

Table 28. Summary of Partnerships by Value of Real Estate, Machinery, and Livestock and Poultry—Con.

(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

PARTNERSHIP ORGANIZATION--Con.	Total partner- ships	\$2,500,000 and over	\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	Under \$250,000
	Expected organizational changes during 1977, 1978, and 1979:					
None.....number..	67,490	1,225	5,767	12,326	16,506	31,666
Partners involved.....number..	159,904	4,132	14,978	29,475	38,177	73,142
Add more partners.....number..	1,459	71	235	386	476	291
Partners involved.....number..	3,894	307	667	929	1,332	659
Decrease number of partners.....number..	1,454	44	114	234	542	520
Partners involved.....number..	4,215	140	375	633	1,617	1,450
File articles of incorporation.....number..	1,421	41	413	378	334	255
Partners involved.....number..	3,951	312	1,048	1,054	842	695
Expected shareholders.....number..	5,314	282	1,641	1,312	1,153	926
Change to sole proprietorship.....number..	4,182	105	416	728	1,009	1,924
Partners involved.....number..	9,049	280	929	1,660	2,110	4,070
Discontinue business.....number..	4,106	28	384	661	887	2,146
Partners involved.....number..	9,640	79	986	1,543	2,113	4,919
Other plans.....number..	405	4	14	90	241	56
Partners involved.....number..	913	12	36	215	504	146
Not reporting.....number..	1,221	30	167	158	386	480
Partners involved.....number..	3,067	60	369	390	1,097	1,151
Partnership agreement specified if one or more partners withdrew or died:						
Continue with remaining partners.....number..	40,956	1,065	4,542	8,322	10,559	16,468
Partners involved.....number..	104,080	3,975	12,488	20,837	26,153	40,627
Dissolve and distribute shares.....number..	11,329	223	1,202	2,040	3,104	4,760
Partners involved.....number..	24,612	567	2,641	4,599	6,853	9,952
No provisions made.....number..	28,835	239	1,722	4,429	6,641	15,804
Partners involved.....number..	64,438	734	4,171	10,031	14,591	34,911
Other plans.....number..	329	19	24	132	5	149
Partners involved.....number..	833	42	48	344	11	388
Not reporting.....number..	289	2	20	38	72	157
Partners involved.....number..	670	4	40	88	184	354

Table 29. Summary of Partnerships by Type of Agreement and Contingency Plan

(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

PARTNERSHIP CHARACTERISTICS	Total partner- ships	Partnership agreements			Contingency plans					
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Other arrangement Oral	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported	
Partnership farms.....number..	81,738	17,083	7,715	56,558	382	40,956	11,329	28,835	329	289
Land in farms.....acres..	76,471,483	29,580,303	7,769,571	38,686,010	435,599	44,586,868	11,563,917	19,355,548	798,190	166,960
Average size of farm.....acres..	936	1,732	1,007	684	1,140	1,089	1,021	671	2,426	578
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	6,925,672	2,564,858	761,522	3,588,827	10,465	4,091,285	947,320	1,841,183	24,793	21,091
Average per farm.....dollars..	84,730	150,141	98,707	63,454	27,396	99,895	83,619	63,852	75,358	72,980
Farms by type of agreement:										
Legal document drawn by										
lawyers.....number..	17,083	17,083	-	-	-	10,311	3,123	3,486	110	53
Partners involved.....number..	45,294	45,294	-	-	-	29,635	7,291	7,957	275	136
Other written agreement										
.....number..	7,715	-	7,715	-	-	4,614	1,145	1,864	61	31
Partners involved.....number..	18,407	-	18,407	-	-	11,576	2,395	4,172	202	62
Oral agreement only										
.....number..	56,558	-	-	56,558	-	25,786	7,019	23,391	157	205
Partners involved.....number..	130,086	-	-	130,086	-	62,305	14,842	52,113	354	472
Other arrangement										
.....number..	382	-	-	-	382	245	42	94	1	-
Partners involved.....number..	846	-	-	-	846	564	84	196	2	-
Year partnership formed:										
Since 1970										
.....number..	29,418	6,671	3,054	19,533	160	15,639	4,006	9,471	165	137
Partners involved.....number..	69,824	17,541	7,393	44,516	374	39,452	8,781	20,866	371	354
1965 to 1969										
.....number..	15,529	3,636	1,651	10,226	16	7,884	2,344	5,242	36	23
Partners involved.....number..	37,239	10,428	3,946	22,831	34	20,228	5,151	11,742	72	46
1960 to 1964										
.....number..	9,614	2,011	947	6,640	16	4,436	1,426	3,721	4	27
Partners involved.....number..	22,605	5,247	2,175	15,135	48	11,121	3,186	8,226	8	64
1950 to 1959										
.....number..	13,741	2,635	1,087	9,989	30	6,770	1,896	4,963	80	32
Partners involved.....number..	33,535	6,616	2,528	24,331	60	17,626	3,986	11,619	240	64
1940 to 1949										
.....number..	9,167	1,498	651	6,862	156	4,116	1,243	3,745	19	44
Partners involved.....number..	21,294	3,751	1,563	15,660	320	10,235	2,607	8,320	42	90
Before 1940										
.....number..	3,172	414	240	2,514	4	1,456	349	1,316	25	26
Partners involved.....number..	7,519	1,154	572	5,783	10	3,755	771	2,841	100	52
Not reporting										
.....number..	1,097	218	85	794	-	655	65	377	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	2,617	557	230	1,830	-	1,663	130	824	-	-
Total partners.....number..	194,633	45,294	18,407	130,086	846	104,080	24,612	64,438	833	670

Table 29. Summary of Partnerships by Type of Agreement and Contingency Plan—Continued

(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

	Total partnerships	Partnership agreements				Contingency plans				
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Oral	Other arrangement	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported
PARTNERSHIP CHARACTERISTICS--Con.										
Partnerships by size:										
2 partners.....	61,775	11,267	5,778	44,396	334	27,670	9,940	23,722	214	229
3 partners.....	13,423	3,173	1,234	8,997	19	8,465	989	3,852	85	32
4 partners.....	4,964	1,946	558	2,436	24	3,601	295	1,024	20	24
5 partners.....	742	268	98	371	5	563	53	122	-	4
6 partners and over.....	834	429	47	358	-	657	52	115	10	-
Partnerships with household heads.....number..										
81,654	17,056	7,708	56,508	382	40,911	11,329	28,800	329	285	
Households involved.....number..										
165,078	39,270	16,169	109,117	522	87,296	22,454	54,096	663	569	
Partnerships with relatives.....number..										
75,718	15,549	6,478	53,319	372	38,562	9,988	26,616	283	269	
Related partners involved.....number..										
177,292	39,652	15,264	121,551	825	95,584	21,573	58,846	671	618	
Partners by age:										
Under 25 years.....	8,729	1,601	653	6,469	6	5,688	729	2,216	40	56
25 to 34 years.....	33,712	7,537	3,691	22,387	97	19,167	3,905	10,499	4	137
35 to 44 years.....	31,925	8,117	2,833	20,928	47	18,043	3,593	9,977	257	55
45 to 54 years.....	38,744	9,670	3,901	25,056	117	19,840	5,736	12,938	163	67
55 to 64 years.....	43,795	10,338	3,893	29,170	394	21,633	6,188	15,703	64	207
65 years and over.....	34,650	6,059	3,244	25,162	185	16,868	4,401	12,948	285	148
Average age.....	49.4	48.6	49.0	49.7	55.6	48.3	50.6	50.7	53.1	50.5
Partnerships with 2 partners:										
Partnerships by age of oldest partner	61,775	11,267	5,778	44,396	334	27,670	9,940	23,722	214	229
Under 25 years.....	422	17	19	386	-	142	80	200	-	-
25 to 34 years.....	3,277	513	494	2,270	-	1,437	545	1,283	-	12
35 to 44 years.....	5,824	1,389	575	3,850	10	2,974	871	1,943	6	30
45 to 54 years.....	11,611	2,390	1,025	8,148	48	5,183	2,077	4,322	18	11
55 to 64 years.....	20,713	4,205	1,715	14,611	182	9,313	3,347	7,944	5	104
65 years and over.....	19,928	2,753	1,950	15,131	94	8,621	3,020	8,030	185	72
Average age.....	58.2	56.8	57.6	58.6	62.2	57.9	57.7	58.7	67.9	59.8
Partnerships by age of other partner:										
Under 25 years.....	3,547	540	254	2,753	-	1,853	463	1,211	-	20
25 to 34 years.....	18,351	3,190	2,116	12,980	65	9,188	2,704	6,395	3	61
35 to 44 years.....	14,604	2,878	1,361	10,338	27	6,883	2,064	5,482	160	15
45 to 54 years.....	12,964	2,676	1,128	9,121	39	5,172	2,581	5,154	21	36
55 to 64 years.....	9,179	1,664	714	6,677	124	3,368	1,720	4,031	15	45
65 years and over.....	3,130	319	205	2,527	79	1,206	408	1,449	15	52
Average age.....	41.9	41.8	40.6	42.0	52.2	40.5	43.1	42.9	41.6	47.7
Partnerships with 3 partners:										
Partnerships by age of oldest partner	13,423	3,173	1,234	8,997	19	8,465	989	3,852	85	32
Under 25 years.....	66	-	-	66	-	62	2	2	-	-
25 to 34 years.....	232	28	45	159	-	155	2	75	-	-
35 to 44 years.....	636	202	37	397	-	403	92	141	-	-
45 to 54 years.....	2,583	698	222	1,663	-	1,631	209	701	40	2
55 to 64 years.....	4,097	992	386	2,700	19	2,886	207	994	-	10
65 years and over.....	5,809	1,253	544	4,012	-	3,328	477	1,939	45	20
Average age.....	62.4	61.3	62.2	62.9	61.3	61.8	63.7	63.2	66.7	67.6
Partnerships by age of other partners:										
Under 25 years.....	2,233	348	125	1,760	-	1,720	69	444	-	-
25 to 34 years.....	7,252	1,852	621	4,760	19	4,835	441	1,955	1	20
35 to 44 years.....	6,264	1,748	459	4,053	4	4,109	448	1,656	41	10
45 to 54 years.....	5,520	1,276	658	3,576	10	3,097	520	1,805	84	14
55 to 64 years.....	3,888	748	429	2,706	5	2,136	409	1,319	4	20
65 years and over.....	1,689	374	176	1,139	-	1,033	91	525	40	-
Average age.....	42.0	41.5	44.1	42.0	39.9	40.8	44.8	43.8	51.0	44.3
Partnerships with 4 partners and over:										
Partnerships by age of oldest partner	6,540	2,643	703	3,165	29	4,821	400	1,261	30	28
Under 25 years.....	5	5	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years.....	92	19	-	73	-	67	10	15	-	-
35 to 44 years.....	530	133	62	335	-	388	18	104	20	-
45 to 54 years.....	1,207	501	140	566	-	1,005	51	151	-	-
55 to 64 years.....	2,303	1,126	272	882	23	1,755	103	411	10	24
65 years and over.....	2,403	859	229	1,309	6	1,601	218	580	-	4
Partnerships by age of other partners:										
Under 25 years.....	2,456	691	255	1,504	6	1,906	115	359	40	36
25 to 34 years.....	4,508	1,935	415	2,145	13	3,485	203	776	-	44
35 to 44 years.....	4,067	1,767	339	1,955	6	3,286	100	651	30	-
45 to 54 years.....	4,859	2,129	728	1,982	20	3,752	298	805	-	4
55 to 64 years.....	3,615	1,603	377	1,594	41	2,175	402	1,004	30	4
65 years and over.....	1,691	501	140	1,044	6	1,079	187	425	-	-
Partners as household heads:										
No partners.....	1,474	131	104	1,239	-	670	208	581	15	-
1 partner.....	17,180	2,503	1,077	13,345	255	7,908	1,664	7,450	72	86
2 partners.....	52,080	10,788	5,472	35,697	123	24,969	8,580	18,196	188	147
3 partners.....	9,066	2,626	884	5,554	2	5,874	765	2,327	44	56
4 partners.....	1,405	765	156	482	2	1,146	82	177	-	-
5 partners.....	533	270	22	241	-	389	30	104	10	-

Table 29. Summary of Partnerships by Type of Agreement and Contingency Plan—Continued

(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

	Total partner- ships	Partnership agreements				Contingency plans				
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Other Oral	arrange- ment	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported
PARTNERSHIP CHARACTERISTICS--Con.										
Partnerships with farm partnership principal income:										
No partners.....	18,245	3,740	1,543	12,752	210	8,627	2,812	6,634	101	71
1 partner.....	9,625	1,757	1,278	6,570	20	4,572	1,515	3,499	2	37
2 partners.....	42,606	8,450	3,918	30,115	123	19,933	6,354	16,024	162	133
3 partners.....	8,402	2,152	737	5,506	7	5,681	533	2,124	44	20
4 partners.....	2,407	817	214	1,354	22	1,822	66	475	20	24
5 partners.....	453	167	25	261	-	321	49	79	-	4
Partners working 50 percent and over on partnership farm:										
No partners.....	13,236	2,638	1,378	9,152	68	5,812	2,129	5,135	99	61
1 partner.....	15,636	3,118	1,768	10,712	38	7,494	2,389	5,592	104	57
2 partners.....	42,416	8,516	3,644	29,993	263	20,240	6,240	15,701	102	133
3 partners.....	7,902	1,977	685	5,235	5	5,546	445	1,897	4	10
4 partners.....	2,207	729	218	1,252	8	1,600	126	433	20	28
5 partners.....	341	105	22	214	-	264	-	77	-	-
Partners working off partnership farm 100 days and over:										
No partners.....	51,126	10,827	4,772	35,267	260	25,723	7,009	17,976	215	203
1 partner.....	14,645	2,516	1,438	10,677	14	7,171	1,941	5,441	55	37
2 partners.....	12,311	2,532	1,019	8,655	105	5,640	2,141	4,444	49	37
3 partners.....	2,496	711	264	1,521	-	1,456	218	810	-	12
4 partners.....	810	321	154	333	2	687	10	113	-	-
5 partners.....	350	176	68	105	1	279	10	51	10	-
Partners involved in another farm:										
No partners.....	65,452	13,499	5,804	45,785	364	32,562	8,830	23,594	227	239
1 partner.....	9,904	1,998	1,384	6,521	1	5,039	1,397	3,351	92	25
2 partners.....	4,950	943	437	3,553	17	2,352	998	1,575	-	25
3 partners.....	1,045	364	82	599	-	668	84	283	10	-
4 partners.....	278	192	6	80	-	231	15	32	-	-
5 partners.....	109	87	2	20	-	104	5	-	-	-
ASSETS USED ON PARTNERSHIP FARMS										
Land and buildings:										
Farms.....number..	81,738	17,083	7,715	56,558	382	40,956	11,329	28,835	329	289
Value.....\$1,000..	31,967,760	9,532,799	3,388,024	18,953,740	93,197	18,369,208	4,539,414	8,789,290	171,563	98,285
Average per farm.....dollars..	391,100	558,028	439,148	335,120	243,971	448,511	400,690	304,813	521,469	340,086
Source of ownership:										
Percent owned by individual partners:										
None.....	41,809	10,235	3,683	27,715	176	20,856	5,708	14,874	177	194
100.....	20,634	2,875	2,204	15,393	162	10,282	2,784	7,406	101	61
90 to 99.....	1,027	279	34	714	-	509	197	321	-	-
60 to 89.....	5,423	780	703	3,930	10	2,754	849	1,761	45	14
40 to 59.....	7,403	1,660	625	5,100	18	3,394	1,101	2,896	2	10
30 to 39.....	1,791	459	89	1,242	1	1,136	176	476	3	-
20 to 29.....	1,800	404	139	1,247	10	914	285	591	-	10
Under 20.....	1,851	391	238	1,217	5	1,111	229	510	1	-
Percent owned by partnership:										
None.....	36,491	5,259	3,654	27,348	230	17,166	5,607	13,468	149	101
100.....	27,546	7,735	2,650	17,029	132	14,544	3,416	9,294	151	141
90 to 99.....	785	306	66	408	5	371	84	330	-	-
60 to 89.....	3,783	1,036	303	2,444	-	2,254	397	1,096	21	15
40 to 59.....	6,669	1,495	549	4,616	9	3,168	1,057	2,428	6	10
30 to 39.....	1,741	365	21	1,355	-	945	209	575	-	12
20 to 29.....	2,549	333	339	1,871	6	1,500	209	840	-	-
Under 20.....	2,174	554	133	1,487	-	1,008	350	804	2	10
Percent owned by others:										
None.....	55,373	12,250	5,619	37,190	314	28,292	7,206	19,408	255	212
100.....	6,962	885	559	5,474	44	2,393	1,398	3,145	-	26
90 to 99.....	1,067	177	134	756	-	503	174	378	2	10
60 to 89.....	4,912	776	307	3,815	14	2,740	525	1,642	3	2
40 to 59.....	5,414	1,166	464	3,774	10	2,648	880	1,807	69	10
30 to 39.....	2,392	407	220	1,765	-	1,152	487	734	-	19
20 to 29.....	3,222	852	297	2,073	-	1,847	423	942	-	10
Under 20.....	2,396	570	115	1,711	-	1,381	236	779	-	-
Machinery and equipment:										
Farms.....number..	81,688	17,053	7,715	56,538	382	40,946	11,329	28,795	329	289
Value.....\$1,000..	4,787,165	1,326,402	456,462	2,997,084	7,217	2,735,307	674,708	1,344,113	22,769	10,268
Average per farm.....dollars..	58,603	77,781	59,166	53,010	18,894	66,803	59,556	46,679	69,206	35,531

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(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

	Total partnerships	Partnership agreements				Contingency plans				
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Oral	Other arrangement	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported
ASSETS USED ON PARTNERSHIP FARMS--Con.										
Machinery and equipment--Con.										
Source of ownership:										
Percent owned by individual partners:										
None.....	51,210	13,151	4,832	33,026	201	26,487	7,383	16,951	207	182
100.....	19,321	2,063	1,867	15,225	166	9,244	2,443	7,422	107	105
90 to 99.....	700	48	123	527	2	398	97	205	-	-
60 to 89.....	2,607	249	229	2,125	4	1,347	370	878	10	2
40 to 59.....	5,772	983	550	4,233	6	2,490	740	2,540	2	-
30 to 39.....	653	145	4	504	-	276	78	299	-	-
20 to 29.....	804	212	85	504	3	480	83	239	2	-
Under 20.....	621	202	25	394	-	224	135	261	1	-
Percent owned by partnership:										
None.....	21,021	2,514	2,047	16,294	166	10,153	2,717	7,924	117	110
100.....	48,924	12,558	4,598	31,607	161	25,222	7,009	16,329	197	167
90 to 99.....	631	271	22	338	-	243	155	232	1	-
60 to 89.....	1,674	426	108	1,137	3	837	156	679	2	-
40 to 59.....	6,023	1,021	582	4,410	10	2,702	747	2,562	2	10
30 to 39.....	987	104	54	829	-	459	190	338	-	-
20 to 29.....	1,520	104	160	1,256	-	881	190	437	10	2
Under 20.....	908	55	144	667	42	449	165	294	-	-
Percent owned by others:										
None.....	78,915	16,448	7,458	54,667	342	39,418	10,947	27,952	319	279
100.....	1,179	333	174	672	-	638	180	351	10	-
90 to 99.....	72	2	-	30	40	10	42	20	-	-
60 to 89.....	335	60	37	238	-	199	42	94	-	-
40 to 59.....	407	54	24	329	-	229	35	133	-	10
30 to 39.....	256	55	5	196	-	163	36	57	-	-
20 to 29.....	248	22	12	214	-	155	27	66	-	-
Under 20.....	276	79	5	192	-	134	20	122	-	-
Livestock and poultry:										
Farms.....number..	57,314	11,322	5,508	40,346	138	28,593	7,686	20,587	292	156
Value.....\$1,000..	2,678,511	989,500	288,404	1,397,042	3,566	1,566,633	368,453	723,625	13,925	5,876
Average per farm.....dollars..	46,734	87,396	52,361	34,627	25,838	54,791	47,938	35,150	47,687	37,665
Source of ownership:										
Percent owned by individual partners:										
None.....	39,487	8,941	3,826	26,677	43	20,243	5,778	13,163	189	114
100.....	9,711	1,107	851	7,673	80	4,731	931	3,910	101	38
90 to 99.....	257	42	-	215	-	83	38	132	-	4
60 to 89.....	1,224	104	105	1,015	-	629	134	461	-	-
40 to 59.....	5,548	788	662	4,083	15	2,261	701	2,584	2	-
30 to 39.....	362	130	20	212	-	271	5	86	-	-
20 to 29.....	293	89	19	185	-	135	17	141	-	-
Under 20.....	432	121	25	286	-	240	82	110	-	-
Percent owned by partnership:										
None.....	10,678	1,278	957	8,362	81	5,224	1,046	4,268	102	38
100.....	38,065	8,642	3,602	25,779	42	19,535	5,569	12,659	188	114
90 to 99.....	363	131	25	207	-	179	77	107	-	-
60 to 89.....	767	271	42	454	-	417	75	275	-	-
40 to 59.....	5,924	820	754	4,335	15	2,529	750	2,643	2	-
30 to 39.....	569	69	65	435	-	309	88	172	-	-
20 to 29.....	640	69	60	511	-	281	42	317	-	-
Under 20.....	308	42	3	263	-	119	39	146	-	4
Percent owned by others:										
None.....	55,531	10,997	5,292	39,105	137	27,719	7,479	19,886	291	156
100.....	526	112	60	353	1	271	90	164	1	-
90 to 99.....	32	2	-	30	-	12	-	20	-	-
60 to 89.....	183	55	30	98	-	118	10	55	-	-
40 to 59.....	517	12	90	415	-	234	45	238	-	-
30 to 39.....	219	28	15	176	-	111	14	94	-	-
20 to 29.....	186	45	6	135	-	57	22	107	-	-
Under 20.....	120	71	15	34	-	71	26	23	-	-
SOURCE OF OPERATING EXPENSES										
Crop production:										
Percent provided by individual partners:										
None.....	59,114	14,052	5,637	39,104	321	30,130	9,079	19,372	304	229
100.....	10,283	1,355	769	8,144	15	5,059	1,176	3,965	25	58
90 to 99.....	280	-	28	252	-	119	-	161	-	-
60 to 89.....	1,870	276	232	1,362	-	895	149	826	-	-
40 to 59.....	8,583	1,070	837	6,650	26	3,798	745	4,038	-	2
30 to 39.....	457	101	19	337	-	265	55	137	-	-
20 to 29.....	686	95	109	482	-	395	60	231	-	-
Under 20.....	465	134	84	227	20	295	65	105	-	-
Percent provided by partnership:										
None.....	14,591	2,164	1,134	11,216	77	7,289	1,889	5,221	55	137
100.....	52,959	12,893	5,057	34,750	259	26,937	8,205	17,393	274	150
90 to 99.....	674	173	99	382	20	377	95	202	-	-

Table 29. Summary of Partnerships by Type of Agreement and Contingency Plan—Continued

(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

	Total partnerships	Partnership agreements				Contingency plans				
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Oral	Other arrangement	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported
SOURCE OF OPERATING EXPENSES--Con.										
Crop production--Con.										
Percent provided by partnership--Con.										
60 to 89.....	1,987	356	253	1,378	-	1,011	184	792	-	-
40 to 59.....	9,364	1,170	871	7,297	26	4,337	788	4,237	-	2
30 to 39.....	811	120	153	538	-	325	106	380	-	-
20 to 29.....	972	128	106	738	-	538	51	383	-	-
Under 20.....	380	79	42	259	-	142	11	227	-	-
Percent provided by others:										
None.....	77,969	16,455	7,295	53,837	382	38,863	11,068	27,430	329	279
100.....	220	77	22	121	-	120	54	36	-	10
90 to 99.....	61	53	1	7	-	28	-	33	-	-
60 to 89.....	175	50	42	83	-	77	54	44	-	-
40 to 59.....	1,376	140	118	1,118	-	740	69	567	-	-
30 to 39.....	347	67	32	248	-	234	21	92	-	-
20 to 29.....	839	80	137	622	-	428	20	391	-	-
Under 20.....	751	161	68	522	-	466	43	242	-	-
Livestock and poultry production:										
Percent provided by individual partners:										
None.....	64,549	15,107	6,220	42,860	362	32,826	9,727	21,536	235	225
100.....	8,692	880	655	7,157	-	4,361	755	3,458	64	54
90 to 99.....	174	30	-	144	-	60	4	110	-	-
60 to 89.....	1,037	152	65	820	-	446	139	452	-	-
40 to 59.....	6,402	766	644	4,992	-	2,790	613	2,959	30	10
30 to 39.....	211	55	25	131	-	139	1	71	-	-
20 to 29.....	335	40	48	247	-	144	28	163	-	-
Under 20.....	338	53	58	207	20	190	62	86	-	-
Percent provided by partnership:										
None.....	31,591	6,333	2,731	22,348	179	16,060	3,968	11,333	102	128
100.....	40,553	9,406	3,962	27,002	183	20,558	6,395	13,252	197	151
90 to 99.....	435	84	75	256	20	254	67	114	-	-
60 to 89.....	765	180	56	529	-	366	58	341	-	-
40 to 59.....	6,722	788	725	5,209	-	2,956	654	3,072	30	10
30 to 39.....	458	104	37	317	-	180	79	199	-	-
20 to 29.....	972	151	126	695	-	449	103	420	-	-
Under 20.....	242	37	3	202	-	133	5	104	-	-
Percent provided by others:										
None.....	79,937	16,711	7,499	55,346	381	40,015	11,189	28,116	328	289
100.....	68	32	5	30	1	33	13	21	1	-
90 to 99.....	51	-	1	50	-	26	-	25	-	-
60 to 89.....	577	130	109	338	-	321	50	206	-	-
40 to 59.....	538	37	60	441	-	199	38	301	-	-
30 to 39.....	128	36	5	87	-	71	7	50	-	-
20 to 29.....	141	55	16	70	-	91	25	25	-	-
Under 20.....	298	82	20	196	-	200	7	91	-	-
SOURCE OF LABOR AND MANAGEMENT										
Percent of labor provided by partners:										
None.....	4,003	1,479	499	2,023	2	2,324	633	951	55	40
100.....	36,846	5,898	3,104	27,612	232	17,311	4,738	14,577	81	139
90 to 99.....	15,089	2,528	1,203	11,352	6	7,175	2,082	5,791	-	41
60 to 89.....	12,501	2,771	1,342	8,312	76	6,820	1,855	3,743	47	36
40 to 59.....	6,059	1,582	795	3,656	26	3,058	991	1,985	15	10
30 to 39.....	1,163	390	158	615	-	734	145	279	5	-
20 to 29.....	3,155	1,101	308	1,721	25	1,745	391	893	120	6
Under 20.....	2,922	1,334	306	1,267	15	1,789	494	616	6	17
Percent of management provided by partners:										
None.....	937	273	167	497	-	582	91	220	40	4
100.....	75,155	15,270	6,620	52,966	299	37,225	10,565	26,814	274	277
90 to 99.....	1,394	511	143	717	23	789	265	340	-	-
60 to 89.....	1,281	413	277	591	-	851	128	287	15	-
40 to 59.....	2,543	458	483	1,542	60	1,273	237	1,033	-	-
30 to 39.....	50	35	-	15	-	22	-	28	-	-
20 to 29.....	257	64	15	178	-	121	32	101	-	3
Under 20.....	121	59	10	52	-	93	11	12	-	5
PARTNERSHIP FARMS, PARTNERS, AND OTHER BUSINESS INTERESTS										
Partnerships or any partners reporting nonfarm business interests...number..										
Farm-related business interests.....number..	14,553	4,043	1,749	8,717	44	7,714	2,149	4,611	44	35
Manufacturing.....number..	7,064	1,965	879	4,206	14	3,831	948	2,254	4	27
Partnership.....number..	3,444	1,060	413	1,971	-	1,874	533	1,022	-	15
Partners.....number..	1,424	490	129	805	-	866	219	339	-	-
Processing.....number..	2,533	693	330	1,510	-	1,254	419	845	-	15
Partnership.....number..	1,393	475	206	702	10	936	220	230	2	5
Partners.....number..	582	150	69	363	-	334	154	92	2	-
Partners.....number..	1,033	377	141	505	10	726	131	171	-	5

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(1974 partnerships operating in 1976)

	Total partnerships	Partnership agreements				Contingency plans				
		Legal document	Other written agreement	Oral	Other arrangement	Continue	Dissolve	No provision	Other plans	Not reported
PARTNERSHIP FARMS, PARTNERS, AND OTHER BUSINESS INTERESTS--Con.										
Partnerships or any partners reporting nonfarm business interests--Con.										
Farm-related business interest--Con.										
Wholesaling.....number..	2,148	545	245	1,354	4	1,126	369	646	2	5
Partnership.....number..	1,221	259	160	802	-	609	216	394	2	-
Partners.....number..	1,453	437	122	890	4	789	209	450	-	5
Other business activities.....number..	2,074	382	294	1,398	-	1,020	216	821	-	17
Partnership.....number..	1,046	215	142	689	-	483	109	454	-	-
Partners.....number..	1,236	239	172	825	-	706	121	392	-	17
Nonfarm-related business interests.....number..										
Manufacturing.....number..	10,120	2,864	1,262	5,960	34	5,345	1,574	3,146	42	13
Partnership.....number..	1,275	334	97	844	-	661	155	459	-	-
Partners.....number..	388	54	66	268	-	203	43	142	-	-
Wholesaling.....number..	1,105	315	55	735	-	572	135	398	-	-
Partnership.....number..	2,673	635	252	1,786	-	1,301	353	1,012	2	5
Partners.....number..	1,243	185	113	945	-	586	167	488	2	-
Services.....number..	2,012	539	208	1,265	-	989	224	794	-	5
Partnership.....number..	3,372	1,012	513	1,813	34	2,017	501	852	-	2
Partners.....number..	706	228	62	416	-	399	133	172	-	2
Other business activities.....number..	3,019	908	508	1,569	34	1,834	482	701	-	2
Partnership.....number..	4,942	1,566	583	2,773	20	2,671	779	1,444	42	6
Partners.....number..	2,105	597	253	1,255	-	1,134	283	686	-	2
Partners.....number..	3,772	1,286	439	2,027	20	1,937	734	1,055	42	4
Nonfarm receipts by value:										
Under \$50,000.....	7,136	1,756	649	4,707	24	3,493	1,123	2,483	4	33
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	1,117	209	182	726	-	665	76	376	-	-
\$100,000 to \$499,999.....	1,277	486	195	596	-	808	154	315	-	-
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	194	47	50	97	-	125	47	22	-	-
\$1,000,000 and over.....	603	311	114	178	-	492	44	67	-	-
PARTNERSHIP ORGANIZATION										
Partnership in existence before farming:										
Yes.....number..	12,128	1,798	918	9,182	230	6,616	1,414	4,064	7	27
Partners involved.....number..	29,625	5,168	2,297	21,690	470	17,494	2,984	9,079	14	54
No.....number..	67,830	15,024	6,690	45,968	148	33,380	9,803	24,085	310	252
Partners involved.....number..	160,653	39,242	15,806	105,237	368	84,047	21,392	53,873	745	596
Not reporting.....number..	1,780	261	107	1,408	4	960	112	686	12	10
Partners involved.....number..	4,355	884	304	3,159	8	2,539	236	1,486	74	20
Partners farming before partnership:										
Yes.....number..	64,712	13,720	6,384	44,416	192	32,458	9,249	22,502	281	222
Partners involved.....number..	153,972	35,647	15,087	102,784	454	82,207	20,105	50,447	687	526
No.....number..	15,157	3,049	1,199	10,729	180	7,551	1,854	5,656	34	62
Partners involved.....number..	36,133	8,719	2,878	24,164	372	19,377	4,043	12,511	68	134
Not reporting.....number..	1,869	314	132	1,413	10	947	226	677	14	5
Partners involved.....number..	4,528	928	442	3,138	20	2,496	464	1,480	78	10
Expected organizational changes during 1977, 1978, and 1979:										
None.....number..	67,490	14,214	5,991	46,921	364	34,769	7,797	24,640	209	75
Partners involved.....number..	159,904	37,513	14,077	107,504	810	87,671	16,708	54,876	499	150
Add more partners.....number..	1,459	398	157	904	-	1,105	63	291	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	3,894	1,101	369	2,424	-	3,067	142	685	-	-
Decrease number of partners.....number..	1,454	299	316	839	-	1,006	178	270	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	4,215	972	1,039	2,204	-	3,041	437	737	-	-
File articles of incorporation.....number..	1,421	404	235	779	3	1,046	92	283	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	3,951	1,389	538	2,018	6	2,874	359	718	-	-
Expected shareholders.....number..	5,314	1,672	864	2,766	12	3,845	408	1,061	-	-
Change to sole proprietorship.....number..	4,182	787	419	2,961	15	1,635	1,385	1,099	35	28
Partners involved.....number..	9,049	1,755	890	6,374	30	3,539	3,005	2,365	70	70
Discontinue business.....number..	4,106	635	491	2,980	-	680	1,581	1,651	52	142
Partners involved.....number..	9,640	1,819	1,270	6,551	-	1,962	3,480	3,682	194	322
Other plans.....number..	405	49	12	344	-	217	80	94	14	-
Partners involved.....number..	913	102	26	785	-	531	160	190	32	-
Not reporting.....number..	1,221	297	94	830	-	498	153	507	19	44
Partners involved.....number..	3,067	643	198	2,226	-	1,395	321	1,185	38	128
Partnership agreement specified if one or more partners withdrew or died:										
Continue with remaining partners.....number..	40,956	10,311	4,614	25,786	245	40,956	-	-	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	104,080	29,635	11,576	62,305	564	104,080	-	-	-	-
Dissolve and distribute shares.....number..	11,329	3,123	1,145	7,019	42	-	11,329	-	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	24,612	7,291	2,395	14,842	84	-	24,612	-	-	-
No provisions made.....number..	28,835	3,486	1,864	23,391	94	-	-	28,835	-	-
Partners involved.....number..	64,438	7,957	4,172	52,113	196	-	-	64,438	-	-
Other plans.....number..	329	110	61	157	1	-	-	-	329	-
Partners involved.....number..	833	275	202	354	2	-	-	-	833	-
Not reporting.....number..	289	53	31	205	-	-	-	-	-	289
Partners involved.....number..	670	136	62	472	-	-	-	-	-	670