2 workers	47	34	32	24
3 or 4 workers	64	19	25	33
5 to 9 workers	49	9	8	25
10 workers and over	41	6	7	25

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	460	566	202	186
Land in farms ____ acres	64 414	82 557	41 388	45 338
Average size of farm ____ acres	140	146	205	244
Approximate land area ____ acres	558 720	558 720	558 720	558 720
Proportion in farms ____ percent	11.5	14.8	7.4	8.1
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	23 752	16 598	14 082	8 835
Average per farm ____ dollars	51 635	29 324	69 713	47 499
Average per acre ____ dollars	369	201	340	195
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	20	33	10	17
10 to 49 acres	112	139	30	21
50 to 69 acres	62	49	15	11
70 to 99 acres	59	105	24	28
100 to 139 acres	65	75	26	29
140 to 179 acres	29	39	14	14
180 to 219 acres	32	46	20	19
220 to 259 acres	17	25	10	8
260 to 499 acres	54	35	43	22
500 to 999 acres	9	13	9	10
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	4	–	4
2,000 acres and over	1	3	1	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	377	448	167	147
acres	31 707	32 320	18 790	14 801
Harvested cropland ____ farms	218	242	106	104
acres	6 085	5 844	4 811	4 273
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	79	97	18	
10 to 19 acres	50	61	17	81
20 to 29 acres	25	33	20	
30 to 49 acres	36	26	25	
50 to 99 acres	11	11	9	9
100 to 199 acres	14	12	14	12
200 to 499 acres	3	2	3	2
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	330	379	139	109
acres	24 957	25 091	13 819	10 131
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	25	60	10	(NA)
acres	665	1 385	160	397
Total woodland ____ farms	268	337	124	121
acres	23 073	34 036	16 275	20 894
Other land (see text) ____ farms	302	367	149	(NA)
acres	9 634	16 201	6 323	9 643
Irrigated land ____ farms	–	1	–	1
acres	–	20	–	20

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	10	(NA)
acres	160	397
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	6	9
acres	65	193
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	–	4
acres	–	70
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	2	3
acres	2	4
Cropland idle ____ farms	2	8
acres	93	130
Total woodland ____ farms	124	121
acres	16 275	20 894
Woodland pastured ____ farms	95	84
acres	5 072	9 653

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	65	61
acres	11 203	11 241
Other land ____ farms	149	(NA)
acres	6 323	9 643
Postureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland posture ____ farms	58	69
acres	5 021	8 482
Improved postureland and rangeland ____ farms	48	42
acres	3 942	5 064
Unimproved postureland and rangeland ____ farms	21	33
acres	1 079	3 418
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	127	113
acres	1 302	1 161

Table 2. Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	460	566	202	186
Land in farms ____ acres	64 414	82 557	41 388	45 338
Harvested cropland ____ acres	6 085	5 844	4 811	4 273
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	383	493	158	154
Land in farms ____ acres	48 221	63 528	28 979	33 461
Harvested cropland ____ acres	3 734	3 955	2 700	2 628
Part owners ____ number	59	64	35	30
Land in farms ____ acres	14 353	17 979	11 144	11 717
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2 049	1 737	1 864	1 613
Tenants ____ number	18	9	9	2
Land in farms ____ acres	1 840	1 050	1 265	160
Harvested cropland ____ acres	302	152	247	32
Percent of tenancy	3.9	1.5	4.5	1.0
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	8	10	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	234	1 086	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2	125	–	–
Full owners ____ number	8	5	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	234	238	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2	2	–	–
Part owners ____ number	–	1	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	–	48	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	3	–	–
Tenants ____ number	–	4	–	–
Land in farms ____ acres	–	800	–	–
Harvested cropland ____ acres	–	120	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	40.0	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	192	166
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	34 738	41 749

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	9	18
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 649	3 223
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	366
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	4	–	–
25 to 34 years	51	28	24	9
35 to 44 years	64	75	36	28
45 to 54 years	108	146	37	60
55 to 64 years	139	191	63	63
65 years and over	89	122	41	26
Average age	52.6	54.8	53.0	52.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	261	366	123	113
On another farm	3		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	68	10	31
In a city, town, or urban area	50		16	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	106	(NA)	65	(NA)
1 to 49 days	22	13	5	6
50 to 99 days	8	16	2	10
100 to 149 days	22	57	7	19
150 to 199 days	34		16	
200 days and over	209	253	58	67
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	168	(NA)	118	(NA)
Other	291	(NA)	83	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	45	52	45	52
$40,000 to $99,999	32		32	
$20,000 to $39,999	9	20	9	20
$10,000 to $19,999	30	26	30	26
$5,000 to $9,999	40	26	40	26
$2,500 to $4,999	40	55	40	55
Under $2,500 (see text)	264	387	6	7
$2,000 to $2,499	24	27	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	34	41	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	47	56	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	159	263	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	10 836	5 257	10 612	4 960
Average per farm ... dollars	23 556	9 287	52 536	26 667
Crops, including hay ... farms	77	107	36	(NA)
$1,000	159	141	142	116
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		–	
$1,000	1		–	
Forest products ... farms	51	85	36	40
$1,000	421	145	416	132
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	422	502	200	185
$1,000	10 254	4 971	10 054	4 713
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	76	(NA)	70	66
$1,000	7 740	(NA)	7 740	3 492

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	142	116
Grains ... farms	5	4
$1,000	58	4
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	4
$1,000	–	12
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	30	37
$1,000	83	92
Other field crops ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	4
$1,000	1	8
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	200	185
$1,000	10 054	4 713
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	70	66
$1,000	7 740	3 492
Dairy products ... farms	24	21
$1,000	1 265	649
Cattle and calves ... farms	179	(NA)
$1,000	1 003	556
Hogs and pigs ... farms	6	(NA)
$1,000	45	16
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	271	(NA)	59	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	85	(NA)	39	(NA)
$1,000	154	(NA)	131	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	12	21	9	12
$1,000	130	51	118	43
Recreational services ... farms	5	1	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	5	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	67	84	29	35
$1,000	22	27	11	19
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	24	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	121	(NA)	95	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	131
$1,000	1 997
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	31
$1,000	324
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	85
$1,000	1 153
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	34
$1,000	391
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	22
$1,000	72
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	14
$1,000	58

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	457	566	202	186
$1,000	10 423	4 635	10 003	4 188
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	92	227	2	9
$1,000 to $1,999	105	100	10	
$2,000 to $2,999	55	52	21	20
$3,000 to $4,999	74	48	42	24
$5,000 to $9,999	31	46	27	40
$10,000 to $19,999	15	93	15	21
$20,000 to $39,999	11		11	30
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	42
$60,000 and over	64		64	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	216	263	129	137
$1,000	1 516	823	1 452	737
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	423	515	195	175
$1,000	7 089	2 639	6 922	2 497
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	284	302	170	158
$1,000	6 780	2 483	6 713	2 437
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	85	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	10
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	80	10
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	91	6
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	43
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	130	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	130	113	52	36
$1,000	27	20	21	15
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	256	325	104	101
$1,000	255	134	197	96
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	100	(NA)	53	(NA)
$1,000	22	21	17	14
Lime ... farms	(NA)	59	23	24
$1,000	(NA)	12	8	7
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	444	537	199	186
$1,000	256	161	213	108
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	177	178
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	57
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	90	69
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	8
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	63	71
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	67	33
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	198	186
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	10
Hired farm labor ... farms	110	209	61	99
$1,000	166	157	157	129
Contract labor ... farms	25	164	17	37
$1,000	23	73	21	32
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	86		52	51
$1,000	50		44	25
All other production expenses ... farms	362	387	197	185
$1,000	1 020	609	900	536

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	428	524	192	181
$1,000	4 595	2 776	2 727	1 638
Average per farm—dollars	10 736	5 296	14 202	9 049
Forms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	53	–	74
$1,000 to $4,999	128	308	40	
$5,000 to $9,999	147	96	59	60
$10,000 to $19,999	78	48	36	31
$20,000 to $29,999	31	19	24	2
$30,000 to $49,999	31		30	7
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	7
$70,000 and over	2		–	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	265	335	124	112
number	334	414	170	140
mfd in last 5 years, number	181	320	117	115
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	361	394	175	147
number	439	541	241	264
mfd in last 5 years, number	186	403	114	206
Wheel tractors—farms	367	366	182	157
number	504	470	284	235
mfd in last 5 years, number	131	274	88	142
Crawler tractors—farms	18		5	3
number	19		5	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	6	–	6	–
number	6	–	6	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	–	1	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	5	2	–
number	2	5	2	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	3
number	1		1	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	53	(NA)	30	(NA)
number	59	(NA)	36	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	28	(NA)	16	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	69	58	45	43
number	70	58	46	43
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	43	15	35
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	41	(NA)	24	29
number	41	(NA)	24	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	(NA)	8	19
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	5	4
number	10	(NA)	7	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	429	(X)	191	(X)	422	(X)	200	(X)	10 054
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	415	(X)	179	(X)	399	(X)	180	(X)	1 048
1969	493	(X)	149	(X)	461	(X)	149	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	412	18 160	177	11 943	395	8 289	179	6 772	1 003
1969	487	15 411	147	8 634	459	7 221	149	4 654	556
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	16	46	7	17	102	247	16	40	7
5 to 9—1974	35	271	4	29	91	574	15	101	17
10 to 19—1974	84	1 144	13	158	82	1 127	39	559	104
20 to 49—1974	153	4 951	63	2 158	77	2 224	66	1 955	344
50 to 99—1974	86	5 894	52	3 727	33	2 198	33	2 198	304
100 to 199—1974	33	4 498	33	4 498	7	777	7	777	88
200 to 499—1974	5	1 356	5	1 356	3	1 142	3	1 142	138
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	324	9 853	161	7 058	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	385	8 435	138	5 531	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	289	8 308	137	5 577	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 221	118	4 469	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	88	1 545	46	1 481	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	114	1 214	43	1 062	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)	1 265
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	649

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	289	8 308	137	5 577	Cattle sold	130	2 685	725
Forms with—					Forms with—			
1 to 4	22	71	4	13	1 to 4	32	75	17
5 to 9	31	217	8	59	5 to 9	24	166	36
10 to 19	84	1 123	28	388	10 to 19	27	346	97
20 to 49	110	3 316	62	1 925	20 to 49	36	1 069	307
50 to 99	28	1 736	21	1 347	50 to 99	9	579	116
100 to 199	13	(D)	13	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	88	1 545	46	1 481	Calves sold	142	4 087	278
Forms with—					Forms with—			
1 or 2	58	70	20	24	1 or 2	13	19	2
3 or 4	4	13	2	7	3 or 4	14	52	6
5 to 9	2	12	–	–	5 to 9	17	108	12
10 to 19	3	51	3	51	10 to 19	37	504	55
20 to 49	6	171	6	171	20 to 49	44	1 327	113
50 to 99	11	806	11	806	50 to 99	10	728	33
100 to 199	4	422	4	422	100 to 199	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	121	2 427
	1969	106	1 797
Beef heifers	1974	107	2 052
Milk heifers	1974	16	375
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	137	2 458
	1969	125	1 306

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	21	767	222
	1969	1	2	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	7	41	7
10 to 19	1974	6	69	15
20 to 49	1974	5	147	40
50 to 99	1974	1	60	7
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	44	687	16	597	12	703	6	673	45
	1969	43	584	18	491	14	445	10	373	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	31	56	7	11	3	8	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	5	25	4	20	4	30	1	8	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	5	70	2	30	2	38	2	38	1
25 to 49	1974	2	58	2	58	1	30	1	30	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	31	2	31	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	221	3	157	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	5	24	2	9	1	3	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	26	–	–	6	14	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	96	211	45	110	7	15	3	7	1
	1969	129	326	(NA)	(NA)	10	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	8	13
	1969	10	79
Other hogs and pigs	1974	16	584
	1969	16	412
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	1
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	6
Rams and wethers	1974	1	2

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	33	9	27
	1969	17	83	12	72
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	6	12	5	11
	1969	14	47	9	40
June 1 and November 30	1974	13	21	8	16
	1969	10	36	8	32

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	144	(X)	72	(X)	69	(X)	69	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	62	(X)	(NA)	(X)	66	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	95	14 100	26	13 011	4	(D)	4	(D)
	1969	133	3 025	16	447	3	(D)	1	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	90	7 927	26	6 969	4	(D)	4	(D)
	1969	130	2 562	16	390	–	–	–	–
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	88	1 427	24	469	2	105	2	105
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	57	1 828 565	49	1 828 444	65	9 264 833	65	9 264 833
	1969	50	1 331 122	48	1 330 972	66	6 617 597	66	6 617 597
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	76	7 740	70	7 740
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	66	3 492

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	26	6 969	4	(D)
	1969	16	390	–	–
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	26	6 969	4	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	6 023	–	–
	1969	2	8	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	19	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	2	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	2	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	24	23	224	179	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	2	190	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	5	3	510	115	12 800	1 682
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	3	9	3	9	4 400	2 800
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	3	–	22	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	4	–	140	–	91
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	1	(NA)	60	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	100	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	185	202	5 300	4 973	10 859	9 217
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	11	25	9	146	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	7	11	5	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	7	61	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	2	188	16	11 260	442	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	–	5	–	50	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	190	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	8	3	310	85	630	226	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	139	13 819	(X)	–	–	54	3 505	54	539	–	–
	1969	109	10 131	(X)	–	–	41	2 504	41	412	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	48	3 942	(X)	–	–	19	1 311	19	251	–	–
	1969	42	5 064	(X)	–	–	15	1 396	15	181	2	10
Corn for all purposes	1974	5	193	(X)	–	–	3	22	3	3	1	(Z)
	1969	2	16	(X)	–	–	2	15	2	3	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	190	(X)	–	–	1	80	1	24	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	20	600	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	5	510	12 800	–	–	3	280	3	39	–	–
	1969	3	115	1 682	–	–	3	105	(NA)	12	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	100	4 102	8 618	–	–	47	2 098	47	486	1	20
	1969	97	3 639	7 480	1	20	56	2 444	56	743	5	53
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	50	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	140	91	–	–	4	140	(NA)	33	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	13	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	2	(Z)	11	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–
	1969	4	111	(X)	–	–	2	80	2	4	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	2	3	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	2	1

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	111	107
	$1,000	214	110
Commercial fertilizer	farms	104	88
	acres on which used	7 221	6 766
	tons	1 340	1 476
	$1,000	197	96
Lime	farms	23	24
	acres on which used	764	1 147
	tons	828	1 419
	$1,000	8	7
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	1	4
	acres on which used	14	71
	$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops	farms	–	2
	acres on which used	–	100
	$1,000	–	2
Nematodes in crops	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	–	2
	acres on which used	–	4
	$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	6	8
	acres on which used	558	325
	$1,000	4	1
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	9	23
	acres on which used	623	1 524
	$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land	farms	2	(NA)
	acres on which used	200	(NA)
	$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	2	–
	acres on which used	55	–
	$1,000	(Z)	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	18	30
	$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	14	(NA)
	$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	1
Proportion of farms	percent	–	0.5
Total land irrigated	acres	–	20
Average per farm	acres	–	20.0
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	1
	acres	–	20
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	1
	acres	–	20
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	10
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	0.5
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	229
Cropland	acres	–	159
Harvested cropland	acres	–	77
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	2	5
Proportion of farms	percent	1.0	2.6
Land in farms with drainage	acres	781	908
Land drained	acres	400	596
Average per farm	acres	200.0	119.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	93	(NA)
	number	260	(NA)
	acres	323	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	67	46	39
	$1,000	1 543	956	587
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		17	11	14
$5,000 to $9,999		12	9	8
$10,000 to $29,999		15	11	11
$30,000 to $49,999		17	12	4
$50,000 and over		6	3	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	16	30	37	38	113	129
25 to 149 days	17		28		24	
Less than 25 days	44	85	189	288	19	
Total contract labor	17	37	(NA)	(NA)	21	32
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	36	(NA)	10	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	61	16	17	44
Cash wages paid $1,000	157	113	24	19
Number of workers	254	37	28	189
Farms with—				
1 worker	18	11	11	13
2 workers	16	4	4	8
3 or 4 workers	12	–	1	10
5 to 9 workers	7	–	1	8
10 workers and over	8	1	–	5

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	21	27	8	12
Land in farms — acres	7 488	7 112	5 359	5 594
Average size of farm — acres	357	263	670	466
Approximate land area — acres	329 024	329 024	329 024	329 024
Proportion in farms — percent	2.3	2.2	1.6	1.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	4 324	2 053	3 148	1 478
Average per farm — dollars	205 909	76 033	393 500	123 166
Average per acre — dollars	577	289	587	264
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	4	4	2	2
10 to 49 acres	7	10	2	4
50 to 69 acres	1	2	–	1
70 to 99 acres	3	3	2	3
100 to 139 acres	2	5	1	–
140 to 179 acres	2	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	–	1	–	1
220 to 259 acres	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	1	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	3	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	123	76
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	–	1
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	–	14
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	–
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	–	–
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	–
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	–	–
Cropland idle — farms	3	2
Cropland idle — acres	123	62
Total woodland — farms	–	5
Total woodland — acres	–	113
Woodland pastured — farms	–	1
Woodland pastured — acres	–	25

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	19	21	8	11
Total cropland — acres	1 078	651	411	352
Harvested cropland — farms	18	18	8	11
Harvested cropland — acres	379	354	216	264
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	8	8	2	
10 to 19 acres	3	4	2	9
20 to 29 acres	1	3	–	
30 to 49 acres	3	1	3	
50 to 99 acres	2	1	–	1
100 to 199 acres	1	1	1	1
200 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	8	7	1	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	540	164	72	12
Other cropland (see text) — farms	6	4	3	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	159	133	123	76
Total woodland — farms	6	11	–	5
Total woodland — acres	1 004	253	–	113
Other land (see text) — farms	15	17	5	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	5 406	6 208	4 948	5 129
Irrigated land — farms	1	2	1	1
Irrigated land — acres	1	3	1	2

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	–	4
Woodland not pastured — acres	–	88
Other land — farms	5	(NA)
Other land — acres	4 948	5 129
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	1	1
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	4 850	4 850
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1	1
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	1 000	979
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1	1
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 850	3 871
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	5	8
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	98	279

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	21	27	8	12
Land in farms — acres	7 488	7 112	5 359	5 594
Harvested cropland — acres	379	354	216	264
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	15	17	4	7
Land in farms — acres	7 037	6 562	5 178	5 446
Harvested cropland — acres	249	200	162	170
Part owners — number	3	3	2	1
Land in farms — acres	260	230	140	30
Harvested cropland — acres	65	56	40	18
Tenants — number	3	7	2	4
Land in farms — acres	191	320	41	118
Harvested cropland — acres	65	98	14	76
Percent of tenancy	14.3	25.9	25.0	33.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Full owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	11
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 327	594

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Partnership — acres	(NA)	(NA)	32	5 000
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Corporation — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	1	5	–	–
35 to 44 years	3	4	2	–
45 to 54 years	10	4	3	3
55 to 64 years	2	9	1	7
65 years and over	4	5	2	2
Average age	50.4	51.0	52.1	58.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	15	14	6	8
On another farm	–		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	3	7	1	2
In a city, town, or urban area	1		–	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	8	(NA)	6	(NA)
1 to 49 days	–	1	–	–
50 to 99 days	1	2	–	–
100 to 149 days	–	6	–	–
150 to 199 days	–		–	
200 days and over	11	7	2	4
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	10	(NA)	6	(NA)
Other	11	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	1	1	1	1
$40,000 to $99,999	–		–	
$20,000 to $39,999	–	1	–	1
$10,000 to $19,999	3	6	3	6
$5,000 to $9,999	1	2	1	2
$2,500 to $4,999	3	2	3	2
Under $2,500 (see text)	13	15	–	–
$2,000 to $2,499	1	1	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	1	–	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	4	3	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	7	11	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	186	280	174	270
Average per farm ... dollars	8 868	10 378	21 786	22 488
Crops, including hay ... farms	11	16	7	(NA)
$1,000	49	259	44	254
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	1	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	13	11	1	2
$1,000	(D)	22	(D)	(D)
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	(NA)	–	1
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(D)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	7	(NA)
$1,000	44	254
Grains ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Other field crops ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	6	9
$1,000	40	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	–
$1,000	5	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	1	2
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	4
Hogs and pigs ... farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	12	(NA)	2	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	3	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	2	3	1	1
$1,000	4	3	3	2
Recreational services ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	1	4	1	3
$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	1	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	4
$1,000	53
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	1
$1,000	7
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	2
$1,000	(D)
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	3
$1,000	3
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	2
$1,000	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	1
$1,000	(D)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	21	27	8	12
$1,000	123	240	96	213
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	2	6	–	1
$1,000 to $1,999	3	5	–	
$2,000 to $2,999	8	1	1	–
$3,000 to $4,999	3	6	2	2
$5,000 to $9,999	1	5	1	5
$10,000 to $19,999	3		3	3
$20,000 to $39,999	1	4	1	–
$40,000 to $59,999	–		–	1
$60,000 and over	–		–	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	7	4	–	1
$1,000	4	6	–	3
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	12	11	1	2
$1,000	11	16	4	12
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	8	5	1	2
$1,000	8	9	4	9
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	11	17	6	10
$1,000	10	25	8	24
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	14	18	6	10
$1,000	4	9	3	5
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	13	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	3	4	2	3
Lime ... farms	(NA)	4	–	–
$1,000	(NA)	1	–	–
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	21	27	8	12
$1,000	14	19	11	16
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	7	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	9
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	–
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	8	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1	7
Hired farm labor ... farms	9	19	7	11
$1,000	43	99	42	96
Contract labor ... farms	1	3	–	1
$1,000	(Z)	2	–	1
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	5		3	1
$1,000	4		4	1
All other production expenses ... farms	21	23	8	12
$1,000	31	61	22	52

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	21	27	8	12
$1,000	194	166	105	110
Average per farm—dollars	9 254	6 138	13 176	9 125
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	2	–	6
$1,000 to $4,999	8	14	1	
$5,000 to $9,999	7	7	3	2
$10,000 to $19,999	3	2	2	2
$20,000 to $29,999	2	2	1	1
$30,000 to $49,999	1		1	1
$50,000 to $69,999	–		–	–
$70,000 and over	–		–	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	10	12	4	5
number	11	16	5	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	10	3	3
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	19	24	8	12
number	29	33	15	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	12	8	4
Wheel tractors—farms	17	19	7	10
number	34	41	19	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	9	2	5
Crawler tractors—farms	1		1	2
number	1		1	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	1	–	–
number	–	1	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	–
number	–		–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	4	(NA)	–	(NA)
number	4	(NA)	–	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	5	5	–	1
number	6	5	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	4	–	–
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	4	(NA)	–	–
number	7	(NA)	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	–	(NA)	–	–
number	–	(NA)	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	13	(X)	1	(X)	13	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	12	(X)	1	(X)	11	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
1969	9	(X)	1	(X)	9	(X)	1	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	12	768	1	(D)	11	138	1	(D)	(D)
1969	9	727	1	(D)	9	137	1	(D)	4
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	1	2	–	–	8	22	–	–	–
5 to 9—1974	2	15	–	–	1	5	–	–	–
10 to 19—1974	2	30	–	–	1	11	–	–	–
20 to 49—1974	5	164	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99—1974	1	57	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199—1974	–	–	–	–	1	100	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	11	645	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	5	538	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	11	644	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	538	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	1	1	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	–	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Forms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	11	644	1	(D)			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	2	15	–	–			
10 to 19	5	71	–	–			
20 to 49	3	(D)	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	1	1	–	–			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	1	1	–	–			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					–	–	–
Farms with—							
1 to 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					–	–	–
20 to 49					–	–	–
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					1	(D)	(D)
Farms with—							
1 or 2					–	–	–
3 or 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					–	–	–
20 to 49					–	–	–
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	–	–
	1969	–	–
Beef heifers	1974	–	–
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	1	25
	1969	1	25

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	6	12	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
	1969	8	36	(NA)	(NA)	2	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	–	–
	1969	–	–
Other hogs and pigs	1974	–	–
	1969	–	–
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
June 1 and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	4	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	4	98	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2 019	1	2 000	1	1 000	1	1 000
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	4	78	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2 015	1	2 000	1	1 000	1	1 000
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	4	78	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2 000	1	1 000
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	–	1	–	4	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	8	2	153	53	199	70
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	6	12	114	184	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	4	4	110	127	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	3	40	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	1	72	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	12	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	1	1 000	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	979	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	114	(X)	1	1	5	84	5	16	–	–
	1969	9	178	(X)	–	–	8	155	8	45	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	(D)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	100	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	–	–	1	(Z)
1969	1	2	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	6	11
$1,000	5	8
Commercial fertilizer—farms	6	9
acres on which used	86	197
tons	16	50
$1,000	3	5
Lime—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
tons	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	4	6
acres on which used	64	99
$1,000	1	3
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	2
acres on which used	43	15
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	38	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	1
Proportion of farms—percent	12.5	8.3
Total land irrigated—acres	1	2
Average per farm—acres	1.0	2.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	1
acres	1	2
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	1
acres	1	2
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1	2
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.0	1.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1	200
Cropland—acres	1	2
Harvested cropland—acres	1	2
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage—farms	3	8
Proportion of farms—percent	37.5	66.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	177	5 328
Land drained—acres	161	1 328
Average per farm—acres	53.7	166.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	–	(NA)
number	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	1	1	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	–	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	–	–	–
$10,000 to $29,999	1	1	–
$30,000 to $49,999	–	–	–
$50,000 and over	–	–	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	3	3	5	16	25	96
25 to 149 days	2	11	6	72	4	
Less than 25 days	6		62		13	
Total contract labor	–	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	7	3	2	6
Cash wages paid $1,000	42	25	4	13
Number of workers	73	5	6	62
Farms with—				
1 worker	–	2	–	–
2 workers	–	–	–	–
3 or 4 workers	1	1	2	–
5 to 9 workers	1	–	–	1
10 workers and over	5	–	–	5

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	60	71	37	45
Land in farms — acres	57 073	33 653	55 602	31 875
Average size of farm — acres	951	474	1 503	708
Approximate land area — acres	188 224	188 224	188 224	188 224
Proportion in farms — percent	30.3	17.9	29.5	16.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	23 063	12 909	21 364	11 606
Average per farm — dollars	384 378	181 811	577 414	257 907
Average per acre — dollars	404	384	384	364
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	5	8	2	2
10 to 49 acres	13	11	3	3
50 to 69 acres	2	4	–	1
70 to 99 acres	3	3	1	2
100 to 139 acres	3	9	–	6
140 to 179 acres	7	10	6	6
180 to 219 acres	7	3	5	3
220 to 259 acres	1	4	1	4
260 to 499 acres	3	6	3	5
500 to 999 acres	6	7	6	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	2	4	2
2,000 acres and over	6	4	6	4

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	7	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	817	3 053
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	–	3
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	–	310
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	2
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	20	175
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	9
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	244	1 620
Cropland idle — farms	5	6
Cropland idle — acres	553	948
Total woodland — farms	3	17
Total woodland — acres	6 030	9 824
Woodland pastured — farms	2	12
Woodland pastured — acres	6 005	5 443

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	45	56	34	38
Total cropland — acres	7 787	12 165	7 401	10 864
Harvested cropland — farms	34	41	27	31
Harvested cropland — acres	2 522	5 513	2 440	5 423
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	4	8	2	
10 to 19 acres	9	4	6	17
20 to 29 acres	3	4	1	
30 to 49 acres	3	11	3	
50 to 99 acres	7	2	7	2
100 to 199 acres	3	5	3	5
200 to 499 acres	4	5	4	5
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	–	1	–	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	21	34	18	20
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	4 250	3 360	4 144	2 388
Other cropland (see text) — farms	9	16	7	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	1 015	3 292	817	3 053
Total woodland — farms	10	19	3	17
Total woodland — acres	6 419	9 874	6 030	9 824
Other land (see text) — farms	39	46	24	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	42 867	11 614	42 171	11 187
Irrigated land — farms	2	–	2	–
Irrigated land — acres	4	–	4	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	1	11
Woodland not pastured — acres	25	4 381
Other land — farms	24	(NA)
Other land — acres	42 171	11 187
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	12	16
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	32 064	10 100
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	6	8
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	10 776	1 708
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	11
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	21 288	8 392
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	21	24
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	10 107	1 087

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	60	71	37	45
Land in farms — acres	57 073	33 653	55 602	31 875
Harvested cropland — acres	2 522	5 513	2 440	5 423
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	11	22	3	11
Land in farms — acres	428	9 732	133	9 229
Harvested cropland — acres	23	1 972	12	1 945
Part owners — number	7	15	4	12
Land in farms — acres	3 393	5 276	3 066	4 882
Harvested cropland — acres	363	584	338	583
Tenants — number	42	34	30	22
Land in farms — acres	53 252	18 645	52 403	17 764
Harvested cropland — acres	2 136	2 957	2 090	2 895
Percent of tenancy	70.0	47.8	81.1	48.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	1	–	1	–
Land in farms — acres	825	–	825	–
Harvested cropland — acres	237	–	237	–
Full owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners — number	1	–	1	–
Land in farms — acres	825	–	825	–
Harvested cropland — acres	237	–	237	–
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	27	35
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	50 198	26 338

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	6
Partnership — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 514	1 098
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	4
Corporation — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 890	4 439
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	1	–	1
25 to 34 years	1	7	–	4
35 to 44 years	24	17	13	9
45 to 54 years	16	18	12	11
55 to 64 years	8	17	3	11
65 years and over	7	11	5	9
Average age	49.6	49.2	50.6	50.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	21	31	10	21
On another farm	–		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	12	35	7	20
In a city, town, or urban area	13		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	13	(NA)	11	(NA)
1 to 49 days	–	2	–	–
50 to 99 days	1	3	1	3
100 to 149 days	2	6	1	5
150 to 199 days	7		5	
200 days and over	25	31	9	13
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	23	(NA)	22	(NA)
Other	33	(NA)	11	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	4	6	4	6
$40,000 to $99,999	1		1	
$20,000 to $39,999	5	4	5	4
$10,000 to $19,999	2	6	2	6
$5,000 to $9,999	11	15	11	15
$2,500 to $4,999	9	13	9	13
Under $2,500 (see text)	28	27	5	1
$2,000 to $2,499	2	2	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	4	7	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	7	4	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	15	14	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	1 464	1 136	1 442	1 112
Average per farm ... dollars	24 393	15 997	38 970	24 700
Crops, including hay ... farms	11	22	11	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	703	(D)	699
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		2	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	51	55	30	37
$1,000	707	433	686	412
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	(NA)	–	1
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	740	699
Grains ... farms	4	3
$1,000	3	(D)
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	1	8
$1,000	11	14
Other field crops ... farms	4	8
$1,000	720	629
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	4
$1,000	6	18
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	30	37
$1,000	686	412
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	5
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	28	(NA)
$1,000	668	311
Hogs and pigs ... farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	96
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	18	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	37	(NA)	17	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	7	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	22	(NA)	3	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	1	5	–	2
$1,000	(D)	117	–	(D)
Recreational services ... farms	1	–	1	–
$1,000	1	–	1	–
Government farm programs ... farms	2	9	2	8
$1,000	1	60	1	56
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	15	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	22
$1,000	193
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	2
$1,000	(D)
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	16
$1,000	130
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	6
$1,000	6
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	1
$1,000	6
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	2
$1,000	(D)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	60	71	37	45
$1,000	1 085	1 081	1 041	1 027
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	9	10	–	10
$1,000 to $1,999	8	16	3	
$2,000 to $2,999	7	3	1	2
$3,000 to $4,999	11	16	10	8
$5,000 to $9,999	8	13	6	12
$10,000 to $19,999	5		5	7
$20,000 to $39,999	7	13	7	–
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	6
$60,000 and over	4		4	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	29	32	19	20
$1,000	151	196	143	182
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	44	53	26	35
$1,000	83	48	70	40
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	26	44	19	33
$1,000	42	30	35	25
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	2
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	16
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	11
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	4	5
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	2
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	14	23	9	16
$1,000	5	6	5	6
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	25	32	15	24
$1,000	24	40	22	39
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	23	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	15	54	14	53
Lime ... farms	(NA)	5	–	1
$1,000	(NA)	1	–	(Z)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	54	70	33	45
$1,000	48	71	44	66
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	45
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	37
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	14	28
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	22
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	45
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	6
Hired farm labor ... farms	26	42	18	30
$1,000	164	246	162	243
Contract labor ... farms	–	7	–	2
$1,000	–	9	–	4
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	3		2	3
$1,000	1		1	3
All other production expenses ... farms	53	61	36	44
$1,000	595	410	571	392

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	54	70	32	45
$1,000	1 025	1 115	865	986
Average per farm—dollars	18 990	15 930	27 035	21 911
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	1	–	9
$1,000 to $4,999	11	25	4	
$5,000 to $9,999	16	20	7	14
$10,000 to $19,999	12	10	9	9
$20,000 to $29,999	9	14	8	3
$30,000 to $49,999	1		1	6
$50,000 to $69,999	2		2	4
$70,000 and over	1		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	25	34	17	25
number	29	48	21	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	34	9	23
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	40	55	27	40
number	65	98	50	80
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	58	23	45
Wheel tractors—farms	48	59	30	43
number	93	166	74	139
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	82	16	69
Crawler tractors—farms	2		2	7
number	2		2	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	1	–	1
number	–	1	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	1
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	4	–	–
number	–	4	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	4
number	2		2	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	3
Mower conditioners—farms	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
number	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	19	23	15	22
number	21	23	17	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	14	6	13
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	9	(NA)	5	15
number	12	(NA)	6	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	4	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	2	(NA)	1	2
number	4	(NA)	1	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	1	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	52	(X)	31	(X)	51	(X)	30	(X)	686
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	50	(X)	29	(X)	49	(X)	28	(X)	668
1969	51	(X)	37	(X)	51	(X)	36	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	50	7 844	29	7 259	49	3 858	28	3 718	668
1969	47	5 030	33	4 617	46	2 364	32	2 224	311
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	–	–	–	–	9	26	–	–	–
5 to 9—1974	6	46	5	37	15	107	7	51	13
10 to 19—1974	8	128	–	–	6	95	2	37	5
20 to 49—1974	12	362	3	99	6	161	6	161	19
50 to 99—1974	8	500	5	315	7	431	7	431	50
100 to 199—1974	9	1 108	9	1 108	3	440	3	440	76
200 to 499—1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	43	3 697	24	3 301	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	39	2 615	26	2 358	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	43	3 693	24	3 297	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 600	25	2 343	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	3	4	3	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	5	15	5	15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	43	3 693	24	3 297			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	2	4	1	2			
5 to 9	5	42	–	–			
10 to 19	7	111	2	38			
20 to 49	11	376	5	208			
50 to 99	8	516	6	405			
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	5	1 220	5	1 220			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Milk cows	3	4	3	4			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	3	4	3	4			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					22	2 017	498
Farms with—							
1 to 4					5	14	3
5 to 9					6	45	12
10 to 19					4	45	9
20 to 49					2	73	12
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					2	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					23	1 701	170
Farms with—							
1 or 2					2	2	(Z)
3 or 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					2	16	1
10 to 19					4	61	6
20 to 49					5	137	14
50 to 99					7	387	44
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					3	1 098	105
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	22	1 149
	1969	23	915
Beef heifers	1974	22	1 149
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	27	2 809
	1969	30	1 344

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	–	–	–
	1969	2	20	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	1 275	6	1 274	7	1 979	6	1 930	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	40	2	40	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	21	155	15	120	4	10	2	4	5
	1969	31	169	(NA)	(NA)	5	31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	–	–
	1969	4	66
Other hogs and pigs	1974	–	–
	1969	6	1 208
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	44	4	44
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	30	4	30
June 1 and November 30	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	14	2	14

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	1	20	1	20	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	882	3	876	1	400	1	400
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	1	18	1	18	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	842	3	836	1	400	1	400
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	1	18	1	18	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	18	1	18	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	30	2	30	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	5

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	1	18	–	–
	1969	3	836	1	400
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	1	18	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	40	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	8	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	4	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	4	4	40	67	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1	2	15	30	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	1	–	110	–	1 600
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	52	–	875
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	21	27	1 387	1 775	2 123	3 393
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	6	40	45	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	–	2	–	2	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	8	(NA)	1 037	3 461	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	4	40	67	1 200	2 025	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	15	30	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	18	4 144	(X)	–	–	3	220	3	8	–	–
	1969	20	2 388	(X)	–	–	10	1 215	10	175	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	6	10 776	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	1 708	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	3	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	4	40	(X)	–	–	4	40	–	–	4	3
	1969	4	67	(X)	–	–	4	102	4	18	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	15	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	30	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	52	875	–	–	1	52	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	110	1 600	–	–	1	110	(NA)	14	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	16	1 307	2 008	–	–	3	70	3	4	–	–
	1969	22	1 704	3 329	–	–	5	180	5	33	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	40	(X)	–	–	2	30	2	8	–	–
	1969	4	31	(X)	–	–	3	25	3	8	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	1	(X)	2	1	2	1	2	2	–	–
	1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Other crops	1974	4	1 033	(X)	–	–	4	1 033	2	20	2	86

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	22	26
$1,000	35	92
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15	22
acres on which used	1 397	5 193
tons	130	516
$1,000	22	39
Lime—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	30
tons	–	54
$1,000	–	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	70
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	9	7
acres on which used	876	1 406
$1,000	6	15
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	40
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5	7
acres on which used	640	2 375
$1,000	4	35
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	3
acres on which used	65	894
$1,000	(Z)	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	50	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	4	8
$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	3	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	–
Proportion of farms—percent	5.4	–
Total land irrigated—acres	4	–
Average per farm—acres	2.0	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	–
acres	4	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	–
acres	4	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	2	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	8	–
Cropland—acres	4	–
Harvested cropland—acres	4	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	9	19
Proportion of farms—percent	24.3	42.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	19 268	14 501
Land drained—acres	6 818	10 383
Average per farm—acres	757.6	546.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3	(NA)
number	15	(NA)
acres	6	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	10	–	10
$1,000	594	–	594
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	2	–	2
$5,000 to $9,999	1	–	1
$10,000 to $29,999	6	–	6
$30,000 to $49,999	–	–	–
$50,000 and over	1	–	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	5	10	20	57	88	
25 to 149 days	9	28	63	151	54	243
Less than 25 days	11		87		20	
Total contract labor	–	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	18	5	9	11
Cash wages paid—$1,000	162	88	54	20
Number of workers	170	20	63	87
Farms with—				
1 worker	4	2	3	2
2 workers	1	–	–	–
3 or 4 workers	–	1	1	1
5 to 9 workers	6	2	1	3
10 workers and over	7	–	4	5

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	489	594	226	213
Land in farms — acres	68 008	71 249	47 275	44 657
Average size of farm — acres	139	120	209	210
Approximate land area — acres	268 800	268 800	268 800	268 800
Proportion in farms — percent	25.3	26.5	17.6	16.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	35 937	20 674	25 394	13 147
Average per farm — dollars	73 492	34 803	112 361	61 725
Average per acre — dollars	528	290	537	294
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	15	–	4
10 to 49 acres	149	222	34	16
50 to 69 acres	32	65	7	22
70 to 99 acres	58	61	23	25
100 to 139 acres	68	62	33	30
140 to 179 acres	48	51	39	28
180 to 219 acres	39	33	27	20
220 to 259 acres	25	18	14	10
260 to 499 acres	40	49	32	42
500 to 999 acres	14	16	14	14
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	2	2	2
2,000 acres and over	1	–	1	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	440	538	203	193
acres	34 025	34 041	23 758	22 494
Harvested cropland — farms	288	393	149	144
acres	9 368	9 465	7 739	7 056
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	88	156	11	
10 to 19 acres	55	105	24	98
20 to 29 acres	39	55	26	
30 to 49 acres	49	31	32	
50 to 99 acres	35	31	34	31
100 to 199 acres	18	10	18	10
200 to 499 acres	4	3	4	3
500 to 999 acres	–	2	–	2
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	357	410	161	156
acres	23 812	21 902	15 529	13 820
Other cropland (see text) — farms	30	129	14	(NA)
acres	845	2 674	490	1 618
Total woodland — farms	251	383	119	138
acres	21 292	24 456	13 887	14 726
Other land (see text) — farms	333	437	162	(NA)
acres	12 691	12 752	9 630	7 437
Irrigated land — farms	3	7	2	1
acres	18	180	17	140

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	14	(NA)
acres	490	1 618
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	4	7
acres	143	194
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	6
acres	61	73
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	4
acres	109	159
Cropland idle — farms	8	25
acres	177	1 192
Total woodland — farms	119	138
acres	13 887	14 726
Woodland pastured — farms	79	95
acres	5 837	8 507

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	52	69
acres	8 050	6 219
Other land — farms	162	(NA)
acres	9 630	7 437
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	76	57
acres	8 067	5 193
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	57	41
acres	6 001	3 328
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	28
acres	2 066	1 865
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	143	151
acres	1 563	2 244

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	489	594	226	213
Land in farms — acres	68 008	71 249	47 275	44 657
Harvested cropland — acres	9 368	9 465	7 739	7 056
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	372	450	140	139
Land in farms — acres	46 797	49 005	28 363	27 532
Harvested cropland — acres	6 144	5 910	4 775	4 108
Part owners — number	97	113	72	63
Land in farms — acres	19 081	19 254	17 116	15 449
Harvested cropland — acres	2 956	2 342	2 775	1 910
Tenants — number	20	31	14	11
Land in farms — acres	2 130	2 990	1 796	1 676
Harvested cropland — acres	268	1 213	189	1 038
Percent of tenancy	4.1	5.2	6.2	5.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	136	237	11	16
Land in farms — acres	7 335	10 516	990	1 860
Harvested cropland — acres	820	1 736	192	302
Full owners — number	124	200	9	12
Land in farms — acres	6 633	8 997	680	1 448
Harvested cropland — acres	654	1 394	152	233
Part owners — number	10	26	2	4
Land in farms — acres	678	1 333	310	412
Harvested cropland — acres	142	242	40	69
Tenants — number	2	11	–	–
Land in farms — acres	24	186	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	24	100	–	–
Percent of tenancy	1.5	4.6	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	218	192
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	45 778	40 229

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	19
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	782	3 567
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	715	861
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	8	2	8
25 to 34 years	35	46	24	23
35 to 44 years	83	110	51	50
45 to 54 years	149	161	78	68
55 to 64 years	149	183	51	47
65 years and over	67	86	18	17
Average age	51.7	51.7	48.5	47.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	349	479	169	174
On another farm	3		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	17	52	12	16
In a city, town, or urban area	21		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	163	(NA)	83	(NA)
1 to 49 days	40	44	9	8
50 to 99 days	14	28	5	4
100 to 149 days	8	93	6	23
150 to 199 days	64		25	
200 days and over	145	187	54	56
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	256	(NA)	156	(NA)
Other	231	(NA)	68	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	26	47	26	47
$40,000 to $99,999	74		74	
$20,000 to $39,999	28	78	28	78
$10,000 to $19,999	21	25	21	25
$5,000 to $9,999	30	11	30	11
$2,500 to $4,999	38	37	38	37
Under $2,500 (see text)	272	396	9	15
$2,000 to $2,499	26	21	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	36	33	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	43	50	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	167	292	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	10 190	6 134	9 971	5 891
Average per farm ... dollars	20 839	10 325	44 118	27 655
Crops, including hay ... farms	111	198	40	(NA)
$1,000	299	173	258	102
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	23	46	22	27
$1,000	89	83	88	79
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	412	451	215	203
$1,000	9 802	5 877	9 625	5 710
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	19	(NA)	14	8
$1,000	927	(NA)	926	719

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	40	(NA)
$1,000	258	102
Grains ... farms	12	8
$1,000	116	26
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	5
$1,000	–	7
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	29	18
$1,000	118	41
Other field crops ... farms	6	2
$1,000	3	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	10	13
$1,000	20	26
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	215	203
$1,000	9 625	5 710
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	14	8
$1,000	926	719
Dairy products ... farms	124	139
$1,000	7 474	4 312
Cattle and calves ... farms	210	(NA)
$1,000	1 142	668
Hogs and pigs ... farms	12	(NA)
$1,000	75	12
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	9	
$1,000	7	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	241	(NA)	64	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	90	(NA)	60	(NA)
$1,000	169	(NA)	157	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	30	36	19	11
$1,000	123	23	119	7
Recreational services ... farms	1	2	1	1
$1,000	8	1	8	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	56	183	36	59
$1,000	34	46	26	24
Rent of farmland or fram lease or sale of allotments ... farms	6	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	24	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	57	(NA)	52	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	147
$1,000	2 169
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	43
$1,000	793
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	94
$1,000	895
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	59
$1,000	281
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	26
$1,000	93
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	13
$1,000	106

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	485	594	226	213
$1,000	9 044	5 466	8 635	5 053
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	97	236	–	18
$1,000 to $1,999	113	108	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	35	45	12	11
$3,000 to $4,999	60	28	24	13
$5,000 to $9,999	33	28	28	22
$10,000 to $19,999	21		21	54
$20,000 to $39,999	48	149	48	60
$40,000 to $59,999	39		39	35
$60,000 and over	39		39	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	212	227	106	101
$1,000	723	718	672	681
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	420	480	209	196
$1,000	4 417	2 306	4 308	2 223
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	299	330	192	176
$1,000	4 067	2 033	4 015	1 986
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	65	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	111	165
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	64	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	145	37
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	36
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	151	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	75	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	198	313	83	71
$1,000	64	45	51	27
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	384	492	182	182
$1,000	792	362	717	308
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	131	(NA)	79	(NA)
$1,000	50	57	45	47
Lime ... farms	(NA)	120	35	61
$1,000	(NA)	47	24	39
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	471	567	223	213
$1,000	251	201	215	136
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	201	200
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	99	85
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	133	103
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	22
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	10
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	222	208
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	18
Hired farm labor ... farms	217	330	128	169
$1,000	471	381	447	351
Contract labor ... farms	31	253	25	26
$1,000	37	100	35	22
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	149		75	105
$1,000	85		75	62
All other production expenses ... farms	407	417	225	209
$1,000	2 154	1 296	1 996	1 196

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	472	560	224	212
$1,000	6 412	3 513	4 717	2 411
Average per farm—dollars	13 585	6 272	21 059	11 374
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	15	88	–	68
$1,000 to $4,999	120	254	30	
$5,000 to $9,999	141	117	44	57
$10,000 to $19,999	97	64	58	56
$20,000 to $29,999	44	37	40	21
$30,000 to $49,999	41		38	4
$50,000 to $69,999	6		6	6
$70,000 and over	8		8	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	372	389	181	166
number	474	510	238	220
mfd in last 5 years, number	251	355	154	176
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	395	434	197	187
number	468	484	259	224
mfd in last 5 years, number	216	328	145	164
Wheel tractors—farms	344	340	187	177
number	499	468	314	280
mfd in last 5 years, number	150	252	114	167
Crawler tractors—farms	12		7	9
number	16		11	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		4	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	8	5	6	3
number	8	8	6	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	5	1	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	8	2	1
number	2	9	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	2	1	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10		10	3
number	11		11	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	–
Mower conditioners—farms	84	(NA)	66	(NA)
number	92	(NA)	74	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	51	(NA)	46	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	81	67	69	60
number	83	68	71	61
mfd in last 5 years, number	40	48	40	44
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	56	(NA)	49	37
number	59	(NA)	52	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	(NA)	31	32
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	20	(NA)	17	10
number	24	(NA)	21	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	11	14

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	445	(X)	213	(X)	412	(X)	215	(X)	9 625
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	434	(X)	209	(X)	391	(X)	210	(X)	1 218
1969	533	(X)	200	(X)	447	(X)	201	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	425	26 760	209	21 702	387	10 152	210	8 736	1 142
1969	499	23 069	199	18 196	429	8 261	200	6 565	668
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	18	52	–	–	85	229	10	28	5
5 to 9—1974	37	249	5	33	63	422	21	136	22
10 to 19—1974	69	987	9	127	76	994	35	494	80
20 to 49—1974	123	4 075	41	1 484	96	2 764	77	2 335	331
50 to 99—1974	92	6 387	68	5 048	53	3 510	53	3 510	514
100 to 199—1974	58	7 793	58	7 793	10	1 184	10	1 184	102
200 to 499—1974	28	7 217	28	7 217	4	1 049	4	1 049	88
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	363	16 791	196	13 700	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	434	13 571	191	11 283	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	243	7 007	99	4 063	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 876	71	2 727	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	186	9 784	135	9 637	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	209	8 695	145	8 556	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	124	(X)	7 474
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	139	(X)	4 312

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	243	7 007	99	4 063	Cattle sold	163	3 112	825
Forms with—					Forms with—			
1 to 4	22	57	7	19	1 to 4	23	67	17
5 to 9	24	185	11	80	5 to 9	35	236	61
10 to 19	73	968	18	222	10 to 19	54	727	186
20 to 49	81	2 377	32	960	20 to 49	34	974	291
50 to 99	35	2 142	23	1 504	50 to 99	17	1 108	270
100 to 199	5	590	5	590	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	3	688	3	688	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	186	9 784	135	9 637	Calves sold	175	5 624	317
Forms with—					Forms with—			
1 or 2	42	65	10	12	1 or 2	4	5	(Z)
3 or 4	15	51	2	6	3 or 4	3	9	1
5 to 9	4	29	–	–	5 to 9	21	132	13
10 to 19	5	65	3	45	10 to 19	49	645	57
20 to 49	23	798	23	798	20 to 49	73	2 282	120
50 to 99	72	4 990	72	4 990	50 to 99	16	1 008	39
100 to 199	20	2 659	20	2 659	100 to 199	6	754	59
200 to 499	5	1 127	5	1 127	200 to 499	3	789	29
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	164	5 776
	1969	168	5 340
Beef heifers	1974	75	2 277
Milk heifers	1974	111	3 499
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	156	2 226
	1969	164	1 573

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	5	181	35
	1969	6	267	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	1	14	8
20 to 49	1974	2	65	(D)
50 to 99	1974	2	102	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	85	879	27	708	23	962	12	852	75
	1969	174	743	24	168	41	514	10	246	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	66	150	18	50	12	28	3	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	52	–	–	1	6	1	6	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	9	(D)	8	(D)	8	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	65	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	102	2	21	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	112	3	39	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	6	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	39	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	148	338	70	208	12	47	9	44	5
	1969	195	402	(NA)	(NA)	9	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	6	91
	1969	8	44
Other hogs and pigs	1974	25	617
	1969	23	124
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	112	8	94
	1969	41	108	8	35
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	9	55	3	40
	1969	31	60	4	14
June 1 and November 30	1974	9	57	8	54
	1969	22	48	7	21

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	104	(X)	39	(X)	17	(X)	13	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	104	127 457	39	126 258	17	126 126	13	126 022
	1969	162	118 474	24	115 577	6	53 831	5	53 807
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	91	86 833	32	85 965	11	86 109	7	86 009
	1969	153	102 639	23	100 457	6	48 816	5	48 807
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	85	1 433	26	565	7	219	3	119
100 to 399	1974	2	400	2	400	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	17	238	4	120	–	–	–	–
	1969	19	23 184	3	23 023	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	927	14	926
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	719

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	32	85 965	7	86 009
	1969	23	100 457	5	48 807
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	32	85 903	7	86 009
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	62	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	3	10 050	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	19	(D)	5	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	7	32	1	18
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	6	16	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	105	209	1 216	1 463	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	3	411	130	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	5	12	234	923	(D)	9 638
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	16	25	16	25	7 340	10 013
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	4	6	20	46	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	68	–	333	–	203
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	29	(NA)	10	(NA)	898	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	37	(NA)	27	(NA)	1 932	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	202	194	7 621	6 267	13 910	11 916
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	33	77	107	245	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	–	5	–	8	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	4	1	3	(X)	(X)
Other crops	8	(NA)	119	48	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	24	16	478	175	29 609	5 970	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	5	2	300	140	3 845	1 550	1	–	10	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	25	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	395	130	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	5	52	280	58	490	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	161	15 529	(X)	–	–	92	7 469	92	2 055	4	43
	1969	156	13 820	(X)	1	140	132	8 945	132	2 502	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	57	6 001	(X)	–	–	35	3 556	35	1 021	–	–
	1969	41	3 328	(X)	–	–	28	2 185	28	538	1	2
Corn for all purposes	1974	29	778	(X)	1	10	27	761	27	165	–	–
	1969	18	340	(X)	–	–	13	285	13	69	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	395	(X)	–	–	2	210	2	58	–	–
	1969	3	130	(X)	–	–	3	130	3	29	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	230	(D)	–	–	1	230	1	30	–	–
	1969	1	900	9 000	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	1 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	4	3 066	–	–	2	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	136	6 605	12 697	–	–	74	3 971	72	1 044	2	7
	1969	125	5 464	10 599	–	–	54	2 860	54	712	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	4	70	(X)	–	–	3	55	3	6	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	132	76	–	–	8	119	(NA)	38	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	(Z)	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	3	127	1	1	3	3	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	10	36	(X)	1	7	8	36	8	11	–	–
	1969	14	100	(X)	–	–	7	40	7	12	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	4	16	(X)	–	–	4	16	4	6	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	191	185
$1,000	761	355
Commercial fertilizer—farms	182	170
acres on which used	16 304	14 584
tons	4 446	3 908
$1,000	717	308
Lime—farms	35	61
acres on which used	1 775	2 799
tons	2 222	4 687
$1,000	24	39
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	10
acres on which used	300	457
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	158	8
$1,000	1	(Z)
Nemotodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	18
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	6	8
acres on which used	536	312
$1,000	4	2
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	15	15
acres on which used	1 099	951
$1,000	4	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	7	(NA)
acres on which used	100	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	1
acres on which used	120	50
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	25	53
$1,000	7	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Forms irrigated in census year—forms	2	1
Proportion of farms—percent	0.9	0.4
Total land irrigated—acres	17	140
Average per farm—acres	8.5	140.0
Cropland irrigated—forms	2	1
acres	17	140
Harvested cropland irrigated—forms	2	–
acres	17	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	140
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	11	35
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	7	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	10	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	165	471
Cropland—acres	150	426
Harvested cropland—acres	82	200
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	50	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	9	10
Proportion of farms—percent	4.0	4.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	3 261	3 168
Land drained—acres	1 087	1 615
Average per farm—acres	120.8	161.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	121	(NA)
number	384	(NA)
acres	365	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—forms	119	88	71
$1,000	5 658	3 921	1 737
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	10	9
$5,000 to $9,999	10	9	13
$10,000 to $29,999	40	35	33
$30,000 to $49,999	20	13	9
$50,000 and over	33	21	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired form workers working—						
150 days or more	64	73	103	105	332	
25 to 149 days	38	127	86	602	58	351
Less than 25 days	73		548		57	
Total contract labor	25	26	(NA)	(NA)	35	22
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	61	(NA)	11	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	128	64	38	73
Cash wages paid—$1,000	447	332	58	57
Number of workers	737	103	86	548
Farms with—				
1 worker	50	37	14	20
2 workers	15	18	15	6
3 or 4 workers	13	9	6	10
5 to 9 workers	26	–	3	15
10 workers and over	24	–	–	22

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	117	145	106	127
Land in farms — acres	46 997	56 900	46 448	56 012
Average size of farm — acres	402	392	438	441
Approximate land area — acres	162 112	162 112	162 112	162 112
Proportion in farms — percent	29.0	35.1	28.7	34.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	50 315	46 716	49 432	45 884
Average per farm — dollars	430 045	322 179	466 342	361 292
Average per acre — dollars	1 071	821	1 064	819
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	4	3	2	2
10 to 49 acres	23	32	19	22
50 to 69 acres	9	15	8	10
70 to 99 acres	19	12	16	11
100 to 139 acres	3	8	3	8
140 to 179 acres	5	8	4	8
180 to 219 acres	7	10	7	10
220 to 259 acres	1	6	1	6
260 to 499 acres	15	16	15	15
500 to 999 acres	12	19	12	19
1,000 to 1,999 acres	16	11	16	11
2,000 acres and over	3	5	3	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	117	136	106	124
acres	37 668	39 008	37 232	38 431
Harvested cropland — farms	109	131	104	121
acres	26 471	24 345	26 452	24 158
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	17	8	13	36
10 to 19 acres	7	10	6	
20 to 29 acres	5	11	5	
30 to 49 acres	8	17	8	
50 to 99 acres	14	27	14	27
100 to 199 acres	17	20	17	20
200 to 499 acres	25	26	25	26
500 to 999 acres	12	10	12	10
1,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	26	18	21	14
acres	1 256	1 372	1 022	1 356
Other cropland (see text) — farms	68	108	65	(NA)
acres	9 941	13 291	9 758	12 917
Total woodland — farms	24	29	23	24
acres	5 718	6 146	5 708	6 087
Other land (see text) — farms	69	92	63	(NA)
acres	3 611	11 746	3 508	11 494
Irrigated land — farms	6	10	4	9
acres	1 031	242	1 001	238

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	65	(NA)
acres	9 758	12 917
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	3	11
acres	410	371
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	8
acres	185	205
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	39	47
acres	5 359	6 579
Cropland idle — farms	38	56
acres	3 804	5 762
Total woodland — farms	23	24
acres	5 708	6 087
Woodland pastured — farms	6	6
acres	2 244	1 041

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	17	20
acres	3 464	5 046
Other land — farms	63	(NA)
acres	3 508	11 494
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	5	11
acres	416	7 895
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	2	8
acres	237	6 961
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	4	3
acres	179	934
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	62	74
acres	3 092	3 599

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	117	145	106	127
Land in farms — acres	46 997	56 900	46 448	56 012
Harvested cropland — acres	26 471	24 345	26 452	24 158
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	24	22	23	16
Land in farms — acres	4 628	9 902	4 613	9 704
Harvested cropland — acres	1 477	3 099	1 477	2 995
Part owners — number	36	57	33	49
Land in farms — acres	18 393	18 050	18 175	17 552
Harvested cropland — acres	10 219	8 169	10 208	8 086
Tenants — number	57	66	50	62
Land in farms — acres	23 976	28 948	23 660	28 756
Harvested cropland — acres	14 775	13 077	14 767	13 077
Percent of tenancy	48.7	45.5	47.2	48.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	22	23	17	19
Land in farms — acres	805	8 803	726	8 652
Harvested cropland — acres	441	1 429	433	1 384
Full owners — number	12	4	11	3
Land in farms — acres	393	409	378	374
Harvested cropland — acres	170	137	170	137
Part owners — number	3	9	3	6
Land in farms — acres	199	1 509	199	1 393
Harvested cropland — acres	116	708	116	663
Tenants — number	7	10	3	10
Land in farms — acres	213	6 885	149	6 885
Harvested cropland — acres	155	584	147	584
Percent of tenancy	31.8	43.4	17.6	52.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	74	82
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	18 673	21 705

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	20	36
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 683	23 870
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 092	10 427
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	10
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	2	11	2	9
35 to 44 years	15	31	15	24
45 to 54 years	19	48	16	47
55 to 64 years	62	41	54	37
65 years and over	7	14	7	10
Average age	55.2	50.7	55.0	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	59	92	52	80
On another farm	2	36	1	32
In a rural area, not on a farm	12		11	
In a city, town, or urban area	1		1	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	52	(NA)	47	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1	8	1	7
50 to 99 days	2	3	2	3
100 to 149 days	11	6	10	4
150 to 199 days	5		5	
200 days and over	17	40	12	27
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	88	(NA)	82	(NA)
Other	17	(NA)	12	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	51	40	51	40
$40,000 to $99,999	23		23	
$20,000 to $39,999	9	23	9	23
$10,000 to $19,999	4	26	4	26
$5,000 to $9,999	7	20	7	20
$2,500 to $4,999	10	14	10	14
Under $2,500 (see text)	13	22	2	4
$2,000 to $2,499	–	5	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	3	3	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	2	–	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	8	14	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	25 323	5 184	25 316	5 168
Average per farm ... dollars	216 435	35 753	238 830	40 690
Crops, including hay ... farms	106	130	101	(NA)
$1,000	25 271	5 040	25 267	5 028
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	–
$1,000	5		5	–
Forest products ... farms	–	2	–	2
$1,000	–	1	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	19	23	15	17
$1,000	47	144	44	139
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	(NA)	3	3
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	19

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	101	(NA)
$1,000	25 267	5 028
Grains ... farms	13	18
$1,000	305	180
Tobacco ... farms	20	19
$1,000	162	66
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	2
Other field crops ... farms	72	99
$1,000	24 400	4 656
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	18	20
$1,000	401	124
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	15	17
$1,000	44	139
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	3
$1,000	(Z)	19
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	41	118
Hogs and pigs ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	2	2
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	24	(NA)	17	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	36	(NA)	34	(NA)
$1,000	1 092	(NA)	1 089	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	4	9	4	9
$1,000	9	26	9	26
Recreational services ... farms	1	1	1	1
$1,000	2	(Z)	2	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	29	67	28	62
$1,000	296	438	293	437
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	545	(NA)	545	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	240	(NA)	240	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	9	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	78	(NA)	76	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	46
$1,000	723
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	14
$1,000	143
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	28
$1,000	510
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	19
$1,000	58
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	4
$1,000	9
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	1
$1,000	2

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	115	145	106	127
$1,000	10 420	4 165	10 409	4 128
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	11	11	4	12
$1,000 to $1,999	7	12	7	
$2,000 to $2,999	4	10	3	9
$3,000 to $4,999	5	21	4	15
$5,000 to $9,999	12	16	12	16
$10,000 to $19,999	4		4	23
$20,000 to $39,999	20	75	20	18
$40,000 to $59,999	8		8	34
$60,000 and over	44		44	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	13	13	10	9
$1,000	13	6	13	5
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	19	23	13	17
$1,000	25	37	22	34
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	14	15	12	11
$1,000	13	22	13	20
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	4	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	5	5
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	12
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	2
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	(Z)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	36	75	35	65
$1,000	59	23	59	22
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	105	130	100	117
$1,000	504	174	503	171
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	80	(NA)	77	(NA)
$1,000	591	365	591	364
Lime ... farms	(NA)	10	7	9
$1,000	(NA)	13	4	13
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	111	144	103	126
$1,000	556	335	554	329
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	99	118
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	183	138
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	82
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	271	114
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	49
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	35
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	103	126
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	69	41
Hired farm labor ... farms	79	126	78	112
$1,000	2 578	1 238	2 578	1 225
Contract labor ... farms	9	42	9	14
$1,000	49	112	49	36
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	33		33	31
$1,000	189		189	76
All other production expenses ... farms	111	137	106	127
$1,000	5 855	1 876	5 848	1 866

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	104	141	97	124
$1,000	6 467	3 980	6 377	3 858
Average per farm—dollars	62 186	28 228	65 738	31 115
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	–	–	22
$1,000 to $4,999	10	32	9	
$5,000 to $9,999	11	21	8	18
$10,000 to $19,999	13	21	11	20
$20,000 to $29,999	10	67	10	17
$30,000 to $49,999	25		24	12
$50,000 to $69,999	8		8	35
$70,000 and over	27		27	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	56	69	51	59
number	99	111	92	101
mfd in last 5 years, number	81	83	77	77
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	87	113	85	98
number	249	220	247	203
mfd in last 5 years, number	139	131	137	125
Wheel tractors—farms	99	125	93	112
number	514	581	496	530
mfd in last 5 years, number	182	251	181	232
Crawler tractors—farms	22		22	21
number	26		26	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	5	6	5	6
number	8	7	8	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	7	1	7
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	3	–	2
number	–	4	–	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	1
number	1		1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	13	(NA)	13	(NA)
number	18	(NA)	18	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	2	7	2	6
number	2	7	2	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	2	1	2
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1	(NA)	1	1
number	1	(NA)	1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	5	(NA)	5	3
number	8	(NA)	8	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	22	(X)	17	(X)	19	(X)	15	(X)	44
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	21	(X)	16	(X)	16	(X)	12	(X)	43
1969	30	(X)	23	(X)	19	(X)	15	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	19	750	14	673	14	268	11	260	41
1969	26	2 509	22	2 413	18	801	14	752	118
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	3	7	3	7	3	8	–	–	–
5 to 9—1974	3	16	–	–	5	30	5	30	3
10 to 19—1974	5	53	4	40	2	36	2	36	7
20 to 49—1974	5	160	4	112	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
50 to 99—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	16	463	12	417	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	25	1 369	21	1 308	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	14	445	10	405	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 351	16	1 292	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	8	18	6	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	10	18	8	16	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	14	445	10	405			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	4	7	1	2			
5 to 9	4	32	4	32			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	4	(D)	3	(D)			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	8	18	6	12			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	6	12	6	12			
3 or 4	2	6	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					6	168	33
Farms with—							
1 to 4					1	4	1
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					2	36	7
20 to 49					2	68	12
50 to 99					1	60	13
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					8	92	8
Farms with—							
1 or 2					1	2	(Z)
3 or 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					4	24	2
10 to 19					1	13	1
20 to 49					2	53	5
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	5	119
	1969	17	398
Beef heifers	1974	5	114
Milk heifers	1974	1	5
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	6	137
	1969	17	707

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	84	16
	1969	1	41	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	2	36	7
20 to 49	1974	2	48	9
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	3	17	2	9	2	26	1	21	2
	1969	12	(D)	7	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	2	15	1	7	1	5	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	1	21	1	21	2
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	3	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	5	16	3	9	1	2	–	–	–
	1969	8	46	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	1	3
	1969	3	8
Other hogs and pigs	1974	2	6
	1969	6	32
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	2	5	1	3
	1969	5	11	3	7
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	2	3	1	1
	1969	5	6	3	4
June 1 and November 30	1974	1	2	1	2
	1969	4	5	2	3

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	5	(X)	2	(X)	3	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	5	286	2	168	3	106	2	100
	1969	17	3 521	13	3 253	1	500	1	500
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	4	175	2	135	2	100	2	100
	1969	15	3 257	12	3 139	1	500	1	500
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	3	65	1	25	2	100	2	100
100 to 399	1974	1	110	1	110	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	(Z)	3	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	19

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	2	135	2	100
	1969	12	3 139	1	500
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	2	95	2	100
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	40	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	30	–	–
	1969	2	74	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	1	3	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	11	24	81	376	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	1	–	1	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	7	15	1 969	3 021	42 207	83 018
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	20	19	186	138	136 241	90 779
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	154	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	3	9	80	326	112	329
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	24	453	463	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1	–	10	–	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	–	1	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	76	(NA)	23 753	20 179	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	9	17	79	282	3 000	10 814	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	3	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	1	–	71	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	21	1 022	(X)	–	–	2	140	2	17	–	–
	1969	14	1 356	(X)	–	–	4	294	2	3	2	12
Improved pasture	1974	2	237	(X)	–	–	1	150	1	10	–	–
	1969	8	6 961	(X)	–	–	2	45	1	3	1	5
Corn for all purposes	1974	9	79	(X)	–	–	4	50	3	3	1	2
	1969	18	285	(X)	–	–	14	271	3	25	12	27
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	7	1 969	42 207	–	–	2	300	2	14	–	–
	1969	15	3 021	83 018	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	2	70	108	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	290	240	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	20	186	136 241	–	–	20	186	20	51	–	–
	1969	19	138	90 779	2	13	19	138	(NA)	43	(NA)	10
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	1	20	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	3	8	235	–	–	3	8	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	19	451	(X)	2	50	10	225	9	41	1	1
	1969	22	449	(X)	6	93	17	368	15	92	2	5
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	–	–	1	1
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	72	23 751	(X)	1	950	72	23 742	44	1 001	66	1 927

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	101	123
$1,000	1 094	535
Commercial fertilizer—farms	100	115
acres on which used	24 818	21 234
tons	3 072	2 147
$1,000	503	171
Lime—farms	7	9
acres on which used	276	1 169
tons	351	1 676
$1,000	4	13
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	54	62
acres on which used	19 726	14 376
$1,000	274	129
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	4
acres on which used	299	596
$1,000	3	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	1
acres on which used	580	264
$1,000	3	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	57	86
acres on which used	21 094	18 593
$1,000	293	211
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	100
$1,000	–	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	12	(NA)
acres on which used	856	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	4	2
acres on which used	531	284
$1,000	2	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	–	5
$1,000	–	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	7	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	4	9
Proportion of farms—percent	3.8	7.0
Total land irrigated—acres	1 001	238
Average per farm—acres	250.3	26.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	9
acres	1 001	238
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	9
acres	1 001	238
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1 223	215
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	0.9
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	1 000	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 980	3 359
Cropland—acres	1 353	2 928
Harvested cropland—acres	1 183	2 089
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	15	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	20	40
Proportion of farms—percent	18.9	31.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	13 175	23 736
Land drained—acres	10 746	22 818
Average per farm—acres	537.3	570.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	–	(NA)
number	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	28	11	22
$1,000	720	121	599
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	4	4
$5,000 to $9,999	8	3	3
$10,000 to $29,999	8	3	7
$30,000 to $49,999	5	1	4
$50,000 and over	4	–	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	60	68	306	281	1 692	1 225
25 to 149 days	48	94	533	503	784	
Less than 25 days	42		438		102	
Total contract labor	9	14	(NA)	(NA)	49	36
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	33	(NA)	32	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	78	60	48	42
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 578	1 692	784	102
Number of workers	1 277	306	533	438
Farms with—				
1 worker	3	12	2	1
2 workers	2	16	6	5
3 or 4 workers	6	10	5	10
5 to 9 workers	27	11	19	11
10 workers and over	40	11	16	15

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	48	47	38	39
Land in farms ____ acres	26 881	22 556	26 680	22 247
Average size of farm ____ acres	560	480	702	570
Approximate land area ____ acres	145 024	145 024	145 024	145 024
Proportion in farms ____ percent	18.5	15.6	18.4	15.3
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	34 517	29 020	34 011	28 851
Average per farm ____ dollars	719 100	617 452	895 022	739 776
Average per acre ____ dollars	1 284	1 287	1 275	1 297
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	3	2	–	–
10 to 49 acres	10	13	4	8
50 to 69 acres	2	4	2	4
70 to 99 acres	3	7	2	7
100 to 139 acres	5	2	5	2
140 to 179 acres	3	1	3	1
180 to 219 acres	4	2	4	1
220 to 259 acres	1	1	1	1
260 to 499 acres	3	4	3	4
500 to 999 acres	6	7	6	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	1	5	1
2,000 acres and over	3	3	3	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	45	46	36	39
acres	15 880	13 677	15 751	13 451
Harvested cropland ____ farms	40	45	31	39
acres	11 618	8 535	11 555	8 451
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	8	3	1	
10 to 19 acres	1	5	–	17
20 to 29 acres	4	6	3	
30 to 49 acres	4	9	4	
50 to 99 acres	4	5	4	5
100 to 199 acres	4	7	4	7
200 to 499 acres	6	5	6	5
500 to 999 acres	5	3	5	3
1,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	6	8	5	4
acres	563	259	497	146
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	28	34	28	(NA)
acres	3 699	4 883	3 699	4 854
Total woodland ____ farms	8	16	8	15
acres	9 073	4 817	9 073	4 745
Other land (see text) ____ farms	28	35	20	(NA)
acres	1 928	4 062	1 856	4 051
Irrigated land ____ farms	2	–	–	–
acres	6	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	28	(NA)
acres	3 699	4 854
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	3	7
acres	31	145
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	3	2
acres	9	49
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	14	19
acres	2 868	3 169
Cropland idle ____ farms	13	9
acres	791	1 491
Total woodland ____ farms	8	15
acres	9 073	4 745
Woodland pastured ____ farms	–	4
acres	–	250

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	8	13
acres	9 073	4 495
Other land ____ farms	20	(NA)
acres	1 856	4 051
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	4	7
acres	1 403	2 464
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	1	2
acres	67	105
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	3	6
acres	1 336	2 359
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	17	30
acres	453	1 587

Table 2. **Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	48	47	38	39
Land in farms ____ acres	26 881	22 556	26 680	22 247
Harvested cropland ____ acres	11 618	8 535	11 555	8 451
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	16	9	10	5
Land in farms ____ acres	9 426	2 694	9 332	2 491
Harvested cropland ____ acres	3 326	1 190	3 281	1 165
Part owners ____ number	10	19	6	19
Land in farms ____ acres	8 953	16 685	8 846	16 685
Harvested cropland ____ acres	3 032	5 735	3 014	5 735
Tenants ____ number	22	19	22	15
Land in farms ____ acres	8 502	3 177	8 502	3 071
Harvested cropland ____ acres	5 260	1 610	5 260	1 551
Percent of tenancy	45.8	40.4	57.9	38.4
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	9	14	3	10
Land in farms ____ acres	258	817	182	711
Harvested cropland ____ acres	169	432	137	373
Full owners ____ number	4	2	–	2
Land in farms ____ acres	60	100	–	100
Harvested cropland ____ acres	24	62	–	62
Part owners ____ number	3	1	1	1
Land in farms ____ acres	66	78	50	78
Harvested cropland ____ acres	48	32	40	32
Tenants ____ number	2	11	2	7
Land in farms ____ acres	132	639	132	533
Harvested cropland ____ acres	97	338	97	279
Percent of tenancy	22.2	78.5	66.7	70.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	26	23
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 016	4 087

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	9	13
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 071	13 074
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 593	5 086
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	1	4	1	2
35 to 44 years	6	10	3	9
45 to 54 years	15	14	13	12
55 to 64 years	20	15	15	12
65 years and over	3	4	3	4
Average age	53.7	50.7	54.5	51.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	15	24	9	22
On another farm	2		2	
In a rural area, not on a farm	11	15	11	11
In a city, town, or urban area	12		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
1 to 49 days	–	–	–	–
50 to 99 days	1	2	1	–
100 to 149 days	5	2	3	1
150 to 199 days	6		6	
200 days and over	15	8	8	5
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	18	(NA)	18	(NA)
Other	27	(NA)	17	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	14	13	14	13
$40,000 to $99,999	7		7	
$20,000 to $39,999	2	2	2	2
$10,000 to $19,999	4	5	4	5
$5,000 to $9,999	6	14	6	14
$2,500 to $4,999	4	5	4	5
Under $2,500 (see text)	11	8	1	–
$2,000 to $2,499	4	3	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	2	1	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	–	–	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	5	4	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	9 508	1 911	9 493	1 900
Average per farm ... dollars	198 075	40 667	249 816	48 722
Crops, including hay ... farms	35	45	29	(NA)
$1,000	9 398	1 879	9 388	1 870
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	–	1	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	19	8	12	5
$1,000	110	32	105	30
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	(NA)	–	–
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	29	(NA)
$1,000	9 388	1 870
Grains ... farms	6	6
$1,000	330	13
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	2	–
$1,000	3	–
Other field crops ... farms	22	29
$1,000	9 005	1 791
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	10
$1,000	50	66
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	12	5
$1,000	105	30
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	12	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs ... farms	2	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	17	(NA)	8	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	18	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	144	(NA)	141	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	1	6	1	4
$1,000	10	8	10	7
Recreational services ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	16	23	14	21
$1,000	129	152	126	152
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)	8	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	26
$1,000	237
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	8
$1,000	48
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	14
$1,000	143
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	9
$1,000	28
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	1
$1,000	(D)
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	1
$1,000	(D)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	48	47	38	39
$1,000	2 834	1 752	2 824	1 743
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	9	5	3	5
$1,000 to $1,999	6	7	2	
$2,000 to $2,999	–	2	–	1
$3,000 to $4,999	5	7	5	7
$5,000 to $9,999	5	9	5	9
$10,000 to $19,999	5		5	2
$20,000 to $39,999	3	17	3	4
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	11
$60,000 and over	14		14	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	9	2	4	2
$1,000	18	9	17	9
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	8	5	5	4
$1,000	28	11	28	10
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	6	5	5	4
$1,000	28	10	28	10
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	–
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	–
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	19	21	12	21
$1,000	90	14	89	14
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	38	43	29	38
$1,000	227	79	226	78
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	29	(NA)	27	(NA)
$1,000	265	95	265	95
Lime ... farms	(NA)	1	–	1
$1,000	(NA)	(Z)	–	(Z)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	48	45	38	37
$1,000	162	87	159	85
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	38
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	25
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	23
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	8
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	13
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	11
Hired farm labor ... farms	26	34	26	33
$1,000	753	593	753	592
Contract labor ... farms	3	16	3	4
$1,000	8	29	8	12
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	15		10	11
$1,000	30		29	15
All other production expenses ... farms	43	45	38	39
$1,000	1 253	836	1 247	832

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	46	45	36	37
$1,000	1 809	957	1 742	941
Average per farm—dollars	39 322	21 270	48 397	25 437
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	2	–	11
$1,000 to $4,999	6	16	2	
$5,000 to $9,999	12	8	8	7
$10,000 to $19,999	7	8	5	8
$20,000 to $29,999	5	11	5	3
$30,000 to $49,999	4		4	2
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	6
$70,000 and over	9		9	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	22	19	15	17
number	25	23	17	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	17	11	16
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	37	35	30	31
number	76	65	69	61
mfd in last 5 years, number	43	39	40	37
Wheel tractors—farms	42	43	36	35
number	205	210	196	198
mfd in last 5 years, number	71	58	70	55
Crawler tractors—farms	6		6	2
number	6		6	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	7	1	7	1
number	16	1	16	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	1	7	1
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	1	1	1
number	1	1	1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	1	1	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	–
number	1		1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
number	9	(NA)	8	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	6	3	4	1
number	7	3	5	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	1	1	–
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	3	(NA)	3	2
number	3	(NA)	3	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	2	(NA)	2	2
number	2	(NA)	2	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	19	(X)	12	(X)	19	(X)	12	(X)	105
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	18	(X)	11	(X)	19	(X)	12	(X)	105
1969	15	(X)	12	(X)	8	(X)	5	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	14	918	11	868	15	448	12	441	(D)
1969	11	255	8	(D)	8	119	5	(D)	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	–	–	–	–	4	8	1	1	(Z)
5 to 9—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 19—1974	2	25	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 49—1974	5	181	4	156	10	358	10	358	44
50 to 99—1974	5	337	5	337	1	82	1	82	12
100 to 199—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	12	431	9	392	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	11	119	8	88	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	12	429	9	390	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	115	6	84	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	1	2	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	3	4	3	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	12	429	9	390			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	2	14	–	–			
10 to 19	2	34	2	34			
20 to 49	5	150	4	125			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	1	2	1	2			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	1	2	1	2			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					9	229	38
Farms with—							
1 to 4					2	5	1
5 to 9					1	6	1
10 to 19					–	–	–
20 to 49					5	136	24
50 to 99					1	82	12
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					6	212	19
Farms with—							
1 or 2					–	–	–
3 or 4					–	–	–
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					–	–	–
20 to 49					6	212	19
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	10	197
	1969	6	48
Beef heifers	1974	10	197
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	11	279
	1969	5	62

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	20	4
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	1	20	4
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	6	511	2	471	6	512	2	(D)	(D)
	1969	8	(D)	8	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	5	(D)	1	(D)	4	40	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	52	2
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	34	1	34	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	70	1	70	1	55	1	55	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	2	3	2	3	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	2	49
	1969	1	52
Other hogs and pigs	1974	2	422
	1969	8	166
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	2	10	2	10
	1969	1	26	1	26
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	2	5	2	5
	1969	1	15	1	15
June 1 and November 30	1974	2	5	2	5
	1969	1	11	1	11

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	235	7	235	–	–	–	–
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	185	7	185	–	–	–	–
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	185	–	–
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	6	6	131	136	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6	4	2 704	205	67 913	4 642
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	240	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	140	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	8	3	391	47	261	70
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	8	12	75	285	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	–	1	–	2	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	24	(NA)	8 313	7 945	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	2	5	95	135	(D)	5 635	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	–	20	–	240	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	5	497	(X)	–	–	1	164	1	10	–	–
	1969	4	146	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	1	67	(X)	–	–	1	67	1	5	–	–
	1969	2	105	(X)	–	–	1	65	1	7	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	2	115	(X)	–	–	2	115	2	18	1	11
	1969	5	135	(X)	–	–	4	117	4	20	1	13
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	6	2 704	67 913	–	–	1	200	1	40	–	–
	1969	4	205	4 642	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	5	360	241	–	–	1	20	1	1	–	–
	1969	1	22	23	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	2	4	280	–	–	2	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	71	(X)	–	–	3	51	3	10	–	–
	1969	12	285	(X)	–	–	10	200	10	32	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	–	–	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	22	8 305	(X)	–	–	22	8 305	10	373	21	1 062

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	31	39
$1,000	491	173
Commercial fertilizer—farms	29	37
acres on which used	8 923	8 273
tons	1 530	1 234
$1,000	226	78
Lime—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	25
tons	–	50
$1,000	–	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	21	22
acres on which used	8 269	3 585
$1,000	124	24
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	380	–
$1,000	(D)	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	–
acres on which used	186	–
$1,000	3	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	15	21
acres on which used	6 872	5 674
$1,000	112	69
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	–
acres on which used	67	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Weeds on all other land—farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	280	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	217
$1,000	–	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	–	3
$1,000	–	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	3	(NA)
$1,000	(D)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	14	14
Proportion of farms—percent	36.8	35.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	9 770	11 270
Land drained—acres	8 927	7 553
Average per farm—acres	637.6	539.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	1	(NA)
number	2	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	14	5	10
$1,000	920	554	365
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	4	1	4
$5,000 to $9,999	1	–	1
$10,000 to $29,999	4	1	3
$30,000 to $49,999	–	–	–
$50,000 and over	5	3	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	19	15	154	207	565	592
25 to 149 days	17	29	163	265	172	
Less than 25 days	11		109		16	
Total contract labor	3	4	(NA)	(NA)	8	12
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	8	(NA)	2	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	26	19	17	11
Cash wages paid—$1,000	753	565	172	16
Number of workers	426	154	163	109
Farms with—				
1 worker	–	4	2	–
2 workers	2	1	1	–
3 or 4 workers	6	5	2	2
5 to 9 workers	5	4	6	6
10 workers and over	13	5	6	3

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 900	2 864	976	1 011
Land in farms — acres	309 073	336 329	270 891	263 588
Average size of farm — acres	163	117	278	261
Approximate land area — acres	596 480	596 480	596 480	596 480
Proportion in farms — percent	51.8	56.4	45.4	44.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	159 517	113 869	131 511	81 215
Average per farm — dollars	83 956	39 758	134 745	80 331
Average per acre — dollars	516	339	485	308
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	96	167	19	5
10 to 49 acres	840	1 528	250	234
50 to 69 acres	224	309	104	111
70 to 99 acres	164	203	97	115
100 to 139 acres	131	154	87	98
140 to 179 acres	76	105	58	80
180 to 219 acres	47	69	42	56
220 to 259 acres	46	26	46	24
260 to 499 acres	116	143	113	131
500 to 999 acres	105	117	105	114
1,000 to 1,999 acres	43	34	43	34
2,000 acres and over	12	9	12	9

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	74	(NA)
acres	3 676	18 541
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	7	31
acres	322	1 169
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	19	99
acres	440	6 976
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	9	19
acres	275	1 727
Cropland idle — farms	43	136
acres	2 639	8 669
Total woodland — farms	185	242
acres	31 524	24 081
Woodland pastured — farms	104	153
acres	5 027	11 038

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 772	2 637	948	988
acres	231 270	254 372	205 025	206 303
Harvested cropland — farms	1 403	2 245	904	948
acres	178 424	174 505	173 363	155 638
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	315	470	41	
10 to 19 acres	276	564	104	439
20 to 29 acres	172	423	138	
30 to 49 acres	172	270	154	
50 to 99 acres	127	173	126	164
100 to 199 acres	93	110	93	110
200 to 499 acres	129	142	129	142
500 to 999 acres	88	78	88	78
1,000 acres and over	31	15	31	15
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	990	1 449	374	460
acres	48 422	55 357	27 986	32 124
Other cropland (see text) — farms	124	593	74	(NA)
acres	4 424	24 510	3 676	18 541
Total woodland — farms	359	593	185	242
acres	36 121	33 909	31 524	24 081
Other land (see text) — farms	1 115	1 748	589	(NA)
acres	41 682	48 048	34 342	33 204
Irrigated land — farms	167	193	147	140
acres	23 181	22 718	22 840	21 891

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	108	113
acres	26 497	13 043
Other land — farms	589	(NA)
acres	34 342	33 204
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	196	194
acres	17 973	23 779
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	104	112
acres	7 936	9 426
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	113	106
acres	10 037	14 353
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	513	528
acres	16 369	9 425

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 900	2 864	976	1 011
Land in farms — acres	309 073	336 329	270 891	263 588
Harvested cropland — acres	178 424	174 505	173 363	155 638
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	1 237	1 643	471	369
Land in farms — acres	116 321	118 174	84 959	65 301
Harvested cropland — acres	35 395	35 141	31 489	24 395
Part owners — number	420	542	340	370
Land in farms — acres	153 755	163 890	149 534	155 063
Harvested cropland — acres	110 975	99 013	110 355	96 871
Tenants — number	243	679	165	272
Land in farms — acres	38 997	54 265	36 398	43 224
Harvested cropland — acres	32 054	40 351	31 519	34 372
Percent of tenancy	12.8	23.7	16.9	26.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	371	927	131	206
Land in farms — acres	17 494	37 565	10 478	16 639
Harvested cropland — acres	8 678	20 998	7 203	11 985
Full owners — number	265	457	74	46
Land in farms — acres	10 061	16 054	4 450	3 282
Harvested cropland — acres	3 401	5 660	2 416	1 552
Part owners — number	53	100	28	39
Land in farms — acres	5 045	8 598	4 170	6 195
Harvested cropland — acres	3 376	5 204	3 136	4 181
Tenants — number	53	370	29	121
Land in farms — acres	2 388	12 913	1 858	7 162
Harvested cropland — acres	1 901	10 134	1 651	6 252
Percent of tenancy	14.3	39.9	22.1	58.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	894	864
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	220 503	192 652

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	64	111
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 412	50 135
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	15	25
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	24 489	17 823
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	11
acres	(NA)	(NA)	487	2 978
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	35	34	26	14
25 to 34 years	159	230	88	118
35 to 44 years	320	558	185	220
45 to 54 years	469	817	243	304
55 to 64 years	516	807	256	260
65 years and over	383	418	160	95
Average age	52.6	51.6	51.2	49.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	1 070	2 004	520	732
On another farm	127		77	
In a rural area, not on a farm	80	488	34	192
In a city, town, or urban area	192		92	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	746	(NA)	462	(NA)
1 to 49 days	88	223	29	66
50 to 99 days	71	128	23	32
100 to 149 days	63	334	30	58
150 to 199 days	127		54	
200 days and over	447	730	129	213
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	1 228	(NA)	759	(NA)
Other	654	(NA)	199	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	49	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	102	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	104	109	104	109
$40,000 to $99,999	164		164	
$20,000 to $39,999	109	119	109	119
$10,000 to $19,999	149	133	149	133
$5,000 to $9,999	174	228	174	228
$2,500 to $4,999	256	373	256	373
Under $2,500 (see text)	944	1 902	20	49
$2,000 to $2,499	110	175	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	129	250	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	211	303	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	494	1 174	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	39 329	17 320	38 409	15 695
Average per farm ... dollars	20 699	6 047	39 354	15 524
Crops, including hay ... farms	1 124	1 949	817	(NA)
$1,000	34 069	13 447	33 769	12 447
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	9		9	3
$1,000	251		251	86
Forest products ... farms	3	39	3	22
$1,000	97	28	97	24
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	1 241	1 753	542	656
$1,000	4 911	3 845	4 292	3 138
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	64	(NA)	27	46
$1,000	19	(NA)	10	23

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	817	(NA)
$1,000	33 769	12 447
Grains ... farms	626	507
$1,000	28 651	7 817
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	152	467
$1,000	1 659	2 043
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	79	96
$1,000	252	258
Other field crops ... farms	205	350
$1,000	3 068	2 260
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	45	48
$1,000	135	51
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	40
$1,000	3	18
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	542	656
$1,000	4 292	3 138
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	27	46
$1,000	10	23
Dairy products ... farms	45	64
$1,000	2 225	1 187
Cattle and calves ... farms	500	(NA)
$1,000	1 814	1 718
Hogs and pigs ... farms	78	(NA)
$1,000	131	210
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	21	
$1,000	4	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	21	
$1,000	108	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	756	(NA)	177	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	417	(NA)	230	(NA)
$1,000	710	(NA)	500	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	71	150	51	84
$1,000	159	255	131	191
Recreational services ... farms	1	18	–	10
$1,000	(Z)	41	–	10
Government farm programs ... farms	182	941	109	370
$1,000	141	1 333	121	1 052
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	211	(NA)	92	(NA)
$1,000	366	(NA)	204	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	24	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	43	(NA)	43	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	120	(NA)	52	(NA)
$1,000	144	(NA)	96	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	398
$1,000	3 943
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	81
$1,000	692
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	256
$1,000	2 459
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	154
$1,000	464
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	68
$1,000	197
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	43
$1,000	131

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 891	2 864	976	1 011
$1,000	23 477	13 582	22 373	11 962
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	601	1 340	57	230
$1,000 to $1,999	347	606	131	
$2,000 to $2,999	205	242	117	153
$3,000 to $4,999	174	186	122	147
$5,000 to $9,999	177	198	162	189
$10,000 to $19,999	118	292	118	129
$20,000 to $39,999	112		112	94
$40,000 to $59,999	47		47	69
$60,000 and over	110		110	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	577	889	223	291
$1,000	1 096	646	922	504
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	1 216	1 764	490	599
$1,000	1 954	1 136	1 618	848
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	785	943	403	388
$1,000	1 557	670	1 437	576
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	164	181
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	103
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	185	161
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	67
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	76	208
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	62	102
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	276	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	134	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	886	1 916	617	828
$1,000	1 750	770	1 730	699
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	1 250	2 186	694	885
$1,000	2 350	1 255	2 230	1 079
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	552	(NA)	422	(NA)
$1,000	1 460	879	1 447	822
Lime ... farms	(NA)	136	58	81
$1,000	(NA)	43	52	38
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 725	2 738	937	1 005
$1,000	1 891	1 405	1 772	1 140
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	838	947
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	694	511
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	466	392
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	788	371
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	214	318
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	106	141
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	937	1 000
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	183	116
Hired farm labor ... farms	660	1 442	455	722
$1,000	2 445	2 056	2 389	1 861
Contract labor ... farms	43	796	18	53
$1,000	33	563	23	107
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	439		328	380
$1,000	506		490	390
All other production expenses ... farms	1 571	1 985	972	994
$1,000	9 994	4 870	9 620	4 512

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 733	2 665	869	986
$1,000	34 791	18 976	29 264	13 998
Average per farm—dollars	20 076	7 120	33 676	14 197
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	44	456	14	407
$1,000 to $4,999	479	1 396	163	
$5,000 to $9,999	564	331	170	189
$10,000 to $19,999	267	229	156	156
$20,000 to $29,999	101	253	93	83
$30,000 to $49,999	131		126	87
$50,000 to $69,999	52		52	64
$70,000 and over	95		95	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 188	1 739	601	665
number	1 385	1 992	738	794
mfd in last 5 years, number	593	1 169	429	535
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 409	1 773	752	790
number	2 023	2 249	1 347	1 221
mfd in last 5 years, number	723	1 161	568	701
Wheel tractors—farms	1 395	2 014	754	883
number	2 590	3 154	1 890	1 864
mfd in last 5 years, number	605	1 322	560	947
Crawler tractors—farms	50		24	22
number	51		25	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	10		6	23

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	263	254	260	237
number	454	341	451	323
mfd in last 5 years, number	135	266	134	255
Corn heads for combines—farms	29	106	29	31
number	31	124	31	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	65	12	24
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	96		80	69
number	96		80	76
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		2	36
Mower conditioners—farms	145	(NA)	101	(NA)
number	163	(NA)	115	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	50	(NA)	45	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	134	130	97	106
number	139	133	101	109
mfd in last 5 years, number	36	65	29	49
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	68	(NA)	47	41
number	72	(NA)	50	43
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	(NA)	13	20
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	26	(NA)	22	16
number	38	(NA)	34	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	9

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	1 426	(X)	620	(X)	1 241	(X)	542	(X)	4 292
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	1 367	(X)	578	(X)	1 191	(X)	528	(X)	1 949
1969	2 182	(X)	733	(X)	1 699	(X)	640	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	1 322	45 252	557	30 719	1 124	17 139	500	12 865	1 814
1969	2 014	48 651	690	32 122	1 499	19 736	574	14 206	1 718
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	152	406	61	154	342	818	92	199	30
5 to 9—1974	176	1 223	48	336	305	2 000	93	626	93
10 to 19—1974	390	5 365	110	1 545	248	3 277	109	1 517	198
20 to 49—1974	358	10 800	145	4 646	163	4 718	140	4 197	592
50 to 99—1974	163	11 106	110	7 686	49	3 047	49	3 047	434
100 to 199—1974	49	6 598	49	6 598	11	1 697	11	1 697	230
200 to 499—1974	32	(D)	32	(D)	6	1 582	6	1 582	237
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	1 073	25 754	496	18 383	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 772	28 666	645	19 699	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	951	22 290	422	15 484	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	24 567	517	16 787	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	414	3 464	205	2 899	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	835	4 099	314	2 912	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	45	(X)	2 225
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	64	(X)	1 187

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	951	22 290	422	15 484			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	185	463	58	139			
5 to 9	169	1 144	61	398			
10 to 19	262	3 482	84	1 072			
20 to 49	225	6 336	117	3 440			
50 to 99	73	4 661	65	4 231			
100 to 199	23	2 796	23	2 796			
200 to 499	14	3 408	14	3 408			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	414	3 464	205	2 899			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	240	357	104	147			
3 or 4	67	229	27	91			
5 to 9	54	317	27	161			
10 to 19	11	127	5	66			
20 to 49	19	593	19	593			
50 to 99	19	1 351	19	1 351			
100 to 199	4	490	4	490			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					311	4 560	969
Farms with—							
1 to 4					119	284	53
5 to 9					65	429	88
10 to 19					63	873	203
20 to 49					49	1 421	248
50 to 99					12	833	180
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					406	8 305	845
Farms with—							
1 or 2					59	84	10
3 or 4					41	144	16
5 to 9					87	601	66
10 to 19					87	1 198	128
20 to 49					98	3 017	307
50 to 99					25	1 680	184
100 to 199					5	614	65
200 to 499					4	967	68
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	344	6 595
	1969	536	7 785
Beef heifers	1974	308	5 505
Milk heifers	1974	65	1 090
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	382	5 741
	1969	562	4 638

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	32	864	210
	1969	6	49	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	21	84	15
10 to 19	1974	2	35	5
20 to 49	1974	5	138	24
50 to 99	1974	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	315	2 854	128	1 391	155	2 990	78	2 168	131
	1969	854	10 508	250	5 386	487	9 775	179	5 825	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	121	294	51	125	30	75	12	29	2
5 to 9	1974	97	663	31	226	43	282	16	105	5
10 to 24	1974	75	1 049	33	495	48	722	24	373	17
25 to 49	1974	19	641	10	338	24	774	16	524	36
50 to 99	1974	3	207	3	207	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	5	510	5	510	42
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	309	9	176	4
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	1 626	24	1 047	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	68	718	28	413	34	357	21	263	(NA)
	1969	110	1 160	41	523	39	410	21	234	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	242	[1] 202
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	(X)	4
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	40	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	291	1 060	136	706	25	74	16	62	85
	1969	671	1 924	(NA)	(NA)	40	93	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	72	233
	1969	179	865
Other hogs and pigs	1974	115	1 158
	1969	233	4 521
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	22	97
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	27	275
Rams and wethers	1974	25	41

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	167	430	77	253
	1969	574	1 866	198	998
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	128	260	57	160
	1969	469	1 068	152	518
June 1 and November 30	1974	97	170	46	93
	1969	361	798	145	480

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	588	(X)	230	(X)	22	(X)	6	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	325	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	571	17 941	226	8 431	17	447	4	95
	1969	1 154	46 704	324	16 122	37	3 463	11	1 248
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	548	15 803	216	7 388	17	424	4	72
	1969	1 087	37 221	303	13 035	35	3 376	9	1 213
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	525	12 607	202	5 592	16	230	4	72
100 to 399	1974	23	3 196	14	1 796	1	194	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	88	1 752	26	564	5	67	2	35
	1969	55	1 619	12	289	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	19	27	10
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	46	23

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	216	7 388	4	72
	1969	303	13 035	9	1 213
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	212	6 628	4	72
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	26	760	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	13	247	1	20
	1969	58	1 771	1	30
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	108	796	1	3
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	7	612	–	–
Turkeys	1974	14	53	–	–
	1969	34	169	1	2
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	4	22	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	3	11	–	–
Light breed	1974	2	11	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	12	31	–	–
	1969	29	119	–	–
Other poultry	1974	11	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	82	(X)	6	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	530	1 186	7 820	16 917	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	32	47	1 548	4 018	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	583	484	122 687	86 948	3 435 292	2 087 965
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	10	1	56	200	27 000
Wheat (bushels)	–	4	–	245	–	4 808
Other small grains for grain	130	122	21 625	20 290	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	193	1 170	11 130	21 424	8 657	23 246
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	55	(NA)	146	(NA)	9 748	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	298	(NA)	6 771	(NA)	1 230 665	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	424	508	7 647	10 167	14 479	19 279
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	86	149	395	335	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	26	60	170	367	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	7	(X)	(X)
Other crops	18	(NA)	212	1 552	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	257	379	4 713	9 531	264 070	381 947	4	10	35	179
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	26	18	1 440	946	18 936	9 099	2	–	160	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	12	53	251	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	8	30	1 121	3 769	57 607	148 296	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	17	(NA)	381	165	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	14	150	201	130	311	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	374	27 986	(X)	1	2	83	5 667	78	597	6	32
	1969	460	32 124	(X)	5	138	170	8 499	169	1 048	4	15
Improved pasture	1974	104	7 936	(X)	–	–	44	2 604	43	313	1	1
	1969	112	9 426	(X)	1	50	52	3 008	51	322	1	2
Corn for all purposes	1974	276	6 206	(X)	6	195	193	4 919	152	582	52	443
	1969	401	10 728	(X)	10	179	287	8 570	252	814	53	554
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	24	1 502	(X)	–	–	12	1 262	11	91	1	90
	1969	35	3 934	(X)	–	–	23	3 333	21	277	4	28
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	245	4 808	–	–	4	245	(NA)	39	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	65	1 500	–	–	1	65	(NA)	7	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	20	530	–	–	2	20	2	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	120	21 450	(X)	120	21 450	120	21 394	116	4 163	9	158
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	536	122 139	3 425 610	11	918	155	42 962	124	3 744	35	1 176
	1969	357	84 976	2 043 855	5	835	119	26 243	(NA)	2 667	(NA)	323
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	200	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	4	1 700	1	1	2	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	241	5 787	11 661	–	–	66	1 778	63	339	5	10
	1969	232	7 715	15 766	3	24	64	2 271	62	281	2	5
Field seed crops	1974	2	25	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	1	–	–
	1969	10	1 156	(X)	–	–	7	1 075	7	141	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	156	10 868	8 495	3	219	145	10 432	90	750	63	1 125
	1969	464	16 740	19 355	7	182	426	16 339	(NA)	2 470	(NA)	470
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	33	129	8 705	2	1	19	113	19	29	–	–
	1969	37	380	30 568	1	15	32	338	(NA)	81	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	45	323	(X)	11	48	29	198	29	52	–	–
	1969	43	114	(X)	4	19	25	71	25	21	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	10	110	(X)	1	2	1	12	1	1	–	–
	1969	30	276	(X)	1	1	10	90	10	20	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	4	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	9	144	(X)	1	(Z)	2	75	2	30	–	–
1969	3	82	(X)	–	–	3	75	3	17	–	–
Other crops 1974	201	6 363	(X)	7	197	195	6 262	190	1 125	11	92

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	760	938
$1,000	3 676	1 901
Commercial fertilizer—farms	694	841
acres on which used	97 728	100 225
tons	14 947	14 238
$1,000	2 230	1 079
Lime—farms	58	81
acres on which used	3 820	4 329
tons	4 426	5 697
$1,000	52	38
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	16	15
acres on which used	497	627
$1,000	2	3
Insects on other crops—farms	223	527
acres on which used	66 286	74 350
$1,000	591	394
Nematodes in crops—farms	16	11
acres on which used	1 449	476
$1,000	14	5

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	12	11
acres on which used	5 255	603
$1,000	46	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	230	334
acres on which used	82 421	60 597
$1,000	669	343
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	13	33
acres on which used	988	1 183
$1,000	3	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	21	(NA)
acres on which used	411	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	35	80
acres on which used	4 371	6 269
$1,000	15	25
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	21	114
$1,000	2	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	80	(NA)
$1,000	50	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	147	140
Proportion of farms—percent	15.1	13.8
Total land irrigated—acres	22 840	21 891
Average per farm—acres	155.4	156.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	147	140
acres	22 840	21 841
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	147	137
acres	22 838	21 545
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	5
acres	2	138
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	158
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	1
acres	–	50
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	25 829	23 346
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	1.1
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	26	(NA)
acres	2 175	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	6	(NA)
acres	522	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	6	(NA)
acres	125	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	71 081	71 283
Cropland—acres	61 046	63 175
Harvested cropland—acres	56 502	50 958
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	120	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	64	189
Proportion of farms—percent	6.6	18.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	27 924	72 955
Land drained—acres	22 094	58 035
Average per farm—acres	345.2	307.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	94	(NA)
number	182	(NA)
acres	226	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	258	155	167
$1,000	10 661	5 998	4 664
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	43	27	45
$5,000 to $9,999	53	34	30
$10,000 to $29,999	78	49	45
$30,000 to $49,999	22	10	12
$50,000 and over	62	35	35

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	182	219	388	502	1 462	1 861
25 to 149 days	141		942		618	
Less than 25 days	263	620	2 090	4 131	309	
Total contract labor	18	53	(NA)	(NA)	23	107
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	53	(NA)	7	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	455	182	141	263
Cash wages paid $1,000	2 389	1 462	618	309
Number of workers	3 420	388	942	2 090
Farms with—				
1 worker	123	89	33	71
2 workers	83	52	36	39
3 or 4 workers	81	27	37	46
5 to 9 workers	96	12	19	56
10 workers and over	72	2	16	51

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	566	774	262	329
Land in farms ____ acres	91 458	99 532	74 179	81 631
Average size of farm ____ acres	162	129	283	248
Approximate land area ____ acres	471 040	471 040	471 040	471 040
Proportion in farms ____ percent	19.4	21.1	15.7	17.3
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	51 466	38 451	40 049	29 123
Average per farm ____ dollars	90 930	49 678	152 858	88 519
Average per acre ____ dollars	563	386	540	357
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	64	37	12	2
10 to 49 acres	225	368	48	44
50 to 69 acres	44	73	29	38
70 to 99 acres	54	73	33	52
100 to 139 acres	37	68	26	48
140 to 179 acres	25	29	17	28
180 to 219 acres	14	22	14	20
220 to 259 acres	22	16	14	16
260 to 499 acres	31	43	25	38
500 to 999 acres	29	28	23	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres	19	16	19	16
2,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	514	723	241	320
acres	64 338	75 921	52 722	63 220
Harvested cropland ____ farms	435	627	238	314
acres	39 944	41 585	37 089	36 896
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	106	109	16	
10 to 19 acres	94	133	34	119
20 to 29 acres	49	100	28	
30 to 49 acres	43	86	29	
50 to 99 acres	53	98	41	94
100 to 199 acres	42	54	42	54
200 to 499 acres	27	34	27	34
500 to 999 acres	17	11	17	11
1,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	259	346	95	122
acres	15 534	14 194	8 482	9 400
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	96	277	70	(NA)
acres	8 860	20 142	7 151	16 924
Total woodland ____ farms	73	99	37	50
acres	12 145	11 007	9 748	9 322
Other land (see text) ____ farms	328	457	164	(NA)
acres	14 975	12 604	11 709	9 089
Irrigated land ____ farms	31	18	28	18
acres	5 083	3 521	5 023	3 521

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	70	(NA)
acres	7 151	16 924
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	7	32
acres	287	1 487
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	6	17
acres	708	1 959
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	37	87
acres	3 798	8 595
Cropland idle ____ farms	27	90
acres	2 358	4 883
Total woodland ____ farms	37	50
acres	9 748	9 322
Woodland pastured ____ farms	21	22
acres	3 343	2 860

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	24	33
acres	6 405	6 462
Other land ____ farms	164	(NA)
acres	11 709	9 089
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	40	88
acres	5 723	6 074
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	28	52
acres	2 669	4 011
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	13	48
acres	3 054	2 063
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	152	172
acres	5 986	3 015

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	566	774	262	329
Land in farms ____ acres	91 458	99 532	74 179	81 631
Harvested cropland ____ acres	39 944	41 585	37 089	36 896
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	266	297	86	53
Land in farms ____ acres	27 403	23 026	21 129	14 649
Harvested cropland ____ acres	8 446	6 041	7 160	4 100
Part owners ____ number	177	240	101	145
Land in farms ____ acres	43 268	51 392	36 986	46 401
Harvested cropland ____ acres	21 532	22 900	20 600	21 629
Tenants ____ number	123	237	75	131
Land in farms ____ acres	20 787	25 114	16 064	20 581
Harvested cropland ____ acres	9 966	12 644	9 329	11 167
Percent of tenancy	21.7	30.6	28.6	39.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	92	198	35	79
Land in farms ____ acres	5 332	11 696	3 264	8 123
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2 847	6 904	2 409	5 304
Full owners ____ number	36	40	14	9
Land in farms ____ acres	1 197	1 695	956	595
Harvested cropland ____ acres	609	502	497	249
Part owners ____ number	23	47	6	20
Land in farms ____ acres	951	3 388	556	2 636
Harvested cropland ____ acres	579	1 919	419	1 528
Tenants ____ number	33	111	15	50
Land in farms ____ acres	3 184	6 613	1 752	4 892
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 659	4 483	1 493	3 527
Percent of tenancy	35.9	56.0	42.9	63.2
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	217	260
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	45 544	50 169

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	37	50
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	16 101	18 572
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	6	14
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 753	12 493
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 781	397
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	5	6	3
25 to 34 years	61	68	23	40
35 to 44 years	97	160	58	83
45 to 54 years	75	230	39	99
55 to 64 years	204	212	92	83
65 years and over	115	99	36	21
Average age	53.3	51.0	51.5	48.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	298	483	138	219
On another farm	23		12	
In a rural area, not on a farm	45	202	21	81
In a city, town, or urban area	62		26	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	196	(NA)	121	(NA)
1 to 49 days	58	84	19	29
50 to 99 days	47	50	12	9
100 to 149 days	26	57	3	10
150 to 199 days	25		8	
200 days and over	127	220	42	68
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	325	(NA)	212	(NA)
Other	233	(NA)	42	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	57	29	57	29
$40,000 to $99,999	38		38	
$20,000 to $39,999	24	48	24	48
$10,000 to $19,999	40	72	40	72
$5,000 to $9,999	43	77	43	77
$2,500 to $4,999	55	91	55	91
Under $2,500 (see text)	309	457	5	12
$2,000 to $2,499	37	32	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	40	53	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	61	55	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	171	317	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	20 691	5 739	20 405	5 400
Average per farm (dollars)	36 557	7 415	77 880	16 413
Crops, including hay (farms)	316	502	208	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	19 633	4 351	19 526	4 179
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	4		3	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	18		16	(D)
Forest products (farms)	1	3	1	3
Forest products ($1,000)	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	336	426	135	182
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 040	1 387	862	1 220
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	22	(NA)	8	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	4	(NA)	3	45

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	208	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	19 526	4 179
Grains (farms)	66	94
Grains ($1,000)	2 317	701
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	9	60
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	67	246
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	26	39
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	97	72
Other field crops (farms)	136	199
Other field crops ($1,000)	16 663	3 007
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	47	44
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	376	92
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	2	23
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	6	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	135	182
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	862	1 220
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	8	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	3	45
Dairy products (farms)	19	30
Dairy products ($1,000)	408	661
Cattle and calves (farms)	111	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	232	454
Hogs and pigs (farms)	10	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	16	59
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	5	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	16	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	203	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	243	(NA)	52	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	152	(NA)	91	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	1 193	(NA)	1 080	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	40	32	31	19
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	311	26	259	22
Recreational services (farms)	1	10	1	3
Recreational services ($1,000)	(Z)	3	(Z)	3
Government farm programs (farms)	80	247	50	151
Government farm programs ($1,000)	234	483	224	444
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	57	(NA)	26	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	583	(NA)	534	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	10	(NA)	8	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	66	(NA)	63	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	58	(NA)	40	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	242	(NA)	213	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	117
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 496
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	25
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	760
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	75
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	547
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	41
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	139
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	16
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	39
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	2
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	11

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	566	774	262	329
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	9 272	4 444	8 911	4 014
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	196	308	11	46
$1,000 to $1,999	104	135	29	
$2,000 to $2,999	40	70	20	41
$3,000 to $4,999	62	76	45	66
$5,000 to $9,999	46	73	39	64
$10,000 to $19,999	27	112	27	57
$20,000 to $39,999	30		30	41
$40,000 to $59,999	18		18	14
$60,000 and over	43		43	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	111	236	45	77
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	65	138	39	107
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	371	501	130	174
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	388	462	273	379
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	270	264	111	138
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	251	319	194	298
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	29	24
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	9	11
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	45	43
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	30	20
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	16	40
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	39	49
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	207	495	118	246
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	231	145	221	128
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	414	609	220	292
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	993	462	930	406
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	185	(NA)	152	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	421	230	419	214
Lime (farms)	(NA)	65	8	41
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	25	3	23
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	537	731	252	329
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	674	525	635	447
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	214	296
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	175	187
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	154	135
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	248	114
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	136	142
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	126	91
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	252	329
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	85	54
Hired farm labor (farms)	213	410	147	247
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 794	843	1 769	803
Contract labor (farms)	17	243	10	21
Contract labor ($1,000)	63	153	59	29
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	135		74	122
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	160		151	100
All other production expenses (farms)	444	581	258	327
All other production expenses ($1,000)	4 484	1 486	4 397	1 401

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	534	728	244	327
$1,000	9 506	6 541	7 425	5 163
Average per farm—dollars	17 801	8 985	30 431	15 788
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	17	126	-	107
$1,000 to $4,999	128	307	50	
$5,000 to $9,999	195	123	56	71
$10,000 to $19,999	86	69	39	59
$20,000 to $29,999	34	103	27	34
$30,000 to $49,999	32		32	35
$50,000 to $69,999	18		16	21
$70,000 and over	24		24	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	311	449	156	193
number	374	551	199	253
mfd in last 5 years, number	178	288	127	156
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	398	490	209	255
number	565	679	360	422
mfd in last 5 years, number	212	340	164	225
Wheel tractors—farms	460	589	220	308
number	905	1 119	625	749
mfd in last 5 years, number	254	431	210	313
Crawler tractors—farms	16		7	18
number	26		9	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		2	10

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	16	25	16	25
number	24	39	24	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	20	13	20
Corn heads for combines—farms	3	43	3	2
number	3	47	3	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	26	2	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	32		25	37
number	33		26	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	19
Mower conditioners—farms	64	(NA)	39	(NA)
number	68	(NA)	43	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	23	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	57	75	25	56
number	58	76	25	57
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	47	9	34
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	15	(NA)	11	19
number	15	(NA)	11	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	16
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	22	(NA)	19	21
number	23	(NA)	20	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	421	(X)	163	(X)	336	(X)	135	(X)	862
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	397	(X)	146	(X)	307	(X)	118	(X)	248
1969	589	(X)	231	(X)	402	(X)	170	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	370	10 671	136	6 375	292	2 812	111	1 675	232
1969	568	12 845	224	8 801	375	5 489	158	4 184	454
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	54	163	17	55	111	292	30	84	12
5 to 9—1974	58	403	22	144	98	658	32	234	41
10 to 19—1974	108	1 520	21	307	52	731	22	310	41
20 to 49—1974	99	2 829	40	1 176	26	819	22	735	94
50 to 99—1974	30	2 042	15	979	5	312	5	312	44
100 to 199—1974	16	2 053	16	2 053	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499—1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	313	6 600	130	4 277	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	516	7 729	216	5 697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	276	5 670	111	3 539	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 738	150	4 030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	110	930	47	738	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	279	1 991	124	1 667	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	408
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	661

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	276	5 670	111	3 539
Farms with—				
1 to 4	63	164	25	65
5 to 9	73	510	22	164
10 to 19	59	830	19	264
20 to 49	56	1 634	24	814
50 to 99	18	1 276	14	976
100 to 199	6	(D)	6	(D)
200 to 499	-	-	-	-
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)
Milk cows	110	930	47	738
Farms with—				
1 or 2	52	83	16	25
3 or 4	23	75	8	28
5 to 9	14	99	4	32
10 to 19	12	148	10	128
20 to 49	6	190	6	190
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)
200 to 499	-	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-	-

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	62	547	117
Farms with—			
1 to 4	23	48	13
5 to 9	21	167	37
10 to 19	12	140	31
20 to 49	6	192	36
50 to 99	-	-	-
100 to 199	-	-	-
200 to 499	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-
Calves sold	85	1 128	114
Farms with—			
1 or 2	15	23	3
3 or 4	9	31	3
5 to 9	19	121	12
10 to 19	25	327	35
20 to 49	14	456	47
50 to 99	3	170	15
100 to 199	-	-	-
200 to 499	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	78	1 295
	1969	164	2 114
Beef heifers	1974	71	1 153
Milk heifers	1974	13	142
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	82	803
	1969	168	990

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	8	106	24
	1969	2	29	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	38	8
10 to 19	1974	2	28	6
20 to 49	1974	1	40	9
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	74	584	25	293	22	449	10	225	16
	1969	179	1 026	71	484	56	1 032	27	606	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	34	70	11	32	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	22	123	6	34	1	8	1	8	1
10 to 24	1974	17	287	7	123	17	239	7	99	6
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	3	119	1	35	2
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	83	1	83	7
100 to 199	1974	1	104	1	104	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	4	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	10	88	6	44	5	30	3	12	(NA)
	1969	29	344	12	129	15	117	7	87	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	20	[1]88
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	91	321	37	185	6	14	4	12	9
	1969	187	676	(NA)	(NA)	15	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	9	27
	1969	37	91
Other hogs and pigs	1974	25	266
	1969	64	393
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	5	14
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	6	25
Rams and wethers	1974	5	5

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	24	65	9	31
	1969	88	204	40	94
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	20	32	7	14
	1969	69	118	30	52
June 1 and November 30	1974	16	33	6	17
	1969	60	86	29	42

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	144	(X)	51	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	117	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	144	5 595	51	1 836	1	50	1	50
	1969	352	21 681	117	12 243	16	6 419	5	5 786
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	142	5 011	50	1 663	1	50	1	50
	1969	325	17 803	107	10 927	14	6 083	5	5 786
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	132	3 921	47	1 363	1	50	1	50
100 to 399	1974	10	1 090	3	300	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	17	332	10	172	–	–	–	–
	1969	28	1 712	11	853	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	4	8	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	45

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	50	1 663	1	50
	1969	107	10 927	5	5 786
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	48	1 591	1	50
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	72	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	16	–	–
	1969	24	850	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	28	157	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	60	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	3	–	–
	1969	9	68	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	3	–	–
	1969	8	56	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	21	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	182	372	2 952	6 233	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	12	221	211	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	26	34	6 612	6 605	178 594	130 283
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	4	–	10	–	1 800
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	12	16	4 202	3 148	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	9	133	661	2 701	398	2 948
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	22	(NA)	44	(NA)	2 536	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	49	(NA)	1 020	(NA)	167 772	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	162	231	4 753	5 454	5 935	7 340
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	81	96	695	518	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	27	253	393	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	10	(X)	(X)
Other crops	147	(NA)	18 865	15 245	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Forms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	73	149	1 523	3 226	57 234	99 083	2	1	40	12
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	7	12	403	687	4 330	6 225	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	10	11	248	207	(X)	(X)	2	–	40	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	4	27	151	1 485	7 252	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	7	(NA)	194	42	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	9	1	281	10	654	20	1	–	5	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	95	8 482	(X)	–	–	28	1 987	26	154	2	45
	1969	122	9 400	(X)	2	102	44	2 822	44	270	2	8
Improved pasture	1974	28	2 669	(X)	4	196	4	90	4	47	–	–
	1969	52	4 011	(X)	–	–	20	1 332	20	356	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	83	2 174	(X)	2	80	70	1 744	51	149	33	117
	1969	168	4 120	(X)	1	12	125	2 774	71	212	75	141
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	8	221	(X)	–	–	7	216	5	28	2	2
	1969	8	193	(X)	–	–	7	185	7	17	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	225	6 425	–	–	2	225	(NA)	17	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	18	72	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	12	4 202	(X)	12	4 202	12	4 036	12	542	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	25	6 609	178 499	–	–	7	2 050	5	203	2	10
	1969	24	6 477	128 107	–	–	2	575	(NA)	120	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	72	3 079	4 327	1	5	14	478	12	31	2	20
	1969	111	4 231	5 817	2	480	35	1 111	35	143	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	12	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	9	661	398	–	–	9	661	9	142	–	–
	1969	62	2 206	2 626	–	–	59	2 157	(NA)	399	(NA)	26
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	10	37	2 190	1	6	3	32	3	11	–	–
	1969	17	7	327	–	–	5	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	47	551	(X)	7	134	38	440	37	103	1	5
	1969	38	309	(X)	2	3	29	249	24	49	6	15
Land in orchards	1974	13	247	(X)	2	100	3	120	3	105	–	–
	1969	19	362	(X)	1	40	9	154	9	17	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	4	(X)	2	4	2	4	2	6	–	–
1969	1	4	(X)	1	4	1	4	1	3	–	–
Other crops 1974	136	19 586	(X)	3	102	131	19 442	57	703	94	2 215

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	223	304
$1,000	1 349	620
Commercial fertilizer—farms	220	280
acres on which used	31 302	30 663
tons	4 636	4 945
$1,000	930	406
Lime—farms	8	41
acres on which used	184	1 686
tons	254	3 853
$1,000	3	23
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	6
acres on which used	4	388
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	69	90
acres on which used	16 295	7 856
$1,000	149	71
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	2
acres on which used	61	122
$1,000	2	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	10	11
acres on which used	612	618
$1,000	11	6
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	80	130
acres on which used	19 185	16 580
$1,000	231	104
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	8
acres on which used	125	469
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	11	(NA)
acres on which used	853	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	9	22
acres on which used	1 108	1 352
$1,000	9	4
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	3	24
$1,000	(Z)	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	25	(NA)
$1,000	11	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	28	18
Proportion of farms—percent	10.7	5.4
Total land irrigated—acres	5 023	3 521
Average per farm—acres	179.4	195.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	24	18
acres	4 827	3 521
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	24	17
acres	4 627	3 419
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	102
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	200	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	4	–
acres	196	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	5 677	5 208
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	1.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	9	(NA)
acres	250	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	6	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	11 088	9 161
Cropland—acres	10 405	8 167
Harvested cropland—acres	8 252	5 105
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	440	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	25	80
Proportion of farms—percent	9.5	24.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	8 522	25 516
Land drained—acres	6 039	20 621
Average per farm—acres	241.6	257.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	10	(NA)
number	17	(NA)
acres	1 142	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	59	24	45
$1,000	1 278	537	741
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	4	18
$5,000 to $9,999	14	6	7
$10,000 to $29,999	14	9	12
$30,000 to $49,999	8	3	4
$50,000 and over	7	2	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	64	84	279	263	1 061	
25 to 149 days	57	227	550	1 263	558	803
Less than 25 days	83		1 140		150	
Total contract labor	10	21	(NA)	(NA)	59	29
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	27	(NA)	14	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	147	64	57	83
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 769	1 061	558	150
Number of workers	1 969	279	550	1 140
Farms with—				
1 worker	20	13	10	11
2 workers	16	22	4	5
3 or 4 workers	25	12	15	16
5 to 9 workers	36	11	9	20
10 workers and over	50	6	19	31

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ... number	148	216	103	165
Land in farms ... acres	117 530	121 199	116 504	114 603
Average size of farm ... acres	794	561	1 131	695
Approximate land area ... acres	399 040	399 040	399 040	399 040
Proportion in farms ... percent	29.5	30.4	29.2	28.7
Value of land and buildings ... $1,000	57 967	48 001	57 348	45 587
Average per farm ... dollars	391 671	222 227	556 773	276 284
Average per acre ... dollars	493	396	492	398
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	18	10	–	4
10 to 49 acres	28	34	7	15
50 to 69 acres	6	13	4	8
70 to 99 acres	2	14	2	8
100 to 139 acres	12	19	10	14
140 to 179 acres	8	18	6	15
180 to 219 acres	5	10	5	9
220 to 259 acres	6	14	6	14
260 to 499 acres	15	30	15	29
500 to 999 acres	21	30	21	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	13	14	12
2,000 acres and over	13	11	13	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ... farms	141	196	100	157
... acres	77 498	80 257	76 865	77 060
Harvested cropland ... farms	132	182	99	155
... acres	50 181	48 693	49 860	48 181
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	16	17	2	
10 to 19 acres	25	13	8	35
20 to 29 acres	1	11	1	
30 to 49 acres	7	19	5	
50 to 99 acres	12	31	12	29
100 to 199 acres	18	37	18	37
200 to 499 acres	27	34	27	34
500 to 999 acres	14	12	14	12
1,000 acres and over	12	8	12	8
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ... farms	18	48	8	37
... acres	1 118	3 219	821	1 879
Other cropland (see text) ... farms	92	142	87	(NA)
... acres	26 199	28 345	26 184	27 000
Total woodland ... farms	30	39	26	28
... acres	29 711	27 337	29 707	25 972
Other land (see text) ... farms	107	125	78	(NA)
... acres	10 321	13 605	9 932	11 571
Irrigated land ... farms	4	16	4	10
... acres	1 461	2 821	1 461	2 757

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ... farms	87	(NA)
... acres	26 184	27 000
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ... farms	5	33
... acres	134	2 473
Cropland on which all crops failed ... farms	4	1
... acres	289	170
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ... farms	60	88
... acres	18 570	14 548
Cropland idle ... farms	33	39
... acres	7 191	9 809
Total woodland ... farms	26	28
... acres	29 707	25 972
Woodland pastured ... farms	5	4
... acres	1 901	200

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ... farms	21	24
... acres	27 806	25 772
Other land ... farms	78	(NA)
... acres	9 932	11 571
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ... farms	12	12
... acres	669	5 486
Improved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	3	3
... acres	166	679
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ... farms	9	9
... acres	503	4 807
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	74	80
... acres	9 263	6 085

Table 2. Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ... number	148	216	103	165
Land in farms ... acres	117 530	121 199	116 504	114 603
Harvested cropland ... acres	50 181	48 693	49 860	48 181
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ... number	53	55	21	24
Land in farms ... acres	33 300	20 370	32 737	16 781
Harvested cropland ... acres	5 059	4 055	4 904	3 885
Part owners ... number	39	83	35	69
Land in farms ... acres	54 398	62 027	54 273	60 782
Harvested cropland ... acres	27 164	28 682	27 084	28 453
Tenants ... number	56	78	47	72
Land in farms ... acres	29 832	38 802	29 494	37 040
Harvested cropland ... acres	17 958	15 956	17 872	15 843
Percent of tenancy	37.8	36.1	45.6	43.6
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ... number	29	41	12	21
Land in farms ... acres	3 895	6 336	3 721	4 850
Harvested cropland ... acres	1 150	2 380	1 020	2 171
Full owners ... number	18	7	6	3
Land in farms ... acres	2 469	150	2 369	60
Harvested cropland ... acres	134	49	74	49
Part owners ... number	4	23	3	11
Land in farms ... acres	937	4 790	923	4 461
Harvested cropland ... acres	627	2 072	617	1 896
Tenants ... number	7	11	3	7
Land in farms ... acres	489	1 396	429	329
Harvested cropland ... acres	389	259	329	226
Percent of tenancy	24.1	26.8	25.0	33.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ... number	(NA)	(NA)	66	108
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	41 514	39 657

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ... number	(NA)	(NA)	21	34
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 119	15 852
Corporation ... number	(NA)	(NA)	16	18
Land in farms ... acres	(NA)	(NA)	54 871	57 811
Other ... number	(NA)	(NA)	–	5
... acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 283
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	2	–
25 to 34 years	20	28	12	18
35 to 44 years	21	45	14	30
45 to 54 years	31	55	19	46
55 to 64 years	38	73	36	61
65 years and over	20	15	4	10
Average age	50.4	50.0	49.8	50.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	51	108	42	94
On another farm	12		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	27	76	9	52
In a city, town, or urban area	18		12	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	48	(NA)	45	(NA)
1 to 49 days	13	24	3	10
50 to 99 days	4	14	–	9
100 to 149 days	2	14	2	11
150 to 199 days	4		4	
200 days and over	25	45	10	21
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	107	(NA)	80	(NA)
Other	25	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	61	46	61	46
$40,000 to $99,999	17		17	
$20,000 to $39,999	8	31	8	31
$10,000 to $19,999	10	31	10	31
$5,000 to $9,999	5	24	5	24
$2,500 to $4,999	1	24	1	24
Under $2,500 (see text)	46	60	1	9
$2,000 to $2,499	6	15	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	10	9	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	15	13	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	15	23	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	41 289	8 789	41 233	8 731
Average per farm ... dollars	278 977	40 690	400 317	52 912
Crops, including hay ... farms	131	181	98	(NA)
$1,000	41 242	8 652	41 196	8 613
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	28	65	13	44
$1,000	47	137	37	117
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	10	(NA)	1	4
$1,000	2	(NA)	1	24

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	98	(NA)
$1,000	41 196	8 613
Grains ... farms	6	39
$1,000	453	643
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	1	5
$1,000	7	23
Other field crops ... farms	95	137
$1,000	40 735	7 946
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	2
$1,000	2	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	13	44
$1,000	37	117
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	1	4
$1,000	1	24
Dairy products ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cattle and calves ... farms	10	(NA)
$1,000	29	74
Hogs and pigs ... farms	2	(NA)
$1,000	1	20
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	1	
$1,000	7	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	32	(NA)	3	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	42	(NA)	36	(NA)
$1,000	1 225	(NA)	1 206	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	11	25	9	23
$1,000	334	93	333	87
Recreational services ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	38	104	34	92
$1,000	577	830	577	812
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	9	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	225	(NA)	207	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	89	(NA)	89	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	157	(NA)	157	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	34
$1,000	666
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	2
$1,000	(D)
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	23
$1,000	199
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	13
$1,000	433
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	4
$1,000	14
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	(D)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	148	216	103	165
$1,000	17 128	8 350	17 060	8 277
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	21	28	–	10
$1,000 to $1,999	10	24	–	
$2,000 to $2,999	10	16	2	13
$3,000 to $4,999	11	18	5	16
$5,000 to $9,999	10	23	10	19
$10,000 to $19,999	14		14	40
$20,000 to $39,999	11	107	11	27
$40,000 to $59,999	5		5	40
$60,000 and over	56		56	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	15	25	7	16
$1,000	16	33	8	24
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	46	76	20	51
$1,000	29	47	19	37
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	30	49	18	37
$1,000	13	37	12	31
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	4	7
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	4	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	4
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	2
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	35	72	26	55
$1,000	328	159	327	158
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	113	177	99	146
$1,000	1 343	570	1 340	565
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	87	(NA)	81	(NA)
$1,000	1 054	568	1 053	566
Lime ... farms	(NA)	13	1	13
$1,000	(NA)	21	2	21
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	143	210	101	161
$1,000	933	524	925	506
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	98	161
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	278	171
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	98	137
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	440	191
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	60
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	67
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	100	161
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	140	77
Hired farm labor ... farms	89	166	81	140
$1,000	4 113	2 712	4 104	2 702
Contract labor ... farms	22	93	20	20
$1,000	99	206	99	41
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	47		34	75
$1,000	199		196	163
All other production expenses ... farms	143	194	103	165
$1,000	9 014	3 531	8 987	3 513

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	138	205	97	159
$1,000	9 155	7 582	8 893	7 190
Average per farm—dollars	66 343	36 987	91 676	45 220
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	–	–	18
$1,000 to $4,999	16	55	4	
$5,000 to $9,999	26	19	2	15
$10,000 to $19,999	16	39	12	38
$20,000 to $29,999	13	92	13	26
$30,000 to $49,999	21		21	22
$50,000 to $69,999	6		6	40
$70,000 and over	39		39	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	108	133	75	117
number	152	199	115	179
mfd in last 5 years, number	93	148	80	136
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	125	181	94	145
number	387	494	354	442
mfd in last 5 years, number	181	265	178	243
Wheel tractors—farms	126	173	93	150
number	737	981	700	918
mfd in last 5 years, number	233	442	224	418
Crawler tractors—farms	6		6	7
number	8		8	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	6	12	6	12
number	11	17	11	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	11	2	11
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	4	–	–
number	–	4	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	4
number	1		1	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
number	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	1	19	1	13
number	1	20	1	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	7	–	7
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	–	(NA)	–	6
number	–	(NA)	–	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	5
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	5	(NA)	5	6
number	8	(NA)	8	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	30	(X)	15	(X)	28	(X)	13	(X)	37
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	30	(X)	15	(X)	19	(X)	11	(X)	30
1969	82	(X)	56	(X)	60	(X)	40	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	28	827	14	(D)	17	234	10	183	29
1969	70	3 015	47	2 540	56	983	36	839	74
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	13	1	3	5	17	3	10	1
5 to 9—1974	9	63	5	27	2	10	–	–	–
10 to 19—1974	4	52	2	25	6	65	3	31	4
20 to 49—1974	5	160	2	64	3	85	3	85	15
50 to 99—1974	3	162	1	50	1	57	1	57	8
100 to 199—1974	3	377	3	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	21	422	13	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	54	1 926	43	1 739	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	18	414	10	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 882	38	1 699	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	5	8	5	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	18	44	16	40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	18	414	10	(D)			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	5	9	3	5			
5 to 9	1	6	1	6			
10 to 19	4	59	1	10			
20 to 49	6	185	3	95			
50 to 99	1	55	1	55			
100 to 199	1	100	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	5	8	5	8			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	5	8	5	8			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					4	72	16
Farms with—							
1 to 4					1	4	1
5 to 9					–	–	–
10 to 19					1	17	4
20 to 49					2	51	11
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					9	111	13
Farms with—							
1 or 2					1	2	(Z)
3 or 4					2	8	1
5 to 9					2	15	3
10 to 19					2	21	2
20 to 49					2	65	7
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	10	69	–	–	–
	1969	36	491	6	22	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	6	63			
Milk heifers	1974	4	6			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	11	198			
	1969	36	310			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			6	22	(NA)
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	7	69	2	19	5	60	2	46	1
	1969	26	321	19	296	12	419	8	307	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	1	4	1	4	2	6	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	2	16	–	–	1	8	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	4	49	1	15	1	21	1	21	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	25	1	25	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	34	2	23	2	17	2	17	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	8	31	2	3	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	22	102	(NA)	(NA)	3	21	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	2	13				
	1969	9	103				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	2	6				
	1969	19	193				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			4	17	2	15
	1969			14	62	9	45
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			2	7	2	7
	1969			13	45	9	35
June 1 and November 30	1974			4	10	2	8
	1969			11	17	6	10

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	13	(X)	3	(X)	6	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	13	656	3	150	6	100	–	–
	1969	21	5 198	15	5 026	2	3 432	2	3 432
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	13	528	3	105	2	40	–	–
	1969	20	5 036	14	4 936	2	3 432	2	3 432
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	11	328	3	105	2	40	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	200	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	90	–	–	2	30	–	–
	1969	2	60	2	60	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	2	1	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	24

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	3	105	–	–
	1969	14	4 936	2	3 432
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	3	75	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	30	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	32	–	–
	1969	1	10	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	3	13	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	6	22	51	377	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	2	19	126	6 271	(D)	166 656
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	50	–	1 069
Other small grains for grain	3	20	1 301	3 363	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	35	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	8	(NA)	1 200	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	2	18	70	1 585	28	1 514
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	4	4	5	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1	5	70	19	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	124	(NA)	48 611	37 195	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	17	16	349	575	8 771	1	–	6	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	–	30	–	450	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	2	2	16	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	8	821	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	37	1 879	(X)	–	–	11	189	11	24	1	(Z)
Improved pasture	1974	3	166	(X)	–	–	1	140	1	12	–	–
	1969	3	679	(X)	–	–	1	250	1	30	1	4
Corn for all purposes	1974	5	48	(X)	1	6	4	43	3	8	2	1
	1969	19	365	(X)	–	–	13	169	6	11	10	28
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	50	1 069	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	10	610	19 698	–	–	2	30	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	3	1 301	(X)	3	1 301	3	1 301	3	244	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	2	126	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	19	6 271	166 656	–	–	6	1 234	(NA)	89	(NA)	11
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	1 456	1 375	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	7	8	269	–	–	5	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	4	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	5	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	70	(X)	–	–	1	70	1	70	–	–
	1969	4	14	(X)	–	–	3	9	3	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	95	48 359	(X)	1	160	95	48 289	46	2 963	84	5 198

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	99	151
$1,000	2 392	1 131
Commercial fertilizer—farms	99	140
acres on which used	49 843	41 402
tons	8 496	6 828
$1,000	1 340	565
Lime—farms	1	13
acres on which used	235	1 591
tons	278	3 526
$1,000	2	21
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	47	67
acres on which used	38 429	30 297
$1,000	410	179
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	891	530
$1,000	8	3

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	7	4
acres on which used	497	286
$1,000	12	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	64	106
acres on which used	42 377	39 912
$1,000	595	358
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	297
$1,000	–	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	17	(NA)
acres on which used	1 025	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	3	2
acres on which used	181	367
$1,000	2	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	2	2
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	7	(NA)
$1,000	19	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—forms	4	10
Proportion of farms—percent	3.9	6.0
Total land irrigated—acres	1 461	2 757
Average per farm—acres	365.3	275.7
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	10
acres	1 461	2 757
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	10
acres	1 461	2 757
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	2 365	2 530
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.6	0.9
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	160	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	19 489	12 293
Cropland—acres	6 204	6 879
Harvested cropland—acres	2 541	4 469
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	150	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	26	67
Proportion of farms—percent	25.2	40.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	61 501	79 448
Land drained—acres	34 599	41 152
Average per farm—acres	1330.7	614.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	7	(NA)
number	12	(NA)
acres	135	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operatar debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	28	10	23
$1,000	4 173	2 720	1 453
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	2	–	2
$5,000 to $9,999	1	2	2
$10,000 to $29,999	7	4	4
$30,000 to $49,999	6	–	5
$50,000 and over	12	4	10

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	67	89	617	680	2 909	2 702
25 to 149 days	60	118	1 035	1 075	1 052	
Less than 25 days	47		890		143	
Total contract labor	20	20	(NA)	(NA)	99	41
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	13	(NA)	110	(NA)	57	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	81	67	60	47
Cash wages paid $1,000	4 104	2 909	1 052	143
Number of workers	2 542	617	1 035	890
Farms with—				
1 worker	4	13	2	3
2 workers	4	12	4	3
3 or 4 workers	5	8	10	4
5 to 9 workers	5	17	9	14
10 workers and over	63	17	35	23

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	458	526	192	197
Land in farms — acres	64 969	80 206	49 217	61 054
Average size of farm — acres	142	152	256	310
Approximate land area — acres	567 360	567 360	567 360	567 360
Proportion in farms — percent	11.5	14.1	8.7	10.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	64 652	42 683	43 447	29 809
Average per farm — dollars	141 161	81 146	226 285	151 317
Average per acre — dollars	995	532	883	488
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	40	28	14	5
10 to 49 acres	210	227	59	43
50 to 69 acres	60	53	22	18
70 to 99 acres	36	72	17	29
100 to 139 acres	27	44	16	28
140 to 179 acres	20	28	13	14
180 to 219 acres	15	20	11	15
220 to 259 acres	9	13	9	11
260 to 499 acres	17	17	12	12
500 to 999 acres	14	14	10	13
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	5	6	4
2,000 acres and over	3	5	3	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	26	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	2 954	2 150
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	4	5
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	83	143
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	1	7
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	8	721
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	5
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	30	42
Cropland idle — farms	22	23
Cropland idle — acres	2 833	1 244
Total woodland — farms	64	97
Total woodland — acres	13 031	18 920
Woodland pastured — farms	23	52
Woodland pastured — acres	2 960	4 024

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	408	486	169	179
Total cropland — acres	25 830	37 251	17 839	26 286
Harvested cropland — farms	259	295	130	142
Harvested cropland — acres	7 943	15 833	6 389	14 057
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	96	105	40	
10 to 19 acres	67	61	19	87
20 to 29 acres	37	44	17	
30 to 49 acres	19	26	16	
50 to 99 acres	24	28	22	24
100 to 199 acres	9	13	9	13
200 to 499 acres	6	16	6	16
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	–	1	–	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	262	378	87	121
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	14 350	18 190	8 496	10 079
Other cropland (see text) — farms	48	77	26	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	3 537	3 228	2 954	2 150
Total woodland — farms	145	259	64	97
Total woodland — acres	17 990	24 385	13 031	18 920
Other land (see text) — farms	318	342	144	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	21 149	18 570	18 347	15 848
Irrigated land — farms	28	17	17	10
Irrigated land — acres	1 104	526	962	480

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	50	61
Woodland not pastured — acres	10 071	14 896
Other land — farms	144	(NA)
Other land — acres	18 347	15 848
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	58	48
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	15 529	12 470
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	44	34
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	11 739	10 555
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	25
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 790	1 915
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	139	113
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 818	3 378

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	458	526	192	197
Land in farms — acres	64 969	80 206	49 217	61 054
Harvested cropland — acres	7 943	15 833	6 389	14 057
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	387	433	149	149
Land in farms — acres	51 423	67 150	37 065	49 793
Harvested cropland — acres	5 146	11 734	3 720	10 208
Part owners — number	44	68	27	37
Land in farms — acres	10 211	10 391	9 273	9 156
Harvested cropland — acres	1 469	3 017	1 368	2 801
Tenants — number	27	25	16	11
Land in farms — acres	3 335	2 665	2 879	2 105
Harvested cropland — acres	1 328	1 082	1 301	1 048
Percent of tenancy	5.9	4.7	8.3	5.5
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	13	10	4	5
Land in farms — acres	449	1 063	213	897
Harvested cropland — acres	231	194	156	110
Full owners — number	12	10	4	5
Land in farms — acres	448	1 063	213	897
Harvested cropland — acres	230	194	156	110
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	1	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	1	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	1	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	7.7	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	164	174
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	24 272	31 151

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 275	5 632
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	19	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	19 614	24 035
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	56	236
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	39	46	16	21
35 to 44 years	83	111	32	46
45 to 54 years	152	153	67	55
55 to 64 years	99	113	34	46
65 years and over	62	103	23	29
Average age	50.9	51.9	51.1	50.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	284	353	112	136
On another farm	6		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	22	99	7	41
In a city, town, or urban area	45		23	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	99	(NA)	51	(NA)
1 to 49 days	20	22	7	11
50 to 99 days	17	29	5	6
100 to 149 days	19	42	11	11
150 to 199 days	22		7	
200 days and over	203	272	58	74
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	138	(NA)	81	(NA)
Other	299	(NA)	91	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	16	23	16	23
$40,000 to $99,999	19		19	
$20,000 to $39,999	21	20	21	20
$10,000 to $19,999	22	30	21	30
$5,000 to $9,999	48	34	48	34
$2,500 to $4,999	49	64	49	63
Under $2,500 (see text)	283	355	18	27
$2,000 to $2,499	33	16	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	47	23	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	48	57	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	155	259	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	6 584	3 817	6 300	3 590
Average per farm ... dollars	14 376	7 257	32 812	18 225
Crops, including hay ... farms	92	146	51	(NA)
$1,000	269	1 273	232	269
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	50		41	22
$1,000	2 706		2 698	973
Forest products ... farms	16	33	9	25
$1,000	327	69	321	68
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	375	402	149	161
$1,000	3 282	2 475	3 049	2 281
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	30	(NA)	9	12
$1,000	701	(NA)	696	500

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	51	(NA)
$1,000	232	269
Grains ... farms	10	13
$1,000	105	123
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	29	38
$1,000	87	77
Other field crops ... farms	6	3
$1,000	4	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	6	9
$1,000	17	8
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	7	2
$1,000	19	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	149	161
$1,000	3 049	2 281
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	9	12
$1,000	696	500
Dairy products ... farms	16	28
$1,000	705	703
Cattle and calves ... farms	133	(NA)
$1,000	1 289	890
Hogs and pigs ... farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	56	188
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	6	
$1,000	6	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	25	
$1,000	298	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	295	(NA)	91	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	91	(NA)	47	(NA)
$1,000	293	(NA)	267	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	24	25	13	10
$1,000	139	32	132	24
Recreational services ... farms	2	5	–	5
$1,000	3	24	–	24
Government farm programs ... farms	59	68	31	35
$1,000	31	24	17	16
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	9	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	20	(NA)	18	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	101	(NA)	101	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	31	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	173	(NA)	161	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	113
$1,000	2 659
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	38
$1,000	624
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	76
$1,000	1 794
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	37
$1,000	151
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	11
$1,000	59
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	31

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	458	526	192	197
$1,000	6 180	4 237	5 633	3 782
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	111	177	8	21
$1,000 to $1,999	73	114	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	55	49	13	19
$3,000 to $4,999	68	46	24	25
$5,000 to $9,999	64	58	46	51
$10,000 to $19,999	31		30	37
$20,000 to $39,999	21	82	21	23
$40,000 to $59,999	11		11	21
$60,000 and over	24		24	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	153	209	65	99
$1,000	576	542	496	445
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	357	429	146	163
$1,000	1 392	912	1 254	816
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	245	265	132	133
$1,000	1 020	626	958	583
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	74	84
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	68	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	148	123
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	26	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	26
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	83	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	186	205	80	81
$1,000	258	52	247	44
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	355	412	150	165
$1,000	533	398	439	337
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	129	(NA)	62	(NA)
$1,000	47	100	38	90
Lime ... farms	(NA)	129	24	68
$1,000	(NA)	57	14	48
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	404	509	172	196
$1,000	224	178	182	141
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	156	180
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	99	86
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	61	88
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	31
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	40
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	9	9
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	171	196
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	15
Hired farm labor ... farms	158	246	97	126
$1,000	1 195	775	1 164	748
Contract labor ... farms	28	151	13	32
$1,000	57	124	55	51
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	103		47	60
$1,000	35		25	56
All other production expenses ... farms	384	366	186	191
$1,000	1 864	1 155	1 662	1 053

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	428	501	169	186
$1,000	5 038	3 440	3 036	2 226
Average per farm—dollars	11 771	6 866	17 962	11 965
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	13	61	1	57
$1,000 to $4,999	107	226	23	
$5,000 to $9,999	153	126	53	56
$10,000 to $19,999	98	56	48	46
$20,000 to $29,999	30	32	20	14
$30,000 to $49,999	17		15	9
$50,000 to $69,999	3		2	4
$70,000 and over	7		7	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	243	306	87	113
number	305	409	122	161
mfd in last 5 years, number	168	291	79	127
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	366	379	148	159
number	507	507	264	263
mfd in last 5 years, number	248	341	148	178
Wheel tractors—farms	372	402	156	163
number	532	615	285	305
mfd in last 5 years, number	160	295	108	163
Crawler tractors—farms	23		12	16
number	25		13	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		4	15

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	9	2	9
number	4	9	2	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	9	–	9
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	8	–	2
number	–	8	–	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	5	–	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	3		2	6
number	3		2	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	3
Mower conditioners—farms	56	(NA)	34	(NA)
number	63	(NA)	39	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	77	83	49	54
number	80	89	52	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	28	52	17	41
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	46	(NA)	32	31
number	49	(NA)	35	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	15	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	7	14
number	17	(NA)	11	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	–	15

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	396	(X)	152	(X)	375	(X)	149	(X)	3 049
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	368	(X)	132	(X)	352	(X)	134	(X)	1 351
1969	418	(X)	150	(X)	372	(X)	150	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	360	22 176	131	16 866	348	8 580	133	7 013	1 289
1969	413	20 664	146	15 576	360	7 708	144	6 119	890
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	35	3	7	103	235	8	17	6
5 to 9—1974	32	221	5	40	72	490	15	106	25
10 to 19—1974	97	1 264	11	152	81	1 075	26	377	95
20 to 49—1974	131	4 145	42	1 423	62	1 858	55	1 659	298
50 to 99—1974	54	3 711	36	2 612	17	1 149	16	1 081	161
100 to 199—1974	17	2 378	16	2 210	8	1 180	8	1 180	175
200 to 499—1974	12	3 957	12	3 957	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	6	6 465	6	6 465	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	298	12 625	119	9 596	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	334	11 146	135	8 731	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	275	11 411	107	8 451	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 616	112	7 269	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	62	1 214	30	1 145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	76	1 530	42	1 462	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	705
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	703

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	275	11 411	107	8 451			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	23	61	3	6			
5 to 9	44	299	8	45			
10 to 19	79	1 078	19	246			
20 to 49	87	2 818	42	1 445			
50 to 99	23	1 443	17	1 110			
100 to 199	8	(D)	7	(D)			
200 to 499	9	2 305	9	2 305			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Milk cows	62	1 214	30	1 145			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	33	42	8	14			
3 or 4	5	19	3	11			
5 to 9	8	53	3	20			
10 to 19	2	31	2	31			
20 to 49	2	(D)	2	(D)			
50 to 99	10	739	10	739			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					120	3 250	834
Forms with—							
1 to 4					19	46	14
5 to 9					17	111	31
10 to 19					45	633	181
20 to 49					28	716	170
50 to 99					5	318	49
100 to 199					3	421	86
200 to 499					3	1 005	304
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					89	3 763	455
Forms with—							
1 or 2					6	8	1
3 or 4					3	11	1
5 to 9					13	82	9
10 to 19					18	262	24
20 to 49					30	850	86
50 to 99					10	653	84
100 to 199					7	840	123
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	95	3 552
	1969	128	3 982
Beef heifers	1974	84	3 109
Milk heifers	1974	18	443
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	100	3 718
	1969	129	2 863

		Sales—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	24	359	78
	1969	2	4	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	11	39	10
10 to 19	1974	7	99	31
20 to 49	1974	4	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	60	940	21	702	32	991	16	810	56
	1969	65	2 413	27	2 053	42	2 824	21	2 385	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	30	74	9	27	4	4	1	1	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	14	86	2	13	7	45	3	19	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	6	82	1	16	9	122	2	28	1
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	5	183	3	125	3
50 to 99	1974	10	698	9	646	3	213	3	213	20
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	4	424	4	424	32
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	148	6	102	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	1 058	10	906	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	13	294	8	171	9	127	6	91	(NA)
	1969	20	582	13	391	15	229	12	181	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	108	[1]576
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	6
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	43	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	19	(NA)	(NA)	2	11	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	160	1 023	64	718	41	181	24	142	297
	1969	217	1 950	(NA)	(NA)	40	228	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	15	141
	1969	16	699
Other hogs and pigs	1974	19	561
	1969	25	1 354
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	6	55
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	7	99
Rams and wethers	1974	6	17

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	32	169	17	121
	1969	34	443	18	366
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	23	70	10	45
	1969	28	230	14	166
June 1 and November 30	1974	28	99	16	76
	1969	23	213	14	200

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	104	(X)	21	(X)	17	(X)	9	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	101	79 566	19	76 607	15	52 101	7	51 890
	1969	94	75 961	28	74 358	11	57 956	9	57 563
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	97	78 935	19	76 541	15	52 101	7	51 890
	1969	88	61 470	23	60 088	9	39 571	7	39 187
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	87	2 360	13	441	10	271	2	60
100 to 399	1974	5	575	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	7	147	2	36	1	50	–	–
	1969	5	105	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	701	9	696
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	500

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	76 541	7	51 890
	1969	23	60 088	7	39 187
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	76 481	7	51 890
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	60	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	25	–	–
	1969	4	12 795	1	17 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	41	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	51	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	6	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	32	57	553	547	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	11	289	574	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	5	12	544	2 223	10 156	36 047
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	6	–	20	–	9 300
Wheat (bushels)	–	2	–	230	–	5 150
Other small grains for grain	2	–	35	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	2	–	14	–	4
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	5	(NA)	286	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	8	(NA)	26	(NA)	3 342	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	171	195	4 934	6 736	10 074	11 006
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	10	30	33	68	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	22	45	141	4 092	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	6	3	4	(X)	(X)
Other crops	59	(NA)	1 593	1 600	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	5	19	246	279	9 973	15 660	–	1	–	6
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	1	175	80	2 075	400	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	2	–	3	(X)	(X)	–	1	–	2
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	3	25	250	471	10 135	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	211	237	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	2	286	28	1 190	18	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	87	8 496	(X)	–	–	48	4 175	48	656	2	5
	1969	121	10 079	(X)	–	–	82	6 811	80	1 470	8	45
Improved pasture	1974	44	11 739	(X)	–	–	26	5 716	26	871	–	–
	1969	34	10 555	(X)	–	–	19	6 504	18	1 599	3	23
Corn for all purposes	1974	9	421	(X)	–	–	9	421	9	49	–	–
	1969	20	362	(X)	1	8	16	292	16	63	1	1
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	236	(X)	–	–	4	172	4	27	–	–
	1969	7	487	(X)	–	–	6	477	6	116	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	230	5 150	–	–	2	230	(NA)	75	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	5	544	10 156	–	–	1	400	1	40	1	7
	1969	10	2 211	35 797	–	–	7	2 466	(NA)	435	(NA)	116
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 000	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	77	3 642	8 193	–	–	37	2 344	37	460	–	–
	1969	94	5 416	9 314	–	–	48	2 527	43	484	8	51
Field seed crops	1974	6	120	(X)	–	–	5	100	5	16	–	–
	1969	4	270	(X)	–	–	3	150	3	42	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	1	38	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	1	144	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	26	(X)	2	3	4	10	4	15	–	–
	1969	8	35	(X)	2	3	8	35	8	13	3	2
Land in orchards	1974	7	84	(X)	–	–	4	30	4	7	–	–
	1969	20	3 975	(X)	1	2	7	300	7	268	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	2	3	(X)	2	3	2	3	–	–	2	3
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	41	1 362	(X)	20	687	25	1 225	30	406	3	6
1969	22	1 299	(X)	8	468	16	795	16	185	–	–
Other crops 1974	7	71	(X)	–	–	1	40	1	6	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	152	172
$1,000	477	427
Commercial fertilizer—farms	154	152
acres on which used	14 644	20 585
tons	2 573	4 990
$1,000	439	337
Lime—farms	24	68
acres on which used	732	4 502
tons	1 209	6 751
$1,000	14	48
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	10
acres on which used	200	794
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	12	14
acres on which used	1 283	1 721
$1,000	11	11
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	–
acres on which used	3	–
$1,000	(Z)	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	4
acres on which used	417	36
$1,000	3	2
Weeds or gross in crops—farms	11	15
acres on which used	270	2 835
$1,000	4	19
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	14
acres on which used	186	3 714
$1,000	(Z)	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	11	(NA)
acres on which used	82	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	14	41
$1,000	3	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	17	10
Proportion of farms—percent	8.9	5.0
Total land irrigated—acres	962	480
Average per farm—acres	56.6	48.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	17	10
acres	962	480
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	17	10
acres	692	480
Cropland posture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	270	–
Posture irrigated, other than cropland posture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1 243	764
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.3	1.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	8	(NA)
acres	455	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	396	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 898	2 678
Cropland—acres	1 364	1 326
Harvested cropland—acres	734	839
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	34	(X)
Farms with artificol drainage—farms	11	22
Proportion of farms—percent	5.7	11.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	931	7 815
Land drained—acres	659	4 861
Average per farm—acres	59.9	220.9
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	83	(NA)
number	311	(NA)
acres	592	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	65	51	37
$1,000	5 644	3 797	1 847
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	5	4	9
$5,000 to $9,999	6	5	3
$10,000 to $29,999	16	13	15
$30,000 to $49,999	7	4	4
$50,000 and over	31	25	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	50	53	232	188	974	748
25 to 149 days	42	101	230	485	169	
Less than 25 days	41		270		20	
Total contract labor	13	32	(NA)	(NA)	55	51
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	29	(NA)	32	(NA)

	1974 hired farm workers working—			
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	97	50	42	41
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 164	974	169	20
Number of workers	732	232	230	270
Farms with—				
1 worker	17	23	4	5
2 workers	12	10	13	6
3 or 4 workers	16	4	2	9
5 to 9 workers	32	6	19	14
10 workers and over	20	7	4	7

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms ____ number	1 190	1 513	700	815
Land in farms ____ acres	149 800	159 592	118 612	123 653
Average size of farm ____ acres	126	105	169	152
Approximate land area ____ acres	517 184	517 184	517 184	517 184
Proportion in farms ____ percent	29.0	30.9	22.9	23.9
Value of land and buildings ____ $1,000	107 250	67 600	81 992	50 833
Average per farm ____ dollars	90 126	44 679	117 132	62 371
Average per acre ____ dollars	716	424	691	411
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	85	128	33	37
10 to 49 acres	382	603	131	201
50 to 69 acres	85	102	40	45
70 to 99 acres	141	154	88	90
100 to 139 acres	133	179	102	140
140 to 179 acres	110	108	88	90
180 to 219 acres	74	74	67	62
220 to 259 acres	57	52	42	47
260 to 499 acres	92	81	81	73
500 to 999 acres	24	21	21	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	7	2	7
2,000 acres and over	5	4	5	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland ____ farms	96	(NA)
acres	2 125	3 896
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ____ farms	37	36
acres	769	1 122
Cropland on which all crops failed ____ farms	11	7
acres	308	93
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ____ farms	4	21
acres	185	394
Cropland idle ____ farms	51	76
acres	863	2 287
Total woodland ____ farms	342	450
acres	26 013	31 156
Woodland pastured ____ farms	231	297
acres	16 778	18 954

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland ____ farms	1 067	1 366	623	736
acres	84 083	87 100	65 535	69 850
Harvested cropland ____ farms	766	975	482	580
acres	25 293	27 309	22 297	24 019
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	250	414	85	
10 to 19 acres	157	170	88	448
20 to 29 acres	90	116	67	
30 to 49 acres	119	136	98	
50 to 99 acres	93	90	87	83
100 to 199 acres	41	32	41	32
200 to 499 acres	15	13	15	13
500 to 999 acres	–	4	–	4
1,000 acres and over	1	–	1	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ____ farms	785	969	450	531
acres	55 916	53 808	41 113	41 935
Other cropland (see text) ____ farms	146	243	96	(NA)
acres	2 874	5 983	2 125	3 896
Total woodland ____ farms	579	777	342	450
acres	34 613	43 777	26 013	31 156
Other land (see text) ____ farms	839	1 078	528	(NA)
acres	31 104	28 715	27 064	22 647
Irrigated land ____ farms	149	247	85	114
acres	959	1 908	677	1 387

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured ____ farms	153	204
acres	9 235	12 202
Other land ____ farms	528	(NA)
acres	27 064	22 647
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ____ farms	183	197
acres	20 253	16 230
Improved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	135	141
acres	14 518	11 988
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ____ farms	67	88
acres	5 735	4 242
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ____ farms	480	540
acres	6 811	6 417

Table 2. Farm Operators – Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators ____ number	1 190	1 513	700	815
Land in farms ____ acres	149 800	159 592	118 612	123 653
Harvested cropland ____ acres	25 293	27 309	22 297	24 019
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners ____ number	927	1 172	520	606
Land in farms ____ acres	105 606	111 440	81 239	83 637
Harvested cropland ____ acres	15 928	17 145	13 518	14 645
Part owners ____ number	200	249	144	166
Land in farms ____ acres	37 819	40 301	33 456	34 203
Harvested cropland ____ acres	8 183	8 139	7 717	7 569
Tenants ____ number	63	92	36	43
Land in farms ____ acres	6 375	7 851	3 917	5 813
Harvested cropland ____ acres	1 182	2 025	1 062	1 805
Percent of tenancy	5.3	6.0	5.1	5.2
Black and other races, see text – Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators ____ number	48	117	12	29
Land in farms ____ acres	2 231	5 234	989	2 323
Harvested cropland ____ acres	247	1 238	98	648
Full owners ____ number	40	90	11	24
Land in farms ____ acres	2 055	4 180	975	2 113
Harvested cropland ____ acres	215	937	84	544
Part owners ____ number	5	16	1	1
Land in farms ____ acres	134	673	14	90
Harvested cropland ____ acres	30	172	14	24
Tenants ____ number	3	11	–	4
Land in farms ____ acres	42	381	–	120
Harvested cropland ____ acres	2	129	–	80
Percent of tenancy	6.3	9.4	–	13.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	651	727
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	106 816	101 195

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	39	72
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 160	15 974
Corporation ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	10	12
Land in farms ____ acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 636	5 648
Other ____ number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	836
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	14	36	6	19
25 to 34 years	146	162	84	102
35 to 44 years	236	310	151	181
45 to 54 years	329	367	206	211
55 to 64 years	255	463	159	246
65 years and over	199	175	84	56
Average age	50.5	49.9	49.9	48.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	836	1 182	508	691
On another farm	9		7	
In a rural area, not on a farm	25	131	18	45
In a city, town, or urban area	82		31	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	476	(NA)	341	(NA)
1 to 49 days	34	53	11	33
50 to 99 days	21	59	10	26
100 to 149 days	44	162	18	58
150 to 199 days	68		40	
200 days and over	353	498	136	167
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	684	(NA)	525	(NA)
Other	495	(NA)	165	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	156	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	98	220	98	220
$40,000 to $99,999	225		225	
$20,000 to $39,999	101	234	101	234
$10,000 to $19,999	67	128	67	128
$5,000 to $9,999	82	94	81	94
$2,500 to $4,999	89	123	89	122
Under $2,500 (see text)	528	714	39	17
$2,000 to $2,499	83	35	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	57	58	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	110	106	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	278	515	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	39 117	27 168	38 609	26 705
Average per farm (dollars)	32 872	17 956	55 155	32 766
Crops, including hay (farms)	293	456	172	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	1 556	1 678	1 434	1 117
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	20		14	13
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	552		543	392
Forest products (farms)	55	75	45	54
Forest products ($1,000)	277	134	266	127
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	998	1 128	617	715
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	36 733	25 357	36 365	25 069
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	101	(NA)	88	117
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	12 022	(NA)	12 019	7 740

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	172	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	1 434	1 117
Grains (farms)	29	22
Grains ($1,000)	374	151
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	69	61
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	224	88
Other field crops (farms)	8	9
Other field crops ($1,000)	4	10
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	72	80
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	369	204
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	67	114
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	463	664
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	617	715
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	36 365	25 069
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	88	117
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	12 019	7 740
Dairy products (farms)	353	471
Dairy products ($1,000)	21 020	15 172
Cattle and calves (farms)	570	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	3 154	2 061
Hogs and pigs (farms)	14	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	37	96
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	6	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	6	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	33	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	130	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	465	(NA)	122	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	153	(NA)	101	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	220	(NA)	195	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	29	49	20	34
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	143	81	139	75
Recreational services (farms)	3	10	2	5
Recreational services ($1,000)	4	51	4	51
Government farm programs (farms)	116	209	73	136
Government farm programs ($1,000)	60	51	44	39
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	8	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	35	(NA)	25	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	124	(NA)	118	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	347
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	3 352
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	55
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	631
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	235
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	2 289
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	133
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	227
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	51
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	141
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	27
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	64

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	1 181	1 513	700	815
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	32 584	22 531	31 745	21 664
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	209	410	17	23
$1,000 to $1,999	168	180	33	
$2,000 to $2,999	102	118	31	40
$3,000 to $4,999	112	124	59	86
$5,000 to $9,999	105	149	75	135
$10,000 to $19,999	110	532	110	182
$20,000 to $39,999	114		114	209
$40,000 to $59,999	79		79	140
$60,000 and over	182		182	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	432	629	290	409
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	3 914	3 145	3 833	3 053
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	963	1 182	599	712
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	17 518	10 614	17 273	10 434
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	741	861	541	625
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	15 874	9 587	15 745	9 491
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	179	125
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	540	629
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	203	67
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	785	221
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	75	97
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	203	93
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	435	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	286	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	464	604	257	338
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	209	165	189	143
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	863	1 174	519	673
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	1 996	1 249	1 877	1 158
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	431	(NA)	302	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	193	169	176	149
Lime (farms)	(NA)	252	101	171
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	85	64	76
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	1 110	1 477	656	812
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	750	585	683	488
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	465	771
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	264	310
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	349	299
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	237	75
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	136	200
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	84	43
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	656	804
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	98	59
Hired farm labor (farms)	535	842	394	562
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 701	1 595	1 629	1 491
Contract labor (farms)	83	579	53	96
Contract labor ($1,000)	86	448	78	162
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	300		197	306
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	216		196	237
All other production expenses (farms)	1 053	1 177	696	812
All other production expenses ($1,000)	6 001	4 560	5 525	4 348

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 109	1 456	663	796
$1,000	16 736	10 430	13 449	8 183
Average per farm—dollars	15 091	7 163	20 284	10 279
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	16	152	5	265
$1,000 to $4,999	224	642	72	
$5,000 to $9,999	313	324	117	221
$10,000 to $19,999	276	222	205	203
$20,000 to $29,999	120	116	106	63
$30,000 to $49,999	114		114	29
$50,000 to $69,999	26		26	15
$70,000 and over	20		18	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	789	1 035	501	607
number	1 031	1 303	679	763
mfd in last 5 years, number	634	929	475	601
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	923	1 144	575	692
number	1 174	1 348	802	844
mfd in last 5 years, number	520	863	394	574
Wheel tractors—farms	950	1 141	598	672
number	1 462	1 660	1 039	1 104
mfd in last 5 years, number	389	812	310	611
Crawler tractors—farms	40		30	33
number	44		33	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	13		8	19

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	9	9	9	9
number	11	9	11	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	8	8	8
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	18	2	4
number	2	22	2	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	14	2	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	6		6	16
number	6		6	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	9
Mower conditioners—farms	155	(NA)	125	(NA)
number	175	(NA)	143	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	97	(NA)	79	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	220	193	192	174
number	222	198	194	179
mfd in last 5 years, number	106	147	93	137
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	121	(NA)	107	92
number	131	(NA)	117	95
mfd in last 5 years, number	65	(NA)	59	74
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	48	(NA)	43	51
number	54	(NA)	49	56
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	24	45

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	1 017	(X)	610	(X)	998	(X)	617	(X)	36 365
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	970	(X)	576	(X)	944	(X)	572	(X)	3 197
1969	1 175	(X)	664	(X)	1 036	(X)	648	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	965	71 892	575	61 957	938	26 751	570	24 075	3 154
1969	1 165	65 094	660	57 024	1 020	24 820	641	22 607	2 061
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	23	65	8	22	181	499	43	111	21
5 to 9—1974	53	359	9	56	214	1 430	71	484	97
10 to 19—1974	147	2 049	24	349	188	2 500	120	1 622	289
20 to 49—1974	254	7 781	97	3 135	243	7 442	224	6 978	890
50 to 99—1974	215	15 257	164	12 014	70	4 810	70	4 810	552
100 to 199—1974	226	30 023	226	30 023	28	3 477	28	3 477	621
200 to 499—1974	40	9 602	40	9 602	11	3 148	11	3 148	368
500 and over—1974	7	6 756	7	6 756	3	3 445	3	3 445	318
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	842	44 380	532	38 708	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 018	40 128	623	36 662	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	528	17 276	235	11 807	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	10 438	248	7 285	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	438	27 104	374	26 901	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	641	29 690	512	29 377	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	353	(X)	21 020
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	471	(X)	15 172

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	528	17 276	235	11 807			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	50	130	25	65			
5 to 9	90	634	17	121			
10 to 19	123	1 720	40	577			
20 to 49	186	5 507	94	3 007			
50 to 99	54	3 456	34	2 208			
100 to 199	20	2 529	20	2 529			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	5	3 300	5	3 300			
Milk cows	438	27 104	374	26 901			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	65	92	25	35			
3 or 4	9	31	3	10			
5 to 9	18	117	2	12			
10 to 19	6	64	4	44			
20 to 49	61	2 075	61	2 075			
50 to 99	190	13 370	190	13 370			
100 to 199	84	10 085	84	10 085			
200 to 499	5	1 270	5	1 270			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					447	8 980	2 464
Forms with—							
1 to 4					90	225	59
5 to 9					119	803	208
10 to 19					137	1 805	497
20 to 49					73	2 013	538
50 to 99					16	1 057	367
100 to 199					8	1 124	371
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					2	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					448	15 095	690
Forms with—							
1 or 2					46	68	6
3 or 4					20	75	4
5 to 9					61	436	38
10 to 19					96	1 342	88
20 to 49					156	4 630	204
50 to 99					52	3 224	108
100 to 199					8	982	81
200 to 499					8	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	466	16 981
	1969	571	15 646
Beef heifers	1974	191	6 509
Milk heifers	1974	323	10 472
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	368	6 268
	1969	441	4 716

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	30	313	80
	1969	7	45	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	16	52	13
10 to 19	1974	9	127	34
20 to 49	1974	5	134	33
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	93	1 047	39	693	38	831	14	546	37
	1969	117	2 354	49	1 971	42	2 060	23	1 786	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	57	153	25	67	6	12	3	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	57	4	25	6	45	2	17	1
10 to 24	1974	22	322	6	111	22	316	5	68	5
25 to 49	1974	2	65	1	40	1	34	1	34	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	3	450	3	450	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	162	6	87	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	412	3	342	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	16	543	7	466	10	154	6	110	(NA)
	1969	7	54	–	–	3	68	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	340	[1] 2 356
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	6
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	40	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	82	(NA)	(NA)	2	19	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	242	746	137	474	31	78	26	67	43
	1969	403	1 266	(NA)	(NA)	36	118	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	71
	1969	15	147
Other hogs and pigs	1974	38	622
	1969	48	1 824
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	6	85
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	6	303
Rams and wethers	1974	7	78

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	26	96	12	69
	1969	39	177	16	118
December 1 of preceding yeor and May 31	1974	22	55	10	39
	1969	32	107	13	70
June 1 and November 30	1974	16	41	9	30
	1969	26	70	13	48

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	194	(X)	109	(X)	87	(X)	81	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	157	(X)	(NA)	(X)	114	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	178	1 229 839	97	1 227 343	70	1 635 351	64	1 632 048
	1969	230	813 895	132	811 892	83	1 033 657	82	1 029 157
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	163	985 651	92	983 407	62	1 075 133	56	1 071 830
	1969	211	641 351	116	639 546	66	486 631	65	482 131
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	111	2 628	42	1 084	6	49	3	26
100 to 399	1974	3	820	1	120	6	1 410	4	1 130
400 to 1,599	1974	6	4 055	6	4 055	2	3 000	2	3 000
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	5	12 300	4	9 300
3,200 to 9,999	1974	13	80 700	13	80 700	15	97 230	15	97 230
10,000 to 19,999	1974	15	202 300	15	202 300	12	186 018	12	186 018
20,000 to 49,999	1974	12	295 148	12	295 148	14	388 126	14	388 126
50,000 to 99,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	20	175 000	7	174 800	15	2 354 536	15	2 354 536
	1969	21	910 307	19	910 207	28	4 706 541	28	4 706 541
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	101	12 022	88	12 019
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	117	7 740

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	92	983 407	56	1 071 830
	1969	116	639 546	65	482 131
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	88	945 329	52	1 017 814
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	38 078	4	54 016
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	240 010	10	554 817
	1969	14	160 314	16	535 041
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	24	3 926	4	5 401
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	8	161 827	–	–
Turkeys	1974	5	31	1	275
	1969	8	63	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	29	1	275
Heavy breed	1974	3	29	1	275
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	2	–	–
	1969	8	38	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	12	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	63	166	821	2 319	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	39	29	1 223	1 624	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	26	17	2 400	3 464	54 761	57 558
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	13	–	21	–	12 100
Wheat (bushels)	2	1	60	165	1 800	4 766
Other small grains for grain	5	12	32	291	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	8	–	24	–	18
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	(NA)	4	(NA)	109	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	15	(NA)	8	(NA)	1 238	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	549	602	19 693	17 856	38 210	33 371
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	117	145	510	709	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	25	35	106	117	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	110	237	297	700	(X)	(X)
Other crops	47	(NA)	1 197	707	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	9	46	93	667	2 748	24 390	3	9	3	21
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	10	21	372	1 034	3 910	9 387	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	4	175	23	(X)	(X)	–	2	–	3
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	3	200	215	(D)	7 767	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	28	(NA)	941	1 289	(X)	(X)	2	(NA)	5	180
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	19	80	704	157	969	1	–	5	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	450	41 113	(X)	2	13	279	24 049	277	6 333	12	51
	1969	531	41 935	(X)	5	61	377	26 787	375	8 131	14	115
Improved pasture	1974	135	14 518	(X)	1	140	76	5 790	76	1 065	10	79
	1969	141	11 988	(X)	1	1	85	7 500	85	1 755	5	12
Corn for all purposes	1974	20	640	(X)	3	3	15	306	15	115	1	5
	1969	70	1 724	(X)	11	24	50	1 167	49	333	1	2
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	29	1 141	(X)	2	5	20	887	20	240	1	10
	1969	25	1 504	(X)	1	180	22	1 394	21	363	2	12
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	60	1 800	–	–	2	60	2	8	–	–
	1969	1	165	4 766	–	–	1	165	(NA)	33	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	237	5 110	1	6	3	206	(NA)	31	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	30	900	–	–	1	30	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	23	2 372	54 257	–	–	5	406	5	82	–	–
	1969	15	3 462	57 526	–	–	11	3 040	(NA)	618	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	500	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	378	17 224	34 429	6	41	193	8 094	190	2 037	9	51
	1969	424	15 851	29 977	13	290	219	8 223	218	2 079	7	64
Field seed crops	1974	16	813	(X)	–	–	11	705	11	90	–	–
	1969	1	15	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	11	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	2	55	1	(Z)	3	1	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	15	5	491	5	2	7	3	3	1	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	72	426	(X)	59	263	68	420	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
	1969	76	562	(X)	61	355	71	519	66	185	5	5
Land in orchards	1974	9	57	(X)	–	–	4	17	71	218	–	–
	1969	14	50	(X)	3	3	6	16	4	4	–	–
									6	6	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale—1974	64	215	(X)	57	202	59	207	59	144	9	3
1969	106	483	(X)	90	442	100	459	100	289	1	4
Nursery and greenhouse products—1974	14	263	(X)	5	26	8	247	9	29	–	–
1969	13	551	(X)	6	14	10	268	10	45	–	–
Other crops—1974	9	59	(X)	1	1	4	52	4	8	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	550	711
$1,000	2 053	1 307
Commercial fertilizer—farms	519	628
acres on which used	41 317	49 875
tons	10 575	14 141
$1,000	1 877	1 158
Lime—farms	101	171
acres on which used	3 369	6 649
tons	4 861	10 915
$1,000	64	76
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	26	31
acres on which used	1 004	1 113
$1,000	8	3
Insects on other crops—farms	32	58
acres on which used	442	673
$1,000	7	8
Nematodes in crops—farms	15	31
acres on which used	74	224
$1,000	1	14

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	17	25
acres on which used	162	165
$1,000	2	4
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	59	66
acres on which used	3 343	1 431
$1,000	43	8
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	61	88
acres on which used	4 398	5 880
$1,000	14	9
Weeds on all other land—farms	31	(NA)
acres on which used	277	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	4	3
acres on which used	194	9
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	85	223
$1,000	16	23
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	80	(NA)
$1,000	17	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	85	114
Proportion of farms—percent	12.1	13.9
Total land irrigated—acres	677	1 387
Average per farm—acres	8.0	12.1
Cropland irrigated—farms	84	113
acres	537	1 386
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	84	110
acres	505	1 320
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	2	5
acres	13	61
Other cropland irrigated—farms	7	(NA)
acres	19	5
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	1
acres	140	1
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	620	923
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.9	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	35	(NA)
acres	212	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	12	(NA)
acres	194	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	50	(NA)
acres	313	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	4 780	7 638
Cropland—acres	1 911	3 558
Harvested cropland—acres	816	1 620
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	82	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	36	88
Proportion of farms—percent	5.1	10.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	4 363	7 458
Land drained—acres	1 701	5 532
Average per farm—acres	47.3	62.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	310	(NA)
number	841	(NA)
acres	924	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	273	204	188
$1,000	13 126	8 728	4 399
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	27	16	51
$5,000 to $9,999	25	15	27
$10,000 to $29,999	81	71	62
$30,000 to $49,999	46	43	28
$50,000 and over	94	59	20

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	167	198	395	375	1 146	1 491
25 to 149 days	105	462	673	3 357	225	
Less than 25 days	244		2 837		258	
Total contract labor	53	96	(NA)	(NA)	78	162
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	20	(NA)	139	(NA)	31	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	394	167	105	244
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 629	1 146	225	258
Number of workers	3 905	395	673	2 837
Farms with—				
1 worker	100	94	33	45
2 workers	48	37	25	26
3 or 4 workers	70	27	17	38
5 to 9 workers	57	7	12	38
10 workers and over	119	2	18	97

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	338	459	281	303
Land in farms — acres	228 876	235 042	222 975	225 625
Average size of farm — acres	677	512	794	745
Approximate land area — acres	400 832	400 832	400 832	400 832
Proportion in farms — percent	57.1	58.6	55.6	56.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	100 411	60 187	97 573	56 670
Average per farm — dollars	297 075	131 126	347 233	187 031
Average per acre — dollars	439	256	438	251
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	9	9	2	–
10 to 49 acres	55	112	32	16
50 to 69 acres	35	41	23	19
70 to 99 acres	21	38	17	27
100 to 139 acres	16	41	14	34
140 to 179 acres	22	29	19	22
180 to 219 acres	14	14	12	12
220 to 259 acres	8	10	8	10
260 to 499 acres	41	55	41	55
500 to 999 acres	62	50	58	49
1,000 to 1,999 acres	34	34	34	33
2,000 acres and over	21	26	21	26

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	54	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	8 588	7 205
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	5	8
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	369	348
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	19	22
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	1 674	2 371
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	6	30
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — acres	990	2 294
Cropland idle — farms	27	48
Cropland idle — acres	5 555	2 192
Total woodland — farms	89	130
Total woodland — acres	41 140	45 838
Woodland pastured — farms	41	71
Woodland pastured — acres	15 501	28 798

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	330	444	277	301
Total cropland — acres	140 187	139 075	136 829	133 579
Harvested cropland — farms	303	417	268	290
Harvested cropland — acres	116 169	108 771	115 300	106 332
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	11	41	1	
10 to 19 acres	39	48	16	45
20 to 29 acres	25	36	24	
30 to 49 acres	17	43	17	
50 to 99 acres	30	53	30	50
100 to 199 acres	33	48	33	48
200 to 499 acres	63	77	62	76
500 to 999 acres	59	52	59	52
1,000 acres and over	26	19	26	19
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	109	164	85	115
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	14 983	21 816	12 941	20 042
Other cropland (see text) — farms	65	123	54	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	9 035	8 488	8 588	7 205
Total woodland — farms	104	191	89	130
Total woodland — acres	42 732	47 960	41 140	45 838
Other land (see text) — farms	213	261	183	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	45 957	48 007	45 006	46 208
Irrigated land — farms	15	6	14	5
Irrigated land — acres	1 124	909	1 114	884

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	65	76
Woodland not pastured — acres	25 639	17 040
Other land — farms	183	(NA)
Other land — acres	45 006	46 208
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	41	51
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	35 447	33 060
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	23	33
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	5 304	22 847
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	25	22
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	30 143	10 213
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	169	150
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	9 559	13 148

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	338	459	281	303
Land in farms — acres	228 876	235 042	222 975	225 625
Harvested cropland — acres	116 169	108 771	115 300	106 332
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	173	205	126	108
Land in farms — acres	124 656	121 905	120 825	116 480
Harvested cropland — acres	42 312	38 077	41 975	36 797
Part owners — number	102	128	98	113
Land in farms — acres	75 433	74 936	73 572	73 558
Harvested cropland — acres	52 400	47 556	51 915	47 066
Tenants — number	63	126	57	82
Land in farms — acres	28 787	38 201	28 578	35 587
Harvested cropland — acres	21 457	23 138	21 410	22 469
Percent of tenancy	18.6	27.4	20.3	27.0
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	61	130	37	46
Land in farms — acres	4 680	9 551	3 733	6 527
Harvested cropland — acres	2 019	5 094	1 844	3 841
Full owners — number	48	61	27	19
Land in farms — acres	3 648	3 386	2 862	1 564
Harvested cropland — acres	1 525	1 526	1 357	918
Part owners — number	3	23	3	15
Land in farms — acres	228	1 582	228	1 205
Harvested cropland — acres	159	933	159	797
Tenants — number	10	46	7	12
Land in farms — acres	804	4 583	643	3 758
Harvested cropland — acres	335	2 635	328	2 126
Percent of tenancy	16.4	35.3	18.9	26.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	244	253
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	113 628	146 603

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	32	43
Partnership — acres	(NA)	(NA)	84 821	59 589
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	6
Corporation — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	19 183
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	250
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	3	5	1
25 to 34 years	49	55	43	43
35 to 44 years	47	80	38	56
45 to 54 years	96	144	78	93
55 to 64 years	77	115	67	80
65 years and over	58	62	45	30
Average age	51.2	50.3	50.9	49.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	174	275	145	203
On another farm	23		18	
In a rural area, not on a farm	16	109	14	70
In a city, town, or urban area	32		25	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	150	(NA)	131	(NA)
1 to 49 days	11	66	6	33
50 to 99 days	13	22	9	5
100 to 149 days	15	64	7	28
150 to 199 days	8		8	
200 days and over	35	64	24	34
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	278	(NA)	238	(NA)
Other	54	(NA)	38	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	84	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	88	70	88	70
$40,000 to $99,999	65		65	
$20,000 to $39,999	33	53	32	53
$10,000 to $19,999	34	56	34	56
$5,000 to $9,999	34	54	34	54
$2,500 to $4,999	28	61	28	60
Under $2,500 (see text)	56	165	–	10
$2,000 to $2,499	3	28	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	12	21	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	9	29	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	32	87	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	24 817	10 237	24 732	10 011
Average per farm ... dollars	73 423	22 303	88 015	33 041
Crops, including hay ... farms	294	406	263	(NA)
$1,000	22 584	7 685	22 517	7 535
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		2	–
$1,000	2		(Z)	–
Forest products ... farms	8	18	8	15
$1,000	43	100	43	100
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	126	187	110	142
$1,000	2 188	2 452	2 172	2 376
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	(NA)	–	1
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	–	(D)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	263	(NA)
$1,000	22 517	7 535
Grains ... farms	233	258
$1,000	14 127	3 510
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	202	251
$1,000	8 121	3 896
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	16	29
$1,000	260	80
Other field crops ... farms	3	3
$1,000	8	11
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	–	7
$1,000	–	7
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	24
$1,000	1	31
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	110	142
$1,000	2 172	2 376
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)
Dairy products ... farms	2	2
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	96	(NA)
$1,000	1 666	2 017
Hogs and pigs ... farms	17	(NA)
$1,000	417	331
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	2	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	6	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	46	(NA)	17	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	84	(NA)	72	(NA)
$1,000	710	(NA)	697	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	23	55	22	46
$1,000	116	165	115	159
Recreational services ... farms	11	17	5	10
$1,000	19	25	17	22
Government farm programs ... farms	28	252	24	198
$1,000	60	1 621	57	1 595
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	32	(NA)	28	(NA)
$1,000	234	(NA)	227	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	10	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	282	(NA)	281	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	28	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	58	(NA)	55	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	114
$1,000	849
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	23
$1,000	251
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	61
$1,000	414
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	55
$1,000	134
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	21
$1,000	39
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	7
$1,000	11

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	336	459	281	303
$1,000	16 369	9 253	16 154	8 948
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	34	101	–	20
$1,000 to $1,999	33	52	20	
$2,000 to $2,999	17	38	14	25
$3,000 to $4,999	34	52	30	43
$5,000 to $9,999	33	39	33	39
$10,000 to $19,999	23	177	23	65
$20,000 to $39,999	51		51	51
$40,000 to $59,999	31		31	60
$60,000 and over	80		79	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	62	98	56	69
$1,000	614	885	602	844
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	107	181	90	126
$1,000	566	385	554	359
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	84	104	71	86
$1,000	256	143	247	124
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	97	81
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	27	35
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	205	118
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	36
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	254	379	230	274
$1,000	887	418	885	406
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	260	392	223	280
$1,000	824	412	802	397
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	220	(NA)	204	(NA)
$1,000	2 389	1 071	2 382	1 053
Lime ... farms	(NA)	23	3	21
$1,000	(NA)	19	8	19
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	335	453	281	299
$1,000	1 192	747	1 177	708
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	211	265
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	346	256
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	242	209
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	573	284
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	118	172
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	96
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	281	299
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	133	72
Hired farm labor ... farms	182	319	168	244
$1,000	2 014	1 486	1 929	1 407
Contract labor ... farms	35	241	32	32
$1,000	137	439	136	84
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	171		152	166
$1,000	515		509	339
All other production expenses ... farms	320	388	281	300
$1,000	7 231	3 410	7 106	3 350

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	336	443	281	299
$1,000	16 291	9 372	15 673	8 698
Average per farm—dollars	48 486	21 155	55 776	29 090
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	19	–	45
$1,000 to $4,999	36	132	22	
$5,000 to $9,999	43	86	14	56
$10,000 to $19,999	46	63	40	59
$20,000 to $29,999	54	143	52	43
$30,000 to $49,999	58		55	52
$50,000 to $69,999	36		36	44
$70,000 and over	63		62	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	289	308	240	214
number	378	376	325	275
mfd in last 5 years, number	272	297	254	220
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	307	335	261	265
number	675	587	617	507
mfd in last 5 years, number	362	402	342	348
Wheel tractors—farms	298	406	256	287
number	908	1 080	848	894
mfd in last 5 yeors, number	366	650	352	559
Crawler tractors—farms	13		11	22
number	14		12	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	20

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	149	155	144	146
number	222	199	216	187
mfd in last 5 years, number	83	151	82	144
Corn heads for combines—farms	7	38	6	18
number	7	41	6	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	23	3	14
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	24		24	16
number	26		26	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	7
Mower conditioners—farms	45	(NA)	42	(NA)
number	52	(NA)	49	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	25	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	73	58	70	57
number	80	59	76	58
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	38	22	37
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	58	(NA)	55	31
number	59	(NA)	55	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	6	19
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	11	6
number	12	(NA)	11	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	157	(X)	129	(X)	126	(X)	110	(X)	2 172
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	138	(X)	116	(X)	124	(X)	108	(X)	2 085
1969	218	(X)	153	(X)	186	(X)	142	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	122	24 011	105	23 366	111	10 424	96	10 309	1 666
1969	186	24 872	141	24 251	157	12 688	124	12 297	2 017
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	10	24	6	12	21	46	14	27	4
5 to 9—1974	15	104	13	90	15	100	9	62	12
10 to 19—1974	8	96	4	44	8	114	7	99	16
20 to 49—1974	24	713	18	541	21	755	20	712	105
50 to 99—1974	10	779	10	779	16	1 181	16	1 181	160
100 to 199—1974	18	2 734	18	2 734	13	1 633	13	1 633	219
200 to 499—1974	25	7 201	24	6 806	15	(D)	15	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	12	12 360	12	12 360	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	111	15 561	95	15 129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	164	13 307	127	13 010	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	99	15 410	86	14 997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 190	120	12 925	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	20	151	12	132	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	41	117	23	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	99	15 410	86	14 997			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	7	17	4	9			
5 to 9	7	47	5	35			
10 to 19	11	135	8	96			
20 to 49	16	474	12	355			
50 to 99	13	915	13	915			
100 to 199	24	3 251	24	3 251			
200 to 499	13	3 822	12	3 587			
500 and over	8	6 749	8	6 749			
Milk cows	20	151	12	132			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	14	22	8	14			
3 or 4	1	3	1	3			
5 to 9	3	(D)	1	(D)			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					58	4 060	935
Farms with—							
1 to 4					6	19	5
5 to 9					3	17	4
10 to 19					11	151	38
20 to 49					14	450	93
50 to 99					11	766	149
100 to 199					7	828	178
200 to 499					6	1 829	469
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					82	6 249	731
Farms with—							
1 or 2					10	13	2
3 or 4					6	20	3
5 to 9					7	52	9
10 to 19					11	163	21
20 to 49					17	545	62
50 to 99					14	911	97
100 to 199					10	1 368	149
200 to 499					6	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	75	3 912	1	418	(D)
	1969	112	5 164	1	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	67	3 800	–	–	–
Milk heifers	1974	8	112	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	88	4 325	–	–	–
	1969	121	6 077	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			1	418	(D)
	1969			1	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	33	5 065	25	5 008	21	6 789	17	6 733	417
	1969	85	5 700	42	5 373	54	8 604	35	8 359	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	18	48	11	29	3	6	3	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	3	19	3	19	3	19	1	5	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	2	32	2	32	5	80	3	38	4
25 to 49	1974	2	68	1	30	1	28	1	28	3
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	56	1	56	5
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	5	1 886	5	1 886	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	3	3 012	3	3 012	5	5 600	5	5 600	332
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	2 070	3	2 050	76
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	3 247	13	3 207	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	72	1	72	1	52	1	52	(NA)
	1969	4	162	4	162	5	125	5	125	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	52	[1]296
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	128	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	40	231	34	202	6	15	6	15	(D)
	1969	75	339	(NA)	(NA)	6	10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Forms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	765				
	1969	28	672				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	21	4 243				
	1969	39	4 701				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	20				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	48				
Rams and wethers	1974	1	4				
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			18	1 121	13	1 114
	1969			54	1 005	33	956
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			16	578	13	574
	1969			46	508	31	481
June 1 and November 30	1974			12	543	9	540
	1969			38	497	20	475

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	30	(X)	18	(X)	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	30	676	18	433	2	50	–	–
	1969	82	2 400	35	1 501	2	615	1	465
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	30	629	18	386	2	50	–	–
	1969	73	2 137	31	1 410	2	615	1	465
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	30	629	18	386	2	50	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	4	2	4	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	69	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	18	386	–	–
	1969	31	1 410	1	465
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	343	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	43	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	30	–	–
	1969	4	34	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	17	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	3	21	–	–
	1969	7	53	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	13	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	3	12	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	8	–	–
	1969	6	41	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	9	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	24	45	866	1 657	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	8	1 145	1 403	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	248	316	73 415	69 740	2 279 694	1 588 481
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	4	–	4	–	1 800
Wheat (bushels)	25	58	1 624	3 301	31 536	84 072
Other small grains for grain	9	21	602	1 667	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	217	356	34 410	25 453	40 089	36 313
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	17	(NA)	1 204	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	60	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	51	79	5 093	6 277	15 135	11 020
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	–	14	–	28	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	27	339	296	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	61	347	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	17	32	666	1 237	42 242	57 634	2	–	195	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	4	150	318	2 488	3 864	2	–	126	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	2	3	55	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	7	5	850	1 192	64 228	69 677	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	265	206	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	3	351	168	678	280	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	85	12 941	(X)	4	68	35	4 768	33	548	8	58
	1969	115	20 042	(X)	–	–	43	7 437	40	601	3	40
Improved pasture	1974	23	5 304	(X)	–	–	10	3 587	10	386	–	–
	1969	33	22 847	(X)	–	–	14	9 332	13	614	1	6
Corn for all purposes	1974	20	819	(X)	3	321	17	775	10	57	9	48
	1969	36	1 610	(X)	–	–	28	1 513	9	99	20	192
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	1 115	(X)	–	–	6	1 040	6	109	–	–
	1969	7	1 398	(X)	–	–	5	1 358	4	266	1	22
Wheat (bushels)	1974	25	1 624	31 536	–	–	18	1 334	15	76	3	20
	1969	56	3 278	83 652	–	–	50	2 999	(NA)	195	(NA)	40
Oats (bushels)	1974	8	457	19 845	–	–	6	418	5	25	1	11
	1969	18	1 511	89 493	–	–	15	1 423	(NA)	75	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	145	(X)	1	145	1	145	1	25	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	230	73 118	2 274 887	4	190	7	3 770	4	322	3	51
	1969	243	68 630	1 569 854	2	245	9	1 740	(NA)	204	(NA)	58
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	600	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	48	4 873	14 973	2	20	22	3 031	20	327	2	34
	1969	67	6 135	10 823	–	–	22	2 679	21	266	3	9
Field seed crops	1974	1	17	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	270	(X)	–	–	1	250	1	13	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	202	34 141	39 925	6	370	192	34 019	88	1 054	115	2 422
	1969	250	24 433	35 313	4	490	234	24 218	(NA)	1 147	(NA)	1 658
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	17	1 204	–	–	1	17	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	–	9	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	23	(X)	–	–	3	12	3	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	334	(X)	–	–	2	50	2	8	–	–
	1969	22	275	(X)	1	1	9	84	7	3	2	2

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	4	46	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	249	290
$1,000	3 184	1 450
Commercial fertilizer—farms	223	254
acres on which used	53 739	53 229
tons	5 655	5 538
$1,000	802	397
Lime—farms	3	21
acres on which used	500	1 929
tons	600	2 332
$1,000	8	19
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	5	–
acres on which used	614	–
$1,000	6	–
Insects on other crops—farms	153	217
acres on which used	51 185	32 764
$1,000	1 000	449
Nematodes in crops—farms	5	–
acres on which used	1 673	–
$1,000	18	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	1
acres on which used	1 258	8
$1,000	28	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	148	181
acres on which used	75 893	60 379
$1,000	1 117	495
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	12
acres on which used	310	3 900
$1,000	2	6
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	925	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	99	142
acres on which used	27 606	15 749
$1,000	158	69
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	19	47
$1,000	6	14
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	18	(NA)
$1,000	35	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	14	5
Proportion of farms—percent	5.0	1.6
Total land irrigated—acres	1 114	884
Average per farm—acres	79.6	176.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	14	5
acres	1 114	884
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	12	5
acres	1 046	884
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	4	–
acres	68	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	921	1 041
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	9	(NA)
acres	649	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	220	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	100	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	29 253	20 959
Cropland—acres	10 293	10 404
Harvested cropland—acres	9 284	6 964
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	44	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	76	123
Proportion of farms—percent	27.0	40.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	98 723	130 927
Land drained—acres	60 724	94 029
Average per farm—acres	799.0	764.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	6	(NA)
number	9	(NA)
acres	37	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Forms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	120	92	74
$1,000	14 061	10 841	3 219
Forms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	10	5	16
$5,000 to $9,999	9	13	9
$10,000 to $29,999	27	25	20
$30,000 to $49,999	17	11	9
$50,000 and over	57	38	20

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	104	112	370	375	1 575	1 407
25 to 149 days	82	194	261	925	290	
Less than 25 days	68		436		64	
Total contract labor	32	32	(NA)	(NA)	136	84
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	479	(NA)	106	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	168	104	82	68
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 929	1 575	290	64
Number of workers	1 067	370	261	436
Farms with—				
1 worker	30	39	26	12
2 workers	31	26	28	10
3 or 4 workers	30	17	9	14
5 to 9 workers	48	16	16	17
10 workers and over	29	6	3	15

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	129	217	90	119
Land in farms — acres	60 392	100 080	57 625	90 481
Average size of farm — acres	468	461	640	760
Approximate land area — acres	875 200	875 200	875 200	875 200
Proportion in farms — percent	6.9	11.4	6.6	10.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	33 225	42 624	30 370	37 451
Average per farm — dollars	257 558	196 424	337 448	314 715
Average per acre — dollars	550	426	527	414
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	9	8	4	2
10 to 49 acres	29	49	12	13
50 to 69 acres	11	23	8	13
70 to 99 acres	5	19	1	2
100 to 139 acres	12	19	6	10
140 to 179 acres	10	14	9	10
180 to 219 acres	3	9	3	4
220 to 259 acres	4	8	3	8
260 to 499 acres	19	33	17	23
500 to 999 acres	17	21	17	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	6	7	6	7
2,000 acres and over	4	7	4	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	121	197	86	111
acres	38 545	47 840	37 197	43 531
Harvested cropland — farms	102	160	79	99
acres	21 923	24 136	21 617	23 188
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	17	34	3	
10 to 19 acres	7	17	4	32
20 to 29 acres	20	16	18	
30 to 49 acres	5	23	2	
50 to 99 acres	14	24	13	22
100 to 199 acres	15	23	15	22
200 to 499 acres	18	15	18	15
500 to 999 acres	4	4	4	4
1,000 acres and over	2	4	2	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	43	84	28	33
acres	6 688	7 489	5 711	5 159
Other cropland (see text) — farms	50	71	46	(NA)
acres	9 934	16 215	9 869	15 184
Total woodland — farms	37	100	22	45
acres	11 484	37 163	10 989	34 984
Other land (see text) — farms	86	131	59	(NA)
acres	10 363	15 077	9 439	11 966
Irrigated land — farms	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — forms	46	(NA)
acres	9 869	15 184
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	4	12
acres	149	2 355
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	7	2
acres	385	480
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	23	36
acres	4 055	5 600
Cropland idle — farms	21	33
acres	5 280	6 749
Total woodland — farms	22	45
acres	10 989	34 984
Woodland pastured — farms	3	11
acres	1 626	3 625

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	20	37
acres	9 363	31 359
Other land — farms	59	(NA)
acres	9 439	11 966
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	14	17
acres	5 359	4 572
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	3	10
acres	179	1 148
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	11
acres	5 180	3 424
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	57	66
acres	4 080	7 394

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	129	217	90	119
Land in farms — acres	60 392	100 080	57 625	90 481
Harvested cropland — acres	21 923	24 136	21 617	23 188
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	43	87	21	31
Land in farms — acres	5 215	51 074	3 953	45 439
Harvested cropland — acres	1 480	9 752	1 333	9 279
Part owners — number	42	70	32	48
Land in farms — acres	40 221	31 235	38 940	28 389
Harvested cropland — acres	14 352	7 117	14 217	6 938
Tenants — number	44	60	37	40
Land in farms — acres	14 956	17 771	14 732	16 653
Harvested cropland — acres	6 091	7 267	6 067	6 971
Percent of tenancy	34.1	27.6	41.1	33.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	6	4	6	2
Land in farms — acres	1 816	324	1 816	235
Harvested cropland — acres	1 018	170	1 018	139
Full owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners — number	5	2	5	1
Land in farms — acres	1 516	205	1 516	168
Harvested cropland — acres	762	89	762	74
Tenants — number	1	2	1	1
Land in farms — acres	300	119	300	67
Harvested cropland — acres	256	81	256	65
Percent of tenancy	16.7	50.0	16.7	50.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	71	95
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	23 951	32 760

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	14	17
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 519	9 794
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 155	47 387
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	(D)
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	4	–	2
25 to 34 years	5	16	3	14
35 to 44 years	45	45	39	21
45 to 54 years	25	46	13	27
55 to 64 years	26	81	21	42
65 years and over	19	25	9	13
Average age	49.0	51.8	48.5	51.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	61	124	40	76
On another farm	10		6	
In a rural area, not on a farm	20	60	13	29
In a city, town, or urban area	11		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	44	(NA)	36	(NA)
1 to 49 days	20	5	15	3
50 to 99 days	–	8	–	6
100 to 149 days	6	32	6	8
150 to 199 days	2		–	
200 days and over	38	57	17	15
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	77	(NA)	64	(NA)
Other	47	(NA)	21	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	29	21	29	21
$40,000 to $99,999	11		11	
$20,000 to $39,999	9	20	9	20
$10,000 to $19,999	10	25	10	25
$5,000 to $9,999	11	22	11	22
$2,500 to $4,999	11	19	11	19
Under $2,500 (see text)	48	110	9	12
$2,000 to $2,499	10	14	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	7	9	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	13	17	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	18	70	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	14 577	4 017	14 530	3 944
Average per farm ... dollars	113 003	18 511	161 441	33 144
Crops, including hay ... farms	84	138	66	(NA)
$1,000	14 373	3 730	14 350	3 692
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	2	1	2	1
$1,000	1	10	1	10
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	69	97	42	51
$1,000	203	277	179	243
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	1	(NA)	–	4
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	–	32

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	66	(NA)
$1,000	14 350	3 692
Grains ... farms	6	11
$1,000	253	191
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	6	16
$1,000	18	21
Other field crops ... farms	56	75
$1,000	14 038	3 462
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	5	7
$1,000	(D)	14
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	2
$1,000	(D)	4
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	42	51
$1,000	179	243
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	4
$1,000	–	32
Dairy products ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	153	(D)
Hogs and pigs ... farms	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	32
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	7	
$1,000	25	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	52	(NA)	20	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	43	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	485	(NA)	462	(NA)
Custamwork and other agricultural services ... farms	14	15	12	11
$1,000	95	26	94	23
Recreational services ... farms	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	25	61	21	47
$1,000	161	345	156	343
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	8	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	222	(NA)	206	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)	6	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	50	(NA)	48	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	54
$1,000	505
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	21
$1,000	164
Cash wages, salaries, cammissians, and tips ... farms	24
$1,000	218
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	21
$1,000	101
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	4
$1,000	8
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	9
$1,000	14

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	129	217	90	119
$1,000	6 746	3 526	6 696	3 383
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	21	51	–	8
$1,000 to $1,999	14	35	2	
$2,000 to $2,999	8	20	6	14
$3,000 to $4,999	12	25	9	15
$5,000 to $9,999	24	26	23	22
$10,000 to $19,999	14		14	24
$20,000 to $39,999	5	60	5	20
$40,000 to $59,999	8		8	16
$60,000 and over	23		23	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	31	65	24	36
$1,000	82	120	74	91
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	63	98	37	47
$1,000	75	98	62	76
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	32	67	19	45
$1,000	25	72	23	59
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	5	1
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	(Z)
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	20	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	6
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	6	10
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	37	94	24	55
$1,000	52	35	50	31
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	83	141	70	92
$1,000	396	129	394	125
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	54	(NA)	48	(NA)
$1,000	366	238	366	234
Lime ... farms	(NA)	4	–	3
$1,000	(NA)	2	–	2
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	123	216	88	119
$1,000	360	251	352	231
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	75	113
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	109	90
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	75	78
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	174	78
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	24	27
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	31
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	88	119
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	33
Hired farm labor ... farms	58	133	50	96
$1,000	1 736	1 003	1 735	990
Contract labor ... farms	8	60	6	6
$1,000	65	125	64	10
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	28		21	45
$1,000	121		119	114
All other production expenses ... farms	114	177	88	115
$1,000	3 493	1 525	3 468	1 482

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	123	212	84	116
$1,000	4 969	3 516	4 663	2 970
Average per farm—dollars	40 399	16 586	55 511	25 599
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	8	–	20
$1,000 to $4,999	16	80	9	
$5,000 to $9,999	28	38	5	27
$10,000 to $19,999	31	42	23	29
$20,000 to $29,999	8	44	7	8
$30,000 to $49,999	18		18	12
$50,000 to $69,999	7		7	20
$70,000 and over	15		15	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	73	134	48	70
number	87	165	62	84
mfd in last 5 years, number	57	120	43	63
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	102	150	77	102
number	226	271	200	218
mfd in last 5 years, number	108	155	97	125
Wheel tractors—farms	112	194	78	106
number	397	562	358	422
mfd in last 5 years, number	153	250	138	186
Crawler tractors—farms	7		5	11
number	9		7	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	3	4	3
number	6	3	6	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	3	1	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	5	2	–
number	2	7	2	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1		1	5
number	1		1	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	18	(NA)	15	(NA)
number	20	(NA)	17	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	24	23	18	14
number	24	23	18	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	11	3	5
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	15	(NA)	13	8
number	16	(NA)	14	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	–	4
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	4
number	5	(NA)	5	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	71	(X)	44	(X)	69	(X)	42	(X)	179
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	63	(X)	37	(X)	58	(X)	36	(X)	153
1969	106	(X)	54	(X)	83	(X)	44	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	62	4 224	36	3 526	58	1 210	36	1 053	153
1969	100	4 893	51	3 749	82	1 861	44	1 573	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	3	12	–	–	14	43	7	21	2
5 to 9—1974	5	38	1	5	16	94	7	45	5
10 to 19—1974	9	131	7	97	7	83	2	21	2
20 to 49—1974	18	512	5	136	13	351	12	327	41
50 to 99—1974	13	882	9	639	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	8	1 029	8	1 029	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	6	1 620	6	1 620	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	51	2 498	34	2 203	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	81	2 591	46	2 124	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	49	2 481	34	2 200	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 533	40	2 074	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	5	17	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	19	58	12	50	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	49	2 481	34	2 200
Farms with—				
1 to 4	2	2	1	1
5 to 9	4	23	2	11
10 to 19	15	193	8	93
20 to 49	9	282	5	172
50 to 99	9	556	8	498
100 to 199	9	(D)	9	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	5	17	1	3
Farms with—				
1 or 2	1	2	–	–
3 or 4	4	15	1	3
5 to 9	–	–	–	–
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	19	440	74
Farms with—			
1 to 4	7	21	2
5 to 9	1	6	1
10 to 19	4	48	9
20 to 49	4	102	16
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	30	613	79
Farms with—			
1 or 2	3	6	1
3 or 4	7	24	2
5 to 9	3	23	2
10 to 19	2	(D)	(D)
20 to 49	13	373	46
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	30	742
	1969	43	1 217
Beef heifers	1974	30	742
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	31	581
	1969	43	408

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	13	4
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	1	13	4
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	5	12	4	10	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	17	207	11	188	7	115	5	94	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	5	12	4	10	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	10	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	2	2	2	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	6	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	22	145	13	83	6	19	3	12	7
	1969	47	348	(NA)	(NA)	11	65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	2	3
	1969	8	24
Other hogs and pigs	1974	3	7
	1969	11	164
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	2	3	2	3
	1969	9	35	8	33
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	1	1	1	1
	1969	9	22	8	20
June 1 and November 30	1974	2	2	2	2
	1969	5	13	5	13

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	14	(X)	6	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	14	564	6	358	–	–	–	–
	1969	30	6 423	12	5 187	5	5 116	3	4 800
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	14	496	6	290	–	–	–	–
	1969	30	6 308	12	5 170	5	5 116	3	4 800
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	13	396	5	190	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	12	1	2	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	32

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	6	290	–	–
	1969	12	5 170	3	4 800
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	5	210	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	80	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	20	–	–
	1969	2	15	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	48	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	10	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	6	36	45	663	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1	–	30	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	4	7	1 565	4 520	43 207	82 388
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	1	–	109	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	95	(NA)	4 805	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	7	(NA)	10	(NA)	1 000	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	33	52	1 717	1 617	2 036	2 247
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	10	20	52	135	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	7	8	37	42	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	59	(NA)	18 403	16 980	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	14	28	405	650	12 069	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	3	–	120	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	1	40	3	180	2	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	28	5 711	(X)	–	–	6	745	4	32	2	45
	1969	33	5 159	(X)	–	–	5	765	5	39	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	3	179	(X)	–	–	1	25	1	3	–	–
	1969	10	1 148	(X)	–	–	3	76	3	4	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	4	28	(X)	–	–	4	28	3	2	1	1
	1969	17	525	(X)	–	–	12	247	6	14	6	10
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	4	1 565	43 207	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	4 520	82 388	–	–	2	200	(NA)	20	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	25	1 529	1 814	–	–	2	70	2	3	–	–
	1969	28	1 157	1 666	–	–	3	110	1	4	2	3
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	85	4 200	–	–	5	85	5	51	–	–
	1969	12	63	3 615	–	–	11	61	(NA)	38	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	38	(X)	–	–	5	38	5	2	–	–
	1969	9	100	(X)	–	–	9	95	7	16	2	(Z)
Land in orchards	1974	4	24	(X)	–	–	3	23	3	14	–	–
	1969	3	17	(X)	–	–	1	6	1	2	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	56	18 376	(X)	–	–	51	18 367	15	131	40	2 068

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	71	107
$1,000	760	359
Commercial fertilizer—farms	70	84
acres on which used	19 382	18 335
tons	2 351	1 877
$1,000	394	125
Lime—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	170
tons	–	281
$1,000	–	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	28
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	28	34
acres on which used	15 825	14 072
$1,000	107	78
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	2	4
acres on which used	439	237
$1,000	10	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	31	51
acres on which used	16 037	15 910
$1,000	228	148
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	13
acres on which used	100	1 670
$1,000	1	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	9	(NA)
acres on which used	233	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	–
acres on which used	451	–
$1,000	6	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	4	21
$1,000	1	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	7	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	22	50
Proportion of farms—percent	24.4	42.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	29 049	50 645
Land drained—acres	14 742	27 131
Average per farm—acres	670.1	542.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	2	(NA)
number	12	(NA)
acres	42	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	23	6	19
$1,000	863	364	499
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	1	–	1
$5,000 to $9,999	4	–	4
$10,000 to $29,999	10	4	9
$30,000 to $49,999	4	–	3
$50,000 and over	4	2	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	33	54	244	296	1 280	990
25 to 149 days	37	90	392	609	393	
Less than 25 days	27		301		62	
Total contract labor	6	6	(NA)	(NA)	64	10
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	32	(NA)	21	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	50	33	37	27
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 735	1 280	393	62
Number of workers	937	244	392	301
Farms with—				
1 worker	7	7	6	–
2 workers	1	4	2	3
3 or 4 workers	11	11	9	9
5 to 9 workers	9	8	9	6
10 workers and over	22	3	11	9

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	493	574	201	198
Land in farms — acres	76 064	89 885	51 409	55 682
Average size of farm — acres	154	157	256	281
Approximate land area — acres	579 840	579 840	579 840	579 840
Proportion in farms — percent	13.1	15.5	8.9	9.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	32 483	16 465	21 556	9 495
Average per farm — dollars	65 889	28 684	107 245	47 952
Average per acre — dollars	427	183	419	171
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	16	23	5	5
10 to 49 acres	135	134	19	26
50 to 69 acres	39	67	16	8
70 to 99 acres	92	87	34	28
100 to 139 acres	70	80	34	22
140 to 179 acres	37	48	19	22
180 to 219 acres	24	44	13	12
220 to 259 acres	19	19	10	13
260 to 499 acres	40	41	31	34
500 to 999 acres	15	26	14	23
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	3	2	3
2,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	434	494	173	163
acres	30 836	30 150	20 026	16 842
Harvested cropland — farms	332	314	144	138
acres	8 178	7 791	6 314	6 076
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	122	139	26	
10 to 19 acres	109	77	35	111
20 to 29 acres	33	38	19	
30 to 49 acres	37	33	33	
50 to 99 acres	18	14	18	14
100 to 199 acres	6	9	6	9
200 to 499 acres	6	1	6	1
500 to 999 acres	1	3	1	3
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	346	384	137	119
acres	21 408	19 677	13 354	10 057
Other cropland (see text) — farms	70	102	23	(NA)
acres	1 250	2 682	358	709
Total woodland — farms	310	411	133	148
acres	31 484	38 289	21 353	23 886
Other land (see text) — farms	314	419	150	(NA)
acres	13 744	21 446	10 030	14 954
Irrigated land — farms	–	8	–	2
acres	–	129	–	31

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	23	(NA)
acres	358	709
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	9	8
acres	148	105
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	1	5
acres	10	80
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	11
acres	–	176
Cropland idle — farms	13	18
acres	200	348
Total woodland — farms	133	148
acres	21 353	23 886
Woodland pastured — farms	89	114
acres	5 621	11 896

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	76	84
acres	15 732	11 990
Other land — farms	150	(NA)
acres	10 030	14 954
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	74	68
acres	7 362	11 644
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	48	49
acres	2 437	6 845
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	43	32
acres	4 925	4 799
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	135	123
acres	2 668	3 310

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	493	574	201	198
Land in farms — acres	76 064	89 885	51 409	55 682
Harvested cropland — acres	8 178	7 791	6 314	6 076
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	398	466	143	148
Land in farms — acres	52 732	61 190	33 160	31 523
Harvested cropland — acres	4 700	4 590	3 128	3 327
Part owners — number	77	79	53	45
Land in farms — acres	21 202	25 914	17 221	23 128
Harvested cropland — acres	3 332	2 975	3 126	2 679
Tenants — number	18	29	5	5
Land in farms — acres	2 130	2 781	1 028	1 031
Harvested cropland — acres	146	226	60	70
Percent of tenancy	3.7	5.0	2.5	2.5
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	31	49	6	10
Land in farms — acres	2 477	4 164	1 048	1 443
Harvested cropland — acres	205	301	59	197
Full owners — number	27	39	2	7
Land in farms — acres	1 549	3 582	120	1 081
Harvested cropland — acres	175	236	29	142
Part owners — number	1	4	1	3
Land in farms — acres	450	482	450	362
Harvested cropland — acres	30	65	30	55
Tenants — number	3	6	3	–
Land in farms — acres	478	100	478	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	9.7	12.2	50.0	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	191	182
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	47 201	41 169

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	12
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	11 865
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	48
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	2 600
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	7	3	1
25 to 34 years	47	48	13	13
35 to 44 years	79	81	43	30
45 to 54 years	119	127	46	48
55 to 64 years	120	181	61	67
65 years and over	123	130	34	39
Average age	53.5	54.0	52.3	53.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	285	402	135	141
On another farm	4		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	27	86	8	33
In a city, town, or urban area	46		16	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	114	(NA)	44	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	14	8	6
50 to 99 days	20	10	8	3
100 to 149 days	16	77	9	26
150 to 199 days	50		17	
200 days and over	203	279	62	67
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	168	(NA)	110	(NA)
Other	324	(NA)	90	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	47	37	47	37
$40,000 to $99,999	34		34	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	19	19	19
$10,000 to $19,999	18	12	18	12
$5,000 to $9,999	39	53	39	53
$2,500 to $4,999	36	67	36	67
Under $2,500 (see text)	300	386	8	10
$2,000 to $2,499	31	21	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	26	54	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	80	61	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	163	250	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	14 862	5 809	14 587	5 517
Average per farm ... dollars	30 145	10 119	72 574	27 861
Crops, including hay ... farms	134	125	56	(NA)
$1,000	264	201	216	168
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		4	–
$1,000	14		14	–
Forest products ... farms	72	92	41	57
$1,000	335	160	326	154
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	440	483	194	192
$1,000	14 249	5 447	14 032	5 195
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	92	(NA)	79	64
$1,000	11 166	(NA)	11 164	3 890

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	56	(NA)
$1,000	216	168
Grains ... farms	9	5
$1,000	7	7
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	1	2
$1,000	(D)	2
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	44	37
$1,000	74	115
Other field crops ... farms	2	–
$1,000	1	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	15	23
$1,000	61	44
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	–
$1,000	(D)	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	194	192
$1,000	14 032	5 195
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	79	64
$1,000	11 164	3 890
Dairy products ... farms	19	8
$1,000	1 184	410
Cattle and calves ... farms	171	(NA)
$1,000	1 580	855
Hogs and pigs ... farms	8	(NA)
$1,000	96	40
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	2	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	5	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	274	(NA)	59	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	81	(NA)	38	(NA)
$1,000	168	(NA)	141	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	34	26	23	15
$1,000	138	51	125	50
Recreational services ... farms	–	6	–	4
$1,000	–	1	–	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	49	133	18	52
$1,000	26	44	13	28
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	1	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	6	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	35	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	110	(NA)	98	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	126
$1,000	1 501
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	23
$1,000	203
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	89
$1,000	1 065
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	41
$1,000	153
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	21
$1,000	70
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	9

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	493	574	201	198
$1,000	14 563	5 342	14 074	4 882
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	117	209	3	26
$1,000 to $1,999	107	128	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	61	55	20	20
$3,000 to $4,999	52	60	17	38
$5,000 to $9,999	34	56	27	48
$10,000 to $19,999	23		23	11
$20,000 to $39,999	12	66	12	20
$40,000 to $59,999	13		13	35
$60,000 and over	74		74	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	231	290	138	133
$1,000	2 528	1 065	2 468	998
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	429	490	184	187
$1,000	9 140	2 799	8 969	2 672
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	329	300	176	168
$1,000	8 216	2 592	8 141	2 552
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	58	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	508	27
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	30
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	237	48
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	84	45
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	120	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	84	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	159	163	51	64
$1,000	37	17	30	12
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	345	410	120	147
$1,000	420	228	333	159
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	124	(NA)	56	(NA)
$1,000	40	38	34	24
Lime ... farms	(NA)	68	14	27
$1,000	(NA)	18	6	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	466	545	195	198
$1,000	359	178	309	130
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	162	194
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	74
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	62	68
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	17
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	103	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	119	20
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	194	196
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	20
Hired farm labor ... farms	162	258	91	133
$1,000	436	212	421	189
Contract labor ... farms	31	155	14	14
$1,000	22	73	19	8
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	121		47	71
$1,000	98		83	45
All other production expenses ... farms	404	385	199	198
$1,000	1 483	731	1 323	646

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	455	531	192	191
$1,000	5 436	2 379	3 728	1 397
Average per farm—dollars	11 946	4 480	19 416	7 314
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	63	2	90
$1,000 to $4,999	123	318	28	
$5,000 to $9,999	162	98	43	59
$10,000 to $19,999	78	36	44	27
$20,000 to $29,999	38		31	11
$30,000 to $49,999	39	16	39	2
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	2
$70,000 and over	4		4	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	304	352	137	130
number	377	441	189	177
mfd in last 5 years, number	201	292	132	119
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	412	414	177	165
number	530	499	271	226
mfd in last 5 years, number	221	295	134	138
Wheel tractors—farms	372	368	168	155
number	514	494	287	254
mfd in last 5 years, number	136	233	114	145
Crawler tractors—farms	12		9	5
number	12		9	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		2	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	1	2	1	2
number	1	2	1	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	3	–	–
number	–	3	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	3		1	1
number	3		1	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	57	(NA)	36	(NA)
number	64	(NA)	42	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	28	(NA)	18	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	81	83	58	53
number	88	88	65	58
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	65	26	51
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	52	(NA)	36	28
number	54	(NA)	38	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	10	27
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	9	11
number	16	(NA)	14	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	8	12

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	475	(X)	194	(X)	440	(X)	194	(X)	14 032
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	446	(X)	169	(X)	409	(X)	172	(X)	1 679
1969	475	(X)	165	(X)	451	(X)	167	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	444	24 199	168	16 783	406	7 284	171	5 728	1 580
1969	467	16 571	164	11 059	445	9 318	166	7 112	855
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	29	96	2	7	116	251	20	38	8
5 to 9—1974	26	184	3	23	101	660	26	170	19
10 to 19—1974	81	1 239	16	258	104	1 338	46	634	100
20 to 49—1974	156	4 964	36	1 289	50	1 457	44	1 308	236
50 to 99—1974	96	6 248	55	3 738	22	1 523	22	1 523	190
100 to 199—1974	38	5 247	38	5 247	9	1 155	9	1 155	155
200 to 499—1974	16	(D)	16	(D)	4	900	4	900	873
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	362	13 460	159	10 006	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	382	8 248	151	5 774	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	334	11 966	146	8 718	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 451	143	5 081	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	79	1 494	28	1 288	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	81	797	33	693	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	1 184
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	410

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	334	11 966	146	8 718			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	31	80	1	4			
5 to 9	34	244	6	46			
10 to 19	76	1 052	21	279			
20 to 49	127	3 774	56	1 797			
50 to 99	41	2 679	37	2 455			
100 to 199	17	2 104	17	2 104			
200 to 499	8	2 033	8	2 033			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	79	1 494	28	1 288			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	31	48	8	10			
3 or 4	6	21	–	–			
5 to 9	22	147	–	–			
10 to 19	11	150	11	150			
20 to 49	2	57	2	57			
50 to 99	3	246	3	246			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					107	3 016	1 314
Farms with—							
1 to 4					25	66	14
5 to 9					15	87	21
10 to 19					26	344	75
20 to 49					27	766	187
50 to 99					5	301	63
100 to 199					7	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					132	2 712	266
Farms with—							
1 or 2					10	12	2
3 or 4					13	46	3
5 to 9					35	229	24
10 to 19					28	372	39
20 to 49					29	829	87
50 to 99					15	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	127	3 654	8	170	28
	1969	133	2 601	3	10	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	120	3 314			
Milk heifers	1974	10	340			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	140	3 123			
	1969	155	2 684			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			2	5	1
	1969			3	46	7
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1974			2	61	13
10 to 19	1974			1	58	7
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974					
500 and over	1974					

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	49	728	13	635	15	1 884	8	1 866	96
	1969	57	1 021	18	677	33	1 145	17	943	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	40	102	4	9	6	7	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	5	25	5	25	1	6	1	6	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	2	37	2	37	3	51	2	40	1
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	1	32	1	32	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	1	90	1	90	8
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	44	2	33	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	197	3	41	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	26	1	26	1	24	1	24	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	25	[1]75
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	12	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	140	301	46	137	8	22	6	18	4
	1969	140	400	(NA)	(NA)	18	54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	104	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969	8	27	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	7	105	5	100
Other hogs and pigs	1974	12	531		1969	24	125	8	65
	1969	18	650	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	6	49	5	48
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	2		1969	19	61	7	34
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	20	June 1 and November 30	1974	7	56	5	52
Rams and wethers	1974	1	4		1969	16	64	6	31

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	129	(X)	78	(X)	90	(X)	79	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	70	(X)	(NA)	(X)	61	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	64	76 422	18	75 292	15	147 565	9	147 539
	1969	128	188 639	36	186 271	16	305 030	13	304 870
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	64	71 374	18	70 455	12	37 281	6	37 255
	1969	119	135 363	33	133 169	12	119 030	9	118 870
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	58	1 124	12	205	6	26	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	(D)	5	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	3	34 000	3	34 000	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	73	2 440 632	62	2 440 450	77	12 070 459	72	12 070 440
	1969	38	1 017 080	34	1 016 830	46	5 286 900	44	5 286 802
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	92	11 166	79	11 164
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	64	3 890

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	18	70 455	6	37 255
	1969	33	133 169	9	118 870
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	11	25 160	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	8	45 295	5	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	3	107 134
	1969	5	30 054	4	160 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	4 837	5	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	9	(X)	6	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	73	45	353	346	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	2	208	8	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	7	6	7	3	7 700	1 880
Wheat (bushels)	1	–	18	–	360	–
Other small grains for grain	3	1	26	10	(X)	(X)
Cotton (boles)	1	5	290	46	310	13
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	27	(NA)	6	(NA)	181	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	24	(NA)	10	(NA)	903	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	282	252	7 015	6 595	14 718	10 149
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	41	49	200	769	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	13	5	63	6	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	13	55	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	24	10	125	113	5 033	1 775	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	–	55	–	1 100	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	145	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	4	309	93	496	272	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	137	13 354	(X)	–	–	55	4 093	55	789	1	12
	1969	119	10 057	(X)	–	–	70	4 665	66	858	4	44
Improved pasture	1974	48	2 437	(X)	–	–	16	948	16	156	1	12
	1969	49	6 845	(X)	–	–	33	4 616	32	474	3	144
Corn for all purposes	1974	24	125	(X)	–	–	19	116	19	39	–	–
	1969	10	113	(X)	–	–	9	106	9	25	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	200	(X)	–	–	3	200	3	30	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	18	360	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	20	400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	5	5	5 500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	1	620	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	133	5 513	11 601	–	–	62	3 210	62	854	1	3
	1969	121	5 336	8 487	2	31	59	2 088	58	590	4	12
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	290	(D)	–	–	1	290	–	–	1	75
	1969	1	22	6	–	–	1	22	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	14	3	106	–	–	5	1	5	1	–	–
	1969	4	1	114	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	15	153	(X)	–	–	14	107	14	55	–	–
	1969	24	625	(X)	–	–	18	608	18	82	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	2	30	(X)	–	–	2	30	2	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	4	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	4	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	2	7	(X)	–	–	1	1	2	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	125	158
$1,000	367	182
Commercial fertilizer—farms	120	125
acres on which used	9 005	12 120
tons	2 030	2 238
$1,000	333	159
Lime—farms	14	27
acres on which used	394	1 057
tons	586	1 816
$1,000	6	9
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	43
acres on which used	95	1 283
$1,000	1	4
Insects on other crops—farms	5	9
acres on which used	153	316
$1,000	1	1
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	80
$1,000	–	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	9	12
acres on which used	1 460	204
$1,000	9	(Z)
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	17	27
acres on which used	915	1 998
$1,000	3	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	98	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	–
acres on which used	290	–
$1,000	1	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	22	60
$1,000	4	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	13	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	2
Proportion of farms—percent	–	1.0
Total land irrigated—acres	–	31
Average per farm—acres	–	15.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	31
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	31
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	14
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	946
Cropland—acres	–	914
Harvested cropland—acres	–	671
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2	1
Proportion of farms—percent	1.0	0.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	588	641
Land drained—acres	11	641
Average per farm—acres	5.5	641.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	82	(NA)
number	252	(NA)
acres	293	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	75	47	45
$1,000	2 043	1 544	500
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	4	22
$5,000 to $9,999	14	10	10
$10,000 to $29,999	27	20	8
$30,000 to $49,999	6	4	3
$50,000 and over	12	9	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	37	23	75	41	297	189
25 to 149 days	41	120	117	464	90	
Less than 25 days	43		228		34	
Total contract labor	14	14	(NA)	(NA)	19	8
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	14	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	91	37	41	43
Cash wages paid—$1,000	421	297	90	34
Number of workers	420	75	117	228
Farms with—				
1 worker	27	19	18	15
2 workers	16	9	8	9
3 or 4 workers	26	6	9	11
5 to 9 workers	11	3	2	2
10 workers and over	11	–	4	6

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 475	1 738	1 023	1 125
Land in farms — acres	374 523	393 113	340 391	352 768
Average size of farm — acres	254	226	333	314
Approximate land area — acres	771 328	771 328	771 328	771 328
Proportion in farms — percent	48.6	51.0	44.1	45.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	206 978	150 917	185 268	132 121
Average per farm — dollars	140 324	86 833	181 103	117 440
Average per acre — dollars	553	384	544	375
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	49	76	17	13
10 to 49 acres	282	358	84	57
50 to 69 acres	123	145	64	63
70 to 99 acres	157	191	86	121
100 to 139 acres	165	192	132	155
140 to 179 acres	123	132	98	114
180 to 219 acres	97	132	88	110
220 to 259 acres	59	69	52	68
260 to 499 acres	246	248	233	233
500 to 999 acres	113	155	109	152
1,000 to 1,999 acres	46	29	45	28
2,000 acres and over	15	11	15	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 392	1 578	1 004	1 092
acres	292 633	310 768	268 656	284 236
Harvested cropland — farms	1 153	1 325	957	1 044
acres	172 154	166 694	169 414	161 587
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	112	98	22	
10 to 19 acres	75	103	29	216
20 to 29 acres	104	113	65	
30 to 49 acres	145	167	127	
50 to 99 acres	194	274	191	258
100 to 199 acres	228	297	228	297
200 to 499 acres	235	237	235	237
500 to 999 acres	53	33	53	33
1,000 acres and over	7	3	7	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	777	907	438	556
acres	74 778	95 200	55 184	77 517
Other cropland (see text) — farms	270	425	237	(NA)
acres	45 701	48 874	44 058	45 132
Total woodland — farms	118	142	80	105
acres	11 326	15 168	10 208	14 375
Other land (see text) — farms	797	1 047	523	(NA)
acres	70 564	67 177	61 527	54 157
Irrigated land — farms	893	1 000	831	891
acres	143 865	147 996	142 304	145 463

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	237	(NA)
acres	44 058	45 132
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	13	33
acres	1 073	1 157
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	9	13
acres	1 246	871
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	28	100
acres	3 243	13 875
Cropland idle — farms	195	259
acres	38 496	29 229
Total woodland — farms	80	105
acres	10 208	14 375
Woodland pastured — farms	49	68
acres	5 270	9 008

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	40	47
acres	4 938	5 367
Other land — farms	523	(NA)
acres	61 527	54 157
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	133	217
acres	31 070	41 064
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	72	74
acres	8 324	13 544
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	70	163
acres	22 746	27 520
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	479	605
acres	30 457	13 093

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 475	1 738	1 023	1 125
Land in farms — acres	374 523	393 113	340 391	352 768
Harvested cropland — acres	172 154	166 694	169 414	161 587
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	691	731	338	284
Land in farms — acres	108 939	106 971	84 701	78 240
Harvested cropland — acres	33 069	25 755	31 189	22 878
Part owners — number	513	669	454	586
Land in farms — acres	189 379	228 324	183 132	219 588
Harvested cropland — acres	91 150	104 767	90 505	103 673
Tenants — number	271	338	231	255
Land in farms — acres	76 205	57 818	72 558	54 940
Harvested cropland — acres	47 935	36 172	47 720	35 036
Percent of tenancy	18.4	19.4	22.6	22.6
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	31	78	13	39
Land in farms — acres	3 999	5 886	3 050	4 907
Harvested cropland — acres	2 299	3 415	2 178	2 892
Full owners — number	17	21	–	6
Land in farms — acres	939	1 167	–	821
Harvested cropland — acres	120	464	–	299
Part owners — number	9	19	8	15
Land in farms — acres	2 352	2 181	2 342	2 019
Harvested cropland — acres	1 693	1 505	1 692	1 447
Tenants — number	5	38	5	18
Land in farms — acres	708	2 538	708	2 067
Harvested cropland — acres	486	1 446	486	1 146
Percent of tenancy	16.1	48.7	38.5	46.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	920	970
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	283 209	292 658

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	83	123
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	32 279	50 349
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	23
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	20 643	7 639
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	9
acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 260	2 122
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	43	35	37	23
25 to 34 years	135	173	109	118
35 to 44 years	220	318	149	230
45 to 54 years	378	456	253	341
55 to 64 years	422	469	312	291
65 years and over	257	287	143	122
Average age	51.8	51.6	50.8	49.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	770	1 166	572	803
On another farm	98		51	
In a rural area, not on a farm	89	387	67	220
In a city, town, or urban area	152		89	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	673	(NA)	530	(NA)
1 to 49 days	45	134	27	76
50 to 99 days	62	93	23	47
100 to 149 days	38	172	23	75
150 to 199 days	68		38	
200 days and over	246	385	112	193
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	1 074	(NA)	858	(NA)
Other	381	(NA)	145	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	163	137	163	137
$40,000 to $99,999	269		269	
$20,000 to $39,999	210	267	210	267
$10,000 to $19,999	163	275	163	275
$5,000 to $9,999	114	244	114	244
$2,500 to $4,999	79	176	79	176
Under $2,500 (see text)	477	639	25	26
$2,000 to $2,499	58	65	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	48	79	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	118	88	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	253	407	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold — $1,000	56 100	23 994	55 655	23 476
Average per farm — dollars	38 034	13 805	54 404	20 867
Crops, including hay — farms	1 015	1 213	921	(NA)
$1,000	52 886	20 409	52 779	20 222
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	6		2	–
$1,000	12		7	–
Forest products — farms	–	3	–	1
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	960	1 252	582	797
$1,000	3 202	3 586	2 868	3 253
Poultry and poultry products — farms	27	(NA)	16	28
$1,000	20	(NA)	19	33

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops — farms	921	(NA)
$1,000	52 779	20 222
Grains — farms	878	923
$1,000	49 414	19 238
Tobacco — farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed — farms	2	40
$1,000	4	72
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — farms	33	57
$1,000	82	139
Other field crops — farms	39	56
$1,000	3 278	755
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — farms	2	11
$1,000	1	18
Fruits, nuts, and berries — farms	–	3
$1,000	–	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	582	797
$1,000	2 868	3 253
Poultry and poultry products — farms	16	28
$1,000	19	33
Dairy products — farms	26	49
$1,000	1 105	1 204
Cattle and calves — farms	568	(NA)
$1,000	1 688	1 872
Hogs and pigs — farms	30	(NA)
$1,000	34	144
Sheep, lambs, and wool — farms	36	
$1,000	6	
Other livestock and livestock products — farms	15	
$1,000	17	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	403	(NA)	128	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — farms	310	(NA)	207	(NA)
$1,000	1 901	(NA)	1 608	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	81	127	69	113
$1,000	471	295	434	257
Recreational services — farms	5	16	5	12
$1,000	7	15	7	14
Government farm programs — farms	92	168	66	102
$1,000	76	150	64	133
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	151	(NA)	78	(NA)
$1,000	1 245	(NA)	1 005	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	39	(NA)	34	(NA)
$1,000	103	(NA)	98	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — farms	97	(NA)	63	(NA)
$1,000	428	(NA)	353	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — farms	437
$1,000	4 781
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — farms	63
$1,000	522
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — farms	211
$1,000	2 049
Interest, dividends, or royalties — farms	228
$1,000	1 798
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — farms	78
$1,000	212
Rent income of nonfarm property — farms	36
$1,000	199

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses — farms	1 460	1 738	1 023	1 125
$1,000	29 632	16 619	28 959	15 823
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	242	327	21	57
$1,000 to $1,999	146	231	40	
$2,000 to $2,999	84	149	36	87
$3,000 to $4,999	146	235	97	200
$5,000 to $9,999	186	294	173	279
$10,000 to $19,999	228	502	228	280
$20,000 to $39,999	222		222	159
$40,000 to $59,999	83		83	63
$60,000 and over	123		123	
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	355	392	194	225
$1,000	455	394	362	342
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — farms	979	1 220	606	764
$1,000	1 447	1 365	1 227	1 189
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	738	873	501	605
$1,000	1 067	988	950	896
Feed ingredients — farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	154
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	89	89
Whole grains — farms	(NA)	(NA)	194	146
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	117	63
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	(NA)	(NA)	107	240
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	141
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — farms	(NA)	(NA)	337	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	97	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — farms	1 010	1 209	871	976
$1,000	2 997	1 532	2 983	1 500
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	1 115	1 346	926	1 031
$1,000	4 638	2 070	4 578	2 008
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — farms	456	(NA)	400	(NA)
$1,000	913	432	910	422
Lime — farms	(NA)	86	9	61
$1,000	(NA)	58	2	54
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	1 334	1 679	991	1 124
$1,000	2 785	1 912	2 711	1 783
Gasoline — farms	(NA)	(NA)	899	1 047
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	860	754
Diesel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	797	712
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 121	531
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	(NA)	(NA)	461	489
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	480	320
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	989	1 124
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	250	178
Hired farm labor — farms	554	871	476	719
$1,000	2 246	1 620	2 215	1 551
Contract labor — farms	44	762	34	98
$1,000	107	888	106	87
Machine hire and customwork — farms	524		443	561
$1,000	978		962	746
All other production expenses — farms	1 320	1 431	1 019	1 118
$1,000	13 066	6 408	12 807	6 193

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 318	1 662	920	1 117
$1,000	35 605	23 751	32 387	21 375
Average per farm—dollars	27 015	14 290	35 204	19 135
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	115	5	268
$1,000 to $4,999	215	564	77	
$5,000 to $9,999	326	266	147	198
$10,000 to $19,999	237	306	183	257
$20,000 to $29,999	141	411	127	156
$30,000 to $49,999	198		196	157
$50,000 to $69,999	88		86	81
$70,000 and over	103		99	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 039	1 319	755	922
number	1 294	1 616	976	1 121
mfd in last 5 years, number	809	1 176	698	881
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 114	1 300	824	966
number	1 959	2 111	1 639	1 732
mfd in last 5 years, number	959	1 305	848	1 085
Wheel tractors—farms	1 123	1 350	823	997
number	2 603	2 908	2 232	2 413
mfd in last 5 years, number	698	1 475	667	1 270
Crawler tractors—farms	42		34	38
number	54		44	53
mfd in last 5 years, number	10		10	28

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	430	479	424	462
number	580	663	569	644
mfd in last 5 years, number	214	459	205	447
Corn heads for combines—farms	5	30	5	7
number	6	32	6	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	11	1	4
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	82		74	19
number	82		74	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		1	3
Mower conditioners—farms	143	(NA)	77	(NA)
number	173	(NA)	100	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	59	(NA)	45	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	103	138	72	114
number	107	149	76	125
mfd in last 5 years, number	29	98	25	87
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	28	(NA)	21	46
number	29	(NA)	22	66
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	48
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	9	23
number	16	(NA)	13	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	3	16

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	1 014	(X)	616	(X)	960	(X)	582	(X)	2 868
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	993	(X)	604	(X)	940	(X)	574	(X)	1 728
1969	1 334	(X)	837	(X)	1 221	(X)	783	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	983	49 403	596	39 474	930	15 678	568	13 254	1 688
1969	1 289	58 843	815	49 021	1 168	22 024	760	19 059	1 872
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	41	108	28	76	300	764	136	343	49
5 to 9—1974	71	484	31	225	251	1 613	127	799	108
10 to 19—1974	227	3 125	104	1 437	162	2 098	102	1 314	178
20 to 49—1974	370	11 459	193	5 964	156	4 719	142	4 314	551
50 to 99—1974	156	10 871	122	8 416	44	2 881	44	2 881	304
100 to 199—1974	82	10 729	82	10 729	11	1 503	11	1 503	239
200 to 499—1974	30	7 431	30	7 431	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	6	5 196	6	5 196	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	881	31 183	555	25 464	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 165	38 738	765	33 197	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	830	29 261	525	23 725	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	35 712	717	30 453	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	158	1 922	91	1 739	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	329	3 026	207	2 744	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	1 105
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	49	(X)	1 204

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	830	29 261	525	23 725			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	58	158	37	98			
5 to 9	127	891	59	427			
10 to 19	230	3 147	126	1 731			
20 to 49	253	7 628	152	4 719			
50 to 99	106	7 181	95	6 494			
100 to 199	45	5 678	45	5 678			
200 to 499	8	2 345	8	2 345			
500 and over	3	2 233	3	2 233			
Milk cows	158	1 922	91	1 739			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	87	133	41	66			
3 or 4	24	79	11	36			
5 to 9	16	98	13	75			
10 to 19	10	124	5	74			
20 to 49	6	228	6	228			
50 to 99	10	643	10	643			
100 to 199	5	617	5	617			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					278	4 027	809
Farms with—							
1 to 4					96	215	46
5 to 9					62	387	87
10 to 19					66	845	171
20 to 49					42	1 139	243
50 to 99					8	454	89
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					484	9 227	879
Farms with—							
1 or 2					70	100	10
3 or 4					67	236	23
5 to 9					106	671	64
10 to 19					92	1 188	116
20 to 49					110	3 318	313
50 to 99					30	1 997	195
100 to 199					5	656	63
200 to 499					4	1 061	94
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	436	7 545
	1969	624	9 681
Beef heifers	1974	418	7 056
Milk heifers	1974	31	489
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	504	6 465
	1969	720	6 143

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	27	396	90
	1969	6	51	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	13	55	11
10 to 19	1974	4	56	9
20 to 49	1974	9	233	59
50 to 99	1974	1	52	11
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	123	633	74	416	37	668	30	575	34
	1969	251	3 162	154	2 559	99	3 064	71	2 602	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	67	148	35	79	6	13	3	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	35	209	23	127	10	64	9	59	2
10 to 24	1974	20	241	15	175	9	125	8	114	7
25 to 49	1974	1	35	1	35	11	365	9	295	17
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	101	1	101	8
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	379	8	277	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	91	1 007	55	694	42	514	30	401	(NA)
	1969	189	2 635	115	1 679	96	1 268	66	945	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	28	366	[1] 579
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	(X)	6
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	39	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	262	692	160	459	25	41	14	22	6
	1969	556	1 654	(NA)	(NA)	35	78	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	36	106
	1969	74	231
Other hogs and pigs	1974	64	310
	1969	145	2 328
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	44	220
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	52	398
Rams and wethers	1974	52	76

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	54	140	38	108
	1969	123	342	83	241
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	45	81	30	63
	1969	101	197	66	132
June 1 and November 30	1974	34	59	25	45
	1969	75	145	60	109

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	236	(X)	114	(X)	9	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	244	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	228	7 992	111	4 728	8	1 825	5	1 813
	1969	441	19 211	238	11 666	6	1 489	4	1 258
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	220	7 286	109	4 458	8	1 825	5	1 813
	1969	413	16 557	226	10 551	6	1 489	4	1 258
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	216	5 280	107	2 752	6	119	3	107
100 to 399	1974	3	506	1	206	1	206	1	206
400 to 1,599	1974	1	1 500	1	1 500	1	1 500	1	1 500
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	22	595	5	154	1	50	–	–
	1969	17	3 768	8	3 289	1	3 000	1	3 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	20	16	19
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	28	33

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	109	4 458	5	1 813
	1969	226	10 551	4	1 258
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	106	4 271	5	1 813
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	10	187	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	9	115	–	–
	1969	27	617	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	63	155	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	10	–	–
Turkeys	1974	4	31	–	–
	1969	17	132	1	7
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	4	25	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	4	25	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	6	–	–
	1969	12	58	1	7
Other poultry	1974	19	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	71	(X)	8	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	80	178	881	2 979	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	16	14	341	705	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	218	114	26 837	11 181	653 193	240 579
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	–	2	–	1 200	–
Wheat (bushels)	–	1	–	70	–	1 666
Other small grains for grain	847	932	135 908	136 627	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	3	75	61	1 161	35	716
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	47	(NA)	3 392	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	5	(NA)	790	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	210	253	5 952	10 168	9 171	13 761
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	18	29	21	92	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	14	37	24	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	43	(NA)	4 129	4 409	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	36	73	388	1 719	13 180	40 325	4	7	32	66
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	2	100	56	800	560	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	4	30	53	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	6	180	391	5 414	21 236	–	1	–	60
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	88	305	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	11	13	97	703	211	455	–	4	–	102

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	438	55 184	(X)	15	2 879	99	8 521	97	932	2	97
	1969	556	77 517	(X)	38	5 981	124	9 557	118	1 350	8	66
Improved pasture	1974	72	8 324	(X)	–	–	23	2 051	22	238	1	8
	1969	74	13 544	(X)	3	265	28	2 980	24	348	4	36
Corn for all purposes	1974	38	518	(X)	4	32	31	449	31	75	1	6
	1969	79	1 828	(X)	7	66	48	1 027	40	126	18	41
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	7	268	(X)	–	–	3	189	3	43	–	–
	1969	11	696	(X)	1	60	9	606	9	136	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	70	1 666	–	–	1	70	(NA)	7	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	80	2 250	–	–	2	80	(NA)	7	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	6	560	12 900	1	24	5	545	5	92	–	–
	1969	3	216	5 040	1	6	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	796	134 427	(X)	796	134 427	796	133 978	788	23 409	15	146
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	202	26 642	648 710	35	3 877	118	18 948	113	1 993	6	162
	1969	92	10 818	233 571	19	1 797	48	6 073	(NA)	636	(NA)	26
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	114	4 816	7 609	21	847	26	1 481	23	193	3	22
	1969	161	8 618	11 684	35	2 354	33	1 223	32	317	1	3
Field seed crops	1974	2	46	(X)	2	46	2	46	2	6	–	–
	1969	2	106	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	2	58	33	–	–	2	58	2	7	–	–
	1969	39	919	580	2	33	33	866	(NA)	115	(NA)	40
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	46	3 332	–	–	6	45	6	23	–	–
	1969	5	–	30	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	2	(X)	3	2	3	2	3	1	–	–
	1969	8	37	(X)	–	–	7	28	6	12	1	1
Land in orchards	1974	7	20	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	1	–	–
	1969	10	20	(X)	3	4	4	7	4	2	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	1	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	34	4 045	(X)	2	2	31	3 863	25	341	16	421

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	927	1 052
$1,000	5 488	2 430
Commercial fertilizer—farms	926	988
acres on which used	170 214	161 198
tons	28 219	26 158
$1,000	4 578	2 008
Lime—farms	9	61
acres on which used	103	6 478
tons	151	7 507
$1,000	2	54
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	12	7
acres on which used	122	282
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	104	137
acres on which used	25 182	20 336
$1,000	240	57
Nematodes in crops—farms	9	3
acres on which used	1 497	821
$1,000	26	3

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	14	11
acres on which used	2 622	2 358
$1,000	16	10
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	271	384
acres on which used	57 088	57 886
$1,000	481	275
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	10	20
acres on which used	720	1 527
$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	24	(NA)
acres on which used	383	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	6	13
acres on which used	1 160	1 199
$1,000	9	8
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	34	117
$1,000	5	7
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	69	(NA)
$1,000	125	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	831	891
Proportion of farms—percent	81.2	79.2
Total land irrigated—acres	142 304	145 463
Average per farm—acres	171.2	163.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	831	891
acres	142 304	145 198
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	825	887
acres	138 542	138 807
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	15	38
acres	2 879	5 981
Other cropland irrigated—farms	5	(NA)
acres	883	410
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	3
acres	–	265
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	172 843	211 570
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	1.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	133	(NA)
acres	22 204	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	120	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	11	(NA)
acres	1 186	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	289 152	291 945
Cropland—acres	236 027	249 600
Harvested cropland—acres	157 151	148 845
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	179	394
Proportion of farms—percent	17.5	35.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	76 164	163 086
Land drained—acres	47 690	113 366
Average per farm—acres	266.4	287.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	21	(NA)
number	41	(NA)
acres	98	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	239	129	154
$1,000	6 831	3 281	3 550
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	32	15	30
$5,000 to $9,999	37	29	25
$10,000 to $29,999	92	52	55
$30,000 to $49,999	40	15	20
$50,000 and over	38	18	24

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	208	282	412	434	1 577	1 551
25 to 149 days	181		531		493	
Less than 25 days	236	567	1 116	1 507	146	
Total contract labor	34	98	(NA)	(NA)	106	87
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	205	(NA)	41	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	476	208	181	236
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 215	1 577	493	146
Number of workers	2 059	412	531	1 116
Farms with—				
1 worker	166	123	73	72
2 workers	94	40	46	47
3 or 4 workers	87	28	34	44
5 to 9 workers	73	14	18	39
10 workers and over	56	3	10	34

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	523	575	164	156
Land in farms — acres	91 337	63 142	60 495	27 971
Average size of farm — acres	175	110	369	179
Approximate land area — acres	868 672	868 672	868 672	868 672
Proportion in farms — percent	10.5	7.3	7.0	3.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	39 917	13 515	24 893	5 937
Average per farm — dollars	76 323	23 504	151 789	38 058
Average per acre — dollars	437	214	411	212
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	28	19	1	7
10 to 49 acres	204	250	32	33
50 to 69 acres	57	52	12	16
70 to 99 acres	80	88	29	20
100 to 139 acres	48	45	16	18
140 to 179 acres	22	44	18	15
180 to 219 acres	26	24	19	10
220 to 259 acres	16	9	6	5
260 to 499 acres	28	27	21	19
500 to 999 acres	6	12	5	10
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	3	3	3
2,000 acres and over	4	2	2	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	486	508	154	143
acres	27 358	21 796	14 066	12 841
Harvested cropland — farms	389	347	142	113
acres	8 905	7 483	5 890	5 055
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	148	136	32	
10 to 19 acres	111	98	29	86
20 to 29 acres	62	53	26	
30 to 49 acres	34	31	27	
50 to 99 acres	19	16	14	14
100 to 199 acres	9	8	8	8
200 to 499 acres	5	5	5	5
500 to 999 acres	1	–	1	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	336	317	103	84
acres	16 410	10 793	7 817	5 674
Other cropland (see text) — farms	63	126	16	(NA)
acres	2 043	3 520	359	2 112
Total woodland — farms	311	362	113	93
acres	53 238	31 113	42 074	10 323
Other land (see text) — farms	335	368	117	(NA)
acres	10 741	10 233	4 355	4 807
Irrigated land — farms	4	2	2	2
acres	391	62	385	62

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	16	(NA)
acres	359	2 112
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	10	11
acres	200	369
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	3
acres	–	601
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	8
acres	–	210
Cropland idle — farms	6	29
acres	159	932
Total woodland — farms	113	93
acres	42 074	10 323
Woodland pastured — farms	74	54
acres	37 448	5 959

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	56	57
acres	4 626	4 364
Other land — farms	117	(NA)
acres	4 355	4 807
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	40	49
acres	3 121	3 681
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	37	32
acres	1 932	1 302
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	9	26
acres	1 189	2 379
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	105	96
acres	1 234	1 126

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	523	575	164	156
Land in farms — acres	91 337	63 142	60 495	27 971
Harvested cropland — acres	8 905	7 483	5 890	5 055
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	432	473	118	116
Land in farms — acres	40 222	43 284	19 438	18 524
Harvested cropland — acres	6 300	5 000	3 849	3 156
Part owners — number	78	87	40	36
Land in farms — acres	49 946	18 349	40 506	9 135
Harvested cropland — acres	2 176	2 308	1 642	1 774
Tenants — number	13	15	6	4
Land in farms — acres	1 169	1 509	551	312
Harvested cropland — acres	429	175	399	125
Percent of tenancy	2.5	2.6	3.7	2.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	1	4	–	–
Land in farms — acres	108	1 056	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	6	20	–	–
Full owners — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	256	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Part owners — number	1	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	108	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	6	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	800	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	20	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	50.0	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	160	141
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	58 375	21 091

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	15
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 120	6 880
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	5	–	2
25 to 34 years	23	46	7	12
35 to 44 years	89	80	29	29
45 to 54 years	131	171	47	38
55 to 64 years	205	179	60	53
65 years and over	72	94	21	22
Average age	54.0	52.8	53.7	52.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	368	398	128	107
On another farm	6		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	71	6	22
In a city, town, or urban area	28		5	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	119	(NA)	48	(NA)
1 to 49 days	24	27	8	16
50 to 99 days	7	16	1	11
100 to 149 days	14	53	8	7
150 to 199 days	69		12	
200 days and over	240	297	59	45
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	164	(NA)	83	(NA)
Other	358	(NA)	81	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	15	17	15	17
$40,000 to $99,999	17		17	
$20,000 to $39,999	12	22	11	22
$10,000 to $19,999	13	22	13	22
$5,000 to $9,999	27	30	27	30
$2,500 to $4,999	53	51	53	50
Under $2,500 (see text)	386	433	28	15
$2,000 to $2,499	32	15	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	49	34	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	83	53	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	222	331	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ---- $1,000	5 187	2 848	4 833	2 578
Average per farm ---- dollars	9 917	4 952	29 470	16 525
Crops, including hay ---- forms	151	117	50	(NA)
$1,000	388	95	320	60
Nursery and greenhouse products ---- forms	7		2	1
$1,000	4		1	5
Forest products ---- forms	71	45	43	18
$1,000	169	62	158	51
Livestock, poultry, and their products ---- forms	464	484	151	151
$1,000	4 626	2 691	4 354	2 462
Poultry and poultry products ---- forms	32	(NA)	15	16
$1,000	1 844	(NA)	1 840	503

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ---- forms	50	(NA)
$1,000	320	60
Grains ---- forms	16	8
$1,000	221	13
Tobacco ---- forms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ---- forms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ---- forms	32	30
$1,000	80	47
Other field crops ---- forms	6	–
$1,000	6	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ---- forms	6	1
$1,000	9	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ---- forms	2	1
$1,000	4	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ---- forms	151	151
$1,000	4 354	2 462
Poultry and poultry products ---- forms	15	16
$1,000	1 840	503
Dairy products ---- forms	30	44
$1,000	1 879	1 433
Cattle and calves ---- forms	149	(NA)
$1,000	613	486
Hogs and pigs ---- forms	16	(NA)
$1,000	21	41
Sheep, lambs, and wool ---- forms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ---- forms	6	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ----	366	(NA)	75	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ---- forms	69	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	57	(NA)	32	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ---- forms	22	25	15	16
$1,000	28	31	19	26
Recreational services ---- forms	2	2	1	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–
Government farm programs ---- forms	49	109	21	40
$1,000	26	29	12	14
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ---- forms	7	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ---- forms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ---- forms	39	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	36	(NA)	19	(NA)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ---- forms	110
$1,000	1 365
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ---- forms	22
$1,000	367
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ---- forms	72
$1,000	805
Interest, dividends, or royalties ---- forms	43
$1,000	71
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ---- forms	33
$1,000	111
Rent income of nonfarm property ---- forms	8
$1,000	12

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ---- forms	521	575	164	156
$1,000	5 132	2 704	4 433	2 233
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	118	258	9	20
$1,000 to $1,999	152	115	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	76	59	16	22
$3,000 to $4,999	51	43	21	17
$5,000 to $9,999	63	41	46	39
$10,000 to $19,999	24	59	24	30
$20,000 to $39,999	7		7	14
$40,000 to $59,999	12		12	14
$60,000 and over	18		17	
Livestock and poultry purchased ---- forms	183	229	68	79
$1,000	547	386	470	331
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ---- forms	464	484	146	139
$1,000	2 588	1 111	2 340	981
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---- forms	343	257	138	113
$1,000	2 370	959	2 262	919
Feed ingredients ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	36	44
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	30
Whole grains ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	29	26
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	7
Hay, green chop, and silage ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	27	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	25
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	92	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)

	All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ---- forms	215	175	81	61
$1,000	53	25	45	17
Commercial fertilizer purchased ---- forms	430	412	136	116
$1,000	465	198	340	141
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ---- forms	122	(NA)	44	(NA)
$1,000	36	27	24	18
Lime ---- forms	(NA)	56	13	21
$1,000	(NA)	19	11	11
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ---- forms	509	552	164	156
$1,000	172	134	115	86
Gasoline ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	143	134
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	52	53
Diesel oil ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	87	44
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	8
LP gas, butane, and propane ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	31	53
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	15
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ---- forms	(NA)	(NA)	164	156
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	10
Hired farm labor ---- forms	175	195	71	93
$1,000	230	180	179	162
Contract labor ---- forms	27	184	13	20
$1,000	67	68	65	14
Machine hire and customwork ---- forms	121		49	55
$1,000	63		50	35
All other production expenses ---- forms	396	359	148	148
$1,000	911	575	781	448

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	504	553	158	155
$1,000	5 242	2 799	2 600	1 534
Average per farm—dollars	10 401	5 060	16 453	9 895
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	63	1	55
$1,000 to $4,999	153	328	34	
$5,000 to $9,999	177	98	39	53
$10,000 to $19,999	103	43	39	28
$20,000 to $29,999	33	21	15	12
$30,000 to $49,999	23		23	3
$50,000 to $69,999	5		4	4
$70,000 and over	3		3	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	342	350	114	112
number	424	419	155	128
mfd in last 5 years, number	230	292	92	98
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	454	464	147	132
number	533	550	195	169
mfd in last 5 years, number	222	354	83	117
Wheel tractors—farms	432	422	142	137
number	594	563	255	230
mfd in last 5 years, number	162	257	82	124
Crawler tractors—farms	21		16	4
number	23		18	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	11	5	9	5
number	12	5	10	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	4	–	4
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	18	–	–
number	–	18	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	5	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10		2	9
number	10		2	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		–	4
Mower conditioners—farms	84	(NA)	48	(NA)
number	89	(NA)	51	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	(NA)	23	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	98	84	57	51
number	104	85	63	52
mfd in last 5 years, number	36	55	24	35
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	51	(NA)	32	29
number	52	(NA)	33	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	13	23
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	17	(NA)	13	12
number	20	(NA)	16	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	9	9

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	485	(X)	152	(X)	464	(X)	151	(X)	4 354
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	478	(X)	149	(X)	458	(X)	149	(X)	634
1969	508	(X)	139	(X)	463	(X)	144	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	472	25 054	149	15 015	451	6 136	149	4 335	613
1969	498	18 690	137	11 240	446	7 252	142	5 107	486
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	10	30	3	7	183	455	15	27	5
5 to 9—1974	24	162	–	–	103	681	19	118	16
10 to 19—1974	87	1 189	3	52	73	1 012	29	423	72
20 to 49—1974	184	5 535	30	978	68	1 961	63	1 840	247
50 to 99—1974	85	5 805	34	2 500	16	1 033	16	1 033	135
100 to 199—1974	71	8 916	69	8 634	8	994	7	894	137
200 to 499—1974	10	(D)	10	2 844	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	370	12 875	133	8 329	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	422	9 994	131	6 806	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	343	10 094	113	5 619	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 013	92	3 949	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	83	2 781	39	2 710	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	149	2 981	65	2 857	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	1 879
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)	1 433

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	343	10 094	113	5 619			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	30	87	7	23			
5 to 9	48	294	5	33			
10 to 19	85	1 133	7	95			
20 to 49	110	3 293	39	1 210			
50 to 99	59	3 885	45	3 045			
100 to 199	11	1 402	10	1 213			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	83	2 781	39	2 710			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	46	54	8	9			
3 or 4	2	6	–	–			
5 to 9	4	20	–	–			
10 to 19	1	10	1	10			
20 to 49	6	239	6	239			
50 to 99	18	1 312	18	1 312			
100 to 199	3	390	3	390			
200 to 499	3	750	3	750			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					95	1 467	308
Farms with—							
1 to 4					23	53	12
5 to 9					16	105	26
10 to 19					33	428	97
20 to 49					19	588	138
50 to 99					3	188	24
100 to 199					1	105	11
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					122	2 868	305
Farms with—							
1 or 2					11	15	2
3 or 4					7	22	1
5 to 9					14	95	8
10 to 19					30	408	48
20 to 49					50	1 424	129
50 to 99					6	448	45
100 to 199					4	456	73
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	118	3 479
	1969	123	2 983
Beef heifers	1974	98	2 482
Milk heifers	1974	29	997
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	127	3 207
	1969	122	1 451

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and cancentrates	1974	13	160	41
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	8	24	6
10 to 19	1974	1	14	2
20 to 49	1974	4	122	32
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	56	496	18	284	35	692	16	483	21
	1969	89	1 203	25	690	63	1 482	24	1 074	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	27	50	3	8	9	22	3	8	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	8	47	3	20	2	13	2	13	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	15	227	6	84	21	334	8	139	4
25 to 49	1974	6	172	6	172	2	98	2	98	5
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	225	1	225	11
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	139	5	66	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	511	6	426	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	11	257	3	65	7	81	2	16	(NA)
	1969	8	355	2	106	10	178	2	17	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	45	[1]206
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	193	(NA)	(NA)	3	80	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	166	359	45	104	7	10	2	3	(Z)
	1969	234	696	(NA)	(NA)	26	51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	52
	1969	17	136
Other hogs and pigs	1974	18	232
	1969	22	554
Lambs under 1 yeor old	1974	2	19
Ewes 1 yeor old or older	1974	3	38
Rams and wethers	1974	3	8

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	24	68	12	47
	1969	46	169	19	120
December 1 of preceding yeor and May 31	1974	18	32	9	23
	1969	43	95	17	58
June 1 and November 30	1974	19	36	11	24
	1969	27	74	18	62

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	170	(X)	43	(X)	20	(X)	14	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	48	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	160	12 808	35	9 937	11	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	198	88 214	45	84 875	13	65 049	12	65 035
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	156	12 428	33	9 873	11	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	194	72 612	44	69 815	12	35 049	11	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	154	3 228	31	673	7	254	2	82
100 to 399	1974	1	200	1	200	2	300	2	300
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	30	447 102	9	446 610	9	2 002 435	8	2 002 400
	1969	8	153	1	6	3	110 000	3	110 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	1 844	15	1 840
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	503

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	33	9 873	6	(D)
	1969	44	69 815	11	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	33	9 859	6	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	14	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	15 020	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	64	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	9	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	80	86	550	900	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	13	8	1 163	557	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6	2	747	(D)	12 522	(D)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	6	2	9	2 250	3 700
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	4	–	342	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	20	(NA)	26	(NA)	1 131	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	18	(NA)	10	(NA)	643	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	331	264	6 022	5 255	14 398	9 975
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	19	65	47	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	18	11	48	45	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	48	349	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	29	27	192	457	6 885	13 764	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	3	31	100	655	2 599	1	1	25	30
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	60	30	1 950	267	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	11	(NA)	1 092	467	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	30	30
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	1	25	18	58	25	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	103	7 817	(X)	–	–	55	3 806	55	764	3	49
	1969	84	5 674	(X)	–	–	37	2 492	37	638	2	18
Improved pasture	1974	37	1 932	(X)	–	–	16	558	16	163	–	–
	1969	32	1 302	(X)	–	–	21	762	21	217	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	31	223	(X)	1	25	18	151	18	36	–	–
	1969	30	557	(X)	1	30	19	397	19	112	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	11	1 152	(X)	1	30	9	982	5	94	5	208
	1969	7	497	(X)	1	30	7	497	7	139	2	29
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	2	80	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	2	40	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	330	(X)	1	330	1	330	1	66	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	6	747	12 522	–	–	4	590	4	74	–	–
	1969	2	400	4 000	–	–	2	400	(NA)	24	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	2 250	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	120	3 402	8 764	–	–	69	2 369	69	683	4	25
	1969	98	3 338	7 111	–	–	53	1 746	53	657	4	9
Field seed crops	1974	2	20	(X)	–	–	2	20	2	4	–	–
	1969	3	320	(X)	–	–	3	260	–	–	3	65
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	9	23	943	–	–	2	20	2	20	–	–
	1969	1	–	7	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	37	(X)	–	–	7	37	7	8	–	–
	1969	1	10	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	4	18	(X)	–	–	4	18	4	3	–	–
	1969	2	6	(X)	–	–	2	5	2	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	4	(X)	1	2	1	4	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	6	9	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	138	128
$1,000	363	158
Commercial fertilizer—farms	136	98
acres on which used	8 884	6 573
tons	2 196	1 913
$1,000	340	141
Lime—farms	13	21
acres on which used	489	1 444
tons	743	1 632
$1,000	11	11
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	17
acres on which used	94	308
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	10	144
$1,000	(Z)	1
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	–
acres on which used	26	–
$1,000	1	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	9	9
acres on which used	960	571
$1,000	7	1
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	7
acres on which used	310	256
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	3	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	–
acres on which used	40	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	11	25
$1,000	1	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	17	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	2
Proportion of farms—percent	1.2	1.2
Total land irrigated—acres	385	62
Average per farm—acres	192.5	31.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	2
acres	385	62
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	2
acres	385	62
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	341	101
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.9	1.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	55	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	730	484
Cropland—acres	635	392
Harvested cropland—acres	445	176
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	40	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	1	2
Proportion of farms—percent	0.6	1.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	1 080	327
Land drained—acres	40	170
Average per farm—acres	40.0	85.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	64	(NA)
number	178	(NA)
acres	176	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	46	38	34
$1,000	1 737	927	810
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	5	7	10
$5,000 to $9,999	3	2	1
$10,000 to $29,999	17	17	14
$30,000 to $49,999	8	7	5
$50,000 and over	13	5	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	19	27	38	40	129	
25 to 149 days	11 }		22 }		22 }	
Less than 25 days	55 }	81	255 }	351	28 }	162
Total contract labor	13	20	(NA)	(NA)	65	14
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	126	(NA)	60	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	71	19	11	55
Cash wages paid $1,000	179	129	22	28
Number of workers	315	38	22	255
Farms with—				
1 worker	25	10	4	18
2 workers	10	4	6	4
3 or 4 workers	12	3	–	13
5 to 9 workers	15	2	1	11
10 workers and over	9	–	–	9

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 039	1 212	468	431
Land in farms — acres	125 926	137 405	87 927	81 492
Average size of farm — acres	121	113	188	189
Approximate land area — acres	425 600	425 600	425 600	425 600
Proportion in farms — percent	29.6	32.3	20.7	19.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	81 159	42 981	56 810	24 912
Average per farm — dollars	78 113	35 462	121 390	57 800
Average per acre — dollars	645	313	646	306
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	51	36	16	4
10 to 49 acres	287	397	33	26
50 to 69 acres	135	129	24	34
70 to 99 acres	125	173	60	68
100 to 139 acres	136	166	85	86
140 to 179 acres	109	110	85	57
180 to 219 acres	56	55	48	44
220 to 259 acres	40	41	38	32
260 to 499 acres	75	76	55	55
500 to 999 acres	20	24	19	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	4	4	4
2,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	968	1 119	440	414
acres	76 119	79 557	56 228	52 123
Harvested cropland — farms	696	738	377	307
acres	27 094	19 632	23 557	14 702
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	216	251	43	
10 to 19 acres	151	180	49	215
20 to 29 acres	83	113	58	
30 to 49 acres	83	96	66	
50 to 99 acres	92	65	91	60
100 to 199 acres	56	24	55	24
200 to 499 acres	12	7	12	6
500 to 999 acres	1	2	1	2
1,000 acres and over	2	–	2	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	798	861	338	335
acres	46 417	50 284	31 132	32 935
Other cropland (see text) — farms	84	312	43	(NA)
acres	2 608	9 641	1 539	4 486
Total woodland — farms	626	790	286	297
acres	32 520	41 616	19 263	22 018
Other land (see text) — farms	713	757	336	(NA)
acres	17 287	16 232	12 436	7 351
Irrigated land — farms	9	4	5	4
acres	46	24	34	24

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	43	(NA)
acres	1 539	4 486
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	11	15
acres	278	387
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	5	6
acres	139	127
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	16
acres	235	771
Cropland idle — farms	19	53
acres	887	3 201
Total woodland — farms	286	297
acres	19 263	22 018
Woodland pastured — farms	154	186
acres	7 521	9 569

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	177	152
acres	11 742	12 449
Other land — farms	336	(NA)
acres	12 436	7 351
Pastureland and rongeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	114	85
acres	8 359	4 737
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	93	56
acres	6 553	3 373
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	41	38
acres	1 806	1 364
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	308	231
acres	4 077	2 614

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 039	1 212	468	431
Land in farms — acres	125 926	137 405	87 927	81 492
Harvested cropland — acres	27 094	19 632	23 557	14 702
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	827	967	311	303
Land in farms — acres	81 680	101 877	48 251	52 522
Harvested cropland — acres	14 911	12 011	11 828	7 993
Part owners — number	186	192	144	115
Land in farms — acres	39 247	31 280	35 702	26 210
Harvested cropland — acres	10 278	6 450	9 898	5 871
Tenants — number	26	53	13	13
Land in farms — acres	4 999	4 248	3 974	2 760
Harvested cropland — acres	1 905	1 171	1 831	838
Percent of tenancy	2.5	4.3	2.8	3.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	118	278	19	24
Land in farms — acres	6 071	14 087	1 920	4 159
Harvested cropland — acres	940	2 631	315	1 053
Full owners — number	105	231	14	16
Land in farms — acres	4 698	11 377	1 083	2 568
Harvested cropland — acres	582	2 087	80	839
Part owners — number	12	23	4	7
Land in farms — acres	1 348	1 961	812	1 471
Harvested cropland — acres	334	292	211	174
Tenants — number	1	24	1	1
Land in farms — acres	25	749	25	120
Harvested cropland — acres	24	252	24	40
Percent of tenancy	0.8	8.6	5.3	4.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	436	369
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	76 351	63 172

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	26	55
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 576	14 162
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 000	3 708
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	450
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	13	3	10
25 to 34 years	100	99	51	44
35 to 44 years	203	252	111	118
45 to 54 years	321	337	140	115
55 to 64 years	219	305	92	102
65 years and over	181	206	65	42
Average age	51.2	51.6	49.6	48.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	711	952	338	358
On another farm	17		7	
In a rural area, not on a farm	14	94	7	23
In a city, town, or urban area	64		29	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	326	(NA)	189	(NA)
1 to 49 days	36	90	16	19
50 to 99 days	29	46	11	11
100 to 149 days	30		14	
150 to 199 days	75	139	20	27
200 days and over	396	466	122	100
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	443	(NA)	305	(NA)
Other	589	(NA)	157	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	81	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	31	78	30	78
$40,000 to $99,999	181		181	
$20,000 to $39,999	76	162	76	162
$10,000 to $19,999	46	69	46	69
$5,000 to $9,999	41	42	41	42
$2,500 to $4,999	80	67	80	66
Under $2,500 (see text)	584	794	14	14
$2,000 to $2,499	71	36	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	76	66	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	119	107	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	318	585	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	20 752	11 481	19 999	10 850
Average per farm ... dollars	19 973	9 472	42 732	25 174
Crops, including hay ... farms	210	317	101	(NA)
$1,000	1 136	541	1 051	182
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	7		4	5
$1,000	564		562	229
Forest products ... farms	81	74	41	43
$1,000	295	117	283	109
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	922	909	453	409
$1,000	18 757	10 822	18 103	10 330
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	31	(NA)	4	6
$1,000	5	(NA)	1	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	101	(NA)
$1,000	1 051	182
Grains ... farms	27	12
$1,000	638	26
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	3	6
$1,000	15	13
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	65	55
$1,000	308	103
Other field crops ... farms	14	6
$1,000	54	12
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	11	12
$1,000	31	20
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	5
$1,000	5	8
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	453	409
$1,000	18 103	10 330
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	6
$1,000	1	3
Dairy products ... farms	282	304
$1,000	15 208	8 783
Cattle and calves ... farms	449	(NA)
$1,000	2 700	1 447
Hogs and pigs ... farms	22	(NA)
$1,000	184	98
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	15	
$1,000	10	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	505	(NA)	91	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	161	(NA)	80	(NA)
$1,000	311	(NA)	220	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	38	43	23	18
$1,000	155	69	141	62
Recreational services ... farms	3	6	1	2
$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Government farm programs ... farms	91	288	45	92
$1,000	37	100	21	37
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	31	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	103	(NA)	43	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	15	(NA)	11	(NA)
$1,000	15	(NA)	14	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	53	(NA)	24	(NA)
$1,000	75	(NA)	61	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	248
$1,000	2 999
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	34
$1,000	359
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	177
$1,000	2 105
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	94
$1,000	271
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	36
$1,000	131
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	20
$1,000	133

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 036	1 212	468	431
$1,000	16 973	9 277	15 787	8 251
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	197	470	16	22
$1,000 to $1,999	243	218	16	
$2,000 to $2,999	107	87	21	19
$3,000 to $4,999	80	73	31	43
$5,000 to $9,999	81	84	57	68
$10,000 to $19,999	78		78	123
$20,000 to $39,999	100	280	100	119
$40,000 to $59,999	65		65	37
$60,000 and over	85		84	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	349	521	175	225
$1,000	1 440	1 130	1 328	1 026
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	896	932	427	394
$1,000	7 442	3 590	7 130	3 406
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	661	713	390	383
$1,000	6 619	3 327	6 436	3 215
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	140	22
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	241	56
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	135	30
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	364	72
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	64
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	89	63
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	308	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	142	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	416	493	192	140
$1,000	285	105	262	78
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	871	974	402	372
$1,000	2 039	967	1 782	797
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	275	(NA)	164	(NA)
$1,000	149	84	131	58
Lime ... farms	(NA)	237	59	108
$1,000	(NA)	56	53	39
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	949	1 172	439	427
$1,000	575	344	482	241
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	378	392
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	245	143
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	248	213
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	143	60
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	89
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	13
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	439	427
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	25
Hired farm labor ... farms	374	605	239	311
$1,000	1 014	859	910	719
Contract labor ... farms	57	428	38	41
$1,000	66	214	63	32
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	357		186	185
$1,000	189		159	136
All other production expenses ... farms	855	816	462	427
$1,000	3 774	1 983	3 400	1 759

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	991	1 145	446	422
$1,000	13 583	6 898	9 677	4 436
Average per farm—dollars	13 707	6 024	21 698	10 512
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	24	118	–	126
$1,000 to $4,999	264	578	62	
$5,000 to $9,999	284	240	82	115
$10,000 to $19,999	214	155	117	131
$20,000 to $29,999	92	54	78	34
$30,000 to $49,999	70		65	10
$50,000 to $69,999	20		20	6
$70,000 and over	23		22	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	702	816	339	326
number	917	1 004	447	405
mfd in last 5 years, number	459	739	289	337
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	797	862	391	366
number	996	1 026	557	475
mfd in last 5 years, number	392	667	257	338
Wheel tractors—farms	781	768	398	380
number	1 138	1 049	685	591
mfd in last 5 years, number	293	560	223	355
Crawler tractors—farms	26		20	17
number	28		22	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	12

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	16	4	16	3
number	22	4	22	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	2	8	1
Corn heads for combines—farms	4	14	4	2
number	4	14	4	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	8	1	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	11		10	10
number	14		13	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	6
Mower conditioners—farms	212	(NA)	168	(NA)
number	244	(NA)	192	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	114	(NA)	100	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	206	131	175	114
number	219	134	188	117
mfd in last 5 years, number	104	107	100	97
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	123	(NA)	100	66
number	131	(NA)	108	71
mfd in last 5 years, number	59	(NA)	56	53
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	48	(NA)	43	19
number	49	(NA)	43	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	19	12

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	954	(X)	446	(X)	922	(X)	453	(X)	18 103
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	945	(X)	443	(X)	901	(X)	453	(X)	2 884
1969	1 040	(X)	404	(X)	879	(X)	405	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	941	56 048	442	43 494	893	18 509	449	14 968	2 700
1969	983	44 575	403	35 692	842	16 720	403	13 641	1 447
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	23	74	3	6	191	495	32	89	25
5 to 9—1974	76	523	3	23	185	1 271	35	253	53
10 to 19—1974	161	2 242	17	225	220	2 870	112	1 541	227
20 to 49—1974	272	8 265	68	2 406	223	6 628	197	5 945	783
50 to 99—1974	219	15 481	162	11 693	61	4 122	61	4 122	817
100 to 199—1974	167	22 110	167	22 110	11	(D)	10	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	22	(D)	21	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	821	33 978	422	26 878	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	806	26 714	383	22 722	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	534	14 095	170	7 444	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 924	142	4 655	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	407	19 883	304	19 434	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	497	18 790	317	18 067	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	282	(X)	15 208
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	304	(X)	8 783

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	534	14 095	170	7 444			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	70	189	8	19			
5 to 9	70	459	14	87			
10 to 19	116	1 562	18	236			
20 to 49	211	6 297	83	2 663			
50 to 99	49	3 172	29	2 023			
100 to 199	17	(D)	17	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	407	19 883	304	19 434			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	84	116	15	19			
3 or 4	16	54	6	21			
5 to 9	24	156	4	27			
10 to 19	12	146	9	114			
20 to 49	56	1 943	56	1 943			
50 to 99	166	11 606	166	11 606			
100 to 199	46	5 197	45	5 039			
200 to 499	3	665	3	665			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					354	7 620	2 250
Farms with—							
1 to 4					70	196	55
5 to 9					74	498	120
10 to 19					108	1 421	333
20 to 49					66	1 707	418
50 to 99					30	1 967	596
100 to 199					4	474	133
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					331	7 348	449
Farms with—							
1 or 2					7	11	1
3 or 4					24	85	7
5 to 9					41	283	27
10 to 19					111	1 484	91
20 to 49					126	3 571	225
50 to 99					18	1 099	65
100 to 199					3	(D)	23
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					1	(D)	10

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	360	10 971
	1969	350	10 508
Beef heifers	1974	152	3 480
Milk heifers	1974	252	7 491
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	277	5 645
	1969	289	2 462

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	1 209	414
	1969	6	90	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	5	18	4
10 to 19	1974	1	10	3
20 to 49	1974	6	161	27
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	117	2 768	37	2 240	45	2 486	22	2 257	184
	1969	205	2 323	36	1 346	82	3 139	28	2 526	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	69	171	21	49	11	24	4	8	1
5 to 9	1974	20	133	4	29	8	48	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	14	214	1	10	10	140	4	58	4
25 to 49	1974	5	158	2	60	5	178	4	145	13
50 to 99	1974	4	287	4	287	5	280	4	230	23
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	421	3	421	40
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	93	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	1 143	7	1 016	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	69	1	2	3	40	1	2	(NA)
	1969	8	310	4	249	7	176	4	146	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	25	(NA)	(NA)	1	15	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	50	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	168	469	64	271	15	45	8	37	8
	1969	258	662	(NA)	(NA)	28	66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	302
	1969	17	160
Other hogs and pigs	1974	37	1 938
	1969	36	1 186
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	1
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	31	467	15	416
	1969	90	386	23	252
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	24	247	14	220
	1969	70	240	21	157
June 1 and November 30	1974	23	220	11	196
	1969	50	146	14	95

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	233	(X)	55	(X)	4	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	42	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	226	5 582	52	1 716	4	111	1	48
	1969	316	9 112	41	1 944	18	4 514	4	532
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	220	4 764	52	1 398	4	111	1	48
	1969	306	8 336	41	1 918	17	4 487	4	532
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	216	4 364	51	1 298	4	111	1	48
100 to 399	1974	4	400	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	21	123	1	12	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	151	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	31	5	4	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	3

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	52	1 398	1	48
	1969	41	1 918	4	532
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	49	1 207	1	48
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	6	191	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	150	–	–
	1969	1	10	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	25	168	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	800	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	11	–	–
	1969	2	4	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	3	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	1	3	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	8	–	–
	1969	1	3	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for oil purposes	160	201	1 550	1 867	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	30	7	1 572	253	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	16	14	4 192	788	96 372	11 290
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	29	29	39	37	26 340	17 900
Wheat (bushels)	1	–	100	–	2 000	–
Other small grains for grain	2	11	36	126	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	3	73	110	546	76	394
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	35	(NA)	9	(NA)	401	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	54	(NA)	182	(NA)	20 529	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	523	462	19 930	14 094	35 587	25 675
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	44	106	120	315	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	29	34	131	1 407	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	2	(Z)	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	35	(NA)	939	384	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	37	19	636	310	28 755	8 290	2	–	4	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	1	173	150	1 730	3 000	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	8	–	1 114	–	31 165	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	15	(NA)	380	122	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	21	13	545	298	1 845	639	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	338	31 132	(X)	–	–	223	16 797	221	4 182	3	45
	1969	335	32 935	(X)	–	–	270	22 093	270	7 083	1	6
Improved pasture	1974	93	6 553	(X)	–	–	60	4 608	60	1 196	–	–
	1969	56	3 373	(X)	–	–	37	2 160	37	705	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	43	809	(X)	2	4	31	517	31	118	–	–
	1969	20	460	(X)	–	–	14	366	14	92	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	22	1 494	(X)	–	–	15	513	15	95	2	16
	1969	5	122	(X)	–	–	5	122	5	27	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	100	2 000	–	–	1	100	1	20	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	36	1 260	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	52	1 261	–	–	1	35	(NA)	18	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	17	450	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	14	4 168	95 840	–	–	10	2 728	10	455	1	7
	1969	8	695	9 318	–	–	4	560	(NA)	97	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	9	17	9 036	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	4	5	2 400	–	–	3	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	331	17 415	32 111	–	–	193	11 219	192	3 017	6	41
	1969	274	11 724	22 101	–	–	158	7 176	158	2 169	1	5
Field seed crops	1974	13	624	(X)	–	–	7	299	7	55	–	–
	1969	6	150	(X)	–	–	5	116	5	17	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	3	110	76	–	–	2	105	2	20	–	–
	1969	7	117	118	–	–	6	113	(NA)	26	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	6	2	74	–	–	2	1	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	7	1	150	1	1	3	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	11	69	(X)	2	13	8	59	8	10	–	–
	1969	11	59	(X)	–	–	6	30	6	11	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	61	(X)	–	–	5	33	5	20	–	–
	1969	11	1 338	(X)	1	3	1	3	1	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	4	225	(X)	3	26	4	216	4	89	–	–
1969	5	162	(X)	3	21	4	132	4	39	–	–
Other crops 1974	15	190	(X)	–	–	11	168	14	51	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	404	386
$1,000	1 913	855
Commercial fertilizer—farms	402	346
acres on which used	37 367	32 956
tons	9 438	10 323
$1,000	1 782	797
Lime—farms	59	108
acres on which used	2 674	3 489
tons	3 775	5 568
$1,000	53	39
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—insects on hay crops—farms	29	20
acres on which used	1 189	547
$1,000	6	2
Insects on other crops—farms	15	6
acres on which used	2 617	96
$1,000	26	1
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	1
acres on which used	10	28
$1,000	1	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	31	14
acres on which used	3 428	537
$1,000	19	3
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	27	35
acres on which used	1 352	1 726
$1,000	6	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	9	(NA)
acres on which used	104	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	2
acres on which used	45	7
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	48	110
$1,000	9	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	35	(NA)
$1,000	11	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	5	4
Proportion of farms—percent	1.1	0.9
Total land irrigated—acres	34	24
Average per farm—acres	6.8	6.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	5	4
acres	34	24
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	5	4
acres	34	24
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	81	14
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	2.4	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	10	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	24	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	440	1 268
Cropland—acres	332	554
Harvested cropland—acres	233	154
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	10	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	9	14
Proportion of farms—percent	1.9	3.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	1 641	2 892
Land drained—acres	1 120	943
Average per farm—acres	124.4	67.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	211	(NA)
number	625	(NA)
acres	703	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	201	145	137
$1,000	6 952	4 622	2 331
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	45	15	50
$5,000 to $9,999	19	18	27
$10,000 to $29,999	56	60	37
$30,000 to $49,999	33	25	10
$50,000 and over	48	27	13

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	106	109	192	160	649	
25 to 149 days	64	249	170	1 508	135	719
Less than 25 days	151		1 626		126	
Total contract labor	38	41	(NA)	(NA)	63	32
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	12	(NA)	56	(NA)	27	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Forms	239	106	64	151
Cash wages paid $1,000	910	649	135	126
Number of workers	1 988	192	170	1 626
Farms with—				
1 worker	49	67	32	10
2 workers	42	26	14	22
3 or 4 workers	36	8	10	25
5 to 9 workers	56	2	6	48
10 workers and over	56	3	2	46

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	511	545	187	176
Land in farms — acres	82 648	103 758	52 221	64 598
Average size of farm — acres	162	190	279	367
Approximate land area — acres	393 856	393 856	393 856	393 856
Proportion in farms — percent	21.0	26.3	13.3	16.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	29 062	18 959	16 754	10 824
Average per farm — dollars	56 874	34 787	89 592	61 501
Average per acre — dollars	352	183	321	168
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	22	12	6	2
10 to 49 acres	135	152	20	10
50 to 69 acres	55	45	16	4
70 to 99 acres	75	72	21	9
100 to 139 acres	55	51	18	22
140 to 179 acres	35	61	13	17
180 to 219 acres	26	21	12	13
220 to 259 acres	19	30	13	23
260 to 499 acres	60	52	42	39
500 to 999 acres	23	34	21	23
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	12	3	11
2,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	19	(NA)
acres	1 079	1 403
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	10	15
acres	571	606
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	8
acres	8	175
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	3
acres	30	81
Cropland idle — farms	7	19
acres	470	541
Total woodland — farms	113	118
acres	13 891	22 947
Woodland pastured — farms	79	85
acres	7 026	8 834

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	442	458	169	154
acres	39 041	40 904	24 908	24 526
Harvested cropland — farms	306	217	139	117
acres	9 937	7 764	7 683	6 621
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	102	68	12	
10 to 19 acres	66	41	26	71
20 to 29 acres	29	33	16	
30 to 49 acres	46	28	28	
50 to 99 acres	47	28	41	27
100 to 199 acres	8	11	8	11
200 to 499 acres	8	8	8	8
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	326	388	117	120
acres	26 814	30 212	16 146	16 502
Other cropland (see text) — farms	57	86	19	(NA)
acres	2 290	2 928	1 079	1 403
Total woodland — farms	270	327	113	118
acres	24 132	37 859	13 891	22 947
Other land (see text) — farms	332	341	128	(NA)
acres	19 475	24 995	13 422	17 125
Irrigated land — farms	1	5	1	2
acres	1	95	1	80

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	70	62
acres	6 865	14 113
Other land — farms	128	(NA)
acres	13 422	17 125
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	67	72
acres	11 247	12 874
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	58	54
acres	6 957	9 242
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	21	34
acres	4 290	3 632
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	102	98
acres	2 175	4 251

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	511	545	187	176
Land in farms — acres	82 648	103 758	52 221	64 598
Harvested cropland — acres	9 937	7 764	7 683	6 621
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	369	387	123	101
Land in farms — acres	44 158	58 051	23 521	29 186
Harvested cropland — acres	5 205	4 081	3 814	3 260
Part owners — number	107	126	56	70
Land in farms — acres	32 974	42 048	26 120	34 817
Harvested cropland — acres	4 167	3 381	3 669	3 141
Tenants — number	35	32	8	5
Land in farms — acres	5 516	3 659	2 580	595
Harvested cropland — acres	565	302	200	220
Percent of tenancy	6.8	5.8	4.3	2.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	23	45	4	2
Land in farms — acres	2 103	5 518	758	713
Harvested cropland — acres	278	107	126	–
Full owners — number	20	41	2	2
Land in farms — acres	2 002	5 198	691	713
Harvested cropland — acres	241	107	89	–
Part owners — number	3	–	2	–
Land in farms — acres	101	–	67	–
Harvested cropland — acres	37	–	37	–
Tenants — number	–	4	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	320	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	8.8	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	180	158
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	47 683	55 914

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	16
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 242	7 483
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	296	1 201
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	3	–	2
25 to 34 years	35	46	17	10
35 to 44 years	73	102	22	30
45 to 54 years	129	146	48	48
55 to 64 years	190	154	59	58
65 years and over	82	94	40	28
Average age	53.8	52.4	54.3	52.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	291	319	114	116
On another farm	3	116	2	36
In a rural area, not on a farm	8		3	
In a city, town, or urban area	79		30	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	77	(NA)	37	(NA)
1 to 49 days	11	13	4	5
50 to 99 days	11	17	3	5
100 to 149 days	8	54	2	16
150 to 199 days	54		14	
200 days and over	273	307	79	80
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	130	(NA)	72	(NA)
Other	379	(NA)	114	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	15	8	15
$40,000 to $99,999	9		8	
$20,000 to $39,999	14	15	14	15
$10,000 to $19,999	26	27	26	27
$5,000 to $9,999	36	41	36	41
$2,500 to $4,999	72	63	72	63
Under $2,500 (see text)	346	384	23	15
$2,000 to $2,499	46	29	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	47	46	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	76	56	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	177	253	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	3 671	3 489	3 290	3 202
Average per farm (dollars)	7 184	6 401	17 593	18 192
Crops, including hay (farms)	113	91	63	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	332	162	299	143
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	5		2	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	11		10	(D)
Forest products (farms)	54	56	37	31
Forest products ($1,000)	152	87	126	77
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	466	438	177	167
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 175	3 240	2 854	2 982
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	22	(NA)	12	18
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	690	(NA)	689	1 289

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	63	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	299	143
Grains (farms)	5	6
Grains ($1,000)	34	5
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	4	5
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	47	38
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	49	37
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	173	61
Other field crops (farms)	4	1
Other field crops ($1,000)	31	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	4	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	9	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	3	4
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	6	12
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	177	167
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 854	2 982
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	12	18
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	689	1 289
Dairy products (farms)	9	23
Dairy products ($1,000)	930	722
Cattle and calves (farms)	170	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	1 056	892
Hogs and pigs (farms)	15	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	169	78
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	2	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	12	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	10	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	357	(NA)	93	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	78	(NA)	42	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	66	(NA)	46	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	11	21	8	11
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	25	13	19	9
Recreational services (farms)	5	2	1	2
Recreational services ($1,000)	4	3	3	3
Government farm programs (farms)	50	117	27	54
Government farm programs ($1,000)	24	77	16	62
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	14	(NA)	8	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	10	(NA)	6	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	18	(NA)	8	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	10	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	139
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	2 063
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	30
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	461
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	96
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	1 178
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	55
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	245
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	36
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	137
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	14
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	42

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	508	545	187	176
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	3 923	3 288	3 255	2 781
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	110	164	5	17
$1,000 to $1,999	119	143	20	
$2,000 to $2,999	60	68	11	23
$3,000 to $4,999	86	63	33	36
$5,000 to $9,999	64	52	50	45
$10,000 to $19,999	36		36	31
$20,000 to $39,999	13	55	13	14
$40,000 to $59,999	9		8	10
$60,000 and over	11		11	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	220	214	99	94
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	503	520	401	445
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	443	460	157	157
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 416	1 392	1 169	1 241
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	322	287	150	126
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 024	1 123	925	1 064
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	54	56
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	57	56
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	43	37
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	143	39
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	25	64
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	44	82
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	109	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	174	152	68	53
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	37	24	30	17
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	353	369	142	141
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	415	217	340	165
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	119	(NA)	54	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	37	40	32	33
Lime (farms)	(NA)	69	10	30
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	18	9	14
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	475	512	183	173
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	213	161	155	112
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	159	165
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	83	76
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	85	47
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	32	9
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	40
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	23	15
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	183	173
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	16	12
Hired farm labor (farms)	169	228	90	112
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	311	275	267	251
Contract labor (farms)	34	137	14	31
Contract labor ($1,000)	27	49	21	13
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	115		57	54
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	57		46	26
All other production expenses (farms)	420	385	182	173
All other production expenses ($1,000)	908	610	746	478

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	461	508	166	172
$1,000	4 798	2 675	2 600	1 516
Average per farm—dollars	10 407	5 264	15 664	8 813
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	9	43	2	72
$1,000 to $4,999	122	302	30	
$5,000 to $9,999	178	86	43	42
$10,000 to $19,999	91	50	47	33
$20,000 to $29,999	36	27	21	20
$30,000 to $49,999	17		15	4
$50,000 to $69,999	5		5	1
$70,000 and over	3		3	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	281	331	103	110
number	334	430	126	150
mfd in last 5 years, number	157	267	85	107
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	399	422	150	154
number	484	511	212	209
mfd in last 5 years, number	191	318	103	136
Wheel tractors—farms	391	395	148	151
number	553	582	272	266
mfd in last 5 years, number	121	216	84	106
Crawler tractors—farms	14		8	12
number	14		8	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		1	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4	–	4	–
number	4	–	4	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	–	1	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	4	–	–
number	–	4	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	4		4	–
number	4		4	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	71	(NA)	42	(NA)
number	72	(NA)	43	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	24	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	98	90	60	67
number	108	93	65	70
mfd in last 5 years, number	42	65	28	51
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	49	(NA)	32	46
number	49	(NA)	32	46
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	14	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	16	(NA)	7	6
number	17	(NA)	8	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	4	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	461	(X)	171	(X)	466	(X)	177	(X)	2 854
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	453	(X)	165	(X)	448	(X)	172	(X)	1 225
1969	464	(X)	153	(X)	423	(X)	161	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	451	25 872	163	18 237	446	10 664	170	8 621	1 056
1969	451	19 049	150	13 194	409	10 430	155	8 201	892
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	21	68	2	6	115	280	9	18	4
5 to 9—1974	18	133	1	7	100	684	8	56	11
10 to 19—1974	86	1 169	11	140	101	1 371	30	420	67
20 to 49—1974	191	5 722	51	1 753	80	2 557	74	2 405	271
50 to 99—1974	78	5 279	41	2 830	30	1 933	29	1 883	235
100 to 199—1974	29	3 741	29	3 741	14	1 821	14	1 821	221
200 to 499—1974	24	6 651	24	6 651	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	4	3 109	4	3 109	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	366	14 534	152	10 878	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	369	10 861	141	8 098	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	348	13 248	146	9 696	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 227	125	6 565	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	55	1 286	17	1 182	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	74	1 634	31	1 533	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	930
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)	722

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	348	13 248	146	9 696			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	26	75	8	24			
5 to 9	49	342	10	73			
10 to 19	88	1 161	14	193			
20 to 49	123	3 793	58	1 967			
50 to 99	35	2 516	29	2 078			
100 to 199	15	1 875	15	1 875			
200 to 499	10	(D)	10	(D)			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Milk cows	55	1 286	17	1 182			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	32	38	7	9			
3 or 4	7	23	–	–			
5 to 9	5	26	2	10			
10 to 19	4	51	1	15			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	3	262	3	262			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	3	(D)	3	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					128	2 568	427
Forms with—							
1 to 4					19	47	11
5 to 9					38	266	46
10 to 19					22	299	62
20 to 49					39	1 053	169
50 to 99					8	599	92
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					149	6 053	629
Forms with—							
1 or 2					7	7	1
3 or 4					5	17	1
5 to 9					15	111	11
10 to 19					35	500	46
20 to 49					59	1 868	187
50 to 99					16	1 047	115
100 to 199					10	1 448	130
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	124	4 114
	1969	133	3 199
Beef heifers	1974	117	3 635
Milk heifers	1974	8	479
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	135	3 245
	1969	139	1 897

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	12	218	41
	1969	2	13	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	4	27	4
10 to 19	1974	4	56	19
20 to 49	1974	4	135	18
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	39	1 910	16	1 629	19	2 326	15	2 198	169
	1969	49	943	13	779	28	2 040	15	1 686	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	19	38	5	16	2	6	2	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	8	65	3	25	4	27	3	21	1
10 to 24	1974	5	93	2	40	3	36	1	14	1
25 to 49	1974	1	28	1	28	4	126	4	126	8
50 to 99	1974	1	75	1	75	1	63	1	63	5
100 to 199	1974	1	166	–	–	3	460	2	360	36
200 to 499	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	10	1	4	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	303	4	198	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	11	72	5	66	6	121	1	20	(NA)
	1969	5	94	3	70	4	21	2	11	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	31	[1]212
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	125	366	46	163	18	28	9	11	3
	1969	165	644	(NA)	(NA)	24	51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	10	254
	1969	12	215
Other hogs and pigs	1974	16	1 375
	1969	10	564
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	20
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	3	40
Rams and wethers	1974	5	6

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	17	248	13	216
	1969	25	264	12	209
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	16	141	12	124
	1969	21	144	10	107
June 1 and November 30	1974	11	107	8	92
	1969	21	120	11	102

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All forms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	84	(X)	24	(X)	10	(X)	9	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	82	66 343	22	64 623	7	34 911	6	34 910
	1969	111	222 353	29	220 784	19	102 171	16	102 035
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	81	66 131	22	64 562	7	34 911	6	34 910
	1969	106	208 121	29	206 690	19	101 721	16	101 585
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	71	1 571	16	402	1	1	–	–
100 to 399	1974	5	560	1	160	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	21 640	4	21 640
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	11	15 150	8	15 103	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	2	26	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	690	12	689
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	18	1 289

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	64 562	6	34 910
	1969	29	206 690	16	101 585
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	22	64 562	6	34 910
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	34	–	–
	1969	4	13 555	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	27	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	7	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	55	43	378	304	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	11	12	542	201	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	7	8	7	10	3 400	3 700
Wheat (bushels)	2	1	2	1	34	30
Other small grains for grain	5	3	105	45	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	5	8	436	559	226	353
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	122	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	102	(NA)	10 149	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	255	159	8 188	6 367	18 166	8 466
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	15	18	47	78	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	19	22	140	102	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	5	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	53	140	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	18	13	122	128	5 505	3 732	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	5	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	5	427	35	13 636	608	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	50	155	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	2	20	34	22	42	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	117	16 146	(X)	–	–	55	5 437	55	916	–	–
	1969	120	16 502	(X)	–	–	73	6 005	72	963	1	4
Improved pasture	1974	58	6 957	(X)	–	–	27	2 156	27	380	2	41
	1969	54	9 242	(X)	2	80	35	5 107	35	636	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	18	122	(X)	–	–	15	90	15	20	–	–
	1969	13	133	(X)	–	–	11	111	11	29	1	11
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	477	(X)	–	–	3	410	3	75	1	40
	1969	7	190	(X)	–	–	7	149	7	31	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	2	34	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	30	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	3	65	650	–	–	3	65	3	5	–	–
	1969	3	45	2 020	–	–	2	20	(NA)	6	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	1 100	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	120	6 351	15 046	–	–	68	3 811	68	860	4	35
	1969	98	5 544	7 365	–	–	57	3 428	57	664	1	6
Field seed crops	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	20	(X)	–	–	2	20	2	4	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	4	426	222	–	–	4	426	–	–	4	21
	1969	6	536	344	–	–	6	536	(NA)	96	(NA)	5
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	1	68	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	3	99	–	–	2	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	17	(X)	1	(Z)	3	8	3	1	2	(Z)
	1969	6	22	(X)	–	–	5	23	5	7	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	10	128	(X)	–	–	3	71	2	4	1	1
	1969	10	86	(X)	–	–	4	28	3	4	1	2

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	5	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	2	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	1	(X)	1	(Z)	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	5	121	(X)	–	–	2	100	2	40	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	149	144
$1,000	372	198
Commercial fertilizer—farms	142	129
acres on which used	12 575	15 519
tons	2 437	2 474
$1,000	340	165
Lime—farms	10	30
acres on which used	413	1 975
tons	768	2 288
$1,000	9	14
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	16
acres on which used	189	680
$1,000	1	2
Insects on other crops—farms	3	7
acres on which used	348	565
$1,000	9	4
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	1
acres on which used	1	15
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4	9
acres on which used	468	655
$1,000	7	4
Weeds or brush in posture—farms	16	14
acres on which used	880	1 000
$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	120	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	1
acres on which used	202	170
$1,000	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	54
$1,000	2	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	17	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	2
Proportion of farms—percent	0.5	1.1
Total land irrigated—acres	1	80
Average per farm—acres	1.0	40.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	–
acres	1	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	–
acres	1	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	2
acres	–	80
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	2	40
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	2.1	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	4	1 280
Cropland—acres	1	120
Harvested cropland—acres	1	90
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	4	6
Proportion of farms—percent	2.1	3.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	1 742	717
Land drained—acres	742	634
Average per farm—acres	185.5	105.6
Artificiol ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	90	(NA)
number	375	(NA)
acres	373	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Forms with debt owed by form operator (see text)—farms	60	46	35
$1,000	2 081	1 516	565
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	8	6	10
$5,000 to $9,999	8	7	6
$10,000 to $29,999	22	17	13
$30,000 to $49,999	8	6	4
$50,000 and over	14	10	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	25	45	48	82	202	251
25 to 149 days	39	96	91	349	44	
Less than 25 days	55		230		21	
Total contract labor	14	31	(NA)	(NA)	21	13
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	51	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	90	25	39	55
Cash wages paid $1,000	267	202	44	21
Number of workers	369	48	91	230
Farms with—				
1 worker	29	15	20	16
2 workers	19	5	5	11
3 or 4 workers	19	4	10	13
5 to 9 workers	17	–	4	10
10 workers and over	6	1	–	5

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	116	141	68	75
Land in farms — acres	37 498	55 334	35 289	48 142
Average size of farm — acres	323	392	519	642
Approximate land area — acres	129 856	129 856	129 856	129 856
Propartian in farms — percent	28.9	42.6	27.2	37.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	31 412	25 801	28 669	23 366
Average per farm — dollars	270 796	182 988	421 600	311 548
Average per acre — dollars	838	466	812	485
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	7	5	4	1
10 to 49 acres	36	29	8	5
50 to 69 acres	12	16	7	4
70 to 99 acres	14	17	7	7
100 to 139 acres	3	17	1	12
140 to 179 acres	14	10	12	7
180 to 219 acres	7	8	6	3
220 to 259 acres	1	9	1	9
260 to 499 acres	9	6	9	6
500 to 999 acres	5	8	5	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	10	5	8
2,000 acres and over	3	6	3	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	102	128	61	72
acres	31 431	35 318	30 126	32 622
Harvested cropland — farms	77	95	50	62
acres	18 448	18 912	18 207	18 471
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	22	21	5	
10 to 19 acres	11	11	4	18
20 to 29 acres	7	8	5	
30 to 49 acres	8	9	7	
50 to 99 acres	11	22	11	20
100 to 199 acres	6	3	6	3
200 to 499 acres	3	9	3	9
500 to 999 acres	3	6	3	6
1,000 acres and over	6	6	6	6
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	54	66	29	35
acres	3 905	6 454	2 932	5 131
Other cropland (see text) — farms	28	72	26	(NA)
acres	9 078	9 952	8 987	9 020
Total woodland — farms	31	52	18	26
acres	3 029	10 829	2 754	7 162
Other land (see text) — farms	64	62	36	(NA)
acres	3 038	9 187	2 409	8 358
Irrigated land — farms	2	6	2	3
acres	2	402	2	334

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	26	(NA)
acres	8 987	9 020
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	6
acres	600	633
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	7
acres	–	1 165
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	22	15
acres	8 301	2 565
Cropland idle — farms	4	23
acres	86	4 657
Total woodland — farms	18	26
acres	2 754	7 162
Woodland postured — farms	5	12
acres	1 272	1 180

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	13	15
acres	1 482	5 982
Other land — farms	36	(NA)
acres	2 409	8 358
Postureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	13	16
acres	1 125	7 486
Improved postureland and rangeland — farms	9	9
acres	364	5 555
Unimproved postureland and rangeland — farms	7	8
acres	761	1 931
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roods, wasteland, etc. — farms	29	30
acres	1 284	872

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	116	141	68	75
Land in farms — acres	37 498	55 334	35 289	48 142
Harvested cropland — acres	18 448	18 912	18 207	18 471
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	48	52	19	20
Land in farms — acres	3 742	8 511	2 577	6 099
Harvested cropland — acres	816	2 363	640	2 138
Part owners — number	36	56	22	38
Land in farms — acres	23 966	36 095	23 230	34 860
Harvested cropland — acres	12 394	12 512	12 355	12 373
Tenants — number	32	33	27	17
Land in farms — acres	9 790	10 728	9 482	7 183
Harvested cropland — acres	5 238	4 037	5 212	3 960
Percent of tenancy	27.6	23.4	39.7	22.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	13	24	3	4
Land in farms — acres	890	1 519	650	748
Harvested cropland — acres	273	275	205	157
Full owners — number	6	7	–	–
Land in farms — acres	84	259	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	58	48	–	–
Part owners — number	7	14	3	4
Land in farms — acres	806	1 154	650	748
Harvested cropland — acres	215	195	205	157
Tenants — number	–	3	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	106	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	32	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	12.5	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	54	54
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 897	14 497

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	10	11
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 614	6 043
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	9
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 778	24 452
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	3 150
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	2	–	2
25 to 34 years	15	19	7	15
35 to 44 years	19	35	11	14
45 to 54 years	30	37	14	21
55 to 64 years	29	27	23	17
65 years and over	19	21	9	6
Average age	51.1	49.5	51.7	47.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	63	94	34	59
On another farm	3		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	31	8	12
In a city, town, or urban area	18		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	26	(NA)	23	(NA)
1 to 49 days	4	6	2	3
50 to 99 days	2	2	1	2
100 to 149 days	6	17	2	7
150 to 199 days	1		–	
200 days and over	62	49	29	17
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	41	(NA)	31	(NA)
Other	71	(NA)	33	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	13	16	13	16
$40,000 to $99,999	11		11	
$20,000 to $39,999	1	7	1	7
$10,000 to $19,999	6	12	6	12
$5,000 to $9,999	18	17	18	17
$2,500 to $4,999	16	19	16	19
Under $2,500 (see text)	51	70	3	4
$2,000 to $2,499	6	9	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	10	8	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	5	11	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	30	42	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	14 625	3 519	14 579	3 454
Average per farm ... dollars	126 075	24 955	214 404	46 054
Crops, including hay ... farms	44	85	36	(NA)
$1,000	14 172	2 927	14 164	2 906
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	–
$1,000	8		8	–
Forest products ... farms	–	3	–	–
$1,000	–	(Z)	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	80	95	44	47
$1,000	445	591	408	549
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	(NA)	3	2
$1,000	3	(NA)	3	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	14 164	2 906
Grains ... farms	8	25
$1,000	582	389
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	6
$1,000	–	6
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	7	12
$1,000	(D)	48
Other field crops ... farms	22	27
$1,000	13 538	2 426
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	3
$1,000	(D)	14
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	4
$1,000	–	23
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	44	47
$1,000	408	549
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	2
$1,000	3	1
Dairy products ... farms	3	5
$1,000	164	178
Cattle and calves ... farms	41	(NA)
$1,000	238	364
Hogs and pigs ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	1	4
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	1	
$1,000	2	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	66	(NA)	28	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	26	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	145	(NA)	107	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	7	9	3	7
$1,000	49	7	15	6
Recreational services ... farms	1	2	1	2
$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Government farm programs ... farms	19	48	16	30
$1,000	64	317	63	305
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)	29	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	5	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	37
$1,000	622
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	2
$1,000	(D)
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	31
$1,000	526
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	8
$1,000	17
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	4
$1,000	(D)
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	4
$1,000	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	116	141	68	75
$1,000	6 588	3 149	6 514	3 082
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	25	48	2	11
$1,000 to $1,999	19	19	5	
$2,000 to $2,999	12	9	9	4
$3,000 to $4,999	16	17	9	14
$5,000 to $9,999	9	15	8	13
$10,000 to $19,999	15	33	15	12
$20,000 to $39,999	5		5	7
$40,000 to $59,999	4		4	14
$60,000 and over	11		11	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	52	31	30	20
$1,000	104	73	82	64
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	82	95	43	43
$1,000	165	122	144	109
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	55	47	35	30
$1,000	134	91	125	88
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	14	3
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	1
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	16	10
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	10
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	6	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	9
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	38	73	26	42
$1,000	33	38	32	35
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	73	84	45	57
$1,000	246	137	239	134
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	41	(NA)	37	(NA)
$1,000	434	236	434	233
Lime ... farms	(NA)	5	2	3
$1,000	(NA)	1	3	(Z)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	106	135	67	75
$1,000	399	190	393	179
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	52	69
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	68
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	31
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	189	51
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	19	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	34
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	67	75
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	26
Hired farm labor ... farms	41	70	31	58
$1,000	1 555	981	1 553	977
Contract labor ... farms	10	57	5	12
$1,000	32	167	31	42
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	27		16	31
$1,000	106		103	121
All other production expenses ... farms	96	111	66	73
$1,000	3 515	1 205	3 498	1 188

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	113	132	65	74
$1,000	3 236	2 110	2 937	1 937
Average per farm—dollars	28 638	15 985	45 180	26 175
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	11	–	19
$1,000 to $4,999	27	60	10	
$5,000 to $9,999	42	19	16	16
$10,000 to $19,999	20	18	16	15
$20,000 to $29,999	4	24	4	5
$30,000 to $49,999	10		9	7
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	12
$70,000 and over	9		9	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	68	75	42	41
number	81	94	55	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	43	65	34	46
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	94	104	61	63
number	196	188	160	145
mfd in last 5 years, number	81	119	72	98
Wheel tractors—farms	102	122	61	70
number	326	378	276	299
mfd in last 5 years, number	108	158	104	136
Crawler tractors—farms	3		3	10
number	5		5	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	5	13	5	13
number	7	18	7	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	16	2	16
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	12	1	3
number	1	12	1	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	7	–	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	7		5	9
number	7		5	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	5
Mower conditioners—farms	11	(NA)	7	(NA)
number	13	(NA)	9	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	14	24	9	18
number	15	25	10	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	10	2	10
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	6	(NA)	5	7
number	6	(NA)	5	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	3	(NA)	2	3
number	4	(NA)	3	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	88	(X)	51	(X)	80	(X)	44	(X)	408
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	85	(X)	48	(X)	77	(X)	41	(X)	239
1969	103	(X)	50	(X)	87	(X)	45	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	81	4 264	46	3 284	76	1 716	41	1 463	238
1969	95	6 353	46	5 201	87	3 202	45	2 824	364
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	4	10	3	8	16	39	–	–	–
5 to 9—1974	8	59	3	18	12	81	3	18	2
10 to 19—1974	12	149	3	42	18	248	11	165	39
20 to 49—1974	26	746	13	386	27	845	24	777	124
50 to 99—1974	20	1 506	13	1 036	1	76	1	76	11
100 to 199—1974	8	978	8	978	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	3	816	3	816	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	75	2 708	42	2 072	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	84	3 754	45	3 228	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	70	2 497	38	1 887	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 359	40	2 856	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	18	211	9	185	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	27	395	14	372	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	164
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	178

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	70	2 497	38	1 887			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	4	10	2	4			
5 to 9	9	63	2	13			
10 to 19	15	203	7	111			
20 to 49	25	811	10	349			
50 to 99	15	952	15	952			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	18	211	9	185			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	8	10	2	2			
3 or 4	6	24	4	16			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	2	22	1	12			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	55	1	55			
100 to 199	1	100	1	100			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					27	571	128
Farms with—							
1 to 4					2	5	1
5 to 9					4	22	6
10 to 19					11	157	40
20 to 49					9	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					34	892	110
Farms with—							
1 or 2					2	4	1
3 or 4					2	8	(Z)
5 to 9					4	26	3
10 to 19					15	233	37
20 to 49					8	269	27
50 to 99					1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	19	423
	1969	38	1 283
Beef heifers	1974	16	321
Milk heifers	1974	3	102
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	36	789
	1969	42	690

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	5	126	31
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	2	36	8
20 to 49	1974	3	90	23
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	11	34	7	21	2	21	1	14	1
	1969	22	121	8	54	5	106	2	85	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	9	12	6	9	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	–	–	–	–	1	7	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	2	22	1	12	1	14	1	14	1
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	12	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	12	1	12	1	1	1	1	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	20	163	10	145	4	4	1	1	2
	1969	36	224	(NA)	(NA)	6	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	8
	1969	3	12
Other hogs and pigs	1974	3	13
	1969	7	42
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	6	7	5	6
	1969	8	24	4	16
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	4	4	3	3
	1969	8	20	4	12
June 1 and November 30	1974	3	3	3	3
	1969	2	4	2	4

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Any poultry	1974	18	(X)	11	(X)	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	18	845	11	610	3	8	1	4
	1969	27	1 813	8	562	2	400	1	200
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	18	733	11	523	3	8	1	4
	1969	24	1 073	8	550	1	200	1	200
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	14	233	8	123	3	8	1	4
100 to 399	1974	4	500	3	400	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	250	4	250	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	3	3	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	1

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	11	523	1	4
	1969	8	550	1	200
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	11	523	1	4
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	87	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	20	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	12	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	12	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	8	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	26	36	250	511	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	7	–	1 182	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	5	10	3 283	3 925	113 038	121 227
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1	7	270	1 022	2 737	22 924
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	18	–	345	–	127
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	1	(NA)	64	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	25	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	32	30	1 194	1 875	2 086	4 618
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	4	7	24	114	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	4	1	8	100	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	27	(NA)	13 413	10 155	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	10	20	179	391	5 386	13 290	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	7	–	1 137	–	55 564	–	1	–	30
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	45	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	29	2 932	(X)	–	–	10	206	10	40	–	–
	1969	35	5 131	(X)	1	24	14	1 436	12	92	2	17
Improved pasture	1974	9	364	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	4	–	–
	1969	9	5 555	(X)	–	–	3	812	1	2	2	30
Corn for all purposes	1974	10	179	(X)	–	–	9	178	3	9	6	19
	1969	20	391	(X)	–	–	14	288	8	26	6	18
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	1 182	(X)	1	30	7	907	5	46	4	26
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	270	2 737	–	–	1	270	1	24	–	–
	1969	7	1 022	22 924	–	–	6	947	(NA)	67	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	5	3 283	113 038	–	–	1	1 200	–	–	1	50
	1969	10	3 925	121 227	–	–	1	50	(NA)	6	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	20	1 065	1 939	–	–	4	230	4	17	–	–
	1969	19	1 690	4 359	–	–	3	212	2	9	1	20
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	289	87	–	–	5	272	(NA)	–	(NA)	42
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	64	2	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	1	36	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	24	(X)	2	(Z)	4	24	4	3	–	–
	1969	3	110	(X)	–	–	1	22	1	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	100	(X)	–	–	1	100	1	4	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	2	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	23	13 384	(X)	–	–	22	13 383	5	103	21	1 176

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	49	65
$1,000	673	367
Commercial fertilizer—farms	45	51
acres on which used	15 521	15 081
tons	1 445	2 094
$1,000	239	134
Lime—farms	2	3
acres on which used	189	38
tons	232	76
$1,000	3	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	1
acres on which used	160	50
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	14	25
acres on which used	12 861	10 972
$1,000	150	133
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	2
acres on which used	1 137	853
$1,000	11	3
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	23	29
acres on which used	15 122	10 509
$1,000	259	91
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	6
acres on which used	40	955
$1,000	(Z)	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	6	(NA)
acres on which used	67	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	2
acres on which used	1 350	280
$1,000	7	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	5	12
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	3
Proportion of farms—percent	2.9	4.0
Total land irrigated—acres	2	334
Average per farm—acres	1.0	111.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	3
acres	2	334
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	2	280
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	24
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	30
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	2	868
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	2.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	22	1 991
Cropland—acres	8	1 709
Harvested cropland—acres	2	1 269
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	19	33
Proportion of farms—percent	27.9	44.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	10 249	30 425
Land drained—acres	10 201	26 671
Average per farm—acres	536.9	808.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3	(NA)
number	3	(NA)
acres	3	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	16	4	14
$1,000	4 267	700	3 567
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	1	1	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2	–	2
$10,000 to $29,999	6	2	6
$30,000 to $49,999	2	–	1
$50,000 and over	5	1	5

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	19	24	228	240	1 196	977
25 to 149 days	16	51	264	372	318	
Less than 25 days	17		298		39	
Total contract labor	5	12	(NA)	(NA)	31	42
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	29	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	31	19	16	17
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 553	1 196	318	39
Number of workers	790	228	264	298
Farms with—				
1 worker	5	6	2	8
2 workers	6	6	3	–
3 or 4 workers	3	1	2	2
5 to 9 workers	7	3	4	3
10 workers and over	10	3	5	4

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	971	1 163	753	706
Land in farms — acres	184 493	196 855	174 458	173 772
Average size of farm — acres	190	169	232	246
Approximate land area — acres	227 840	227 840	227 840	227 840
Proportion in farms — percent	81.0	86.4	76.6	76.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	78 912	58 086	73 455	48 577
Average per farm — dollars	81 269	49 945	97 550	68 805
Average per acre — dollars	428	295	421	280
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	33	45	9	4
10 to 49 acres	237	287	98	40
50 to 69 acres	77	98	54	29
70 to 99 acres	107	174	95	110
100 to 139 acres	104	137	99	118
140 to 179 acres	83	81	77	74
180 to 219 acres	61	75	58	70
220 to 259 acres	44	54	41	54
260 to 499 acres	136	134	133	130
500 to 999 acres	73	64	73	63
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	12	14	12
2,000 acres and over	2	2	2	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	933	1 118	745	698
acres	156 430	164 010	151 469	150 104
Harvested cropland — farms	876	1 030	733	686
acres	124 080	127 488	122 585	119 970
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	87	104	15	
10 to 19 acres	93	106	43	152
20 to 29 acres	67	96	54	
30 to 49 acres	105	171	97	
50 to 99 acres	158	187	158	168
100 to 199 acres	160	155	160	155
200 to 499 acres	155	166	155	166
500 to 999 acres	46	42	46	42
1,000 acres and over	5	3	5	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	386	432	276	258
acres	22 291	20 529	19 504	16 119
Other cropland (see text) — farms	213	286	182	(NA)
acres	10 059	15 993	9 380	14 015
Total woodland — farms	276	412	206	235
acres	10 453	12 508	8 836	8 266
Other land (see text) — farms	606	794	446	(NA)
acres	17 610	20 337	14 153	15 402
Irrigated land — farms	71	65	42	45
acres	3 212	4 877	3 169	4 850

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	182	(NA)
acres	9 380	14 015
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	25	26
acres	814	750
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	82	62
acres	4 277	6 851
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	8	20
acres	219	896
Cropland idle — farms	77	96
acres	4 070	5 518
Total woodland — farms	206	235
acres	8 836	8 266
Woodland pastured — farms	109	112
acres	3 915	3 701

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	126	147
acres	4 921	4 565
Other land — farms	446	(NA)
acres	14 153	15 402
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	122	133
acres	6 963	5 978
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	73	91
acres	3 846	4 320
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	56	49
acres	3 117	1 658
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	416	440
acres	7 190	9 424

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	971	1 163	753	706
Land in farms — acres	184 493	196 855	174 458	173 772
Harvested cropland — acres	124 080	127 488	122 585	119 970
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	499	628	327	279
Land in farms — acres	57 143	62 653	48 691	45 081
Harvested cropland — acres	29 525	31 468	28 444	26 445
Part owners — number	356	383	328	328
Land in farms — acres	111 078	111 564	109 752	107 830
Harvested cropland — acres	81 019	76 666	80 705	75 249
Tenants — number	116	152	98	99
Land in farms — acres	16 272	22 638	16 015	20 861
Harvested cropland — acres	13 536	19 354	13 436	18 276
Percent of tenancy	11.9	13.0	13.0	14.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	58	98	26	27
Land in farms — acres	2 935	6 965	1 575	4 139
Harvested cropland — acres	1 132	4 113	856	2 770
Full owners — number	27	46	10	5
Land in farms — acres	938	2 386	464	823
Harvested cropland — acres	375	935	269	227
Part owners — number	21	26	10	12
Land in farms — acres	1 615	3 231	827	2 434
Harvested cropland — acres	549	2 098	397	1 775
Tenants — number	10	26	6	10
Land in farms — acres	382	1 348	284	882
Harvested cropland — acres	208	1 080	190	768
Percent of tenancy	17.2	26.5	23.1	37.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	710	628
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	155 466	148 970

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	40	72
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	18 131	22 972
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	861	1 530
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	300
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	29	23	28	15
25 to 34 years	147	134	118	105
35 to 44 years	196	263	163	148
45 to 54 years	200	281	142	186
55 to 64 years	276	355	229	200
65 years and over	120	107	70	52
Average age	49.0	49.5	48.1	48.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	562	850	449	561
On another farm	62		49	
In a rural area, not on a farm	44	172	32	73
In a city, town, or urban area	44		27	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	412	(NA)	366	(NA)
1 to 49 days	32	85	30	54
50 to 99 days	31	97	19	62
100 to 149 days	26		24	
150 to 199 days	68	162	38	66
200 days and over	172	239	84	96
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	725	(NA)	624	(NA)
Other	243	(NA)	126	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	20	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	80	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	33	21	33	21
$40,000 to $99,999	102		102	
$20,000 to $39,999	161	57	161	57
$10,000 to $19,999	176	156	176	156
$5,000 to $9,999	136	201	136	201
$2,500 to $4,999	140	248	140	248
Under $2,500 (see text)	223	480	5	23
$2,000 to $2,499	28	69	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	48	87	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	52	97	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	95	227	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	21 651	8 450	21 407	7 957
Average per farm ... dollars	22 298	7 265	28 429	11 271
Crops, including hay ... farms	801	1 011	704	(NA)
... $1,000	18 289	6 850	18 164	6 463
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	5		–	4
... $1,000	5		–	29
Forest products ... farms	4	4	4	2
... $1,000	40	1	40	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	465	547	335	352
... $1,000	3 317	1 599	3 203	1 465
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	18	(NA)	12	14
... $1,000	695	(NA)	694	79

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	704	(NA)
... $1,000	18 164	6 463
Grains ... farms	604	620
... $1,000	11 526	3 321
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
... $1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	526	622
... $1,000	5 646	2 403
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	63	52
... $1,000	119	65
Other field crops ... farms	42	103
... $1,000	631	554
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	51	55
... $1,000	232	117
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	5
... $1,000	10	3
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	335	352
... $1,000	3 203	1 465
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	12	14
... $1,000	694	79
Dairy products ... farms	8	11
... $1,000	503	379
Cattle and calves ... farms	310	(NA)
... $1,000	1 257	847
Hogs and pigs ... farms	39	(NA)
... $1,000	727	161
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
... $1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
... $1,000	21	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	270	(NA)	124	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	235	(NA)	174	(NA)
... $1,000	636	(NA)	556	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	83	116	74	92
... $1,000	371	229	366	212
Recreational services ... farms	4	9	4	8
... $1,000	3	9	3	8
Government farm programs ... farms	74	757	64	521
... $1,000	44	1 327	42	1 177
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	102	(NA)	61	(NA)
... $1,000	203	(NA)	129	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	20	(NA)	17	(NA)
... $1,000	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	89	(NA)	66	(NA)
... $1,000	241	(NA)	232	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	332
... $1,000	2 644
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	73
... $1,000	567
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	217
... $1,000	1 753
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	88
... $1,000	121
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	62
... $1,000	175
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	15
... $1,000	27

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	971	1 163	753	706
... $1,000	13 760	7 605	13 490	7 066
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	144	267	22	74
$1,000 to $1,999	111	188	55	
$2,000 to $2,999	107	116	89	67
$3,000 to $4,999	111	158	94	135
$5,000 to $9,999	162	224	157	220
$10,000 to $19,999	154	210	154	142
$20,000 to $39,999	115		115	48
$40,000 to $59,999	32		32	20
$60,000 and over	35		35	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	180	212	126	143
... $1,000	825	285	797	266
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	440	537	319	336
... $1,000	1 371	399	1 319	354
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	290	301	222	199
... $1,000	806	192	786	176
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	134	144
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	133	49
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	94
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	360	96
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	70	112
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	32
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	217	(NA)
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	60	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	696	971	621	661
... $1,000	949	559	941	521
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	781	990	633	666
... $1,000	1 455	583	1 421	542
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	585	(NA)	515	(NA)
... $1,000	1 152	559	1 142	526
Lime ... farms	(NA)	303	85	237
... $1,000	(NA)	92	54	84
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	956	1 141	751	703
... $1,000	1 343	849	1 308	755
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	575	609
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	375	275
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	520	400
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	523	231
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	304	314
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	235	154
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	751	703
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	175	96
Hired farm labor ... farms	330	624	284	454
... $1,000	962	757	951	717
Contract labor ... farms	41	715	32	53
... $1,000	67	583	62	35
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	438		378	454
... $1,000	496		486	493
All other production expenses ... farms	898	978	751	701
... $1,000	5 138	3 032	5 002	2 857

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	940	1 133	742	698
$1,000	21 653	12 785	20 088	10 833
Average per farm—dollars	23 035	11 284	27 072	15 520
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	58	2	172
$1,000 to $4,999	139	428	90	
$5,000 to $9,999	206	238	106	169
$10,000 to $19,999	221	234	185	190
$20,000 to $29,999	145	175	143	72
$30,000 to $49,999	135		131	55
$50,000 to $69,999	39		38	40
$70,000 and over	47		47	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	687	735	558	476
number	837	865	687	568
mfd in last 5 years, number	519	609	459	430
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	850	933	696	631
number	1 373	1 339	1 202	1 001
mfd in last 5 years, number	616	762	571	581
Wheel tractors—farms	836	1 028	673	650
number	1 782	1 974	1 581	1 441
mfd in last 5 years, number	494	903	466	716
Crawler tractors—farms	17		14	16
number	25		20	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	11		9	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	286	265	271	244
number	362	310	347	287
mfd in last 5 years, number	76	196	76	188
Corn heads for combines—farms	1	46	1	10
number	1	54	1	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	22	–	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	41		41	35
number	41		41	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	18
Mower conditioners—farms	104	(NA)	93	(NA)
number	109	(NA)	98	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	46	(NA)	45	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	121	82	111	68
number	130	87	120	73
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	45	33	40
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	74	(NA)	65	34
number	75	(NA)	66	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	20	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	6
number	4	(NA)	4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	558	(X)	394	(X)	465	(X)	335	(X)	3 203
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	516	(X)	364	(X)	456	(X)	329	(X)	1 984
1969	617	(X)	373	(X)	529	(X)	344	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	494	22 807	346	19 826	433	9 052	310	8 151	1 257
1969	566	17 632	349	14 584	485	8 079	320	6 859	847
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	37	108	24	71	144	319	94	207	28
5 to 9—1974	48	348	29	202	85	589	47	322	45
10 to 19—1974	110	1 510	61	808	101	1 371	71	969	135
20 to 49—1974	173	5 187	113	3 506	69	2 057	64	1 937	272
50 to 99—1974	74	4 767	67	4 352	23	1 406	23	1 406	269
100 to 199—1974	31	4 160	31	4 160	6	799	6	799	136
200 to 499—1974	20	(D)	20	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	424	11 956	304	10 312	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	502	9 731	323	8 226	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	396	11 129	281	9 564	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 836	283	7 424	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	97	827	72	748	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	168	895	105	802	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	503
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	379

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	396	11 129	281	9 564
Farms with—				
1 to 4	53	137	25	67
5 to 9	71	506	44	306
10 to 19	83	1 095	53	675
20 to 49	131	3 712	102	2 897
50 to 99	33	2 115	32	2 055
100 to 199	21	2 758	21	2 758
200 to 499	4	806	4	806
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	97	827	72	748
Farms with—				
1 or 2	63	92	46	65
3 or 4	14	46	11	37
5 to 9	10	69	7	46
10 to 19	4	42	2	22
20 to 49	1	28	1	28
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	170	3 781	726
Farms with—			
1 to 4	57	130	27
5 to 9	29	189	41
10 to 19	43	577	120
20 to 49	30	846	168
50 to 99	5	274	64
100 to 199	3	344	85
200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	257	4 370	531
Farms with—			
1 or 2	52	82	10
3 or 4	36	121	14
5 to 9	48	328	33
10 to 19	60	771	87
20 to 49	47	1 314	159
50 to 99	7	466	57
100 to 199	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	231	4 302
	1969	284	3 719
Beef heifers	1974	219	4 047
Milk heifers	1974	20	255
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	283	5 212
	1969	302	2 639

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	36	572	123
	1969	5	11	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	17	53	11
10 to 19	1974	5	67	16
20 to 49	1974	13	376	85
50 to 99	1974	1	76	10
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	82	9 222	51	9 086	46	28 105	39	28 025	727
	1969	136	4 072	77	3 601	88	5 779	62	5 521	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	41	91	17	41	7	21	5	17	1
5 to 9	1974	14	97	11	73	11	75	10	66	4
10 to 24	1974	19	309	15	247	17	285	13	218	10
25 to 49	1974	1	37	1	37	2	65	2	65	2
50 to 99	1974	3	200	3	200	4	249	4	249	15
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	410	3	410	22
200 to 499	1974	1	200	1	200	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	24 420	7	24 410	420
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	2 964	15	2 900	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	3	1	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	9	289	7	285	7	92	7	92	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	52	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	109	251	79	198	6	16	4	6	1
	1969	187	453	(NA)	(NA)	15	42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	32	2 139
	1969	54	775
Other hogs and pigs	1974	48	6 947
	1969	66	2 826
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	2
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	41	3 974	35	3 961
	1969	89	725	55	637
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	34	1 994	28	1 986
	1969	73	306	45	252
June 1 and November 30	1974	34	1 980	29	1 975
	1969	63	419	43	385

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	107	(X)	67	(X)	15	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	108	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	107	81 344	67	80 559	15	34 284	11	34 144
	1969	201	16 919	106	14 777	11	6 789	7	6 674
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	99	81 108	66	80 397	15	34 284	11	34 144
	1969	189	16 285	100	14 411	11	6 789	7	6 674
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	92	2 157	59	1 446	11	364	7	224
100 to 399	1974	3	412	3	412	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	9	115	4	96	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	222	1	72	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	695	12	694
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	79

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	66	80 397	11	34 144
	1969	100	14 411	7	6 674
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	66	80 190	11	34 144
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	11	207	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	35	–	–
	1969	9	174	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	40	127	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	11	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	19	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	13	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	13	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	34	103	252	634	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	24	13	885	229	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	635	795	78 220	90 827	1 606 063	1 357 689
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	3	4	3	2 400	1 400
Wheat (bushels)	13	31	489	1 256	11 466	27 453
Other small grains for grain	49	85	4 105	4 141	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	581	893	36 612	25 651	28 940	23 462
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	14	(NA)	4	(NA)	264	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	57	(NA)	1 099	(NA)	201 849	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	243	183	5 938	3 896	13 419	6 945
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	85	78	187	110	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	13	52	54	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	4	1	(Z)	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	15	268	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	17	52	136	384	5 744	6 591	2	2	2	6
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	5	–	91	–	760	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	5	3	98	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	14	7	545	96	9 130	3 670	–	1	–	5
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	7	(NA)	323	98	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	16	9	403	262	721	299	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for posture	1974	276	19 504	(X)	–	–	82	7 394	81	660	2	9
	1969	258	16 119	(X)	1	30	83	4 815	82	581	2	41
Improved posture	1974	73	3 846	(X)	–	–	22	1 041	22	192	–	–
	1969	91	4 320	(X)	1	7	33	1 374	33	165	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	23	230	(X)	2	2	16	114	13	21	3	3
	1969	56	482	(X)	2	6	28	178	27	35	2	3
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	21	868	(X)	–	–	15	808	12	73	3	6
	1969	10	194	(X)	1	5	7	179	7	24	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	1974	13	489	11 466	–	–	9	349	6	18	3	23
	1969	27	1 223	27 167	1	200	23	1 060	(NA)	61	(NA)	15
Oats (bushels)	1974	36	1 338	73 955	–	–	24	510	21	41	4	5
	1969	65	1 203	59 594	–	–	48	1 004	(NA)	103	(NA)	11
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	8	2 755	(X)	8	2 755	8	2 755	7	297	2	40
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	594	77 825	1 598 093	1	140	50	8 681	42	673	11	238
	1969	576	86 365	1 297 647	4	969	42	3 160	(NA)	473	(NA)	11
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	2 400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	199	5 333	12 514	–	–	74	2 396	74	506	2	4
	1969	143	3 508	6 418	2	27	38	1 058	37	215	2	5
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	178	(X)	–	–	1	100	–	–	1	15
Cotton (bales)	1974	527	36 220	28 679	2	100	489	35 400	390	5 806	132	1 343
	1969	612	23 551	21 817	8	578	565	22 927	(NA)	3 612	(NA)	899
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	2	173	–	–	3	1	3	1	–	–
	1969	15	14	458	1	(Z)	9	12	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	58	158	(X)	30	77	42	130	41	44	2	12
	1969	45	79	(X)	33	53	39	61	39	43	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	7	42	(X)	–	–	4	29	4	10	–	–
	1969	5	28	(X)	–	–	4	22	4	7	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	2	(Z)	(X)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	4	6	(X)	2	2	2	2	2	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	46	1 089	(X)	4	90	38	1 074	32	139	9	74

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	663	677
$1,000	2 564	1 069
Commercial fertilizer—farms	633	619
acres on which used	61 114	40 961
tons	10 303	6 982
$1,000	1 421	542
Lime—farms	85	237
acres on which used	3 350	8 798
tons	5 133	15 016
$1,000	54	84
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	11	7
acres on which used	107	139
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	328	430
acres on which used	35 889	23 848
$1,000	442	174
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	203
$1,000	–	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	13
acres on which used	316	278
$1,000	5	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	282	424
acres on which used	51 407	43 631
$1,000	506	236
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	16
acres on which used	565	1 147
$1,000	2	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	18	(NA)
acres on which used	263	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	133	89
acres on which used	11 579	4 649
$1,000	43	15
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	45	112
$1,000	7	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	83	(NA)
$1,000	83	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	42	45
Proportion of farms—percent	5.6	6.3
Total land irrigated—acres	3 169	4 850
Average per farm—acres	75.5	107.7
Cropland irrigated—farms	42	44
acres	3 169	4 843
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	42	42
acres	3 168	4 777
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	30
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	36
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	1
acres	–	7
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	4 947	6 510
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.6	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	24	(NA)
acres	336	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	255	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	119	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	9 773	21 039
Cropland—acres	8 303	18 971
Harvested cropland—acres	7 438	14 463
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	352	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	124	265
Proportion of farms—percent	16.5	37.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	34 198	79 866
Land drained—acres	29 000	68 741
Average per farm—acres	233.9	259.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	108	(NA)
number	262	(NA)
acres	285	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	360	279	188
$1,000	8 816	6 479	2 337
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	69	54	59
$5,000 to $9,999	57	40	53
$10,000 to $29,999	139	117	57
$30,000 to $49,999	46	40	15
$50,000 and over	49	28	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	68	74	150	132	608	
25 to 149 days	114	428	378	2 410	253	717
Less than 25 days	158		718		90	
Total contract labor	32	53	(NA)	(NA)	62	35
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	182	(NA)	52	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	284	68	114	158
Cash wages paid—$1,000	951	608	253	90
Number of workers	1 246	150	378	718
Farms with—				
1 worker	122	33	62	72
2 workers	35	21	16	13
3 or 4 workers	54	9	18	28
5 to 9 workers	41	4	8	24
10 workers and over	32	1	10	21

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	218	221	136	92
Land in farms — acres	125 109	121 455	84 754	96 702
Average size of farm — acres	574	550	623	1 051
Approximate land area — acres	259 136	259 136	259 136	259 136
Proportion in farms — percent	48.3	46.9	32.7	37.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	51 334	31 458	26 694	26 480
Average per farm — dollars	235 479	142 345	196 280	287 824
Average per acre — dollars	410	259	315	274
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	14	4	4	2
10 to 49 acres	32	64	16	12
50 to 69 acres	19	16	16	3
70 to 99 acres	2	8	–	3
100 to 139 acres	15	10	2	1
140 to 179 acres	9	15	3	1
180 to 219 acres	12	4	8	1
220 to 259 acres	11	12	6	4
260 to 499 acres	43	31	34	20
500 to 999 acres	36	21	30	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	24	7	18
2,000 acres and over	11	12	10	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	190	203	125	86
acres	49 215	43 019	32 482	35 742
Harvested cropland — farms	139	150	101	70
acres	15 194	16 423	9 186	15 529
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	23	41	8	
10 to 19 acres	32	48	17	37
20 to 29 acres	11	17	10	
30 to 49 acres	34	11	30	
50 to 99 acres	21	10	19	10
100 to 199 acres	5	10	5	10
200 to 499 acres	9	8	9	8
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	3	4	2	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	142	128	93	60
acres	31 396	22 697	22 995	17 741
Other cropland (see text) — farms	25	63	14	(NA)
acres	2 625	3 899	301	2 472
Total woodland — farms	141	136	88	64
acres	51 878	49 315	36 585	36 147
Other land (see text) — farms	142	134	82	(NA)
acres	24 016	29 121	15 687	24 813
Irrigated land — farms	4	3	4	1
acres	4	206	4	200

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	14	(NA)
acres	301	2 472
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	12
acres	1	803
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	10	5
acres	98	125
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	–	3
acres	–	865
Cropland idle — farms	3	12
acres	202	679
Total woodland — farms	88	64
acres	36 585	36 147
Woodland pastured — farms	74	52
acres	26 697	24 675

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	26	23
acres	9 888	11 472
Other land — farms	82	(NA)
acres	15 687	24 813
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	37	33
acres	13 626	20 805
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	27	27
acres	6 130	6 897
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	21	13
acres	7 496	13 908
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	70	52
acres	2 061	4 008

Table 2. **Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	218	221	136	92
Land in farms — acres	125 109	121 455	84 754	96 702
Harvested cropland — acres	15 194	16 423	9 186	15 529
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	113	90	66	35
Land in farms — acres	63 216	55 352	30 520	40 290
Harvested cropland — acres	7 943	6 869	2 282	6 617
Part owners — number	66	61	47	37
Land in farms — acres	53 455	56 847	46 622	49 939
Harvested cropland — acres	6 151	8 323	5 879	8 123
Tenants — number	39	70	23	20
Land in farms — acres	8 438	9 256	7 612	6 473
Harvested cropland — acres	1 100	1 231	1 025	789
Percent of tenancy	17.9	31.6	16.9	21.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	54	91	34	18
Land in farms — acres	5 921	5 111	4 598	1 211
Harvested cropland — acres	1 388	1 096	1 206	445
Full owners — number	17	26	10	4
Land in farms — acres	2 421	3 046	1 262	754
Harvested cropland — acres	279	241	182	71
Part owners — number	10	13	6	2
Land in farms — acres	262	690	242	90
Harvested cropland — acres	172	129	160	46
Tenants — number	27	52	18	12
Land in farms — acres	3 238	1 375	3 094	367
Harvested cropland — acres	937	726	864	328
Percent of tenancy	50.0	57.1	52.9	66.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	125	83
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	64 041	60 125

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 958	9 202
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	(D)
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	3	4	–
25 to 34 years	31	21	16	10
35 to 44 years	33	27	20	13
45 to 54 years	34	46	22	27
55 to 64 years	52	78	38	26
65 years and over	60	46	33	16
Average age	54.3	54.1	54.3	53.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	135	142	79	59
On another farm	7		7	
In a rural area, not on a farm	9	54	4	28
In a city, town, or urban area	29		23	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	62	(NA)	34	(NA)
1 to 49 days	12	22	8	3
50 to 99 days	4	12	2	2
100 to 149 days	18	16	14	4
150 to 199 days	11		6	
200 days and over	69	97	36	43
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	104	(NA)	79	(NA)
Other	110	(NA)	54	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	15	7	15
$40,000 to $99,999	18		18	
$20,000 to $39,999	13	8	13	8
$10,000 to $19,999	28	15	28	15
$5,000 to $9,999	33	29	33	29
$2,500 to $4,999	26	20	26	20
Under $2,500 (see text)	92	134	11	5
$2,000 to $2,499	10	22	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	12	14	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	16	11	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	54	87	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	5 527	3 905	4 035	3 778
Average per farm ... dollars	25 354	17 669	29 670	41 063
Crops, including hay ... farms	80	111	64	(NA)
$1,000	2 919	1 540	1 906	1 493
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	2
$1,000	–		–	3
Forest products ... farms	28	19	26	16
$1,000	290	98	290	81
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	185	147	118	77
$1,000	2 318	2 267	1 839	2 202
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	(NA)	–	2
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	–	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	64	(NA)
$1,000	1 906	1 493
Grains ... farms	28	12
$1,000	535	130
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	2	2
$1,000	11	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	14	16
$1,000	13	94
Other field crops ... farms	41	23
$1,000	1 290	1 081
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	2
$1,000	48	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	1
$1,000	10	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	118	77
$1,000	1 839	2 202
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	3
Dairy products ... farms	11	8
$1,000	506	417
Cattle and calves ... farms	118	(NA)
$1,000	1 328	1 607
Hogs and pigs ... farms	1	(NA)
$1,000	1	175
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	11	
$1,000	5	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	106	(NA)	49	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	67	(NA)	46	(NA)
$1,000	100	(NA)	72	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	15	16	12	10
$1,000	35	14	34	14
Recreational services ... farms	1	4	–	4
$1,000	1	2	–	2
Government farm programs ... farms	39	69	31	40
$1,000	32	119	23	113
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	17	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	27	(NA)	10	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	18	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	22	(NA)	19	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	86
$1,000	1 212
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	9
$1,000	69
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	62
$1,000	967
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	27
$1,000	67
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	17
$1,000	94
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	10
$1,000	15

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	218	221	136	92
$1,000	4 200	3 709	3 079	3 551
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	43	83	1	11
$1,000 to $1,999	35	31	16	
$2,000 to $2,999	21	21	12	8
$3,000 to $4,999	27	27	21	19
$5,000 to $9,999	45	22	40	17
$10,000 to $19,999	16		16	17
$20,000 to $39,999	9	37	9	8
$40,000 to $59,999	9		9	12
$60,000 and over	13		12	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	66	56	42	38
$1,000	307	489	288	485
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	174	155	109	77
$1,000	842	524	552	507
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	139	99	100	68
$1,000	703	265	513	258
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	40	16
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	160
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	79
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	4	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	91	119	64	46
$1,000	206	90	122	82
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	169	174	115	80
$1,000	339	257	279	241
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	77	(NA)	63	(NA)
$1,000	113	124	66	120
Lime ... farms	(NA)	39	16	31
$1,000	(NA)	31	19	29
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	211	202	129	91
$1,000	231	173	171	157
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	111	84
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	94
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	91	40
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	63	30
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	23
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	129	91
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	11
Hired farm labor ... farms	113	129	82	81
$1,000	714	834	510	812
Contract labor ... farms	18	73	16	8
$1,000	49	110	49	14
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	57		37	40
$1,000	98		88	91
All other production expenses ... farms	193	184	134	91
$1,000	1 301	1 108	935	1 041

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	207	204	132	90
$1,000	3 296	1 932	2 376	1 624
Average per farm—dollars	15 923	9 471	17 999	18 042
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	11	35	3	37
$1,000 to $4,999	40	93	22	
$5,000 to $9,999	62	44	34	23
$10,000 to $19,999	49	17	32	15
$20,000 to $29,999	25	15	22	4
$30,000 to $49,999	15		15	2
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	9
$70,000 and over	2		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	127	109	81	48
number	163	129	106	65
mfd in last 5 years, number	72	81	47	53
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	178	151	119	71
number	273	238	174	152
mfd in last 5 years, number	119	159	72	112
Wheel tractors—farms	171	143	113	78
number	321	293	222	201
mfd in last 5 years, number	120	118	77	97
Crawler tractors—farms	13		8	7
number	19		12	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	11	9	10	7
number	17	12	11	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	8	7	8
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	12	2	2
number	2	13	2	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	7	2	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	16		13	6
number	16		13	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	5
Mower conditioners—farms	51	(NA)	36	(NA)
number	68	(NA)	50	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	12	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	38	44	34	38
number	45	48	39	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	29	13	26
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	22	(NA)	21	21
number	24	(NA)	23	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	12
Field forage harvesters, sheor bar or flywheel type—farms	3	(NA)	3	12
number	5	(NA)	5	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	205	(X)	130	(X)	185	(X)	118	(X)	1 839
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	201	(X)	126	(X)	185	(X)	118	(X)	1 328
1969	174	(X)	76	(X)	146	(X)	76	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	197	23 479	122	18 029	184	8 889	118	7 843	1 328
1969	155	21 520	74	19 898	142	10 274	75	9 655	1 607
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	6	22	–	–	37	95	5	16	2
5 to 9—1974	11	79	4	36	33	211	17	108	16
10 to 19—1974	30	399	14	192	32	435	18	249	34
20 to 49—1974	57	1 878	30	973	47	1 404	44	1 338	217
50 to 99—1974	39	2 568	21	1 458	17	1 249	17	1 249	176
100 to 199—1974	26	3 479	26	3 479	9	1 124	9	1 124	183
200 to 499—1974	22	5 946	22	5 946	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	6	9 108	5	5 945	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	167	12 924	109	9 887	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	141	11 493	72	10 546	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	157	11 927	104	9 123	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	10 686	70	9 760	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	28	997	14	764	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	32	807	18	786	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	506
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	417

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	157	11 927	104	9 123			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	6	24	4	16			
5 to 9	10	54	2	10			
10 to 19	27	358	15	191			
20 to 49	56	1 643	31	949			
50 to 99	32	2 122	27	1 821			
100 to 199	11	1 360	11	1 360			
200 to 499	13	(D)	13	(D)			
500 and over	2	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	28	997	14	764			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	8	10	3	3			
3 or 4	8	28	–	–			
5 to 9	1	7	1	7			
10 to 19	2	30	2	30			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	6	501	6	(D)			
100 to 199	3	421	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					101	4 996	981
Farms with—							
1 to 4					17	49	8
5 to 9					20	130	25
10 to 19					23	303	64
20 to 49					27	774	154
50 to 99					3	225	43
100 to 199					8	1 069	272
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					98	2 847	346
Farms with—							
1 or 2					17	23	2
3 or 4					4	14	1
5 to 9					15	104	10
10 to 19					18	247	22
20 to 49					20	526	53
50 to 99					20	1 275	181
100 to 199					3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	91	3 162
	1969	60	5 299
Beef heifers	1974	84	2 878
Milk heifers	1974	10	284
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	91	4 980
	1969	67	4 053

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	7	884	183
	1969	3	2 162	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	16	5
10 to 19	1974	1	18	3
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	29	(D)	18	75	8	(D)	1	7	1
	1969	72	2 629	20	2 359	28	3 912	16	3 803	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	19	45	9	20	6	12	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	8	44	8	44	1	7	1	7	1
10 to 24	1974	1	11	1	11	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	35	3	17	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	48	2	36	1	14	1	14	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	83	310	55	145	14	27	10	23	5
	1969	93	341	(NA)	(NA)	7	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	6	6
	1969	13	376
Other hogs and pigs	1974	18	69
	1969	20	1 983
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Forms	Number	Forms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	14	466	8	10
	1969	24	485	14	467
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	165	6	8
	1969	20	241	13	234
June 1 and November 30	1974	3	301	2	2
	1969	11	244	3	233

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Forms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	40	(X)	19	(X)	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	40	952	19	492	–	–	–	–
	1969	70	2 550	13	882	1	260	1	260
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	40	776	19	380	–	–	–	–
	1969	66	1 959	13	790	1	260	1	260
Forms with—									
1 to 99	1974	40	776	19	380	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	10	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	68	1	24	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	3

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	380	–	–
	1969	13	790	1	260
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	353	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	27	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	12	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	16	112	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	50	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	1	25	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	5	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	64	86	1 233	2 126	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	13	6	1 045	914	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	10	10	6 339	1 695	163 244	29 893
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	4	9	4	4 728	3 264
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	4	2	16	615	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	3	10	445	386	287	506
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	41	(NA)	583	(NA)	62 389	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	46	(NA)	1 697	(NA)	456 503	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	64	60	2 982	5 236	4 991	9 343
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	8	554	432	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	10	223	93	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	286	2 857	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	40	23	611	1 755	19 275	94 986	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	2	–	20	–	140	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	–	20	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	2	154	425	8 426	9 250	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	7	(NA)	370	489	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	1	–	100	–	350	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	93	22 995	(X)	–	–	39	4 506	39	627	–	–
	1969	60	17 741	(X)	–	–	36	6 084	35	988	2	73
Improved pasture	1974	27	6 130	(X)	–	–	12	1 200	12	71	–	–
	1969	27	6 897	(X)	–	–	16	1 664	16	255	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	41	631	(X)	–	–	34	537	34	87	–	–
	1969	24	1 775	(X)	–	–	14	1 656	13	123	2	156
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	524	(X)	–	–	5	404	5	69	–	–
	1969	6	914	(X)	–	–	6	914	5	121	1	21
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	1	600	(NA)	45	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	4	16	320	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	9	3 039	79 420	–	–	3	985	3	130	–	–
	1969	7	1 692	29 872	–	–	4	1 495	(NA)	197	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	6	6	3 216	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	49	2 497	3 872	–	–	19	1 304	19	163	–	–
	1969	44	4 987	8 980	1	200	23	2 724	22	455	1	10
Field seed crops	1974	6	285	(X)	–	–	2	85	2	19	–	–
	1969	5	670	(X)	–	–	2	125	2	29	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	2	80	48	–	–	2	80	2	21	–	–
	1969	2	367	488	–	–	2	367	(NA)	2	(NA)	14
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	32	419	51 533	–	–	24	405	24	166	–	–
	1969	4	460	48 918	–	–	4	460	(NA)	122	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	54	(X)	–	–	5	54	5	7	–	–
	1969	2	(D)	(X)	–	–	2	(D)	2	101	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	5	175	(X)	–	–	4	130	4	11	–	–
	1969	6	83	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	2	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	3	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	37	1 668	(X)	–	–	33	1 656	33	763	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	118	83
$1,000	346	361
Commercial fertilizer—farms	115	77
acres on which used	11 346	19 863
tons	2 133	3 220
$1,000	279	241
Lime—farms	16	31
acres on which used	991	4 058
tons	1 393	3 659
$1,000	19	29
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	5	3
acres on which used	260	525
$1,000	2	1
Insects on other crops—farms	10	7
acres on which used	1 998	4 354
$1,000	19	39
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	3
acres on which used	115	4
$1,000	2	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	12	5
acres on which used	2 570	3 690
$1,000	17	29
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	11	9
acres on which used	803	2 855
$1,000	2	6
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	117	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	4
acres on which used	20	1 602
$1,000	(Z)	12
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	29
$1,000	2	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	26	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	4	1
Proportion of farms—percent	2.9	1.0
Total land irrigated—acres	4	200
Average per farm—acres	1.0	200.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	1
acres	4	200
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	1
acres	4	200
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	3	200
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	1.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	534	4 430
Cropland—acres	492	2 066
Harvested cropland—acres	490	1 320
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage—farms	5	3
Proportion of farms—percent	3.7	3.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	2 261	23 265
Land drained—acres	215	6 150
Average per farm—acres	43.0	2050.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservairs, and earthen tanks—farms	57	(NA)
number	288	(NA)
acres	326	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	40	22	30
$1,000	2 144	1 685	459
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	9	–	12
$5,000 to $9,999	4	6	2
$10,000 to $29,999	13	2	14
$30,000 to $49,999	4	4	1
$50,000 and over	10	10	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	17	37	81	181	346	812
25 to 149 days	22	73	218	708	105	
Less than 25 days	56		569		59	
Total contract labor	16	8	(NA)	(NA)	49	14
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	46	(NA)	40	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	82	17	22	56
Cash wages paid $1,000	510	346	105	59
Number of workers	868	81	218	569
Farms with—				
1 worker	13	4	10	8
2 workers	16	2	2	12
3 or 4 workers	17	9	4	9
5 to 9 workers	14	1	4	6
10 workers and over	22	1	2	21

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	237	218	65	56
Land in farms — acres	29 165	25 511	15 404	12 149
Average size of farm — acres	123	117	237	217
Approximate land area — acres	608 256	608 256	608 256	608 256
Proportion in farms — percent	4.8	4.2	2.5	2.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	9 903	5 126	5 245	2 199
Average per farm — dollars	41 785	23 514	80 695	39 263
Average per acre — dollars	340	201	341	181
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	8	10	2	2
10 to 49 acres	72	69	5	7
50 to 69 acres	31	23	5	4
70 to 99 acres	34	34	5	4
100 to 139 acres	30	28	9	7
140 to 179 acres	14	18	7	7
180 to 219 acres	17	9	10	6
220 to 259 acres	11	5	8	5
260 to 499 acres	12	14	7	7
500 to 999 acres	6	7	5	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	1	2	1
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	199	165	52	46
acres	10 410	9 409	4 934	5 348
Harvested cropland — farms	104	66	42	24
acres	2 225	1 043	1 688	589
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	37	22	3	
10 to 19 acres	30	24	8	23
20 to 29 acres	13	10	8	
30 to 49 acres	11	9	10	
50 to 99 acres	10	1	10	1
100 to 199 acres	1	–	1	–
200 to 499 acres	2	–	2	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	163	140	42	41
acres	7 086	7 990	3 246	4 673
Other cropland (see text) — farms	18	21	–	(NA)
acres	1 099	376	–	86
Total woodland — farms	160	152	50	43
acres	12 951	12 234	7 100	4 405
Other land (see text) — farms	150	125	50	(NA)
acres	5 804	3 868	3 370	2 396
Irrigated land — farms	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	86
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	–	4
acres	–	48
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland idle — farms	–	2
acres	–	38
Total woodland — farms	50	43
acres	7 100	4 405
Woodland pastured — farms	40	29
acres	4 194	2 037

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	28	29
acres	2 906	2 368
Other land — farms	50	(NA)
acres	3 370	2 396
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	27	13
acres	3 094	2 254
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	10
acres	2 673	1 444
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	4
acres	421	810
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	41	25
acres	276	142

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	237	218	65	56
Land in farms — acres	29 165	25 511	15 404	12 149
Harvested cropland — acres	2 225	1 043	1 688	589
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	206	175	50	42
Land in farms — acres	24 778	17 946	12 542	7 272
Harvested cropland — acres	1 289	638	820	317
Part owners — number	21	33	12	13
Land in farms — acres	3 776	6 960	2 802	4 847
Harvested cropland — acres	916	381	848	272
Tenants — number	10	10	3	1
Land in farms — acres	611	605	60	30
Harvested cropland — acres	20	24	20	–
Percent of tenancy	4.2	4.5	4.6	1.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	4	6	2	–
Land in farms — acres	797	156	639	–
Harvested cropland — acres	32	24	30	–
Full owners — number	4	6	2	–
Land in farms — acres	797	156	639	–
Harvested cropland — acres	32	24	30	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	63	50
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 004	9 121

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 528
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	2	–	–
25 to 34 years	23	15	7	4
35 to 44 years	27	32	4	7
45 to 54 years	78	77	28	22
55 to 64 years	67	53	16	8
65 years and over	40	39	8	15
Average age	52.9	52.4	51.8	53.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	157	149	41	30
On another farm	–		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	7	37	4	10
In a city, town, or urban area	26		5	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	55	(NA)	18	(NA)
1 to 49 days	16	10	7	4
50 to 99 days	3	2	–	–
100 to 149 days	7		6	
150 to 199 days	19	19	4	2
200 days and over	121	130	23	29
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	57	(NA)	30	(NA)
Other	178	(NA)	33	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	1	4	1	4
$40,000 to $99,999	2		2	
$20,000 to $39,999	3	2	3	2
$10,000 to $19,999	9	5	9	5
$5,000 to $9,999	20	18	20	18
$2,500 to $4,999	24	23	24	23
Under $2,500 (see text)	178	166	6	4
$2,000 to $2,499	23	14	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	25	21	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	42	35	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	88	96	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	816	883	643	745
Average per farm ... dollars	3 444	4 052	9 889	13 311
Crops, including hay ... farms	28	20	10	(NA)
$1,000	48	14	38	7
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	31	28	19	18
$1,000	158	190	155	183
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	223	197	65	55
$1,000	611	679	450	555
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	13	(NA)	7	8
$1,000	160	(NA)	160	283

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	10	(NA)
$1,000	38	7
Grains ... farms	1	2
$1,000	7	1
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	8	5
$1,000	29	6
Other field crops ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	1
$1,000	2	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	65	55
$1,000	450	555
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	8
$1,000	160	283
Dairy products ... farms	2	1
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	62	(NA)
$1,000	199	191
Hogs and pigs ... farms	9	(NA)
$1,000	35	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	180	(NA)	35	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	32	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	38	(NA)	30	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	14	6	10	5
$1,000	30	11	28	9
Recreational services ... farms	–	2	–	–
$1,000	–	1	–	–
Government farm programs ... farms	19	17	6	7
$1,000	6	3	3	2
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	4	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	2	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	17	(NA)	11	(NA)
$1,000	23	(NA)	13	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	48
$1,000	623
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	17
$1,000	207
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	31
$1,000	334
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	18
$1,000	26
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	5
$1,000	25
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	31

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	236	218	65	56
$1,000	826	809	551	614
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	61	83	1	2
$1,000 to $1,999	81	62	11	
$2,000 to $2,999	25	19	4	11
$3,000 to $4,999	29	24	15	14
$5,000 to $9,999	27	20	21	19
$10,000 to $19,999	7		7	6
$20,000 to $39,999	4	10	4	1
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	3
$60,000 and over	1		1	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	73	78	18	25
$1,000	96	120	68	94
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	209	198	64	55
$1,000	318	362	215	289
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	137	120	58	47
$1,000	221	293	178	268
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	11
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	16	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	2
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	23
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	7
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	68	46	26	19
$1,000	9	5	5	3
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	166	147	48	40
$1,000	107	45	56	25
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	44	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	4	5	2	3
Lime ... farms	(NA)	17	3	7
$1,000	(NA)	3	1	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	214	206	63	56
$1,000	48	47	25	26
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	55
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	17
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	24	29
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	5
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	14	6
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	63	56
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	3
Hired farm labor ... farms	75	84	28	31
$1,000	51	50	38	39
Contract labor ... farms	13	47	6	2
$1,000	5	17	4	2
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	27		8	20
$1,000	12		11	10
All other production expenses ... farms	186	131	62	56
$1,000	176	160	120	121

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	215	196	60	52
$1,000	1 982	798	861	286
Average per farm—dollars	9 218	4 073	14 349	5 500
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	4	31	–	25
$1,000 to $4,999	64	108	14	
$5,000 to $9,999	79	41	10	19
$10,000 to $19,999	49	14	23	7
$20,000 to $29,999	13	2	8	1
$30,000 to $49,999	6		5	–
$50,000 to $69,999	–		–	–
$70,000 and over	–		–	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	114	106	31	27
number	140	135	39	36
mfd in last 5 years, number	73	95	29	30
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	177	158	54	47
number	208	182	69	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	71	114	29	39
Wheel tractors—farms	176	125	54	44
number	245	168	91	67
mfd in last 5 years, number	52	61	25	20
Crawler tractors—farms	12		8	2
number	14		10	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	–
number	–		–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	40	(NA)	22	(NA)
number	41	(NA)	22	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	54	35	34	18
number	55	36	35	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	16	12	11
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	23	(NA)	14	13
number	23	(NA)	14	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	3	8
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	6	(NA)	–	–
number	6	(NA)	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	227	(X)	64	(X)	223	(X)	65	(X)	450
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	223	(X)	62	(X)	220	(X)	63	(X)	234
1969	207	(X)	52	(X)	196	(X)	54	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	223	9 644	62	5 582	211	2 786	62	1 660	199
1969	203	7 393	50	4 452	191	3 009	52	1 923	191
Forms with—									
1 to 4—1974	3	10	1	2	60	173	7	14	2
5 to 9—1974	26	196	2	14	72	482	13	90	10
10 to 19—1974	71	969	10	155	39	526	12	174	23
20 to 49—1974	64	2 036	10	323	31	934	21	711	97
50 to 99—1974	34	2 338	14	993	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	19	2 356	19	2 356	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	6	1 739	6	1 739	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	172	5 045	61	3 226	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	158	3 652	46	2 399	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	161	4 957	60	3 193	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 531	42	2 359	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	34	88	8	33	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	43	121	9	40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Forms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	161	4 957	60	3 193			
Forms with—							
1 to 4	13	39	5	16			
5 to 9	37	283	8	67			
10 to 19	21	259	–	–			
20 to 49	60	1 753	20	647			
50 to 99	22	1 481	19	1 321			
100 to 199	5	534	5	534			
200 to 499	3	608	3	608			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	34	88	8	33			
Forms with—							
1 or 2	25	37	6	9			
3 or 4	7	27	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	2	24	2	24			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					29	500	90
Forms with—							
1 to 4					1	4	1
5 to 9					7	39	8
10 to 19					11	159	35
20 to 49					9	235	36
50 to 99					1	63	10
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					59	1 160	109
Forms with—							
1 or 2					6	9	1
3 or 4					2	7	1
5 to 9					13	88	9
10 to 19					21	304	32
20 to 49					12	358	37
50 to 99					4	294	24
100 to 199					1	100	4
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	51	1 299
	1969	45	1 170
Beef heifers	1974	51	1 298
Milk heifers	1974	1	1
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	54	1 057
	1969	45	883

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	7	108	17
	1969	1	15	(NA)
Forms with—				
1 to 9	1974	2	9	3
10 to 19	1974	4	68	10
20 to 49	1974	1	31	4
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	27	445	7	168	25	909	9	652	35
	1969	34	883	11	509	37	2 654	16	2 167	(NA)
Forms with—										
1 to 4	1974	4	9	1	3	1	3	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	4	28	1	7	2	12	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	12	156	2	26	11	154	1	10	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	7	252	3	132	5	188	2	90	7
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	5	392	5	392	23
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	160	1	160	4
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	265	2	220	6
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	1 386	9	1 242	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	59	113	12	42	4	16	3	15	3
	1969	70	191	(NA)	(NA)	2	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	4	33
	1969	11	207
Other hogs and pigs	1974	6	135
	1969	7	302
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	20	97	5	49
	1969	36	372	16	308
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	13	58	5	35
	1969	29	224	16	189
June 1 and November 30	1974	14	39	2	14
	1969	27	148	12	119

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	55	(X)	11	(X)	5	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	54	11 519	10	(D)	4	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	62	39 752	14	38 812	7	10 444	7	10 444
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	53	11 329	10	(D)	4	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	62	37 753	14	36 857	7	8 494	7	8 494
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	50	1 029	7	216	2	47	1	35
100 to 399	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	118	1	118
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	3	30 090	3	30 090	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	160	7	160
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	283

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	10	(D)	3	3 653
	1969	14	36 857	7	8 494
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	10	(D)	3	3 653
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	40	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	10	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	10	12	46	60	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	–	2	–	25	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	–	60	–	1 300	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	3	–	3	–	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other small grains for grain	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	2	(NA)	63	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	2	(NA)	85	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	86	52	2 114	858	4 568	1 485
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	6	11	25	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	4	5	1	64	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1	(NA)	1	11	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Forms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	3	2	23	10	340	460	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	25	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Forms	Acres	Quantity	Forms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	42	3 246	(X)	–	–	19	1 110	19	241	–	–
	1969	41	4 673	(X)	–	–	25	1 344	25	238	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	18	2 673	(X)	–	–	10	595	10	72	–	–
	1969	10	1 444	(X)	–	–	7	753	7	98	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	3	23	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	10	(X)	–	–	2	10	2	2	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	25	(X)	–	–	2	25	2	3	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	60	1 300	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	38	1 599	3 556	–	–	13	455	13	127	–	–
	1969	21	499	1 013	–	–	7	170	7	50	–	–
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	1	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	4	(X)	–	–	1	4	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	2	(D)	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	50	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	48	40
$1,000	58	28
Commercial fertilizer—farms	48	37
acres on which used	2 167	2 305
tons	443	392
$1,000	56	25
Lime—farms	3	7
acres on which used	73	236
tons	85	364
$1,000	1	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	32
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	60	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Weeds or brush in posture—farms	5	5
acres on which used	147	230
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	3	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	3	8
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	–	3
Proportion of farms—percent	–	5.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	–	883
Land drained—acres	–	734
Average per farm—acres	–	244.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	31	(NA)
number	109	(NA)
acres	122	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	16	15	9
$1,000	378	295	83
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	2	6	6
$5,000 to $9,999	5	1	–
$10,000 to $29,999	5	5	2
$30,000 to $49,999	2	1	1
$50,000 and over	2	2	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	4	7	10	13	29	39
25 to 149 days	–		–		–	
Less than 25 days	24	25	91	66	9	
Total contract labor	6	2	(NA)	(NA)	4	2
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	28	4	–	24
Cash wages paid—$1,000	38	29	–	9
Number of workers	101	10	–	91
Farms with—				
1 worker	13	–	–	13
2 workers	3	3	–	–
3 or 4 workers	5	1	–	4
5 to 9 workers	4	–	–	4
10 workers and over	3	–	–	3

APPENDIX A. General Explanation

1. Taking the Census

Enumeration Method

The growing complexity in the structure of American agriculture along with increasing numbers of farm operators living off-farm have made an enumerator-type census as conducted in the past increasingly difficult. The mailout/mailback census, made possible by the availability of relatively complete administrative lists, provides the respondent the opportunity to complete the report more nearly at his own convenience than in an enumerator-type census. Generally the quality of data on reports completed by operators exceeds that of reports filled out by enumerators. Based on the overall satisfactory experience with the mailout/mailback procedure used in 1969, a decision was made to continue the mail procedure for 1974.

In censuses prior to 1969, enumerators were assigned to enumerate all farms in a specified geographic area and were instructed to call on all farm operators in person. Beginning with the 1950 census, copies of the report form were mailed to rural boxholders prior to the enumeration's starting date, and farm operators were asked to complete the forms and have them ready for the enumerator to collect. Enumerators going door-to-door in rural areas would pickup and review any forms that had been completed; they would also fill out or complete reports for those places having some agricultural operations which did not have forms completed and ready for review.

The mailout/mailback procedure has not been used in taking the agriculture census in Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands. A discussion of the direct enumeration methods used appears in the reports for these outlying areas.

Mailing List

The starting point for the enumeration of the 1974 census was the mailing list, which consisted of all persons and organizations that could be identified from administrative records as associated with agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974. The list was assembled from the records of the 1969 Census of Agriculture and those of other government agencies. Only the more comprehensive sets of administrative records containing information related to agricultural activities were initially used. This included records primarily from the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the Internal Revenue Service, and the Social Security Administration.

To improve the mailing list and to identify individual units of multiestablishment farming operations—particularly corporations, a precanvass of the larger, more complex, and specialized operations (approximately 55,000 cases mostly identified from the 1969 agriculture census plus those in the file of companies in retail, wholesale, and manufacturing areas known to have agricultural operations) was conducted in early 1974. This survey identified over 6,200 multiestablishment companies or other organizations having one or more separate establishments (or locations) producing agricultural products or providing agricultural services to others. In many cases, these agricultural establishments were in addition to nonagricultural establishments operated by the company. Separate census report forms were required of each individual farming unit or agricultural establishment identified in the precanvass. The precanvass form also provided information to distinguish primary farming corporations from business-associated farming corporations and family-controlled corporations from other corporations.

Lists of specialized operations, such as nurseries and broiler growers which might not be identified in other administrative records, as well as selected lists of other large and/or specialized producers, such as feedlots and fish farms, were included in the mail list. In total, about 130,000 special list names were included.

The master list primarily contained the names and addresses of persons and organizations known to be associated with agricultural operations in 1973. It was constructed by merging and unduplicating the various source lists on the basis of Social Security or Employee Identification numbers, along with some unduplication based on alphabetic matching of names and addresses. To facilitate processing, each name on the master list was assigned a size code to indicate an estimate of value of sales as well as a code for county location. Most duplicate names not identified prior to mailing were either reported by respondents or located during the office processing.

Report Forms

Two basic census report forms were used for all States except Alaska and Hawaii. A regular 18-page report form was mailed to all farms whose 1974 sales of agricultural products were expected to total $2,500 or more. A short six-page report form was sent to all operators whose 1974 sales were expected to total less

than $2,500. This short form covered the major subjects (crops, land use, livestock and poultry, equipment, expenditures, and value of sales), but omitted most of the additional detail found in the regular form. Both report forms, with the instructions for completing them, are reproduced in appendix C.

As for 1969, a short form was used so that operators of the smaller places would not be burdened with the extensive detail needed from the larger operators. In 1969, there were 996,567 farms with annual sales of less than $2,500 (about 36 percent of all farms), but they accounted for less than 2 percent of the total value of all farm products sold. For 1974, preliminary tabulations indicate that this group of farms will number approximately 770,000, or 31.4 percent of all farms and will account for less than 1.3 percent of the total value of farm products sold by all farms.

In Alaska, the regular report form was used to enumerate all farms. For Hawaii, a modified version of the regular form was used for all farms. The modifications were made principally in the crops section in order to cover the specialized agriculture on the islands.

Initial Mailing

The report forms were mailed during the last week of December 1974 and the first week of January 1975 to all persons and organizations on the mailing list. This mailing consisted of approximately 4,133,000 report forms (2,391,000 regular forms and 1,742,000 short forms). Undeliverable mail returned by the Postal Service reduced the mailing list by 232,000, including 67,000 regular forms and 165,000 short forms.

Instructions for completing the forms were attached in the centerfold of each form. In an effort to provide additional help to farmers in completing their reports, approximately 35,000 copies of a Farm Census Guide booklet were sent to county officials to whom farmers might turn for assistance. Included were rural banks, vocational agricultural instructors, and the following county offices: Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Soil Conservation Service, Farmer's Home Administration, and Agricultural Extension Service. This guide contained descriptions and definitions for various items in more detail than the instructions included with each report form. Representatives of the above agencies were asked to assist the farmers in filling out their report forms if the farmers came to them for help.

The regular report form was to be filled out by all farm operators who received it regardless of the amount of farm products sold. When recipients of the short form reported sales in 1974 substantially greater than $2,500, it was sometimes necessary to contact them again for the additional data needed to complete the more detailed regular form. If the recipient of a regular report form had sales less than $2,500, the data were condensed during the processing to those items appearing on the short form.

Followup Procedures

Data collection plans included a "thank you" card and four followup letters, two of which were accompanied by census report forms at approximately 1-month intervals. Data collection was expected to be substantially completed by June 30. However, because of a marked increase in respondent resistance as compared with the 1969 census, the data collection phase was extended into the office processing phase. Additional followup letters were sent to the remaining nonrespondents in June, July, August, and November. Nonrespondent addresses believed to be operating farms with sales of $40,000 or more were contacted by telephone during the period April 1975 through February 1976. Most of the nonresponse telephone calls were made by the staff of the Data Preparation Division in Jeffersonville, Indiana. Some of the calls to the more complex cases were referred to the Agriculture Division staff for handling. In total, nearly 107,000 cases were completed by telephone during this period.

As part of the routine followup procedures, specialized farms indentified on the mailing list as producing products such as broilers, beef cattle, hogs, etc. were checked to insure coverage in the census. If no report had been received for farms on these special lists, they were contacted by telephone to obtain the required information. Also, farms and ranches with large acreage in the 1969 census were checked to insure coverage in 1974. If reports were missing, telephone calls were made to obtain the necessary information to insure coverage. In some instances, successor operators were discovered and enumerated. The processing system provided for the inclusion of missing reports as late as the final tabulation of the county data for each State.

2. Major Changes in Data Collected

A number of items generally collected in follow-on surveys were included on the regular census report form for 1974. The major changes and modifications were in:

- Fuel and grain storage facilities
- Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks
- Futures market
- Contracts
- Payroll and employment
- Injuries and illnesses
- Farm credit
- Family income from off-farm sources

These changes represent only a small part of those recommended. All recommendations were reviewed by the Census Advisory Committee on Agriculture Statistics, which then suggested priorities for items to be included in the census. The Census Bureau had final responsibility for the content, wording, and format of the report forms.

Besides the major additions, a limited number of items were included or asked in more detail than otherwise necessary so as to improve the quality of the data collected. For example, totals were asked for several detailed items to be used for cross checking data. These cross-check totals were asked for such items as value of cattle and calves sold, amount of cash wages paid, and chemical costs.

3. Office Processing

All report forms were reviewed prior to keying the data to magnetic tapes. Reports were subjected to a clerical screening review, during which significant notes or major problems were referred to technical assistants or, if necessary, to the professional analyst for solution. Records of all large agricultural operations, including multiunit operations and operations having $500,000 or more sales of agricultural products in 1974 (lesser levels in specified States) were reviewed by professional employees of the Agriculture Division. Omissions, inconsistencies, and other problems that could not be resolved by reference to other information on the report were resolved by contact (usually telephone) with the respondent.

The data for each report form were subject to a detailed item-by-item computer edit which required almost the full capacity of a large electronic computer. The program made comprehensive checks for consistency and reasonableness, corrected data found to be in error or inconsistent, supplied key missing data, and assigned farm classification codes which were necessary for tabulation of the data. Entries of large magnitude and significant computer changes of a doubtful nature were manually verified for accuracy. Obvious errors such as reports of cotton and citrus in the Northern States were also identified and corrected. However, it was impossible to identify and correct all errors or to supply estimates for all the incompleteness within the census reports. These factors and others may affect the reliability of some data for some minor items, but they will not have a significant effect on major data items in any county.

4. 1969 Data Corrections

Some 1969 data have been revised since publication of the 1969 census. The revisions corrected sizeable data errors in 14 counties and reporting and processing errors affecting four data items in a larger number of counties and States. The major county revisions were for:

Cullman, Alabama—revised broilers sold and related data.
Inyo, California—revised land in farms and related data.
Hawaii, Honolulu, Kauai, and Maui, Hawaii—revised number of fattened cattle and related data.
Spencer, Indiana—revised cattle and calves inventory.
Harford, Maryland—revised acreage of total cropland.
Marshall, Minnesota—revised acreage of land in farms.
Dodge, Nebraska—revised number of milk cows and value of sales.
Merrick, Nebraska—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.
Rusk, Texas—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.
Hampshire and Jefferson, West Virginia—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.

The revisions to correct for reporting and processing errors were made on:
Acres and production of Irish potatoes harvested.
Acres artificially drained.
Total acreage fertilized.
Acreage of land in orchards fertilized (only in Wisconsin).

5. Definitions and Explanations

The following definitions and explanations relate to items which require a more detailed description than is in the tables. Many of the items are followed in the tables by a "(See text)" notation. Most of the terms and their explanations are taken from the instructions printed on the report forms or issued with the forms. For an exact wording of the questions on the two different report forms used in 1974 for the conterminuous United States, and the instruction sheets which accompanied these forms, see appendix C.

A further discussion and more detailed analysis of the items included on the report forms and of the published data is given in Volume II, **Statistics by Subject,** of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

Most definitions of items and terms are the same as used in 1969 and earlier censuses. In general, processing steps and procedures for 1974 were designed to develop a report as fully comparable as possible with reports of earlier censuses.

Land area—The approximate total land area of counties and States shown for 1974 represents the land area as determined by records and calculations updated as of January 1, 1970. These data are updated periodically; however, the acreages shown for 1974 are essentially the same as in 1969. Any differences between the land area in 1974 and 1969 would be due to new construction of reservoirs, change in number and size of reservoirs, lakes, streams, etc.

Land in farms—The acreage designated in the tables as "land in farms" consists primarily of agricultural land used for crops, pasture, or grazing. It also includes woodland and wasteland not actually under cultivation nor used for pasture or grazing, provided it was part of the farm operator's total operation. Large acreages of woodland or wasteland held for nonagricultural purposes were deleted from individual reports during the processing operations.

Land in farms is an operating unit concept and includes land owned and operated as well as land rented from others. Land used rent free was to be reported as land rented from others. Except for open range and grazing land used under government permits, all grazing land was included as "land in farms" provided the place was part of a farm or ranch. Grazing land operated by grazing associations was to be reported by the person chiefly responsible for conducting the business of the association. All land in Indian reservations used for growing crops or grazing livestock was to be included as land in farms. Land in Indian reservations not reported by individual Indians or non-Indians was to be reported in the name of the cooperative group which used the land. In some cases, an entire Indian reservation was reported as one farm.

Data on ownership of land, type of rental arrangements, and farms with grazing permits are shown in Volume II with totals for each State.

Land in two or more counties—With few exceptions, the land in each farm was tabulated as being in the operator's principal county. The principal county was defined as the one where the largest value of the agricultural products was raised or produced. It was usually where the operator reported all or the largest proportion of his total land. For a limited number of counties in the Western States, this procedure has resulted in more land in farms being counted within a county than there is land area. To minimize this distortion, some exceptions were developed from a survey of large-scale farms carried out prior to the mailing of the census forms. This survey identified about 1,600 operations as having more than one separately reportable farm unit. Other reports received showing land in noncontiguous counties were separated into two or more reports if the data would significantly affect the county totals. These reports were assigned to the appropriate counties during office processing.

Value of land and buildings—The respondents were asked to report their estimate of the current market value of land and buildings owned, rented or leased from others, and rented or leased to others. Market value refers to the respondent's estimate of what the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

If the value of land and buildings was not reported, it was estimated during office processing by using the average value of farms having similar characteristics in the same area.

Farm operator—The term "farm operator" designates a person who operates a farm, either doing the work himself or directly supervising the work. He may be the owner, a member of the owner's household, a salaried manager, a tenant, a renter, or a sharecropper. If he rents land to others or has land worked on shares by others, he is considered the operator only of the land which he retains for his own operation. In the case of partnerships, only one partner is counted as an operator. For census purposes, the number of farm operators is the same as the number of farms. In some cases, the operator was not the individual named on the address label of the questionnaire, but another family member or a partner or hired manager who was actually in charge of the farm operations.

The term "farms" in the presentation of data denotes the number of farms reporting the item. For example, if there were 3,710 farms in a State and 842 of these farms had 27,381 cattle and calves, the data for those farms reporting cattle and calves would appear as:

Cattle and calves	farms.....	842
	number..	27,381

Farm operator characteristics—Operator characteristics such as race or origin, residence, age, occupation, and off-farm work, were collected for all farms with sales of under $2,500 and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over operated by individuals or partnerships. These data were not obtained for corporations and other types of organizations such as cooperatives, prison farms, grazing associations, and Indian reservations.

Family off-farm income—In the absence of a sample follow-on survey, such as was conducted for the last three censuses, five questions were added to the 1974 report form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over to obtain data on income from off-farm sources. These sources included income from a professional practice, cash wages, salaries, interest, dividends, royalties, pensions, etc. These data were included in the census to provide a better understanding of the present income distribution in agriculture and for the development of future policies and agricultural programs. Off-farm income data were not obtained for farms operated by corporations and other organizations. Similar data have been collected in 1960, 1965, and 1970 in sample surveys taken as part of the census program.

Family income from other sources greater than agricultural sales—For farms with sales of $2,500 and over, this classification is based on a comparison of the sum of farm-related and off-farm income sources with the value of agricultural sales. For farms with sales of under $2,500, the report form included a separate inquiry about the relationship of off-farm and other income sources to agricultural sales. The response to that inquiry was used as a basis for this classification.

For ease of reference to this classification in some tables, the term "off-farm income" applies to both farm-related and off-farm sources. A separate line is shown in most tables for farms not reporting or reporting no farm-related or off-farm income.

Value of crops harvested—This item represents the estimated value of all crops harvested during the 1974 crop year. Data for the value of crops harvested were obtained by multiplying the average estimated values per unit by the operators' reports of acres or quantities harvested. In instances where only acres harvested were reported, State estimates of value of production per acre were used. Generally, harvested units of production (pounds, bushels, bales, etc.) were multiplied by State estimates of price per unit. A combination of these two factors was used when only acres harvested were requested of small farms, but units of production were requested of larger farms. The State average production prices used in these calculations were obtained in most part from publications by the Statistical Reporting Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). When USDA estimates were not available, Bureau of the Census statisticians made estimates using available sources such as data from adjacent States, respondents, report forms, and county extension agents and other persons knowledgeable about specific crops.

Value of livestock on farms—Data for value of livestock and poultry on farms were obtained by multiplying the number of livestock of each major age and sex

group by the State average price. The State average prices for cattle, hogs, sheep, Angora goats, and hens and pullets were obtained primarily from data published by the Statistical Reporting Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Prices applied to other types of livestock were census-derived averages based primarily on reported value of sales for these types in the 1974 Census of Agriculture. The 1969 and 1964 data were developed in a similar manner.

Value of agricultural products sold—This item represents the gross market value before taxes and production expenditures of all agricultural products sold or removed from the place in 1974 regardless of who received the payment. It includes receipts by the operator as well as the value of any shares received by partners, landlords, contractors and others associated with the place.

The total value of agricultural products represents the sum of all crops including nursery products sold, forest products sold, and poultry and livestock and their products sold. It does not include income from farm-related sources such as agricultural services, government farm programs, or recreation and other related sources, or income from nonfarm sources. Data from these sources of income are shown separately in various State and county tables.

The value of crops sold in 1974 does not necessarily represent sales from crops harvested in 1974. An examination of a sample of individual reports indicated extensive reporting of sales from crops produced in 1973. Some cash grain farms indicated that the 1974 grain crops were in storage and there were no sales from the 1974 crop. Likewise, some farms reported sales in 1974 from two different crop years.

Data for the value of agricultural products sold were obtained on both the regular and short forms directly from the respondents in the 1974 and 1969 Censuses of Agriculture. This procedure was a departure from the one used in previous censuses in which data on value of sales were obtained by enumeration for some products and were estimated for others. For cases in which the farm operator failed to report a value of sales, estimates were made based on the amount of crops harvested or the numbers of livestock sold. Although similar procedures were used in earlier censuses, the extent of sales estimation has increased in each of the recent censuses. Extensive estimation of market values was required for farms growing or producing products under contract.

Caution should be applied when comparing sales in 1974 with sales reported in earlier censuses due to the extreme ranges in per unit prices between census years. Reported values for 1974 varied greatly from farm to farm because of the month-to-month price per-unit variations within the 1974 census year.

Farms by value of agricultural products sold—Counts of farms by value of agricultural products sold are shown by various size groups in a number of the county and State tables. Data are shown separately for all farms and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 and over classified by value of sales are shown in State table 31. At the State level, 1974 farms with sales of $100,000 and over have been further classified into three groups: $100,000 to $199,999, $200,000 to $499,999, and $500,000 and over. These data are shown in State tables 15 and 28 through 33. Characteristics of farms with sales of under $2,500 are shown by age and occupation of the farm operator in State table 9.

Under $1,000 sales—In county summary table 33 and appendix B, the "Under $1,000" category includes only those operations reporting sales less than $1,000 and not having the potential resources on hand to produce $1,000 or more in sales. In county table 3, county summary table 7, and State tables 4 and 9, the under $1,000 category includes those farms reporting less than $1,000 in sales, but having the potential for sales of $1,000 or more.

$1,000 to $1,499 sales—For county summary table 7, this category includes those farms reporting sales of under $1,000, but having the potential for sales of between $1,000 and $2,500.

Under $2,500 sales—In all tables except county summary table 7, the "All farms" category includes those farms with sales of under $2,500 without regard to potential sales. In county summary table 7, the "under $2,500 sales" category excludes abnormal farms and farms having the potential (unrealized in 1974) for sales of $2,500 and over.

In county table 3 and State tables 9, 15, 26, and 28 through 33, the classification "Farms with sales of $2,500 and over" (usually designated in column headings) includes farms reporting sales of under $2,500, but having the production potential for sales of $2,500 and over.

$2,500 to $4,999 sales—In county summary table 7 and in the boxhead for State table 31, this category includes those farms, other than abnormal farms, having reported sales of $2,500 to $4,999 and those farms with lesser sales but having the potential for sales of $2,500 and over.

In county table 3, 1969 abnormal farms are classified in this sales group regardless of the value of their sales, but 1974 abnormal farms were classified according to their actual sales.

Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—In an effort to conform more closely to the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC), a number of commodity groupings were changed for 1974 from those used for 1969. The next seven definitions reflect changes; the last does not.

Other field crops—For 1974, this group includes the value of sales of peanuts, Irish potatoes, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, sugar cane, popcorn, mint for oil, hops, etc. For 1969, the value of pineapples sold was also included.

Fruits, nuts, and berries—For 1974, the value of pineapple sold is included in this group. For 1969, pineapple was considered a field crop.

Poultry and poultry products—For 1974, the value of poultry hatchery sales is included in this group. For 1969, it was not. The value of sales for poultry hatched is shown in State table 24 and in the county miscellaneous tables. (Also see **Poultry hatcheries** in this section).

Sheep, lambs, and wool—For 1974, the value of sales of these items is shown separately. For 1969, this value was combined with that for hogs, goats, and mohair.

Hogs and pigs—For 1974, the value of hogs and pigs sold is shown separately. For 1969, this value was combined with that for sheep, lambs, wool, goats, and mohair.

Goats and mohair—For 1974, the value of goats and mohair sold is shown separately in the county miscellaneous tables, and in aggregate with the value of other livestock and livestock products. For 1969, this value was combined with that for sheep, lambs, wool, and hogs.

Other livestock and livestock products—For 1974, the production of fish and laboratory animals is included in the agriculture census, whereas for 1969 it was not. The value of fish raised and sold and laboratory animals sold is included in the category "Other livestock and livestock products." Separate data on fish production and sales are shown in State table 24.

Forest products sold—As in previous censuses, the sales data shown for the 1974 census for this item relate only to forest products sold from farms. Commercial logging, timber, or other types of forest product operations or establishments are excluded, as are places selling only forest products. Such operations or establishments are excluded from being classed as agricultural production according to the Standard Industrial Classification in which they are classified as Forestry-Major Group 08.

Total farm production expenses—The overall completeness of expenditures data reported by farm operators for 1974 is poorer than for most recent censuses. This is especially true for farms producing crops, livestock, or poultry under contract. The majority of such operators did not know and were unwilling to estimate the value of production inputs furnished by the contractor. The scope of this phenomenon has been increasing as the structure of agriculture becomes more complex, requiring increased estimations of production expenses during office processing of individual census reports. These estimates were made for individual expenditures, and were based on the scope of related crop and livestock information for the individual report, or in some cases on averages or ratios of expenditures reported by similar farms in the same geographic area.

The figures for 1974 and 1969 are heavily weighted by the effect of reporting of "All other production expenses." Some farmers may have misinterpreted the intent of this question and reported capital improvement expenditures, purchase of long-term assets, household expenses, and other personal expenditures; others may have failed to include all applicable items. Any calculations of net farm income based on this census figure should be used with caution.

Commercial fertilizer—Data for 1974 and 1969 include the cost of rock phosphate and gypsum. These items were excluded from the 1964 figures.

Other agricultural chemicals—These expenditures include the cost of all herbicides, fungicides, other pesticides, growth control chemicals, and defoliants used for crops or pastureland, and insecticides used for livestock and poultry during the census year. They also include expenditures for chemicals such as lime for soil treatment and sanitation, pesticides used for rodent and bird control, etc. A detailed breakdown by the purpose of the chemical application along with the related expenditure is shown for farms with sales of $2,500 and over in county table 12 and State tables 13 and 28 through 33.

All other production expenses—This item was subject to extensive errors in reporting due to the complexity of concept and the numerous individual expense items eligible for inclusion in the one answer space. Respondents failed in many cases to follow the instructions specifying the type of expenditures to be included or excluded. Obvious errors were corrected during the processing, but the dollar figures for this item should be used with caution. For all statistical tables, this item includes the balance of production expenses for all items not already individually specified in the table.

Crop classifications—Some respondents reported crops on lines designated for other crops. Obvious errors were corrected during processing; however, not all errors were corrected. For example, the wheat categories were so poorly reported that for most States, data by kind of wheat are not published.

Hay crops—Data shown for hay represents all hay crops, including grass silage and hay cut green, unless otherwise specified. In showing production data for all hay crops, dry tons represent dry tonnage for the various hay categories and dry-weight equivalent for grass silage and hay cut and fed green. The conversion used was 3 tons green weight to one ton dry.

Land in vegetables—The total acres of land used for vegetables in 1974 shown in State table 8 and county summary table 28 are not fully comparable to the acres published for 1969. For 1974, the data are the land from which vegetables were harvested; for 1969 the acres shown are the sum of the acres of the individual crops harvested. In areas where more than one vegetable crop is grown on the same land during the season, comparability is affected.

Land in orchards—This includes land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees of all ages, including land on which all fruit crops failed. Respondents were instructed not to report abandoned plantings and plantings of less than 20 fruit, citrus, or nut trees, or of grapevines.

Poultry hatcheries—The data shown for hatcheries do not represent the total of all hatchery production or value. The historical census concept of counting items as sold only if the product was taken from the farm dictated that only hatcheries which produced chicks, poults, and ducklings for sale or placement on other farms should be included in the census totals. Poultry hatched and raised for sale or for layer replacement on the same place have been excluded. For such operations, the value of sales from the final product, such as broilers, turkeys, or eggs, is counted in the census. The value of hatchery sales is included in the category "Poultry and poultry products" and is also shown separately in State table 24.

Fish production—The raising of fish for sale was included as agricultural production by the 1972 SIC, and data for such operations are included in the agriculture census for the first time in 1974. As the commercial raising of fish is a relatively new industry, the census mailing register covering fish production may have been incomplete. Information on fish production and sales is shown in State table 24 and in the county miscellaneous table 7.

Bees and honey—Bee and honey production was enumerated and tabulated in the county in which the home farm was located (even though hives are often moved from farm to farm over a wide geographic area for pollination). Several factors affect the completeness and accuracy of these data: First, bee and honey sales were enumerated separately only for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Many bee owners operate on a small scale, and their sales are not identified separately in the statistics. Second, some bee operations may not have been on the mailing list. Third, some operators on the mailing list may not have considered beekeeping to be an agricultural operation, and therefore did not report.

Total cropland—Total cropland consists of land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut; land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products; land used only for pasture or grazing; land in cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses; land on which all crops failed; and land in cultivated summer fallow. It also includes cropland that is idle. This item may be overstated for 1974 and 1969 as compared to earlier censuses (see next paragraph).

Cropland used only for pasture or grazing—This category covers rotation pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements. Land in this category may have been overstated in 1974 and 1969 due to a tendency of farm operators to report all pastureland in the first question relating to pastureland. Obvious errors were corrected during processing.

Other cropland—This category consists of land used for soil improvement crops, land on which all crops failed, and land in cultivated summer fallow. It also includes idle cropland.

Other land—In State tables 1 and 9, county table 1, and county summary table 2, other land refers to all land not otherwise itemized. It includes pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pasture, and house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. In State tables 10 and 28, other land refers only to house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.

Irrigation—Data on methods of irrigation and quantity of water used are shown in State table 12 and county table 13. More detailed statistical tables on these items, as well as more information on irrigated crop yields, are included in Volume II of the census.

Commercial fertilizer—The acreage fertilized and tonnage applied are shown along with the acreage harvested for most major crops and groups of other crops. The acreage fertilized may include some acreage on which part of a crop failed, but if all of a fertilized crop failed, fertilizer figures are not included with data shown by crop. Instead, fertilized acreage on which all crops failed and tonnage are included in the totals shown for all acreage fertilized and tons applied. For most counties and States, the difference in acreage is not significant.

Other agricultural chemicals—Detailed data showing the general purposes for which chemicals were applied are published for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Some farm operators reported their total acreage treated by sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc., but did not allocate acreage according to the various purposes of the treatment. It was not feasible to allocate misreported data properly, so these data were added to "Other chemicals."

To a limited degree, then, detailed data for insect, nematode, disease, and weed control are incompletely reported and the item "Other chemicals" actually includes a sizeable amount of expenditures relating to these controls.

Grain storage capacity—A question on grain storage was asked for the first time in the 1974 census. No attempt was made to supply missing data for this item; instead, the number of farms not reporting are shown.

Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—This information was first collected for the 1954 census, but was not collected for 1969. In 1974, data were collected on the number of ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks, and the area covered by them when filled to capacity.

Futures market—These data were collected to determine if the operator utilized the commodity futures market in 1974 to hedge sales of any farm commodities produced on the place. The data probably represent an overstatement of the actual number of farm operators using the futures market. Apparently, respondents were confused between futures market transactions and forward pricing agreements. Although obvious errors were corrected, the data should be used with caution.

Contracts—The data published in State table 27 are shown essentially as reported, except for inconsistencies that were corrected. The published data are incompletely reported, partly because of the complex and varied nature of production and marketing contracts, and partly because of a lack of understanding, or more often a lack of knowledge, on the part of the respondents, of the facts. Some contracts were not reported at all, and for some reported contracts not all characteristics were given. The "Not reported" line in table 27 indicates the extent of incompleteness of reporting on the contract characteristics. Data on the amount received from the contractor varied from the full market value for some marketing contracts to only fractional values for some production contracts. More detailed data for individual items produced under contract are included in Volume II of the census.

Payroll and employment—For 1974 more data were collected than in previous agriculture censuses, to provide a more complete accounting and classification of hired labor involved in agriculture production. Data were collected on the number of workers by number of days worked, cash wages paid, and amount paid to contract workers and salaried corporation officers (see section 30 of the form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over).

Some respondents who had sizeable numbers of seasonal workers during the year had difficulty reporting the number of workers by days worked, because their records were often not kept in such detail. County and State totals for the number of seasonal workers give a sizeable overcount for the number of hired workers actually involved in agriculture because many of them worked on more than one farm during the year and thus may have been counted more than once. Therefore, these data should be used with some caution.

Caution is also necessary with the data on contract labor. Some farm operators may not have distinguished clearly between hired labor and contract labor—workers hired through a labor contractor or crewleader. This has resulted in a possible overstatement of the number of farms using contract labor, although the dollar amounts involved are generally small.

Likewise, salaries paid to corporate officers may include some worktime spent on nonfarm activities.

Injuries and illnesses—Information on injuries and illnesses was collected for the first time in the 1974 census. Information was obtained on the number of injuries and illnesses of hired workers, paid members of the operator's family, unpaid family members, and operators of farms with sales of $2,500 or more. No data are shown in this report; however, several unpublished tabulations were made and copies are available for purchase upon request (see section 7. **Unpublished Data**). The unpublished data were tabulated as reported; no attempt was made to estimate for possible missing or underreported data.

Farm credit—The census of agriculture has collected varying amounts of data relating to credit since 1890. Continuing changes in technology and agricultural practices have increased the amount of money and credit required for efficient farm operation. In lieu of the traditional separate finance survey, section 33 was added to the report form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over to obtain information from farm operators on debts secured and not secured by real estate. The data collected are shown in county table 14, county summary table 31, and State tables 28 through 33, and in some unpublished tables on the financial characteristics of farm operators.

Debt secured by real estate relates to debt owed by the farm operator and secured by land owned and operated. Debt on land owned by the operator but rented to others was to be excluded. In county summary table 31, a ratio has been calculated of the debt secured by real estate to the value of owned land operated. This is one measure of the degree of indebtedness. Data for debts for secured by real estate pertain only to debt owed by the operator and exclude debts owed by landlords, contractors, etc.

Farm fuel storage capacity—Questions were asked for the first time in the 1974 census on the on-farm storage capacity of gasoline, diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, and propane used for the farm business. However, a significant number of respondents failed to answer these questions or answered them incorrectly; for instance, many operators reported the total gallons purchased during the year instead of the fuel storage capacity. Such obvious errors were deleted, but since acceptable data were not obtained for substantial number of farms, none is shown in this report. Several tabulations were made, however, and unpublished data are available for purchase upon request (see section 7. **Unpublished Data**).

Income and expenses from farm-related sources—An expanded series of questions on farm-related income and expenses were asked of all farms in the 1974 census to obtain a more complete picture of the total income of farm operators from all sources. These sources include income and expenses associated with customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others, recreational services, participation in government programs, renting out land, and other activity conducted on the farm or closely related to the farm. As a general rule, these other income sources are included if they are closely related, even though supplemental, to the farm operation. However, if they constitute a separate establishment or were conducted from another location, they are not included. For example, if a farm operator owned a company which furnished custom services to other farms, and that company and its income were reported in the 1974 Survey of Agricultural Services as a separate establishment, the income is not included in the data for this category. Also not included are reported sales of capital assets such as land, buildings, and machinery. Examples of income from other farm-related sources that are included are: payments from farm insurance damages, gas tax refunds, patronage dividends, expenditure rebates, farm

machine and building rentals, and farm by-products sales.

Besides those expenses associated with customwork, recreational services, government programs, renting of farmland, etc., expenses include operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. However, the data shown for this item do not represent the total expenditures associated with farm-related income. The respondent was requested, if separate records were available, to report farm-related income expenses separately from farm production expenses. If the respondent did not report farm-related expenses separately, those expenses are assumed to be included in farm production expenses.

Differences in totals for some items—The total given in one table for an item may differ slightly from the total given in another table for the same item because of the rounding of fractions or the rounding to thousands.

6. Farm Classifications

State table 9 presents detailed data for all farms classified by selected value of sales groups; State tables 28 to 33 present detailed data for farms with sales of $2,500 and over classified by specified characteristics—tenure of operator, type of organization, age and principal occupation of operator, size of farm (in acres), value of agricultural products sold, and standard industrial classification. In addition, this report contains a number of farm counts according to various characteristics, as well as frequency distributions of farms classified by value of sales of each of the principal farm enterprises.

Farms by tenure of operator—The classifications of tenure as used for both the 1974 and 1969 censuses are:

a. Full owners, who operate only land they own;
b. Part owners, who operate land they own and also land they rent from others; and
c. Tenants, who operate only land they rent from others or work on shares for others.

Detailed data by tenure of operator and type of organization are shown in State table 28. For the 1964 census and earlier censuses, a separate classification was used for hired managers, in addition to full owners, part owners, and tenants. The manager classification was discontinued because managed farms became increasingly difficult to define and identify, especially with the mail enumeration. Farms which may be operated by hired managers for 1969 and 1974 are distributed among full owners, part owners, and tenants according to the reported ownership of the land in the place.

Farms by age of operator—Age of the farm operator was obtained for all farms with sales under $2,500 and only for individual, family, or partnership operated farms having sales of $2,500 and over. Characteristics of farms by two age-of-operator groups in combination with occupation information are shown in State table 9 for farms with sales of under $2,500 and by six age groups in State table 29 for farms with sales of $2,500 and over.

Racial and ethnic groups—These data were collected and tabulated for all farm operators with sales under $2,500 and for those operators with sales of $2,500 and over if they operated the farm as an individual or family or partnership. Each operator, except those in Hawaii, was asked to classify himself or herself into one of six racial or ethnic groups. For Hawaii, nine categories were provided.

For 1974, data are shown for "Blacks and other races"; "other races" includes American Indians, Hawaiians, Japanese, Chinese, Filipinos, Koreans, and any other separate racial group. The comparable data for 1969 are for Black-operated farms only. The farm operators reporting themselves to be of Spanish origin were included with the White race wherever separate data for "White" were shown. Counts of farm operators for each of the enumerated racial or ethnic groups are shown in county miscellaneous data table 14 for counties with three or more operators in any of the groups.

Farms by type of organization—This was the second census of agriculture for which farms were classified by type of organization; the first time was for the 1969 census. The respondent classified his own organizational status by marking a box opposite the type of organization which best described the way the place was operated in 1974. The classifications were:

a. Individual or family operation (sole proprietorship), excluding partnership and corporation.
b. Partnership operation, including family partnership.
c. Corporation, including family corporation.
d. Other, such as cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc.

The farms were classified according to the information provided in section 37 of the regular form. Many of the reports which showed "other" as the type of organization came from institutional farms, Indian reservations, or other operations classified as "abnormal." Abnormal farms were not included in the tabulations for farms with sales of $2,500 and over.

Some caution should be taken when comparing 1974 data for corporations with 1969 data. A followup study of the 1969 data indicated that a sizable number of farms were wrongly reported as corporate, especially in the Southern States. These errors in the 1969 data have not been corrected and are shown as originally published.

More detailed data obtained from a special survey of farms operated by corporations are included in **Volume IV, Special Reports,** of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

Farms by value of sales—In earlier agricutural censuses, data were classified in nine groups referred to as "economic classes." The use of this term was discontinued for 1974; however, for farms with sales of $2,500 or more in 1974, the value-of-products sold classifications are the same as the value ranges used for establishing economic classes 1 through 5

in prior censuses and are therefore comparable. Some caution should be used in comparing value-of-sales data for 1974 with those of earlier censuses due to the substantial increase in prices received by farmers between the census periods.

Data for farms with sales of less than $2,500, classified in earlier censuses as economic classes 6, part time, and part retirement, are not directly comparable to the 1974 value classes because of the change in farm definition and modifications in farm classification. For 1969, farms with sales of under $2,500 were classified as:

a. Class 6—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is under 65 years of age and did not work off the farm 100 days or more in the census year.
b. Part time—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is under 65 years of age and worked off the farm 100 days or more in the census year.
c. Part retirement—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is 65 years or over.

If 1974 data shown in State table 9 and appendix B are combined, limited comparisons between 1969 and 1974 can be made as follows:

Compare 1969 class 6 farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were under 65 years old and devoting 50 percent or more of their worktime to farming. Compare 1969 part-time farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were under 65 years old and devoting less than 50 percent of their worktime to farming. Compare 1969 part-retirement farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were 65 years old and over regardless of occupation.

Abnormal farms—This category includes institutional farms, experimental and research farms, and Indian reservations. Institutional farms include those operated by hospitals, penitentiaries, schools, grazing associations, government agencies, etc. Data for abnormal farms were included in totals for all farms, but were excluded from data for farms with sales of $2,500 or more. Characteristics of abnormal farms are shown in State table 9. The abnormal farms are comparable to abnormal farms of earlier censuses.

New classification of farms—A new classification series was used to present the data for the 1974 census. It was developed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the Bureau of the Census to better describe today's agriculture and its complex relationships with other sectors of the economy. The major classifications are:

a. Primary farm—A farm operated by an individual or family or partnership where the operator spends 50 percent or more of his worktime on the farm (considers farming to be the principal occupation) or a farm operated under a corporate structure which received 50 percent or more if its gross business (farm and nonfarm) from the sale of agricultural products.
b. Part-time farm—A farm operated by an individual or partnership where the operator spends less than 50 percent of his worktime on the farm (does not consider farming to be the principal occupation).
c. Business-associated farm—A farm operated under a corporated structure which received less than 50 percent of its gross business income (farm and nonfarm) from the sale of agricultural products.
d. Abnormal farm—An institutional, experimental, or research farm, or an Indian reservation. An institutional farm is one operated by a hospital, penitentiary, school, grazing association, government agency, etc.

Some new classifications are not yet available. Data necessary to classify corporations as primary or business-associated are being collected in a separate survey. It will be published, along with data for individuals and partnerships, in a later report. However, the classifications for individual or family operated farms, for partnerships, and for abnormal farms are described in the following discussion of data presented by principal occupation of the farm operator.

Farms by principal occupation—Information was obtained on the occupation of the farm operator in 1974 to provide the basis for the new farm classification. Data on occupation were not obtained in 1969. The principal occupation classification for farms with sales of $2,500 and over relates only to farms operated by individuals or families (sole proprietorships) and partnerships. Farm characteristics are shown by age of the operator and occupation for farms with sales of under $2,500 in State table 9 and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over in State table 29.

The classifications used for 1974 were:

a. Farming—The principal occupation of the operator if he spent 50 percent or more of his worktime in 1974 in farming.
b. Other—The principal occupation of the operator if he spent 50 percent or more of his work time in 1974 at occupations other than farming. Some operators engaged in ranching marked "other" as their principal occupation. Most such obvious errors were corrected during the processing operation.

Farms operated by persons who consider themselves farmers by occupation would be classified as primary farms under the new classification. Likewise, those farms operated by persons who consider themselves as having occupations other than farming would be classified as part-time farms.

Farms by size—All farms were classified by size according to the total land area established for each farm (acres in this place). Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 and over by 12 size-of-farm groups are presented in State table 30. The same classification was used for all States. By definition, a farm was an operating unit, not an ownership tract.

In the case of a landlord who had assigned land to tenants, the land assigned

to each tenant was considered a separate farm even though the landlord may have considered the entire landholding as one unit in respect to supervision, equipment, rotation practice, purchase of supplies, or sale of products.

Farms by type—Data from the 1974 census are being published in accordance with the expanded classification system for agricultural production published in the 1972 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual. In general, the SIC classifications published for 1974 are comparable to the historical type-of-farm classifications except that the expanded SIC provides the potential for a more detailed classification.

Farms by standard industrial classification—A standard classification for agricultural production establishments (farms, ranches, nurseries, greenhouses, etc.) has been evolving over the entire lifetime of the SIC system, but at a less rapid rate than in other producing sectors of the economy, primarily because of the diversity of production typical of most farms. In recent years, increasing specialization by agricultural producers has encouraged the creation of a more detailed set of classifications. These classifications, found in the 1972 SIC Manual, are intended to promote uniformity and comparability in the presentation of statistical data collected by various agencies.

An establishment primarily engaged in crop production (major group 01) or livestock production (major group 02) is classified in the 3- or 4-digit industry group which accounts for 50 percent or more of the total value of sales of its agricultural production. If the total value of sales of agricultural products of an establishment was less than 50 percent from a single 4-digit industry, but 50 percent or more from the products of two or more 4-digit industries within the same 3-digit industry group, the establishment is classified in the miscellaneous industry of that industry group; otherwise, it is classified as a general crop farm in industry 0191 or a general livestock farm in industry 0291.

Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 or more for selected SIC groupings are shown in State tables 32 and 33 and county summary table 6. Additional and more complete 1974 data for various SIC classifications will be shown in Volume II.

Farms not classified by SIC—Some farms included in the 1974 Census of Agriculture did not meet the official specifications of the standard industrial classification for agricultural activities. Sales of forest products, which by historical census definition are included in the total value of farm products sold, are excluded by the SIC classification system. Therefore, farms having more than one-half of their sales from forest products are excluded from SIC classification. In addition, those farms having a significant proportion (but less than half) of their sales from forest products and not meeting the definition of one of the two categories of general farms are also excluded from SIC classification.

7. Unpublished Data

Data collected and tabulated primarily to meet the needs of specific governmental users have been assembled in a series of unpublished tables. The table headings and stubs of most of these tables have more frequent data intervals and size groupings than those published in Volume I. In some cases, the tables display the data in a format specified by certain data users. Most tables provide State level statistics.

The principal unpublished tabulations available are on:

- Farm contracts.
- Fuel storage capacity.
- Grain storage capacity.
- Grazing permits.
- Hired workers.
- Injuries and illnesses.
- Irrigated and nonirrigated crop yields.
- Land use by size of farm.
- Selected farm characteristics by—
  - Standard industrial classification
  - Debt status.
  - Race or origin.
  - Age of farm operator.
  - Days worked off-farm by the operator.
- Utilization of futures market.

In addition some data were tabulated extending frequency distributions for already published items. These tabulations are in the same format as State tables 28 through 33.

For information on the content and cost of the unpublished tabulations, please write to the Chief, Agriculture Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

8. Nonsampling Errors

Every census or survey has some errors. These can arise from such sources as incorrect or incomplete reporting, processing errors, and the inability to obtain a response from all farmers. Limited sampling was done in this census, and most of the error is of the nonsampling type.

Reported data may be incorrect due to misunderstanding of questions or the use of estimates in reporting. During processing, adjustments are made to data items which appear to be inconsistent with other items.

Respondents may fail to provide all of the information requested. In some cases, the respondent may indicate the presence of an item but not the amount. Imputations were made for missing data on the quantities and sales values of crops and livestock, but no imputations were made for such items as forest products sold, injuries and illnesses, and farm credit.

An adjustment was made for operations on the mailing list which did not respond to the census. This adjustment employed sampling, and variation from the adjustment is measured in sampling errors; however, any systematic bias is not measured. The methodology for this adjustment is described in section 10. **Statistical Adjustments.**

There was considerable undercoverage of smaller farms because a large number of these places were not represented in

any of the administrative records of places associated with agricultural operations and, consequently, were not on the final mailing list. On the other hand, some names were on the mailing list more than once. Duplication was eliminated in the processing to a large extent, but some remains, particularly for farms whose operation changed hands, in whole or in part, while the list was being developed. Measures of final undercoverage are provided in section 9. **Census Coverage.**

9. Census Coverage

Although a complete and fully accurate count of farms, farmland, and farm production is the aim of each nationwide census of agriculture, the complex structure of America's agriculture makes this aim difficult to achieve. Among the complexities are the many places to be enumerated, the variety of arrangements under which farms are operated, the continuing changes in the relationship of farm operators to the land operated, the expiration of leases and the initiation or renewal of leases, the problem of obtaining a complete listing of all agricultural operators, the difficulty of locating and identifying some farms, the operator's absence from his farm during mail effort and followup procedures, and the operator's opinion that some or all of his agricultural operations should not be included in the census.

An evaluation of the coverage has been conducted for each census of agriculture since 1945. Although its primary purpose is to pinpoint problem areas and supply evidence upon which to base improvements, the coverage check also provides users of census data with estimates of the completeness of census counts. Preliminary results of a coverage check for this State indicate that about 77 percent of all farms are included in the census. The farms included are estimated to account for more than 98 percent of the total value of sales of agricultural products in 1974.

More detailed information, reporting coverage by size and type of farm and by geographic area, are included in a separate report of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

10. Statistical Adjustments

Report forms were obtained and tabulated for all the identified larger farms (in general, those with expected sales of $40,000 and over). In the few instances where the operator did not supply the required information, data were obtained from secondary sources. By means of detailed, programed edit specifications, adjustments or corrections were made during the computer-edit operation for internally incomplete or inconsistent data. The review procedures provided for computer printouts of edit changes to an item that exceeded specified limits. These changes were then reviewed for reasonableness by members of the processing staff and necessary corrections made.

Nonresponse

The statistics for each State and county were adjusted to account for smaller operations which did not respond in the census. The number of farms for which adjustment was made was estimated on the basis of the results of a canvass of a random sample of mailing register addressees who did not respond during the regular census followup period. The figures supplied by a stratified sample of addressees who did respond were then expanded to represent the nonrespondents and included in the census totals.

Table A shows for selected items for the State the percent of the published total that the nonresponse adjustment represents. These percentages indicate the potential for bias in published figures due to nonresponse, i.e., the extent to which the actual data for nonrespondents may not agree with the nonresponse adjustments. The probable range of difference is unknown. However, the degree of uncertainty regarding the accuracy of the data increases as the percentage of the total represented by the nonrespondent adjustment increases.

Table A. Percent of State Total Represented by Adjustment for Whole Farm Nonresponse: 1974

Item	Percent of total
Number of farms	18.9
Land in farms	9.0
Value of products sold	4.4
Harvested cropland	6.1
Inventory:	
Cattle and calves	12.8
Chickens 3 months old or older	3.0
Hogs and pigs	11.4

Sampling

During the construction of the mailing list for the census, names obtained from various sources were matched to eliminate duplicates. Names that only appeared on the list provided by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service were randomly sampled at a rate varying by State from 100% to 10%, and only those drawn in the sample were asked to complete census reports. The census reports obtained were expanded to estimate the totals for all the farms on the "ASCS only" list. The farms in the sample generally were small in size, but they occasionally included some larger farms. The States sampled at a 100% rate (all ASCS only names included in the mailing register) were Alaska, Delaware, Hawaii, Nevada, New Jersey, and West Virginia.

Reliability of Adjustments for Nonresponse and Sampling

Table B shows estimates of reliability of the published totals for selected data items for the State. These estimates include the variability from sampling the "ASCS only" list and the variability from using the random selection of respondent farms weighted by expansion factors to represent nonrespondent farms. For computing the estimates of variability due to weighting for nonresponse, the farms selected for weighting were considered to be a random sample of all farms in the stratum from which they were selected. The variances from the two

sources—the ASCS only use and the nonresponse adjustment—were combined in the usual manner to provide the estimates of reliability.

There is approximately 67% confidence that the difference between the published estimate and the figure that would have been obtained if there were no variability involved is not more than the percentage presented in the table for a specific item. There is approximately 95% confidence that the difference is less than twice the percentage given.

As calculated for this report, the standard error measures the effect of certain nonsampling errors, but does not measure any systematic biases in the data arising from incorrect reporting by respondents or adjustments for nonresponse, or incompleteness of the mailing list.

Table B. **Estimates of the Reliability of Published Totals for Selected Items: 1974**

Parish	Land in farms		Value of land and buildings		Harvested cropland		Value of crops sold		Value of livestock and poultry sold	
	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)
Louisiana, total	9 133 275	0.2	4 678 672	0.3	3 628 199	0.2	919 402	0.1	260 305	0.2
Acadia	335 658	.9	187 909	1.0	201 848	.8	53 438	.5	4 735	1.3
Allen	149 060	.9	64 547	1.0	88 046	.9	20 106	1.0	719	2.3
Ascension	56 446	1.1	50 460	1.7	18 345	1.2	14 086	.9	942	5.3
Assumption	76 634	.5	41 832	.5	39 366	.2	36 997	.2	120	.9
Avoyelles	261 261	.7	134 519	.7	146 604	.8	30 765	.6	3 382	2.3
Beauregard	159 518	2.1	69 760	2.1	41 164	1.1	6 863	1.3	3 568	1.2
Bienville	60 979	2.6	20 330	3.2	7 180	2.0	639	2.0	2 991	.8
Bossier	130 397	2.2	67 962	1.4	28 675	2.4	2 810	2.2	2 779	2.1
Caddo	251 413	2.1	104 988	2.7	60 106	1.4	7 565	1.3	7 704	1.5
Calcasieu	408 088	.9	206 188	5.3	126 428	.7	30 269	.5	2 604	.9
Caldwell	60 419	1.9	23 796	1.5	22 727	3.2	3 649	2.2	825	1.7
Cameron	245 323	1.8	89 908	.8	23 217	1.4	5 971	1.6	1 260	1.3
Catahoula	206 581	.9	85 646	1.9	124 953	1.0	19 953	1.0	1 480	.9
Claiborne	90 191	1.9	27 567	2.5	7 938	1.8	316	3.4	4 700	.8
Concordia	219 190	.8	88 473	.8	112 630	.9	18 758	.9	1 361	1.7
De Soto	187 547	1.3	63 324	1.4	12 786	1.7	341	3.9	11 124	.8
East Baton Rouge	123 485	2.1	120 432	1.7	18 687	2.0	1 668	2.6	5 004	.5
East Carroll	228 719	.6	118 119	.6	171 168	.7	32 608	.5	448	1.8
East Feliciana	155 047	1.2	71 503	1.2	19 316	1.1	1 308	.5	5 331	1.4
Evangeline	206 803	1.1	110 105	.9	104 911	1.0	25 539	1.0	2 560	3.1
Franklin	304 928	1.1	145 752	1.2	180 600	1.0	27 009	.9	3 417	1.8
Grant	55 498	1.9	31 942	10.3	13 755	2.6	1 749	2.8	1 861	2.1
Iberia	110 391	.8	76 217	.7	53 328	.5	42 304	.4	2 392	2.2
Iberville	110 719	2.1	65 218	1.7	38 312	1.0	25 508	.9	786	1.9
Jackson	38 449	12.0	14 139	5.0	2 533	3.7	65	4.1	3 991	1.4
Jefferson	7 606	.0	7 561	.0	1 333	.0	484	.0	270	.2
Jefferson Davis	328 212	.4	164 653	.3	215 277	.4	57 383	.3	1 403	2.8
Lafayette	111 550	1.2	108 529	1.6	54 515	1.8	16 482	1.1	6 197	2.8
Lafourche	203 876	.5	108 349	.8	44 104	.5	34 438	.4	1 094	1.0
La Salle	17 382	5.4	7 699	5.3	3 266	14.8	314	17.4	636	4.2
Lincoln	65 011	2.6	27 773	2.4	6 229	2.8	685	2.2	12 939	.3
Livingston	43 336	3.0	43 488	2.8	4 269	3.5	377	6.8	8 528	1.3
Madison	238 239	.7	118 416	.5	167 970	.5	31 860	.4	1 924	.5
Morehouse	280 722	.7	133 386	.7	170 220	.6	37 049	.5	2 886	.7
Natchitoches	251 628	1.4	114 413	1.4	61 283	.9	7 196	.6	8 123	2.3
Orleans	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ouachita	90 754	2.2	62 094	1.4	35 465	1.6	5 118	1.8	2 327	1.2
Plaquemines	38 169	1.8	20 493	1.6	1 102	5.3	605	7.9	608	8.1
Pointe Coupee	196 567	3.8	89 311	.7	59 829	.7	15 236	.5	2 843	3.8
Rapides	213 628	1.1	127 001	1.0	82 335	1.2	17 847	.7	6 670	1.7
Red River	119 984	.9	43 484	1.0	25 284	1.0	2 505	1.4	2 677	1.2
Richland	274 107	.8	113 559	.8	148 533	.8	21 461	.8	5 053	.8
Sabine	64 414	1.9	23 752	1.7	6 085	2.0	159	3.4	10 254	.8
St. Bernard	7 488	.0	4 324	.0	379	.0	49	.0	(D)	(D)

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Parish	Cattle and calves on farms		Chickens 3 months old and older on farms		Hogs and pigs on farms		Corn harvested for all purposes		Hay harvested	
	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)
Louisiana, total	1 515 509	0.3	3 657 907	0.8	72 365	1.1	54 468	0.6	328 109	0.4
Acadia	36 526	1.2	6 140	5.7	1 871	4.4	791	10.1	2 279	2.1
Allen	11 831	1.7	2 809	5.2	321	10.5	187	5.9	1 883	3.5
Ascension	9 869	1.9	(D)	(D)	109	11.1	466	3.1	2 877	5.8
Assumption	429	5.8	268	8.2	36	.0	40	.0	28	9.4
Avoyelles	43 033	1.5	10 529	2.6	3 562	2.8	4 286	1.7	10 131	2.0
Beauregard	28 469	1.4	57 062	.2	796	4.5	1 064	5.1	6 919	2.1
Bienville	15 208	2.3	52 383	.3	407	4.7	801	4.9	4 711	2.7
Bossier	40 534	1.6	1 790	7.0	329	7.3	453	4.7	9 271	2.6
Caddo	60 704	1.6	93 607	.1	835	6.0	509	7.4	15 875	1.9
Calcasieu	43 602	1.2	31 213	1.6	889	3.7	85	2.6	3 199	2.7
Caldwell	10 409	1.9	1 601	7.9	1 039	17.0	232	12.2	2 074	3.9
Cameron	31 764	1.3	1 457	9.4	141	6.3	33	8.8	1 850	5.0
Catahoula	15 147	2.3	1 634	6.4	2 885	2.2	1 936	2.5	3 071	2.5
Claiborne	22 529	1.3	4 957	4.1	506	13.8	690	3.8	6 356	2.1
Concordia	16 058	2.0	892	8.9	1 000	5.3	1 118	2.3	2 125	4.8
De Soto	52 654	1.2	125 536	.1	252	8.0	231	7.7	10 812	2.1
East Baton Rouge	30 556	1.2	34 612	.3	629	1.3	1 587	3.4	7 828	1.4
East Carroll	7 773	1.0	1 092	10.3	451	8.1	148	1.0	2 322	.6
East Feliciana	40 268	1.2	13 704	1.2	1 124	4.4	2 136	1.3	9 739	2.1
Evangeline	29 821	1.4	6 403	4.0	1 370	12.2	912	3.8	3 321	7.0
Franklin	42 908	2.4	3 928	4.1	1 213	3.8	1 054	5.0	7 081	2.2
Grant	14 713	1.7	(D)	(D)	1 964	2.0	132	9.1	3 867	2.6
Iberia	10 888	2.7	1 565	12.7	1 082	15.7	780	2.3	3 744	6.7
Iberville	18 226	1.9	599	8.1	22	17.1	1 126	3.6	2 505	4.5
Jackson	8 717	3.1	148 650	.1	478	12.6	152	9.6	2 318	4.0
Jefferson	1 454	.0	361	.0	146	.0	—	.0	—	.0
Jefferson Davis	18 899	1.5	1 646	9.3	1 415	1.1	52	12.5	1 677	5.3
Lafayette	28 029	1.5	8 515	3.0	1 499	2.4	2 000	2.9	7 086	1.9
Lafourche	20 862	.9	2 842	19.6	45	22.1	468	5.5	4 701	2.2
La Salle	7 987	4.8	12 775	5.2	638	6.8	153	11.3	1 328	4.8
Lincoln	18 297	2.1	63 734	.2	275	7.5	435	10.1	4 671	3.2
Livingston	15 382	4.1	767 381	3.0	1 322	15.6	278	3.9	3 452	4.1
Madison	9 192	1.0	4 964	.7	1 638	.7	647	4.0	482	8.2
Morehouse	22 050	1.4	1 350	8.4	1 017	4.5	748	2.0	6 836	2.3
Natchitoches	72 267	2.2	2 724	5.4	178	4.9	536	3.4	16 919	2.7
Orleans	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ouachita	15 493	2.9	27 726	.3	1 757	.7	741	6.9	3 717	3.4
Plaquemines	3 775	4.8	68	.0	—	.0	—	.0	90	19.7
Pointe Coupee	38 909	1.9	9 259	1.7	616	5.2	2 730	2.4	7 789	2.8
Rapides	50 266	1.4	263 355	1.4	4 570	5.5	3 449	1.6	10 014	2.2
Red River	39 831	1.3	(D)	(D)	974	21.9	479	1.3	9 466	1.4
Richland	35 107	1.3	2 540	4.4	1 762	9.0	510	2.7	5 511	1.6
Sabine	18 160	1.5	14 100	.6	687	3.1	224	2.2	5 300	1.9
St. Bernard	768	.0	98	.0	6	.0	—	.0	153	.0

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	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)
St. Charles . . .	57 073	9.1	23 063	8.0	2 522	1.3	(D)	(D)	707	3.2
St. Helena . . .	68 008	1.5	35 937	1.4	9 368	1.9	299	5.7	9 802	1.0
St. James. . . .	46 997	.3	50 315	.4	26 471	.5	25 271	.6	47	4.6
St. John the Baptist . .	26 881	.6	34 517	.5	11 618	.4	9 398	.6	110	4.9
St. Landry . . .	309 073	1.5	159 517	1.3	178 424	1.0	34 069	.9	4 911	1.7
St. Martin . . .	91 458	2.0	51 466	2.1	39 944	1.0	19 633	1.1	1 040	3.1
St. Mary	117 530	.3	57 967	.2	50 181	.1	41 242	.1	47	1.1
St. Tammany .	64 969	2.7	64 652	2.7	7 943	2.2	269	2.5	3 282	2.0
Tangipahoa . .	149 800	1.6	107 250	1.4	25 293	1.9	1 556	5.4	36 733	.6
Tensas	228 876	.8	100 411	1.1	116 169	.7	22 584	.6	2 188	2.0
Terrebonne . .	60 392	1.0	33 225	.8	21 923	.9	14 373	.4	203	6.4
Union.	76 064	4.2	32 483	2.6	8 178	2.5	264	2.8	14 249	1.3
Vermilion . . .	374 523	.6	206 978	.8	172 154	.5	52 886	.4	3 202	.9
Vernon	91 337	1.0	39 917	1.2	8 905	2.2	388	3.8	4 626	.7
Washington . .	125 926	1.4	81 159	1.5	27 094	2.1	1 136	5.3	18 757	1.3
Webster.	82 648	1.7	29 062	1.9	9 937	2.8	332	7.1	3 175	1.0
West Baton Rouge.	37 498	.8	31 412	1.5	18 448	.5	14 172	.4	445	2.0
West Carroll . .	184 493	1.3	78 912	1.3	124 080	1.4	18 289	1.2	3 317	1.8
West Feliciana.	125 109	2.2	51 334	1.8	15 194	1.2	2 919	1.6	2 318	4.2
Winn	29 165	3.6	9 903	4.3	2 225	6.3	48	7.4	611	2.5

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Parish	Cattle and calves on farms		Chickens 3 months old and older on farms		Hogs and pigs on farms		Corn harvested for all purposes		Hay harvested	
	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)
St. Charles . . .	7 844	3.6	20	0.0	4	0.0	40	([1])	1 387	5.0
St. Helena . . .	26 760	1.2	127 457	12.3	879	3.2	1 216	6.0	7 621	2.0
St. James. . . .	750	2.4	286	10.1	17	.0	81	10.5	80	.0
St. John the Baptist . .	918	5.6	–	.0	511	2.8	131	4.3	391	.0
St. Landry . . .	45 252	1.6	17 941	2.6	2 854	4.6	7 820	2.0	7 647	2.2
St. Martin . . .	10 671	2.8	5 595	4.4	584	8.0	2 952	3.3	4 753	3.4
St. Mary	827	1.7	656	11.4	69	10.4	51	([1])	70	.1
St. Tammany .	22 176	3.3	79 566	5.3	940	15.4	553	3.7	4 934	3.6
Tangipahoa . .	71 892	2.2	1 229 839	.6	1 047	13.7	821	3.6	19 693	1.2
Tensas	24 011	1.4	676	9.3	5 065	9.6	866	1.0	5 093	.9
Terrebonne . .	4 224	1.9	564	17.7	12	.0	45	.0	1 717	6.4
Union.	24 199	1.8	76 422	.2	728	1.9	353	6.5	7 015	2.8
Vermilion . . .	49 403	1.0	7 992	2.9	633	4.5	881	5.1	5 952	2.9
Vernon.	25 054	1.7	12 808	1.6	496	14.4	550	6.5	6 022	1.7
Washington . .	56 048	1.3	5 582	4.6	2 768	2.7	1 550	6.0	19 930	1.8
Webster.	25 872	2.2	66 343	.3	1 910	5.0	378	10.1	8 188	3.0
West Baton Rouge.	4 264	3.5	845	13.3	34	6.2	250	7.8	1 194	5.7
West Carroll . .	22 807	2.2	81 344	.2	9 222	.4	252	5.5	5 938	2.9
West Feliciana.	23 479	2.2	952	10.9	(D)	(D)	1 233	3.5	2 982	4.1
Winn	9 644	4.1	11 519	1.1	445	14.5	46	23.6	2 114	6.6

[1] Estimated coefficient of variation is 25.0 percent or greater. These coefficients are usually associated with small data values and when a significant portion of the total is derived from estimates for nonrespondents and sample reports.

APPENDIX B. Characteristics of Agricultural Operations Qualifying as Farms by the 1959 Definition But Excluded by the 1974 Definition: 1974 and 1969

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 under $1,000, 1969			
		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Farms and Land in Farms									
Farms—number	2 711	538	362	1 495	316	14 287	3 601	7 884	2 802
percent	100.0	19.8	13.4	55.1	11.7	100.0	25.2	55.2	19.6
Land in farms—acres	104 221	18 068	12 547	57 572	16 034	877 009	202 326	482 802	191 881
Average size of farm—acres	38	34	35	39	51	61	56	61	68
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	73 076	12 166	8 319	43 140	9 451	331 072	80 123	187 084	63 865
Average per farm—dollars	26 955	22 613	22 980	28 856	29 909	23 173	22 250	23 730	22 793
Average per acre—dollars	701	673	663	749	589	378	396	387	333
Farms by value of farm:									
$1 to $9,999	821	216	134	382	89	5 058	1 476	2 522	1 060
$10,000 to $19,999	689	143	92	378	76	3 990	972	2 280	738
$20,000 to $39,999	687	103	86	409	89	3 158	669	1 895	594
$40,000 to $69,999	330	43	31	221	35	1 362	309	802	251
$70,000 to $99,999	84	16	8	45	15	358	74	196	88
$100,000 and over	100	17	11	60	12	361	101	189	71
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned—farms	2 573	505	346	1 427	295	12 805	3 079	7 086	2 640
acres	147 071	30 269	19 092	77 059	20 651	841 447	198 077	430 613	212 757
Land rented or leased from others—farms	319	65	33	182	39	3 200	923	1 945	332
acres	11 091	3 845	861	5 253	1 132	179 480	47 852	112 836	18 792
Land rented or leased to others—farms	611	209	77	276	49	2 387	715	1 048	624
acres	53 941	16 046	7 406	24 740	5 749	143 918	43 603	60 647	39 668
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland—farms	1 834	351	257	1 013	213	11 928	3 068	6 509	2 351
acres	26 124	4 666	3 057	15 262	3 139	396 919	105 168	208 731	83 020
Harvested cropland—farms	646	143	103	316	84	6 743	1 953	3 523	1 267
acres	2 280	541	344	1 159	236	68 028	20 807	35 054	12 167
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres	593	128	100	287	78	3 883	1 055	2 043	785
10 to 19 acres	53	15	3	29	6	1 957	607	1 025	325
20 to 29 acres	–	–	–	–	–	654	218	326	110
30 to 49 acres	–	–	–	–	–	212	69	106	37
50 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	37	4	23	10
100 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing—farms	1 273	214	150	754	155	8 229	1 912	4 644	1 673
acres	18 856	3 280	2 351	10 976	2 249	267 188	62 286	146 916	57 986
Other cropland (see text)—farms	249	52	38	114	45	2 474	730	1 217	527
acres	4 988	845	362	3 127	654	61 703	22 075	26 761	12 867
Woodland, including woodland pasture—farms	931	126	121	572	112	5 542	1 174	3 217	1 151
acres	38 321	4 626	2 794	24 669	6 232	277 961	46 711	171 345	59 905
Other land (see text)—farms	1 903	388	256	1 027	232	8 932	2 207	4 945	1 780
acres	39 776	8 776	6 696	17 641	6 663	202 129	50 447	102 726	48 956
Irrigated land—farms	51	23	9	17	2	478	123	251	104
acres	938	757	61	109	11	5 649	1 497	2 795	1 357
Race and Tenure of Operator									
All farm operators:									
Full owners	2 400	473	329	1 317	281	11 131	2 695	5 956	2 480
Part owners	163	31	17	101	14	1 628	370	1 105	153
Tenants	148	34	16	77	21	1 528	536	823	169
White farm operators:									
Full owners	1 977	369	235	1 174	199	9 144	2 059	5 212	1 873
Part owners	126	22	13	82	9	1 373	268	982	123
Tenants	98	18	9	60	11	932	252	591	89
Black and other races (see text):									
Full owners	423	104	94	143	82	1 987	636	744	607
Part owners	37	9	4	19	5	255	102	123	30
Tenants	50	16	7	17	10	596	284	232	80
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]									
Farm operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	31	3	–	28	–	215	85	130	–
25 to 34 years	308	52	–	256	–	1 185	274	911	–
35 to 44 years	471	120	–	351	–	2 489	467	2 022	–
45 to 54 years	562	130	–	432	–	3 572	996	2 576	–
55 to 64 years	661	233	–	428	–	4 024	1 779	2 245	–
65 years and over	678	–	362	–	316	2 802	–	–	2 802
Average age	52.8	49.5	70.5	46.0	70.6	52.7	51.2	46.9	70.9
Farm operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	1 059	134	135	627	163	8 877	2 176	4 821	1 880
On another farm	134	86	14	26	8				
In a rural area not on a farm	108	28	15	62	3	2 788	698	1 734	356
In a city, town, or urban area	217	16	8	174	19				
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	2 425	385	291	1 460	289	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
None	751	206	236	144	165	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Any	1 674	179	55	1 316	124	10 117	1 267	7 884	966
1 to 49 days	163	43	18	84	18	953	652	–	301
50 to 99 days	139	40	14	60	25	740	615	–	125
100 to 149 days	103	22	6	59	16				
150 to 199 days	181	12	3	151	15	1 907	–	1 809	98
200 days and over	1 088	62	14	962	50	6 517	–	6 075	442
Farm operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	900	538	362	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other	1 811	–	–	1 495	316	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

[1] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

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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 under $1,000, 1969			
		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Farm Operator Characteristics[1] — Continued									
Farm operators by off-farm income:									
Reporting any	1 517	325	196	801	195	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	1 463	310	193	767	193	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	54	15	3	34	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Not reporting or reporting none	1 194	213	166	694	121	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms by Size									
1 to 9 acres	589	134	92	303	60	1 322	364	744	214
10 to 49 acres	1 661	323	226	925	187	8 048	2 201	4 421	1 426
50 to 69 acres	156	35	14	83	24	1 417	288	764	365
70 to 99 acres	127	18	14	81	14	1 326	321	750	255
100 to 139 acres	68	11	2	43	12	886	167	490	229
140 to 179 acres	45	3	8	27	7	488	82	282	124
180 to 219 acres	22	5	3	10	4	253	51	140	62
220 to 259 acres	8	2	–	4	2	167	31	96	40
260 to 499 acres	18	4	1	11	2	258	62	137	59
500 acres and over	17	3	2	8	4	122	34	60	28
Value of Products Sold									
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) $1,000	537	117	69	303	48	5 643	1 464	3 112	1 067
Average per farm dollars	198	218	191	203	151	395	407	395	381
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
Under $250	1 846	352	248	1 014	232	5 285	1 267	2 864	1 154
$250 to $499	407	76	60	222	49	3 391	855	1 963	573
$500 to $999	458	110	54	259	35	5 611	1 479	3 057	1 075
Crops and hay sold — farms	372	102	56	178	36	4 180	1 371	1 985	824
$1,000	172	52	30	76	14	1 735	621	813	300
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	49	10	11	22	6				
$1,000	24	7	5	9	3				
Forest products — farms	29	4	–	19	6	321	57	212	52
$1,000	4	(Z)	–	2	2	51	8	35	8
Livestock and livestock products — farms	950	165	105	598	82	8 637	1 916	5 053	1 668
$1,000	327	56	34	209	27	3 857	835	2 263	759
Poultry and poultry products — farms	97	21	12	54	10				
$1,000	10	2	(Z)	6	1				
Production Expenses									
Total farm production expenses — farms	2 566	488	331	1 444	303	14 287	3 601	7 884	2 802
$1,000	1 816	336	207	1 091	182	13 334	3 145	8 046	2 143
Forms with expenditures of —									
$1 to $499	1 061	209	174	530	148	5 498	1 505	2 688	1 305
$500 to $999	1 048	203	110	619	116	4 197	1 033	2 331	833
$1,000 to $1,999	375	59	39	242	35	4 592	1 063	2 865	664
$2,000 and over	82	17	8	53	4				
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	988	205	114	551	118	4 650	1 097	2 773	780
$1,000	244	46	37	136	26	1 540	329	1 003	208
Feed for livestock and poultry — farms	2 063	355	249	1 224	235	10 130	2 327	5 804	1 999
$1,000	537	88	64	336	50	2 987	616	1 836	535
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	1 457	298	191	800	168	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
tons	2 225	423	301	1 265	237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	265	47	38	153	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees — farms	639	86	99	362	92	5 607	1 600	3 073	934
$1,000	32	5	4	19	4	365	106	203	56
Commercial fertilizer — farms	1 227	227	170	672	158	8 778	2 233	4 973	1 572
$1,000	92	15	11	55	11	1 187	297	699	190
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) — farms	258	52	30	155	21	4 758	1 244	2 771	743
$1,000	17	6	1	8	1	315	94	181	41
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business — farms	2 271	436	280	1 287	268	13 055	3 286	7 308	2 461
$1,000	269	52	32	149	35	1 870	509	1 015	347
Hired farm labor — farms	212	31	20	140	21	4 502	1 150	2 584	768
$1,000	66	15	4	43	4	1 101	314	612	175
Contract labor — farms	34	6	3	24	1	3 372	850	1 975	547
$1,000	4	1	(Z)	3	(Z)	548	137	336	75
Machine hire and customwork — farms	196	39	20	108	29				
$1,000	24	10	2	10	2				
Other production expenses — farms	1 837	366	225	1 034	212	7 575	1 781	4 455	1 339
$1,000	532	98	54	331	49	3 421	745	2 160	516
Farm-Related Income and Expenses									
Farm-related income — farms	279	95	24	143	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	629	364	55	128	82	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	38	11	–	24	3	461	157	239	65
$1,000	62	49	–	9	4	413	126	262	25
Recreational services — farms	1	–	–	1	–	70	17	32	21
$1,000	1	–	–	1	–	21	9	10	3
Government farm programs — farms	55	6	6	40	3	2 849	884	1 433	532
$1,000	17	3	(Z)	12	3	1 010	392	470	148
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	209	81	23	93	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	526	311	41	100	74	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	22	1	8	12	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	23	1	14	7	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources — farms	75	29	3	31	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	105	29	13	21	42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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	Specified excluded agricultural operations, 1974					Farms with sales under $1,000, 1969			
		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles—farms	1 869	357	260	1 040	212	8 103	2 033	4 568	1 502
number	2 049	389	276	1 168	216	9 773	2 426	5 632	1 715
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 914	362	241	1 096	215	8 707	2 048	5 179	1 480
number	1 974	384	247	1 123	220	9 526	2 245	5 712	1 569
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 796	311	229	1 060	196	8 529	2 076	5 057	1 396
number	1 929	349	253	1 113	214	10 145	2 558	5 979	1 608
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 778	310	228	1 051	189	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	1 896	348	252	1 093	203	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crawler tractors—farms	29	1	1	20	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	33	1	1	20	11	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	9	8	–	1	–	103	41	49	13
number	9	8	–	1	–	120	48	57	15
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2	–	–	2	–	101	34	53	14
number	2	–	–	2	–	103	35	54	14
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	–	–	2	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	2	–	–	2	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners—farms	70	6	11	40	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	70	6	11	40	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	15	2	–	13	–	480	109	321	50
number	15	2	–	13	–	498	109	335	54
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	10	1	–	9	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	10	1	–	9	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Field forage harvesters, sheor bor or flywheel type—farms	8	3	1	4	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	8	3	1	4	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	2 453	452	307	1 407	287	12 925	3 218	7 254	2 453
$1,000	15 904	3 281	2 066	8 761	1 796	42 414	11 212	24 974	6 228
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:									
$1 to $999	65	14	9	37	5	2 518	717	1 126	675
$1,000 to $4,999	733	124	78	430	101	8 021	1 913	4 648	1 460
$5,000 to $9,999	1 427	262	187	818	160	1 749	373	1 122	254
$10,000 to $19,999	200	40	28	115	17	471	149	275	47
$20,000 to $29,999	21	5	5	7	4				
$30,000 to $49,999	5	5	–	–	–	166	66	83	17
$50,000 and over	2	2	–	–	–				
Livestock and Poultry									
Livestock and poultry inventory:									
Cattle and calves—farms	1 164	182	126	715	141	10 278	2 404	5 852	2 022
number	5 931	972	597	3 660	702	137 706	28 870	82 811	26 025
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	768	116	87	470	95	7 994	1 904	4 544	1 546
number	3 113	500	348	1 938	327	62 006	13 450	36 946	11 610
Beef cows—farms	600	90	66	383	61	6 738	1 546	3 956	1 236
number	2 458	391	260	1 608	199	56 329	11 959	34 099	10 271
Milk cows—farms	318	50	39	174	55	2 888	792	1 433	663
number	655	109	88	330	128	5 677	1 491	2 847	1 339
Hogs and pigs—farms	260	60	30	122	48	2 626	793	1 336	497
number	837	219	84	374	160	16 861	4 656	8 988	3 217
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	94	26	11	45	12	1 117	344	557	216
number	198	48	15	105	30	2 467	693	1 338	436
Sheep and lambs—farms	69	26	3	31	9	416	100	231	85
number	758	335	20	243	160	5 543	1 644	3 080	819
Horses and ponies—farms	484	56	41	353	34	3 752	791	2 429	532
number	1 570	124	160	1 218	68	9 430	1 749	6 513	1 168
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	540	107	83	262	88	4 550	1 355	2 088	1 107
number	11 490	2 418	2 025	5 308	1 739	128 503	40 130	58 561	29 812
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	486	91	70	243	82	4 266	1 249	1 972	1 045
number	9 573	1 948	1 487	4 694	1 444	102 999	30 362	47 965	24 672
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	82	34	7	25	16	257	57	129	71
number	833	281	104	304	144	6 398	1 573	3 563	1 262
Other livestock and poultry—farms	250	46	34	145	25	1 982	605	943	434
Livestock and poultry sold:									
Cattle and calves—farms	556	85	60	357	54	7 580	1 632	4 475	1 473
number	1 905	284	219	1 051	351	35 588	7 608	20 893	7 087
Hogs and pigs—farms	78	18	11	43	6	918	252	488	178
number	740	160	40	440	100	9 299	2 585	5 099	1 615
Feeder pigs sold—farms	26	6	–	14	6	243	69	134	40
number	263	28	–	135	100	3 261	775	1 974	512
Sheep and lambs—farms	36	16	1	10	9	195	46	123	26
number	316	196	6	72	42	2 138	626	1 321	191
Horses and ponies—farms	120	11	10	95	4	304	48	226	30
number	230	19	35	172	4	542	85	403	54
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	46	8	6	29	3	122	27	60	35
number	1 775	898	100	676	101	8 193	2 424	4 247	1 522
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	41	8	6	24	3	108	24	53	31
number	1 579	898	100	530	51	7 301	2 162	3 749	1 390
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	15	8	–	7	–	4	–	2	2
number	1 154	52	–	1 102	–	110	–	98	12
Other livestock and poultry—farms	81	3	13	63	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes—farms	116	24	32	39	21	2 757	930	1 227	600
acres	250	55	76	83	36	17 257	6 029	7 352	3 876
For grain or seed—farms	106	24	26	39	17	2 653	887	1 183	583
acres	228	55	62	83	28	16 492	5 726	7 044	3 722
bushels	8 280	2 145	2 084	3 249	802	362 285	120 918	170 810	70 557
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed—farms	10	–	6	–	4	139	57	55	27
acres	22	–	14	–	8	765	303	308	154

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	Specified excluded agricultural operations, 1974					Farms with sales under $1,000, 1969			
		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Crops Harvested — Continued									
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup—farms	–	–	–	–	–	87	28	45	14
acres	–	–	–	–	–	992	169	527	296
For grain or seed—farms	–	–	–	–	–	11	4	7	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	105	23	82	–
bushels	–	–	–	–	–	2 724	450	2 274	–
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed—farms	–	–	–	–	–	76	24	38	14
acres	–	–	–	–	–	887	146	445	296
Wheat for grain—farms	5	–	–	5	–	17	4	11	2
acres	41	–	–	41	–	137	24	111	2
bushels	684	–	–	684	–	2 782	174	2 584	24
Other small grains for grain—farms	27	18	4	4	1	173	48	104	21
acres	182	132	28	12	10	1 798	517	1 067	214
Soybeans for beans—farms	53	28	3	18	4	670	207	352	111
acres	194	84	8	90	12	8 121	2 506	4 440	1 175
bushels	3 696	1 804	230	1 294	368	110 452	33 538	60 459	16 455
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)—farms	226	31	25	139	31	2 374	509	1 434	431
acres	1 185	166	155	727	137	23 222	5 051	14 276	3 895
tons	1 725	241	200	1 132	152	29 758	6 132	18 767	4 859
Cotton—farms	81	28	16	32	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	230	82	43	88	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
bales	191	72	34	75	10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Peanuts for nuts—farms	5	–	–	5	–	153	35	62	56
acres	5	–	–	5	–	176	43	64	69
pounds	4 400	–	–	4 400	–	77 891	18 509	26 950	32 432
Tobacco—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes—farms	25	2	6	15	2	1 089	407	422	260
acres	5	(Z)	1	3	1	1 882	864	659	359
hundredweight	301	12	35	178	76	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes—farms	35	8	13	11	3				
acres	14	3	5	5	1				
bushels	1 683	263	690	565	165				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale—farms	54	12	10	29	3	596	201	255	140
acres	36	6	7	20	2	981	392	396	193
Berries for sale—farms	13	–	9	2	2	122	24	56	42
acres	4	–	3	(Z)	1	145	33	69	43
Land in orchards—farms	18	1	3	9	5	447	70	302	75
acres	12	1	1	6	4	1 539	179	1 131	229
All other crops—farms	49	10	11	22	6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	3	1	1	1	(Z)	1 313	471	631	211
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection—farms	35	7	6	16	6	22	4	8	10
square feet	22 110	6 194	3 424	9 428	3 064	6 797	1 613	2 348	2 836

APPENDIX C. Report Forms

FORM **74-A1** (10-1-74) O.M.B. No. 41-S74065; Approval Expires December 31, 1975

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

PLEASE remove the envelope and Instruction Sheet from the center of this booklet and . . . KEEP THEM HANDY.

IT'S EASIER THAN IT LOOKS to fill out this report. Many items can be answered by marking a "Yes" or "No" box. There are whole sections which may not apply to your operation – for these, just mark the NO box and go to the next section as instructed.

EXPLANATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS are provided all through the form with more detail in the Instruction Sheet you have removed from the center of this report. Use them — **they will help.**

A Message from the Director of the Bureau of the Census...

January 2, 1975

Dear Friend:

It's time for the 1974 Census of Agriculture, and we need your help.

Please fill out this report and return it in the envelope provided.

This is a most important census. Many changes have occurred in agriculture since 1969 when the last census was taken. It is important to you that these changes be measured and understood by other farmers and ranchers as well as by those who serve you and them.

Your answers are needed and are COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL, as spelled out in the Notice at the right of this letter.

Please fill out your report and send it back right away. We'll appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,

Vincent P Barabba

VINCENT P. BARABBA
Director
Bureau of the Census

NOTICE — Response to this inquiry is required by law. (Title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law **YOUR REPORT TO THE CENSUS BUREAU IS CONFIDENTIAL.** It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Your report **CANNOT** be used for purposes of taxation, investigation, or regulation. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

NOTE: If you correspond with us regarding your report, please use the Census File Number shown in the address block on the booklet cover.

Complete this report and RETURN TO

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

Section 1 > Did you receive more than one report form?

☐ YES — *See separate Instructions*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 2*

Enter extra file number(s) here ▶

Section 2 > FARMING, RANCHING, OR OTHER AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES IN 1974

	YES	NO
1. At any time in 1974 did you raise, produce, or sell ANY amount of any of the items listed below?	1 ☐	2 ☐
2. Did you at any time in 1974 raise or produce any agricultural products for contractors such as feed companies, processors, or packers?	1 ☐	2 ☐
3. Did you raise or produce any agricultural products for others or with others under a partnership, share arrangement, or other rental agreement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
4. Did you own any land that was used by someone else for agricultural purposes in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
5. Did you own any livestock or poultry that was cared for by someone else under a share agreement or custom arrangement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐

- Crops
- Hay, pasture, sod
- Vegetables, melons, mushrooms
- Fruits, nuts, berries, and citrus
- Cattle (including feedlots)
- Hogs, sheep, goats, horses
- Poultry, eggs
- Dairy products
- Forest products on farms
- Greenhouse and nursery products
- Fish in captivity
- Fur-bearing animals in captivity
- Other animal specialties

▶ ***If you answered YES to ANY of these questions, go to Section 3.***

▶ ***If you answered NO to ALL five of these questions, tear off this front cover and mail it back to us in the envelope provided.***

Section 3 ACREAGE in 1974 and LAND VALUE

Include all cropland, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, wasteland, idle land, house lots, etc.

	None	Number of acres	Your estimate of the current market value of these acres and the buildings on them — Dollars	Cents
1. ALL land owned	☐	040	1 $	
2. ALL land rented or leased FROM OTHERS, including land worked on shares; leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. *(Do NOT include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.)*	☐	050	1 $	
3. All land rented or leased TO OTHERS, including land worked on shares by others and land subleased	☐	060	1 $	
4. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** ① *(Please ADD acres owned (item 1) and acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space.)*		070	These are the ACRES in "THIS PLACE" ① for this census report	

① *"THIS PLACE" means your farm or ranch, feedlots, poultry houses, greenhouses, and/or any other agricultural operations.*

5. If you rented land FROM OTHERS (item 2 above), please enter the following information for each landlord.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	Number of acres	Rental arrangements in 1974 *Mark (X) all that apply* — Share of crops	Share of livestock or products	Cash as rent	Other arrangements
		081	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		082	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		083	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐

List additional landlords on back cover.

6. If you rented land TO OTHERS (item 3 above), please enter the following information for each renter.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	No. of acres
		085
		086
		087

List additional renters on back cover.

7. Of the land you rented or leased from others (item 2 above), how many acres did you subrent or sublease to others? *(Include land rented or leased by you which was worked on shares by others.)* None ☐

Number of acres	Current market value
088	1 $

PLEASE READ

You may be able to skip most of this form if —

a. All the land you owned or rented was worked on shares or rented to someone else.
b. There were no crops or livestock in 1974 on the acres in "THIS PLACE" (item 4 above).
c. The land you operated prior to 1974 has been sold to someone else.

If a, b, or c apply to your operation, please read the Instructions before continuing with this report.

Section 4 LOCATION OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY

1. In what county was the largest value of your agricultural products raised or produced? *(Enter county name, State, and number of acres on the "Principal county" line. If you have agricultural operations in any other county(ies), enter the county name(s), etc., on the lines provided for "Other counties.")*

	County name	State	No. of acres
Principal county			091
Other counties			092
			093
			094

2. Location of place within principal county entered above. *(Give name of township, district, precinct, etc., or Township – Range numbers.)*

Name of location

015
014
013
012
011
010

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READ AND ANSWER THIS QUESTION → THEN FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS

During 1974 did you produce any crops; cut any hay; have any nursery or greenhouse products or specialty crops; or have any land in orchards, groves, or vineyards?

☐ YES — *Go to Section 5 below*
☐ NO — *Skip to page 8 and COMPLETE Section 17*

Section 5 — Was any FIELD CORN harvested for any purpose from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 6*

• *Report sweet corn in Section 12 and popcorn in Section 16 when you reach those sections.*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated
1. Field corn for grain or seed *(Report quantity of shelled corn harvested in either **bushels or hundredweight**. 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn)*	101	1 Bushels shelled — OR — 6 Hundredweight shelled	2
2. Field corn for silage or green chop	102	1 Tons, green weight	2
3. Field corn cut for dry fodder, hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in items 1 or 2.)*	103		2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field corn	109	1	/10	2	/10

Section 6 — Were any SORGHUMS or MILO harvested from this place in 1974?

(Include both grain and sweet varieties. Do not report sorghum-sudan crosses in this section.)

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 7*

• *Report sorghum-sudan crosses for hay in Section 10 and sorghum for sirup in Section 16 when you reach those sections.*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated
1. Sorghums (milo) for grain or seed *(Report quantity harvested in either **bushels or pounds.**)*	111	1 Bushels — OR — 6 Pounds	2
2. Sorghums for silage or green chop	112	1 Tons, green weight	2
3. Sorghums cut for dry forage or hay	113	1 Tons, dry weight	2
4. Sorghums hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in items 1, 2, or 3.)*	114		2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
5. Commercial fertilizer used on sorghums	119	1	/10	2	/10

Section 7 — Were any SOYBEANS, PEANUTS, DRY BEANS, or DRY PEAS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 8*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Soybeans for beans②	121	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Peanuts for nuts③	122	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Dry field and seed beans	123	1 100-lb. bags	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Dry lima beans	124	1 100-lb. bags	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. Dry field and seed peas④	125	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Cowpeas for dry peas⑤	126	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10

② Soybean hay is to be reported in Section 10 and soybeans hogged or grazed, cut for silage, or plowed under in Section 16.
③ Peanut hay is to be reported in Section 10.
④ Austrian winter peas are to be reported in Section 11.
⑤ Cowpea hay is to be reported in Section 10, green cowpeas in Section 12, cowpeas hogged or grazed or cut for silage in Section 16.

Section 8 SMALL GRAINS (including RICE) harvested from this place in 1974

COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Please supply all requested information or mark "None" for each crop listed. For each crop harvested from this place in 1974, be sure to report quantity harvested in the unit specified, acres irrigated, acres fertilized, and amount of fertilizer used. If your small grain crop is not listed here, see Section 16 when you reach that section.

- *Report small grain hay in Section 10 when you reach that section.*

	None	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Hard red winter wheat	☐	131	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Soft red winter wheat	☐	132	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Hard red spring wheat	☐	133	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Durum wheat	☐	134	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. White wheat	☐	135	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Oats for grain	☐	137	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Barley for grain	☐	138	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
8. Rye for grain	☐	139	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
9. Mixed grains	☐	140	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
10. Flaxseed	☐	141	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
11. Buckwheat	☐	142	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
12. Proso millet	☐	143	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
13. Rice *(Report quantity harvested in either **100-lb. bags, bushels, or barrels**)*	☐	144	1 100-lb. bags OR 6 Bu. OR 7 Barrels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10

Section 9 Were any COTTON, TOBACCO, IRISH POTATOES, SWEETPOTATOES, OR SUGAR CROPS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 10 on next page*

Report tenths of acres where indicated.

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Cotton	151	1 Bales	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Tobacco — all types	152 /10	1 Pounds	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
3. Irish potatoes (excluding home use)	153 /10	1 Hundred-weight	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
4. Sweetpotatoes (excluding home use)	154 /10	1 Bushels	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
5. Sugar beets for sugar	155	1 Tons	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Sugar beets for seed	156	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Sugarcane for sugar ⑥	157	1 Tons	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
8. Sugarcane for sirup	158		2	3	4	/10	5	/10
9. Sugarcane for seed	159		2	3	4	/10	5	/10

⑥ In Florida and Texas, report cuttings from November 1973 through April 1974. Other States, report 1974 crop year.

Section 10 — Was any DRY HAY, GRASS SILAGE, HAYLAGE, or GREEN CHOP cut or harvested from this place in 1974? *(Include hay cut from pastures.)*

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 11*

If cuttings were made for both dry hay and grass silage, "haylage," or "green chop" from the same fields, report the acreage in the appropriate items under ***Part A — Hay*** *and* ***Part B — Grass Silage*** *below.*

■Part A — DRY HAY

(If two or more cuttings of dry hay were made from the same acres, report acres only once, but report total tons from all cuttings.)

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested *(Report either dry or green weight, as indicated)*	Acres irrigated
1. Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	172	1 Tons, dry	2
2. Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	173	1 Tons, dry	2
3. Small grain hay	174	1 Tons, dry	2
4. Lespedeza for hay	175	1 Tons, dry	2
5. Coastal Bermuda grass for hay	176	1 Tons, dry	2
6. Wild hay	177	1 Tons, dry	2
7. Other hay — Sudan grass, sorghum-sudan crosses, soybean, cowpea, peanut, etc.	178	1 Tons, dry	2
■Part B — GRASS SILAGE, HAYLAGE, AND GREEN CHOP *(If two or more cuttings of grass silage, "haylage," or "green chop" were made from the same acres, report acres only once, but report total tons from all cuttings.)* 8. Grass silage and haylage	181	1 Tons, green	2
9. Hay crops cut and fed green (green chop)	182	1 Tons, green	2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
10. Commercial fertilizer used on crops listed above	189	1	/10	2	/10

Section 11 — Were any FIELD SEEDS (grass, legume, clover, etc.) harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 12*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested *(Report in pounds, clean seed)*	Acres irrigated
1. Red clover seed	191	1 Pounds	2
2. Alfalfa seed	192	1 Pounds	2
3. Other field seed *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)*		1 Pounds	2
Crop name _____ No. _____		1 Pounds	2
Crop name _____ No. _____			

List additional field seed crops harvested on back cover.

Crop name	No.
Austrian winter peas	193
Birdsfoot trefoil seed	194
Fescue seed: Alta	195
Chewings	196
KY 31	197
Red	198
Other	199
Bahia grass seed	201
Bentgrass seed	202
Bromegrass seed	203
Orchardgrass seed	204

Crop name	No.
Ryegrass seed: Annual	205
Perennial	206
Sudan grass seed	207
Timothy	208
Wheatgrass seed	209
Kentucky Bluegrass seed:	
Merion	211
Proprietary	212
Other	213
Lespedeza	214
Lupine seed	215

Crop name	No.
Alsike clover seed	216
Crimson clover seed	217
Ladino clover seed	218
Sweetclover seed	219
White clover seed	221
Red top seed	222
Hairy vetch seed	223
Vetch seed, other than hairy	224
All other seeds — millet (foxtail), bluestem, canarygrass, etc.	225

(Write name on line in item 3 above.)

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field seeds *(Do not report fertilizer here if the same acreage was reported in Section 10.)*	235	1	/10	2	/10

Section 12 — Were any VEGETABLES, SWEET CORN, OR MELONS harvested for sale from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 13 on next page*

For Florida, report for the September 1, 1973 through August 31, 1974 harvest season; for all other States report for calendar year 1974. (See separate Instructions for additional guidelines on filling this section.)

	Acres harvested ⑦				Acres irrigated	
	For fresh market		For processing ⑧			
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths
1. Sweet corn	241	/10	1	/10	2	/10
2. Tomatoes	242	/10	1	/10	2	/10
3. Cucumbers and pickles	243	/10	1	/10	2	/10
4. Watermelons	244	/10	1	/10	2	/10
5. Green peas, including English, excluding green cowpeas	245	/10	1	/10	2	/10
6. Snap beans, bush and pole	246	/10	1	/10	2	/10
7. Other vegetable crops *(Enter vegetable name and No. from list below.)*		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10

List additional vegetables harvested for sale on back cover.

Vegetable name	No.
Artichokes	249
Asparagus	250
Beets	251
Broccoli	252
Brussels sprouts	253
Cabbage	255
Cantaloups and Persian melons	256
Carrots	257
Cauliflower	258
Celery	259
Chicory	260
Collards	262
Cowpeas (blackeye and other green cowpeas)	263
Eggplant	265
Endive	266
Escarole	267
Garlic	268
Honeydew melons	269
Kale	270
Lettuce, heed	271
Lettuce, romaine	272
Lettuce, other	273
Lime beans	274
Muskmelons	275
Mustard greens	277
Onions, dry	278
Onions, green	279
Okra	280
Peppers, sweet	281
Peppers, hot	282
Pimientos	283
Pumpkins	284
Radishes	285
Rhubarb	286
Shallots	287
Spinach	288
Squash	289
Turnips	290
Turnip greens	291
Other vegetables	294

(Write vegetable name on line in item 7 above.)

8. Land used for vegetable crops *(Report acres only once even though two or more crops were harvested from the same acres or the same acres were irrigated or fertilized twice. Report all fertilizer used.)*

Acres harvested		Acres irrigated		Acres fertilized		Commercial fertilizer used			
						Dry		Liquid or gas	
Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
299 /10		1 /10		2 /10		3 /10		4 /10	

⑦ When more than one vegetable crop is harvested from the same acres, report the acres for each crop.
⑧ Processing includes canning, freezing, pickling, etc.

Section 13 **Was there a COMBINED TOTAL of 20 or more fruit trees, including citrus, grapevines, and nut trees on this place in 1974?** *(Do NOT include abandoned trees or plantings.)*

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 14*

Report the total acres, acres irrigated, acres fertilized, and the amount of fertilizer used for all fruit trees, grapevines, and nut trees on this place. Acreage in abandoned trees should not be reported in this section but should be reported in Section 18, item 2f, Cropland idle.

	Acres in trees and vines of all ages		Acres irrigated		Commercial fertilizer used					
					Acres fertilized		Dry		Liquid or gas	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
1. Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees	301	/10	1	/10	2	/10	3	/10	4	/10

For each item, report the acres and number of trees or vines not yet of bearing age, acres and trees or vines of bearing age and quantity harvested. Trees or vines of bearing age that were not harvested because of low price or damage from hail, frost, etc., should be reported in acres in trees of bearing age. For interplanting or mixed varieties of trees, see separate Instructions. (Also see Instructions for conversion tables, if necessary.)

	Not of bearing age			Bearing age			Quantity harvested *(Report tenths where specified)*	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees (or vines)	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees (or vines)		
2. Apples, dwarf and semi-dwarf. . .	302	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
3. Apples, standard	303	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
4. Peaches, clingstone	304	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
5. Peaches, freestone	305	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
6. Pears, Bartlett	306	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
7. Pears, other than Bartlett	307	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
8. Cherries, tart	308	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
9. Cherries, sweet	309	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
10. Grapes ⑨	310	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
							5 /10	Tons, dry
11. Plums	314	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
12. Prunes ⑨	315	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
							5 /10	Tons, dry
■ *For citrus, report quantity harvested in 1973-74 from bloom of 1973.* 13. Valencia oranges	320	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
14. Navel oranges	321	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
15. Temple oranges	322	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
16. Other oranges — Hamlin, Pineapple, Parson Brown, etc. . . .	323	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
17. Grapefruit	324	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes

⑨ Report quantity harvested in either or both units, depending on the way the fruit was sold.

▶ ***If you have fruit trees not listed above or nut trees, continue with item 18 at the top of the next page.***

Section 13 Continued

18. If you have any fruit trees which were not listed in items 2 through 17, or nut trees, enter crop name and No. in cols. (a) and (b) from the lists below and give the requested information for each item you list. Report quantity harvested in col. (e). In col. (f) indicate the unit in which you measure the crop. If you mark "Boxes," enter the average capacity, in pounds, of the box.

Enter from list below		Not of bearing age (c)			Bearing age (d)			Quantity harvested	Unit of measure *Mark (X) one* (f)			Average capacity of boxes in pounds
Name (a)	No. (b)	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees	(e)	Lbs.	Tons	Boxes	(g)
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6

• CITRUS CROPS — No.

(Report quantity harvested in 1973—74 from bloom of 1973.)

- Kumquats 325
- Lemons 326
- Limes (1 bushel = 50 lbs.) 327
- Tangelos 328
- Tangerines and mandarins 329
- Other citrus fruit trees 330

• NONCITRUS CROPS — No.

- Apricots 331
- Avocados *(See Instructions)* 332
- Dates 333
- Figs *(See Instructions)* 334
- Mangoes 335
- Nectarines 336
- Pomegranates 337
- Olives 338
- Other noncitrus fruit trees 339

• NUT CROPS — No.

- Almonds 340
- Filberts and hazelnuts 341
- Pecans, improved 342
- Pecans, wild and seeding 343
- Pistachio 344
- Tung nuts (in husk) 345
- Walnuts (English or Persian) . . . 346
- Walnuts, planted black 347
- Other nut trees 351

Section 14 Were any NURSERY and GREENHOUSE PRODUCTS, SOD, BULBS, FLOWERS, FLOWER SEEDS, VEGETABLE SEEDS and PLANTS, VEGETABLES under glass or other protection, or MUSHROOMS grown for sale on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 15 on next page*

	Area used in 1974			Value of sales during 1974 ⑪	
	Square feet under glass or other protection ⑩	Acres in the open			
		Whole acres	Tenths	Dollars	Cents
1. Nursery products — trees, shrubs, vines, etc.	371	1	/10	2 $	
2. Sod harvested	372	1	/10	2 $	
3. Bulbs	373	1	/10	2 $	
4. Cut flowers, florist greens; and potted, bedding, or other florist plants	374	1	/10	2 $	
5. Flower seeds, vegetable seeds, and vegetable plants *(Report sweet corn for seed in Section 16.)*	384	1	/10	2 $	
6. Vegetables, including mushrooms, grown under glass or other protection — a. Tomatoes	385			2 $	
b. Cucumbers	386			2 $	
c. Lettuce	387			2 $	
d. Mushrooms	388			2 $	
e. Other vegetables	389			2 $	
7. Area irrigated *(Include items 1 through 6e.)*	391	1	/10		

	Area fertilized			Dry fertilizer		Liquid or gas fertilizer	
	Square feet	Acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
8. Commercial fertilizer used on the crops listed above	399	1	/10	2	/10	3	/10

⑩ Report the greenhouse area only once, even though more than one crop was grown on it, except where flowers and other crops were grown on the same benches or beds. In this case, report the area once for each category. For mushrooms, report caves and other types of growing areas.

⑪ Estimates are acceptable. Do not include value of products bought for resale without additional growing.

Section 15 > Were any BERRIES harvested for sale from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 16*

	Acres harvested		Quantity harvested (1 quart = 1 ½ pounds)		Acres irrigated	
	Whole acres	Tenths			Whole acres	Tenths
1. Strawberries	402	/10	1 Pounds		2	/10
2. Cranberries	403	/10	1 100-lb. barrels		2	/10
3. Other berries *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)*		/10	1 Pounds		2	/10
Crop name _____ No. _____						
Crop name _____ No. _____		/10	1 Pounds		2	/10

List additional berry crops harvested for sale on back cover.

Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.
Blackberries and dewberries	404	Boysenberries	407	Loganberries	411	Youngberries	414
Blueberries, tame	405	Currants	408	Raspberries, red	412	All other berries	415
Blueberries, wild	406	Gooseberries	409	Raspberries, black	413	*(Write crop name on line in item 3 above.)*	

	Acres fertilized		Dry fertilizer		Liquid or gas fertilizer	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on berries	429	/10	1	/10	2	/10

Section 16 > Were any OTHER CROPS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 17*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Popcorn	431	1 Pounds, shelled	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Safflower	432	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Sunflower seed	433	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Emmer and spelt	434	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. Mint for oil	435	1 Pounds of oil	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Broomcorn	436	1 Tons of brush	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Other crops *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)*			2	3	4	/10	5	/10
Crop name _____ No. _____								
Crop name _____ No. _____			2	3	4	/10	5	/10

List additional crops harvested on back cover.

Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.
Castor beans	437	Guar	443	Root crops for feed	449	Sweet corn for seed	454
Chufas for nuts	438	Hops	444	Sesame for seed	450	Triticale	455
Cowpeas hogged or grazed or cut for silage	439	Lentils	445	Sorghum for sirup	451	Velvetbeans for beans	456
Crambe	441	Mungbeans for beans	446	Soybeans hogged or grazed or cut for silage	452	Wild rice	457
Dill for oil	442	Mustard seed	447	Soybeans plowed under	453	Wormseed oil	458
		Rapeseed	448			All other crops *(Write crop name on line in item 7 above.)*	459

Section 17 > Were any FOREST PRODUCTS sold from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to and COMPLETE Section 18*

	Value of sales: Dollars	Cents
1. Standing timber or trees	491 $	
2. Firewood and fuelwood	492 $	
3. Sawlogs and veneer logs	493 $	
4. Pulpwood	494 $	
5. Other forest products (bark, bolts, Christmas trees, gum for naval stores, fence posts, maple products, etc.)	495 $	

Section 18 LAND USE IN 1974 — *COMPLETE THIS SECTION*

1. Copy acres in "This Place" from Section 3, item 4, page 1 → 501 _____ Acres

▶ ***NOTE:*** *If the same land had more than one use in 1974, REPORT THAT LAND ONLY* ***ONCE*** *— in the first use listed below that applies. For example, cropland that was harvested and pastured is to be reported only as "Cropland harvested."*

		Number of acres	Acres irrigated in 1974
2.	a. Cropland harvested *(Include all land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut, and all land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products.)*	502	1
	b. Cropland used only for pasture or grazing *(Include rotation pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements.)*	503	1
	c. Cropland used for cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, but not harvested and not pastured	505	1
	d. Cropland on which all crops failed *(Exception: Do not report here land in orchards and vineyards on which the crop failed. Such acreage is to be reported in item 2a.)*	506	1
	e. Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	507	1
	f. Cropland idle	509	1
3.	**Woodland** *(Include all woodlots and timber tracts and cutover and deforested land with young timber growth.)* a. Woodland pastured	511	
	b. Woodland not pastured	512	
4.	**Other pastureland and rangeland** *(Include any pastureland other than cropland and woodland pasture.)* a. Pastureland and rangeland on which you applied lime, fertilizer, seed, improved by irrigation, drainage, or control of weeds and brush	514	1
	b. Other pastureland and rangeland	515	
5.	**All other land** — Land in house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. *(Include any land not reported above.)*	516	
6.	**TOTAL ACRES** *(Please add the acres reported in items 2a through 5 and enter the total in this space. Should be the same as item 1 above.)* →	IN "THIS PLACE" 517	IRRIGATED 1

7. Do you have any grazing permits on a per-head basis? 519
   - ☐ YES — *Mark (X) all boxes which apply* →
     - 1 ☐ Forest Service
     - 2 ☐ Taylor Grazing (BLM)
     - 3 ☐ Indian Land
     - 4 ☐ Other Federal or State
     - 5 ☐ Other — *Specify*
   - ☐ NO — *Go to Section 19*

Section 19 Was any of the LAND in this place IRRIGATED in 1974?

☐ YES — *Answer items 1 and 2 below*
☐ NO — *Answer item 3 below*

1. How many acres were irrigated in 1974 by each of these methods?

	None	Acres irrigated in 1974
a. Furrows or ditches	☐	523
b. Flooding	☐	524
c. Subirrigation	☐	525
d. Self-propelled sprinkler system (center pivot, traveling guns, traveling booms, etc.)	☐	526
e. All other sprinkler systems (solid set, move pipe, wheel lines, tow lines, etc.)	☐	527

Estimated quantity of water used in 1974 *(See separate Instructions for additional information on estimating quantity of water used.)*

2. Please estimate the quantity of water used for irrigation in 1974 *(Report in the unit or units of measure most convenient for you.)*

	Water used in 1974
a. Acre-feet *(One acre-foot covers one acre, one foot deep)*	531 Acre-feet _____ Tenths /10
b. Gallons *(Pumping capacity per minute X 60 minutes X hours operated in season)*	532 _____ Gallons
c. If acre-feet or gallons cannot be estimated in **a** or **b** above, give depth in inches of all water applied	533 _____ Total inches

3. If **no land was irrigated in 1974**, was there any land in this place irrigated at any time in 1970-1973?
   - ☐ YES — *Complete a and b* →
     - a. What was the most recent year in which acres were irrigated? 535 _____ Year
     - b. How many acres were irrigated in that year? 536 _____ Acres
   - ☐ NO — *Go to Section 20 on next page*

Section 20 — Was any land on this place ARTIFICIALLY DRAINED?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 21*

	None	Acres artificially drained
1. How many acres in this place were artificially drained? *(Include open ditches, underground tile drains, grading for drainage, dikes, or pumping to control water. Exclude drainage solely for the removal of irrigation waste water.)*	☐	541
2. How many acres were artificially drained by systems installed since January 1, 1974?	☐	542

Section 21 — Was any COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER applied to PASTURELAND on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Continue with NOTE below*

	None	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer		Liquid or gas fertilizer	
			Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
1. How many acres of **cropland used only for pasture** in 1974 (reported in Section 18, item 2b) were fertilized?	☐	551	1	/10	2	/10
2. How many acres of **other pastureland** in 1974 (reported in Section 18, item 4a) were fertilized?	☐	552	1	/10	2	/10

NOTE: READ AND ANSWER THIS QUESTION

Did you or anyone else have any livestock, poultry, or animal specialties on this place in 1974? *(Include fish raised in captivity.)*

☐ YES — *Go to Section 22 below*

☐ NO — *Skip to page 13 and COMPLETE Section 27*

Section 22 — Were there any POULTRY such as CHICKENS, TURKEYS, DUCKS, etc., on this place at any time in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 23*

• *Report hatchery operations such as baby chicks, turkey poults, etc., in Section 26.*

	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Total number of birds sold in 1974
1. HENS, PULLETS, ROOSTERS for table eggs and hatching egg production		
a. **Hens and pullets** of laying age kept for TABLE or MARKET egg production	602	1
b. **Hens and pullets** of laying age kept for HATCHING egg production	603	1
c. **Pullets** 3 months old or older not yet of laying age	605	1
d. **Pullet chicks and pullets** under 3 months old *(Exclude commercial broilers.)*	606	1
e. **Roosters** and male chickens (all male breeding stock)	607	1
2. BROILERS, fryers, and other meat type chickens, including capons and roasters	608	1
3. TURKEYS		
a. Heavy breed turkeys for slaughter *(Exclude breeders.)*	611	1
b. Light breed turkeys for slaughter *(Exclude breeders.)*	612	1
c. Turkey HENS kept for breeding *(Include both heavy and light breeds.)*	613	1
4. OTHER POULTRY raised in captivity *(Enter fowl name and No. from list below.)*		
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1

List additional poultry on back cover

Fowl name	No.	Fowl name	No.	Fowl name	No.
Ducks	614	Pigeons or squab	616	Quail	618
Geese	615	Pheasants	617	All other poultry	619

(Write name on line in item 4 above.)

	Value of sales	
	Dollars	Cents
5. What was the value before taxes and expenses of poultry and poultry products (eggs, etc.) sold from this place in 1974? *(Include estimated value of poultry and poultry products moved from this place by contractors or others.)*	629 $	

Section 23 — Did you or anyone else have any CATTLE or CALVES on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 24*

■ INVENTORY on December 31, 1974

		INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974
1. Cattle and calves of all ages *(Total of a, b, c, and d below.)*		631
a. Beef cows *(Include beef heifers that had calved.)*		632
b. Milk cows *(Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved.)*		633
c. Heifers and heifer calves *(Exclude heifers that had calved.)*	(1) For beef purposes and beef cow replacement	634
	(2) For milk cow replacement	635
d. Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		636

■ CATTLE AND CALVES SOLD from this place in 1974
(Include those fed on "This Place" on a contract or custom basis. Also, report cattle moved from this place to a feedlot for further feeding as sold; report both the number and estimated value. See separate Instructions.)

	None	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales before taxes and expenses — Dollars	Cents
2. Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	☐	641	1 $	
3. Cattle including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	☐	642	1 $	
a. Of the total cattle sold, how many were fattened on this place on grain or concentrates for 30 days or more and sold for slaughter?	☐	643	1 $	

■ DAIRY PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974
- *Report goat dairy products in Section 26 when you reach that section.*

	Value of dairy products sold — Dollars	Cents
4. What was the gross value of sales of dairy products (milk, cream, etc.) from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses?	649 $	

Section 24 — Did you or anyone else have any HOGS or PIGS on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 25 on next page*

■ INVENTORY on December 31, 1974

	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974
1. Hogs and pigs of all ages *(Total of a and b below.)*	651
a. Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	652
b. Other hogs and pigs	653

■ LITTERS FARROWED

	None	Number of litters
2. Litters farrowed on this place between —		
a. December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974	☐	654
b. June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	☐	655

■ HOGS AND PIGS SOLD

	None	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales before taxes and expenses — Dollars	Cents
3. Hogs and pigs sold from this place in 1974	☐	656	1 $	
a. Of the hogs and pigs sold, how many were sold as FEEDER PIGS for further feeding?	☐	657	1 $	

Section 25 — Did you or anyone else have any SHEEP or LAMBS on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 26*

	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Total number sold in 1974
1. Sheep and lambs of all ages *(Total of a, b, and c below.)*	661	1
a. Lambs under 1 year old	662	
b. Ewes 1 year old or older	663	
c. Rams and wethers 1 year old or older	664	

2. Sheep and lambs shorn — None ☐

665 Number shorn	1 Pounds of wool shorn

3. What was the gross value of sales of sheep, lambs, and wool from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses?

Value of sales	
Dollars	Cents
669 $	

Section 26 — Did you or anyone else have any OTHER LIVESTOCK or ANIMAL SPECIALTIES on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 27*

	INVENTORY Number on this place Dec 31, 1974	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales Dollars	Value of sales Cents
1. Horses of all ages *(Do not include ponies.)*	671	1	2 $	
2. Ponies of all ages	672	1	2 $	
3. Mules, burros, and donkeys of all ages	673	1	2 $	
4. Mink and their pelts	674	1	2 $	
a. Mink females used for breeding	675			
5. Other livestock in captivity, bees, and poultry hatched *(Enter name and No. from list below.)*		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____				

Other Livestock in Captivity, Bees, and Poultry Hatched

Name	No.	Name	No.	Name	No.
Colonies of bees	676	Other goats	679	Foxes and their pelts	683
Angora goats	677	Rabbits and their pelts	681	Poultry hatched	684
Milk goats	678	Chinchillas and their pelts	682	All other livestock	685

	Acres under water for fish production	Tenths	Total quantity sold in 1974		Value of sales Dollars	Value of sales Cents
6. Livestock or animal products *(Enter name and No. from "List A" below.)*			1	Pounds	2	
			OR			
Name _____ No _____			3	Gallons	$	
7. Fish in captivity *(Enter name and No. from "List B" below.)*		Tenths /10	1	Pounds	2	
			OR			
Name _____ No _____			3	Number	$	

List A — Livestock Products

Name	No.
Mohair sold	687
Goats milk sold	688
Honey sold	689

List B — Fish in Captivity

Name	No.	Name	No.
Catfish	691	Tropical fish	694
Trout	692	Other fish	695
Other food-type fish	693		

▶ *List any additional livestock, livestock products, animal specialties, or fish on back cover.*

Section 27 MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT on this place on December 31, 1974

(Include only equipment used for agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974.)

COMPLETE THIS SECTION

■ **Value of ALL machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974**

1. What is the estimated market value of ALL machinery, equipment, and implements usually kept on this place and used for the farm or ranch business? *(Include cars, trucks, tractors, combines, plows, disks, harrows, dryers, pumps, motors, irrigation equipment, dairy equipment including milkers and bulk tanks, livestock feeders, grinding and mixing equipment, etc.)* . . . . . .

Estimated market value	
Dollars	Cents
701 $	

■ **SELECTED machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974**
(Report only if used in 1973 or 1974.)

	Total number on this place on December 31, 1974	Of the total, HOW MANY were manufactured in the last 5 years (1970-1974)? *(Number)*
2. Automobiles	702	1
3. Motortrucks *(Include pickups.)*	703	1
4. Wheel tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers	704	1
5. Crawler tractors	705	1
6. Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	706	1
7. Corn heads for combines	707	1
8. Other corn pickers and picker-shellers	708	1
9. Mower conditioners	709	1
10. Pickup balers	710	1
11. Windrowers — pull and self-propelled *(Exclude side delivery rakes.)*	711	1
12. Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	712	1

Section 28 MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS — *COMPLETE THIS SECTION*

1. GRAIN STORAGE FACILITIES — Mark (X) one to show the total grain storage capacity, including ear corn, on this place. *(Do not include temporary structures.)* 721

- 1 ☐ None
- 2 ☐ Under 1,000 bushels (Under 25 tons)
- 3 ☐ 1,000-4,999 bushels (25-124 tons)
- 4 ☐ 5,000-9,999 bushels (125-249 tons)
- 5 ☐ 10,000-24,999 bushels (250-624 tons)
- 6 ☐ 25,000-49,999 bushels (625-1,249 tons)
- 7 ☐ 50,000 bushels and over (1,250 tons and over)

2. How many ARTIFICIAL PONDS, PITS, RESERVOIRS, and EARTHEN TANKS are on this place? *(Do not report natural lakes, gravel pits, strip mining pits, flooded fields, sewage lagoons, or manure pits.)* . . . . . None ☐ 722 Number of artificial ponds, pits, etc. _____

a. Area covered when filled to capacity . . . . . 723 Whole acres _____ Tenths _____ /10

3. FUTURES MARKET — Did you utilize the commodity futures market in 1974 to hedge sales of any farm commodities which you produce? 724

- 1 ☐ YES — *Mark which commodities* →
- 2 ☐ NO — *Go to Section 29 on next page*

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- 1 ☐ Corn (grain)
- 2 ☐ Sorghums (grain)
- 3 ☐ Soybeans (grain)
- 4 ☐ Wheat (grain)
- 5 ☐ Cotton
- 6 ☐ Potatoes
- 7 ☐ Cattle (live)
- 8 ☐ Hogs (live)
- 9 ☐ Other — *Specify* →

_____

Section 29 — Did you have any CONTRACT or BINDING AGREEMENT to produce or market any farm products on this place in 1974? *(Include oral and written agreements made more than 30 days prior to delivery.)*

☐ YES —*Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 30*

1. Mark (X) as many products as you produced and/or marketed under contract.

No.	Product name	No.	Product name	No.	Product name	No.	Product name
1 ☐	Broilers	7 ☐	Feeder cattle and/or stocker cattle	13 ☐	Field and seed corn	19 ☐	Fruit, citrus, nuts for fresh market
2 ☐	Started pullets			14 ☐	Soybeans		
3 ☐	Chicken eggs	8 ☐	Breeding cattle	15 ☐	Wheat	20 ☐	Fruit, including citrus, for processing
4 ☐	Turkeys	9 ☐	Slaughter hogs	16 ☐	Cotton		
5 ☐	Milk and other dairy products	10 ☐	Feeder pigs	17 ☐	Vegetables for fresh market	21 ☐	Sugar beets
		11 ☐	Breeding hogs			22 ☐	Other crops, such as hops, popcorn, potatoes, safflower, sugarcane, etc. *(Write product name on line A1 below.)*
6 ☐	Fattened cattle	12 ☐	Other livestock and/or poultry *(Write product name on line A1 below.)*	18 ☐	Vegetables for processing		

2. For each product marked above, enter the Name and No. in the column heading where indicated and complete the remaining entries in the column (items B through G) for that product.

		FIRST CONTRACT	SECOND CONTRACT	THIRD CONTRACT	FOURTH CONTRACT
A. Product(s) under contract *Enter name and No. from item 1 above*	1. Product name				
	2. No.	731	732	733	734
B. Type of contract *Mark (X) one of these items for each product under contract*	1. Production ⑫	1 1 ☐	1 1 ☐	1 1 ☐	1 1 ☐
	2. Marketing ⑬	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Production, including feeding, and marketing	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Other	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
C. Type of contractor *Mark (X) one of these items for each product under contract*	1. Co-op	2 1 ☐	2 1 ☐	2 1 ☐	2 1 ☐
	2. Feed company	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Packer	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Processor	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
	5. Other	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐
D. Items furnished by contractor under terms of contract *Mark (X) for as many items as apply for each product under contract*	1. Feed	3 1 ☐	3 1 ☐	3 1 ☐	3 1 ☐
	2. Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc.	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Seed	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Fertilizer	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
	5. Chemicals	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐
	6. Labor	6 ☐	6 ☐	6 ☐	6 ☐
	7. Machinery, equipment, or buildings	7 ☐	7 ☐	7 ☐	7 ☐
	8. Harvesting	8 ☐	8 ☐	8 ☐	8 ☐
	9. Transportation	9 ☐	9 ☐	9 ☐	9 ☐
	10. Processing/packing	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐
	11. Credit	11 ☐	11 ☐	11 ☐	11 ☐
	12. Technical assistance	12 ☐	12 ☐	12 ☐	12 ☐
	13. Other	13 ☐	13 ☐	13 ☐	13 ☐
	14. None	14 ☐	14 ☐	14 ☐	14 ☐
E. What percent of the total production of this product was sold under contract?		5 Percent	5 Percent	5 Percent	5 Percent
F. 1. Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract?		6 Dollars $ | Cents	6 Dollars $ | Cents	6 Dollars $ | Cents	6 Dollars $ | Cents
2. Did this payment represent the total market value of the product?		7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No
G. Did the contract specify — *Mark (X) one*	1. Exact price?	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐
	2. Method of determining price?	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Neither price nor method?	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐

⑫ Production contracts, including custom feeding, usually specify kind and/or amount of farm product to be produced and may specify variety or breed, operations to be performed during production, or inputs and technical assistance to be supplied by contractor.

⑬ Marketing contracts usually specify kind and/or amount of farm product to be delivered but usually do not specify that contractor provides services or supplies or that particular operations or methods be used in production.

Section 30 **PAYROLL AND EMPLOYMENT - Did you have any paid workers doing agricultural labor, employees of labor contractors or crew leaders, or other salaried employees working on this place in 1974?**

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 31*

Please read before answering items 1, 2, and 3 below

Hired farm or ranch workers — In addition to farm workers and paid family members, include such persons as bookkeepers, office workers, maintenance people, etc., whose employment is primarily associated with agricultural production on this place even though they may not be doing agricultural labor. Do not include unpaid family workers or the proprietors or partners of unincorporated places.

Cash wages paid — Report gross payments in 1974 to employees before deductions for Social Security, taxes, insurance premiums, etc. Include all wages, salaries, commissions, paid bonuses, vacation and sick leave pay. Do not include room and board, house rent, or other items paid in kind.

For each of the following groups, report how many hired farm or ranch workers were employed and the amount of cash wages paid to them.

	Number of workers	Cash wages paid	
		Dollars	Cents
1. Of the hired farm or ranch workers, how many worked—			
a. 150 days or more?	751	1 $	
b. 25–149 days?	752	1 $	
c. Less than 25 days?	753	1 $	
2. Contract workers hired through a crew leader or contractor			
a. What was the cost of contract labor?		754 $	
b. How many workers did the contractor furnish? *(Estimate if necessary.)*	755		
3. Salaried corporation officers			
a. If this operation is incorporated, how many corporation officers were salaried in 1974?	756		
b. What was the amount paid?		757 $	

Section 31 **INJURIES AND ILLNESSES CONNECTED WITH FARM OR RANCH WORK — Were there any work connected injuries that required more than first aid treatment, or work connected illnesses or death to workers on this place in 1974?**
(Do not include deaths, injuries, or illnesses to employees of contractors.)

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 32 on next page*

	Operator and unpaid family workers	Hired workers and paid members of operator's family
1. Non-fatal injuries and illnesses		
a. How many workers had injuries or illnesses without lost workdays?	761 Workers	1 Workers
b. How many workers had injuries or illnesses with lost workdays?	762 Workers	1 Workers
(1) How many days were lost as a result of all injuries and illnesses?	763 Days	1 Days
2. Number of deaths	764 Number	1 Number

Section 32 — Were any INSECTICIDES, HERBICIDES, FUNGICIDES, OTHER PESTICIDES, LIME, or OTHER CHEMICALS used on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 33*

Include any of these materials paid for by you, your landlord, or contractors. If custom applied, report only estimated cost of material. Cost of applying should be reported in Section 34, item 9. For each item listed, ***report acres only once,*** *but report cost of all such materials used on these acres in 1974. If multipurpose chemicals were used, report acreage treated for each purpose and allocate cost of materials.*

	Number of acres on which used	Cost of chemicals (Do not include cost of applying) Dollars	Cents
1. Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., (fungicide, herbicide, insecticide, nematocide) to control —			
a. Insects on hay crops (alfalfa, timothy, etc.)	771	1 $	
b. Insects on other crops (corn, other grain, cotton, tobacco, potatoes, trees, vines, etc.)	772	1 $	
c. Nematodes in crops	773	1 $	
d. Diseases in crops and orchards (blights, smuts, rusts, etc.)	774	1 $	
e. Weeds or grass in crops *(Include both pre-emergence and post emergence.)*	775	1 $	
f. Weeds or brush in pasture	776	1 $	
g. Weeds on all other land (fence rows, ditch banks, road sides, etc.)	777	1 $	
2. Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	778	1 $	
3. Expenditures for insect control on livestock and poultry, including treatment of buildings		779 $	
4. Lime *(Do not include land plaster or gypsum or lime for sanitation.)* 781 Tons	782	1 $	
5. Other chemicals (excluding fertilizer), such as lime for sanitation, pesticides used for rodent and bird control, etc.		783 $	
6. **TOTAL CHEMICAL COST** *(Add dollars for items 1a through 5 and enter total here and in Section 34, item 10.)*		784 $	

Section 33 — FARM CREDIT

1. DEBTS SECURED BY REAL ESTATE — Were there any real estate mortgages, deeds of trust, or land purchase contracts on farm land and buildings owned and operated by you? *(If you rent land to others, see separate Instructions.)*

☐ YES — *Answer a, b, and c* ☐ NO — *Go to item 2* ☐ No land owned — *Go to item 2*

	Amount (principal only) owed December 31, 1974 Dollars	Cents
a. Amount owed to a Federal Land Bank, The Farmers Home Administration, an insurance company, a commercial or savings bank, and/or a production credit association	791 $	
b. Amount owed to a savings and loan association, mortgage investment company, and/or other financial institution not covered above	792 $	
c. Amount owed to individual(s) from whom you bought part or all of the property or to others (secured by mortgage, deed of trust, land purchase contract, etc.)	793 $	

2. DEBTS NOT SECURED BY REAL ESTATE — Were any chattel mortgages, sales contracts, or unsecured notes owed by you on December 31, 1974, for operating this farm or ranch business?

☐ YES — *Answer a, b, and c* ☐ NO — *Go to Section 34*

	Amount (principal only) owed December 31, 1974 Dollars	Cents
a. Amount owed to a commercial or savings bank, a production credit association, The Farmers Home Administration, and/or other lending agencies	795 $	
b. Amount owed to business firms or farm suppliers (machinery dealer, feed dealer, fuel supplier, fertilizer dealers, etc., or their finance agencies)	796 $	
c. Amount owed to relatives and other individuals	797 $	

Section 34 — Production EXPENSES paid by you and others for this place in 1974

COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Include your best estimates of expenses paid by you, your landlord, contractors, buyers, and others for production of crops, livestock, and other agricultural products on this place. DO NOT INCLUDE expenses connected with performing customwork off this place, operation of non-farm activities, businesses or services, and household expenses not related to the farm business.

		Production expenses Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock and poultry purchased — cattle, calves, hogs, pigs, sheep, lambs, goats, horses, baby chicks, poults, started pullets, etc.	801	$	
2. Total feed purchased for livestock and poultry — grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc. *(Total dollars for a, b, c, and d below.)*	802	$	

	Tons	Tenths	Dollars	Cents
a. Commercially mixed formula feeds purchased — complete, supplement, concentrates *(Do not include ingredients purchased separately, such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, and urea.)*	803	/10	1 $	
b. Ingredients purchased — such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, urea, etc., millfeeds or other milling byproducts *(Do not include whole grains.)*	804	/10	1 $	
c. Whole grains purchased — such as corn, oats, barley, grain sorghum, wheat, rye, etc. *(Include cracked grain. Do not include millfeeds or other milling byproducts, or green chop.)*	805	/10	1 $	
d. Hay, green chop, silage, etc.	806	/10	1 $	

3. Animal health costs for livestock and poultry *(Include veterinarian services, serums, vaccines, tonics, medicines, etc.)*	807	$	
4. Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	808	$	
5. Commercial fertilizer purchased — all forms, including rock phosphate and gypsum *(Report custom application costs in item 9 below.)*	809	$	
6. Total gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil purchased for the farm business — Diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, propane, piped gas, kerosene, fuel oil, motor oil, grease, etc. *(Total dollars for a, b, c, and d below.)*	811	$	

	Storage capacity for farm use *(Gallons)*	Estimated expenditures for farm use in 1974 Dollars	Cents
a. Gasoline for the farm business	812	1 $	
b. Diesel fuel for the farm business	813	1 $	
c. LP gas, butane, propane for the farm business *(4.5 lbs. = 1 gallon)*	814	1 $	
d. Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil for the farm business		815 $	

7. Hired farm labor *(Add dollars reported in Section 30, items 1a, 1b, and 1c, and enter total here.)*	821	$	
8. Contract labor *(Copy dollars reported in Section 30, item 2a.)*	823	$	
9. Machine hire and customwork *(Include expenditures for this place for use of equipment and for customwork such as grinding and mixing feed, plowing, combining, corn picking, drying, silo filling, spraying, dusting, fertilizing, etc.)*	824	$	
10. Agricultural chemicals purchased *(Copy dollars reported in Section 32, item 6.)*	826	$	
11. All other production expenses *(Include OTHER current operating expenses such as depreciation, taxes, interest, cash rent, insurance, repairs, electricity, purchase of water, etc., for the farm business.)*	827	$	
12. TOTAL PRODUCTION EXPENSES including expenses paid by landlords, contractors, or others *(Add dollars in items 1 through 11 and enter total here.)* →	829	$	

Section 35 — Value of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses *(See separate Instructions.)*

COMPLETE THIS PAGE

Report your best estimates of the value for each of the following groups of products sold from this place. Include value of landlord's and/or contractor's share, estimating if necessary.

	Estimated value of products sold	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Grains — corn for grain, small grains, soybeans for beans, grain sorghums, cowpeas for peas, dry beans, and dry peas	832 $	
2. Cotton and cottonseed	833 $	
3. Tobacco	834 $	
4. Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	835 $	
5. Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons *(Do not include Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes.)*	836 $	
6. Other field crops — peanuts, Irish potatoes, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, sugarcane, popcorn, mint for oil, hops, etc. — *Specify* _____	837 $	
7. Fruits, nuts, and berries — apples, berries, citrus, grapes, peaches, pecans, pears, pineapples, etc.	838 $	
8. Nursery and greenhouse products sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 14, items 1 through 6e and enter the total here.)*	839 $	
9. Forest products sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 17 and enter the total here.)*	849 $	
10. Poultry and poultry products, broilers, other chickens, eggs, ducks, turkeys, etc. *(Copy dollars reported in Section 22, item 5.)*	852 $	
11. Cattle and calves sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 23, items 2 and 3 — do NOT include item 3a — and enter the total here.)*	853 $	
12. Dairy products — milk, cream, etc. *(Copy dollars reported in Section 23, item 4. Report goat dairy products in item 15 below.)*	854 $	
13. Hogs and pigs sold *(Copy dollars reported in Section 24, item 3.)*	855 $	
14. Sheep, lambs, and wool *(Copy dollars reported in Section 25, item 3.)*	856 $	
15. Other livestock, horses, mules, fur-bearing animals, bees, honey, goat dairy products, mohair, etc. *(Add dollars reported in Section 26, items 1 through 7, and enter the total here.)*	857 $	
16. **TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD including value of landlord's and/or contractor's share** *(Add dollars entered in items 1 through 15 and enter total here.)* →	859 $	

Section 36 — INCOME AND EXPENSES from FARM-RELATED SOURCES IN 1974

■ Part A — INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES

Report amount received before taxes and expenses.

	None	Farm-related income	
		Dollars	Cents
1. Customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others—plowing, planting, spraying, harvesting, preparation of products for market, etc. *(If customwork is a separate business, see separate Instructions.)*	☐	871 $	
2. Recreational services — providing hunting, fishing, picnicking, camping, boarding and lodging, or other recreational facilities on this place	☐	872 $	
3. Payments you received for participation in Government farm programs *(Do not include redeemable loans.)*	☐	873 $	
4. Gross cash rent or share payments received from renting out farm land or payments received from lease or sale of allotments *(Include payments for livestock pastured on a per-head basis, per-month basis, per-pound basis, etc.)*	☐	874 $	
5. Other business or source of income which is conducted on or CLOSELY RELATED to the AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS on this place — *Specify kind* _____	☐	875 $	

■ Part B — EXPENSES FOR FARM-RELATED INCOME SOURCES

	None	Farm-related expenses	
		Dollars	Cents
6. For farm-related income sources reported in items 1 through 5 above, enter the total estimated expenses paid by you and others in 1974 *(Include all operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. Do not include expenses already reported in Section 34.)*	☐	876 $	

Section 37 TYPE OF ORGANIZATION, OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS, and related information

COMPLETE THIS PAGE

■ **Part A — Type of Organization**

1. Mark (X) the one box which best describes the way this place was operated in 1974.

901 1 ☐ INDIVIDUAL or FAMILY operation (sole proprietorship), excluding partnership and corporation

2 ☐ PARTNERSHIP operation, including family partnerships *(See separate Instructions.)* — *Enter number of partners* . . 902 _____

} *Complete Parts B and C below*

3 ☐ CORPORATION, including family corporations — *Skip to Section 38*

4 ☐ OTHER, such as cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc. — *Specify type then skip to Section 38* . . . . . _____

■ **Part B — Farm Operator Characteristics and Related Information for Individual, Family, or Partnership Operations**

1. **Residence** — Where does the operator, person in charge, or senior partner of this farm or ranch operation live? . . . . . 903 1 ☐ On this place

Not on this place: 2 ☐ On another farm; 3 ☐ In a rural area, not on a farm; 4 ☐ In a city, town, or urban area

2. What was the earliest year the operator (or senior partner, if partnership) began to operate any part of this place? . . . . . 904 _____ Year

3. How old is the operator (or senior partner, if partnership)? . . . . . 905 _____ Years old

4. Operator's race — *Mark (X) appropriate box* 906

1 ☐ White
2 ☐ Negro or Black
3 ☐ American Indian
4 ☐ Mexican American, Chicano, Mexican (Mexicano), Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, Other Spanish
5 ☐ Japanese, Chinese, Filipino
11 ☐ Other — *Specify what race* _____

5. **Principal Occupation** — At what occupation did the operator spend the majority (50 percent or more) of his work time in 1974? *(For partnerships, consider all members of the partnership together.)* . . . . . 907 1 ☐ Farming 2 ☐ Other

6. **Off-Farm Work** — How many days did each member of the family work OFF the place in 1974? *(Include work at a nonfarm job, business, profession, or on someone else's farm. Do not include exchange farm work.)*

[*Mark (X) one for each applicable line*]

		None	1–49 days	50–99 days	100–149 days	150–199 days	200 days or more
a. Operator or senior partner.	911	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
b. Spouse.	912	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
c. Other	913	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
d. Other.	914	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐

■ **Part C — Family Income from Off-Farm Sources in 1974**

(Report amount you and members of your family received in 1974 from the following sources. For partnership operations, the report should be for the senior partner and his family.)

	None	Income from off-farm sources: Dollars	Cents
1. Operation of a non-farm-related business (not reported in Section 36) or professional practice *(Report NET after expenses.)*	☐	921 $	
2. Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips from all jobs *(Report amount before deducting taxes.)*	☐	922 $	
3. Interest, dividends, or royalties	☐	923 $	
4. Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, veterans payments, annuities, unemployment insurance, workmen's compensation, and old age and other public assistance.	☐	924 $	
5. Rental income of nonfarm property *(Report NET after deduction of expenses.)*	☐	925 $	

Section 38 PERSON COMPLETING THIS REPORT

PLEASE PRINT	Name	Date: 931 Month	Day	Telephone: 932 Area Code	Number

Enter remarks on back cover.

INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR FORM 74-A1

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO HELP YOU FILL OUT YOUR REPORT

Please remove this sheet and keep it handy for reference while filling out the report. Additional help may be found in copies of the Farm Census Guide, which should be available for reference at U.S.D.A. County offices and other locations in your area. Do NOT return these instructions with your filled out report.

GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(1) Who Should Complete This Form** — All persons receiving this form, including landlords, tenants, partnerships, corporations, institutions, and others should complete the first sections. Most people will need to complete the rest of the form. However, some will be able to skip most of it. Follow the directions at the end of Section 2.

▶ **(2) If You Have Multiple Farming Operations** — A census report form should be filled out for each separate and distinct production unit. For example, if you are the sole proprietor of one agricultural operation, the senior partner in an agricultural partnership, and manager of a third agricultural operation, three separate census reports should be filled out and returned by you. A separate report should be made for each agricultural operation (farm, ranch, feedlot, greenhouse, etc.) for which you maintain separate records of operating expenses and sales, livestock and other inventories, machinery and equipment, and crop acreages and production. If you need more forms, please let us know.

▶ **(3) If You Don't Have Multiple Farming Operations and You Received Two or More Census of Agriculture Report Forms-** Complete only one form for your place. If you received both a green form (74-A1) and a brown form (74-A2) fill out the green form.

Tear off the front covers of any extra forms received, write "Duplicate" beside the extra addresses, and return the covers with your completed report so we can correct our address list.

INSTRUCTIONS AFTER YOU'VE COMPLETED SECTION 3

Now that you've completed Section 3, please read the following instructions.

▶ **(4) Complete the Rest of This Form** if you reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, and **had** agricultural operations on that land. Read the instructions beginning with "More General Information" if you need help. Mail the completed form back in the return envelope provided. (Do NOT return this Instruction Sheet.)

▶ **(5) Do Not Complete The Rest of The Form if** —

▶ **EITHER** ◀

(a) You reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4 but had no agricultural operations in 1974 on the land.

▶ **OR** ◀

(b) All of your land was operated by a renter or sharecropper. (The entry in Section 3, item 4 should be "0" in most cases.) Your renter or sharecropper should have received a report form also and he is required to report the agricultural operations on the land he rents from or works on shares for you. You may be able to help him fill out his report.

▶ **OR** ◀

(c) Your only involvement with the agricultural activity was a financial investment and Section 3, item 4 is "0." The operator of that activity will receive a report form to fill out.

If you are not required to complete the rest of the form—PLEASE—

(1) Tear off the front cover and page one;

(2) Write a brief explanatory note on the cover describing why you are not a farm operator such as: "Sold farm in 1973," "No crops or livestock," "All land rented out," "Not a farm operator — only have financial interest in some cattle;" and

(3) Mail back the two torn-off sheets in the return envelope found in the centerfold.

MORE GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(6) Partnership Operations** — For partnerships, the senior partner should fill out one report form for the entire partnership farming operation. If members of the partnership operate farms on their own, in addition to the partnership, separate reports should be filled out for each individual place. If members of the farming partnership, other than the senior partner, received report forms and they had **no** farming operations of their own, they should tear off the cover, write a brief explanation such as "Senior partner has filled out report for partnership — I have no other farming operations of my own," and mail it back to us in the return envelope.

▶ **(7) Landlord's or Contractor's Share** — If you rented or leased land or had a contract for the production of agricultural products, be sure to include on your report the landlord's or contractor's share of the production, sales, and expenses, so your Census report will be complete for "This Place."

If you do not know the landlord's or contractor's share, include your BEST ESTIMATE.

▶ **(8) The Same Report Form Is Used For All States Except Hawaii.** Because it is meant for use in all parts of the country, it contains sections which may not apply in your area or to your operation. For these, you can simply mark the "No" box and go to the next section.

▶ **(9) Filling Out the Report Form** — There are a few rules that will help us if you follow them.

(a) All money figures may be entered in whole dollars. Cents are not required.

(b) Enter whole numbers except where tenths are asked for. Where you have 1/2 or 1/4 or 1/3 of an acre or ton, convert these to tenths. For instance, convert 1/2 to 5/10, 1/3 to 3/10, 1/4 to 2/10, etc.

(c) Enter replies in the proper space, on the correct line, and in the units requested; i.e., dollars, bushels, tons, etc. Some conversion methods are shown on the report form or in the Instructions under the appropriate section number.

(d) If you do not have exact figures, give your best estimates.

(e) A section answered by an "X" in the "No" box is finished. Go to the next section indicated.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIED SECTIONS

▶ Section 3 — Acreage in 1974

The purpose of Section 3 is to establish the land for which you are to report agricultural operations. Report all agricultural land operated by the addressee in 1974—cropland, woodland, pastureland, wasteland, and any other land—not just planted land. Report for all separate pieces of land that are included in this operation, regardless of location.

Market value refers to what you think the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

Item 1 — Land Owned — Include all land associated with agricultural operations in 1974, whether held under title, purchase contract or mortgage, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate by you and/or your spouse; or by the partnership, corporation, or organization for which you are reporting.

Item 2 — Land Rented (or Leased) FROM OTHERS — Report here any land you rented FROM OTHERS for cash or equivalent or a share of the crops or livestock or used rent free, regardless of whether the landowner supplied any equipment, fertilizer, or other materials or supervised your work. Also include Federal and State land rented or leased by the acre, but not land used on a per-head or animal-unit basis.

Item 3 — Land Rented (or Leased) TO OTHERS — Report here any land rented TO OTHERS for cash or other consideration or that was worked for you by someone else for a share of the crops or livestock. Include all agricultural land which you owned (or rented from others) but did not use in 1974 because it was rented, leased, or used by others in 1974. Do not include land rented to others for only part of the year if you used it for agricultural operations for the other part.

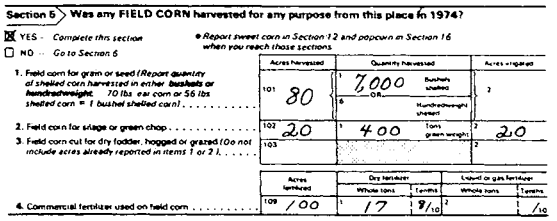
Item 4 — Acres in "This Place" — This is the land you owned in 1974 **PLUS** the land you RENTED FROM others, **MINUS** the land you RENTED TO others. It is very important that you report this figure correctly since it is the net acreage to which the remainder of the form applies, the "Acres in This Place." That is, your report should cover only the operations on the net acreage as reported in item 4.

▶ Sections 5-16 — Crops

Do not include in your report any crops on land which you rented or leased to others or which was worked on shares by others in 1974. Your report should include only those crops grown on the "Acres in This Place," as reported in Section 3, item 4.

For each applicable crop or group of crops, report the area harvested.

An example of how to report crops harvested — A farmer planted 100 acres of field corn. He harvested 80 acres, getting 7,000 bushels of shelled corn. He irrigated 20 acres and cut them for silage; he estimated the production at 400 tons. He turned his cattle into the 100 acres after the harvest and let them graze. All 100 acres were fertilized using 17-3/4 tons of dry fertilizer. His entries on the Census report are shown in the following illustration



Section 5 > Was any FIELD CORN harvested for any purpose from this place in 1974?

☒ YES — Complete this section. ☐ NO — Go to Section 6

• Report sweet corn in Section 12 and popcorn in Section 16 when you reach those sections.

		Acres harvested	Quantity harvested		Acres irrigated
1. Field corn for grain or seed (Report quantity of shelled corn harvested in either baskets or handpoweight. 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn)	101	80	7,000 Bushels shelled OR Hundredweight (cwt.)		3
2. Field corn for silage or green chop	102	20	400 Tons green weight	2	20
3. Field corn cut for dry fodder, hogged or grazed (Do not include acres already reported in items 1 or 2.)	103			2	

		Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field corn	109	100	17	9/10	2	1/10

No provision is made for reporting acres grazed after harvest. Since letting the cattle graze was a secondary use of land already harvested, the farmer **did not** have to make any entry in item 3.

Quantity harvested — Report in the units specified. If your records show a different unit than printed on the form, please convert to the unit shown. A choice of two units is provided for some crops.

Commercial fertilizer — Report the total number of acres fertilized in 1974 and the total tons and tenths of tons (including filler), used on all applications. Report anhydrous ammonia in the "Liquid or gas" column.

Interplanted crops and "skip-row" planting — If you grew two crops in alternate strips in the same field at the same time, or one crop in a "skip-row" pattern, for each crop report the portion of the field used for that crop.

▶ Section 12 — Vegetables

Acres are to be reported for fresh market and/or for processing. If a vegetable crop was harvested for **both** purposes, prorate the acreage on the basis of the production for each use. For example, 2 tons of tomatoes were picked for fresh market from a 5-acre field; later the same 5 acres were picked and the 8 tons of tomatoes harvested went for processing. Since 2/10 of the production was for fresh market and 8/10 for processing, report 1 acre (2/10 X 5) for fresh market and 4 acres (8/10 X 5) for processing. If you don't know what use was made of the vegetables, report them under the purpose for which you think they were used.

▶ Section 13 — Fruit

If trees or vines are interplanted, estimate the area covered by each kind of fruit.

Approximate Box Weight — Pounds Per Box

State	All Oranges*	Grapefruit	Tangerines	Lemons
Arizona	75	64	75	76
California	75	65	75	76
Florida	90	85	95	90
Texas	90	80	95	90
Other States	90	85	95	90

*Includes Temples and Tangelos

Avocados — Quantity harvested — In California report for the period October 1, 1973 to September 30, 1974. In Florida report for the period July 1, 1974 to about February 28, 1975.

Figs — Report quantity harvested in dry weight. In California 3 lbs. fresh = 1 lb. dry. Other States 4 lbs. fresh = 1 lb. dry.

▶ Section 18 — Land Use in 1974

All acres included in this place (see entry in Section 3, item 4) should be accounted for. If any acreage was devoted to more than one specified land use during 1974, report the acreage only on the line for the first item which fits. (For example, 10 acres harvested for wheat for grain and subsequently pastured — report the 10 acres only in item 2a, Cropland harvested.)

▶ Section 19 — Irrigation

Report the estimated quantity of water used in the unit of measure most convenient for you.

Acre-feet — Many irrigation districts show amount of water delivered to their users in acre-feet on their bills. If you do not know the acre-feet of water used but have an estimate of average acre-feet used per acre, obtain the total acre-feet by multiplying the average times the number of acres irrigated.

Gallons — Irrigators pumping from their own wells may estimate total gallons used by multiplying the pumping capacity for the pump times minutes in the hour (60), times hours pumped per day, times days pumped per season during 1974. For example, a 100 gal./minute pump was pumped an average of 20 hours per day for a season of 96 days. One hundred gal./minute times 60 minutes, times 20 hours pumped per day, times 96-day season = 11,520,000 gallons.

Total inches — When a sprinkler system is used, it may be simpler to estimate the total depth in inches of all water applied during the season.

▶ Sections 22-26 — Livestock and Poultry

Animals to be included in the report — Report all animals on the place on December 31, 1974 **owned by you** or **kept by you** for others. Include animals on unfenced land, grazing on national forest land, grazing on district land or cooperative grazing association land, or rangeland administered by the Bureau of Land Management on a per-head or lease basis (such as wheat pasture). Include poultry (broilers, layers, turkeys, etc.) fed under contract on "This Place."

Animals to be excluded from the report — Do not report any animals on land rented to others in 1974. Your report should include only animals on the "Acres in This Place" as reported in Section 3, item 4, except as noted above.

Number sold — Report all animals sold or removed from this place including those sold for a landlord or given to a landlord as his share or to others in trade or in payment for goods and services. Include animals of all ages without regard to ownership or who shared in the receipts if the animals were located on the place 30 days or more and were sold or removed from the place for sale in 1974.

Sales from contract and custom feeding operations — Include animals (including poultry fed under contract) fed on this place on a contract or custom basis if they were removed from the place in 1974.

Animals bought and sold — Do **not** include animals bought and resold within 30 days. Such purchases and sales are considered to be "dealer" transactions and should not be reported.

Fat cattle sales — Do not include on the fattened cattle line:

(a) Veal calves which were fattened primarily on milk, or

(b) Dairy cows fed only the usual dairy ration before being sold, or

(c) Cattle and calves that have been fed on grain or concentrates and sold for further feeding.

Value of sales — Be sure to report the total value of sales without deducting cost of feed, cost of livestock purchased, cost of hauling and selling, and so forth. If the sales price or value is not known, give your best estimate of their value when they left this place.

Animals sold from another place — Do not report the value of sales of animals owned by you but held and sold from someone else's place. For example, do not report cattle purchased elsewhere, fed in, and sold from a feedlot not part of this place.

Animals moved to another place — For animals removed from your place to a feedlot for feeding, give your best estimate of their market value when they left this place.

Sheep and lambs shorn — In the first answer space report the number shorn; in the second answer space report the total weight in pounds, grease basis, of all wool obtained in 1974, whether from one or two shearings.

▶ Section 28 — Miscellaneous Items

Futures market — Report those commodities you bought or sold (or bought and sold) through a commodity exchange as a hedge against crops produced on this place. Do not report transactions in any commodities not grown on the place. For example, if you bought or sold both wheat and cotton through a commodity exchange and wheat was grown on the place but no cotton, mark only the box opposite wheat.

▶ Section 29 — Contracts

Many farm products are produced and marketed under a contract or binding agreement between the farm operator (producer) and the person who buys or uses the farm product. It may be a production contract, a marketing contract, or a combination of both. **Production contracts** usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm product to be produced and may specify variety or breed, the operations to be performed during production, and the inputs and technical assistance to be supplied by the contractor. **Marketing contracts** usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm product to be delivered but usually do not specify the particular operations or methods to be used in production.

For each product under contract, report the type of contract. Co-op contractors should include production contracts with cooperative processors. Do not include contracts made by you for services (customwork, hauling, etc.) or to produce farm items for you wherein you are the purchaser rather than the supplier of the products.

If a sales contract or agreement provides also for supplying or furnishing feed, seed, labor, or equipment, report it as a production contract. Do not report contracts or agreements which do not provide **specifically** for the production or marketing of agricultural products.

▶ Section 33 — Farm Credit

Item 1 — Debts Secured by Real Estate — Do not include debt on land and buildings rented to or from others. If you owned a farm, with a debt on it, and rented part of it to others or had worked on shares, report (estimate) only the part of the debt that relates to the part operated by you.

Item 2 — Debts Not Secured by Real Estate — Do not report: (1) debts on nonagricultural property such as cotton gins, canning factories, sugar mills, motels, stores, etc.; (2) price support loans owed to the Commodity Credit Corp.; (3) your landlord's share of any debts; or (4) charge accounts that are paid in full monthly (debts owed for less than 30 days).

▶ Section 36 — Income and Expenses from Farm-Related Sources

Items 1, 2, and 5 refer only to those income producing activities for which you use part of the land, machinery, equipment, labor, or capital normally used on this place, and which you do not consider as entirely separate from your farming activities. **Report gross amount received before taxes and expenses.**

Do not report income or expenses for customwork or agricultural services provided for others if operated as an entirely separate business from your agricultural operations. The net amount should be reported in Section 37 — Family Income from Off-Farm Sources (Part C, item 1).

▶ Section 37 — Type of Organization

Individual or family operation (sole proprietorship) — Defined as a farm or business organization controlled and operated by an individual. Includes family operations that are **not** incorporated and **not** operated under a partnership agreement.

Partnership operations — Defined as two or more persons who have agreed on the amount of their contribution (capital and effort) and the distribution of profits. Co-ownership of land by husband and wife or joint filing of income tax forms by husband and wife do not necessarily mean that a partnership exists unless there is some agreement as to sharing contributions, decision making, profits, and liabilities.

Corporation, including family corporations — Defined as a legal entity or artificial person created under the laws of a State to carry on a business. This definition does **not** include cooperatives.

Other — Such as cooperative (defined as an incorporated or unincorporated enterprise or association created and formed jointly by the members), estate or trust (defined as a fund of money or property administered for the benefit of another individual or organization), prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc.

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

PLEASE remove the envelope and Instruction Sheet from the center of this booklet and . . . KEEP THEM HANDY.

EXPLANATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS are provided all through the form with more detail in the Instruction Sheet you have removed from the center of this report. Use them — **they will help.**

A Message from the Director of the Bureau of the Census...

January 2, 1975

Dear Friend:

It's time for the 1974 Census of Agriculture, and we need your help.

Please fill out this report and return it in the envelope provided.

This is a most important census. Many changes have occurred in agriculture since 1969 when the last census was taken. It is important to you that these changes be measured and understood by other farmers and ranchers as well as by those who serve you and them.

Your answers are needed and are COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL, as spelled out in the Notice at the right of this letter.

Please fill out your report and send it back right away. We'll appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,

Vincent P. Barabba

VINCENT P. BARABBA
Director
Bureau of the Census

NOTICE — Response to this inquiry is required by law. (Title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law **YOUR REPORT TO THE CENSUS BUREAU IS CONFIDENTIAL.** It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Your report **CANNOT** be used for purposes of taxation, investigation, or regulation. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

NOTE: If you correspond with us regarding your report, please use the Census File Number shown in the address block on the booklet cover.

Complete this report and RETURN TO

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

Section 1 > Did you receive more than one report form?

☐ YES — *See separate Instructions*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 2*

Enter extra file number(s) here ▶

Section 2 > FARMING, RANCHING, OR OTHER AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES IN 1974

	YES	NO
1. At any time in 1974 did you raise, produce, or sell ANY amount of any of the items listed below?	1 ☐	2 ☐

- Crops
- Hay, pasture, sod
- Vegetables, melons, mushrooms
- Fruits, nuts, berries, and citrus
- Cattle (including feedlots)
- Hogs, sheep, goats, horses
- Poultry, eggs
- Dairy products
- Forest products on farms
- Greenhouse and nursery products
- Fish in captivity
- Fur-bearing animals in captivity
- Other animal specialties

	YES	NO
2. Did you at any time in 1974 raise or produce any agricultural products for contractors such as feed companies, processors, or packers?	1 ☐	2 ☐
3. Did you raise or produce any agricultural products for others or with others under a partnership, share arrangement, or other rental agreement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
4. Did you own any land that was used by someone else for agricultural purposes in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
5. Did you own any livestock or poultry that was cared for by someone else under a share agreement or custom arrangement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐

▶ ***If you answered YES to ANY of these questions, go to Section 3.***

▶ ***If you answered NO to ALL five of these questions, tear off this front cover and mail it back to us in the envelope provided.***

Section 3 ACREAGE in 1974 and LAND VALUE

Include all cropland, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, wasteland, idle land, house lots, etc.

	None	Number of acres	Your estimate of the current market value of these acres and the buildings on them — Dollars	Cents
1. ALL land owned	☐	040	1 $	
2. ALL land rented or leased FROM OTHERS, including land worked on shares; leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. *(Do NOT include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.)*	☐	050	1 $	
3. All land rented or leased TO OTHERS, including land worked on shares by others and land subleased	☐	060	1 $	
4. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** ① *(Please ADD acres owned (item 1) and acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space.)* →		070		These are the ACRES in "THIS PLACE" ① for this census report

① *"THIS PLACE" means your farm or ranch, feedlots, poultry houses, greenhouses, and/or any other agricultural operations.*

5. If you rented land FROM OTHERS (item 2 above), please enter the following information for each landlord.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	Number of acres	Rental arrangements in 1974 *Mark (X) all that apply* — Share of crops	Share of livestock or products	Cash as rent	Other arrangements
		081	1 ☐ 1	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		082	1 ☐ 1	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		083	1 ☐ 1	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐

List additional landlords on back cover

6. If you rented land TO OTHERS (item 3 above), please enter the following information for each renter.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	No. of acres
		085
		086
		087

List additional renters on back cover

7. Of the land you rented or leased from others (item 2 above), how many acres did you subrent or sublease to others? *(Include land rented or leased by you which was worked on shares by others.)* None ☐

Number of acres	Current market value
088	1 $

PLEASE READ

You may be able to skip most of this form if —

a. All the land you owned or rented was worked on shares or rented to someone else.
b. There were no crops or livestock in 1974 on the acres in "THIS PLACE" (item 4 above).
c. The land you operated prior to 1974 has been sold to someone else.

If a, b, or c apply to your operation, please read the Instructions before continuing with this report.

Section 4 LOCATION OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY

1. In what county was the largest value of your agricultural products raised or produced? *(Enter county name, State, and number of acres on the "Principal county" line. If you have agricultural operations in any other county(ies), enter the county name(s), etc., on the lines provided for "Other counties.")*

	County name	State	No. of acres
Principal county			091
Other counties			092
			093
			094

2. Location of place within principal county entered above *(Give name of township, district, precinct, etc., or Township – Range numbers.)*

Name of location

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Section 5 CROPS HARVESTED FOR ANY PURPOSE FROM THIS PLACE IN 1974

Report all crops harvested. Include crops grown under contract. Be sure to include landlord's share.

	None	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested
1. Field corn for grain or seed *(Report quantity on a shelled basis in either **bushels or hundredweight**. 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn.)*	☐	101	1 Bushels shelled — OR — 6 Hundredweight shelled
2. Field corn for silage, cut for green chop or dry fodder, hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in item 1.)*	☐	104	
3. Sorghums or milo for grain or seed *(Report quantity harvested in either **bushels or pounds**.)*	☐	111	1 Bushels — OR — 6 Pounds
4. Sorghums for silage, cut for green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in item 3.)*	☐	115	
5. Soybeans for beans	☐	121	1 Bushels
6. Peanuts for nuts	☐	122	1 Pounds
7. Wheat for grain	☐	130	1 Bushels
8. Other small grains for grain — oats, barley, rye, rice, etc. — *Specify* _____	☐	136	
9. Cotton	☐	151	1 Bales
10. Tobacco — all types	☐	152 /10	1 Pounds
11. Irish potatoes (excluding home use)	☐	153 /10	1 Hundredweight
12. Sweetpotatoes (excluding home use)	☐	154 /10	1 Bushels
13. Hay — all kinds except sorghum hay *(Include grain hay, grass silage, wild hay, etc. If two or more cuttings were made from the same land, REPORT ACRES ONLY ONCE, but report total tons of all cuttings.)*	☐	170	1 Tons, dry
14. Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	☐	240 /10	
15. Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees of all ages *(Include land on which the fruit crop failed. Do not include abandoned acreages or plantings.)* — *Specify* _____	☐	301 /10	
16. Berries for sale — *Specify* _____	☐	401 /10	
17. All other crops *(Include field seeds; sugar crops; nursery products; flowers, etc., grown in the open; sod; etc.)* — *Specify* _____	☐	430 /10	

	Square feet
18. If any greenhouse products were sold, how many square feet were under glass or other protection?	460

Section 6 LAND USE IN 1974

The purpose of this section is to distribute all acres in "THIS PLACE" among items 1 through 5.

▶ ***NOTE:*** *If the same land had more than one use in 1974, REPORT THAT LAND ONLY ONCE — in the first use that applies. For example, cropland that was harvested and pastured is to be reported only as "Cropland harvested."*

	Number of acres
1. Cropland harvested *(Include all land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut, and all land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products. If two crops were harvested from the same land in 1974, report the acres only once.)*	502
2. Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	503
3. All other cropland *(Include cropland used for soil-improvement crops, crop failure, cultivated summer fallow, and idle cropland.)*	504
4. Woodland *(Include woodland pasture.)*	510
5. All other land *(Include pastureland other than cropland and woodland pasture, rangeland, and land in house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.)*	513
6. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** *(Please add the acres reported in items 1 through 5 and enter the total in this space.)* ***(This total should be the same as the total in Section 3, item 4.)*** →	517

7. How much of the total land reported in item 6 was IRRIGATED in 1974? — 528 Acres irrigated

Section 7 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Be sure to report all livestock and poultry on this place on December 31, 1974, no matter who owned them. Include as sold all livestock and poultry fed on a contract or custom basis and taken from this place in 1974.

	None	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Number sold in 1974
1. Hens and pullets of laying age *(Exclude started pullets being raised for sale.)*	☐	601	1
2. Any other chickens 3 months old or older (roosters, started pullets, etc.)	☐	604	1
3. Broilers, fryers, and other meat-type chickens (including capons and roasters)	☐	608	1
4. Cattle and calves of all ages	☐	631	1
a. Beef cows *(Include beef heifers that had calved.)*	☐	632	
b. Milk cows *(Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved.)*	☐	633	
5. Hogs and pigs of all ages	☐	651	1
a. Of the total sold, how many were sold as FEEDER PIGS for further feeding?	☐		2
b. Litters of pigs farrowed on this place between —	None	Number of litters	
(1) December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974	☐	654	
(2) June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	☐	655	
6. Sheep and lambs of all ages	None ☐	661	1
7. Horses and ponies of all ages	☐	670	1
8. Other livestock and poultry — goats, mules, fur-bearing animals, turkeys, ducks, geese, colonies of bees, poultry hatched, fish in captivity except at fish hatcheries, etc.	☐	698	1
Specify what kind _____		699	1

Section 8 MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT on this place on December 31, 1974

(Include only equipment used for agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974.)

■ Value of ALL machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974

	Estimated market value	
	Dollars	Cents
1. What is the estimated market value of ALL machinery, equipment, and implements usually kept on this place and used for the farm or ranch business? *(Include cars, trucks, tractors, combines, plows, disks, harrows, dryers, pumps, motors, irrigation equipment, dairy equipment including milkers and bulk tanks, livestock feeders, grinding and mixing equipment, etc.)*	701 $	

■ SELECTED machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974
(Report only if used in 1973 or 1974.)

	Total number on this place on December 31, 1974	Of the total, HOW MANY were manufactured in the last 5 years (1970-1974)? *(Number)*
2. Automobiles	702	1
3. Motortrucks *(Include pickups.)*	703	1
4. Wheel tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers	704	1
5. Crawler tractors	705	1
6. Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	706	1
7. Corn heads for combines	707	1
8. Other corn pickers and picker-shellers	708	1
9. Mower conditioners	709	1
10. Pickup balers	710	1
11. Windrowers — pull and self-propelled *(Exclude side delivery rakes.)*	711	1
12. Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	712	1

Section 9 Production EXPENSES paid by you and others for this place in 1974

Include your best estimates of expenses paid by you, your landlord, contractors, buyers, and others for production of crops, livestock, and other agricultural products on this place. DO NOT INCLUDE expenses connected with performing customwork off this place, operation of non-farm activities, businesses or services and household expenses not related to the farm business.

	Production expenses	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock and poultry purchased—cattle, calves, hogs, pigs, sheep, lambs, goats, horses, baby chicks, poults, started pullets, etc.	801 $	
2. Total feed purchased for livestock and poultry—grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc.	802 $	
a. Commercially mixed formula feeds purchased – complete, supplement, concentrates *(Do not include ingredients purchased separately, such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, and urea.)* — Tons: 803; Tenths: /10; Dollars: 1 $; Cents:		
3. Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	808 $	
4. Commercial fertilizer purchased — all forms, including rock phosphate and gypsum *(Report custom application costs in item 8.)*	809 $	
5. Total gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil purchased for the farm business — Diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, propane, piped gas, kerosene, fuel oil, motor oil, grease, etc.	811 $	
6. Hired farm labor	821 $	
7. Contract labor	823 $	
8. Machine hire and customwork *(Include expenditures for this place for use of equipment and for customwork such as grinding and mixing feed, plowing, combining, corn picking, silo filling, spraying, dusting, fertilizing, drying, etc.)*	824 $	
9. Agricultural chemicals purchased *(Include lime, insecticides, etc. Exclude fertilizer.)*	826 $	
10. All other production expenses *(Include other current operating expenses such as depreciation, taxes, interest, cash rent, insurance, repairs, electricity, purchase of water, etc., for the farm business.)*	827 $	
11. **TOTAL PRODUCTION EXPENSES including expenses paid by landlords, contractors, or others** *(Add dollars for items 1 through 10 and enter total here.)*	829 $	

Section 10 Value of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974 before taxes and expenses

Report your best estimates of the value of each of the following groups of products sold from this place. Include value of landlord's and/or contractor's share, estimating if necessary.

		Estimated value of products sold	
		Dollars	Cents
1. Crops and hay sold *(Do not include nursery and greenhouse products.)*	831	$	
2. Nursery and greenhouse products sold	839	$	
3. Forest products sold — firewood, fuelwood, fenceposts, sawlogs, Christmas trees, gum for naval stores, standing timber or trees, maple products, etc.	849	$	
4. Poultry and poultry products (eggs, etc.) sold	852	$	
5. Livestock and livestock products (milk, wool, etc.) sold	858	$	
6. TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD including value of landlord's and/or contractor's share *(Add dollars entered in items 1 through 5 and enter total here.)* →	859	$	

Section 11 INCOME AND EXPENSES from FARM-RELATED SOURCES IN 1974

■ Part A — INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES

(Report amount received before taxes and expenses.)

		None	Farm-related income	
			Dollars	Cents
1. Customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others — plowing, planting, spraying, harvesting, preparation of products for market, etc. *(If customwork is a separate business, see Instructions.)*	871	☐	$	
2. Recreational services — providing hunting, fishing, picnicking, camping, boarding and lodging, or other recreational facilities on this place	872	☐	$	
3. Payments you received for participation in Government farm programs *(Do not include redeemable loans.)*	873	☐	$	
4. Gross cash rent or share payments received from renting out farm land or payments received from lease or sale of allotments *(Include payments for livestock pastured on a per-head basis, per-month basis, per-pound basis, etc.)*	874	☐	$	
5. Other business or source which is conducted on or CLOSELY RELATED to the AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS on this place — *Specify kind* _____	875	☐	$	

■ Part B — EXPENSES FOR FARM-RELATED INCOME SOURCES

		None	Farm-related expenses	
			Dollars	Cents
6. For farm-related income sources reported in items 1 through 5, enter the total estimated expenses paid by you and others in 1974 *(Include all operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. Do NOT include expenses already reported in Section 9.)*	876	☐	$	

Section 12 FARM OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

1. Where does the operator, person in charge, of this farm or ranch live? 903

- 1 ☐ On this place
- Not on this place —
  - 2 ☐ On another farm
  - 3 ☐ In a rural area, not on a farm
  - 4 ☐ In a city, town, or urban area

2. Year operator began to operate any part of this place . . . . . 904 _____ Year

3. Operator's age . . . . . 905 _____ Years old

4. Operator's race — *Mark (X) appropriate box* 906

- 1 ☐ White
- 2 ☐ Negro or Black
- 3 ☐ American Indian
- 4 ☐ Mexican American, Chicano, Mexican (Mexicano), Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, Other Spanish
- 5 ☐ Japanese, Chinese, Filipino
- 11 ☐ Other — *Specify what race* _____

5. Principal Occupation — At what occupation did the operator spend the majority (50 percent or more) of his work time in 1974? *(For partnerships, consider all members of the partnership together.)* 907

- 1 ☐ Farming
- 2 ☐ Other

6. Number of days operator worked off this place in 1974 *(Include work at a nonfarm job, business, or profession, or on someone else's farm. Do not include exchange farm work.)* — *Mark (X) the appropriate box.* 911

- 1 ☐ None
- 2 ☐ 1–49 days
- 3 ☐ 50–99 days
- 4 ☐ 100–149 days
- 5 ☐ 150–199 days
- 6 ☐ 200 days or more

7. Was the income which you and your family received from work off the farm and from other sources greater than the total value of agricultural products sold from this place in 1974? 920

- 1 ☐ Yes
- 2 ☐ No

8. Person preparing this report

PLEASE PRINT

Name	Date		Telephone	
	931 Month	Day	932 Area code	Number

REMARKS — *Please write your remarks on the outside back cover where we can more readily see and respond to them if required.*

INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR FORM 74-A2

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO HELP YOU FILL OUT YOUR REPORT

Please remove this sheet and keep it handy for reference while filling out the report. Additional help may be found in copies of the Farm Census Guide, which should be available for reference at U.S.D.A. County offices and other locations in your area. Do NOT return these instructions with your filled out report.

GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(1) Who Should Complete This Form** — All persons receiving this form, including landlords, tenants, partnerships, corporations, institutions, and others should complete the first sections. Most people will need to complete the rest of the form. However, some will be able to skip most of it. Follow the directions at the end of Section 2.

▶ **(2) If You Have Multiple Farming Operations** — A census report form should be filled out for each separate and distinct production unit. For example, if you are the sole proprietor of one agricultural operation, the senior partner in an agricultural partnership, and manager of a third agricultural operation, three separate census reports should be filled out and returned by you. A separate report should be made for each agricultural operation (farm, ranch, feedlot, greenhouse, etc.) for which you maintain separate records of operating expenses and sales, livestock and other inventories, machinery and equipment, and crop acreages and production. If you need more forms, please let us know.

▶ **(3) If You Don't Have Multiple Farming Operations and You Received Two or More Census of Agriculture Report Forms-** Complete only one form for your place. If you received both a green form (74-A1) and a brown form (74-A2) fill out the green form.

Tear off the front covers of any extra forms received, write "Duplicate" beside the extra addresses and return the covers with your completed report so we can correct our address list.

INSTRUCTIONS AFTER YOU'VE COMPLETED SECTION 3

Now that you've completed Section 3, please read the following instructions.

▶ **(4) Complete the Rest of This Form** if you reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, and **had** agricultural operations on that land. Read the instructions beginning with "More General Information" if you need help. Mail the completed form back in the return envelope provided. (Do NOT return this Instruction Sheet.)

▶ **(5) Do Not Complete The Rest of The Form if** —

▶ **EITHER** ◀

(a) You reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, but had no agricultural operations in 1974 on the land.

▶ **OR** ◀

(b) All of your land was operated by a renter or sharecropper. (The entry in Section 3, item 4 should be "0" in most cases.) Your renter or sharecropper should have received a report form also and he is required to report the agricultural operations on the land he rents from or works on shares for you. You may be able to help him fill out his report.

▶ **OR** ◀

(c) Your only involvement with the agricultural activity was a financial investment and Section 3, item 4 is "0." The operator of that activity will receive a report form to fill out.

If you are not required to complete the rest of the form—PLEASE-

(1) Tear off the front cover and page one;

(2) Write a brief explanatory note on the cover describing why you are not a farm operator such as: "Sold farm in 1973," "No crops or livestock," "All land rented out," "Not a farm operator —only have financial interest in some cattle;" and

(3) Mail back the two torn-off sheets in the return envelope found in the centerfold.

MORE GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(6) Partnership Operations** — For partnerships, the senior partner should fill out one report form for the entire partnership farming operation. If members of the partnership operate farms on their own, in addition to the partnership, separate reports should be filled out for each individual place. If members of the farming partnership, other than the senior partner, received report forms and they had **no** farming operations of their own, they should tear off the cover, write a brief explanation such as "Senior partner has filled out report for partnership — I have no other farming operations of my own," and mail it back to us in the return envelope.

▶ **(7) Landlord's or Contractor's Share** — If you rented or leased land or had a contract for the production of agricultural products, be sure to include on your report the landlord's or contractor's share of the production, sales, and expenses, so your Census report will be complete for "This Place."

If you do not know the landlord's or contractor's share, include your BEST ESTIMATE.

▶ **(8) Filling Out the Report Form** — There are a few rules that will help us if you follow them.

(1) All money figures may be entered in whole dollars. Cents are not required.

(2) Enter whole numbers except where tenths are asked for. Where you have 1/2 or 1/4 or 1/3 of an acre or ton, convert these to tenths. For instance, convert 1/2 to 5/10, 1/3 to 3/10, 1/4 to 2/10, etc.

(3) Enter replies in the proper space, on the correct line, and in the units requested; i.e., dollars, bushels, tons, etc.

(4) If you do not have exact figures, give your best estimates.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIED SECTIONS

▶ **Section 3 — Acreage in 1974**

The purpose of Section 3 is to establish the land for which you are to report agricultural operations. Report all agricultural land operated by the addressee in 1974—cropland, woodland, pastureland, wasteland, and any other land—not just planted land. Report for all separate pieces of land that are included in this operation, regardless of location.

Market value refers to what you think the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

Item 1 — Land Owned — Include all land associated with agricultural operations in 1974, whether held under title, purchase contract or mortgage, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate by you and/or your spouse; or by the partnership, corporation, or organization for which you are reporting.

Item 2 — Land Rented (or Leased) FROM OTHERS — Report here any land you rented FROM OTHERS for cash or equivalent or a share of the crops or livestock or used rent free, regardless of whether the landowner supplied any equipment, fertilizer, or other materials or supervised your work. Also include Federal and State land rented or leased by the acre, but not land used on a per-head or animal-unit basis.

Item 3 — Land Rented (or Leased) TO OTHERS — Report here any land rented TO OTHERS for cash or other consideration or that was worked for you by someone else for a share of the crops or livestock. Include all agricultural land which you owned (or rented from others) but did not use in 1974 because it was rented, leased, or used by others in 1974. Do not include land rented to others for only part of the year if you used it for agricultural operations for the other part.

Item 4 — Acres in "This Place" — This is the land you owned in 1974 **PLUS** the land you RENTED FROM others, **MINUS** the land you RENTED TO others. It is very important that you report this figure correctly since it is the net acreage to which the remainder of the form applies, the "Acres in This Place." That is, your report should cover only the operations on the net acreage as reported in item 4.

▶ Section 5 — Crops

Do not include in your report any crops on land which you rented or leased to others or which was worked on shares by others in 1974. Your report should include only those crops grown on the "Acres in This Place," as reported in Section 3, item 4.

For each applicable crop or group of crops, report the area harvested. Notice that items 1 through 9 and 13 ask for whole acres, while items 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, and 17 ask for acres and tenths, and item 18 should be reported in square feet.

Quantity harvested — Report in the units specified. If your records show a different unit than printed on the form, please convert to the unit shown. A choice of two units is provided for corn and sorghums.

Interplanted crops and "skip-row" planting — If you grew two crops in alternate strips in the same field at the same time, or one crop in a "skip-row" pattern, for each crop report the portion of the field used for that crop.

▶ Section 6 — Land Use in 1974

All acres included in this place (see entry in Section 3, item 4) should be accounted for. If any acreage was devoted to more than one specified land use during 1974, report the acreage only on the line for the first item which fits. (For example, 10 acres harvested for wheat for grain and subsequently pastured—report the 10 acres only in item 1, Cropland harvested.)

▶ Section 7 — Livestock and Poultry

Animals to be included in the report — Report all animals on the place on December 31, 1974 **owned by you** or **kept by you** for others. Include animals on unfenced land, grazing on national forest land, grazing on district land or cooperative grazing association land, or rangeland administered by the Bureau of Land Management. Include poultry (broilers, layers, turkeys, etc.) fed under contract on "This Place."

Animals to be excluded from the report — Do not report any animals on land rented to others in 1974. Your report should include only animals on the "Acres in This Place" as reported in Section 3, item 4, except as noted above.

Number sold — Report all animals sold or removed from this place including those sold for a landlord or given to a landlord as his share or to others in trade or in payment for goods and services. Include animals of all ages without regard to ownership or who shared in the receipts if the animals were located on the place 30 days or more and were sold or removed from the place for sale in 1974.

Sales from contract and custom feeding operations — Include animals (including poultry fed under contract) fed on this place on a contract or custom basis if they were removed from the place in 1974.

▶ Section 9 — Production Expenses

Report costs incurred for items and services received during 1974 whether or not payment has been made. If you are a tenant farmer or a part-owner, you should report expenditures by landlords for agricultural operations on this place as well as your own expenditures. If you rent part of your land to others, you should report only that money spent for agricultural operations on land you used during 1974 — "Acres in This Place." Estimate the cost of items furnished by contractors.

▶ Section 10 — Value of Agricultural Products Sold

The items in this section relate to the agricultural production for the "Acres in This Place." Report the value of all products sold or removed from this place in 1974. Do not deduct any production costs. Include the value of a landlord's or contractor's share.

Report the total gross value of all crops sold from this place in 1974 regardless of the year they were produced, and the value of all poultry, livestock, and their products sold from this place during 1974. Include the full value of any shares given to or sold for landlords and others in payment for services or products; any products raised and sold under contract; any products sold from this place by members of the family of the person in charge of the place; crops sold in the field; crops harvested by the processor; and crops shipped to a central market.

Do not deduct any cost or expenses incurred in producing these products.

Crops sold — Include the value of any grains or other agricultural commodities placed or to be placed under Commodity Credit Corporation loan or seal and any share given to or sold for landlords and others.

Poultry and livestock sales — If there are entries in the "number sold" column for any items in Section 7, there should be an entry in item 4 and/or 5.

For livestock, poultry, and poultry products produced under contract, report the total market value (estimate if necessary) of those sold or removed from "This Place."

Landlords — If you rent land to others and also operate land yourself, report only those products sold from the part of your land that you operate as your place. Do **not** include crops, animals, or other farm products produced by cash tenants, share tenants, sharecroppers, or renters.

▶ Section 11 — Income and Expenses from Farm-Related Sources

Items 1, 2, and 5 refer only to those income producing activities for which you use part of the land, machinery, equipment, labor, or capital normally used on this place, and which you do not consider as entirely separate from your farming activities. **Report gross amount received before taxes and expenses.**

Do not report income or expenses for customwork or agricultural services provided for others if operated as an entirely separate business from your agricultural operations.

▶ Section 12 — Farm Operator Characteristics

Report this information for the person who is responsible for the agricultural activities on this place. Normally, this is the person who does the work or directly supervises the work. He may be an owner, tenant, sharecropper, etc.

For partnerships, report information for the partner mainly in charge, or if in doubt, report for the eldest.

GENERAL

▶ **(1)** If additional forms are needed, write to the —

Bureau of the Census
Agriculture Branch
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

▶ **(2)** To avoid unnecessary follow-ups, please complete the form and return it as soon as possible. Response to this inquiry is required by law (Title 13, U.S. Code).

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Pistachios	–	–	11	–
Plums	–	–	11	–
Pomegranates	–	–	11	–
Ponds, artificial	28–33	–	–	13
Ponies	24	–	2	–
Popcorn	–	–	8	–
Potatoes, Irish	8, 9, 25, 28–33	27	–	10, 11
Potatoes, sweet	8, 9, 25	–	9	10
Poultry and poultry products sold.	4, 9, 15, 20, 26, 28–33	8, 15	–	3, 9
Poultry hatched	24	–	2	–
Principal occupation of farm operator.	3, 9, 14, 28–33	5	–	2
Production contracts	27	–	–	–
Production expenses	5, 9, 17, 28–33	9, 10, 33	–	5
Proso millet	–	–	9	–
Prunes	–	–	11	–
Pullets	20, 28–33	15	–	9
Pulpwood sold from farms.	–	–	12	–
Pumpkins	–	–	10	–
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Rabbits and their pelts	24	—	2	—
Race of farm operator	—	—	14	2
Radishes	—	—	10	—
Rams and wethers	23, 28–33	14	—	8
Rangeland	10, 28–33	—	—	1
Rapeseed	—	—	8	—
Raspberries	—	—	8	—
Recreational services	28–33	—	—	4
Red clover seed	25	—	8	—
Redtop seed	—	—	8	—
Residence of farm operator	3, 9, 14, 28–33	5	—	2
Rhubarb	—	—	10	—
Rice	—	—	9	—
Romaine, lettuce	—	—	10	—
Roosters and male chickens	20, 28–33	—	—	9
Root crops for feed	—	—	8	—
Rye for grain	25	—	9	11
Ryegrass seed	—	—	8	—
S				
Sawlogs and veneer logs sold	—	—	12	—
Safflower	—	—	8	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	5, 9, 17, 28–33	10	—	5
Sesame seed	—	—	8	—
Shallots	—	—	10	—
Sheep and lambs	7, 9, 23, 28–33	14	—	8
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold, value	15, 23, 26, 28–33	14	—	3, 8
Size of farm, average	1, 9, 10, 28–33	1	—	1
Small grain hay	25	—	8	—
Snap beans, bush and pole	25	—	10	—
Sod	—	—	13	—
Sorghums	8, 9, 25, 28–33	19, 20	8	10, 11
Soybeans	8, 9, 25, 28–33	22	9	10, 11
Spinach	—	—	10	—
Squash	—	—	10	—
Standard industrial classification of farms (SIC)	28–33	6	—	—
Standing timber or trees sold	—	—	12	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	21, 28–33	12	—	7
Strawberries	25, 28–33	—	8	—
Sudan grass seed	—	—	8	—
Sugar beets	—	—	9	—
Sugarcane	—	—	9	—
Sunflower seed	—	—	8	—
Sweet corn	—	—	10	—
Sweet corn for seed	—	—	8	—
Sweetpotatoes	8, 9, 25	—	9	10
T				
Tangelos	—	—	11	—
Tangerines and mandarins	—	—	11	—
Taro (Hawaii only)	—	—	8	—
Tenant operated farms	3, 9, 14, 28–33	4	—	2
Tenure	3, 9, 14, 28–33	4	—	2
Timber	—	—	12	—
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Tomatoes, under protection	—	—	13	—
Tractors	6, 9, 19, 28–33	11	—	—
Triticale	—	—	8	—
Tropical fish sold	—	—	7	—
Trout sold	—	—	7	—
Trucks	6, 9, 19, 28–33	—	—	—
Tung nuts	—	—	11	—
Turkeys	28–33	15	—	9
Turnip greens	—	—	10	—
Turnips	—	—	10	—
Type of farm (SIC)	28–33	6	—	—
Type of organization	14, 28–33	4	—	2
V				
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Value of land and buildings	1, 9, 10, 28–33	1, 33	—	1
Value of machinery and equipment	6, 9, 19, 28–33	11	—	6
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	26, 28–33	28	10	3, 10, 11
Vegetables in the open	25, 28–33	—	10	—
Vegetable seeds and vegetable plants	—	—	13	—
Vegetables grown under protection	—	—	13	—
Velvetbeans, for beans	—	—	8	—
Vetch seed	—	—	8	—
W				
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Wages paid to farm workers	5, 9, 17, 18	—	—	15
Walnuts, English or Persian	—	—	11	—
Water used for irrigation	12	—	—	—
Watercress (Hawaii only)	—	—	10	—
Watermelons	25	—	10	—
Weeds, chemical control	13, 28–33	—	—	12
Wheat for grain	8, 9, 25, 28–33	21	9	10, 11
Wheatgrass seed	—	—	8	—
Wheel tractors	6, 9, 19, 28–33	—	—	6
Whole grains purchased for feed	17, 28–33	10	—	5
Wild hay	25	—	8	—
Wild rice	—	—	8	—
Windrowers	6, 9, 19, 28–33	—	—	6
Wood roses (Hawaii only)	—	—	15	—
Woodland	1, 9, 10, 28–33	2	—	1
Work off-farm by farm operator	3, 9, 14, 28–33	5	—	2
Workers on farms	28–33	—	—	15
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Y				
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