

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

(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 |
| Nevada, total ..... | 1 899          | 52.1                         | 1 305                                | 42              | 61                             | 181                            | 852  | 140            | 206             | 506               | 1 189                                  | 710   |
| Churchill .....     | 421            | 53.1                         | 320                                  | 11              | 11                             | 22                             | 212  | 24             | 58              | 130               | 224                                    | 197   |
| Clark .....         | 132            | 48.9                         | 81                                   | 8               | 7                              | 13                             | 95   | 7              | 19              | 69                | 48                                     | 84    |
| Douglas .....       | 97             | 54.8                         | 80                                   | -               | 3                              | 6                              | 38   | 9              | 12              | 17                | 66                                     | 31    |
| Elko .....          | 203            | 54.2                         | 133                                  | 3               | 1                              | 23                             | 60   | 11             | 19              | 30                | 155                                    | 48    |
| Esmeralda .....     | 22             | 48.5                         | 13                                   | 1               | -                              | 6                              | 11   | 4              | 3               | 9                 | 17                                     | 5     |
| Eureka .....        | 53             | 52.2                         | 35                                   | 2               | 2                              | 8                              | 14   | 3              | 2               | 16                | 43                                     | 10    |
| Humboldt .....      | 117            | 50.5                         | 78                                   | 4               | 3                              | 5                              | 26   | 6              | 4               | 16                | 94                                     | 23    |
| Lander .....        | 54             | 51.9                         | 34                                   | -               | 5                              | 8                              | 23   | 6              | 5               | 12                | 41                                     | 13    |
| Lincoln .....       | 72             | 45.9                         | 32                                   | 3               | 3                              | 25                             | 41   | 7              | 13              | 21                | 44                                     | 28    |
| Lyon .....          | 254            | 51.2                         | 194                                  | 3               | 7                              | 8                              | 107  | 17             | 17              | 73                | 170                                    | 84    |
| Mineral .....       | 25             | 51.1                         | 14                                   | -               | 3                              | 2                              | 18   | -              | 4               | 14                | 5                                      | 20    |
| Nye .....           | 88             | 50.5                         | 57                                   | 2               | -                              | 9                              | 41   | 11             | 9               | 21                | 63                                     | 25    |
| Pershing .....      | 89             | 53.3                         | 64                                   | 1               | 1                              | 9                              | 34   | 12             | 6               | 16                | 62                                     | 27    |
| Storey .....        | 5              | 49.4                         | 3                                    | -               | -                              | -                              | 5  | 1              | 3               | 1                 | -                                      | 5     |
| Washoe .....        | 168            | 53.3                         | 109                                  | 3               | 10                             | 24                             | 81   | 17             | 21              | 43                | 90                                     | 78    |
| White Pine .....    | 89             | 55.1                         | 50                                   | -               | 5                              | 13                             | 40   | 5              | 10              | 25                | 62                                     | 27    |
| Carson City .....   | 10             | 50.1                         | 8                                    | 1               | -                              | -                              | 6  | -              | 1               | 5                 | 5                                      | 5     |

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

| Part 1 of 2         |                   | Field crops, except cash grains |                                      |  |   |                        | Vegetables and melons (016) | Fruits and tree nuts (017)                |                             |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|------------------------|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Farms               | Cash grains (011) | Total (013)                     | Cotton (0131)                        | Tobacco (0132)   | Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139) |                        |                             |   |                             |
| Nevada, total ..... | 1 620             | 50                              | 495                                  | 7  | -   | 488                    | 7                           | 4   |                             |
| Churchill .....     | 316               | 20                              | 113                                  | -  | -   | 113                    | 1                           | -   |                             |
| Clark .....         | 86                | -                               | 26                                   | -  | -   | 26                     | 2                           | 1   |                             |
| Douglas .....       | 83                | 1                               | 9                                    | -  | -   | 9                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Elko .....          | 208               | 3                               | 13                                   | -  | -   | 13                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Esmeralda .....     | 20                | -                               | 11                                   | -  | -   | 11                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Eureka .....        | 61                | 13                              | 16                                   | -  | -   | 16                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Humboldt .....      | 129               | 1                               | 60                                   | -  | -   | 60                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lander .....        | 49                | 5                               | 21                                   | -  | -   | 21                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lincoln .....       | 58                | -                               | 9                                    | -  | -   | 9                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lyon .....          | 207               | 2                               | 113                                  | -  | -   | 113                    | 2                           | -   |                             |
| Mineral .....       | 19                | -                               | 7                                    | -  | -   | 7                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Nye .....           | 76                | -                               | 19                                   | 7  | -   | 12                     | -                           | 2   |                             |
| Pershing .....      | 90                | 4                               | 38                                   | -  | -   | 38                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Storey .....        | 1                 | -                               | 1                                    | -  | -   | 1                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Washoe .....        | 126               | -                               | 24                                   | -  | -   | 24                     | 2                           | 1   |                             |
| White Pine .....    | 81                | 1                               | 14                                   | -  | -   | 14                     | -                           | -   |                             |
| Carson City .....   | 10                | -                               | 1                                    | -  | -   | 1                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Part 2 of 2         |                   | 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 |
| Nevada, total ..... | 7                 | 23                              | 901                                  | 69   | 2   | 47                     | 5                           | 10  |                             |
| Churchill .....     | -                 | 11                              | 140                                  | 24   | -   | 6                      | 1                           | -   |                             |
| Clark .....         | 2                 | -                               | 34                                   | 12   | -   | 8                      | -                           | 1   |                             |
| Douglas .....       | 2                 | -                               | 57                                   | 12   | -   | 2                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Elko .....          | -                 | -                               | 183                                  | -  | -   | 6                      | -                           | 3   |                             |
| Esmeralda .....     | -                 | -                               | 9                                    | -  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Eureka .....        | -                 | -                               | 32                                   | -  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Humboldt .....      | -                 | -                               | 66                                   | -  | -   | 2                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lander .....        | -                 | 2                               | 21                                   | -  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lincoln .....       | -                 | -                               | 46                                   | 1  | -   | 2                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Lyon .....          | -                 | 4                               | 73                                   | 8  | 1   | 3                      | -                           | 1   |                             |
| Mineral .....       | -                 | -                               | 12                                   | -  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Nye .....           | 1                 | -                               | 46                                   | 2  | 1   | 5                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Pershing .....      | -                 | 4                               | 40                                   | -  | -   | 2                      | 2                           | -   |                             |
| Storey .....        | -                 | -                               | -                                    | -  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| Washoe .....        | -                 | 1                               | 76                                   | 7  | -   | -                      | -                           | -   |                             |
| White Pine .....    | 2                 | 1                               | 58                                   | 3  | -   | 10                     | -                           | 5   |                             |
| Carson City .....   | -                 | -                               | 8                                    | -  | -   | 1                      | -                           | -   |                             |