

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

All Farms				All Farms			
	1974	1969	1964		1974	1969	1964
All farms	23 324	24 951	27 020	Cotton	-	-	-
Farms with harvested cropland	20 376	21 404	24 308	acres	-	-	-
acres	8 426 881	7 937 203	7 812 650	bales	-	-	-
All crops harvested, including nursery products	20 376	21 404	24 308	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
value of production \$1,000	827 639	278 126	254 819	Peanuts for nuts	-	2	-
Field corn for all purposes	1 223	1 103	1 457	acres	-	(2)	-
For grain or seed	181	98	100	acres	-	120	-
acres	11 020	5 009	3 144	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
bushels	620 069	360 131	170 905	Tobacco	-	-	-
value of production \$1,000	2 108	457	215	acres	-	-	-
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	1 084	1 047	(NA)	pounds	-	-	-
acres	76 650	53 314	57 981	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
value of production \$1,000	16 526	6 763	4 667	Irish potatoes ¹	249	524	(NA)
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	42	36	7	acres	6 547	6 628	6 863
For grain or seed	-	5	4	hundredweight	1 502 872	(NA)	(NA)
acres	-	307	138	value of production \$1,000	9 017	4 237	5 934
bushels	-	13 369	1 628	Sweetpotatoes ¹	-	-	-
value of production \$1,000	-	14	2	acres	-	-	-
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	42	33	(NA)	bushels	-	-	-
acres	1 946	1 380	23	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
value of production \$1,000	102	83	2	Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons	-	-	-
Wheat for grain	11 779	13 328	15 513	for sale	134	159	171
acres	4 729 604	3 669 549	3 742 750	acres	751	1 645	1 691
bushels	109 127 964	94 305 823	87 632 500	value of production \$1,000	308	288	250
value of production \$1,000	444 433	113 551	111 299	Berries for sale	43	69	114
Other small grains for grain	10 024	12 754	(NA)	acres	21	56	73
acres	1 385 707	1 917 387	1 786 565	value of production \$1,000	9	29	53
value of production \$1,000	99 644	56 855	42 067	Land in orchards	292	301	636
Soybeans for beans	-	-	-	acres	1 590	1 623	1 840
acres	-	-	-	value of production \$1,000	927	485	(NA)
bushels	-	-	-	Other crops	1 255	(NA)	(NA)
value of production \$1,000	-	-	-	acres	90 928	104 144	143 322
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	14 883	15 977	(NA)	value of production \$1,000	56 361	18 967	(NA)
acres	2 158 312	2 189 762	2 115 809	Greenhouse products under glass	-	-	-
tons, dry	3 658 936	3 602 073	3 221 003	or other protection	55	43	(NA)
value of production \$1,000	198 203	76 396	73 373	acres	742 810	740 937	732 844
				sq. ft.	997	864	(NA)
				value of production \$1,000	-	-	-

¹Data for farms, acreage, and sales of Irish and sweetpotatoes were combined in 1969 and 1964.

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974

All Farms	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
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms	23 324	20 177	3 045	691	381	1 809	164	102
percent	100.0	86.5	13.1	3.0	1.6	7.8	0.7	0.4
Land in farms	62 158 351	56 731 193	444 970	126 486	74 902	208 843	34 739	4 982 188
Average size of farm	2 665	2 812	146	183	197	115	212	48 845
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000 6 952 194	\$1,000 6 422 438	\$1,000 176 156	\$1,000 41 321	\$1,000 22 253	\$1,000 103 045	\$1,000 9 536	\$1,000 353 600
Average per farm	dollars 298 070	dollars 318 305	dollars 57 851	dollars 59 799	dollars 58 407	dollars 56 963	dollars 58 149	dollars 3 466 670
Average per acre	dollars 112	dollars 113	dollars 396	dollars 327	dollars 297	dollars 493	dollars 275	dollars 71
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999	575	265	307	113	47	134	13	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999	904	511	393	113	60	190	30	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	2 042	1 265	771	177	70	486	38	6
\$40,000 to \$69,999	2 756	2 003	747	100	106	503	38	6
\$70,000 to \$99,999	2 237	1 874	359	68	39	231	21	4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2 767	2 533	231	46	24	151	10	3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 272	2 149	119	22	17	74	6	4
\$200,000 to \$499,999	6 414	6 288	112	50	17	38	7	14
\$500,000 and over	3 357	3 289	6	2	1	2	1	62
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:								
Land owned	20 946	18 051	2 804	629	359	1 659	157	91
acres	45 418 869	39 449 186	425 233	144 678	77 546	180 074	22 935	5 544 450
Land rented or leased from others	12 688	11 920	706	114	60	503	29	62
acres	20 087 093	18 655 415	156 808	29 440	15 254	95 777	16 337	1 274 870
Land rented or leased to others	2 277	1 926	336	85	53	171	27	15
acres	3 347 611	1 373 408	137 071	47 632	17 898	67 008	4 533	1 837 132
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland	21 368	18 966	2 368	449	292	1 502	125	34
acres	15 445 720	15 257 374	162 663	43 221	23 899	85 614	9 929	25 683
Harvested cropland	20 376	18 509	1 840	341	236	1 161	102	27
acres	8 426 881	8 375 116	41 885	8 509	5 988	25 016	2 372	9 880
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	689	221	466	97	60	277	32	2
10 to 19 acres	739	235	502	90	39	354	19	2
20 to 29 acres	612	302	309	40	44	210	15	1
30 to 49 acres	1 159	781	376	62	64	225	25	2
50 to 99 acres	2 346	2 157	185	50	29	95	11	4
100 to 199 acres	3 542	3 535	1	1	-	-	-	6
200 to 499 acres	5 607	5 600	1	1	-	-	-	6
500 to 999 acres	3 692	3 691	-	-	-	-	-	1
1,000 acres and over	1 990	1 987	-	-	-	-	-	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	7 017	5 597	1 401	243	155	950	53	19
acres	1 144 873	1 040 944	93 254	20 959	13 888	53 629	4 778	10 675
Other cropland (see text)	11 180	10 849	315	94	47	155	19	16
acres	5 873 966	5 841 314	27 524	13 753	4 023	6 969	2 779	5 128