

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

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964		Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964	
	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text		Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text
Farms and land in farms operated by—													
All farm operators	farms... 11 586	315	11 590	12 823	2 403 432	26 952	2 402 823	2 651 489	23	(NA)	50	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland	farms... 10 488	297	10 370	11 957	acres... 1 399 778	13 787	1 230 975	1 305 197	6 456	(NA)	11 177	(NA)	(NA)
Full owners	farms... 6 663	197	6 676	6 522	acres... 915 543	13 235	1 029 070	(NA)	202	3	232	213	
Harvested cropland	farms... 5 686	182	5 563	(NA)	acres... 395 782	4 617	397 469	(NA)	993	16	1 061	1 350	
Part owners	farms... 3 190	68	2 958	3 405	acres... 1 113 931	11 130	949 494	(NA)	1 893	46	2 300	2 906	
Harvested cropland	farms... 3 136	67	2 911	(NA)	acres... 746 174	7 437	568 688	(NA)	3 167	62	3 316	3 586	
Tenants	farms... 1 733	50	1 956	2 790	acres... 257 822	1 733	264 818	(NA)	2 992	110	2 934	2 947	
Harvested cropland	farms... 1 666	48	1 896	(NA)	acres... 15.0	15.9	16.8	21.7	2 027	78	1 747	1 821	
Percent of tenancy	acres... 257 822	1 733	264 818	(NA)					65 years and over	55.4	50.8	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:									Average age	52.2	50.8	(NA)	
Individual or family	farms... 10 360	303	10 009	(NA)					Farm operators by place of residence: ¹				
Partnership	acres... 1 932 857	25 217	1 914 541	(NA)					On farm operated	7 955	190	9 075	11 511
Corporation, including family corporations	farms... 295 605	1 735	363 288	(NA)					On another farm	359	13	1 308	1 031
	acres... 168 514	(NA)	113 817	(NA)					In a rural area, not on a farm	572	32		
									In a city, town, or urban area	416	18		
									Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ¹				
									1 to 49 days	4 192	147	4 811	4 637
									50 to 99 days	562	22	1 027	1 228
									100 to 149 days	308	10	510	549
									150 to 199 days	284	14	732	690
									200 days and over	444	24	2 542	2 170
									Farm operators by principal occupation: ¹				
									Farming	8 098	229	(NA)	(NA)
									Other than farming	3 176	86	(NA)	(NA)

¹1974 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	Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	farms... 11 586	11 590	Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued		
Average per farm	\$1,000... 614 507	333 464	Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued		
	dollars... 53 039	28 771	Cotton and cottonseed	farms... —	—
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:			Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms... 2 093	1 945
Under \$2,500 (see text)	179	391	Other field crops	\$1,000... 5 976	3 914
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1 631	2 156	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms... 213	248
\$5,000 to \$7,499	1 133	1 366	Fruits, nuts, and berries	\$1,000... 1 836	1 361
\$7,500 to \$9,999	783	932	Nursery and greenhouse products	farms... 1 186	1 400
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1 125	1 210	Forest products sold	\$1,000... 20 421	11 832
\$15,000 to \$19,999	807	837	Livestock, poultry, and their products sold	farms... 270	308
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1 059	1 365	Poultry and poultry products	\$1,000... 8 815	5 034
\$30,000 to \$39,999	796	976	Dairy products	farms... 393	303
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1 151	973	Cattle and calves	\$1,000... 22 646	11 333
\$60,000 and over	2 922	1 384	Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms... 432	603
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:			Hogs and pigs	\$1,000... 1 355	1 576
Crops, including nursery products and hay	farms... 9 435	9 105	Other livestock and livestock products	farms... 7 424	8 179
Grains	\$1,000... 252 786	97 375		360 366	234 512
Tobacco	farms... 7 430	6 991		2 188	2 550
	\$1,000... 170 637	48 924		186 679	110 956
	farms... 2 083	2 125		2 269	2 945
	\$1,000... 22 454	14 977		120 002	81 698

¹Includes goats and mohair sold.