

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | Total | Age of farm operator | | | | | 65 years and over |
| | | | Under 25 years | 25 to 34 years | 35 to 44 years | 45 to 54 years | 55 to 64 years | |
| Farms and Land in Farms | | | | | | | | |
| Farms..... number..... | 5 145 | 3 753 | 45 | 265 | 557 | 925 | 1 096 | 865 |
| percent..... | 100.0 | 72.9 | 0.9 | 5.2 | 10.8 | 18.0 | 21.3 | 16.8 |
| Land in farms..... acres..... | 749 133 | 631 207 | 8 688 | 48 180 | 109 147 | 185 778 | 169 736 | 109 678 |
| Average size of farm..... acres..... | 146 | 168 | 193 | 182 | 196 | 201 | 155 | 127 |
| Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000..... | 1 315 488 | 1 069 103 | 14 091 | 89 887 | 185 494 | 320 481 | 289 027 | 170 122 |
| Average per farm..... dollars..... | 255 683 | 284 866 | 313 134 | 339 198 | 333 023 | 346 466 | 263 710 | 196 673 |
| Average per acre..... dollars..... | 1 756 | 1 694 | 1 622 | 1 866 | 1 699 | 1 725 | 1 703 | 1 551 |
| Farms by value of farm: | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$9,999..... | 138 | 76 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 15 | 26 | 26 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 152 | 95 | 2 | 8 | 5 | 18 | 28 | 34 |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999..... | 489 | 327 | 7 | 10 | 39 | 62 | 94 | 115 |
| \$40,000 to \$69,999..... | 716 | 474 | 5 | 19 | 50 | 107 | 150 | 143 |
| \$70,000 to \$99,999..... | 479 | 336 | 6 | 19 | 56 | 60 | 111 | 84 |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999..... | 647 | 450 | 5 | 33 | 52 | 112 | 122 | 126 |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999..... | 486 | 339 | 3 | 25 | 54 | 87 | 87 | 83 |
| \$200,000 to \$499,999..... | 1 353 | 1 068 | 6 | 91 | 183 | 277 | 332 | 179 |
| \$500,000 and over..... | 685 | 588 | 10 | 56 | 114 | 187 | 146 | 75 |
| Owned and rented land by farm operator: | | | | | | | | |
| Land owned..... farms..... | 4 500 | 3 241 | 20 | 133 | 440 | 814 | 1 015 | 819 |
| acres..... | 908 541 | 358 860 | 1 859 | 11 076 | 48 117 | 103 574 | 114 380 | 79 854 |
| Land rented or leased from others..... farms..... | 2 121 | 1 744 | 38 | 195 | 362 | 507 | 444 | 198 |
| acres..... | 317 842 | 289 371 | 7 049 | 38 067 | 62 618 | 84 986 | 61 382 | 35 269 |
| Land rented or leased to others..... farms..... | 424 | 262 | 2 | 18 | 27 | 51 | 76 | 88 |
| acres..... | 477 250 | 17 024 | 220 | 963 | 1 588 | 2 782 | 6 026 | 5 445 |
| Land in Farms According to Use | | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland..... farms..... | 4 877 | 3 566 | 43 | 256 | 535 | 890 | 1 032 | 810 |
| acres..... | 546 285 | 470 022 | 7 919 | 38 479 | 86 058 | 138 394 | 129 804 | 69 368 |
| Harvested cropland..... farms..... | 4 709 | 3 487 | 42 | 246 | 520 | 872 | 1 010 | 797 |
| acres..... | 454 945 | 400 125 | 7 176 | 34 027 | 74 521 | 119 176 | 109 980 | 55 245 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 acres..... | 2 316 | 1 441 | 13 | 77 | 180 | 280 | 424 | 467 |
| 50 to 99 acres..... | 1 038 | 799 | 10 | 60 | 101 | 212 | 241 | 175 |
| 100 to 199 acres..... | 758 | 689 | 8 | 59 | 114 | 214 | 194 | 100 |
| 200 to 499 acres..... | 469 | 436 | 8 | 40 | 93 | 125 | 127 | 43 |
| 500 to 999 acres..... | 112 | 106 | 2 | 9 | 29 | 36 | 21 | 9 |
| 1,000 acres and over..... | 16 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 3 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres..... | 14 | 14 | 1 | - | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| 2,000 acres and over..... | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Cropland: | | | | | | | | |
| Pasture or grazing only..... farms..... | 1 566 | 1 098 | 12 | 86 | 157 | 285 | 310 | 248 |
| acres..... | 60 821 | 46 252 | 632 | 3 411 | 7 444 | 13 329 | 13 407 | 8 029 |
| Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms..... | 455 | 310 | 3 | 16 | 39 | 75 | 93 | 84 |
| acres..... | 9 422 | 7 089 | 20 | 304 | 675 | 2 081 | 2 251 | 1 758 |
| On which all crops failed..... farms..... | 134 | 97 | 3 | 7 | 12 | 29 | 28 | 18 |
| acres..... | 2 017 | 1 425 | 19 | 45 | 115 | 349 | 373 | 524 |
| In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..... | 80 | 65 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 16 | 22 | 11 |
| acres..... | 2 896 | 2 604 | 7 | 132 | 404 | 504 | 609 | 948 |
| Idle..... farms..... | 685 | 497 | 5 | 28 | 82 | 109 | 153 | 120 |
| acres..... | 16 184 | 12 527 | 65 | 560 | 2 899 | 2 955 | 3 184 | 2 864 |
| Total woodland..... farms..... | 2 357 | 1 685 | 14 | 104 | 236 | 450 | 495 | 386 |
| acres..... | 109 735 | 85 681 | 358 | 3 661 | 9 437 | 26 512 | 19 119 | 26 594 |
| Woodland pastured..... farms..... | 590 | 434 | - | 30 | 68 | 122 | 119 | 95 |
| acres..... | 23 270 | 19 275 | - | 484 | 1 881 | 3 733 | 3 641 | 9 536 |
| Woodland not pastured..... farms..... | 1 924 | 1 364 | 14 | 82 | 187 | 358 | 410 | 313 |
| acres..... | 86 465 | 66 406 | 358 | 3 177 | 7 556 | 22 779 | 15 478 | 17 058 |
| Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland | | | | | | | | |
| posture..... farms..... | 848 | 623 | 7 | 48 | 110 | 152 | 176 | 130 |
| acres..... | 35 251 | 28 514 | 199 | 1 971 | 6 069 | 7 956 | 7 288 | 5 031 |
| Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... | 413 | 301 | 2 | 26 | 62 | 76 | 69 | 66 |
| acres..... | 13 942 | 11 138 | 50 | 926 | 2 745 | 3 207 | 1 627 | 2 583 |
| Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... | 514 | 387 | 5 | 24 | 58 | 98 | 128 | 74 |
| acres..... | 21 309 | 17 376 | 149 | 1 045 | 3 324 | 4 749 | 5 661 | 2 448 |
| Other land (see text)..... farms..... | 3 708 | 2 723 | 20 | 161 | 402 | 669 | 822 | 649 |
| acres..... | 57 862 | 46 990 | 212 | 4 069 | 7 583 | 12 916 | 13 525 | 8 685 |
| Total pastureland..... farms..... | 2 271 | 1 623 | 15 | 123 | 257 | 413 | 462 | 353 |
| acres..... | 119 342 | 94 041 | 831 | 5 866 | 15 394 | 25 018 | 24 336 | 25 596 |
| Irrigated land..... farms..... | 1 228 | 1 030 | 12 | 65 | 173 | 284 | 341 | 155 |
| acres..... | 65 482 | 62 175 | 620 | 2 965 | 11 480 | 18 187 | 22 944 | 5 979 |
| Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms..... | 1 223 | 1 028 | 12 | 64 | 173 | 284 | 341 | 154 |
| acres..... | 64 634 | 61 425 | 612 | 2 877 | 11 451 | 18 049 | 22 777 | 5 659 |
| Artificial drainage..... farms..... | 579 | 467 | 2 | 39 | 68 | 130 | 142 | 86 |
| acres drained..... | 47 506 | 43 156 | 26 | 6 644 | 3 858 | 18 556 | 8 224 | 5 848 |
| Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms..... | 931 | 720 | 3 | 48 | 130 | 199 | 226 | 114 |
| number..... | 1 663 | 1 286 | 3 | 72 | 223 | 324 | 414 | 250 |
| acres..... | 2 182 | 1 778 | 2 | 78 | 263 | 371 | 857 | 207 |
| Race and Tenure of Farm Operator | | | | | | | | |
| All farm operators..... | 5 145 | 3 753 | 45 | 265 | 557 | 925 | 1 096 | 865 |
| Full owners..... | 3 027 | 2 011 | 7 | 70 | 195 | 418 | 653 | 668 |
| Part owners..... | 1 471 | 1 229 | 13 | 63 | 245 | 396 | 361 | 151 |
| Tenants..... | 647 | 513 | 25 | 132 | 117 | 111 | 82 | 46 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| | Total | Age of farm operator | | | | | 65 years and over |
| | | Under 25 years | 25 to 34 years | 35 to 44 years | 45 to 54 years | 55 to 64 years | |
| Farms and Land in Farms | | | | | | | |
| Farms..... number..... | 1 392 | 14 | 115 | 275 | 413 | 390 | 185 |
| percent..... | 27.1 | 0.3 | 2.2 | 5.3 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 3.6 |
| Land in farms..... acres..... | 117 926 | 731 | 8 650 | 22 116 | 35 831 | 31 105 | 19 493 |
| Average size of farm..... acres..... | 85 | 52 | 75 | 80 | 87 | 80 | 105 |
| Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000..... | 246 386 | 2 286 | 18 907 | 45 275 | 71 328 | 68 142 | 40 448 |
| Average per farm..... dollars..... | 177 001 | 163 281 | 164 411 | 164 637 | 172 708 | 174 722 | 218 636 |
| Average per acre..... dollars..... | 2 089 | 3 127 | 2 186 | 2 047 | 1 991 | 2 191 | 2 075 |
| Farms by value of farm: | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$9,999..... | 62 | - | 5 | 13 | 18 | 13 | 13 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 57 | - | 4 | 8 | 10 | 21 | 14 |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999..... | 162 | 1 | 12 | 27 | 48 | 46 | 28 |
| \$40,000 to \$69,999..... | 242 | 1 | 20 | 54 | 70 | 73 | 24 |
| \$70,000 to \$99,999..... | 143 | 1 | 12 | 37 | 40 | 42 | 11 |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999..... | 197 | 6 | 15 | 40 | 54 | 57 | 25 |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999..... | 147 | 2 | 20 | 34 | 38 | 40 | 13 |
| \$200,000 to \$499,999..... | 285 | 3 | 19 | 43 | 109 | 71 | 40 |
| \$500,000 and over..... | 97 | - | 8 | 19 | 26 | 27 | 17 |
| Owned and rented land by farm operator: | | | | | | | |
| Land owned..... farms..... | 1 259 | 7 | 82 | 241 | 376 | 374 | 179 |
| acres..... | 549 681 | 368 | 4 772 | 14 808 | 30 244 | 479 258 | 20 231 |
| Land rented or leased from others..... farms..... | 377 | 11 | 62 | 102 | 102 | 68 | 32 |
| acres..... | 28 471 | 571 | 4 196 | 8 401 | 8 213 | 5 005 | 2 085 |
| Land rented or leased to others..... farms..... | 162 | 1 | 9 | 14 | 55 | 47 | 36 |
| acres..... | 460 226 | 208 | 318 | 1 093 | 2 626 | 453 158 | 2 823 |
| Land in Farms According to Use | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland..... farms..... | 1 311 | 14 | 112 | 257 | 394 | 362 | 172 |
| acres..... | 76 263 | 707 | 6 245 | 14 425 | 23 969 | 19 027 | 11 890 |
| Harvested cropland..... farms..... | 1 222 | 12 | 106 | 232 | 367 | 347 | 158 |
| acres..... | 54 820 | 494 | 4 752 | 11 503 | 16 514 | 13 676 | 7 881 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 acres..... | 875 | 9 | 71 | 156 | 265 | 265 | 109 |
| 50 to 99 acres..... | 239 | 2 | 21 | 49 | 73 | 63 | 31 |
| 100 to 199 acres..... | 69 | 1 | 13 | 18 | 17 | 10 | 10 |
| 200 to 499 acres..... | 33 | - | 1 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 |
| 500 to 999 acres..... | 6 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1,000 acres and over..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2,000 acres and over..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cropland: | | | | | | | |
| Pasture or grazing only..... farms..... | 468 | 3 | 36 | 87 | 147 | 125 | 70 |
| acres..... | 14 569 | 76 | 1 013 | 1 984 | 4 576 | 3 841 | 3 079 |
| Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms..... | 145 | 4 | 15 | 27 | 46 | 41 | 12 |
| acres..... | 2 333 | 112 | 278 | 373 | 815 | 477 | 278 |
| On which all crops failed..... farms..... | 37 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 12 |
| acres..... | 592 | 12 | 15 | 126 | 72 | 95 | 272 |
| In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..... | 15 | - | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| acres..... | 292 | - | 7 | 3 | 185 | 73 | 24 |
| Idle..... farms..... | 188 | 2 | 10 | 31 | 69 | 50 | 26 |
| acres..... | 3 657 | 13 | 180 | 436 | 1 807 | 865 | 356 |
| Total woodland..... farms..... | 672 | - | 57 | 130 | 203 | 190 | 92 |
| acres..... | 24 054 | - | 1 094 | 4 299 | 7 351 | 7 077 | 4 233 |
| Woodland pastured..... farms..... | 156 | - | 15 | 32 | 37 | 53 | 19 |
| acres..... | 3 995 | - | 299 | 949 | 818 | 1 283 | 646 |
| Woodland not pastured..... farms..... | 560 | - | 43 | 108 | 177 | 156 | 76 |
| acres..... | 20 059 | - | 795 | 3 350 | 6 533 | 5 794 | 3 587 |
| Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland | | | | | | | |
| pasture..... farms..... | 225 | - | 28 | 38 | 67 | 65 | 27 |
| acres..... | 6 737 | - | 670 | 1 419 | 1 452 | 1 854 | 1 342 |
| Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... | 112 | - | 11 | 18 | 32 | 39 | 12 |
| acres..... | 2 804 | - | 224 | 346 | 453 | 1 433 | 348 |
| Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... | 127 | - | 18 | 23 | 40 | 27 | 19 |
| acres..... | 3 933 | - | 446 | 1 073 | 999 | 421 | 994 |
| Other land (see text)..... farms..... | 985 | 8 | 86 | 195 | 272 | 288 | 136 |
| acres..... | 10 872 | 24 | 641 | 1 973 | 3 059 | 3 147 | 2 028 |
| Total pastureland..... farms..... | 648 | 3 | 53 | 121 | 197 | 180 | 94 |
| acres..... | 25 301 | 76 | 1 982 | 4 352 | 6 846 | 6 978 | 5 067 |
| Irrigated land..... farms..... | 198 | 1 | 21 | 44 | 62 | 49 | 21 |
| acres..... | 3 307 | 37 | 274 | 594 | 1 200 | 355 | 847 |
| Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms..... | 195 | 1 | 21 | 43 | 62 | 48 | 20 |
| acres..... | 3 209 | 37 | 241 | 582 | 1 158 | 345 | 846 |
| Artificial drainage..... farms..... | 112 | 2 | 5 | 20 | 33 | 39 | 13 |
| acres drained..... | 4 350 | 46 | 192 | 426 | 1 005 | 1 571 | 1 110 |
| Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms..... | 211 | 3 | 14 | 49 | 62 | 61 | 22 |
| number..... | 377 | 3 | 20 | 68 | 112 | 114 | 60 |
| acres..... | 403 | 2 | 14 | 62 | 169 | 69 | 87 |
| Race and Tenure of Farm Operator | | | | | | | |
| All farm operators..... | 1 392 | 14 | 115 | 275 | 413 | 390 | 185 |
| Full owners..... | 1 016 | 3 | 53 | 173 | 312 | 322 | 153 |
| Part owners..... | 242 | 3 | 29 | 68 | 64 | 52 | 26 |
| Tenants..... | 134 | 8 | 33 | 34 | 37 | 16 | 6 |

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| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | Total | Age of farm operator | | | | | 65 years and over |
| | | | Under 25 years | 25 to 34 years | 35 to 44 years | 45 to 54 years | 55 to 64 years | |
| Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued | | | | | | | | |
| All farm operators—Continued | | | | | | | | |
| White:----- | 5 093 | 3 720 | 45 | 264 | 552 | 918 | 1 082 | 859 |
| Full owners----- | 2 986 | 1 984 | 7 | 70 | 191 | 414 | 640 | 662 |
| Part owners----- | 1 463 | 1 223 | 13 | 62 | 244 | 393 | 360 | 151 |
| Tenants----- | 644 | 513 | 25 | 132 | 117 | 111 | 82 | 46 |
| Black and other races ¹ ----- | 52 | 33 | — | 1 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 6 |
| Full owners----- | 41 | 27 | — | — | 4 | 4 | 13 | 6 |
| Part owners----- | 8 | 6 | — | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | — |
| Tenants----- | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Farms by Type of Organization | | | | | | | | |
| Individual or family----- farms-- | 4 610 | 3 297 | 42 | 237 | 496 | 806 | 945 | 771 |
| acres-- | 606 088 | 496 538 | 7 412 | 43 921 | 94 181 | 142 582 | 126 304 | 82 138 |
| Partnership----- farms-- | 535 | 456 | 3 | 28 | 61 | 119 | 151 | 94 |
| acres-- | 143 045 | 134 669 | 1 276 | 4 259 | 14 966 | 43 196 | 43 432 | 27 540 |
| Corporation, including family owned----- farms-- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres-- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Other----- farms-- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres-- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Farm Credit | | | | | | | | |
| Total operator farm debt----- farms-- | 1 398 | 1 025 | 8 | 116 | 244 | 294 | 245 | 118 |
| \$1,000----- | 59 924 | 45 255 | 265 | 4 156 | 11 445 | 15 028 | 10 707 | 3 654 |
| Debits secured by real estate----- farms-- | 1 032 | 730 | 2 | 55 | 171 | 229 | 188 | 85 |
| \$1,000----- | 47 758 | 34 329 | (0) | (0) | 9 078 | 11 846 | 8 496 | 2 244 |
| Debits not secured by real estate----- farms-- | 746 | 587 | 6 | 86 | 144 | 166 | 128 | 57 |
| \$1,000----- | 12 167 | 10 926 | (0) | (0) | 2 366 | 3 182 | 2 211 | 1 410 |
| Farm Operator Characteristics¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Farm operators by age group: | | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years----- | 59 | 45 | 45 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 25 to 34 years----- | 380 | 265 | — | 265 | — | — | — | — |
| 35 to 44 years----- | 832 | 557 | — | — | 557 | — | — | — |
| 45 to 54 years----- | 1 338 | 925 | — | — | — | 925 | — | — |
| 55 to 64 years----- | 1 486 | 1 096 | — | — | — | — | 1 096 | — |
| 65 years and over----- | 1 050 | 865 | — | — | — | — | — | 865 |
| Average age----- | 53.6 | 54.5 | 21.9 | 30.0 | 40.2 | 49.9 | 59.3 | 71.8 |
| Farm operators by place of residence: | | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated----- | 3 776 | 2 784 | 26 | 178 | 416 | 711 | 831 | 622 |
| On another farm----- | 89 | 68 | 6 | 13 | 11 | 24 | 7 | 7 |
| In a rural area, not on a farm----- | 284 | 182 | 4 | 27 | 34 | 43 | 47 | 27 |
| In a city, town, or urban area----- | 302 | 159 | 3 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 44 | 31 |
| Farm operators by principal occupation: | | | | | | | | |
| Farming----- | 3 753 | 3 753 | 45 | 265 | 557 | 925 | 1 096 | 865 |
| Other----- | 1 392 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Farm operators reporting off-farm income— | | | | | | | | |
| Greater than value of farm products sold----- | 1 308 | 391 | 7 | 29 | 53 | 72 | 105 | 125 |
| Less than value of farm products sold----- | 2 080 | 1 741 | 20 | 133 | 261 | 463 | 509 | 355 |
| Not reporting or none----- | 1 757 | 1 621 | 18 | 103 | 243 | 390 | 482 | 385 |
| Farm operators reporting days of work off farm----- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 days----- | 1 768 | 620 | 14 | 64 | 111 | 183 | 179 | 69 |
| 1 to 49 days----- | 203 | 163 | 5 | 21 | 26 | 41 | 48 | 22 |
| 50 to 99 days----- | 119 | 105 | 2 | 12 | 21 | 25 | 29 | 16 |
| 100 to 149 days----- | 139 | 86 | 1 | 8 | 16 | 27 | 28 | 6 |
| 150 to 199 days----- | 238 | 88 | 2 | 11 | 11 | 28 | 28 | 8 |
| 200 days and over----- | 1 069 | 178 | 4 | 12 | 37 | 62 | 46 | 17 |
| Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm: | | | | | | | | |
| Farms reporting----- | 768 | 455 | 7 | 42 | 78 | 157 | 125 | 46 |
| Number of persons----- | 931 | 536 | 8 | 50 | 89 | 189 | 146 | 54 |
| By number of days worked: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 days----- | 117 | 72 | — | 17 | 11 | 26 | 12 | 6 |
| 50 to 99 days----- | 73 | 51 | — | 3 | 8 | 20 | 13 | 7 |
| 100 to 149 days----- | 99 | 59 | — | 2 | 12 | 23 | 17 | 5 |
| 150 to 199 days----- | 147 | 86 | 2 | 7 | 10 | 32 | 23 | 12 |
| 200 days and over----- | 495 | 268 | 6 | 21 | 48 | 88 | 81 | 24 |
| Farms by Size | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres----- | 579 | 383 | 2 | 21 | 51 | 77 | 112 | 120 |
| 10 to 49 acres----- | 1 262 | 773 | 9 | 49 | 101 | 151 | 226 | 237 |
| 50 to 69 acres----- | 429 | 279 | 8 | 16 | 31 | 57 | 90 | 77 |
| 70 to 99 acres----- | 552 | 375 | 1 | 16 | 45 | 100 | 102 | 111 |
| 100 to 139 acres----- | 617 | 455 | 7 | 40 | 61 | 101 | 137 | 109 |
| 140 to 179 acres----- | 456 | 367 | 4 | 25 | 38 | 112 | 122 | 66 |
| 180 to 219 acres----- | 291 | 260 | 2 | 28 | 44 | 67 | 76 | 43 |
| 220 to 259 acres----- | 217 | 193 | 1 | 13 | 34 | 58 | 59 | 28 |
| 260 to 499 acres----- | 493 | 442 | 6 | 41 | 103 | 132 | 117 | 43 |
| 500 to 999 acres----- | 205 | 187 | 4 | 15 | 41 | 57 | 46 | 24 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres----- | 35 | 31 | — | — | 8 | 10 | 8 | 4 |
| 2,000 acres and over----- | 9 | 8 | — | 1 | — | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) | | | | | | | | |
| Cash grain farms (011)----- | 1 083 | 710 | 9 | 55 | 95 | 147 | 196 | 208 |
| Cotton farms (0131)----- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco farms (0132)----- | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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

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| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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 | 1 373 | 14 | 113 | 270 | 409 | 385 | 182 |
| Full owners | 1 002 | 3 | 53 | 170 | 308 | 317 | 151 |
| Part owners | 240 | 3 | 29 | 67 | 64 | 52 | 25 |
| Tenants | 131 | 8 | 31 | 33 | 37 | 16 | 6 |
| Black and other races ¹ | 19 | — | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 3 |
| Full owners | 14 | — | — | 3 | 4 | 5 | 2 |
| Part owners | 2 | — | — | 1 | — | — | 1 |
| Tenants | 3 | — | 2 | 1 | — | — | — |
| Farms by Type of Organization | | | | | | | |
| Individual or family | 1 313 | 13 | 111 | 257 | 388 | 371 | 173 |
| farms | 109 550 | 679 | 8 356 | 21 100 | 31 741 | 29 681 | 17 993 |
| acres | 79 | 1 | 4 | 18 | 25 | 19 | 12 |
| Partnership | 8 376 | 52 | 294 | 1 016 | 4 090 | 1 424 | 1 500 |
| acres | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Corporation, including family owned | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Other | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Farm Credit | | | | | | | |
| Total operator farm debt | 373 | 3 | 40 | 101 | 139 | 69 | 21 |
| farms | 14 670 | 11 | 1 344 | 3 836 | 6 100 | 2 796 | 583 |
| \$1,000 | 302 | — | 28 | 83 | 119 | 57 | 15 |
| farms | 13 428 | — | 1 097 | 3 475 | 5 753 | 2 625 | 479 |
| \$1,000 | 159 | 3 | 24 | 45 | 49 | 29 | 9 |
| farms | 1 241 | 11 | 246 | 361 | 347 | 171 | 104 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | |
| Farm Operator Characteristics¹ | | | | | | | |
| Farm operators by age group: | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 14 | 14 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 25 to 34 years | 115 | — | 115 | — | — | — | — |
| 35 to 44 years | 275 | — | — | 275 | — | — | — |
| 45 to 54 years | 413 | — | — | — | 413 | — | — |
| 55 to 64 years | 390 | — | — | — | — | 390 | — |
| 65 years and over | 185 | — | — | — | — | — | 185 |
| Average age | 51.2 | 22.4 | 30.2 | 39.9 | 49.4 | 58.8 | 71.0 |
| Farm operators by place of residence: | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated | 992 | 8 | 71 | 206 | 296 | 301 | 110 |
| On another farm | 21 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 5 |
| In a rural area, not on a farm | 102 | 2 | 21 | 26 | 33 | 18 | 2 |
| In a city, town, or urban area | 143 | 3 | 11 | 25 | 49 | 28 | 27 |
| Farm operators by principal occupation: | | | | | | | |
| Farming | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Other | 1 392 | 14 | 115 | 275 | 413 | 390 | 185 |
| Farm operators reporting off-farm income— | | | | | | | |
| Greater than value of farm products sold | 917 | 7 | 77 | 191 | 284 | 265 | 93 |
| Less than value of farm products sold | 339 | 7 | 33 | 68 | 107 | 75 | 49 |
| Not reporting or none | 136 | — | 5 | 16 | 22 | 50 | 43 |
| Farm operators reporting days of work off farm | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 days | 40 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 15 | 9 |
| 50 to 99 days | 14 | — | 2 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| 100 to 149 days | 53 | — | 3 | 9 | 8 | 25 | 8 |
| 150 to 199 days | 150 | 1 | 9 | 25 | 54 | 45 | 16 |
| 200 days and over | 891 | 9 | 78 | 207 | 303 | 222 | 72 |
| Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm: | | | | | | | |
| Farms reporting | 313 | 2 | 24 | 74 | 106 | 86 | 21 |
| Number of persons | 395 | 2 | 29 | 89 | 142 | 108 | 25 |
| By number of days worked: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 days | 45 | — | 3 | 12 | 18 | 8 | 4 |
| 50 to 99 days | 22 | — | 1 | 7 | 11 | 3 | — |
| 100 to 149 days | 40 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 1 |
| 150 to 199 days | 61 | — | 7 | 16 | 21 | 15 | 2 |
| 200 days and over | 227 | 1 | 16 | 42 | 80 | 70 | 18 |
| Farms by Size | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 196 | 1 | 14 | 40 | 48 | 64 | 29 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 489 | 9 | 45 | 111 | 135 | 137 | 52 |
| 50 to 69 acres | 150 | 2 | 11 | 25 | 49 | 43 | 20 |
| 70 to 99 acres | 177 | 1 | 11 | 39 | 57 | 48 | 21 |
| 100 to 139 acres | 162 | — | 10 | 22 | 62 | 46 | 22 |
| 140 to 179 acres | 89 | — | 11 | 14 | 30 | 22 | 12 |
| 180 to 219 acres | 31 | — | 7 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 8 |
| 220 to 259 acres | 24 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 3 |
| 260 to 499 acres | 51 | — | 3 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 15 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 18 | — | — | 6 | 8 | 3 | 1 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 4 | — | — | 1 | 1 | — | 2 |
| 2,000 acres and over | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 | — |
| Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) | | | | | | | |
| Cash grain farms (011) | 373 | 3 | 34 | 72 | 116 | 105 | 43 |
| Cotton farms (0131) | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco farms (0132) | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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

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

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.

Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop forms (0133, 0134, 0139)
 Vegetable and melon forms (016)
 Fruit and tree nut forms (017)
 Horticultural specialty forms (018)
 General forms, primarily crop (0191)
 Livestock forms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)
 Dairy forms (024)
 Poultry and egg forms (025)
 Animal specialty forms (027)
 General forms, primarily livestock (0291)
 Farms not classified by SIC

| | 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 |
| Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop forms (0133, 0134, 0139) | 295 | 169 | 5 | 9 | 20 | 42 | 66 | 27 |
| Vegetable and melon forms (016) | 1 019 | 856 | 13 | 45 | 133 | 243 | 274 | 148 |
| Fruit and tree nut forms (017) | 342 | 253 | 3 | 12 | 28 | 58 | 70 | 82 |
| Horticultural specialty forms (018) | 661 | 440 | 2 | 26 | 71 | 91 | 133 | 117 |
| General forms, primarily crop (0191) | 118 | 92 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 21 | 31 | 23 |
| Livestock forms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) | 418 | 228 | 3 | 21 | 24 | 46 | 71 | 63 |
| Dairy forms (024) | 711 | 697 | 9 | 80 | 133 | 212 | 158 | 105 |
| Poultry and egg forms (025) | 261 | 201 | — | 1 | 13 | 46 | 77 | 64 |
| Animal specialty forms (027) | 160 | 64 | — | 7 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 18 |
| General forms, primarily livestock (0291) | 30 | 20 | — | 1 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 1 |
| Farms not classified by SIC | 47 | 23 | — | 2 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 9 |
| Value of Products Sold | | | | | | | | |
| Market value of agricultural products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 5 145 | 3 753 | 45 | 265 | 557 | 925 | 1 096 | 865 |
| \$1,000..... | 219 538 | 201 298 | 2 818 | 13 922 | 35 203 | 60 095 | 61 200 | 28 061 |
| Farms by value of agricultural products sold: | | | | | | | | |
| \$500,000 and over | 19 | 19 | — | — | 1 | 5 | 8 | 5 |
| \$200,000 to \$499,999 | 139 | 133 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 40 | 46 | 9 |
| \$100,000 to \$199,999 | 406 | 390 | 5 | 21 | 84 | 131 | 100 | 49 |
| \$40,000 to \$39,999 | 1 042 | 982 | 11 | 106 | 191 | 289 | 279 | 106 |
| \$20,000 to \$19,999 | 871 | 763 | 9 | 56 | 105 | 204 | 243 | 146 |
| \$10,000 to \$9,999 | 884 | 630 | 9 | 30 | 78 | 135 | 196 | 182 |
| \$5,000 to \$4,999 | 912 | 464 | 6 | 20 | 37 | 70 | 149 | 182 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 726 | 309 | 2 | 19 | 24 | 42 | 63 | 159 |
| Under \$2,500 (see text) | 146 | 63 | — | 5 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 27 |
| Grain sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 2 120 | 1 577 | 23 | 115 | 231 | 403 | 453 | 352 |
| \$1,000..... | 31 417 | 27 187 | 582 | 2 718 | 5 214 | 7 777 | 7 205 | 3 691 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 183 | 174 | 3 | 24 | 42 | 50 | 38 | 17 |
| \$1,000..... | 14 979 | 14 410 | 443 | 1 707 | 3 413 | 4 281 | 3 289 | 1 276 |
| Tobacco sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cotton and cottonseed sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 898 | 620 | 9 | 51 | 86 | 143 | 178 | 153 |
| \$1,000..... | 4 768 | 3 560 | 59 | 359 | 634 | 985 | 939 | 584 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 6 | 5 | — | — | 1 | 3 | — | 1 |
| \$1,000..... | 394 | (D) | — | — | (D) | 134 | — | (D) |
| Other field crops sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 326 | 278 | 5 | 15 | 33 | 77 | 105 | 43 |
| \$1,000..... | 9 083 | 8 727 | 66 | 332 | 1 480 | 3 180 | 3 426 | 243 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 66 | 63 | — | 2 | 9 | 27 | 24 | 1 |
| \$1,000..... | 7 119 | 6 931 | — | (D) | 1 294 | 2 692 | 2 677 | (D) |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 1 416 | 1 185 | 15 | 69 | 174 | 327 | 377 | 223 |
| \$1,000..... | 57 232 | 54 843 | 451 | 2 641 | 10 026 | 17 298 | 19 936 | 4 492 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 398 | 392 | 3 | 22 | 79 | 132 | 127 | 29 |
| \$1,000..... | 44 837 | 44 289 | 234 | 1 935 | 8 343 | 14 432 | 16 526 | 2 819 |
| Fruit, nuts, and berries sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 600 | 461 | 4 | 25 | 54 | 108 | 142 | 128 |
| \$1,000..... | 19 306 | 17 163 | 351 | 623 | 2 428 | 5 693 | 5 260 | 2 807 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 127 | 116 | 2 | 6 | 19 | 31 | 37 | 21 |
| \$1,000..... | 15 091 | 13 823 | (D) | (D) | 2 011 | 4 871 | 4 277 | 1 939 |
| Poultry and poultry products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 502 | 371 | — | 14 | 32 | 84 | 137 | 104 |
| \$1,000..... | 17 270 | 16 192 | — | 175 | 922 | 4 755 | 5 100 | 5 239 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 94 | 91 | — | 1 | 7 | 29 | 34 | 20 |
| \$1,000..... | 14 358 | 13 868 | — | (D) | (D) | 4 236 | 4 140 | 4 544 |
| Dairy products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 762 | 743 | 9 | 81 | 140 | 222 | 178 | 113 |
| \$1,000..... | 39 228 | 38 334 | 379 | 4 005 | 8 232 | 12 469 | 8 357 | 4 892 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 419 | 411 | 7 | 48 | 98 | 134 | 83 | 41 |
| \$1,000..... | 31 079 | 30 293 | 342 | 3 159 | 7 062 | 10 261 | 6 140 | 3 330 |
| Cattle and calves sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 1 497 | 1 180 | 12 | 111 | 199 | 302 | 318 | 238 |
| \$1,000..... | 8 919 | 7 383 | 438 | 710 | 1 245 | 1 948 | 1 818 | 1 225 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 24 | 21 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 4 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 941 | 1 727 | (D) | (D) | 245 | 254 | 387 | 280 |
| Hogs and pigs sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 328 | 218 | 3 | 28 | 36 | 49 | 60 | 42 |
| \$1,000..... | 4 949 | 4 694 | 464 | 899 | 538 | 836 | 1 761 | 196 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 25 | 24 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 1 |
| \$1,000..... | 3 966 | (D) | (D) | 840 | 441 | 492 | 1 589 | (D) |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 140 | 83 | 1 | 7 | 19 | 16 | 16 | 24 |
| \$1,000..... | 114 | 79 | (Z) | 7 | 16 | 16 | 13 | 28 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Other livestock and livestock products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 289 | 122 | 1 | 13 | 25 | 22 | 28 | 33 |
| \$1,000..... | 3 273 | 2 219 | 1 | 487 | 256 | 150 | 944 | 380 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 9 | 8 | — | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 851 | 1 616 | — | 461 | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Nursery and greenhouse products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 780 | 541 | 5 | 31 | 88 | 117 | 161 | 139 |
| \$1,000..... | 23 780 | 20 798 | 26 | 963 | 4 191 | 4 978 | 6 393 | 4 246 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 181 | 160 | — | 9 | 34 | 40 | 53 | 24 |
| \$1,000..... | 16 680 | 15 363 | — | 530 | 3 184 | 3 782 | 4 885 | 2 981 |
| Forest products sold | | | | | | | | |
| farms..... | 217 | 124 | 1 | 7 | 12 | 18 | 38 | 48 |
| \$1,000..... | 201 | 119 | — | 2 | 20 | 10 | 48 | 39 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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) | 126 | 1 | 10 | 25 | 36 | 37 | 17 |
| Vegetable and melon farms (016) | 163 | 7 | 16 | 32 | 49 | 48 | 11 |
| Fruit and tree nut farms (017) | 89 | - | 7 | 11 | 27 | 23 | 21 |
| Horticultural specialty farms (018) | 221 | 1 | 18 | 50 | 57 | 68 | 27 |
| General farms, primarily crop (0191) | 26 | - | 4 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 2 |
| Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) | 190 | - | 13 | 34 | 65 | 49 | 29 |
| Dairy farms (024) | 14 | - | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Poultry and egg farms (025) | 60 | - | 3 | 5 | 15 | 22 | 15 |
| Animal specialty farms (027) | 96 | 2 | 7 | 32 | 22 | 24 | 9 |
| General farms, primarily livestock (0291) | 10 | - | - | 1 | 5 | - | 4 |
| Farms not classified by SIC | 24 | - | 1 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 3 |
| Value of Products Sold | | | | | | | |
| Market value of agricultural products sold | 1 392 | 14 | 115 | 275 | 413 | 390 | 185 |
| \$1,000 | 18 240 | 193 | 1 443 | 3 837 | 5 402 | 4 060 | 3 305 |
| Farms by value of agricultural products sold: | | | | | | | |
| \$500,000 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$200,000 to \$499,999 | 6 | - | - | 2 | 7 | 1 | 3 |
| \$100,000 to \$199,999 | 16 | - | - | 2 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999 | 60 | - | 8 | 14 | 20 | 8 | 10 |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 108 | 4 | 12 | 21 | 22 | 32 | 17 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 254 | 4 | 24 | 49 | 95 | 56 | 26 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 448 | 2 | 37 | 96 | 132 | 128 | 53 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 417 | 4 | 31 | 70 | 105 | 145 | 62 |
| Under \$2,500 (see text) | 83 | - | 3 | 21 | 32 | 17 | 10 |
| Grain sold | 543 | 4 | 46 | 109 | 166 | 156 | 62 |
| \$1,000 | 4 229 | 56 | 383 | 1 001 | 1 284 | 914 | 592 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 9 | - | - | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| \$1,000 | 570 | - | - | 163 | 196 | (D) | (D) |
| Tabacco sold | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cotton and cottonseed sold | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold | 278 | 5 | 28 | 60 | 72 | 81 | 32 |
| \$1,000 | 1 207 | 11 | 148 | 189 | 304 | 393 | 161 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| \$1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | - |
| Other field crops sold | 48 | - | 6 | 11 | 17 | 13 | 1 |
| \$1,000 | 356 | - | 74 | 102 | 159 | 19 | 2 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| \$1,000 | 188 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | - | - |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold | 231 | 7 | 22 | 46 | 74 | 65 | 17 |
| \$1,000 | 2 389 | 102 | 213 | 552 | 741 | 499 | 284 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 6 | - | 1 | 2 | 2 | - | 1 |
| \$1,000 | 548 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | - | (D) |
| Fruit, nuts, and berries sold | 139 | - | 9 | 24 | 34 | 45 | 27 |
| \$1,000 | 2 143 | - | 111 | 652 | 584 | 256 | 540 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 11 | - | 3 | 4 | 4 | - | 4 |
| \$1,000 | 1 268 | - | - | 537 | 342 | - | 389 |
| Poultry and poultry products sold | 131 | 1 | 10 | 22 | 32 | 35 | 31 |
| \$1,000 | 1 078 | 1 | 20 | 61 | 295 | 255 | 447 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| \$1,000 | 490 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Dairy products sold | 19 | - | 2 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 7 |
| \$1,000 | 894 | - | (D) | (D) | 178 | 139 | 447 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 8 | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| \$1,000 | 786 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Cattle and calves sold | 317 | - | 26 | 63 | 101 | 84 | 43 |
| \$1,000 | 1 536 | - | 111 | 202 | 536 | 411 | 275 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 3 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| \$1,000 | 215 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | - |
| Hogs and pigs sold | 110 | - | 13 | 34 | 22 | 24 | 17 |
| \$1,000 | 255 | - | 8 | 58 | 52 | 93 | 44 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| \$1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | - |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool sold | 57 | - | 2 | 10 | 22 | 18 | 5 |
| \$1,000 | 35 | - | (D) | (D) | 20 | 6 | 5 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other livestock and livestock products sold | 167 | 2 | 16 | 46 | 47 | 38 | 18 |
| \$1,000 | 1 054 | 10 | 90 | 445 | 205 | 230 | 75 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | - |
| Nursery and greenhouse products sold | 239 | 2 | 20 | 55 | 60 | 72 | 30 |
| \$1,000 | 2 982 | 13 | 201 | 513 | 1 025 | 806 | 424 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | 21 | - | 1 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 5 |
| \$1,000 | 1 317 | - | (D) | (D) | 586 | 264 | 257 |
| Forest products sold | 93 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 33 | 35 | 7 |
| \$1,000 | 81 | (Z) | 1 | 14 | 20 | 38 | 8 |
| Sales of \$40,000 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|--|--|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | 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... 5 145 | 3 753 | 45 | 265 | 557 | 925 | 1 096 | 865 |
| | \$1,000... 167 566 | 152 394 | 2 196 | 10 673 | 26 609 | 45 056 | 45 649 | 22 211 |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | farms... 1 480 | 1 072 | 8 | 93 | 169 | 279 | 309 | 214 |
| | \$1,000... 9 887 | 8 744 | 236 | 1 145 | 1 246 | 2 138 | 2 498 | 1 481 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry | farms... 2 170 | 1 566 | 15 | 129 | 247 | 399 | 441 | 335 |
| | \$1,000... 25 902 | 24 025 | 494 | 1 861 | 3 203 | 7 024 | 5 920 | 5 522 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | farms... 1 918 | 1 380 | 15 | 101 | 216 | 347 | 398 | 303 |
| | tons... 149 252 | 139 578 | 2 357 | 7 499 | 18 168 | 41 151 | 36 900 | 33 502 |
| | \$1,000... 21 993 | 20 568 | 362 | 1 169 | 2 720 | 5 981 | 5 254 | 5 083 |
| Feed ingredients | farms... 534 | 424 | 4 | 40 | 74 | 114 | 113 | 79 |
| | tons... 12 952 | 12 491 | 1 164 | 1 532 | 2 012 | 3 523 | 2 986 | 1 275 |
| | \$1,000... 1 936 | 1 861 | 110 | 284 | 306 | 530 | 460 | 171 |
| Whole grains | farms... 556 | 361 | 1 | 41 | 56 | 97 | 88 | 78 |
| | tons... 13 783 | 10 690 | 225 | 2 274 | 1 035 | 3 519 | 1 591 | 2 047 |
| | \$1,000... 1 306 | 1 039 | 19 | 215 | 107 | 331 | 158 | 209 |
| Hay, green chop, and silage | farms... 335 | 198 | 1 | 32 | 40 | 43 | 43 | 39 |
| | tons... 20 414 | 17 389 | 45 | 6 371 | 1 627 | 7 083 | 1 028 | 1 235 |
| | \$1,000... 667 | 556 | 3 | 194 | 69 | 181 | 48 | 60 |
| Animal health cost for livestock and poultry | farms... 1 430 | 1 136 | 14 | 94 | 194 | 309 | 311 | 214 |
| | \$1,000... 978 | 830 | 10 | 102 | 153 | 256 | 183 | 126 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees | farms... 3 800 | 2 928 | 36 | 220 | 463 | 773 | 833 | 603 |
| | \$1,000... 8 478 | 7 676 | 107 | 509 | 1 527 | 2 353 | 2 304 | 876 |
| Commercial fertilizer purchased | farms... 4 019 | 3 068 | 41 | 221 | 464 | 809 | 895 | 638 |
| | \$1,000... 15 614 | 14 380 | 236 | 1 062 | 2 839 | 4 499 | 4 193 | 1 551 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms... 3 732 | 2 911 | 37 | 213 | 451 | 788 | 841 | 581 |
| | acres fertilized... 339 760 | 308 762 | 6 155 | 24 103 | 59 201 | 98 207 | 85 944 | 35 152 |
| | dry tons... 102 453 | 94 834 | 1 006 | 6 432 | 17 466 | 29 213 | 30 933 | 9 784 |
| | liquid or gas tons... 7 287 | 6 494 | 411 | 438 | 1 339 | 2 484 | 1 230 | 593 |
| Other agricultural chemicals (see text) | farms... 3 135 | 2 490 | 34 | 193 | 404 | 667 | 723 | 469 |
| | \$1,000... 5 952 | 5 568 | 94 | 400 | 1 202 | 1 696 | 1 611 | 566 |
| Lime | farms... 1 118 | 911 | 14 | 66 | 164 | 253 | 271 | 143 |
| | tons... 74 504 | 66 549 | 585 | 5 927 | 12 060 | 20 062 | 19 803 | 8 112 |
| | \$1,000... 894 | 802 | 8 | 65 | 149 | 254 | 232 | 95 |
| Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business | farms... 5 075 | 3 724 | 44 | 265 | 553 | 923 | 1 086 | 853 |
| | \$1,000... 9 199 | 8 175 | 108 | 562 | 1 499 | 2 456 | 2 399 | 1 151 |
| Gasoline | farms... 5 022 | 3 688 | 44 | 260 | 544 | 919 | 1 074 | 847 |
| | \$1,000... 5 883 | 5 139 | 79 | 368 | 858 | 1 565 | 1 535 | 733 |
| Diesel oil | farms... 1 630 | 1 372 | 19 | 124 | 243 | 389 | 386 | 211 |
| | \$1,000... 1 306 | 1 234 | 18 | 93 | 251 | 378 | 370 | 124 |
| LP gas, butane, and propane | farms... 638 | 555 | 9 | 35 | 105 | 134 | 176 | 96 |
| | \$1,000... 379 | 355 | 2 | 32 | 87 | 83 | 98 | 54 |
| Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil | farms... 5 071 | 3 723 | 44 | 264 | 553 | 923 | 1 086 | 853 |
| | \$1,000... 1 632 | 1 447 | 9 | 69 | 304 | 430 | 396 | 240 |
| Hired farm labor | farms... 2 588 | 2 112 | 35 | 147 | 348 | 572 | 617 | 393 |
| | \$1,000... 26 788 | 24 745 | 266 | 1 162 | 4 218 | 7 375 | 8 298 | 3 426 |
| Workers by number of days worked: | | | | | | | | |
| 150 days or more | farms... 1 262 | 1 141 | 12 | 69 | 195 | 317 | 362 | 186 |
| | workers... 4 158 | 3 888 | 38 | 180 | 665 | 1 134 | 1 351 | 520 |
| 25 to 149 days | farms... 1 272 | 1 066 | 16 | 74 | 183 | 317 | 306 | 170 |
| | workers... 8 866 | 7 945 | 67 | 551 | 1 380 | 2 231 | 2 579 | 1 137 |
| Less than 25 days | farms... 1 155 | 903 | 18 | 74 | 136 | 219 | 282 | 174 |
| | workers... 11 849 | 9 987 | 116 | 611 | 1 678 | 2 752 | 3 587 | 1 243 |
| Contract labor | farms... 309 | 254 | 6 | 28 | 40 | 71 | 79 | 30 |
| | \$1,000... 2 303 | 2 150 | 35 | 232 | 213 | 459 | 1 022 | 189 |
| Machine hire and customwork | farms... 1 778 | 1 365 | 20 | 96 | 210 | 371 | 386 | 282 |
| | \$1,000... 2 325 | 1 997 | 16 | 117 | 279 | 601 | 577 | 408 |
| All other production expenses | farms... 5 102 | 3 733 | 45 | 264 | 555 | 923 | 1 090 | 856 |
| | \$1,000... 60 138 | 54 105 | 595 | 3 520 | 10 229 | 16 200 | 16 644 | 6 917 |
| Farm-Related Income and Expenses | | | | | | | | |
| Farm-related income | farms... 1 193 | 864 | 13 | 87 | 144 | 228 | 239 | 153 |
| | \$1,000... 4 631 | 3 198 | 71 | 279 | 740 | 946 | 798 | 363 |
| \$10,000 and over | farms... 128 | 88 | 2 | 7 | 17 | 26 | 25 | 11 |
| | \$1,000... 3 086 | 2 140 | (D) | (D) | 555 | 652 | 500 | 207 |
| Farm-related income from— | | | | | | | | |
| Customwork and other agricultural services | farms... 464 | 343 | 9 | 41 | 63 | 86 | 95 | 49 |
| | \$1,000... 2 639 | 1 963 | 68 | 202 | 307 | 654 | 510 | 223 |
| Recreational services | farms... 106 | 60 | — | 1 | 7 | 16 | 21 | 15 |
| | \$1,000... 602 | 328 | — | 3 | 178 | 79 | 53 | 15 |
| Payments from government farm programs | farms... 492 | 421 | 3 | 48 | 70 | 138 | 103 | 59 |
| | \$1,000... 320 | 276 | 1 | 25 | 57 | 87 | 54 | 51 |
| Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments | farms... 300 | 178 | 2 | 14 | 24 | 32 | 51 | 55 |
| | \$1,000... 563 | 336 | 2 | 39 | 71 | 51 | 114 | 59 |
| Other farm-related income | farms... 151 | 115 | — | 10 | 21 | 38 | 30 | 16 |
| | \$1,000... 508 | 294 | — | 10 | 127 | 75 | 67 | 15 |
| Expenses for farm-related income sources | farms... 424 | 277 | 4 | 31 | 49 | 78 | 81 | 34 |
| | \$1,000... 2 083 | 1 335 | 26 | 106 | 362 | 409 | 306 | 126 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Total | Age of farm operator | | | | | 65 years and over |
| | | Under 25 years | 25 to 34 years | 35 to 44 years | 45 to 54 years | 55 to 64 years | |
| Farm Production Expenses | | | | | | | |
| Total production expenses | farms... 1 392 | 14 | 115 | 275 | 413 | 390 | 185 |
| | \$1,000... 15 172 | 178 | 1 113 | 3 247 | 4 585 | 3 316 | 2 733 |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | farms... 408 | 4 | 43 | 96 | 112 | 104 | 49 |
| | \$1,000... 1 143 | 21 | 153 | 241 | 321 | 280 | 126 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry | farms... 604 | 5 | 50 | 129 | 175 | 162 | 83 |
| | \$1,000... 1 878 | 9 | 89 | 259 | 575 | 422 | 523 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | farms... 538 | 2 | 46 | 114 | 161 | 145 | 70 |
| | tons... 9 674 | 16 | 471 | 1 320 | 3 158 | 2 156 | 2 554 |
| Feed ingredients | farms... 1 424 | 3 | 69 | 174 | 482 | 322 | 375 |
| | \$1,000... 110 | — | 6 | 20 | 29 | 36 | 19 |
| | tons... 460 | — | 38 | 43 | 105 | 174 | 100 |
| | \$1,000... 75 | — | 6 | 8 | 15 | 24 | 22 |
| Whole grains | farms... 195 | 2 | 14 | 42 | 52 | 54 | 31 |
| | tons... 3 093 | 65 | 75 | 464 | 468 | 511 | 1 510 |
| | \$1,000... 268 | 4 | 8 | 43 | 48 | 50 | 114 |
| Hay, green chop, and silage | farms... 137 | 3 | 9 | 37 | 42 | 30 | 16 |
| | tons... 3 025 | 200 | 360 | 773 | 698 | 679 | 315 |
| | \$1,000... 111 | 2 | 7 | 34 | 30 | 26 | 13 |
| Animal health cost for livestock and poultry | farms... 294 | 2 | 26 | 60 | 88 | 75 | 43 |
| | \$1,000... 148 | (2) | 9 | 23 | 40 | 48 | 29 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees | farms... 872 | 11 | 84 | 175 | 263 | 243 | 96 |
| | \$1,000... 802 | 16 | 70 | 182 | 250 | 185 | 99 |
| Commercial fertilizer purchased | farms... 951 | 12 | 87 | 186 | 295 | 264 | 107 |
| | \$1,000... 1 235 | 20 | 118 | 319 | 388 | 225 | 164 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms... 821 | 11 | 71 | 169 | 256 | 221 | 93 |
| acres fertilized | 30 998 | 359 | 2 732 | 7 627 | 10 241 | 5 847 | 4 192 |
| dry tons | 7 619 | 135 | 718 | 1 885 | 2 543 | 1 298 | 1 041 |
| liquid or gas tons | 793 | — | 68 | 161 | 307 | 218 | 39 |
| Other agricultural chemicals (see text) | farms... 645 | 7 | 53 | 149 | 208 | 164 | 64 |
| | \$1,000... 385 | 4 | 30 | 99 | 135 | 71 | 46 |
| Lime | farms... 207 | 3 | 16 | 50 | 66 | 57 | 15 |
| | tons... 7 955 | 34 | 431 | 1 802 | 2 906 | 2 453 | 329 |
| | \$1,000... 92 | 1 | 6 | 20 | 32 | 29 | 4 |
| Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business | farms... 1 351 | 14 | 112 | 263 | 405 | 384 | 173 |
| | \$1,000... 1 025 | 9 | 79 | 206 | 361 | 231 | 139 |
| Gasoline | farms... 1 334 | 14 | 111 | 257 | 398 | 382 | 172 |
| | \$1,000... 745 | 6 | 55 | 161 | 250 | 174 | 98 |
| Diesel oil | farms... 258 | 5 | 30 | 56 | 71 | 55 | 41 |
| | \$1,000... 72 | 1 | 7 | 16 | 22 | 12 | 13 |
| LP gas, butane, and propane | farms... 83 | — | 8 | 23 | 24 | 17 | 11 |
| | \$1,000... 24 | — | 3 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 5 |
| Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil | farms... 1 348 | 14 | 111 | 262 | 404 | 384 | 173 |
| | \$1,000... 184 | 2 | 13 | 22 | 82 | 41 | 23 |
| Hired farm labor | farms... 476 | 7 | 37 | 95 | 146 | 133 | 58 |
| | \$1,000... 2 043 | 8 | 106 | 406 | 575 | 399 | 549 |
| Workers by number of days worked: | | | | | | | |
| 150 days or more | farms... 121 | — | 10 | 25 | 28 | 31 | 27 |
| | workers... 270 | — | 16 | 58 | 54 | 58 | 84 |
| 25 to 149 days | farms... 206 | 2 | 17 | 33 | 73 | 53 | 28 |
| | workers... 921 | 2 | 81 | 190 | 325 | 173 | 150 |
| Less than 25 days | farms... 252 | 5 | 20 | 59 | 73 | 71 | 24 |
| | workers... 1 862 | 31 | 117 | 369 | 591 | 509 | 245 |
| Contract labor | farms... 55 | — | 7 | 9 | 16 | 18 | 5 |
| | \$1,000... 153 | — | 15 | 50 | 23 | 46 | 18 |
| Machine hire and customwork | farms... 413 | 4 | 34 | 89 | 132 | 114 | 40 |
| | \$1,000... 328 | 4 | 35 | 81 | 106 | 57 | 45 |
| All other production expenses | farms... 1 369 | 14 | 115 | 271 | 403 | 383 | 183 |
| | \$1,000... 6 034 | 87 | 407 | 1 381 | 1 810 | 1 353 | 995 |
| Farm-Related Income and Expenses | | | | | | | |
| Farm-related income | farms... 329 | 8 | 32 | 69 | 95 | 85 | 40 |
| | \$1,000... 1 434 | 63 | 161 | 288 | 407 | 344 | 170 |
| \$10,000 and over | farms... 40 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 5 |
| | \$1,000... 946 | (0) | 122 | 140 | 297 | 233 | (0) |
| Farm-related income from— | | | | | | | |
| Customwork and other agricultural services | farms... 121 | 7 | 10 | 33 | 30 | 30 | 11 |
| | \$1,000... 676 | 60 | 96 | 129 | 239 | 89 | 64 |
| Recreational services | farms... 46 | — | 3 | 9 | 18 | 13 | 3 |
| | \$1,000... 273 | — | 1 | 30 | 66 | 173 | 3 |
| Payments from government farm programs | farms... 71 | 1 | 15 | 19 | 17 | 13 | 6 |
| | \$1,000... 43 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 12 | 10 | 4 |
| Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments | farms... 122 | 1 | 9 | 17 | 35 | 36 | 24 |
| | \$1,000... 227 | 3 | 23 | 40 | 49 | 63 | 59 |
| Other farm-related income | farms... 36 | — | 3 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 8 |
| | \$1,000... 214 | — | 34 | 80 | 50 | 9 | 40 |
| Expenses for farm-related income sources | farms... 147 | 4 | 14 | 32 | 37 | 37 | 23 |
| | \$1,000... 747 | 42 | 42 | 131 | 241 | 201 | 90 |

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 |
| Family Off-Farm Income¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Family off-farm income..... farms..... | 3 071 | 1 847 | 22 | 128 | 273 | 457 | 545 | 422 |
| \$1,000..... | 37 223 | 14 925 | 194 | 1 019 | 2 523 | 3 532 | 4 159 | 3 498 |
| Farms by family off-farm income: | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$249..... farms..... | 98 | 89 | 1 | 17 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 10 |
| \$250 to \$499..... | 60 | 51 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 5 |
| \$500 to \$999..... | 124 | 117 | 2 | 13 | 16 | 35 | 39 | 12 |
| \$1,000 to \$4,999..... | 770 | 649 | 4 | 34 | 90 | 149 | 187 | 185 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... | 656 | 452 | 6 | 29 | 52 | 115 | 146 | 104 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 859 | 354 | 5 | 26 | 49 | 93 | 107 | 74 |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999..... | 286 | 73 | 1 | 4 | 18 | 15 | 19 | 16 |
| \$30,000 and over..... | 218 | 62 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 16 | 15 | 16 |
| Family off-farm income from-- | | | | | | | | |
| Nonfarm-related business..... farms..... | 581 | 262 | 2 | 21 | 68 | 66 | 71 | 34 |
| \$1,000..... | 7 134 | 2 176 | 19 | 138 | 587 | 483 | 523 | 427 |
| Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms..... | 1 763 | 847 | 17 | 82 | 140 | 265 | 251 | 92 |
| \$1,000..... | 21 188 | 6 577 | 156 | 633 | 1 358 | 1 973 | 1 800 | 656 |
| Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms..... | 1 616 | 1 128 | 7 | 61 | 159 | 272 | 346 | 283 |
| \$1,000..... | 5 854 | 4 310 | 17 | 219 | 491 | 875 | 1 383 | 1 325 |
| Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms..... | 583 | 430 | - | 6 | 17 | 20 | 82 | 305 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 761 | 1 274 | - | 11 | 30 | 44 | 259 | 929 |
| Rent of nonfarm property..... farms..... | 390 | 241 | 2 | 12 | 26 | 64 | 73 | 64 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 286 | 589 | 3 | 18 | 56 | 157 | 194 | 160 |
| Selected Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles..... farms..... | 3 921 | 3 055 | 32 | 211 | 465 | 797 | 910 | 640 |
| number..... | 5 726 | 4 476 | 52 | 281 | 700 | 1 241 | 1 359 | 843 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 1 313 | 1 028 | 13 | 57 | 162 | 314 | 333 | 149 |
| number..... | 2 846 | 2 227 | 27 | 123 | 355 | 680 | 724 | 318 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 78 | 64 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 23 | 15 | 10 |
| number..... | 350 | 286 | 8 | 5 | 55 | 101 | 73 | 44 |
| Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms..... | 4 445 | 3 389 | 39 | 245 | 524 | 860 | 1 014 | 707 |
| number..... | 9 713 | 8 035 | 90 | 540 | 1 402 | 2 307 | 2 475 | 1 221 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 1 736 | 1 416 | 17 | 110 | 232 | 376 | 433 | 248 |
| number..... | 4 002 | 3 291 | 41 | 261 | 540 | 889 | 1 002 | 558 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 693 | 629 | 7 | 36 | 130 | 212 | 197 | 47 |
| number..... | 3 695 | 3 400 | 34 | 180 | 700 | 1 146 | 1 089 | 251 |
| Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..... | 4 577 | 3 406 | 42 | 244 | 499 | 874 | 1 008 | 739 |
| number..... | 14 786 | 12 110 | 133 | 755 | 1 936 | 3 486 | 3 705 | 2 095 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 2 090 | 1 487 | 21 | 127 | 185 | 345 | 430 | 379 |
| number..... | 5 109 | 3 677 | 50 | 304 | 466 | 879 | 1 075 | 903 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 1 620 | 1 445 | 15 | 82 | 256 | 447 | 449 | 196 |
| number..... | 8 810 | 7 959 | 77 | 416 | 1 412 | 2 525 | 2 501 | 1 028 |
| Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..... | 4 549 | 3 387 | 42 | 244 | 495 | 869 | 1 004 | 733 |
| number..... | 14 312 | 11 765 | 127 | 739 | 1 882 | 3 396 | 3 601 | 2 020 |
| Crawler tractors..... farms..... | 370 | 265 | 6 | 14 | 46 | 66 | 84 | 49 |
| number..... | 474 | 345 | 6 | 16 | 54 | 90 | 104 | 75 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..... | 609 | 520 | 10 | 51 | 96 | 136 | 148 | 79 |
| number..... | 697 | 598 | 19 | 59 | 107 | 163 | 163 | 87 |
| Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms..... | 1 054 | 850 | 13 | 64 | 150 | 231 | 241 | 151 |
| number..... | 1 208 | 979 | 13 | 76 | 172 | 269 | 286 | 163 |
| Corn heads for combines..... farms..... | 267 | 225 | 3 | 23 | 51 | 60 | 66 | 22 |
| number..... | 289 | 245 | 3 | 24 | 53 | 68 | 73 | 24 |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..... | 864 | 692 | 10 | 48 | 113 | 187 | 198 | 136 |
| number..... | 919 | 734 | 10 | 52 | 119 | 201 | 213 | 139 |
| Mower conditioners..... farms..... | 1 189 | 916 | 10 | 83 | 153 | 257 | 246 | 167 |
| number..... | 1 280 | 976 | 10 | 88 | 161 | 269 | 263 | 185 |
| Pickup balers..... farms..... | 1 583 | 1 248 | 13 | 98 | 203 | 342 | 361 | 231 |
| number..... | 1 674 | 1 319 | 15 | 106 | 216 | 358 | 384 | 240 |
| Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..... | 487 | 352 | 5 | 35 | 51 | 85 | 101 | 75 |
| number..... | 519 | 373 | 5 | 35 | 52 | 91 | 108 | 82 |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms..... | 832 | 732 | 7 | 70 | 128 | 218 | 201 | 108 |
| number..... | 1 019 | 907 | 11 | 86 | 166 | 268 | 244 | 132 |
| Value of Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms..... | 4 968 | 3 661 | 44 | 260 | 549 | 916 | 1 077 | 815 |
| \$1,000..... | 128 518 | 109 308 | 1 468 | 7 632 | 19 618 | 31 719 | 32 570 | 16 300 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$4,999..... farms..... | 653 | 343 | 3 | 12 | 45 | 43 | 95 | 145 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 876 | 997 | 10 | 36 | 137 | 130 | 280 | 403 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... | 762 | 461 | 4 | 25 | 47 | 102 | 138 | 145 |
| \$1,000..... | 5 229 | 3 136 | 29 | 160 | 326 | 693 | 937 | 991 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 1 111 | 750 | 6 | 55 | 92 | 185 | 221 | 191 |
| \$1,000..... | 15 312 | 10 338 | 83 | 793 | 1 279 | 2 542 | 3 005 | 2 637 |
| \$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms..... | 1 803 | 1 512 | 23 | 128 | 242 | 394 | 452 | 273 |
| \$1,000..... | 54 452 | 46 341 | 713 | 3 940 | 7 704 | 12 374 | 13 692 | 7 918 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999..... | 483 | 446 | 5 | 35 | 84 | 142 | 130 | 50 |
| \$1,000..... | 30 087 | 27 954 | 298 | 2 127 | 5 349 | 9 044 | 8 119 | 3 017 |
| \$100,000 and over..... | 156 | 149 | 3 | 3 | 39 | 50 | 41 | 11 |
| \$1,000..... | 21 563 | 20 542 | 335 | 575 | 4 824 | 6 936 | 6 538 | 1 334 |

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

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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 |
| Family Off-Farm Income¹ | | | | | | | |
| Family off-farm income..... farms..... | 1 224 | 12 | 107 | 254 | 387 | 333 | 131 |
| \$1,000..... | 22 298 | 113 | 1 779 | 4 508 | 7 115 | 6 327 | 2 457 |
| Farms by family off-farm income: | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$249..... farms..... | 9 | — | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| \$1,000..... | 9 | — | — | 3 | 2 | 4 | — |
| \$250 to \$499..... farms..... | 7 | 1 | — | — | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| \$1,000..... | 121 | 3 | 15 | 23 | 28 | 26 | 26 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..... | 204 | 3 | 15 | 39 | 56 | 70 | 21 |
| \$1,000..... | 505 | 3 | 48 | 115 | 166 | 122 | 51 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..... | 213 | 2 | 17 | 40 | 80 | 61 | 13 |
| \$1,000..... | 156 | — | 10 | 33 | 52 | 44 | 17 |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms..... | | | | | | | |
| \$1,000..... | | | | | | | |
| \$30,000 and over..... farms..... | | | | | | | |
| \$1,000..... | | | | | | | |
| Family off-farm income from— | | | | | | | |
| Nonfarm-related business..... farms..... | 319 | 2 | 29 | 69 | 99 | 80 | 40 |
| \$1,000..... | 4 958 | (D) | (D) | 1 118 | 1 731 | 1 253 | 509 |
| Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms..... | 916 | 10 | 80 | 197 | 304 | 247 | 78 |
| \$1,000..... | 14 611 | 79 | 1 344 | 2 965 | 4 821 | 4 063 | 1 338 |
| Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms..... | 488 | 3 | 42 | 83 | 148 | 152 | 60 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 544 | (D) | (D) | 264 | 362 | 476 | 369 |
| Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms..... | 153 | — | 9 | 18 | 28 | 44 | 54 |
| \$1,000..... | 488 | — | 15 | 43 | 86 | 184 | 161 |
| Rent of nonfarm property..... farms..... | 149 | — | 12 | 27 | 36 | 56 | 18 |
| \$1,000..... | 697 | — | 34 | 118 | 115 | 351 | 79 |
| Selected Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles..... farms..... | 866 | 10 | 63 | 166 | 281 | 234 | 112 |
| number..... | 1 250 | 17 | 78 | 238 | 433 | 328 | 156 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 285 | 7 | 11 | 61 | 108 | 67 | 31 |
| number..... | 619 | 14 | 26 | 133 | 233 | 146 | 67 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 14 | — | — | — | 8 | 4 | 2 |
| number..... | 64 | — | — | — | 35 | 19 | 10 |
| Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms..... | 1 056 | 12 | 89 | 220 | 318 | 299 | 118 |
| number..... | 1 678 | 18 | 127 | 360 | 522 | 464 | 187 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 320 | 3 | 27 | 78 | 85 | 91 | 36 |
| number..... | 711 | 9 | 62 | 176 | 186 | 203 | 75 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 64 | — | 1 | 12 | 30 | 13 | 8 |
| number..... | 295 | — | 4 | 54 | 133 | 66 | 38 |
| Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..... | 1 171 | 9 | 95 | 234 | 367 | 333 | 133 |
| number..... | 2 676 | 29 | 202 | 524 | 842 | 747 | 332 |
| 2 or 3..... farms..... | 603 | 4 | 46 | 113 | 187 | 178 | 75 |
| number..... | 1 432 | 9 | 107 | 270 | 441 | 423 | 182 |
| 4 and over..... farms..... | 175 | 3 | 13 | 36 | 57 | 41 | 25 |
| number..... | 851 | 18 | 59 | 169 | 278 | 210 | 117 |
| Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..... | 1 162 | 9 | 94 | 233 | 367 | 330 | 129 |
| number..... | 2 547 | 29 | 192 | 494 | 807 | 710 | 315 |
| Crawler tractors..... farms..... | 105 | — | 6 | 23 | 30 | 31 | 15 |
| number..... | 129 | — | 10 | 30 | 35 | 37 | 17 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..... | 89 | 1 | 6 | 17 | 28 | 25 | 12 |
| number..... | 99 | 1 | 6 | 18 | 31 | 28 | 15 |
| Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms..... | 204 | 2 | 14 | 43 | 54 | 65 | 26 |
| number..... | 229 | 2 | 14 | 49 | 61 | 75 | 28 |
| Corn heads for combines..... farms..... | 42 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 11 | 15 | 7 |
| number..... | 44 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11 | 16 | 7 |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..... | 172 | 1 | 13 | 37 | 45 | 55 | 21 |
| number..... | 185 | 1 | 13 | 41 | 50 | 59 | 21 |
| Mower conditioners..... farms..... | 273 | 2 | 19 | 49 | 95 | 69 | 39 |
| number..... | 304 | 2 | 21 | 51 | 107 | 75 | 48 |
| Pickup balers..... farms..... | 335 | 3 | 21 | 71 | 93 | 104 | 43 |
| number..... | 355 | 3 | 21 | 76 | 95 | 113 | 47 |
| Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..... | 135 | 2 | 5 | 30 | 28 | 40 | 30 |
| number..... | 146 | 2 | 5 | 30 | 30 | 47 | 32 |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms..... | 100 | 1 | 11 | 22 | 35 | 19 | 12 |
| number..... | 112 | 1 | 11 | 23 | 39 | 20 | 18 |
| Value of Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms..... | 1 307 | 13 | 109 | 263 | 398 | 365 | 159 |
| \$1,000..... | 19 210 | 282 | 1 435 | 3 853 | 5 845 | 4 952 | 2 844 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$4,999..... farms..... | 310 | 4 | 27 | 48 | 97 | 91 | 43 |
| \$1,000..... | 879 | (D) | 83 | (D) | (D) | (D) | 117 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..... | 301 | — | 27 | 73 | 85 | 91 | 25 |
| \$1,000..... | 2 093 | — | 194 | 509 | 587 | 636 | 166 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..... | 361 | 4 | 27 | 87 | 114 | 101 | 28 |
| \$1,000..... | 4 974 | 54 | 375 | 1 139 | 1 637 | 1 375 | 394 |
| \$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms..... | 291 | 2 | 26 | 47 | 88 | 71 | 57 |
| \$1,000..... | 8 111 | (D) | 2 | 1 348 | 2 449 | 1 894 | 1 698 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms..... | 37 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 9 | 5 |
| \$1,000..... | 2 133 | 158 | (D) | 341 | 692 | 508 | (D) |
| \$100,000 and over..... farms..... | 7 | — | — | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 021 | — | — | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | Age of farm operator | | | | | | 65 years and over |
| | | Total | Under 25 years | 25 to 34 years | 35 to 44 years | 45 to 54 years | 55 to 64 years | |
| Agricultural Chemicals | | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural chemicals..... farms..... | 4 216 | 3 186 | 41 | 230 | 483 | 827 | 934 | 671 |
| \$1,000..... | 21 567 | 19 948 | 329 | 1 462 | 4 041 | 6 195 | 5 804 | 2 117 |
| Commercial fertilizer..... farms..... | 4 024 | 3 070 | 41 | 222 | 464 | 809 | 895 | 639 |
| acres on which used..... | 339 760 | 308 762 | 6 155 | 24 103 | 59 201 | 98 207 | 85 944 | 35 152 |
| tons..... | 109 740 | 101 328 | 1 417 | 6 870 | 18 805 | 31 697 | 32 163 | 10 377 |
| \$1,000..... | 15 614 | 14 380 | 236 | 1 062 | 2 839 | 4 499 | 4 193 | 1 551 |
| Lime..... farms..... | 1 118 | 911 | 14 | 66 | 164 | 253 | 271 | 143 |
| acres on which used..... | 62 032 | 55 734 | 551 | 5 016 | 10 705 | 16 855 | 16 028 | 6 579 |
| tons..... | 74 504 | 66 549 | 585 | 5 927 | 12 060 | 20 062 | 19 803 | 8 112 |
| \$1,000..... | 894 | 802 | 8 | 65 | 149 | 254 | 232 | 95 |
| Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control— | | | | | | | | |
| Insects on hay crops..... farms..... | 191 | 161 | 3 | 16 | 24 | 40 | 41 | 37 |
| acres on which used..... | 5 849 | 5 169 | 34 | 660 | 1 116 | 1 553 | 1 216 | 590 |
| \$1,000..... | 39 | 34 | (2) | 4 | 9 | 10 | 8 | 4 |
| Insects on other crops..... farms..... | 1 300 | 1 100 | 17 | 79 | 187 | 302 | 333 | 182 |
| acres on which used..... | 96 496 | 90 649 | 2 565 | 4 791 | 19 896 | 28 544 | 27 128 | 7 725 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 989 | 1 894 | 34 | 110 | 434 | 547 | 602 | 167 |
| Nematodes in crops..... farms..... | 90 | 81 | — | 6 | 9 | 26 | 26 | 14 |
| acres on which used..... | 3 062 | 3 033 | — | 245 | 253 | 1 098 | 1 261 | 176 |
| \$1,000..... | 91 | 89 | — | 5 | 9 | 30 | 40 | 6 |
| Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..... | 365 | 324 | 5 | 23 | 59 | 98 | 89 | 50 |
| acres on which used..... | 23 357 | 22 212 | 338 | 1 365 | 3 961 | 6 511 | 7 553 | 2 484 |
| \$1,000..... | 607 | 575 | 19 | 27 | 128 | 168 | 163 | 70 |
| Weeds or grass in crops..... farms..... | 1 680 | 1 417 | 19 | 121 | 245 | 428 | 383 | 221 |
| acres on which used..... | 187 082 | 173 466 | 4 211 | 15 192 | 36 908 | 55 330 | 43 913 | 17 912 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 892 | 1 771 | 31 | 160 | 401 | 601 | 428 | 150 |
| Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms..... | 23 | 16 | — | 1 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 5 |
| acres on which used..... | 561 | 323 | — | 15 | 143 | 52 | 19 | 94 |
| \$1,000..... | 3 | 2 | — | (2) | 1 | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Weeds on other land..... farms..... | 63 | 48 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 11 | 14 | 11 |
| acres on which used..... | 413 | 373 | 19 | 108 | 32 | 48 | 56 | 110 |
| \$1,000..... | 5 | 4 | (2) | 2 | (2) | (2) | 1 | 1 |
| Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms..... | 84 | 73 | — | 4 | 17 | 21 | 21 | 10 |
| acres on which used..... | 4 603 | 4 540 | — | 122 | 1 326 | 1 218 | 1 276 | 598 |
| \$1,000..... | 85 | 84 | — | 2 | 24 | 18 | 11 | 29 |
| Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms..... | 229 | 190 | 2 | 18 | 37 | 51 | 58 | 24 |
| \$1,000..... | 38 | 30 | (2) | 7 | 5 | 6 | 10 | 2 |
| Other chemicals (see text)..... farms..... | 616 | 443 | 8 | 38 | 62 | 94 | 131 | 110 |
| \$1,000..... | 310 | 283 | 1 | 19 | 42 | 60 | 119 | 41 |
| Grain Storage Facilities on Farm | | | | | | | | |
| Farms with grain storage facilities: | | | | | | | | |
| None..... | 2 208 | 1 625 | 17 | 137 | 256 | 400 | 498 | 317 |
| Under 1,000 bushels..... | 327 | 228 | 2 | 10 | 34 | 54 | 71 | 57 |
| 1,000 to 4,999 bushels..... | 449 | 379 | 6 | 36 | 57 | 108 | 101 | 71 |
| 5,000 to 9,999 bushels..... | 128 | 112 | 2 | 9 | 21 | 41 | 26 | 13 |
| 10,000 to 24,999 bushels..... | 86 | 76 | 2 | 8 | 18 | 24 | 8 | 5 |
| 25,000 to 49,999 bushels..... | 15 | 15 | 1 | — | — | 3 | — | 1 |
| 50,000 bushels and over..... | 3 | 3 | — | — | 2 | — | — | — |
| Not reporting..... | 1 927 | 1 315 | 15 | 65 | 167 | 294 | 373 | 401 |
| Livestock | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves..... farms..... | 1 592 | 1 232 | 13 | 112 | 201 | 320 | 339 | 247 |
| number..... | 90 019 | 80 113 | 1 392 | 7 695 | 15 782 | 25 401 | 18 363 | 11 480 |
| Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms..... | 1 324 | 1 056 | 11 | 96 | 180 | 275 | 288 | 206 |
| number..... | 52 923 | 48 070 | 528 | 4 608 | 9 607 | 15 355 | 11 219 | 6 753 |
| Beef cows..... farms..... | 580 | 344 | 6 | 26 | 48 | 75 | 108 | 81 |
| number..... | 9 746 | 5 891 | 63 | 420 | 942 | 1 503 | 1 882 | 1 081 |
| Milk cows..... farms..... | 897 | 838 | 11 | 83 | 150 | 236 | 208 | 150 |
| number..... | 43 177 | 42 179 | 465 | 4 188 | 8 665 | 13 852 | 9 337 | 5 672 |
| Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms..... | 1 031 | 877 | 10 | 86 | 153 | 232 | 239 | 157 |
| number..... | 24 401 | 22 452 | 271 | 2 277 | 4 479 | 7 496 | 4 735 | 3 194 |
| Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms..... | 409 | 281 | 3 | 21 | 45 | 61 | 104 | 47 |
| number..... | 4 399 | 3 196 | 20 | 281 | 682 | 883 | 957 | 373 |
| Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms..... | 728 | 688 | 9 | 71 | 124 | 201 | 163 | 120 |
| number..... | 20 002 | 19 256 | 251 | 1 996 | 3 797 | 6 613 | 3 778 | 2 821 |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms..... | 977 | 738 | 11 | 58 | 124 | 193 | 206 | 146 |
| number..... | 12 695 | 9 591 | 593 | 810 | 1 696 | 2 550 | 2 409 | 1 533 |
| Cattle and calves sold..... farms..... | 1 497 | 1 180 | 12 | 111 | 199 | 302 | 318 | 238 |
| number..... | 49 890 | 43 707 | 2 106 | 4 190 | 7 670 | 12 041 | 11 311 | 6 389 |
| \$1,000..... | 8 919 | 7 383 | 438 | 710 | 1 245 | 1 948 | 1 818 | 1 166 |
| Calves..... farms..... | 1 096 | 919 | 12 | 91 | 169 | 240 | 241 | 166 |
| number..... | 32 144 | 29 245 | 2 045 | 2 849 | 5 459 | 7 628 | 7 630 | 3 634 |
| \$1,000..... | 2 672 | 2 299 | 422 | 239 | 471 | 382 | 526 | 260 |
| Cattle..... farms..... | 1 269 | 999 | 10 | 91 | 182 | 265 | 257 | 194 |
| number..... | 17 746 | 14 462 | 61 | 1 341 | 2 211 | 4 413 | 3 681 | 2 755 |
| \$1,000..... | 6 247 | 5 084 | 16 | 471 | 774 | 1 566 | 1 292 | 965 |
| Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms..... | 317 | 202 | 1 | 22 | 22 | 58 | 48 | 51 |
| number..... | 3 654 | 2 792 | 5 | 345 | 238 | 1 014 | 479 | 711 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 421 | 1 061 | 1 | 137 | 94 | 390 | 191 | 249 |
| Hogs and pigs..... farms..... | 426 | 291 | 3 | 28 | 52 | 76 | 74 | 58 |
| number..... | 45 689 | 41 527 | 2 537 | 6 247 | 3 383 | 9 158 | 18 041 | 2 161 |
| Used or to be used for breeding..... farms..... | 198 | 143 | 2 | 15 | 20 | 42 | 37 | 27 |
| number..... | 3 875 | 3 067 | 7 | 276 | 225 | 1 083 | 1 295 | 181 |
| Other..... farms..... | 404 | 275 | 3 | 28 | 45 | 73 | 71 | 55 |
| number..... | 41 814 | 38 460 | 2 530 | 5 971 | 3 158 | 8 075 | 16 746 | 1 980 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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 |
| Agricultural Chemicals | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural chemicals..... farms.. | 1 030 | 12 | 90 | 213 | 312 | 286 | 117 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 619 | 23 | 149 | 418 | 524 | 296 | 210 |
| Commercial fertilizer..... farms.. | 954 | 12 | 87 | 189 | 295 | 264 | 107 |
| acres on which used..... | 30 998 | 359 | 2 732 | 7 627 | 10 241 | 5 847 | 4 192 |
| tons..... | 8 412 | 135 | 785 | 2 046 | 2 850 | 1 516 | 1 079 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 235 | 20 | 118 | 319 | 388 | 225 | 164 |
| Lime..... farms.. | 207 | 3 | 16 | 50 | 66 | 57 | 15 |
| acres on which used..... | 6 298 | 42 | 398 | 1 369 | 2 120 | 2 047 | 322 |
| tons..... | 7 955 | 34 | 431 | 1 802 | 2 906 | 2 453 | 329 |
| \$1,000..... | 92 | 1 | 6 | 20 | 32 | 29 | 4 |
| Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control— | | | | | | | |
| Insects on hay crops..... farms.. | 30 | — | 2 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 2 |
| acres on which used..... | 680 | — | 160 | 148 | 199 | 113 | 60 |
| \$1,000..... | 5 | — | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | (2) |
| Insects on other crops..... farms.. | 200 | 4 | 16 | 36 | 74 | 53 | 17 |
| acres on which used..... | 5 847 | 65 | 307 | 1 561 | 2 180 | 712 | 1 022 |
| \$1,000..... | 96 | 1 | 5 | 27 | 30 | 12 | 20 |
| Nematodes in crops..... farms.. | 9 | — | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 | — |
| acres on which used..... | 29 | — | 1 | 24 | 1 | 3 | — |
| \$1,000..... | 1 | — | (2) | 1 | (2) | (2) | — |
| Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms.. | 41 | — | 3 | 9 | 17 | 10 | 2 |
| acres on which used..... | 1 145 | — | 41 | 501 | 452 | 98 | 53 |
| \$1,000..... | 32 | — | 1 | 14 | 12 | 3 | 1 |
| Weeds or grass in crops..... farms.. | 263 | 5 | 25 | 62 | 89 | 60 | 22 |
| acres on which used..... | 13 616 | 146 | 1 139 | 3 385 | 5 246 | 2 107 | 1 593 |
| \$1,000..... | 121 | 2 | 12 | 28 | 47 | 18 | 15 |
| Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms.. | 7 | — | — | — | 4 | 3 | — |
| acres on which used..... | 238 | — | — | — | 220 | 18 | — |
| \$1,000..... | 2 | — | — | — | 1 | (2) | — |
| Weeds on other land..... farms.. | 15 | — | 1 | 6 | 1 | 7 | — |
| acres on which used..... | 40 | — | 5 | 9 | 2 | 24 | — |
| \$1,000..... | (2) | — | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | — |
| Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms.. | 11 | — | — | 3 | 5 | 3 | — |
| acres on which used..... | 63 | — | — | 12 | 40 | 11 | — |
| \$1,000..... | 1 | — | — | (2) | (2) | (2) | — |
| Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms.. | 39 | — | 3 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 5 |
| \$1,000..... | 8 | — | (2) | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Other chemicals (see text)..... farms.. | 173 | 3 | 17 | 41 | 54 | 37 | 21 |
| \$1,000..... | 27 | (2) | 3 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 2 |
| Grain Storage Facilities on Farm | | | | | | | |
| Farms with grain storage facilities: | | | | | | | |
| None..... | 583 | 6 | 44 | 131 | 168 | 164 | 70 |
| Under 1,000 bushels..... | 99 | — | 3 | 25 | 31 | 29 | 11 |
| 1,000 to 4,999 bushels..... | 70 | — | 6 | 7 | 26 | 21 | 10 |
| 5,000 to 9,999 bushels..... | 16 | — | 1 | 4 | 5 | 6 | — |
| 10,000 to 24,999 bushels..... | 10 | — | 3 | 2 | — | 3 | 2 |
| 25,000 to 49,999 bushels..... | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 50,000 bushels and over..... | 2 | — | — | 1 | — | — | 1 |
| Not reporting..... | 612 | 8 | 58 | 105 | 183 | 167 | 91 |
| Livestock | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves..... farms.. | 360 | — | 31 | 69 | 117 | 94 | 49 |
| number..... | 9 906 | — | 670 | 1 447 | 3 152 | 2 622 | 2 015 |
| Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms.. | 268 | — | 25 | 49 | 87 | 68 | 39 |
| number..... | 4 853 | — | 350 | 763 | 1 571 | 1 128 | 1 041 |
| Beef cows..... farms.. | 236 | — | 20 | 46 | 79 | 61 | 30 |
| number..... | 3 855 | — | 268 | 705 | 1 330 | 949 | 603 |
| Milk cows..... farms.. | 59 | — | 5 | 7 | 19 | 13 | 15 |
| number..... | 998 | — | 82 | 58 | 241 | 179 | 438 |
| Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms.. | 154 | — | 12 | 25 | 44 | 42 | 31 |
| number..... | 1 949 | — | 144 | 215 | 415 | 533 | 642 |
| Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms.. | 128 | — | 9 | 24 | 35 | 37 | 23 |
| number..... | 1 203 | — | 105 | 194 | 288 | 345 | 271 |
| Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms.. | 40 | — | 5 | 3 | 13 | 11 | 8 |
| number..... | 746 | — | 39 | 21 | 127 | 188 | 371 |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms.. | 239 | — | 14 | 46 | 81 | 67 | 31 |
| number..... | 3 104 | — | 176 | 469 | 1 166 | 961 | 332 |
| Cattle and calves sold..... farms.. | 317 | — | 26 | 63 | 101 | 84 | 43 |
| number..... | 6 183 | — | 495 | 767 | 2 189 | 1 522 | 1 210 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 536 | — | 111 | 202 | 536 | 411 | 275 |
| Calves..... farms.. | 177 | — | 13 | 33 | 64 | 44 | 23 |
| number..... | 2 899 | — | 185 | 396 | 1 270 | 546 | 502 |
| \$1,000..... | 373 | — | 16 | 61 | 198 | 58 | 39 |
| Cattle..... farms.. | 270 | — | 18 | 54 | 85 | 73 | 40 |
| number..... | 3 284 | — | 310 | 371 | 919 | 976 | 708 |
| \$1,000..... | 1 163 | — | 95 | 142 | 337 | 353 | 236 |
| Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms.. | 115 | — | 8 | 22 | 39 | 32 | 14 |
| number..... | 862 | — | 65 | 143 | 261 | 203 | 190 |
| \$1,000..... | 360 | — | 32 | 65 | 117 | 88 | 58 |
| Hogs and pigs..... farms.. | 135 | — | 15 | 41 | 29 | 30 | 20 |
| number..... | 4 162 | — | 184 | 736 | 994 | 1 414 | 834 |
| Used or to be used for breeding..... farms.. | 55 | — | 5 | 11 | 15 | 12 | 12 |
| number..... | 808 | — | 44 | 65 | 181 | 394 | 124 |
| Other..... farms.. | 129 | — | 14 | 41 | 27 | 30 | 17 |
| number..... | 3 354 | — | 140 | 671 | 813 | 1 020 | 710 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | 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... 328 | 218 | 3 | 28 | 36 | 49 | 60 | 42 |
| | number... 64 559 | 60 617 | 5 559 | 11 770 | 7 392 | 10 284 | 22 770 | 2 842 |
| | \$1,000... 4 949 | 4 694 | 464 | 899 | 538 | 836 | 1 761 | 196 |
| Feeder pigs | farms... 85 | 57 | -- | 7 | 12 | 10 | 21 | 7 |
| | number... 8 660 | 7 511 | -- | 292 | 843 | 1 838 | 4 083 | 455 |
| | \$1,000... 220 | 198 | -- | 6 | 12 | 47 | 123 | 10 |
| Litters of pigs farrowed between— | | | | | | | | |
| December 1 of preceding year and | | | | | | | | |
| November 30 | farms... 215 | 157 | 2 | 17 | 24 | 44 | 41 | 29 |
| | number... 4 997 | 4 359 | 9 | 432 | 301 | 1 271 | 2 141 | 205 |
| December 1 and May 31 | farms... 178 | 127 | 2 | 12 | 18 | 33 | 36 | 26 |
| | number... 2 520 | 2 178 | 5 | 211 | 154 | 594 | 1 110 | 104 |
| June 1 and November 30 | farms... 177 | 130 | 1 | 16 | 20 | 35 | 34 | 24 |
| | number... 2 477 | 2 181 | 4 | 221 | 147 | 677 | 1 031 | 101 |
| Sheep and lambs of all ages | farms... 182 | 109 | 1 | 10 | 25 | 18 | 24 | 31 |
| | number... 4 398 | 2 936 | 9 | 326 | 616 | 544 | 415 | 1 026 |
| Lambs under 1 year old | farms... 132 | 75 | 1 | 10 | 17 | 12 | 15 | 20 |
| | number... 1 105 | 679 | 4 | 117 | 125 | 106 | 97 | 230 |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | farms... 161 | 96 | 1 | 9 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 30 |
| | number... 2 963 | 2 039 | 4 | 188 | 449 | 396 | 275 | 727 |
| Rams and wethers 1 year old or | | | | | | | | |
| older | farms... 133 | 79 | 1 | 7 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 25 |
| | number... 330 | 218 | 1 | 21 | 42 | 42 | 43 | 69 |
| Sheep and lambs sold | farms... 129 | 78 | 1 | 7 | 18 | 16 | 15 | 21 |
| | number... 3 056 | 2 214 | 3 | 185 | 562 | 466 | 358 | 640 |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | farms... 117 | 72 | 1 | 7 | 17 | 12 | 12 | 23 |
| | number... 3 526 | 2 406 | 5 | 263 | 552 | 456 | 332 | 798 |
| | pounds of wool... 24 413 | 16 100 | 42 | 1 723 | 3 819 | 2 801 | 2 053 | 5 662 |
| Horses and ponies | farms... 664 | 369 | 6 | 31 | 76 | 85 | 86 | 85 |
| | number... 6 564 | 3 754 | 16 | 441 | 720 | 677 | 830 | 1 070 |
| Sold | farms... 209 | 78 | 1 | 10 | 18 | 13 | 16 | 20 |
| | number... 1 112 | 463 | 2 | 50 | 132 | 56 | 149 | 74 |
| | \$1,000... 2 730 | 1 735 | 1 | 441 | 155 | 91 | 892 | 155 |
| Horses | farms... 601 | 323 | 6 | 26 | 68 | 72 | 75 | 76 |
| | number... 6 006 | 3 407 | 11 | 403 | 664 | 597 | 760 | 972 |
| Sold | farms... 203 | 74 | 1 | 9 | 18 | 12 | 16 | 18 |
| | number... 1 086 | 452 | 2 | 48 | 132 | 55 | 149 | 66 |
| | \$1,000... 2 725 | 1 734 | 1 | 441 | 155 | 91 | 892 | 155 |
| Any goats | farms... 39 | 25 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 4 |
| | number... 525 | 283 | 1 | 61 | 79 | 96 | 36 | 10 |
| Sold | farms... 14 | 7 | -- | -- | 2 | 3 | -- | -- |
| | number... 272 | 118 | -- | -- | 81 | 28 | 9 | -- |
| | \$1,000... 29 | 13 | -- | -- | 11 | 2 | (2) | -- |
| Poultry | | | | | | | | |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | farms... 625 | 449 | -- | 17 | 55 | 100 | 148 | 129 |
| | number... 1 658 878 | 1 562 220 | -- | 19 089 | 101 759 | 507 129 | 428 279 | 505 964 |
| Sold | farms... 349 | 269 | -- | 8 | 18 | 58 | 103 | 82 |
| | number... 1 643 448 | 1 532 515 | -- | 14 205 | 87 206 | 505 114 | 508 630 | 417 360 |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | farms... 607 | 438 | -- | 16 | 53 | 95 | 147 | 127 |
| | number... 1 533 855 | 1 460 524 | -- | 19 003 | 89 818 | 431 456 | 427 381 | 492 866 |
| Kept for table or market egg | | | | | | | | |
| production | farms... 596 | 429 | -- | 16 | 53 | 94 | 146 | 120 |
| | number... 1 509 289 | 1 438 167 | -- | 18 983 | 89 718 | 431 321 | 427 331 | 470 814 |
| Kept for hatching egg | | | | | | | | |
| production | farms... 26 | 17 | -- | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 10 |
| | number... 24 566 | 22 357 | -- | 20 | 100 | 135 | 50 | 22 052 |
| Pullets 3 months old or older not of | | | | | | | | |
| laying age | farms... 31 | 27 | -- | 1 | 4 | 10 | 4 | 8 |
| | number... 119 857 | 97 427 | -- | 50 | 11 870 | 75 383 | 650 | 9 474 |
| Roosters and male chickens | farms... 123 | 74 | -- | 6 | 6 | 16 | 20 | 26 |
| | number... 5 166 | 4 269 | -- | 36 | 71 | 290 | 248 | 3 624 |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 | | | | | | | | |
| months old | farms... 19 | 14 | -- | 2 | 3 | -- | 4 | 5 |
| | number... 69 925 | 57 300 | -- | 2 | 7 520 | -- | 15 060 | 34 718 |
| Broilers and other meat-type | | | | | | | | |
| chickens sold | farms... 37 | 27 | -- | 2 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 4 |
| | number... 476 259 | 469 809 | -- | 1 522 | 21 400 | 188 275 | 50 527 | 208 085 |
| Turkeys | farms... 15 | 8 | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| | number... 17 555 | 4 490 | -- | -- | -- | 450 | 4 010 | 30 |
| Sold | farms... 17 | 8 | -- | -- | -- | 3 | 5 | -- |
| | number... 76 349 | 45 546 | -- | -- | -- | 3 846 | 41 700 | -- |
| Heavy breeds for slaughter | farms... 12 | 6 | -- | -- | -- | 1 | 5 | -- |
| | number... 10 153 | (D) | -- | -- | -- | 410 | (D) | -- |
| Sold | farms... 15 | 7 | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 5 | -- |
| | number... 58 590 | (D) | -- | -- | -- | 2 010 | (D) | -- |
| Light breeds for slaughter | farms... 5 | 4 | -- | -- | -- | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| | number... 7 381 | (D) | -- | -- | -- | 40 | (D) | 30 |
| Sold | farms... 6 | 4 | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 2 | -- |
| | number... 17 753 | (D) | -- | -- | -- | 1 836 | (D) | -- |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | farms... 2 | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1 | -- |
| | number... 21 | 2 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2 | -- |
| Sold | farms... 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | number... 6 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Crops Harvested | | | | | | | | |
| Field corn for all purposes | farms... 1 779 | 1 403 | 17 | 125 | 221 | 376 | 376 | 288 |
| | acres... 99 599 | 89 142 | 1 759 | 8 240 | 18 448 | 27 880 | 20 943 | 11 872 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms... 1 452 | 1 173 | 16 | 105 | 192 | 321 | 316 | 223 |
| | acres... 88 662 | 80 267 | 1 749 | 7 569 | 17 166 | 25 450 | 18 607 | 9 726 |
| Field corn for grain or seed | farms... 1 524 | 1 185 | 15 | 95 | 179 | 317 | 327 | 252 |
| | acres... 70 239 | 61 924 | 1 497 | 5 268 | 12 533 | 19 145 | 15 036 | 8 445 |
| | bushels... 5 763 020 | 5 124 976 | 112 907 | 425 046 | 1 061 690 | 1 656 642 | 1 222 614 | 646 077 |
| Irrigated | farms... 25 | 24 | -- | 4 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 3 |
| | acres... 768 | 764 | -- | 81 | 200 | 132 | 235 | 116 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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 |
| Livestock—Continued | | | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs sold | 110 | — | 13 | 34 | 22 | 24 | 17 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 3 942 | — | 174 | 724 | 707 | 1 559 | 778 |
| \$1,000 | 255 | — | 8 | 58 | 52 | 93 | 44 |
| Feeder pigs | 28 | — | — | 6 | 4 | 9 | 6 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 1 149 | — | 92 | 100 | 84 | 542 | 331 |
| \$1,000 | 22 | — | 2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 6 |
| Litters of pigs farrowed between— | | | | | | | |
| December 1 of preceding year and | | | | | | | |
| November 30 | 58 | — | 5 | 12 | 15 | 14 | 12 |
| number | 638 | — | 33 | 65 | 148 | 195 | 197 |
| December 1 and May 31 | 51 | — | 5 | 10 | 13 | 14 | 9 |
| number | 342 | — | 16 | 47 | 79 | 105 | 95 |
| June 1 and November 30 | 47 | — | 5 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 12 |
| number | 296 | — | 17 | 18 | 69 | 90 | 102 |
| Sheep and lambs of all ages | 73 | — | 5 | 14 | 26 | 21 | 7 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 1 462 | — | 34 | 99 | 862 | 335 | 132 |
| Lambs under 1 year old | 57 | — | 3 | 7 | 23 | 18 | 6 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 426 | — | 11 | 22 | 240 | 97 | 56 |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | 65 | — | 5 | 8 | 26 | 19 | 7 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 924 | — | 17 | 59 | 576 | 209 | 63 |
| Rams and wethers 1 year old or | | | | | | | |
| older | 54 | — | 5 | 13 | 18 | 15 | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 112 | — | 6 | 18 | 46 | 29 | 13 |
| Sheep and lambs sold | 51 | — | 2 | 8 | 20 | 17 | 4 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 842 | — | 5 | 72 | 463 | 216 | 86 |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | 45 | — | 2 | 5 | 20 | 14 | 4 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 1 120 | — | 7 | 53 | 734 | 242 | 84 |
| pounds of wool | 8 313 | — | 32 | 252 | 5 931 | 1 527 | 571 |
| Horses and ponies | 295 | 4 | 25 | 72 | 97 | 73 | 24 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 2 810 | 39 | 278 | 727 | 822 | 741 | 203 |
| Sold | 131 | 2 | 14 | 34 | 34 | 30 | 17 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 649 | 10 | 56 | 144 | 201 | 146 | 92 |
| \$1,000 | 995 | 10 | 89 | 417 | 196 | 208 | 74 |
| Horses | 278 | 3 | 24 | 71 | 90 | 67 | 23 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 2 599 | 37 | 270 | 702 | 767 | 653 | 170 |
| Sold | 129 | 2 | 14 | 33 | 34 | 30 | 16 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 634 | 10 | 56 | 140 | 198 | 146 | 84 |
| \$1,000 | 991 | 10 | 89 | 417 | 196 | 208 | 71 |
| Any goats | 14 | — | — | 6 | 4 | 4 | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 242 | — | — | 48 | 176 | 18 | — |
| Sold | 7 | — | — | 5 | 1 | 1 | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 154 | — | — | 86 | 23 | 45 | — |
| \$1,000 | 16 | — | — | 11 | 2 | 3 | — |
| Poultry | | | | | | | |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 176 | 1 | 14 | 39 | 44 | 46 | 32 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 96 658 | 77 | 1 444 | 7 372 | 41 736 | 30 616 | 15 413 |
| Sold | 80 | 1 | 3 | 17 | 19 | 20 | 20 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 110 933 | 7 | 2 560 | 4 628 | 36 156 | 35 318 | 32 264 |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 169 | 1 | 13 | 38 | 41 | 44 | 32 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 73 331 | 76 | 1 331 | 6 693 | 28 653 | 21 602 | 14 976 |
| Kept for table or market egg | | | | | | | |
| production | 167 | 1 | 13 | 38 | 41 | 44 | 30 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 71 122 | 76 | 1 331 | 6 679 | 26 733 | 21 602 | 14 701 |
| Kept for hatching egg | | | | | | | |
| production | 9 | — | — | 1 | 5 | — | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 2 209 | — | — | 14 | 1 920 | — | 275 |
| Pullets 3 months old or older not of | | | | | | | |
| laying age | 4 | — | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 22 430 | — | 30 | 600 | (D) | (D) | — |
| Roosters and male chickens | 49 | 1 | 6 | 12 | 15 | 6 | 9 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 897 | 1 | 83 | 79 | (D) | (D) | 437 |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 | | | | | | | |
| months old | 5 | — | — | — | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 12 625 | — | — | — | 100 | 12 500 | 25 |
| Broilers and other meat-type | | | | | | | |
| chickens sold | 10 | — | — | 5 | — | 4 | 1 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 6 450 | — | — | 567 | — | 5 800 | 83 |
| Turkeys | 7 | — | — | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 13 065 | — | — | 480 | 21 | 1 000 | 11 564 |
| Sold | 9 | — | — | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 30 803 | — | — | 450 | 828 | 1 175 | 28 350 |
| Heavy breeds for slaughter | 6 | — | — | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | (D) | — | — | 480 | 2 | 1 000 | (D) |
| Sold | 8 | — | — | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | (D) | — | — | 450 | 505 | 1 175 | (D) |
| Light breeds for slaughter | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | (D) | — | — | — | — | — | (D) |
| Sold | 2 | — | — | — | 1 | — | 1 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | (D) | — | — | — | 317 | — | (D) |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | 1 | — | — | — | 1 | — | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 19 | — | — | — | 19 | — | — |
| Sold | 1 | — | — | — | 1 | — | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| number | 6 | — | — | — | 6 | — | — |
| Crops Harvested | | | | | | | |
| Field corn for all purposes | 376 | 3 | 34 | 69 | 111 | 107 | 52 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | 10 457 | 113 | 1 165 | 2 038 | 2 902 | 2 386 | 1 853 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 279 | 3 | 28 | 55 | 86 | 77 | 30 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | 8 395 | 113 | 1 014 | 1 773 | 2 330 | 1 975 | 1 190 |
| Field corn for grain or seed | 339 | 3 | 32 | 65 | 97 | 96 | 46 |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | 8 315 | 113 | 945 | 1 790 | 2 399 | 1 764 | 1 304 |
| bushels | 638 044 | 9 572 | 79 414 | 143 064 | 162 983 | 142 792 | 100 219 |
| Irrigated | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| farms | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| acres | 4 | — | — | 4 | — | — | — |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Farming | | | | | | | |
|--|--|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| | Total farming and other occupations | 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..... 130 | 118 | - | 13 | 25 | 34 | 25 | 21 |
| | acres..... 2 088 | 1 802 | - | 198 | 371 | 592 | 308 | 333 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 79 | 74 | - | 6 | 15 | 22 | 18 | 13 |
| | acres..... 1 184 | 1 118 | - | 77 | 278 | 359 | 215 | 189 |
| Sorghums for grain or seed | farms..... 17 | 13 | - | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| | acres..... 457 | 268 | - | 80 | 56 | 34 | 2 | 96 |
| Irrigated | bushels..... 21 602 | 10 782 | - | 2 930 | 2 275 | 2 048 | 85 | 3 444 |
| | farms..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Soybeans for beans | farms..... 1 157 | 874 | 13 | 80 | 136 | 211 | 249 | 185 |
| | acres..... 89 459 | 77 356 | 1 603 | 9 185 | 15 069 | 22 294 | 19 453 | 9 752 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | bushels..... 2 562 825 | 2 226 938 | 53 595 | 273 162 | 443 107 | 608 798 | 566 437 | 281 839 |
| | farms..... 55 | 48 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 18 | 4 |
| | acres..... 3 303 | 2 672 | 38 | 80 | 235 | 1 179 | 1 009 | 131 |
| Irrigated | farms..... 619 | 510 | 10 | 44 | 92 | 140 | 137 | 87 |
| | acres..... 53 553 | 47 058 | 1 417 | 5 168 | 8 906 | 15 401 | 11 180 | 4 986 |
| Peanuts for nuts | farms..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | pounds..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Irrigated | farms..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Wheat | farms..... 1 065 | 868 | 13 | 64 | 138 | 226 | 254 | 173 |
| | acres..... 43 779 | 38 583 | 851 | 3 188 | 6 695 | 11 347 | 10 896 | 5 606 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | bushels..... 1 699 473 | 1 513 203 | 37 002 | 130 025 | 254 981 | 451 708 | 438 839 | 200 648 |
| | farms..... 13 | 13 | - | 3 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| | acres..... 446 | 446 | - | 73 | 119 | 201 | 83 | 43 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 793 | 669 | 10 | 48 | 111 | 196 | 186 | 118 |
| | acres..... 37 286 | 33 543 | 665 | 2 857 | 5 695 | 10 542 | 9 365 | 4 419 |
| Cotton | 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..... 190 | 174 | 3 | 10 | 20 | 50 | 58 | 33 |
| | acres..... 7 726 | 7 533 | 65 | 410 | 1 330 | 2 885 | 2 682 | 161 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | hundredweight..... 1 981 181 | 1 932 122 | 11 720 | 95 082 | 356 540 | 759 489 | 681 134 | 28 157 |
| | farms..... 117 | 111 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 40 | 36 | 15 |
| | acres..... 6 686 | 6 530 | 35 | 338 | 1 207 | 2 565 | 2 288 | 98 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 172 | 158 | 3 | 10 | 17 | 48 | 55 | 25 |
| | acres..... 7 700 | 7 510 | 65 | 404 | 1 326 | 2 883 | 2 679 | 154 |
| Hay | farms..... 1 929 | 1 447 | 18 | 116 | 222 | 369 | 397 | 325 |
| | acres..... 97 167 | 79 533 | 1 489 | 6 866 | 13 332 | 24 338 | 20 167 | 13 341 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | tons..... 229 972 | 196 696 | 2 388 | 17 968 | 35 545 | 61 390 | 48 975 | 30 430 |
| | farms..... 610 | 521 | 7 | 53 | 90 | 171 | 133 | 67 |
| | acres..... 28 253 | 25 115 | 735 | 2 683 | 4 464 | 8 888 | 5 948 | 2 397 |
| Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating | farms..... 1 243 | 999 | 11 | 87 | 163 | 283 | 257 | 198 |
| | acres..... 44 599 | 38 585 | 855 | 3 730 | 7 174 | 11 629 | 8 937 | 6 260 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | tons, dry..... 130 493 | 115 741 | 1 417 | 11 229 | 22 460 | 36 388 | 27 225 | 17 022 |
| | farms..... 13 | 11 | - | - | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| | acres..... 185 | 181 | - | - | 59 | 70 | 25 | 27 |
| Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay | farms..... 1 039 | 763 | 7 | 60 | 122 | 178 | 233 | 163 |
| | acres..... 36 098 | 26 837 | 522 | 2 251 | 4 141 | 7 020 | 7 961 | 4 942 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | tons, dry..... 70 691 | 55 428 | 912 | 4 523 | 9 089 | 14 779 | 16 488 | 9 637 |
| | farms..... 4 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 |
| | acres..... 19 | 8 | - | - | - | 3 | - | 5 |
| Field seeds | farms..... 13 | 10 | - | - | 3 | 6 | 1 | - |
| | acres..... 172 | 154 | - | - | 40 | 106 | 8 | - |
| Irrigated | farms..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres..... - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 4 | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| | acres..... 75 | 65 | - | - | - | 65 | - | - |
| Vegetables | farms..... 1 427 | 1 193 | 15 | 69 | 177 | 327 | 380 | 225 |
| | acres..... 73 359 | 69 665 | 590 | 3 293 | 14 060 | 19 769 | 25 569 | 6 383 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 771 | 697 | 9 | 42 | 119 | 202 | 229 | 96 |
| | acres..... 42 544 | 41 170 | 259 | 1 979 | 8 391 | 11 595 | 15 664 | 3 283 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 1 365 | 1 153 | 15 | 69 | 174 | 320 | 362 | 213 |
| | acres..... 72 408 | 68 866 | 555 | 3 143 | 13 950 | 19 676 | 25 252 | 6 290 |
| Berries | farms..... 379 | 287 | 1 | 14 | 30 | 63 | 92 | 87 |
| | acres..... 6 798 | 5 753 | 3 | 238 | 433 | 2 564 | 1 365 | 1 150 |
| Irrigated | farms..... 186 | 147 | 1 | 9 | 13 | 35 | 55 | 34 |
| | acres..... 3 465 | 2 854 | 1 | 152 | 202 | 1 036 | 691 | 772 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 175 | 129 | - | 8 | 15 | 33 | 39 | 34 |
| | acres..... 4 798 | 4 068 | - | 87 | 139 | 2 375 | 899 | 569 |
| Land in orchards | farms..... 350 | 266 | 3 | 14 | 34 | 69 | 78 | 68 |
| | acres..... 14 404 | 13 302 | 564 | 388 | 2 133 | 3 351 | 4 157 | 2 710 |
| Irrigated | farms..... 73 | 60 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 20 | 11 |
| | acres..... 2 763 | 2 644 | 267 | 135 | 327 | 511 | 1 036 | 369 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | farms..... 255 | 217 | 3 | 14 | 31 | 56 | 60 | 53 |
| | acres..... 13 233 | 12 361 | 554 | 383 | 1 983 | 3 080 | 3 969 | 2 393 |

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

| Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over | Other occupation | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | 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 | 12 | - | 1 | 2 | 8 | - | 1 |
| farms | 286 | - | 10 | 48 | 213 | - | 15 |
| acres | 5 | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | 1 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 66 | - | - | 33 | 18 | - | 15 |
| farms | 4 | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | - |
| acres | 189 | - | - | 33 | 156 | - | - |
| Sorghums for grain or seed | 10 820 | - | - | 1 300 | 9 520 | - | - |
| bushels | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Irrigated | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | 283 | 2 | 27 | 63 | 93 | 76 | 22 |
| acres | 12 103 | 103 | 1 051 | 2 922 | 4 103 | 2 561 | 1 353 |
| bushels | 335 887 | 2 939 | 26 328 | 83 648 | 114 559 | 71 417 | 36 996 |
| farms | 7 | - | - | 3 | 3 | - | 1 |
| acres | 631 | - | - | 91 | 390 | - | 150 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 109 | 1 | 9 | 33 | 35 | 23 | 8 |
| farms | 6 495 | 28 | 451 | 1 881 | 2 559 | 903 | 673 |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Peanuts for nuts | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| pounds | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Irrigated | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Wheat | 197 | 2 | 12 | 48 | 45 | 70 | 20 |
| farms | 5 196 | 24 | 237 | 1 345 | 1 519 | 1 403 | 668 |
| bushels | 186 270 | 1 010 | 7 720 | 50 598 | 48 018 | 53 456 | 25 468 |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 124 | 1 | 8 | 32 | 33 | 33 | 17 |
| farms | 3 743 | 6 | 193 | 993 | 1 355 | 781 | 415 |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cotton | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 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 | 16 | - | 2 | 5 | 1 | 8 | - |
| farms | 193 | - | 57 | 96 | 20 | 21 | - |
| acres | 49 059 | - | 12 125 | 28 393 | 6 000 | 2 541 | - |
| hundredweight | 6 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | - |
| Irrigated | 156 | - | 40 | 90 | 20 | 6 | - |
| farms | 14 | - | 1 | 4 | 1 | 8 | - |
| acres | 191 | - | 55 | 95 | 20 | 21 | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | 482 | 6 | 41 | 86 | 146 | 139 | 64 |
| acres | 17 634 | 82 | 1 415 | 3 202 | 4 928 | 5 478 | 2 529 |
| tons | 33 276 | 196 | 3 204 | 5 853 | 9 272 | 10 074 | 4 677 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 89 | 2 | 8 | 24 | 22 | 23 | 10 |
| farms | 3 138 | 37 | 261 | 942 | 982 | 378 | 538 |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating | 244 | 3 | 25 | 53 | 71 | 65 | 27 |
| farms | 6 014 | 33 | 791 | 1 142 | 1 801 | 1 614 | 633 |
| acres | 14 752 | 127 | 2 156 | 2 990 | 4 297 | 3 704 | 1 478 |
| tons, dry | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Irrigated | 4 | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay | 276 | 3 | 19 | 44 | 76 | 92 | 42 |
| farms | 9 261 | 22 | 528 | 1 265 | 2 552 | 3 260 | 1 634 |
| acres | 15 263 | 47 | 923 | 2 103 | 3 922 | 5 490 | 2 778 |
| tons, dry | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - |
| Irrigated | 11 | - | - | 11 | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Field seeds | 3 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| farms | 18 | - | - | - | 13 | 5 | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Irrigated | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| farms | 10 | - | - | - | 5 | 5 | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Vegetables | 234 | 7 | 22 | 46 | 77 | 65 | 17 |
| farms | 3 694 | 152 | 311 | 811 | 1 248 | 650 | 523 |
| acres | 74 | 1 | 9 | 15 | 24 | 20 | 5 |
| Irrigated | 1 373 | 37 | 141 | 219 | 404 | 243 | 330 |
| farms | 212 | 7 | 22 | 44 | 63 | 61 | 15 |
| acres | 3 542 | 152 | 311 | 747 | 1 175 | 638 | 519 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| farms | 92 | - | 4 | 15 | 26 | 24 | 23 |
| acres | 1 046 | - | 64 | 155 | 395 | 112 | 320 |
| Irrigated | 39 | - | 2 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 10 |
| farms | 611 | - | 24 | 117 | 205 | 16 | 248 |
| acres | 46 | - | 3 | 5 | 15 | 10 | 13 |
| Commercial fertilizer used | 729 | - | 62 | 79 | 310 | 73 | 206 |
| farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Land in orchards | 84 | - | 7 | 17 | 17 | 31 | 12 |
| farms | 1 102 | - | 64 | 377 | 317 | 203 | 141 |
| acres | 13 | - | 1 | 5 | - | 5 | 2 |
| Irrigated | 118 | - | 3 | 20 | - | 14 | 81 |
| farms | 38 | - | 2 | 6 | 11 | 12 | 7 |
| acres | 872 | - | 32 | 311 | 292 | 125 | 112 |