

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	7 409	8 493	10 641	15 459	22 686	24 838	26 226	25 835																																																																																								
Land in farms	acres	961 395	1 035 678	1 155 550	1 379 002	1 665 241	1 725 441	1 818 103	1 874 402																																																																																									
Average size of farm	acres	130	122	109	89	73	70	69	73																																																																																									
Approximate land area	acres	4 813 312	4 813 312	4 813 450	4 813 440	4 814 080	4 814 080	4 814 080	4 814 080																																																																																									
Proportion in farms	percent	20.0	21.5	24.0	28.6	34.6	35.8	37.8	38.9																																																																																									
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000	1 737 179	1 131 289	781 974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)																																																																																									
Average per farm	dollars	234 469	133 202	73 487	46 397	29 635	20 343	11 171	8 818																																																																																									
Average per acre	dollars	1 807	1 092	662	520	404	293	161	122																																																																																									
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Total cropland	farms	7 001	7 748	9 690	12 680	19 300	20 729	23 111	23 769																																																																																									
	acres	674 642	707 162	776 370	891 737	1 086 126	1 090 783	1 136 515	1 156 652																																																																																									
Harvested cropland	farms	6 653	6 981	8 759	11 098	15 434	17 470	21 467	21 197																																																																																									
	acres	540 828	496 241	560 265	657 877	788 398	781 820	915 729	778 809																																																																																									
Farms by acres harvested:																																																																																																		
1 to 49 acres		3 990	4 218	5 161	6 581	9 881	11 821	14 687	(NA)																																																																																									
1 to 9 acres		1 687	1 684	2 407	2 889	4 738	5 514	6 962	(NA)																																																																																									
10 to 19 acres		861	940	994	1 354	1 948	2 449	2 865	(NA)																																																																																									
20 to 29 acres		606	660	649	918	1 251	1 489	1 903	(NA)																																																																																									
30 to 49 acres		836	934	1 111	1 420	1 944	2 369	2 957	(NA)																																																																																									
50 to 99 acres		1 161	1 257	1 835	2 561	3 335	3 730	4 534	(NA)																																																																																									
100 to 199 acres		807	952	1 236	1 492	1 715	1 560	1 872	(NA)																																																																																									
200 to 499 acres		531	468	477	409	460	315	348	(NA)																																																																																									
500 to 999 acres		139	69	40	46	36	36	20	(NA)																																																																																									
1,000 acres and over		25	17	10	9	7	8	6	(NA)																																																																																									
1,000 to 1,999 acres		22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)																																																																																									
2,000 acres and over		3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)																																																																																									
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	2 440	2 865	2 841	4 791	8 107	8 342	5 196	10 703																																																																																									
	acres	83 058	96 343	88 260	125 038	184 230	160 688	116 481	198 538																																																																																									
Other cropland (see text)	farms	1 765	3 404	4 860	5 065	7 700	8 926	(NA)	(NA)																																																																																									
	acres	50 756	114 579	127 845	108 822	113 498	148 275	104 305	179 305																																																																																									
Woodland, including woodland pasture	farms	3 537	4 261	4 849	7 785	11 171	12 141	11 966	13 686																																																																																									
	acres	162 712	186 345	189 601	251 010	321 901	320 147	297 938	424 221																																																																																									
Other land (see text)	farms	5 562	6 222	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)																																																																																									
	acres	124 041	142 171	189 653	236 255	257 214	314 511	383 650	(NA)																																																																																									
Irrigated land	farms	1 581	1 509	2 009	1 902	1 775	1 033	675	580																																																																																									
	acres	89 321	71 967	96 433	73 873	58 912	28 117	11 712	7 956																																																																																									
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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	7 409	8 493	10 641	961 395	1 035 678	1 155 550	540 828	496 241	560 265	89 321	71 967
with harvested cropland	6 653	6 981	8 759	922 213	966 792	1 155 550	540 828	496 241	560 265	89 255	71 691	95 106
with irrigated land	1 581	1 509	2 009	256 973	239 367	318 051	158 443	131 827	174 828	89 321	71 967	96 439
Farms by size:												
1 to 9 acres	1 048	1 093	1 858	4 789	4 994	8 144	2 310	2 164	2 669	701	565	605
With harvested cropland	807	683	1 141	3 741	3 203	(NA)	2 310	2 164	2 669	696	557	(NA)
With irrigated land	267	197	214	1 243	830	(NA)	788	577	701	701	565	605
10 to 49 acres	2 215	2 471	3 055	56 389	62 411	72 826	26 942	24 459	26 987	5 569	5 656	6 624
With harvested cropland	1 889	1 807	2 157	49 093	47 621	(NA)	26 942	24 459	26 987	5 554	5 608	(NA)
With irrigated land	475	467	553	12 064	11 749	(NA)	7 320	7 102	(NA)	5 569	5 656	6 624
50 to 69 acres	652	717	810	38 004	41 765	47 258	18 736	16 402	21 493	3 337	3 268	4 389
With harvested cropland	598	587	729	34 923	34 332	(NA)	18 736	16 402	21 493	3 337	3 048	(NA)
With irrigated land	112	122	171	4 533	7 897	(NA)	4 297	4 241	(NA)	3 337	3 268	4 389
70 to 99 acres	745	933	961	61 968	78 105	80 292	31 202	31 324	37 556	5 827	4 617	6 961
With harvested cropland	684	808	888	56 957	67 733	(NA)	31 202	31 324	37 556	5 827	4 617	(NA)
With irrigated land	146	132	202	12 138	11 057	(NA)	8 306	6 470	(NA)	5 827	4 617	6 961
100 to 139 acres	763	946	1 205	89 162	110 035	141 085	45 961	47 882	70 128	5 909	5 663	10 261
With harvested cropland	732	863	1 152	85 493	100 580	(NA)	45 961	47 882	70 128	5 869	5 663	(NA)
With irrigated land	111	132	231	13 014	15 300	(NA)	8 653	9 170	(NA)	5 909	5 663	10 261
140 to 179 acres	530	698	834	83 278	110 398	130 985	45 778	53 241	66 854	6 749	7 010	9 854
With harvested cropland	519	654	809	81 590	103 499	(NA)	45 778	53 241	66 854	6 749	7 010	(NA)
With irrigated land	95	119	159	15 255	18 899	(NA)	10 820	12 228	(NA)	6 749	7 010	9 854
180 to 219 acres	332	452	548	65 349	88 823	108 135	37 706	43 637	55 044	5 937	4 442	7 004
With harvested cropland	323	431	538	63 580	84 693	(NA)	37 706	43 637	55 044	5 937	4 442	(NA)
With irrigated land	75	72	103	14 902	14 304	(NA)	10 170	8 953	(NA)	5 937	4 442	7 004
220 to 259 acres	246	305	383	58 809	72 203	90 550	37 045	38 653	47 468	5 984	4 676	6 841
With harvested cropland	239	295	373	57 187	69 799	(NA)	37 045	38 653	47 468	5 984	4 676	(NA)
With irrigated land	58	63	91	13 833	15 004	(NA)	10 911	9 547	(NA)	5 984	4 676	6 841
260 to 499 acres	550	623	759	192 989	216 737	259 605	121 367	120 917	140 265	20 492	13 623	22 670
With harvested cropland	542	606	749	190 319	211 074	(NA)	121 367	120 917	140 265	20 492	13 623	(NA)
With irrigated land	142	122	193	50 051	43 168	(NA)	37 219	30 029	(NA)	20 492	13 623	22 670
500 to 999 acres	254	197	173	168 902	127 491	111 175	117 871	76 025	58 916	14 916	10 086	10 658
With harvested cropland	250	191	169	166 146	123 651	(NA)	117 871	76 025	58 916	14 916	10 086	(NA)
With irrigated land	71	62	60	46 786	39 734	(NA)	37 919	26 673	(NA)	14 916	10 086	10 658
1,000 to 1,999 acres	56	45	44	70 201	60 140	57 264	39 392	24 507	21 105	6 863	5 832	4 581
With harvested cropland	54	43	43	68 001	58 031	(NA)	39 392	24 507	21 105	6 857	5 832	(NA)
With irrigated land	20	14	23	25 733	18 600	(NA)	13 255	7 339	(NA)	6 863	5 832	4 581
2,000 acres and over	18	13	11	71 555	62 576	48 277	16 518	17 030	11 779	7 037	6 529	5 991
With harvested cropland	16	13	11	65 183	62 576	(NA)	16 518	17 030	11 779	7 037	6 529	(NA)
With irrigated land	9	7	9	45 421	43 625	(NA)	8 785	9 498	(NA)	7 037	6 529	5 991