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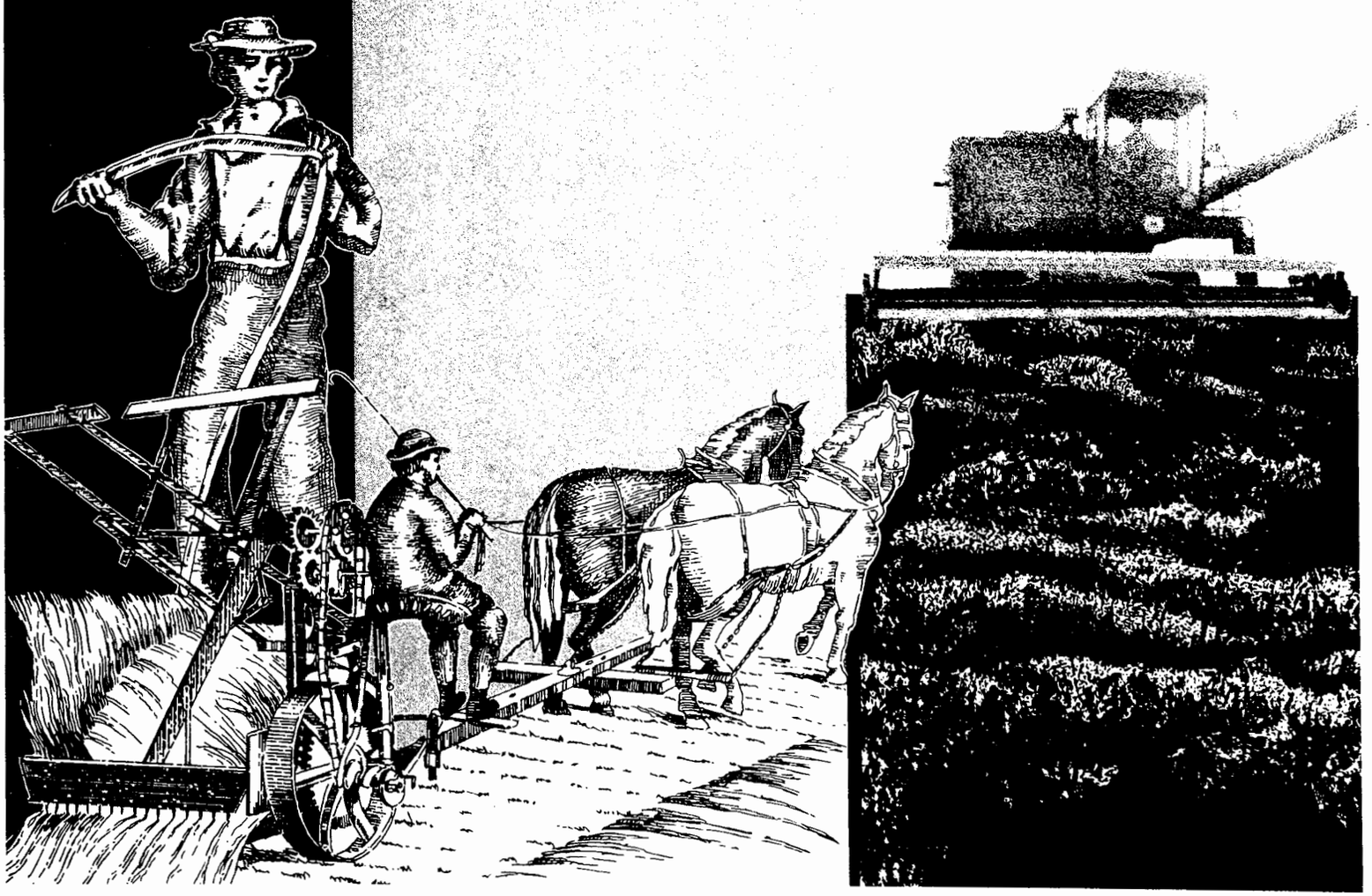

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INTRODUCTION

Authority, Area Covered, and History

The 1974 Census of Agriculture was taken in accordance with the provisions of Title 13, United States Code, reaffirmed by section 818 of the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-86). Sections 142(a) and 191 of Title 13 provide for a census of agriculture every 5 years in each State, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands.

The 1974 census is the 20th nationwide census of agriculture and the second conducted primarily by mail. The first agricultural census data were collected in 1840 as part of the sixth decennial census. Since that time, a census of agriculture has been a part of each decennial census program, and since 1920 a national census of agriculture has been taken every 5 years.

Farm Definition

For each of the 20 censuses of agriculture except the first, taken in 1840, the agency responsible for conducting the census has established minimum criteria which define a farm for the purpose of the census. As the Nation has developed and grown, agriculture also has changed and grown, and from time to time the minimum criteria for the definition of a farm have been changed.

Prior to 1974, the eighth and most recent change in minimum criteria was for the 1959 Census of Agriculture, when the definition of a farm was based primarily on a combination of acres in the place and value of agricultural products sold.

The word "place" was defined to include all land on which agricultural operations were conducted at any time in the census year under the day-to-day control or supervision of one person or partnership. Control may have been exercised through ownership or management or through a lease, rental, or cropping arrangement.

Places of less than 10 acres in the census year were counted as farms if the estimated sales of agricultural products for the year amounted to at least $250. Places of 10 or more acres in the census year were counted as farms if the estimated sales of agricultural products for the year amounted to at least $50. Places having less than the $50 or $250 minimum estimated sales in the census year were also counted as farms if they could normally be expected to produce agricultural products in sufficient quantity to meet the requirements of the definition.

Using the 1959 definition, the 1969 census reported about 571,000 farms in the United States having sales of less than $1,000; these farms comprised 20.9 percent of all farms but contributed less than 1 percent of total sales. In 1974 there were only about 152,000 such farms, accounting for less than 6 hundredths of 1 percent of total sales. Between censuses many of these small farms had ceased operations, while many others had sales of $1,000 or more in the census year, either because of increased agricultural activity or because of increases in the per unit value of agricultural products sold.

In view of increases in price levels and other changes in the structure of agricultural operations, various individuals and organizations, including members of the Census Advisory Committee on Agriculture Statistics, the Office of Management and Budget, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, agreed that a change in the definition of a farm was justified. The Department of Commerce announced on August 12, 1975, that the census definition of a farm, for purposes of publishing the 1974 census data, was any establishment which during the census year had or normally would have had sales of agricultural products of $1,000 or more.

In the next 10 months, Congress held four hearings on the appropriateness of changing the definition. During this time, Public Law 94-229, enacted March 15, 1976, included a provision requiring the statistical classification of farms in effect on January 1, 1975, to be continued in effect through June 30, 1976, and that any statistical report issued on or before June 30, 1976, should reflect such classification, but could also include additional classifications as deemed appropriate by the Secretary of Commerce.

Definition for preliminary reports. Publication of the preliminary county reports began in April 1976, and these reports for all counties and States, the four regions, and the United States were tabulated and published in accordance with the same farm definition used for the 1959, 1964, and 1969 censuses.

Definition for final reports. For all final reports, the 1974 statistics are in accordance with the 1974 definition, which differs from the earlier definition in only two respects:

1. The criterion for number of "acres in place" has been deleted.
2. The criterion for minumum value of agricultural products sold has been changed to $1,000.

Thus for 1974, a farm was defined to include all land on which agricultural operations were conducted at any time in the census year under the day-to-day control of an individual management, and from which $1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold during the census year. Control may have been exercised through ownership or management, or through a lease, rental, or cropping arrangement. Places having less than the minimum $1,000 sales in the census year were also counted as farms if they could normally be expected to produce agricultural products in sufficient quantity to meet the requirements of the definition.

Three tables in this report provide users with measures of the effect of the change in definition: The table following this introduction shows farms and sales, by county, for 1974 and 1969, for both the old and the new definitions, and also for those places excluded by the 1974 but not by the 1959 definition. In chapter II, table 33 presents data by county for 1974 showing comparisons between farms (1974 definition) and agricultural operations that would have been farms under the 1959 definition. The table that comprises appendix B presents data by State for 1974 and 1969 showing characteristics of 1974 agricultural operations excluded by the new definition and of 1969 farms having less than $1,000 total value of sales.

The 1974 "all farms" data shown in State tables 1 through 9 and county tables 1 through 10 are for those agricultural operations with at least $1,000 in total (or potential) sales of farm products. All other tables in this report are limited to farms with sales of $2,500 or more (see the paragraphs in appendix A that describe the report forms and the enumeration method).

Comparability of Data

In general, data for 1974 and earlier censuses are comparable with data from earlier censuses only for farms with $2,500 or more total value of sales, because the data for farms with $2,500 or more value of sales are not affected by the change in farm definition. Data for all farms for 1974 are based on the new definition so they are not directly comparable to earlier censuses. It is also important to note that in addition to the difference in farm definition used in this report from that in the preliminary version, this final report contains 1974 figures which will not agree with figures in the preliminary reports because of corrections, additions, and deletions.

Even for farms with $2,500 or more value of sales, the difference in timing and the change from personal interview to mail enumeration affect the comparability between the data for 1974 and 1969 and that for earlier censuses. Both 1974 and 1969 censuses were taken by mail; all earlier censuses were taken by direct interview.

Dramatic changes in rates of farm expenditure and unit prices of products sold between the 1969 and 1974 censuses affect the comparability of some census data. During the period between the two censuses, prices paid by farmers greatly increased. Prices received by farmers also increased but with wide fluctuations among commodities at different times during the census year of 1974.

Crop and livestock production data are for the calendar year 1974, except for a few crops (such as citrus) for which the production year overlaps the calendar year. Expenditures, crops irrigated, usage of agricultural chemicals and fertilizers, and sale of farm products were all asked for the calendar year. Respondents were instructed to report inventory numbers of livestock, poultry, and other specified items as of December 31, 1974. The reporting period and inventory data are the same as for the 1969 census.

Censuses prior to 1969 were taken by enumerators, each assigned to a specific geographic area. Field work for the 1964 and 1959 censuses was completed largely in October, November, and December of the reference year. Livestock and poultry inventories for those two censuses were as of the time of enumeration. Other variations in time of enumeration occurred in censuses prior to 1959.

Graphics

On the following pages, there is a graphic presentation of selected agricultural statistics for this State. The first four dot maps are being published for all States. The second four dot maps have been selected to present data of particular importance to this State.

Tabular Presentation

State data—In chapter I, State tables 1 through 27 show detailed State level data generally accompanied by historical data for one or more censuses. Tables 28 through 33 provide 1974 State data cross-tabulated by various farm classifications.

County summary data—A summary of selected data items for each county of the State is presented in chapter II of this publication. In these tables the counties are listed in alphabetical order with the State total at the beginning of each table.

County miscellaneous data—In chapter III, data for additional crop and livestock items not common to a large number of counties are reported in a separate set of tables by county for each State. Some of these items, even though reported in only a few counties of the State, are sufficiently important to account for a significant proportion of the agricultural production.

Counties not having the subject item of a given table, or with only a very limited number of farms reporting the item, are not listed separately; their data are combined with other counties and presented as "All other."

Final county data—Six pages of data are presented in chapter IV for each county with 10 farms or more in 1974. The tables include final data for each county and are more comprehensive than those in the preliminary reports. Data are for the year 1974 with inventory (on place)

figures as of December 31, 1974. Information covering all farms and farms with sales of $2,500 and over are presented for both the 1974 and 1969 censuses. A State level six-page report like the county report is published at the beginning of the chapter.

Preliminary county data—Preliminary reports have been published separately for all counties in the United States with 10 farms or more in 1974. This four-page series provided, at the earliest possible date, usable information on a limited number of major data items, with comparative final figures from the 1969 census.

The reports were issued on a flow basis, with a State report following the release of the last county report for each State. Tables showing regional and U.S. totals were also prepared as a part of this series.

For all States, the same table format was used to present the data except data for six selected crops shown in table 7. These crops were varied by State depending upon their relative importance.

For major items at the county level differences between the preliminary and final figures are in general less than 5 percent. At the State level, differences are significantly less.

"See Text" Reference

The remark "See text" in the tables refers to explanations, definitions, and classifications in sections 5 and 6 of appendix A.

Abbreviations and Symbols

The following abbreviations and symbols are used throughout the tables:

–	Represents zero.
D	Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms.
X	Not applicable.
Z	Less than half of the unit reported.
NA	Not available.

FARMS AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY 1974 AND 1959 DEFINITIONS, WITH COMPARABLE DATA FOR AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS EXCLUDED BY 1974 DEFINITION: 1974 AND 1969

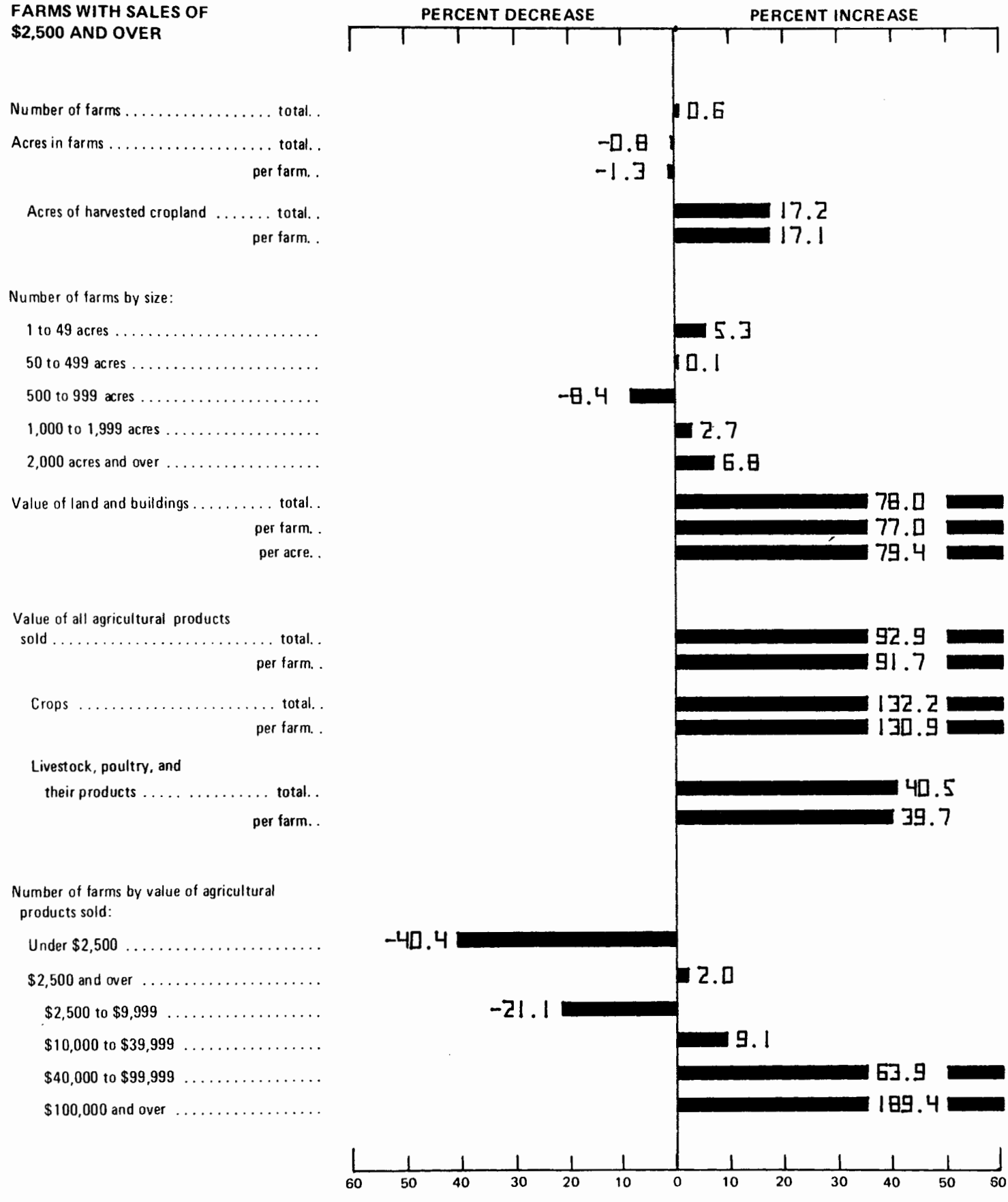
COUNTY	BY 1974 DEFINITION				BY 1959 DEFINITION				AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS EXCLUDED BY 1974 DEFINITION BUT NOT BY 1959 DEFINITION			
	NUMBER		VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)		NUMBER		VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)		NUMBER		VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
SOUTH CAROLINA, TOTAL	29 275	24 839	676 496	356 913	32 319	39 559	677 140	362 215	3 044	14 720	645	5 302
ABBEVILLE	503	315	4 862	1 763	576	653	4 876	1 872	73	338	13	110
AIKEN	770	515	13 251	6 652	876	907	13 272	6 788	106	392	21	136
ALLENDALE	212	190	11 979	5 840	226	285	11 983	5 879	14	95	4	39
ANDERSON	1 231	772	11 861	6 543	1 438	1 605	11 892	6 813	207	833	31	270
BAMBERG	378	393	12 388	6 243	431	548	12 400	6 303	53	155	12	61
BARNWELL	370	313	11 331	4 678	404	467	11 341	4 741	34	154	11	63
BEAUFORT	153	102	7 193	5 081	181	215	7 201	5 120	28	113	8	40
BERKELEY	634	371	7 166	3 267	724	788	7 192	3 432	90	417	26	166
CALHOUN	387	349	14 308	6 268	428	523	14 317	6 334	41	174	9	66
CHARLESTON	251	158	8 755	5 534	277	235	8 760	5 559	26	77	5	25
CHEROKEE	475	305	9 143	5 331	523	692	9 153	5 461	48	387	10	131
CHESTER	411	286	3 833	3 068	461	605	3 844	3 172	50	319	12	103
CHESTERFIELD	705	576	18 934	9 884	796	1 024	18 957	10 041	91	448	23	157
CLARENDON	777	857	30 472	13 218	866	1 257	30 500	13 389	89	400	28	172
COLLETON	748	572	10 949	6 804	831	1 036	10 962	6 985	83	464	13	181
DARLINGTON	772	1 035	31 713	16 686	798	1 204	31 723	16 768	26	169	10	82
DILLON	626	803	25 871	11 757	661	900	25 876	11 799	35	97	4	43
DORCHESTER	541	434	6 981	4 220	623	836	6 997	4 384	82	402	16	164
EDGEFIELD	277	207	11 179	6 669	295	387	11 182	6 728	18	180	3	59
FAIRFIELD	215	141	1 259	1 105	239	313	1 263	1 162	24	172	4	57
FLORENCE	1 727	2 151	46 277	26 945	1 804	2 543	46 301	27 104	77	392	24	159
GEORGETOWN	384	347	4 959	2 916	445	528	4 990	2 988	61	181	30	72
GREENVILLE	771	433	7 618	5 056	920	1 065	7 638	5 252	149	632	20	197
GREENWOOD	365	211	4 216	2 789	403	377	4 226	2 854	38	166	9	65
HAMPTON	437	356	15 415	7 732	475	525	15 420	7 793	38	169	6	61
HORRY	2 156	2 521	50 766	29 424	2 266	3 024	50 797	29 604	110	503	31	180
JASPER	255	151	3 529	1 715	264	246	3 531	1 744	9	95	2	29
KERSHAW	369	251	4 562	3 146	438	482	4 578	3 211	69	231	15	65
LANCASTER	432	269	4 226	2 652	496	501	4 236	2 718	64	232	10	67
LAURENS	688	399	9 295	5 750	777	737	9 304	5 875	89	338	9	126
LEE	392	434	21 709	8 181	409	578	21 713	8 243	17	144	4	62
LEXINGTON	899	651	15 056	9 983	968	1 057	15 067	10 128	69	406	11	145
MARION	624	730	20 964	10 748	654	868	20 973	10 798	30	138	9	51
MARLBORO	320	330	19 979	7 561	328	429	19 981	7 597	8	99	2	36
MCCORMICK	108	80	1 449	993	125	190	1 449	1 030	17	110	(Z)	37
NEWBERRY	612	432	19 230	11 684	661	836	19 239	11 837	49	404	10	153
OCONEE	615	310	5 629	3 381	719	772	5 636	3 517	104	462	7	136
ORANGEBURG	1 588	1 402	47 025	22 029	1 744	2 300	47 066	22 382	156	898	41	352
PICKENS	474	213	4 208	2 944	527	563	4 215	3 040	53	350	7	96
RICHLAND	408	286	8 911	4 885	472	530	8 930	4 964	64	244	19	79
SALUDA	700	476	12 201	8 281	755	822	12 215	8 402	55	346	15	121
SPARTANBURG	1 184	714	21 355	10 285	1 384	1 488	21 383	10 500	200	774	28	215
SUMTER	736	681	31 268	14 599	808	1 086	31 284	14 758	72	405	16	158
UNION	346	162	1 407	1 215	374	339	1 412	1 284	28	177	5	69
WILLIAMSBURG	1 636	1 721	33 890	16 428	1 754	2 381	33 931	16 748	118	660	41	320
YORK	613	434	7 924	4 981	695	812	7 938	5 110	82	378	14	129

HIGHLIGHTS of the State's Agriculture: 1974 and 1969

	All Farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969[1]	1974	1969
Number of farms ..... total..	29 275	39 559	17 513	17 413
Acres in farms ..... total..	6 177 024	6 991 718	5 164 205	5 207 523
per farm..	211	177	295	299
Acres of harvested cropland ..... total..	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 146 630	1 831 568
per farm..	77	52	123	105
Number of farms by size:				
1 to 49 acres	9 366	14 608	3 698	3 511
50 to 499 acres	17 219	22 057	11 275	11 260
500 acres and over	2 690	2 894	2 540	2 642
1,000 acres and over	1 059	1 019	1 018	980
Value of land and buildings ..... total..	2 886 776 000	1 826 499 000	2 344 458 000	1 317 183 000
per farm..	98 609	46 172	133 870	75 644
Value of machinery and equipment on farms ..... total..	449 233 000	261 675 000	365 452 000	198 168 000
per farm..	15 345	6 615	20 867	11 380
Machinery and equipment on farms–specified items (number):				
Automobiles	28 688	36 224	17 941	17 609
Motortrucks, including pickups	33 651	35 314	24 287	22 084
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	45 321	50 115	33 824	32 863
Value of all agricultural products sold ..... total..	676 496 000	362 215 000	661 349 000	342 932 000
per farm..	23 108	9 156	37 763	19 694
Crops ..... total..	459 882 000	204 961 000	453 167 000	195 169 000
per farm..	15 709	5 181	25 876	11 208
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... total..	206 582 000	150 263 000	198 497 000	141 290 000
per farm..	7 057	3 798	11 334	8 114
Number of farms, excluding abnormal farms, by value of agricultural product sold:				
Under $2,500	12 087	22 706	348	584
$2,500 and over	17 165	16 829	17 165	16 829
$2,500 to $9,999	7 547	9 567	7 547	9 567
$10,000 to $39,999	5 852	5 362	5 852	5 362
$40,000 to $99,999	2 264	1 381	2 264	1 381
$100,000 to $199,999	886	371	886	371
$200,000 and over	616	148	616	148
Value of agricultural products sold by farms, excluding abnormal farms, having sales of–				
Under $2,500	13 120 000	18 172 000	532 000	839 000
$2,500 and over	660 817 000	342 092 000	660 817 000	342 092 000
$2,500 to $9,999	40 749 000	50 396 000	40 749 000	50 396 000
$10,000 to $39,999	119 659 000	105 102 000	119 659 000	105 102 000
$40,000 to $99,999	139 952 000	84 803 000	139 952 000	84 803 000
$100,000 to $199,999	124 077 000	101 791 000	124 077 000	101 791 000
$200,000 and over	236 381 000		236 381 000	
Farm production expenses–specified items:				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	80 906 000	45 566 000	79 406 000	44 230 000
Commercial fertilizer	84 760 000	44 546 000	81 099 000	40 259 000
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business	33 816 000	24 433 000	31 814 000	21 031 000
Farm labor, contract labor, machine hire and customwork	68 985 000	58 009 000	66 829 000	54 051 000

[1] Not fully comparable because of change in farm definition; see introduction.

CHART 1. Changes in the State's Agriculture: 1974 From 1969



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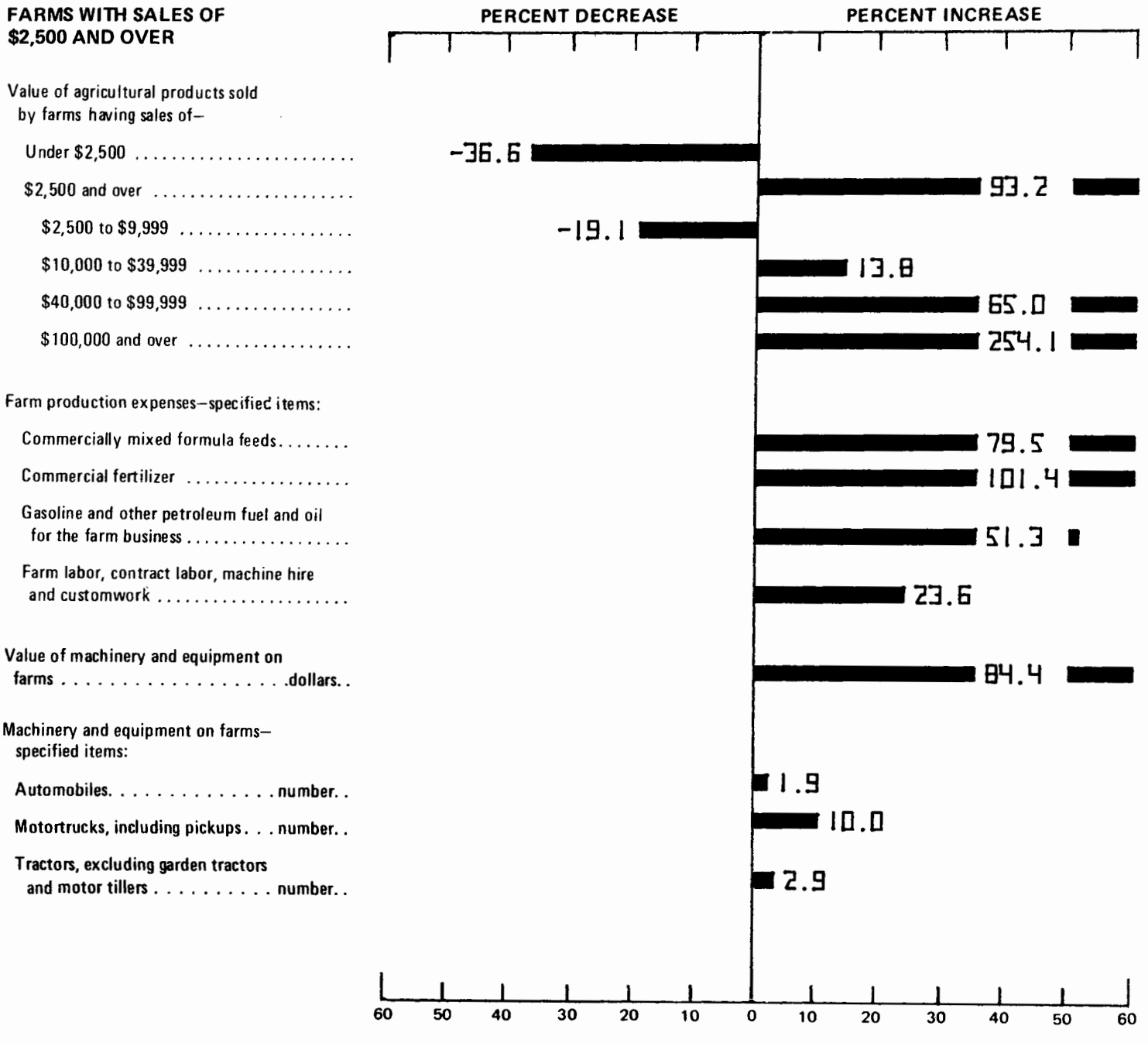
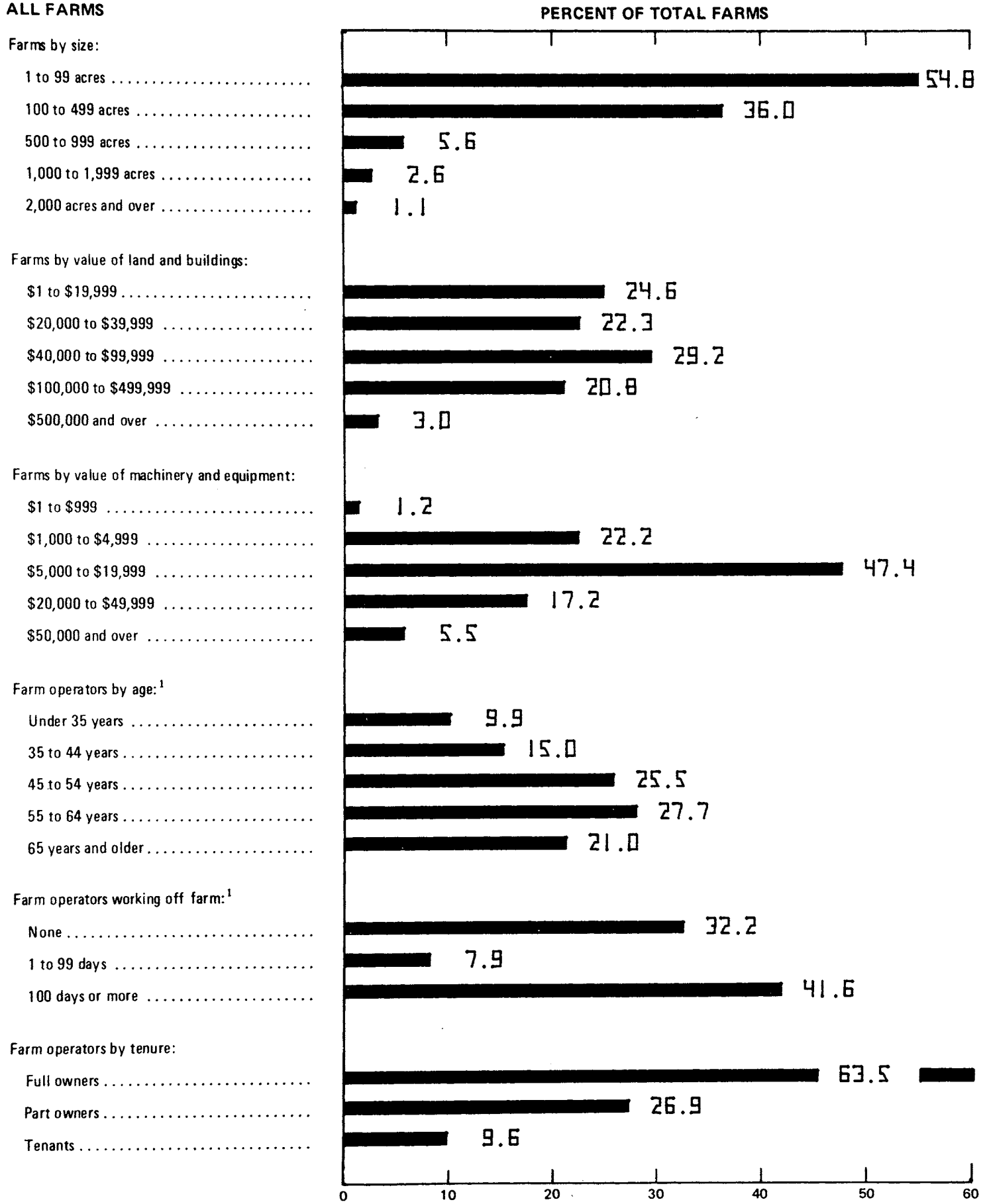
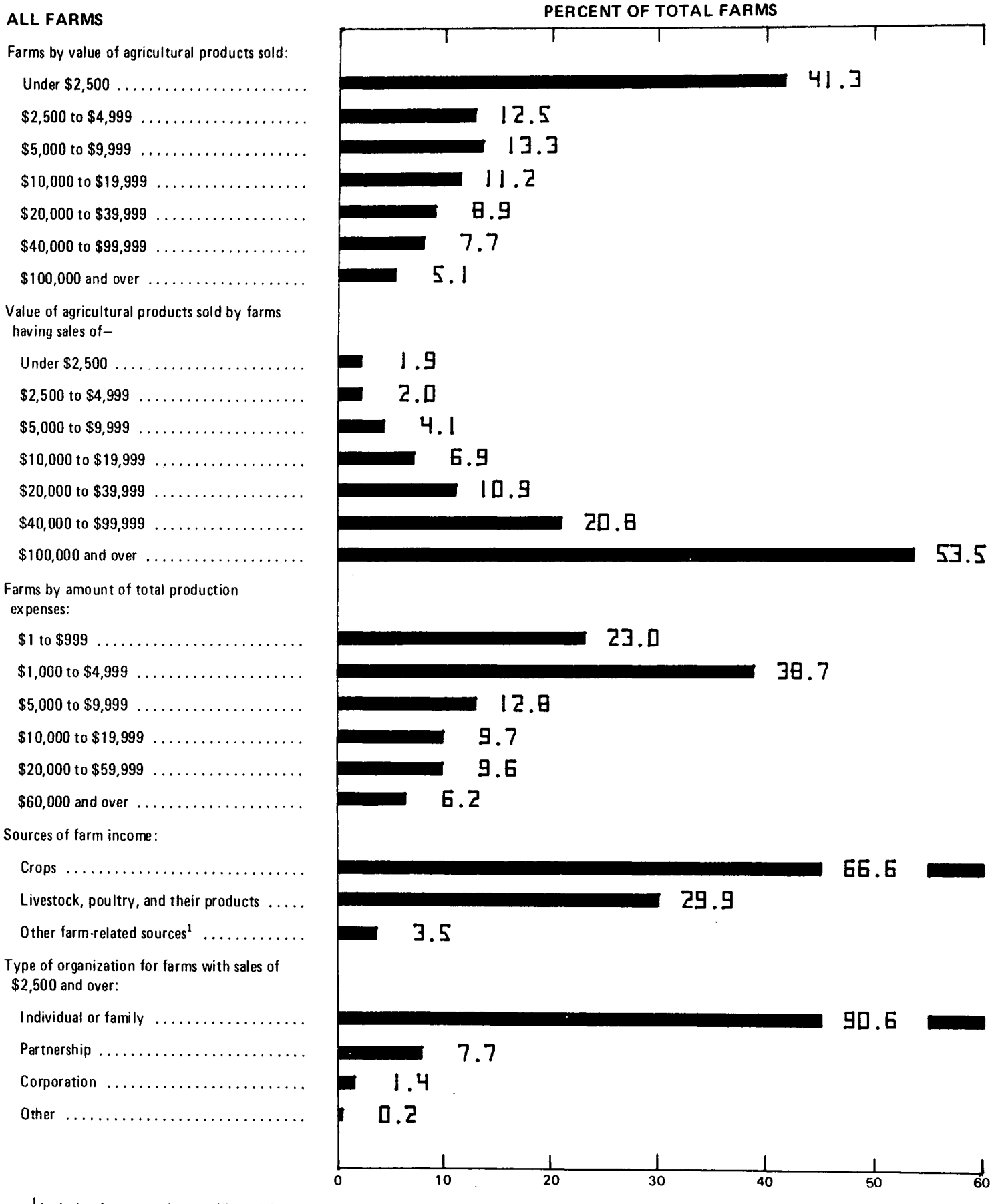


CHART 2. Profile of the State's Agriculture: 1974



[1] Data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships.

CHART 2. Profile of the State's Agriculture: 1974—Continued



[1] Includes forest products sold, and income from customwork and other agricultural services, recreational services, participation in government farm programs, rental of farm property, and other miscellaneous sources closely related to the agricultural operation.

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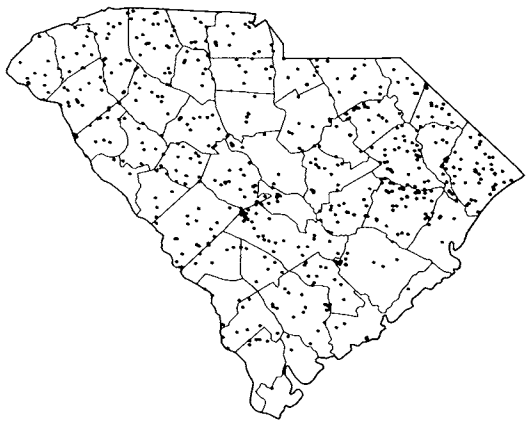

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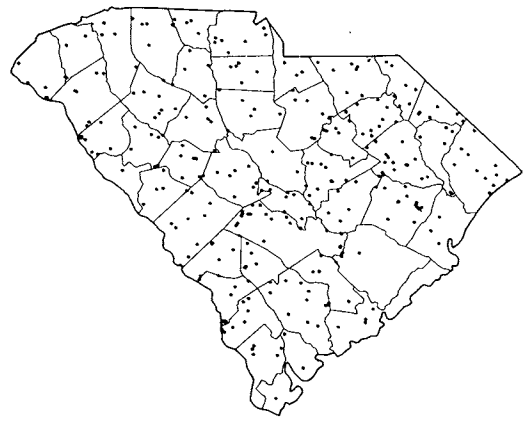

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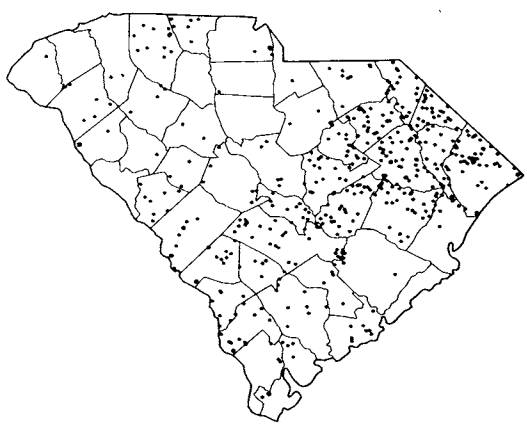

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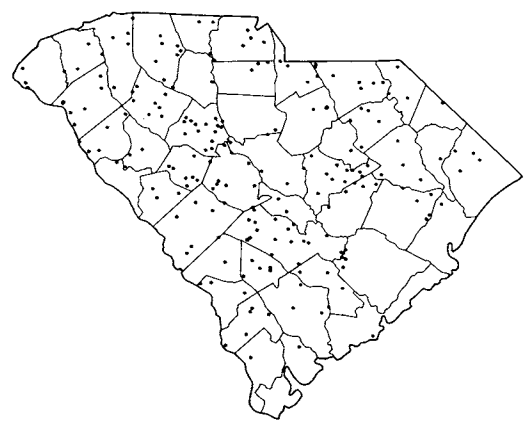
VALUE OF LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, AND THEIR PRODUCTS SOLD: 1974



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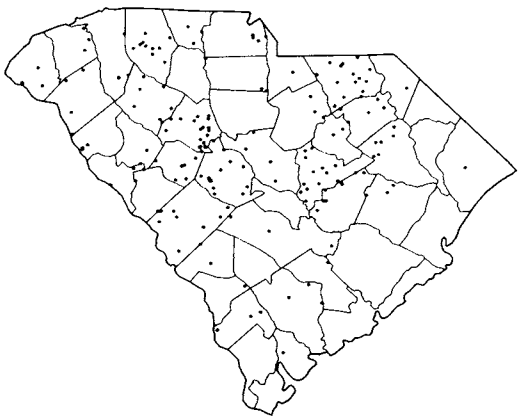

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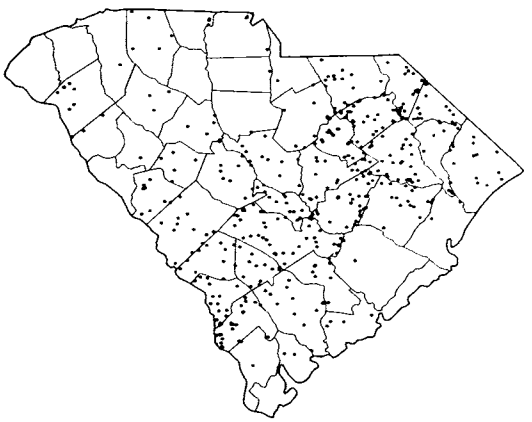

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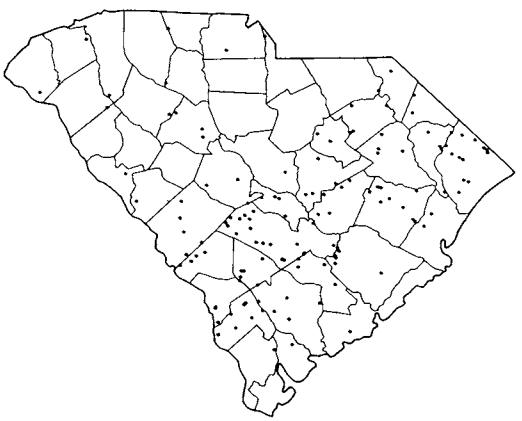

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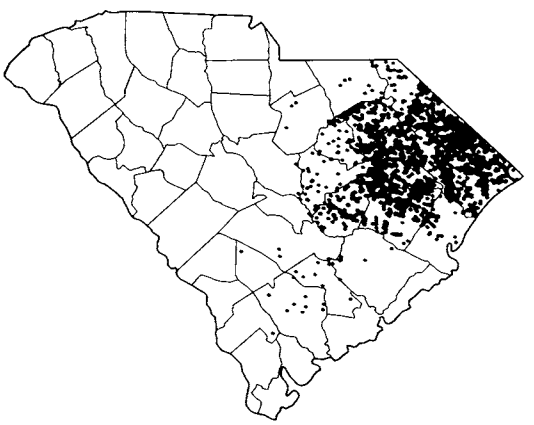

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SOUTH CAROLINA Counties, County Seats, Mountains, and Rivers

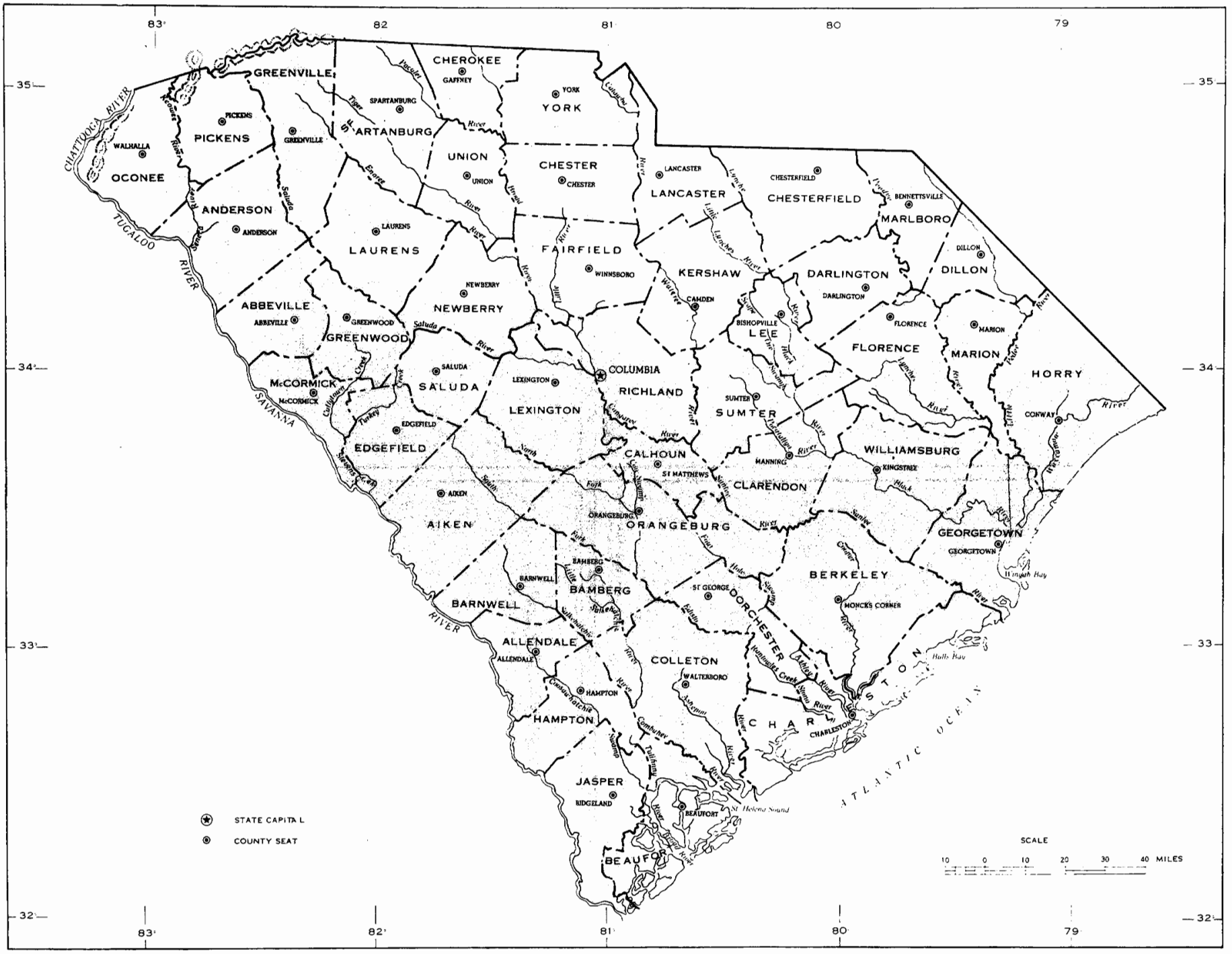

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1940 to 1974

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964	1959	1954	1950	1945	1940
All farms — number	29 275	39 559	56 248	78 172	124 203	139 364	147 745	137 558
Land in farms — acres	6 177 024	6 991 718	8 101 450	9 149 492	11 069 348	11 878 793	11 021 623	11 238 697
Average size of farm — acres	211	177	144	117	89	85	75	82
Approximate land area — acres	19 344 832	19 344 832	19 380 500	19 374 080	19 395 200	19 395 200	19 580 160	19 580 160
Proportion in farms — percent	31.9	36.1	41.8	47.2	57.1	61.2	56.3	57.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	2 886 776	1 826 499	1 403 265	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm — dollars	98 609	46 171	24 948	15 685	7 769	5 886	2 982	2 461
Average per acre — dollars	467	261	171	134	87	69	40	30
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland — farms	28 074	37 634	53 963	75 213	120 502	135 453	146 627	137 321
acres	3 201 239	3 439 927	3 520 340	4 035 157	4 787 778	5 385 990	5 186 889	5 529 833
Harvested cropland — farms	24 757	32 189	50 005	71 602	112 930	129 967	144 116	135 629
acres	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 263 250	2 694 196	3 393 002	3 959 822	4 149 321	4 321 962
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	16 641	24 213	40 616	60 024	99 600	113 944	128 150	(NA)
1 to 9 acres	5 554	9 703	14 352	16 840	28 851	24 593	26 237	(NA)
10 to 19 acres	4 621	6 786	12 421	19 524	32 212	36 564	38 605	(NA)
20 to 29 acres	3 026	3 874	7 356	12 710	21 312	28 881	34 603	(NA)
30 to 49 acres	3 440	3 850	6 487	10 950	17 225	23 906	28 705	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	3 313	3 553	4 789	6 686	8 678	11 544	12 012	(NA)
100 to 199 acres	2 115	2 087	2 473	2 909	2 979	3 016	2 737	(NA)
200 to 499 acres	1 785	1 600	1 590	1 622	1 340	1 198	1 037	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	600	558	433	300	275	217	156	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	303	178	104	61	58	48	24	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres	248	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	55	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	13 070	16 532	18 790	23 949	30 616	26 802	12 118	35 884
acres	704 222	693 911	591 675	641 063	688 149	494 385	237 718	604 350
Other cropland (see text) — farms	6 842	18 423	24 792	30 396	40 628	46 612	(NA)	(NA)
acres	246 065	704 261	665 415	699 898	706 627	931 783	799 850	603 521
Woodland, including woodland pasture — farms	18 220	26 695	38 863	50 688	73 560	80 243	81 117	85 579
acres	2 211 837	2 747 307	3 810 775	4 359 003	5 363 706	5 561 854	4 813 561	4 862 909
Other land (see text) — farms	19 281	26 024	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	763 948	804 484	769 700	755 332	917 864	930 949	1 021 173	(NA)
Irrigated land — farms	446	675	1 337	1 398	748	84	5	14
acres	10 335	15 003	18 524	24 952	22 009	6 408	62	411

	1974	1969
Farms by value of land and buildings:		
$1 to $9,999	3 022	10 052
$10,000 to $19,999	4 190	8 482
$20,000 to $39,999	6 536	9 602
$40,000 to $69,999	5 740	5 447
$70,000 to $99,999	2 798	2 058
$100,000 to $149,999	2 577	1 647
$150,000 to $199,999	1 225	832
$200,000 to $499,999	2 297	1 149
$500,000 and over	890	290

	1974	1969
Farms by acres irrigated:		
1 to 9 acres	261	353
10 to 49 acres	148	264
50 to 99 acres	22	34
100 to 199 acres	3	15
200 to 499 acres	10	6
500 to 999 acres	1	3
1,000 acres and over	1	–

Table 2. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	Number of farms			Land in farms (acres)			Harvested cropland (acres)			Irrigated land (acres)		
	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969	1964
All farms — number	29 275	39 559	56 248	6 177 024	6 991 718	8 101 450	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 263 250	10 335	15 003	18 524
with harvested cropland	24 757	32 189	50 005	5 577 229	6 140 540	(NA)	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 263 250	10 074	14 909	16 851
with irrigated land	446	675	1 337	148 257	299 677	465 952	57 511	97 446	155 786	10 335	15 003	18 524
Farms by size:												
1 to 9 acres — number	1 689	2 479	4 642	7 578	11 893	24 079	5 073	7 187	16 926	147	90	219
With harvested cropland	1 293	1 807	3 800	6 471	9 677	(NA)	5 073	7 187	16 926	147	90	(NA)
With irrigated land	60	30	92	219	128	(NA)	147	97	(NA)	147	90	219
10 to 49 acres — number	7 677	12 129	22 214	219 922	332 460	576 485	93 083	118 100	291 095	863	720	1 517
With harvested cropland	6 444	9 691	19 867	183 322	264 857	(NA)	93 083	118 100	291 095	853	708	(NA)
With irrigated land	122	118	331	3 270	3 172	(NA)	1 455	1 676	(NA)	863	720	1 517
50 to 69 acres — number	3 253	4 467	5 973	189 343	259 679	346 755	64 459	71 570	112 755	395	549	420
With harvested cropland	2 677	3 540	5 209	155 614	206 024	(NA)	64 459	71 570	112 755	395	489	(NA)
With irrigated land	38	60	71	2 175	3 487	(NA)	1 129	1 361	(NA)	395	549	420
70 to 99 acres — number	3 424	4 577	5 859	284 483	379 744	485 055	88 455	93 002	140 005	523	502	880
With harvested cropland	2 787	3 676	5 175	231 639	305 898	(NA)	88 455	93 002	140 005	519	502	(NA)
With irrigated land	41	51	110	3 373	4 302	(NA)	1 381	1 684	(NA)	523	502	880
100 to 139 acres — number	3 309	4 055	4 911	384 885	470 807	569 455	120 842	113 572	152 515	585	704	858
With harvested cropland	2 802	3 281	4 360	326 338	380 541	(NA)	120 842	113 572	152 515	410	704	(NA)
With irrigated land	42	70	109	4 694	8 073	(NA)	1 661	2 430	(NA)	585	704	858
140 to 179 acres — number	1 956	2 506	2 842	308 399	393 835	446 765	93 430	92 235	114 285	393	599	857
With harvested cropland	1 637	2 047	2 561	258 083	321 423	(NA)	93 430	92 235	114 285	393	599	(NA)
With irrigated land	18	42	86	2 878	6 582	(NA)	923	2 832	(NA)	393	599	857
180 to 219 acres — number	1 401	1 777	1 913	277 354	351 304	378 235	92 770	90 819	101 455	350	434	681
With harvested cropland	1 207	1 489	1 736	239 095	294 882	(NA)	92 770	90 819	101 455	348	414	(NA)
With irrigated land	19	34	74	3 787	6 613	(NA)	1 507	2 185	(NA)	350	434	681
220 to 259 acres — number	1 102	1 302	1 372	262 231	310 424	326 465	88 118	83 640	91 478	398	408	747
With harvested cropland	957	1 090	1 247	228 071	259 959	(NA)	88 118	83 640	91 478	328	408	(NA)
With irrigated land	6	29	45	1 471	6 842	(NA)	622	2 341	(NA)	398	408	747
260 to 499 acres — number	2 774	3 373	3 563	983 662	1 190 967	1 259 450	370 132	347 017	367 665	1 081	2 426	2 607
With harvested cropland	2 447	2 942	3 270	867 759	1 041 305	(NA)	370 132	347 017	367 665	1 081	2 426	(NA)
With irrigated land	42	95	179	15 209	34 707	(NA)	7 962	14 742	(NA)	1 081	2 426	2 607
500 to 999 acres — number	1 631	1 875	1 903	1 112 540	1 268 204	1 315 750	453 091	423 634	407 395	1 048	2 534	3 895
With harvested cropland	1 494	1 657	1 783	1 022 951	1 120 379	(NA)	453 091	423 634	407 395	1 048	2 534	(NA)
With irrigated land	27	80	139	18 780	55 112	(NA)	9 018	23 506	(NA)	1 048	2 534	3 895
1,000 to 1,999 acres — number	747	733	710	999 781	969 310	958 835	429 764	351 300	255 195	750	1 641	2 876
With harvested cropland	712	694	672	952 152	916 854	(NA)	429 764	351 300	255 195	750	1 641	(NA)
With irrigated land	14	40	64	18 790	52 622	(NA)	9 701	18 228	(NA)	750	1 641	2 876
2,000 acres and over — number	312	286	346	1 146 846	1 053 091	1 414 050	351 735	249 679	212 485	3 802	4 396	2 967
With harvested cropland	300	275	325	1 105 734	1 018 741	(NA)	351 735	249 679	212 485	3 802	4 396	(NA)
With irrigated land	17	26	37	73 611	118 037	(NA)	22 005	26 364	(NA)	3 802	4 396	2 967

Table 3. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races[1]		
	1974	1969	1964	1974	1969[2]	1964
Farms and land in farms operated by—						
All farm operators—farms	29 275	39 559	56 248	4 606	9 535	19 616
acres	6 177 024	6 991 718	8 101 450	305 619	547 398	817 433
Harvested cropland—farms	24 757	32 189	50 005	4 323	8 552	18 847
acres	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 263 250	124 921	176 148	364 152
Full owners—farms	18 589	25 210	30 008	2 960	5 595	7 321
acres	3 059 228	3 672 307	3 851 850	160 608	310 371	367 342
Harvested cropland—farms	14 640	18 624	24 561	2 731	4 756	6 777
acres	599 196	575 357	674 225	43 205	66 486	95 381
Part owners—farms	7 884	9 452	12 412	1 104	1 919	3 626
acres	2 721 197	2 895 687	2 980 550	113 841	169 674	206 374
Harvested cropland—farms	7 527	8 956	12 132	1 080	1 845	3 612
acres	1 419 155	1 250 256	1 145 750	64 836	72 988	100 852
Tenants—farms	2 802	4 897	13 530	542	2 021	8 655
acres	396 599	423 724	712 565	31 170	67 353	237 741
Harvested cropland—farms	2 590	4 609	13 040	512	1 951	8 446
acres	232 601	216 142	363 905	16 880	36 674	166 592
Percent of tenancy	9.6	12.3	24.1	11.8	21.1	44.1
Farm operators by age group:[3]						
Under 25 years	418	481	739	57	99	340
25 to 34 years	2 466	2 855	4 361	232	464	1 496
35 to 44 years	4 378	6 635	11 620	484	1 339	4 148
45 to 54 years	7 466	10 928	16 312	1 186	2 585	5 665
55 to 64 years	8 097	10 715	13 229	1 370	2 618	4 377
65 years and over	6 137	7 945	9 987	1 277	2 430	3 590
Average age	53.4	53.1	51.9	56.2	55.3	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:[3]						
On farm operated	17 214	27 223	50 010	2 626	6 737	(NA)
On another farm	1 239			261		
In a rural area not on a farm	1 329	7 295	4 122	312	1 465	(NA)
In a city, town, or urban area	2 382			212		
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[3]						
None	9 424	(NA)	(NA)	1 529	(NA)	(NA)
Any	14 484	22 500	26 964	2 183	5 252	8 293
1 to 49 days	1 375	2 775	6 976	323	876	3 375
50 to 99 days	944	1 947		276	611	
100 to 149 days	873	3 469	19 988	237	1 203	1 472
150 to 199 days	1 215			292		
200 days and over	10 077	14 309		1 055	2 562	3 446
Not reporting	5 054	(NA)	(NA)	894	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by principal occupation:[3]						
Farming	15 659	(NA)	(NA)	2 945	(NA)	(NA)
Other	13 303	(NA)	(NA)	1 661	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by off-farm income:[3]						
Reporting any	19 993	(NA)	(NA)	2 924	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	12 672	(NA)	(NA)	1 950	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	7 321	(NA)	(NA)	974	(NA)	(NA)
Not reporting or reporting none	8 969	(NA)	(NA)	1 682	(NA)	(NA)

[1] See text.
[2] Data are only for farms operated by Blacks.
[3] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Number of farms by value of sales:			
$100,000 and over—farms	1 502	519	338
$1,000	360 458	101 791	60 805
$40,000 to $99,999—farms	2 264	1 381	1 148
$1,000	139 952	84 803	68 287
$20,000 to $39,999—farms	2 590	2 129	1 990
$1,000	73 266	59 623	55 440
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 262	3 233	3 815
$1,000	46 393	45 479	52 888
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 882	4 575	7 597
$1,000	27 492	32 442	53 250
$2,500 to $4,999 (see text)—farms	3 665	4 992	8 659
$1,000	13 257	17 953	31 415
Under $2,500—farms	12 087	22 706	32 674
$1,000	13 120	18 172	24 822
$2,000 to $2,499—farms	1 657	2 001	2 645
$1,000	3 679	(NA)	(NA)
$1,500 to $1,999—farms	2 096	2 431	3 206
$1,000	3 612	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,499—farms	2 502	3 385	4 452
$1,000	3 070	(NA)	(NA)
Under $1,000 (see text)—farms	5 832	14 889	22 371
$1,000	2 759	(NA)	(NA)
Abnormal farms—farms	23	24	27
$1,000	2 559	1 950	2 164
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)—$1,000	676 496	362 215	349 071
Average per farm—dollars	23 108	9 156	6 206

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Market value of agricultural products sold—Continued			
Crops, including nursery products and hay—farms	21 063	27 541	(NA)
$1,000	459 882	204 961	247 706
Nursery and greenhouse products—farms	247	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	6 051	(NA)	(NA)
Forest products—farms	2 011	2 519	3 678
$1,000	10 032	6 991	8 097
Livestock, poultry, and their products—farms	16 684	20 792	(NA)
$1,000	206 582	150 263	92 925
Poultry and poultry products—farms	1 206	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	88 394	(NA)	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources:			
Total before taxes and expenses—farms	7 317	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	14 297	(NA)	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services—farms	2 034	2 711	(NA)
$1,000	6 158	4 370	(NA)
Recreational services—farms	268	495	437
$1,000	316	534	342
Government farm programs—farms	3 308	18 866	(NA)
$1,000	2 086	34 829	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments—farms	2 723	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	4 734	(NA)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources—farms	384	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	1 004	(NA)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources—farms	2 283	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	4 817	(NA)	(NA)

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Total farm production expenses ---- farms	29 226	39 559	56 163
$1,000	509 937	319 907	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $999	6 712	14 546	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	5 021	6 915	(NA)
$2,000 to $2,999	2 920	3 677	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	3 379	4 128	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	3 733	4 222	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 832	2 781	(NA)
$20,000 to $39,999	1 991	3 290	(NA)
$40,000 and over	2 638		
Livestock and poultry purchased ---- farms	8 095	11 156	14 390
$1,000	30 450	26 649	12 942
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	1 555	2 662	
$100 to $499	2 665	4 113	12 395
$500 to $999	1 161	1 514	
$1,000 to $2,499	1 158	1 177	1 011
$2,500 to $4,999	566	597	454
$5,000 to $9,999	353	467	256
$10,000 to $19,999	311	626	274
$20,000 and over	326		
Feed for livestock and poultry ---- farms	16 033	19 413	27 182
$1,000	96 996	54 515	34 110
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	2 102	4 686	10 818
$100 to $499	6 328	8 539	13 300
$500 to $999	2 747	2 348	
$1,000 to $2,499	2 434	1 706	1 803
$2,500 to $4,999	826	656	
$5,000 to $9,999	460	441	528
$10,000 to $19,999	305	1 037	733
$20,000 and over	831		
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---- farms	11 839	12 354	19 505
tons	563 844	571 830	336 894
$1,000	80 906	45 566	27 611
Farms that used—			
1 to 49 tons	10 711	10 983	18 192
50 to 99 tons	269	350	407
100 to 199 tons	247	343	463
200 to 499 tons	312	392	273
500 tons and over	300	286	109
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	2 444	2 859	(NA)
$100 to $499	4 239	5 250	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 675	1 445	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	1 607	1 079	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	579	476	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	300	346	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	265	899	(NA)
$20,000 and over	730		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ---- farms	16 400	25 896	47 205
$1,000	13 464	7 391	6 249
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	4 685	13 266	33 628
$100 to $499	6 733	9 469	11 265
$500 to $999	2 139	1 707	1 306
$1,000 to $2,499	1 671	1 042	
$2,500 to $4,999	667	283	1 006
$5,000 to $9,999	325	89	
$10,000 and over	180	40	
Commercial fertilizer ---- farms	24 422	34 134	50 077
$1,000	84 760	44 546	42 879
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	2 765	6 494	11 903
$100 to $499	6 549	13 578	20 784
$500 to $999	3 886	5 427	8 234
$1,000 to $2,499	4 749	4 630	7 565
$2,500 to $4,999	2 772	1 994	

All Farms

	1974	1969	1964
Commercial fertilizer — Continued			
Farms with expenditures of — Continued			
$5,000 to $9,999	1 787	1 176	
$10,000 to $19,999	1 042	835	1 591
$20,000 and over	872		
Other agricultural chemicals, including lime (see text) ---- farms	12 461	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	31 020	15 980	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	2 869	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	4 087	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 580	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	1 745	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	913	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	584	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	683	(NA)	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business ---- farms	27 999	37 571	43 450
$1,000	33 816	24 433	23 135
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	4 725	9 313	11 938
$100 to $499	11 716	16 658	19 385
$500 to $999	4 352	5 320	6 670
$1,000 to $2,499	3 688	4 232	5 040
$2,500 to $4,999	2 024	1 445	
$5,000 to $9,999	1 018	480	417
$10,000 and over	476	123	
Hired farm labor ---- farms	10 834	21 539	30 147
$1,000	53 247	46 003	38 947
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $499	4 134	10 922	18 316
$500 to $999	1 252	3 014	4 334
$1,000 to $2,499	1 784	3 514	3 939
$2,500 to $4,999	1 297	2 116	1 877
$5,000 to $9,999	1 066	1 085	1 070
$10,000 to $19,999	710	888	611
$20,000 and over	591		
Contract labor and machine hire and customwork ---- farms	(NA)	17 633	22 468
$1,000	15 737	12 006	7 407
Contract labor ---- farms	1 195	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	5 024	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	74	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	481	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	189	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	183	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	120	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	59	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	89	(NA)	(NA)
Machine hire and customwork ---- farms	11 610	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	10 713	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $99	1 922	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	5 041	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 051	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	1 740	(NA)	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	558	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	183	(NA)	(NA)
$10,000 and over	115	(NA)	(NA)
All other production expenses ---- farms	26 002	31 121	(NA)
$1,000	150 446	88 384	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—			
$1 to $499	9 956	13 328	(NA)
$500 to $999	3 583	4 876	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,499	4 357	5 902	(NA)
$2,500 to $4,999	2 815	3 056	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	2 126	2 117	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	1 422	1 842	(NA)
$20,000 and over	1 743		

Table 6. Selected Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

				Manufactured in previous 5 years	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Automobiles	1974	20 953	28 688	10 957	13 906
	1969	27 039	36 224	18 082	22 156
	1964	43 925	58 307	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	5 689	12 277	2 385	5 050
4 and over	1974	308	1 455	83	367
Motortrucks, including pickups	1974	22 529	33 651	9 563	12 222
	1969	25 571	35 314	14 887	18 342
	1964	29 913	38 965	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	5 189	11 776	1 618	3 502
4 and over	1974	1 059	5 594	189	964
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	1974	23 795	45 321	7 952	12 093
	1969	28 740	50 115	12 739	20 190
	1964	31 543	50 931	(NA)	(NA)
By number on hand:					
2 or 3	1974	8 161	18 662	2 284	4 930
4 and over	1974	2 553	13 578	327	1 822
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	1974	23 653	44 236	7 902	11 966
Crawler tractors	1974	955	1 085	115	127
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	1974	4 114	4 706	1 602	1 759
	1969	3 859	4 483	2 459	2 790
	1964	2 061	2 453	(NA)	(NA)
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	1974	3 242	3 636	1 075	1 147
	1969	2 757	3 261	1 671	1 942
	1964	1 815	1 941	(NA)	(NA)

				Manufactured in previous 5 years	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers – Con.					
Corn heads for combines	1974	2 114	2 285	872	907
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	1974	1 313	1 351	231	240
Mower conditioners	1974	2 292	2 471	781	814
Pickup balers	1974	3 590	3 719	932	957
	1969	3 726	3 857	1 769	1 798
	1964	4 382	4 468	(NA)	(NA)
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1974	1 611	1 650	399	404
Field forage harvesters, shear bar and flywheel type	1974	882	1 075	275	328

	1974		1969	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	27 362	449 233	36 656	261 675
By value group:				
$1 to $999	352	212	4 499	2 492
$1,000 to $4,999	6 501	19 125	18 722	45 896
$5,000 to $9,999	8 307	60 356	6 664	42 780
$10,000 to $19,999	5 567	74 533	3 696	47 133
$20,000 to $29,999	2 841	67 252	1 391	31 654
$30,000 to $49,999	2 193	81 315	896	32 054
$50,000 to $69,999	781	43 146	788	59 665
$70,000 and over	820	103 295		

Table 7. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974, 1969, and 1964

All Farms

		Inventory			Sales	
		Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number
Value of livestock and poultry	1974	18 826	(NA)	[1]119 740	16 684	[2]206 582
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	[1]101 849	20 792	[2]150 263
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	[1]63 855	(NA)	[2]92 925
Value of poultry	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 206	[2]88 394
Value of livestock	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	16 244	[2]118 188
Cattle and calves	1974	13 825	589 827	90 678	11 811	219 844
	1969	16 600	515 832	74 834	13 025	248 596
	1964	28 663	555 425	50 368	16 087	221 415
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	11 758	326 893	59 389	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	13 173	255 816	45 615	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	25 906	284 285	32 124	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	10 557	279 175	47 460	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	(NA)	199 338	34 884	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	(NA)	207 135	22 480	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	2 478	47 718	11 930	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	3 866	56 478	10 731	(NA)	(NA)
	1964	11 657	77 150	9 644	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs	1974	7 654	345 282	13 636	6 129	533 466
	1969	13 132	414 291	12 652	10 106	534 342
	1964	28 225	369 365	7 752	11 688	421 395
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 421	82 758
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2 252	81 432
Sheep and lambs	1974	41	950	28	21	369
	1969	100	1 615	30	55	1 052
	1964	174	4 969	68	97	2 878
Horses and ponies	1974	3 111	10 319	2 288	300	1 081
	1969	4 868	15 246	4 091	509	1 794
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	861	1 964
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	4 295	6 203 860	11 290	590	7 216 854
	1969	7 443	6 835 645	8 987	936	6 204 664
	1964[3]	27 503	4 758 950	5 473	(NA)	2 521 750
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	4 072	5 209 786	9 899	528	4 204 431
	1969	6 899	5 668 618	7 936	852	3 987 632
	1964	25 744	4 256 150	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	580	4 439 636	1 820	193	20 674 220
	1969	447	4 186 065	1 256	243	23 425 555
	1964	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	229	16 220 500
Other livestock and poultry	1974	1 943	(NA)	(NA)	346	(X)
	1969	5 344	(NA)	(NA)	469	(X)

[1]Value of major poultry and livestock inventory items.
[2]Value of sales of livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000).
[3]Chickens 4 months old or older.

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

All Farms

		1974	1969	1964
All farms	number	29 275	39 559	56 248
Farms with harvested cropland	number	24 757	32 189	50 005
	acres	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 263 250
All crops harvested, including nursery products	farms	24 757	32 189	50 005
	value of production $1,000	546 214	249 455	278 458
Field corn for all purposes	farms	14 443	18 706	35 923
For grain or seed	farms	13 913	17 888	33 434
	acres	451 165	386 999	415 385
	bushels	28 218 982	19 172 480	16 534 500
	value of production $1,000	88 890	25 117	20 834
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	farms	1 240	1 741	(NA)
	acres	42 929	48 733	61 046
	value of production $1,000	8 303	5 580	5 405
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	farms	1 110	940	1 675
For grain or seed	farms	604	401	327
	acres	16 692	10 068	4 535
	bushels	668 334	394 564	132 855
	value of production $1,000	1 805	454	147
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	farms	572	593	(NA)
	acres	13 821	11 324	23 903
	value of production $1,000	2 151	1 077	1 871
Wheat for grain	farms	2 633	3 372	5 323
	acres	101 057	64 905	79 315
	bushels	2 688 032	2 165 011	2 091 750
	value of production $1,000	9 179	2 686	3 075
Other small grains for grain	farms	3 021	3 785	(NA)
	acres	82 700	93 794	185 380
	value of production $1,000	5 799	3 336	5 597
Soybeans for beans	farms	13 439	14 038	13 539
	acres	1 081 703	851 524	621 225
	bushels	21 516 524	18 613 432	12 907 500
	value of production $1,000	140 933	43 743	33 558
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	farms	7 119	7 846	(NA)
	acres	157 401	151 046	236 486
	tons, dry	309 783	293 363	354 019
	value of production $1,000	13 840	8 490	12 458

All Farms

		1974	1969	1964
Cotton	farms	2 509	10 161	25 928
	acres	256 082	300 240	525 585
	bales	265 454	236 417	554 075
	value of production $1,000	67 160	28 370	86 435
Peanuts for nuts	farms	607	955	1 652
	acres	13 642	13 238	10 219
	pounds	27 453 846	20 927 584	13 380 500
	value of production $1,000	5 216	2 511	1 646
Tobacco	farms	6 632	10 784	17 976
	acres	71 099	69 246	69 908
	pounds	146 343 457	129 169 001	136 615 000
	value of production $1,000	152 197	94 035	81 971
Irish potatoes[1]	farms	679	2 088	(NA)
	acres	805	3 637	5 027
	hundredweight	95 216	(NA)	(NA)
	value of production $1,000	743	1 668	1 776
Sweetpotatoes[1]	farms	1 138		
	acres	1 838		
	bushels	339 418		
	value of production $1,000	1 765		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	farms	2 089	3 168	4 911
	acres	28 255	46 033	56 692
	value of production $1,000	14 854	13 401	11 508
Berries for sale	farms	48	121	265
	acres	96	206	262
	value of production $1,000	76	103	77
Land in orchards	farms	1 066	1 620	3 507
	acres	38 252	37 597	55 686
	value of production $1,000	27 652	13 779	(NA)
Other crops	farms	751	(NA)	(NA)
	acres	14 350	30 832	63 942
	value of production $1,000	5 653	5 104	(NA)
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	farms	126	86	(NA)
	sq. ft.	1 408 593	926 790	925 999
	value of production $1,000	2 614	1 255	(NA)

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

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974

All Farms

		Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
				Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
					Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Farms and Land in Farms									
Farms	number	29 275	17 513	11 739	2 068	1 686	6 869	1 116	23
	percent	100.0	59.8	40.1	7.1	5.8	23.5	3.8	0.1
Land in farms	acres	6 177 024	5 164 205	963 341	158 376	154 389	543 749	106 827	49 478
Average size of farm	acres	211	295	82	77	92	79	96	2 151
Value of land and buildings	$1,000	2 886 776	2 344 458	499 283	74 147	70 920	303 464	50 752	43 035
Average per farm	dollars	98 609	133 870	42 532	35 854	42 064	44 179	45 476	1 871 086
Average per acre	dollars	467	454	518	468	459	558	475	870
Farms by value of farm:									
$1 to $9,999		3 022	1 033	1 989	508	303	992	186	–
$10,000 to $19,999		4 190	1 778	2 412	452	383	1 338	239	–
$20,000 to $39,999		6 536	3 288	3 247	555	480	1 904	308	1
$40,000 to $69,999		5 740	3 485	2 254	312	265	1 487	190	1
$70,000 to $99,999		2 798	1 973	823	115	100	532	76	2
$100,000 to $149,999		2 577	2 013	564	75	85	343	61	–
$150,000 to $199,999		1 225	1 035	190	18	31	117	24	–
$200,000 to $499,999		2 297	2 067	227	28	31	138	30	3
$500,000 and over		890	841	33	5	8	18	2	16
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned	farms	26 549	15 439	11 087	1 926	1 632	6 445	1 084	23
	acres	4 724 429	3 724 472	950 738	162 678	155 337	519 515	113 208	49 219
Land rented or leased from others	farms	10 776	8 665	2 108	418	204	1 385	101	3
	acres	1 679 043	1 593 294	85 421	12 628	12 874	56 491	3 428	328
Land rented or leased to others	farms	3 745	2 083	1 660	372	257	810	221	2
	acres	226 448	153 561	72 818	16 930	13 822	32 257	9 809	69
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland	farms	28 074	17 016	11 035	1 933	1 583	6 473	1 046	23
	acres	3 201 239	2 791 406	398 069	59 061	57 716	238 264	43 028	11 764
Harvested cropland	farms	24 757	16 356	8 378	1 629	1 324	4 706	719	23
	acres	2 250 952	2 146 630	98 714	18 112	15 874	57 421	7 307	5 608
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres		5 554	1 397	4 156	845	652	2 250	409	1
10 to 19 acres		4 621	1 949	2 669	516	435	1 505	213	3
20 to 29 acres		3 026	1 942	1 083	214	165	633	71	1
30 to 49 acres		3 440	3 039	400	43	56	277	24	1
50 to 99 acres		3 313	3 237	70	11	16	41	2	6
100 to 199 acres		2 115	2 112	–	–	–	–	–	3
200 to 499 acres		1 785	1 780	–	–	–	–	–	5
500 to 999 acres		600	598	–	–	–	–	–	2
1,000 acres and over		303	302	–	–	–	–	–	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	13 070	6 525	6 531	816	883	4 164	668	14
	acres	704 222	453 791	247 073	30 524	32 613	153 358	30 578	3 358
Other cropland (see text)	farms	6 842	4 495	2 334	394	364	1 349	227	13
	acres	246 065	190 985	52 282	10 425	9 229	27 485	5 143	2 798

All Farms

	Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.								
Woodland, including woodland pasture—farms	18 220	11 002	7 200	1 118	1 059	4 320	703	18
acres	2 211 837	1 779 080	402 901	65 981	70 040	217 394	49 486	29 856
Other land (see text)—farms	19 281	11 546	7 712	1 366	1 144	4 412	790	23
acres	763 948	593 719	162 371	33 334	26 633	88 091	14 313	7 858
Irrigated land—farms	446	323	116	29	12	61	14	7
acres	10 335	9 429	699	204	129	330	36	207
Color and Tenure of Operator								
All farm operators:								
Full owners	18 589	8 921	9 648	1 656	1 483	5 493	1 016	20
Part owners	7 884	6 474	1 407	264	146	936	61	3
Tenants	2 802	2 118	684	148	57	440	39	–
White farm operators:								
Full owners	15 460	7 695	7 765	1 070	1 047	4 804	844	(X)
Part owners	6 683	5 622	1 061	126	105	797	33	(X)
Tenants	2 213	1 746	467	97	32	319	19	(X)
Black and other races, see text:								
Full owners	2 960	1 077	1 883	586	436	689	172	(X)
Part owners	1 104	758	346	138	41	139	28	(X)
Tenants	542	325	217	51	25	121	20	(X)
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	418	293	125	49	–	76	–	(X)
25 to 34 years	2 466	1 557	909	155	–	754	–	(X)
35 to 44 years	4 378	2 752	1 626	202	–	1 424	–	(X)
45 to 54 years	7 466	4 459	3 007	562	–	2 445	–	(X)
55 to 64 years	8 097	4 827	3 270	1 100	–	2 170	–	(X)
65 years and over	6 137	3 335	2 802	–	1 686	–	1 116	(X)
Average age	53.4	52.7	54.4	52.2	71.3	48.2	70.9	(X)
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	17 214	10 340	6 874	1 061	1 097	4 024	692	(X)
On another farm	1 239	807	432	181	32	198	21	(X)
In a rural area not on a farm	1 329	772	557	90	43	390	34	(X)
In a city, town, or urban area	2 382	1 418	964	79	39	713	133	(X)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	23 908	13 248	10 660	1 588	1 336	6 683	1 053	(X)
None	9 424	6 765	2 659	854	1 033	312	460	(X)
Any	14 484	6 483	8 001	734	303	6 371	593	(X)
1 to 49 days	1 375	673	702	226	98	268	110	(X)
50 to 99 days	944	462	482	130	78	208	66	(X)
100 to 149 days	873	492	381	86	19	195	81	(X)
150 to 199 days	1 215	645	570	78	26	409	57	(X)
200 days and over	10 077	4 211	5 866	214	82	5 291	279	(X)
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	15 659	11 905	3 754	2 068	1 686	–	–	(X)
Other	13 303	5 318	7 985	–	–	6 869	1 116	(X)
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:								
Reporting any	19 993	10 732	9 261	1 109	892	6 431	829	(X)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	12 672	4 198	8 474	821	598	6 307	748	(X)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	7 321	6 534	787	288	294	124	81	(X)
Not reporting or reporting none	8 969	6 491	2 478	959	794	438	287	(X)
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	1 689	575	1 114	301	160	535	118	–
10 to 49 acres	7 677	3 123	4 553	902	607	2 661	383	1
50 to 69 acres	3 253	1 611	1 642	210	268	1 018	146	–
70 to 99 acres	3 424	1 884	1 540	225	218	951	146	–
100 to 139 acres	3 309	2 127	1 182	152	142	769	119	–
140 to 179 acres	1 956	1 329	626	107	101	338	80	1
180 to 219 acres	1 401	1 069	331	58	57	185	31	1
220 to 259 acres	1 102	851	248	32	47	145	24	3
260 to 499 acres	2 774	2 404	369	57	51	220	41	1
500 to 999 acres	1 631	1 522	104	16	27	40	21	5
1,000 to 1,999 acres	747	721	21	3	7	5	6	5
2,000 acres and over	312	297	9	5	1	2	1	6
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)—$1,000	676 496	661 349	12 588	2 560	1 925	7 003	1 100	2 559
Average per farm—dollars	23 108	37 763	1 072	1 238	1 142	1 020	985	111 246
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
Under $1,000 (see text)	5 833	68	5 764	806	749	3 614	595	1
$1,000 to $1,499	2 502	72	2 430	443	371	1 398	218	–
$1,500 to $1,999	2 096	94	2 002	437	308	1 071	186	–
$2,000 to $2,499	1 658	114	1 543	382	258	786	117	1
$2,500 and over	17 186	17 165	–	–	–	–	–	21
Crops and hay sold—farms	20 876	15 026	5 831	1 316	1 011	3 054	450	19
$1,000	453 831	447 174	6 171	1 605	1 041	3 071	454	486
Nursery and greenhouse products—farms	247	186	60	11	11	32	6	1
$1,000	6 051	5 993	53	11	12	25	4	5
Forest products—farms	2 011	1 560	445	35	87	287	36	6
$1,000	10 032	9 685	180	9	33	120	18	166
Livestock and livestock products—farms	16 244	9 069	7 157	1 007	940	4 504	706	18
$1,000	118 188	110 346	6 138	925	823	3 768	622	1 705
Poultry and poultry products—farms	1 206	916	285	50	81	142	12	5
$1,000	88 394	88 151	46	10	15	19	2	196

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

All Farms

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			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Production Expenses								
Total farm production expenses—farms	29 226	17 513	11 690	2 053	1 674	6 851	1 112	23
$1,000	509 937	492 240	15 175	2 440	1 836	9 662	1 237	2 522
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $499	2 455	103	2 352	507	405	1 155	285	–
$500 to $999	4 257	476	3 781	665	613	2 105	398	–
$1,000 to $1,999	5 021	1 589	3 432	571	440	2 141	280	–
$2,000 to $2,999	2 920	1 749	1 170	168	137	783	82	1
$3,000 to $4,999	3 379	2 655	724	102	58	514	50	–
$5,000 to $9,999	3 733	3 500	231	40	21	153	17	2
$10,000 and over	7 461	7 441	–	–	–	–	–	20
Livestock and poultry purchased—farms	8 095	4 519	3 564	481	370	2 394	319	12
$1,000	30 450	28 671	1 675	164	132	1 238	141	103
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 555	506	1 049	188	136	617	108	–
$100 to $499	2 665	1 192	1 471	189	158	999	125	2
$500 to $999	1 161	601	559	66	45	406	42	1
$1,000 to $2,499	1 158	753	402	32	27	304	39	3
$2,500 to $4,999	566	485	80	6	2	67	5	1
$5,000 and over	990	982	3	–	2	1	–	5
Feed for livestock and poultry—farms	16 033	8 294	7 720	1 174	953	4 845	748	19
$1,000	96 996	93 455	2 835	442	319	1 819	254	706
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 102	478	1 624	304	225	948	147	–
$100 to $499	6 328	2 131	4 197	614	498	2 655	430	–
$500 to $999	2 747	1 465	1 281	140	162	854	125	1
$1,000 to $2,499	2 434	1 857	572	109	65	357	41	5
$2,500 to $4,999	826	778	44	5	3	31	5	4
$5,000 and over	1 596	1 585	2	2	–	–	–	9
Commercially mixed formula feeds—farms	11 839	7 182	4 642	810	645	2 722	465	15
tons	563 844	552 585	9 190	1 860	1 290	5 100	939	2 070
$1,000	80 906	79 406	1 200	230	166	691	113	300
Farms that used—								
1 to 49 tons	10 711	6 061	4 642	810	645	2 722	465	8
50 to 99 tons	269	268	–	–	–	–	–	1
100 to 199 tons	247	244	–	–	–	–	–	3
200 to 499 tons	312	310	–	–	–	–	–	2
500 tons and over	300	299	–	–	–	–	–	1
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 444	698	1 746	328	242	999	177	–
$100 to $499	4 239	2 040	2 199	362	281	1 338	218	–
$500 to $999	1 675	1 198	476	63	95	269	49	1
$1,000 to $2,499	1 607	1 394	207	56	25	106	20	6
$2,500 to $4,999	579	564	14	1	2	10	1	1
$5,000 and over	1 295	1 288	–	–	–	–	–	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees—farms	16 400	11 911	4 470	780	636	2 664	390	19
$1,000	13 464	13 060	363	68	47	221	27	40
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	4 685	1 641	3 043	505	466	1 773	299	1
$100 to $499	6 733	5 308	1 419	273	170	885	91	6
$500 to $999	2 139	2 130	7	2	–	5	–	2
$1,000 to $2,499	1 671	1 665	1	–	–	1	–	5
$2,500 to $4,999	667	665	–	–	–	–	–	2
$5,000 and over	505	502	–	–	–	–	–	3
Commercial fertilizer—farms	24 422	15 302	9 099	1 524	1 232	5 497	846	21
$1,000	84 760	81 099	3 264	507	447	2 049	261	397
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 765	331	2 434	470	329	1 394	241	–
$100 to $499	6 549	2 008	4 541	741	639	2 715	446	–
$500 to $999	3 886	2 458	1 426	205	164	951	106	2
$1,000 to $2,499	4 749	4 111	633	96	90	398	49	5
$2,500 to $4,999	2 772	2 709	61	12	9	36	4	2
$5,000 and over	3 701	3 685	4	–	1	3	–	12
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)—farms	12 461	9 682	2 759	455	394	1 709	201	20
$1,000	31 020	30 653	296	57	38	180	21	71
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	2 869	1 193	1 675	272	269	1 010	124	1
$100 to $499	4 087	3 051	1 032	169	115	677	71	4
$500 to $999	1 580	1 527	48	11	10	22	5	5
$1,000 to $2,499	1 745	1 736	4	3	–	–	1	5
$2,500 to $4,999	913	913	–	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000 and over	1 267	1 262	–	–	–	–	–	5
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business—farms	27 999	17 061	10 915	1 882	1 548	6 443	1 042	23
$1,000	33 816	31 814	1 897	355	277	1 103	162	106
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	4 725	652	4 073	646	535	2 436	456	–
$100 to $499	11 716	5 394	6 319	1 154	937	3 687	541	3
$500 to $999	4 352	3 860	489	74	69	301	45	3
$1,000 to $2,499	3 688	3 649	34	8	7	19	–	5
$2,500 to $4,999	2 024	2 016	–	–	–	–	–	8
$5,000 and over	1 494	1 490	–	–	–	–	–	4
Hired farm labor—farms	10 834	8 400	2 412	457	298	1 474	183	22
$1,000	53 247	51 773	689	173	81	375	61	785
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 215	415	800	133	117	490	60	–
$100 to $499	2 919	1 637	1 282	240	143	805	94	–
$500 to $999	1 252	1 050	202	52	20	116	14	–
$1,000 to $2,499	1 784	1 678	105	22	16	54	13	1
$2,500 to $4,999	1 297	1 270	23	10	2	9	2	4
$5,000 and over	2 367	2 350	–	–	–	–	–	17

Table 9. **Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974**—Continued

All Farms

	Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Production Expenses—Continued								
Contract labor—farms	1 195	862	333	64	32	215	22	–
$1,000	5 024	4 935	89	16	6	64	3	–
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	74	1	73	11	3	52	7	–
$100 to $499	481	245	236	49	27	145	15	–
$500 to $999	189	175	14	2	2	10	–	–
$1,000 to $2,499	183	180	3	1	–	2	–	–
$2,500 to $4,999	120	115	5	1	–	4	–	–
$5,000 and over	148	146	2	–	–	2	–	–
Machine hire and customwork—farms	11 610	8 404	3 196	579	508	1 883	226	10
$1,000	10 713	10 121	566	117	83	316	50	26
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 922	660	1 262	198	206	764	94	–
$100 to $499	5 041	3 260	1 777	344	287	1 031	115	4
$500 to $999	2 051	1 931	119	25	12	68	14	1
$1,000 to $2,499	1 740	1 704	34	10	3	20	1	2
$2,500 to $4,999	558	555	2	2	–	–	–	1
$5,000 and over	298	294	2	–	–	–	2	2
Other production expenses—farms	26 002	17 426	8 553	1 494	1 196	5 128	735	23
$1,000	150 446	146 659	3 500	541	406	2 296	258	288
Farms with expenditures of—								
$1 to $99	1 507	384	1 123	229	199	590	105	–
$100 to $499	8 449	3 012	5 435	989	778	3 169	499	2
$500 to $999	3 583	2 438	1 144	166	139	761	78	1
$1,000 to $2,499	4 357	3 596	757	99	73	535	50	4
$2,500 to $4,999	2 815	2 718	91	11	7	70	3	6
$5,000 and over	5 291	5 278	3	–	–	3	–	10
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income—farms	7 317	4 539	2 776	514	363	1 634	265	2
$1,000	14 297	12 338	1 957	539	316	896	207	2
Farms with farm-related income of—								
$1 to $499	3 370	1 554	1 816	273	217	1 137	189	–
$500 to $999	1 269	818	450	102	56	264	28	1
$1,000 to $1,999	1 114	784	329	89	53	166	21	1
$2,000 to $2,999	512	445	67	14	17	27	9	–
$3,000 to $4,999	472	415	57	11	11	29	6	–
$5,000 and over	580	523	57	25	9	11	12	–
Customwork and other agricultural services—farms	2 034	1 465	569	138	81	317	33	–
$1,000	6 158	5 582	576	196	66	249	65	–
Recreational services—farms	268	193	74	23	8	34	9	1
$1,000	316	263	52	8	4	29	11	1
Government farm programs—farms	3 308	2 025	1 283	140	151	862	130	–
$1,000	2 086	1 704	382	42	45	261	33	–
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments—farms	2 723	1 603	1 119	270	162	566	121	1
$1,000	4 734	3 833	900	290	184	339	86	1
Other farm-related sources—farms	384	314	70	8	15	40	7	–
$1,000	1 004	955	48	3	17	17	11	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources—farms	2 283	1 447	836	143	102	490	101	–
$1,000	4 817	4 150	667	183	92	324	69	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	20 953	12 454	8 493	1 553	1 208	4 909	823	6
number	28 688	17 941	10 735	1 858	1 378	6 529	970	12
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	22 529	13 949	8 558	1 434	1 156	5 216	752	22
number	33 651	24 287	9 254	1 523	1 217	5 719	795	110
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	23 795	14 471	9 301	1 505	1 244	5 728	824	23
number	45 321	33 824	11 311	1 784	1 513	7 066	948	186
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	23 653	14 391	9 240	1 497	1 231	5 693	819	22
number	44 236	33 039	11 023	1 754	1 493	6 849	927	174
Crawler tractors—farms	955	674	275	26	20	208	21	6
number	1 085	785	288	30	20	217	21	12
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	4 114	3 886	223	48	25	134	16	5
number	4 706	4 460	237	52	27	142	16	9
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	3 242	2 983	252	52	26	161	13	7
number	3 636	3 358	268	62	26	167	13	10
Corn heads for combines—farms	2 114	2 032	77	24	11	36	6	5
number	2 285	2 192	86	31	11	38	6	7
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 313	1 129	181	30	15	129	7	3
number	1 351	1 166	182	31	15	129	7	3
Mower conditioners—farms	2 292	1 599	684	77	80	480	47	9
number	2 471	1 717	743	85	82	523	53	11
Pickup balers—farms	3 590	2 675	905	120	104	618	63	10
number	3 719	2 786	921	128	105	625	63	12
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 611	1 228	377	53	42	251	31	6
number	1 650	1 260	384	57	42	254	31	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	882	751	121	8	12	94	7	10
number	1 075	927	132	9	13	103	7	16
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	27 362	16 120	11 219	1 901	1 553	6 703	1 062	23
$1,000	449 233	365 452	82 229	14 575	10 556	49 925	7 173	1 552
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:								
$1 to $999	352	134	218	43	50	98	27	–
$1,000 to $4,999	6 501	2 729	3 771	578	555	2 256	382	1
$5,000 to $9,999	8 307	3 201	5 106	896	700	3 009	501	–
$10,000 to $19,999	5 567	3 858	1 704	302	212	1 055	135	5
$20,000 to $29,999	2 841	2 533	305	59	24	211	11	3
$30,000 to $49,999	2 193	2 092	98	19	12	63	4	3
$50,000 and over	1 601	1 573	17	4	–	11	2	11

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

All Farms

	Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Livestock and Poultry								
Livestock and poultry inventory:								
Cattle and calves—farms	13 825	7 058	6 751	811	883	4 368	689	16
—number	589 827	458 359	126 934	15 096	16 069	83 424	12 345	4 534
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 676	763	913	157	197	455	104	–
5 to 9	1 684	565	1 118	133	132	738	115	1
10 to 19	3 195	1 008	2 186	231	217	1 515	223	1
20 and over	7 270	4 722	2 534	290	337	1 660	247	14
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	11 758	6 281	5 461	627	735	3 568	531	16
—number	326 893	252 937	71 348	8 036	9 331	47 563	6 418	2 608
Farms with—								
1 to 4	2 004	905	1 099	161	194	609	135	–
5 to 9	2 119	716	1 402	138	177	963	124	1
10 to 19	2 890	1 149	1 738	186	192	1 195	165	3
20 and over	4 745	3 511	1 222	142	172	801	107	12
Beef cows—farms	10 557	5 537	5 005	542	609	3 374	480	15
—number	279 175	208 538	68 747	7 557	8 746	46 293	6 151	1 890
Milk cows—farms	2 478	1 377	1 094	175	235	571	113	7
—number	47 718	44 399	2 601	479	585	1 270	267	718
Hogs and pigs—farms	7 654	4 820	2 826	606	468	1 517	235	8
—number	345 282	315 752	27 861	7 129	3 866	14 572	2 294	1 669
Farms with—								
1 to 4	1 870	743	1 127	171	232	625	99	–
5 to 9	1 299	678	621	139	84	350	48	–
10 to 24	2 082	1 254	825	217	128	415	65	3
25 and over	2 403	2 145	253	79	24	127	23	5
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	5 234	3 666	1 562	386	245	808	123	6
—number	68 469	63 396	4 694	1 181	608	2 527	378	379
Farms by litters farrowed:								
1 litter	888	450	438	112	93	202	31	–
2 to 4 litters	2 072	1 230	842	202	124	449	67	–
5 to 9 litters	1 037	793	244	60	25	136	23	–
10 to 19 litters	667	628	38	12	3	21	2	1
20 litters and over	570	565	–	–	–	–	–	5
Sheep and lambs—farms	41	19	21	2	–	14	5	1
—number	950	601	182	6	–	69	107	167
Farms with—								
1	6	2	4	1	–	3	–	–
2 to 4	6	3	3	–	–	3	–	–
5 to 9	11	2	9	1	–	8	–	–
10 to 24	7	3	4	–	–	–	4	–
25 and over	11	9	1	–	–	–	1	1
Horses and ponies—farms	3 111	1 470	1 635	171	162	1 185	117	6
—number	10 319	6 163	4 035	437	331	2 984	283	121
Farms with—								
1	1 194	483	711	82	75	490	64	–
2 to 4	1 423	688	734	70	79	546	39	1
5 to 9	339	185	153	14	6	127	6	1
10 to 24	115	75	37	5	2	22	8	3
25 and over	40	39	–	–	–	–	–	1
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	4 295	2 176	2 116	441	442	1 024	209	3
—number	6 203 860	6 139 609	49 188	10 371	10 246	24 326	4 245	15 063
Farms with—								
1 to 99	3 838	1 752	2 086	434	434	1 010	208	–
100 to 399	135	104	30	7	8	14	1	1
400 to 1.599	46	46	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.600 and over	276	274	–	–	–	–	–	2
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	4 072	2 073	1 996	411	424	963	198	3
—number	5 209 786	5 152 407	42 346	9 043	9 114	20 376	3 813	15 033
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	580	285	294	66	75	125	28	1
—number	4 439 636	4 435 681	3 855	940	1 075	1 482	358	100
Other livestock and poultry—farms	1 943	746	1 193	226	207	660	100	4
Livestock and poultry sold:								
Cattle and calves—farms	11 811	6 268	5 527	619	690	3 664	554	16
—number	219 844	181 631	36 448	4 568	4 988	23 063	3 829	1 765
Hogs and pigs—farms	6 129	4 391	1 729	434	263	900	132	9
—number	533 466	504 788	25 409	6 041	3 536	13 925	1 907	3 269
Feeder pigs sold—farms	1 421	866	553	115	79	324	35	2
—number	82 758	73 433	9 061	1 553	1 086	5 780	642	264
Sheep and lambs—farms	21	16	4	–	1	–	3	1
—number	369	265	53	–	3	–	50	51
Horses and ponies—farms	300	170	129	8	13	100	8	1
—number	1 081	803	273	16	27	202	28	5
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	590	479	108	18	39	44	7	3
—number	7 216 854	7 176 952	26 562	4 830	20 124	1 495	113	13 340
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	528	422	103	18	34	44	7	3
—number	4 204 431	4 164 983	26 228	4 830	19 918	1 367	113	13 220
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	193	172	20	3	1	14	2	1
—number	20 674 220	20 673 651	269	54	20	86	109	300
Other livestock and poultry—farms	346	172	171	24	13	125	9	3
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes—farms	14 443	9 934	4 493	968	791	2 334	400	16
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	3 091	1 085	2 006	435	332	1 044	195	–
5 to 14 acres	5 045	2 954	2 091	447	403	1 058	183	–
15 to 24 acres	1 980	1 680	296	66	47	164	19	4
25 acres and over	4 327	4 215	100	20	9	68	3	12
For grain or seed—farms	13 913	9 597	4 303	921	772	2 220	390	13
—acres	451 165	421 863	27 704	5 866	4 737	14 879	2 222	1 598
—bushels	28 218 982	27 120 878	1 004 683	222 685	173 983	523 820	84 195	93 421
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed—farms	1 240	923	307	68	34	188	17	10
—acres	42 929	40 529	1 550	331	231	929	59	850

Table 9. **Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued**

All Farms

	Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup—farms	1 110	784	320	42	46	211	21	6
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	244	80	164	17	27	112	8	–
5 to 14 acres	362	233	129	23	14	80	12	–
15 to 24 acres	133	111	21	2	5	13	1	1
25 acres and over	371	360	6	–	–	6	–	5
For grain or seed—farms	604	493	109	17	11	78	3	2
acres	16 692	16 010	572	85	52	413	22	110
bushels	668 334	643 076	19 961	1 882	1 808	15 354	917	5 297
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed—farms	572	357	211	25	35	133	18	4
acres	13 821	12 188	1 409	199	200	883	127	224
Wheat for grain—farms	2 633	2 194	433	44	112	232	45	6
acres	101 057	98 010	2 719	289	605	1 561	264	328
bushels	2 688 032	2 620 050	56 822	6 686	12 300	31 849	5 987	11 160
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	390	185	205	19	67	98	21	–
5 to 14 acres	788	594	194	20	38	113	23	–
15 to 24 acres	436	408	27	2	6	18	1	1
25 acres and over	1 019	1 007	7	3	1	3	–	5
Other small grains for grain—farms	3 021	2 320	696	88	140	408	60	5
acres	82 700	77 626	4 535	736	784	2 611	404	539
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	644	314	330	35	79	188	28	–
5 to 14 acres	1 042	738	304	44	50	183	27	–
15 to 24 acres	454	404	49	3	9	33	4	1
25 acres and over	881	864	13	6	2	4	1	4
Soybeans for beans—farms	13 439	11 093	2 339	560	403	1 238	138	7
acres	1 081 703	1 056 929	23 847	5 678	3 839	13 028	1 302	927
bushels	21 516 524	21 129 937	363 652	94 267	58 144	191 261	19 980	22 935
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	775	321	454	140	68	213	33	–
5 to 14 acres	2 993	1 698	1 295	277	257	690	71	–
15 to 24 acres	2 083	1 564	518	120	73	293	32	1
25 acres and over	7 588	7 510	72	23	5	42	2	6
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)—farms	7 119	4 172	2 932	337	453	1 900	242	15
acres	157 401	123 978	32 433	3 698	4 677	21 523	2 535	990
tons	309 783	263 166	43 536	4 979	6 000	29 352	3 205	3 081
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	1 127	513	614	86	113	349	66	–
5 to 14 acres	2 907	1 335	1 569	166	237	1 048	118	3
15 to 24 acres	1 270	797	473	59	73	302	39	–
25 to 49 acres	1 057	810	243	18	21	186	18	4
50 acres and over	758	717	33	8	9	15	1	8
Cotton—farms	2 509	2 261	245	77	49	92	27	3
acres	256 082	254 766	1 181	375	250	471	85	135
bales	265 454	264 448	830	287	152	303	88	176
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	251	118	133	38	24	48	23	–
5 to 9 acres	327	240	87	31	18	34	4	–
10 acres and over	1 931	1 903	25	8	7	10	–	3
Peanuts for nuts—farms	607	323	284	71	63	133	17	–
acres	13 642	13 274	368	91	65	195	17	–
pounds	27 453 846	27 103 222	350 624	102 585	49 595	190 167	8 277	–
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres	403	124	279	71	63	128	17	–
5 to 9 acres	42	38	4	–	–	4	–	–
10 to 14 acres	21	20	1	–	–	1	–	–
15 acres and over	141	141	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco—farms	6 632	5 867	764	291	131	277	65	1
acres	71 099	70 315	764	299	123	286	56	20
pounds	146 343 457	145 287 632	1 025 825	402 752	177 061	368 887	77 125	30 000
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.4 acres	116	33	83	33	12	25	13	–
0.5 to 0.9 acres	417	103	314	111	56	117	30	–
1.0 to 1.4 acres	419	190	229	91	51	75	12	–
1.5 to 1.9 acres	299	230	69	33	4	26	6	–
2.0 to 4.9 acres	1 668	1 599	69	23	8	34	4	–
5.0 acres and over	3 713	3 712	–	–	–	–	–	1
Irish potatoes—farms	679	320	354	70	79	167	38	5
acres	805	680	119	28	38	42	12	6
hundredweight	95 216	80 928	13 718	2 863	5 656	4 134	1 065	570
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	552	229	321	62	67	159	33	2
1.0 to 2.9 acres	87	53	31	7	11	8	5	3
3.0 to 4.9 acres	12	11	1	1	–	–	–	–
5.0 acres and over	28	27	1	–	1	–	–	–
Sweetpotatoes—farms	1 138	596	536	143	129	223	41	6
acres	1 838	1 583	229	63	52	101	14	26
bushels	339 418	304 674	25 315	6 707	6 744	10 883	981	9 429
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	796	322	473	131	113	193	36	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres	203	141	60	12	14	29	5	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres	51	48	2	–	2	–	–	1
5.0 acres and over	88	85	1	–	–	1	–	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale—farms	2 089	1 262	820	197	147	410	66	7
acres	28 255	26 397	1 740	346	324	981	89	119
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	313	106	207	59	22	99	27	–
1.0 to 2.9 acres	692	292	399	99	85	187	28	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	267	152	113	23	24	57	9	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres	299	212	86	14	13	57	2	1
10.0 acres and over	518	500	15	2	3	10	–	3

Table 9. Summary by Occupation and Age: 1974—Continued

All Farms

	Total	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	Farms with sales under $2,500					Abnormal farms
			Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Berries for sale—farms	48	18	29	9	4	12	4	1
acres	96	64	30	7	2	15	5	2
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	21	3	18	6	4	6	2	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	19	11	7	2	-	4	1	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	6	2	4	1	-	2	1	-
5.0 acres and over	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards—farms	1 066	693	366	46	61	209	50	7
acres	38 252	36 858	1 227	198	206	671	152	168
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	107	8	99	14	9	57	19	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	199	85	114	6	29	68	11	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres	119	58	60	9	7	33	11	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres	164	105	57	11	9	32	5	2
10.0 acres and over	477	437	36	6	7	19	4	4
All other crops—farms	751	537	211	47	38	112	14	3
acres	14 350	13 448	848	144	112	546	46	54
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	94	67	27	2	7	18	-	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres	205	111	93	28	15	39	11	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	87	57	30	12	3	15	-	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres	90	53	37	1	12	22	2	-
10.0 to 14.9 acres	73	60	12	2	1	9	-	1
15.0 to 24.9 acres	73	64	9	2	-	6	1	-
25.0 acres and over	129	125	3	-	-	3	-	1
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection—farms	126	97	29	2	7	20	-	-
square feet	1 408 593	1 393 398	15 195	1 468	4 100	9 627	-	-

Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969	1964
Farms—number	17 513	17 413	23 547
Land in farms—acres	5 164 205	5 207 523	5 730 560
Average size of farm—acres	295	299	243
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	2 344 458	1 317 183	976 985
Average per farm—dollars	133 870	75 643	41 491
Average per acre—dollars	454	253	170
Land in Farms According to Use			
Total cropland—farms	17 016	16 979	(NA)
acres	2 791 406	2 742 709	2 627 940
Harvested cropland—farms	16 356	16 264	22 892
acres	2 146 630	1 831 568	1 892 112
Farms by acres harvested:			
1 to 49 acres	8 327	8 585	14 128
50 to 99 acres	3 237	3 269	4 243
100 to 199 acres	2 112	2 081	2 412
200 to 499 acres	1 780	1 597	1 575
500 to 999 acres	598	555	432
1,000 acres and over	302	177	102
1,000 to 1,999 acres	247	153	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	55	24	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing—farms	6 525	6 815	8 129
acres	453 791	434 207	357 395
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured—farms	1 251	2 006	4 999
acres	45 039	91 312	195 612
Cropland on which all crops failed—farms	660	1 202	1 666
acres	20 509	39 429	23 113

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969	1964
Land in Farms According to Use—Con.			
Total cropland—Continued			
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow—farms	476	931	(NA)
acres	20 158	42 262	(NA)
Cropland idle—farms	2 716	6 968	6 576
acres	105 279	303 931	159 708
Total woodland—farms	11 002	12 272	15 910
acres	1 779 080	1 972 620	2 627 920
Woodland pastured—farms	4 808	5 152	5 843
acres	537 290	537 075	471 521
Woodland not pastured—farms	8 342	9 530	14 260
acres	1 241 790	1 435 545	2 156 399
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	2 790	2 434	4 791
acres	309 531	247 821	289 641
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 972	1 489	2 504
acres	164 597	149 537	138 638
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 065	1 252	(NA)
acres	144 934	98 284	151 003
Other land (see text)—farms	10 843	10 493	20 019
acres	284 188	244 373	184 920
Irrigated land—farms	323	594	1 232
acres	9 429	14 374	17 728
Total pastureland, all types—farms	9 433	9 449	(NA)
acres	1 300 612	1 219 103	1 118 557

Table 11. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969	1964	1974					
					Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land		
				Acres in farms	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres harvested	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres irrigated
Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	17 513	17 413	23 547	5 164 205	16 356	4 920 258	2 146 630	323	114 476	9 429
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres	575	562	696	2 489	424	2 046	1 755	33	107	71
10 to 49 acres	3 123	2 949	7 319	94 239	2 907	88 384	56 650	64	1 806	513
50 to 69 acres	1 611	1 532	2 046	93 723	1 533	89 284	49 578	35	1 987	378
70 to 99 acres	1 884	1 775	2 334	157 434	1 767	147 859	74 091	24	2 081	469
100 to 139 acres	2 127	1 944	2 298	248 107	2 001	233 423	108 556	35	3 892	396
140 to 179 acres	1 329	1 367	1 534	210 087	1 240	196 157	86 993	16	2 570	383
180 to 219 acres	1 069	1 121	1 182	211 817	1 004	199 005	89 286	17	3 382	297
220 to 259 acres	851	897	927	202 738	809	192 879	85 590	6	1 471	398
260 to 499 acres	2 404	2 624	2 632	854 449	2 247	799 420	365 966	41	14 909	1 041
500 to 999 acres	1 522	1 662	1 617	1 039 524	1 440	985 889	451 503	25	17 060	1 022
1,000 to 1,999 acres	721	702	642	964 497	697	933 084	428 420	13	17 719	715
2,000 acres and over	297	278	320	1 085 101	287	1 052 828	348 242	14	47 492	3 746
5,000 acres and over	54	(NA)	(NA)	425 125	53	418 352	68 907	2	(D)	476

Table 12. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	323	594
Proportion of farms	percent	1.8	3.4
Total land irrigated	acres	9 429	14 374
Average per farm	acres	29.2	24.1
Irrigated farms by acres irrigated:			
1 to 9 acres	farms	160	295
	acres	585	1 387
10 to 49 acres	farms	129	243
	acres	2 760	5 047
50 to 99 acres	farms	19	32
	acres	1 185	1 957
100 to 199 acres	farms	3	15
	acres	392	1 982
200 to 499 acres	farms	10	6
	acres	2 632	1 578
500 to 999 acres	farms	1	3
	acres	600	2 423
1,000 acres and over	farms	1	–
	acres	1 275	–
Cropland irrigated	farms	321	592
	acres	9 407	13 403
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	317	574
	acres	9 043	12 165
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	6	21
	acres	296	1 169
Other cropland irrigated	farms	5	8
	acres	68	69
Improved pastureland and rangeland irrigated	farms	3	4
	acres	22	971

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	8 066	9 088
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.9	0.6
Method of irrigation:			
Furrows or ditches	farms	39	17
	acres	1 024	251
Flooding	Farms	9	9
	acres	1 054	1 126
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	101	569
	acres	3 287	12 074
Other sprinkler systems	farms	182	
	acres	4 024	
Subirrigation	farms	3	5
	acres	128	955
Land in irrigated farms	acres	114 476	269 438
Cropland	acres	63 635	135 677
Harvested cropland	acres	55 244	94 853
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	178	(X)
	acres irrigated	4 969	(X)
Farms with artificial drainage	farms	2 466	4 913
Proportion of farms	percent	14.1	28.2
Land in farms with drainage	acres	1 180 254	1 933 481
Land drained	acres	444 741	711 229
Average per farm	acres	180.3	144.7
Land drained by systems installed in census year	farms	299	361
	acres	19 473	21 244
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	3 597	(NA)
	number	9 234	(NA)
	acres	16 328	(NA)

Table 13. Agricultural Chemicals Used: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	15 648	16 597
	$1,000	111 751	55 442
Commercial fertilizer	farms	15 302	15 843
	acres on which used	2 000 735	1 819 657
	$1,000	81 099	40 259
Dry fertilizer	farms	14 054	15 714
	tons	482 328	503 589
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 49 tons		11 742	13 278
50 to 99 tons		1 294	1 352
100 to 199 tons		614	714
200 to 499 tons		337	332
500 to 799 tons		47	30
800 to 999 tons		7	
1,000 tons and over		13	8
Liquid fertilizer	farms	5 522	5 111
	tons	98 612	99 796
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 9 tons		3 505	3 161
10 to 49 tons		1 550	1 473
50 to 99 tons		286	301
100 to 199 tons		130	120
200 to 499 tons		46	45
500 tons and over		5	11
Lime	farms	2 807	3 947
	acres on which used	295 942	269 899
	tons	283 273	256 122
	$1,000	3 309	1 812
Farms by tons used:			
1 to 49 tons		1 461	2 402
50 to 99 tons		545	754
100 to 199 tons		397	504
200 to 499 tons		289	239
500 to 999 tons		89	36
1,000 tons and over		26	12

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—Continued			
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control insects, nematodes, diseases, and weeds:			
Insects on hay crops	farms	127	145
	acres on which used	5 618	6 741
	$1,000	36	23
Insects on other crops	farms	5 513	9 832
	acres on which used	805 876	714 757
	$1,000	14 987	8 246
Nematodes in crops	farms	1 552	2 021
	acres on which used	147 034	41 382
	$1,000	1 448	525
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	339	489
	acres on which used	41 184	36 169
	$1,000	838	469
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	4 199	4 759
	acres on which used	888 639	571 634
	$1,000	8 059	3 140
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	300	471
	acres on which used	18 214	25 542
	$1,000	61	54
Weeds on other land	farms	243	(NA)
	acres on which used	4 495	(NA)
	$1,000	30	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	945	2 732
	acres on which used	131 789	160 504
	$1,000	814	641
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	829	2 160
	$1,000	182	200
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	2 089	(NA)
	$1,000	888	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Total farms	1974 Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	1969	1964
Farms and land in farms operated by—				
All farm operators—farms	17 513	2 160	17 413	23 547
acres	5 164 205	209 124	5 207 523	5 730 560
Harvested cropland—farms	16 356	2 136	16 264	22 892
acres	2 146 630	104 462	1 831 568	1 892 112
Full owners—farms	8 921	1 077	7 866	7 610
acres	2 196 108	83 429	2 194 804	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	7 963	1 060	6 895	(NA)
acres	519 807	28 365	431 190	(NA)
Part owners—farms	6 474	758	6 696	7 667
acres	2 604 266	101 198	2 669 383	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	6 351	756	6 594	(NA)
acres	1 401 405	61 183	1 209 312	(NA)
Tenants—farms	2 118	325	2 851	8 033
acres	363 831	24 497	343 336	(NA)
Harvested cropland—farms	2 042	320	2 775	(NA)
acres	225 418	14 914	191 066	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	12.1	15.0	16.3	34.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family—farms	15 867	2 088	14 920	(NA)
acres	4 216 261	195 714	4 054 936	(NA)
Partnership—farms	1 356	72	1 997	(NA)
acres	636 051	13 410	825 422	(NA)
Corporation, including family corporations—farms	247	(NA)	358	(NA)
acres	271 409	(NA)	284 282	(NA)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Total farms	1974 Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	1969	1964
Farms by type of organization—Continued				
Other—farms	43	(NA)	138	(NA)
acres	40 484	(NA)	42 883	(NA)
Farm operators by age group:[1]				
Under 25 years	293	14	224	368
25 to 34 years	1 557	122	1 536	2 328
35 to 44 years	2 752	291	3 424	5 746
45 to 54 years	4 459	580	5 191	7 477
55 to 64 years	4 827	598	4 818	5 302
65 years and over	3 335	555	2 220	2 326
Average age	52.7	55.3	50.9	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:[1]				
On farm operated	10 340	1 240	12 677	20 826
On another farm	807	117		
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	150	3 091	1 972
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	103		
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[1]	6 483	790	7 490	8 307
1 to 49 days	673	111	1 251	2 186
50 to 99 days	462	102	926	1 397
100 to 149 days	492	98	1 093	1 179
150 to 199 days	645	113		
200 days and over	4 211	366	4 220	3 545
Farm operators by principal occupation:[1]				
Farming	11 905	1 668	(NA)	(NA)
Other than farming	5 318	492	(NA)	(NA)

[1]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 15. Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)—farms	17 513	17 413
$1,000	661 349	342 932
Average per farm—dollars	37 763	19 694
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:		
Under $2,500 (see text)	348	584
$2,500 to $4,999	3 665	4 992
$5,000 to $7,499	2 355	2 846
$7,500 to $9,999	1 527	1 729
$10,000 to $14,999	1 966	2 046
$15,000 to $19,999	1 296	1 187
$20,000 to $29,999	1 581	1 364
$30,000 to $39,999	1 009	765
$40,000 to $59,999	1 159	761
$60,000 and over	2 607	1 139
$60,000 to $79,999	730	384
$80,000 to $99,999	375	236
$100,000 and over	1 502	519
$100,000 to $199,999	886	371
$200,000 to $499,999	509	127
$500,000 and over	107	21
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:		
Crops, including nursery products and hay—farms	15 164	15 108
$1,000	453 167	195 169
Grains—farms	13 015	11 775
$1,000	192 331	54 259
Tobacco—farms	5 859	8 122
$1,000	139 951	82 308

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued		
Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued		
Cotton and cottonseed—farms	2 243	5 422
$1,000	61 314	23 310
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage—farms	1 457	1 525
$1,000	5 838	3 771
Other field crops—farms	631	830
$1,000	6 627	3 405
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons—farms	1 182	1 474
$1,000	15 004	10 834
Fruits, nuts, and berries—farms	516	772
$1,000	26 110	14 028
Nursery and greenhouse products—farms	186	124
$1,000	5 993	3 255
Forest products sold—farms	1 560	1 746
$1,000	9 685	6 472
Livestock, poultry, and their products sold—farms	9 421	10 193
$1,000	198 497	141 290
Poultry and poultry products—farms	916	1 231
$1,000	88 151	59 727
Dairy products—farms	484	821
$1,000	41 620	31 124
Cattle and calves—farms	6 268	(NA)
$1,000	34 360	30 085
Sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	9	[1]20 355
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 391	
$1,000	33 578	
Other livestock and livestock products—farms	242	
$1,000	779	

[1]Includes goats and mohair sold.

Table 16. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses—farms	4 539	(NA)
$1,000	12 338	(NA)
Farms by total farm related income:		
$1 to $249	841	(NA)
$250 to $499	713	(NA)
$500 to $999	818	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	1 644	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	296	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	135	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	38	(NA)
$30,000 and over	54	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services—farms	1 465	1 688
$1,000	5 582	3 778
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	229	350
$250 to $499	192	274
$500 to $999	231	300
$1,000 to $4,999	535	633
$5,000 to $9,999	146	80
$10,000 and over	132	51
Recreational services—farms	193	250
$1,000	263	399
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	95	92
$250 to $499	23	40
$500 to $999	19	48
$1,000 to $4,999	48	53
$5,000 to $9,999	5	11
$10,000 and over	3	6
Government farm programs—farms	2 025	9 502
$1,000	1 704	30 524
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	592	1 322
$250 to $499	498	1 348
$500 to $999	461	1 955
$1,000 to $4,999	442	3 387
$5,000 to $9,999	23	780
$10,000 and over	9	710
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments—farms	1 603	(NA)
$1,000	3 833	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	209	(NA)
$250 to $499	245	(NA)
$500 to $999	278	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	731	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	88	(NA)
$10,000 and over	52	(NA)
Other farm-related sources—farms	314	(NA)
$1,000	955	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	113	(NA)
$250 to $499	41	(NA)
$500 to $999	33	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	93	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	21	(NA)
$10,000 and over	13	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources—farms	1 447	(NA)
$1,000	4 150	(NA)
Farms with income of—		
$1 to $249	278	(NA)
$250 to $499	176	(NA)
$500 to $999	282	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	551	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	79	(NA)
$10,000 and over	81	(NA)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[1]—farms	9 461
$1,000	101 763
Farms by family off-farm income:	
$1 to $249	218
$250 to $499	130
$500 to $999	269
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016
$20,000 to $29,999	706
$30,000 and over	351
Nonfarm business, other than farm-related[1]—farms	1 912
$1,000	21 760
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	32
$250 to $499	44
$500 to $999	60
$1,000 to $4,999	462
$5,000 to $9,999	528
10,000 to $19,999	536
$20,000 and over	250
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips[1]—farms	6 527
$1,000	64 519
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	163
$250 to $499	91
$500 to $999	136
$1,000 to $4,999	1 448
$5,000 to $9,999	1 863
10,000 to $19,999	2 269
$20,000 and over	557
Interest, dividends, or royalties[1]—farms	2 942
$1,000	8 400
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	735
$250 to $499	417
$500 to $999	444
$1,000 to $4,999	1 010
$5,000 to $9,999	183
$10,000 and over	153
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.[1]—farms	1 678
$1,000	4 779
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	96
$250 to $499	75
$500 to $999	166
$1,000 to $4,999	1 085
$5,000 to $9,999	206
$10,000 and over	50
Rental income of nonfarm property[1]—farms	792
$1,000	2 305
Farms with income of—	
$1 to $249	107
$250 to $499	156
$500 to $999	155
$1,000 to $4,999	244
$5,000 to $9,999	69
$10,000 and over	61

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

Table 17. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974		1969	1964
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)		
Total farm production expenses—farms	17 513	(X)	17 413	23 536
$1,000	(X)	492 240	295 569	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $1,999	2 168	2 832	2 037	(NA)
$2,000 to $2,999	1 749	4 313	2 028	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	2 655	10 400	3 343	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	3 500	25 314	3 952	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	2 828	40 395	2 777	(NA)
$20,000 to $39,999	1 989	56 548	1 634	(NA)
$40,000 to $49,999	479	21 523	372	(NA)
$50,000 and over	2 145	330 915	1 270	(NA)
$50,000 to $59,999	344	18 869	(NA)	(NA)
$60,000 to $79,999	415	28 730	(NA)	(NA)
$80,000 to $99,999	302	27 298	(NA)	(NA)
$100,000 and over	1 084	256 018	(NA)	(NA)
Livestock and poultry purchased—farms	4 519	(X)	5 488	7 198
$1,000	(X)	28 671	24 656	11 358
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	1 698	333	2 206	5 495
$500 to $999	601	409	824	
$1,000 to $4,999	1 238	2 879	1 376	1 195
$5,000 to $9,999	349	2 398	460	244

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974		1969	1964
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)		
Livestock and poultry purchased—Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—Continued				
$10,000 to $14,999	214	2 502	191	158
$15,000 to $19,999	95	1 605	134	
$20,000 to $29,999	123	2 891	147	
$30,000 to $39,999	59	1 965	51	106
$40,000 to $49,999	47	2 061	28	
$50,000 and over	95	11 628	71	
Feed for livestock and poultry—farms	8 294	(X)	8 765	11 418
$1,000	(X)	93 455	51 747	30 818
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 609	615	3 785	8 719
$500 to $999	1 465	1 031	1 407	
$1,000 to $4,999	2 635	5 598	2 103	1 448
$5,000 to $9,999	457	3 130	440	524
$10,000 to $14,999	171	2 079	251	405
$15,000 to $19,999	132	2 201	132	
$20,000 to $29,999	138	3 286	202	
$30,000 to $39,999	129	4 403	123	322
$40,000 to $49,999	75	3 359	106	
$50,000 and over	483	67 752	216	

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Commercially mixed formula feeds ____ farms	7 182	(X)	7 157	9 163
$1,000	(X)	79 406	44 230	25 706
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	6 061	(X)	5 792	7 901
50 to 99 tons	268	(X)	349	400
100 to 199 tons	244	(X)	341	459
200 to 499 tons	310	(X)	391	271
500 to 799 tons	141	(X)	152	
800 to 999 tons	51	(X)	36	107
1,000 tons and over	107	(X)	96	
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 738	583	3 435	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 198	837	1 059	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	1 958	4 127	1 425	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	300	2 047	344	(NA)
$10,000 to $14,999	159	1 887	219	(NA)
$15,000 to $19,999	103	1 742	104	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	108	2 637	181	(NA)
$30,000 to $39,999	115	3 907		
$40,000 to $49,999	75	3 350	390	(NA)
$50,000 and over	428	58 288		
Feed ingredients ____ farms	2 418	(X)	1 980	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	5 019	2 802	(NA)
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	2 328	(X)	1 833	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	42	(X)	73	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	23	(X)	37	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	15	(X)	32	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	5	(X)	4	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	1	(X)	–	(NA)
1,000 tons and over	4	(X)	1	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	1 507	191	1 122	(NA)
$500 to $999	311	215	351	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	273	378	216	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	194	563	180	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	64	427	63	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	33	465	48	(NA)
$20,000 and over	36	2 779		
Whole grains ____ farms	2 529	(X)	1 953	4 613
$1,000	(X)	8 240	3 938	4 483
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	2 333	(X)	1 684	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	83	(X)	113	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	48	(X)	62	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	42	(X)	63	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	8	(X)	15	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	3	(X)	6	(NA)
1,000 tons and over	12	(X)	10	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	1 480	188	1 055	(NA)
$500 to $999	305	211	338	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	291	403	235	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	242	744	187	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	88	602	50	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	53	695	88	(NA)
$20,000 and over	70	5 397		
Hay, green chop, and silage ____ farms	905	(X)	1 198	2 565
$1,000	(X)	791	777	629
Farms by tons purchased:				
1 to 49 tons	817	(X)	1 100	(NA)
50 to 99 tons	42	(X)	48	(NA)
100 to 199 tons	26	(X)	15	(NA)
200 to 499 tons	12	(X)	23	(NA)
500 to 799 tons	4	(X)	5	(NA)
800 to 999 tons	–	(X)		
1,000 tons and over	4	(X)	7	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	558	109	872	(NA)
$500 to $999	172	111	173	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	88	111	81	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	61	178	54	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	17	108	10	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	5	60	8	(NA)
$20,000 and over	4	113		
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ____ farms	4 352	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	1 959	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	1 765	78	(NA)	(NA)
$100 to $499	1 791	372	(NA)	(NA)
$500 to $999	368	230	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	313	506	(NA)	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	68	242	(NA)	(NA)
$5,000 and over	47	532	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ____ farms	11 911	(X)	14 091	22 253
$1,000	(X)	13 060	6 592	5 195
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	6 949	1 476	10 962	20 002
$500 to $999	2 130	1 463	1 685	1 258
$1,000 to $4,999	2 330	4 742	1 316	
$5,000 to $9,999	323	2 086	89	993
$10,000 and over	179	3 292	39	
Commerical fertilizer ____ farms	15 302	(X)	16 307	22 681
$1,000	(X)	81 099	40 259	37 397
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	2 339	640	4 238	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 458	1 796	3 806	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	6 820	16 137	6 264	(NA)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Commercial fertilizer—Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—Continued				
$5,000 to $9,999	1 782	12 172	1 169	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	1 037	14 007	578	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	378	8 924	252	(NA)
$30,000 and over	488	27 421		
Lime ____ farms	2 807	(X)	3 947	3 880
$1,000	(X)	3 309	1 812	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	197	12	871	(NA)
$100 to $499	1 116	302	2 077	(NA)
$500 to $999	656	463	603	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	427	587	260	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	296	882	121	(NA)
$5,000 and over	115	1 062	15	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals, excluding lime and fertilizer (see text) ____ farms	9 194	(X)	12 412	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	27 344	13 371	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	1 312	65	2 634	(NA)
$100 to $499	3 016	733	5 269	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 336	939	1 853	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	1 215	1 676	1 148	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	1 171	3 592	919	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	532	3 716	386	(NA)
$10,000 and over	612	16 623	203	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ____ farms	17 061	(X)	17 341	23 114
$1,000	(X)	31 814	21 031	20 389
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	6 046	1 584	6 698	11 557
$500 to $999	3 860	2 725	4 481	6 173
$1,000 to $1,999	2 870	3 974	3 324	4 970
$2,000 to $4,999	2 795	8 794	2 238	
$5,000 to $9,999	1 016	6 910	479	
$10,000 to $19,999	371	4 878	121	414
$20,000 and over	103	2 948		
Gasoline ____ farms	15 437	(X)	16 553	21 566
$1,000	(X)	13 191	10 402	11 982
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	8 419	1 927	10 201	(NA)
$500 to $999	3 252	2 262	3 530	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	2 199	3 011	1 819	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	1 278	3 690	867	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	234	1 460	136	(NA)
$10,000 and over	55	841		
Diesel oil ____ farms	10 026	(X)	7 076	3 925
$1,000	(X)	9 434	4 021	1 732
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	5 814	1 092	4 836	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 791	1 244	1 064	(NA)
$1,000 to $1,999	1 269	1 739	698	(NA)
$2,000 to $4,999	831	2 543	420	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	232	1 574	58	(NA)
$10,000 and over	89	1 242		
LP gas, butane, and propane ____ farms	2 518	(X)	4 220	5 598
$1,000	(X)	2 757	2 118	1 697
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	226	10	689	(NA)
$100 to $499	929	243	2 148	(NA)
$500 to $999	614	423	834	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	520	910	495	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	137	512	54	(NA)
$5,000 and over	92	659		
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ____ farms	17 060	(X)	17 327	22 855
$1,000	(X)	6 432	4 491	4 978
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	7 698	340	8 338	(NA)
$100 to $499	6 235	1 401	6 513	(NA)
$500 to $999	1 485	1 028	1 569	(NA)
$1,000 to $2,999	1 331	2 183	804	(NA)
$3,000 to $4,999	198	738	103	(NA)
$5,000 and over	113	743		
Hired farm labor ____ farms	8 400	(X)	13 395	18 540
$1,000	(X)	51 773	43 283	36 397
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $99	415	21	689	7 489
$100 to $499	1 637	437	3 109	
$500 to $999	1 050	734	2 406	3 794
$1,000 to $2,499	1 678	2 713	3 203	3 755
$2,500 to $4,999	1 270	4 428	2 039	1 842
$5,000 to $9,999	1 062	7 328	1 072	1 059
$10,000 to $19,999	704	9 665	538	409
$20,000 to $29,999	258	6 210	173	145
$30,000 to $49,999	180	6 615	91	
$50,000 and over	146	13 621	75	47
Contract labor ____ farms	862	(X)	1 204	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	4 935	4 348	(NA)
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	246	65	466	(NA)
$500 to $999	175	119	227	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	295	665	349	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	57	412	60	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	33	437	43	(NA)
$20,000 and over	56	3 238	59	(NA)

Table 17. Farm Production Expenses: 1974, 1969, and 1964 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
Machine hire and customwork[1] ---- farms	8 404	(X)	9 521	12 939
$1,000	(X)	10 121	6 420	6 482
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	3 920	945	6 018	9 365
$500 to $999	1 931	1 324	1 776	2 053
$1,000 to $4,999	2 259	4 415	1 598	1 423
$5,000 to $9,999	180	1 225	105	74
$10,000 and over	114	2 212	24	24
All other production expenses ---- farms	17 402	(X)	17 248	(NA)
$1,000	(X)	144 700	82 049	(NA)

[1]Data for 1964 includes contract labor.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974 Farms	1974 Expenses ($1,000)	1969	1964
All other production expenses — Continued				
Farms with expenditures of—				
$1 to $499	3 490	905	3 341	(NA)
$500 to $999	2 456	1 712	2 614	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	6 226	15 057	7 362	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	2 114	14 609	2 097	(NA)
$10,000 and over	3 116	112 416	1 834	(NA)
$10,000 to $19,999	1 386	18 918	(NA)	(NA)
$20,000 to $29,999	681	16 096	(NA)	(NA)
$30,000 to $39,999	298	10 004	(NA)	(NA)
$40,000 to $49,999	165	7 149	(NA)	(NA)
$50,000 and over	586	60 250	(NA)	(NA)

Table 18. Farm Payroll and Employment: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974	1969	1964
Hired farm labor ---- farms	8 400	13 395	18 540
workers	90 184	118 242	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	51 773	43 283	36 397
Workers and wages by number of days worked:			
150 days or more ---- farms	2 770	3 996	5 403
workers	8 812	10 769	15 924
amount paid, $1,000	32 658	(NA)	(NA)
Less than 150 days ---- farms	7 213	11 964	(NA)
workers	81 372	107 473	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	19 115	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 149 days ---- farms	2 808	(NA)	(NA)
workers	18 055	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	11 260	(NA)	(NA)
Less than 25 days ---- farms	5 536	(NA)	(NA)
workers	63 317	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	7 855	(NA)	(NA)
Contract labor ---- farms	862	1 204	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	4 935	4 348	(NA)
Farms reporting workers furnished by contractor ---- farms	300	(NA)	(NA)
workers	7 586	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	3 408	(NA)	(NA)
Corporations ---- farms	247	(NA)	(NA)
With salaried officers reported ---- farms	54	(NA)	(NA)
number of officers	100	(NA)	(NA)
amount paid, $1,000	1 378	(NA)	(NA)

Table 19. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974 Farms	1974 Number	1974 Manufactured 1970 to 1974 Farms	1974 Manufactured 1970 to 1974 Number	1969 Farms	1969 Number	1969 Manufactured 1965 to 1969 Farms	1969 Manufactured 1965 to 1969 Number	1964 Farms	1964 Number
Automobiles	12 454	17 941	8 196	10 606	12 768	17 609	9 511	12 006	19 487	27 400
2 or 3	3 941	8 501	1 933	4 090	3 361	7 232	1 855	3 963	(NA)	(NA)
4 and over	238	1 165	73	326	249	1 219	99	486	(NA)	(NA)
Motortrucks, including pickups	13 949	24 287	7 795	10 367	13 713	22 084	9 127	12 257	15 515	22 889
2 or 3	4 583	10 503	1 561	3 381	4 612	12 983	1 904	5 034	(NA)	(NA)
4 and over	1 037	5 455	185	937						
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	14 471	33 824	6 835	10 851	14 923	32 863	8 395	15 031	16 942	33 273
2 or 3	6 585	15 274	2 227	4 807	6 455	14 833	2 864	6 514	6 079	13 979
4 and over	2 474	13 138	320	1 756	2 206	11 768	709	3 695	1 914	10 345
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	14 391	33 039	6 797	10 742	14 810	32 014	8 320	14 697	16 870	32 677
Crawler tractors	674	785	97	109	665	849	260	334	493	596
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	3 886	4 460	1 581	1 736	3 404	4 011	2 274	2 595	1 922	2 310
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	2 983	3 358	1 050	1 120	2 437	2 916	1 541	1 809	1 657	1 780
Corn heads for combines	2 032	2 192	857	892	1 620	1 803	1 180	1 311	(NA)	(NA)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	1 129	1 166	219	228	1 029	1 113	470	498	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners	1 599	1 717	623	649	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pickup balers	2 675	2 786	776	794	2 700	2 819	1 359	1 388	3 105	3 181
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1 228	1 260	343	348	1 392	1 466	741	768	(NA)	(NA)
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	751	927	248	296	739	887	423	477	785	873

	1974 Farms	1974 Value ($1,000)	1969 Farms	1969 Value ($1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	16 120	365 452	16 853	198 168
By value of machinery and equipment:				
$1 to $4,999	2 863	8 400	7 013	17 892
$5,000 to $9,999	3 201	22 626	4 047	26 512
$10,000 to $14,999	2 372	27 750	1 904	21 052
$15,000 to $19,999	1 486	24 554	1 056	16 889
$20,000 to $29,999	2 533	60 104	1 234	28 043
$30,000 to $39,999	1 159	38 208	531	17 190
$40,000 to $49,999	933	39 616	302	12 702
$50,000 and over	1 573	144 193	766	57 886
$50,000 to $69,999	760	41 966	(NA)	(NA)
$70,000 to $99,999	343	27 439	(NA)	(NA)
$100,000 and over	470	74 788	(NA)	(NA)

Table 20. Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
1974				
Any poultry	2 367	(X)	715	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	2 176	6 139 609	479	7 176 952
Farms with —				
1 to 1,599	1 902	99 055	185	48 383
1,600 to 3,199	29	67 010	26	62 090
3,200 to 9,999	59	386 846	88	559 625
10,000 and over	186	5 586 698	180	6 506 854
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 073	5 152 407	422	4 164 983
Farms with —				
1 to 99	1 688	40 197	82	2 101
100 to 399	88	13 698	42	8 270
400 to 1,599	46	34 930	51	37 803
1,600 to 3,199	29	66 390	26	61 264
3,200 to 9,999	59	384 269	88	548 784
10,000 to 19,999	84	1 153 433	72	990 000
20,000 to 49,999	61	1 777 128	47	1 346 961
50,000 to 99,999	13	860 362	10	574 800
100,000 and over	5	822 000	4	595 000

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
1974 — Continued				
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	285	4 435 681	172	20 673 651
Turkeys, total	65	701 193	71	2 562 624
Heavy breeds for slaughter	51	643 381	62	2 309 774
Light breeds for slaughter	5	26 257	8	225 000
Hens kept for breeding	28	31 555	7	27 850
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	73	(X)	19	(X)
1969				
Any poultry	3 032	(X)	993	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	2 823	6 692 353	687	6 139 520
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 653	5 545 619	624	3 928 930
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	229	4 182 119	235	23 410 829
Turkeys, total	116	287 321	71	1 718 691
Hens kept for breeding	88	64 359	11	62 825
Other turkeys	72	222 962	65	1 655 866

Selected poultry inventories, 1974

	Chickens 3 months old or older												Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	
	Total		Hens and pullets of laying age kept for —				Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Roosters and male chickens							
			Table or market eggs		Hatching eggs											
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	2 176	6 139 609	2 019	4 883 621	213	268 786	159	951 425	902	35 777			48	263 268	156	661 326
1 to 99	1 752	44 985	1 643	37 002	161	2 639	105	1 161	810	4 183			37	408	131	143 500
100 to 399	104	16 404	100	13 255	19	999	14	370	53	1 780			4	160	16	1 064
400 to 1,599	46	37 666	46	33 970	2	960	4	2 400	5	336			–	–	1	8
1,600 to 3,199	29	67 010	28	60 390	4	6 000	1	10	4	610			1	1 800	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	59	386 846	49	314 279	12	51 390	3	15 350	14	5 827			1	1 400	3	14 004
10,000 to 19,999	89	1 224 080	73	977 921	10	111 884	10	120 934	11	13 341			–	–	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	73	2 126 256	61	1 734 442	5	94 914	14	287 200	5	9 700			2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	18	1 229 362	14	(D)	–	–	6	(D)	–	–			2	(D)	–	–
100,000 and over	6	1 007 000	5	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	–	–			1	(D)	1	(D)
None	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)			21	395 782	129	3 774 355

Selected poultry sales, 1974

	Chickens 3 months old or older		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Value of poultry and poultry products	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Farms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	429	5 936 980	396	3 944 970	30	1 960 959	16	1 189 407	643	51 395
1 to 99	69	45 141	59	(D)	1	(D)	11	394 603	242	761
100 to 399	40	4 209	39	4 184	–	–	–	–	81	85
400 to 1,599	46	24 634	46	24 566	–	–	–	–	46	319
1,600 to 3,199	29	41 405	29	40 932	–	–	–	–	29	575
3,200 to 9,999	59	346 653	57	297 630	4	44 850	1	(D)	59	3 621
10,000 to 19,999	89	1 029 776	82	871 341	7	144 306	2	(D)	89	10 444
20,000 to 49,999	73	1 905 514	65	1 399 132	10	494 279	1	(D)	73	18 717
50,000 to 99,999	18	1 547 648	14	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	18	9 673
100,000 and over	6	992 000	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	6	7 201
None	50	1 239 972	26	220 013	24	1 013 759	156	19 484 244	273	36 756

Selected poultry sales, 1974 — Continued

	Chickens 3 months old or older		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Roosters and male chickens		Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Specified poultry sold	479	7 176 952	422	4 164 983	54	2 974 718	53	37 251	9	85 094
1 to 1,999	189	55 621	180	57 284	2	1 850	50	24 251	5	94
2,000 to 3,999	28	75 317	31	86 619	–	–	1	(D)	–	–
4,000 to 7,999	62	362 405	59	348 210	1	6 500	2	(D)	–	–
8,000 to 15,999	83	956 520	74	854 801	10	114 505	–	–	–	–
16,000 to 29,999	51	1 054 793	43	889 430	8	164 686	–	–	4	85 000
30,000 to 59,999	42	1 665 123	27	1 082 639	16	608 084	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	10	698 069	4	251 000	7	506 569	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	14	2 309 104	4	595 000	10	1 572 524	–	–	–	–

Selected poultry sales, 1974 — Continued

	Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Turkeys		Heavy breed turkeys for slaughter		Light breed turkeys for slaughter		Turkey hens kept for breeding	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Specified poultry sold	172	20 673 651	71	2 562 624	62	2 309 774	8	225 000	7	27 850
1 to 1,999	5	103	9	7 410	7	4 710	–	–	4	5 050
2,000 to 3,999	–	–	2	4 350	1	2 000	–	–	–	–
4,000 to 7,999	3	16 000	4	20 500	3	(D)	–	–	1	(D)
8,000 to 15,999	5	64 500	7	74 400	6	(D)	–	–	2	(D)
16,000 to 29,999	14	306 104	18	373 584	19	401 584	4	77 000	–	–
30,000 to 59,999	29	1 331 590	20	761 000	16	598 000	4	148 000	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	50	3 836 639	6	436 380	5	374 380	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	66	15 118 715	5	885 000	5	845 000	–	–	–	–

Table 21. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

		Inventory		Sales		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Any livestock	1974	9 753	(X)	9 069	(X)	110 346
	1969	10 895	(X)	9 722	(X)	81 563
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1974	9 446	(X)	8 984	(X)	67 947
	1969	10 256	(X)	9 620	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	1974	7 058	458 359	6 268	181 631	34 360
	1969	6 923	398 683	6 169	202 586	30 085
Farms with—						
1 to 9 cattle and calves	1974	1 328	5 661	2 215	10 100	1 779
10 to 19 cattle and calves	1974	1 008	13 816	1 379	18 822	3 324
20 to 49 cattle and calves	1974	1 989	63 186	1 820	54 641	9 123
50 to 99 cattle and calves	1974	1 418	95 977	583	37 883	6 758
100 to 199 cattle and calves	1974	835	111 929	185	24 272	4 452
200 to 499 cattle and calves	1974	411	117 622	73	21 080	4 683
500 to 999 cattle and calves	1974	59	36 799	9	6 002	1 617
1,000 to 2,499 cattle and calves	1974	9	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
2,500 cattle and calves and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	6 281	252 937	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	6 080	205 490	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	5 537	208 538	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	4 991	154 071	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	1 377	44 399	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	1 776	51 419	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	4 504	100 325	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	5 149	101 255	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	4 078	78 069	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk heifers	1974	628	22 256	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	5 181	105 097	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	5 807	91 938	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold	1974	(NA)	(NA)	830	23 179	7 370
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	381	21 919	(NA)
Farms with fattened cattle sold:						
1 to 9 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	452	1 727	411
10 to 19 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	168	2 192	539
20 to 49 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	142	4 060	1 006
50 to 99 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	38	2 444	671
100 to 199 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	13	1 758	562
200 to 499 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	12	3 341	1 196
500 to 999 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 2,499 cattle	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)	(D)
2,500 cattle and over	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974		Sales, 1974		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Cows and heifers that had calved	6 281	252 937	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	5 537	208 538	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with—					
1 to 9 beef cows	1 315	6 137	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 beef cows	1 109	15 257	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49 beef cows	1 893	57 156	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 beef cows	780	51 344	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 beef cows	327	41 873	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499 beef cows	100	27 609	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999 beef cows	11	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 beef cows and over	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1 377	44 399	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with—					
1 or 2 milk cows	674	905	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 to 4 milk cows	144	482	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 milk cows	100	624	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 milk cows	38	458	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49 milk cows	109	3 659	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 milk cows	141	9 864	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 499 milk cows	169	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500 milk cows and over	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cattle sold	(NA)	(NA)	4 640	95 470	24 833
Farms with—					
1 to 9 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	2 352	9 797	2 261
10 to 19 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	1 052	13 863	3 184
20 to 49 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	902	26 353	6 159
50 to 99 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	210	13 833	3 679
100 to 199 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	79	10 797	2 764
200 to 499 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	37	10 517	3 204
500 to 999 cattle	(NA)	(NA)	6	(D)	(D)
1,000 cattle and over	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	(NA)	(NA)	4 333	86 161	9 527
Farms with—					
1 or 2 calves	(NA)	(NA)	615	874	102
3 or 4 calves	(NA)	(NA)	439	1 546	182
5 to 9 calves	(NA)	(NA)	869	5 809	666
10 to 19 calves	(NA)	(NA)	1 047	14 038	1 615
20 to 49 calves	(NA)	(NA)	1 021	30 248	3 248
50 to 99 calves	(NA)	(NA)	245	15 715	1 702
100 to 499 calves	(NA)	(NA)	93	15 006	1 618
500 calves and over	(NA)	(NA)	4	2 925	396

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

Inventory, 1974

	Cattle and calves		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers for milk cow replacement		Beef heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total cows		Milk cows							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms with milk cow inventory	1 377	95 055	1 377	57 862	1 377	44 399	530	20 396	481	6 349	805	10 448
1 to 4 milk cows	818	18 867	818	10 387	818	1 387	137	350	328	3 644	432	4 486
5 to 9 milk cows	100	2 831	100	1 731	100	624	19	52	50	473	69	575
10 to 19 milk cows	38	1 603	38	997	38	458	12	97	16	260	23	249
20 to 29 milk cows	27	1 469	27	888	27	645	20	294	10	150	20	137
30 to 49 milk cows	82	5 552	82	3 381	82	3 014	60	1 079	18	304	53	788
50 to 99 milk cows	141	17 287	141	11 043	141	9 864	124	4 113	36	808	92	1 323
100 to 199 milk cows	131	28 925	131	17 920	131	17 130	122	9 080	17	429	86	1 496
200 to 499 milk cows	38	(D)	38	(D)	38	(D)	34	(D)	6	281	30	1 394
500 milk cows and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
No milk cows	5 681	363 304	4 904	195 075	(X)	(X)	98	1 860	3 597	71 720	4 376	94 649

Sales, 1974

	Cattle and calves			Cattle		Calves		Value of dairy products	
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with milk cow inventory	1 020	28 022	4 572	789	12 750	753	15 272	469	41 408
1 to 4 milk cows	472	5 908	1 143	339	2 913	326	2 995	17	7
5 to 9 milk cows	89	1 123	167	65	446	57	677	13	11
10 to 19 milk cows	38	717	116	29	358	30	359	18	198
20 to 29 milk cows	27	575	79	19	243	23	332	27	496
30 to 49 milk cows	82	1 772	263	58	811	64	961	82	2 655
50 to 99 milk cows	141	5 130	796	124	2 215	114	2 915	141	9 637
100 to 199 milk cows	131	8 027	1 272	119	3 522	110	4 505	131	17 356
200 to 499 milk cows	38	(D)	(D)	34	1 984	28	(D)	38	(D)
500 milk cows and over	2	(D)	(D)	2	258	1	(D)	2	(D)
No milk cows	5 248	153 609	29 788	3 851	82 720	3 580	70 889	15	212

Inventory, 1974

	Cattle and calves		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		Sales of cattle and calves, 1974		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with cattle and calves inventory	7 058	458 359	6 281	252 937	4 504	100 325	5 181	105 097	6 097	175 505	33 030
1 to 9 cattle and calves	1 328	5 661	999	3 148	428	941	635	1 572	371	2 329	505
10 to 19 cattle and calves	1 008	13 816	852	7 703	564	2 844	690	3 269	1 008	7 160	1 222
20 to 49 cattle and calves	1 989	63 186	1 832	36 814	1 304	12 668	1 532	13 704	1 988	29 989	5 085
50 to 99 cattle and calves	1 418	95 977	1 338	53 710	1 091	20 234	1 189	22 033	1 417	37 929	6 232
100 to 199 cattle and calves	835	111 929	800	62 644	692	24 003	715	25 282	835	37 946	6 533
200 to 499 cattle and calves	411	117 622	395	63 649	361	27 816	356	26 157	409	36 582	6 888
500 to 999 cattle and calves	59	36 799	57	18 861	56	9 150	55	8 788	59	17 283	4 988
1,000 to 2,499 cattle and calves	9	(D)	7	(D)	7	(D)	8	(D)	9	(D)	(D)
2,500 cattle and calves and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
No cattle and calves	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	171	6 126	1 331
Farms with cows and heifers that had calved inventory	6 281	432 109	6 281	252 937	4 076	93 013	4 512	86 159	5 592	160 555	29 393
1 to 4 cows	905	5 671	905	2 000	403	1 692	442	1 979	312	2 738	635
5 to 9 cows	716	9 539	716	4 879	406	2 129	485	2 531	624	4 635	773
10 to 19 cows	1 149	29 762	1 149	15 796	700	6 514	844	7 452	1 149	12 971	2 194
20 to 29 cows	925	38 982	925	21 553	627	8 536	722	8 893	924	16 535	2 815
30 to 49 cows	1 055	67 296	1 055	38 603	751	13 964	837	14 729	1 054	24 934	4 144
50 to 99 cows	907	99 818	907	60 216	674	19 503	696	20 099	907	35 461	5 885
100 to 199 cows	465	101 478	465	60 060	383	24 150	357	17 268	463	31 898	5 977
200 to 499 cows	144	63 444	144	39 323	120	13 476	118	10 645	144	25 636	5 836
500 to 999 cows	13	(D)	13	(D)	11	(D)	9	(D)	13	(D)	(D)
1,000 cows and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
No cows	777	26 250	(X)	(X)	428	7 312	669	18 938	676	21 076	4 968
Farms with beef cow inventory	5 537	372 179	5 537	216 429	3 579	74 151	4 132	81 599	5 112	142 892	26 659
1 to 4 beef cows	647	5 539	647	2 357	303	1 628	377	1 554	289	2 748	617
5 to 9 beef cows	668	11 197	668	5 958	385	2 741	451	2 498	605	4 768	787
10 to 19 beef cows	1 109	30 817	1 109	16 450	678	6 846	820	7 521	1 109	12 973	2 195
20 to 29 beef cows	909	39 955	909	22 257	616	8 732	716	8 966	908	16 730	2 840
30 to 49 beef cows	984	64 479	984	37 127	694	13 122	793	14 230	983	23 892	3 991
50 to 99 beef cows	780	88 167	780	52 740	563	16 038	618	19 389	780	31 535	5 317
100 to 199 beef cows	327	72 881	327	42 681	249	14 400	262	15 800	325	24 054	4 775
200 to 499 beef cows	100	45 185	100	27 697	81	8 410	84	9 078	100	20 923	5 092
500 to 999 beef cows	11	(D)	11	(D)	9	(D)	9	(D)	11	(D)	(D)
1,000 beef cows and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
No beef cows	1 521	86 180	744	36 508	925	26 174	1 049	23 498	1 156	38 739	7 701

Sales, 1974

	Cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves		
							Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with sales of cattle and calves	6 268	181 631	34 360	4 640	95 470	24 833	830	23 179	7 370	4 333	86 161	9 527
1 to 4 cattle and calves	1 129	2 812	521	727	1 550	370	162	322	76	624	1 262	151
5 to 9 cattle and calves	1 086	7 288	1 258	733	3 656	838	175	821	190	712	3 632	420
10 to 19 cattle and calves	1 379	18 822	3 324	1 030	9 398	2 232	179	1 682	414	966	9 424	1 092
20 to 49 cattle and calves	1 820	54 641	9 123	1 428	25 869	5 961	202	4 078	1 027	1 380	28 772	3 163
50 to 99 cattle and calves	583	37 883	6 758	484	18 105	4 637	66	2 851	759	463	19 778	2 121
100 to 199 cattle and calves	185	24 272	4 452	161	12 692	3 242	23	1 741	500	134	11 580	1 210
200 to 499 cattle and calves	73	21 080	4 683	66	13 465	3 873	17	3 952	1 395	46	7 615	810
500 cattle and calves and over	13	14 833	4 241	11	10 735	3 680	6	7 732	3 009	8	4 098	561
500 to 999 cattle and calves	9	6 002	1 617	7	4 213	1 318	4	(D)	(D)	5	1 789	299
1,000 cattle and calves and over	4	8 831	2 624	4	6 522	2 362	2	(D)	(D)	3	2 309	262

Table 21. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Sales, 1974—Continued									
	Total cattle and calves			Cattle				Calves		
							Fattened on grain and concentrates			
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with beef cow inventory	5 112	142 892	26 659	3 728	74 095	18 643	699	17 799	5 488	3 578	68 797	8 017
1 to 4 beef cows	289	2 748	617	217	1 731	513	57	190	52	177	1 017	104
5 to 9 beef cows	605	4 768	787	416	2 355	529	103	559	124	396	2 413	258
10 to 19 beef cows	1 109	12 973	2 195	796	6 387	1 472	147	972	233	759	6 586	722
20 to 29 beef cows	908	16 730	2 840	648	8 255	1 859	121	1 471	362	663	8 475	981
30 to 49 beef cows	983	23 892	3 991	707	11 098	2 478	115	1 726	408	722	12 794	1 512
50 to 99 beef cows	780	31 535	5 317	593	14 986	3 395	92	2 558	704	559	16 549	1 921
100 to 199 beef cows	325	24 054	4 775	256	12 730	3 447	52	3 818	1 205	226	11 324	1 328
200 to 499 beef cows	100	20 923	5 092	83	13 546	4 194	10	5 918	2 191	66	7 377	898
500 to 999 beef cows	11	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	(D)
1,000 beef cows and over	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
No beef cows	1 156	38 739	7 701	912	21 375	6 190	131	5 380	1 882	755	17 364	1 511

Table 22. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

Inventory, 1974		Sales, 1974			Inventory, 1969		Sales, 1969	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total hogs and pigs	4 820	315 752	4 391	504 788	33 578	6 379	341 138	5 762	463 956
1 to 24 hogs and pigs	2 675	25 695	1 795	21 478	1 288	3 311	33 208	2 287	27 831
25 to 49 hogs and pigs	917	31 435	910	31 304	1 991	1 292	43 457	1 265	43 323
50 to 99 hogs and pigs	594	38 483	735	49 677	3 136	957	63 050	1 038	70 264
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	321	40 727	476	62 928	4 034	492	63 628	655	85 491
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	220	64 098	298	87 853	5 908	254	70 333	376	106 355
500 hogs and pigs and over	93	115 314	177	251 548	17 221	73	67 462	141	130 692

	1974	1969		1974		1969	
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 408	4 586	Litters of pigs farrowed between— December 1 of preceding year and November 30	3 666	63 396	4 896	57 716
number	42 158	48 131					
Other hogs and pigs—farms	4 619	5 971					
number	273 594	293 007					
Feeder pigs sold—farms	866	1 061	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	3 246	32 783	4 374	29 288
number	73 433	61 339	June 1 and November 30	2 888	30 613	4 019	28 428
$1,000	1 670	(NA)					

	Inventory, 1974						Sales, 1974					
	Hogs and pigs		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Hogs and pigs			Feeder pigs sold		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with hog and pig inventory	4 820	315 752	3 408	42 158	4 619	273 594	4 023	478 537	31 811	829	71 326	1 623
1 to 9 hogs and pigs	1 421	6 505	567	1 349	1 282	5 156	624	13 931	810	134	3 341	74
10 to 24 hogs and pigs	1 254	19 190	989	3 673	1 215	15 517	1 254	31 535	1 906	239	6 371	138
25 to 99 hogs and pigs	1 511	69 918	1 321	10 611	1 490	59 307	1 511	93 132	5 721	329	17 462	354
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	321	40 727	275	4 921	319	35 806	321	62 277	3 919	61	11 234	249
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	220	64 098	178	7 011	220	57 087	220	93 067	6 177	45	14 821	327
500 to 999 hogs and pigs	50	33 669	40	3 678	50	29 991	50	52 845	3 786	12	9 710	245
1,000 hogs and pigs and over	43	81 645	38	10 915	43	70 730	43	131 750	9 492	9	8 387	237
No hogs and pigs	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	368	26 251	1 766	37	2 107	46
Farms with hogs and pigs sold	4 023	312 555	3 239	41 853	3 851	270 702	4 391	504 788	33 578	866	73 433	1 670
1 to 9 hogs and pigs	598	6 860	416	1 115	574	5 745	676	3 418	214	70	400	9
10 to 49 hogs and pigs	1 878	45 757	1 518	7 414	1 787	38 343	2 029	49 364	3 065	406	7 703	160
50 to 99 hogs and pigs	678	33 623	579	4 579	647	29 044	735	49 677	3 136	163	7 871	161
100 to 199 hogs and pigs	430	39 475	372	5 062	412	34 413	476	62 928	4 034	120	10 124	231
200 to 499 hogs and pigs	265	49 391	213	5 599	258	43 792	298	87 853	5 908	58	11 015	228
500 to 999 hogs and pigs	96	37 783	81	4 485	96	33 298	98	67 915	4 116	32	16 007	322
1,000 hogs and pigs and over	78	99 666	60	13 599	77	86 067	79	183 633	13 106	17	20 313	558
No hogs and pigs	797	3 197	169	305	768	2 892	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Farms by litters farrowed	3 550	271 361	3 407	42 154	3 349	229 207	3 458	411 827	26 688	866	73 433	1 670
1 litter	429	4 165	385	849	398	3 316	302	3 326	204	58	383	8
2 to 4 litters	1 177	23 393	1 132	4 237	1 087	19 156	1 170	27 173	1 648	264	4 388	94
5 to 9 litters	773	29 800	747	4 460	740	25 340	793	37 394	2 193	220	6 854	139
10 to 19 litters	614	38 635	592	5 805	579	32 830	628	55 038	3 483	163	9 256	199
20 to 49 litters	353	46 478	350	6 523	345	39 955	359	68 257	4 388	96	11 875	257
50 to 99 litters	108	28 434	105	4 271	105	24 163	109	45 867	2 826	33	11 772	240
100 to 199 litters	52	26 142	52	3 938	52	22 204	53	45 675	2 588	21	15 392	352
200 litters and over	44	74 314	44	12 071	43	62 243	44	129 097	9 358	11	13 513	380
No litters	1 270	44 391	1	4	1 270	44 387	933	92 961	6 890	–	–	–

	Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974					
	Total		December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974		June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms by litters farrowed	3 666	63 396	3 246	32 783	2 888	30 613
1 litter	450	450	263	263	187	187
2 to 4 litters	1 230	3 411	1 077	1 976	870	1 435
5 to 9 litters	793	5 175	738	2 860	687	2 315
10 to 19 litters	628	8 155	608	4 266	590	3 889
20 to 49 litters	359	10 133	354	5 326	351	4 807
50 to 99 litters	109	7 119	109	3 671	108	3 448
100 to 199 litters	53	6 834	53	3 689	51	3 145
200 litters and over	44	22 119	44	10 732	44	11 387

Table 23. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Inventory of—		
Sheep and lambs—farms	19	49
number	601	924
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	15	27
number	201	292
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	17	38
number	318	506
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	19	42
number	82	126

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	16	33
number	265	638
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	13	(NA)
number	389	(NA)
pounds of wool	2 473	(NA)
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)

	Inventory, 1974								Sales of sheep and lambs, 1974		Sheep and lambs shorn, 1974			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool, 1974	
	Total		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and wethers 1 year old or older								
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with sheep and lambs inventory	19	601	15	201	17	318	19	82	14	261	13	389	2 473	14	9
1 to 24 sheep and lambs	10	70	7	16	8	38	10	16	5	40	4	39	215	5	1
25 to 99 sheep and lambs	8	331	7	115	8	192	8	24	8	196	8	220	1 452	8	6
100 to 299 sheep and lambs	1	200	1	70	1	88	1	42	1	25	1	130	806	1	1
300 to 999 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 2,499 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 sheep and lambs and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No sheep or lambs	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	4	–	–	–	2	(Z)
Farms with ewes 1 year old or older inventory	17	599	15	201	17	318	17	80	14	261	13	389	2 473	14	9
1 to 24 ewes	13	212	12	66	13	122	13	24	10	118	9	117	695	10	4
25 to 99 ewes	4	387	3	135	4	196	4	56	4	143	4	272	1 778	4	5
100 to 199 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 2,499 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 ewes and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No ewes	2	2	–	–	(X)	(X)	2	2	2	4	–	–	–	2	(Z)

Table 24. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory				Sales				
	1974		1969		1974			1969	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number
Horses and ponies	1 470	6 163	2 226	8 928	170	803	652	290	1 331
Horses	1 309	5 429	1 786	6 969	154	719	645	245	990
Ponies	355	734	841	1 959	24	84	7	66	341
Mules, burros, and donkeys	208	312	1 344	2 116	19	41	4	73	157
Mink and their pelts	1	2	1	1	–	–	–	1	645
Colonies of bees	39	2 874	87	2 579	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Honey sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26	121 390	65	44	99 956
Goats	41	456	222	1 526	8	49	1	28	241
Angora goats	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Mohair sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Milk goats	1	3	27	126	–	–	–	3	15
Goats' milk sold (gallons)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Other goats	41	453	204	1 399	8	49	1	25	226
Rabbits and their pelts	9	1 549	20	136	10	9 805	25	3	15
Chinchillas and their pelts	–	–	20	699	–	–	–	20	853
Foxes and their pelts	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Poultry hatched	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6	19 906 143	2 914	(NA)	(NA)
Other livestock and livestock products	275	(X)	222	(X)	12	(X)	2	8	(X)

	Fish sales, 1974										Acres under water for fish production	
	Total		Any			Only pounds			Only number			
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Pounds	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Acres
Catfish	6	30	5	60 038	1	2 500	5	60 038	27	1	2 500	3	6	56
Trout	2	1	2	300	–	–	2	300	1	–	–	–	2	2
Other food-type fish	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tropical fish	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other fish	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	1974			1969			1964		
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Quantity
Field corn for all purposes:									
For grain or seed (bushels)	9 597	421 863	27 120 878	9 665	331 390	17 403 583	16 869	314 541	13 833 889
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	596	35 694	485 866	684	38 268	452 045	635	25 480	280 551
Cut for dry fodder or hogged or grazed	341	4 835	(X)	490	6 356	(X)	(NA)	22 391	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup:									
For grain or seed (bushels)	493	16 010	643 076	257	9 016	365 777	208	3 867	116 146
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	273	10 083	123 153	242	7 842	88 335	416	13 317	114 643
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry)	60	1 170	2 649	56	939	2 077	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogged or grazed	40	935	(X)	62	1 292	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Wheat for grain (bushels)	2 194	98 010	2 620 050	2 230	58 692	2 008 210	3 341	66 639	1 829 892
Oats for grain (bushels)	1 566	36 150	1 821 753	1 907	51 716	2 379 876	4 287	111 300	4 449 471
Barley for grain (bushels)	472	12 974	561 804	369	11 533	544 763	815	22 172	840 862
Rye for grain (bushels)	748	27 318	557 170	700	21 595	514 630	1 040	29 090	510 092
All hay (tons, dry)	4 172	123 978	263 166	3 854	115 551	246 659	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating (tons, dry)	156	4 350	10 074	113	2 037	4 024	128	2 188	5 931
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay (tons, dry)	275	7 136	11 689	267	8 613	12 136	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Small grain hay (tons, dry)	841	15 548	26 290	1 018	20 741	31 567	3 894	47 455	58 320
Lespedeza for hay (tons, dry)	277	5 719	8 745	446	8 741	13 097	1 858	29 005	35 982
Wild hay (tons, dry)	239	5 048	6 379	209	4 843	6 303	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other hay, including Coastal Bermuda grass (tons, dry)	2 985	80 682	187 602	2 462	65 687	171 641	4 316	52 968	59 119
Grass silage (tons, green)	88	3 815	27 709	70	3 556	16 875	287	6 410	23 303
Hay crops cut and fed green (tons, green)	75	1 680	9 437	90	1 333	6 797	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Field seeds	193	9 621	(X)	423	13 728	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Red clover seed (pounds)	10	347	70 960	7	147	8 935	–	–	–
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	–	–	–	1	4	533	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	11 093	1 056 929	21 129 937	9 243	791 201	17 487 491	10 240	584 222	12 300 109
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	323	13 274	27 103 222	429	12 430	20 179 358	817	9 192	12 593 165
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	320	680	80 928	298	468	48 994	907	1 450	132 330
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	596	1 583	304 674	641	2 139	414 630	1 856	2 694	361 590
Tobacco (pounds)	5 867	70 315	145 287 632	8 126	66 230	125 044 095	13 401	64 936	129 902 802
Cotton (bales)	2 261	254 766	264 448	5 706	274 853	219 888	14 821	456 218	500 393
Vegetables	1 262	26 397	(X)	1 575	41 300	(X)	2 204	47 386	(X)
Tomatoes	279	5 385	(X)	481	7 431	(X)	441	6 786	(X)
Sweet corn	245	815	(X)	304	923	(X)	195	672	(X)
Cucumbers and pickles	302	4 355	(X)	483	5 353	(X)	550	4 587	(X)
Watermelons	602	8 985	(X)	763	16 189	(X)	997	16 812	(X)
Snap beans, bush and pole	264	2 736	(X)	378	3 011	(X)	462	4 972	(X)
Green peas	178	533	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)
Strawberries (pounds)	13	27	118 309	42	58	117 697	85	90	161 675
Land in orchards	693	36 858	(X)	929	35 183	(X)	1 589	41 098	(X)

			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Field corn for all purposes:								
Acres harvested, 1974	9 934	462 392	37	1 490	7 765	395 127	101 042	40 426
1 to 14 acres	4 039	29 388	17	117	2 943	21 792	6 313	1 589
15 to 24 acres	1 680	31 023	4	68	1 275	23 401	6 415	2 129
25 to 49 acres	1 852	61 646	6	192	1 475	49 029	12 659	4 555
50 to 99 acres	1 166	75 690	4	133	998	64 862	16 515	6 295
100 to 249 acres	868	125 284	2	80	776	110 660	27 729	12 838
250 to 499 acres	250	80 942	2	250	225	72 234	18 381	7 122
500 acres and over	79	58 419	2	650	73	53 149	13 030	5 899

				Irrigated land	
	Farms	Acres	Bushels	Farms	Acres
Field corn for grain or seed:					
Acres harvested, 1974	9 597	421 863	27 120 878	36	1 419
1 to 14 acres	3 971	28 912	1 621 248	17	111
15 to 24 acres	1 658	30 565	1 812 414	4	68
25 to 49 acres	1 783	59 183	3 633 983	7	227
50 to 99 acres	1 121	72 588	4 672 764	3	83
100 to 249 acres	780	110 939	7 232 758	2	80
250 to 499 acres	216	69 827	4 821 574	1	200
500 acres and over	68	49 849	3 326 137	2	650

			Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup:								
Acres harvested, 1974	784	28 198	2	41	583	21 307	4 497	1 637
1 to 14 acres	313	2 211	1	11	220	1 647	422	99
15 to 24 acres	111	2 054	–	–	79	1 477	344	92
25 to 49 acres	187	6 215	1	30	151	4 925	1 003	405
50 to 99 acres	104	6 527	–	–	84	5 227	1 155	460
100 to 249 acres	61	8 916	–	–	42	6 006	1 153	479
250 to 499 acres	8	2 275	–	–	7	2 025	420	102
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Acres	Bushels	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres
Sorghums (milo) for grain or seed:					
Acres harvested, 1974	493	16 010	643 076	2	41
1 to 14 acres	215	1 550	59 138	1	11
15 to 24 acres	70	1 312	55 571	–	–
25 to 49 acres	110	3 583	137 751	1	30
50 to 99 acres	66	4 220	183 256	–	–
100 to 249 acres	28	4 195	159 560	–	–
250 to 499 acres	4	1 150	47 800	–	–
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used			
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Tons, liquid
Wheat for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	2 194	98 010	2 620 050	2	36	1 692	85 313	16 494	4 862
1 to 14 acres	779	5 580	140 388	–	–	503	3 774	740	182
15 to 24 acres	408	7 446	186 779	–	–	318	5 770	1 128	343
25 to 49 acres	397	12 852	347 146	1	35	321	10 439	1 835	629
50 to 99 acres	309	19 760	546 685	–	–	274	17 515	3 145	1 012
100 to 249 acres	252	35 131	958 231	–	–	231	32 037	6 477	1 786
250 to 499 acres	45	14 741	368 806	1	1	41	13 278	2 469	836
500 acres and over	4	2 500	72 015	–	–	4	2 500	700	75
Soybeans for beans (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	11 093	1 056 929	21 129 937	30	561	6 376	742 189	119 548	9 724
1 to 14 acres	2 019	17 013	356 673	6	32	872	7 617	1 486	53
15 to 24 acres	1 564	29 157	601 937	7	99	742	13 617	2 453	164
25 to 49 acres	2 664	89 860	1 681 811	13	152	1 327	43 697	7 424	541
50 to 99 acres	2 014	132 786	2 510 893	1	1	1 268	80 630	13 139	1 051
100 to 249 acres	1 731	258 299	5 066 439	2	275	1 279	182 915	28 634	2 693
250 to 499 acres	738	243 389	4 918 837	1	2	586	182 592	28 950	2 579
500 acres and over	363	286 425	5 993 347	–	–	302	231 121	37 462	2 644
Oats for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	1 566	36 150	1 821 753	2	10	1 149	29 760	5 222	2 014
1 to 14 acres	872	5 715	250 951	2	10	588	4 196	745	246
15 to 24 acres	250	4 561	219 545	–	–	210	3 825	694	259
25 to 49 acres	248	7 777	377 408	–	–	176	5 481	878	276
50 to 99 acres	130	7 982	432 411	–	–	117	7 153	1 284	491
100 to 249 acres	60	7 585	397 938	–	–	52	6 575	1 120	470
250 to 499 acres	3	930	37 500	–	–	3	930	108	213
500 acres and over	3	1 600	106 000	–	–	3	1 600	395	60
Barley for grain (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	472	12 974	561 804	–	–	352	11 036	1 887	778
1 to 14 acres	228	1 536	59 980	–	–	140	1 049	195	44
15 to 24 acres	76	1 366	53 447	–	–	66	1 189	243	77
25 to 49 acres	85	2 727	113 340	–	–	71	2 292	391	184
50 to 99 acres	56	3 396	145 248	–	–	50	2 982	387	239
100 to 249 acres	26	3 649	180 589	–	–	24	3 224	607	199
250 to 499 acres	1	300	9 200	–	–	1	300	65	35
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
All hay (tons, dry):									
Acres harvested, 1974	4 172	123 978	263 166	5	127	1 926	65 171	14 891	6 916
1 to 14 acres	1 848	12 921	24 114	1	2	696	5 112	1 351	646
15 to 24 acres	797	14 592	29 573	–	–	393	6 996	1 695	759
25 to 49 acres	810	26 587	56 226	1	40	418	13 063	2 999	1 393
50 to 99 acres	472	30 192	68 220	–	–	262	15 513	3 817	1 582
100 to 249 acres	217	29 184	61 276	2	70	140	18 045	3 669	1 464
250 to 499 acres	25	7 670	12 195	1	15	14	3 610	550	784
500 acres and over	3	2 832	11 562	–	–	3	2 832	810	289

	Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating			Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay			Small grain hay		
	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry
Acres harvested, 1974	156	4 350	10 074	275	7 136	11 689	841	15 548	26 290
1 to 14 acres	72	483	890	115	780	1 069	458	3 397	5 550
15 to 24 acres	36	643	1 582	56	1 047	1 670	181	3 176	5 259
25 to 49 acres	23	785	1 896	67	2 146	4 219	134	4 199	7 174
50 to 99 acres	15	984	2 678	25	1 492	2 680	53	3 101	5 621
100 to 249 acres	9	1 205	2 778	12	1 671	2 051	14	1 425	2 511
250 to 499 acres	1	250	250	–	–	–	1	250	175
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

	Lespedeza for hay			Wild hay			Other hay, includes Coastal Bermuda grass		
	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry	Farms	Acres	Tons, dry
Acres harvested, 1974	277	5 719	8 745	239	5 048	6 379	2 985	80 682	187 602
1 to 14 acres	156	1 080	1 636	119	788	788	1 447	9 794	20 209
15 to 24 acres	58	1 064	1 731	52	953	1 020	556	10 190	23 166
25 to 49 acres	34	1 102	1 997	39	1 282	1 927	554	18 071	41 714
50 to 99 acres	20	1 149	1 771	22	1 275	1 879	283	17 790	44 094
100 to 249 acres	8	1 024	1 310	7	750	765	124	16 290	37 269
250 to 499 acres	1	300	300	–	–	–	18	5 715	9 588
500 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	2 832	11 562

Table 25. **Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, dry	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, liquid
Irish potatoes (hundredweight):									
Acres harvested, 1974	320	680	80 928	3	106	132	572	401	113
0.1 to 0.9 acres	229	56	5 688	–	–	81	21	22	(Z)
1.0 to 4.9 acres	64	104	14 478	2	6	24	40	29	1
5.0 to 14.9 acres	20	140	14 182	–	–	20	131	115	3
15.0 to 24.9 acres	1	15	1 350	–	–	1	15	15	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	4	164	(D)	–	–	4	164	153	9
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	200	(D)	1	100	2	200	67	100
250.0 to 499.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sweetpotatoes (bushels):									
Acres harvested, 1974	596	1 583	304 674	9	56	273	1 382	1 233	5
0.1 to 0.9 acres	322	99	13 200	4	1	83	26	21	–
1.0 to 2.9 acres	141	196	29 529	2	2	63	92	77	–
3.0 to 4.9 acres	48	171	38 359	–	–	42	148	128	5
5.0 to 9.9 acres	36	207	46 221	2	7	36	206	173	–
10.0 to 24.9 acres	39	545	93 850	–	–	39	545	472	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	8	250	49 515	1	45	8	250	268	–
50.0 acres and over	2	115	34 000	–	–	2	115	94	–
Tobacco (pounds):									
Acres harvested, 1974	5 867	70 315	145 287 632	122	1 789	5 867	69 932	71 482	710
0.1 to 0.4 acres	33	11	20 436	–	–	33	11	9	(Z)
0.5 to 0.9 acres	103	77	156 487	–	–	103	77	73	1
1.0 to 1.4 acres	190	220	428 639	1	1	190	221	212	1
1.5 to 1.9 acres	230	382	729 343	2	3	230	381	385	5
2.0 to 2.9 acres	614	1 426	2 820 774	7	14	614	1 417	1 462	14
3.0 to 4.9 acres	985	3 594	7 122 793	10	33	985	3 594	3 734	47
5.0 to 9.9 acres	1 496	10 140	20 856 714	21	122	1 496	10 120	10 528	74
10.0 to 19.9 acres	1 221	16 452	34 886 211	32	303	1 221	16 398	17 152	144
20.0 acres and over	995	38 016	78 266 235	49	1 314	995	37 716	37 929	425
Cotton (bales):									
Acres harvested, 1974	2 261	254 766	264 448	11	713	2 080	252 758	74 105	15 252
1 to 14 acres	573	4 488	3 755	6	37	403	3 255	1 088	123
15 to 24 acres	251	4 664	3 966	2	20	240	4 469	1 519	193
25 to 49 acres	372	12 971	10 843	–	–	372	12 901	3 934	688
50 to 99 acres	376	25 265	23 794	–	–	376	25 030	7 281	1 528
100 to 249 acres	413	63 437	63 287	2	131	413	63 310	17 210	4 286
250 to 499 acres	160	53 248	55 511	–	–	160	53 100	14 721	3 145
500 acres and over	116	90 693	103 292	1	525	116	90 693	28 351	5 288

	Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Total: Trees	Trees not of bearing age: Farms	Trees not of bearing age: Trees	Trees of bearing age: Farms	Trees of bearing age: Trees	Harvested: Farms	Harvested: Quantity
Apples (pounds):									
Acres, 1974	116	2 754	250 387	42	39 628	103	210 759	95	17 938 678
0.1 to 0.9 acres	11	4	261	4	56	8	205	6	7 920
1.0 to 4.9 acres	31	63	4 484	9	1 042	26	3 442	22	334 250
5.0 to 14.9 acres	33	300	25 331	12	5 285	30	20 046	28	1 724 457
15.0 to 24.9 acres	19	346	30 119	8	10 870	18	19 249	18	2 027 565
25.0 to 49.9 acres	11	374	32 238	5	5 375	10	26 863	10	2 117 930
50.0 to 99.9 acres	7	503	43 773	3	12 000	7	31 773	7	4 273 764
100.0 acres and over	4	1 165	114 181	1	5 000	4	109 181	4	7 452 792
Peaches (pounds):									
Acres, 1974	384	29 517	2 741 736	181	700 210	347	2 041 526	336	191 022 801
0.1 to 0.9 acres	6	2	180	2	60	4	120	3	4 406
1.0 to 4.9 acres	36	99	9 925	14	2 783	31	7 142	29	704 942
5.0 to 14.9 acres	103	975	96 500	33	18 163	92	78 337	87	6 954 925
15.0 to 24.9 acres	68	1 246	120 414	33	38 821	57	81 593	56	6 024 827
25.0 to 49.9 acres	56	1 905	186 824	29	39 597	54	147 227	53	14 103 895
50.0 to 99.9 acres	46	2 933	296 378	24	73 920	41	222 458	40	20 589 810
100.0 acres and over	69	22 357	2 031 515	46	526 866	68	1 504 649	68	142 639 996
Grapes (tons):									
Acres, 1974	56	1 488	514 299	26	146 280	44	368 019	40	2 423
0.1 to 0.9 acres	7	2	605	5	540	2	65	–	–
1.0 to 4.9 acres	14	34	14 093	5	2 440	11	11 653	9	66
5.0 to 14.9 acres	15	135	53 765	4	6 900	14	46 865	14	295
15.0 to 24.9 acres	4	81	22 550	3	7 200	2	15 350	2	35
25.0 to 49.9 acres	9	258	85 200	2	14 000	8	71 200	8	469
50.0 to 99.9 acres	1	55	9 900	1	6 300	1	3 600	1	68
100.0 acres and over	6	923	328 186	6	108 900	6	219 286	6	1 491
Oranges (boxes):									
Acres, 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
0.1 to 0.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1.0 to 4.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5.0 to 14.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
15.0 to 24.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25.0 to 49.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100.0 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

	Farms	Acres	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, dry	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, liquid
Land in vegetables:								
Acres harvested, 1974	1 262	26 397	53	1 318	786	20 416	12 857	1 021
0.1 to 0.9 acres	106	46	1	(Z)	65	30	22	1
1.0 to 4.9 acres	444	987	21	46	281	611	334	16
5.0 to 14.9 acres	351	2 959	4	25	202	1 653	691	63
15.0 to 24.9 acres	133	2 390	8	127	80	1 422	639	66
25.0 to 49.9 acres	110	3 542	11	248	66	2 141	963	67
50.0 to 99.9 acres	62	3 823	3	220	39	2 463	1 494	59
100.0 to 249.9 acres	43	6 968	3	(D)	41	6 713	3 855	573
250.0 to 499.9 acres	9	2 772	1	(D)	8	2 472	2 779	84
500.0 acres and over	4	2 910	1	50	4	2 910	2 080	93

Table 25. Selected Crops Harvested: 1974, 1969, and 1964—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Acres	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, dry	Commercial fertilizer used: Tons, liquid
Land in orchards:								
Acres in orchards, 1974	693	36 858	20	2 154	380	28 644	9 528	392
0.1 to 0.9 acres	8	4	–	–	5	3	1	–
1.0 to 4.9 acres	143	343	4	8	48	106	39	(Z)
5.0 to 14.9 acres	203	1 810	2	26	106	938	316	18
15.0 to 24.9 acres	115	2 122	–	–	60	1 040	333	8
25.0 to 49.9 acres	85	2 891	6	85	51	1 767	580	16
50.0 to 99.9 acres	55	3 481	1	15	36	2 150	877	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres	50	7 418	2	110	44	6 338	2 110	60
250.0 to 499.9 acres	13	4 401	1	60	12	4 108	1 252	75
500.0 acres and over	21	14 388	4	1 850	18	12 193	4 021	201

Table 26. Value of Agricultural Products Sold by Commodity Group and Total Value of Sales: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total: Farms	Total: Sales ($1,000)	Under $2,499 (see text): Farms	Under $2,499 (see text): Sales ($1,000)	$2,500 to $4,999: Farms	$2,500 to $4,999: Sales ($1,000)	$5,000 to $7,499: Farms	$5,000 to $7,499: Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	17 513	661 349	348	532	3 665	13 257	2 355	14 278
Grains	13 015	192 331	147	236	2 284	5 497	1 645	5 981
Tobacco	5 859	139 951	4	5	628	1 755	591	2 717
Cotton and cottonseed	2 243	61 314	9	11	209	345	157	337
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	1 457	5 838	13	6	327	365	198	282
Other field crops	631	6 627	6	3	115	122	80	142
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 182	15 004	1	1	234	320	159	296
Fruits, nuts, and berries	516	26 110	10	9	63	154	57	232
Poultry and poultry products	916	88 151	6	3	84	43	81	95
Dairy products	484	41 620	–	–	13	12	7	17
Cattle and calves	6 268	34 360	149	188	1 439	3 149	847	2 485
Sheep, lambs, and wool	16	9	–	–	1	(Z)	3	1
Hogs and pigs	4 391	33 578	43	35	801	1 026	584	1 160
Other livestock and livestock products	242	779	17	14	61	96	40	52
Nursery and greenhouse products	186	5 993	6	10	30	90	31	138
Forest products	1 560	9 685	22	11	270	283	184	344

	$7,500 to $9,999: Farms	$7,500 to $9,999: Sales ($1,000)	$10,000 to $14,999: Farms	$10,000 to $14,999: Sales ($1,000)	$15,000 to $19,999: Farms	$15,000 to $19,999: Sales ($1,000)	$20,000 to $29,999: Farms	$20,000 to $29,999: Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	1 527	13 214	1 966	24 135	1 296	22 257	1 581	38 525
Grains	1 150	5 280	1 483	9 021	1 002	7 768	1 332	13 660
Tobacco	506	3 259	752	6 951	574	7 437	780	13 871
Cotton and cottonseed	153	517	192	821	154	946	182	1 495
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	141	317	156	406	100	342	93	292
Other field crops	49	137	48	135	58	172	38	117
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	95	243	145	535	105	494	110	630
Fruits, nuts, and berries	38	218	52	356	37	462	46	663
Poultry and poultry products	45	96	72	218	32	281	63	641
Dairy products	3	24	16	98	13	144	36	740
Cattle and calves	510	1 771	617	2 531	388	1 772	516	2 771
Sheep, lambs, and wool	3	3	–	–	4	2	1	2
Hogs and pigs	404	981	574	1 964	352	1 497	469	2 511
Other livestock and livestock products	15	11	27	127	15	74	11	82
Nursery and greenhouse products	13	75	33	312	15	215	14	256
Forest products	138	284	183	658	132	651	153	794

	$30,000 to $39,999: Farms	$30,000 to $39,999: Sales ($1,000)	$40,000 to $59,999: Farms	$40,000 to $59,999: Sales ($1,000)	$60,000 to $79,999: Farms	$60,000 to $79,999: Sales ($1,000)	$80,000 to $99,999: Farms	$80,000 to $99,999: Sales ($1,000)	$100,000 and over: Farms	$100,000 and over: Sales ($1,000)
Agricultural products sold	1 009	34 741	1 159	56 585	730	50 055	375	33 311	1 502	360 458
Grains	867	12 166	988	19 063	620	17 134	312	9 935	1 185	86 590
Tobacco	505	12 411	573	19 473	337	15 250	162	9 544	447	47 277
Cotton and cottonseed	145	1 565	217	3 385	186	3 840	85	2 209	554	45 843
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	90	364	83	525	52	216	41	308	163	2 415
Other field crops	39	227	41	327	40	311	17	251	100	4 684
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	52	307	92	1 365	33	359	22	276	134	10 178
Fruits, nuts, and berries	39	738	38	1 093	27	984	15	582	94	20 620
Poultry and poultry products	48	870	84	2 972	71	3 917	48	3 587	282	75 429
Dairy products	38	898	52	2 174	53	2 649	44	3 322	209	31 543
Cattle and calves	332	1 926	371	2 078	280	2 002	157	1 477	662	12 210
Sheep, lambs, and wool	2	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1
Hogs and pigs	296	2 112	312	2 615	171	2 338	85	1 319	300	16 020
Other livestock and livestock products	9	120	14	100	10	(D)	3	(D)	20	75
Nursery and greenhouse products	7	211	13	553	5	(D)	1	(D)	18	3 820
Forest products	112	827	99	863	63	811	43	404	161	3 754

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Broilers	Started pullets	Chicken eggs	Turkeys	Milk and other dairy products	Fattened cattle	Feeder cattle and/or stocker cattle	Breeding cattle	Slaughter hogs	Feeder pigs	Breeding hogs
Any contracts ---- farms	131	50	140	38	63	–	3	–	–	1	–
Production contract or agreement ---- farms	66	28	82	17	20	–	–	–	–	–	–
Co-op ---- farms	9	6	9	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	26	14	24	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	4	1	5	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	19	–	27	8	18	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	1	4	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not reported ---- farms	7	3	14	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marketing contract or agreement ---- farms	5	2	6	3	19	–	2	–	–	1	–
Co-op ---- farms	–	–	–	–	10	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	2	–	1	3	9	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Not reported ---- farms	1	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ---- farms	16	6	16	12	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Co-op ---- farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	1	2	4	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	13	1	3	9	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	–	3	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not reported ---- farms	1	–	4	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other contracts ---- farms	1	3	2	1	3	–	1	–	–	–	–
Co-op ---- farms	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	1	1	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Not reported ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unspecified contracts ---- farms	43	11	34	5	19	–	–	–	–	–	–
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ---- farms	89	42	107	28	–	–	3	–	–	–	–
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ---- farms	94	43	107	25	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Seed ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fertilizer ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chemicals ---- farms	11	4	11	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Labor ---- farms	11	1	8	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ---- farms	1	2	2	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Harvesting ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Transportation ---- farms	48	26	45	13	10	–	2	–	–	–	–
Processing/packing ---- farms	37	3	42	12	8	–	–	–	–	–	–
Credit ---- farms	3	–	3	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Technical assistance ---- farms	45	20	43	14	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	15	3	9	7	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
None ---- farms	–	1	2	2	32	–	–	–	–	1	–
Not reported ---- farms	28	4	24	5	18	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ---- farms	105	38	104	24	45	–	2	–	–	1	–
$1,000	1 052	543	1 932	1 423	5 503	–	19	–	–	(D)	–
Not reported ---- farms	26	12	36	14	18	–	1	–	–	–	–
$1 to $2,499 ---- farms	12	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	16	5	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$2,500 to $4,999 ---- farms	28	6	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	109	19	13	17	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000 to $7,499 ---- farms	20	4	15	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	122	21	96	12	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
$7,500 to $9,999 ---- farms	11	3	10	3	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	95	26	92	27	–	–	19	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $14,999 ---- farms	13	7	21	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	162	79	259	38	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$15,000 to $19,999 ---- farms	8	6	19	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	131	101	311	71	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $29,999 ---- farms	8	4	17	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	183	99	398	24	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
$30,000 and over ---- farms	5	4	14	7	41	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	234	194	757	1 233	5 443	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Contract specified:											
Exact price ---- farms	18	12	43	1	3	–	2	–	–	–	–
Method of determining price ---- farms	54	26	39	20	35	–	–	–	–	1	–
Neither price nor method ---- farms	6	5	11	1	10	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not reported ---- farms	53	7	47	16	15	–	1	–	–	–	–
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ---- farms	131	50	140	38	63	–	3	–	–	1	–
$1,000	18 058	9 804	25 482	8 894	8 070	–	362	–	–	(D)	–

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Other livestock and/or poultry	Field and seed corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Cotton	Vegetables for fresh market	Vegetables for processing	Fruit, citrus, nuts for fresh market	Fruit, including citrus for processing	Sugar beets	Other crops
Any contracts ---- farms	3	245	978	82	131	9	28	7	7	–	26
Production contract or agreement ---- farms	–	15	111	12	24	1	6	–	2	–	9
Co-op ---- farms	–	6	32	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	–	2	8	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	4
Packer ---- farms	–	1	1	–	1	1	2	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	–	1	17	2	5	–	4	–	2	–	1
Other ---- farms	–	2	37	5	16	–	–	–	–	–	4
Not reported ---- farms	–	3	16	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marketing contract or agreement ---- farms	3	181	650	54	79	5	11	4	3	–	3
Co-op ---- farms	1	60	207	31	–	–	–	2	–	–	2
Feed company ---- farms	–	28	48	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	1	3	–	–	2	2	2	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	–	15	92	–	16	–	7	–	1	–	–
Other ---- farms	2	49	197	15	49	3	1	–	–	–	1
Not reported ---- farms	–	28	103	7	14	–	1	–	2	–	–
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ---- farms	–	5	19	1	2	–	1	–	–	–	2
Co-op ---- farms	–	2	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	–	1	3	1	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Not reported ---- farms	–	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other contracts ---- farms	–	11	42	2	5	1	2	1	–	–	3
Co-op ---- farms	–	3	5	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed company ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Packer ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Processor ---- farms	–	1	10	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
Other ---- farms	–	7	21	1	4	–	2	–	–	–	3
Not reported ---- farms	–	–	6	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Unspecified contracts ---- farms	–	33	156	13	21	2	8	2	2	–	9
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ---- farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seed ---- farms	–	5	30	8	–	1	6	–	–	–	10
Fertilizer ---- farms	–	4	16	3	–	1	1	–	–	–	3
Chemicals ---- farms	–	3	16	3	–	1	1	–	–	–	1
Labor ---- farms	–	1	5	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	1
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ---- farms	–	1	12	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3
Harvesting ---- farms	–	1	16	2	1	–	1	1	–	–	1
Transportation ---- farms	–	3	18	3	4	–	–	1	3	–	2
Processing/packing ---- farms	–	2	4	–	–	2	1	6	2	–	2
Credit ---- farms	–	1	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Technical assistance ---- farms	–	2	4	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	1
Other ---- farms	–	2	31	2	–	–	3	–	1	–	–
None ---- farms	3	147	504	46	86	5	14	–	1	–	7
Not reported ---- farms	–	86	386	23	42	2	6	–	2	–	7
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ---- farms	2	192	796	63	94	4	21	7	6	–	14
$1,000	(D)	2 840	12 120	499	8 004	226	290	25	221	–	360
Not reported ---- farms	1	53	182	19	37	5	7	–	1	–	12
$1 to $2,499 ---- farms	–	30	125	27	8	–	10	4	–	–	2
$1,000	–	35	139	38	8	–	9	4	–	–	3
$2,500 to $4,999 ---- farms	–	41	134	10	5	2	3	1	–	–	3
$1,000	–	148	491	36	18	(D)	10	4	–	–	10
$5,000 to $7,499 ---- farms	–	30	106	9	2	–	3	–	1	–	1
$1,000	–	192	651	54	12	–	19	–	6	–	7
$7,500 to $9,999 ---- farms	–	22	106	5	3	–	1	2	2	–	1
$1,000	–	188	885	41	27	–	9	17	17	–	8
$10,000 to $14,999 ---- farms	–	18	94	1	7	–	–	–	–	–	6
$1,000	–	211	1 158	14	91	–	–	–	–	–	(D)
$15,000 to $19,999 ---- farms	–	15	61	4	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	262	1 015	65	97	–	–	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $29,999 ---- farms	2	12	63	4	11	–	3	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	290	1 494	93	266	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
$30,000 and over ---- farms	–	24	107	3	52	2	1	–	3	–	1
$1,000	–	1 514	6 287	158	7 485	(D)	(D)	–	199	–	(D)
Contract specified:											
Exact price ---- farms	1	197	787	66	108	–	20	2	1	–	14
Method of determining price ---- farms	–	13	30	8	7	1	4	3	1	–	1
Neither price nor method ---- farms	1	4	14	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	4
Not reported ---- farms	1	31	147	8	16	3	4	1	5	–	7
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ---- farms	3	245	978	82	131	9	28	7	7	–	26
$1,000	99	26 622	82 828	11 852	26 688	471	1 988	666	1 214	–	2 342

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms—number	17 513	8 921	6 474	2 118	15 867	1 356	247	43
percent	100.0	50.9	37.0	12.1	90.6	7.7	1.4	0.2
Land in farms—acres	5 164 205	2 196 108	2 604 266	363 831	4 216 261	636 051	271 409	40 484
Average size of farm—acres	295	246	402	172	266	469	1 099	941
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	2 344 458	912 166	1 239 101	193 192	1 924 309	288 036	122 280	9 834
Average per farm—dollars	133 870	102 249	191 397	91 214	121 277	212 416	495 060	228 702
Average per acre—dollars	454	415	476	531	456	453	451	243
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	1 033	615	106	312	954	63	11	5
$10,000 to $19,999	1 778	1 170	298	310	1 672	100	6	–
$20,000 to $39,999	3 288	2 109	757	422	3 090	165	29	4
$40,000 to $69,999	3 485	1 899	1 198	388	3 279	189	16	1
$70,000 to $99,999	1 973	923	855	195	1 791	155	19	8
$100,000 to $149,999	2 013	862	975	176	1 815	168	21	9
$150,000 to $199,999	1 035	379	585	71	901	116	16	2
$200,000 to $499,999	2 067	686	1 197	184	1 745	254	60	8
$500,000 and over	841	278	503	60	620	146	69	6
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned—farms	15 439	8 921	6 474	44	14 065	1 129	207	38
acres	3 724 472	2 305 164	1 414 914	4 394	3 040 294	428 883	215 133	40 162
Land rented or leased from others—farms	8 665	73	6 474	2 118	7 670	851	128	16
acres	1 593 294	3 587	1 219 692	370 015	1 296 549	230 235	63 645	2 865
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 083	1 491	496	96	1 851	182	37	13
acres	153 561	112 643	30 340	10 578	120 582	23 067	7 369	2 543
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland—farms	17 016	8 507	6 432	2 077	15 440	1 328	207	41
acres	2 791 406	859 109	1 673 102	259 195	2 271 569	386 417	124 418	9 002
Harvested cropland—farms	16 356	7 963	6 351	2 042	14 830	1 293	193	40
acres	2 146 630	519 807	1 401 405	225 418	1 721 660	324 838	94 713	5 419
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	8 327	5 319	1 924	1 084	7 808	455	47	17
50 to 99 acres	3 237	1 476	1 359	402	3 002	208	20	7
100 to 199 acres	2 112	672	1 179	261	1 869	212	23	8
200 to 499 acres	1 780	371	1 198	211	1 493	241	41	5
500 to 999 acres	598	102	441	55	464	103	28	3
1,000 acres and over	302	23	250	29	194	74	34	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	247	21	199	27	162	57	28	–
2,000 acres and over	55	2	51	2	32	17	6	–
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only—farms	6 525	3 500	2 629	396	5 933	489	83	20
acres	453 791	247 099	187 925	18 767	385 656	43 403	22 050	2 682
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	1 251	704	466	81	1 138	95	15	3
acres	45 039	25 982	17 091	1 966	38 911	4 387	1 493	248
On which all crops failed—farms	660	281	294	85	590	51	17	2
acres	20 509	7 085	11 147	2 277	17 509	2 090	810	100
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	476	271	169	36	407	55	11	3
acres	20 158	12 124	6 904	1 130	16 492	3 126	425	115
Idle—farms	2 716	1 356	1 087	273	2 412	254	37	13
acres	105 279	47 012	48 630	9 637	91 341	8 573	4 927	438
Total woodland—farms	11 002	6 071	4 365	566	9 981	838	150	33
acres	1 779 080	1 011 263	702 508	65 309	1 455 946	195 779	109 828	17 527
Woodland pastured—farms	4 808	2 710	1 871	227	4 367	365	62	14
acres	537 290	325 782	196 301	15 207	428 287	67 367	36 763	4 873
Woodland not pastured—farms	8 342	4 560	3 349	433	7 586	619	114	23
acres	1 241 790	685 481	506 207	50 102	1 027 659	128 412	73 065	12 654
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	2 790	1 537	1 090	163	2 540	186	61	3
acres	309 531	169 967	118 545	21 019	248 553	33 751	25 087	2 140
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 972	1 067	790	115	1 810	129	30	3
acres	164 597	84 571	64 149	15 877	143 090	13 593	5 859	2 055
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 065	608	399	58	950	76	38	1
acres	144 934	85 396	54 396	5 142	105 463	20 158	19 228	85
Other land (see text)—farms	10 843	5 564	4 346	933	9 846	810	158	29
acres	284 188	155 769	110 111	18 308	240 193	20 104	12 076	11 815
Total pastureland—farms	9 433	5 102	3 726	605	8 594	682	134	23
acres	1 300 612	742 848	502 771	54 993	1 062 496	144 521	83 900	9 695
Irrigated land—farms	323	151	130	42	267	29	24	3
acres	9 429	3 775	4 873	781	5 609	1 579	2 035	206
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	317	147	128	42	261	29	24	3
acres	9 043	3 413	4 849	781	5 253	1 579	2 005	206
Artificial drainage—farms	2 466	932	1 233	301	2 056	338	62	10
acres drained	444 741	93 877	314 996	35 868	323 183	80 144	34 504	6 910
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 597	1 636	1 698	263	3 045	434	100	18
number	9 234	4 131	4 430	673	7 687	1 139	349	59
acres	16 328	7 201	8 282	846	12 680	2 352	1 190	105
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	17 513	8 921	6 474	2 118	15 867	1 356	247	43
Full owners	8 921	8 921	–	–	8 257	515	120	29
Part owners	6 474	–	6 474	–	5 768	612	85	9
Tenants	2 118	–	–	2 118	1 842	229	42	5

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued								
All farm operators — Continued								
White[1]	15 063	7 695	5 622	1 746	13 779	1 284	–	–
Full owners	7 695	7 695	–	–	7 210	485	–	–
Part owners	5 622	–	5 622	–	5 029	593	–	–
Tenants	1 746	–	–	1 746	1 540	206	–	–
Black and other races[1]	2 160	1 077	758	325	2 088	72	–	–
Full owners	1 077	1 077	–	–	1 047	30	–	–
Part owners	758	–	758	–	739	19	–	–
Tenants	325	–	–	325	302	23	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family — farms	15 867	8 257	5 768	1 842	15 867	–	–	–
acres	4 216 261	1 840 704	2 081 771	293 786	4 216 261	–	–	–
Partnership — farms	1 356	515	612	229	–	1 356	–	–
acres	636 051	173 494	420 855	41 702	–	636 051	–	–
Corporation, including family owned — farms	247	120	85	42	–	–	247	–
acres	271 409	146 668	96 936	27 805	–	–	271 409	–
Other — farms	43	29	9	5	–	–	–	43
acres	40 484	35 242	4 704	538	–	–	–	40 484
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt — farms	5 149	2 110	2 673	366	4 533	495	115	6
$1,000	201 073	62 194	131 066	7 813	155 947	26 539	18 240	346
Debts secured by real estate — farms	3 806	1 700	2 106	–	3 388	337	78	3
$1,000	143 249	49 649	93 600	–	115 049	17 251	10 705	245
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	2 703	886	1 451	366	2 315	309	74	5
$1,000	57 823	12 545	37 466	7 813	40 899	9 289	7 535	101
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	293	80	91	122	267	26	–	–
25 to 34 years	1 557	421	646	490	1 431	126	–	–
35 to 44 years	2 752	1 028	1 268	456	2 525	227	–	–
45 to 54 years	4 459	2 069	1 917	473	4 110	349	–	–
55 to 64 years	4 827	2 743	1 724	360	4 438	389	–	–
65 years and over	3 335	2 431	734	170	3 096	239	–	–
Average age	52.7	56.4	50.4	44.2	52.8	52.4	–	–
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	10 340	5 039	4 458	843	9 421	919	–	–
On another farm	807	438	174	195	694	113	–	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	272	262	238	686	86	–	–
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	712	473	233	1 242	176	–	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	11 905	5 780	4 656	1 469	10 877	1 028	–	–
Other	5 318	2 992	1 724	602	4 990	328	–	–
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —								
Greater than value of farm products sold	4 198	2 547	1 273	378	3 973	225	–	–
Less than value of farm products sold	6 534	2 792	3 004	738	5 828	706	–	–
Not reporting or none	6 491	3 433	2 103	955	6 066	425	–	–
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	6 483	3 281	2 428	774	6 038	445	–	–
1 to 49 days	673	308	285	80	626	47	–	–
50 to 99 days	462	217	174	71	435	27	–	–
100 to 149 days	492	221	207	64	460	32	–	–
150 to 199 days	645	282	243	120	600	45	–	–
200 days and over	4 211	2 253	1 519	439	3 917	294	–	–
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	2 709	1 092	1 332	285	2 365	344	–	–
Number of persons	3 148	1 273	1 559	316	2 698	450	–	–
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	311	102	172	37	274	37	–	–
50 to 99 days	255	90	147	18	215	40	–	–
100 to 149 days	261	87	145	29	218	43	–	–
150 to 199 days	483	200	234	49	419	64	–	–
200 days and over	1 838	794	861	183	1 572	266	–	–
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	575	365	27	183	514	42	18	1
10 to 49 acres	3 123	1 861	615	647	2 918	171	28	6
50 to 69 acres	1 611	925	410	276	1 523	81	7	–
70 to 99 acres	1 884	1 041	635	208	1 765	96	21	2
100 to 139 acres	2 127	1 189	737	201	2 006	110	5	6
140 to 179 acres	1 329	682	538	109	1 215	103	7	4
180 to 219 acres	1 069	566	408	95	992	73	4	–
220 to 259 acres	851	423	378	50	786	58	7	–
260 to 499 acres	2 404	967	1 268	169	2 096	265	38	5
500 to 999 acres	1 522	555	853	114	1 302	180	29	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	721	225	444	52	552	115	51	3
2,000 acres and over	297	122	161	14	198	62	32	5
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	5 835	2 759	2 433	643	5 362	420	34	19
Cotton farms (0131)	561	196	289	76	485	61	15	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 880	2 194	1 691	995	4 429	418	28	5

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

Table 28. **Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	523	257	209	57	471	40	12	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	246	118	92	36	222	22	2	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	325	212	84	29	269	38	17	1
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	123	16	11	122	10	18	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	571	208	328	35	518	42	6	5
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 968	1 942	834	192	2 741	168	56	3
Dairy farms (024)	415	134	268	13	319	82	13	1
Poultry and egg farms (025)	542	388	136	18	478	30	31	3
Animal specialty farms (027)	68	45	14	9	60	2	6	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	34	24	9	1	31	2	1	–
Farms not classified by SIC	395	321	71	3	360	21	8	6
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold — farms	17 513	8 921	6 474	2 118	15 867	1 356	247	43
$1,000	661 349	216 833	377 632	66 885	505 929	96 237	56 203	2 981
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	107	33	69	5	50	25	30	2
$200,000 to $499,999	509	135	340	34	362	92	52	3
$100,000 to $199,999	886	240	553	93	708	139	39	–
$40,000 to $99,999	2 264	687	1 277	300	1 943	284	31	6
$20,000 to $39,999	2 590	933	1 244	413	2 324	231	30	5
$10,000 to $19,999	3 262	1 685	1 093	484	2 984	242	27	9
$5,000 to $9,999	3 882	2 377	1 037	468	3 636	213	19	14
$2,500 to $4,999	3 665	2 595	780	290	3 527	124	10	4
Under $2,500 (see text)	348	236	81	31	333	6	9	–
Grain sold — farms	13 015	5 817	5 553	1 645	11 819	1 041	123	32
$1,000	192 331	45 615	124 543	22 173	156 538	28 336	6 950	507
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1 133	190	814	129	878	206	46	3
$1,000	100 725	14 291	76 125	10 309	74 851	19 653	6 040	182
Tobacco sold — farms	5 859	2 564	2 158	1 137	5 287	521	41	10
$1,000	139 951	37 724	76 543	25 684	119 127	17 105	3 632	86
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	947	161	630	156	790	138	19	–
$1,000	75 761	12 385	51 804	11 572	60 960	11 535	3 266	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold — farms	2 243	753	1 205	285	1 952	234	50	7
$1,000	61 314	8 541	46 421	6 352	44 198	12 891	4 131	94
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	396	48	305	43	287	81	28	–
$1,000	44 526	4 153	36 107	4 266	29 556	11 102	3 868	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold — farms	1 457	706	667	84	1 293	134	27	3
$1,000	5 838	2 285	3 372	181	4 193	750	(D)	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	19	8	11	–	11	4	4	–
$1,000	1 543	397	1 146	–	559	298	686	–
Other field crops sold — farms	631	271	286	74	565	56	10	–
$1,000	6 627	1 388	4 772	467	4 714	1 182	731	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	39	4	34	1	27	8	4	–
$1,000	3 657	(D)	3 121	(D)	2 152	886	618	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold — farms	1 182	478	587	117	1 072	97	8	5
$1,000	15 004	2 977	10 131	1 895	9 191	4 657	1 119	36
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	64	11	44	9	41	20	3	–
$1,000	10 341	1 572	7 400	1 368	5 073	4 161	1 107	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold — farms	516	294	182	40	430	63	22	1
$1,000	26 110	11 544	12 214	2 352	10 997	6 098	9 008	7
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	105	42	52	11	64	23	18	–
$1,000	22 653	9 487	11 110	2 056	8 004	5 706	8 943	–
Poultry and poultry products sold — farms	916	613	261	42	844	38	31	3
$1,000	88 151	57 173	29 621	1 358	65 796	3 828	16 919	1 608
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	427	292	121	14	374	22	28	3
$1,000	85 332	55 167	28 896	1 269	63 260	3 601	16 863	1 608
Dairy products sold — farms	484	167	302	15	379	90	14	1
$1,000	41 620	10 225	30 500	894	27 907	10 637	(D)	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	326	85	230	11	237	75	14	–
$1,000	39 011	9 033	29 125	854	25 568	10 407	3 036	–
Cattle and calves sold — farms	6 268	3 319	2 618	331	5 634	512	105	17
$1,000	34 360	15 624	17 067	1 669	25 213	4 156	4 793	199
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	94	38	51	5	60	15	18	1
$1,000	10 018	3 104	6 464	449	4 538	(D)	3 949	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4 391	1 993	1 942	456	4 034	312	35	10
$1,000	33 578	11 896	18 401	3 280	25 725	5 135	2 631	86
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	136	41	78	17	94	28	13	1
$1,000	16 319	5 074	9 445	1 800	10 097	3 733	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold — farms	16	12	4	–	14	–	2	–
$1,000	9	7	2	–	9	–	(Z)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold — farms	242	141	81	20	220	11	11	–
$1,000	779	420	312	46	607	15	157	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	3	2	1	–	1	–	2	–
$1,000	131	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold — farms	186	145	29	12	156	11	19	–
$1,000	5 993	4 450	1 047	496	3 868	375	1 750	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	31	22	7	2	21	2	8	–
$1,000	4 626	3 336	(D)	(D)	2 769	(D)	(D)	–
Forest products sold — farms	1 560	950	578	32	1 365	157	24	14
$1,000	9 685	6 962	2 686	37	7 846	1 070	458	310
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	34	28	6	–	25	4	3	2
$1,000	3 497	3 024	473	–	2 708	(D)	328	(D)

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses — farms	17 513	8 921	6 474	2 118	15 867	1 356	247	43
$1,000	492 240	163 311	286 737	42 192	365 493	71 380	52 990	2 377
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	4 519	2 269	1 849	401	4 093	324	89	13
$1,000	28 671	15 344	12 012	1 315	19 328	2 730	6 145	468
Feed for livestock and poultry — farms	8 294	4 381	3 255	658	7 529	612	132	21
$1,000	93 455	48 855	41 514	3 086	68 182	9 491	15 294	488
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	7 182	3 839	2 767	576	6 533	522	108	19
tons	552 585	300 323	236 990	15 272	418 096	52 511	78 325	3 654
$1,000	79 406	42 953	34 199	2 253	59 626	7 388	11 933	459
Feed ingredients — farms	2 418	1 225	1 040	153	2 154	217	40	7
tons	33 563	15 899	16 616	1 048	19 936	4 238	9 293	96
$1,000	5 019	2 251	2 591	176	3 112	639	1 249	19
Whole grains — farms	2 529	1 342	1 015	172	2 277	196	51	5
tons	75 050	30 238	38 886	5 926	43 975	12 481	18 497	97
$1,000	8 240	3 283	4 333	624	4 763	1 412	2 056	9
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	905	511	334	60	829	61	14	1
tons	31 541	17 375	12 485	1 681	28 164	1 460	1 898	20
$1,000	791	368	390	33	681	53	56	1
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry — farms	4 352	2 173	1 896	283	3 801	429	104	18
$1,000	1 959	786	1 046	126	1 315	321	303	19
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees — farms	11 911	5 347	5 136	1 428	10 741	986	155	29
$1,000	13 060	3 640	8 038	1 381	10 213	1 972	844	30
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	15 302	7 215	6 138	1 949	13 749	1 314	202	37
$1,000	81 099	18 960	53 890	8 249	63 385	13 596	3 855	262
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	14 451	6 656	5 922	1 873	12 945	1 276	193	37
acres fertilized	2 000 735	459 664	1 355 833	185 238	1 556 405	335 348	102 305	6 677
dry tons	482 328	113 180	318 560	50 588	378 097	80 224	22 414	1 592
liquid or gas tons	98 612	21 173	68 924	8 516	72 510	17 466	8 297	339
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) — farms	9 682	3 980	4 424	1 278	8 392	1 084	176	30
$1,000	30 653	4 773	22 815	3 065	22 390	6 032	2 155	75
Lime — farms	2 807	992	1 556	259	2 339	395	67	6
tons	283 273	60 938	199 283	23 052	208 508	51 896	21 679	1 190
$1,000	3 309	715	2 315	278	2 469	594	236	10
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	17 061	8 600	6 416	2 045	15 456	1 326	238	41
$1,000	31 814	9 396	18 695	3 723	25 831	4 368	1 541	74
Gasoline — farms	15 437	7 791	5 828	1 818	13 950	1 222	230	35
$1,000	13 191	4 550	7 177	1 464	10 775	1 707	682	26
Diesel oil — farms	10 026	4 295	4 510	1 221	8 913	910	171	32
$1,000	9 434	2 228	6 192	1 015	7 409	1 500	497	28
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	2 518	890	1 231	397	2 214	244	55	5
$1,000	2 757	715	1 678	365	2 198	403	151	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	17 060	8 600	6 415	2 045	15 455	1 326	238	41
$1,000	6 432	1 904	3 649	879	5 450	758	211	14
Hired farm labor — farms	8 400	3 394	3 885	1 121	7 370	808	195	27
$1,000	51 773	14 881	31 708	5 184	35 242	8 797	7 458	276
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more — farms	2 770	827	1 712	231	2 215	387	155	13
workers	8 812	2 429	5 720	663	5 925	1 594	1 243	50
25 to 149 days — farms	2 808	890	1 563	355	2 328	374	94	12
workers	18 055	4 370	10 973	2 712	13 307	3 270	1 444	34
Less than 25 days — farms	5 536	2 393	2 335	808	5 036	408	80	12
workers	63 317	21 039	31 313	10 965	56 155	5 633	1 430	99
Contract labor — farms	862	392	404	66	749	82	25	6
$1,000	4 935	1 427	3 180	328	2 646	1 197	1 080	13
Machine hire and customwork — farms	8 404	4 041	3 312	1 051	7 688	623	73	20
$1,000	10 121	3 124	5 904	1 093	8 107	1 687	305	22
All other production expenses — farms	17 402	8 847	6 447	2 108	15 764	1 353	242	43
$1,000	144 700	42 124	87 934	14 642	108 852	21 188	14 010	650
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income — farms	4 539	2 315	1 930	294	4 029	413	80	17
$1,000	12 338	4 683	6 888	767	9 576	1 434	1 259	68
$10,000 and over — farms	227	72	138	17	173	28	25	1
$1,000	5 641	1 586	3 790	265	3 746	(D)	1 148	(D)
Farm-related income from —								
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	1 465	454	855	156	1 251	181	29	4
$1,000	5 582	1 457	3 673	452	4 421	678	482	1
Recreational services — farms	193	103	82	8	168	19	4	2
$1,000	263	142	108	13	143	22	94	5
Payments from government farm programs — farms	2 025	1 007	925	93	1 801	181	38	5
$1,000	1 704	696	904	104	1 388	186	124	6
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments — farms	1 603	1 056	475	72	1 452	119	22	10
$1,000	3 833	2 206	1 461	166	3 134	473	172	54
Other farm-related income — farms	314	103	182	29	268	35	9	2
$1,000	955	181	743	32	491	75	387	3
Expenses for farm-related income sources — farms	1 447	720	624	103	1 279	133	31	4
$1,000	4 150	1 468	2 420	263	3 101	494	552	4

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Family Off-Farm Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	9 461	4 685	3 757	1 019	8 659	802	–	–
$1,000	101 763	53 083	38 873	9 807	92 140	9 623	–	–
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	218	96	104	18	202	16	–	–
$250 to $499	130	49	64	17	120	10	–	–
$500 to $999	269	134	107	28	245	24	–	–
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349	1 095	970	284	2 144	205	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422	1 239	920	263	2 235	187	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016	1 481	1 206	329	2 758	258	–	–
$20,000 to $29,999	706	390	255	61	647	59	–	–
$30,000 and over	351	201	131	19	308	43	–	–
Family off-farm income from —								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 912	895	814	203	1 735	177	–	–
$1,000	21 760	10 831	8 874	2 055	19 315	2 445	–	–
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	6 527	3 160	2 608	759	6 034	493	–	–
$1,000	64 519	32 867	24 701	6 951	59 472	5 048	–	–
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	2 942	1 477	1 246	219	2 664	278	–	–
$1,000	8 400	4 919	3 020	461	7 175	1 226	–	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 678	1 049	533	96	1 491	187	–	–
$1,000	4 779	3 096	1 472	211	4 188	590	–	–
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	792	428	321	43	711	81	–	–
$1,000	2 305	1 370	807	128	1 990	315	–	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	12 454	6 047	5 064	1 343	11 344	955	130	25
number	17 941	8 419	7 715	1 807	16 014	1 633	262	32
2 or 3—farms	3 941	1 757	1 800	384	3 461	409	65	6
number	8 501	3 750	3 945	806	7 434	913	141	13
4 and over—farms	238	95	131	12	182	41	15	–
number	1 165	474	637	54	879	215	71	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	13 949	6 512	5 799	1 638	12 570	1 125	218	36
number	24 287	9 527	12 056	2 704	20 758	2 642	817	70
2 or 3—farms	4 583	1 637	2 399	547	4 063	409	94	17
number	10 503	3 674	5 561	1 268	9 269	965	226	43
4 and over—farms	1 037	233	722	82	754	207	74	2
number	5 455	1 211	3 817	427	3 736	1 168	541	10
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 471	6 906	5 911	1 654	13 054	1 175	213	29
number	33 824	13 052	17 055	3 717	28 904	3 836	996	88
2 or 3—farms	6 585	3 059	2 771	755	5 994	507	63	21
number	15 274	6 898	6 633	1 743	13 862	1 219	148	45
4 and over—farms	2 474	599	1 603	272	1 973	385	109	7
number	13 138	2 906	8 885	1 347	9 955	2 334	807	42
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 391	6 859	5 891	1 641	12 979	1 170	213	29
number	33 039	12 694	16 667	3 678	28 258	3 744	952	85
Crawler tractors—farms	674	297	339	38	556	79	36	3
number	785	358	388	39	646	92	44	3
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 886	949	2 488	449	3 313	483	77	13
number	4 460	1 019	2 949	492	3 743	594	110	13
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2 983	840	1 756	387	2 572	339	58	14
number	3 358	906	2 035	417	2 869	402	71	16
Corn heads for combines—farms	2 032	412	1 374	246	1 711	267	48	6
number	2 192	433	1 501	258	1 833	300	53	6
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 129	469	501	159	1 012	93	15	9
number	1 166	473	534	159	1 036	102	18	10
Mower conditioners—farms	1 599	679	839	81	1 369	180	47	3
number	1 717	723	897	97	1 466	197	50	4
Pickup balers—farms	2 675	1 134	1 372	169	2 310	304	57	4
number	2 786	1 165	1 446	175	2 399	318	64	5
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 228	537	611	80	1 047	149	31	1
number	1 260	548	630	82	1 072	151	35	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	751	252	447	52	596	121	33	1
number	927	297	574	56	725	147	53	2
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	16 120	7 939	6 277	1 904	14 552	1 294	233	41
$1,000	365 452	125 199	200 737	39 515	302 622	47 506	14 436	888
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 863	1 876	621	366	2 654	183	21	5
$1,000	8 400	5 428	1 911	1 062	7 786	540	64	11
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 201	1 846	1 000	355	2 976	197	16	12
$1,000	22 626	13 145	7 071	2 410	21 057	1 386	103	80
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 858	1 994	1 456	408	3 580	237	35	6
$1,000	52 305	26 892	19 954	5 458	48 607	3 152	464	81
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	4 625	1 923	2 056	646	4 156	386	71	12
$1,000	137 928	55 621	63 016	19 291	123 321	11 922	2 324	361
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 103	232	779	92	879	174	44	6
$1,000	69 405	14 105	49 500	5 800	54 657	11 471	2 922	355
$100,000 and over—farms	470	68	365	37	307	117	46	–
$1,000	74 788	10 008	59 285	5 495	47 194	19 035	8 558	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 648	7 455	6 214	1 979	14 065	1 328	215	40
$1,000	111 751	23 733	76 705	11 314	85 775	19 628	6 011	337
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 302	7 215	6 138	1 949	13 749	1 314	202	37
acres on which used	2 000 735	459 664	1 355 833	185 238	1 556 405	335 348	102 305	6 677
tons	580 940	134 353	387 484	59 103	450 607	97 690	30 711	1 931
$1,000	81 099	18 960	53 890	8 249	63 385	13 596	3 855	262
Lime—farms	2 807	992	1 556	259	2 339	395	67	6
acres on which used	295 942	60 919	212 601	22 422	215 093	57 844	22 135	870
tons	283 273	60 938	199 283	23 052	208 508	51 896	21 679	1 190
$1,000	3 309	715	2 315	278	2 469	594	236	10
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	127	60	61	6	111	8	6	2
acres on which used	5 618	1 430	4 099	89	3 237	364	2 011	6
$1,000	36	10	26	(Z)	21	2	13	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	5 513	1 860	2 783	870	4 694	709	100	10
acres on which used	805 876	118 265	605 219	82 392	612 994	148 790	42 255	1 837
$1,000	14 987	1 979	11 418	1 590	10 899	2 949	1 115	24
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 552	430	858	264	1 270	253	25	4
acres on which used	147 034	15 765	116 122	15 147	110 383	31 791	4 312	548
$1,000	1 448	207	1 082	159	1 084	316	45	3
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	339	165	143	31	266	47	24	2
acres on which used	41 184	8 692	25 924	6 568	24 855	10 162	6 156	11
$1,000	838	201	541	95	458	263	117	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 199	1 268	2 350	581	3 526	562	95	16
acres on which used	888 639	122 612	682 194	83 833	656 528	177 588	51 264	3 259
$1,000	8 059	1 095	6 241	722	5 910	1 591	528	29
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	300	136	152	12	258	36	5	1
acres on which used	18 214	8 376	9 346	492	13 209	2 040	2 815	150
$1,000	61	23	37	2	48	6	7	1
Weeds on other land—farms	243	85	129	29	189	41	12	1
acres on which used	4 495	1 045	2 965	485	2 808	806	871	10
$1,000	30	6	20	4	18	5	6	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	945	200	609	136	756	159	23	7
acres on which used	131 789	16 782	103 835	11 172	92 521	30 558	8 245	465
$1,000	814	126	607	82	598	169	45	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	829	408	377	44	688	97	36	8
$1,000	182	96	82	4	124	23	31	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 089	1 069	745	275	1 898	165	21	5
$1,000	888	315	446	127	760	114	13	1
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	6 465	3 120	2 456	889	5 661	683	94	27
Under 1,000 bushels	975	464	412	99	862	96	15	2
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1 179	399	691	89	1 007	150	20	2
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	578	151	388	39	475	83	18	2
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	390	63	302	25	289	77	23	1
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	131	22	105	4	89	29	11	2
50,000 bushels and over	52	8	40	4	29	12	11	–
Not reporting	7 743	4 694	2 080	969	7 455	226	55	7
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	7 058	3 689	2 953	416	6 382	549	106	21
number	458 359	212 788	226 907	18 664	362 579	63 273	29 961	2 546
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6 281	3 254	2 675	352	5 654	508	98	21
number	252 937	116 956	125 954	10 027	201 701	34 228	15 604	1 404
Beef cows—farms	5 537	2 945	2 285	307	5 015	418	85	19
number	208 538	105 077	94 463	8 998	170 954	23 532	12 705	1 347
Milk cows—farms	1 377	635	670	72	1 216	137	21	3
number	44 399	11 879	31 491	1 029	30 747	10 696	2 899	57
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4 504	2 249	2 004	251	3 988	421	79	16
number	100 325	44 350	51 903	4 072	77 776	15 916	6 120	513
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	4 078	2 103	1 744	231	3 645	350	69	14
number	78 069	38 729	35 898	3 442	62 713	10 203	4 677	476
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	628	250	356	22	519	93	13	3
number	22 256	5 621	16 005	630	15 063	5 713	1 443	37
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5 181	2 694	2 190	297	4 638	431	95	17
number	105 097	51 482	49 050	4 565	83 102	13 129	8 237	629
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	3 319	2 618	331	5 634	512	105	17
number	181 631	86 608	85 618	9 405	141 849	20 992	17 747	1 043
$1,000	34 360	15 624	17 067	1 669	25 213	4 156	4 793	199
Calves—farms	4 333	2 303	1 790	240	3 910	339	70	14
number	86 161	43 688	37 852	4 621	70 805	9 564	5 224	568
$1,000	9 527	5 080	3 928	520	7 908	1 017	531	71
Cattle—farms	4 640	2 492	1 915	233	4 151	400	76	13
number	95 470	42 920	47 766	4 784	71 044	11 428	12 523	475
$1,000	24 833	10 544	13 140	1 149	17 305	3 139	4 262	128
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	830	387	390	53	739	81	8	2
number	23 179	7 020	15 571	588	12 820	3 440	6 840	79
$1,000	7 370	2 043	5 163	164	3 579	1 159	2 606	26
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 820	2 253	2 056	511	4 451	317	39	13
number	315 752	104 192	178 706	32 854	245 784	46 381	22 769	818
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 408	1 504	1 542	362	3 134	243	21	10
number	42 158	14 124	24 215	3 819	33 002	6 209	2 826	121
Other—farms	4 619	2 170	1 967	482	4 263	305	39	12
number	273 594	90 068	154 491	29 035	212 782	40 172	19 943	697

Table 28. Summary by Tenure of Farm Operator and Type of Organization: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Livestock — Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4 391	1 993	1 942	456	4 034	312	35	10
number	504 788	184 238	268 441	52 109	385 441	77 277	40 802	1 268
$1,000	33 578	11 896	18 401	3 280	25 725	5 135	2 631	86
Feeder pigs — farms	866	415	376	75	805	54	5	2
number	73 433	38 018	30 446	4 969	58 162	6 355	8 781	135
$1,000	1 670	916	661	93	1 284	147	236	3
Litters of pigs farrowed between — December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	3 666	1 638	1 628	400	3 366	266	24	10
number	63 396	21 452	36 158	5 786	47 048	10 227	5 996	125
December 1 and May 31 — farms	3 246	1 430	1 461	355	2 984	234	20	8
number	32 783	11 303	18 551	2 929	24 355	5 386	2 974	68
June 1 and November 30 — farms	2 888	1 248	1 323	317	2 631	225	22	10
number	30 613	10 149	17 607	2 857	22 693	4 841	3 022	57
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	19	15	4	–	18	–	1	–
number	601	513	88	–	597	–	4	–
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	15	12	3	–	15	–	–	–
number	201	169	32	–	201	–	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	17	14	3	–	16	–	1	–
number	318	270	48	–	315	–	3	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	19	15	4	–	18	–	1	–
number	82	74	8	–	81	–	1	–
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	16	12	4	–	14	–	2	–
number	265	223	42	–	261	–	4	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	13	11	2	–	13	–	–	–
number	389	336	53	–	389	–	–	–
pounds of wool	2 473	2 114	359	–	2 473	–	–	–
Horses and ponies — farms	1 470	734	630	106	1 310	121	33	6
number	6 163	3 410	2 368	385	5 212	454	483	14
Sold — farms	170	95	61	14	151	9	10	–
number	803	427	313	63	697	27	79	–
$1,000	652	351	270	31	480	14	157	–
Horses — farms	1 309	664	552	93	1 165	110	29	5
number	5 429	3 084	2 053	292	4 607	368	442	12
Sold — farms	154	84	56	14	137	7	10	–
number	719	360	298	61	616	24	79	–
$1,000	645	345	269	31	473	14	157	–
Any goats — farms	41	20	19	2	38	1	2	–
number	456	285	155	16	434	18	4	–
Sold — farms	8	5	3	–	8	–	–	–
number	49	17	32	–	49	–	–	–
$1,000	1	(Z)	(Z)	–	1	–	–	–
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 176	1 329	695	152	2 048	98	25	5
number	6 139 609	4 122 436	1 872 801	144 372	4 677 530	423 493	943 940	94 646
Sold — farms	479	327	131	21	432	27	18	2
number	7 176 952	4 655 248	2 338 596	183 108	5 214 776	469 437	1 322 988	169 751
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 073	1 261	668	144	1 950	94	24	5
number	5 152 407	3 515 249	1 536 321	100 837	4 002 273	310 925	783 563	55 646
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	2 019	1 230	652	137	1 901	90	23	5
number	4 883 621	3 319 637	1 484 112	79 872	3 749 991	297 951	780 033	55 646
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	213	112	87	14	197	14	2	–
number	268 786	195 612	52 209	20 965	252 282	12 974	3 530	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	159	85	65	9	140	14	3	2
number	951 425	583 214	328 115	40 096	641 749	(D)	160 010	(D)
Roosters and male chickens — farms	902	514	321	67	850	46	6	–
number	35 777	23 973	8 365	3 439	33 508	1 902	367	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	69	44	22	3	62	3	3	1
number	659 050	473 900	185 115	35	535 440	(D)	87 010	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	172	120	49	3	162	6	4	–
number	20 673 651	13 779 568	6 705 821	188 262	17 779 389	453 262	2 441 000	–
Turkeys — farms	65	31	31	3	56	5	4	–
number	701 193	391 880	(D)	(D)	430 679	26 514	244 000	–
Sold — farms	71	44	25	2	63	4	4	–
number	2 562 624	1 251 144	(D)	(D)	1 925 124	74 500	563 000	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	51	23	27	1	44	4	3	–
number	643 381	362 133	(D)	(D)	(D)	26 510	(D)	–
Sold — farms	62	36	25	1	55	4	3	–
number	2 309 774	1 086 294	(D)	(D)	(D)	74 500	(D)	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	5	2	2	1	5	–	–	–
number	26 257	(D)	(D)	25	26 257	–	–	–
Sold — farms	8	6	2	–	8	–	–	–
number	225 000	(D)	(D)	–	225 000	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	28	13	13	2	26	1	1	–
number	31 555	(D)	34	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	–
Sold — farms	7	6	–	1	6	–	1	–
number	27 850	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes — farms	9 934	4 472	4 223	1 239	9 027	778	104	25
acres	462 392	119 429	293 930	49 033	375 377	64 365	20 659	1 991
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	7 765	3 130	3 621	1 014	6 964	686	94	21
acres	395 127	90 285	261 787	43 055	313 282	60 818	19 072	1 955
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	9 597	4 302	4 084	1 211	8 736	746	92	23
acres	421 863	108 570	265 486	47 807	348 152	55 494	16 376	1 841
bushels	27 120 878	6 716 859	17 229 402	3 174 617	22 055 413	3 777 729	1 142 905	144 831
Irrigated — farms	36	16	15	5	32	2	1	1
acres	1 419	309	762	348	901	266	52	200

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	Tenure of farm operator			Type of organization			
		Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	784	315	424	45	666	101	16	1
acres	28 198	8 835	17 963	1 400	21 919	5 501	728	50
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	583	226	326	31	495	77	10	1
acres	21 307	6 949	13 657	701	16 213	4 504	540	50
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	493	185	276	32	435	54	4	–
acres	16 010	4 287	10 643	1 080	12 901	2 963	146	–
bushels	643 076	163 580	454 485	25 011	522 357	114 909	5 810	–
Irrigated ____ farms	2	1	1	–	2	–	–	–
acres	41	11	30	–	41	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	11 093	4 698	4 967	1 428	10 033	932	103	25
acres	1 056 929	236 454	702 003	118 472	868 917	155 737	30 090	2 185
bushels	21 129 937	4 734 243	14 071 820	2 323 874	17 217 381	3 242 602	623 669	46 285
Irrigated ____ farms	30	16	9	5	22	6	2	–
acres	561	309	223	29	443	78	40	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	6 376	2 204	3 365	807	5 510	760	83	23
acres	742 189	123 759	547 739	70 691	586 743	130 399	23 062	1 985
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	323	127	169	27	284	27	12	–
acres	13 274	2 284	10 156	834	8 817	2 847	1 610	–
pounds	27 103 222	4 192 151	21 483 014	1 428 057	17 125 569	6 596 051	3 381 602	–
Irrigated ____ farms	4	1	3	–	3	1	–	–
acres	140	9	131	–	40	100	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	186	49	116	21	156	21	9	–
acres	11 436	1 600	9 029	807	7 567	2 341	1 528	–
Wheat ____ farms	2 194	705	1 267	222	1 894	262	36	2
acres	98 010	18 477	70 366	9 167	75 838	17 869	4 278	25
bushels	2 620 050	488 564	1 900 681	230 805	1 987 089	502 249	129 962	750
Irrigated ____ farms	2	–	2	–	2	–	–	–
acres	36	–	36	–	36	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1 692	447	1 067	178	1 414	241	35	2
acres	85 313	13 539	63 303	8 471	64 612	16 496	4 180	25
Cotton ____ farms	2 261	763	1 209	289	1 970	234	50	7
acres	254 766	37 807	189 981	26 978	189 594	48 447	16 195	530
bales	264 448	36 622	200 064	27 762	192 410	53 805	17 755	478
Irrigated ____ farms	11	3	5	3	7	–	4	–
acres	713	145	553	15	675	–	38	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	2 080	635	1 183	262	1 791	232	50	7
acres	252 758	36 776	189 254	26 728	187 711	48 322	16 195	530
Tobacco ____ farms	5 867	2 571	2 159	1 137	5 295	521	41	10
acres	70 315	18 705	38 461	13 149	59 906	8 609	1 730	69
pounds	145 287 632	38 686 716	79 545 257	27 055 659	123 518 505	17 989 474	3 645 411	134 242
Irrigated ____ farms	122	31	75	16	107	9	6	–
acres	1 789	379	1 224	187	1 493	212	84	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	5 867	2 571	2 159	1 137	5 295	521	41	10
acres	69 932	18 681	38 161	13 091	59 605	8 528	1 730	69
Irish potatoes ____ farms	320	165	119	36	300	17	3	–
acres	680	155	484	41	452	127	100	–
hundredweight	80 928	26 681	48 710	5 537	58 681	17 191	5 056	–
Irrigated ____ farms	3	–	1	2	2	1	–	–
acres	106	–	100	6	6	100	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	132	55	61	16	117	12	3	–
acres	572	109	441	22	347	125	100	–
Hay ____ farms	4 172	2 034	1 927	211	3 711	373	71	17
acres	123 978	56 162	63 460	4 356	101 095	14 247	8 043	593
tons	263 166	109 333	144 604	9 229	202 711	33 829	25 267	1 359
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1 926	829	1 024	73	1 645	229	46	6
acres	65 171	26 272	36 613	2 286	48 853	9 110	6 796	412
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	156	88	61	7	137	16	3	–
acres	4 350	1 867	2 342	141	3 741	462	147	–
tons, dry	10 074	3 918	5 832	324	8 431	1 309	334	–
Irrigated ____ farms	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
acres	40	40	–	–	40	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	275	140	126	9	251	21	3	–
acres	7 136	3 906	2 930	300	6 058	793	285	–
tons, dry	11 689	6 075	5 234	380	8 812	1 967	910	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds ____ farms	193	92	96	5	165	24	4	–
acres	9 621	2 778	6 758	85	6 488	1 283	1 850	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	98	45	50	3	77	17	4	–
acres	5 732	1 202	4 465	65	3 258	624	1 850	–
Vegetables ____ farms	1 262	525	616	121	1 146	99	10	7
acres	26 397	5 111	18 193	3 093	19 206	6 295	808	88
Irrigated ____ farms	53	25	22	6	42	6	3	2
acres	1 318	348	876	94	772	234	306	6
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	786	307	395	84	712	63	8	3
acres	20 416	3 470	14 373	2 572	14 479	5 070	786	81
Berries ____ farms	18	11	6	1	16	1	1	–
acres	64	14	20	30	22	12	30	–
Irrigated ____ farms	4	1	2	1	2	1	1	–
acres	23	(Z)	15	8	3	12	8	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	5	2	2	1	4	–	1	–
acres	38	5	3	30	8	–	30	–
Land in orchards ____ farms	693	396	249	48	591	77	23	2
acres	36 858	12 174	20 269	4 415	19 173	8 850	8 824	12
Irrigated ____ farms	20	7	11	2	14	4	2	–
acres	2 154	1 413	676	65	328	(D)	(D)	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	380	194	162	24	305	53	20	2
acres	28 644	8 461	16 828	3 356	13 629	6 771	8 234	11

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

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
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms—number	17 223	11 905	216	911	1 629	2 851	3 570	2 728
percent	100.0	69.1	1.3	5.3	9.5	16.6	20.7	15.8
Land in farms—acres	4 852 312	3 683 809	57 866	249 608	552 092	988 110	1 077 706	758 427
Average size of farm—acres	282	309	268	274	339	347	302	278
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	2 212 344	1 682 522	29 255	129 894	279 011	473 058	465 931	305 373
Average per farm—dollars	128 453	141 329	135 439	142 584	171 278	165 927	130 513	111 940
Average per acre—dollars	456	457	506	520	505	479	432	403
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	1 017	732	18	62	77	168	195	212
$10,000 to $19,999	1 772	1 189	13	78	131	267	350	350
$20,000 to $39,999	3 255	2 115	24	116	218	436	672	649
$40,000 to $69,999	3 468	2 247	43	171	292	523	701	517
$70,000 to $99,999	1 946	1 272	22	136	184	279	400	251
$100,000 to $149,999	1 983	1 383	38	106	214	325	426	274
$150,000 to $199,999	1 017	774	16	62	125	205	244	122
$200,000 to $499,999	1 999	1 550	36	123	267	458	416	250
$500,000 and over	766	643	6	57	121	190	166	103
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned—farms	15 194	10 460	136	614	1 324	2 514	3 272	2 600
acres	3 469 177	2 495 430	26 927	110 541	285 413	615 879	788 606	668 064
Land rented or leased from others—farms	8 521	6 172	158	711	1 144	1 686	1 700	773
acres	1 526 784	1 284 875	32 461	144 236	278 538	391 259	317 844	120 537
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 033	1 339	16	79	162	265	422	395
acres	143 649	96 496	1 522	5 169	11 859	19 028	28 744	30 174
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland—farms	16 768	11 648	211	881	1 606	2 794	3 512	2 644
acres	2 657 986	2 151 479	33 198	172 033	371 081	617 245	612 529	345 393
Harvested cropland—farms	16 123	11 332	207	856	1 585	2 740	3 437	2 507
acres	2 046 498	1 736 531	27 365	148 800	314 500	524 209	479 740	241 917
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	8 263	5 276	81	292	556	1 155	1 685	1 507
50 to 99 acres	3 210	2 146	47	175	333	486	642	463
100 to 199 acres	2 081	1 618	38	169	268	381	496	266
200 to 499 acres	1 734	1 497	33	149	272	451	404	188
500 to 999 acres	567	536	6	54	94	177	147	58
1,000 acres and over	268	259	2	17	62	90	63	25
1,000 to 1,999 acres	219	212	2	16	53	70	51	20
2,000 acres and over	49	47	–	1	9	20	12	5
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only—farms	6 422	4 137	37	233	538	928	1 329	1 072
acres	429 059	276 304	3 132	14 408	31 777	61 247	89 398	76 342
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	1 233	777	13	50	75	169	241	229
acres	43 298	30 403	329	1 445	3 581	6 747	10 708	7 593
On which all crops failed—farms	641	473	5	44	61	131	148	84
acres	19 599	15 324	174	1 399	1 878	4 932	5 052	1 889
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	462	329	5	19	45	86	90	84
acres	19 618	16 126	40	510	2 651	4 516	4 205	4 204
Idle—farms	2 666	1 931	47	145	276	437	594	432
acres	99 914	76 791	2 158	5 471	16 694	15 594	23 426	13 448
Total woodland—farms	10 819	7 382	126	443	941	1 745	2 355	1 772
acres	1 651 725	1 151 907	15 927	61 337	130 622	286 643	353 166	304 212
Woodland pastured—farms	4 732	3 077	47	140	343	692	1 018	837
acres	495 654	337 965	5 209	11 026	30 642	70 618	124 678	95 792
Woodland not pastured—farms	8 205	5 699	90	366	753	1 374	1 797	1 319
acres	1 156 071	813 942	10 718	50 311	99 980	216 025	228 488	208 420
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	2 726	1 819	33	92	218	426	564	486
acres	282 304	201 571	6 595	8 283	24 380	42 912	58 458	60 943
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 939	1 254	26	70	143	276	384	355
acres	156 683	111 292	5 702	6 113	13 275	24 545	29 256	32 401
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 026	727	12	33	86	179	230	187
acres	125 621	90 279	893	2 170	11 105	18 367	29 202	28 542
Other land (see text)—farms	10 656	7 469	123	498	1 034	1 799	2 278	1 737
acres	260 297	178 852	2 146	7 955	26 009	41 310	53 553	47 879
Total pastureland—farms	9 276	6 150	81	352	791	1 436	1 945	1 545
acres	1 207 017	815 840	14 936	33 717	86 799	174 777	272 534	233 077
Irrigated land—farms	296	226	2	13	36	62	84	29
acres	7 188	6 067	65	205	1 084	1 709	2 055	949
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	290	224	2	12	36	62	84	28
acres	6 832	5 809	65	195	1 084	1 701	1 855	909
Artificial drainage—farms	2 394	1 810	30	161	322	494	522	281
acres drained	403 327	347 685	4 780	27 712	74 919	98 197	104 437	37 640
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 479	2 430	38	186	363	623	758	462
number	8 826	6 182	126	423	838	1 768	1 906	1 121
acres	15 032	10 612	127	588	1 647	2 932	3 271	2 047
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	17 223	11 905	216	911	1 629	2 851	3 570	2 728
Full owners	8 772	5 780	58	210	486	1 173	1 888	1 965
Part owners	6 380	4 656	78	400	835	1 338	1 376	629
Tenants	2 071	1 469	80	301	308	340	306	134

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		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
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	5 318	77	646	1 123	1 608	1 257	607
percent	30.9	0.4	3.8	6.5	9.3	7.3	3.5
Land in farms—acres	1 168 503	7 678	100 002	206 745	408 631	294 062	151 385
Average size of farm—acres	220	100	155	184	254	234	249
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	529 822	4 149	49 430	105 916	176 528	134 872	58 928
Average per farm—dollars	99 628	53 883	76 517	94 315	109 781	107 297	97 081
Average per acre—dollars	453	540	494	512	432	459	389
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	285	10	55	56	60	59	45
$10,000 to $19,999	583	16	72	129	133	140	93
$20,000 to $39,999	1 140	15	169	212	368	274	102
$40,000 to $69,999	1 221	17	145	283	350	286	140
$70,000 to $99,999	674	9	81	143	202	160	79
$100,000 to $149,999	600	7	63	145	212	119	54
$150,000 to $199,999	243	–	19	51	79	68	26
$200,000 to $499,999	449	2	34	80	166	119	48
$500,000 and over	123	1	8	24	38	32	20
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	4 734	35	463	979	1 480	1 206	571
acres	973 747	3 937	62 711	153 140	339 337	263 162	151 460
Land rented or leased from others—farms	2 349	55	437	585	718	412	142
acres	241 909	4 155	40 274	62 688	83 683	41 257	9 852
Land rented or leased to others—farms	694	5	57	136	209	184	103
acres	47 153	414	2 983	9 083	14 389	10 357	9 927
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	5 120	77	624	1 091	1 550	1 200	578
acres	506 507	4 410	50 657	108 397	166 200	121 807	55 036
Harvested cropland—farms	4 791	74	588	1 041	1 461	1 093	534
acres	309 967	3 301	34 433	75 123	102 428	64 148	30 534
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	2 987	57	356	613	889	709	363
50 to 99 acres	1 064	5	132	247	320	254	106
100 to 199 acres	463	11	77	104	151	79	41
200 to 499 acres	237	1	23	71	81	43	18
500 to 999 acres	31	–	–	3	16	6	6
1,000 acres and over	9	–	–	3	4	2	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	–	–	2	3	2	–
2,000 acres and over	2	–	–	1	1	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	2 285	19	229	439	749	605	244
acres	152 755	946	12 838	26 170	49 478	45 042	18 281
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	456	6	51	98	151	103	47
acres	12 895	64	1 509	2 598	3 552	2 969	2 203
On which all crops failed—farms	168	2	11	47	50	39	19
acres	4 275	4	252	913	1 166	1 549	391
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	133	1	20	27	44	34	7
acres	3 492	52	471	808	1 195	818	148
Idle—farms	735	5	47	158	245	196	84
acres	23 123	43	1 154	2 785	8 381	7 281	3 479
Total woodland—farms	3 437	35	313	708	1 116	892	373
acres	499 818	2 313	32 615	77 130	182 264	128 613	76 883
Woodland pastured—farms	1 655	13	132	302	569	431	208
acres	157 689	737	11 244	22 723	60 775	37 719	24 491
Woodland not pastured—farms	2 506	27	229	527	806	665	252
acres	342 129	1 576	21 371	54 407	121 489	90 894	52 392
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	907	8	89	144	310	242	114
acres	80 733	471	4 712	9 757	29 780	25 917	10 096
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	685	8	65	105	235	177	95
acres	45 391	465	3 667	6 963	14 536	13 152	6 608
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	299	2	29	47	98	91	32
acres	35 342	6	1 045	2 794	15 244	12 765	3 488
Other land (see text)—farms	3 187	47	347	644	981	791	377
acres	81 445	484	12 018	11 461	30 387	17 725	9 370
Total pastureland—farms	3 126	26	304	586	1 032	828	350
acres	391 177	2 154	28 794	58 650	140 033	108 678	52 868
Irrigated land—farms	70	–	6	13	25	12	14
acres	1 121	–	18	582	227	132	162
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	66	–	6	11	25	11	13
acres	1 023	–	18	502	227	118	158
Artificial drainage—farms	584	6	59	141	220	121	37
acres drained	55 642	111	3 104	14 836	22 285	11 829	3 477
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	1 049	4	75	184	377	287	122
number	2 644	7	134	421	943	840	299
acres	4 420	9	338	570	1 614	1 301	589
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	5 318	77	646	1 123	1 608	1 257	607
Full owners	2 992	22	211	542	896	855	466
Part owners	1 724	13	246	433	579	348	105
Tenants	602	42	189	148	133	54	36

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
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued								
All farm operators — Continued								
White[1]	15 063	10 237	206	838	1 428	2 421	3 097	2 247
Full owners	7 695	4 928	53	189	409	977	1 653	1 647
Part owners	5 622	4 074	73	368	756	1 172	1 209	496
Tenants	1 746	1 235	80	281	263	272	235	104
Black and other races[1]	2 160	1 668	10	73	201	430	473	481
Full owners	1 077	852	5	21	77	196	235	318
Part owners	758	582	5	32	79	166	167	133
Tenants	325	234	–	20	45	68	71	30
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family — farms	15 867	10 877	194	827	1 487	2 587	3 253	2 529
acres	4 216 261	3 134 898	51 646	216 820	496 111	851 842	894 858	623 621
Partnership — farms	1 356	1 028	22	84	142	264	317	199
acres	636 051	548 911	6 220	32 788	55 981	136 268	182 848	134 806
Corporation, including family owned — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt — farms	5 028	3 338	84	325	632	933	891	473
$1,000	182 487	140 258	2 656	15 396	32 555	46 757	30 189	12 705
Debts secured by real estate — farms	3 725	2 449	53	206	487	693	627	383
$1,000	132 299	97 779	1 776	9 512	22 953	33 782	20 327	9 429
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	2 624	1 801	51	216	344	492	511	187
$1,000	50 188	42 479	880	5 885	9 602	12 974	9 863	3 276
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	293	216	216	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	1 557	911	–	911	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	2 752	1 629	–	–	1 629	–	–	–
45 to 54 years	4 459	2 851	–	–	–	2 851	–	–
55 to 64 years	4 827	3 570	–	–	–	–	3 570	–
65 years and over	3 335	2 728	–	–	–	–	–	2 728
Average age	52.7	54.2	22.3	29.9	40.0	49.9	59.5	70.8
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	10 340	7 188	114	489	927	1 778	2 331	1 549
On another farm	807	639	25	108	130	160	131	85
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	420	14	53	64	119	99	71
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	608	8	49	90	142	181	138
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	11 905	11 905	216	911	1 629	2 851	3 570	2 728
Other	5 318	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —								
Greater than value of farm products sold	4 198	1 159	16	63	148	235	373	324
Less than value of farm products sold	6 534	4 877	101	416	677	1 269	1 433	981
Not reporting or none	6 491	5 869	99	432	804	1 347	1 764	1 423
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	6 483	2 149	74	235	373	593	589	285
1 to 49 days	673	578	22	59	82	139	170	106
50 to 99 days	462	368	17	38	61	108	95	49
100 to 149 days	492	336	7	35	62	100	95	37
150 to 199 days	645	235	6	40	54	66	51	18
200 days and over	4 211	632	22	63	114	180	178	75
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	2 709	1 522	25	137	266	462	473	159
Number of persons	3 148	1 719	26	144	303	544	520	182
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	311	210	6	25	53	55	54	17
50 to 99 days	255	143	6	11	20	45	41	20
100 to 149 days	261	163	5	13	21	63	46	15
150 to 199 days	483	297	–	30	46	90	92	39
200 days and over	1 838	906	9	65	163	291	287	91
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	556	380	4	42	35	93	94	112
10 to 49 acres	3 089	2 026	41	138	240	500	601	506
50 to 69 acres	1 604	1 035	22	78	150	221	284	280
70 to 99 acres	1 861	1 238	9	94	169	248	438	280
100 to 139 acres	2 116	1 363	19	110	197	307	396	334
140 to 179 acres	1 318	876	25	61	80	221	269	220
180 to 219 acres	1 065	744	15	57	106	148	215	203
220 to 259 acres	844	578	8	49	78	127	197	119
260 to 499 acres	2 361	1 713	37	149	269	414	530	314
500 to 999 acres	1 482	1 189	30	91	186	335	321	226
1,000 to 1,999 acres	667	549	6	31	83	168	169	92
2,000 acres and over	260	214	–	11	36	69	56	42
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	5 782	3 641	63	297	476	784	1 069	952
Cotton farms (0131)	546	452	10	47	54	128	118	95
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 847	4 026	98	336	686	1 110	1 211	585

[1]Applies 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						
		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
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	4 826	73	597	1 033	1 458	1 132	533
Full owners	2 767	20	194	510	841	780	422
Part owners	1 548	13	240	388	515	306	86
Tenants	511	40	163	135	102	46	25
Black and other races[1]	492	4	49	90	150	125	74
Full owners	225	2	17	32	55	75	44
Part owners	176	–	6	45	64	42	19
Tenants	91	2	26	13	31	8	11
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	4 990	73	604	1 038	1 523	1 185	567
acres	1 081 363	6 535	92 021	185 737	386 415	272 110	138 545
Partnership — farms	328	4	42	85	85	72	40
acres	87 140	1 143	7 981	21 008	22 216	21 952	12 840
Corporation, including family owned — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	1 690	26	219	480	545	322	98
$1,000	42 229	314	3 905	15 463	12 668	7 180	2 698
Debts secured by real estate — farms	1 276	7	153	394	409	249	64
$1,000	34 520	173	3 157	13 115	10 001	5 764	2 310
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	823	22	109	207	291	145	49
$1,000	7 708	141	748	2 348	2 667	1 417	389
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	77	77	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	646	–	646	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	1 123	–	–	1 123	–	–	–
45 to 54 years	1 608	–	–	–	1 608	–	–
55 to 64 years	1 257	–	–	–	–	1 257	–
65 years and over	607	–	–	–	–	–	607
Average age	49.5	22.4	30.3	39.9	49.4	59.1	71.3
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	3 152	34	343	672	1 012	815	276
On another farm	168	7	48	36	50	13	14
In a rural area, not on a farm	352	11	70	112	90	47	22
In a city, town, or urban area	810	10	68	162	265	193	112
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	5 318	77	646	1 123	1 608	1 257	607
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	3 039	37	361	647	980	728	286
Less than value of farm products sold	1 657	33	226	386	477	370	165
Not reporting or none	622	7	59	90	151	159	156
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	4 334	69	565	986	1 375	1 015	324
1 to 49 days	95	5	12	12	24	20	22
50 to 99 days	94	7	5	17	25	21	19
100 to 149 days	156	2	20	36	46	30	22
150 to 199 days	410	4	80	87	138	74	27
200 days and over	3 579	51	448	834	1 142	870	234
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	1 187	13	108	297	441	250	78
Number of persons	1 429	15	115	355	571	281	92
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	101	1	11	28	41	14	6
50 to 99 days	112	2	9	37	42	14	8
100 to 149 days	98	2	8	19	46	19	4
150 to 199 days	186	2	16	39	86	35	8
200 days and over	932	8	71	232	356	199	66
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	176	3	42	27	54	26	24
10 to 49 acres	1 063	34	161	242	288	206	132
50 to 69 acres	569	6	82	119	154	142	66
70 to 99 acres	623	13	90	143	175	144	58
100 to 139 acres	753	6	69	181	237	172	88
140 to 179 acres	442	6	46	100	115	139	36
180 to 219 acres	321	1	47	46	121	77	29
220 to 259 acres	266	3	19	78	83	54	29
260 to 499 acres	648	2	62	122	228	158	76
500 to 999 acres	293	3	17	43	98	91	41
1,000 to 1,999 acres	118	–	10	17	34	35	22
2,000 acres and over	46	–	1	5	21	13	6
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	2 141	35	306	518	611	454	217
Cotton farms (0131)	94	4	14	20	23	20	13
Tobacco farms (0132)	821	11	115	181	266	163	85

[1]Applies 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

	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
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	511	352	4	17	43	89	99	100
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	244	181	1	16	26	45	59	34
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	307	222	5	16	25	37	78	61
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	132	72	–	6	4	19	22	21
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	560	431	4	22	59	119	121	106
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 909	1 479	19	81	111	241	493	534
Dairy farms (024)	401	374	4	32	65	114	107	52
Poultry and egg farms (025)	508	401	5	33	53	125	107	78
Animal specialty farms (027)	62	29	–	3	4	10	5	7
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	33	27	–	–	–	5	10	12
Farms not classified by SIC	381	218	3	5	23	25	71	91
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	17 223	11 905	216	911	1 629	2 851	3 570	2 728
$1,000	602 166	519 987	9 079	43 878	96 832	162 944	141 397	65 858
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	75	69	1	2	11	32	18	5
$200,000 to $499,999	454	423	3	30	91	144	107	48
$100,000 to $199,999	847	780	12	72	158	250	207	81
$40,000 to $99,999	2 227	1 959	51	200	392	574	528	214
$20,000 to $39,999	2 555	2 062	63	234	322	512	650	281
$10,000 to $19,999	3 226	2 346	41	178	294	560	728	545
$5,000 to $9,999	3 849	2 204	36	116	196	430	678	748
$2,500 to $4,999	3 651	1 902	9	73	144	322	604	750
Under $2,500 (see text)	339	160	–	6	21	27	50	56
Grain sold—farms	12 860	9 278	178	738	1 355	2 274	2 786	1 947
$1,000	184 875	157 997	2 740	14 312	31 080	46 810	41 988	21 067
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1 084	1 006	17	99	209	323	249	109
$1,000	94 503	88 879	1 174	7 814	19 893	28 874	21 743	9 381
Tobacco sold—farms	5 808	4 809	109	396	835	1 314	1 420	735
$1,000	136 232	120 730	3 132	10 987	26 680	36 609	33 204	10 118
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	928	855	18	77	204	287	213	56
$1,000	72 495	66 460	1 479	5 606	16 692	22 140	16 462	4 082
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	2 186	1 819	27	154	243	508	524	363
$1,000	57 089	53 376	555	4 489	9 359	18 304	14 633	6 035
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	368	352	5	40	66	116	86	39
$1,000	40 658	39 171	339	3 526	6 980	13 900	10 331	4 094
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 427	898	11	56	131	244	252	204
$1,000	4 943	3 605	31	173	685	1 047	1 015	654
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	15	10	–	1	2	2	5	–
$1,000	857	643	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	306	–
Other field crops sold—farms	621	484	4	26	62	129	150	113
$1,000	5 896	5 416	24	225	1 395	1 878	1 171	723
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	35	35	–	2	10	12	8	3
$1,000	3 038	3 038	–	(D)	1 017	1 078	503	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	1 169	881	6	58	108	234	289	186
$1,000	13 848	12 849	710	727	2 144	4 713	2 796	1 759
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	61	59	1	4	13	20	14	7
$1,000	9 234	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 686	3 528	1 642	1 261
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	493	353	6	29	38	64	118	98
$1,000	17 095	15 610	120	789	1 973	4 313	4 945	3 470
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	87	79	1	4	17	18	22	17
$1,000	13 710	12 947	(D)	(D)	1 748	3 869	3 970	2 749
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	882	662	6	40	81	159	194	182
$1,000	69 625	58 653	560	5 603	8 919	21 539	14 405	7 627
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	396	322	5	23	48	112	86	48
$1,000	66 862	56 668	560	5 352	8 685	21 123	13 841	7 108
Dairy products sold—farms	469	432	6	33	72	126	126	69
$1,000	38 544	37 235	418	2 311	7 007	12 545	10 723	4 231
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	312	302	4	24	59	98	83	34
$1,000	35 975	35 050	366	2 090	6 802	11 972	9 973	3 847
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 146	3 882	42	237	474	832	1 206	1 091
$1,000	29 369	20 499	188	1 082	2 836	5 215	6 303	4 875
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	75	64	–	2	15	19	16	12
$1,000	5 938	4 927	–	(D)	1 127	1 816	1 169	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	4 346	3 110	38	214	407	761	1 015	675
$1,000	30 860	25 285	477	2 714	4 035	7 849	7 598	2 612
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	122	105	3	8	25	35	26	8
$1,000	13 831	12 446	244	1 650	2 137	4 596	3 241	579
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	14	8	–	1	–	–	1	6
$1,000	9	5	–	1	–	–	(Z)	3
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	231	130	2	7	24	27	31	39
$1,000	622	318	1	31	52	95	51	87
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	167	91	–	7	7	25	28	24
$1,000	4 243	2 559	–	220	236	858	639	607
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	23	17	–	3	2	4	5	3
$1,000	3 059	1 894	–	(D)	(D)	593	475	444
Forest products sold—farms	1 522	990	19	51	105	220	302	293
$1,000	8 916	5 851	123	216	430	1 167	1 925	1 990
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	29	22	–	–	1	4	10	7
$1,000	2 971	1 796	–	–	(D)	(D)	687	769

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		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
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	159	2	9	34	54	42	18
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	63	–	14	14	18	12	5
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	85	–	4	25	18	22	16
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	60	–	5	4	24	15	12
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	129	1	11	29	38	34	16
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	1 430	23	133	235	452	397	190
Dairy farms (024)	27	–	3	9	3	10	2
Poultry and egg farms (025)	107	–	11	34	30	24	8
Animal specialty farms (027)	33	1	7	2	12	9	2
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	6	–	–	1	2	3	–
Farms not classified by SIC	163	–	14	17	57	52	23
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold — farms	5 318	77	646	1 123	1 608	1 257	607
$1,000	82 178	757	7 456	19 667	26 973	19 530	7 795
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	6	–	–	2	2	2	–
$200,000 to $499,999	31	–	–	6	13	9	3
$100,000 to $199,999	67	–	4	19	20	15	9
$40,000 to $99,999	268	2	21	65	99	61	20
$20,000 to $39,999	493	7	63	133	141	106	43
$10,000 to $19,999	880	20	130	194	286	183	67
$5,000 to $9,999	1 645	18	212	341	492	381	201
$2,500 to $4,999	1 749	30	192	310	505	465	247
Under $2,500 (see text)	179	–	24	53	50	35	17
Grain sold — farms	3 582	59	462	826	1 088	770	377
$1,000	26 878	325	3 290	7 095	8 698	5 206	2 264
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	78	–	6	21	32	14	5
$1,000	5 625	–	297	1 550	2 413	1 062	303
Tobacco sold — farms	999	17	130	221	321	205	105
$1,000	15 502	136	1 536	3 305	5 784	3 470	1 269
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	73	–	7	17	30	16	3
$1,000	6 035	–	394	986	2 603	1 609	444
Cotton and cottonseed sold — farms	367	7	39	81	97	87	56
$1,000	3 712	36	209	1 073	992	834	568
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	16	–	–	3	5	4	4
$1,000	1 487	–	–	589	362	255	281
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold — farms	529	9	66	81	177	142	54
$1,000	1 338	18	118	229	523	303	146
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	5	–	–	–	4	–	1
$1,000	214	–	–	–	(D)	–	(D)
Other field crops sold — farms	137	–	17	31	43	39	7
$1,000	481	–	35	88	168	173	17
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold — farms	288	1	39	59	78	78	33
$1,000	1 000	(Z)	182	160	264	334	59
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	2	–	–	–	–	2	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold — farms	140	–	8	32	39	37	24
$1,000	1 486	–	96	412	354	179	445
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	8	–	1	2	1	1	3
$1,000	763	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	313
Poultry and poultry products sold — farms	220	1	19	48	78	53	21
$1,000	10 972	(Z)	638	3 947	2 297	3 577	514
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	74	–	8	27	18	19	2
$1,000	10 193	–	(D)	3 835	2 032	3 387	(D)
Dairy products sold — farms	37	–	4	9	8	13	3
$1,000	1 309	–	63	444	256	478	68
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	10	–	–	2	3	5	–
$1,000	925	–	–	(D)	(D)	354	–
Cattle and calves sold — farms	2 264	24	212	415	750	614	249
$1,000	8 870	95	609	1 244	3 156	2 718	1 049
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	11	–	–	1	5	4	1
$1,000	1 011	–	–	(D)	594	292	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	1 236	21	147	279	380	276	133
$1,000	5 574	130	485	1 214	2 191	1 034	521
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	17	2	–	2	9	3	1
$1,000	1 385	(D)	–	(D)	971	170	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold — farms	6	–	–	–	2	–	4
$1,000	4	–	–	–	2	–	2
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold — farms	101	2	18	21	32	24	4
$1,000	304	3	45	9	132	98	16
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	(D)	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold — farms	76	–	6	4	32	16	18
$1,000	1 684	–	65	101	1 120	323	74
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	6	–	–	1	4	1	–
$1,000	1 166	–	–	(D)	921	(D)	–
Forest products sold — farms	532	7	56	98	172	137	62
$1,000	3 065	13	85	345	1 036	802	785
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	7	–	–	–	2	1	4
$1,000	1 176	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	494

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						
			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	17 223	11 905	216	911	1 629	2 851	3 570	2 728
$1,000	436 873	374 940	6 194	31 722	69 781	121 306	99 638	46 301
Livestock and poultry purchased _ farms	4 417	2 936	60	239	391	695	896	655
$1,000	22 058	17 078	275	1 428	2 749	5 994	4 391	2 241
Feed for livestock and poultry ___ farms	8 141	5 363	81	350	665	1 267	1 648	1 352
$1,000	77 673	65 723	875	5 675	10 323	22 715	17 714	8 420
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____ farms	7 055	4 659	79	302	584	1 136	1 404	1 154
tons	470 606	399 270	4 689	36 607	61 092	139 815	105 608	51 460
$1,000	67 014	57 026	718	5 311	9 006	20 042	14 453	7 496
Feed ingredients _____ farms	2 371	1 542	17	106	192	345	467	415
tons	24 174	19 685	158	819	3 125	5 861	7 516	2 206
$1,000	3 751	3 052	20	135	507	860	1 200	330
Whole grains _____ farms	2 473	1 569	20	107	188	344	494	416
tons	56 456	46 892	1 250	1 947	6 476	15 937	16 901	4 382
$1,000	6 175	5 142	138	205	715	1 721	1 880	484
Hay, green chop, and silage ___ farms	890	510	–	36	58	100	160	156
tons	29 624	23 462	–	1 183	3 659	2 640	12 377	3 603
$1,000	734	502	–	24	95	92	181	110
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____ farms	4 230	2 926	38	209	413	758	866	642
$1,000	1 636	1 377	25	106	202	479	386	179
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __ farms	11 727	8 468	142	667	1 259	2 104	2 586	1 710
$1,000	12 186	10 402	176	885	2 101	3 263	2 631	1 346
Commercial fertilizer purchased __ farms	15 063	10 558	184	835	1 505	2 553	3 194	2 287
$1,000	76 981	66 024	1 001	4 949	12 384	20 933	18 244	8 513
Commercial fertilizer used _____ farms	14 221	10 173	178	805	1 477	2 503	3 074	2 136
acres fertilized	1 891 753	1 603 845	23 548	134 595	294 231	483 149	452 791	215 531
dry tons	458 322	391 119	6 153	31 274	73 449	118 202	113 288	48 752
liquid or gas tons	89 976	76 481	894	6 439	15 337	23 109	21 072	9 629
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____ farms	9 476	6 927	127	606	1 042	1 816	2 064	1 272
$1,000	28 422	25 876	307	2 691	5 211	8 004	7 025	2 638
Lime _____ farms	2 734	1 986	34	195	302	516	609	330
tons	260 404	218 573	2 892	22 941	42 127	70 023	56 823	23 767
$1,000	3 063	2 582	30	273	492	801	699	288
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____ farms	16 782	11 622	212	892	1 604	2 798	3 510	2 606
$1,000	30 199	25 710	493	2 250	4 857	7 866	6 990	3 255
Gasoline _____ farms	15 172	10 580	200	795	1 437	2 561	3 209	2 378
$1,000	12 483	10 219	222	814	1 723	3 032	2 873	1 556
Diesel oil _____ farms	9 823	7 287	146	637	1 117	1 841	2 127	1 419
$1,000	8 908	7 841	127	695	1 514	2 493	2 072	940
LP gas, butane, and propane __ farms	2 458	2 104	36	197	451	596	571	253
$1,000	2 601	2 327	27	206	593	787	529	186
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____ farms	16 781	11 621	212	892	1 604	2 797	3 510	2 606
$1,000	6 208	5 323	117	535	1 027	1 554	1 517	573
Hired farm labor _____ farms	8 178	6 084	113	515	928	1 586	1 833	1 109
$1,000	44 039	38 683	729	3 056	7 246	12 544	10 206	4 902
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more _____ farms	2 602	2 183	27	179	392	642	620	323
workers	7 519	6 624	95	433	1 171	2 109	1 864	952
25 to 149 days _____ farms	2 702	2 147	43	186	377	634	612	295
workers	16 577	14 591	445	1 192	2 967	4 811	3 787	1 389
Less than 25 days _____ farms	5 444	3 896	76	339	531	965	1 205	780
workers	61 788	50 540	961	5 990	7 757	14 293	15 124	6 415
Contract labor _____ farms	831	582	15	41	91	148	166	121
$1,000	3 843	3 447	141	124	546	1 320	847	468
Machine hire and customwork ___ farms	8 311	5 753	112	442	798	1 394	1 792	1 215
$1,000	9 794	7 804	122	562	1 341	2 196	2 342	1 241
All other production expenses ___ farms	17 117	11 849	216	909	1 627	2 837	3 550	2 710
$1,000	130 040	112 816	2 049	9 995	22 820	35 993	28 861	13 097
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income _____ farms	4 442	2 913	48	223	402	696	856	688
$1,000	11 011	8 425	108	856	1 449	2 410	2 214	1 388
$10,000 and over _____ farms	201	166	2	17	40	49	40	18
$1,000	4 455	3 747	25	377	763	1 220	948	414
Farm-related income from —								
Customwork and other agricultural services _____ farms	1 432	1 078	24	113	214	299	276	152
$1,000	5 099	4 313	43	538	946	1 264	1 034	489
Recreational services _____ farms	187	129	4	8	7	29	46	35
$1,000	165	101	(Z)	5	4	19	43	29
Payments from government farm programs _____ farms	1 982	1 258	13	85	142	319	381	318
$1,000	1 574	1 117	14	76	143	332	295	257
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments _____ farms	1 571	949	18	52	112	195	282	290
$1,000	3 607	2 445	49	157	266	638	752	582
Other farm-related income ____ farms	303	213	1	21	28	64	59	40
$1,000	566	450	2	79	89	158	90	31
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____ farms	1 412	944	20	85	144	239	233	223
$1,000	3 594	2 802	47	374	480	874	715	313

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	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--	5 318	77	646	1 123	1 608	1 257	607
$1,000--	61 933	458	5 365	15 618	19 885	15 171	5 437
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	1 481	27	216	306	478	351	103
$1,000--	4 981	45	451	1 367	1 475	1 405	238
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	2 778	35	316	547	888	705	287
$1,000--	11 951	77	949	3 582	3 103	3 387	852
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---farms--	2 396	30	274	473	748	624	247
tons--	71 336	141	5 847	20 883	19 330	20 472	4 663
$1,000--	9 988	20	809	3 097	2 469	2 960	633
Feed ingredients---farms--	829	18	79	180	280	190	82
tons--	4 490	135	186	1 098	1 893	718	460
$1,000--	698	23	38	196	265	116	61
Whole grains ---farms--	904	17	105	198	282	212	90
tons--	9 564	532	595	2 320	2 770	2 161	1 187
$1,000--	1 033	34	74	253	301	234	137
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	380	2	46	64	126	105	37
tons--	6 162	6	975	818	1 907	1 918	537
$1,000--	232	(Z)	28	37	67	77	21
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---farms--	1 304	8	125	271	459	300	141
$1,000--	259	2	21	50	107	57	21
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	3 259	50	431	737	976	732	333
$1,000--	1 783	14	178	436	669	352	133
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	4 505	70	541	965	1 407	1 059	463
$1,000--	10 957	106	1 048	2 608	3 737	2 509	949
Commercial fertilizer used ---farms--	4 048	65	472	867	1 284	939	421
acres fertilized--	287 908	2 293	26 112	63 255	103 409	64 820	28 019
dry tons--	67 203	457	6 131	15 714	23 921	14 705	6 276
liquid or gas tons--	13 494	155	1 437	3 249	4 241	3 330	1 083
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---farms--	2 549	39	310	561	827	583	229
$1,000--	2 546	15	227	648	852	551	254
Lime ---farms--	748	7	71	184	259	164	63
tons--	41 831	366	3 172	11 698	13 036	9 138	4 421
$1,000--	481	5	38	133	155	102	49
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ---farms--	5 160	75	629	1 086	1 574	1 218	578
$1,000--	4 490	37	442	1 048	1 567	958	437
Gasoline ---farms--	4 592	69	563	928	1 416	1 092	524
$1,000--	2 264	22	241	499	780	479	243
Diesel oil---farms--	2 536	36	288	572	782	598	260
$1,000--	1 068	5	81	269	416	208	88
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	354	3	44	111	105	64	27
$1,000--	273	1	25	80	72	73	22
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ---farms--	5 160	75	629	1 086	1 574	1 218	578
$1,000--	885	10	95	200	299	198	83
Hired farm labor ---farms--	2 094	33	227	452	653	520	209
$1,000--	5 356	16	291	1 012	1 957	1 432	650
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---farms--	419	–	29	72	134	119	65
workers--	895	–	50	154	286	282	123
25 to 149 days ---farms--	555	3	40	122	191	132	67
workers--	1 986	4	192	460	728	353	249
Less than 25 days---farms--	1 548	31	181	345	475	388	128
workers--	11 248	169	1 050	2 393	3 865	2 823	948
Contract labor ---farms--	249	2	39	48	65	66	29
$1,000--	396	5	45	54	91	127	74
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	2 558	46	310	562	833	559	248
$1,000--	1 990	31	228	476	660	433	161
All other production expenses ---farms--	5 268	77	640	1 114	1 588	1 246	603
$1,000--	17 225	110	1 484	4 336	5 667	3 960	1 667
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ---farms--	1 529	12	156	361	489	366	145
$1,000--	2 585	17	235	651	743	697	243
$10,000 and over ---farms--	35	1	4	5	8	11	6
$1,000--	708	10	74	103	134	283	104
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services---farms--	354	2	56	107	96	74	19
$1,000--	786	(Z)	105	161	219	242	58
Recreational services ---farms--	58	–	3	7	28	15	5
$1,000--	64	–	(Z)	6	45	5	9
Payments from government farm programs ---farms--	724	5	63	164	241	195	56
$1,000--	457	2	49	104	139	127	36
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments---farms--	622	6	60	137	207	138	74
$1,000--	1 162	14	79	338	291	302	138
Other farm-related income ---farms--	90	–	5	26	33	19	7
$1,000--	116	–	2	41	49	22	2
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---farms--	468	6	50	115	160	100	37
$1,000--	792	8	87	227	212	193	64

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 Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	9 461	4 877	101	379	676	1 216	1 459	1 046
$1,000	101 763	37 183	755	2 530	5 221	10 661	10 991	7 026
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	218	180	6	18	24	35	65	32
$250 to $499	130	111	1	14	17	42	25	12
$500 to $999	269	225	9	12	25	45	76	58
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349	1 829	34	137	236	393	550	479
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422	1 354	30	128	190	351	411	244
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016	906	16	50	148	272	246	174
$20,000 to $29,999	706	162	4	17	17	48	50	26
$30,000 and over	351	110	1	3	19	30	36	21
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 912	859	12	83	145	265	248	106
$1,000	21 760	7 452	45	576	1 487	2 507	2 040	798
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	6 527	2 879	84	271	470	807	887	360
$1,000	64 519	20 338	590	1 791	3 262	6 123	6 128	2 444
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	2 942	1 701	17	86	186	407	577	428
$1,000	8 400	5 010	60	73	276	1 522	1 621	1 458
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 678	1 260	9	37	58	126	327	703
$1,000	4 779	3 487	(D)	(D)	119	315	882	2 088
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	792	404	2	14	42	92	127	127
$1,000	2 305	896	(D)	(D)	77	194	320	237
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	12 299	8 939	159	692	1 281	2 237	2 669	1 901
number	17 647	12 691	249	903	1 850	3 426	3 776	2 487
2 or 3—farms	3 870	2 712	71	173	451	809	776	432
number	8 347	5 832	153	365	966	1 775	1 656	917
4 and over—farms	223	154	2	5	16	57	47	27
number	1 094	786	10	24	70	280	274	128
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	13 695	9 636	171	793	1 374	2 385	2 924	1 989
number	23 400	17 679	347	1 490	2 840	4 767	5 144	3 091
2 or 3—farms	4 472	3 451	90	320	545	937	1 020	539
number	10 234	8 012	211	750	1 284	2 214	2 340	1 213
4 and over—farms	961	840	12	70	177	263	222	96
number	4 904	4 322	67	337	904	1 368	1 122	524
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 229	9 928	182	774	1 397	2 456	3 018	2 101
number	32 740	24 973	456	1 947	3 920	6 750	7 507	4 393
2 or 3—farms	6 501	4 599	76	368	657	1 172	1 439	887
number	15 081	10 787	174	863	1 578	2 767	3 377	2 028
4 and over—farms	2 358	2 066	42	167	372	602	602	281
number	12 289	10 923	218	845	1 974	3 301	3 153	1 432
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 149	9 865	178	768	1 392	2 440	2 999	2 088
number	32 002	24 421	448	1 896	3 831	6 587	7 364	4 295
Crawler tractors—farms	635	466	8	47	78	132	121	80
number	738	552	8	51	89	163	143	98
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 796	3 051	58	307	527	890	852	417
number	4 337	3 546	62	362	630	1 027	985	480
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2 911	2 363	59	228	416	667	649	344
number	3 271	2 684	61	258	472	765	728	400
Corn heads for combines—farms	1 978	1 686	38	179	330	498	443	198
number	2 133	1 820	39	189	362	543	476	211
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 105	834	22	64	108	210	245	185
number	1 138	864	22	69	110	222	252	189
Mower conditioners—farms	1 549	1 056	18	72	127	277	324	238
number	1 663	1 138	18	78	143	290	353	256
Pickup balers—farms	2 614	1 771	30	119	247	440	551	384
number	2 717	1 847	33	124	257	464	577	392
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 196	824	13	59	107	177	277	191
number	1 223	842	13	60	108	183	282	196
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	717	594	13	54	111	167	167	82
number	872	716	16	57	134	202	200	107
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	15 846	10 983	203	870	1 519	2 674	3 307	2 410
$1,000	350 128	282 857	5 677	25 165	48 370	80 603	80 020	43 021
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 837	1 681	20	94	147	324	479	617
$1,000	8 326	4 927	59	270	441	1 012	1 390	1 754
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 173	1 921	29	104	242	401	647	498
$1,000	22 443	13 769	214	725	1 716	2 854	4 630	3 630
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 817	2 488	44	198	295	568	827	556
$1,000	51 759	33 863	591	2 672	4 008	7 770	11 343	7 479
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	4 542	3 550	84	334	567	954	1 009	602
$1,000	135 243	107 507	2 706	9 792	17 343	29 425	30 278	17 964
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 053	939	20	109	170	301	244	95
$1,000	66 128	59 201	1 225	6 821	10 634	19 058	15 338	6 125
$100,000 and over—farms	424	404	6	31	98	126	101	42
$1,000	66 230	63 590	883	4 886	14 228	20 484	17 041	6 069

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	Other occupation						
		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
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	4 584	70	575	1 016	1 429	1 065	429
$1,000	64 580	731	6 786	14 128	21 348	15 339	6 249
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	38	–	5	8	15	5	5
$250 to $499	19	2	–	10	2	2	3
$500 to $999	44	–	17	3	9	6	9
$1,000 to $4,999	520	12	71	91	165	112	69
$5,000 to $9,999	1 068	23	147	219	273	284	122
$10,000 to $19,999	2 110	29	271	521	658	482	149
$20,000 to $29,999	544	3	49	133	212	110	37
$30,000 and over	241	1	15	31	95	64	35
Family off-farm income from —							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 053	16	128	227	337	254	91
$1,000	14 308	155	1 431	3 484	4 729	3 234	1 275
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	3 648	56	468	822	1 156	851	295
$1,000	44 181	543	5 089	10 032	14 657	10 457	3 402
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	1 241	9	92	247	437	317	139
$1,000	3 391	4	146	322	1 150	1 030	738
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	418	5	17	65	109	80	142
$1,000	1 292	18	27	144	322	244	537
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	388	2	28	59	137	91	71
$1,000	1 409	11	92	146	489	374	296
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	3 360	29	399	709	1 055	794	374
number	4 956	36	529	1 076	1 694	1 150	471
2 or 3—farms	1 158	7	102	276	398	286	89
number	2 515	14	214	587	900	614	186
4 and over—farms	69	–	6	15	41	7	–
number	308	–	24	71	178	35	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	4 059	45	491	894	1 256	951	422
number	5 721	59	703	1 275	1 819	1 304	561
2 or 3—farms	1 021	12	135	239	340	207	88
number	2 222	26	289	519	738	462	188
4 and over—farms	121	–	14	28	41	27	11
number	582	–	72	129	206	125	50
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	4 301	51	501	942	1 335	1 042	430
number	7 767	72	883	1 672	2 507	1 853	780
2 or 3—farms	1 902	14	230	414	585	469	190
number	4 294	32	510	955	1 316	1 047	434
4 and over—farms	292	1	31	51	117	62	30
number	1 366	4	133	240	558	295	136
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	4 284	51	495	940	1 333	1 035	430
number	7 581	72	858	1 634	2 433	1 816	768
Crawler tractors—farms	169	–	23	37	67	30	12
number	186	–	25	38	74	37	12
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	745	6	113	215	239	120	52
number	791	6	130	225	251	124	55
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	548	5	75	142	184	103	39
number	587	5	93	148	197	105	39
Corn heads for combines—farms	292	2	43	86	100	45	16
number	313	2	53	90	107	45	16
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	271	3	38	58	89	60	23
number	274	3	40	58	90	60	23
Mower conditioners—farms	493	5	39	101	181	120	47
number	525	6	45	107	192	127	48
Pickup balers—farms	843	2	94	173	291	199	84
number	870	2	95	179	305	203	86
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	372	2	39	64	155	72	40
number	381	2	40	67	156	74	42
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	123	1	14	31	29	32	16
number	156	1	21	47	31	37	19
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	4 863	62	570	1 050	1 485	1 171	525
$1,000	67 271	622	7 988	14 299	22 427	15 290	6 644
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	1 156	19	133	235	318	280	171
$1,000	3 399	46	369	701	977	809	497
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	1 252	18	133	294	384	321	102
$1,000	8 673	130	905	1 997	2 659	2 265	716
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	1 329	16	143	297	412	324	137
$1,000	17 897	194	1 957	3 938	5 508	4 436	1 862
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	992	9	149	190	313	225	106
$1,000	27 735	251	4 083	5 292	8 837	6 421	2 852
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	114	–	11	29	48	19	7
$1,000	6 927	–	(D)	1 713	3 077	(D)	(D)
$100,000 and over—farms	20	–	1	5	10	2	2
$1,000	2 640	–	(D)	658	1 370	(D)	(D)

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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
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 393	10 750	195	845	1 532	2 606	3 244	2 328
$1,000	105 404	91 900	1 309	7 640	17 595	28 937	25 269	11 151
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 063	10 558	184	835	1 505	2 553	3 194	2 287
acres on which used	1 891 753	1 603 845	23 548	134 595	294 231	483 149	452 791	215 531
tons	548 297	467 600	7 047	37 713	88 787	141 311	134 361	58 382
$1,000	76 981	66 024	1 001	4 949	12 384	20 933	18 244	8 513
Lime—farms	2 734	1 986	34	195	302	516	609	330
acres on which used	272 937	230 556	3 033	23 357	43 936	74 674	60 359	25 197
tons	260 404	218 573	2 892	22 941	42 127	70 023	56 823	23 767
$1,000	3 063	2 582	30	273	492	801	699	288
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	119	83	–	7	12	23	26	15
acres on which used	3 601	2 741	–	109	346	1 033	789	464
$1,000	23	18	–	(Z)	3	6	6	3
Insects on other crops—farms	5 403	4 336	84	419	742	1 185	1 274	632
acres on which used	761 784	693 657	8 719	57 358	146 689	218 236	187 444	75 211
$1,000	13 848	12 839	155	1 298	2 708	3 959	3 389	1 330
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 523	1 289	28	136	240	386	380	119
acres on which used	142 174	132 610	1 062	15 570	27 006	41 742	37 908	9 322
$1,000	1 401	1 294	11	145	284	431	329	94
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	313	246	7	21	39	61	79	39
acres on which used	35 017	33 207	864	2 207	5 956	10 226	11 474	2 480
$1,000	721	676	10	41	105	168	305	46
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 088	3 113	58	324	517	836	919	459
acres on which used	834 116	751 621	12 939	78 150	142 912	239 655	203 767	74 198
$1,000	7 501	6 863	88	800	1 335	2 146	1 839	655
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	294	206	1	8	34	48	67	48
acres on which used	15 249	12 057	50	183	2 063	2 488	4 745	2 528
$1,000	54	40	(Z)	1	12	6	15	7
Weeds on other land—farms	230	165	4	16	22	43	49	31
acres on which used	3 614	2 915	148	216	331	1 019	819	382
$1,000	24	20	2	2	2	6	6	2
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	915	769	16	101	133	208	216	95
acres on which used	123 079	114 826	1 029	10 984	20 265	34 657	32 100	15 791
$1,000	767	727	6	52	144	241	195	89
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	785	558	5	36	89	165	153	110
$1,000	147	124	1	7	27	47	27	15
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 063	1 327	17	101	164	345	397	303
$1,000	874	693	6	72	98	193	214	109
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	6 344	4 242	84	377	594	1 003	1 323	861
Under 1,000 bushels	958	648	7	49	77	148	221	146
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1 157	880	19	75	134	238	269	145
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	558	470	8	37	84	152	124	65
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	366	330	–	33	69	101	92	35
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	118	107	1	10	16	32	36	12
50,000 bushels and over	41	37	–	2	5	18	10	2
Not reporting	7 681	5 191	97	328	650	1 159	1 495	1 462
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	6 931	4 457	50	285	547	997	1 380	1 198
number	425 852	298 281	4 084	17 240	37 750	73 266	94 873	71 068
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6 162	3 968	44	237	501	898	1 233	1 055
number	235 929	166 756	2 489	9 489	21 078	41 560	52 675	39 465
Beef cows—farms	5 433	3 352	37	200	411	725	1 051	928
number	194 486	127 507	1 862	6 992	14 132	28 461	41 509	34 551
Milk cows—farms	1 353	1 032	13	62	143	268	310	236
number	41 443	39 249	627	2 497	6 946	13 099	11 166	4 914
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4 409	2 844	26	175	380	612	911	740
number	93 692	67 622	692	4 076	8 971	16 771	21 295	15 817
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	3 995	2 481	25	148	313	500	806	689
number	72 916	47 968	563	2 592	5 374	10 279	15 664	13 496
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	612	514	4	39	84	145	154	88
number	20 776	19 654	129	1 484	3 597	6 492	5 631	2 321
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5 069	3 221	32	215	392	690	1 028	864
number	96 231	63 903	903	3 675	7 701	14 935	20 903	15 786
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 146	3 882	42	237	474	832	1 206	1 091
number	162 841	111 165	1 159	6 082	14 131	27 311	34 788	27 694
$1,000	29 369	20 499	188	1 082	2 836	5 215	6 303	4 875
Calves—farms	4 249	2 644	29	171	311	582	799	752
number	80 369	53 567	592	3 753	6 713	12 041	16 914	13 554
$1,000	8 925	5 878	67	452	771	1 201	1 843	1 544
Cattle—farms	4 551	2 871	34	167	333	609	885	843
number	82 472	57 598	567	2 329	7 418	15 270	17 874	14 140
$1,000	20 444	14 621	121	631	2 065	4 014	4 460	3 331
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	820	551	5	33	66	130	165	152
number	16 260	13 204	154	660	1 913	4 869	3 537	2 071
$1,000	4 738	3 945	39	193	608	1 592	975	538
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 768	3 427	40	235	438	844	1 082	788
number	292 165	237 467	4 892	21 059	37 120	74 035	73 299	27 062
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 377	2 442	27	180	321	613	802	499
number	39 211	31 533	679	2 911	4 923	9 989	9 416	3 615
Other—farms	4 568	3 277	36	226	414	798	1 053	750
number	252 954	205 934	4 213	18 148	32 197	64 046	63 883	23 447

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	Other occupation						
		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
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	4 643	71	565	994	1 440	1 083	490
$1,000	13 504	121	1 275	3 256	4 589	3 060	1 203
Commercial fertilizer—farms	4 505	70	541	965	1 407	1 059	463
acres on which used	287 908	2 293	26 112	63 255	103 409	64 820	28 019
tons	80 697	612	7 568	18 963	28 162	18 034	7 358
$1,000	10 957	106	1 048	2 608	3 737	2 509	949
Lime—farms	748	7	71	184	259	164	63
acres on which used	42 381	367	3 185	12 205	13 021	9 468	4 135
tons	41 831	366	3 172	11 698	13 036	9 138	4 421
$1,000	481	5	38	133	155	102	49
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	36	–	1	6	10	12	7
acres on which used	860	–	55	96	253	282	174
$1,000	5	–	(Z)	1	2	2	1
Insects on other crops—farms	1 067	13	123	252	346	234	99
acres on which used	68 127	235	6 036	16 560	24 697	13 430	7 169
$1,000	1 009	3	81	235	340	220	132
Nematodes in crops—farms	234	2	30	70	69	46	17
acres on which used	9 564	36	745	3 450	2 047	2 615	671
$1,000	107	(Z)	10	41	25	26	4
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	67	–	5	19	19	16	8
acres on which used	1 810	–	104	478	846	160	222
$1,000	44	–	3	11	18	4	8
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	975	16	115	245	308	208	83
acres on which used	82 495	378	8 204	23 747	26 904	17 280	5 982
$1,000	639	4	61	178	226	132	38
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	88	–	5	15	35	22	11
acres on which used	3 192	–	107	629	1 185	1 040	231
$1,000	14	–	(Z)	5	5	3	1
Weeds on other land—farms	65	1	4	6	33	11	10
acres on which used	699	3	8	180	234	187	87
$1,000	4	(Z)	(Z)	1	2	1	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	146	3	16	33	40	41	13
acres on which used	8 253	73	1 066	1 814	2 041	2 153	1 106
$1,000	40	(Z)	6	9	10	10	4
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	227	1	16	48	97	44	21
$1,000	23	(Z)	1	5	8	4	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	736	16	117	144	229	174	56
$1,000	181	3	27	30	62	48	12
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	2 102	20	218	439	672	502	251
Under 1,000 bushels	310	6	34	58	111	71	30
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	277	–	22	57	105	70	23
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	88	–	10	28	31	16	3
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	36	–	1	15	14	4	2
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	11	–	–	3	5	3	–
50,000 bushels and over	4	–	–	1	1	1	1
Not reporting	2 490	51	361	522	669	590	297
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	2 474	22	241	473	828	654	256
number	127 571	612	10 411	23 191	43 973	33 386	15 998
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	2 194	14	213	411	718	601	237
number	69 173	315	6 054	12 880	23 371	18 377	8 176
Beef cows—farms	2 081	14	204	385	683	568	227
number	66 979	311	5 913	12 256	22 886	17 602	8 011
Milk cows—farms	321	4	34	74	102	82	25
number	2 194	4	141	624	485	775	165
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	1 565	16	139	290	519	421	180
number	26 070	154	1 887	4 370	9 023	6 984	3 652
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	1 514	16	135	280	500	408	175
number	24 948	154	1 816	4 136	8 690	6 612	3 540
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	98	–	5	18	35	28	12
number	1 122	–	71	234	333	372	112
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	1 848	19	161	349	615	494	210
number	32 328	143	2 470	5 941	11 579	8 025	4 170
Cattle and calves sold—farms	2 264	24	212	415	750	614	249
number	51 676	439	3 987	8 106	17 429	15 593	6 122
$1,000	8 870	95	609	1 244	3 156	2 718	1 049
Calves—farms	1 605	12	161	285	516	446	185
number	26 802	173	2 288	4 687	8 540	7 958	3 156
$1,000	3 048	24	256	527	975	900	365
Cattle—farms	1 680	21	132	280	578	474	195
number	24 874	266	1 699	3 419	8 889	7 635	2 966
$1,000	5 822	71	352	717	2 181	1 818	683
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	269	6	24	50	97	69	23
number	3 056	52	202	683	875	1 104	140
$1,000	793	13	57	154	247	292	31
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 341	16	169	278	429	309	140
number	54 698	434	6 114	10 958	20 414	11 355	5 423
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	935	7	116	218	283	211	100
number	7 678	33	978	1 594	2 695	1 726	652
Other—farms	1 291	15	157	265	416	300	138
number	47 020	401	5 136	9 364	17 719	9 629	4 771

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						
			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	4 346	3 110	38	214	407	761	1 015	675
number	462 718	370 429	7 608	35 683	60 378	113 246	112 761	40 753
$1,000	30 860	25 285	477	2 714	4 035	7 849	7 598	2 612
Feeder pigs — farms	859	594	12	39	75	130	200	138
number	64 517	44 039	2 485	1 663	7 047	8 061	18 541	6 242
$1,000	1 431	999	56	36	151	169	464	122
Litters of pigs farrowed between —								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	3 632	2 599	30	188	339	651	847	544
number	57 275	46 781	1 184	4 126	7 404	15 241	13 920	4 906
December 1 and May 31 — farms	3 218	2 348	30	167	304	591	768	488
number	29 741	24 155	622	2 078	3 885	7 715	7 247	2 608
June 1 and November 30 — farms	2 856	2 047	26	145	274	477	695	430
number	27 534	22 626	562	2 048	3 519	7 526	6 673	2 298
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	18	11	–	1	2	–	1	7
number	597	389	–	70	7	–	13	299
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	15	9	–	1	2	–	1	5
number	201	117	–	25	2	–	6	84
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	16	10	–	1	2	–	1	6
number	315	208	–	40	3	–	6	159
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	18	11	–	1	2	–	1	7
number	81	64	–	5	2	–	1	56
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	14	8	–	1	–	–	1	6
number	261	146	–	30	–	–	8	108
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	13	7	–	1	–	–	1	5
number	389	267	–	45	–	–	8	214
pounds of wool	2 473	1 573	–	279	–	–	80	1 214
Horses and ponies — farms	1 431	827	22	71	137	194	204	199
number	5 666	2 953	45	224	514	756	637	777
Sold — farms	160	86	2	6	22	14	21	21
number	724	379	6	78	51	46	107	91
$1,000	495	246	1	30	50	57	48	61
Horses — farms	1 275	723	22	65	123	165	173	175
number	4 975	2 545	43	202	452	618	535	695
Sold — farms	144	76	2	6	20	12	16	20
number	640	347	6	78	48	37	98	80
$1,000	488	244	1	30	50	57	47	60
Any goats — farms	39	28	–	2	3	12	6	5
number	452	347	–	24	8	97	123	95
Sold — farms	8	4	–	–	–	3	–	1
number	49	38	–	–	–	36	–	2
$1,000	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	(Z)
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 146	1 604	12	86	192	353	485	476
number	5 101 023	4 329 008	38 016	709 603	584 239	1 610 599	825 055	561 496
Sold — farms	459	368	4	21	47	90	94	112
number	5 684 213	4 556 124	18 842	659 463	485 495	1 670 491	1 210 570	511 263
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 044	1 535	12	73	186	349	461	454
number	4 313 198	3 777 406	37 982	541 776	559 030	1 435 024	706 729	496 865
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	1 991	1 490	12	67	182	339	450	440
number	4 047 942	3 571 135	37 982	541 587	539 172	1 397 251	591 969	463 174
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	211	165	–	9	18	28	63	47
number	265 256	206 271	–	189	19 858	37 773	114 760	33 691
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	154	119	–	9	22	25	32	31
number	752 415	523 536	–	166 156	22 561	171 048	103 413	60 358
Roosters and male chickens — farms	896	646	6	41	86	126	226	161
number	35 410	28 066	34	1 671	2 648	4 527	14 913	4 273
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	65	56	–	2	4	15	29	6
number	563 540	438 971	–	60	10 123	209 504	219 223	61
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	168	128	–	12	12	43	38	23
number	18 232 651	13 962 551	–	933 062	2 182 334	5 529 796	3 426 185	1 891 174
Turkeys — farms	61	51	1	–	6	11	22	11
number	457 193	374 648	(D)	–	129 714	(D)	196 116	10 079
Sold — farms	67	57	1	1	7	14	23	11
number	1 999 624	1 705 624	(D)	(D)	306 900	424 686	726 930	197 108
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	48	40	1	–	5	8	16	10
number	407 381	324 876	(D)	–	109 703	(D)	185 607	10 036
Sold — farms	59	51	1	1	7	11	20	11
number	1 754 774	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	343 586	656 180	197 108
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	5	4	–	–	1	1	–	2
number	26 257	26 227	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	27
Sold — farms	8	6	–	–	1	3	2	–
number	225 000	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	27	23	–	–	2	6	9	6
number	23 555	23 545	–	–	11	13 009	10 509	16
Sold — farms	6	6	–	–	–	2	4	–
number	19 850	19 850	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes — farms	9 805	7 234	118	563	1 072	1 798	2 157	1 526
acres	439 742	373 092	6 153	30 749	75 443	109 999	98 456	52 292
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	7 650	5 629	87	463	888	1 413	1 663	1 115
acres	374 100	319 673	5 479	26 718	67 015	96 052	84 151	40 258
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	9 482	6 991	115	533	1 034	1 733	2 090	1 486
acres	403 646	339 607	5 626	28 700	69 400	99 677	87 959	48 245
bushels	25 833 142	22 065 837	376 973	1 870 481	4 754 489	6 563 077	5 604 510	2 896 307
Irrigated — farms	34	27	–	–	3	8	12	4
acres	1 167	670	–	–	135	330	171	34

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	Other occupation						
		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	1 236	21	147	279	380	276	133
number	92 289	1 560	8 077	21 526	34 445	18 460	8 221
$1,000	5 574	130	485	1 214	2 191	1 034	521
Feeder pigs — farms	265	–	30	67	79	65	24
number	20 478	–	1 615	5 851	6 547	5 587	878
$1,000	432	–	36	121	138	119	19
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	1 033	7	131	236	311	231	117
number	10 494	29	961	2 580	3 770	2 200	954
December 1 and May 31 — farms	870	7	106	199	267	204	87
number	5 586	17	464	1 389	2 014	1 207	495
June 1 and November 30 — farms	809	5	103	184	248	172	97
number	4 908	12	497	1 191	1 756	993	459
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	7	–	–	1	2	–	4
number	208	–	–	1	95	–	112
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	6	–	–	–	2	–	4
number	84	–	–	–	44	–	40
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	6	–	–	–	2	–	4
number	107	–	–	–	43	–	64
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	7	–	–	1	2	–	4
number	17	–	–	1	8	–	8
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	6	–	–	–	2	–	4
number	115	–	–	–	59	–	56
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	6	–	–	–	2	–	4
number	122	–	–	–	66	–	56
pounds of wool	900	–	–	–	556	–	344
Horses and ponies — farms	604	11	73	141	217	123	39
number	2 713	36	256	524	996	669	232
Sold — farms	74	1	15	15	25	16	2
number	345	1	45	24	192	79	4
$1,000	248	1	39	9	119	63	16
Horses — farms	552	11	62	126	203	119	31
number	2 430	36	234	449	895	614	202
Sold — farms	68	1	13	14	23	15	2
number	293	1	43	22	165	58	4
$1,000	244	1	39	9	116	63	16
Any goats — farms	11	–	1	4	6	–	–
number	105	–	1	46	58	–	–
Sold — farms	4	–	–	4	–	–	–
number	11	–	–	11	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	542	3	46	114	185	125	69
number	772 015	101	40 701	292 739	173 078	222 265	43 131
Sold — farms	91	–	2	24	34	25	6
number	1 128 089	–	33 096	389 039	327 473	347 941	30 540
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	509	3	45	110	173	113	65
number	535 792	91	12 393	139 666	144 436	216 337	22 869
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	501	3	45	110	172	109	62
number	476 807	91	12 358	139 551	144 237	158 143	22 427
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	46	–	1	6	13	14	12
number	58 985	–	35	115	199	58 194	442
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	35	–	4	8	14	6	3
number	228 879	–	28 242	152 930	27 631	52	20 024
Roosters and male chickens — farms	250	2	29	47	87	57	28
number	7 344	10	66	143	1 011	5 876	238
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	9	–	2	2	1	4	–
number	124 569	–	15	(D)	(D)	114 518	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	40	–	9	11	8	10	2
number	4 270 100	–	(D)	1 412 400	775 700	1 355 891	(D)
Turkeys — farms	10	1	–	3	2	4	–
number	82 545	2	–	47 500	(D)	(D)	–
Sold — farms	10	–	–	4	1	3	2
number	294 000	–	–	165 000	(D)	78 000	(D)
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	8	–	–	3	2	3	–
number	82 505	–	–	47 500	(D)	(D)	–
Sold — farms	8	–	–	4	1	1	2
number	(D)	–	–	165 000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	30	–	–	–	–	30	–
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	–	2	–
number	(D)	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	4	1	–	–	–	3	–
number	10	2	–	–	–	8	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	2 571	36	326	600	794	572	243
acres	66 650	876	7 630	17 806	21 536	13 694	5 108
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 021	30	261	487	646	426	171
acres	54 427	716	6 230	13 793	19 136	10 598	3 954
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	2 491	35	323	590	771	541	231
acres	64 039	811	7 569	17 136	20 937	12 755	4 831
bushels	3 767 305	41 454	428 471	1 004 277	1 309 233	722 306	261 564
Irrigated — farms	7	–	–	1	1	–	5
acres	497	–	–	400	5	–	92

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						
			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	767	549	9	36	70	147	180	107
acres	27 420	21 790	497	1 803	3 119	6 473	7 197	2 701
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	572	416	6	27	58	111	139	75
acres	20 717	16 413	106	1 193	2 603	5 186	5 705	1 620
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	489	338	5	20	49	89	121	54
acres	15 864	12 713	399	1 096	1 941	3 670	4 494	1 113
bushels	637 266	532 556	7 352	54 598	63 917	170 347	190 211	46 131
Irrigated—farms	2	2	–	–	1	1	–	–
acres	41	41	–	–	11	30	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	10 965	7 999	153	659	1 178	1 961	2 423	1 625
acres	1 024 654	867 331	14 231	81 634	155 513	259 792	238 774	117 387
bushels	20 459 983	17 471 021	267 816	1 528 261	3 306 137	5 297 029	4 767 018	2 304 760
Irrigated—farms	28	16	–	–	3	5	3	5
acres	521	413	–	–	16	187	27	183
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	6 270	4 826	86	455	749	1 248	1 455	833
acres	717 142	623 300	9 172	61 215	117 125	188 539	175 904	71 345
Peanuts for nuts—farms	311	237	1	16	34	69	67	50
acres	11 664	10 803	1	354	2 413	3 894	2 532	1 609
pounds	23 721 620	22 419 830	3 500	826 100	5 731 696	8 432 603	4 619 199	2 806 732
Irrigated—farms	4	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	140	109	–	–	–	109	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	177	153	1	12	23	47	41	29
acres	9 908	9 303	1	350	1 980	3 415	2 099	1 458
Wheat—farms	2 156	1 650	38	147	227	408	493	337
acres	93 707	80 861	2 007	6 870	16 391	25 596	19 756	10 241
bushels	2 489 338	2 187 574	53 049	171 554	428 644	710 620	541 860	281 847
Irrigated—farms	2	2	–	–	–	1	–	1
acres	36	36	–	–	–	1	–	35
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 655	1 331	31	118	192	337	411	242
acres	81 108	71 413	1 797	5 954	14 206	23 256	17 268	8 932
Cotton—farms	2 204	1 833	27	155	243	511	530	367
acres	238 041	221 495	2 133	19 736	38 465	71 873	61 772	27 516
bales	246 215	230 782	2 415	20 434	39 585	75 715	65 566	27 067
Irrigated—farms	7	5	–	1	1	1	1	1
acres	675	661	–	1	525	6	4	125
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2 023	1 690	27	151	234	479	485	314
acres	236 033	219 852	2 133	19 632	38 322	71 399	61 339	27 027
Tobacco—farms	5 816	4 817	109	396	839	1 314	1 421	738
acres	68 516	60 351	1 494	5 379	13 355	18 083	16 975	5 064
pounds	141 507 979	125 363 701	3 140 731	11 557 587	27 536 867	37 657 966	35 037 063	10 433 487
Irrigated—farms	116	104	2	8	23	25	37	9
acres	1 705	1 564	65	106	284	569	469	71
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5 816	4 817	109	396	839	1 314	1 421	738
acres	68 133	59 979	1 429	5 294	13 268	18 045	16 894	5 049
Irish potatoes—farms	317	257	3	14	21	57	82	80
acres	579	523	2	6	108	249	73	84
hundredweight	75 872	70 314	158	595	11 433	40 743	7 590	9 795
Irrigated—farms	3	3	–	–	–	1	2	–
acres	106	106	–	–	–	100	6	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	129	114	–	8	16	25	33	32
acres	471	450	–	6	106	235	49	55
Hay—farms	4 084	2 604	32	134	313	615	841	669
acres	115 342	78 629	1 208	3 543	9 989	21 351	24 633	17 905
tons	236 540	167 375	1 992	8 494	22 561	48 163	51 205	34 960
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 874	1 236	14	79	158	307	397	281
acres	57 963	41 472	700	2 471	5 747	11 763	12 100	8 691
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	153	102	–	7	14	27	28	26
acres	4 203	2 648	–	119	343	1 031	899	256
tons, dry	9 740	5 760	–	278	816	2 140	2 033	493
Irrigated—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	40	40	–	–	–	–	40	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	272	146	4	5	18	36	39	44
acres	6 851	4 073	70	60	593	896	1 111	1 343
tons, dry	10 779	6 392	144	126	869	1 529	1 905	1 819
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	189	121	–	4	9	39	44	25
acres	7 771	5 946	–	90	1 390	1 627	1 903	936
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	94	64	–	2	2	19	28	13
acres	3 882	3 161	–	45	1 100	596	1 014	406
Vegetables—farms	1 245	936	6	60	115	242	304	209
acres	25 501	22 643	428	1 502	3 684	8 509	5 642	2 879
Irrigated—farms	48	39	–	4	5	10	16	4
acres	1 006	960	–	72	75	136	422	255
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	775	587	6	38	80	153	189	121
acres	19 549	17 765	428	1 108	3 250	6 519	4 263	2 196
Berries—farms	17	13	–	1	–	2	6	4
acres	34	26	–	3	–	12	6	5
Irrigated—farms	3	3	–	1	–	1	–	1
acres	15	15	–	3	–	12	–	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	4	2	–	–	–	1	–	1
acres	8	2	–	–	–	(Z)	–	2
Land in orchards—farms	668	459	6	29	55	90	160	119
acres	28 022	24 925	173	1 275	3 982	7 010	8 116	4 370
Irrigated—farms	18	13	–	1	3	4	4	1
acres	819	783	–	5	28	125	590	35
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	358	254	3	17	35	47	85	67
acres	20 399	18 538	114	1 031	3 146	4 938	6 107	3 203

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Other occupation						
		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	218	8	30	46	60	53	21
acres	5 630	176	669	1 042	2 105	1 109	529
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	156	4	26	33	47	35	11
acres	4 304	112	566	777	1 914	587	348
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	151	4	25	36	37	36	13
acres	3 151	158	489	731	759	661	353
bushels	104 710	5 232	18 020	25 867	24 859	19 869	10 863
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	2 966	52	392	698	892	621	311
acres	157 323	1 614	18 881	40 255	51 210	30 728	14 635
bushels	2 988 962	29 387	351 218	788 008	984 485	566 276	269 588
Irrigated — farms	12	–	–	6	3	–	3
acres	108	–	–	46	21	–	41
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 444	23	144	337	476	326	138
acres	93 842	646	7 847	23 259	34 068	20 546	7 476
Peanuts for nuts — farms	74	2	7	19	19	21	6
acres	861	4	44	212	134	393	74
pounds	1 301 790	2 000	80 000	267 258	247 149	669 483	35 900
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
acres	31	–	–	30	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	24	–	1	8	4	7	4
acres	605	–	26	167	96	244	72
Wheat — farms	506	2	68	145	139	109	43
acres	12 846	60	1 561	4 011	4 032	2 287	895
bushels	301 764	715	35 936	97 024	97 253	53 198	17 638
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	324	1	28	80	108	80	27
acres	9 695	10	827	2 872	3 550	1 944	492
Cotton — farms	371	7	39	81	97	90	57
acres	16 546	159	1 272	3 788	4 959	4 019	2 349
bales	15 433	90	1 045	3 910	4 502	3 661	2 225
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	14	–	–	–	14	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	333	7	32	79	85	82	48
acres	16 181	159	1 221	3 769	4 856	3 939	2 237
Tobacco — farms	999	17	130	221	321	205	105
acres	8 165	71	837	1 732	2 957	1 879	689
pounds	16 144 278	150 540	1 610 398	3 518 314	6 059 556	3 498 567	1 306 903
Irrigated — farms	12	–	1	1	6	1	3
acres	142	–	6	25	70	30	11
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	999	17	130	221	321	205	105
acres	8 154	71	836	1 733	2 946	1 879	688
Irish potatoes — farms	60	1	6	15	24	10	4
acres	56	(Z)	9	16	24	6	1
hundredweight	5 558	15	890	1 350	2 022	1 160	121
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	15	–	2	7	4	1	1
acres	21	–	1	4	14	2	(Z)
Hay — farms	1 480	13	140	259	508	387	173
acres	36 713	155	3 146	6 575	13 013	8 822	5 002
tons	69 165	267	6 884	13 474	23 899	16 115	8 526
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	638	4	47	125	226	178	58
acres	16 491	54	1 698	3 435	5 155	4 540	1 609
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	51	–	4	9	12	14	12
acres	1 555	–	170	178	505	278	424
tons, dry	3 980	–	249	689	1 540	672	830
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	126	3	10	27	35	32	19
acres	2 778	44	73	699	898	681	383
tons, dry	4 387	37	187	1 443	1 418	801	501
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	68	–	6	9	25	21	7
acres	1 825	–	217	327	451	682	148
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	30	–	1	6	12	8	3
acres	721	–	10	189	227	224	71
Vegetables — farms	309	3	39	65	85	81	36
acres	2 858	7	622	425	676	915	213
Irrigated — farms	9	–	–	2	2	2	3
acres	46	–	–	7	4	27	8
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	188	2	20	44	59	47	16
acres	1 784	2	242	291	425	704	122
Berries — farms	4	–	–	–	3	–	1
acres	9	–	–	–	7	–	2
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	6	–	–	–	6	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	209	4	18	41	53	60	33
acres	3 097	50	207	609	838	502	890
Irrigated — farms	5	–	–	–	4	1	–
acres	36	–	–	–	24	12	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	104	–	6	18	33	30	17
acres	1 861	–	92	407	462	255	645

Table 30. Summary by Size of Farm: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms and Land in Farms						
Farms — number	17 513	575	3 123	1 611	1 884	2 127
percent	100.0	3.3	17.8	9.2	10.8	12.1
Land in farms — acres	5 164 205	2 489	94 239	93 723	157 434	248 107
Average size of farm — acres	295	4	30	58	84	117
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	2 344 458	11 735	82 128	65 740	102 560	134 608
Average per farm — dollars	133 870	20 408	26 298	40 807	54 437	63 285
Average per acre — dollars	454	4 715	871	701	651	543
Farms by value of farm:						
$1 to $9,999	1 033	278	650	70	24	11
$10,000 to $19,999	1 778	103	890	292	220	183
$20,000 to $39,999	3 288	118	976	636	569	523
$40,000 to $69,999	3 485	52	442	444	637	701
$70,000 to $99,999	1 973	10	108	101	251	358
$100,000 to $149,999	2 013	5	35	40	130	249
$150,000 to $199,999	1 035	4	11	13	32	59
$200,000 to $499,999	2 067	5	11	14	14	41
$500,000 and over	841	–	–	1	7	2
Owned and rented land by farm operator:						
Land owned — farms	15 439	401	2 481	1 342	1 679	1 930
acres	3 724 472	7 228	76 538	71 326	121 555	196 911
Land rented or leased from others — farms	8 665	212	1 284	691	857	944
acres	1 593 294	1 599	30 475	29 933	44 126	66 430
Land rented or leased to others — farms	2 083	52	336	180	226	263
acres	153 561	6 338	12 774	7 536	8 247	15 234
Land in Farms According to Use						
Total cropland — farms	17 016	436	3 007	1 574	1 844	2 094
acres	2 791 406	1 869	67 657	62 903	96 948	150 171
Harvested cropland — farms	16 356	424	2 907	1 533	1 767	2 001
acres	2 146 630	1 755	56 650	49 578	74 091	108 556
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	8 327	424	2 907	1 191	1 140	1 011
50 to 99 acres	3 237	–	–	342	627	719
100 to 199 acres	2 112	–	–	–	–	271
200 to 499 acres	1 780	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	598	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	302	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	247	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	55	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only — farms	6 525	17	594	506	673	890
acres	453 791	58	6 061	7 589	14 253	27 307
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	1 251	–	135	131	133	150
acres	45 039	–	1 009	1 582	2 241	3 555
On which all crops failed — farms	660	4	69	57	70	82
acres	20 509	8	718	656	860	1 109
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	476	3	38	38	53	65
acres	20 158	4	296	600	900	1 810
Idle — farms	2 716	15	304	219	281	415
acres	105 279	44	2 923	2 898	4 603	7 834
Total woodland — farms	11 002	21	944	922	1 220	1 558
acres	1 779 080	51	11 118	20 131	40 981	70 547
Woodland pastured — farms	4 808	2	281	330	459	650
acres	537 290	8	2 430	4 520	9 924	20 188
Woodland not pastured — farms	8 342	19	738	723	941	1 161
acres	1 241 790	43	8 688	15 611	31 057	50 359
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	2 790	7	184	165	262	324
acres	309 531	24	1 749	3 191	6 543	10 406
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 972	2	128	117	179	227
acres	164 597	14	1 249	2 162	4 314	7 607
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 065	5	63	64	105	120
acres	144 934	10	500	1 029	2 229	2 799
Other land (see text) — farms	10 843	256	1 799	954	1 199	1 364
acres	284 188	545	13 715	7 498	12 962	16 983
Total pastureland — farms	9 433	26	849	741	1 008	1 263
acres	1 300 612	90	10 240	15 300	30 720	57 901
Irrigated land — farms	323	33	64	35	24	35
acres	9 429	71	513	378	469	396
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	317	33	63	35	24	35
acres	9 043	71	503	340	431	396
Artificial drainage — farms	2 466	23	213	169	215	297
acres drained	444 741	116	4 403	5 231	9 153	16 752
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	3 597	25	209	179	255	387
number	9 234	168	388	255	508	768
acres	16 328	95	373	256	499	815
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator						
All farm operators	17 513	575	3 123	1 611	1 884	2 127
Full owners	8 921	365	1 861	925	1 041	1 189
Part owners	6 474	27	615	410	635	737
Tenants	2 118	183	647	276	208	201

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms — number	1 329	1 069	851	2 404	1 522	721	297
percent	7.6	6.1	4.9	13.7	8.7	4.1	1.7
Land in farms — acres	210 087	211 817	202 738	854 449	1 039 524	964 497	1 085 101
Average size of farm — acres	158	198	238	355	683	1 338	3 654
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	106 820	102 961	92 904	393 134	432 762	407 535	411 573
Average per farm — dollars	80 376	96 315	109 171	163 533	284 338	565 236	1 385 767
Average per acre — dollars	508	486	458	460	416	423	379
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	58	22	6	4	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	234	113	60	58	1	–	–
$40,000 to $69,999	423	276	218	254	38	–	–
$70,000 to $99,999	268	244	173	395	58	5	2
$100,000 to $149,999	204	261	208	669	191	18	3
$150,000 to $199,999	84	77	82	409	234	30	–
$200,000 to $499,999	56	73	101	561	830	343	18
$500,000 and over	2	3	3	54	170	325	274
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned — farms	1 220	979	801	2 241	1 411	670	284
acres	161 792	162 785	155 607	611 184	701 492	621 815	836 239
Land rented or leased from others — farms	652	506	431	1 442	972	499	175
acres	58 070	56 969	55 554	270 684	357 971	354 754	266 729
Land rented or leased to others — farms	153	132	132	288	181	77	63
acres	9 775	7 937	8 423	27 419	19 939	12 072	17 867
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland — farms	1 300	1 055	838	2 367	1 502	709	290
acres	123 222	124 620	114 910	501 197	593 835	533 421	420 653
Harvested cropland — farms	1 240	1 004	809	2 247	1 440	697	287
acres	86 993	89 286	85 590	365 966	451 503	428 420	348 242
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	507	291	199	448	150	45	14
50 to 99 acres	403	327	232	371	157	51	8
100 to 199 acres	330	328	254	621	222	56	30
200 to 499 acres	–	58	124	807	595	156	40
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	316	236	46
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	153	149
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	153	94
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	55
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only — farms	587	495	350	1 188	764	350	111
acres	25 849	26 939	19 588	99 886	107 005	77 607	41 649
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	113	78	70	195	146	76	24
acres	2 223	1 971	2 461	7 712	9 225	8 012	5 048
On which all crops failed — farms	72	43	42	108	57	30	26
acres	1 511	1 062	965	3 664	3 265	1 942	4 749
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	46	28	37	71	60	23	14
acres	1 553	1 035	1 084	3 598	5 175	1 725	2 378
Idle — farms	251	175	171	433	258	126	68
acres	5 093	4 327	5 222	20 371	17 662	15 715	18 587
Total woodland — farms	998	806	667	1 828	1 206	585	247
acres	65 210	64 611	66 794	270 639	335 494	333 873	499 631
Woodland pastured — farms	456	386	334	976	579	252	103
acres	19 494	19 203	19 904	91 614	112 675	95 306	142 024
Woodland not pastured — farms	740	587	498	1 341	933	471	190
acres	45 716	45 408	46 890	179 025	222 819	238 567	357 607
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	229	198	204	492	399	225	101
acres	8 783	9 354	10 607	41 379	62 320	66 556	88 619
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	149	149	152	390	295	138	46
acres	6 308	6 742	7 208	31 984	37 961	33 940	25 108
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	101	57	68	150	163	109	60
acres	2 475	2 612	3 399	9 395	24 359	32 616	63 511
Other land (see text) — farms	846	635	555	1 493	1 013	505	224
acres	12 872	13 232	10 427	41 234	47 875	30 647	76 198
Total pastureland — farms	843	690	556	1 646	1 081	525	205
acres	54 126	55 496	50 099	232 879	282 000	239 469	272 292
Irrigated land — farms	16	17	6	41	25	13	14
acres	383	297	398	1 041	1 022	715	3 746
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	15	16	5	40	24	13	14
acres	369	295	328	1 037	812	715	3 746
Artificial drainage — farms	192	166	159	448	304	177	103
acres drained	13 201	13 190	16 199	63 101	80 164	91 171	132 060
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	284	264	217	797	539	319	122
number	563	553	519	1 945	1 751	1 176	640
acres	689	737	723	3 067	3 408	2 920	2 745
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	1 329	1 069	851	2 404	1 522	721	297
Full owners	682	566	423	967	555	225	122
Part owners	538	408	378	1 268	853	444	161
Tenants	109	95	50	169	114	52	14

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued						
All farm operators—Continued						
White[1]	15 063	388	2 231	1 296	1 574	1 878
Full owners	7 695	241	1 371	775	881	1 090
Part owners	5 622	14	361	299	521	620
Tenants	1 746	133	499	222	172	168
Black and other races[1]	2 160	168	858	308	287	238
Full owners	1 077	106	473	147	146	96
Part owners	758	13	247	109	110	111
Tenants	325	49	138	52	31	31
Farms by Type of Organization						
Individual or family—farms	15 867	514	2 918	1 523	1 765	2 006
acres	4 216 261	2 228	88 424	88 794	147 473	234 083
Partnership—farms	1 356	42	171	81	96	110
acres	636 051	192	4 897	4 545	8 128	12 738
Corporation, including family owned—farms	247	18	28	7	21	5
acres	271 409	66	729	384	1 687	606
Other—farms	43	1	6	–	2	6
acres	40 484	3	189	–	146	680
Farm Credit						
Total operator farm debt—farms	5 149	86	595	362	538	590
$1,000	201 073	1 478	6 474	5 514	7 131	10 557
Debts secured by real estate—farms	3 806	50	395	266	392	437
$1,000	143 249	845	4 480	3 762	4 777	7 443
Debts not secured by real estate—farms	2 703	43	309	175	265	291
$1,000	57 823	633	1 995	1 752	2 354	3 113
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]						
Farm operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	293	7	75	28	22	25
25 to 34 years	1 557	84	299	160	184	179
35 to 44 years	2 752	62	482	269	312	378
45 to 54 years	4 459	147	788	375	423	544
55 to 64 years	4 827	120	807	426	582	568
65 years and over	3 335	136	638	346	338	422
Average age	52.7	52.6	52.4	52.7	52.6	52.9
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	10 340	230	1 658	882	1 135	1 310
On another farm	807	38	219	104	100	110
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	25	204	82	97	70
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	32	175	90	127	154
Farm operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	11 905	380	2 026	1 035	1 238	1 363
Other	5 318	176	1 063	569	623	753
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—						
Greater than value of farm products sold	4 198	90	915	443	547	625
Less than value of farm products sold	6 534	153	848	489	657	727
Not reporting or none	6 491	313	1 326	672	657	764
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	6 483	170	1 288	643	773	873
1 to 49 days	673	15	124	52	67	78
50 to 99 days	462	10	125	37	49	57
100 to 149 days	492	14	88	40	67	68
150 to 199 days	645	12	140	70	66	75
200 days and over	4 211	119	811	444	524	595
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:						
Farms reporting	2 709	56	317	215	287	336
Number of persons	3 148	63	369	252	336	377
By number of days worked:						
1 to 49 days	311	10	43	23	32	27
50 to 99 days	255	9	30	20	22	34
100 to 149 days	261	3	29	20	33	36
150 to 199 days	483	6	66	31	44	56
200 days and over	1 838	35	201	158	205	224
Farms by Size						
1 to 9 acres	575	575	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	3 123	–	3 123	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	1 611	–	–	1 611	–	–
70 to 99 acres	1 884	–	–	–	1 884	–
100 to 139 acres	2 127	–	–	–	–	2 127
140 to 179 acres	1 329	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	1 069	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	851	–	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	2 404	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	1 522	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	721	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	297	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)						
Cash grain farms (011)	5 835	3	806	529	685	753
Cotton farms (0131)	561	2	66	27	35	45
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 880	309	1 451	561	589	607

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	1 232	1 004	810	2 292	1 451	654	253
Full owners	636	537	407	929	526	203	99
Part owners	496	378	356	1 201	819	413	144
Tenants	100	89	47	162	106	38	10
Black and other races[1]	86	61	34	69	31	13	7
Full owners	40	27	10	17	9	3	3
Part owners	40	29	21	48	20	7	3
Tenants	6	5	3	4	2	3	1
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	1 215	992	786	2 096	1 302	552	198
acres	192 228	196 489	187 234	743 275	886 931	735 289	713 813
Partnership — farms	103	73	58	265	180	115	62
acres	16 188	14 511	13 810	95 642	124 949	151 919	188 532
Corporation, including family owned — farms	7	4	7	38	29	51	32
acres	1 071	817	1 694	13 805	19 578	72 060	158 912
Other — farms	4	–	–	5	11	3	5
acres	600	–	–	1 727	8 066	5 229	23 844
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	396	331	290	899	607	324	131
$1,000	8 885	7 301	7 280	32 295	36 571	37 958	39 630
Debts secured by real estate — farms	300	241	220	688	458	249	110
$1,000	5 960	5 611	5 730	23 222	24 845	26 908	29 666
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	192	160	147	511	347	191	72
$1,000	2 925	1 689	1 550	9 073	11 726	11 049	9 963
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	31	16	11	39	33	6	–
25 to 34 years	107	104	68	211	108	41	12
35 to 44 years	180	152	156	391	229	100	41
45 to 54 years	336	269	210	642	433	202	90
55 to 64 years	408	292	251	688	412	204	69
65 years and over	256	232	148	390	267	114	48
Average age	53.2	53.3	52.7	52.1	53.0	53.5	54.2
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	872	696	596	1 542	879	408	132
On another farm	49	42	25	82	30	7	1
In a rural area, not on a farm	62	36	29	100	42	18	7
In a city, town, or urban area	92	92	58	221	213	102	62
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	876	744	578	1 713	1 189	549	214
Other	442	321	266	648	293	118	46
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	358	262	185	470	201	78	24
Less than value of farm products sold	527	429	393	1 117	736	328	130
Not reporting or none	433	374	266	774	545	261	106
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	530	388	340	856	394	178	50
1 to 49 days	48	46	45	98	60	27	13
50 to 99 days	43	23	20	65	19	12	2
100 to 149 days	43	26	22	66	33	24	1
150 to 199 days	44	40	35	110	38	11	4
200 days and over	352	253	218	517	244	104	30
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	256	186	172	504	242	107	31
Number of persons	302	210	206	587	275	133	38
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	30	10	21	63	25	22	5
50 to 99 days	18	8	20	49	24	18	3
100 to 149 days	24	19	13	51	22	9	2
150 to 199 days	47	48	35	84	47	16	3
200 days and over	183	125	117	340	157	68	25
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 139 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
140 to 179 acres	1 329	–	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	–	1 069	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	–	–	851	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	–	–	–	2 404	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	1 522	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	721	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	297
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	506	409	367	869	553	263	92
Cotton farms (0131)	36	21	22	91	106	63	47
Tobacco farms (0132)	295	225	151	414	200	60	18

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.						
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	523	4	65	33	60	46
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	246	1	73	29	34	32
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	325	1	74	46	37	38
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	64	48	11	4	9
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	571	16	52	55	32	87
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 968	81	321	239	278	396
Dairy farms (024)	415	2	6	5	18	27
Poultry and egg farms (025)	542	73	128	52	70	55
Animal specialty farms (027)	68	17	19	4	7	4
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	34	–	2	1	7	3
Farms not classified by SIC	395	2	12	19	28	25
Value of Products Sold						
Market value of agricultural products sold — farms	17 513	575	3 123	1 611	1 884	2 127
$1,000	661 349	15 971	42 358	26 459	35 818	39 462
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:						
$500,000 and over	107	6	3	2	4	1
$200,000 to $499,999	509	8	21	14	15	11
$100,000 to $199,999	886	16	31	22	23	19
$40,000 to $99,999	2 264	35	101	65	106	195
$20,000 to $39,999	2 590	23	226	156	271	341
$10,000 to $19,999	3 262	114	536	367	426	477
$5,000 to $9,999	3 882	161	954	473	559	589
$2,500 to $4,999	3 665	199	1 171	472	444	450
Under $2,500 (see text)	348	13	80	40	36	44
Grain sold — farms	13 015	71	2 115	1 253	1 463	1 682
$1,000	192 331	59	5 376	4 571	6 734	9 569
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1 133	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	100 725	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold — farms	5 859	323	1 593	627	670	693
$1,000	139 951	2 316	15 224	8 486	11 105	13 948
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	947	–	33	30	41	87
$1,000	75 761	–	1 743	1 601	2 285	4 460
Cotton and cottonseed sold — farms	2 243	10	228	129	142	194
$1,000	61 314	13	469	309	501	841
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	396	–	–	–	–	1
$1,000	44 526	–	–	–	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold — farms	1 457	4	110	88	133	169
$1,000	5 838	3	154	96	299	199
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	19	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 543	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold — farms	631	14	119	61	57	81
$1,000	6 627	26	231	146	225	259
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	39	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	3 657	–	–	–	(D)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold — farms	1 182	14	208	128	114	152
$1,000	15 004	34	696	355	624	696
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	64	–	3	1	3	4
$1,000	10 341	–	138	(D)	142	195
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold — farms	516	3	86	54	49	57
$1,000	26 110	10	667	869	816	937
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	105	–	1	6	4	7
$1,000	22 653	–	(D)	365	(D)	509
Poultry and poultry products sold — farms	916	78	182	93	123	103
$1,000	88 151	11 448	13 851	7 005	9 869	6 715
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	427	56	89	37	52	45
$1,000	85 332	11 123	13 232	6 808	9 372	6 512
Dairy products sold — farms	484	2	11	9	22	33
$1,000	41 620	7	167	140	900	1 158
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	326	–	1	2	4	10
$1,000	39 011	–	(D)	(D)	499	813
Cattle and calves sold — farms	6 268	43	387	326	525	813
$1,000	34 360	234	716	949	1 334	2 014
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	94	–	–	3	1	1
$1,000	10 018	–	–	316	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4 391	86	815	435	573	587
$1,000	33 578	546	2 702	2 773	2 767	2 222
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	136	2	13	6	10	3
$1,000	16 319	(D)	895	1 658	1 299	209
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold — farms	16	–	1	2	1	1
$1,000	9	–	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold — farms	242	19	31	20	32	25
$1,000	779	109	75	21	80	94
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	131	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold — farms	186	64	56	14	8	15
$1,000	5 993	1 167	1 891	590	314	377
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	31	8	11	3	2	2
$1,000	4 626	620	1 444	499	(D)	(D)
Forest products sold — farms	1 560	–	73	60	96	142
$1,000	9 685	–	138	147	251	434
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	34	–	–	–	–	2
$1,000	3 497	–	–	–	–	(D)

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	26	33	31	81	72	52	20
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	9	13	13	20	13	6	3
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	19	17	7	37	21	17	11
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	3	3	1	4	2	1	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	33	23	28	88	79	51	27
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	280	230	159	538	275	126	45
Dairy farms (024)	38	31	19	131	93	37	8
Poultry and egg farms (025)	29	28	23	44	22	16	2
Animal specialty farms (027)	4	1	1	7	4	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	1	5	2	7	4	1	1
Farms not classified by SIC	50	30	27	73	78	28	23
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold — farms	1 329	1 069	851	2 404	1 522	721	297
$1,000	30 093	30 495	24 830	100 465	115 243	113 091	87 065
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	2	3	2	3	9	20	52
$200,000 to $499,999	5	10	7	44	88	183	103
$100,000 to $199,999	20	19	30	170	290	195	51
$40,000 to $99,999	158	174	119	651	495	129	36
$20,000 to $39,999	272	227	213	534	232	75	20
$10,000 to $19,999	291	233	202	380	174	41	21
$5,000 to $9,999	277	216	133	325	141	46	8
$2,500 to $4,999	264	176	131	257	73	23	5
Under $2,500 (see text)	40	11	14	40	20	9	1
Grain sold — farms	1 033	818	673	1 836	1 202	614	255
$1,000	7 987	7 845	7 590	32 760	40 864	39 349	29 626
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	9	1	200	386	364	172
$1,000	(D)	395	(D)	10 598	26 335	35 132	28 169
Tobacco sold — farms	358	286	189	576	351	141	52
$1,000	9 144	8 149	6 457	23 127	19 728	14 159	8 108
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	69	62	51	243	186	102	43
$1,000	3 873	3 949	3 568	16 597	16 378	13 389	7 918
Cotton and cottonseed sold — farms	124	125	103	400	381	280	127
$1,000	796	747	883	6 091	13 086	18 039	19 540
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	2	24	111	149	109
$1,000	–	–	(D)	1 354	8 430	15 499	19 106
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold — farms	93	119	91	293	189	121	47
$1,000	174	324	272	1 039	1 253	1 105	921
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	2	7	4	6
$1,000	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	532	531
Other field crops sold — farms	39	27	35	77	43	47	31
$1,000	152	150	175	514	764	1 664	2 323
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	–	–	2	5	13	17
$1,000	(D)	–	–	(D)	284	1 050	2 101
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold — farms	70	79	61	157	101	69	29
$1,000	423	504	676	2 339	3 266	3 109	2 281
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	2	1	3	12	12	14	9
$1,000	(D)	(D)	366	1 646	2 781	2 641	2 061
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold — farms	32	32	17	69	53	40	24
$1,000	611	1 058	503	3 165	3 287	5 605	8 582
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	4	10	4	17	19	19	14
$1,000	367	941	444	2 741	2 920	5 494	8 522
Poultry and poultry products sold — farms	61	60	41	99	45	25	6
$1,000	4 655	6 264	3 940	7 259	6 254	9 825	1 065
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	24	22	18	40	21	20	3
$1,000	4 464	5 984	3 779	6 998	6 181	9 815	1 064
Dairy products sold — farms	40	37	21	148	102	46	13
$1,000	1 690	1 712	1 301	11 305	12 805	7 542	2 893
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	19	20	17	111	92	39	11
$1,000	1 354	1 415	1 254	10 635	12 648	7 364	2 848
Cattle and calves sold — farms	567	481	407	1 287	866	420	146
$1,000	1 800	1 673	1 334	6 244	6 380	5 895	5 788
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	4	1	1	7	18	27	31
$1,000	307	(D)	(D)	603	1 568	2 481	4 497
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	339	264	233	589	292	126	52
$1,000	2 142	1 625	1 305	4 304	5 043	4 494	3 655
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	2	6	3	15	33	28	15
$1,000	(D)	380	296	1 152	2 896	3 562	3 319
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold — farms	–	1	2	1	5	1	1
$1,000	–	2	1	(Z)	2	1	1
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold — farms	14	9	7	36	33	8	8
$1,000	67	56	(D)	78	119	(D)	52
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	1	–	–	1	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold — farms	5	8	2	8	4	2	–
$1,000	15	55	(D)	773	90	(D)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	3	1	1	–
$1,000	–	–	–	760	(D)	(D)	–
Forest products sold — farms	138	114	110	334	280	141	72
$1,000	437	329	353	1 466	2 303	1 596	2 231
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	1	–	4	8	5	14
$1,000	–	(D)	–	170	724	637	1 776

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Farm Production Expenses						
Total production expenses ____farms__	17 513	575	3 123	1 611	1 884	2 127
$1,000__	492 240	14 190	29 584	18 515	24 973	27 026
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	4 519	137	620	376	509	545
$1,000__	28 671	2 846	2 805	1 649	2 079	1 615
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	8 294	216	1 092	670	906	1 015
$1,000__	93 455	6 741	10 541	6 215	8 337	6 644
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	7 182	207	978	583	811	904
tons__	552 585	47 910	67 659	42 070	52 703	40 288
$1,000__	79 406	6 589	9 629	5 898	7 777	5 931
Feed ingredients_____farms__	2 418	31	249	151	252	294
tons__	33 563	176	1 846	659	835	1 329
$1,000__	5 019	31	271	113	151	211
Whole grains _____farms__	2 529	45	317	170	278	311
tons__	75 050	1 078	5 849	1 575	3 385	3 615
$1,000__	8 240	117	600	170	369	437
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	905	6	92	84	82	113
tons__	31 541	356	999	868	1 308	1 555
$1,000__	791	4	41	35	40	65
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	4 352	98	386	222	348	486
$1,000__	1 959	109	89	56	78	89
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	11 911	168	1 662	1 042	1 245	1 480
$1,000__	13 060	135	804	305	423	614
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	15 302	393	2 587	1 350	1 612	1 841
$1,000__	81 099	246	2 572	1 933	2 857	4 148
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	14 451	380	2 388	1 245	1 500	1 725
acres fertilized__	2 000 735	1 542	34 278	31 529	53 136	84 166
dry tons__	482 328	1 434	14 537	11 199	16 841	24 595
liquid or gas tons__	98 612	11	1 307	1 113	1 964	3 844
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 682	191	1 394	799	960	1 119
$1,000__	30 653	48	475	394	615	962
Lime _____farms__	2 807	8	150	145	213	301
tons__	283 273	15	2 749	3 094	5 466	8 673
$1,000__	3 309	(Z)	34	38	69	109
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	17 061	542	2 986	1 570	1 834	2 070
$1,000__	31 814	380	1 928	1 321	1 776	2 250
Gasoline _____farms__	15 437	521	2 691	1 414	1 620	1 843
$1,000__	13 191	236	986	597	756	988
Diesel oil_____farms__	10 026	181	1 305	774	980	1 123
$1,000__	9 434	38	286	247	346	445
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	2 518	38	342	212	302	292
$1,000__	2 757	35	173	135	213	224
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	17 060	542	2 986	1 570	1 834	2 070
$1,000__	6 432	72	482	341	461	594
Hired farm labor _____farms__	8 400	235	1 190	620	760	933
$1,000__	51 773	1 114	2 600	1 557	1 901	2 250
Workers by number of days worked:						
150 days or more _____farms__	2 770	46	79	51	92	156
workers__	8 812	201	288	161	194	299
25 to 149 days _____farms__	2 808	54	218	116	192	281
workers__	18 055	255	1 266	695	1 272	1 550
Less than 25 days_____farms__	5 536	173	994	512	580	705
workers__	63 317	1 086	10 358	5 841	6 392	8 808
Contract labor _____farms__	862	15	106	79	68	92
$1,000__	4 935	11	146	85	127	129
Machine hire and customwork ___farms__	8 404	164	1 484	820	965	1 131
$1,000__	10 121	72	619	429	601	843
All other production expenses ___farms__	17 402	575	3 096	1 599	1 868	2 113
$1,000__	144 700	2 487	7 004	4 570	6 179	7 481
Farm-Related Income and Expenses						
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 539	48	461	320	432	496
$1,000__	12 338	196	799	667	805	913
$10,000 and over _____farms__	227	2	11	10	12	12
$1,000__	5 641	(D)	147	227	269	260
Farm-related income from —						
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 465	27	174	84	141	121
$1,000__	5 582	47	396	332	369	431
Recreational services _____farms__	193	–	30	15	10	9
$1,000__	263	–	24	3	46	2
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 025	5	90	85	142	202
$1,000__	1 704	2	26	31	52	72
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	1 603	21	197	156	175	220
$1,000__	3 833	143	322	278	310	377
Other farm-related income ____farms__	314	3	29	23	21	23
$1,000__	955	4	33	23	28	31
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 447	15	161	110	127	147
$1,000__	4 150	48	242	314	226	269

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Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____ farms	1 329	1 069	851	2 404	1 522	721	297
$1,000	21 692	22 146	18 279	72 162	84 589	87 619	71 465
Livestock and poultry purchased _ farms	348	283	232	700	467	220	82
$1,000	1 589	1 881	1 363	3 791	3 023	3 373	2 657
Feed for livestock and poultry ___ farms	694	566	440	1 332	855	362	146
$1,000	5 593	5 688	4 188	11 371	11 532	12 260	4 345
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____ farms	592	474	361	1 132	722	302	116
tons	28 233	35 932	20 224	66 462	64 325	71 744	15 036
$1,000	3 837	5 219	2 775	9 805	9 159	10 406	2 382
Feed ingredients _____ farms	197	168	145	456	272	142	61
tons	5 911	1 056	4 054	3 593	5 297	5 960	2 848
$1,000	719	177	718	585	839	795	409
Whole grains _____ farms	215	159	163	411	281	123	56
tons	9 536	2 318	5 601	7 711	12 447	8 992	12 944
$1,000	979	249	663	837	1 325	985	1 509
Hay, green chop, and silage ___ farms	105	68	67	160	91	24	13
tons	1 350	1 420	1 098	11 182	8 218	1 819	1 368
$1,000	59	43	32	144	209	74	44
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____ farms	340	308	254	894	605	293	118
$1,000	120	76	64	315	351	337	273
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __ farms	949	782	643	1 816	1 232	622	270
$1,000	546	506	493	2 011	2 582	2 558	2 082
Commercial fertilizer purchased __ farms	1 196	969	773	2 222	1 401	682	276
$1,000	3 277	3 213	3 071	13 640	16 505	16 095	13 543
Commercial fertilizer used _____ farms	1 105	921	740	2 142	1 361	669	275
acres fertilized	74 622	79 282	75 084	358 032	438 659	428 006	342 399
dry tons	19 760	19 379	17 347	81 666	97 263	96 612	81 696
liquid or gas tons	3 313	3 386	4 139	16 102	22 522	22 324	18 589
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____ farms	728	642	473	1 584	997	559	236
$1,000	815	781	797	4 094	6 123	8 029	7 518
Lime _____ farms	222	181	185	597	437	259	109
tons	10 670	8 571	9 940	44 573	66 051	72 656	50 815
$1,000	121	104	124	536	761	830	581
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____ farms	1 307	1 045	841	2 354	1 505	712	295
$1,000	1 690	1 558	1 369	5 524	5 746	4 735	3 537
Gasoline _____ farms	1 148	943	750	2 162	1 379	680	286
$1,000	687	668	585	2 239	2 160	1 891	1 398
Diesel oil _____ farms	769	637	552	1 648	1 188	609	260
$1,000	373	387	362	1 570	1 989	1 918	1 472
LP gas, butane, and propane __ farms	180	140	97	381	301	145	88
$1,000	169	131	95	462	540	317	262
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____ farms	1 307	1 045	841	2 354	1 505	712	294
$1,000	460	372	326	1 253	1 056	609	405
Hired farm labor _____ farms	577	506	382	1 347	1 028	565	257
$1,000	1 696	1 767	1 202	6 942	9 096	10 522	11 124
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____ farms	113	137	115	595	677	474	235
workers	233	283	197	1 363	1 716	1 959	1 918
25 to 149 days _____ farms	203	164	147	565	461	284	123
workers	1 080	937	740	2 871	2 746	2 616	2 027
Less than 25 days _____ farms	408	352	256	753	491	231	81
workers	4 859	3 968	2 091	8 243	5 961	3 781	1 929
Contract labor _____ farms	59	57	30	144	109	70	33
$1,000	120	170	239	660	1 090	1 200	958
Machine hire and customwork ___ farms	670	549	401	1 097	671	317	135
$1,000	647	558	479	1 566	1 556	1 449	1 303
All other production expenses ___ farms	1 320	1 065	846	2 393	1 513	718	296
$1,000	5 599	5 950	5 013	22 248	26 984	27 059	24 125
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____ farms	365	316	297	864	569	264	107
$1,000	676	766	532	2 346	2 207	1 050	1 381
$10,000 and over _____ farms	9	13	9	49	35	29	36
$1,000	217	332	(D)	1 086	1 167	493	1 175
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services _____ farms	97	101	95	270	199	117	39
$1,000	391	469	221	1 087	759	507	573
Recreational services _____ farms	8	16	14	34	20	20	17
$1,000	6	8	9	19	23	39	85
Payments from government farm programs _____ farms	188	134	145	503	333	146	52
$1,000	81	80	82	431	464	243	141
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments _____ farms	114	111	106	234	142	78	49
$1,000	178	164	198	743	422	198	500
Other farm-related income ____ farms	25	18	14	59	57	27	15
$1,000	20	45	21	66	539	63	82
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____ farms	128	128	92	274	151	81	33
$1,000	251	365	172	740	798	338	387

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Family Off-Farm Income[1]						
Family off-farm income—farms	9 461	220	1 584	835	1 068	1 231
$1,000	101 763	2 014	14 947	7 483	10 179	11 791
Farms by family off-farm income:						
$1 to $249	218	3	39	13	19	25
$250 to $499	130	1	13	10	29	17
$500 to $999	269	9	43	27	34	26
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349	60	414	219	288	299
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422	63	465	238	263	332
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016	63	475	264	345	444
$20,000 to $29,999	706	14	106	58	65	69
$30,000 and over	351	7	29	6	25	19
Family off-farm income from—						
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 912	37	249	176	203	244
$1,000	21 760	311	2 355	1 303	1 875	2 174
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	6 527	171	1 233	604	765	855
$1,000	64 519	1 560	11 377	5 419	7 350	8 404
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	2 942	41	248	176	265	370
$1,000	8 400	39	319	298	350	453
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 678	20	238	150	201	222
$1,000	4 779	38	613	384	431	567
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	792	13	93	50	79	76
$1,000	2 305	67	283	79	173	193
Selected Machinery and Equipment						
Automobiles—farms	12 454	345	1 908	1 051	1 279	1 492
number	17 941	436	2 386	1 381	1 661	2 032
2 or 3—farms	3 941	69	383	264	303	418
number	8 501	150	828	562	652	893
4 and over—farms	238	3	9	8	10	18
number	1 165	13	42	40	43	83
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	13 949	329	2 035	1 222	1 445	1 686
number	24 287	424	2 418	1 488	1 838	2 288
2 or 3—farms	4 583	54	270	192	302	450
number	10 503	116	572	419	648	957
4 and over—farms	1 037	8	25	10	13	29
number	5 455	41	106	49	60	124
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 471	294	2 139	1 268	1 552	1 734
number	33 824	409	2 932	2 015	2 571	3 183
2 or 3—farms	6 585	89	645	517	731	932
number	15 274	191	1 369	1 129	1 636	2 106
4 and over—farms	2 474	4	20	40	36	84
number	13 138	17	89	175	150	359
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 391	294	2 104	1 261	1 546	1 727
number	33 039	406	2 869	1 986	2 542	3 136
Crawler tractors—farms	674	3	56	24	26	44
number	785	3	63	29	29	47
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 886	14	94	114	170	274
number	4 460	20	96	129	179	280
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2 983	7	70	76	157	214
number	3 358	7	72	83	170	233
Corn heads for combines—farms	2 032	6	27	37	79	115
number	2 192	6	27	38	87	120
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 129	1	45	43	81	113
number	1 166	1	45	45	83	113
Mower conditioners—farms	1 599	5	63	70	97	147
number	1 717	5	67	74	103	155
Pickup balers—farms	2 675	9	90	87	138	269
number	2 786	9	91	89	139	273
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 228	8	53	44	79	121
number	1 260	8	53	47	79	124
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	751	6	41	23	36	64
number	927	6	55	31	38	74
Value of Machinery and Equipment						
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	16 120	446	2 653	1 467	1 712	1 939
$1,000	365 452	5 434	27 337	17 280	21 029	27 162
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 863	143	875	405	390	361
$1,000	8 400	391	2 468	1 199	1 168	1 091
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 201	94	738	409	472	488
$1,000	22 626	628	5 205	2 935	3 344	3 472
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 858	89	646	365	490	582
$1,000	52 305	1 208	8 635	4 882	6 529	7 911
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	4 625	117	380	274	344	479
$1,000	137 928	2 952	9 710	7 362	9 018	13 025
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 103	2	8	14	16	29
$1,000	69 405	(D)	513	902	969	1 663
$100,000 and over—farms	470	1	6	–	–	–
$1,000	74 788	(D)	805	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	797	617	513	1 386	762	325	123
$1,000	8 417	6 661	5 077	16 490	9 741	4 966	3 997
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	20	21	14	32	26	5	1
$250 to $499	8	7	14	14	11	3	3
$500 to $999	23	16	10	42	26	8	5
$1,000 to $4,999	200	152	117	349	171	63	17
$5,000 to $9,999	175	146	140	308	190	75	27
$10,000 to $19,999	285	195	176	434	209	101	25
$20,000 to $29,999	63	51	28	132	74	36	10
$30,000 and over	23	29	14	75	55	34	35
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	168	129	118	317	159	78	34
$1,000	1 708	1 356	1 484	3 971	2 261	1 282	1 679
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	537	388	342	901	477	199	55
$1,000	5 736	4 063	3 037	9 535	5 085	2 106	847
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	248	227	175	592	378	153	69
$1,000	443	690	200	1 661	1 526	1 146	1 275
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	172	133	95	245	132	50	20
$1,000	438	416	280	751	541	226	94
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	51	57	44	155	101	46	27
$1,000	92	135	77	572	328	205	101
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	1 005	795	656	1 892	1 220	579	232
number	1 376	1 113	954	2 925	2 030	1 172	475
2 or 3—farms	301	258	207	721	581	317	119
number	631	546	445	1 553	1 273	709	259
4 and over—farms	12	10	16	43	32	52	25
number	53	40	76	244	150	253	128
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	1 093	910	744	2 125	1 393	681	286
number	1 623	1 444	1 243	4 122	3 604	2 371	1 424
2 or 3—farms	360	371	342	1 039	779	316	108
number	778	829	771	2 426	1 928	784	275
4 and over—farms	34	23	21	171	270	274	159
number	146	99	91	781	1 332	1 496	1 130
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 175	938	758	2 197	1 424	702	290
number	2 339	2 072	1 764	6 096	5 088	3 396	1 959
2 or 3—farms	676	532	469	1 180	584	177	53
number	1 545	1 257	1 088	2 880	1 491	459	123
4 and over—farms	88	122	110	599	682	470	219
number	383	531	497	2 798	3 439	2 882	1 818
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	1 174	931	753	2 194	1 418	701	288
number	2 310	2 026	1 731	5 947	4 942	3 266	1 878
Crawler tractors—farms	27	42	27	134	122	105	64
number	29	46	33	149	146	130	81
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	249	267	235	937	855	481	196
number	260	278	246	1 015	971	652	334
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	175	226	192	708	618	369	171
number	197	247	204	782	681	450	232
Corn heads for combines—farms	101	135	115	501	467	303	146
number	107	137	116	525	498	348	183
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	88	109	87	252	178	95	37
number	90	110	88	257	183	102	49
Mower conditioners—farms	113	123	106	387	281	137	70
number	119	125	113	415	301	154	86
Pickup balers—farms	199	175	182	646	507	262	111
number	199	184	191	663	529	292	127
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	76	65	85	289	220	126	62
number	77	66	85	291	224	133	73
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	39	34	44	188	155	78	43
number	46	34	50	215	209	112	57
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	1 255	1 009	813	2 334	1 489	708	295
$1,000	20 599	19 320	16 448	65 763	63 906	48 940	32 234
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	208	130	73	188	69	18	3
$1,000	604	357	230	598	224	59	10
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	255	179	138	287	101	33	7
$1,000	1 765	1 271	967	2 059	717	211	50
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	391	292	233	499	189	58	24
$1,000	5 318	4 036	3 232	6 832	2 572	787	362
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	363	358	319	1 026	669	201	95
$1,000	10 174	10 354	9 117	32 553	22 851	7 241	3 571
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	30	47	48	276	351	225	57
$1,000	1 784	2 728	(D)	16 723	22 041	15 192	4 084
$100,000 and over—farms	8	3	2	58	110	173	109
$1,000	953	575	(D)	6 998	15 500	25 450	24 157

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

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Agricultural Chemicals						
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 648	415	2 655	1 393	1 667	1 878
$1,000	111 751	294	3 047	2 326	3 472	5 111
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 302	393	2 587	1 350	1 612	1 841
acres on which used	2 000 735	1 542	34 278	31 529	53 136	84 166
tons	580 940	1 445	15 844	12 312	18 805	28 439
$1,000	81 099	246	2 572	1 933	2 857	4 148
Lime—farms	2 807	8	150	145	213	301
acres on which used	295 942	10	2 466	3 243	6 260	9 465
tons	283 273	15	2 749	3 094	5 466	8 673
$1,000	3 309	(Z)	34	38	69	109
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—						
Insects on hay crops—farms	127	–	4	3	4	11
acres on which used	5 618	–	14	15	58	72
$1,000	36	–	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	5 513	111	737	434	515	629
acres on which used	805 876	460	8 593	9 083	14 375	22 803
$1,000	14 987	15	230	181	292	483
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 552	31	168	92	135	200
acres on which used	147 034	132	1 472	1 044	1 940	3 730
$1,000	1 448	3	30	20	36	61
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	339	12	40	40	22	37
acres on which used	41 184	25	447	826	490	897
$1,000	838	1	25	13	16	23
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 199	26	287	243	338	424
acres on which used	888 639	113	5 084	7 073	12 345	20 427
$1,000	8 059	2	47	61	104	168
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	300	–	4	13	18	24
acres on which used	18 214	–	37	173	239	571
$1,000	61	–	(Z)	1	1	2
Weeds on other land—farms	243	4	13	13	21	21
acres on which used	4 495	4	27	71	110	156
$1,000	30	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	1	1
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	945	9	50	40	53	86
acres on which used	131 789	35	536	566	986	1 886
$1,000	814	1	6	8	8	17
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	829	15	63	35	61	63
$1,000	182	15	16	7	10	12
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 089	59	536	231	245	247
$1,000	888	12	87	64	77	85
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm						
Farms with grain storage facilities:						
None	6 465	188	1 007	581	752	861
Under 1,000 bushels	975	20	158	92	126	131
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1 179	3	40	43	64	127
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	578	–	7	7	15	18
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	390	2	4	4	1	6
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	131	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	52	1	1	–	1	3
Not reporting	7 743	361	1 906	884	925	981
Livestock						
Cattle and calves—farms	7 058	60	575	458	687	920
number	458 359	2 864	7 485	8 280	15 353	27 579
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6 281	40	431	375	591	805
number	252 937	1 224	4 077	4 202	8 701	14 858
Beef cows—farms	5 537	34	343	312	485	708
number	208 538	1 155	3 635	3 815	7 531	13 246
Milk cows—farms	1 377	9	140	111	181	182
number	44 399	69	442	387	1 170	1 612
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4 504	21	247	219	359	558
number	100 325	648	1 510	1 800	3 017	6 006
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	4 078	15	225	200	327	514
number	78 069	544	1 403	1 471	2 750	5 266
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	628	6	28	24	42	74
number	22 256	104	107	329	267	740
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5 181	44	344	281	443	665
number	105 097	992	1 898	2 278	3 635	6 715
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	43	387	326	525	813
number	181 631	1 252	3 939	5 629	7 678	11 668
$1,000	34 360	234	716	949	1 334	2 014
Calves—farms	4 333	31	257	229	365	568
number	86 161	685	1 912	2 936	3 711	6 005
$1,000	9 527	101	221	328	432	691
Cattle—farms	4 640	32	274	227	380	585
number	95 470	567	2 027	2 693	3 967	5 663
$1,000	24 833	133	496	620	901	1 323
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	830	6	62	42	103	109
number	23 179	48	319	320	986	865
$1,000	7 370	13	86	54	245	212
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 820	111	964	491	632	653
number	315 752	3 017	27 081	22 467	26 991	24 343
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 408	54	598	347	460	487
number	42 158	289	3 813	3 712	3 289	3 553
Other—farms	4 619	102	916	473	600	634
number	273 594	2 728	23 268	18 755	23 702	20 790

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	1 222	979	780	2 266	1 422	689	282
$1,000	4 092	3 994	3 869	17 734	22 627	24 124	21 061
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 196	969	773	2 222	1 401	682	276
acres on which used	74 622	79 282	75 084	358 032	438 659	428 006	342 399
tons	23 073	22 765	21 486	97 767	119 785	118 936	100 284
$1,000	3 277	3 213	3 071	13 640	16 505	16 095	13 543
Lime—farms	222	181	185	597	437	259	109
acres on which used	10 670	8 844	10 434	46 209	66 652	75 788	55 901
tons	10 670	8 571	9 940	44 573	66 051	72 656	50 815
$1,000	121	104	124	536	761	830	581
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	8	8	1	26	34	26	2
acres on which used	118	235	1	720	1 345	2 890	150
$1,000	1	2	(Z)	4	9	18	1
Insects on other crops—farms	381	337	256	898	623	404	188
acres on which used	18 293	20 948	20 930	111 057	167 206	212 686	199 442
$1,000	328	335	340	1 773	2 930	4 156	3 922
Nematodes in crops—farms	134	99	84	250	166	138	55
acres on which used	3 423	3 428	4 346	18 149	31 925	48 337	29 108
$1,000	48	42	57	205	305	389	252
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	24	16	14	49	35	31	19
acres on which used	1 196	713	1 154	6 009	7 717	9 542	12 168
$1,000	29	19	23	116	114	180	278
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	329	311	237	856	617	371	160
acres on which used	20 276	25 072	23 816	139 183	199 166	226 338	209 746
$1,000	182	192	179	1 130	1 705	2 172	2 117
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	23	30	17	72	52	35	12
acres on which used	573	1 306	508	3 306	3 328	4 183	3 990
$1,000	1	4	1	10	8	19	14
Weeds on other land—farms	20	14	11	48	44	26	8
acres on which used	231	154	194	968	709	1 277	594
$1,000	3	1	1	7	4	9	3
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	53	50	46	186	163	141	68
acres on which used	1 800	2 282	2 128	14 519	23 820	42 255	40 976
$1,000	14	14	13	73	157	188	317
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	66	81	52	165	125	75	28
$1,000	6	14	7	22	28	25	19
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	154	125	90	241	107	42	12
$1,000	82	54	51	218	102	43	15
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	592	467	352	943	487	171	64
Under 1,000 bushels	97	64	62	143	59	19	4
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	111	106	95	314	180	76	20
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	26	38	30	166	158	85	28
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	4	6	6	88	119	108	42
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	–	2	2	11	29	52	35
50,000 bushels and over	–	–	1	1	6	13	25
Not reporting	499	386	303	738	484	197	79
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	646	510	440	1 327	874	417	144
number	25 571	23 344	21 584	97 503	100 785	79 712	48 299
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	588	471	406	1 228	823	385	138
number	13 660	13 188	12 183	54 249	56 591	42 915	27 089
Beef cows—farms	521	436	377	1 108	740	346	127
number	11 749	11 381	10 833	42 437	43 281	35 046	24 429
Milk cows—farms	125	90	68	242	144	69	16
number	1 911	1 807	1 350	11 812	13 310	7 869	2 660
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	397	342	313	959	654	317	118
number	5 488	4 898	4 796	22 743	22 203	17 525	9 691
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	365	314	297	849	579	284	109
number	4 671	4 012	4 201	16 383	15 950	13 492	7 926
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	49	43	26	166	109	49	12
number	817	886	595	6 360	6 253	4 033	1 765
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	464	372	339	1 043	702	350	134
number	6 423	5 258	4 605	20 511	21 991	19 272	11 519
Cattle and calves sold—farms	567	481	407	1 287	866	420	146
number	10 562	9 885	8 556	35 046	35 940	27 721	23 755
$1,000	1 800	1 673	1 334	6 244	6 380	5 895	5 788
Calves—farms	400	320	282	903	615	277	86
number	5 851	4 956	4 824	18 069	18 614	10 323	8 275
$1,000	732	519	497	1 943	1 984	1 159	919
Cattle—farms	396	381	298	969	641	334	123
number	4 711	4 929	3 732	16 977	17 326	17 398	15 480
$1,000	1 068	1 154	837	4 301	4 396	4 735	4 869
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	78	56	63	137	94	57	23
number	634	711	624	2 409	3 827	5 146	7 290
$1,000	130	206	149	598	1 152	1 789	2 736
Hogs and pigs—farms	372	281	252	597	296	122	49
number	21 930	15 693	16 160	45 346	45 202	37 590	29 932
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	263	207	190	459	220	90	33
number	2 711	1 963	1 721	5 452	6 075	5 538	4 042
Other—farms	352	265	247	577	286	118	49
number	19 219	13 730	14 439	39 894	39 127	32 052	25 890

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Livestock — Continued						
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4 391	86	815	435	573	587
number	504 788	8 092	45 889	42 660	42 214	35 422
$1,000	33 578	546	2 702	2 773	2 767	2 222
Feeder pigs — farms	866	19	191	84	104	117
number	73 433	1 202	11 652	12 170	4 987	6 551
$1,000	1 670	32	247	324	107	138
Litters of pigs farrowed between —						
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	3 666	60	677	373	487	512
number	63 396	436	5 052	5 681	4 686	4 907
December 1 and May 31 — farms	3 246	50	578	316	428	449
number	32 783	241	2 665	2 866	2 503	2 594
June 1 and November 30 — farms	2 888	42	483	281	359	409
number	30 613	195	2 387	2 815	2 183	2 313
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	19	–	2	–	1	2
number	601	–	71	–	5	34
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	15	–	1	–	1	1
number	201	–	25	–	2	1
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	17	–	1	–	1	2
number	318	–	40	–	2	30
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	19	–	2	–	1	2
number	82	–	6	–	1	3
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	16	–	1	2	1	1
number	265	–	30	4	2	31
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	13	–	1	–	–	1
number	389	–	45	–	–	40
pounds of wool	2 473	–	279	–	–	192
Horses and ponies — farms	1 470	12	187	111	149	167
number	6 163	85	579	294	615	555
Sold — farms	170	7	22	15	16	23
number	803	91	92	24	152	73
$1,000	652	41	52	18	78	92
Horses — farms	1 309	12	179	99	132	144
number	5 429	85	539	252	521	477
Sold — farms	154	7	20	15	13	20
number	719	91	90	22	129	70
$1,000	645	41	52	18	77	92
Any goats — farms	41	–	4	2	6	2
number	456	–	16	30	29	4
Sold — farms	8	–	1	2	–	–
number	49	–	6	6	–	–
$1,000	1	–	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Poultry						
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 176	83	543	280	306	294
number	6 139 609	889 260	1 098 553	442 123	899 198	393 617
Sold — farms	479	48	103	46	57	50
number	7 176 952	751 471	1 193 043	596 978	1 047 657	436 247
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 073	78	496	273	296	286
number	5 152 407	818 158	938 668	401 242	648 659	334 898
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	2 019	73	482	262	287	283
number	4 883 621	755 821	870 013	400 144	592 469	324 564
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	213	5	55	33	39	24
number	268 786	62 337	68 655	1 098	56 190	10 334
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	159	2	41	18	27	17
number	951 425	(D)	150 699	39 190	244 244	57 149
Roosters and male chickens — farms	902	22	244	115	141	137
number	35 777	(D)	9 186	1 691	6 295	1 570
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	69	3	17	12	7	8
number	659 050	30 005	92 807	104 109	25 096	43 108
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	172	27	40	13	21	20
number	20 673 651	1 685 336	3 339 626	1 868 100	1 767 126	2 131 908
Turkeys — farms	65	1	7	8	11	12
number	701 193	(D)	67 502	25 107	63 322	103 770
Sold — farms	71	5	7	6	10	8
number	2 562 624	(D)	110 600	174 100	264 100	352 900
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	51	1	5	6	8	11
number	643 381	(D)	(D)	25 105	53 514	83 730
Sold — farms	62	4	5	6	7	7
number	2 309 774	131 000	69 600	174 100	225 500	(D)
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	5	–	–	–	1	3
number	26 257	–	–	–	(D)	20 027
Sold — farms	8	–	1	–	1	2
number	225 000	–	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	28	–	2	2	7	5
number	31 555	–	(D)	2	(D)	13
Sold — farms	7	1	1	–	2	–
number	27 850	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–
Crops Harvested						
Field corn for all purposes — farms	9 934	86	1 714	966	1 096	1 217
acres	462 392	294	16 492	13 898	19 607	25 507
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	7 765	43	1 090	674	822	970
acres	395 127	117	10 102	9 156	14 517	19 925
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	9 597	80	1 665	938	1 068	1 190
acres	421 863	276	15 826	13 332	18 701	24 734
bushels	27 120 878	17 664	922 674	789 404	1 124 541	1 522 399
Irrigated — farms	36	–	8	4	3	6
acres	1 419	–	116	34	17	68

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	339	264	233	589	292	126	52
number	32 403	23 056	22 529	64 782	72 721	63 677	51 343
$1,000	2 142	1 625	1 305	4 304	5 043	4 494	3 655
Feeder pigs—farms	65	50	59	105	44	22	6
number	3 862	2 334	6 380	7 185	7 141	9 032	937
$1,000	81	46	138	147	175	216	20
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	276	218	198	497	234	98	36
number	4 096	2 774	2 517	7 570	9 231	9 968	6 478
December 1 and May 31—farms	257	199	173	447	222	92	35
number	2 213	1 484	1 310	3 989	4 845	4 867	3 206
June 1 and November 30—farms	220	183	168	417	203	90	33
number	1 883	1 290	1 207	3 581	4 386	5 101	3 272
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	–	1	4	2	5	1	1
number	–	86	35	13	125	200	32
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	–	1	2	2	5	1	1
number	–	40	2	5	46	70	10
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	–	1	3	2	5	1	1
number	–	39	23	6	70	88	20
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	–	1	4	2	5	1	1
number	–	7	10	2	9	42	2
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	–	1	2	1	5	1	1
number	–	57	28	2	64	25	22
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	–	1	2	1	5	1	1
number	–	57	22	9	64	130	22
pounds of wool	–	501	80	55	424	806	136
Horses and ponies—farms	108	85	84	259	170	91	47
number	343	366	343	1 145	1 084	450	304
Sold—farms	11	5	5	27	27	7	5
number	60	48	11	115	100	25	12
$1,000	66	55	21	73	98	6	49
Horses—farms	98	71	70	224	148	85	47
number	316	291	289	951	1 011	407	290
Sold—farms	8	5	3	25	27	6	5
number	31	48	9	107	89	22	11
$1,000	62	55	21	73	97	6	49
Any goats—farms	1	3	4	14	4	1	–
number	6	39	25	269	36	2	–
Sold—farms	–	1	1	3	–	–	–
number	–	3	2	32	–	–	–
$1,000	–	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	153	130	79	189	79	35	5
number	247 930	576 495	166 625	525 579	475 557	377 867	46 805
Sold—farms	23	43	19	54	17	16	3
number	212 298	718 278	307 063	616 351	602 284	624 270	71 012
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	144	127	79	180	76	34	4
number	222 375	489 467	166 232	354 342	362 817	377 794	37 755
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	143	123	79	176	73	34	4
number	222 001	482 225	166 159	302 069	352 637	377 764	37 755
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	14	13	4	19	5	2	–
number	374	7 242	73	52 273	10 180	30	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	13	4	9	18	6	3	1
number	25 118	86 215	100	163 130	111 539	41	(D)
Roosters and male chickens—farms	64	37	30	75	29	7	1
number	437	813	293	8 107	1 201	32	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	5	2	5	2	1	6	1
number	23 430	(D)	80 023	(D)	50	94 915	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	12	8	8	13	6	3	1
number	1 128 600	1 727 000	1 665 500	2 148 455	1 552 000	(D)	(D)
Turkeys—farms	3	2	6	8	4	3	–
number	200 008	(D)	6 033	44 915	24 536	108 000	–
Sold—farms	6	2	6	8	9	4	–
number	280 596	(D)	180 000	178 548	275 400	554 380	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	3	2	5	5	2	3	–
number	200 004	(D)	6 014	29 511	(D)	108 000	–
Sold—farms	6	2	6	7	8	4	–
number	(D)	(D)	(D)	161 098	249 600	554 380	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	30	–	–
Sold—farms	1	–	1	1	1	–	–
number	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	2	–	5	3	2	–	–
number	4	–	19	15 404	(D)	–	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	2	1	–	–
number	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	749	610	527	1 399	896	457	217
acres	21 996	19 894	17 819	81 476	92 749	81 725	70 935
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	617	509	437	1 201	782	429	191
acres	17 703	16 758	14 825	70 370	81 859	77 940	61 855
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	721	582	506	1 332	859	445	211
acres	20 910	18 500	16 652	72 363	81 392	74 155	65 022
bushels	1 288 210	1 079 508	1 015 024	4 583 179	5 406 888	5 153 160	4 218 227
Irrigated—farms	1	–	–	7	–	1	6
acres	12	–	–	174	–	5	993

Table 30. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Crops Harvested — Continued						
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	784	2	38	35	42	68
acres	28 198	4	381	455	786	873
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	583	–	16	17	27	57
acres	21 307	–	158	160	448	673
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	493	2	24	25	26	47
acres	16 010	4	229	352	585	630
bushels	643 076	34	10 424	13 105	22 804	22 190
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	41	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	11 093	41	1 614	979	1 248	1 462
acres	1 056 929	143	25 058	24 027	36 691	57 328
bushels	21 129 937	3 035	486 917	438 941	695 843	1 049 562
Irrigated — farms	30	–	7	10	1	4
acres	561	–	65	102	15	48
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	6 376	9	603	429	626	767
acres	742 189	28	9 318	10 297	18 128	29 157
Peanuts for nuts — farms	323	4	41	30	22	43
acres	13 274	4	122	40	123	432
pounds	27 103 222	7 204	113 079	50 653	136 964	631 838
Irrigated — farms	4	–	1	–	1	–
acres	140	–	1	–	9	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	186	–	13	7	7	23
acres	11 436	–	28	13	98	255
Wheat — farms	2 194	1	137	94	156	219
acres	98 010	4	1 213	920	2 117	2 946
bushels	2 620 050	60	29 629	19 567	53 944	66 870
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	36	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 692	–	58	57	104	138
acres	85 313	–	493	477	1 398	1 980
Cotton — farms	2 261	11	237	132	145	194
acres	254 766	51	2 290	1 750	2 598	4 388
bales	264 448	51	1 992	1 384	2 198	3 707
Irrigated — farms	11	1	2	–	2	1
acres	713	1	14	–	20	4
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 080	3	143	106	128	187
acres	252 758	20	1 630	1 557	2 424	4 300
Tobacco — farms	5 867	323	1 593	630	674	694
acres	70 315	1 168	7 752	4 243	5 405	6 787
pounds	145 287 632	2 293 089	15 693 815	8 966 987	11 628 678	14 498 365
Irrigated — farms	122	1	11	12	12	12
acres	1 789	2	52	71	107	99
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	5 867	323	1 593	630	674	694
acres	69 932	1 165	7 743	4 204	5 402	6 754
Irish potatoes — farms	320	16	62	30	41	39
acres	680	13	52	46	73	36
hundredweight	80 928	2 393	7 180	7 476	15 184	1 940
Irrigated — farms	3	2	–	–	–	–
acres	106	6	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	132	–	20	13	17	17
acres	572	–	21	36	67	29
Hay — farms	4 172	4	224	203	329	524
acres	123 978	8	1 544	1 959	4 398	6 932
tons	263 166	12	2 585	3 032	9 073	13 305
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 926	–	42	58	124	209
acres	65 171	–	474	496	1 723	2 780
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	156	–	10	10	8	4
acres	4 350	–	52	89	75	45
tons, dry	10 074	–	78	127	79	70
Irrigated — farms	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	275	1	20	10	19	30
acres	7 136	3	141	55	208	383
tons, dry	11 689	6	184	54	321	707
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	193	–	2	6	11	18
acres	9 621	–	12	92	247	205
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	98	–	–	1	3	15
acres	5 732	–	–	25	34	165
Vegetables — farms	1 262	18	236	135	130	159
acres	26 397	56	1 450	934	1 326	1 659
Irrigated — farms	53	–	15	4	7	9
acres	1 318	–	113	37	207	125
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	786	9	144	82	78	101
acres	20 416	45	921	627	817	1 053
Berries — farms	18	–	4	2	3	5
acres	64	–	5	42	5	7
Irrigated — farms	4	–	1	2	1	–
acres	23	–	(Z)	20	3	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	5	–	1	1	–	1
acres	38	–	2	30	–	3
Land in orchards — farms	693	6	92	67	70	71
acres	36 858	20	1 190	1 246	1 141	1 489
Irrigated — farms	20	2	2	2	2	1
acres	2 154	4	15	16	20	35
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	380	3	50	29	28	35
acres	28 644	14	647	670	612	937

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres and over
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	66	72	54	164	148	72	23
acres	1 205	1 812	1 589	5 147	9 390	5 161	1 395
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	55	51	40	135	108	57	20
acres	954	1 077	1 267	4 321	7 123	3 896	1 230
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	44	50	31	94	94	45	11
acres	826	909	876	2 582	5 152	3 141	724
bushels	26 070	41 987	40 688	107 589	190 211	141 902	26 072
Irrigated — farms	–	–	1	–	–	1	–
acres	–	–	30	–	–	11	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	919	742	580	1 637	1 092	558	221
acres	44 591	47 892	45 548	188 618	231 641	207 610	147 782
bushels	839 915	884 640	846 133	3 695 404	4 652 467	4 378 724	3 158 356
Irrigated — farms	4	–	1	2	1	–	–
acres	53	–	125	151	2	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	552	465	369	1 196	775	420	165
acres	27 712	31 198	29 303	140 652	170 910	161 179	114 307
Peanuts for nuts — farms	18	13	17	39	28	38	30
acres	280	281	205	854	1 575	3 518	5 840
pounds	489 098	513 300	342 034	1 579 559	3 153 473	7 613 315	12 472 705
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	130
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	14	7	11	20	26	32	26
acres	154	138	172	599	1 449	2 900	5 630
Wheat — farms	157	135	158	424	360	248	105
acres	2 417	2 877	3 995	16 461	22 934	23 265	18 861
bushels	61 334	66 371	101 544	441 968	618 624	656 372	503 767
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	1	–	1
acres	–	–	–	–	35	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	116	98	125	349	325	226	96
acres	1 899	2 240	3 370	14 042	20 854	21 381	17 179
Cotton — farms	126	125	103	400	381	280	127
acres	4 108	3 865	4 245	30 239	53 974	74 373	72 885
bales	3 364	3 424	4 059	27 521	55 436	79 666	81 646
Irrigated — farms	2	–	1	–	1	–	1
acres	18	–	125	–	6	–	525
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	119	115	97	399	377	279	127
acres	3 966	3 778	4 164	30 058	53 880	74 123	72 858
Tobacco — farms	358	286	189	576	351	141	52
acres	4 641	4 141	3 278	11 771	9 816	7 166	4 147
pounds	9 660 553	8 605 817	6 841 100	24 561 644	20 316 434	14 310 812	7 910 338
Irrigated — farms	10	12	2	30	12	6	2
acres	152	250	44	400	310	198	104
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	358	286	189	576	351	141	52
acres	4 621	4 141	3 274	11 702	9 638	7 142	4 147
Irish potatoes — farms	35	18	20	35	17	4	3
acres	19	4	14	57	88	76	202
hundredweight	1 597	285	1 500	7 178	6 042	10 053	20 100
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	100
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	20	4	11	17	7	3	3
acres	6	1	6	48	81	76	202
Hay — farms	352	319	297	881	631	295	113
acres	6 612	6 429	7 063	27 186	28 021	21 622	12 204
tons	11 821	12 183	14 208	56 045	60 423	50 434	30 045
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	132	140	131	485	365	174	66
acres	2 333	2 874	3 382	15 073	15 488	13 111	7 437
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	12	18	9	32	35	17	1
acres	168	371	167	1 271	1 535	547	30
tons, dry	446	989	426	2 740	3 705	1 393	21
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	40	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	35	21	18	58	47	8	8
acres	666	434	297	1 731	1 934	459	825
tons, dry	875	511	444	3 150	3 799	537	1 101
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	9	19	9	45	41	23	10
acres	168	396	345	1 664	1 951	1 271	3 270
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	4	8	6	25	25	6	5
acres	96	173	263	631	1 219	211	2 915
Vegetables — farms	77	83	62	163	101	69	29
acres	718	1 502	1 377	4 044	4 455	4 738	4 139
Irrigated — farms	5	3	–	4	4	1	1
acres	127	27	–	30	301	(D)	(D)
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	55	55	35	104	55	45	23
acres	619	1 044	900	3 276	3 382	4 105	3 626
Berries — farms	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	44	49	23	102	76	54	39
acres	1 231	1 588	790	4 368	5 378	8 875	9 542
Irrigated — farms	–	1	–	3	2	1	4
acres	–	15	–	124	15	60	1 850
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	22	33	13	54	54	35	24
acres	544	1 226	604	3 499	4 735	6 588	8 567

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms									
Farms — number	17 513	107	509	886	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	4 013
percent	100.0	0.6	2.9	5.1	12.9	14.8	18.6	22.2	22.9
Land in farms — acres	5 164 205	239 499	681 121	727 430	1 003 763	747 773	662 562	586 668	515 389
Average size of farm — acres	295	2 238	1 338	821	443	289	203	151	128
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	2 344 458	118 140	313 825	327 285	456 585	324 922	306 276	257 685	239 740
Average per farm — dollars	133 870	1 104 113	616 552	369 396	201 672	125 452	93 892	66 379	59 741
Average per acre — dollars	454	493	461	450	455	435	462	439	465
Farms by value of farm:									
$1 to $9,999	1 033	–	–	–	16	74	155	340	448
$10,000 to $19,999	1 778	–	–	2	69	99	330	584	694
$20,000 to $39,999	3 288	–	23	47	119	303	703	1 030	1 063
$40,000 to $69,999	3 485	4	17	50	263	588	846	863	854
$70,000 to $99,999	1 973	7	18	49	254	476	415	394	360
$100,000 to $149,999	2 013	7	31	83	436	452	394	332	278
$150,000 to $199,999	1 035	1	23	88	348	209	134	111	121
$200,000 to $499,999	2 067	16	159	380	636	309	222	183	162
$500,000 and over	841	72	238	187	123	80	63	45	33
Owned and rented land by farm operator:									
Land owned — farms	15 439	102	477	795	1 968	2 187	2 783	3 420	3 707
acres	3 724 472	130 825	406 720	452 921	652 312	554 022	536 801	513 010	477 861
Land rented or leased from others — farms	8 665	74	376	649	1 585	1 663	1 598	1 513	1 207
acres	1 593 294	114 772	283 868	282 787	369 072	219 024	155 137	101 550	67 084
Land rented or leased to others — farms	2 083	19	43	66	180	291	408	525	551
acres	153 561	6 098	9 467	8 278	17 621	25 273	29 376	27 892	29 556
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland — farms	17 016	92	481	845	2 193	2 558	3 200	3 802	3 845
acres	2 791 406	173 973	430 986	443 392	577 568	385 810	298 528	268 480	212 669
Harvested cropland — farms	16 356	85	455	823	2 158	2 519	3 128	3 640	3 548
acres	2 146 630	156 954	394 368	385 620	480 052	289 903	201 110	144 326	94 297
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres	8 327	2	32	63	252	740	1 554	2 544	3 140
50 to 99 acres	3 237	2	11	35	369	649	889	905	377
100 to 199 acres	2 112	1	19	86	538	678	581	183	26
200 to 499 acres	1 780	7	77	300	838	442	103	8	5
500 to 999 acres	598	15	138	276	158	10	1	–	–
1,000 acres and over	302	58	178	63	3	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	247	26	157	61	3	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	55	32	21	2	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only — farms	6 525	34	179	332	809	860	1 153	1 443	1 715
acres	453 791	4 765	26 098	39 491	64 234	64 853	67 044	93 472	93 834
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	1 251	9	19	57	140	169	212	316	329
acres	45 039	1 700	1 869	3 076	6 091	6 602	7 777	9 623	8 301
On which all crops failed — farms	660	8	15	33	81	113	118	150	142
acres	20 509	3 401	1 237	1 566	3 090	3 754	2 561	2 665	2 235
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	476	3	10	30	65	49	104	119	96
acres	20 158	196	1 529	1 559	4 966	2 545	3 644	2 967	2 752
Idle — farms	2 716	22	68	167	410	510	567	540	432
acres	105 279	6 957	5 885	12 080	19 135	18 153	16 392	15 427	11 250
Total woodland — farms	11 002	66	337	587	1 514	1 655	2 045	2 358	2 440
acres	1 779 080	51 828	195 282	211 083	317 916	268 859	272 587	240 456	221 069
Woodland pastured — farms	4 808	16	106	232	567	667	919	1 080	1 221
acres	537 290	6 884	39 637	49 980	84 982	92 952	94 270	82 571	86 014
Woodland not pastured — farms	8 342	57	276	467	1 193	1 302	1 565	1 732	1 750
acres	1 241 790	44 944	155 645	161 103	232 934	175 907	178 317	157 885	135 055
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	2 790	23	121	208	381	399	442	559	657
acres	309 531	5 422	29 776	48 825	64 821	44 876	41 342	34 117	40 352
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 972	5	73	142	254	277	317	400	504
acres	164 597	1 015	13 502	21 448	32 365	24 786	20 505	23 537	27 439
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 065	18	55	87	154	157	174	216	204
acres	144 934	4 407	16 274	27 377	32 456	20 090	20 837	10 580	12 913
Other land (see text) — farms	10 843	90	384	602	1 451	1 601	2 016	2 273	2 426
acres	284 188	8 276	25 077	24 130	43 458	48 228	50 105	43 615	41 299
Total pastureland — farms	9 433	53	297	528	1 215	1 323	1 675	2 035	2 307
acres	1 300 612	17 071	95 511	138 296	214 037	202 681	202 656	210 160	220 200
Irrigated land — farms	323	10	22	29	74	56	58	44	30
acres	9 429	2 780	1 926	970	1 704	887	524	497	141
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	317	10	22	29	74	55	58	40	29
acres	9 043	2 780	1 926	770	1 704	877	494	353	139
Artificial drainage — farms	2 466	35	173	204	554	510	451	340	199
acres drained	444 741	49 136	138 121	68 777	82 990	52 484	28 212	16 233	8 788
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	3 597	44	218	346	667	599	575	603	545
number	9 234	171	754	1 011	1 696	1 534	1 391	1 511	1 166
acres	16 328	579	2 469	1 919	3 035	2 467	2 065	2 237	1 556
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator									
All farm operators	17 513	107	509	886	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	4 013
Full owners	8 921	33	135	240	687	933	1 685	2 377	2 831
Part owners	6 474	69	340	553	1 277	1 244	1 093	1 037	861
Tenants	2 118	5	34	93	300	413	484	468	321

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued									
All farm operators — Continued									
White[1]	15 063	73	447	829	2 147	2 410	2 825	3 167	3 165
Full owners	7 695	17	111	218	651	876	1 500	2 001	2 321
Part owners	5 622	53	315	528	1 211	1 162	946	792	615
Tenants	1 746	3	21	83	285	372	379	374	229
Black and other races[1]	2 160	2	7	18	80	145	401	682	825
Full owners	1 077	1	2	3	17	37	166	357	494
Part owners	758	1	4	11	54	71	142	234	241
Tenants	325	–	1	4	9	37	93	91	90
Farms by Type of Organization									
Individual or family — farms	15 867	50	362	708	1 943	2 324	2 984	3 636	3 860
acres	4 216 261	121 061	456 399	547 153	823 875	634 684	606 123	542 766	484 200
Partnership — farms	1 356	25	92	139	284	231	242	213	130
acres	636 051	67 543	127 669	129 098	141 022	64 808	47 786	33 671	24 454
Corporation, including family owned — farms	247	30	52	39	31	30	27	19	19
acres	271 409	(D)	(D)	51 179	32 158	31 663	3 449	4 616	6 507
Other — farms	43	2	3	–	6	5	9	14	4
acres	40 484	(D)	(D)	–	6 708	16 618	5 204	5 615	228
Farm Credit									
Total operator farm debt — farms	5 149	67	270	410	917	867	875	985	758
$1,000	201 073	22 563	41 517	37 997	37 756	20 971	15 282	14 927	10 059
Debts secured by real estate — farms	3 806	54	228	319	633	624	623	747	578
$1,000	143 249	13 756	28 931	26 839	25 405	15 512	11 734	12 093	8 978
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	2 703	43	159	233	558	463	463	466	318
$1,000	57 823	8 806	12 586	11 158	12 351	5 459	3 548	2 834	1 081
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]									
Farm operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	293	1	3	12	53	70	61	54	39
25 to 34 years	1 557	2	30	76	221	297	308	328	295
35 to 44 years	2 752	13	97	177	457	455	488	537	528
45 to 54 years	4 459	34	157	270	673	653	846	922	904
55 to 64 years	4 827	20	116	222	589	756	911	1 059	1 154
65 years and over	3 335	5	51	90	234	324	612	949	1 070
Average age	52.7	51.8	51.1	50.3	49.9	50.3	52.7	54.2	55.2
Farm operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	10 340	42	310	544	1 429	1 549	1 850	2 201	2 415
On another farm	807	1	3	9	47	130	188	241	188
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	4	14	33	74	116	155	182	194
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	13	55	83	184	183	235	326	339
Farm operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	11 905	69	423	780	1 959	2 062	2 346	2 204	2 062
Other	5 318	6	31	67	268	493	880	1 645	1 928
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —									
Greater than value of farm products sold	4 198	–	–	–	20	79	466	1 479	2 154
Less than value of farm products sold	6 534	39	239	458	1 196	1 380	1 478	1 109	635
Not reporting or none	6 491	36	215	389	1 011	1 096	1 282	1 261	1 201
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	6 483	10	55	149	503	746	1 173	1 815	2 032
1 to 49 days	673	3	15	26	88	91	141	153	156
50 to 99 days	462	2	6	18	47	70	81	117	121
100 to 149 days	492	–	4	15	49	84	104	126	110
150 to 199 days	645	3	4	13	42	104	108	184	187
200 days and over	4 211	2	26	77	277	397	739	1 235	1 458
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:									
Farms reporting	2 709	3	65	129	396	460	524	577	555
Number of persons	3 148	4	80	155	460	522	596	683	648
By number of days worked:									
1 to 49 days	311	1	18	16	54	61	56	58	47
50 to 99 days	255	1	6	16	49	40	41	57	45
100 to 149 days	261	–	5	21	39	45	57	45	49
150 to 199 days	483	–	9	23	80	90	93	107	81
200 days and over	1 838	2	42	79	238	286	349	416	426
Farms by Size									
1 to 9 acres	575	6	8	16	35	23	114	161	212
10 to 49 acres	3 123	3	21	31	101	226	536	954	1 251
50 to 69 acres	1 611	2	14	22	65	156	367	473	512
70 to 99 acres	1 884	4	15	23	106	271	426	559	480
100 to 139 acres	2 127	1	11	19	195	341	477	589	494
140 to 179 acres	1 329	2	5	20	158	272	291	277	304
180 to 219 acres	1 069	3	10	19	174	227	233	216	187
220 to 259 acres	851	2	7	30	119	213	202	133	145
260 to 499 acres	2 404	3	44	170	651	534	380	325	297
500 to 999 acres	1 522	9	88	290	495	232	174	141	93
1,000 to 1,999 acres	721	20	183	195	129	75	41	46	32
2,000 acres and over	297	52	103	51	36	20	21	8	6
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)									
Cash grain farms (011)	5 835	10	90	182	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
Cotton farms (0131)	561	13	52	71	101	77	90	80	77
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 880	7	61	194	866	1 098	1 165	947	542

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

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.									
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	523	6	40	49	78	43	80	116	111
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	246	8	14	6	25	20	54	51	68
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	325	9	22	23	44	58	59	60	50
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	1	8	7	16	17	38	31	32
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	571	7	31	52	80	86	111	100	104
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 968	6	20	40	121	264	453	821	1 243
Dairy farms (024)	415	7	58	124	133	64	19	7	3
Poultry and egg farms (025)	542	33	104	129	162	53	32	22	7
Animal specialty farms (027)	68	–	–	–	2	8	13	8	37
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	34	–	1	2	4	4	8	7	8
Farms not classified by SIC	395	–	8	7	31	54	104	92	99
Value of Products Sold									
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	17 513	107	509	886	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	4 013
$1,000	661 349	86 729	149 652	124 077	139 952	73 266	46 393	27 492	13 789
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
$500,000 and over	107	107	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	509	–	509	–	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	886	–	–	886	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	2 264	–	–	–	2 264	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	2 590	–	–	–	–	2 590	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	3 262	–	–	–	–	–	3 262	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	3 882	–	–	–	–	–	–	3 882	–
$2,500 to $4,999	3 665	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3 665
Under $2,500 (see text)	348	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	348
Grain sold—farms	13 015	74	396	715	1 920	2 199	2 485	2 795	2 431
$1,000	192 331	13 057	37 630	35 902	46 132	25 826	16 789	11 261	5 733
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1 133	60	289	371	413	–	–	–	–
$1,000	100 725	12 851	35 641	29 327	22 907	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	5 859	23	139	285	1 072	1 285	1 326	1 097	632
$1,000	139 951	6 431	18 572	22 274	44 267	26 283	14 388	5 975	1 761
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	947	20	123	249	555	–	–	–	–
$1,000	75 761	6 329	18 217	21 536	29 679	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	2 243	43	205	306	488	327	346	310	218
$1,000	61 314	11 180	20 283	14 380	9 434	3 060	1 767	854	356
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	396	39	147	154	56	–	–	–	–
$1,000	44 526	11 108	18 941	11 446	3 031	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 457	13	58	92	176	183	256	339	340
$1,000	5 838	(D)	1 122	(D)	1 049	656	748	599	372
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	19	2	6	4	7	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 543	(D)	705	(D)	332	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	631	10	43	47	98	77	106	129	121
$1,000	6 627	1 070	2 317	1 296	889	344	308	278	124
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	39	9	20	9	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	3 657	1 067	1 964	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	1 182	17	48	69	147	162	250	254	235
$1,000	15 004	4 939	3 639	1 600	2 000	937	1 029	539	321
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	64	11	21	14	18	–	–	–	–
$1,000	10 341	4 845	3 427	1 192	877	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	516	14	31	49	80	85	89	95	73
$1,000	26 110	10 191	7 078	3 351	2 659	1 400	818	450	162
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	105	12	25	29	39	–	–	–	–
$1,000	22 653	10 159	7 040	3 204	2 250	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	916	34	112	136	203	111	104	126	90
$1,000	88 151	28 048	29 722	17 659	10 476	1 511	500	191	45
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	427	34	110	130	153	–	–	–	–
$1,000	85 332	28 048	29 721	17 613	9 949	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	484	8	68	133	149	74	29	10	13
$1,000	41 620	3 154	13 664	14 725	8 145	1 638	242	41	12
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	326	8	66	127	125	–	–	–	–
$1,000	39 011	3 154	13 591	14 623	7 644	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	35	237	390	808	848	1 005	1 357	1 588
$1,000	34 360	2 770	4 896	4 544	5 558	4 697	4 303	4 256	3 337
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	94	7	23	28	36	–	–	–	–
$1,000	10 018	2 537	3 223	2 173	2 084	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	4 391	20	109	171	568	765	926	988	844
$1,000	33 578	4 683	6 339	4 998	6 272	4 623	3 461	2 141	1 061
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	136	14	40	43	39	–	–	–	–
$1,000	16 319	4 563	5 808	3 734	2 215	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	16	–	1	1	–	3	4	6	1
$1,000	9	–	(Z)	1	–	2	2	4	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	242	2	9	9	27	20	42	55	78
$1,000	779	1	13	61	128	201	201	63	111
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	131	–	–	48	83	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	186	2	8	8	19	21	48	44	36
$1,000	5 993	(D)	2 168	(D)	865	467	528	212	100
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	31	1	8	7	15	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4 626	(D)	2 168	(D)	818	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	1 560	11	66	84	205	265	315	322	292
$1,000	9 685	127	2 206	1 420	2 079	1 621	1 309	628	294
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	34	1	9	9	15	–	–	–	–
$1,000	3 497	(D)	1 771	(D)	806	–	–	–	–

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses									
Total production expenses ____farms__	17 513	107	509	886	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	4 013
$1,000__	492 240	75 720	115 922	92 269	96 425	47 793	30 532	19 617	13 961
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	4 519	52	225	342	708	638	748	933	873
$1,000__	28 671	6 774	7 019	4 904	4 149	1 879	1 392	1 385	1 170
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	8 294	54	292	468	1 082	1 209	1 429	1 840	1 920
$1,000__	93 455	21 785	27 426	19 230	13 798	4 414	2 783	2 173	1 846
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	7 182	50	265	431	941	1 022	1 229	1 599	1 645
tons__	552 585	117 256	169 226	122 849	82 837	24 672	15 411	10 944	9 391
$1,000__	79 406	17 718	24 468	17 244	11 844	3 314	2 016	1 509	1 292
Feed ingredients_____farms__	2 418	11	110	155	346	361	417	478	540
tons__	33 563	9 167	8 653	4 280	4 567	2 659	1 616	1 383	1 238
$1,000__	5 019	1 270	1 286	677	718	384	273	219	192
Whole grains _____farms__	2 529	16	103	149	325	365	408	571	592
tons__	75 050	25 066	13 932	11 440	10 278	5 734	3 502	3 098	2 001
$1,000__	8 240	2 790	1 556	1 190	1 084	652	404	342	223
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	905	3	27	35	87	109	152	208	284
tons__	31 541	144	11 108	5 653	3 641	1 407	3 048	2 681	3 860
$1,000__	791	7	116	119	153	63	89	104	139
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	4 352	56	272	436	792	593	691	702	810
$1,000__	1 959	316	422	390	391	131	112	101	95
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	11 911	80	424	751	1 914	2 032	2 269	2 370	2 071
$1,000__	13 060	1 208	2 803	2 420	2 884	1 561	1 073	685	427
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	15 302	84	445	806	2 109	2 452	2 963	3 306	3 137
$1,000__	81 099	7 444	15 715	14 961	18 079	10 397	6 790	4 602	3 111
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	14 451	84	444	802	2 083	2 426	2 865	3 066	2 681
acres fertilized__	2 000 735	153 948	389 228	371 850	444 741	255 909	176 679	123 961	84 419
dry tons__	482 328	43 930	92 959	88 887	106 367	62 388	41 780	27 906	18 112
liquid or gas tons__	98 612	8 240	21 775	19 113	21 572	11 570	7 677	4 874	3 793
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 682	88	438	699	1 647	1 688	1 927	1 823	1 372
$1,000__	30 653	4 173	8 643	6 531	5 958	2 736	1 521	760	330
Lime _____farms__	2 807	33	196	295	539	521	486	432	305
tons__	283 273	19 289	68 955	55 942	59 943	32 183	22 313	15 472	9 176
$1,000__	3 309	203	820	641	693	393	275	178	105
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	17 061	107	509	886	2 264	2 554	3 154	3 769	3 818
$1,000__	31 814	1 950	4 970	5 448	8 188	4 699	3 129	2 035	1 394
Gasoline _____farms__	15 437	106	507	875	2 106	2 179	2 695	3 471	3 498
$1,000__	13 191	801	1 816	1 964	2 997	1 693	1 661	1 342	917
Diesel oil_____farms__	10 026	88	433	773	1 779	1 995	1 807	1 624	1 527
$1,000__	9 434	710	2 010	1 848	2 350	1 326	664	312	214
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	2 518	51	186	368	497	795	387	132	102
$1,000__	2 757	222	494	708	643	444	191	37	20
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	17 060	106	509	886	2 264	2 554	3 154	3 769	3 818
$1,000__	6 432	217	650	928	2 198	1 237	614	345	243
Hired farm labor _____farms__	8 400	105	470	697	1 524	1 490	1 515	1 391	1 208
$1,000__	51 773	8 694	13 692	9 714	10 224	4 823	2 643	1 250	732
Workers by number of days worked:									
150 days or more _____farms__	2 770	104	436	582	862	409	219	97	61
workers__	8 812	1 390	2 532	1 849	1 801	693	348	118	81
25 to 149 days _____farms__	2 808	59	242	363	743	542	387	301	171
workers__	18 055	1 894	3 005	2 648	5 049	2 846	1 475	832	306
Less than 25 days_____farms__	5 536	29	165	292	759	973	1 136	1 140	1 042
workers__	63 317	887	3 346	4 472	13 546	14 434	12 555	8 502	5 575
Contract labor _____farms__	862	27	68	56	137	127	121	145	181
$1,000__	4 935	1 766	1 441	538	517	293	148	122	111
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	8 404	42	226	352	1 142	1 319	1 598	1 855	1 870
$1,000__	10 121	692	1 568	1 301	2 026	1 452	1 294	1 056	734
All other production expenses ___farms__	17 402	107	509	886	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	3 902
$1,000__	144 700	20 918	32 223	26 833	30 212	15 408	9 647	5 447	4 012
Farm-Related Income and Expenses									
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 539	32	146	253	611	611	771	1 017	1 098
$1,000__	12 338	409	1 515	1 367	2 166	1 832	2 050	1 655	1 345
$10,000 and over _____farms__	227	11	30	37	43	37	47	16	6
$1,000__	5 641	340	1 256	887	1 001	891	888	272	105
Farm-related income from—									
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 465	15	72	141	266	212	230	246	283
$1,000__	5 582	230	559	824	1 160	948	888	546	428
Recreational services _____farms__	193	2	6	13	17	21	40	38	56
$1,000__	263	5	42	4	27	65	19	28	74
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 025	17	60	121	304	283	330	441	469
$1,000__	1 704	42	104	222	367	229	279	244	218
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	1 603	11	53	42	128	181	304	437	447
$1,000__	3 833	119	400	162	448	508	816	812	569
Other farm-related income ____farms__	314	5	19	36	70	60	48	34	42
$1,000__	955	14	410	155	164	82	49	24	56
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 447	7	44	76	190	197	242	318	373
$1,000__	4 150	67	729	356	747	661	694	417	479

Table 31. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]									
Family off-farm income—farms	9 461	28	176	366	1 005	1 289	1 736	2 343	2 518
$1,000	101 763	659	2 738	3 571	10 316	12 952	17 305	25 360	28 863
Farms by family off-farm income:									
$1 to $249	218	–	6	11	40	39	33	34	55
$250 to $499	130	–	3	9	27	23	38	18	12
$500 to $999	269	–	11	14	42	36	58	53	55
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349	6	40	103	298	370	453	560	519
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422	3	38	110	261	331	470	589	620
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016	5	45	78	246	351	527	821	943
$20,000 to $29,999	706	6	13	24	52	87	96	201	227
$30,000 and over	351	8	20	17	39	52	61	67	87
Family off-farm income from—									
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 912	10	38	78	218	272	369	445	482
$1,000	21 760	318	934	892	3 310	3 069	3 680	4 541	5 015
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	6 527	8	96	221	633	863	1 162	1 715	1 829
$1,000	64 519	90	1 014	1 987	5 073	8 191	11 092	17 453	19 618
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	2 942	16	88	152	385	448	552	638	663
$1,000	8 400	229	642	461	1 363	922	1 209	1 527	2 047
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 678	1	22	48	109	188	328	467	515
$1,000	4 779	4	105	145	301	564	895	1 296	1 469
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	792	3	24	32	76	80	149	223	205
$1,000	2 305	18	42	86	268	205	428	544	714
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles—farms	12 454	85	428	775	1 967	1 990	2 306	2 488	2 415
number	17 941	197	895	1 417	3 231	2 736	3 008	3 288	3 169
2 or 3—farms	3 941	47	224	432	976	560	550	582	570
number	8 501	100	503	935	2 072	1 230	1 187	1 240	1 234
4 and over—farms	238	13	44	28	47	20	20	40	26
number	1 165	72	232	167	215	96	85	182	116
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	13 949	102	496	860	2 162	2 228	2 551	2 878	2 672
number	24 287	715	2 063	2 627	4 801	3 754	3 582	3 581	3 164
2 or 3—farms	4 583	25	190	469	1 233	1 049	720	523	374
number	10 503	64	484	1 182	3 008	2 309	1 539	1 118	799
4 and over—farms	1 037	72	267	263	243	75	63	34	20
number	5 455	646	1 540	1 317	1 107	341	275	142	87
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 471	103	491	862	2 155	2 275	2 651	3 027	2 907
number	33 824	955	2 801	3 586	6 925	5 525	4 765	4 944	4 323
2 or 3—farms	6 585	23	79	235	1 102	1 519	1 272	1 318	1 037
number	15 274	55	188	587	2 744	3 698	2 842	2 893	2 267
4 and over—farms	2 474	74	370	560	873	296	151	94	56
number	13 138	894	2 571	2 932	4 001	1 367	695	436	242
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 391	103	491	858	2 150	2 267	2 630	3 011	2 881
number	33 039	934	2 729	3 494	6 786	5 417	4 651	4 819	4 209
Crawler tractors—farms	674	18	58	80	119	91	91	111	106
number	785	21	72	92	139	108	114	125	114
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 886	62	340	559	1 006	774	513	398	234
number	4 460	134	495	694	1 099	818	553	422	245
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2 983	44	269	432	812	571	390	297	168
number	3 358	79	337	489	888	629	436	326	174
Corn heads for combines—farms	2 032	41	243	348	615	379	207	140	59
number	2 192	63	289	373	646	393	216	153	59
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 129	7	42	111	236	233	214	172	114
number	1 166	16	48	116	242	236	220	173	115
Mower conditioners—farms	1 599	14	88	163	257	256	230	290	301
number	1 717	19	96	174	280	270	255	311	312
Pickup balers—farms	2 675	23	154	233	440	441	413	478	493
number	2 786	28	168	247	456	458	437	490	502
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 228	9	64	109	201	224	209	186	226
number	1 260	10	70	113	206	229	214	189	229
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	751	9	77	137	174	107	102	89	56
number	927	18	125	177	195	115	125	111	61
Value of Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	16 120	107	509	886	2 264	2 437	2 988	3 504	3 425
$1,000	365 452	17 601	44 312	50 395	80 161	53 122	45 761	41 641	32 458
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 863	1	5	15	58	182	517	935	1 150
$1,000	8 400	2	14	44	181	555	1 574	2 772	3 258
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 201	2	22	37	158	340	733	947	962
$1,000	22 626	15	159	252	1 164	2 425	5 158	6 664	6 789
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 858	5	46	77	373	720	792	819	1 026
$1,000	52 305	62	646	1 078	5 300	9 807	10 542	10 815	14 055
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	4 625	24	97	334	1 219	1 039	881	759	272
$1,000	137 928	845	3 442	12 017	40 543	30 536	24 379	18 847	7 318
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 103	22	152	288	383	144	61	41	12
$1,000	69 405	1 481	10 905	18 616	23 426	8 519	3 537	2 243	678
$100,000 and over—farms	470	53	187	135	73	12	4	3	3
$1,000	74 788	15 195	29 147	18 388	9 547	1 280	571	300	360

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals									
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 648	92	475	835	2 141	2 478	3 027	3 381	3 219
$1,000	111 751	11 618	24 358	21 492	24 037	13 133	8 311	5 362	3 441
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 302	84	445	806	2 109	2 452	2 963	3 306	3 137
acres on which used	2 000 735	153 948	389 228	371 850	444 741	255 909	176 679	123 961	84 419
tons	580 940	52 170	114 733	108 000	127 939	73 958	49 457	32 779	21 904
$1,000	81 099	7 444	15 715	14 961	18 079	10 397	6 790	4 602	3 111
Lime—farms	2 807	33	196	295	539	521	486	432	305
acres on which used	295 942	24 274	73 302	56 720	60 870	34 544	21 760	15 457	9 015
tons	283 273	19 289	68 955	55 942	59 943	32 183	22 313	15 472	9 176
$1,000	3 309	203	820	641	693	393	275	178	105
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—									
Insects on hay crops—farms	127	1	9	16	18	25	32	11	15
acres on which used	5 618	50	2 261	769	689	918	544	261	126
$1,000	36	1	14	4	4	7	3	2	1
Insects on other crops—farms	5 513	66	330	507	1 174	1 150	1 153	809	324
acres on which used	805 876	96 803	228 154	181 044	160 111	77 232	40 442	17 498	4 592
$1,000	14 987	2 200	4 659	3 272	2 720	1 232	599	239	67
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 552	26	105	159	430	362	280	155	35
acres on which used	147 034	16 257	41 732	32 879	37 001	11 059	5 336	2 485	285
$1,000	1 448	141	356	320	394	140	60	30	6
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	339	13	42	42	43	40	78	52	29
acres on which used	41 184	8 048	15 867	7 289	4 474	2 045	1 925	1 192	344
$1,000	838	235	296	122	73	41	40	22	8
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 199	64	277	441	934	827	821	537	298
acres on which used	888 639	110 848	221 645	192 110	203 389	86 401	46 869	20 075	7 302
$1,000	8 059	1 145	2 213	1 850	1 671	642	347	136	54
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	300	2	25	33	51	50	46	45	48
acres on which used	18 214	187	4 219	3 398	3 077	2 367	1 922	1 623	1 421
$1,000	61	1	17	16	7	7	6	4	3
Weeds on other land—farms	243	3	22	33	50	37	37	30	31
acres on which used	4 495	41	1 063	1 092	958	539	452	183	167
$1,000	30	1	7	8	6	3	3	1	1
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	945	23	109	142	241	196	142	58	34
acres on which used	131 789	21 946	43 148	31 005	21 820	8 056	4 365	965	484
$1,000	814	225	188	172	150	47	26	4	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	829	16	83	106	155	126	126	106	111
$1,000	182	20	53	36	33	15	12	8	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 089	8	35	52	173	257	386	601	577
$1,000	888	3	19	90	207	210	150	134	75
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm									
Farms with grain storage facilities:									
None	6 465	36	134	270	865	1 063	1 307	1 449	1 341
Under 1,000 bushels	975	1	12	27	106	158	223	277	171
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1 179	5	48	85	279	272	263	141	86
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	578	10	52	102	205	127	61	14	7
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	390	10	93	123	115	27	12	3	7
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	131	7	59	38	19	6	2	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	52	15	21	10	4	2	–	–	–
Not reporting	7 743	23	90	231	671	935	1 394	1 998	2 401
Livestock									
Cattle and calves—farms	7 058	35	232	399	889	968	1 150	1 557	1 828
number	458 359	9 549	50 017	60 299	76 357	63 166	58 588	68 153	72 230
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6 281	31	218	376	800	874	1 015	1 357	1 610
number	252 937	5 067	26 929	34 792	42 520	33 590	32 929	37 759	39 351
Beef cows—farms	5 537	23	158	263	669	776	932	1 230	1 486
number	208 538	2 384	13 893	19 809	33 619	31 138	32 132	36 933	38 630
Milk cows—farms	1 377	8	73	149	214	195	184	280	274
number	44 399	2 683	13 036	14 983	8 901	2 452	797	826	721
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4 504	27	179	313	624	666	745	905	1 045
number	100 325	2 203	12 074	15 302	16 636	14 102	12 321	13 705	13 982
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	4 078	21	126	204	524	606	717	870	1 010
number	78 069	753	5 128	7 895	12 973	12 779	11 741	13 323	13 477
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	628	6	62	131	141	89	51	73	75
number	22 256	1 450	6 946	7 407	3 663	1 323	580	382	505
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5 181	30	185	292	687	748	840	1 086	1 313
number	105 097	2 279	11 014	10 205	17 201	15 474	13 338	16 689	18 897
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	35	237	390	808	848	1 005	1 357	1 588
number	181 631	9 492	20 092	22 837	29 201	24 839	24 890	26 784	23 496
$1,000	34 360	2 770	4 896	4 544	5 558	4 697	4 303	4 256	3 337
Calves—farms	4 333	22	148	262	554	529	675	967	1 176
number	86 161	2 673	5 848	10 583	13 876	11 298	12 531	15 157	14 195
$1,000	9 527	201	493	1 133	1 550	1 383	1 446	1 782	1 539
Cattle—farms	4 640	25	182	314	603	644	767	1 000	1 105
number	95 470	6 819	14 244	12 254	15 325	13 541	12 359	11 627	9 301
$1,000	24 833	2 568	4 403	3 412	4 008	3 314	2 857	2 474	1 797
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	830	5	29	46	109	141	138	197	165
number	23 179	5 937	4 921	2 785	2 474	2 358	1 874	1 746	1 084
$1,000	7 370	2 281	1 835	906	648	602	448	410	242
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 820	18	111	169	580	775	971	1 159	1 037
number	315 752	28 361	50 940	46 116	54 464	48 940	40 725	27 581	18 625
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 408	14	78	120	446	606	725	773	646
number	42 158	4 559	7 313	4 833	6 943	5 935	5 321	4 184	3 070
Other—farms	4 619	18	108	168	557	735	935	1 091	1 007
number	273 594	23 802	43 627	41 283	47 521	43 005	35 404	23 397	15 555

Table 31. **Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock—Continued									
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	4 391	20	109	171	568	765	926	988	844
number	504 788	59 094	91 244	73 626	91 928	71 438	58 554	37 615	21 289
$1,000	33 578	4 683	6 339	4 998	6 272	4 623	3 461	2 141	1 061
Feeder pigs—farms	866	1	14	33	77	138	171	208	224
number	73 433	844	11 048	10 898	10 363	10 053	14 487	8 620	7 120
$1,000	1 670	17	292	268	259	199	310	179	144
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	3 666	14	82	131	472	647	775	831	714
number	63 396	8 627	12 567	7 399	10 635	8 294	7 596	4 933	3 345
December 1 and May 31—farms	3 246	14	78	125	431	597	700	703	598
number	32 783	4 190	6 218	3 775	5 701	4 393	4 075	2 616	1 815
June 1 and November 30—farms	2 888	14	75	109	408	529	631	621	501
number	30 613	4 437	6 349	3 624	4 934	3 901	3 521	2 317	1 530
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	19	–	2	1	–	1	5	7	3
number	601	–	17	32	–	86	115	341	10
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	15	–	2	1	–	1	5	5	1
number	201	–	7	10	–	40	41	101	2
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	17	–	2	1	–	1	5	6	2
number	318	–	8	20	–	39	65	181	5
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	19	–	2	1	–	1	5	7	3
number	82	–	2	2	–	7	9	59	3
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	16	–	1	1	–	3	4	6	1
number	265	–	8	22	–	61	56	116	2
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	13	–	1	1	–	1	4	6	–
number	389	–	8	22	–	57	56	246	–
pounds of wool	2 473	–	80	136	–	501	344	1 412	–
Horses and ponies—farms	1 470	4	43	74	166	170	249	292	472
number	6 163	29	241	329	751	741	925	1 043	2 104
Sold—farms	170	–	7	7	22	17	32	34	51
number	803	–	31	33	76	160	206	99	198
$1,000	652	–	13	58	127	181	154	48	71
Horses—farms	1 309	4	39	66	141	144	230	249	436
number	5 429	29	216	288	651	665	761	917	1 902
Sold—farms	154	–	7	7	22	15	27	31	45
number	719	–	30	33	72	152	164	96	172
$1,000	645	–	13	58	126	181	149	48	70
Any goats—farms	41	–	1	3	3	8	6	10	10
number	456	–	6	7	42	86	54	101	160
Sold—farms	8	–	1	–	–	3	–	–	4
number	49	–	3	–	–	32	–	–	14
$1,000	1	–	(Z)	–	–	(Z)	–	–	(Z)
Poultry									
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	2 176	21	74	97	215	256	374	594	545
number	6 139 609	1 922 963	2 058 104	1 177 397	731 482	153 083	49 233	30 481	16 866
Sold—farms	479	22	70	84	108	61	48	54	32
number	7 176 952	2 112 686	2 311 595	1 434 173	1 002 626	206 666	57 116	33 623	18 467
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	2 073	20	71	90	205	243	364	567	513
number	5 152 407	1 701 963	1 747 583	983 409	542 856	89 406	47 075	25 731	14 384
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	2 019	19	68	84	195	236	355	553	509
number	4 883 621	(D)	(D)	881 083	476 780	82 900	40 096	24 591	13 630
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	213	1	4	11	19	22	44	64	48
number	268 786	(D)	(D)	102 326	66 076	6 506	6 979	1 140	754
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	159	4	10	10	23	17	28	39	28
number	951 425	219 000	303 916	182 980	179 606	62 334	429	2 828	332
Roosters and male chickens—farms	902	1	5	15	67	100	176	277	261
number	35 777	2 000	6 605	11 008	9 020	1 343	1 729	1 922	2 150
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	69	4	4	8	11	6	7	21	8
number	659 050	220 500	136 010	192 167	87 725	22 040	67	420	121
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	172	6	22	31	73	20	15	3	2
number	20 673 651	2 778 000	6 957 331	4 136 710	5 751 882	791 251	226 974	26 500	5 003
Turkeys—farms	65	6	6	13	6	6	10	10	8
number	701 193	341 000	146 000	181 410	20 417	8 138	4 157	40	31
Sold—farms	71	6	21	25	10	3	4	–	2
number	2 562 624	915 000	849 166	700 700	85 948	8 100	3 700	–	10
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	51	6	5	11	2	2	8	9	8
number	643 381	(D)	(D)	170 710	(D)	4 503	4 122	24	19
Sold—farms	62	6	20	22	7	1	4	–	2
number	2 309 774	(D)	793 066	582 900	(D)	4 500	3 700	–	10
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	5	1	–	1	–	1	2	–	–
number	26 257	(D)	–	(D)	–	30	27	–	–
Sold—farms	8	1	2	4	1	–	–	–	–
number	225 000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	28	–	1	1	4	5	3	7	7
number	31 555	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 605	8	16	12
Sold—farms	7	–	1	1	3	2	–	–	–
number	27 850	–	(D)	(D)	15 350	3 600	–	–	–
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes—farms	9 934	56	317	597	1 511	1 685	1 876	2 114	1 778
acres	462 392	28 095	82 143	87 694	105 148	63 291	44 102	32 627	19 292
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	7 765	53	291	542	1 277	1 393	1 479	1 495	1 235
acres	395 127	26 945	73 867	80 610	90 324	52 198	34 688	22 809	13 686
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	9 597	55	302	546	1 459	1 650	1 833	2 042	1 710
acres	421 863	25 660	70 363	75 076	98 574	60 820	42 269	30 953	18 148
bushels	27 120 878	1 731 457	5 286 643	5 066 634	6 494 390	3 672 849	2 410 076	1 624 487	834 342
Irrigated—farms	36	1	5	1	9	5	2	10	3
acres	1 419	52	746	35	379	56	8	124	19

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total agricultural products sold	$500,000 and over	$200,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $199,999	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued									
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	784	4	49	102	127	112	126	133	131
acres	28 198	315	3 868	6 298	7 185	3 868	3 165	2 218	1 281
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	583	2	40	87	99	84	89	93	89
acres	21 307	93	3 114	5 058	5 870	2 699	2 109	1 575	789
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	493	3	21	49	68	84	96	92	80
acres	16 010	245	1 688	3 398	3 244	2 948	2 182	1 507	798
bushels	643 076	5 559	61 924	143 492	139 468	125 225	89 719	50 588	27 101
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1
acres	41	–	–	–	–	30	–	–	11
Soybeans for beans — farms	11 093	69	375	657	1 752	1 926	2 101	2 300	1 913
acres	1 056 929	63 329	179 194	182 150	253 490	157 557	104 582	72 635	43 992
bushels	21 129 937	1 380 599	4 013 366	3 840 292	5 111 231	2 948 056	1 903 399	1 258 722	674 272
Irrigated — farms	30	–	–	2	2	8	3	10	5
acres	561	–	–	7	165	193	29	136	31
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	6 376	54	302	492	1 312	1 281	1 242	1 084	609
acres	742 189	51 439	144 638	138 027	186 604	108 546	64 001	33 975	14 959
Peanuts for nuts — farms	323	9	35	36	42	29	47	59	66
acres	13 274	2 906	4 709	2 722	1 458	484	545	236	214
pounds	27 103 222	5 858 600	10 326 993	6 031 252	2 807 947	876 945	691 042	243 527	266 916
Irrigated — farms	4	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1
acres	140	100	30	–	–	–	–	9	1
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	186	7	30	30	33	23	30	20	13
acres	11 436	2 610	4 254	2 390	1 258	455	307	119	43
Wheat — farms	2 194	33	168	248	420	382	317	362	264
acres	98 010	8 304	21 093	20 777	21 476	11 808	6 616	5 050	2 886
bushels	2 620 050	225 575	570 572	577 669	604 001	294 668	164 266	117 219	66 080
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres	36	–	–	1	35	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 692	31	154	228	377	303	259	204	136
acres	85 313	7 542	19 395	19 139	19 463	9 615	5 698	3 033	1 428
Cotton — farms	2 261	43	205	306	488	327	348	317	227
acres	254 766	35 925	78 287	60 298	46 373	16 175	10 389	4 939	2 380
bales	264 448	43 425	88 238	61 980	42 753	14 246	8 262	3 908	1 636
Irrigated — farms	11	–	1	–	2	3	2	–	3
acres	713	–	525	–	10	143	20	–	15
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 080	43	204	305	483	317	325	245	158
acres	252 758	35 925	78 199	60 098	46 186	16 003	10 073	4 389	1 885
Tobacco — farms	5 867	23	139	285	1 072	1 285	1 326	1 098	639
acres	70 315	3 322	8 855	10 551	21 695	13 321	7 799	3 533	1 240
pounds	145 287 632	6 344 488	18 537 437	22 311 977	46 364 064	28 107 686	15 312 096	6 402 485	1 907 399
Irrigated — farms	122	1	4	16	39	29	23	5	5
acres	1 789	75	188	442	609	194	260	14	7
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	5 867	23	139	285	1 072	1 285	1 326	1 098	639
acres	69 932	3 322	8 772	10 450	21 579	13 275	7 771	3 524	1 239
Irish potatoes — farms	320	2	4	5	24	51	63	91	80
acres	680	200	90	37	103	56	55	90	49
hundredweight	80 928	(D)	(D)	4 180	18 216	6 729	7 427	10 311	5 272
Irrigated — farms	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
acres	106	100	–	–	–	–	–	–	6
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	132	2	3	2	19	29	32	31	14
acres	572	200	90	37	94	39	44	46	22
Hay — farms	4 172	21	168	276	549	544	683	894	1 037
acres	123 978	2 054	13 202	13 912	21 907	17 187	17 913	19 073	18 730
tons	263 166	5 020	37 233	39 916	48 145	33 738	35 110	35 185	28 819
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1 926	14	113	189	341	248	284	342	395
acres	65 171	1 547	9 498	9 478	12 990	7 926	7 709	8 543	7 480
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	156	–	4	14	20	24	35	33	26
acres	4 350	–	215	440	1 118	997	534	791	255
tons, dry	10 074	–	577	867	3 037	2 440	1 508	1 175	470
Irrigated — farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	–	–	40	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	275	1	5	12	27	17	40	71	102
acres	7 136	85	189	763	1 094	599	932	1 727	1 747
tons, dry	11 689	85	204	1 631	2 124	1 137	1 331	2 752	2 425
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	193	2	6	8	25	29	36	46	41
acres	9 621	1 875	320	1 289	1 455	1 507	1 078	1 215	882
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	98	1	2	4	15	17	12	26	21
acres	5 732	1 700	80	1 105	677	505	528	685	452
Vegetables — farms	1 262	17	48	69	151	167	262	281	267
acres	26 397	5 468	4 781	3 285	4 246	2 873	2 968	1 597	1 178
Irrigated — farms	53	3	1	3	9	9	14	12	2
acres	1 318	596	5	135	257	163	125	31	6
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	786	14	40	48	92	97	174	170	151
acres	20 416	4 998	4 686	2 593	3 016	1 709	1 802	1 009	602
Berries — farms	18	–	–	–	3	2	1	8	4
acres	64	–	–	–	44	4	2	10	5
Irrigated — farms	4	–	–	–	2	1	–	1	–
acres	23	–	–	–	20	3	–	(Z)	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	5	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	2
acres	38	–	–	–	30	–	–	5	3
Land in orchards — farms	693	17	39	60	108	110	118	121	120
acres	36 858	8 605	10 290	5 344	4 358	3 217	2 070	1 465	1 510
Irrigated — farms	20	3	3	1	5	3	1	1	3
acres	2 154	1 750	170	5	140	55	3	12	19
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	380	15	28	44	67	59	64	62	41
acres	28 644	8 535	7 450	4 756	3 426	1 913	1 178	810	577

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	17 513	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
percent	100.0	33.3	3.2	27.9	3.0	1.4	1.9
Land in farms—acres	5 164 205	1 827 760	359 294	742 299	237 836	52 447	108 131
Average size of farm—acres	295	313	640	152	455	213	333
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	2 344 458	777 075	135 380	433 997	109 516	31 366	58 206
Average per farm—dollars	133 870	133 175	241 318	88 934	209 400	127 504	179 095
Average per acre—dollars	454	425	377	585	460	598	538
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	1 033	202	23	527	26	25	11
$10,000 to $19,999	1 778	560	40	665	35	30	41
$20,000 to $39,999	3 288	1 185	69	971	63	59	75
$40,000 to $69,999	3 485	1 191	74	1 015	78	39	47
$70,000 to $99,999	1 973	703	51	509	58	23	39
$100,000 to $149,999	2 013	703	59	469	73	26	37
$150,000 to $199,999	1 035	340	40	251	46	8	15
$200,000 to $499,999	2 067	693	126	371	91	25	31
$500,000 and over	841	258	79	102	53	11	29
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	15 439	5 203	487	3 894	467	210	296
acres	3 724 472	1 238 133	197 539	480 120	145 310	33 707	80 369
Land rented or leased from others—farms	8 665	3 111	367	2 705	267	128	113
acres	1 593 294	644 350	167 463	285 559	95 105	20 704	30 226
Land rented or leased to others—farms	2 083	823	73	504	53	17	27
acres	153 561	54 723	5 708	23 380	2 579	1 964	2 464
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	17 016	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
acres	2 791 406	1 110 600	246 346	397 209	156 606	31 872	66 625
Harvested cropland—farms	16 356	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
acres	2 146 630	954 027	221 173	329 229	133 846	26 418	51 843
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	8 327	2 223	134	3 181	182	150	181
50 to 99 acres	3 237	1 409	85	834	107	44	42
100 to 199 acres	2 112	935	83	498	72	18	44
200 to 499 acres	1 780	873	113	295	81	22	30
500 to 999 acres	598	267	81	57	48	7	17
1,000 acres and over	302	128	65	15	33	5	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	247	106	52	14	26	4	10
2,000 acres and over	55	22	13	1	7	1	1
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	6 525	1 898	170	1 072	189	65	99
acres	453 791	89 104	15 005	26 473	10 851	2 694	6 396
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	1 251	437	39	288	32	19	53
acres	45 039	17 934	2 033	6 152	985	883	2 584
On which all crops failed—farms	660	222	19	226	25	11	8
acres	20 509	7 325	1 102	5 044	1 329	71	1 003
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	476	135	18	130	21	8	4
acres	20 158	5 780	1 240	4 852	810	383	682
Idle—farms	2 716	832	92	1 029	87	39	67
acres	105 279	36 430	5 793	25 459	8 785	1 423	4 117
Total woodland—farms	11 002	3 593	341	2 701	335	125	184
acres	1 779 080	559 625	91 215	266 548	62 876	13 208	31 417
Woodland pastured—farms	4 808	1 393	133	812	130	47	61
acres	537 290	158 946	20 369	59 335	15 173	2 344	12 188
Woodland not pastured—farms	8 342	2 839	268	2 212	266	98	145
acres	1 241 790	400 679	70 846	207 213	47 703	10 864	19 229
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	2 790	788	85	386	88	30	44
acres	309 531	63 595	11 961	27 764	9 506	1 520	3 494
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 972	556	59	220	65	17	27
acres	164 597	34 545	5 005	13 318	7 112	813	2 411
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	1 065	293	30	191	25	18	17
acres	144 934	29 050	6 956	14 446	2 394	707	1 083
Other land (see text)—farms	10 843	3 391	335	3 013	334	157	231
acres	284 188	93 940	9 772	50 778	8 848	5 847	6 595
Total pastureland—farms	9 433	2 833	257	1 778	290	94	148
acres	1 300 612	311 645	47 335	113 572	35 530	6 558	22 078
Irrigated land—farms	323	37	3	115	16	22	17
acres	9 429	1 800	456	1 970	389	1 192	2 167
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	317	35	3	115	16	22	16
acres	9 043	1 738	456	1 970	351	1 192	2 163
Artificial drainage—farms	2 466	783	102	958	99	35	13
acres drained	444 741	152 319	70 460	98 316	28 387	10 564	2 217
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 597	811	108	880	135	51	92
number	9 234	1 857	251	2 251	366	121	245
acres	16 328	3 709	673	2 206	653	246	893
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	17 513	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
Full owners	8 921	2 759	196	2 194	257	118	212
Part owners	6 474	2 433	289	1 691	209	92	84
Tenants	2 118	643	76	995	57	36	29

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms — number	150	571	2 968	415	542	68	34	395
percent	0.9	3.3	16.9	2.4	3.1	0.4	0.2	2.3
Land in farms — acres	8 450	276 895	959 160	202 254	92 106	8 066	11 890	277 617
Average size of farm — acres	56	485	323	487	170	119	350	703
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	8 492	110 307	408 632	100 539	55 717	5 644	5 517	104 071
Average per farm — dollars	56 612	193 182	137 679	242 262	102 798	83 000	162 265	263 472
Average per acre — dollars	1 005	398	426	497	605	700	464	375
Farms by value of farm:								
$1 to $9,999	35	21	132	3	24	4	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	20	49	245	7	49	9	1	27
$20,000 to $39,999	37	84	513	24	134	18	4	52
$40,000 to $69,999	26	110	645	55	115	10	9	71
$70,000 to $99,999	13	51	358	42	63	6	10	47
$100,000 to $149,999	3	61	401	64	55	7	5	50
$150,000 to $199,999	5	49	173	46	27	6	–	29
$200,000 to $499,999	11	88	359	124	58	7	3	80
$500,000 and over	–	58	142	50	17	1	2	39
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned — farms	139	539	2 792	402	526	59	33	392
acres	10 428	179 651	835 585	146 699	81 162	7 797	11 178	276 794
Land rented or leased from others — farms	27	367	1 034	282	156	23	10	75
acres	659	102 675	159 238	59 142	18 113	1 215	744	8 101
Land rented or leased to others — farms	20	55	340	22	53	5	2	89
acres	2 637	5 431	35 663	3 587	7 169	946	32	7 278
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland — farms	150	571	2 700	410	376	39	34	366
acres	2 783	165 119	378 003	132 117	43 306	2 752	5 234	52 834
Harvested cropland — farms	150	571	2 229	393	272	22	34	315
acres	1 414	137 879	139 510	98 262	27 684	909	3 233	21 203
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	144	189	1 497	55	168	15	14	194
50 to 99 acres	4	126	390	72	45	5	12	62
100 to 199 acres	1	85	216	95	22	1	5	37
200 to 499 acres	1	95	101	124	25	1	2	17
500 to 999 acres	–	48	17	40	10	–	1	5
1,000 acres and over	–	28	8	7	2	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	22	6	5	2	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	6	2	2	–	–	–	–
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only — farms	16	290	1 913	309	197	30	30	247
acres	328	18 584	212 386	30 575	11 232	1 783	1 895	26 485
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	7	57	227	21	35	–	2	34
acres	157	2 203	8 455	1 309	805	–	50	1 489
On which all crops failed — farms	1	26	84	11	6	2	2	17
acres	6	965	1 834	278	862	50	40	600
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	4	15	103	11	11	–	–	16
acres	49	1 018	4 084	341	359	–	–	560
Idle — farms	26	79	285	39	75	1	3	62
acres	829	4 470	11 734	1 352	2 364	10	16	2 497
Total woodland — farms	50	416	2 198	319	305	27	27	381
acres	3 874	84 855	399 118	48 574	30 901	2 492	4 471	179 906
Woodland pastured — farms	8	181	1 467	184	139	13	19	221
acres	1 875	17 982	167 223	17 141	6 825	989	3 154	53 746
Woodland not pastured — farms	47	331	1 385	210	229	21	12	279
acres	1 999	66 873	231 895	31 433	24 076	1 503	1 317	126 160
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	13	120	823	141	123	18	11	120
acres	511	18 519	129 547	14 777	10 398	1 504	2 018	14 417
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	9	86	622	113	85	16	5	92
acres	408	8 152	68 139	8 489	5 875	1 253	140	8 937
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	4	48	296	39	55	4	8	37
acres	103	10 367	61 408	6 288	4 523	251	1 878	5 480
Other land (see text) — farms	96	357	1 892	304	417	51	24	241
acres	1 282	8 402	52 492	6 786	7 501	1 318	167	30 460
Total pastureland — farms	29	398	2 504	387	312	44	33	326
acres	2 714	55 085	509 156	62 493	28 455	4 276	7 067	94 648
Irrigated land — farms	81	15	10	2	1	–	–	4
acres	534	109	430	130	240	–	–	12
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	81	15	7	2	1	–	–	4
acres	534	109	348	130	40	–	–	12
Artificial drainage — farms	11	81	221	61	26	5	1	70
acres drained	536	19 669	28 916	16 253	2 970	341	5	13 788
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	40	141	877	170	129	18	8	137
number	64	422	2 518	409	239	71	19	401
acres	136	850	4 699	896	431	145	18	774
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators	150	571	2 968	415	542	68	34	395
Full owners	123	208	1 942	134	388	45	24	321
Part owners	16	328	834	268	136	14	9	71
Tenants	11	35	192	13	18	9	1	3

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	15 063	5 157	487	3 769	437	197	301
Full owners	7 695	2 450	163	1 628	219	93	200
Part owners	5 622	2 148	267	1 349	174	78	77
Tenants	1 746	559	57	792	44	26	24
Black and other races[1]	2 160	625	59	1 078	74	47	6
Full owners	1 077	287	32	557	33	25	3
Part owners	758	263	17	327	29	13	3
Tenants	325	75	10	194	12	9	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	15 867	5 362	485	4 429	471	222	269
acres	4 216 261	1 549 850	265 564	645 546	188 809	40 863	64 195
Partnership — farms	1 356	420	61	418	40	22	38
acres	636 051	221 557	71 913	76 641	32 280	9 366	22 871
Corporation, including family owned — farms	247	34	15	28	12	2	17
acres	271 409	47 049	21 817	16 467	16 747	2 218	21 024
Other — farms	43	19	–	5	–	–	1
acres	40 484	9 304	–	3 645	–	–	41
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	5 149	1 670	210	1 330	177	61	92
$1,000	201 073	61 861	13 357	33 238	10 355	2 191	5 381
Debts secured by real estate — farms	3 806	1 230	160	938	132	42	63
$1,000	143 249	47 375	8 259	21 912	6 669	1 702	3 330
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	2 703	881	115	700	108	31	47
$1,000	57 823	14 487	5 098	11 326	3 686	488	2 051
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	293	98	14	109	6	1	5
25 to 34 years	1 557	603	61	451	26	30	20
35 to 44 years	2 752	994	74	867	77	40	50
45 to 54 years	4 459	1 395	151	1 376	143	63	55
55 to 64 years	4 827	1 523	138	1 374	141	71	100
65 years and over	3 335	1 169	108	670	118	39	77
Average age	52.7	52.3	52.1	51.1	54.2	51.4	54.6
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	10 340	3 262	298	2 748	308	163	174
On another farm	807	328	51	300	19	8	15
In a rural area, not on a farm	772	291	25	244	20	23	19
In a city, town, or urban area	1 418	515	47	253	50	21	30
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	11 905	3 641	452	4 026	352	181	222
Other	5 318	2 141	94	821	159	63	85
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	4 198	1 748	88	445	121	52	70
Less than value of farm products sold	6 534	2 038	233	1 894	210	95	111
Not reporting or none	6 491	1 996	225	2 508	180	97	126
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	6 483	2 507	162	1 303	195	89	103
1 to 49 days	673	202	31	196	22	15	5
50 to 99 days	462	154	15	153	11	8	7
100 to 149 days	492	173	16	134	22	8	13
150 to 199 days	645	238	14	174	14	10	17
200 days and over	4 211	1 740	86	646	126	48	61
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	2 709	880	80	622	88	23	42
Number of persons	3 148	1 010	89	726	103	26	56
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	311	92	13	99	12	3	2
50 to 99 days	255	89	9	60	2	1	6
100 to 149 days	261	81	8	67	11	1	5
150 to 199 days	483	148	14	120	11	10	14
200 days and over	1 838	600	45	380	67	11	29
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	575	3	2	309	4	1	1
10 to 49 acres	3 123	806	66	1 451	65	73	74
50 to 69 acres	1 611	529	27	561	33	29	46
70 to 99 acres	1 884	685	35	589	60	34	37
100 to 139 acres	2 127	753	45	607	46	32	38
140 to 179 acres	1 329	506	36	295	26	9	19
180 to 219 acres	1 069	409	21	225	33	13	17
220 to 259 acres	851	367	22	151	31	13	7
260 to 499 acres	2 404	869	91	414	81	20	37
500 to 999 acres	1 522	553	106	200	72	13	21
1,000 to 1,999 acres	721	263	63	60	52	6	17
2,000 acres and over	297	92	47	18	20	3	11
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	5 835	5 835	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	561	–	561	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 880	–	–	4 880	–	–	–

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

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued								
All farm operators — Continued								
White[1]	129	447	2 772	398	501	60	33	375
Full owners	112	156	1 820	130	356	40	23	305
Part owners	11	264	782	255	128	12	9	68
Tenants	6	27	170	13	17	8	1	2
Black and other races[1]	3	113	137	3	7	2	–	6
Full owners	–	47	81	1	5	2	–	4
Part owners	1	61	39	2	2	–	–	1
Tenants	2	5	17	–	–	–	–	1
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family — farms	122	518	2 741	319	478	60	31	360
acres	6 625	222 263	779 846	143 219	72 503	6 842	8 091	222 045
Partnership — farms	10	42	168	82	30	2	2	21
acres	282	38 705	91 339	48 286	7 934	(D)	(D)	13 719
Corporation, including family owned — farms	18	6	56	13	31	6	1	8
acres	1 543	13 860	87 087	9 049	8 569	(D)	(D)	22 114
Other — farms	–	5	3	1	3	–	–	6
acres	–	2 067	888	1 700	3 100	–	–	19 739
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt — farms	36	214	785	204	233	30	14	93
$1,000	1 589	11 170	29 477	15 235	12 432	1 070	288	3 428
Debts secured by real estate — farms	23	165	590	161	192	23	12	75
$1,000	1 224	7 361	23 258	10 006	7 774	949	233	3 196
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	20	128	381	129	115	17	3	28
$1,000	365	3 809	6 219	5 229	4 658	121	55	232
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	–	5	42	4	5	1	–	3
25 to 34 years	11	33	214	35	44	10	–	19
35 to 44 years	8	88	346	74	87	6	1	40
45 to 54 years	43	157	693	117	155	22	7	82
55 to 64 years	37	155	890	117	131	14	13	123
65 years and over	33	122	724	54	86	9	12	114
Average age	55.8	54.0	55.2	51.8	52.4	50.3	60.8	57.3
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	81	381	1 922	318	339	41	23	282
On another farm	1	10	51	2	9	–	–	13
In a rural area, not on a farm	7	13	96	6	13	4	3	8
In a city, town, or urban area	17	49	339	17	23	9	–	48
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	72	431	1 479	374	401	29	27	218
Other	60	129	1 430	27	107	33	6	163
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —								
Greater than value of farm products sold	36	90	1 345	9	7	42	3	142
Less than value of farm products sold	54	290	914	207	286	8	22	172
Not reporting or none	42	180	650	185	215	12	8	67
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	51	200	1 467	50	143	35	5	173
1 to 49 days	4	32	135	9	12	–	–	10
50 to 99 days	1	19	69	5	10	5	–	5
100 to 149 days	6	19	61	8	13	2	–	17
150 to 199 days	6	15	122	6	7	1	–	21
200 days and over	34	115	1 080	22	101	27	5	120
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting	25	102	601	62	90	13	2	79
Number of persons	33	123	687	71	110	13	2	99
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days	1	17	48	5	10	1	–	8
50 to 99 days	1	15	44	8	9	1	–	10
100 to 149 days	10	11	41	6	10	1	–	9
150 to 199 days	4	16	101	13	18	2	1	11
200 days and over	17	64	453	39	63	8	1	61
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres	64	16	81	2	73	17	–	2
10 to 49 acres	48	52	321	6	128	19	2	12
50 to 69 acres	11	55	239	5	52	4	1	19
70 to 99 acres	4	32	278	18	70	7	7	28
100 to 139 acres	9	87	396	27	55	4	3	25
140 to 179 acres	3	33	280	38	29	4	1	50
180 to 219 acres	3	23	230	31	28	1	5	30
220 to 259 acres	1	28	159	19	23	1	2	27
260 to 499 acres	4	88	538	131	44	7	7	73
500 to 999 acres	2	79	275	93	22	4	4	78
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	51	126	37	16	–	1	28
2,000 acres and over	–	27	45	8	2	–	1	23
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 32. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	523	–	–	–	523	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	246	–	–	–	–	246	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	325	–	–	–	–	–	325
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	571	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 968	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	415	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	542	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	68	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	34	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	395	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	17 513	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
$1,000	661 349	145 994	45 771	158 334	32 093	12 945	27 175
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	107	10	13	7	6	8	9
$200,000 to $499,999	509	90	52	61	40	14	22
$100,000 to $199,999	886	182	71	194	49	6	23
$40,000 to $99,999	2 264	601	101	866	78	25	44
$20,000 to $39,999	2 590	744	77	1 098	43	20	58
$10,000 to $19,999	3 262	1 036	90	1 165	80	54	59
$5,000 to $9,999	3 882	1 540	80	947	116	51	60
$2,500 to $4,999	3 665	1 500	71	538	105	68	41
Under $2,500 (see text)	348	132	6	4	6	–	9
Grain sold—farms	13 015	5 835	435	3 901	353	133	116
$1,000	192 331	113 895	11 435	30 039	9 192	1 917	1 764
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1 133	681	90	121	74	15	14
$1,000	100 725	64 155	7 782	8 080	6 649	1 368	1 103
Tobacco sold—farms	5 859	454	41	4 880	242	2	2
$1,000	139 951	6 030	854	119 697	8 665	4	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	947	27	6	809	73	–	2
$1,000	75 761	2 282	423	63 892	6 552	–	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	2 243	627	561	456	258	3	22
$1,000	61 314	10 462	31 838	3 410	8 160	6	627
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	396	75	191	15	59	–	7
$1,000	44 526	5 660	27 060	1 130	5 976	–	466
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1 457	431	35	103	216	15	17
$1,000	5 838	908	116	138	2 023	9	89
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	19	1	–	–	10	–	–
$1,000	1 543	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	631	148	12	148	133	28	5
$1,000	6 627	1 687	445	557	2 402	95	121
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	39	11	3	–	15	1	1
$1,000	3 657	973	329	–	1 442	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	1 182	373	24	145	45	246	20
$1,000	15 004	2 133	77	248	124	10 689	84
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	64	12	–	–	–	46	–
$1,000	10 341	837	–	–	–	8 961	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	516	64	10	16	4	4	325
$1,000	26 110	371	23	15	218	51	23 978
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	105	1	–	–	1	–	93
$1,000	22 653	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	21 231
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	916	104	4	79	17	6	1
$1,000	88 151	104	1	137	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	427	–	–	1	–	–	–
$1,000	85 332	–	–	(D)	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	484	18	–	5	2	2	–
$1,000	41 620	183	–	27	(D)	(D)	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	326	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	39 011	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	1 597	129	488	185	65	79
$1,000	34 360	4 294	645	919	611	76	212
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	94	6	2	1	1	–	–
$1,000	10 018	465	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	4 391	1 269	38	1 204	95	44	16
$1,000	33 578	4 897	292	2 689	459	41	132
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	136	12	1	2	3	–	1
$1,000	16 319	1 056	(D)	(D)	152	–	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	16	2	–	6	–	–	1
$1,000	9	(Z)	–	2	–	–	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	242	40	2	21	4	4	3
$1,000	779	39	(Z)	6	2	1	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	131	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	186	13	–	4	–	4	2
$1,000	5 993	20	–	14	–	17	4
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	31	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4 626	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	1 560	393	24	135	32	17	6
$1,000	9 685	972	47	437	181	39	12
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	34	–	–	1	1	–	–
$1,000	3 497	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	571	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	2 968	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	415	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	542	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	68	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	34	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	395
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	150	571	2 968	415	542	68	34	395
$1,000	5 967	31 715	48 065	50 438	91 928	656	1 082	9 187
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
$500,000 and over	1	7	6	7	33	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	8	31	20	58	104	–	1	8
$100,000 to $199,999	7	52	40	124	129	–	2	7
$40,000 to $99,999	16	80	121	133	162	2	4	31
$20,000 to $39,999	17	86	264	64	53	8	4	54
$10,000 to $19,999	38	111	453	19	32	13	8	104
$5,000 to $9,999	31	100	821	7	22	8	7	92
$2,500 to $4,999	26	104	1 094	3	6	27	8	74
Under $2,500 (see text)	6	–	149	–	1	10	–	25
Grain sold—farms	9	559	1 050	225	176	3	25	195
$1,000	34	10 756	5 197	4 157	2 670	21	133	1 122
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	77	15	24	18	–	–	4
$1,000	–	6 953	898	1 916	1 553	–	–	269
Tobacco sold—farms	–	162	49	6	13	–	1	7
$1,000	–	3 384	519	264	211	–	(D)	82
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	24	2	2	1	–	1	–
$1,000	–	1 969	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	–	210	48	26	19	–	1	12
$1,000	–	4 873	519	989	222	–	2	205
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	36	2	9	–	–	–	2
$1,000	–	3 060	(D)	728	–	–	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	1	124	309	93	41	5	9	58
$1,000	3	774	567	890	94	8	28	192
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	3	–	5	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	312	–	323	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	3	92	40	3	4	–	6	9
$1,000	2	970	145	73	113	–	9	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	5	1	1	1	–	–	–
$1,000	–	479	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	6	186	92	12	10	–	3	20
$1,000	8	1 384	110	78	16	–	4	50
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	543	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	–	43	27	4	7	1	3	8
$1,000	–	941	398	45	29	1	9	31
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	9	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	668	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	–	36	74	9	542	1	21	22
$1,000	–	666	83	234	86 777	(Z)	(D)	37
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	5	–	2	419	–	–	–
$1,000	–	591	–	(D)	84 470	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	–	11	10	415	6	1	11	3
$1,000	–	537	89	40 164	204	(Z)	220	143
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	6	–	314	1	–	2	1
$1,000	–	475	–	38 033	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves sold—farms	5	305	2 432	415	236	15	32	285
$1,000	4	2 213	20 413	2 991	688	25	241	1 029
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	12	61	6	2	–	2	1
$1,000	–	944	7 429	485	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	4	330	1 174	34	89	2	13	79
$1,000	8	4 398	19 221	296	675	(Z)	169	299
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	23	86	2	4	–	1	1
$1,000	–	3 109	11 134	94	260	–	100	50
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	1
$1,000	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	1	1	73	1	5	68	5	14
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	55	1	8	592	53	21
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	150	9	–	–	–	–	–	4
$1,000	5 902	29	–	–	–	–	–	9
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	31	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	4 626	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	7	103	368	50	42	4	5	374
$1,000	5	791	744	254	219	9	17	5 959
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	2	1	1	1	–	–	27
$1,000	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	3 003

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	17 513	5 835	561	4 880	523	246	325
$1,000__	492 240	102 415	35 600	91 446	22 667	9 971	20 115
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	4 519	1 152	64	655	112	30	36
$1,000__	28 671	2 025	157	539	341	28	95
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	8 294	2 146	135	1 410	193	67	55
$1,000__	93 455	3 023	200	1 483	384	43	131
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	7 182	1 824	115	1 278	161	53	45
tons__	552 585	15 037	912	8 736	1 716	178	725
$1,000__	79 406	2 193	131	1 187	277	23	77
Feed ingredients_____farms__	2 418	601	35	261	60	18	11
tons__	33 563	2 208	150	675	305	10	43
$1,000__	5 019	336	21	110	45	2	9
Whole grains _____farms__	2 529	538	31	270	61	23	22
tons__	75 050	3 833	337	1 591	566	106	356
$1,000__	8 240	420	38	158	55	12	39
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	905	220	11	88	9	13	10
tons__	31 541	2 035	221	621	134	125	144
$1,000__	791	74	10	28	7	6	7
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	4 352	968	78	427	77	24	29
$1,000__	1 959	167	22	48	18	3	8
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	11 911	4 516	551	3 175	422	221	149
$1,000__	13 060	5 011	1 009	2 086	757	479	244
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	15 302	4 799	541	4 880	465	205	283
$1,000__	81 099	26 687	8 399	17 714	5 129	1 575	1 604
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	14 451	4 387	540	4 870	436	199	245
acres fertilized__	2 000 735	776 717	216 014	278 329	124 021	23 602	44 901
dry tons__	482 328	154 617	53 374	108 139	31 202	10 952	12 219
liquid or gas tons__	98 612	37 328	10 059	9 374	4 886	728	906
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	9 682	3 079	427	3 133	302	149	234
$1,000__	30 653	9 294	6 377	5 456	2 760	537	1 583
Lime _____farms__	2 807	1 020	151	529	95	47	63
tons__	283 273	117 268	35 196	25 820	13 335	4 685	8 186
$1,000__	3 309	1 389	398	340	152	54	81
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	17 061	5 659	550	4 755	515	240	315
$1,000__	31 814	8 689	2 227	10 541	1 848	455	820
Gasoline _____farms__	15 437	4 990	508	4 169	473	224	290
$1,000__	13 191	3 821	870	3 331	699	242	414
Diesel oil_____farms__	10 026	3 636	409	2 926	355	99	165
$1,000__	9 434	3 319	921	2 382	595	121	252
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	2 518	451	139	1 428	123	7	14
$1,000__	2 757	275	181	1 544	221	11	33
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	17 060	5 658	550	4 755	515	240	315
$1,000__	6 432	1 274	255	3 284	333	80	121
Hired farm labor _____farms__	8 400	2 189	294	2 908	286	132	210
$1,000__	51 773	8 738	3 754	13 642	3 143	1 833	4 147
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____farms__	2 770	723	191	548	136	52	101
workers__	8 812	1 651	773	1 471	607	353	598
25 to 149 days _____farms__	2 808	651	123	1 007	113	40	78
workers__	18 055	2 362	557	8 912	953	723	1 724
Less than 25 days_____farms__	5 536	1 411	131	2 181	193	82	146
workers__	63 317	9 855	1 436	35 375	2 000	1 389	3 220
Contract labor _____farms__	862	256	30	158	25	46	100
$1,000__	4 935	614	127	358	102	1 371	1 769
Machine hire and customwork ___farms__	8 404	3 094	295	2 598	252	84	107
$1,000__	10 121	3 221	1 003	2 507	695	87	362
All other production expenses ___farms__	17 402	5 789	559	4 878	523	246	323
$1,000__	144 700	34 946	12 325	37 072	7 492	3 560	9 351
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	4 539	1 665	151	729	160	41	69
$1,000__	12 338	4 082	774	2 808	339	59	738
$10,000 and over _____farms__	227	63	19	61	10	1	5
$1,000__	5 641	1 405	507	1 509	149	16	630
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	1 465	575	62	296	73	12	23
$1,000__	5 582	1 730	308	1 690	201	11	296
Recreational services _____farms__	193	49	2	31	12	1	3
$1,000__	263	43	4	14	10	(Z)	4
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	2 025	555	58	224	76	16	33
$1,000__	1 704	542	122	199	64	9	29
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	1 603	773	62	240	33	14	20
$1,000__	3 833	1 644	287	713	49	31	36
Other farm-related income ____farms__	314	98	16	72	11	6	9
$1,000__	955	122	53	192	15	8	372
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	1 447	537	49	272	53	18	22
$1,000__	4 150	1 217	301	1 020	120	23	473

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses — farms	150	571	2 968	415	542	68	34	395
$1,000	4 738	23 781	48 228	40 844	85 395	1 038	750	5 253
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	7	211	1 328	198	532	35	20	139
$1,000	1	1 284	7 834	1 627	14 131	224	42	343
Feed for livestock and poultry — farms	12	389	2 569	404	535	58	32	289
$1,000	9	2 485	13 900	14 783	56 105	247	211	452
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	11	308	2 163	387	527	48	26	236
tons	64	10 222	53 982	93 365	363 832	807	759	2 254
$1,000	8	1 641	7 654	13 056	52 598	130	114	317
Feed ingredients — farms	–	156	886	131	142	4	16	97
tons	–	1 864	8 893	6 327	12 364	4	395	325
$1,000	–	267	1 404	905	1 828	1	37	54
Whole grains — farms	2	150	1 032	122	156	23	16	83
tons	5	5 015	41 104	5 167	15 403	512	539	517
$1,000	1	565	4 542	573	1 652	69	61	57
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	–	35	365	48	35	28	–	43
tons	–	320	8 294	16 705	975	1 393	–	574
$1,000	–	13	300	249	27	48	–	24
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry — farms	6	204	1 499	382	449	41	16	152
$1,000	1	119	610	542	346	28	10	38
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees — farms	103	494	1 474	370	173	11	31	221
$1,000	763	879	763	754	166	5	27	117
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	121	546	2 420	391	257	34	30	330
$1,000	79	4 887	7 496	5 529	833	62	144	960
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	106	530	2 182	387	231	30	28	280
acres fertilized	1 240	134 934	228 425	111 873	26 876	1 712	3 164	28 927
dry tons	458	29 372	44 627	25 311	4 799	344	669	6 245
liquid or gas tons	17	8 945	12 707	10 253	1 467	85	289	1 569
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) — farms	73	409	1 157	265	240	12	19	183
$1,000	26	2 158	998	875	412	7	13	156
Lime — farms	17	147	463	144	49	8	10	64
tons	132	19 474	30 691	19 424	4 298	464	293	4 007
$1,000	2	225	347	220	50	5	4	43
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	149	560	2 876	415	538	67	34	388
$1,000	214	1 530	2 343	1 538	1 130	61	57	361
Gasoline — farms	140	496	2 770	412	525	63	30	347
$1,000	111	587	1 531	712	609	39	27	200
Diesel oil — farms	54	379	1 331	339	108	23	22	180
$1,000	31	503	492	600	106	10	23	80
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	5	133	29	17	158	1	4	9
$1,000	23	154	18	21	265	1	1	9
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	149	560	2 876	415	538	67	34	388
$1,000	49	287	302	206	151	11	7	73
Hired farm labor — farms	93	359	1 158	293	270	26	15	167
$1,000	1 929	2 690	3 643	4 298	2 939	152	67	799
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more — farms	62	147	311	240	176	16	8	59
workers	422	536	716	868	615	33	17	152
25 to 149 days — farms	40	138	331	117	106	7	4	53
workers	212	771	804	471	383	11	13	159
Less than 25 days — farms	48	238	768	115	97	10	11	105
workers	354	2 484	4 899	743	929	54	36	543
Contract labor — farms	3	36	140	17	21	2	2	26
$1,000	2	179	145	30	151	6	6	76
Machine hire and customwork — farms	31	295	1 160	176	127	12	21	152
$1,000	18	693	830	422	126	15	11	132
All other production expenses — farms	150	571	2 923	415	541	66	34	384
$1,000	1 697	6 877	9 665	10 446	9 056	231	163	1 819
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income — farms	19	188	1 046	127	98	32	19	195
$1,000	51	570	1 525	285	313	236	85	473
$10,000 and over — farms	2	17	19	5	5	7	1	12
$1,000	(D)	319	329	84	172	178	(D)	249
Farm-related income from —								
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	8	92	204	42	27	14	8	29
$1,000	26	337	423	149	91	198	73	49
Recreational services — farms	2	17	52	–	4	8	–	12
$1,000	(Z)	10	47	–	9	20	–	102
Payments from government farm programs — farms	2	91	703	94	43	5	11	114
$1,000	(Z)	74	439	90	38	2	4	91
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments — farms	7	48	270	16	36	5	1	78
$1,000	23	116	526	34	157	9	(Z)	206
Other farm-related income — farms	1	16	52	12	8	4	2	7
$1,000	1	33	90	12	17	7	8	25
Expenses for farm-related income sources — farms	5	57	305	18	31	10	1	69
$1,000	11	179	460	28	95	47	(Z)	176

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	9 461	3 357	276	2 029	287	131	156
$1,000	101 763	35 359	2 903	15 845	3 442	1 295	2 138
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	218	72	7	46	13	5	1
$250 to $499	130	32	7	43	3	3	1
$500 to $999	269	81	11	87	8	2	2
$1,000 to $4,999	2 349	758	57	698	60	34	41
$5,000 to $9,999	2 422	838	85	619	61	34	39
$10,000 to $19,999	3 016	1 247	72	423	92	39	41
$20,000 to $29,999	706	245	26	77	37	9	13
$30,000 and over	351	84	11	36	13	5	18
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	1 912	621	69	403	61	32	35
$1,000	21 760	6 884	800	3 347	674	179	560
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	6 527	2 486	175	1 422	187	80	107
$1,000	64 519	24 884	1 600	10 986	2 205	833	1 360
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	2 942	928	120	414	97	39	42
$1,000	8 400	1 805	295	607	349	161	91
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	1 678	496	42	264	60	25	38
$1,000	4 779	1 288	166	591	164	72	99
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	792	231	24	105	21	20	20
$1,000	2 305	499	43	313	51	50	28
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	12 454	4 045	447	3 550	391	154	224
number	17 941	5 648	710	4 958	622	258	370
2 or 3—farms	3 941	1 169	189	1 056	153	58	93
number	8 501	2 524	408	2 238	335	126	197
4 and over—farms	238	71	11	47	13	7	11
number	1 165	319	55	273	62	43	53
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	13 949	4 633	484	3 629	415	207	278
number	24 287	8 153	1 107	5 329	946	481	770
2 or 3—farms	4 583	1 705	198	932	112	68	93
number	10 503	3 904	486	2 202	259	161	209
4 and over—farms	1 037	309	77	110	97	33	66
number	5 455	1 630	412	540	481	214	442
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 471	4 836	485	3 795	456	217	280
number	33 824	11 073	1 877	8 154	1 402	591	1 066
2 or 3—farms	6 585	2 453	172	1 551	155	83	105
number	15 274	5 691	439	3 587	358	191	249
4 and over—farms	2 474	756	211	610	153	48	84
number	13 138	3 755	1 336	2 933	896	314	726
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	14 391	4 813	484	3 761	452	217	280
number	33 039	10 796	1 843	8 078	1 376	579	1 040
Crawler tractors—farms	674	231	31	63	25	11	17
number	785	277	34	76	26	12	26
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	3 886	2 043	252	571	144	33	46
number	4 460	2 344	323	636	188	36	57
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	2 983	1 503	124	538	93	19	19
number	3 358	1 711	148	581	107	21	22
Corn heads for combines—farms	2 032	1 081	77	348	61	9	12
number	2 192	1 187	85	365	69	10	13
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	1 129	513	53	210	37	11	9
number	1 166	524	63	216	38	11	9
Mower conditioners—farms	1 599	424	42	118	66	15	26
number	1 717	445	47	125	75	19	38
Pickup balers—farms	2 675	729	86	235	116	11	34
number	2 786	751	90	238	131	11	39
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	1 228	308	27	139	65	4	21
number	1 260	313	29	140	70	4	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	751	122	15	121	17	2	4
number	927	128	18	151	27	3	9
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	16 120	5 317	525	4 382	487	229	305
$1,000	365 452	124 342	26 231	81 089	15 869	5 887	10 832
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	2 863	867	54	850	75	52	40
$1,000	8 400	2 504	169	2 501	240	162	125
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	3 201	983	49	923	80	49	67
$1,000	22 626	6 871	345	6 603	606	339	490
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	3 858	1 262	82	1 098	97	46	71
$1,000	52 305	17 230	1 177	14 930	1 286	660	930
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	4 625	1 658	142	1 271	146	48	81
$1,000	137 928	50 656	4 206	36 518	4 780	1 314	2 648
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	1 103	418	123	172	54	20	23
$1,000	69 405	26 085	7 749	10 741	3 424	1 178	1 520
$100,000 and over—farms	470	129	75	68	35	14	23
$1,000	74 788	20 996	12 585	9 797	5 534	2 235	5 119

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Family Off-Farm Income[1]								
Family off-farm income—farms	87	320	2 055	163	265	48	16	271
$1,000	995	3 516	27 005	1 261	2 353	1 096	89	4 465
Farms by family off-farm income:								
$1 to $249	3	9	38	9	8	1	1	5
$250 to $499	–	15	16	3	5	–	–	2
$500 to $999	2	15	33	7	8	–	3	10
$1,000 to $4,999	27	84	405	51	72	6	5	51
$5,000 to $9,999	19	66	484	47	70	6	4	50
$10,000 to $19,999	19	97	748	36	82	15	3	102
$20,000 to $29,999	13	18	217	5	16	9	–	21
$30,000 and over	4	16	114	5	4	11	–	30
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business—farms	17	59	460	24	52	18	2	59
$1,000	217	923	6 048	299	610	419	24	776
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	51	210	1 341	98	165	29	3	173
$1,000	596	1 845	15 369	748	1 431	459	20	2 183
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	42	127	803	70	89	21	10	140
$1,000	56	534	3 070	121	175	103	18	1 016
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	28	53	518	21	49	6	6	72
$1,000	95	141	1 585	68	103	52	27	328
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	12	27	243	15	16	8	–	50
$1,000	32	72	933	24	34	63	–	162
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles—farms	88	440	1 968	369	438	37	25	278
number	111	665	2 762	666	655	58	41	417
2 or 3—farms	14	144	578	189	183	16	13	86
number	31	315	1 257	418	394	37	29	192
4 and over—farms	2	14	34	16	2	–	–	10
number	8	68	149	84	8	–	–	43
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	115	509	2 389	400	484	58	26	322
number	248	1 100	3 578	1 018	912	91	58	496
2 or 3—farms	37	180	709	212	214	18	13	92
number	84	408	1 546	495	473	41	34	201
4 and over—farms	20	84	92	80	46	2	2	19
number	106	447	444	415	215	12	13	84
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	92	507	2 518	406	468	45	28	338
number	165	1 466	4 760	1 486	970	79	71	664
2 or 3—farms	32	230	1 161	186	272	15	14	156
number	71	543	2 649	470	607	33	32	354
4 and over—farms	8	142	191	185	43	4	5	34
number	42	788	945	981	210	20	30	162
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	92	507	2 506	404	464	45	28	338
number	160	1 435	4 586	1 438	932	72	69	635
Crawler tractors—farms	4	28	152	44	36	5	2	25
number	5	31	174	48	38	7	2	29
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	–	220	313	148	74	–	6	36
number	–	260	321	173	80	–	6	36
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	–	146	324	128	37	1	9	42
number	–	171	361	138	38	1	11	48
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	110	181	98	28	–	5	22
number	–	121	187	100	28	–	5	22
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–	48	168	38	10	1	6	25
number	–	50	174	38	10	1	6	26
Mower conditioners—farms	5	90	487	172	56	6	11	81
number	5	93	517	184	57	6	11	95
Pickup balers—farms	2	150	837	272	69	7	12	115
number	2	156	876	281	71	7	13	120
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	–	87	373	114	29	6	3	52
number	–	90	385	114	30	6	3	54
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	–	26	152	262	13	–	4	13
number	–	29	190	340	13	–	5	14
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	137	551	2 767	415	531	65	30	379
$1,000	2 112	17 319	42 273	20 984	11 648	840	612	5 412
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999—farms	43	66	629	12	62	15	6	92
$1,000	116	201	1 862	40	175	36	16	253
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	21	78	692	29	107	20	3	100
$1,000	138	603	4 814	211	754	140	20	693
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	32	111	728	58	146	16	12	99
$1,000	420	1 515	9 687	831	1 925	213	148	1 355
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	36	201	617	161	171	13	6	74
$1,000	987	6 330	17 600	5 111	4 996	401	186	2 195
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	3	63	73	102	35	1	2	14
$1,000	(D)	3 943	4 517	6 612	2 326	50	(D)	916
$100,000 and over—farms	2	32	28	53	10	–	1	–
$1,000	(D)	4 728	3 794	8 178	1 472	–	(D)	–

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

Table 32. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	15 648	4 954	542	4 880	466	210	300
$1,000	111 751	35 981	14 776	23 171	7 888	2 112	3 187
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 302	4 799	541	4 880	465	205	283
acres on which used	2 000 735	776 717	216 014	278 329	124 021	23 602	44 901
tons	580 940	191 945	63 433	117 513	36 088	11 680	13 125
$1,000	81 099	26 687	8 399	17 714	5 129	1 575	1 604
Lime—farms	2 807	1 020	151	529	95	47	63
acres on which used	295 942	123 098	40 258	27 927	15 433	4 906	7 894
tons	283 273	117 268	35 196	25 820	13 335	4 685	8 186
$1,000	3 309	1 389	398	340	152	54	81
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	127	31	2	14	9	–	–
acres on which used	5 618	761	68	316	2 025	–	–
$1,000	36	5	(Z)	3	13	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	5 513	1 467	369	2 537	227	68	122
acres on which used	805 876	303 665	143 672	139 724	71 636	12 313	25 088
$1,000	14 987	3 711	3 816	3 151	1 630	251	712
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 552	305	94	904	80	19	10
acres on which used	147 034	59 365	29 709	23 866	12 748	2 351	2 618
$1,000	1 448	418	261	451	128	32	34
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	339	54	24	42	10	20	102
acres on which used	41 184	7 158	5 072	1 586	1 288	2 469	14 052
$1,000	838	81	41	27	19	55	454
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 199	1 631	260	1 070	167	68	75
acres on which used	888 639	393 811	129 697	108 486	65 424	12 897	18 244
$1,000	8 059	3 149	1 449	1 105	666	122	224
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	300	61	8	23	10	–	1
acres on which used	18 214	3 450	660	298	395	–	30
$1,000	61	18	1	2	1	–	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	243	59	14	55	10	3	5
acres on which used	4 495	1 137	340	434	239	105	406
$1,000	30	8	3	3	1	1	3
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	945	230	192	268	98	2	20
acres on which used	131 789	28 877	57 375	11 337	17 515	82	2 340
$1,000	814	163	329	112	123	(Z)	11
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	829	156	16	90	17	3	2
$1,000	182	26	3	10	2	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 089	754	50	617	45	52	57
$1,000	888	326	75	254	26	22	63
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	6 465	1 778	205	2 037	165	110	145
Under 1,000 bushels	975	299	20	286	24	8	8
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1 179	455	51	176	30	–	7
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	578	214	38	97	23	3	7
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	390	167	25	43	22	6	2
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	131	64	9	8	4	2	2
50,000 bushels and over	52	16	6	3	6	1	–
Not reporting	7 743	2 842	207	2 230	249	116	154
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	7 058	1 899	148	884	198	72	88
number	458 359	78 632	10 904	16 067	10 740	1 650	4 278
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6 281	1 670	142	725	167	62	74
number	252 937	42 221	6 339	8 962	5 713	996	2 559
Beef cows—farms	5 537	1 535	131	586	148	58	73
number	208 538	41 282	6 305	8 453	5 517	966	2 543
Milk cows—farms	1 377	303	18	228	27	14	6
number	44 399	939	34	509	196	30	16
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4 504	1 102	97	438	115	39	43
number	100 325	16 527	1 843	3 551	1 845	384	681
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	4 078	1 073	97	403	114	38	41
number	78 069	15 861	1 841	3 439	1 821	376	678
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	628	72	1	52	6	4	2
number	22 256	666	2	112	24	8	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5 181	1 329	113	552	132	43	65
number	105 097	19 884	2 722	3 554	3 182	270	1 038
Cattle and calves sold—farms	6 268	1 597	129	488	185	65	79
number	181 631	25 023	3 419	5 576	3 431	517	1 482
$1,000	34 360	4 294	645	919	611	76	212
Calves—farms	4 333	1 054	92	328	126	37	61
number	86 161	12 773	1 840	3 092	1 683	295	1 043
$1,000	9 527	1 437	173	375	205	30	123
Cattle—farms	4 640	1 066	80	324	120	42	47
number	95 470	12 250	1 579	2 484	1 748	222	439
$1,000	24 833	2 857	471	544	406	46	88
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	830	222	11	96	26	22	8
number	23 179	3 668	269	846	613	77	50
$1,000	7 370	1 001	86	205	159	18	8
Hogs and pigs—farms	4 820	1 361	54	1 470	119	57	21
number	315 752	58 549	2 288	35 415	5 391	870	1 665
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	3 408	939	28	1 031	68	35	14
number	42 158	8 476	291	5 327	548	133	115
Other—farms	4 619	1 307	54	1 405	110	53	20
number	273 594	50 073	1 997	30 088	4 843	737	1 550

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals—farms	124	550	2 483	393	343	36	30	337
$1,000	105	7 045	8 494	6 403	1 246	69	157	1 116
Commercial fertilizer—farms	121	546	2 420	391	257	34	30	330
acres on which used	1 240	134 934	228 425	111 873	26 876	1 712	3 164	28 927
tons	475	38 317	57 334	35 563	6 266	429	958	7 814
$1,000	79	4 887	7 496	5 529	833	62	144	960
Lime—farms	17	147	463	144	49	8	10	64
acres on which used	120	18 541	30 694	17 988	4 436	424	441	3 782
tons	132	19 474	30 691	19 424	4 298	464	293	4 007
$1,000	2	225	347	220	50	5	4	43
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	10	39	16	2	1	2	1
acres on which used	–	439	1 196	657	9	35	62	50
$1,000	–	3	8	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	41	258	254	74	33	–	7	56
acres on which used	327	58 556	22 545	18 174	5 589	–	276	4 311
$1,000	9	1 070	244	240	90	–	3	61
Nematodes in crops—farms	5	74	31	7	10	–	2	11
acres on which used	12	10 372	2 559	857	2 118	–	60	399
$1,000	(Z)	76	22	6	16	–	(Z)	4
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	17	36	20	3	6	–	1	4
acres on which used	88	4 128	3 850	544	890	–	5	54
$1,000	8	80	52	8	13	–	(Z)	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	17	195	386	175	81	1	10	63
acres on which used	264	67 977	31 464	40 483	14 729	40	757	4 366
$1,000	5	592	224	343	148	(Z)	5	24
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	–	23	108	34	18	–	2	12
acres on which used	–	1 980	8 122	1 794	976	–	30	479
$1,000	–	7	22	5	4	–	(Z)	1
Weeds on other land—farms	5	13	43	19	5	1	2	9
acres on which used	124	345	713	490	62	20	4	76
$1,000	1	2	4	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	1
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	1	80	20	14	10	–	–	10
acres on which used	2	9 172	998	2 306	691	–	–	1 094
$1,000	(Z)	49	5	10	5	–	–	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	1	37	240	87	133	4	7	36
$1,000	(Z)	11	32	22	69	1	(Z)	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	20	102	257	35	55	2	2	41
$1,000	1	42	40	15	17	(Z)	(Z)	7
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None	96	160	1 204	115	248	23	9	170
Under 1,000 bushels	1	47	173	27	38	6	5	33
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	1	68	264	62	28	6	3	28
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	–	36	94	33	17	1	1	14
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	–	25	38	44	12	–	3	3
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	1	12	14	11	3	–	–	1
50,000 bushels and over	–	6	7	4	3	–	–	–
Not reporting	51	217	1 174	119	193	32	13	146
Livestock								
Cattle and calves—farms	6	343	2 418	415	249	20	32	286
number	250	26 406	203 638	68 685	12 545	692	2 606	21 266
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	6	302	2 184	413	219	18	32	267
number	121	13 659	108 720	42 875	7 019	432	1 415	11 906
Beef cows—farms	6	267	2 143	76	206	17	29	262
number	121	12 774	108 096	2 466	6 662	430	1 221	11 702
Milk cows—farms	–	78	206	413	34	1	15	34
number	–	885	624	40 409	357	2	194	204
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	4	206	1 662	381	169	10	25	213
number	62	5 072	41 307	20 936	2 517	99	698	4 803
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	4	188	1 633	88	157	9	23	210
number	62	4 658	39 967	1 682	2 380	96	550	4 658
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	–	23	80	359	14	1	6	8
number	–	414	1 340	19 254	137	3	148	145
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	5	243	1 963	277	193	14	27	225
number	67	7 675	53 611	4 874	3 009	161	493	4 557
Cattle and calves sold—farms	5	305	2 432	415	236	15	32	285
number	28	10 240	99 928	19 400	4 565	216	1 111	6 695
$1,000	4	2 213	20 413	2 991	688	25	241	1 029
Calves—farms	4	183	1 711	337	161	13	25	201
number	20	3 472	44 010	10 858	2 649	163	443	3 820
$1,000	3	416	5 407	580	272	14	44	448
Cattle—farms	4	233	1 964	353	163	8	29	207
number	8	6 768	55 918	8 542	1 916	53	668	2 875
$1,000	2	1 797	15 007	2 411	416	11	197	582
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	–	54	337	10	17	–	10	17
number	–	2 356	14 338	309	109	–	230	314
$1,000	–	774	4 834	95	23	–	80	86
Hogs and pigs—farms	5	318	1 160	46	103	2	15	89
number	70	35 889	161 964	2 851	5 110	12	1 364	4 314
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	2	239	894	26	62	2	12	56
number	16	4 876	20 364	395	856	12	205	544
Other—farms	5	307	1 114	42	101	–	13	88
number	54	31 013	141 600	2 456	4 254	–	1 159	3 770

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4 391	1 269	38	1 204	95	44	16
number	504 788	80 123	3 910	45 351	7 781	798	2 514
$1,000	33 578	4 897	292	2 689	459	41	132
Feeder pigs — farms	866	271	6	199	15	13	7
number	73 433	13 248	80	7 945	1 504	286	1 041
$1,000	1 670	267	1	176	24	7	22
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	3 666	1 014	33	1 114	74	39	15
number	63 396	12 017	428	6 704	873	165	219
December 1 and May 31 — farms	3 246	897	28	960	66	28	13
number	32 783	6 516	228	3 823	468	81	106
June 1 and November 30 — farms	2 888	785	25	783	53	25	14
number	30 613	5 501	200	2 881	405	84	113
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	19	3	–	4	–	1	1
number	601	17	–	112	–	1	13
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	15	3	–	4	–	–	1
number	201	7	–	40	–	–	6
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	17	3	–	4	–	–	1
number	318	7	–	64	–	–	6
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	19	3	–	4	–	1	1
number	82	3	–	8	–	1	1
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	16	2	–	6	–	–	1
number	265	4	–	60	–	–	8
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	13	1	–	4	–	–	1
number	389	9	–	56	–	–	8
pounds of wool	2 473	55	–	344	–	–	80
Horses and ponies — farms	1 470	442	19	247	58	20	14
number	6 163	1 441	94	531	217	49	112
Sold — farms	170	27	2	14	4	2	–
number	803	56	3	21	9	3	–
$1,000	652	35	(Z)	4	2	1	–
Horses — farms	1 309	382	12	217	55	19	13
number	5 429	1 224	70	437	202	44	111
Sold — farms	154	21	1	13	4	1	–
number	719	47	2	18	9	1	–
$1,000	645	34	(Z)	4	2	1	–
Any goats — farms	41	9	–	5	2	1	–
number	456	128	–	34	10	4	–
Sold — farms	8	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	49	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	2 176	518	19	707	54	26	8
number	6 139 609	22 164	865	35 336	2 117	621	227
Sold — farms	479	33	2	30	11	2	1
number	7 176 952	41 172	40	13 971	105	110	18 000
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	2 073	506	17	663	48	26	8
number	5 152 407	20 541	606	32 378	1 810	581	220
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	2 019	495	17	654	46	26	8
number	4 883 621	19 719	471	29 736	1 591	531	220
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	213	48	3	77	9	3	–
number	268 786	822	135	2 642	219	50	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	159	28	4	59	2	2	–
number	951 425	303	55	811	10	18	–
Roosters and male chickens — farms	902	249	12	355	25	10	3
number	35 777	1 320	204	2 147	297	22	7
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	69	9	1	23	1	2	–
number	659 050	161	10	487	25	40	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	172	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	20 673 651	3	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys — farms	65	11	1	9	2	–	–
number	701 193	44	10	141	30	–	–
Sold — farms	71	–	–	2	–	–	–
number	2 562 624	–	–	100	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	51	9	–	9	–	–	–
number	643 381	25	–	136	–	–	–
Sold — farms	62	–	–	2	–	–	–
number	2 309 774	–	–	100	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	5	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	26 257	–	–	–	25	–	–
Sold — farms	8	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	225 000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	28	8	1	3	2	–	–
number	31 555	19	10	5	5	–	–
Sold — farms	7	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	27 850	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	9 934	3 770	202	3 284	299	94	60
acres	462 392	219 039	13 000	82 220	13 295	2 324	2 261
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	7 765	2 926	169	2 446	223	71	52
acres	395 127	182 633	11 455	67 040	11 549	2 105	1 990
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	9 597	3 732	198	3 225	265	90	55
acres	421 863	215 564	12 717	81 124	11 853	2 255	1 909
bushels	27 120 878	13 754 756	791 421	5 354 569	766 468	121 800	87 470
Irrigated — farms	36	15	–	9	4	2	–
acres	1 419	862	–	96	119	8	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Livestock — Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	4	330	1 174	34	89	2	13	79
number	239	59 808	279 635	5 173	11 991	28	2 366	5 071
$1,000	8	4 398	19 221	296	675	(Z)	169	299
Feeder pigs — farms	2	64	231	9	25	2	2	20
number	200	4 288	37 595	1 287	4 461	28	35	1 435
$1,000	5	100	914	23	93	(Z)	1	36
Litters of pigs farrowed between —								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	2	255	950	28	63	2	12	65
number	36	6 432	33 654	518	1 376	4	207	763
December 1 and May 31 — farms	2	228	875	27	55	2	12	53
number	12	3 268	16 745	293	730	2	108	403
June 1 and November 30 — farms	2	210	848	21	54	2	10	56
number	24	3 164	16 909	225	646	2	99	360
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	–	1	6	–	2	–	–	1
number	–	1	351	–	74	–	–	32
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	–	–	4	–	2	–	–	1
number	–	–	112	–	26	–	–	10
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	–	–	6	–	2	–	–	1
number	–	–	179	–	42	–	–	20
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	–	1	6	–	2	–	–	1
number	–	1	60	–	6	–	–	2
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	1
number	–	–	141	–	30	–	–	22
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	1
number	–	–	249	–	45	–	–	22
pounds of wool	–	–	1 579	–	279	–	–	136
Horses and ponies — farms	3	43	426	38	32	47	6	75
number	6	128	1 577	135	133	1 111	59	570
Sold — farms	–	–	55	–	3	49	4	10
number	–	–	138	–	10	507	35	21
$1,000	–	–	52	–	7	481	53	17
Horses — farms	2	37	386	36	26	47	6	71
number	5	104	1 376	116	96	1 041	57	546
Sold — farms	–	–	48	–	3	49	4	10
number	–	–	100	–	10	487	25	20
$1,000	–	–	48	–	7	481	52	17
Any goats — farms	1	3	12	–	4	2	–	2
number	6	60	159	–	40	4	–	11
Sold — farms	1	–	5	–	1	–	–	–
number	6	–	38	–	3	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	1	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	–	129	303	29	297	4	21	61
number	–	23 717	19 603	25 785	5 996 875	89	6 940	5 270
Sold — farms	–	21	30	6	322	–	12	9
number	–	62 496	5 770	19 384	7 009 887	–	3 842	2 175
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	–	124	293	29	273	4	21	61
number	–	22 960	18 054	25 713	5 017 676	68	6 629	5 171
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	–	114	292	29	253	4	21	60
number	–	18 549	17 779	25 689	4 757 488	68	6 629	5 151
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	–	22	18	2	29	–	–	2
number	–	4 411	275	24	260 188	–	–	20
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	–	1	20	–	40	1	–	2
number	–	10	298	–	949 885	10	–	25
Roosters and male chickens — farms	–	60	112	6	37	4	6	23
number	–	747	1 251	72	29 314	11	311	74
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	–	2	8	1	22	–	–	–
number	–	(D)	(D)	10	638 422	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	–	6	–	–	164	–	1	–
number	–	(D)	–	–	20 301 548	–	(D)	–
Turkeys — farms	–	6	2	–	32	–	1	1
number	–	24	8	–	700 900	–	3	33
Sold — farms	–	–	2	–	66	–	–	1
number	–	–	10	–	2 560 514	–	–	2 000
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	–	5	2	–	25	–	1	–
number	–	13	4	–	643 200	–	3	–
Sold — farms	–	–	2	–	57	–	–	1
number	–	–	10	–	2 307 664	–	–	2 000
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	1
number	–	2	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	8	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	225 000	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	–	5	2	–	6	–	–	1
number	–	9	4	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	7	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	27 850	–	–	–
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes — farms	6	444	1 167	306	109	6	25	162
acres	57	31 845	44 288	42 264	5 204	350	1 240	5 005
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	3	367	981	282	90	3	17	135
acres	40	27 614	40 519	39 739	4 957	89	1 072	4 325
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	6	433	1 106	198	107	5	24	153
acres	57	28 515	38 869	17 917	5 011	340	1 031	4 701
bushels	4 314	1 849 123	2 397 055	1 267 899	362 180	9 600	56 695	297 528
Irrigated — farms	–	2	3	1	–	–	–	–
acres	–	22	277	35	–	–	–	–

Table 32. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Total farms	Cash grain farms (011)	Cotton farms (0131)	Tobacco farms (0132)	Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	Vegetable and melon farms (016)	Fruit and tree nut farms (017)
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes—farms	784	226	17	26	40	3	7
acres	28 198	7 746	274	443	2 258	210	164
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	583	165	7	12	22	1	4
acres	21 307	4 994	118	327	1 905	3	155
Sorghums for grain or seed—farms	493	195	15	17	11	3	3
acres	16 010	7 028	244	361	281	210	150
bushels	643 076	279 902	8 968	13 940	7 356	4 416	6 175
Irrigated—farms	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
acres	41	11	–	30	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans—farms	11 093	5 292	399	3 217	296	103	93
acres	1 056 929	599 813	81 899	160 174	54 216	11 207	13 246
bushels	21 129 937	12 152 708	1 475 153	3 120 819	1 113 262	247 157	276 058
Irrigated—farms	30	8	1	17	–	2	–
acres	561	75	125	325	–	20	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	6 376	2 808	279	1 953	192	62	56
acres	742 189	404 772	65 016	116 089	42 803	7 144	9 114
Peanuts for nuts—farms	323	102	12	33	70	8	1
acres	13 274	4 046	1 384	439	4 596	47	357
pounds	27 103 222	8 485 627	2 783 420	574 610	9 700 320	35 100	(D)
Irrigated—farms	4	1	1	–	1	–	–
acres	140	30	100	–	9	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	186	60	9	20	42	4	1
acres	11 436	3 761	1 348	424	3 727	19	357
Wheat—farms	2 194	1 127	117	249	115	10	34
acres	98 010	54 453	9 105	6 241	6 163	855	1 165
bushels	2 620 050	1 429 300	231 699	155 700	175 020	19 335	27 445
Irrigated—farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres	36	35	1	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 692	834	99	204	99	10	26
acres	85 313	45 872	8 580	5 489	6 043	855	954
Cotton—farms	2 261	628	561	467	259	4	22
acres	254 766	50 659	116 109	20 030	36 217	61	2 904
bales	264 448	48 255	131 627	15 311	35 664	29	2 923
Irrigated—farms	11	1	2	4	2	–	–
acres	713	525	131	23	20	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	2 080	577	534	401	245	3	22
acres	252 758	50 168	115 578	19 483	36 090	56	2 904
Tobacco—farms	5 867	460	41	4 880	242	2	2
acres	70 315	3 987	564	58 730	4 566	2	70
pounds	145 287 632	6 556 959	946 741	123 939 578	8 864 977	4 216	107 000
Irrigated—farms	122	9	–	95	12	–	–
acres	1 789	120	–	1 448	177	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5 867	460	41	4 880	242	2	2
acres	69 932	3 956	555	58 447	4 507	2	70
Irish potatoes—farms	320	80	6	89	30	16	2
acres	680	152	102	43	166	26	3
hundredweight	80 928	10 483	15 087	4 187	27 860	3 157	195
Irrigated—farms	3	–	1	–	2	–	–
acres	106	–	100	–	6	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	132	26	2	47	16	12	–
acres	572	132	100	28	147	23	–
Hay—farms	4 172	1 132	105	338	220	35	58
acres	123 978	23 003	3 109	3 723	11 878	408	1 494
tons	263 166	47 175	6 234	6 197	33 337	581	2 586
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	1 926	490	65	102	80	10	23
acres	65 171	10 506	2 157	1 455	5 772	121	651
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating—farms	156	40	–	26	12	1	1
acres	4 350	1 030	–	180	697	8	2
tons, dry	10 074	2 184	–	322	1 695	10	2
Irrigated—farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay—farms	275	45	4	7	18	2	2
acres	7 136	727	82	32	579	12	140
tons, dry	11 689	1 531	103	34	907	10	100
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds—farms	193	40	7	2	23	–	2
acres	9 621	1 221	296	74	2 412	–	200
Irrigated—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	98	19	1	–	12	–	–
acres	5 732	515	30	–	1 575	–	–
Vegetables—farms	1 262	397	25	180	46	246	23
acres	26 397	6 667	506	744	499	13 501	191
Irrigated—farms	53	6	2	10	1	23	2
acres	1 318	91	2	32	(Z)	1 125	25
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	786	217	19	104	27	176	17
acres	20 416	4 006	484	404	334	11 824	157
Berries—farms	18	5	–	1	–	2	7
acres	64	8	–	(Z)	–	5	49
Irrigated—farms	4	–	–	1	–	1	2
acres	23	–	–	(Z)	–	3	20
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	5	3	–	–	–	–	2
acres	38	6	–	–	–	–	32
Land in orchards—farms	693	131	21	32	10	11	323
acres	36 858	2 226	319	177	771	184	28 448
Irrigated—farms	20	2	–	1	–	1	14
acres	2 154	15	–	14	–	3	2 118
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	380	62	8	11	5	5	197
acres	28 644	1 500	138	50	113	79	23 093

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Horticultural specialty farms (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	Dairy farms (024)	Poultry and egg farms (025)	Animal specialty farms (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
Crops Harvested — Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	2	31	190	178	23	–	9	32
acres	41	1 420	3 961	9 617	693	–	133	1 238
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1	21	150	149	17	–	8	26
acres	35	1 105	3 394	7 856	531	–	128	756
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	2	19	130	53	21	–	5	19
acres	41	959	2 805	2 822	613	–	42	454
bushels	1 575	47 659	110 231	110 756	28 978	–	1 090	22 030
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	5	471	745	169	146	2	20	135
acres	139	61 754	33 763	20 191	14 487	20	851	5 169
bushels	2 890	1 243 049	657 130	439 134	281 046	200	16 944	104 387
Irrigated — farms	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	16	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	3	294	448	117	85	1	12	66
acres	79	46 327	22 527	13 091	11 062	8	492	3 665
Peanuts for nuts — farms	–	54	32	2	5	–	1	3
acres	–	1 666	263	133	330	–	10	3
pounds	–	3 543 522	623 715	(D)	534 708	–	8 000	800
Irrigated — farms	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	35	11	2	1	–	1	–
acres	–	1 431	220	133	6	–	10	–
Wheat — farms	2	144	245	69	40	–	8	34
acres	37	8 316	5 256	3 379	2 056	–	117	867
bushels	1 465	238 309	147 325	108 876	58 073	–	4 585	22 918
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	120	177	62	30	–	6	23
acres	37	7 694	4 419	3 067	1 464	–	107	732
Cotton — farms	–	211	51	26	19	–	1	12
acres	–	20 216	1 971	4 370	1 217	–	30	982
bales	–	22 122	1 969	4 376	1 249	–	14	909
Irrigated — farms	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	14	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	197	50	26	16	–	1	8
acres	–	20 004	1 945	4 370	1 172	–	30	958
Tobacco — farms	–	162	51	6	13	–	1	7
acres	–	1 693	300	155	137	–	52	59
pounds	–	3 511 319	598 312	263 208	255 140	–	(D)	(D)
Irrigated — farms	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	2
acres	–	37	–	–	–	–	–	7
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	162	51	6	13	–	1	7
acres	–	1 693	300	155	137	–	52	59
Irish potatoes — farms	2	38	43	5	–	1	2	6
acres	1	160	13	2	–	(Z)	2	11
hundredweight	40	17 045	1 182	121	–	15	600	956
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	11	12	–	–	–	–	4
acres	1	124	5	–	–	–	–	11
Hay — farms	6	220	1 380	319	133	18	24	184
acres	79	7 287	44 346	16 973	3 164	506	981	7 027
tons	124	17 456	82 596	43 643	6 882	1 293	2 063	12 999
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1	90	674	229	49	12	12	89
acres	20	2 782	23 223	12 183	1 285	333	434	4 249
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	–	9	44	15	5	–	3	–
acres	–	415	1 372	462	112	–	72	–
tons, dry	–	940	3 457	1 233	123	–	108	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	40	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	–	13	134	14	12	1	2	21
acres	–	280	3 333	424	231	25	210	1 061
tons, dry	–	734	5 154	910	388	50	420	1 348
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	1	14	77	10	2	–	1	14
acres	18	2 137	2 537	338	43	–	9	336
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	5	44	6	2	–	–	9
acres	–	1 757	1 453	98	43	–	–	261
Vegetables — farms	6	187	104	12	11	–	4	21
acres	17	3 405	438	258	64	–	18	87
Irrigated — farms	2	7	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	6	36	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	6	123	62	10	6	–	4	15
acres	17	2 600	241	253	17	–	18	61
Berries — farms	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	2	54	66	8	9	1	5	20
acres	4	2 528	1 281	281	237	9	42	352
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	29	35	6	6	1	4	9
acres	5	2 112	954	200	215	9	35	141

Table 33. Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
percent	100.0	4.8	10.3	12.8	17.8	26.4	28.0
Land in farms—acres	1 827 760	472 460	401 476	286 076	268 996	231 469	167 283
Average size of farm—acres	313	1 675	668	385	260	150	103
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	777 075	207 926	163 016	119 638	107 618	100 977	77 901
Average per farm—dollars	133 175	737 325	271 242	160 803	103 878	65 569	47 733
Average per acre—dollars	425	440	406	418	400	436	466
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	202	–	–	4	5	66	127
$10,000 to $19,999	560	–	–	7	54	196	303
$20,000 to $39,999	1 185	–	5	39	152	430	559
$40,000 to $69,999	1 191	–	22	122	285	408	354
$70,000 to $99,999	703	3	47	130	189	185	149
$100,000 to $149,999	703	9	104	167	195	150	78
$150,000 to $199,999	340	12	110	92	65	31	30
$200,000 to $499,999	693	113	266	152	71	62	29
$500,000 and over	258	145	47	31	20	12	3
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	5 203	252	532	650	920	1 341	1 508
acres	1 238 133	257 794	241 940	183 004	206 619	192 775	156 001
Land rented or leased from others—farms	3 111	239	456	563	600	698	555
acres	644 350	219 643	163 308	112 798	75 291	50 701	22 609
Land rented or leased to others—farms	823	20	32	83	149	249	290
acres	54 723	4 977	3 772	9 726	12 914	12 007	11 327
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
acres	1 110 600	332 037	258 269	181 141	140 761	118 518	79 874
Harvested cropland—farms	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
acres	954 027	315 107	232 031	153 531	110 915	85 921	56 522
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	2 223	–	–	6	98	762	1 357
50 to 99 acres	1 409	–	1	69	443	638	258
100 to 199 acres	935	–	57	317	413	133	15
200 to 499 acres	873	22	418	343	81	7	2
500 to 999 acres	267	134	123	9	1	–	–
1,000 acres and over	128	126	2	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	106	104	2	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	22	22	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	1 898	78	210	233	360	474	543
acres	89 104	9 627	15 580	15 484	16 955	16 906	14 552
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	437	13	35	41	63	139	146
acres	17 934	706	2 628	2 377	3 474	5 443	3 306
On which all crops failed—farms	222	13	21	25	46	54	63
acres	7 325	1 620	1 093	1 285	1 281	1 016	1 030
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	135	9	16	7	36	44	23
acres	5 780	851	1 431	892	1 155	1 008	443
Idle—farms	832	50	82	124	152	230	194
acres	36 430	4 126	5 506	7 572	6 981	8 224	4 021
Total woodland—farms	3 593	168	415	435	641	936	998
acres	559 625	106 036	116 322	78 573	102 126	88 285	68 283
Woodland pastured—farms	1 393	54	148	180	319	341	351
acres	158 946	28 904	32 124	24 282	34 775	19 229	19 632
Woodland not pastured—farms	2 839	143	336	339	470	740	811
acres	400 679	77 132	84 198	54 291	67 351	69 056	48 651
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	788	58	88	111	134	224	173
acres	63 595	17 350	11 568	12 792	6 314	8 899	6 672
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	556	36	61	79	103	142	135
acres	34 545	7 351	5 505	7 358	4 220	5 084	5 027
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	293	26	33	43	48	97	46
acres	29 050	9 999	6 063	5 434	2 094	3 815	1 645
Other land (see text)—farms	3 391	185	386	452	602	837	929
acres	93 940	17 037	15 317	13 570	19 795	15 767	12 454
Total pastureland—farms	2 833	143	303	372	538	731	746
acres	311 645	55 881	59 272	52 558	58 044	45 034	40 856
Irrigated land—farms	37	6	9	7	–	10	5
acres	1 800	1 157	354	55	–	202	32
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	35	6	9	6	–	9	5
acres	1 738	1 157	354	45	–	150	32
Artificial drainage—farms	783	98	151	132	150	162	90
acres drained	152 319	79 942	29 723	16 496	11 921	9 710	4 527
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	811	94	127	134	177	175	104
number	1 857	242	267	371	383	405	189
acres	3 709	1 014	743	620	569	579	185
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
Full owners	2 759	43	147	184	443	845	1 097
Part owners	2 433	207	385	462	476	493	410
Tenants	643	32	69	98	117	202	125

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	5 157	260	573	712	942	1 329	1 341
Full owners	2 450	39	142	179	401	735	954
Part owners	2 148	193	368	440	443	415	289
Tenants	559	28	63	93	98	179	98
Black and other races[1]	625	7	16	30	84	198	290
Full owners	287	–	–	3	38	103	143
Part owners	263	5	12	22	30	74	120
Tenants	75	2	4	5	16	21	27
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	5 362	216	498	668	952	1 448	1 580
acres	1 549 850	345 299	322 235	259 088	249 030	212 661	161 537
Partnership — farms	420	51	91	74	74	79	51
acres	221 557	93 983	64 121	26 918	16 740	14 124	5 671
Corporation, including family owned — farms	34	15	8	–	5	5	1
acres	47 049	33 178	10 787	–	2 401	608	75
Other — farms	19	–	4	2	5	8	–
acres	9 304	–	4 333	70	825	4 076	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	1 670	132	261	260	315	405	297
$1,000	61 861	28 049	11 818	6 915	5 598	6 336	3 146
Debts secured by real estate — farms	1 230	111	172	196	227	297	227
$1,000	47 375	21 813	8 265	5 181	4 323	5 024	2 768
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	881	74	161	130	171	218	127
$1,000	14 487	6 236	3 553	1 733	1 275	1 312	378
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	98	1	15	23	19	25	15
25 to 34 years	603	28	62	97	124	152	140
35 to 44 years	994	61	123	141	176	229	264
45 to 54 years	1 395	84	172	207	230	360	342
55 to 64 years	1 523	71	147	168	261	415	461
65 years and over	1 169	22	70	106	216	346	409
Average age	52.3	49.7	49.7	49.5	52.3	53.1	54.2
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	3 262	152	335	434	563	847	931
On another farm	328	4	17	32	43	115	117
In a rural area, not on a farm	291	11	24	28	46	100	82
In a city, town, or urban area	515	48	63	71	88	115	130
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	3 641	252	518	569	702	790	810
Other	2 141	15	71	173	324	737	821
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	1 748	–	5	24	188	681	850
Less than value of farm products sold	2 038	134	343	436	456	397	272
Not reporting or none	1 996	133	241	282	382	449	509
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	2 507	34	146	254	418	803	852
1 to 49 days	202	12	28	22	43	46	51
50 to 99 days	154	6	8	19	22	46	53
100 to 149 days	173	4	17	27	39	55	31
150 to 199 days	238	–	12	38	35	77	76
200 days and over	1 740	12	81	148	279	579	641
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	880	36	107	148	168	216	205
Number of persons	1 010	45	123	162	189	247	244
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	92	3	10	23	19	18	19
50 to 99 days	89	6	11	14	16	24	18
100 to 149 days	81	2	10	17	12	20	20
150 to 199 days	148	5	20	25	34	35	29
200 days and over	600	29	72	83	108	150	158
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	3	–	–	–	–	–	3
10 to 49 acres	806	–	–	4	24	234	544
50 to 69 acres	529	–	–	3	54	201	271
70 to 99 acres	685	–	1	13	112	297	262
100 to 139 acres	753	–	3	38	175	318	219
140 to 179 acres	506	–	6	67	155	155	123
180 to 219 acres	409	–	14	79	137	113	66
220 to 259 acres	367	–	11	103	128	61	64
260 to 499 acres	869	6	236	279	172	109	67
500 to 999 acres	553	74	245	130	61	35	8
1,000 to 1,999 acres	263	137	73	22	11	16	4
2,000 acres and over	92	65	12	6	7	1	1
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
$1,000	145 994	57 537	36 430	20 970	14 591	10 796	5 670
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	90	90	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	182	182	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	601	–	601	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	744	–	–	744	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	1 036	–	–	–	1 036	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	–	–	–	–	1 540	–
$2,500 to $4,999	1 500	–	–	–	–	–	1 500
Under $2,50u (see text)	132	–	–	–	–	–	132
Grain sold—farms	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
$1,000	113 895	41 874	28 675	17 031	12 226	9 127	4 963
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	681	282	399	–	–	–	–
$1,000	64 155	41 874	22 281	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	454	43	102	102	75	90	42
$1,000	6 030	2 545	1 888	980	331	231	54
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	27	26	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	2 282	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	627	131	150	104	90	90	62
$1,000	10 462	7 014	2 085	775	357	166	64
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	75	75	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	5 660	5 660	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	431	32	50	63	82	93	111
$1,000	908	273	212	184	92	74	72
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	148	29	27	16	18	28	30
$1,000	1 687	1 350	181	56	50	31	19
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	11	11	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	973	973	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	373	43	56	59	75	85	55
$1,000	2 133	1 131	473	222	151	115	40
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	12	12	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	837	837	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	64	6	12	10	13	13	10
$1,000	371	262	56	15	10	21	7
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	104	1	10	19	17	34	23
$1,000	104	1	37	31	12	15	9
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	18	4	4	3	2	2	3
$1,000	183	142	30	9	(Z)	(Z)	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 597	87	230	272	299	405	304
$1,000	4 294	1 171	1 031	805	603	459	225
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	465	465	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	1 269	51	168	190	255	343	262
$1,000	4 897	1 537	1 424	691	607	449	189
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	12	12	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 056	1 056	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	–	–	(Z)	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	40	6	6	3	9	11	5
$1,000	39	6	17	1	8	7	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	13	–	–	1	3	8	1
$1,000	20	–	–	(Z)	7	12	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	393	28	62	72	94	86	51
$1,000	972	230	322	170	138	88	24
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---- farms	5 835	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 632
$1,000	102 415	42 554	25 022	13 686	9 690	7 116	4 347
Livestock and poultry purchased - farms	1 152	61	156	164	218	298	255
$1,000	2 025	687	448	351	190	236	113
Feed for livestock and poultry --- farms	2 146	86	265	306	375	629	485
$1,000	3 023	968	685	406	342	377	245
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---------- farms	1 824	75	212	243	312	559	423
tons	15 037	5 171	2 873	1 937	1 830	1 955	1 271
$1,000	2 193	752	458	269	251	277	186
Feed ingredients---------- farms	601	35	93	100	101	141	131
tons	2 208	375	795	397	276	215	151
$1,000	336	53	116	69	41	33	23
Whole grains ---------- farms	538	25	68	78	87	156	124
tons	3 833	1 441	906	474	301	492	220
$1,000	420	154	101	55	32	54	24
Hay, green chop, and silage --- farms	220	4	17	40	46	60	53
tons	2 035	202	214	304	701	331	283
$1,000	74	9	9	13	18	14	11
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---------- farms	968	80	200	160	189	190	149
$1,000	167	45	53	24	16	17	11
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees -- farms	4 516	278	567	646	847	1 125	1 053
$1,000	5 011	1 939	1 226	689	530	389	238
Commercial fertilizer purchased -- farms	4 799	275	567	684	884	1 218	1 171
$1,000	26 687	10 628	6 773	3 933	2 480	1 817	1 056
Commercial fertilizer used ------ farms	4 387	275	567	674	852	1 072	947
acres fertilized	776 717	290 667	200 976	125 412	81 457	50 581	27 624
dry tons	154 617	62 444	38 130	23 733	14 815	9 847	5 648
liquid or gas tons	37 328	14 374	10 108	5 623	3 836	2 278	1 108
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---------- farms	3 079	243	461	485	613	712	565
$1,000	9 294	4 756	2 308	1 077	656	357	140
Lime ---------- farms	1 020	132	179	186	216	201	106
tons	117 268	49 063	31 562	14 393	12 550	6 821	2 879
$1,000	1 389	561	368	178	160	84	37
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------ farms	5 659	282	601	744	992	1 491	1 549
$1,000	8 689	2 606	2 289	1 317	1 048	854	574
Gasoline ---------- farms	4 990	280	497	647	855	1 329	1 382
$1,000	3 821	1 024	874	546	517	513	346
Diesel oil---------- farms	3 636	281	579	634	686	739	717
$1,000	3 319	1 192	1 018	516	303	176	114
LP gas, butane, and propane -- farms	451	42	76	148	82	47	56
$1,000	275	94	60	46	44	18	13
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ------ farms	5 658	281	601	744	992	1 491	1 549
$1,000	1 274	295	337	210	185	146	101
Hired farm labor ---------- farms	2 189	237	393	368	394	438	359
$1,000	8 738	4 805	2 164	873	490	274	132
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more --------- farms	723	214	271	138	73	20	7
workers	1 651	880	452	190	100	22	7
25 to 149 days ---------- farms	651	116	151	141	113	92	38
workers	2 362	920	589	361	253	192	47
Less than 25 days--------- farms	1 411	77	153	217	269	368	327
workers	9 855	854	1 766	2 094	1 702	1 932	1 507
Contract labor ---------- farms	256	31	31	34	34	55	71
$1,000	614	359	98	48	34	38	37
Machine hire and customwork --- farms	3 094	123	280	334	550	862	945
$1,000	3 221	705	554	480	556	552	374
All other production expenses --- farms	5 789	282	601	744	1 036	1 540	1 586
$1,000	34 946	15 056	8 425	4 488	3 347	2 204	1 426
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ---------- farms	1 665	99	216	208	293	436	413
$1,000	4 082	670	765	435	890	819	503
$10,000 and over ---------- farms	63	18	15	4	20	6	-
$1,000	1 405	464	283	72	456	130	-
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services---------- farms	575	63	118	97	97	109	91
$1,000	1 730	405	444	212	331	229	109
Recreational services -------- farms	49	4	6	5	9	8	17
$1,000	43	27	7	2	2	2	4
Payments from government farm programs ---------- farms	555	41	99	81	106	125	103
$1,000	542	69	162	74	103	76	57
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments---------- farms	773	22	48	61	142	253	247
$1,000	1 644	134	124	124	447	503	312
Other farm-related income ---- farms	98	12	18	18	15	17	18
$1,000	122	34	27	24	7	9	20
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---------- farms	537	36	69	62	82	140	148
$1,000	1 217	246	229	126	282	160	174

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	3 357	102	273	407	582	981	1 012
$1,000	35 359	1 196	2 966	4 490	5 864	10 436	10 407
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	72	3	11	10	7	15	26
$250 to $499	32	2	5	8	7	1	9
$500 to $999	81	4	7	9	16	20	25
$1,000 to $4,999	758	26	84	97	133	200	218
$5,000 to $9,999	838	30	62	94	155	257	240
$10,000 to $19,999	1 247	23	74	133	224	398	395
$20,000 to $29,999	245	6	19	40	25	72	83
$30,000 and over	84	8	11	16	15	18	16
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	621	18	49	89	135	167	163
$1,000	6 884	307	909	1 103	1 445	1 644	1 476
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	2 486	62	191	287	390	764	792
$1,000	24 884	672	1 535	2 924	3 806	7 773	8 174
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	928	51	102	148	177	243	207
$1,000	1 805	152	406	270	220	505	252
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	496	11	24	57	100	152	152
$1,000	1 288	42	61	127	275	392	391
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	231	10	19	28	43	73	58
$1,000	499	24	55	66	118	122	113
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	4 045	246	509	625	732	963	970
number	5 648	453	860	831	941	1 286	1 277
2 or 3—farms	1 169	128	251	141	161	234	254
number	2 524	276	536	322	343	502	545
4 and over—farms	71	16	18	7	8	17	5
number	319	75	84	32	35	72	21
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	4 633	275	581	695	833	1 189	1 060
number	8 153	1 225	1 549	1 337	1 312	1 521	1 209
2 or 3—farms	1 705	126	392	445	384	238	120
number	3 904	342	1 011	988	805	504	254
4 and over—farms	309	142	95	28	19	20	5
number	1 630	876	444	127	77	86	20
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	4 836	280	586	719	857	1 223	1 171
number	11 073	1 492	1 996	1 935	1 758	2 108	1 784
2 or 3—farms	2 453	43	265	498	544	629	474
number	5 691	120	680	1 280	1 209	1 375	1 027
4 and over—farms	756	227	288	118	67	37	19
number	3 755	1 362	1 283	552	303	176	79
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	4 813	279	585	717	853	1 220	1 159
number	10 796	1 445	1 941	1 871	1 728	2 068	1 743
Crawler tractors—farms	231	41	45	50	25	33	37
number	277	47	55	64	30	40	41
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	2 043	271	499	462	355	294	162
number	2 344	433	561	492	377	316	165
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	1 503	236	410	332	257	173	95
number	1 711	320	454	364	279	196	98
Corn heads for combines—farms	1 081	220	347	229	150	93	42
number	1 187	278	367	240	154	106	42
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	513	34	85	123	125	90	56
number	524	42	87	124	125	90	56
Mower conditioners—farms	424	38	72	99	85	72	58
number	445	45	77	102	86	75	60
Pickup balers—farms	729	67	130	150	128	133	121
number	751	78	136	150	132	134	121
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	308	32	59	71	57	37	52
number	313	34	60	71	58	38	52
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	122	22	23	26	24	19	8
number	128	25	25	26	25	19	8
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	5 317	282	601	744	963	1 382	1 345
$1,000	124 342	26 639	27 892	21 811	17 130	18 057	12 813
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	867	–	3	21	109	296	438
$1,000	2 504	–	11	54	304	896	1 239
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	983	1	8	51	173	377	373
$1,000	6 871	7	55	377	1 224	2 576	2 632
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	1 262	8	43	140	294	342	435
$1,000	17 230	124	624	1 920	4 000	4 443	6 119
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	1 658	73	350	437	364	339	95
$1,000	50 656	2 984	12 556	13 557	10 370	8 625	2 563
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	418	108	165	90	23	28	4
$1,000	26 085	7 296	10 398	5 383	1 232	1 517	259
$100,000 and over—farms	129	92	32	5	–	–	–
$1,000	20 996	16 228	4 249	520	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	4 954	278	571	698	927	1 265	1 215
$1,000	35 981	15 385	9 081	5 010	3 136	2 174	1 196
Commercial fertilizer—farms	4 799	275	567	684	884	1 218	1 171
acres on which used	776 717	290 667	200 976	125 412	81 457	50 581	27 624
tons	191 945	76 818	48 238	29 356	18 651	12 125	6 757
$1,000	26 687	10 628	6 773	3 933	2 480	1 817	1 056
Lime—farms	1 020	132	179	186	216	201	106
acres on which used	123 098	52 099	33 080	16 392	11 732	7 085	2 710
tons	117 268	49 063	31 562	14 393	12 550	6 821	2 879
$1,000	1 389	561	368	178	160	84	37
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	31	6	4	7	7	4	3
acres on which used	761	210	145	111	108	175	12
$1,000	5	1	1	(Z)	1	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	1 467	206	301	270	298	275	117
acres on which used	303 665	156 665	74 260	38 206	20 953	10 716	2 865
$1,000	3 711	2 134	864	381	210	98	26
Nematodes in crops—farms	305	70	86	46	53	46	4
acres on which used	59 365	32 508	18 458	4 046	2 718	1 572	63
$1,000	418	233	123	26	20	16	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	54	13	7	6	9	10	9
acres on which used	7 158	3 891	1 469	743	325	571	159
$1,000	81	46	16	8	3	6	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	1 631	178	326	311	354	290	172
acres on which used	393 811	178 570	114 848	52 062	28 853	14 288	5 190
$1,000	3 149	1 611	851	367	194	90	37
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	61	12	12	9	11	10	7
acres on which used	3 450	1 647	828	385	370	121	99
$1,000	18	13	2	1	1	(Z)	1
Weeds on other land—farms	59	10	14	12	8	4	11
acres on which used	1 137	366	228	283	143	41	76
$1,000	8	3	1	2	1	(Z)	1
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	230	65	60	42	39	15	9
acres on which used	28 877	18 644	5 713	2 158	1 871	340	151
$1,000	163	109	29	12	11	2	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	156	18	21	40	40	24	13
$1,000	26	7	8	4	3	3	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	754	13	28	75	119	251	268
$1,000	326	39	45	99	52	56	35
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	1 778	44	153	256	362	510	453
Under 1,000 bushels	299	1	17	23	77	116	65
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	455	25	90	120	120	68	32
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	214	25	84	64	29	10	2
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	167	66	73	18	8	1	1
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	64	46	17	1	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	16	12	2	2	–	–	–
Not reporting	2 842	63	165	260	440	835	1 079
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	1 899	87	241	288	349	482	452
number	78 632	13 500	19 143	15 863	10 679	12 135	7 312
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	1 670	79	215	270	308	420	378
number	42 221	7 385	9 717	8 550	5 771	6 693	4 105
Beef cows—farms	1 535	75	208	257	292	386	317
number	41 282	7 184	9 639	8 463	5 670	6 437	3 889
Milk cows—farms	303	8	23	36	41	91	104
number	939	201	78	87	101	256	216
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	1 102	63	166	196	229	250	198
number	16 527	2 791	4 161	3 351	2 244	2 634	1 346
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	1 073	59	160	193	229	244	188
number	15 861	2 609	4 011	3 261	2 156	2 543	1 281
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	72	6	9	10	8	16	23
number	666	182	150	90	88	91	65
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	1 329	71	209	230	249	303	267
number	19 884	3 324	5 265	3 962	2 664	2 808	1 861
Cattle and calves sold—farms	1 597	87	230	272	299	405	304
number	25 023	5 246	6 024	4 937	3 864	3 318	1 634
$1,000	4 294	1 171	1 031	805	603	459	225
Calves—farms	1 054	47	141	159	211	276	220
number	12 773	1 764	3 045	2 546	2 260	2 114	1 044
$1,000	1 437	221	344	291	252	216	113
Cattle—farms	1 066	74	164	197	202	253	176
number	12 250	3 482	2 979	2 391	1 604	1 204	590
$1,000	2 857	950	686	514	351	244	112
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	222	19	35	44	38	56	30
number	3 668	1 712	698	581	254	322	101
$1,000	1 001	570	166	135	49	60	20
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 361	48	160	189	249	381	334
number	58 549	13 523	14 923	10 203	7 759	7 433	4 708
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	939	37	115	161	178	254	194
number	8 476	2 246	1 978	1 302	1 119	1 076	755
Other—farms	1 307	47	154	179	242	357	328
number	50 073	11 277	12 945	8 901	6 640	6 357	3 953

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	1 269	51	168	190	255	343	262
number	80 123	23 368	22 062	12 058	10 259	8 133	4 243
$1,000	4 897	1 537	1 424	691	607	449	189
Feeder pigs — farms	271	5	17	54	47	81	67
number	13 248	2 958	2 456	2 721	1 793	1 970	1 350
$1,000	267	64	51	48	37	40	27
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	1 014	40	122	169	194	274	215
number	12 017	4 101	2 837	1 835	1 293	1 225	726
December 1 and May 31 — farms	897	40	111	158	171	238	179
number	6 516	2 152	1 588	942	715	680	439
June 1 and November 30 — farms	785	37	111	148	160	198	131
number	5 501	1 949	1 249	893	578	545	287
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	3	–	–	–	1	1	1
number	17	–	–	–	3	9	5
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	3	–	–	–	1	1	1
number	7	–	–	–	1	4	2
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	3	–	–	–	1	1	1
number	7	–	–	–	1	4	2
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	3	–	–	–	1	1	1
number	3	–	–	–	1	1	1
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
number	4	–	–	–	–	2	2
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	9	–	–	–	–	9	–
pounds of wool	55	–	–	–	–	55	–
Horses and ponies — farms	442	21	53	55	66	92	155
number	1 441	134	193	194	220	230	470
Sold — farms	27	5	5	2	6	5	4
number	56	21	11	6	8	6	4
$1,000	35	6	17	1	7	4	(Z)
Horses — farms	382	19	44	45	60	75	139
number	1 224	125	167	173	164	193	402
Sold — farms	21	5	5	2	4	5	–
number	47	21	10	6	4	6	–
$1,000	34	6	17	1	7	4	–
Any goats — farms	9	1	–	1	3	–	4
number	128	3	–	5	38	–	82
Sold — farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	2	–	–	2	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	518	5	26	39	78	165	205
number	22 164	350	4 517	3 136	3 309	4 831	6 021
Sold — farms	33	–	6	8	6	5	8
number	41 172	–	2 007	14 605	1 130	22 510	920
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	506	5	25	39	76	159	202
number	20 541	325	4 392	2 885	3 065	4 266	5 608
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	495	5	25	37	72	155	201
number	19 719	275	4 392	2 824	2 939	4 068	5 221
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	48	1	–	4	10	12	21
number	822	50	–	61	126	198	387
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	28	1	5	2	5	4	11
number	303	20	44	15	60	58	106
Roosters and male chickens — farms	249	1	11	15	39	91	92
number	1 320	5	81	236	184	507	307
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	9	1	–	1	1	1	5
number	161	50	–	7	13	5	86
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
number	3	–	–	–	–	–	3
Turkeys — farms	11	–	1	–	2	4	4
number	44	–	4	–	3	20	17
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	9	–	–	–	1	4	4
number	25	–	–	–	1	13	11
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	8	–	1	–	1	3	3
number	19	–	4	–	2	7	6
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	3 770	251	488	533	668	956	874
acres	219 039	78 872	54 678	31 479	23 665	18 918	11 427
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 926	228	416	447	537	682	616
acres	182 633	71 225	46 749	25 391	18 397	12 798	8 073
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	3 732	250	486	527	658	949	862
acres	215 564	77 730	53 925	30 965	23 251	18 614	11 079
bushels	13 754 756	5 361 143	3 599 301	1 891 446	1 347 119	1 019 411	536 336
Irrigated — farms	15	2	3	2	–	6	2
acres	862	475	254	20	–	100	13

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cash grain farms (011)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	226	13	21	45	47	60	40
acres	7 746	1 387	1 350	2 054	1 317	1 092	546
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	165	8	16	31	35	47	28
acres	4 994	724	1 153	1 287	789	804	237
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	195	9	19	44	46	49	28
acres	7 028	1 179	1 287	1 981	1 295	875	411
bushels	279 902	37 663	50 502	92 599	55 867	29 503	13 768
Irrigated — farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
acres	11	–	–	–	–	–	11
Soybeans for beans — farms	5 292	275	587	700	957	1 370	1 403
acres	599 813	178 458	149 000	101 493	74 609	57 685	38 568
bushels	12 152 708	4 067 138	3 142 720	1 952 839	1 373 427	1 021 714	594 870
Irrigated — farms	8	–	–	1	1	4	2
acres	75	–	–	8	1	58	8
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 808	210	445	494	572	622	465
acres	404 772	139 387	107 736	72 999	45 303	26 101	13 246
Peanuts for nuts — farms	102	28	18	6	12	16	22
acres	4 046	3 358	404	74	139	39	32
pounds	8 485 627	7 314 853	803 387	111 200	185 700	34 564	35 923
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	30	30	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	60	26	13	6	6	6	3
acres	3 761	3 298	328	74	25	27	9
Wheat — farms	1 127	149	223	178	183	229	165
acres	54 453	21 459	14 422	7 783	4 645	4 007	2 137
bushels	1 429 300	578 889	406 197	191 547	115 601	90 368	46 698
Irrigated — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	35	–	35	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	834	135	201	149	149	121	79
acres	45 872	19 100	12 993	6 411	4 039	2 318	1 011
Cotton — farms	628	131	150	104	90	90	63
acres	50 659	30 396	11 213	4 980	2 449	1 132	489
bales	48 255	31 969	9 753	3 737	1 687	793	316
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	525	525	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	577	131	150	101	82	72	41
acres	50 168	30 294	11 213	4 930	2 380	991	360
Tobacco — farms	460	43	102	102	75	91	47
acres	3 987	1 502	1 213	736	268	199	70
pounds	6 556 959	2 517 273	2 279 697	1 098 667	344 922	257 884	58 516
Irrigated — farms	9	2	3	3	–	–	1
acres	120	78	30	11	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	460	43	102	102	75	91	47
acres	3 956	1 502	1 213	714	264	193	70
Irish potatoes — farms	80	3	5	11	15	23	23
acres	152	102	23	7	4	12	4
hundredweight	10 483	5 133	2 448	516	536	1 400	450
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	26	2	5	7	7	2	3
acres	132	102	23	3	4	(Z)	1
Hay — farms	1 132	62	157	177	211	278	247
acres	23 003	3 940	5 133	4 771	3 154	3 273	2 732
tons	47 175	10 416	11 951	9 112	5 774	5 823	4 099
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	490	40	105	83	94	101	67
acres	10 506	2 255	3 151	1 954	1 257	1 125	764
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	40	2	4	9	12	6	7
acres	1 030	75	385	277	176	61	56
tons, dry	2 184	165	968	490	398	102	61
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	45	1	7	1	9	16	11
acres	727	19	245	28	127	223	85
tons, dry	1 531	50	866	30	124	304	157
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	40	3	7	10	6	5	9
acres	1 221	135	532	247	126	83	98
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	19	2	3	6	2	2	4
acres	515	115	130	170	14	29	57
Vegetables — farms	397	43	56	60	80	93	65
acres	6 667	3 020	1 472	837	646	476	216
Irrigated — farms	6	1	1	1	–	3	–
acres	91	50	25	6	–	10	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	217	34	25	24	52	46	36
acres	4 006	2 379	724	215	370	211	108
Berries — farms	5	–	–	–	–	3	2
acres	8	–	–	–	–	5	3
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	3	–	–	–	–	1	2
acres	6	–	–	–	–	3	3
Land in orchards — farms	131	13	25	20	29	19	25
acres	2 226	996	364	157	301	212	196
Irrigated — farms	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
acres	15	5	10	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	62	8	16	10	15	10	3
acres	1 500	842	273	95	126	130	34

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
percent	100.0	24.2	18.0	13.7	16.0	14.3	13.7
Land in farms—acres	359 294	233 592	60 832	29 927	20 107	9 015	5 821
Average size of farm—acres	640	1 718	602	389	223	113	76
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	135 380	83 988	25 663	11 397	6 969	4 458	2 905
Average per farm—dollars	241 318	617 559	254 094	148 008	77 432	55 721	37 725
Average per acre—dollars	377	360	422	381	347	494	499
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	23	–	–	–	–	5	18
$10,000 to $19,999	40	–	–	–	5	17	18
$20,000 to $39,999	69	–	–	7	18	24	20
$40,000 to $69,999	74	–	2	16	35	11	10
$70,000 to $99,999	51	–	4	15	14	11	7
$100,000 to $149,999	59	7	21	15	5	8	3
$150,000 to $199,999	40	7	17	7	7	2	–
$200,000 to $499,999	126	53	50	15	6	2	–
$500,000 and over	79	69	7	2	–	–	1
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	487	119	85	71	78	67	67
acres	197 539	115 801	30 802	21 341	15 855	8 825	4 915
Land rented or leased from others—farms	367	124	86	51	49	31	26
acres	167 463	119 247	30 171	9 569	4 762	2 388	1 326
Land rented or leased to others—farms	73	11	3	8	10	27	14
acres	5 708	1 456	141	983	510	2 198	420
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
acres	246 346	162 633	43 425	18 983	12 445	5 691	3 169
Harvested cropland—farms	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
acres	221 173	155 425	37 779	14 327	8 019	3 620	2 003
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	134	–	–	–	10	50	74
50 to 99 acres	85	–	–	9	46	27	3
100 to 199 acres	83	–	9	39	32	3	–
200 to 499 acres	113	13	70	28	2	–	–
500 to 999 acres	81	58	22	1	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	65	65	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	52	52	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	13	13	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	170	36	36	26	40	18	14
acres	15 005	4 240	3 284	2 248	3 268	1 361	604
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	39	6	4	7	9	5	8
acres	2 033	224	703	285	294	289	238
On which all crops failed—farms	19	6	1	5	1	3	3
acres	1 102	472	91	466	8	36	29
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	18	5	7	1	2	2	1
acres	1 240	211	329	328	309	43	20
Idle—farms	92	20	18	24	10	8	12
acres	5 793	2 061	1 239	1 329	547	342	275
Total woodland—farms	341	95	62	46	61	42	35
acres	91 215	58 173	14 391	8 696	5 436	2 522	1 997
Woodland pastured—farms	133	25	19	19	29	20	21
acres	20 369	13 819	1 258	1 205	2 469	1 065	553
Woodland not pastured—farms	268	76	55	36	48	32	21
acres	70 846	44 354	13 133	7 491	2 967	1 457	1 444
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	85	21	17	13	18	6	10
acres	11 961	7 914	1 826	866	970	220	165
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	59	11	12	9	15	6	6
acres	5 005	2 040	1 138	598	882	214	133
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	30	10	5	4	5	2	4
acres	6 956	5 874	688	268	88	6	32
Other land (see text)—farms	335	88	47	47	56	47	50
acres	9 772	4 872	1 190	1 382	1 256	582	490
Total pastureland—farms	257	60	47	35	58	29	28
acres	47 335	25 973	6 368	4 319	6 707	2 646	1 322
Irrigated land—farms	3	1	1	1	–	–	–
acres	456	200	6	250	–	–	–
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	3	1	1	1	–	–	–
acres	456	200	6	250	–	–	–
Artificial drainage—farms	102	54	19	13	6	7	3
acres drained	70 460	63 145	4 871	1 402	720	279	43
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	108	45	21	19	15	8	–
number	251	126	46	40	28	11	–
acres	673	453	108	57	33	22	–
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
Full owners	196	12	15	26	42	49	52
Part owners	289	107	70	44	36	17	15
Tenants	76	17	16	7	12	14	10

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	487	123	96	76	79	66	47
Full owners	163	12	14	25	35	43	34
Part owners	267	100	68	44	33	13	9
Tenants	57	11	14	7	11	10	4
Black and other races[1]	59	2	2	1	10	14	30
Full owners	32	–	–	1	7	6	18
Part owners	17	2	2	–	3	4	6
Tenants	10	–	–	–	–	4	6
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	485	92	93	72	76	78	74
acres	265 564	151 687	54 700	26 830	17 702	8 885	5 760
Partnership — farms	61	33	5	5	13	2	3
acres	71 913	63 023	3 343	3 097	2 259	130	61
Corporation, including family owned — farms	15	11	3	–	1	–	–
acres	21 817	18 882	2 789	–	146	–	–
Other — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	210	63	43	39	24	20	21
$1,000	13 357	8 197	2 770	1 463	490	248	190
Debts secured by real estate — farms	160	49	29	32	19	17	14
$1,000	8 259	5 035	1 487	1 061	339	211	126
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	115	39	27	18	12	8	11
$1,000	5 098	3 162	1 283	401	151	36	64
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	14	1	5	1	1	4	2
25 to 34 years	61	14	13	4	16	6	8
35 to 44 years	74	20	15	12	7	11	9
45 to 54 years	151	44	33	22	18	22	12
55 to 64 years	138	29	25	27	22	16	19
65 years and over	108	17	7	11	25	21	27
Average age	52.1	50.9	47.7	53.4	53.4	53.5	55.2
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	298	78	56	56	41	33	34
On another farm	51	–	3	1	19	14	14
In a rural area, not on a farm	25	8	2	2	2	5	6
In a city, town, or urban area	47	18	7	7	9	3	3
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	452	120	90	62	72	54	54
Other	94	5	8	15	17	26	23
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	88	–	1	6	15	30	36
Less than value of farm products sold	233	72	46	41	39	22	13
Not reporting or none	225	53	51	30	35	28	28
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	162	19	17	21	25	42	38
1 to 49 days	31	4	6	2	3	12	4
50 to 99 days	15	3	–	3	2	3	4
100 to 149 days	16	1	1	2	2	3	7
150 to 199 days	14	2	1	2	4	2	3
200 days and over	86	9	9	12	14	22	20
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	80	20	14	11	14	13	8
Number of persons	89	22	15	12	16	15	9
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	13	7	2	1	2	–	1
50 to 99 days	9	1	3	–	–	2	3
100 to 149 days	8	1	1	–	3	3	–
150 to 199 days	14	3	3	–	1	5	2
200 days and over	45	10	6	11	10	5	3
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
10 to 49 acres	66	–	–	–	4	20	42
50 to 69 acres	27	–	–	–	6	12	9
70 to 99 acres	35	–	–	3	9	14	9
100 to 139 acres	45	–	1	3	19	14	8
140 to 179 acres	36	–	–	7	21	4	4
180 to 219 acres	21	–	3	6	5	7	–
220 to 259 acres	22	–	3	11	3	3	2
260 to 499 acres	91	3	38	31	14	5	–
500 to 999 acres	106	41	45	11	8	1	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	63	47	9	5	1	–	1
2,000 acres and over	47	45	2	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
$1,000	45 771	34 796	6 509	2 286	1 309	589	281
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	13	13	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	52	52	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	71	71	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	101	–	101	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	77	–	–	77	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	90	–	–	–	90	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	80	–	–	–	–	80	–
$2,500 to $4,999	71	–	–	–	–	–	71
Under $2,500 (see text)	6	–	–	–	–	–	6
Grain sold—farms	435	130	95	70	66	43	31
$1,000	11 435	8 742	1 790	553	233	87	30
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	90	89	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	7 782	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	41	19	8	4	2	4	4
$1,000	854	699	105	26	9	9	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	423	423	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
$1,000	31 838	24 069	4 480	1 591	998	468	232
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	191	136	55	–	–	–	–
$1,000	27 060	24 069	2 990	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	35	12	4	8	4	1	6
$1,000	116	92	5	12	2	2	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	12	8	1	2	–	1	–
$1,000	445	420	18	6	–	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	329	329	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	24	9	5	3	3	1	3
$1,000	77	55	9	4	3	(Z)	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	10	5	3	–	2	–	–
$1,000	23	10	10	–	2	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	4	–	–	2	–	1	1
$1,000	1	–	–	1	–	(Z)	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	129	36	28	24	22	8	11
$1,000	645	440	69	69	49	13	5
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	38	9	4	6	6	6	7
$1,000	292	248	7	20	7	8	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	2	–	1	–	1	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	24	7	3	5	7	2	–
$1,000	47	20	15	5	5	2	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
$1,000--	35 600	26 995	5 117	1 745	1 111	422	211
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	64	15	11	13	12	8	5
$1,000--	157	92	19	11	25	8	3
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	135	26	37	24	22	12	14
$1,000--	200	103	43	24	20	7	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	115	21	30	20	20	12	12
tons--	912	368	234	107	147	43	14
$1,000--	131	56	33	16	18	6	2
Feed ingredients----------farms--	35	13	9	6	2	3	2
tons--	150	117	21	4	1	4	3
$1,000--	21	16	3	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Whole grains ----------farms--	31	10	7	7	1	4	2
tons--	337	250	29	51	2	2	4
$1,000--	38	28	3	6	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	11	3	1	2	4	1	–
tons--	221	76	89	11	41	5	–
$1,000--	10	3	4	1	2	(Z)	–
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	78	20	22	12	17	2	5
$1,000--	22	11	4	3	2	(Z)	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	551	136	101	77	89	78	70
$1,000--	1 009	671	193	58	54	21	13
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	541	136	101	77	90	73	64
$1,000--	8 399	6 043	1 372	496	313	119	56
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	540	136	101	77	90	73	63
acres fertilized--	216 014	156 185	33 809	12 807	8 266	3 264	1 683
dry tons--	53 374	39 531	7 786	2 908	1 935	772	442
liquid or gas tons--	10 059	7 031	1 612	760	439	178	39
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	427	124	76	68	73	48	38
$1,000--	6 377	4 993	842	284	175	63	19
Lime ----------farms--	151	61	33	26	16	10	5
tons--	35 196	25 373	7 298	1 578	543	321	83
$1,000--	398	296	75	17	6	3	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	550	136	101	77	85	76	75
$1,000--	2 227	1 482	432	149	95	44	24
Gasoline ----------farms--	508	136	96	66	77	60	73
$1,000--	870	504	201	64	58	27	15
Diesel oil----------farms--	409	135	84	64	49	39	38
$1,000--	921	684	152	51	22	7	5
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	139	77	40	18	–	3	1
$1,000--	181	138	34	7	–	2	(Z)
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ------farms--	550	136	101	77	85	76	75
$1,000--	255	155	45	26	15	9	4
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	294	122	68	43	33	20	8
$1,000--	3 754	3 114	466	104	52	15	3
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------farms--	191	117	50	15	7	2	–
workers--	773	640	103	19	9	2	–
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	123	52	33	16	18	4	–
workers--	557	350	127	34	37	9	–
Less than 25 days---------farms--	131	39	27	26	15	16	8
workers--	1 436	635	290	314	87	62	48
Contract labor ----------farms--	30	8	7	5	2	4	4
$1,000--	127	83	21	17	1	4	1
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	295	72	53	42	39	46	43
$1,000--	1 003	664	139	68	72	36	24
All other production expenses ---farms--	559	136	101	77	90	80	75
$1,000--	12 325	9 737	1 585	532	302	103	65
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ----------farms--	151	41	29	30	20	18	13
$1,000--	774	326	252	106	61	16	13
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	19	10	5	2	2	–	–
$1,000--	507	229	194	(D)	(D)	–	–
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	62	23	13	9	3	6	8
$1,000--	308	102	108	71	14	3	11
Recreational services --------farms--	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
$1,000--	4	(Z)	–	4	–	–	–
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	58	14	15	13	5	6	5
$1,000--	122	76	22	11	9	2	2
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	62	17	7	13	11	11	3
$1,000--	287	106	120	20	29	11	1
Other farm-related income ----farms--	16	7	2	3	4	–	–
$1,000--	53	43	2	1	8	–	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	49	14	9	11	6	4	5
$1,000--	301	103	128	47	15	6	2

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	276	56	40	38	46	49	47
$1,000	2 903	604	324	479	572	572	352
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	7	2	3	2	–	–	–
$250 to $499	7	1	–	–	3	3	–
$500 to $999	11	1	3	–	3	1	3
$1,000 to $4,999	57	17	8	4	8	6	14
$5,000 to $9,999	85	17	12	12	11	12	21
$10,000 to $19,999	72	11	12	15	15	13	6
$20,000 to $29,999	26	2	2	3	3	14	2
$30,000 and over	11	5	–	2	3	–	1
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	69	14	6	13	15	8	13
$1,000	800	171	32	122	281	70	125
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	175	32	29	21	23	40	30
$1,000	1 600	232	247	238	208	479	196
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	120	29	24	22	24	14	7
$1,000	295	148	33	65	36	8	4
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	42	6	3	6	12	4	11
$1,000	166	32	6	46	42	12	27
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	24	7	5	4	2	6	–
$1,000	43	21	6	8	5	3	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	447	116	93	67	65	51	55
number	710	235	172	90	80	68	65
2 or 3—farms	189	73	59	20	14	13	10
number	408	160	129	43	29	27	20
4 and over—farms	11	7	3	–	–	1	–
number	55	39	12	–	–	4	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	484	134	99	76	76	43	56
number	1 107	509	238	144	106	51	59
2 or 3—farms	198	60	63	46	18	8	3
number	486	163	158	105	38	16	6
4 and over—farms	77	61	10	3	3	–	–
number	412	333	54	12	13	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	485	135	98	71	77	50	54
number	1 877	891	450	204	169	87	76
2 or 3—farms	172	15	26	47	35	31	18
number	439	40	75	129	87	68	40
4 and over—farms	211	120	66	14	11	–	–
number	1 336	851	369	65	51	–	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	484	135	98	71	77	50	53
number	1 843	874	447	200	166	83	73
Crawler tractors—farms	31	14	3	4	3	4	3
number	34	17	3	4	3	4	3
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	252	122	72	37	10	6	5
number	323	187	75	38	12	6	5
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	124	64	37	14	4	5	–
number	148	84	38	17	4	5	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	77	51	16	6	3	1	–
number	85	59	16	6	3	1	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	53	17	21	10	1	4	–
number	63	25	22	11	1	4	–
Mower conditioners—farms	42	14	12	4	5	1	6
number	47	16	15	4	5	1	6
Pickup balers—farms	86	34	22	11	9	4	6
number	90	37	23	11	9	4	6
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	27	13	3	7	2	2	–
number	29	15	3	7	2	2	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	15	8	2	2	2	1	–
number	18	11	2	2	2	1	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	525	136	101	77	85	59	67
$1,000	26 231	15 346	5 739	1 998	1 823	687	639
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	54	1	–	5	11	13	24
$1,000	169	3	–	21	24	40	82
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	49	2	–	2	14	18	13
$1,000	345	15	–	11	90	137	93
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	82	2	3	19	16	16	26
$1,000	1 177	38	43	265	233	235	361
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	142	9	40	42	35	12	4
$1,000	4 206	330	1 341	1 235	921	275	103
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	123	59	47	9	8	–	–
$1,000	7 749	4 071	(D)	466	(D)	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	75	63	11	–	1	–	–
$1,000	12 585	10 889	(D)	–	(D)	–	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	542	136	101	77	90	73	65
$1,000	14 776	11 036	2 214	780	488	183	75
Commercial fertilizer—farms	541	136	101	77	90	73	64
acres on which used	216 014	156 185	33 809	12 807	8 266	3 264	1 683
tons	63 433	46 562	9 397	3 668	2 374	951	481
$1,000	8 399	6 043	1 372	496	313	119	56
Lime—farms	151	61	33	26	16	10	5
acres on which used	40 258	31 731	5 874	1 704	546	298	105
tons	35 196	25 373	7 298	1 578	543	321	83
$1,000	398	296	75	17	6	3	1
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
acres on which used	68	60	–	8	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	369	119	70	62	51	39	28
acres on which used	143 672	111 497	18 741	7 771	3 639	1 492	532
$1,000	3 816	3 032	469	183	93	30	9
Nematodes in crops—farms	94	44	24	12	5	7	2
acres on which used	29 709	22 779	5 048	1 124	391	327	40
$1,000	261	194	49	12	2	3	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	24	4	5	4	4	5	2
acres on which used	5 072	3 118	1 036	330	288	269	31
$1,000	41	20	11	3	5	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	260	89	50	46	36	25	14
acres on which used	129 697	103 281	16 277	5 133	3 457	1 204	345
$1,000	1 449	1 190	163	45	37	11	4
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	8	2	4	1	–	1	–
acres on which used	660	250	376	4	–	30	–
$1,000	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	(Z)	–
Weeds on other land—farms	14	4	1	2	4	2	1
acres on which used	340	179	15	23	105	16	2
$1,000	3	2	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	192	70	45	37	19	13	8
acres on which used	57 375	43 745	8 779	3 265	1 112	373	101
$1,000	329	256	59	10	4	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	16	2	4	2	2	1	5
$1,000	3	1	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	50	5	6	7	14	9	9
$1,000	75	2	15	13	27	13	4
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	205	34	39	36	39	32	25
Under 1,000 bushels	20	3	6	4	6	1	–
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	51	11	16	13	7	2	2
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	38	22	13	2	1	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25	24	1	–	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	9	9	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	207	27	26	22	37	45	50
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	148	34	28	26	31	9	20
number	10 904	5 566	1 822	1 734	1 260	310	212
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	142	33	27	25	29	9	19
number	6 339	3 197	1 243	922	694	166	117
Beef cows—farms	131	33	27	25	25	7	14
number	6 305	3 197	1 243	918	675	161	111
Milk cows—farms	18	–	–	2	7	4	5
number	34	–	–	4	19	5	6
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	97	29	18	19	17	6	8
number	1 843	946	296	298	169	83	51
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	97	29	18	19	17	6	8
number	1 841	946	296	298	169	81	51
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	2	–	–	–	–	2	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	113	29	21	22	23	8	10
number	2 722	1 423	283	514	397	61	44
Cattle and calves sold—farms	129	36	28	24	22	8	11
number	3 419	1 765	615	545	323	123	48
$1,000	645	440	69	69	49	13	5
Calves—farms	92	22	21	19	16	7	7
number	1 840	728	484	308	168	116	36
$1,000	173	62	44	31	23	12	2
Cattle—farms	80	26	13	14	18	1	8
number	1 579	1 037	131	237	155	7	12
$1,000	471	378	25	38	26	1	3
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	11	6	2	1	1	–	1
number	269	237	8	5	18	–	1
$1,000	86	80	1	1	3	–	(Z)
Hogs and pigs—farms	54	8	6	6	16	5	13
number	2 288	1 597	176	174	161	99	81
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	28	7	2	4	4	3	8
number	291	220	17	21	14	6	13
Other—farms	54	8	6	6	16	5	13
number	1 997	1 377	159	153	147	93	68

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	38	9	4	6	6	6	7
number	3 910	3 163	97	321	143	126	60
$1,000	292	248	7	20	7	8	2
Feeder pigs — farms	6	1	–	1	–	2	2
number	80	4	–	40	–	32	4
$1,000	1	(Z)	–	1	–	(Z)	(Z)
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	33	7	2	5	4	5	10
number	428	315	15	46	21	17	14
December 1 and May 31 — farms	28	6	2	4	4	5	7
number	228	156	10	29	13	13	7
June 1 and November 30 — farms	25	6	2	5	4	3	5
number	200	159	5	17	8	4	7
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds of wool	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horses and ponies — farms	19	6	7	–	6	–	–
number	94	37	46	–	11	–	–
Sold — farms	2	–	1	–	1	–	–
number	3	–	2	–	1	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–
Horses — farms	12	6	5	–	1	–	–
number	70	32	36	–	2	–	–
Sold — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Any goats — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	19	1	1	2	4	4	7
number	865	65	24	320	215	64	177
Sold — farms	2	–	–	1	–	1	–
number	40	–	–	25	–	15	–
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	17	1	1	2	4	4	5
number	606	55	23	250	155	61	62
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	17	1	1	2	4	4	5
number	471	50	23	150	125	61	62
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	3	1	–	1	1	–	–
number	135	5	–	100	30	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	4	1	–	–	3	–	–
number	55	10	–	–	45	–	–
Roosters and male chickens — farms	12	–	1	2	3	2	4
number	204	–	1	70	15	3	115
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	10	–	10	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	10	–	10	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	202	66	41	22	27	19	27
acres	13 000	9 735	1 831	759	344	188	143
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	169	63	33	18	24	11	20
acres	11 455	9 154	1 134	626	303	120	118
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	198	65	41	22	26	19	25
acres	12 717	9 535	1 831	739	314	162	136
bushels	791 421	634 940	87 137	42 051	16 399	6 746	4 148
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Cotton farms (0131)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	17	2	6	3	3	–	3
acres	274	120	102	18	13	–	21
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	7	1	2	3	1	–	–
acres	118	70	26	18	4	–	–
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	15	2	4	3	3	–	3
acres	244	120	72	18	13	–	21
bushels	8 968	3 285	3 499	1 310	292	–	582
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	399	126	89	64	56	39	25
acres	81 899	58 632	14 997	5 375	1 807	845	243
bushels	1 475 153	1 093 451	248 332	82 777	34 349	12 145	4 099
Irrigated — farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
acres	125	–	–	125	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	279	110	62	43	34	22	8
acres	65 016	50 270	9 784	3 098	1 188	570	106
Peanuts for nuts — farms	12	8	1	2	–	1	–
acres	1 384	1 317	35	22	–	10	–
pounds	2 783 420	2 646 000	100 000	33 420	–	4 000	–
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	100	100	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	9	7	1	1	–	–	–
acres	1 348	1 295	35	18	–	–	–
Wheat — farms	117	54	21	13	12	5	12
acres	9 105	7 242	1 083	446	196	57	81
bushels	231 699	184 822	30 197	9 678	4 127	960	1 915
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	99	51	18	12	11	2	5
acres	8 580	7 066	888	381	191	20	34
Cotton — farms	561	136	101	77	90	80	77
acres	116 109	80 152	19 509	7 245	5 395	2 428	1 380
bales	131 627	96 716	19 850	7 390	4 574	2 075	1 022
Irrigated — farms	2	–	1	1	–	–	–
acres	131	–	6	125	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	534	136	101	77	90	71	59
acres	115 578	80 152	19 471	7 205	5 282	2 298	1 170
Tobacco — farms	41	19	8	4	2	4	4
acres	564	440	84	18	6	14	3
pounds	946 741	777 286	118 120	26 316	10 971	9 108	4 940
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	41	19	8	4	2	4	4
acres	555	440	75	18	6	14	3
Irish potatoes — farms	6	3	–	–	–	1	2
acres	102	100	–	–	–	(Z)	1
hundredweight	15 087	15 035	–	–	–	12	40
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	100	100	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	1	–	–	–	1	–
acres	100	100	–	–	–	(Z)	–
Hay — farms	105	31	24	19	13	4	14
acres	3 109	1 476	655	500	269	71	138
tons	6 234	3 491	1 070	763	524	204	182
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	65	21	18	13	7	1	5
acres	2 157	1 127	463	314	160	36	57
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
tons, dry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	4	1	–	–	1	2	–
acres	82	50	–	–	6	26	–
tons, dry	103	50	–	–	2	51	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	7	3	1	1	1	1	–
acres	296	245	30	7	6	8	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	30	30	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables — farms	25	9	5	3	3	2	3
acres	506	446	32	6	4	2	17
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
acres	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	19	8	3	3	3	1	1
acres	484	444	26	6	4	2	3
Berries — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	21	10	3	2	4	–	2
acres	319	167	70	51	29	–	2
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	8	6	2	–	–	–	–
acres	138	79	59	–	–	–	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
percent	100.0	5.4	17.7	22.5	23.9	19.4	11.1
Land in farms—acres	742 299	211 283	224 251	148 303	94 033	45 506	18 923
Average size of farm—acres	152	806	259	135	81	48	35
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	433 997	118 735	130 207	87 241	57 278	28 196	12 341
Average per farm—dollars	88 934	453 186	150 354	79 455	49 165	29 775	22 769
Average per acre—dollars	585	562	581	588	609	620	652
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	527	–	5	51	90	201	180
$10,000 to $19,999	665	–	28	69	175	228	165
$20,000 to $39,999	971	5	43	176	357	288	102
$40,000 to $69,999	1 015	5	125	313	335	164	73
$70,000 to $99,999	509	10	135	203	109	44	8
$100,000 to $149,999	469	22	194	169	62	15	7
$150,000 to $199,999	251	33	137	56	15	3	7
$200,000 to $499,999	371	118	179	56	15	3	–
$500,000 and over	102	69	20	5	7	1	–
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	3 894	222	706	845	881	776	464
acres	480 120	112 702	132 814	104 512	75 678	37 975	16 439
Land rented or leased from others—farms	2 705	233	670	701	560	370	171
acres	285 559	104 173	96 709	49 263	23 059	9 435	2 920
Land rented or leased to others—farms	504	31	84	137	117	104	31
acres	23 380	5 592	5 272	5 472	4 704	1 904	436
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
acres	397 209	123 841	126 614	73 265	44 419	21 402	7 668
Harvested cropland—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
acres	329 229	108 892	106 067	60 911	33 528	14 992	4 839
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	3 181	2	134	568	1 010	925	542
50 to 99 acres	834	4	265	404	141	20	–
100 to 199 acres	498	42	324	116	14	2	–
200 to 499 acres	295	142	143	10	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	57	57	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	15	15	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	14	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	1 072	66	235	244	245	188	94
acres	26 473	5 580	8 729	5 092	3 740	2 141	1 191
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	288	17	55	67	62	61	26
acres	6 152	1 545	1 336	876	1 052	959	384
On which all crops failed—farms	226	13	42	54	45	44	28
acres	5 044	1 282	1 390	723	602	782	265
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	130	11	21	25	33	26	14
acres	4 852	1 026	1 288	767	978	601	192
Idle—farms	1 029	70	220	260	256	159	64
acres	25 459	5 516	7 804	4 896	4 519	1 927	797
Total woodland—farms	2 701	169	565	694	646	450	177
acres	266 548	69 445	74 316	58 335	40 482	17 906	6 064
Woodland pastured—farms	812	48	169	221	188	143	43
acres	59 335	12 031	16 693	16 506	7 375	5 500	1 230
Woodland not pastured—farms	2 212	144	460	556	556	347	149
acres	207 213	57 414	57 623	41 829	33 107	12 406	4 834
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	386	48	93	114	73	40	18
acres	27 764	9 286	12 381	4 309	1 140	463	185
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	220	30	53	72	42	19	4
acres	13 318	4 535	5 073	2 811	636	216	47
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	191	20	45	52	37	23	14
acres	14 446	4 751	7 308	1 498	504	247	138
Other land (see text)—farms	3 013	182	527	668	718	576	342
acres	50 778	8 711	10 940	12 394	7 992	5 735	5 006
Total pastureland—farms	1 778	124	390	438	398	291	137
acres	113 572	26 897	37 803	25 907	12 255	8 104	2 606
Irrigated land—farms	115	15	35	29	21	12	3
acres	1 970	478	758	342	277	102	13
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	115	15	35	29	21	12	3
acres	1 970	478	758	342	277	102	13
Artificial drainage—farms	958	89	284	279	188	98	20
acres drained	98 316	34 707	35 706	18 161	7 018	2 319	405
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	880	133	287	234	138	69	19
number	2 251	578	693	480	288	180	32
acres	2 206	652	737	485	229	85	19
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
Full owners	2 194	31	200	399	611	580	373
Part owners	1 691	190	504	443	269	194	91
Tenants	995	41	162	256	285	173	78

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	3 769	245	819	997	913	583	212
Full owners	1 628	28	189	370	512	384	145
Part owners	1 349	182	473	401	186	79	28
Tenants	792	35	157	226	215	120	39
Black and other races[1]	1 078	8	44	94	242	362	328
Full owners	557	1	10	29	95	194	228
Part owners	327	4	29	37	81	115	61
Tenants	194	3	5	28	66	53	39
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	4 429	218	754	999	1 070	869	519
acres	645 546	169 877	196 853	135 884	83 662	41 245	18 025
Partnership — farms	418	35	109	92	85	76	21
acres	76 641	29 222	24 317	11 567	6 527	4 150	858
Corporation, including family owned — farms	28	9	3	7	8	1	–
acres	16 467	12 184	3 081	852	(D)	(D)	–
Other — farms	5	–	–	–	2	1	2
acres	3 645	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	40
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	1 330	117	332	315	287	212	67
$1,000	33 238	11 948	11 586	5 048	3 019	1 223	414
Debts secured by real estate — farms	938	92	233	212	203	158	40
$1,000	21 912	7 716	7 523	3 418	2 103	800	351
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	700	61	193	179	138	96	33
$1,000	11 326	4 232	4 063	1 630	916	423	63
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	109	5	22	39	24	12	7
25 to 34 years	451	19	98	129	88	81	36
35 to 44 years	867	67	195	222	189	136	58
45 to 54 years	1 376	83	269	274	368	258	124
55 to 64 years	1 374	62	233	332	337	247	163
65 years and over	670	17	46	95	149	211	152
Average age	51.1	48.7	48.3	49.1	51.6	53.5	55.8
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	2 748	158	570	626	610	498	286
On another farm	300	3	17	68	99	82	31
In a rural area, not on a farm	244	10	29	52	64	43	46
In a city, town, or urban area	253	23	53	55	50	56	16
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	4 026	231	791	956	922	718	408
Other	821	22	72	135	233	227	132
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	445	–	4	19	74	155	193
Less than value of farm products sold	1 894	134	408	492	469	306	85
Not reporting or none	2 508	119	451	580	612	484	262
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	1 303	44	165	263	333	296	202
1 to 49 days	196	10	34	43	50	29	30
50 to 99 days	153	5	24	36	33	34	21
100 to 149 days	134	3	15	37	32	21	26
150 to 199 days	174	7	17	44	43	46	17
200 days and over	646	19	75	103	175	166	108
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	622	35	149	167	151	91	29
Number of persons	726	40	172	199	166	111	38
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	99	6	25	23	22	15	8
50 to 99 days	60	3	19	14	13	7	4
100 to 149 days	67	4	17	16	19	7	4
150 to 199 days	120	8	28	33	25	20	6
200 days and over	380	19	83	113	87	62	16
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	309	–	–	5	70	118	116
10 to 49 acres	1 451	1	38	182	396	506	328
50 to 69 acres	561	–	44	127	221	130	39
70 to 99 acres	589	–	60	202	209	90	28
100 to 139 acres	607	2	142	218	160	69	16
140 to 179 acres	295	3	105	125	45	12	5
180 to 219 acres	225	9	103	72	26	11	4
220 to 259 acres	151	18	62	59	9	3	–
260 to 499 acres	414	80	222	87	13	6	6
500 to 999 acres	200	87	80	18	13	2	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	60	47	7	3	3	–	–
2,000 acres and over	18	15	3	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
$1,000	158 334	49 266	52 213	31 144	16 856	6 849	2 005
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	61	61	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	194	194	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	866	–	866	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	1 098	–	–	1 098	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	1 165	–	–	–	1 165	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	947	–	–	–	–	947	–
$2,500 to $4,999	538	–	–	–	–	–	538
Under $2,500 (see text)	4	–	–	–	–	–	4
Grain sold—farms	3 901	258	802	975	891	671	304
$1,000	30 039	11 170	9 825	5 268	2 549	973	253
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	121	117	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	8 080	7 906	173	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
$1,000	119 697	34 553	39 912	24 462	13 554	5 574	1 642
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	809	262	547	–	–	–	–
$1,000	63 892	34 553	29 338	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	456	84	118	68	89	67	30
$1,000	3 410	2 248	769	178	134	63	17
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	15	15	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 130	1 130	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	103	11	20	11	24	27	10
$1,000	138	53	35	8	22	14	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	148	15	40	27	38	14	14
$1,000	557	162	208	105	61	15	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	145	10	25	27	36	24	23
$1,000	248	61	78	52	30	17	11
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	16	2	7	2	1	4	–
$1,000	15	3	4	2	(Z)	5	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	79	2	16	12	27	18	4
$1,000	137	(D)	15	(D)	8	2	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	5	1	–	2	2	–	–
$1,000	27	(D)	–	(D)	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	488	63	151	137	96	34	7
$1,000	919	289	290	227	92	19	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	1 204	52	213	315	283	215	126
$1,000	2 689	498	879	724	379	151	58
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	6	–	–	2	4	–	–
$1,000	2	–	–	(Z)	2	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	21	1	9	4	–	5	2
$1,000	6	2	3	1	–	1	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	4	1	–	1	–	2	–
$1,000	14	2	–	8	–	4	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	135	11	36	39	18	13	18
$1,000	437	91	195	107	23	11	10
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	–	(D)	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
$1,000--	91 446	30 272	30 399	17 580	8 687	3 388	1 119
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	655	41	156	150	139	113	56
$1,000--	539	202	174	82	42	27	12
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	1 410	68	254	376	349	222	141
$1,000--	1 483	286	410	407	238	98	45
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	1 278	60	220	342	316	203	137
tons--	8 736	1 447	2 503	2 553	1 321	582	329
$1,000--	1 187	207	337	324	198	80	40
Feed ingredients----------farms--	261	16	71	71	56	34	13
tons--	675	95	277	116	108	67	12
$1,000--	110	15	42	19	19	12	3
Whole grains ----------farms--	270	21	53	79	51	42	24
tons--	1 591	595	260	524	151	46	15
$1,000--	158	54	25	57	15	5	2
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	88	6	17	24	27	11	3
tons--	621	190	127	160	111	33	2
$1,000--	28	9	6	7	5	1	(Z)
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	427	47	101	106	101	49	23
$1,000--	48	14	15	9	5	4	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	3 175	242	742	834	704	426	227
$1,000--	2 086	728	690	406	168	68	26
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
$1,000--	17 714	5 531	5 741	3 494	1 906	794	248
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	4 870	262	866	1 098	1 165	945	534
acres fertilized--	278 329	99 307	91 969	48 679	25 135	10 633	2 606
dry tons--	108 139	34 274	34 797	20 959	11 669	4 900	1 541
liquid or gas tons--	9 374	3 310	3 364	1 685	701	237	78
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	3 133	230	655	757	739	534	218
$1,000--	5 456	2 312	1 706	885	393	131	29
Lime ----------farms--	529	70	153	159	107	36	4
tons--	25 820	9 408	8 625	5 088	2 333	332	34
$1,000--	340	122	113	68	31	5	(Z)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	4 755	262	866	1 063	1 138	923	503
$1,000--	10 541	2 758	3 706	2 297	1 142	458	180
Gasoline ----------farms--	4 169	258	828	852	870	884	477
$1,000--	3 331	766	1 015	562	547	321	120
Diesel oil----------farms--	2 926	258	695	840	628	328	177
$1,000--	2 382	844	751	543	194	34	16
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	1 428	185	298	561	282	66	36
$1,000--	1 544	568	464	360	132	15	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil -------farms--	4 755	262	866	1 063	1 138	923	503
$1,000--	3 284	580	1 476	832	269	89	38
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	2 908	223	620	708	633	464	260
$1,000--	13 642	4 914	4 499	2 431	1 185	479	134
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------farms--	548	175	247	100	22	4	–
workers--	1 471	710	543	186	28	4	–
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	1 007	142	363	262	136	80	24
workers--	8 912	2 023	3 495	2 084	842	404	64
Less than 25 days---------farms--	2 181	109	373	511	529	415	244
workers--	35 375	2 826	8 759	9 323	8 238	4 541	1 688
Contract labor ----------farms--	158	15	46	47	20	18	12
$1,000--	358	104	132	81	24	13	5
Machine hire and customwork ---farms--	2 598	114	504	662	637	445	236
$1,000--	2 507	408	810	665	378	179	67
All other production expenses ---farms--	4 878	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	540
$1,000--	37 072	13 016	12 516	6 825	3 207	1 138	370
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ----------farms--	729	71	166	151	134	127	80
$1,000--	2 808	621	682	664	458	228	155
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	61	16	13	18	14	–	–
$1,000--	1 509	475	377	401	256	–	–
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	296	40	60	54	53	42	47
$1,000--	1 690	314	409	433	294	127	113
Recreational services --------farms--	31	1	4	2	4	6	14
$1,000--	14	(Z)	4	1	(Z)	1	7
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	224	29	72	44	41	28	10
$1,000--	199	50	89	27	26	5	1
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	240	15	34	57	43	60	31
$1,000--	713	188	100	172	131	89	34
Other farm-related income ----farms--	72	15	28	21	6	2	–
$1,000--	192	69	80	31	7	5	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	272	22	58	59	47	41	45
$1,000--	1 020	160	263	270	186	65	76

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	2 029	100	346	456	483	408	236
$1,000	15 845	1 308	2 580	3 678	3 351	2 816	2 113
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	46	–	9	17	8	6	6
$250 to $499	43	2	15	8	14	4	–
$500 to $999	87	6	20	19	22	14	6
$1,000 to $4,999	698	23	116	156	178	165	60
$5,000 to $9,999	619	27	108	136	144	132	72
$10,000 to $19,999	423	21	59	92	102	70	79
$20,000 to $29,999	77	13	11	15	10	15	13
$30,000 and over	36	8	8	13	5	2	–
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	403	37	87	88	94	81	16
$1,000	3 347	504	772	739	711	489	131
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	1 422	61	208	319	344	288	202
$1,000	10 986	627	1 432	2 633	2 406	1 991	1 896
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	414	32	103	116	101	52	10
$1,000	607	91	202	136	101	75	2
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	264	6	33	46	62	80	37
$1,000	591	55	90	100	95	180	72
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	105	6	14	20	27	31	7
$1,000	313	31	84	69	37	81	11
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	3 550	231	779	780	799	645	316
number	4 958	488	1 224	1 069	1 016	810	351
2 or 3—farms	1 056	133	362	237	181	111	32
number	2 238	280	762	508	389	232	67
4 and over—farms	47	17	13	4	3	10	–
number	273	127	58	22	12	54	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	3 629	254	821	842	825	611	276
number	5 329	818	1 512	1 161	903	648	287
2 or 3—farms	932	171	415	244	60	35	7
number	2 202	451	1 016	522	123	72	18
4 and over—farms	110	64	28	13	5	–	–
number	540	348	118	54	20	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 795	258	829	857	880	660	311
number	8 154	1 338	2 544	1 815	1 285	840	332
2 or 3—farms	1 551	31	469	581	324	127	19
number	3 587	85	1 160	1 316	709	277	40
4 and over—farms	610	219	307	71	6	7	–
number	2 933	1 245	1 331	294	26	37	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	3 761	258	826	851	868	654	304
number	8 078	1 331	2 527	1 801	1 262	834	323
Crawler tractors—farms	63	7	11	12	18	6	9
number	76	7	17	14	23	6	9
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	571	179	220	101	43	27	1
number	636	205	237	107	59	27	1
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	538	157	205	98	39	34	5
number	581	172	224	105	41	34	5
Corn heads for combines—farms	348	126	143	51	15	13	–
number	365	133	150	54	15	13	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	210	38	72	50	24	21	5
number	216	39	74	51	26	21	5
Mower conditioners—farms	118	21	28	27	15	16	11
number	125	21	31	27	19	16	11
Pickup balers—farms	235	41	60	56	52	22	4
number	238	42	61	56	53	22	4
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	139	23	27	31	37	21	–
number	140	23	27	32	37	21	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	121	8	25	33	35	20	–
number	151	14	27	38	52	20	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	4 382	262	866	951	1 022	847	434
$1,000	81 089	17 741	24 456	14 914	12 426	8 166	3 386
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	850	2	18	100	231	310	189
$1,000	2 501	5	61	310	732	883	509
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	923	3	74	194	329	231	92
$1,000	6 603	20	535	1 387	2 303	1 671	686
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	1 098	15	211	363	236	130	143
$1,000	14 930	236	2 975	4 959	3 120	1 747	1 893
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	1 271	108	483	280	214	176	10
$1,000	36 518	4 005	15 441	7 406	5 504	3 864	297
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	172	78	68	14	12	–	–
$1,000	10 741	5 053	4 069	852	767	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	68	56	12	–	–	–	–
$1,000	9 797	8 422	1 375	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
$1,000	23 171	7 843	7 447	4 379	2 299	925	278
Commercial fertilizer—farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
acres on which used	278 329	99 307	91 969	48 679	25 135	10 633	2 606
tons	117 513	37 584	38 161	22 643	12 370	5 137	1 618
$1,000	17 714	5 531	5 741	3 494	1 906	794	248
Lime—farms	529	70	153	159	107	36	4
acres on which used	27 927	10 436	8 988	5 599	2 485	385	34
tons	25 820	9 408	8 625	5 088	2 333	332	34
$1,000	340	122	113	68	31	5	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	14	2	3	2	6	1	–
acres on which used	316	199	41	30	44	2	–
$1,000	3	1	(Z)	1	1	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	2 537	213	598	654	611	364	97
acres on which used	139 724	64 213	42 179	20 322	10 066	2 603	341
$1,000	3 151	1 377	960	509	224	68	13
Nematodes in crops—farms	904	77	260	268	196	81	22
acres on which used	23 866	8 929	8 696	4 159	1 664	328	90
$1,000	451	155	166	87	34	7	2
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	42	5	6	11	17	3	–
acres on which used	1 586	729	237	315	298	7	–
$1,000	27	12	4	5	6	(Z)	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	1 070	139	316	286	233	80	16
acres on which used	108 486	52 774	34 815	13 765	5 773	1 163	196
$1,000	1 105	557	360	126	50	9	2
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	23	1	5	14	3	–	–
acres on which used	298	5	89	172	32	–	–
$1,000	2	(Z)	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Weeds on other land—farms	55	2	18	15	14	5	1
acres on which used	434	18	236	129	45	5	1
$1,000	3	(Z)	2	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	268	35	82	77	50	17	7
acres on which used	11 337	5 706	3 443	1 506	553	106	23
$1,000	112	50	36	19	6	1	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	90	9	24	24	17	11	5
$1,000	10	2	4	2	1	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	617	11	70	104	130	184	118
$1,000	254	35	61	67	39	40	12
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	2 037	104	413	530	525	353	112
Under 1,000 bushels	286	6	42	78	75	68	17
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	176	20	75	53	27	1	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	97	27	55	11	4	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	43	28	9	2	2	2	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	8	7	–	1	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	2 230	67	272	423	532	523	413
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	884	70	209	223	177	141	64
number	16 067	4 661	5 404	3 586	1 590	635	191
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	725	64	178	200	146	98	39
number	8 962	2 701	2 986	2 015	822	334	104
Beef cows—farms	586	63	167	177	114	45	20
number	8 453	2 634	2 910	1 899	732	214	64
Milk cows—farms	228	6	31	48	60	59	24
number	509	67	76	116	90	120	40
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	438	47	119	134	85	40	13
number	3 551	1 129	1 141	773	367	114	27
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	403	46	116	123	79	31	8
number	3 439	1 117	1 135	737	329	100	21
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	52	2	4	17	11	13	5
number	112	12	6	36	38	14	6
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	552	51	146	148	112	65	30
number	3 554	831	1 277	798	401	187	60
Cattle and calves sold—farms	488	63	151	137	96	34	7
number	5 576	1 654	1 796	1 437	543	127	19
$1,000	919	289	290	227	92	19	2
Calves—farms	328	40	104	86	69	22	7
number	3 092	975	1 087	685	271	57	17
$1,000	375	125	130	81	32	5	2
Cattle—farms	324	44	98	97	62	22	1
number	2 484	679	709	752	272	70	2
$1,000	544	164	160	146	60	14	1
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	96	8	32	31	16	9	–
number	846	267	215	272	57	35	–
$1,000	205	75	56	56	12	6	–
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 470	48	226	345	333	312	206
number	35 415	5 251	9 781	8 932	6 019	3 544	1 888
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	1 031	36	191	266	240	189	109
number	5 327	520	1 614	1 456	852	609	276
Other—farms	1 405	48	215	325	317	295	205
number	30 088	4 731	8 167	7 476	5 167	2 935	1 612

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	1 204	52	213	315	283	215	126
number	45 351	8 797	14 271	11 256	6 875	2 821	1 331
$1,000	2 689	498	879	724	379	151	58
Feeder pigs — farms	199	6	30	49	49	31	34
number	7 945	1 360	2 631	1 384	1 577	539	454
$1,000	176	33	59	32	33	10	9
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	1 114	41	207	280	260	204	122
number	6 704	961	2 114	1 779	1 076	501	273
December 1 and May 31 — farms	960	38	186	254	224	159	99
number	3 823	589	1 182	980	638	280	154
June 1 and November 30 — farms	783	31	158	204	185	132	73
number	2 881	372	932	799	438	221	119
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	4	–	–	–	4	–	–
number	112	–	–	–	112	–	–
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	4	–	–	–	4	–	–
number	40	–	–	–	40	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	4	–	–	–	4	–	–
number	64	–	–	–	64	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	4	–	–	–	4	–	–
number	8	–	–	–	8	–	–
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	6	–	–	2	4	–	–
number	60	–	–	4	56	–	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	4	–	–	–	4	–	–
number	56	–	–	–	56	–	–
pounds of wool	344	–	–	–	344	–	–
Horses and ponies — farms	247	12	50	55	55	38	37
number	531	37	173	120	91	54	56
Sold — farms	14	–	7	4	–	3	–
number	21	–	13	4	–	4	–
$1,000	4	–	2	1	–	1	–
Horses — farms	217	10	44	47	49	32	35
number	437	33	148	96	69	44	47
Sold — farms	13	–	7	4	–	2	–
number	18	–	11	4	–	3	–
$1,000	4	–	2	1	–	1	–
Any goats — farms	5	1	–	2	–	2	–
number	34	2	–	24	–	8	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	707	8	80	119	177	210	113
number	35 336	12 346	4 856	3 873	6 185	5 635	2 441
Sold — farms	30	2	9	5	5	5	4
number	13 971	12 100	1 376	332	51	72	40
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	663	8	79	113	174	196	93
number	32 378	12 307	4 544	3 584	5 524	4 614	1 805
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	654	8	79	110	174	191	92
number	29 736	12 282	3 429	3 334	4 994	4 008	1 689
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	77	1	6	11	16	34	9
number	2 642	25	1 115	250	530	606	116
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	59	1	6	9	19	21	3
number	811	25	97	109	294	262	24
Roosters and male chickens — farms	355	2	30	56	89	107	71
number	2 147	14	215	180	367	759	612
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	23	1	1	2	5	14	–
number	487	100	10	8	29	340	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys — farms	9	1	–	1	3	4	–
number	141	10	–	4	115	12	–
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
number	100	–	–	–	100	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	9	1	–	1	3	4	–
number	136	10	–	3	115	8	–
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
number	100	–	–	–	100	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	3	–	–	1	–	2	–
number	5	–	–	1	–	4	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	3 284	205	669	792	725	568	325
acres	82 220	22 931	27 274	16 754	9 089	4 495	1 677
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2 446	181	542	631	545	374	173
acres	67 040	20 224	22 454	13 442	7 041	3 043	836
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	3 225	205	664	786	712	550	308
acres	81 124	22 850	26 822	16 641	8 894	4 331	1 586
bushels	5 354 569	1 722 427	1 833 997	1 037 946	493 034	196 075	71 090
Irrigated — farms	9	1	3	3	–	2	–
acres	96	5	50	36	–	5	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Tobacco farms (0132)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	26	1	9	6	5	2	3
acres	443	10	166	175	62	17	13
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	12	1	5	4	2	–	–
acres	327	10	124	173	20	–	–
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	17	–	5	4	3	2	3
acres	361	–	116	173	42	17	13
bushels	13 940	–	3 540	5 480	3 640	870	410
Irrigated ____ farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
acres	30	–	–	30	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	3 217	247	713	826	707	514	210
acres	160 174	55 207	52 036	29 442	15 228	6 554	1 707
bushels	3 120 819	1 177 487	1 006 834	536 843	271 016	103 880	24 759
Irrigated ____ farms	17	1	1	6	2	6	1
acres	325	2	150	60	28	78	7
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	1 953	192	537	539	390	247	48
acres	116 089	44 469	39 970	18 944	8 649	3 586	471
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	33	6	5	10	3	7	2
acres	439	228	118	79	5	7	2
pounds	574 610	361 106	105 800	98 900	1 900	5 229	1 675
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	20	6	4	6	3	–	1
acres	424	228	117	73	5	–	1
Wheat ____ farms	249	52	64	64	40	26	3
acres	6 241	3 027	1 766	992	302	144	10
bushels	155 700	78 108	42 406	26 140	5 998	2 782	266
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	204	48	54	51	32	19	–
acres	5 489	2 697	1 576	852	246	118	–
Cotton ____ farms	467	84	118	68	91	74	32
acres	20 030	11 830	5 281	1 320	962	479	158
bales	15 311	9 707	3 716	825	657	318	88
Irrigated ____ farms	4	–	1	2	–	–	1
acres	23	–	4	18	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	401	83	115	63	80	45	15
acres	19 483	11 723	5 195	1 279	877	331	78
Tobacco ____ farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
acres	58 730	15 881	19 199	12 106	7 234	3 189	1 122
pounds	123 939 578	34 368 753	41 369 440	26 053 003	14 399 367	5 968 589	1 780 426
Irrigated ____ farms	95	13	31	23	19	5	4
acres	1 448	471	541	169	247	14	6
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	4 880	262	866	1 098	1 165	947	542
acres	58 447	15 751	19 093	12 082	7 211	3 189	1 121
Irish potatoes ____ farms	89	–	12	25	26	21	5
acres	43	–	4	10	13	16	1
hundredweight	4 187	–	252	689	2 232	973	41
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	47	–	10	16	14	6	1
acres	28	–	3	8	6	12	(Z)
Hay ____ farms	338	37	70	65	85	50	31
acres	3 723	1 539	868	546	517	169	84
tons	6 197	2 983	1 447	709	762	208	88
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	102	26	29	22	19	4	2
acres	1 455	770	301	196	173	9	6
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	26	–	2	5	10	5	4
acres	180	–	30	82	46	11	11
tons, dry	322	–	50	172	78	13	9
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	7	–	–	1	2	–	4
acres	32	–	–	12	12	–	8
tons, dry	34	–	–	12	14	–	8
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds ____ farms	2	1	–	–	1	–	–
acres	74	64	–	–	10	–	–
Irrigated ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables ____ farms	180	10	29	28	41	34	38
acres	744	255	187	148	79	40	36
Irrigated ____ farms	10	–	1	4	2	3	–
acres	32	–	1	22	2	7	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	104	5	17	20	27	15	20
acres	404	155	74	88	50	22	16
Berries ____ farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	–	(Z)	–
Irrigated ____ farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
acres	(Z)	–	–	–	–	(Z)	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards ____ farms	32	4	10	7	3	8	–
acres	177	30	61	16	17	52	–
Irrigated ____ farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	14	–	14	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	11	1	1	4	3	2	–
acres	50	7	7	11	17	8	–

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
percent	100.0	15.8	14.0	15.1	19.4	17.5	18.2
Land in farms—acres	276 895	132 340	64 372	30 267	22 608	16 773	10 535
Average size of farm—acres	485	1 470	805	352	204	168	101
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	110 307	52 736	26 277	11 242	9 099	6 418	4 536
Average per farm—dollars	193 182	585 954	328 459	130 725	81 973	64 175	43 613
Average per acre—dollars	398	398	408	371	402	383	431
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	21	–	–	1	5	–	15
$10,000 to $19,999	49	–	–	–	8	15	26
$20,000 to $39,999	84	–	–	4	20	38	22
$40,000 to $69,999	110	–	3	19	41	22	25
$70,000 to $99,999	51	3	5	21	10	8	4
$100,000 to $149,999	61	3	15	19	12	6	6
$150,000 to $199,999	49	3	19	12	6	4	5
$200,000 to $499,999	88	36	30	7	8	6	1
$500,000 and over	58	45	8	3	1	1	–
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	539	86	77	82	104	92	98
acres	179 651	72 316	42 485	21 690	19 741	14 798	8 621
Land rented or leased from others—farms	367	76	64	64	67	47	49
acres	102 675	61 857	22 481	9 319	4 509	2 491	2 018
Land rented or leased to others—farms	55	9	10	5	16	8	7
acres	5 431	1 833	594	742	1 642	516	104
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
acres	165 119	91 300	32 676	16 863	11 502	7 837	4 941
Harvested cropland—farms	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
acres	137 879	82 615	25 121	13 213	8 808	4 923	3 199
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	189	–	–	4	38	63	84
50 to 99 acres	126	–	8	23	44	31	20
100 to 199 acres	85	–	12	43	24	6	–
200 to 499 acres	95	20	54	16	5	–	–
500 to 999 acres	48	42	6	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	28	28	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	22	22	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	290	41	39	48	56	49	57
acres	18 584	5 684	6 113	2 606	1 838	1 437	906
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	57	4	8	12	6	20	7
acres	2 203	366	346	614	156	405	316
On which all crops failed—farms	26	7	3	3	4	3	6
acres	965	579	116	15	110	38	107
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	15	2	1	4	2	5	1
acres	1 018	389	209	106	183	128	3
Idle—farms	79	11	13	15	15	17	8
acres	4 470	1 667	771	309	407	906	410
Total woodland—farms	416	71	61	68	87	68	61
acres	84 855	30 083	22 481	11 311	9 452	7 088	4 440
Woodland pastured—farms	181	24	27	33	39	33	25
acres	17 982	5 564	4 105	2 387	3 574	1 354	998
Woodland not pastured—farms	331	58	50	54	69	54	46
acres	66 873	24 519	18 376	8 924	5 878	5 734	3 442
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	120	28	27	17	21	16	11
acres	18 519	8 385	6 624	1 417	673	769	651
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	86	16	19	14	16	13	8
acres	8 152	2 480	3 523	1 041	321	656	131
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	48	14	11	5	10	3	5
acres	10 367	5 905	3 101	376	352	113	520
Other land (see text)—farms	357	63	54	52	74	66	48
acres	8 402	2 572	2 591	676	981	1 079	503
Total pastureland—farms	398	65	59	64	73	66	71
acres	55 085	19 633	16 842	6 410	6 085	3 560	2 555
Irrigated land—farms	15	2	2	3	4	3	1
acres	109	31	32	13	8	12	13
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	15	2	2	3	4	3	1
acres	109	31	32	13	8	12	13
Artificial drainage—farms	81	30	14	16	11	8	2
acres drained	19 669	15 795	1 341	1 204	1 055	260	14
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	141	42	31	29	18	11	10
number	422	144	122	56	56	22	22
acres	850	357	266	82	69	53	22
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
Full owners	208	15	17	22	46	53	55
Part owners	328	71	60	60	58	39	40
Tenants	35	4	3	4	7	8	9

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	447	82	72	79	87	69	58
Full owners	156	14	15	21	37	42	27
Part owners	264	66	54	54	44	24	22
Tenants	27	2	3	4	6	3	9
Black and other races[1]	113	2	6	7	23	29	46
Full owners	47	–	–	1	9	9	28
Part owners	61	2	6	6	14	15	18
Tenants	5	–	–	–	–	5	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	518	68	72	79	100	96	103
acres	222 263	93 057	57 346	27 233	19 545	15 937	9 145
Partnership — farms	42	16	6	7	10	2	1
acres	38 705	27 181	3 601	3 034	2 913	586	1 390
Corporation, including family owned — farms	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
acres	13 860	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Other — farms	5	1	1	–	1	2	–
acres	2 067	(D)	(D)	–	150	250	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	214	51	40	41	31	21	30
$1,000	11 170	7 817	1 564	1 116	388	147	137
Debts secured by real estate — farms	165	43	26	29	25	16	26
$1,000	7 361	4 994	1 136	747	262	102	120
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	128	37	26	26	21	10	8
$1,000	3 809	2 823	428	369	126	45	17
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	5	1	–	1	3	–	–
25 to 34 years	33	6	4	9	3	8	3
35 to 44 years	88	24	12	11	18	12	11
45 to 54 years	157	30	27	18	36	16	30
55 to 64 years	155	15	24	37	24	27	28
65 years and over	122	8	11	10	26	35	32
Average age	54.0	49.2	53.9	52.2	54.4	56.2	57.1
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	381	56	55	64	70	65	71
On another farm	10	–	–	8	1	1	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	3	–	1	7	1	1
In a city, town, or urban area	49	11	11	5	2	12	8
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	431	80	64	68	88	65	66
Other	129	4	14	18	22	33	38
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	90	–	1	5	9	38	37
Less than value of farm products sold	290	51	58	52	62	38	29
Not reporting or none	180	33	19	29	39	22	38
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	200	11	25	24	37	55	48
1 to 49 days	32	2	5	7	7	6	5
50 to 99 days	19	–	2	3	2	8	4
100 to 149 days	19	1	1	1	6	5	5
150 to 199 days	15	1	2	2	1	7	2
200 days and over	115	7	15	11	21	29	32
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	102	10	19	15	27	23	8
Number of persons	123	12	19	18	32	32	10
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	17	4	2	2	–	7	2
50 to 99 days	15	3	3	2	1	6	–
100 to 149 days	11	1	2	2	4	2	–
150 to 199 days	16	1	3	–	5	7	–
200 days and over	64	3	9	12	22	10	8
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	16	–	–	–	4	–	12
10 to 49 acres	52	–	–	1	4	17	30
50 to 69 acres	55	–	–	1	14	20	20
70 to 99 acres	32	–	1	2	10	10	9
100 to 139 acres	87	–	2	16	31	22	16
140 to 179 acres	33	–	5	8	8	8	4
180 to 219 acres	23	–	2	8	9	3	1
220 to 259 acres	28	–	3	9	7	9	–
260 to 499 acres	88	6	21	26	18	6	11
500 to 999 acres	79	30	31	11	3	4	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	51	31	12	4	3	–	1
2,000 acres and over	27	23	3	–	–	1	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
$1,000	31 715	21 527	5 023	2 455	1 567	734	409
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	31	31	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	52	52	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	80	–	80	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	86	–	–	86	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	111	–	–	–	111	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	100	–	–	–	–	100	–
$2,500 to $4,999	104	–	–	–	–	–	104
Under $2,500 (see text)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grain sold—farms	559	90	80	85	105	98	101
$1,000	10 756	7 228	1 858	804	472	249	144
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	77	71	6	–	–	–	–
$1,000	6 953	6 680	273	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	162	26	25	35	46	12	18
$1,000	3 384	2 027	665	369	263	31	29
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	24	23	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 969	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	210	57	42	30	32	29	20
$1,000	4 873	3 580	837	230	133	69	24
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	36	36	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	3 060	3 060	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	124	14	13	20	18	23	36
$1,000	774	450	110	83	73	27	30
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	312	312	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	92	14	11	10	12	29	16
$1,000	970	672	117	57	50	58	15
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	479	479	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	186	18	19	26	35	49	39
$1,000	1 384	675	268	144	160	96	41
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	543	543	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	43	12	7	7	3	9	5
$1,000	941	710	130	56	17	21	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	9	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	668	668	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	36	6	3	6	7	9	5
$1,000	666	591	38	26	5	6	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	591	591	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	11	8	–	1	–	–	2
$1,000	537	521	–	16	–	–	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	475	475	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	305	53	50	48	61	45	48
$1,000	2 213	1 296	446	221	132	71	47
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	12	12	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	944	944	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	330	41	41	56	72	55	65
$1,000	4 398	3 395	372	303	181	88	60
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	23	23	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	3 109	3 109	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	9	–	2	–	3	1	3
$1,000	29	–	4	–	20	2	2
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	103	20	16	24	19	13	11
$1,000	791	384	177	147	60	15	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____farms__	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
$1,000__	23 781	16 557	3 616	1 750	1 065	461	331
Livestock and poultry purchased _farms__	211	50	39	38	31	32	21
$1,000__	1 284	1 011	108	96	38	18	13
Feed for livestock and poultry ___farms__	389	69	55	68	70	62	65
$1,000__	2 485	1 915	204	185	101	42	39
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____farms__	308	57	41	48	56	50	56
tons__	10 222	7 532	916	869	500	196	208
$1,000__	1 641	1 288	117	114	67	27	28
Feed ingredients_____farms__	156	30	24	38	22	23	19
tons__	1 864	1 276	218	194	106	24	47
$1,000__	267	170	36	33	17	4	7
Whole grains _____farms__	150	27	22	24	23	29	25
tons__	5 015	4 018	453	295	159	66	24
$1,000__	565	455	49	34	16	8	3
Hay, green chop, and silage ___farms__	35	2	5	12	5	7	4
tons__	320	55	68	101	27	48	21
$1,000__	13	2	2	4	1	2	1
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____farms__	204	59	47	37	28	20	13
$1,000__	119	94	12	6	3	2	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __farms__	494	88	80	79	98	82	67
$1,000__	879	576	145	70	47	24	17
Commercial fertilizer purchased__farms__	546	90	80	84	108	91	93
$1,000__	4 887	3 074	888	407	302	138	79
Commercial fertilizer used _____farms__	530	90	80	82	106	89	83
acres fertilized__	134 934	81 571	29 551	10 565	7 862	3 526	1 859
dry tons__	29 372	17 963	5 749	2 429	1 863	945	423
liquid or gas tons__	8 945	6 086	1 840	500	265	108	146
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____farms__	409	85	76	62	76	59	51
$1,000__	2 158	1 645	296	119	65	24	9
Lime _____farms__	147	45	30	26	24	18	4
tons__	19 474	14 007	2 130	1 971	892	376	98
$1,000__	225	160	24	25	10	4	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____farms__	560	90	80	86	105	97	102
$1,000__	1 530	877	287	150	115	59	41
Gasoline _____farms__	496	90	75	61	88	86	96
$1,000__	587	293	122	52	58	34	28
Diesel oil_____farms__	379	89	69	62	65	54	40
$1,000__	503	330	83	44	24	14	8
LP gas, butane, and propane __farms__	133	55	31	30	13	4	–
$1,000__	154	110	18	14	11	1	–
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____farms__	560	90	80	86	105	97	102
$1,000__	287	144	63	41	22	10	6
Hired farm labor _____farms__	359	80	71	59	64	42	43
$1,000__	2 690	1 911	512	152	80	17	17
Workers by number of days worked: 150 days or more _____farms__	147	71	45	19	11	–	1
workers__	536	376	104	40	15	–	1
25 to 149 days _____farms__	138	48	41	21	13	11	4
workers__	771	483	179	44	34	25	6
Less than 25 days_____farms__	238	32	44	44	45	33	40
workers__	2 484	595	685	423	487	109	185
Contract labor _____farms__	36	11	4	6	4	2	9
$1,000__	179	146	11	17	1	(Z)	3
Machine hire and customwork___farms__	295	48	44	49	59	53	42
$1,000__	693	446	84	50	65	31	16
All other production expenses ___farms__	571	90	80	86	111	100	104
$1,000__	6 877	4 862	1 069	498	248	105	95
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____farms__	188	32	32	32	28	34	30
$1,000__	570	222	126	119	59	28	17
$10,000 and over _____farms__	17	8	3	4	2	–	–
$1,000__	319	167	62	70	20	–	–
Farm-related income from — Customwork and other agricultural services_____farms__	92	20	16	15	13	10	18
$1,000__	337	151	75	62	30	9	11
Recreational services _____farms__	17	2	3	1	4	6	1
$1,000__	10	2	1	1	5	1	(Z)
Payments from government farm programs _____farms__	91	16	20	19	11	19	6
$1,000__	74	25	22	12	5	7	2
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments_____farms__	48	8	7	10	10	7	6
$1,000__	116	18	23	44	18	10	3
Other farm-related income ____farms__	16	5	6	1	–	2	2
$1,000__	33	26	6	(Z)	–	(Z)	(Z)
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____farms__	57	7	11	12	11	10	6
$1,000__	179	29	60	57	20	9	5

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	320	39	45	50	61	71	54
$1,000	3 516	515	638	541	511	816	496
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	9	2	1	2	3	–	1
$250 to $499	15	3	2	3	3	4	–
$500 to $999	15	4	2	2	4	2	1
$1,000 to $4,999	84	6	11	19	11	19	18
$5,000 to $9,999	66	7	10	5	22	16	6
$10,000 to $19,999	97	11	13	15	14	21	23
$20,000 to $29,999	18	1	3	1	1	8	4
$30,000 and over	16	5	3	3	3	1	1
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	59	7	5	15	9	12	11
$1,000	923	116	83	243	24	319	138
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	210	18	29	29	45	51	38
$1,000	1 845	203	227	251	413	428	324
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	127	24	27	31	13	19	13
$1,000	534	177	249	35	28	30	16
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	53	3	6	10	11	16	7
$1,000	141	4	45	12	35	36	9
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	27	8	5	1	3	6	4
$1,000	72	14	34	(Z)	11	3	9
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	440	79	65	75	91	68	62
number	665	149	123	114	116	85	78
2 or 3—farms	144	40	35	29	17	15	8
number	315	91	77	61	36	32	18
4 and over—farms	14	5	4	2	2	–	1
number	68	24	20	9	8	–	7
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	509	90	75	80	99	83	82
number	1 100	375	214	157	142	115	97
2 or 3—farms	180	29	43	39	31	24	14
number	408	71	101	85	66	56	29
4 and over—farms	84	53	22	7	2	–	–
number	447	296	103	38	10	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	507	88	78	83	100	80	78
number	1 466	499	278	243	191	139	116
2 or 3—farms	230	13	40	55	52	45	25
number	543	36	101	136	116	97	57
4 and over—farms	142	73	37	20	8	2	2
number	788	461	176	99	35	9	8
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	507	88	78	83	100	80	78
number	1 435	486	274	236	186	138	115
Crawler tractors—farms	28	11	4	6	5	1	1
number	31	13	4	7	5	1	1
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	220	74	54	48	21	15	8
number	260	101	58	49	21	17	14
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	146	59	32	30	14	7	4
number	171	73	34	35	18	7	4
Corn heads for combines—farms	110	50	24	24	8	2	2
number	121	61	24	24	8	2	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	48	11	9	11	10	5	2
number	50	12	10	11	10	5	2
Mower conditioners—farms	90	24	15	20	10	13	8
number	93	24	16	20	10	13	10
Pickup balers—farms	150	35	29	34	23	14	15
number	156	36	32	36	23	14	15
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	87	13	17	25	16	3	13
number	90	13	18	27	16	3	13
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	26	15	5	2	2	–	2
number	29	18	5	2	2	–	2
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	551	90	80	86	102	93	100
$1,000	17 319	7 538	3 142	2 290	1 892	1 358	1 098
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	66	1	–	3	7	24	31
$1,000	201	4	–	12	26	80	79
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	78	–	1	4	23	21	29
$1,000	603	–	9	32	163	172	227
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	111	1	12	24	27	23	24
$1,000	1 515	11	180	320	365	307	331
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	201	29	46	48	42	20	16
$1,000	6 330	1 137	1 576	1 525	1 149	484	460
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	63	29	20	7	3	4	–
$1,000	3 943	1 880	(D)	401	189	(D)	–
$100,000 and over—farms	32	30	1	–	–	1	–
$1,000	4 728	4 508	(D)	–	–	(D)	–

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	550	90	80	85	108	91	96
$1,000	7 045	4 719	1 183	526	367	162	88
Commercial fertilizer—farms	546	90	80	84	108	91	93
acres on which used	134 934	81 571	29 551	10 565	7 862	3 526	1 859
tons	38 317	24 049	7 589	2 929	2 128	1 052	570
$1,000	4 887	3 074	888	407	302	138	79
Lime—farms	147	45	30	26	24	18	4
acres on which used	18 541	12 553	2 386	2 274	807	429	92
tons	19 474	14 007	2 130	1 971	892	376	98
$1,000	225	160	24	25	10	4	1
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	10	4	1	1	1	2	1
acres on which used	439	315	75	8	20	6	15
$1,000	3	2	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	258	79	59	41	49	19	11
acres on which used	58 556	46 209	7 468	2 833	1 520	404	122
$1,000	1 070	870	120	45	25	8	2
Nematodes in crops—farms	74	26	18	13	11	5	1
acres on which used	10 372	8 257	1 256	586	219	53	1
$1,000	76	50	19	4	2	1	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	36	14	4	5	6	6	1
acres on which used	4 128	3 486	358	103	144	36	1
$1,000	80	67	6	3	2	1	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	195	63	42	36	35	10	9
acres on which used	67 977	49 910	11 167	4 706	1 628	398	168
$1,000	592	441	102	30	14	3	1
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	23	9	4	4	2	1	3
acres on which used	1 980	1 364	325	101	84	90	16
$1,000	7	6	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on other land—farms	13	7	1	2	2	1	–
acres on which used	345	314	1	12	16	2	–
$1,000	2	2	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	80	29	22	12	13	2	2
acres on which used	9 172	6 402	1 769	428	506	11	56
$1,000	49	35	10	1	2	(Z)	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	37	13	16	3	2	2	1
$1,000	11	9	2	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	102	3	10	12	18	28	31
$1,000	42	(Z)	11	10	10	7	3
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	160	18	31	21	26	36	28
Under 1,000 bushels	47	1	2	11	21	3	9
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	68	7	16	23	17	5	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	36	14	12	6	4	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25	19	5	1	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	12	12	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	217	13	14	24	43	56	67
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	343	50	53	60	66	56	58
number	26 406	11 436	6 903	3 505	2 108	1 422	1 032
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	302	45	46	54	56	49	52
number	13 659	5 287	3 829	1 780	1 339	873	551
Beef cows—farms	267	39	46	48	49	41	44
number	12 774	4 567	3 827	1 732	1 301	843	504
Milk cows—farms	78	8	1	18	16	15	20
number	885	720	2	48	38	30	47
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	206	36	37	40	40	27	26
number	5 072	2 360	1 010	908	372	232	190
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	188	31	37	37	35	27	21
number	4 658	2 022	1 010	876	365	230	155
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	23	5	–	5	6	1	6
number	414	338	–	32	7	2	35
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	243	43	40	45	47	31	37
number	7 675	3 789	2 064	817	397	317	291
Cattle and calves sold—farms	305	53	50	48	61	45	48
number	10 240	4 857	2 773	1 072	772	445	321
$1,000	2 213	1 296	446	221	132	71	47
Calves—farms	183	23	38	31	33	24	34
number	3 472	821	1 347	485	441	232	146
$1,000	416	101	170	55	49	27	14
Cattle—farms	233	43	39	39	48	32	32
number	6 768	4 036	1 426	587	331	213	175
$1,000	1 797	1 195	276	166	83	44	33
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	54	9	8	8	11	7	11
number	2 356	1 558	373	220	111	32	62
$1,000	774	574	84	73	24	6	12
Hogs and pigs—farms	318	36	42	52	70	58	60
number	35 889	22 493	4 245	3 850	3 075	1 212	1 014
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	239	26	33	45	57	34	44
number	4 876	3 019	462	460	473	271	191
Other—farms	307	36	39	51	66	55	60
number	31 013	19 474	3 783	3 390	2 602	941	823

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	General farms, primarily crop (0191)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	330	41	41	56	72	55	65
number	59 808	43 306	5 473	4 492	3 556	1 756	1 225
$1,000	4 398	3 395	372	303	181	88	60
Feeder pigs—farms	64	8	7	4	15	12	18
number	4 288	1 437	448	319	1 094	562	428
$1,000	100	40	9	8	21	11	10
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	255	27	33	46	59	40	50
number	6 432	4 098	737	525	623	244	205
December 1 and May 31—farms	228	27	31	40	59	32	39
number	3 268	2 012	371	288	365	117	115
June 1 and November 30—farms	210	26	32	40	45	33	34
number	3 164	2 086	366	237	258	127	90
Sheep and lambs of all ages—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds of wool	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horses and ponies—farms	43	11	3	6	7	5	11
number	128	41	7	20	15	12	33
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horses—farms	37	9	2	5	7	4	10
number	104	38	4	13	13	4	32
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Any goats—farms	3	–	–	–	–	3	–
number	60	–	–	–	–	60	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	129	4	8	21	28	31	37
number	23 717	10 032	4 167	5 789	1 301	1 557	871
Sold—farms	21	3	1	5	6	3	3
number	62 496	57 000	3 520	1 444	220	265	47
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	124	4	8	19	28	31	34
number	22 960	10 032	3 810	5 681	1 261	1 499	677
Kept for table or market egg production—farms	114	4	7	19	23	29	32
number	18 549	10 032	310	5 141	1 016	1 449	601
Kept for hatching egg production—farms	22	–	1	2	11	2	6
number	4 411	–	3 500	540	245	50	76
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age—farms	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number	10	–	–	10	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens—farms	60	–	4	10	17	11	18
number	747	–	357	98	40	58	194
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old—farms	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
number	(D)	(D)	–	25	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold—farms	6	2	–	–	4	–	–
number	(D)	(D)	–	–	100	–	–
Turkeys—farms	6	–	–	1	2	1	2
number	24	–	–	1	10	7	6
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter—farms	5	–	–	–	2	1	2
number	13	–	–	–	6	3	4
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter—farms	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
number	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding—farms	5	–	–	1	1	1	2
number	9	–	–	1	2	4	2
Sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes—farms	444	74	52	68	91	82	77
acres	31 845	20 183	4 701	2 706	2 147	1 296	812
Commercial fertilizer used—farms	367	66	49	56	81	56	59
acres	27 614	17 602	4 256	2 228	1 963	861	704
Field corn for grain or seed—farms	433	70	52	66	89	82	74
acres	28 515	17 881	4 325	2 441	1 885	1 249	734
bushels	1 849 123	1 271 751	265 747	109 574	105 241	62 849	33 961
Irrigated—farms	2	1	–	–	–	–	1
acres	22	16	–	–	–	–	6

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	31	7	5	2	5	8	4
acres	1 420	795	240	34	230	88	33
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	21	6	4	2	3	3	3
acres	1 105	720	190	34	95	36	30
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	19	6	5	–	3	5	–
acres	959	584	215	–	97	63	–
bushels	47 659	34 163	9 782	–	2 560	1 154	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	471	88	78	80	82	70	73
acres	61 754	37 727	11 195	6 348	3 551	1 717	1 216
bushels	1 243 049	818 826	220 733	104 939	55 124	26 583	16 844
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	294	70	66	53	52	33	20
acres	46 327	28 870	9 767	4 156	2 383	830	321
Peanuts for nuts — farms	54	9	4	4	10	16	11
acres	1 666	1 094	200	83	211	53	25
pounds	3 543 522	2 668 517	348 149	197 125	253 162	50 709	25 860
Irrigated — farms	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
acres	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	35	7	4	4	8	8	4
acres	1 431	953	200	83	136	41	18
Wheat — farms	144	44	26	25	17	23	9
acres	8 316	5 881	1 302	542	332	191	68
bushels	238 309	166 396	43 192	13 127	9 138	4 634	1 822
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	120	41	24	16	15	18	6
acres	7 694	5 552	1 264	365	297	170	46
Cotton — farms	211	57	42	30	32	29	21
acres	20 216	14 049	3 798	1 040	788	388	153
bales	22 122	16 339	3 725	957	668	328	105
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	197	57	42	30	29	25	14
acres	20 004	13 999	3 764	1 040	747	348	106
Tobacco — farms	162	26	25	35	46	12	18
acres	1 693	980	331	189	146	30	17
pounds	3 511 319	2 032 255	747 767	386 891	282 608	31 542	30 256
Irrigated — farms	4	1	1	2	–	–	–
acres	37	15	10	12	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	162	26	25	35	46	12	18
acres	1 693	980	331	189	146	30	17
Irish potatoes — farms	38	2	4	6	–	12	14
acres	160	88	23	24	–	18	6
hundredweight	17 045	8 660	1 926	3 700	–	2 282	477
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	11	2	2	2	–	5	–
acres	124	88	17	16	–	3	–
Hay — farms	220	36	36	33	41	32	42
acres	7 287	2 074	1 852	1 187	1 066	441	667
tons	17 456	5 599	5 064	3 136	1 922	763	972
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	90	27	18	15	15	8	7
acres	2 782	1 184	742	333	295	129	99
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	9	3	1	3	1	1	–
acres	415	195	70	128	19	3	–
tons, dry	940	471	200	248	19	2	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	13	1	3	–	3	–	6
acres	280	60	140	–	54	–	26
tons, dry	734	450	150	–	108	–	26
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	14	2	4	1	1	6	–
acres	2 137	1 760	152	100	20	105	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	5	1	1	–	–	3	–
acres	1 757	1 700	6	–	–	51	–
Vegetables — farms	187	18	19	27	35	49	39
acres	3 405	1 336	839	397	451	246	136
Irrigated — farms	7	1	1	–	2	2	1
acres	36	(Z)	22	–	6	6	2
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	123	13	14	16	21	35	24
acres	2 600	1 153	702	230	259	178	78
Berries — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	54	14	9	8	4	13	6
acres	2 528	1 870	335	160	45	97	21
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	29	11	4	4	1	7	2
acres	2 112	1 735	231	52	2	83	9

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	2 968	66	121	264	453	821	1 243
percent	100.0	2.2	4.1	8.9	15.3	27.7	41.9
Land in farms—acres	959 160	106 246	99 049	127 525	150 810	225 416	250 114
Average size of farm—acres	323	1 610	819	483	333	275	201
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	408 632	47 370	41 321	52 762	65 970	90 074	111 136
Average per farm—dollars	137 679	717 722	341 495	199 855	145 628	109 712	89 410
Average per acre—dollars	426	446	417	414	437	400	444
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	132	–	2	8	20	29	73
$10,000 to $19,999	245	–	4	3	45	73	120
$20,000 to $39,999	513	3	8	23	58	158	263
$40,000 to $69,999	645	5	15	53	91	181	300
$70,000 to $99,999	358	4	8	45	49	101	151
$100,000 to $149,999	401	9	21	44	65	113	149
$150,000 to $199,999	173	2	11	15	27	58	60
$200,000 to $499,999	359	18	34	50	75	79	103
$500,000 and over	142	25	18	23	23	29	24
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	2 792	58	111	243	423	772	1 185
acres	835 585	92 474	84 666	111 760	117 226	199 955	229 504
Land rented or leased from others—farms	1 034	42	67	139	202	273	311
acres	159 238	14 483	17 158	20 755	39 381	32 736	34 725
Land rented or leased to others—farms	340	6	9	26	58	81	160
acres	35 663	711	2 775	4 990	5 797	7 275	14 115
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	2 700	58	107	247	421	759	1 108
acres	378 003	42 752	35 315	55 248	57 141	91 576	95 971
Harvested cropland—farms	2 229	53	105	232	375	621	843
acres	139 510	28 144	21 186	24 391	22 893	23 221	19 675
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	1 497	4	12	57	191	463	770
50 to 99 acres	390	3	15	57	118	131	66
100 to 199 acres	216	4	30	95	56	27	4
200 to 499 acres	101	19	46	23	10	–	3
500 to 999 acres	17	15	2	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	8	8	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	1 913	37	64	164	275	551	822
acres	212 386	13 901	11 414	27 970	29 354	62 434	67 313
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	227	3	1	20	39	51	113
acres	8 455	135	15	1 306	2 196	1 397	3 406
On which all crops failed—farms	84	–	3	8	9	31	33
acres	1 834	–	68	201	222	641	702
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	103	4	3	2	21	32	41
acres	4 084	185	908	40	868	898	1 185
Idle—farms	285	4	9	23	66	74	109
acres	11 734	387	1 724	1 340	1 608	2 985	3 690
Total woodland—farms	2 198	45	93	196	342	608	914
acres	399 118	46 924	37 098	48 592	60 381	99 251	106 872
Woodland pastured—farms	1 467	17	52	106	221	411	660
acres	167 223	3 669	16 812	17 323	29 921	46 575	52 923
Woodland not pastured—farms	1 385	36	66	148	218	380	537
acres	231 895	43 255	20 286	31 269	30 460	52 676	53 949
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	823	20	43	69	120	198	373
acres	129 547	13 040	24 236	17 992	26 255	19 779	28 245
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	622	13	22	43	87	162	295
acres	68 139	5 495	11 925	7 014	10 015	14 493	19 197
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	296	12	24	29	49	66	116
acres	61 408	7 545	12 311	10 978	16 240	5 286	9 048
Other land (see text)—farms	1 892	50	81	173	303	500	785
acres	52 492	3 530	2 400	5 693	7 033	14 810	19 026
Total pastureland—farms	2 504	53	98	214	363	692	1 084
acres	509 156	30 610	52 462	63 285	85 530	128 788	148 481
Irrigated land—farms	10	1	2	–	–	4	3
acres	430	250	55	–	–	93	32
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	7	1	2	–	–	2	2
acres	348	250	55	–	–	13	30
Artificial drainage—farms	221	16	20	34	51	41	59
acres drained	28 916	10 019	3 338	6 166	3 696	2 832	2 865
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	877	28	40	88	137	258	326
number	2 518	91	170	358	476	695	728
acres	4 699	517	431	800	831	1 079	1 041
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	2 968	66	121	264	453	821	1 243
Full owners	1 942	24	54	125	256	550	933
Part owners	834	34	57	116	164	222	241
Tenants	192	8	10	23	33	49	69

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Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	2 772	52	116	245	433	774	1 152
Full owners	1 820	13	50	112	246	524	875
Part owners	782	32	56	112	159	205	218
Tenants	170	7	10	21	28	45	59
Black and other races[1]	137	–	1	5	14	38	79
Full owners	81	–	1	3	6	23	48
Part owners	39	–	–	–	5	11	23
Tenants	17	–	–	2	3	4	8
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	2 741	40	96	229	410	775	1 191
acres	779 846	36 352	67 315	100 121	134 271	210 400	231 387
Partnership — farms	168	12	21	21	37	37	40
acres	91 339	14 909	22 724	11 690	15 635	11 099	15 282
Corporation, including family owned — farms	56	14	4	14	5	9	10
acres	87 087	54 985	9 010	15 714	204	3 917	3 257
Other — farms	3	–	–	–	1	–	2
acres	888	–	–	–	700	–	188
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	785	42	54	95	135	214	245
$1,000	29 477	9 424	3 500	3 366	3 410	5 392	4 384
Debts secured by real estate — farms	590	34	31	65	96	175	189
$1,000	23 258	6 682	2 548	2 733	2 704	4 643	3 948
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	381	22	39	52	77	86	105
$1,000	6 219	2 742	952	633	706	749	436
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	42	1	3	4	10	11	13
25 to 34 years	214	4	3	22	41	60	84
35 to 44 years	346	5	26	33	45	109	128
45 to 54 years	693	23	34	59	107	164	306
55 to 64 years	890	16	32	87	132	267	356
65 years and over	724	3	19	45	112	201	344
Average age	55.2	49.7	52.4	53.2	54.6	55.5	56.2
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	1 922	34	78	162	311	517	820
On another farm	51	2	2	7	9	14	17
In a rural area, not on a farm	96	3	8	14	13	21	37
In a city, town, or urban area	339	5	15	25	48	106	140
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 479	44	95	175	279	359	527
Other	1 430	8	22	75	168	453	704
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	1 345	–	3	18	106	427	791
Less than value of farm products sold	914	30	73	159	249	230	173
Not reporting or none	650	22	41	73	92	155	267
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	1 467	11	33	94	201	445	683
1 to 49 days	135	2	3	10	24	43	53
50 to 99 days	69	2	4	3	12	22	26
100 to 149 days	61	1	2	3	8	22	25
150 to 199 days	122	1	1	6	9	30	75
200 days and over	1 080	5	23	72	148	328	504
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	601	5	19	48	100	178	251
Number of persons	687	5	25	54	113	207	283
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	48	2	4	5	11	11	15
50 to 99 days	44	–	4	4	7	13	16
100 to 149 days	41	1	3	1	8	10	18
150 to 199 days	101	2	3	10	12	33	41
200 days and over	453	–	11	34	75	140	193
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	81	1	–	5	11	20	44
10 to 49 acres	321	1	11	12	37	76	184
50 to 69 acres	239	4	5	9	24	70	127
70 to 99 acres	278	5	7	5	46	90	125
100 to 139 acres	396	1	4	32	48	117	194
140 to 179 acres	280	3	8	25	39	61	144
180 to 219 acres	230	2	7	30	33	61	97
220 to 259 acres	159	1	4	18	31	45	60
260 to 499 acres	538	8	22	52	109	170	177
500 to 999 acres	275	12	30	40	50	79	64
1,000 to 1,999 acres	126	19	11	29	16	27	24
2,000 acres and over	45	9	12	7	9	5	3
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	2 968	66	121	264	453	821	1 243
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	2 968	66	121	264	453	821	1 243
$1,000	48 065	17 250	7 520	7 284	6 238	5 674	4 099
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	20	20	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	40	40	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	121	–	121	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	264	–	–	264	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	453	–	–	–	453	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	821	–	–	–	–	821	–
$2,500 to $4,999	1 094	–	–	–	–	–	1 094
Under $2,500 (see text)	149	–	–	–	–	–	149
Grain sold—farms	1 050	38	82	168	221	282	259
$1,000	5 197	1 313	1 148	1 173	778	538	247
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	15	14	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	898	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	49	4	8	15	3	11	8
$1,000	519	213	163	98	19	20	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	48	6	3	13	7	7	12
$1,000	519	386	23	76	16	11	8
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	309	14	16	35	58	100	86
$1,000	567	140	68	60	112	134	52
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	40	1	1	1	12	12	13
$1,000	145	(D)	(D)	(Z)	12	16	6
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	92	3	2	12	21	23	31
$1,000	110	10	16	17	22	25	19
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	27	3	1	4	5	7	7
$1,000	398	365	1	4	15	10	4
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	74	–	3	10	5	22	34
$1,000	83	–	40	30	2	5	7
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	10	1	2	3	2	–	2
$1,000	89	(D)	(D)	35	2	–	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	2 432	46	83	192	343	686	1 082
$1,000	20 413	5 540	2 622	2 895	2 997	3 420	2 939
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	61	25	36	–	–	–	–
$1,000	7 429	5 344	2 084	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	1 174	48	79	158	238	313	338
$1,000	19 221	8 930	3 319	2 714	2 147	1 387	724
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	86	47	39	–	–	–	–
$1,000	11 134	8 920	2 215	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	5	–	–	1	–	4	–
$1,000	5	–	–	2	–	3	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	73	3	4	2	14	21	29
$1,000	55	9	9	1	20	6	10
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	368	12	23	49	57	99	128
$1,000	744	200	91	179	95	101	76
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---farms--	2 968	66	121	264	453	821	1 243
$1,000--	48 228	16 526	6 855	6 438	5 858	6 320	6 230
Livestock and poultry purchased -farms--	1 328	56	88	153	225	361	445
$1,000--	7 834	3 181	1 168	846	716	971	952
Feed for livestock and poultry ---farms--	2 569	64	114	241	409	716	1 025
$1,000--	13 900	6 266	1 970	1 569	1 439	1 387	1 269
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----------farms--	2 163	57	98	195	351	607	855
tons--	53 982	19 750	6 116	7 231	7 668	6 804	6 413
$1,000--	7 654	3 047	917	965	945	917	863
Feed ingredients----------farms--	886	24	45	92	164	230	331
tons--	8 893	2 984	1 423	1 564	1 022	947	953
$1,000--	1 404	500	246	186	177	150	146
Whole grains ----------farms--	1 032	34	68	120	171	280	359
tons--	41 104	24 281	7 148	3 556	2 374	2 275	1 470
$1,000--	4 542	2 715	739	398	280	249	161
Hay, green chop, and silage ---farms--	365	2	14	15	41	104	189
tons--	8 294	134	1 799	460	1 076	1 888	2 939
$1,000--	300	4	69	20	37	71	99
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ----------farms--	1 499	66	107	159	254	366	547
$1,000--	610	256	107	56	60	65	67
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees --farms--	1 474	49	89	184	274	425	453
$1,000--	763	202	135	146	108	98	74
Commercial fertilizer purchased--farms--	2 420	57	106	231	385	669	972
$1,000--	7 496	1 435	955	1 226	1 138	1 361	1 380
Commercial fertilizer used ------farms--	2 182	57	103	226	360	606	830
acres fertilized--	228 425	37 964	29 188	35 781	37 218	45 434	42 840
dry tons--	44 627	7 397	5 518	6 964	7 396	8 979	8 373
liquid or gas tons--	12 707	3 484	1 926	1 975	1 704	1 691	1 927
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ----------farms--	1 157	45	75	142	209	313	373
$1,000--	998	374	121	184	117	114	88
Lime ----------farms--	463	23	29	58	67	132	154
tons--	30 691	6 348	2 448	5 972	4 257	6 321	5 345
$1,000--	347	74	26	74	46	68	58
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------farms--	2 876	66	121	264	439	798	1 188
$1,000--	2 343	369	351	374	382	438	429
Gasoline ----------farms--	2 770	66	121	262	430	768	1 123
$1,000--	1 531	186	187	246	270	327	314
Diesel oil----------farms--	1 331	60	101	204	204	339	423
$1,000--	492	134	112	82	59	54	50
LP gas, butane, and propane --farms--	29	13	2	3	2	5	4
$1,000--	18	16	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil -------farms--	2 876	66	121	264	439	798	1 188
$1,000--	302	32	50	45	52	57	65
Hired farm labor ----------farms--	1 158	62	79	140	191	286	400
$1,000--	3 643	1 653	580	505	328	325	252
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------farms--	311	57	50	64	52	54	34
workers--	716	296	123	117	70	70	40
25 to 149 days ----------farms--	331	28	39	50	51	81	82
workers--	804	214	115	113	115	129	118
Less than 25 days---------farms--	768	25	25	74	135	199	310
workers--	4 899	194	209	634	1 058	1 214	1 590
Contract labor ----------farms--	140	4	9	8	29	30	60
$1,000--	145	9	19	23	28	28	38
Machine hire and customwork---farms--	1 160	21	54	116	188	300	481
$1,000--	830	98	89	116	142	186	199
All other production expenses ---farms--	2 923	66	121	264	453	821	1 198
$1,000--	9 665	2 683	1 360	1 393	1 401	1 347	1 482
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ----------farms--	1 046	18	39	99	174	283	433
$1,000--	1 525	74	65	207	334	414	430
$10,000 and over ----------farms--	19	2	-	3	4	9	1
$1,000--	329	(D)	-	88	62	123	(D)
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services----------farms--	204	9	13	16	40	52	74
$1,000--	423	24	22	28	124	124	100
Recreational services --------farms--	52	6	1	5	15	12	13
$1,000--	47	10	2	5	8	13	10
Payments from government farm programs ----------farms--	703	10	23	65	104	204	297
$1,000--	439	10	18	60	86	129	137
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments----------farms--	270	4	6	24	48	65	123
$1,000--	526	14	12	93	110	143	154
Other farm-related income ----farms--	52	1	4	10	13	7	17
$1,000--	90	16	12	21	6	5	29
Expenses for farm-related income sources ----------farms--	305	2	10	25	59	80	129
$1,000--	460	4	7	75	103	123	147

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	2 055	25	67	153	316	606	888
$1,000	27 005	562	1 250	2 056	3 959	7 816	11 361
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	38	–	5	4	3	9	17
$250 to $499	16	–	1	1	8	3	3
$500 to $999	33	2	2	–	3	10	16
$1,000 to $4,999	405	6	15	40	72	124	148
$5,000 to $9,999	484	6	17	35	81	118	227
$10,000 to $19,999	748	4	17	46	100	234	347
$20,000 to $29,999	217	2	5	15	30	76	89
$30,000 and over	114	5	5	12	19	32	41
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	460	5	9	31	53	128	234
$1,000	6 048	199	555	539	586	1 546	2 623
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	1 341	14	45	93	209	412	568
$1,000	15 369	187	430	1 087	2 590	4 836	6 238
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	803	15	28	63	134	225	338
$1,000	3 070	174	216	295	388	677	1 319
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	518	1	15	34	80	160	228
$1,000	1 585	1	36	105	230	533	681
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	243	2	5	15	45	69	107
$1,000	933	1	13	30	165	224	500
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	1 968	49	92	204	330	523	770
number	2 762	99	148	280	461	721	1 053
2 or 3—farms	578	27	47	50	107	150	197
number	1 257	59	99	111	232	320	436
4 and over—farms	34	6	1	4	2	9	12
number	149	24	5	19	8	37	56
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	2 389	65	115	249	390	651	919
number	3 578	240	286	456	600	863	1 133
2 or 3—farms	709	29	67	153	126	162	172
number	1 546	68	152	330	284	347	365
4 and over—farms	92	31	22	8	15	9	7
number	444	167	108	38	67	36	28
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	2 518	59	112	254	402	701	990
number	4 760	236	325	624	766	1 260	1 549
2 or 3—farms	1 161	21	64	166	165	348	397
number	2 649	44	159	411	386	774	875
4 and over—farms	191	32	28	32	37	38	24
number	945	186	146	157	180	171	105
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	2 506	59	112	254	399	694	988
number	4 586	222	308	615	734	1 203	1 504
Crawler tractors—farms	152	12	17	9	21	50	43
number	174	14	17	9	32	57	45
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	313	32	49	76	64	42	50
number	321	35	52	78	64	42	50
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	324	34	50	60	62	61	57
number	361	38	56	66	75	66	60
Corn heads for combines—farms	181	30	42	44	28	24	13
number	187	32	46	44	28	24	13
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	168	6	10	22	43	41	46
number	174	6	10	22	47	42	47
Mower conditioners—farms	487	18	34	51	75	134	175
number	517	19	37	55	81	145	180
Pickup balers—farms	837	25	49	102	139	234	288
number	876	31	51	108	148	243	295
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	373	14	19	49	67	90	134
number	385	17	21	50	71	90	136
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	152	13	19	9	26	41	44
number	190	22	20	9	28	62	49
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	2 767	66	121	264	435	758	1 123
$1,000	42 273	4 406	4 181	5 980	7 080	9 522	11 104
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	629	–	3	19	80	182	345
$1,000	1 862	–	8	66	255	552	980
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	692	4	11	28	89	197	363
$1,000	4 814	32	72	192	629	1 384	2 505
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	728	7	18	76	123	212	292
$1,000	9 687	96	249	988	1 581	2 842	3 931
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	617	23	63	127	132	159	113
$1,000	17 600	724	1 953	3 871	3 840	4 254	2 958
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	73	16	20	14	9	7	7
$1,000	4 517	1 106	1 226	862	(D)	(D)	369
$100,000 and over—farms	28	16	6	–	2	1	3
$1,000	3 794	2 449	673	–	(D)	(D)	360

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	2 483	59	107	238	394	691	994
$1,000	8 494	1 809	1 076	1 410	1 255	1 475	1 468
Commercial fertilizer—farms	2 420	57	106	231	385	669	972
acres on which used	228 425	37 964	29 188	35 781	37 218	45 434	42 840
tons	57 334	10 882	7 444	8 939	9 100	10 670	10 300
$1,000	7 496	1 435	955	1 226	1 138	1 361	1 380
Lime—farms	463	23	29	58	67	132	154
acres on which used	30 694	6 655	2 599	5 809	4 238	6 004	5 389
tons	30 691	6 348	2 448	5 972	4 257	6 321	5 345
$1,000	347	74	26	74	46	68	58
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	39	1	2	9	14	4	9
acres on which used	1 196	50	84	596	303	78	85
$1,000	8	1	(Z)	4	1	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	254	29	28	55	51	51	40
acres on which used	22 545	11 587	3 524	4 154	1 821	1 120	339
$1,000	244	140	34	41	16	10	4
Nematodes in crops—farms	31	5	7	10	–	6	3
acres on which used	2 559	1 370	544	533	–	95	17
$1,000	22	12	4	4	–	1	(Z)
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	20	3	1	2	5	5	4
acres on which used	3 850	3 600	5	60	90	79	16
$1,000	52	47	(Z)	(Z)	3	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	386	26	41	79	98	86	56
acres on which used	31 464	10 235	6 874	6 683	4 650	2 131	891
$1,000	224	80	48	43	32	15	6
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	108	6	3	16	27	23	33
acres on which used	8 122	2 665	410	1 463	1 381	1 042	1 161
$1,000	22	7	1	5	5	2	2
Weeds on other land—farms	43	4	7	4	3	10	15
acres on which used	713	168	254	66	66	75	84
$1,000	4	1	2	(Z)	1	(Z)	(Z)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	20	2	–	8	5	–	5
acres on which used	998	609	–	244	78	–	67
$1,000	5	3	–	2	1	–	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	240	16	16	36	40	55	77
$1,000	32	10	3	7	4	5	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	257	2	10	21	53	80	91
$1,000	40	1	4	4	8	10	12
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	1 204	7	22	78	163	354	580
Under 1,000 bushels	173	1	3	14	29	69	57
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	264	7	28	39	77	63	50
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	94	10	23	36	19	2	4
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	38	13	16	4	2	–	3
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	14	8	–	4	2	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	7	6	1	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	1 174	14	28	89	161	333	549
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	2 418	46	81	194	344	666	1 087
number	203 638	17 927	19 491	27 477	33 716	46 715	58 312
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	2 184	40	74	166	319	605	980
number	108 720	7 984	10 080	14 506	18 920	25 722	31 508
Beef cows—farms	2 143	40	72	162	311	596	962
number	108 096	7 981	10 072	14 409	18 846	25 558	31 230
Milk cows—farms	206	2	5	16	29	60	94
number	624	3	8	97	74	164	278
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	1 662	26	68	146	247	462	713
number	41 307	2 774	4 361	6 455	7 137	9 141	11 439
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	1 633	26	66	142	245	453	701
number	39 967	2 773	4 239	6 026	6 910	8 945	11 074
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	80	1	3	8	9	26	33
number	1 340	1	122	429	227	196	365
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	1 963	36	71	166	285	534	871
number	53 611	7 169	5 050	6 516	7 659	11 852	15 365
Cattle and calves sold—farms	2 432	46	83	192	343	686	1 082
number	99 928	18 339	10 675	13 459	16 254	20 699	20 502
$1,000	20 413	5 540	2 622	2 895	2 997	3 420	2 939
Calves—farms	1 711	20	47	108	225	501	810
number	44 010	3 560	3 890	5 303	7 519	11 439	12 299
$1,000	5 407	479	545	719	905	1 407	1 352
Cattle—farms	1 964	40	74	167	307	568	808
number	55 918	14 779	6 785	8 156	8 735	9 260	8 203
$1,000	15 007	5 061	2 077	2 176	2 092	2 014	1 587
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	337	16	12	47	52	100	110
number	14 338	8 983	871	1 179	1 160	1 257	888
$1,000	4 834	3 424	255	316	322	315	202
Hogs and pigs—farms	1 160	48	76	139	223	311	363
number	161 964	70 010	22 936	23 659	21 003	14 116	10 240
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	894	37	62	102	190	248	255
number	20 364	9 098	2 564	2 423	2 541	2 015	1 723
Other—farms	1 114	48	76	135	216	294	345
number	141 600	60 912	20 372	21 236	18 462	12 101	8 517

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	1 174	48	79	158	238	313	338
number	279 635	121 378	45 672	40 453	34 542	23 747	13 843
$1,000	19 221	8 930	3 319	2 714	2 147	1 387	724
Feeder pigs — farms	231	7	7	25	35	67	90
number	37 595	10 077	4 090	4 879	8 567	5 264	4 718
$1,000	914	298	125	100	183	113	95
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	950	38	63	114	197	259	279
number	33 654	16 656	4 455	3 692	4 043	2 778	2 030
December 1 and May 31 — farms	875	38	63	108	191	228	247
number	16 745	7 963	2 302	1 935	2 068	1 424	1 053
June 1 and November 30 — farms	848	38	62	105	187	228	228
number	16 909	8 693	2 153	1 757	1 975	1 354	977
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	6	–	–	1	–	4	1
number	351	–	–	86	–	261	4
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	4	–	–	1	–	3	–
number	112	–	–	40	–	72	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	6	–	–	1	–	4	1
number	179	–	–	39	–	137	3
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	6	–	–	1	–	4	1
number	60	–	–	7	–	52	1
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	5	–	–	1	–	4	–
number	141	–	–	57	–	84	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	5	–	–	1	–	4	–
number	249	–	–	57	–	192	–
pounds of wool	1 579	–	–	501	–	1 078	–
Horses and ponies — farms	426	14	18	22	79	104	189
number	1 577	130	85	74	328	377	583
Sold — farms	55	3	3	2	13	15	19
number	138	24	8	8	52	20	26
$1,000	52	9	9	(Z)	20	5	9
Horses — farms	386	13	18	16	77	90	172
number	1 376	122	81	58	264	326	525
Sold — farms	48	3	3	–	11	14	17
number	100	24	8	–	25	19	24
$1,000	48	9	9	–	16	5	9
Any goats — farms	12	–	–	3	3	1	5
number	159	–	–	53	16	18	72
Sold — farms	5	–	–	2	–	–	3
number	38	–	–	30	–	–	8
$1,000	1	–	–	(Z)	–	–	(Z)
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	303	1	8	20	38	103	133
number	19 603	14	6 439	4 168	1 673	3 394	3 915
Sold — farms	30	–	3	6	3	9	9
number	5 770	–	3 100	1 424	202	904	140
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	293	1	8	20	33	100	131
number	18 054	14	6 428	4 063	1 213	3 162	3 174
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	292	1	8	20	33	99	131
number	17 779	14	6 428	4 063	1 213	3 056	3 005
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	18	–	–	–	–	7	11
number	275	–	–	–	–	106	169
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	20	–	–	–	1	6	13
number	298	–	–	–	30	76	192
Roosters and male chickens — farms	112	–	3	4	14	32	59
number	1 251	–	11	105	430	156	549
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	8	–	1	–	–	4	3
number	(D)	–	(D)	–	–	35	35
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	8	–	–	–	–	–	8
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	10	–	–	–	–	–	10
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	4	–	–	–	–	–	4
Sold — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	10	–	–	–	–	–	10
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
number	4	–	–	–	–	–	4
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	1 167	44	75	153	212	332	351
acres	44 288	13 737	7 028	7 729	6 052	5 770	3 972
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	981	44	73	138	178	267	281
acres	40 519	13 737	6 873	7 154	4 924	4 708	3 123
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	1 106	40	70	150	204	307	335
acres	38 869	11 224	6 039	7 294	5 604	5 098	3 610
bushels	2 397 055	825 362	353 875	453 816	331 463	277 100	155 439
Irrigated — farms	3	1	1	–	–	1	–
acres	277	250	15	–	–	12	–

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	190	8	14	24	36	40	68
acres	3 961	425	867	673	750	653	593
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	150	8	12	20	27	32	51
acres	3 394	425	809	469	639	568	484
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	130	5	11	22	25	30	37
acres	2 805	280	701	518	501	497	308
bushels	110 231	14 570	27 817	16 581	22 195	17 460	11 608
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	745	33	68	130	180	196	138
acres	33 763	7 335	6 891	8 091	6 091	3 825	1 530
bushels	657 130	171 532	138 414	152 149	108 778	61 893	24 364
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
acres	16	–	–	–	–	–	16
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	448	24	57	76	126	116	49
acres	22 527	5 028	5 416	5 051	4 261	2 138	633
Peanuts for nuts — farms	32	1	1	–	13	8	9
acres	263	200	3	–	39	12	9
pounds	623 715	(D)	(D)	–	49 430	10 625	7 660
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	11	1	–	–	8	1	1
acres	220	200	–	–	18	1	1
Wheat — farms	245	13	29	58	38	51	56
acres	5 256	1 290	1 104	1 221	671	490	480
bushels	147 325	37 180	30 194	33 724	18 448	14 649	13 130
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	177	13	26	44	31	28	35
acres	4 419	1 290	1 029	989	578	283	250
Cotton — farms	51	6	3	13	7	7	15
acres	1 971	996	182	486	114	115	78
bales	1 969	1 297	109	381	82	54	46
Irrigated — farms	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
acres	14	–	–	–	–	–	14
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	50	6	3	12	7	7	15
acres	1 945	996	182	460	114	115	78
Tobacco — farms	51	4	8	15	3	11	10
acres	300	104	83	77	12	14	10
pounds	598 312	239 190	190 720	120 261	20 400	19 130	8 611
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	51	4	8	15	3	11	10
acres	300	104	83	77	12	14	10
Irish potatoes — farms	43	–	–	1	7	18	17
acres	13	–	–	2	2	6	3
hundredweight	1 182	–	–	180	153	511	338
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	12	–	–	1	2	7	2
acres	5	–	–	2	(Z)	3	(Z)
Hay — farms	1 380	35	54	124	210	387	570
acres	44 346	3 285	4 379	5 717	8 124	10 797	12 044
tons	82 596	10 128	8 930	10 454	15 043	19 794	18 247
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	674	28	42	57	98	186	263
acres	23 223	2 580	3 108	3 142	3 551	5 369	5 473
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	44	–	3	7	9	15	10
acres	1 372	–	184	510	225	344	109
tons, dry	3 457	–	355	1 530	803	600	169
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	134	–	1	7	14	40	72
acres	3 333	–	175	240	450	1 054	1 414
tons, dry	5 154	–	230	603	686	1 782	1 853
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	77	1	4	10	17	27	18
acres	2 537	30	260	517	628	745	357
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	44	1	4	5	7	15	12
acres	1 453	30	260	225	316	368	254
Vegetables — farms	104	3	2	12	21	29	37
acres	438	42	46	93	88	80	89
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	62	2	2	5	16	18	19
acres	241	30	46	48	34	49	34
Berries — farms	3	–	–	–	–	1	2
acres	2	–	–	–	–	(Z)	2
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	66	3	6	7	10	16	24
acres	1 281	765	87	57	135	110	128
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	35	3	2	3	7	7	13
acres	954	765	11	16	44	56	62

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	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms — number	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
percent	100.0	45.5	32.0	15.4	4.6	1.7	0.7
Land in farms — acres	202 254	140 142	43 910	13 195	3 859	1 042	106
Average size of farm — acres	487	741	330	206	203	149	35
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	100 539	70 117	21 665	6 862	1 498	362	36
Average per farm — dollars	242 262	370 991	162 894	107 213	78 832	51 650	11 933
Average per acre — dollars	497	500	493	520	388	347	338
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	3	–	–	–	1	–	2
$10,000 to $19,999	7	–	4	1	1	1	–
$20,000 to $39,999	24	2	7	7	5	2	1
$40,000 to $69,999	55	5	19	25	4	2	–
$70,000 to $99,999	42	7	19	11	3	2	–
$100,000 to $149,999	64	19	32	10	3	–	–
$150,000 to $199,999	46	21	21	3	1	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	124	93	26	4	1	–	–
$500,000 and over	50	42	5	3	–	–	–
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned — farms	402	184	127	62	19	7	3
acres	146 699	97 914	33 211	11 034	3 507	942	91
Land rented or leased from others — farms	282	148	86	39	7	1	1
acres	59 142	44 483	10 874	2 864	806	100	15
Land rented or leased to others — farms	22	9	3	5	5	–	–
acres	3 587	2 255	175	703	454	–	–
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland — farms	410	188	133	64	17	7	1
acres	132 117	93 675	27 733	8 128	1 946	599	36
Harvested cropland — farms	393	184	131	56	15	6	1
acres	98 262	76 404	17 087	3 788	722	239	22
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	55	–	19	23	9	3	1
50 to 99 acres	72	13	32	21	3	3	–
100 to 199 acres	95	28	54	10	3	–	–
200 to 499 acres	124	96	26	2	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	40	40	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only — farms	309	137	98	51	16	6	1
acres	30 575	15 525	9 838	3 902	1 034	262	14
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured — farms	21	12	5	3	1	–	–
acres	1 309	960	127	217	5	–	–
On which all crops failed — farms	11	5	6	–	–	–	–
acres	278	143	135	–	–	–	–
In cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	4	6	1	–	–	–
acres	341	148	148	45	–	–	–
Idle — farms	39	13	14	9	1	2	–
acres	1 352	495	398	176	185	98	–
Total woodland — farms	319	153	96	46	17	6	1
acres	48 574	31 759	11 049	3 920	1 502	291	53
Woodland pastured — farms	184	75	61	30	13	4	1
acres	17 141	9 304	5 039	1 820	835	141	2
Woodland not pastured — farms	210	114	54	29	8	4	1
acres	31 433	22 455	6 010	2 100	667	150	51
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	141	68	41	25	4	2	1
acres	14 777	10 320	3 132	900	306	104	15
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	113	52	32	22	4	2	1
acres	8 489	5 229	2 053	782	306	104	15
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	39	23	11	5	–	–	–
acres	6 288	5 091	1 079	118	–	–	–
Other land (see text) — farms	304	145	98	44	10	5	2
acres	6 786	4 388	1 996	247	105	48	2
Total pastureland — farms	387	175	126	60	18	7	1
acres	62 493	35 149	18 009	6 622	2 175	507	31
Irrigated land — farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	130	130	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated cropland harvested — farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
acres	130	130	–	–	–	–	–
Artificial drainage — farms	61	40	17	4	–	–	–
acres drained	16 253	14 756	1 122	375	–	–	–
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	170	92	52	20	4	2	–
number	409	239	118	44	5	3	–
acres	896	590	221	75	8	3	–
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
Full owners	134	42	47	25	12	6	2
Part owners	268	142	80	37	7	1	1
Tenants	13	5	6	2	–	–	–

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Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	398	178	128	63	19	7	3
Full owners	130	40	45	25	12	6	2
Part owners	255	133	77	36	7	1	1
Tenants	13	5	6	2	–	–	–
Black and other races[1]	3	1	1	1	–	–	–
Full owners	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Part owners	2	–	1	1	–	–	–
Tenants	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	319	127	107	59	19	6	1
acres	143 219	94 077	32 045	12 246	3 859	888	104
Partnership — farms	82	52	22	5	–	1	2
acres	48 286	38 281	8 900	949	–	154	2
Corporation, including family owned — farms	13	10	3	–	–	–	–
acres	9 049	7 784	1 265	–	–	–	–
Other — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
acres	1 700	–	1 700	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	204	101	68	30	3	2	–
$1,000	15 235	11 599	2 928	638	67	4	–
Debts secured by real estate — farms	161	79	53	26	3	–	–
$1,000	10 006	7 599	1 886	458	64	–	–
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	129	66	47	13	1	2	–
$1,000	5 229	4 000	1 042	180	3	4	–
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	4	3	1	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	35	12	12	10	1	–	–
35 to 44 years	74	33	26	6	5	4	–
45 to 54 years	117	59	40	13	4	1	–
55 to 64 years	117	54	34	24	5	–	–
65 years and over	54	18	16	11	4	2	3
Average age	51.8	51.4	51.4	52.2	53.5	52.3	68.7
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	318	139	106	55	12	3	3
On another farm	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	6	3	1	1	1	–	–
In a city, town, or urban area	17	10	4	2	1	–	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	374	177	119	57	15	3	3
Other	27	2	10	7	4	4	–
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	9	–	2	–	2	4	1
Less than value of farm products sold	207	88	70	34	11	2	2
Not reporting or none	185	91	57	30	6	1	–
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	50	15	17	10	4	4	–
1 to 49 days	9	4	4	1	–	–	–
50 to 99 days	5	4	–	1	–	–	–
100 to 149 days	8	2	2	4	–	–	–
150 to 199 days	6	1	3	1	1	–	–
200 days and over	22	4	8	3	3	4	–
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	62	26	22	8	4	–	2
Number of persons	71	29	28	8	4	–	2
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	5	3	2	–	–	–	–
50 to 99 days	8	4	3	1	–	–	–
100 to 149 days	6	3	1	2	–	–	–
150 to 199 days	13	4	8	–	1	–	–
200 days and over	39	15	14	5	3	–	2
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
10 to 49 acres	6	–	1	3	2	–	–
50 to 69 acres	5	–	2	1	2	–	–
70 to 99 acres	18	2	3	12	1	–	–
100 to 139 acres	27	2	8	8	5	3	1
140 to 179 acres	38	3	16	16	–	3	–
180 to 219 acres	31	4	16	8	2	1	–
220 to 259 acres	19	5	12	1	1	–	–
260 to 499 acres	131	58	57	11	5	–	–
500 to 999 acres	93	75	15	2	1	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	37	32	3	2	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	8	8	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
Poultry and egg farms (025)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	50 438	38 975	9 232	1 868	299	54	10
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	58	58	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	124	124	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	133	–	133	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	64	–	–	64	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	19	–	–	–	19	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	7	–	–	–	–	7	–
$2,500 to $4,999	3	–	–	–	–	–	3
Under $2,500 (see text)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grain sold—farms	225	127	64	28	4	1	1
$1,000	4 157	3 633	434	81	8	1	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	24	24	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 916	1 916	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold—farms	6	4	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	264	241	24	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold—farms	26	24	–	–	2	–	–
$1,000	989	989	–	–	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	9	9	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	728	728	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold—farms	93	45	31	12	3	2	–
$1,000	890	731	123	33	(Z)	2	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	323	323	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold—farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	73	73	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold—farms	12	5	1	5	1	–	–
$1,000	78	59	1	17	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold—farms	4	2	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	45	33	13	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold—farms	9	7	1	–	1	–	–
$1,000	234	207	27	–	(Z)	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	40 164	30 389	7 931	1 570	225	40	9
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	314	189	125	–	–	–	–
$1,000	38 033	30 389	7 644	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	2 991	2 184	593	144	61	10	(Z)
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	485	485	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold—farms	34	21	6	2	3	1	1
$1,000	296	270	17	4	4	(Z)	1
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold—farms	50	23	16	11	–	–	–
$1,000	254	165	70	19	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ____ farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	40 844	31 870	7 282	1 426	193	52	21
Livestock and poultry purchased _ farms	198	107	60	24	7	–	–
$1,000	1 627	1 194	363	64	6	–	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ___ farms	404	183	130	62	19	7	3
$1,000	14 783	11 159	2 867	648	69	23	16
Commercially mixed formula feeds _____ farms	387	174	127	61	16	6	3
tons	93 365	68 771	20 052	3 985	375	119	62
$1,000	13 056	9 698	2 695	579	53	20	11
Feed ingredients _____ farms	131	66	34	15	9	5	2
tons	6 327	5 639	402	230	33	15	8
$1,000	905	786	58	51	6	3	2
Whole grains _____ farms	122	56	34	15	10	4	3
tons	5 167	4 361	567	122	84	5	28
$1,000	573	482	63	15	10	1	3
Hay, green chop, and silage ___ farms	48	26	16	5	–	1	–
tons	16 705	15 523	1 065	107	–	10	–
$1,000	249	193	51	4	–	(Z)	–
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry _____ farms	382	189	133	40	13	6	1
$1,000	542	420	106	12	3	1	(Z)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees __ farms	370	184	118	52	13	3	–
$1,000	754	605	122	23	3	(Z)	–
Commercial fertilizer purchased __ farms	391	183	128	55	18	6	1
$1,000	5 529	4 381	948	154	32	14	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer used _____ farms	387	183	125	55	17	6	1
acres fertilized	111 873	85 120	21 432	3 869	1 096	350	6
dry tons	25 311	19 140	5 011	873	207	80	1
liquid or gas tons	10 253	8 490	1 456	209	54	43	–
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) _____ farms	265	151	81	27	5	1	–
$1,000	875	780	81	11	1	(Z)	–
Lime _____ farms	144	86	47	11	–	–	–
tons	19 424	16 309	2 728	387	–	–	–
$1,000	220	183	33	4	–	–	–
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business _____ farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	1 538	1 138	313	64	17	5	2
Gasoline _____ farms	412	189	133	62	19	6	3
$1,000	712	490	156	47	13	4	1
Diesel oil _____ farms	339	185	122	27	2	3	–
$1,000	600	484	104	9	1	(Z)	–
LP gas, butane, and propane __ farms	17	13	4	–	–	–	–
$1,000	21	13	8	–	–	–	–
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil _____ farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	206	151	44	8	2	1	(Z)
Hired farm labor _____ farms	293	171	83	28	10	1	–
$1,000	4 298	3 753	473	59	12	(Z)	–
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more _____ farms	240	164	60	13	3	–	–
workers	868	718	129	16	5	–	–
25 to 149 days _____ farms	117	78	30	5	4	–	–
workers	471	392	68	5	6	–	–
Less than 25 days _____ farms	115	57	33	17	7	1	–
workers	743	461	201	49	15	17	–
Contract labor _____ farms	17	11	3	3	–	–	–
$1,000	30	19	4	6	–	–	–
Machine hire and customwork ___ farms	176	84	64	18	5	2	3
$1,000	422	321	89	6	2	1	2
All other production expenses ___ farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	10 446	8 099	1 915	378	47	6	2
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income _____ farms	127	62	41	14	8	1	1
$1,000	285	205	55	9	12	(Z)	3
$10,000 and over _____ farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	84	84	–	–	–	–	–
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services _____ farms	42	25	15	1	–	–	1
$1,000	149	112	33	(Z)	–	–	3
Recreational services _____ farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Payments from government farm programs _____ farms	94	44	32	12	5	1	–
$1,000	90	63	15	8	4	(Z)	–
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments _____ farms	16	8	3	1	4	–	–
$1,000	34	21	4	1	8	–	–
Other farm-related income ____ farms	12	7	2	3	–	–	–
$1,000	12	9	2	1	–	–	–
Expenses for farm-related income sources _____ farms	18	9	3	2	4	–	–
$1,000	28	23	1	2	2	–	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	163	59	55	29	12	6	2
$1,000	1 261	449	469	196	88	52	6
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	9	4	4	1	–	–	–
$250 to $499	3	–	2	1	–	–	–
$500 to $999	7	3	3	–	1	–	–
$1,000 to $4,999	51	18	18	9	3	1	2
$5,000 to $9,999	47	18	13	10	4	2	–
$10,000 to $19,999	36	11	12	7	3	3	–
$20,000 to $29,999	5	3	–	1	1	–	–
$30,000 and over	5	2	3	–	–	–	–
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	24	8	8	4	2	–	2
$1,000	299	72	177	35	10	–	6
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	98	34	32	20	7	5	–
$1,000	748	266	242	131	61	48	–
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	70	29	22	12	5	2	–
$1,000	121	71	27	18	2	2	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	21	10	4	2	4	1	–
$1,000	68	30	11	10	16	2	–
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	15	5	9	1	–	–	–
$1,000	24	11	11	3	–	–	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	369	164	120	58	18	6	3
number	666	340	200	93	24	6	3
2 or 3—farms	189	99	63	21	6	–	–
number	418	223	135	48	12	–	–
4 and over—farms	16	12	2	2	–	–	–
number	84	64	10	10	–	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	400	187	129	58	18	5	3
number	1 018	632	268	88	20	6	4
2 or 3—farms	212	101	86	21	2	1	1
number	495	241	198	48	4	2	2
4 and over—farms	80	70	9	1	–	–	–
number	415	375	36	4	–	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	406	187	131	63	15	7	3
number	1 486	855	415	166	29	14	7
2 or 3—farms	186	56	74	42	7	4	3
number	470	142	182	110	18	11	7
4 and over—farms	185	127	48	9	1	–	–
number	981	709	224	44	4	–	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	404	185	131	63	15	7	3
number	1 438	829	397	162	29	14	7
Crawler tractors—farms	44	23	17	4	–	–	–
number	48	26	18	4	–	–	–
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	148	109	30	8	1	–	–
number	173	133	31	8	1	–	–
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	128	94	28	5	1	–	–
number	138	102	29	6	1	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	98	79	15	4	–	–	–
number	100	81	15	4	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	38	21	14	2	1	–	–
number	38	21	14	2	1	–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	172	94	54	20	1	2	1
number	184	101	59	20	1	2	1
Pickup balers—farms	272	131	93	32	11	4	1
number	281	136	95	34	11	4	1
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	114	53	46	9	5	1	–
number	114	53	46	9	5	1	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	262	141	87	28	5	1	–
number	340	204	99	31	5	1	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
$1,000	20 984	14 271	4 949	1 387	264	54	59
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	12	–	2	5	5	–	–
$1,000	40	–	6	20	14	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	29	1	10	9	4	5	–
$1,000	211	6	85	58	29	33	–
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	58	5	20	25	4	2	2
$1,000	831	74	309	345	49	22	32
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	161	63	71	21	5	–	1
$1,000	5 111	2 181	2 188	594	122	–	27
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	102	76	23	2	1	–	–
$1,000	6 612	5 116	(D)	(D)	50	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	53	44	7	2	–	–	–
$1,000	8 178	6 893	(D)	(D)	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	393	185	128	55	18	6	1
$1,000	6 403	5 161	1 029	165	33	15	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer—farms	391	183	128	55	18	6	1
acres on which used	111 873	85 120	21 432	3 869	1 096	350	6
tons	35 563	27 630	6 468	1 082	261	122	1
$1,000	5 529	4 381	948	154	32	14	(Z)
Lime—farms	144	86	47	11	–	–	–
acres on which used	17 988	15 095	2 527	366	–	–	–
tons	19 424	16 309	2 728	387	–	–	–
$1,000	220	183	33	4	–	–	–
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	16	10	3	2	1	–	–
acres on which used	657	522	75	50	10	–	–
$1,000	3	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	74	59	8	6	1	–	–
acres on which used	18 174	17 184	612	368	10	–	–
$1,000	240	230	6	4	(Z)	–	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	857	857	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	2	1	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	544	464	80	–	–	–	–
$1,000	8	6	2	–	–	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	175	110	55	7	2	1	–
acres on which used	40 483	35 527	4 610	257	38	51	–
$1,000	343	311	30	2	(Z)	(Z)	–
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	34	19	11	4	–	–	–
acres on which used	1 794	1 276	476	42	–	–	–
$1,000	5	4	1	(Z)	–	–	–
Weeds on other land—farms	19	16	2	1	–	–	–
acres on which used	490	450	15	25	–	–	–
$1,000	3	3	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	14	12	–	1	1	–	–
acres on which used	2 306	2 300	–	3	3	–	–
$1,000	10	10	–	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	87	48	34	4	1	–	–
$1,000	22	16	5	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	35	17	9	5	4	–	–
$1,000	15	10	4	(Z)	1	–	–
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	115	31	43	23	12	5	1
Under 1,000 bushels	27	9	11	7	–	–	–
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	62	30	29	3	–	–	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	33	25	7	1	–	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	44	39	4	1	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	11	11	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	4	3	1	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	119	41	38	29	7	2	2
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
number	68 685	49 157	14 591	3 754	795	292	96
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	413	189	133	64	17	7	3
number	42 875	30 272	9 500	2 331	519	167	86
Beef cows—farms	76	25	31	12	6	1	1
number	2 466	1 076	988	266	98	20	18
Milk cows—farms	413	189	133	64	17	7	3
number	40 409	29 196	8 512	2 065	421	147	68
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	381	182	124	50	17	7	1
number	20 936	15 824	3 965	871	217	55	4
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	88	29	39	12	7	1	–
number	1 682	797	642	183	55	5	–
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	359	177	116	46	12	7	1
number	19 254	15 027	3 323	688	162	50	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	277	132	87	39	13	5	1
number	4 874	3 061	1 126	552	59	70	6
Cattle and calves sold—farms	415	189	133	64	19	7	3
number	19 400	13 514	4 445	1 015	318	96	12
$1,000	2 991	2 184	593	144	61	10	(Z)
Calves—farms	337	157	107	47	16	7	3
number	10 858	7 455	2 593	531	191	76	12
$1,000	580	361	156	38	19	6	(Z)
Cattle—farms	353	172	115	46	15	5	–
number	8 542	6 059	1 852	484	127	20	–
$1,000	2 411	1 823	436	106	41	4	–
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	10	5	5	–	–	–	–
number	309	204	105	–	–	–	–
$1,000	95	68	27	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs—farms	46	24	12	5	3	1	1
number	2 851	2 639	101	53	44	3	11
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	26	14	5	3	3	1	–
number	395	339	34	7	12	3	–
Other—farms	42	23	11	5	2	–	1
number	2 456	2 300	67	46	32	–	11

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Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	34	21	6	2	3	1	1
number	5 173	4 729	260	51	114	8	11
$1,000	296	270	17	4	4	(Z)	1
Feeder pigs — farms	9	3	3	–	2	1	–
number	1 287	1 160	44	–	75	8	–
$1,000	23	20	1	–	2	(Z)	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	28	16	5	3	3	1	–
number	518	462	35	8	11	2	–
December 1 and May 31 — farms	27	15	5	3	3	1	–
number	293	260	18	5	8	2	–
June 1 and November 30 — farms	21	14	5	1	1	–	–
number	225	202	17	3	3	–	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
pounds of wool	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horses and ponies — farms	38	18	12	8	–	–	–
number	135	50	37	48	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horses — farms	36	18	10	8	–	–	–
number	116	39	29	48	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Any goats — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	29	11	9	8	1	–	–
number	25 785	22 449	2 964	352	20	–	–
Sold — farms	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
number	19 384	17 884	1 500	–	–	–	–
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	29	11	9	8	1	–	–
number	25 713	22 448	2 962	283	20	–	–
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	29	11	9	8	1	–	–
number	25 689	22 448	2 938	283	20	–	–
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
number	24	–	24	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens — farms	6	1	2	3	–	–	–
number	72	1	2	69	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
number	10	–	10	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkeys — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	306	175	83	37	8	3	–
acres	42 264	35 080	5 760	1 249	134	41	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	282	164	77	31	8	2	–
acres	39 739	32 971	5 517	1 096	134	21	–
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	198	122	46	22	6	2	–
acres	17 917	15 298	2 113	421	69	16	–
bushels	1 267 899	1 106 563	133 301	26 023	1 732	280	–
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	35	35	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Dairy farms (024)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ____ farms	178	98	57	16	4	3	-
acres	9 617	6 572	2 615	293	101	36	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	149	84	49	12	2	2	-
acres	7 856	5 460	2 129	193	41	33	-
Sorghums for grain or seed ____ farms	53	30	16	3	4	-	-
acres	2 822	2 255	438	43	86	-	-
bushels	110 756	90 040	17 642	1 442	1 632	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans ____ farms	169	108	43	13	4	1	-
acres	20 191	17 321	2 377	406	73	14	-
bushels	439 134	377 525	53 166	7 116	1 019	308	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	117	79	23	10	4	1	-
acres	13 091	11 336	1 437	231	73	14	-
Peanuts for nuts ____ farms	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
acres	133	133	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
acres	133	133	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat ____ farms	69	43	17	7	-	1	1
acres	3 379	3 024	238	108	-	5	4
bushels	108 876	97 681	8 738	2 261	-	146	50
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	62	40	16	5	-	1	-
acres	3 067	2 727	237	98	-	5	-
Cotton ____ farms	26	24	-	-	2	-	-
acres	4 370	4 362	-	-	8	-	-
bales	4 376	4 372	-	-	4	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	26	24	-	-	2	-	-
acres	4 370	4 362	-	-	8	-	-
Tobacco ____ farms	6	4	2	-	-	-	-
acres	155	142	13	-	-	-	-
pounds	263 208	240 208	23 000	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	6	4	2	-	-	-	-
acres	155	142	13	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes ____ farms	5	1	-	4	-	-	-
acres	2	(Z)	-	2	-	-	-
hundredweight	121	25	-	96	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay ____ farms	319	150	109	43	13	3	1
acres	16 973	9 843	5 273	1 423	293	135	6
tons	43 643	28 187	10 983	3 414	495	560	4
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	229	120	80	20	6	2	1
acres	12 183	7 653	3 699	570	135	120	6
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ____ farms	15	6	9	-	-	-	-
acres	462	213	249	-	-	-	-
tons, dry	1 233	569	664	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ____ farms	14	3	7	3	1	-	-
acres	424	161	186	52	25	-	-
tons, dry	910	311	389	160	50	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds ____ farms	10	5	4	1	-	-	-
acres	338	250	73	15	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	6	1	4	1	-	-	-
acres	98	10	73	15	-	-	-
Vegetables ____ farms	12	5	1	5	1	-	-
acres	258	187	2	67	3	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	10	5	-	5	-	-	-
acres	253	187	-	67	-	-	-
Berries ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards ____ farms	8	3	5	-	-	-	-
acres	281	169	112	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ____ farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ____ farms	6	3	3	-	-	-	-
acres	200	170	30	-	-	-	-

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms—number	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
percent	100.0	49.1	29.9	9.8	5.9	4.1	1.3
Land in farms—acres	92 106	65 755	16 343	7 119	1 603	1 046	240
Average size of farm—acres	170	247	101	134	50	48	34
Value of land and buildings—$1,000	55 717	39 631	11 010	3 131	860	899	186
Average per farm—dollars	102 798	148 990	67 962	59 067	26 864	40 881	26 565
Average per acre—dollars	605	603	674	440	536	860	775
Farms by value of farm:							
$1 to $9,999	24	–	9	2	12	1	–
$10,000 to $19,999	49	2	25	7	5	8	2
$20,000 to $39,999	134	56	42	19	8	5	4
$40,000 to $69,999	115	53	44	10	3	4	1
$70,000 to $99,999	63	36	18	4	3	2	–
$100,000 to $149,999	55	37	11	5	1	1	–
$150,000 to $199,999	27	19	3	5	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	58	51	5	1	–	1	–
$500,000 and over	17	12	5	–	–	–	–
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned—farms	526	262	154	51	30	22	7
acres	81 162	57 442	14 119	6 784	1 500	1 075	242
Land rented or leased from others—farms	156	87	48	12	6	3	–
acres	18 113	14 167	3 407	385	103	51	–
Land rented or leased to others—farms	53	28	18	2	–	4	1
acres	7 169	5 854	1 183	50	–	80	2
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland—farms	376	191	107	40	22	13	3
acres	43 306	31 700	7 927	2 407	810	407	55
Harvested cropland—farms	272	145	79	27	13	8	–
acres	27 684	22 088	4 214	1 054	142	186	–
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	168	77	53	17	13	8	–
50 to 99 acres	45	21	15	9	–	–	–
100 to 199 acres	22	13	8	1	–	–	–
200 to 499 acres	25	22	3	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only—farms	197	91	55	21	19	8	3
acres	11 232	6 730	2 856	802	631	162	51
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured—farms	35	13	12	6	1	2	1
acres	805	344	173	240	15	29	4
On which all crops failed—farms	6	2	4	–	–	–	–
acres	862	680	182	–	–	–	–
In cultivated summer fallow—farms	11	4	5	2	–	–	–
acres	359	80	203	76	–	–	–
Idle—farms	75	42	18	11	2	2	–
acres	2 364	1 778	299	235	22	30	–
Total woodland—farms	305	149	90	32	14	15	5
acres	30 901	21 557	5 172	3 127	348	550	147
Woodland pastured—farms	139	66	42	14	8	7	2
acres	6 825	4 263	1 302	643	253	282	82
Woodland not pastured—farms	229	115	70	22	9	9	4
acres	24 076	17 294	3 870	2 484	95	268	65
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture—farms	123	70	36	10	5	1	1
acres	10 398	7 285	1 965	973	154	19	2
Improved pastureland and rangeland—farms	85	41	30	7	5	1	1
acres	5 875	3 424	1 406	870	154	19	2
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland—farms	55	37	12	6	–	–	–
acres	4 523	3 861	559	103	–	–	–
Other land (see text)—farms	417	212	122	37	23	16	7
acres	7 501	5 213	1 279	612	291	70	36
Total pastureland—farms	312	154	88	30	24	13	3
acres	28 455	18 278	6 123	2 418	1 038	463	135
Irrigated land—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	240	240	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated cropland harvested—farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	40	–	–	–	–	–
Artificial drainage—farms	26	17	7	2	–	–	–
acres drained	2 970	2 598	312	60	–	–	–
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	129	79	29	11	7	2	1
number	239	143	59	25	7	2	3
acres	431	268	113	32	10	3	4
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
Full owners	388	180	115	41	26	19	7
Part owners	136	82	37	10	4	3	–
Tenants	18	4	10	2	2	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator — Continued							
All farm operators — Continued							
White[1]	501	234	157	52	30	22	6
Full owners	356	156	111	40	24	19	6
Part owners	128	74	37	10	4	3	–
Tenants	17	4	9	2	2	–	–
Black and other races[1]	7	4	2	–	–	–	1
Full owners	5	2	2	–	–	–	1
Part owners	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Tenants	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family — farms	478	223	153	45	30	20	7
acres	72 503	48 776	15 465	5 605	1 583	834	240
Partnership — farms	30	15	6	7	–	2	–
acres	7 934	5 504	863	1 355	–	212	–
Corporation, including family owned — farms	31	25	3	1	2	–	–
acres	8 569	8 375	15	159	20	–	–
Other — farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
acres	3 100	3 100	–	–	–	–	–
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt — farms	233	142	59	21	2	9	–
$1,000	12 432	10 597	1 488	266	8	72	–
Debts secured by real estate — farms	192	120	47	16	–	9	–
$1,000	7 774	6 377	1 116	213	–	68	–
Debts not secured by real estate — farms	115	70	31	11	2	1	–
$1,000	4 658	4 220	372	54	8	4	–
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	5	2	3	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	44	17	18	5	3	1	–
35 to 44 years	87	47	27	6	4	1	2
45 to 54 years	155	80	50	15	3	7	–
55 to 64 years	131	67	34	16	10	2	2
65 years and over	86	25	27	10	10	11	3
Average age	52.4	51.6	51.2	53.8	56.1	59.1	57.9
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	339	165	107	36	16	11	4
On another farm	9	2	5	–	–	2	–
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	8	1	1	1	2	–
In a city, town, or urban area	23	13	8	1	1	–	–
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	401	201	121	33	24	17	5
Other	107	37	38	19	6	5	2
Farm operators reporting off-farm income —							
Greater than value of farm products sold	7	–	1	–	–	3	3
Less than value of farm products sold	286	139	90	36	17	3	1
Not reporting or none	215	99	68	16	13	16	3
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	143	59	54	17	10	3	–
1 to 49 days	12	6	4	1	–	1	–
50 to 99 days	10	6	3	–	1	–	–
100 to 149 days	13	4	7	2	–	–	–
150 to 199 days	7	4	2	–	1	–	–
200 days and over	101	39	38	14	8	2	–
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	90	41	28	17	4	–	–
Number of persons	110	55	34	17	4	–	–
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	10	4	6	–	–	–	–
50 to 99 days	9	6	2	–	1	–	–
100 to 149 days	10	7	2	–	1	–	–
150 to 199 days	18	5	5	8	–	–	–
200 days and over	63	33	19	9	2	–	–
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	73	27	29	7	6	3	1
10 to 49 acres	128	49	40	11	16	8	4
50 to 69 acres	52	30	7	2	5	7	1
70 to 99 acres	70	32	24	10	3	1	–
100 to 139 acres	55	24	22	5	–	3	1
140 to 179 acres	29	14	12	3	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	28	15	7	5	1	–	–
220 to 259 acres	23	11	9	3	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	44	28	10	5	1	–	–
500 to 999 acres	22	18	2	2	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	16	16	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres and over	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farms (0131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farms (0132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy farms (024)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg farms (025)	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
Animal specialty farms (027)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms not classified by SIC	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold — farms	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
$1,000	91 928	78 769	10 911	1 573	485	169	22
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
$500,000 and over	33	33	–	–	–	–	–
$200,000 to $499,999	104	104	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $199,999	129	129	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $99,999	162	–	162	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $39,999	53	–	–	53	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	32	–	–	–	32	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	22	–	–	–	–	22	–
$2,500 to $4,999	6	–	–	–	–	–	6
Under $2,500 (see text)	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
Grain sold — farms	176	95	56	13	4	8	–
$1,000	2 670	2 273	326	55	6	11	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	18	18	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 553	1 553	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco sold — farms	13	8	3	2	–	–	–
$1,000	211	158	32	21	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed sold — farms	19	15	2	–	–	2	–
$1,000	222	216	5	–	–	2	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold — farms	41	20	13	6	2	–	–
$1,000	94	62	10	15	8	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other field crops sold — farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	113	113	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold — farms	10	5	2	–	3	–	–
$1,000	16	12	2	–	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold — farms	7	5	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	29	16	13	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold — farms	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
$1,000	86 777	74 520	10 249	1 385	454	149	21
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	419	266	153	–	–	–	–
$1,000	84 470	74 520	9 949	–	–	–	–
Dairy products sold — farms	6	3	3	–	–	–	–
$1,000	204	203	1	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves sold — farms	236	123	67	23	13	9	1
$1,000	688	437	158	72	14	6	1
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	89	55	29	3	2	–	–
$1,000	675	554	108	12	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	260	260	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products sold — farms	5	4	1	–	–	–	–
$1,000	8	7	1	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products sold — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Forest products sold — farms	42	32	5	4	1	–	–
$1,000	219	198	6	13	1	–	–
Sales of $40,000 and over — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses ---- farms	542	266	162	53	32	22	7
$1,000	85 395	72 405	10 650	1 553	565	196	26
Livestock and poultry purchased - farms	532	262	161	52	31	21	5
$1,000	14 131	12 081	1 670	261	96	20	3
Feed for livestock and poultry --- farms	535	262	162	53	31	22	5
$1,000	56 105	47 285	7 362	983	360	101	13
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---------- farms	527	256	161	52	31	22	5
tons	363 832	304 619	48 789	7 309	2 410	635	71
$1,000	52 598	44 136	7 091	943	326	91	11
Feed ingredients ---------- farms	142	71	51	12	3	5	-
tons	12 364	11 043	1 263	23	2	32	-
$1,000	1 828	1 623	196	3	(Z)	5	-
Whole grains ---------- farms	156	77	51	15	8	4	1
tons	15 403	14 182	637	281	250	38	15
$1,000	1 652	1 509	74	34	29	4	2
Hay, green chop, and silage --- farms	35	17	5	3	7	3	-
tons	975	628	27	35	273	13	-
$1,000	27	18	1	3	4	1	-
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---------- farms	449	262	142	25	13	6	1
$1,000	346	259	80	5	1	1	(Z)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees -- farms	173	90	51	14	10	8	-
$1,000	166	139	24	2	1	1	-
Commercial fertilizer purchased -- farms	257	125	75	30	16	11	-
$1,000	833	636	124	47	14	11	-
Commercial fertilizer used ------ farms	231	120	62	27	13	9	-
acres fertilized	26 876	20 730	4 170	1 484	278	214	-
dry tons	4 799	3 705	685	322	54	33	-
liquid or gas tons	1 467	1 148	212	83	12	12	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---------- farms	240	149	66	16	5	2	2
$1,000	412	373	30	8	2	(Z)	(Z)
Lime ---------- farms	49	28	10	8	2	1	-
tons	4 298	3 627	397	237	31	6	-
$1,000	50	43	4	3	(Z)	(Z)	-
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ------ farms	538	266	162	53	29	21	7
$1,000	1 130	818	241	42	18	9	2
Gasoline ---------- farms	525	258	160	51	28	21	7
$1,000	609	378	174	33	15	8	1
Diesel oil ---------- farms	108	85	16	6	1	-	-
$1,000	106	96	8	2	(Z)	-	-
LP gas, butane, and propane -- farms	158	141	12	5	-	-	-
$1,000	265	242	21	2	-	-	-
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ------ farms	538	266	162	53	29	21	7
$1,000	151	102	38	7	3	1	(Z)
Hired farm labor ---------- farms	270	183	61	20	4	1	1
$1,000	2 939	2 702	199	35	2	1	(Z)
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---------- farms	176	141	28	7	-	-	-
workers	615	565	43	7	-	-	-
25 to 149 days ---------- farms	106	74	25	5	1	-	1
workers	383	295	73	12	2	-	1
Less than 25 days ---------- farms	97	57	25	11	3	1	-
workers	929	400	450	61	13	5	-
Contract labor ---------- farms	21	14	6	-	1	-	-
$1,000	151	141	7	-	3	-	-
Machine hire and customwork --- farms	127	59	42	19	1	5	1
$1,000	126	92	23	7	1	3	(Z)
All other production expenses --- farms	541	266	162	53	32	22	6
$1,000	9 056	7 880	889	163	68	48	8
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ---------- farms	98	48	34	10	3	3	-
$1,000	313	236	53	18	5	2	-
$10,000 and over ---------- farms	5	4	1	-	-	-	-
$1,000	172	160	12	-	-	-	-
Farm-related income from —							
Customwork and other agricultural services ---------- farms	27	14	9	2	1	1	-
$1,000	91	71	14	5	1	(Z)	-
Recreational services ------ farms	4	3	1	-	-	-	-
$1,000	9	4	5	-	-	-	-
Payments from government farm programs ---------- farms	43	18	16	7	2	-	-
$1,000	38	15	10	12	1	-	-
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments ---------- farms	36	20	13	1	-	2	-
$1,000	157	141	15	(Z)	-	1	-
Other farm-related income ---- farms	8	3	4	-	1	-	-
$1,000	17	5	9	-	3	-	-
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---------- farms	31	16	9	3	2	1	-
$1,000	95	76	11	5	2	1	-

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974**—Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Family Off-Farm Income[1]							
Family off-farm income—farms	265	124	80	36	17	4	4
$1,000	2 353	1 091	807	262	115	61	18
Farms by family off-farm income:							
$1 to $249	8	5	3	–	–	–	–
$250 to $499	5	3	1	1	–	–	–
$500 to $999	8	3	1	3	1	–	–
$1,000 to $4,999	72	34	18	10	6	1	3
$5,000 to $9,999	70	31	20	10	7	1	1
$10,000 to $19,999	82	35	32	11	3	1	–
$20,000 to $29,999	16	11	4	1	–	–	–
$30,000 and over	4	2	1	–	–	1	–
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business—farms	52	20	23	5	4	–	–
$1,000	610	235	322	43	11	–	–
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips—farms	165	77	51	21	12	3	1
$1,000	1 431	655	438	189	82	58	9
Interest, dividends, or royalties—farms	89	40	26	14	8	1	–
$1,000	175	120	26	19	9	1	–
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.—farms	49	24	9	7	5	1	3
$1,000	103	57	19	9	8	2	9
Rent of nonfarm property—farms	16	10	2	3	1	–	–
$1,000	34	24	3	1	6	–	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles—farms	438	225	139	36	23	11	4
number	655	349	215	49	26	11	5
2 or 3—farms	183	100	70	9	3	–	1
number	394	218	146	22	6	–	2
4 and over—farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
number	8	8	–	–	–	–	–
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	484	248	153	43	22	13	5
number	912	541	264	60	27	15	5
2 or 3—farms	214	119	80	9	5	1	–
number	473	271	171	18	10	3	–
4 and over—farms	46	38	6	2	–	–	–
number	215	179	26	10	–	–	–
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	468	246	140	44	24	10	4
number	970	553	281	80	37	14	5
2 or 3—farms	272	141	92	24	12	2	1
number	607	319	200	55	25	6	2
4 and over—farms	43	33	9	1	–	–	–
number	210	162	42	6	–	–	–
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	464	245	139	44	22	10	4
number	932	529	270	80	34	14	5
Crawler tractors—farms	36	22	11	–	3	–	–
number	38	24	11	–	3	–	–
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	74	48	21	4	1	–	–
number	80	54	21	4	1	–	–
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	37	23	13	1	–	–	–
number	38	23	14	1	–	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	28	17	11	–	–	–	–
number	28	17	11	–	–	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10	6	3	1	–	–	–
number	10	6	3	1	–	–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	56	35	17	4	–	–	–
number	57	36	17	4	–	–	–
Pickup balers—farms	69	38	24	7	–	–	–
number	71	40	24	7	–	–	–
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	29	16	11	2	–	–	–
number	30	17	11	2	–	–	–
Field forage harvesters, shear bar—farms	13	6	7	–	–	–	–
number	13	6	7	–	–	–	–
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment—farms	531	266	162	52	28	17	6
$1,000	11 648	7 206	3 269	651	330	145	48
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999—farms	62	16	19	12	7	6	2
$1,000	175	45	61	31	18	17	4
$5,000 to $9,999—farms	107	43	36	15	6	5	2
$1,000	754	291	262	110	44	33	14
$10,000 to $19,999—farms	146	79	40	12	10	3	2
$1,000	1 925	1 037	531	154	141	33	30
$20,000 to $49,999—farms	171	89	62	12	5	3	–
$1,000	4 996	2 608	1 898	301	127	62	–
$50,000 to $99,999—farms	35	31	3	1	–	–	–
$1,000	2 326	(D)	(D)	56	–	–	–
$100,000 and over—farms	10	8	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000	1 472	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–

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

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals—farms	343	184	97	32	17	11	2
$1,000	1 246	1 009	154	55	16	12	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer—farms	257	125	75	30	16	11	–
acres on which used	26 876	20 730	4 170	1 484	278	214	–
tons	6 266	4 853	897	405	66	45	–
$1,000	833	636	124	47	14	11	–
Lime—farms	49	28	10	8	2	1	–
acres on which used	4 436	3 681	486	230	29	10	–
tons	4 298	3 627	397	237	31	6	–
$1,000	50	43	4	3	(Z)	(Z)	–
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	9	–	9	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	–	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Insects on other crops—farms	33	25	5	3	–	–	–
acres on which used	5 589	4 887	564	138	–	–	–
$1,000	90	85	4	1	–	–	–
Nematodes in crops—farms	10	8	1	–	–	1	–
acres on which used	2 118	1 684	404	–	–	30	–
$1,000	16	14	2	–	–	(Z)	–
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	890	870	20	–	–	–	–
$1,000	13	13	1	–	–	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	81	52	20	9	–	–	–
acres on which used	14 729	13 138	1 278	313	–	–	–
$1,000	148	136	10	2	–	–	–
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	18	9	7	2	–	–	–
acres on which used	976	463	313	200	–	–	–
$1,000	4	3	1	(Z)	–	–	–
Weeds on other land—farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
acres on which used	62	62	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit—farms	10	8	–	2	–	–	–
acres on which used	691	671	–	20	–	–	–
$1,000	5	5	–	(Z)	–	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	133	93	28	6	4	–	2
$1,000	69	60	6	1	1	–	(Z)
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	55	36	13	5	1	–	–
$1,000	17	14	3	(Z)	(Z)	–	–
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None	248	122	74	27	16	7	2
Under 1,000 bushels	38	14	14	8	–	–	2
1,000 to 4,999 bushels	28	21	5	2	–	–	–
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	17	15	1	1	–	–	–
10,000 to 24,999 bushels	12	12	–	–	–	–	–
25,000 to 49,999 bushels	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 bushels and over	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
Not reporting	193	76	68	15	16	15	3
Livestock							
Cattle and calves—farms	249	124	77	24	14	9	1
number	12 545	7 125	3 150	1 736	294	225	15
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	219	113	66	21	10	8	1
number	7 019	4 181	1 711	783	156	175	13
Beef cows—farms	206	108	63	21	8	5	1
number	6 662	3 887	1 672	781	150	166	6
Milk cows—farms	34	13	14	1	2	3	1
number	357	294	39	2	6	9	7
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved—farms	169	93	46	16	8	6	–
number	2 517	1 404	718	263	104	28	–
Beef heifers and heifer calves—farms	157	89	42	16	6	4	–
number	2 380	1 291	700	263	102	24	–
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement—farms	14	6	4	–	2	2	–
number	137	113	18	–	2	4	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves—farms	193	97	60	21	7	7	1
number	3 009	1 540	721	690	34	22	2
Cattle and calves sold—farms	236	123	67	23	13	9	1
number	4 565	2 836	992	575	93	61	8
$1,000	688	437	158	72	14	6	1
Calves—farms	161	79	51	15	9	6	1
number	2 649	1 531	602	400	75	36	5
$1,000	272	150	66	45	9	1	(Z)
Cattle—farms	163	75	52	21	7	7	1
number	1 916	1 305	390	175	18	25	3
$1,000	416	287	92	27	5	5	1
Fattened on grain and concentrates—farms	17	6	6	1	2	2	–
number	109	69	29	1	4	6	–
$1,000	23	14	7	(Z)	1	1	–
Hogs and pigs—farms	103	64	29	3	6	1	–
number	5 110	3 930	976	105	98	1	–
Used or to be used for breeding—farms	62	42	16	2	2	–	–
number	856	711	119	10	16	–	–
Other—farms	101	63	29	2	6	1	–
number	4 254	3 219	857	95	82	1	–

Table 33. **Summary by Standard Industrial Classification of Farms by Value of Sales: 1974** — Con.

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Livestock — Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold — farms	89	55	29	3	2	–	–
number	11 991	9 879	1 827	185	100	–	–
$1,000	675	554	108	12	1	–	–
Feeder pigs — farms	25	14	8	1	2	–	–
number	4 461	3 850	481	40	90	–	–
$1,000	93	81	10	1	1	–	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30 — farms	63	42	17	2	2	–	–
number	1 376	1 136	190	20	30	–	–
December 1 and May 31 — farms	55	38	13	2	2	–	–
number	730	601	99	10	20	–	–
June 1 and November 30 — farms	54	33	17	2	2	–	–
number	646	535	91	10	10	–	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages — farms	2	1	–	–	–	1	–
number	74	4	–	–	–	70	–
Lambs under 1 year old — farms	2	1	–	–	–	1	–
number	26	1	–	–	–	25	–
Ewes 1 year old or older — farms	2	1	–	–	–	1	–
number	42	2	–	–	–	40	–
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older — farms	2	1	–	–	–	1	–
number	6	1	–	–	–	5	–
Sheep and lambs sold — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	30	–	–	–	–	30	–
Sheep and lambs shorn — farms	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
number	45	–	–	–	–	45	–
pounds of wool	279	–	–	–	–	279	–
Horses and ponies — farms	32	21	6	–	2	3	–
number	133	80	22	–	2	29	–
Sold — farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
number	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
Horses — farms	26	18	3	–	2	3	–
number	96	63	6	–	2	25	–
Sold — farms	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
number	10	10	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	7	7	–	–	–	–	–
Any goats — farms	4	2	2	–	–	–	–
number	40	8	32	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
number	3	3	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older — farms	297	158	76	27	16	17	3
number	5 996 875	5 113 066	705 989	130 770	33 800	11 850	1 400
Sold — farms	322	166	85	32	17	17	5
number	7 009 887	5 771 470	971 598	186 311	54 598	8 850	17 060
Hens and pullets of laying age — farms	273	147	68	22	16	17	3
number	5 017 676	4 387 644	518 202	68 010	33 200	9 220	1 400
Kept for table or market egg production — farms	253	137	59	21	16	17	3
number	4 757 488	4 200 393	456 765	62 510	27 200	9 220	1 400
Kept for hatching egg production — farms	29	13	10	3	3	–	–
number	260 188	187 251	61 437	5 500	6 000	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age — farms	40	20	11	5	–	4	–
number	949 885	705 835	179 450	62 200	–	2 400	–
Roosters and male chickens — farms	37	15	14	3	3	2	–
number	29 314	19 587	8 337	560	600	230	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old — farms	22	12	8	2	–	–	–
number	638 422	530 517	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold — farms	164	57	73	19	11	3	1
number	20 301 548	13 532 041	5 751 882	759 251	226 874	26 500	5 000
Turkeys — farms	32	24	3	3	2	–	–
number	700 900	668 400	20 400	8 100	4 000	–	–
Sold — farms	66	52	9	3	2	–	–
number	2 560 514	2 464 866	83 948	8 100	3 600	–	–
Heavy breeds for slaughter — farms	25	21	1	1	2	–	–
number	643 200	624 700	(D)	(D)	4 000	–	–
Sold — farms	57	48	6	1	2	–	–
number	2 307 664	2 250 966	48 598	4 500	3 600	–	–
Light breeds for slaughter — farms	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
number	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sold — farms	8	7	1	–	–	–	–
number	225 000	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding — farms	6	2	2	2	–	–	–
number	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Sold — farms	7	2	3	2	–	–	–
number	27 850	(D)	(D)	3 600	–	–	–
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes — farms	109	65	28	3	6	7	–
acres	5 204	4 313	727	47	49	68	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	90	55	24	2	4	5	–
acres	4 957	4 172	667	33	39	46	–
Field corn for grain or seed — farms	107	63	28	3	6	7	–
acres	5 011	4 120	727	47	49	68	–
bushels	362 180	316 080	38 933	2 275	1 232	3 660	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Poultry and egg farms (025)						
	Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999
Crops Harvested — Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes — farms	23	15	5	1	1	1	–
acres	693	404	249	6	4	30	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	17	11	4	–	1	1	–
acres	531	288	209	–	4	30	–
Sorghums for grain or seed — farms	21	14	5	–	1	1	–
acres	613	330	249	–	4	30	–
bushels	28 978	13 183	15 083	–	214	498	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans — farms	146	76	51	12	2	5	–
acres	14 487	11 656	2 302	448	14	67	–
bushels	281 046	238 080	33 832	7 464	220	1 450	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	85	48	25	7	2	3	–
acres	11 062	9 318	1 356	317	14	57	–
Peanuts for nuts — farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
acres	330	330	–	–	–	–	–
pounds	534 708	534 708	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	6	6	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat — farms	40	30	6	4	–	–	–
acres	2 056	1 853	107	96	–	–	–
bushels	58 073	54 871	2 395	807	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	30	23	4	3	–	–	–
acres	1 464	1 338	42	84	–	–	–
Cotton — farms	19	15	2	–	–	2	–
acres	1 217	1 171	30	–	–	16	–
bales	1 249	1 214	29	–	–	6	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	16	14	2	–	–	–	–
acres	1 172	1 142	30	–	–	–	–
Tobacco — farms	13	8	3	2	–	–	–
acres	137	92	25	20	–	–	–
pounds	255 140	184 759	28 569	41 812	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	13	8	3	2	–	–	–
acres	137	92	25	20	–	–	–
Irish potatoes — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
hundredweight	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay — farms	133	72	39	18	4	–	–
acres	3 164	2 100	634	382	48	–	–
tons	6 882	4 596	1 354	742	190	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	49	27	14	8	–	–	–
acres	1 285	927	268	90	–	–	–
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating — farms	5	5	–	–	–	–	–
acres	112	112	–	–	–	–	–
tons, dry	123	123	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
acres	40	40	–	–	–	–	–
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay — farms	12	7	4	1	–	–	–
acres	231	187	33	11	–	–	–
tons, dry	388	339	39	10	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Field seeds — farms	2	–	1	1	–	–	–
acres	43	–	8	35	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	2	–	1	1	–	–	–
acres	43	–	8	35	–	–	–
Vegetables — farms	11	5	2	–	4	–	–
acres	64	56	5	–	3	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	6	2	2	–	2	–	–
acres	17	11	5	–	1	–	–
Berries — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards — farms	9	7	2	–	–	–	–
acres	237	198	40	–	–	–	–
Irrigated — farms	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commercial fertilizer used — farms	6	5	1	–	–	–	–
acres	215	195	20	–	–	–	–

Table 1. **Number, Land, and Value of Farms: 1974 and 1969**

		Farms and land in farms							Value of land and buildings			
		All farms				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Percent of land area	Farms	Acres in farms	Average size of farm (acres)	Average per farm	Average per acre	Average per farm	Average per acre
South Carolina, total	1974	29 275	6 177 024	211	31.9	17 513	5 164 205	295	98 609	467	133 870	454
	1969	39 559	6 991 718	177	36.1	17 413	5 207 523	299	46 171	261	75 643	253
Abbeville	1974	503	111 473	222	34.4	219	77 648	355	83 550	377	126 353	356
	1969	653	117 686	180	36.3	164	62 915	384	32 713	182	63 587	166
Aiken	1974	770	173 138	225	24.9	405	138 661	342	90 855	404	132 989	388
	1969	907	187 513	207	27.0	361	135 766	376	45 479	220	80 736	215
Allendale	1974	212	124 462	587	46.5	166	122 570	738	229 087	390	285 411	387
	1969	285	133 419	468	49.9	150	124 191	828	92 018	197	157 873	191
Anderson	1974	1 231	175 082	142	36.5	532	125 429	236	86 122	606	136 925	581
	1969	1 605	212 534	132	44.3	410	118 716	290	41 877	316	85 223	294
Bamberg	1974	378	103 544	274	41.0	295	99 227	336	94 776	346	115 647	344
	1969	548	133 721	244	52.9	270	107 563	398	49 907	205	79 469	199
Barnwell	1974	370	118 265	320	33.4	237	107 128	452	100 679	315	139 652	309
	1969	467	128 926	276	36.5	213	102 909	483	47 852	173	79 099	164
Beaufort	1974	153	81 500	533	22.0	94	79 954	851	298 087	560	467 015	549
	1969	215	83 308	387	22.5	80	77 676	971	96 095	248	214 976	221
Berkeley	1974	634	79 748	126	11.2	273	62 516	229	65 199	518	104 758	457
	1969	788	100 044	127	14.1	181	74 054	409	39 449	311	102 603	251
Calhoun	1974	387	131 571	340	54.5	295	124 255	421	120 489	354	143 810	341
	1969	523	142 672	273	59.1	269	120 820	449	61 202	224	98 971	220
Charleston	1974	251	75 342	300	12.5	141	58 692	416	158 957	530	229 173	551
	1969	235	70 544	300	11.7	123	57 338	466	96 221	321	151 126	324
Cherokee	1974	475	76 714	162	30.4	152	40 975	270	73 488	455	123 525	458
	1969	692	96 490	139	38.3	172	45 702	266	38 975	280	83 687	315
Chester	1974	411	120 902	294	32.3	173	79 630	460	103 198	351	158 574	345
	1969	605	152 117	251	40.7	169	91 992	544	33 710	134	67 280	124
Chesterfield	1974	705	168 233	239	33.3	420	147 374	351	79 726	334	115 299	329
	1969	1 024	198 612	194	39.3	386	145 776	378	36 771	190	68 454	181
Clarendon	1974	777	166 905	215	43.5	591	159 254	269	102 895	479	128 244	476
	1969	1 257	198 162	158	51.7	599	169 394	283	44 005	279	76 409	270
Colleton	1974	748	256 581	343	38.2	451	215 540	478	109 467	319	146 943	307
	1969	1 036	258 715	250	38.5	361	204 060	565	49 822	200	105 275	186
Darlington	1974	772	215 709	279	62.1	658	207 234	315	125 257	448	139 845	444
	1969	1 204	218 310	181	62.8	821	199 946	244	58 587	323	78 439	322
Dillon	1974	626	127 516	204	49.0	568	124 907	220	119 212	585	128 498	584
	1969	900	149 550	166	57.4	722	138 251	191	51 105	308	58 491	305
Dorchester	1974	541	83 598	155	23.0	322	68 983	214	68 319	442	87 602	409
	1969	836	117 168	140	32.2	264	78 179	296	32 575	232	63 304	214
Edgefield	1974	277	103 621	374	33.6	149	86 480	580	166 579	445	262 589	452
	1969	387	114 539	296	37.1	137	85 357	623	70 935	240	156 027	250
Fairfield	1974	215	81 492	379	18.3	87	54 312	624	134 029	354	222 881	357
	1969	313	104 799	335	23.5	75	60 367	805	52 824	158	122 100	152
Florence	1974	1 727	278 609	161	54.1	1 479	265 832	180	88 987	552	96 920	539
	1969	2 543	315 711	124	61.3	1 759	280 297	159	44 703	360	56 034	352
Georgetown	1974	384	59 578	155	11.5	222	53 992	243	73 286	472	113 296	466
	1969	528	67 607	128	13.0	221	51 171	232	31 687	247	51 693	223
Greenville	1974	771	87 074	113	17.2	267	54 014	202	91 615	811	151 124	747
	1969	1 065	109 421	103	21.6	237	50 449	213	50 935	496	118 183	555
Greenwood	1974	365	89 680	246	31.4	145	67 285	464	92 308	376	159 153	343
	1969	377	106 081	281	37.2	128	80 274	627	53 043	189	108 110	172
Hampton	1974	437	144 584	331	40.2	342	137 629	402	136 078	411	164 743	409
	1969	525	163 895	312	45.6	262	141 947	542	61 486	197	105 646	195
Horry	1974	2 156	222 836	103	30.2	1 791	204 356	114	70 311	680	78 196	685
	1969	3 024	270 845	90	36.7	2 160	223 425	103	36 569	408	41 897	405
Jasper	1974	255	106 192	416	25.4	139	93 985	676	143 133	344	216 998	321
	1969	246	101 799	414	24.4	95	91 913	968	76 851	186	156 128	161
Kershaw	1974	369	95 828	260	19.2	165	74 577	452	103 700	399	176 317	390
	1969	482	130 121	270	26.0	165	82 195	498	49 858	185	87 826	176
Lancaster	1974	432	77 864	180	24.2	163	48 227	296	73 485	408	119 125	403
	1969	501	75 524	151	23.5	137	36 162	264	32 973	219	52 495	199
Laurens	1974	688	169 372	246	37.2	281	125 726	447	104 060	423	177 711	397
	1969	737	173 347	235	38.1	228	112 193	492	61 424	261	92 398	188
Lee	1974	392	151 793	387	58.0	293	146 489	500	174 807	451	223 738	448
	1969	578	159 346	276	60.9	344	147 104	428	75 228	273	113 698	266
Lexington	1974	899	142 135	158	31.0	493	112 927	229	88 781	562	124 233	542
	1969	1 057	152 913	145	33.3	431	96 144	223	46 105	319	73 144	328
McCormick	1974	108	28 539	264	12.4	31	18 521	597	95 731	362	211 474	354
	1969	190	38 200	201	16.6	39	20 502	526	40 454	201	107 969	205
Marion	1974	624	115 990	186	37.2	515	111 196	216	117 007	629	136 936	634
	1969	868	117 774	136	37.8	617	105 463	171	51 591	380	63 716	373
Marlboro	1974	320	152 965	478	49.5	244	148 585	609	170 712	357	215 727	354
	1969	429	165 742	386	53.6	254	156 568	616	93 562	242	149 207	242
Newberry	1974	612	116 890	191	28.8	300	87 894	293	81 579	427	124 299	424
	1969	836	151 374	181	37.2	276	90 195	327	39 396	218	68 961	211
Oconee	1974	615	75 949	123	18.1	198	40 609	205	70 092	568	118 104	576
	1969	772	90 771	118	21.7	163	37 268	229	27 518	234	59 559	260
Orangeburg	1974	1 588	348 631	220	49.3	1 077	318 829	296	84 153	383	112 327	379
	1969	2 300	419 501	182	59.3	947	339 931	359	44 806	246	84 580	236
Pickens	1974	474	72 269	152	23.0	133	26 539	200	111 890	734	115 304	578
	1969	563	84 642	150	26.9	107	22 706	212	45 837	305	56 380	266
Richland	1974	408	89 450	219	18.7	181	64 532	357	223 060	1 017	364 914	1 024
	1969	530	100 156	189	20.9	163	66 013	405	75 167	398	164 294	406
Saluda	1974	700	139 844	200	47.7	317	105 641	333	82 339	412	139 164	418
	1969	822	144 788	176	49.4	299	93 145	312	38 599	219	69 068	222
Spartanburg	1974	1 184	160 437	136	30.2	524	116 113	222	78 447	579	125 276	565
	1969	1 488	168 323	113	31.7	441	97 721	222	36 641	324	70 058	316
Sumter	1974	736	189 442	257	44.0	481	171 515	357	119 070	463	159 126	446
	1969	1 086	224 662	207	52.2	464	187 430	404	60 003	290	112 810	279
Union	1974	346	84 646	245	25.8	115	53 935	469	94 238	385	181 525	387
	1969	339	82 437	243	25.1	81	50 775	627	34 031	140	83 957	134
Williamsburg	1974	1 636	253 346	155	42.3	1 154	235 368	204	71 832	464	93 924	461
	1969	2 381	290 583	122	48.6	1 213	246 582	203	31 209	256	47 393	233
York	1974	613	147 685	241	33.7	235	99 120	422	121 441	504	203 347	482
	1969	812	167 326	206	38.2	255	98 978	388	46 138	224	79 899	206

Table 2. **Land Use: 1974**

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	Cropland											
	Total				Harvested				Used only for pasture			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	28 074	3 201 239	17 016	2 791 406	24 757	2 250 952	16 356	2 146 630	13 070	704 222	6 525	453 791
Abbeville	464	51 926	205	35 195	298	13 080	162	11 133	363	34 655	153	21 414
Aiken	742	89 866	388	76 565	675	58 371	376	53 526	381	17 082	183	12 050
Allendale	203	80 773	162	80 053	201	74 284	161	73 825	75	3 965	62	3 819
Anderson	1 177	108 747	506	79 012	876	48 861	452	43 816	843	51 588	337	30 172
Bamberg	369	70 162	290	68 177	355	61 242	287	60 259	174	6 420	139	5 596
Barnwell	356	75 830	232	70 635	332	59 849	230	57 615	159	8 121	91	6 329
Beaufort	144	25 324	91	24 387	139	16 725	90	16 200	44	5 529	30	5 253
Berkeley	615	33 651	269	27 372	589	25 841	267	22 915	243	5 336	110	3 228
Calhoun	380	80 168	292	78 009	353	69 495	276	68 520	157	8 211	122	7 231
Charleston	236	35 242	136	30 672	215	22 100	131	21 242	88	9 735	36	6 309
Cherokee	436	40 673	145	24 866	305	15 331	124	12 883	329	21 263	93	9 884
Chester	384	50 518	168	34 472	263	16 055	140	14 391	305	29 616	113	17 048
Chesterfield	681	92 678	402	83 593	613	71 030	391	68 187	286	13 272	140	8 602
Clarendon	757	114 614	580	112 167	741	105 752	577	104 232	199	5 036	152	4 488
Colleton	734	76 749	445	68 331	680	53 197	435	50 438	372	16 091	218	12 154
Darlington	761	125 221	650	123 381	749	109 948	647	108 901	186	6 818	152	6 294
Dillon	615	85 824	563	84 790	611	71 837	560	71 299	152	7 165	137	6 744
Dorchester	531	39 101	319	34 070	494	29 622	311	27 737	231	7 192	137	4 862
Edgefield	253	44 570	142	38 973	202	31 502	129	30 649	160	10 884	85	6 809
Fairfield	192	21 422	76	13 810	112	4 246	62	3 608	155	16 281	56	10 102
Florence	1 698	134 434	1 471	129 957	1 674	119 481	1 465	116 703	290	4 788	231	3 876
Georgetown	373	16 988	218	15 124	362	11 006	214	9 997	102	3 709	69	3 134
Greenville	721	50 379	249	33 071	503	21 973	220	18 719	479	24 717	137	12 961
Greenwood	326	35 059	137	25 544	223	10 773	116	9 538	269	22 809	110	14 950
Hampton	417	89 249	323	86 143	389	75 733	317	74 900	149	9 476	106	7 379
Horry	2 128	108 597	1 775	102 930	2 102	86 255	1 772	82 972	503	8 417	392	7 077
Jasper	247	29 123	137	25 671	232	19 614	135	18 324	88	7 047	44	5 306
Kershaw	357	40 932	158	34 302	321	22 704	145	20 505	190	13 250	93	10 058
Lancaster	400	37 364	152	24 190	273	12 313	126	10 602	335	23 437	117	12 427
Laurens	636	72 547	267	52 517	463	28 112	231	24 188	450	36 953	160	23 156
Lee	384	111 151	286	109 002	364	105 013	279	104 002	89	2 918	64	2 107
Lexington	841	68 717	470	56 656	765	48 306	447	44 135	446	13 427	226	7 841
McCormick	99	10 431	30	6 047	56	2 271	25	1 862	84	6 732	23	3 868
Marion	612	60 580	512	58 835	596	50 868	512	50 039	155	3 793	135	3 157
Marlboro	311	102 059	242	100 019	301	89 348	238	88 623	105	7 885	78	7 161
Newberry	577	53 767	280	42 879	475	29 749	260	26 754	398	21 709	174	14 586
Oconee	577	36 224	186	20 586	441	10 782	160	7 807	417	22 393	122	11 665
Orangeburg	1 563	225 989	1 056	212 880	1 496	191 394	1 038	185 237	631	22 730	435	18 059
Pickens	438	25 118	119	11 033	303	6 088	99	3 539	338	14 810	79	6 681
Richland	369	45 277	163	38 256	323	36 200	154	33 541	152	5 565	48	2 368
Saluda	634	66 492	286	50 990	481	34 030	254	30 895	456	28 893	177	17 852
Spartanburg	1 119	86 482	498	63 509	899	46 650	458	40 899	672	29 636	227	15 774
Sumter	705	123 709	463	115 859	678	103 429	452	99 193	208	11 982	141	8 729
Union	329	35 290	110	20 786	218	6 424	85	4 590	267	25 434	87	13 775
Williamsburg	1 601	126 438	1 145	120 320	1 570	98 454	1 138	95 523	459	13 397	361	11 670
York	582	65 784	222	45 770	446	25 614	208	22 167	436	34 055	143	19 786

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	Woodland, including woodland pasture				Other land, including other pastureland			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	18 220	2 211 837	11 002	1 779 080	19 281	763 948	11 546	593 719
Abbeville	365	38 938	182	27 586	339	20 609	163	14 867
Aiken	492	64 931	269	50 989	515	18 341	279	11 107
Allendale	122	35 800	106	35 189	137	7 889	110	7 328
Anderson	814	35 234	349	22 746	872	31 101	387	23 671
Bamberg	226	26 006	190	24 356	229	7 376	188	6 694
Barnwell	224	27 412	143	23 485	251	15 023	156	13 008
Beaufort	67	36 977	52	36 690	99	19 199	60	18 877
Berkeley	292	34 382	148	26 539	410	11 715	195	8 605
Calhoun	243	39 626	195	36 555	242	11 777	183	9 691
Charleston	131	28 889	62	21 416	152	11 211	82	6 604
Cherokee	347	27 618	111	12 162	349	8 423	117	3 947
Chester	321	54 511	134	34 974	287	15 873	131	10 184
Chesterfield	450	52 033	280	44 686	465	23 522	283	19 095
Clarendon	382	38 971	288	35 075	497	13 320	378	12 012
Colleton	523	135 858	329	111 585	483	43 974	292	35 624
Darlington	464	76 267	398	70 344	462	14 221	401	13 509
Dillon	317	33 119	295	31 780	373	8 573	338	8 337
Dorchester	297	33 047	182	25 564	322	11 450	185	9 349
Edgefield	227	46 796	131	38 515	216	12 255	108	8 992
Fairfield	172	50 051	73	32 849	139	10 019	56	7 653
Florence	1 017	111 546	904	105 874	1 047	32 629	893	30 001
Georgetown	207	27 881	135	25 120	242	14 709	157	13 748
Greenville	477	22 350	177	12 177	555	14 345	192	8 766
Greenwood	275	40 528	124	31 631	245	14 093	102	10 110
Hampton	255	45 436	193	43 980	235	9 899	187	7 506
Horry	1 298	84 812	1 094	76 024	1 286	29 427	1 096	25 402
Jasper	130	62 613	83	56 896	177	14 456	95	11 418
Kershaw	246	37 706	111	27 270	262	17 190	120	13 005
Lancaster	312	29 790	121	17 005	288	10 710	107	7 032
Laurens	475	62 216	206	47 584	504	34 609	206	25 625
Lee	203	31 284	155	29 072	245	9 358	186	8 415
Lexington	578	58 130	323	45 910	603	15 288	346	10 361
McCormick	92	14 555	27	10 274	83	3 553	20	2 200
Marion	358	45 718	313	43 569	416	9 692	342	8 792

Table 2. **Land Use: 1974** — Continued

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	Woodland, including woodland pasture				Other land, including other pastureland			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Marlboro	171	42 066	134	40 730	186	8 840	140	7 836
Newberry	487	48 551	245	34 723	450	14 572	231	10 292
Oconee	449	30 146	150	14 858	408	9 579	144	5 165
Orangeburg	993	99 734	702	86 931	1 027	22 908	689	19 018
Pickens	340	35 214	97	9 761	326	11 937	98	5 745
Richland	236	31 765	98	18 166	271	12 408	112	8 110
Saluda	523	53 904	241	40 074	495	19 448	245	14 577
Spartanburg	727	45 645	295	31 504	821	28 310	375	21 100
Sumter	347	47 584	244	41 517	499	18 149	333	14 139
Union	259	38 223	98	26 911	252	11 133	81	6 238
Williamsburg	842	95 155	640	86 850	1 052	31 753	765	28 198
York	447	52 819	175	31 584	467	29 082	192	21 766

Table 3. **Irrigation: 1974**

	All irrigated farms			Irrigated farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
				Land irrigated		Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied		Harvested cropland irrigated			Land irrigated by sprinklers	
	Farms	Land irrigated (acres)	Land in irrigated farms (acres)	Farms	Acres	Total (acre-feet)	Average per acre irrigated (acre-feet)	Farms	Acres	Land in irrigated farms (acres)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	446	10 335	148 257	323	9 429	8 066	.9	317	9 043	114 476	276	7 311
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	4	8	316	1	4	3	.8	1	4	8	1	4
Allendale	6	598	10 283	6	598	507	.8	6	560	10 283	4	510
Anderson	5	74	391	3	13	12	.9	1	1	270	3	13
Bamberg	5	50	114	3	32	20	.6	3	32	92	3	34
Barnwell	1	16	(D)	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	11	622	8 092	9	620	545	.9	7	596	8 006	8	420
Berkeley	14	162	1 584	6	142	352	2.5	5	72	1 388	5	72
Calhoun	2	48	550	2	48	30	.6	2	48	550	1	13
Charleston	13	144	1 450	7	93	134	1.4	7	93	1 092	7	93
Cherokee	3	1 377	2 902	3	1 377	1 989	1.4	3	1 377	2 902	3	1 377
Chester	1	2	21	1	2	1	.5	1	2	21	1	2
Chesterfield	11	353	2 860	10	352	78	.2	10	352	2 743	10	352
Clarendon	9	150	3 320	9	150	163	1.1	9	150	3 320	9	154
Colleton	3	44	406	1	30	25	.8	1	30	300	1	30
Darlington	27	277	20 913	21	235	123	.5	21	235	20 635	18	211
Dillon	22	473	6 839	22	473	384	.8	22	473	6 839	18	375
Dorchester	1	25	75	1	25	104	4.2	1	25	75	1	25
Edgefield	6	579	9 593	3	575	383	.7	3	575	8 460	3	575
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	28	243	6 098	24	231	254	1.1	24	231	6 086	12	93
Georgetown	12	87	469	2	37	66	1.8	2	37	321	2	37
Greenville	14	132	1 541	12	128	97	.8	12	128	1 429	11	123
Greenwood	8	41	1 823	3	12	21	1.8	3	12	680	3	12
Hampton	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Horry	68	962	10 420	56	942	523	.6	56	942	10 124	48	754
Jasper	2	75	960	2	75	24	.3	2	75	960	2	75
Kershaw	1	1	38	1	1	1	1.0	1	1	38	1	1
Lancaster	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Laurens	2	10	161	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	3	98	453	3	98	39	.4	3	90	453	3	98
Lexington	28	787	3 559	22	776	325	.4	22	776	3 099	22	776
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	24	619	8 947	24	619	243	.4	24	619	8 947	23	369
Marlboro	3	605	2 546	3	605	378	.6	3	605	2 546	2	5
Newberry	3	6	185	2	4	2	.5	2	4	112	2	4
Oconee	6	64	445	4	12	9	.8	4	12	214	4	12
Orangeburg	24	376	3 467	11	183	129	.7	10	179	3 085	6	91
Pickens	6	26	22 088	3	9	21	2.3	3	9	195	3	9
Richland	13	126	4 174	5	46	28	.6	5	46	922	5	46
Saluda	2	3	(D)	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	15	245	1 038	12	149	158	1.1	12	149	802	10	103
Sumter	8	319	2 916	7	318	237	.7	7	288	2 906	5	262
Union	2	27	158	–	–	–	.0	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	21	185	1 668	11	121	140	1.2	11	121	1 594	10	113
York	9	296	3 000	8	294	520	1.8	8	94	2 979	6	68

Table 4. **Tenure of Farm Operators and Type of Organization of Farms: 1974**

	Farm operators by tenure										Farms with sales of $2,500 and over by type of organization			
	All farms					Farms with sales of $2,500 and over								
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Percent of tenancy	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Percent of tenancy	Individual or family	Partnerships	Corporations	Other
South Carolina, total	29 275	18 589	7 884	2 802	9.6	17 513	8 921	6 474	2 118	12.1	15 867	1 356	247	43
Abbeville	503	383	108	12	2.4	219	138	71	10	4.6	195	17	7	–
Aiken	770	506	201	63	8.2	405	216	152	37	9.1	370	24	11	–
Allendale	212	110	88	14	6.6	166	71	84	11	6.6	152	14	–	–
Anderson	1 231	865	286	80	6.5	532	273	211	48	9.0	490	35	7	–
Bamberg	378	217	124	37	9.8	295	152	122	21	7.1	273	21	1	–
Barnwell	370	211	124	35	9.5	237	108	109	20	8.4	215	16	5	1
Beaufort	153	86	52	15	9.8	94	53	38	3	3.2	81	6	6	1
Berkeley	634	407	173	54	8.5	273	139	119	15	5.5	262	8	2	1
Calhoun	387	200	150	37	9.6	295	132	135	28	9.5	264	30	1	–
Charleston	251	145	77	29	11.6	141	58	63	20	14.2	118	13	9	1
Cherokee	475	371	89	15	3.2	152	93	51	8	5.3	137	9	6	–
Chester	411	316	78	17	4.1	173	100	64	9	5.2	159	13	1	–
Chesterfield	705	439	196	70	9.9	420	218	162	40	9.5	384	19	13	4
Clarendon	777	376	265	136	17.5	591	230	241	120	20.3	539	39	12	1
Colleton	748	470	238	40	5.3	451	238	186	27	6.0	424	23	2	2
Darlington	772	345	306	121	15.7	658	254	298	106	16.1	581	66	9	2
Dillon	626	303	163	160	25.6	568	257	163	148	26.1	502	57	8	1
Dorchester	541	342	162	37	6.8	322	171	125	26	8.1	296	20	2	4
Edgefield	277	194	68	15	5.4	149	84	53	12	8.1	121	25	3	–
Fairfield	215	166	42	7	3.3	87	64	20	3	3.4	79	7	1	–
Florence	1 727	962	461	304	17.6	1 479	746	443	290	19.6	1 312	153	12	2
Georgetown	384	283	75	26	6.8	222	136	64	22	9.9	202	17	3	–
Greenville	771	568	161	42	5.4	267	149	98	20	7.5	235	23	7	2
Greenwood	365	299	50	16	4.4	145	110	31	4	2.8	130	12	2	1
Hampton	437	245	139	53	12.1	342	166	131	45	13.2	316	23	3	–
Horry	2 156	1 213	617	326	15.1	1 791	926	570	295	16.5	1 633	144	11	3
Jasper	255	148	81	26	10.2	139	67	59	13	9.4	127	9	3	–
Kershaw	369	269	78	22	6.0	165	97	58	10	6.1	155	7	3	–
Lancaster	432	307	109	16	3.7	163	87	67	9	5.5	155	7	1	–
Laurens	688	499	147	42	6.1	281	160	93	28	10.0	251	25	4	1
Lee	392	199	147	46	11.7	293	117	136	40	13.7	261	31	1	–
Lexington	899	618	225	56	6.2	493	273	186	34	6.9	461	27	3	2
McCormick	108	82	26	–	.0	31	17	14	–	.0	29	1	1	–
Marion	624	304	197	123	19.7	515	228	176	111	21.6	460	47	6	2
Marlboro	320	143	116	61	19.1	244	88	108	48	19.7	217	17	9	1
Newberry	612	420	158	34	5.6	300	169	114	17	5.7	260	34	6	–
Oconee	615	512	80	23	3.7	198	142	50	6	3.0	181	14	3	–
Orangeburg	1 588	914	546	128	8.1	1 077	509	475	93	8.6	976	90	8	3
Pickens	474	382	74	18	3.8	133	89	35	9	6.8	124	5	3	1
Richland	408	248	137	23	5.6	181	89	79	13	7.2	164	7	9	1
Saluda	700	506	169	25	3.6	317	183	125	9	2.8	282	29	6	–
Spartanburg	1 184	870	259	55	4.6	524	301	191	32	6.1	465	40	17	2
Sumter	736	420	229	87	11.8	481	219	195	67	13.9	439	29	13	–
Union	346	292	42	12	3.5	115	94	16	5	4.3	113	2	–	–
Williamsburg	1 636	986	427	223	13.6	1 154	586	393	175	15.2	1 065	79	6	4
York	613	448	144	21	3.4	235	124	100	11	4.7	212	22	1	–

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

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

			Farm operators by place of residence				Farm operators reporting days of work off farm				Farm operators by principal occupation	
	Farm operators	Average age of farm operator	On farm operated	On another farm	In a rural area, not on a farm	In a city, town, or urban area	Any days	Under 100 days	100 to 199 days	200 days and over	Farming	Other
South Carolina, total	28 962	53.4	17 214	1 239	1 329	2 382	14 484	2 319	2 088	10 077	15 659	13 303
Abbeville	496	53.4	299	20	23	37	323	37	47	239	169	327
Aiken	759	53.0	396	27	62	92	459	75	49	335	318	441
Allendale	212	54.3	118	2	4	26	78	21	6	51	135	77
Anderson	1 224	54.2	828	31	30	106	783	113	90	580	475	749
Bamberg	377	53.1	218	10	8	33	146	10	19	117	257	120
Barnwell	363	51.3	188	6	44	39	192	27	20	145	175	188
Beaufort	146	50.2	75	5	4	13	67	16	15	36	84	62
Berkeley	630	53.9	401	22	24	23	378	67	85	226	259	371
Calhoun	386	54.3	223	16	20	42	167	19	26	122	221	165
Charleston	239	52.6	127	12	19	27	130	23	18	89	109	130
Cherokee	469	54.0	303	23	19	38	285	27	16	242	140	329
Chester	410	54.9	266	22	14	32	231	21	31	179	159	251
Chesterfield	687	52.2	382	30	36	61	352	59	43	250	355	332
Clarendon	764	52.5	437	44	43	41	290	61	58	171	532	232
Colleton	744	53.1	446	23	40	54	394	69	51	274	386	358
Darlington	761	52.2	422	50	36	73	299	42	50	207	533	228
Dillon	617	53.1	332	30	35	49	211	47	39	125	448	169
Dorchester	534	53.6	298	12	45	51	287	50	51	186	287	247
Edgefield	274	55.4	171	3	14	31	121	17	12	92	132	142
Fairfield	214	58.9	127	11	6	23	125	13	7	105	86	128
Florence	1 711	52.5	945	116	80	130	533	107	106	320	1 316	395
Georgetown	381	54.2	243	5	21	9	195	48	31	116	218	163
Greenville	762	55.4	476	34	27	65	481	80	48	353	296	466

Table 5. Characteristics of All Farm Operators: 1974 — Continued

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

	Farm operators	Average age of farm operator	Farm operators by place of residence				Farm operators reporting days of work off farm				Farm operators by principal occupation	
			On farm operated	On another farm	In a rural area, not on a farm	In a city, town, or urban area	Any days	Under 100 days	100 to 199 days	200 days and over	Farming	Other
Greenwood	361	55.0	239	4	12	37	236	26	28	182	128	233
Hampton	434	51.6	220	17	20	67	206	43	26	137	249	185
Horry	2 142	50.3	1 227	156	83	87	651	170	147	334	1 684	458
Jasper	252	54.6	139	13	21	8	136	23	30	83	115	137
Kershaw	366	51.6	220	9	23	35	240	17	29	194	114	252
Lancaster	431	55.5	284	10	21	26	289	36	30	223	152	279
Laurens	681	53.1	423	11	28	84	450	62	47	341	226	455
Lee	391	52.8	208	24	12	40	142	19	34	89	267	124
Lexington	894	52.6	595	27	22	57	508	61	46	401	387	507
McCormick	106	57.0	54	4	2	8	84	7	26	51	21	85
Marion	616	53.2	348	38	25	46	186	43	40	103	462	154
Marlboro	310	54.3	186	16	7	41	117	30	14	73	230	80
Newberry	606	54.5	427	13	9	49	353	41	52	260	260	346
Oconee	611	54.7	371	14	29	61	399	52	44	303	217	394
Orangeburg	1 577	53.9	926	65	87	165	736	146	112	478	972	605
Pickens	469	56.1	292	8	12	45	298	64	27	207	165	304
Richland	393	54.6	245	8	15	39	226	34	31	161	163	230
Saluda	694	54.8	464	13	19	54	373	42	64	267	323	371
Spartanburg	1 165	54.6	745	42	66	82	678	73	73	532	490	675
Sumter	722	55.8	411	50	38	41	333	59	72	202	474	248
Union	345	54.7	211	8	16	47	230	31	19	180	104	241
Williamsburg	1 625	52.0	842	132	86	121	657	143	134	380	1 171	454
York	611	54.4	416	3	22	47	429	48	45	336	195	416

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

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	Farms	Cash grains (011)	Field crops, except cash grains				Vegetables and melons (016)	Fruits and tree nuts (017)
			Total (013)	Cotton (0131)	Tobacco (0132)	Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)		
South Carolina, total	17 513	5 835	5 964	561	4 880	523	246	325
Abbeville	219	44	20	15	–	5	–	–
Aiken	405	189	48	25	–	23	13	2
Allendale	166	132	3	1	–	2	1	2
Anderson	532	195	47	25	–	22	7	2
Bamberg	295	175	5	4	1	–	–	–
Barnwell	237	150	18	9	–	9	16	1
Beaufort	94	37	6	–	–	6	20	1
Berkeley	273	115	42	1	30	11	2	–
Calhoun	295	171	42	37	–	5	2	–
Charleston	141	59	9	–	–	9	34	–
Cherokee	152	27	36	35	–	1	–	8
Chester	173	26	27	23	–	4	–	–
Chesterfield	420	228	58	15	39	4	10	11
Clarendon	591	200	296	13	257	26	1	1
Colleton	451	263	43	–	38	5	–	–
Darlington	658	220	372	12	300	60	3	–
Dillon	568	95	433	22	374	37	–	1
Dorchester	322	167	54	2	46	6	4	–
Edgefield	149	37	6	2	–	4	2	26
Fairfield	87	7	1	–	–	1	1	2
Florence	1 479	350	1 039	7	1 015	17	3	3
Georgetown	222	52	126	–	124	2	–	–
Greenville	267	56	31	12	–	19	14	10
Greenwood	145	13	11	5	–	6	–	3
Hampton	342	226	7	–	2	5	8	–
Horry	1 791	255	1 410	2	1 399	9	6	2
Jasper	139	107	–	–	–	–	4	–
Kershaw	165	71	16	2	9	5	–	–
Lancaster	163	44	9	5	–	4	1	–
Laurens	281	60	29	22	–	7	1	2
Lee	293	100	138	62	31	45	2	2
Lexington	493	225	24	9	–	15	34	10
McCormick	31	2	3	1	–	2	–	–
Marion	515	82	384	2	374	8	–	1
Marlboro	244	49	153	101	29	23	2	–
Newberry	300	78	3	–	–	3	1	–
Oconee	198	23	11	7	–	4	–	34
Orangeburg	1 077	652	45	25	4	16	24	12
Pickens	133	9	12	1	–	11	7	3
Richland	181	105	6	1	–	5	3	–
Saluda	317	78	9	5	–	4	1	10
Spartanburg	524	99	27	12	–	15	13	158
Sumter	481	208	157	18	93	46	–	1
Union	115	10	4	2	–	2	1	–
Williamsburg	1 154	304	723	2	715	6	2	–
York	235	40	21	17	–	4	3	17

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

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	Horticultural specialties (018)	General farms, primarily crop (0191)	Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	Dairy (024)	Poultry and eggs (025)	Animal specialties (027)	General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	Farms not classified by SIC
South Carolina, total	150	571	2 968	415	542	68	34	395
Abbeville	–	3	116	8	13	–	–	15
Aiken	4	22	71	7	35	7	2	5
Allendale	1	12	11	1	–	–	1	2
Anderson	11	10	183	45	18	4	2	8
Bamberg	3	17	61	24	3	–	–	7
Barnwell	–	30	13	–	5	–	–	4
Beaufort	2	4	22	1	1	–	–	–
Berkeley	3	16	79	–	2	1	2	11
Calhoun	–	19	51	2	–	2	–	6
Charleston	12	2	18	–	–	3	–	4
Cherokee	3	2	64	1	10	–	–	1
Chester	1	2	79	21	3	–	–	14
Chesterfield	9	13	57	2	26	1	–	5
Clarendon	2	25	35	5	20	–	1	5
Colleton	1	7	96	2	17	1	–	21
Darlington	2	23	21	6	9	–	–	2
Dillon	3	9	19	–	2	–	4	2
Dorchester	3	11	56	7	3	3	–	14
Edgefield	–	7	37	17	9	1	–	7
Fairfield	–	3	52	3	–	2	–	16
Florence	5	23	29	2	11	1	–	13
Georgetown	3	5	25	–	3	–	–	8
Greenville	10	2	103	18	13	2	1	7
Greenwood	3	4	79	4	8	2	–	18
Hampton	2	10	67	3	10	5	1	3
Horry	1	26	75	–	3	1	1	11
Jasper	–	2	18	2	2	1	–	3
Kershaw	1	7	47	–	7	3	2	11
Lancaster	–	2	85	1	8	4	2	7
Laurens	5	13	120	16	19	–	–	16
Lee	1	15	21	2	9	2	–	1
Lexington	5	21	97	7	57	2	2	9
McCormick	–	–	21	–	2	–	–	3
Marion	2	18	27	–	–	–	–	1
Marlboro	2	9	20	3	2	1	–	3
Newberry	2	3	77	43	56	2	3	32
Oconee	5	3	87	12	12	1	1	9
Orangeburg	7	60	191	57	11	1	1	16
Pickens	8	1	69	4	11	2	–	7
Richland	10	4	29	4	7	5	1	7
Saluda	–	18	112	36	31	–	2	20
Spartanburg	11	23	137	18	21	6	1	10
Sumter	2	19	40	12	37	1	–	4
Union	–	–	90	2	–	1	–	7
Williamsburg	–	37	63	2	9	–	–	14
York	5	9	98	15	17	–	4	6

Table 7. Farms by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974

	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, excluding abnormal farms							Farms with sales under $2,500, excluding abnormal farms			
		Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999, (see text)	Total	$2,000 to $2,499	$1,500 to $1,999	$1,000 to $1,499, (see text)
South Carolina, total	29 275	17 513	1 502	2 264	2 590	3 262	3 882	4 013	11 739	1 543	2 002	8 194
Abbeville	503	219	8	19	6	37	59	90	284	31	43	210
Aiken	770	405	37	46	48	68	93	113	365	55	74	236
Allendale	212	166	35	26	21	25	29	30	46	10	7	29
Anderson	1 231	532	27	35	60	79	108	223	699	81	92	526
Bamberg	378	295	29	39	62	50	58	57	83	19	24	40
Barnwell	370	237	29	38	36	51	43	40	132	26	32	74
Beaufort	153	94	16	14	15	14	20	15	59	6	10	43
Berkeley	634	273	8	19	34	63	52	97	360	63	73	224
Calhoun	387	295	44	46	37	57	54	57	92	12	14	66
Charleston	251	141	23	19	9	25	29	36	108	8	24	76
Cherokee	475	152	14	10	18	24	35	51	323	31	39	253
Chester	411	173	8	19	18	21	53	54	238	26	35	177
Chesterfield	705	420	37	34	56	62	104	127	284	35	47	202
Clarendon	777	591	72	86	93	110	116	114	186	33	51	102
Colleton	748	451	22	48	39	105	110	127	297	42	74	181
Darlington	772	658	77	109	124	127	144	77	114	20	19	75
Dillon	626	568	51	131	81	147	98	60	58	8	6	44
Dorchester	541	322	12	28	39	58	79	106	218	34	42	142
Edgefield	277	149	28	25	21	15	25	35	128	24	21	83
Fairfield	215	87	1	4	9	14	30	29	128	5	18	105
Florence	1 727	1 479	83	206	290	330	324	246	246	48	38	160
Georgetown	384	222	9	20	37	42	62	52	162	35	15	112
Greenville	771	267	18	27	19	40	62	101	504	38	61	405
Greenwood	365	145	11	11	11	30	31	51	219	26	37	156
Hampton	437	342	45	47	50	71	83	46	95	14	19	62
Horry	2 156	1 791	58	319	450	426	338	200	365	77	66	222
Jasper	255	139	6	16	19	20	42	36	116	17	18	81
Kershaw	369	165	13	16	14	27	37	58	204	23	28	153
Lancaster	432	163	7	9	15	35	58	39	269	16	46	207
Laurens	688	281	23	25	30	43	70	90	405	36	61	308
Lee	392	293	64	44	41	31	52	61	99	13	10	76
Lexington	899	493	32	54	69	80	117	141	406	60	74	272

Table 7. **Farms by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974**—Continued

	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, excluding abnormal farms						Farms with sales under $2,500, excluding abnormal farms			
		Total	$100,000 and over	$40,000 to $99,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999, (see text)	Total	$2,000 to $2,499	$1,500 to $1,999	$1,000 to $1,499, (see text)
McCormick	108	31	3	–	3	7	10	8	76	4	7	65
Marion	624	515	48	91	71	142	101	62	109	17	34	58
Marlboro	320	244	52	49	25	42	32	44	76	12	21	43
Newberry	612	300	63	35	42	29	55	76	312	33	46	233
Oconee	615	198	11	16	15	33	40	83	416	41	55	320
Orangeburg	1 588	1 077	108	128	159	171	259	252	511	90	103	318
Pickens	474	133	8	6	7	16	37	59	340	28	59	253
Richland	408	181	15	23	19	20	40	64	222	19	41	162
Saluda	700	317	36	50	29	45	69	88	383	36	81	266
Spartanburg	1 184	524	41	50	79	76	132	146	660	75	86	499
Sumter	736	481	76	60	70	60	112	103	254	56	45	153
Union	346	115	–	4	8	14	43	46	230	17	52	161
Williamsburg	1 636	1 154	70	141	174	237	286	246	481	107	103	271
York	613	235	24	22	18	43	51	77	377	36	51	290

Table 8. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974**

Part 1 of 2 All Farms

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	676 496	23 108	20 876	453 831	247	6 051	2 011	10 032	16 244	118 188	1 206	88 394
Abbeville	4 862	9 666	180	1 078	–	–	76	143	411	2 016	19	1 625
Aiken	13 251	17 209	561	6 873	11	53	43	100	430	2 272	51	3 953
Allendale	11 979	56 505	189	9 549	1	(D)	19	(D)	101	2 298	12	13
Anderson	11 861	9 635	604	4 300	16	202	77	71	896	5 203	46	2 085
Bamberg	12 388	32 772	332	7 169	4	116	41	175	227	4 657	27	272
Barnwell	11 331	30 624	312	8 699	–	–	39	162	180	1 644	7	826
Beaufort	7 193	47 013	128	5 653	3	85	6	16	82	965	10	474
Berkeley	7 166	11 303	504	3 811	3	724	19	656	406	1 351	23	623
Calhoun	14 308	36 972	318	11 593	1	1	36	220	228	2 487	8	8
Charleston	8 755	34 880	161	7 224	18	511	10	324	123	692	9	4
Cherokee	9 143	19 248	177	6 153	5	22	36	16	354	1 447	16	1 506
Chester	3 833	9 326	130	1 318	1	5	55	111	344	(D)	8	(D)
Chesterfield	18 934	26 857	537	9 345	11	92	42	126	305	1 115	40	8 256
Clarendon	30 472	39 218	720	24 634	2	(D)	40	(D)	322	2 438	35	3 061
Colleton	10 949	14 638	585	6 838	4	(D)	83	(D)	456	2 058	31	1 551
Darlington	31 713	41 079	723	25 902	2	(D)	26	(D)	277	2 273	29	3 280
Dillon	25 871	41 327	604	24 704	3	13	20	192	179	850	16	113
Dorchester	6 981	12 904	418	3 920	3	115	32	300	360	2 424	30	221
Edgefield	11 179	40 357	146	7 607	–	–	23	219	191	2 103	16	1 250
Fairfield	1 259	5 856	59	158	–	–	45	359	176	741	5	(Z)
Florence	46 277	26 796	1 646	40 407	9	232	54	650	446	1 970	43	3 017
Georgetown	4 959	12 914	323	3 804	7	176	23	218	154	442	7	319
Greenville	7 618	9 881	323	2 535	28	502	41	35	530	3 911	36	635
Greenwood	4 216	11 551	104	710	3	65	58	273	331	1 753	16	1 415
Hampton	15 415	35 275	361	10 409	2	(D)	27	(D)	244	3 421	19	1 371
Horry	50 766	23 546	2 043	46 297	5	73	89	363	755	3 484	43	549
Jasper	3 529	13 839	204	2 310	3	4	9	183	138	895	11	138
Kershaw	4 562	12 363	249	2 445	1	(D)	33	(D)	204	837	17	1 010
Lancaster	4 226	9 782	156	1 105	2	4	57	136	350	1 051	11	1 930
Laurens	9 295	13 510	316	2 167	5	58	74	280	521	4 025	28	2 765
Lee	21 709	55 380	353	19 313	1	9	20	112	147	1 166	14	1 109
Lexington	15 056	16 747	640	6 231	13	92	51	114	497	2 009	90	6 610
McCormick	1 449	13 417	28	94	–	–	13	33	89	(D)	3	(D)
Marion	20 964	33 596	575	19 390	2	(D)	17	(D)	236	1 346	11	113
Marlboro	19 979	62 434	286	18 231	4	24	16	46	126	984	8	695
Newberry	19 230	31 422	315	2 387	2	(D)	83	(D)	503	6 495	72	9 687
Oconee	5 629	9 153	231	2 119	8	153	76	74	474	1 689	27	1 594
Orangeburg	47 025	29 613	1 392	26 306	17	501	112	419	898	18 333	44	1 465
Pickens	4 208	8 878	164	407	9	558	28	175	360	1 268	21	1 799
Richland	8 911	21 841	254	4 306	12	132	44	138	219	2 141	34	2 193
Saluda	12 201	17 430	307	3 995	–	–	78	408	565	4 875	38	2 923
Spartanburg	21 355	18 036	674	11 130	15	908	42	49	712	3 798	41	5 470
Sumter	31 268	42 484	636	19 145	4	(D)	30	(D)	331	4 409	50	7 588
Union	1 407	4 066	114	235	–	–	44	108	285	1 057	10	7
Williamsburg	33 890	20 715	1 534	28 964	1	1	79	871	643	2 528	41	1 527
York	7 924	12 927	260	2 865	6	51	45	122	438	2 625	33	2 262

Part 2 of 2 Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	661 349	37 763	15 026	447 174	186	5 993	1 560	9 685	9 069	110 346	916	88 151
Abbeville	4 586	20 941	112	1 020	–	–	55	135	187	1 806	15	1 625
Aiken	12 842	31 709	344	6 631	7	49	38	98	230	2 111	48	3 953
Allendale	11 917	71 789	157	9 520	1	(D)	19	(D)	67	2 264	11	13
Anderson	11 178	21 011	372	4 091	12	197	55	62	392	4 745	29	2 084
Bamberg	12 265	41 576	272	7 092	3	114	39	173	186	4 614	23	271
Barnwell	11 020	46 498	226	8 500	–	–	36	162	114	1 532	7	826
Beaufort	7 124	75 787	81	5 609	3	85	4	12	56	948	6	471
Berkeley	6 665	24 414	242	3 499	3	724	17	655	199	1 164	12	622
Calhoun	14 206	48 156	266	11 535	–	–	36	220	166	2 442	6	8
Charleston	8 628	61 191	110	7 161	14	510	9	323	58	633	2	1
Cherokee	8 849	58 217	97	6 086	3	19	15	9	101	1 231	10	1 503
Chester	3 605	20 838	100	1 295	1	5	47	106	142	(D)	4	(D)
Chesterfield	18 632	44 362	357	9 153	11	92	32	122	182	1 010	34	8 255

Table 8. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974**—Continued

Part 2 of 2 Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Agricultural products sold		Crops and hay		Nursery and greenhouse products		Forest products		Livestock and livestock products		Poultry and poultry products	
	Value ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Clarendon	30 228	51 147	573	24 435	2	(D)	34	(D)	250	2 394	32	3 061
Colleton	10 613	23 532	399	6 634	1	(D)	70	(D)	292	1 931	25	1 551
Darlington	31 575	47 986	642	25 802	2	(D)	26	(D)	231	2 235	21	3 279
Dillon	25 804	45 430	555	24 646	3	13	17	191	158	841	16	113
Dorchester	6 715	20 854	289	3 783	3	115	29	286	224	2 309	18	221
Edgefield	11 038	74 081	107	7 565	–	–	20	218	100	2 004	13	1 250
Fairfield	1 144	13 149	31	141	–	–	39	358	80	645	5	(Z)
Florence	45 819	30 980	1 448	40 039	7	229	52	650	366	1 884	40	3 016
Georgetown	4 763	21 455	200	3 651	3	170	22	217	103	407	3	318
Greenville	7 188	26 921	161	2 403	14	490	21	26	181	3 635	19	634
Greenwood	3 908	26 952	59	680	3	65	39	266	133	1 483	8	1 413
Hampton	15 317	44 787	307	10 337	2	(D)	27	(D)	203	3 395	15	1 370
Horry	50 299	28 084	1 751	45 931	3	71	73	359	625	3 393	27	545
Jasper	3 400	24 460	130	2 223	–	–	9	183	74	857	6	138
Kershaw	4 354	26 388	125	2 334	1	(D)	21	(D)	108	744	9	1 009
Lancaster	3 966	24 331	86	1 050	2	4	44	131	137	851	11	1 930
Laurens	8 617	30 665	181	2 024	5	58	51	268	222	3 504	20	2 763
Lee	21 601	73 724	276	19 226	1	9	20	112	117	1 146	12	1 109
Lexington	14 604	29 623	411	6 005	10	88	37	107	271	1 800	73	6 603
McCormick	1 341	43 258	11	79	–	–	7	28	28	(D)	2	(D)
Marion	20 823	40 433	506	19 288	2	(D)	17	(D)	191	1 308	10	113
Marlboro	19 881	81 480	228	18 154	4	24	12	45	96	964	3	694
Newberry	18 905	63 017	193	2 300	2	(D)	60	(D)	246	6 272	61	9 685
Oconee	5 245	26 490	104	2 015	5	147	34	63	156	1 426	17	1 594
Orangeburg	46 402	43 084	992	25 842	13	499	106	413	671	18 185	34	1 465
Pickens	3 273	24 609	58	268	8	558	19	73	107	602	16	1 772
Richland	8 208	45 348	135	4 162	10	131	23	82	88	1 810	15	2 023
Saluda	11 805	37 240	192	3 893	–	–	62	397	261	4 593	33	2 922
Spartanburg	20 714	39 531	397	10 855	13	907	16	37	292	3 448	29	5 468
Sumter	30 315	63 025	437	18 836	2	(D)	27	(D)	229	3 769	44	7 588
Union	1 148	9 983	37	171	–	–	21	97	108	876	4	4
Williamsburg	33 257	28 819	1 123	28 434	1	1	76	870	472	2 425	41	1 527
York	7 561	32 174	146	2 775	6	51	27	118	169	2 357	27	2 260

Table 9. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974**

	Farm production expenses				Farms by farm production expenses for all farms							
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Total ($1,000)	Average per farm	Under $1,000	$1,000 to $2,999	$3,000 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $39,999	$40,000 to $59,999	$60,000 and over
South Carolina, total	509 937	17 448	492 240	28 107	6 712	7 941	3 379	3 733	2 832	1 991	827	1 811
Abbeville	4 325	8 598	3 960	18 082	183	130	58	59	36	14	10	13
Aiken	11 649	15 168	11 114	27 442	197	213	93	86	67	43	15	54
Allendale	10 694	50 443	10 639	64 090	32	34	34	25	21	12	10	44
Anderson	10 478	8 540	9 555	17 961	365	403	156	103	102	48	15	35
Bamberg	9 140	24 180	9 052	30 685	61	78	52	45	47	44	17	34
Barnwell	8 027	21 695	7 741	32 662	62	122	23	46	38	29	18	32
Beaufort	6 665	43 562	6 602	70 234	34	37	4	17	17	22	3	19
Berkeley	4 730	7 461	4 307	15 777	228	216	45	54	57	16	12	6
Calhoun	9 874	25 514	9 762	33 092	56	92	40	44	47	38	20	50
Charleston	7 146	28 470	6 934	49 177	63	60	33	30	20	12	6	27
Cherokee	8 337	17 552	7 893	51 928	169	146	61	35	23	14	11	16
Chester	3 369	8 237	3 046	17 607	107	145	56	47	22	8	12	12
Chesterfield	17 014	24 133	16 693	39 745	184	212	76	77	64	35	11	46
Clarendon	21 301	27 485	21 121	35 738	166	155	92	94	76	81	28	83
Colleton	8 938	11 997	8 572	19 007	187	204	99	93	72	39	16	35
Darlington	22 365	29 045	22 188	33 720	42	170	112	112	96	102	54	82
Dillon	16 945	27 069	16 877	29 713	40	98	91	119	99	85	39	55
Dorchester	4 879	9 018	4 593	14 264	137	160	76	77	43	26	7	15
Edgefield	8 954	32 442	8 765	58 826	58	81	26	25	16	15	18	37
Fairfield	1 113	5 250	947	10 885	73	73	16	22	18	5	3	2
Florence	28 363	16 423	27 945	18 895	179	405	256	315	272	136	75	89
Georgetown	3 507	9 181	3 355	15 113	108	98	48	47	41	21	7	12
Greenville	6 653	8 663	5 922	22 180	249	273	92	54	40	31	7	22
Greenwood	4 080	11 178	3 659	25 234	109	113	51	34	19	19	3	17
Hampton	11 795	27 115	11 706	34 228	67	76	52	82	65	25	16	52
Horry	30 169	13 993	29 692	16 578	224	417	243	419	393	313	84	63
Jasper	2 973	11 659	2 841	20 439	63	76	32	32	26	6	10	10
Kershaw	3 754	10 201	3 510	21 273	128	104	29	50	20	19	7	11
Lancaster	3 432	7 944	3 018	18 515	117	151	63	45	33	13	2	8
Laurens	9 124	13 320	8 225	29 270	204	207	82	71	48	22	14	37
Lee	16 612	42 378	16 497	56 304	53	118	26	35	32	38	15	75
Lexington	13 046	14 544	12 490	25 335	225	284	95	106	68	54	11	54
McCormick	1 618	15 121	1 457	47 000	48	24	7	10	11	1	1	5
Marion	13 500	21 669	13 357	25 936	65	112	88	115	104	65	25	49
Marlboro	15 005	46 891	14 924	61 164	56	45	24	47	29	38	16	65
Newberry	15 661	25 674	15 211	50 703	134	226	47	56	41	16	17	73
Oconee	5 016	8 183	4 438	22 414	198	221	49	74	25	25	5	16
Orangeburg	36 304	22 948	35 810	33 250	375	364	172	198	171	121	56	125
Pickens	3 996	8 430	2 820	21 203	193	169	40	32	19	6	3	12
Richland	7 343	17 998	6 603	36 481	131	124	49	37	14	17	16	20
Saluda	10 347	14 781	9 850	31 073	208	196	58	94	33	45	19	47
Spartanburg	17 558	14 880	16 598	31 676	302	396	145	139	70	60	17	51
Sumter	25 365	34 463	24 604	51 152	173	182	76	78	63	51	23	90
Union	1 290	3 739	939	8 165	111	126	41	35	25	5	1	1
Williamsburg	20 811	12 721	20 316	17 605	360	409	202	251	162	126	45	81
York	6 669	10 879	6 095	25 936	188	196	69	67	27	30	7	29

Table 10. Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974

Part 1 of 4

	Farm production expenses				Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Livestock and poultry		Feed for livestock and poultry				
							Total		Commercially mixed formula feed		
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	29 226	509 937	17 513	492 240	4 519	28 671	8 294	93 455	7 182	552 585	79 406
Abbeville	503	4 325	219	3 960	69	542	157	1 536	136	11 153	1 430
Aiken	768	11 649	405	11 114	135	1 026	215	3 828	193	26 444	3 438
Allendale	212	10 694	166	10 639	21	151	56	980	47	5 852	769
Anderson	1 227	10 478	532	9 555	170	884	329	2 638	278	17 461	2 326
Bamberg	378	9 140	295	9 052	107	554	180	1 545	163	8 732	1 184
Barnwell	370	8 027	237	7 741	46	323	107	1 389	85	6 440	976
Beaufort	153	6 665	94	6 602	20	405	32	590	29	2 798	432
Berkeley	634	4 730	273	4 307	83	223	169	653	132	2 825	472
Calhoun	387	9 874	295	9 762	69	263	147	887	114	2 483	384
Charleston	251	7 146	141	6 934	27	178	53	151	43	819	113
Cherokee	475	8 337	152	7 893	46	838	83	1 184	68	7 809	1 065
Chester	409	3 369	173	3 046	52	173	113	741	101	4 507	619
Chesterfield	705	17 014	420	16 693	113	1 074	166	6 352	131	36 404	5 336
Clarendon	775	21 301	591	21 121	128	1 213	225	2 898	180	19 465	2 770
Colleton	745	8 938	451	8 572	138	478	271	1 650	229	11 045	1 434
Darlington	770	22 365	658	22 188	117	620	211	2 577	179	14 449	2 244
Dillon	626	16 945	568	16 877	72	135	161	354	136	2 045	314
Dorchester	541	4 879	322	4 593	112	240	227	964	203	5 663	844
Edgefield	276	8 954	149	8 765	54	460	97	1 692	92	11 233	1 490
Fairfield	212	1 113	87	947	36	101	77	222	70	1 465	199
Florence	1 727	28 363	1 479	27 945	167	812	392	2 729	360	15 920	2 579
Georgetown	382	3 507	222	3 355	59	181	101	366	91	3 459	358
Greenville	768	6 653	267	5 922	76	394	153	1 601	135	9 521	1 317
Greenwood	365	4 080	145	3 659	54	703	118	1 237	101	8 524	1 084
Hampton	435	11 795	342	11 706	100	765	182	2 027	159	11 714	1 482
Horry	2 156	30 169	1 791	29 692	332	554	610	1 902	558	10 644	1 598
Jasper	255	2 973	139	2 841	32	119	78	362	72	2 290	293
Kershaw	368	3 754	165	3 510	51	318	82	681	68	4 288	636
Lancaster	432	3 432	163	3 018	73	333	123	1 364	102	8 414	1 282
Laurens	685	9 124	281	8 225	114	1 031	190	2 821	176	19 602	2 651
Lee	392	16 612	293	16 497	54	305	110	1 093	98	5 428	875
Lexington	897	13 046	493	12 490	173	1 947	275	4 695	233	27 705	4 503
McCormick	107	1 618	31	1 457	16	142	29	578	28	2 965	456
Marion	623	13 500	515	13 357	107	237	176	490	164	2 582	361
Marlboro	320	15 005	244	14 924	46	342	105	623	85	2 028	310
Newberry	610	15 661	300	15 211	150	1 688	221	7 895	204	48 538	7 239
Oconee	613	5 016	198	4 438	78	408	130	1 395	118	10 317	1 277
Orangeburg	1 582	36 304	1 077	35 810	373	2 604	582	7 643	484	33 958	5 280
Pickens	474	3 996	133	2 820	53	357	97	1 304	91	8 647	1 126
Richland	408	7 343	181	6 603	53	832	91	1 496	68	8 954	1 349
Saluda	700	10 347	317	9 850	139	895	235	3 566	214	24 395	3 396
Spartanburg	1 180	17 558	524	16 598	147	1 378	216	4 114	173	19 792	2 773
Sumter	736	25 365	481	24 604	132	1 343	205	6 586	165	38 967	5 796
Union	345	1 290	115	939	34	99	86	124	72	648	95
Williamsburg	1 636	20 811	1 154	20 316	205	491	479	1 926	429	10 573	1 720
York	613	6 669	235	6 095	86	517	152	2 008	125	13 626	1 731

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	Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over—Continued											
	Feed for livestock and poultry—Continued									Animal health costs		Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees
	Feed ingredients			Whole grains			Hay, green chop, silage, etc.					
	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	2 418	33 563	5 019	2 529	75 050	8 240	905	31 541	791	4 352	1 959	11 911	13 060
Abbeville	35	77	14	60	629	66	29	684	26	116	33	103	55
Aiken	74	410	74	89	2 889	271	29	1 142	45	136	45	292	313
Allendale	18	262	30	18	1 464	174	7	161	6	36	48	134	440
Anderson	104	423	65	109	1 363	179	51	2 975	67	228	107	277	185
Bamberg	48	408	76	39	2 484	279	11	96	5	120	58	254	343
Barnwell	28	651	95	25	2 580	315	11	58	3	47	26	195	301
Beaufort	17	418	46	16	897	88	3	897	23	21	22	73	213
Berkeley	75	417	78	59	882	99	17	95	3	53	7	234	296
Calhoun	48	610	117	64	3 426	373	19	286	13	64	36	233	340
Charleston	11	43	6	15	222	26	9	101	6	37	17	108	356
Cherokee	23	162	14	33	1 174	103	5	37	2	58	25	74	69
Chester	38	243	35	37	414	55	24	644	31	89	41	90	47
Chesterfield	58	4 326	477	63	5 654	529	25	249	9	80	69	262	275
Clarendon	50	278	55	48	629	66	13	141	6	88	25	425	605
Colleton	111	811	143	55	507	62	30	260	11	153	47	367	341
Darlington	77	941	152	44	1 467	170	17	313	11	95	45	450	549
Dillon	39	233	18	21	252	18	18	85	4	62	11	413	425
Dorchester	59	282	48	56	454	54	33	401	18	103	28	248	195
Edgefield	18	23	3	44	1 758	184	15	1 236	14	47	18	87	149
Fairfield	19	63	10	8	41	5	10	173	8	45	10	34	10
Florence	68	238	48	51	882	90	38	261	12	130	26	1 012	792
Georgetown	19	19	5	30	26	3	5	12	(Z)	40	7	163	82
Greenville	49	227	30	51	1 799	191	23	2 774	64	98	54	151	283
Greenwood	50	600	88	52	429	48	12	318	17	74	35	43	54
Hampton	69	1 285	207	53	2 766	307	21	628	31	81	54	274	400
Horry	103	594	118	124	1 642	180	23	182	7	194	30	1 175	588
Jasper	19	261	36	24	257	30	8	64	3	30	20	124	145
Kershaw	23	131	25	25	143	12	12	105	8	46	18	99	103
Lancaster	27	224	23	31	338	47	22	246	12	70	15	83	66
Laurens	57	215	32	76	972	118	29	453	20	145	82	156	120
Lee	28	715	87	34	1 136	121	15	295	10	49	13	241	520
Lexington	98	242	40	124	1 265	132	30	516	20	150	57	319	211

Table 10. **Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974** — Continued

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Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over — Continued

	Feed for livestock and poultry — Continued									Animal health costs		Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	
	Feed ingredients			Whole grains			Hay, green chop, silage, etc.						
	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
McCormick	4	18	3	4	1 157	117	1	50	2	21	5	13	5
Marion	44	376	25	50	927	95	12	170	9	67	51	346	328
Marlboro	42	1 511	227	31	686	77	8	210	8	48	32	203	420
Newberry	81	2 709	381	97	2 050	260	13	906	14	159	128	174	178
Oconee	40	102	19	53	687	92	20	198	8	85	21	89	79
Orangeburg	224	3 107	487	248	15 970	1 802	72	1 826	74	321	251	893	1 045
Pickens	16	816	113	28	474	56	7	229	9	56	19	68	61
Richland	32	875	101	33	283	43	8	51	3	41	42	109	213
Saluda	73	295	59	63	786	84	30	7 455	27	168	69	175	146
Spartanburg	59	4 733	812	81	4 099	503	28	628	26	159	82	255	368
Sumter	74	1 991	340	59	3 992	405	28	1 965	45	89	38	367	644
Union	22	99	7	32	156	17	11	150	6	52	10	36	12
Williamsburg	97	599	74	112	1 258	121	30	625	11	192	36	858	584
York	50	503	73	60	1 686	170	23	1 196	34	109	45	132	106

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Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over — Continued

	Commercial fertilizer		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil									
			Total		Gasoline		Diesel fuel		LP gas, butane, propane		Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	15 302	81 099	17 061	31 814	15 437	13 191	10 026	9 434	2 518	2 757	17 060	6 432
Abbeville	174	521	216	141	178	79	106	40	5	5	216	18
Aiken	325	1 507	389	620	303	292	247	188	47	57	389	82
Allendale	140	2 769	166	557	134	189	146	287	6	11	166	70
Anderson	455	1 623	524	560	515	325	230	133	38	23	524	79
Bamberg	252	2 169	273	524	229	206	227	246	13	5	273	67
Barnwell	196	1 688	231	496	177	161	166	250	13	16	231	70
Beaufort	75	839	94	286	90	150	58	85	8	12	94	38
Berkeley	232	871	268	285	225	126	168	88	25	25	268	47
Calhoun	254	2 379	291	602	289	294	160	190	32	34	291	85
Charleston	100	1 051	141	322	117	165	85	101	7	11	141	45
Cherokee	129	412	149	279	146	152	118	78	11	11	149	38
Chester	143	562	166	208	163	112	92	64	3	1	166	30
Chesterfield	326	1 852	409	637	384	325	204	160	35	54	409	98
Clarendon	548	3 380	566	1 560	507	555	279	467	118	204	566	334
Colleton	381	1 847	428	585	402	298	216	177	38	32	428	78
Darlington	609	3 712	638	1 808	590	665	488	589	155	164	638	390
Dillon	536	3 051	562	1 713	547	665	223	404	104	264	562	380
Dorchester	271	913	315	361	298	180	180	104	20	13	315	63
Edgefield	129	1 036	148	380	142	196	99	121	15	18	148	45
Fairfield	69	165	87	73	75	46	33	16	–	–	87	11
Florence	1 404	5 175	1 442	2 698	1 254	1 052	957	550	316	260	1 442	836
Georgetown	201	503	203	296	140	86	118	83	42	54	203	72
Greenville	200	805	261	276	225	151	144	80	9	6	261	39
Greenwood	120	377	143	141	141	83	60	30	2	7	143	21
Hampton	292	2 542	324	640	258	250	209	291	18	13	324	86
Horry	1 706	5 258	1 779	3 383	1 741	1 117	1 026	697	658	550	1 779	1 019
Jasper	125	698	134	185	119	81	106	77	4	3	134	24
Kershaw	130	617	159	235	151	131	70	54	7	9	159	40
Lancaster	136	353	154	138	140	71	66	38	4	10	154	19
Laurens	246	1 141	266	308	266	184	110	76	10	7	266	41
Lee	274	3 707	290	1 049	277	389	171	448	101	73	289	140
Lexington	391	1 378	482	546	443	263	277	160	34	33	482	90
McCormick	21	75	30	32	29	20	20	6	3	2	30	4
Marion	484	2 409	506	1 227	475	415	322	349	113	161	506	302
Marlboro	215	2 881	239	1 045	225	465	149	368	51	75	239	136
Newberry	238	1 171	297	423	231	191	186	156	10	17	297	58
Oconee	163	431	189	175	176	106	70	36	10	7	189	26
Orangeburg	905	6 701	1 044	1 820	996	819	771	692	70	68	1 044	241
Pickens	84	167	132	90	130	59	33	12	4	4	132	15
Richland	117	980	172	330	156	155	105	120	5	8	172	47
Saluda	272	1 308	313	420	281	199	207	148	15	8	313	66
Spartanburg	433	1 342	511	685	452	358	327	185	17	18	511	124
Sumter	413	3 458	476	1 240	448	527	200	352	72	131	476	230
Union	94	230	112	83	110	59	52	14	1	(Z)	112	10
Williamsburg	1 098	4 275	1 111	2 026	842	610	603	543	229	245	1 111	628
York	196	767	231	327	220	167	142	82	20	30	231	48

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Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over — Continued

	Hired farm labor		Contract labor		Machine hire and customwork		Agricultural chemicals, including lime		All other production expenses	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	8 400	51 773	862	4 935	8 404	10 121	9 682	30 653	17 402	144 700
Abbeville	83	158	14	93	90	67	90	67	213	748
Aiken	175	662	21	18	141	192	194	500	405	2 402
Allendale	79	1 191	10	97	91	153	99	817	166	3 436
Anderson	199	700	18	15	220	139	231	302	525	2 402
Bamberg	113	742	11	14	166	228	162	418	295	2 456
Barnwell	97	658	13	52	114	154	133	608	237	2 046
Beaufort	56	1 207	20	577	50	66	43	311	94	2 086

Table 10. **Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974** — Continued

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	Purchases for farms with sales of $2,500 and over — Continued									
	Hired farm labor		Contract labor		Machine hire and customwork		Agricultural chemicals, including lime		All other production expenses	
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)
Berkeley	84	479	15	81	136	102	127	125	273	1 185
Calhoun	136	901	14	39	129	271	205	1 179	295	2 865
Charleston	73	1 024	20	859	61	107	73	369	137	2 500
Cherokee	70	1 105	16	145	65	96	79	260	152	3 478
Chester	82	203	6	3	57	41	73	189	172	838
Chesterfield	181	1 525	17	251	219	202	196	687	412	3 770
Clarendon	320	2 156	22	93	304	412	362	1 993	590	6 786
Colleton	149	670	17	41	234	190	223	405	451	2 318
Darlington	386	3 034	33	96	373	712	470	1 876	658	7 158
Dillon	327	2 167	19	43	334	632	371	1 761	567	6 583
Dorchester	126	443	11	8	181	133	129	130	321	1 178
Edgefield	81	1 380	13	353	48	243	84	580	149	2 473
Fairfield	44	75	4	(D)	30	(D)	22	10	86	250
Florence	738	3 259	52	158	875	752	911	1 493	1 479	10 052
Georgetown	140	520	21	33	106	92	111	97	222	1 178
Greenville	100	660	18	100	96	75	117	191	262	1 484
Greenwood	77	324	6	11	41	28	53	111	143	638
Hampton	149	1 096	20	52	169	357	207	828	341	2 945
Horry	1 029	4 011	61	97	988	807	1 138	1 282	1 789	11 779
Jasper	49	377	9	15	67	70	71	92	138	759
Kershaw	74	275	5	16	65	78	63	220	160	949
Lancaster	40	89	13	8	54	36	70	60	161	556
Laurens	128	630	14	22	114	108	142	224	277	1 738
Lee	169	1 729	9	36	168	503	202	2 499	292	5 043
Lexington	156	798	16	19	185	126	205	381	490	2 333
McCormick	14	123	2	(D)	10	(D)	14	16	31	463
Marion	295	1 970	20	43	258	330	320	738	515	5 534
Marlboro	149	1 755	11	9	122	307	174	2 347	242	5 164
Newberry	133	956	11	5	91	77	152	196	300	2 493
Oconee	83	283	32	266	68	41	98	163	194	1 176
Orangeburg	454	3 215	33	84	554	768	596	2 155	1 064	9 526
Pickens	38	230	13	25	28	9	47	25	131	532
Richland	77	639	6	3	53	28	70	416	174	1 623
Saluda	144	819	14	71	133	138	176	407	316	2 011
Spartanburg	265	1 877	74	820	180	178	269	626	509	5 129
Sumter	256	2 611	25	71	209	318	298	2 179	479	6 116
Union	54	87	5	5	42	32	43	23	115	232
Williamsburg	628	2 539	52	57	598	635	674	1 019	1 150	6 727
York	100	420	6	7	87	61	95	274	230	1 563

Table 11. **Machinery and Equipment: 1974**

	Estimated market value of machinery and equipment				Forms by estimated value of machinery and equipment for all farms						Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over								All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	$1 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $29,999	$30,000 to $49,999	$50,000 and over	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	27 362	449 233	16 120	365 452	6 853	8 307	5 567	2 841	2 193	1 601	23 795	45 321	14 471	33 824
Abbeville	467	5 155	198	3 073	134	170	89	44	25	5	403	662	178	369
Aiken	708	10 844	358	8 252	177	231	147	57	62	34	639	1 118	331	752
Allendale	196	6 473	153	6 143	32	46	31	24	26	37	173	456	137	420
Anderson	1 156	14 983	491	9 796	356	351	249	94	59	47	996	1 816	441	1 077
Bamberg	342	6 847	267	6 442	72	89	65	42	42	32	298	576	237	510
Barnwell	351	6 848	223	5 911	84	84	69	37	47	30	325	676	209	520
Beaufort	146	3 251	92	2 929	31	46	20	11	18	20	132	328	85	277
Berkeley	602	6 676	245	4 109	159	218	145	37	37	6	480	668	220	381
Calhoun	373	9 716	288	9 177	79	89	66	42	40	57	330	746	264	662
Charleston	237	4 991	132	4 000	43	73	59	21	15	26	212	494	121	370
Cherokee	454	6 351	147	4 018	150	160	74	33	19	18	396	692	128	343
Chester	389	5 428	160	3 588	100	134	83	26	28	18	334	634	139	364
Chesterfield	643	10 607	372	8 596	172	194	124	55	57	41	563	1 053	329	775
Clarendon	714	14 873	543	13 585	163	201	129	88	60	73	596	1 325	468	1 176
Colleton	681	9 851	398	7 783	177	247	111	64	48	34	582	983	356	718
Darlington	705	16 096	601	15 462	140	133	162	104	88	78	621	1 656	533	1 557
Dillon	573	13 520	515	13 117	83	139	134	85	72	60	522	1 367	466	1 302
Dorchester	503	6 486	288	5 095	138	169	105	43	28	20	408	645	252	466
Edgefield	258	6 441	142	5 507	58	72	48	16	31	33	220	604	132	488
Fairfield	197	2 139	81	1 234	66	57	46	19	7	2	164	233	77	131
Florence	1 532	26 721	1 309	24 750	340	376	330	248	170	68	1 356	2 825	1 162	2 591
Georgetown	343	4 413	189	3 219	75	134	73	33	14	14	270	416	157	300
Greenville	724	8 115	241	4 517	234	299	101	43	30	17	621	977	218	483
Greenwood	353	4 236	139	2 735	123	116	53	31	18	12	307	499	129	264
Hampton	408	8 769	315	8 161	84	91	90	39	61	43	344	672	268	595
Horry	2 039	30 527	1 694	28 147	401	529	536	349	171	53	1 799	3 095	1 496	2 747
Jasper	235	3 572	128	2 881	63	76	46	17	19	14	195	328	121	247
Kershaw	331	5 161	141	3 398	87	98	65	36	32	13	283	510	124	290
Lancaster	402	4 003	147	2 416	157	116	81	20	23	5	352	556	142	308
Laurens	643	8 275	252	5 162	182	228	126	48	33	26	589	1 051	238	574
Lee	370	12 435	275	11 654	67	95	57	38	36	77	326	920	240	813
Lexington	852	12 507	464	9 682	209	293	162	82	67	39	769	1 248	421	842
McCormick	103	1 000	29	416	35	40	17	5	4	2	90	131	27	53
Marion	573	10 473	472	9 820	119	139	130	94	50	41	487	1 020	419	943
Marlboro	289	9 678	219	9 178	56	58	51	31	34	59	270	824	208	749
Newberry	598	9 941	290	7 295	135	158	170	57	39	39	561	1 100	280	717

Table 11. **Machinery and Equipment: 1974**—Continued

	Estimated market value of machinery and equipment				Farms by estimated value of machinery and equipment for all farms						Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over								All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)	$1 to $4,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $29,999	$30,000 to $49,999	$50,000 and over	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Oconee	582	6 048	178	3 044	189	236	89	29	31	8	494	725	160	311
Orangeburg	1 512	29 190	1 029	25 855	344	419	308	156	157	128	1 317	2 635	954	2 232
Pickens	459	4 847	125	1 898	122	206	84	28	15	4	399	639	110	218
Richland	391	6 895	168	5 026	119	115	77	29	25	26	335	588	145	354
Saluda	669	10 481	301	7 679	176	208	148	55	43	39	588	1 122	284	726
Spartanburg	1 114	14 478	484	9 966	323	374	218	105	53	41	987	1 733	440	1 054
Sumter	698	15 405	452	13 451	145	224	106	65	81	77	618	1 366	418	1 129
Union	340	2 839	113	1 439	139	108	65	18	6	4	288	416	100	187
Williamsburg	1 501	23 048	1 043	20 138	366	452	311	177	136	59	1 214	2 242	892	1 900
York	606	8 601	229	5 707	149	216	117	66	36	22	542	951	215	539

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Cows and heifers that had calved							
					Total				Beef cows			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	13 825	589 827	7 058	458 359	11 758	326 893	6 281	252 937	10 557	279 175	5 537	208 538
Abbeville	422	21 050	183	15 414	356	12 025	169	8 791	340	11 274	160	8 103
Aiken	364	15 728	197	12 604	313	8 818	171	7 063	288	8 163	155	6 491
Allendale	62	8 112	48	7 943	59	4 351	45	4 259	47	4 118	36	4 042
Anderson	939	41 603	398	30 016	823	22 909	367	16 383	750	19 625	319	13 267
Bamberg	165	10 643	135	10 096	145	5 429	118	5 092	109	2 671	84	2 360
Barnwell	131	6 078	76	4 869	109	3 048	71	2 276	98	2 735	66	1 991
Beaufort	61	6 188	41	5 872	46	4 127	32	3 878	42	3 969	29	3 741
Berkeley	266	5 145	125	3 836	203	2 766	105	2 106	175	2 635	93	2 045
Calhoun	166	6 791	124	6 367	143	3 182	108	2 934	123	2 754	101	2 523
Charleston	104	5 813	47	4 666	79	3 733	40	3 025	73	3 714	38	3 020
Cherokee	353	12 868	91	7 192	308	6 890	85	3 467	298	6 644	83	3 320
Chester	342	15 074	137	10 783	312	9 218	137	6 591	283	7 839	125	5 317
Chesterfield	246	10 531	150	8 685	214	6 132	132	5 138	198	6 002	124	5 048
Clarendon	180	4 456	142	4 146	148	2 258	125	2 145	97	1 648	85	1 551
Colleton	351	13 890	224	12 277	287	7 236	201	6 476	267	7 068	188	6 356
Darlington	181	10 386	156	9 885	164	5 635	141	5 326	155	5 071	132	4 768
Dillon	134	4 543	123	4 402	119	2 592	109	2 520	109	2 395	99	2 328
Dorchester	247	7 855	139	6 505	180	4 210	114	3 493	157	3 153	105	2 501
Edgefield	189	12 491	97	10 092	168	7 778	89	6 252	148	6 283	74	4 810
Fairfield	179	8 310	77	6 543	147	4 882	76	3 879	143	4 667	76	3 692
Florence	296	6 107	247	5 279	234	3 422	199	3 003	166	2 662	142	2 271
Georgetown	89	2 301	65	2 009	77	1 216	59	1 071	65	1 185	50	1 046
Greenville	551	21 253	170	14 019	469	11 452	149	7 535	432	9 033	129	5 217
Greenwood	322	17 319	127	12 565	265	10 246	116	7 390	261	9 859	112	7 006
Hampton	149	8 567	119	8 277	112	5 119	95	4 951	105	4 789	90	4 635
Horry	444	6 596	347	5 639	357	3 531	278	3 099	324	3 236	254	2 878
Jasper	98	5 651	50	5 118	76	2 903	45	2 636	60	2 628	43	2 403
Kershaw	176	9 137	82	7 469	147	4 929	69	3 986	139	4 872	67	3 967
Lancaster	339	12 981	129	7 951	300	7 076	118	4 356	292	6 955	115	4 286
Laurens	538	32 441	223	25 344	478	17 302	210	13 493	457	15 382	197	11 803
Lee	98	4 535	78	4 229	91	2 591	72	2 392	74	2 319	59	2 138
Lexington	482	14 418	252	10 917	387	7 644	220	5 759	353	6 999	205	5 223
McCormick	94	3 833	28	2 691	86	2 457	27	1 758	78	2 402	27	1 754
Marion	123	3 161	102	2 885	112	1 931	95	1 732	99	1 864	84	1 673
Marlboro	94	6 202	69	5 788	77	3 021	59	2 770	72	2 814	55	2 565
Newberry	517	24 665	240	19 218	471	14 578	232	11 242	425	9 356	194	6 113
Oconee	488	18 092	148	10 978	417	9 597	139	5 716	388	8 707	126	4 982
Orangeburg	626	31 617	467	29 872	536	17 750	406	16 676	406	9 475	316	8 543
Pickens	361	12 146	96	5 481	300	6 552	89	3 134	291	6 143	86	2 968
Richland	190	6 824	62	4 449	161	3 201	49	1 889	138	2 197	41	1 060
Saluda	567	29 918	249	22 935	500	18 032	237	14 070	461	14 820	210	10 962
Spartanburg	742	30 320	286	21 599	647	15 986	260	11 030	605	14 584	236	9 732
Sumter	224	12 421	153	10 618	182	6 059	127	5 264	132	3 501	97	2 984
Union	288	12 230	106	8 589	236	6 135	98	4 256	225	5 869	94	4 090
Williamsburg	389	7 597	286	6 758	312	3 861	237	3 488	232	3 331	194	3 047
York	458	21 940	167	15 489	405	13 083	161	9 147	377	11 765	142	7 918

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	Inventory—Continued											
	Cows and heifers that had calved—Continued				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
	Milk cows				Heifers and heifer calves						Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total		For beef purposes		For milk cow replacement			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	2 478	47 718	1 377	44 399	4 504	100 325	4 078	78 069	628	22 256	5 181	105 097
Abbeville	48	751	28	688	135	3 099	129	2 757	10	342	154	3 524
Aiken	57	655	29	572	131	2 310	123	2 068	17	242	156	3 231
Allendale	21	233	13	217	34	1 803	31	1 691	4	112	40	1 881
Anderson	150	3 284	86	3 116	259	6 401	225	5 028	54	1 373	292	7 232
Bamberg	53	2 758	47	2 732	86	2 419	69	1 179	21	1 240	97	2 585

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Inventory—Continued											
	Cows and heifers that had calved—Continued				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
	Milk cows				Heifers and heifer calves						Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total		For beef purposes		For milk cow replacement			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Barnwell	31	313	18	285	37	709	37	709	–	–	62	1 884
Beaufort	17	158	8	137	28	1 008	26	(D)	2	(D)	26	986
Berkeley	50	131	16	61	73	673	69	661	5	12	94	1 057
Calhoun	26	428	13	411	70	1 391	67	1 211	5	180	97	2 042
Charleston	12	19	4	5	34	814	32	812	2	2	37	827
Cherokee	46	246	7	147	59	1 525	58	1 463	4	62	70	2 200
Chester	68	1 379	27	1 274	104	2 231	95	1 661	18	570	103	1 961
Chesterfield	37	130	21	90	81	1 243	79	1 193	6	50	108	2 304
Clarendon	63	610	51	594	73	1 068	65	883	14	185	81	933
Colleton	63	168	35	120	147	2 748	142	2 720	9	28	174	3 053
Darlington	22	564	17	558	104	2 400	97	2 118	8	282	112	2 159
Dillon	25	197	22	192	67	910	63	897	6	13	85	972
Dorchester	39	1 057	18	992	89	1 421	83	734	10	687	105	1 591
Edgefield	36	1 495	23	1 442	61	2 040	45	1 609	18	431	60	1 800
Fairfield	21	215	9	187	48	1 162	48	1 085	6	77	66	1 502
Florence	93	760	79	732	140	1 193	128	914	21	279	155	1 083
Georgetown	20	31	15	25	42	539	39	528	6	11	40	399
Greenville	80	2 419	34	2 318	124	3 654	104	2 329	25	1 325	116	2 830
Greenwood	18	387	15	384	79	1 835	73	1 567	8	268	107	3 340
Hampton	24	330	20	316	69	1 619	66	1 407	6	212	83	1 707
Horry	105	295	72	221	175	1 150	168	1 116	10	34	230	1 390
Jasper	25	275	9	233	27	851	26	(D)	2	(D)	28	1 631
Kershaw	20	57	8	19	57	1 634	55	1 545	7	89	69	1 849
Lancaster	27	121	9	70	90	1 684	87	1 644	4	40	101	1 911
Laurens	65	1 920	29	1 690	177	5 778	163	4 537	22	1 241	188	6 073
Lee	19	272	14	254	51	996	50	790	4	206	59	841
Lexington	87	645	35	536	150	2 508	141	2 199	14	309	188	2 650
McCormick	12	55	3	4	19	375	19	375	–	–	25	558
Marion	26	67	21	59	63	589	61	585	3	4	62	564
Marlboro	8	207	7	205	46	1 093	41	906	5	187	53	1 925
Newberry	106	5 222	69	5 129	179	4 828	146	2 469	40	2 359	186	3 148
Oconee	77	890	28	734	105	2 563	91	2 231	16	332	123	2 699
Orangeburg	192	8 275	137	8 133	277	7 260	216	2 807	70	4 453	336	5 936
Pickens	39	409	10	166	66	1 426	60	1 236	10	190	71	921
Richland	48	1 004	13	829	37	1 150	32	810	5	340	50	1 410
Saluda	82	3 212	45	3 108	178	5 022	154	3 189	43	1 833	179	3 843
Spartanburg	98	1 402	42	1 298	180	5 261	166	4 638	25	623	197	5 308
Sumter	70	2 558	45	2 280	97	2 732	85	1 877	14	855	115	2 622
Union	48	266	14	166	80	2 002	78	1 942	2	60	81	2 331
Williamsburg	129	530	78	441	147	1 777	128	1 480	31	297	194	1 493
York	75	1 318	34	1 229	129	3 431	118	2 800	16	631	126	2 911

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	Sales						
	Cattle and calves					Calves for farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	11 811	219 844	6 268	181 631	34 360	4 333	86 161	9 527
Abbeville	407	6 602	184	5 067	952	139	2 716	309
Aiken	312	5 133	185	4 311	821	123	2 416	283
Allendale	51	2 968	40	2 864	635	18	649	66
Anderson	853	12 599	377	9 465	1 535	280	4 783	479
Bamberg	158	4 929	130	4 709	1 139	58	1 133	92
Barnwell	108	2 607	73	2 245	354	35	845	80
Beaufort	56	2 527	43	2 466	488	37	1 241	125
Berkeley	178	1 879	103	1 505	255	54	647	82
Calhoun	141	3 089	115	2 951	671	48	587	64
Charleston	91	2 470	48	2 130	404	34	835	106
Cherokee	335	6 338	93	4 969	960	61	2 095	229
Chester	324	6 660	138	5 064	721	109	3 143	362
Chesterfield	221	4 279	142	3 744	693	114	2 349	269
Clarendon	106	1 945	87	1 856	487	69	486	50
Colleton	283	4 418	202	3 960	678	144	1 827	199
Darlington	161	4 015	138	3 861	763	99	1 786	228
Dillon	106	1 882	97	1 863	346	67	1 051	141
Dorchester	195	2 510	131	2 158	370	73	980	100
Edgefield	175	3 804	96	3 109	481	83	2 052	245
Fairfield	165	3 449	79	2 785	447	67	1 332	160
Florence	159	2 730	136	2 475	323	104	1 831	189
Georgetown	67	491	52	422	89	32	160	19
Greenville	484	6 072	164	4 219	807	120	1 893	184
Greenwood	324	7 437	131	5 553	1 059	109	3 235	450
Hampton	117	4 396	108	4 307	888	68	2 161	259
Horry	252	2 010	196	1 819	320	129	805	106
Jasper	61	1 770	42	1 628	434	30	399	35
Kershaw	162	3 491	86	3 022	620	52	1 410	179
Lancaster	333	5 192	133	3 810	664	109	2 005	247
Laurens	507	9 994	219	8 208	1 660	146	4 292	557
Lee	81	1 259	68	1 201	206	53	786	73
Lexington	413	5 924	233	4 643	865	143	2 082	241
McCormick	82	1 531	27	1 143	154	22	712	80
Marion	83	1 126	67	1 034	282	37	488	60
Marlboro	91	2 292	70	2 172	541	37	704	72
Newberry	472	7 163	230	5 478	901	175	3 068	270
Oconee	445	5 617	149	3 769	510	113	2 050	188
Orangeburg	497	15 945	403	15 461	3 818	279	5 168	426

Table 12. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974** — Continued

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	Sales							
	Cattle and calves					Calves for farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Pickens	324	4 094	100	2 077	336	73	1 149	122
Richland	149	3 582	56	2 821	469	26	948	70
Saluda	552	11 010	253	8 843	1 323	192	4 789	508
Spartanburg	669	12 365	278	9 996	1 907	194	4 453	531
Sumter	158	4 307	117	3 823	752	65	1 834	191
Union	264	5 318	107	4 154	752	81	2 182	312
Williamsburg	224	2 380	182	2 163	408	108	975	161
York	415	8 245	160	6 308	1 073	124	3 629	327

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	Sales — Continued							
	Cattle for farms with sales of $2,500 and over						Value of dairy products sold for farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates				
	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	4 640	95 470	24 833	830	23 179	7 370	484	41 620
Abbeville	148	2 351	643	3	15	5	8	783
Aiken	137	1 895	537	16	422	119	8	421
Allendale	38	2 215	570	10	737	237	2	(D)
Anderson	280	4 682	1 056	26	586	179	50	2 937
Bamberg	114	3 576	1 046	41	1 912	624	27	2 415
Barnwell	56	1 400	274	5	104	25	4	81
Beaufort	33	1 225	363	–	–	–	3	91
Berkeley	72	858	173	18	248	56	–	–
Calhoun	99	2 364	607	31	1 055	338	3	427
Charleston	30	1 295	298	5	468	139	–	–
Cherokee	70	2 874	730	3	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Chester	100	1 921	359	8	241	63	22	1 128
Chesterfield	74	1 395	424	7	47	19	4	48
Clarendon	60	1 370	436	15	957	360	6	310
Colleton	142	2 133	479	33	749	183	2	(D)
Darlington	93	2 075	534	22	479	146	7	595
Dillon	71	812	205	21	212	58	4	53
Dorchester	106	1 178	271	29	417	107	7	1 039
Edgefield	63	1 057	236	5	64	20	18	1 272
Fairfield	62	1 453	287	4	98	23	3	149
Florence	87	644	134	26	211	51	7	533
Georgetown	37	262	71	8	62	15	–	–
Greenville	134	2 326	624	12	123	28	19	2 488
Greenwood	96	2 318	609	9	127	31	7	373
Hampton	84	2 146	629	18	503	169	3	255
Horry	141	1 014	213	54	328	85	1	(D)
Jasper	29	1 229	399	10	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
Kershaw	71	1 612	441	4	96	31	4	6
Lancaster	108	1 805	416	21	440	113	1	(D)
Laurens	177	3 916	1 103	17	182	43	16	1 694
Lee	36	415	133	3	21	6	2	(D)
Lexington	167	2 561	624	62	625	152	8	388
McCormick	24	431	74	6	177	37	–	–
Marion	50	546	222	15	200	73	–	–
Marlboro	47	1 468	468	17	527	192	5	170
Newberry	175	2 410	631	15	216	64	46	4 618
Oconee	108	1 719	322	17	241	62	13	748
Orangeburg	298	10 293	3 392	70	5 973	2 183	63	8 354
Pickens	72	928	214	12	169	42	4	155
Richland	49	1 873	400	10	293	90	5	1 170
Saluda	167	4 054	814	12	322	68	38	3 117
Spartanburg	215	5 543	1 376	49	770	223	20	1 330
Sumter	91	1 989	560	11	542	165	14	2 205
Union	74	1 972	441	–	–	–	4	111
Williamsburg	124	1 188	247	35	305	62	5	242
York	131	2 679	746	15	478	121	18	1 104

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs — Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Hogs and pigs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	7 654	345 282	4 820	315 752	3 408	42 158	4 619	273 594	5 234	68 469	3 666	63 396
Abbeville	59	1 157	35	1 058	16	111	34	947	22	172	17	165
Aiken	203	9 058	99	8 011	80	1 164	98	6 847	155	1 532	84	1 282
Allendale	64	10 126	39	9 749	26	1 664	37	8 085	48	2 840	31	2 806
Anderson	153	3 314	81	2 822	34	230	81	2 592	63	357	36	275
Bamberg	148	10 081	124	9 737	91	1 509	116	8 228	118	2 039	95	1 976

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

Part 1 of 2

	Inventory											
	Hogs and pigs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1, 1973 and November 30, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Barnwell	115	10 998	64	10 154	48	1 230	64	8 924	89	2 462	54	2 300
Beaufort	47	3 634	21	3 346	13	634	21	2 712	15	651	13	637
Berkeley	340	13 501	155	11 292	116	1 183	152	10 109	263	1 984	129	1 563
Calhoun	155	10 463	104	9 784	63	1 392	102	8 392	108	1 914	69	1 818
Charleston	45	2 170	15	1 929	11	249	14	1 680	28	378	11	336
Cherokee	65	1 899	20	1 665	11	255	20	1 410	23	450	11	410
Chester	54	1 434	20	1 075	12	136	19	939	31	227	13	154
Chesterfield	139	2 972	74	2 444	51	453	71	1 991	91	730	59	618
Clarendon	316	13 084	235	12 274	166	1 562	219	10 712	236	2 770	179	2 605
Colleton	293	14 968	172	13 462	131	1 343	168	12 119	234	2 709	139	2 459
Darlington	175	9 633	144	9 148	115	1 627	131	7 521	147	2 517	120	2 408
Dillon	131	6 077	113	5 817	75	747	108	5 070	93	1 074	80	1 043
Dorchester	272	10 198	163	9 034	131	976	159	8 058	202	1 568	138	1 397
Edgefield	42	1 569	21	1 389	13	137	15	1 252	27	205	16	176
Fairfield	27	575	12	418	5	43	12	375	20	75	5	41
Florence	415	11 265	349	10 360	219	1 373	328	8 987	287	2 037	244	1 865
Georgetown	152	4 792	91	3 961	69	489	87	3 472	111	820	71	673
Greenville	96	2 165	38	1 862	15	81	36	1 781	36	242	17	189
Greenwood	37	624	20	506	7	61	20	445	18	148	8	128
Hampton	174	19 477	138	19 097	117	2 999	124	16 098	147	4 858	119	4 742
Horry	655	30 534	559	29 443	443	3 361	540	26 082	547	5 231	476	5 046
Jasper	117	3 123	54	2 398	45	294	53	2 104	75	463	46	359
Kershaw	98	1 128	46	806	28	139	43	667	62	278	30	169
Lancaster	51	1 799	24	1 647	14	170	20	1 477	24	237	14	211
Laurens	92	2 355	36	1 892	22	311	35	1 581	48	549	23	418
Lee	112	6 916	79	6 687	39	556	76	6 131	63	711	47	681
Lexington	195	4 784	109	3 908	63	612	104	3 296	101	977	67	849
McCormick	17	2 364	6	2 338	3	305	6	2 033	3	621	3	621
Marion	203	12 003	157	11 493	121	1 502	151	9 991	156	2 878	130	2 808
Marlboro	72	2 127	49	1 989	35	269	49	1 720	49	489	37	463
Newberry	180	8 136	90	7 614	59	1 193	87	6 421	92	1 675	64	1 601
Oconee	102	1 540	25	1 232	12	224	24	1 008	31	214	13	175
Orangeburg	655	51 720	436	49 083	337	6 468	419	42 615	512	11 762	367	11 329
Pickens	73	2 475	23	1 662	15	204	23	1 458	31	374	15	202
Richland	121	1 725	48	921	32	150	45	771	64	311	34	230
Saluda	83	1 326	33	1 154	18	173	30	981	27	288	20	272
Spartanburg	99	1 618	38	1 134	20	160	37	974	44	235	21	160
Sumter	255	8 924	166	7 087	113	1 257	154	5 830	182	1 790	127	1 484
Union	40	376	17	279	5	27	17	252	15	61	5	30
Williamsburg	626	23 289	439	21 052	328	2 927	431	18 125	455	4 172	344	3 871
York	91	1 786	39	1 539	21	208	39	1 331	41	394	25	351

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	Sales									
	Hogs and pigs					Feeder pigs				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	6 129	533 466	4 391	504 788	33 578	1 421	82 758	866	73 433	1 670
Abbeville	25	1 144	19	1 113	71	8	137	5	120	2
Aiken	163	12 716	97	11 499	828	55	1 345	31	939	22
Allendale	67	19 186	41	18 842	1 479	19	798	11	632	11
Anderson	80	3 860	52	3 424	250	24	772	9	550	8
Bamberg	136	16 337	117	15 945	1 060	23	2 927	17	2 731	82
Barnwell	105	17 690	64	16 713	1 096	44	2 216	27	1 761	40
Beaufort	25	4 817	14	4 684	366	5	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
Berkeley	303	16 393	161	13 919	889	79	2 322	36	1 606	31
Calhoun	147	17 762	103	17 175	1 276	30	1 971	17	1 669	41
Charleston	48	3 441	16	3 120	208	16	306	4	180	4
Cherokee	28	3 834	14	3 623	(D)	14	2 325	7	2 294	45
Chester	32	1 978	12	1 561	126	8	136	2	39	1
Chesterfield	101	5 453	67	4 766	223	31	3 273	17	2 843	81
Clarendon	270	26 972	215	26 330	1 595	57	7 013	41	6 844	203
Colleton	275	21 395	173	19 987	1 192	67	4 637	42	4 385	98
Darlington	160	15 810	134	15 172	877	48	6 635	36	6 250	124
Dillon	99	7 636	86	7 509	442	23	2 342	21	2 292	39
Dorchester	250	13 652	168	12 380	888	52	956	32	684	15
Edgefield	30	3 433	19	3 336	241	10	695	6	656	19
Fairfield	16	424	9	358	(D)	7	58	4	43	1
Florence	319	16 275	263	15 394	1 026	47	1 897	33	1 574	32
Georgetown	126	6 192	89	5 626	314	40	2 111	28	1 881	41
Greenville	46	4 845	28	4 474	308	9	789	5	736	12
Greenwood	29	753	11	606	44	7	125	3	80	2
Hampton	175	34 546	151	34 035	2 215	22	4 257	13	3 979	95
Horry	614	43 223	535	42 295	2 988	74	3 063	65	3 000	69
Jasper	90	3 514	54	3 055	210	21	354	6	163	5
Kershaw	70	2 268	39	1 590	100	26	654	9	334	8
Lancaster	30	2 019	20	1 855	136	9	70	3	36	1
Laurens	49	4 396	25	3 206	149	18	1 895	6	1 613	34
Lee	83	9 856	66	9 620	688	15	534	11	478	9
Lexington	152	8 203	100	7 355	498	32	1 852	15	1 466	34
McCormick	8	3 760	6	3 748	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Marion	186	17 383	153	16 977	1 021	26	906	22	826	20
Marlboro	50	3 878	42	3 816	239	14	1 012	9	972	21
Newberry	98	10 609	75	10 300	747	28	1 221	17	1 091	18
Oconee	39	2 244	16	2 056	162	18	221	8	145	3
Orangeburg	605	85 200	449	83 036	5 993	148	8 148	90	7 343	150
Pickens	45	2 331	23	1 416	101	15	461	7	168	3
Richland	87	3 011	43	1 899	87	26	869	15	783	16

Table 13. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales									
	Hogs and pigs					Feeder pigs				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Saluda	42	2 425	27	2 346	153	15	602	12	580	12
Spartanburg	49	2 627	28	2 076	127	21	824	10	370	8
Sumter	212	14 758	149	13 170	801	39	3 093	27	2 953	85
Union	15	372	6	214	11	8	121	3	69	1
Williamsburg	508	31 978	384	30 483	1 768	108	5 036	73	4 615	91
York	42	2 867	28	2 684	179	13	573	6	486	9

Table 14. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory									
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and whethers 1 year old or older	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	41	950	19	601	15	201	17	318	19	82
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	3	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	1	4	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	1
Bamberg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	1	4	1	4	–	–	1	3	1	1
Cherokee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chester	2	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clarendon	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
Colleton	1	9	1	9	1	4	1	4	1	1
Darlington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dillon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Edgefield	1	32	1	32	1	10	1	20	1	2
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Georgetown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenville	1	13	1	13	1	6	1	6	1	1
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1
Horry	1	5	1	5	1	2	1	2	1	1
Jasper	3	230	3	230	3	72	3	108	3	50
Kershaw	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lancaster	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Laurens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lexington	2	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	4	112	4	112	4	40	4	64	4	8
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oconee	4	32	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	1	31	1	31	–	–	1	29	1	2
Pickens	3	254	1	86	1	40	1	39	1	7
Richland	2	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saluda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	5	96	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sumter	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
York	1	70	1	70	1	25	1	40	1	5

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	Sales								
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sheep and lambs shorn			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool sold	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Wool (pounds)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	21	369	16	265	13	389	2 473	16	9
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bamberg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 14. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

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	Sales								
	Sheep and lambs				Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sheep and lambs shorn			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool sold	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Wool (pounds)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chester	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clarendon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Colleton	1	2	1	2	1	9	55	1	(Z)
Darlington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dillon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Edgefield	1	22	1	22	1	22	136	1	1
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	2	4	2	4	–	–	–	2	(Z)
Georgetown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenville	1	8	1	8	1	8	80	1	(Z)
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(Z)
Horry	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
Jasper	3	53	3	53	3	152	886	3	2
Kershaw	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lancaster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Laurens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lexington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	4	56	4	56	4	56	344	4	2
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oconee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	2	34	1	31	1	40	192	1	(Z)
Pickens	2	108	1	57	1	57	501	1	2
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saluda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	3	50	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sumter	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
York	1	30	1	30	1	45	279	1	1

Table 15. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974**

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	Inventory											
	Hens and pullets of laying age for—								Other chickens 3 months old or older			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	4 072	5 209 786	2 073	5 152 407	2 019	4 883 621	213	268 786	1 671	994 074	971	987 202
Abbeville	41	134 948	27	134 700	27	134 670	1	30	15	78 089	9	78 057
Aiken	89	65 215	40	64 463	40	64 398	5	65	53	3 884	25	3 701
Allendale	33	1 377	23	1 252	23	1 217	1	35	18	285	14	265
Anderson	128	189 180	58	187 491	58	187 344	4	147	48	5 091	22	4 760
Bamberg	69	20 969	50	20 649	49	(D)	2	(D)	25	2 427	17	2 417
Barnwell	40	54 341	14	54 059	11	38 049	4	16 010	17	1 492	10	1 453
Beaufort	32	(D)	12	(D)	12	(D)	–	–	17	386	9	244
Berkeley	143	51 818	38	49 861	38	49 736	4	125	59	9 482	18	9 102
Calhoun	43	1 669	22	1 425	20	1 375	3	50	18	110	10	51
Charleston	24	1 191	7	284	7	284	–	–	16	154	4	10
Cherokee	55	29 932	8	29 070	7	(D)	1	(D)	22	7 888	2	(D)
Chester	40	25 668	9	24 975	9	24 975	–	–	12	65	–	–
Chesterfield	74	112 699	29	111 985	28	(D)	2	(D)	19	1 183	7	1 065
Clarendon	104	253 049	73	252 693	70	221 258	22	31 435	66	19 301	44	19 052
Colleton	145	144 198	74	142 741	70	89 813	5	52 928	61	8 147	29	7 847
Darlington	73	296 761	57	296 254	56	289 602	13	6 652	42	50 943	36	50 900
Dillon	68	12 228	56	12 050	56	11 799	9	251	50	600	42	570
Dorchester	115	28 692	51	27 507	49	17 417	8	10 090	32	1 693	17	1 571
Edgefield	35	99 784	14	99 263	13	(D)	1	(D)	11	110 326	5	110 305
Fairfield	30	557	16	360	16	360	–	–	7	26	5	7
Florence	205	301 938	179	301 345	175	281 192	13	20 153	81	3 237	79	3 161
Georgetown	64	43 626	31	42 552	28	27 488	5	15 064	27	4 653	17	4 533
Greenville	76	47 498	23	46 373	22	40 363	4	6 010	26	53 698	10	(D)
Greenwood	39	132 338	18	131 785	17	131 722	2	63	10	30 223	6	30 025
Hampton	61	132 713	41	132 349	40	132 325	2	24	22	5 154	13	5 057
Horry	342	67 808	263	65 891	263	65 458	16	433	162	1 686	132	1 355
Jasper	81	16 230	26	15 277	24	15 247	2	30	48	372	16	145
Kershaw	44	4 358	13	3 801	13	3 801	–	–	18	182	9	134
Lancaster	43	169 282	20	169 022	20	169 005	1	17	23	25 304	7	25 221
Laurens	70	214 667	17	213 519	17	213 519	–	–	26	148 911	9	148 742
Lee	38	1 016	19	436	17	328	4	108	18	104	17	101
Lexington	131	180 872	53	178 808	50	137 974	5	40 834	31	14 651	14	14 566
McCormick	17	71 195	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	2	6	–	–
Marion	117	14 764	90	14 283	89	14 137	7	146	49	321	40	252

Table 15. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974** — Continued

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	Inventory											
	Hens and pullets of laying age for —								Other chickens 3 months old or older			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Marlboro	29	684	11	301	11	301	–	–	12	126	3	61
Newberry	129	795 598	67	794 233	65	778 223	3	16 010	32	242 122	17	241 753
Oconee	85	168 578	19	167 275	19	167 264	2	11	23	42 530	6	42 440
Orangeburg	252	148 965	126	146 689	125	143 568	9	3 121	91	1 327	57	717
Pickens	67	171 788	23	169 145	23	169 121	2	24	23	30 190	5	30 006
Richland	85	168 865	25	(D)	20	(D)	10	3 685	28	551	11	440
Saluda	72	186 787	28	185 927	27	(D)	1	(D)	22	29 486	9	29 314
Spartanburg	95	424 250	30	422 815	30	422 785	1	30	30	55 558	10	55 046
Sumter	115	11 608	50	10 303	46	10 090	9	213	67	554	38	287
Union	54	2 188	13	1 239	13	1 239	–	–	14	107	4	34
Williamsburg	329	114 787	187	112 189	183	110 795	30	1 394	164	1 189	112	893
York	51	57 162	21	56 305	21	56 305	–	–	14	260	5	163

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	Inventory — Continued													
	Other chickens 3 months old or older for farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old for farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Broilers and other meat-type chickens				Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Total		Heavy breeds for slaughter	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	159	951 425	902	35 777	69	659 050	580	4 439 636	285	4 435 681	65	701 193	51	643 381
Abbeville	3	78 015	7	42	1	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	4	3 620	22	81	4	53 040	26	761 327	21	761 300	3	25 011	3	25 005
Allendale	3	32	14	233	1	5	2	31	2	31	2	6	2	4
Anderson	3	4 310	21	450	–	–	15	22 234	10	22 155	–	–	–	–
Bamberg	2	1 360	16	1 057	1	1 400	6	64	4	60	1	1	–	–
Barnwell	–	–	10	1 453	–	–	3	76	–	–	1	1	1	1
Beaufort	1	6	9	238	–	–	10	342	4	120	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	1	(D)	17	(D)	2	(D)	16	409	4	212	–	–	–	–
Calhoun	1	6	10	45	1	5	12	52	4	22	1	2	–	–
Charleston	–	–	4	10	–	–	4	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
Chester	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	88	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	–	–	7	1 065	–	–	6	52 593	4	52 560	10	334 500	8	(D)
Clarendon	8	16 061	39	2 991	2	35	25	344 871	17	344 731	2	(D)	1	(D)
Colleton	4	2 400	25	5 447	–	–	13	393	2	300	–	–	–	–
Darlington	11	50 130	33	770	2	(D)	16	92 500	14	92 496	4	44	3	(D)
Dillon	4	83	40	487	1	10	5	80	5	80	3	18	2	4
Dorchester	2	10	15	1 561	2	40	12	61	6	45	2	12	2	8
Edgefield	2	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	8	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Fairfield	–	–	5	7	–	–	9	92	4	87	–	–	–	–
Florence	18	260	72	2 901	1	13	17	65 247	17	65 247	2	19	1	15
Georgetown	2	(D)	15	(D)	2	60	3	120	3	120	2	2	2	2
Greenville	2	(D)	8	(D)	1	2	10	15 107	3	15 020	–	–	–	–
Greenwood	2	(D)	5	(D)	–	–	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	2	(D)	12	(D)	–	–	3	108	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horry	13	109	130	1 246	4	208	21	812	14	692	2	14	2	13
Jasper	1	20	16	125	–	–	11	169	4	40	1	5	1	2
Kershaw	5	65	7	69	–	–	4	(D)	2	(D)	3	92 200	3	92 200
Lancaster	3	25 100	6	121	–	–	2	200	2	200	–	–	–	–
Laurens	4	148 700	5	42	2	(D)	20	251	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	–	–	17	101	–	–	12	311 545	7	311 540	2	(D)	2	(D)
Lexington	3	10 450	11	4 116	1	(D)	47	1 318 155	36	1 317 830	–	–	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	41	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	7	116	40	136	6	62	6	150	6	150	–	–	–	–
Marlboro	–	–	3	61	2	20	9	36	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
Newberry	7	239 210	11	2 543	6	197 017	18	1 808	5	1 512	1	(D)	–	–
Oconee	4	42 435	4	5	1	(D)	8	82	2	55	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	4	75	57	642	4	30 018	29	561	7	261	1	3	1	3
Pickens	1	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	9	65	2	30	–	–	–	–
Richland	3	49	11	391	3	61 500	9	44 512	3	44 409	2	5	2	3
Saluda	4	27 501	6	1 813	–	–	15	197 751	13	197 724	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	3	55 012	8	34	–	–	13	248 701	6	248 550	4	21 600	2	(D)
Sumter	9	83	36	204	1	7	36	881 203	20	881 052	6	78 500	6	78 500
Union	–	–	4	34	–	–	8	160	–	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	10	153	111	740	13	233	64	939	28	475	5	116	5	110
York	2	20	5	143	5	99 830	1	12	–	–	1	(D)	–	–

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	Inventory — Continued				Sales								
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Hens and pullets of laying age								Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old sold for farms with sales of $2,500 and over
	Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
							Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	5	26 257	28	31 555	528	4 204 431	422	4 164 983	390	3 794 566	44	370 417	9	85 094
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	12	77 122	12	(D)	12	(D)	–	–	–	–
Aiken	–	–	2	6	16	75 240	13	75 236	11	75 206	2	30	2	48
Allendale	–	–	2	2	6	(D)	6	(D)	4	281	2	(D)	–	–
Anderson	–	–	–	–	31	141 244	22	(D)	22	(D)	–	–	–	–
Bamberg	–	–	1	1	12	32 300	10	32 260	8	7 530	3	24 730	–	–

Table 15. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974** — Continued

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	Inventory — Continued				Sales									
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Hens and pullets of laying age								Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old sold for farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over							
							Total		Kept for table or market eggs		Kept for hatching eggs			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	5	91 848	5	91 848	2	(D)	3	(D)	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	3	18 600	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	7	39 430	7	39 430	7	39 430	–	–	1	40
Calhoun	–	–	1	2	2	870	2	870	2	870	–	–	–	–
Charleston	–	–	–	–	2	60	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	2	(D)	–	–	9	21 158	4	12 036	3	10 164	1	1 872	–	–
Chester	–	–	–	–	3	4 482	3	4 482	3	4 482	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	–	–	2	(D)	10	41 991	8	41 916	7	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Clarendon	–	–	1	1	16	145 575	13	145 552	12	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
Colleton	–	–	–	–	23	139 066	21	139 036	18	61 668	4	77 368	–	–
Darlington	1	(D)	3	8	7	100 583	7	100 583	6	95 325	3	5 258	–	–
Dillon	–	–	3	14	7	(D)	7	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	–	–	2	4	7	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Edgefield	1	(D)	1	3	7	95 104	7	95 104	6	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	1	10	1	10	1	10	–	–	–	–
Florence	–	–	1	4	16	261 383	15	261 344	14	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Georgetown	–	–	–	–	3	25 650	3	25 650	2	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Greenville	–	–	–	–	16	29 964	14	29 955	14	25 635	3	4 320	–	–
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	9	87 063	7	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	–	–
Hampton	–	–	–	–	12	134 250	12	134 250	12	134 250	–	–	–	–
Horry	–	–	1	1	21	49 690	9	49 116	9	49 116	–	–	–	–
Jasper	–	–	1	3	5	12 231	4	12 226	4	12 226	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	–	–	–	–	5	324	3	300	3	300	–	–	–	–
Lancaster	–	–	–	–	8	123 822	8	123 822	8	123 822	–	–	–	–
Laurens	–	–	–	–	21	184 015	14	183 905	14	183 905	–	–	–	–
Lee	–	–	–	–	1	160	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lexington	–	–	–	–	23	159 798	15	159 578	10	113 210	5	46 368	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	3	40 720	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
Marion	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	–	–
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	2	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	–	–	1	(D)	47	728 720	43	728 687	41	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
Oconee	–	–	–	–	13	132 538	12	(D)	12	(D)	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	–	–	–	–	21	101 579	15	101 247	15	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Pickens	–	–	–	–	15	113 199	14	(D)	14	(D)	–	–	–	–
Richland	–	–	1	2	14	(D)	5	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
Saluda	–	–	–	–	16	225 309	15	225 284	12	160 534	3	64 750	–	–
Spartanburg	–	–	2	(D)	18	394 783	13	(D)	13	(D)	–	–	1	(D)
Sumter	–	–	–	–	4	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)
Union	–	–	–	–	5	858	4	851	4	851	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	1	2	2	4	23	(D)	23	(D)	21	(D)	4	702	4	(D)
York	–	–	1	(D)	18	(D)	13	(D)	13	(D)	–	–	–	–

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	Sales											
	Other chickens 3 months old or older								Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	118	3 012 423	105	3 011 969	54	2 974 718	53	37 251	193	20 674 220	172	20 673 651
Abbeville	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	1	11	–	–
Aiken	5	112 504	5	112 504	3	112 500	2	4	30	4 073 000	30	4 073 000
Allendale	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
Anderson	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	3	(D)	1	(D)
Bamberg	5	2 481	5	2 481	–	–	5	2 481	–	–	–	–
Barnwell	3	1 068	3	1 068	–	–	3	1 068	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	1	1	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	3	210 000	3	210 000
Chester	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	5	–	–
Chesterfield	1	847	1	847	–	–	1	847	6	756 469	5	756 460
Clarendon	3	18 232	3	18 232	1	(D)	2	(D)	10	1 030 800	10	1 030 800
Colleton	4	7 736	4	7 736	–	–	4	7 736	–	–	–	–
Darlington	4	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	4	564 170	4	564 170
Dillon	3	6	3	6	–	–	3	6	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	1	710	1	710	–	–	1	710	1	3	1	3
Edgefield	3	219 210	3	219 210	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	3	405 200	3	405 200
Georgetown	1	1 065	1	1 065	–	–	1	1 065	–	–	–	–
Greenville	6	105 282	6	105 282	5	104 850	3	432	6	(D)	1	(D)
Greenwood	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horry	6	12	2	8	–	–	2	8	4	8	–	–
Jasper	1	50	1	50	–	–	1	50	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
Lancaster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Laurens	6	331 599	6	331 599	6	331 599	–	–	2	4	–	–
Lee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	972 000	8	972 000
Lexington	10	206 834	8	206 798	3	201 806	5	4 992	45	4 669 202	44	4 669 182
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marlboro	1	25	1	25	–	–	1	25	–	–	–	–
Newberry	15	873 393	14	873 269	12	871 749	2	1 520	–	–	–	–
Oconee	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	3	(D)	2	(D)

Table 15. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974** — Continued

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	Sales											
	Other chickens 3 months old or older								Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
			Total		Pullets 3 months old or older		Roosters and male chickens					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Orangeburg	4	30 221	4	30 221	3	30 005	1	216	4	322 000	4	322 000
Pickens	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	1	245	3	253 834	3	253 834
Saluda	7	96 525	6	96 475	3	90 000	3	6 475	15	1 011 874	15	1 011 874
Spartanburg	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	7	1 243 915	6	1 243 900
Sumter	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	26	4 879 306	25	4 879 281
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	300	–	–
Williamsburg	2	68	2	68	–	–	2	68	4	100	4	100
York	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	Sales — Continued											
	Turkeys for farms with sales of $2,500 and over								Market value of poultry and poultry products			
	Total		Heavy breeds for slaughter		Light breeds for slaughter		Hens kept for breeding		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	71	2 562 624	62	2 309 774	8	225 000	7	27 850	1 206	88 394	916	88 151
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	19	1 625	15	1 625
Aiken	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	51	3 953	48	3 953
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	12	13	11	13
Anderson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	46	2 085	29	2 084
Bamberg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	272	23	271
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	826	7	826
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	474	6	471
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	23	623	12	622
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	8	6	8
Charleston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	9	4	2	1
Cherokee	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	16	1 506	10	1 503
Chester	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	8	(D)	4	(D)
Chesterfield	17	975 600	13	(D)	2	(D)	3	14 100	40	8 256	34	8 255
Clarendon	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	35	3 061	32	3 061
Colleton	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	31	1 551	25	1 551
Darlington	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	29	3 280	21	3 279
Dillon	2	10	2	10	–	–	–	–	16	113	16	113
Dorchester	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	30	221	18	221
Edgefield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	1 250	13	1 250
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	(Z)	5	(Z)
Florence	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	43	3 017	40	3 016
Georgetown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	319	3	318
Greenville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	36	635	19	634
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	1 415	8	1 413
Hampton	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	19	1 371	15	1 370
Horry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	43	549	27	545
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	11	138	6	138
Kershaw	6	174 900	6	174 900	–	–	–	–	17	1 010	9	1 009
Lancaster	3	83 000	3	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	11	1 930	11	1 930
Laurens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	28	2 765	20	2 763
Lee	4	65 000	4	65 000	–	–	–	–	14	1 109	12	1 109
Lexington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	90	6 610	73	6 603
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	2	(D)
Marion	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	11	113	10	113
Marlboro	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	8	695	3	694
Newberry	3	12 350	3	11 000	–	–	1	1 350	72	9 687	61	9 685
Oconee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	1 594	17	1 594
Orangeburg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	44	1 465	34	1 465
Pickens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	21	1 799	16	1 772
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	34	2 193	15	2 023
Saluda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	38	2 923	33	2 922
Spartanburg	4	57 600	2	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	41	5 470	29	5 468
Sumter	15	532 298	15	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	50	7 588	44	7 588
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	7	4	4
Williamsburg	4	70 100	4	70 100	–	–	–	–	41	1 527	41	1 527
York	5	198 386	4	165 586	1	(D)	1	(D)	33	2 262	27	2 260

Table 16. **Horses and Ponies — Inventory and Sales: 1974**

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
South Carolina, total	3 111	10 319	1 470	6 163	300	1 081	170	803
Abbeville	69	186	40	125	4	11	3	8
Aiken	146	491	73	275	11	50	8	44
Allendale	19	75	11	64	2	3	2	3
Anderson	157	484	47	213	15	52	6	37
Bamberg	30	86	27	83	3	4	3	4

Table 16. **Horses and Ponies—Inventory and Sales: 1974**—Continued

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Barnwell	27	82	17	65	2	2	2	2
Beaufort	31	98	18	81	4	10	2	4
Berkeley	93	221	25	71	10	12	1	1
Calhoun	19	263	15	259	9	34	9	34
Charleston	49	319	22	216	7	16	6	14
Cherokee	59	161	9	46	3	6	–	–
Chester	50	122	15	27	5	12	1	1
Chesterfield	74	186	36	107	5	100	3	88
Clarendon	26	74	22	70	1	5	1	5
Colleton	119	338	66	221	7	16	6	15
Darlington	41	86	25	60	2	4	2	4
Dillon	29	62	24	54	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	61	240	30	152	7	41	5	39
Edgefield	40	160	13	87	1	10	1	10
Fairfield	25	73	13	40	2	11	1	1
Florence	77	223	62	183	4	5	4	5
Georgetown	35	87	25	64	3	12	1	2
Greenville	141	572	48	295	30	105	11	58
Greenwood	62	264	28	144	7	24	4	20
Hampton	32	60	21	43	1	1	1	1
Horry	126	279	105	250	14	42	12	40
Jasper	32	112	10	57	3	5	1	3
Kershaw	63	204	20	57	13	16	5	8
Lancaster	85	355	27	201	9	25	5	21
Laurens	67	180	33	101	8	20	3	3
Lee	29	113	24	103	2	43	2	43
Lexington	92	282	46	182	6	14	3	7
McCormick	19	62	7	18	2	10	–	–
Marion	39	82	29	56	1	2	1	2
Marlboro	35	106	16	63	8	46	3	37
Newberry	90	260	35	109	6	17	2	5
Oconee	126	264	26	68	3	8	2	5
Orangeburg	113	368	73	284	10	51	8	49
Pickens	85	270	21	92	7	16	5	14
Richland	80	530	33	388	13	62	9	48
Saluda	72	153	25	62	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	126	556	46	317	14	42	11	32
Sumter	72	349	43	294	12	67	6	59
Union	52	186	7	31	9	21	1	7
Williamsburg	106	305	82	259	8	20	8	20
York	91	288	30	126	7	8	–	–

Table 17. **Field Corn for All Purposes: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	14 443	494 094	9 934	462 392	37	1 490
Abbeville	101	813	50	542	–	–
Aiken	391	11 245	234	9 751	–	–
Allendale	145	20 366	119	20 151	5	492
Anderson	265	4 576	136	3 953	–	–
Bamberg	267	22 289	237	22 012	–	–
Barnwell	230	16 105	158	14 979	–	–
Beaufort	80	4 885	47	4 553	1	200
Berkeley	482	13 285	240	11 414	2	8
Calhoun	242	11 837	192	11 483	1	6
Charleston	93	3 924	46	3 601	–	–
Cherokee	92	865	30	582	–	–
Chester	83	1 177	37	879	–	–
Chesterfield	258	4 807	155	4 243	1	12
Clarendon	547	26 461	438	25 843	–	–
Colleton	515	21 112	347	19 623	–	–
Darlington	371	9 286	328	9 057	3	69
Dillon	362	7 754	329	7 588	1	10
Dorchester	372	11 964	242	11 014	–	–
Edgefield	63	1 224	35	993	–	–
Fairfield	24	222	8	157	–	–
Florence	1 075	30 100	964	29 338	2	9
Georgetown	279	6 005	172	5 374	–	–
Greenville	202	4 774	80	4 119	1	9
Greenwood	50	777	26	681	–	–
Hampton	308	22 109	256	21 676	–	–
Horry	1 491	30 123	1 272	28 778	5	44
Jasper	196	9 105	109	8 114	–	–
Kershaw	189	4 061	86	3 306	–	–
Lancaster	113	1 426	48	1 009	–	–
Laurens	150	3 632	63	2 756	–	–
Lee	166	6 937	136	6 815	2	63
Lexington	450	9 165	259	7 885	2	8
McCormick	20	207	9	144	–	–
Marion	384	11 568	331	11 201	5	350
Marlboro	132	5 947	102	5 755	1	75
Newberry	251	7 336	131	6 799	–	–
Oconee	175	1 666	39	935	–	–
Orangeburg	1 100	63 138	798	60 994	1	50
Pickens	149	1 265	32	479	–	–

Table 17. **Field Corn for All Purposes: 1974**—Continued

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Richland	148	6 693	63	5 982	–	–
Saluda	205	3 641	97	3 013	–	–
Spartanburg	298	4 717	122	3 715	–	–
Sumter	453	21 554	317	19 744	2	54
Union	74	616	23	233	–	–
Williamsburg	1 227	40 567	913	38 826	1	16
York	175	2 768	78	2 303	1	15

Table 18. **Field Corn for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	13 913	451 165	28 218 982	9 597	421 863	27 120 878	36	1 419
Abbeville	99	744	32 219	48	473	24 073	–	–
Aiken	380	9 999	506 720	226	8 529	467 873	–	–
Allendale	130	19 145	899 390	110	18 968	894 342	5	492
Anderson	234	2 829	159 000	113	2 250	140 142	–	–
Bamberg	258	19 328	1 156 168	228	19 051	1 147 585	–	–
Barnwell	229	15 771	865 754	157	14 685	827 343	–	–
Beaufort	74	3 924	222 660	41	3 592	213 490	1	200
Berkeley	463	12 855	765 248	231	11 113	684 418	2	8
Calhoun	233	10 969	730 669	191	10 651	720 973	1	6
Charleston	89	3 827	240 957	46	3 514	228 512	–	–
Cherokee	81	642	27 521	27	386	20 716	–	–
Chester	66	525	18 864	25	263	12 111	–	–
Chesterfield	253	4 628	220 049	151	4 067	200 770	1	12
Clarendon	535	25 659	1 735 040	430	25 067	1 712 541	–	–
Colleton	510	20 213	1 309 451	344	18 778	1 243 739	–	–
Darlington	356	8 790	546 884	316	8 569	538 015	3	69
Dillon	360	7 602	516 574	327	7 438	511 155	1	10
Dorchester	357	10 628	683 322	239	9 824	647 285	–	–
Edgefield	59	843	27 696	33	633	23 111	–	–
Fairfield	23	197	10 945	8	157	10 000	–	–
Florence	1 054	29 339	2 148 690	948	28 651	2 111 294	2	9
Georgetown	277	5 913	396 052	171	5 295	363 651	–	–
Greenville	188	2 888	156 219	66	2 239	133 313	1	9
Greenwood	49	594	26 136	25	500	22 656	–	–
Hampton	304	21 418	1 392 342	252	20 985	1 375 256	–	–
Horry	1 458	29 572	1 998 100	1 249	28 292	1 936 049	5	44
Jasper	196	8 397	469 754	109	7 414	435 280	–	–
Kershaw	180	3 847	178 256	84	3 156	159 590	–	–
Lancaster	105	1 295	46 180	43	901	34 263	–	–
Laurens	140	2 194	94 118	57	1 576	74 347	–	–
Lee	163	6 713	377 123	133	6 595	373 751	2	42
Lexington	433	8 460	348 514	246	7 217	311 315	2	8
McCormick	17	136	8 358	7	103	7 000	–	–
Marion	379	11 466	869 080	328	11 132	855 224	5	350
Marlboro	126	5 582	330 079	98	5 400	321 769	1	75
Newberry	226	3 557	202 828	111	3 049	185 188	–	–
Oconee	163	1 203	53 798	37	568	27 698	–	–
Orangeburg	1 058	55 715	3 856 725	776	53 666	3 784 018	–	–
Pickens	144	1 059	54 045	31	463	25 165	–	–
Richland	142	5 741	269 738	58	5 101	245 857	–	–
Saluda	184	2 219	120 287	82	1 657	100 592	–	–
Spartanburg	272	3 534	161 280	109	2 672	133 754	–	–
Sumter	441	19 570	1 182 014	306	18 061	1 118 089	2	54
Union	72	544	17 871	22	178	8 012	–	–
Williamsburg	1 203	39 760	2 731 487	897	38 063	2 666 592	1	16
York	150	1 331	54 777	61	921	42 961	1	15

Table 19. **Sorghums for All Purposes, Except Sirup: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	1 110	30 513	784	28 198	2	41
Abbeville	43	929	33	829	–	–
Aiken	8	144	4	130	–	–
Allendale	3	180	3	180	–	–
Anderson	106	2 744	70	2 528	–	–
Bamberg	18	439	18	439	–	–
Barnwell	2	54	1	30	–	–
Beaufort	8	100	8	100	–	–
Berkeley	10	104	7	97	–	–
Calhoun	5	50	1	10	–	–
Charleston	7	616	4	605	–	–
Cherokee	37	973	17	785	–	–

Table 19. **Sorghums for All Purposes, Except Sirup: 1974**—Continued

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Chester	38	1 264	31	1 244	–	–
Chesterfield	20	761	15	716	–	–
Clarendon	8	466	6	446	–	–
Colleton	11	110	5	86	–	–
Darlington	7	342	6	340	–	–
Dillon	9	220	9	220	–	–
Dorchester	4	116	3	114	–	–
Edgefield	21	794	19	787	–	–
Fairfield	8	136	4	128	–	–
Florence	17	426	16	326	1	30
Georgetown	5	188	5	188	–	–
Greenville	52	2 270	32	2 184	–	–
Greenwood	20	547	16	526	–	–
Hampton	3	188	3	188	–	–
Horry	15	234	9	168	–	–
Jasper	3	45	3	45	–	–
Kershaw	2	208	2	208	–	–
Lancaster	32	519	18	465	–	–
Laurens	64	1 717	42	1 499	–	–
Lee	7	62	3	42	–	–
Lexington	16	275	8	253	–	–
McCormick	5	108	5	108	–	–
Marion	6	69	6	69	–	–
Marlboro	2	10	–	–	–	–
Newberry	101	2 954	86	2 891	–	–
Oconee	35	879	18	832	–	–
Orangeburg	58	1 421	38	1 305	–	–
Pickens	23	400	15	274	–	–
Richland	19	450	13	411	–	–
Saluda	68	2 563	55	2 450	–	–
Spartanburg	74	1 632	46	1 372	–	–
Sumter	15	460	14	447	–	–
Union	20	302	11	248	–	–
Williamsburg	14	123	12	107	–	–
York	61	1 921	44	1 778	1	11

Table 20. **Sorghums for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	604	16 692	668 334	493	16 010	643 076	2	41
Abbeville	23	475	19 177	20	461	18 747	–	–
Aiken	1	50	570	1	50	570	–	–
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	66	1 840	71 538	55	1 774	70 009	–	–
Bamberg	2	30	2 400	2	30	2 400	–	–
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	4	20	1 200	4	20	1 200	–	–
Berkeley	1	36	2 160	1	36	2 160	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	5	606	14 218	3	600	14 096	–	–
Cherokee	25	751	27 333	15	707	26 289	–	–
Chester	26	857	43 054	24	855	43 000	–	–
Chesterfield	18	757	39 745	15	716	38 079	–	–
Clarendon	3	310	11 150	3	310	11 150	–	–
Colleton	1	12	900	1	12	900	–	–
Darlington	3	99	3 106	2	97	3 080	–	–
Dillon	1	152	1 200	1	152	1 200	–	–
Dorchester	2	64	1 664	2	64	1 664	–	–
Edgefield	5	131	6 827	4	126	6 627	–	–
Fairfield	4	70	(D)	2	68	(D)	–	–
Florence	12	282	13 220	12	282	13 220	1	30
Georgetown	1	8	320	1	8	320	–	–
Greenville	22	398	16 313	17	356	13 671	–	–
Greenwood	14	302	12 052	14	302	12 052	–	–
Hampton	2	158	(D)	2	158	(D)	–	–
Horry	8	147	6 880	5	137	6 360	–	–
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	2	158	1 808	2	158	1 808	–	–
Lancaster	15	344	16 635	13	339	16 439	–	–
Laurens	31	709	12 970	26	656	12 108	–	–
Lee	4	20	140	–	–	–	–	–
Lexington	9	225	12 056	7	217	11 820	–	–
McCormick	3	70	2 936	3	70	2 936	–	–
Marion	5	49	4 310	5	49	4 310	–	–
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	77	1 988	86 797	68	1 945	85 098	–	–
Oconee	23	739	46 353	14	710	45 024	–	–
Orangeburg	11	494	24 632	4	476	23 716	–	–
Pickens	14	223	11 749	10	128	6 342	–	–
Richland	16	145	3 212	11	136	2 558	–	–
Saluda	48	1 410	46 968	40	1 339	44 519	–	–
Spartanburg	33	933	47 822	30	881	46 271	–	–
Sumter	5	138	3 970	5	138	3 970	–	–
Union	13	234	6 378	10	218	5 933	–	–
Williamsburg	6	71	1 356	6	71	1 356	–	–
York	40	1 187	30 995	33	1 158	29 954	1	11

Table 21. **Wheat for Grain: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	2 633	101 057	2 688 032	2 194	98 010	2 620 050	2	36
Abbeville	64	911	24 444	43	760	21 249	–	–
Aiken	84	2 964	71 521	65	2 818	68 684	–	–
Allendale	39	3 655	70 900	37	3 629	70 754	–	–
Anderson	253	6 563	202 074	179	6 123	191 975	–	–
Bamberg	34	1 393	29 125	34	1 393	29 125	–	–
Barnwell	28	1 398	32 391	25	1 375	31 951	–	–
Beaufort	7	580	9 226	7	580	9 226	–	–
Berkeley	17	957	28 259	15	933	27 587	–	–
Calhoun	107	6 319	171 125	107	6 319	171 125	1	35
Charleston	24	2 544	58 613	24	2 544	58 613	–	–
Cherokee	42	985	29 123	19	795	25 318	–	–
Chester	26	778	23 803	24	758	23 507	–	–
Chesterfield	39	1 885	52 546	34	1 834	51 836	–	–
Clarendon	80	6 509	154 846	80	6 509	154 846	–	–
Colleton	12	913	19 710	12	913	19 710	–	–
Darlington	140	5 563	142 218	137	5 547	142 018	–	–
Dillon	62	3 445	103 999	62	3 445	103 999	–	–
Dorchester	16	327	8 057	16	327	8 057	–	–
Edgefield	37	1 215	37 167	30	1 179	36 513	–	–
Fairfield	7	104	3 132	7	104	3 132	–	–
Florence	95	2 584	75 173	91	2 521	73 828	–	–
Georgetown	6	84	1 622	6	84	1 622	–	–
Greenville	43	803	23 484	29	705	21 440	–	–
Greenwood	22	573	16 960	19	539	16 265	–	–
Hampton	44	2 856	59 150	42	2 826	59 050	–	–
Horry	47	797	19 260	42	762	18 665	–	–
Jasper	1	15	300	1	15	300	–	–
Kershaw	29	1 396	36 400	28	1 391	36 360	–	–
Lancaster	34	1 598	42 987	31	1 573	42 272	–	–
Laurens	83	1 809	49 884	56	1 647	46 881	–	–
Lee	133	8 328	218 597	119	8 202	216 323	1	1
Lexington	93	2 428	59 070	78	2 363	57 466	–	–
McCormick	3	45	1 350	2	40	1 200	–	–
Marion	37	1 300	28 551	37	1 300	28 551	–	–
Marlboro	23	1 816	49 895	23	1 816	49 895	–	–
Newberry	115	2 880	102 052	89	2 767	99 724	–	–
Oconee	57	870	28 985	25	658	23 633	–	–
Orangeburg	146	5 809	148 056	133	5 745	146 996	–	–
Pickens	24	168	4 264	8	81	1 934	–	–
Richland	42	3 646	110 841	34	3 574	108 714	–	–
Saluda	60	1 322	42 768	46	1 267	41 563	–	–
Spartanburg	143	2 418	66 002	93	2 088	59 178	–	–
Sumter	104	4 679	122 297	99	4 493	114 985	–	–
Union	23	289	6 897	12	200	4 530	–	–
Williamsburg	69	2 063	46 230	61	2 037	45 480	–	–
York	39	1 473	54 678	33	1 431	53 970	–	–

Table 22. **Soybeans: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	13 439	1 081 703	21 516 524	11 093	1 056 929	21 129 937	30	561
Abbeville	88	3 851	70 330	60	3 511	66 240	–	–
Aiken	361	28 591	470 933	267	27 396	455 725	–	–
Allendale	147	41 744	822 703	140	41 641	821 438	2	50
Anderson	348	18 548	359 729	260	17 709	344 782	–	–
Bamberg	277	29 823	575 206	243	29 405	570 129	–	–
Barnwell	224	30 803	531 004	184	30 212	521 091	–	–
Beaufort	50	7 182	157 681	40	7 108	157 005	–	–
Berkeley	223	8 607	178 427	157	8 117	168 637	1	1
Calhoun	256	38 222	785 879	226	37 823	781 983	–	–
Charleston	85	11 832	295 533	76	11 706	293 613	–	–
Cherokee	85	4 021	81 051	64	3 841	78 107	–	–
Chester	57	3 060	59 945	56	3 045	59 645	–	–
Chesterfield	362	39 002	693 743	295	37 994	681 573	1	125
Clarendon	565	59 186	1 285 746	487	58 514	1 274 356	2	16
Colleton	390	28 418	563 555	311	27 590	551 036	–	–
Darlington	604	69 979	1 353 484	556	69 444	1 345 699	1	2
Dillon	467	35 290	724 327	436	34 989	719 406	4	195
Dorchester	272	15 154	315 416	218	14 662	307 974	–	–
Edgefield	90	16 304	345 395	78	16 144	342 872	–	–
Fairfield	12	258	6 248	11	230	5 748	–	–
Florence	1 282	68 278	1 351 156	1 150	66 768	1 326 085	7	81
Georgetown	98	2 623	47 685	87	2 531	46 134	–	–
Greenville	92	4 697	88 846	65	4 485	85 892	–	–
Greenwood	36	1 933	35 610	28	1 878	34 849	–	–
Hampton	314	44 677	1 078 195	284	44 359	1 072 042	–	–
Horry	1 288	35 925	796 430	1 134	34 505	769 348	3	16
Jasper	130	8 796	210 034	107	8 537	206 595	–	–
Kershaw	130	11 868	201 498	95	11 416	196 954	–	–
Lancaster	75	5 417	104 369	58	5 265	101 766	–	–
Laurens	155	7 633	147 917	101	7 032	139 692	–	–
Lee	299	52 881	957 697	248	52 329	950 669	–	–
Lexington	433	25 040	389 032	317	23 750	371 341	2	20

Table 22. **Soybeans: 1974** — Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bushels)	Farms	Acres
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	418	27 980	607 396	389	27 679	602 329	–	–
Marlboro	219	39 812	705 462	188	39 460	700 369	–	–
Newberry	200	9 586	201 767	145	9 113	193 788	–	–
Oconee	42	1 195	19 784	31	1 104	18 368	–	–
Orangeburg	1 142	94 471	1 878 646	871	91 451	1 828 555	2	8
Pickens	32	612	11 085	17	429	7 434	–	–
Richland	176	23 268	519 237	105	22 452	505 369	–	–
Saluda	201	13 559	278 369	146	13 025	270 153	–	–
Spartanburg	276	12 628	234 665	201	11 866	222 773	–	–
Sumter	526	47 233	892 019	378	45 657	867 223	2	8
Union	18	852	14 188	15	832	13 742	–	–
Williamsburg	805	45 078	938 496	697	44 324	923 618	3	39
York	89	5 786	130 606	71	5 601	127 790	–	–

Table 23. **Hay, Excluding Sorghum Hay: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (tons, dry)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (tons, dry)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	7 119	157 401	309 783	4 172	123 978	263 166	5	127
Abbeville	187	4 376	7 066	115	3 501	6 016	–	–
Aiken	287	6 313	17 383	166	4 724	14 559	–	–
Allendale	37	2 545	6 988	31	2 479	6 932	1	15
Anderson	489	9 819	17 526	264	7 474	14 419	–	–
Bamberg	93	2 737	6 040	77	2 491	5 660	–	–
Barnwell	69	1 783	4 962	53	1 548	4 165	–	–
Beaufort	22	933	2 476	18	887	2 380	–	–
Berkeley	104	1 262	1 776	62	840	1 231	–	–
Calhoun	71	1 420	3 668	57	1 357	3 616	–	–
Charleston	40	1 107	2 006	16	888	1 586	–	–
Cherokee	198	3 338	5 045	62	1 830	3 057	–	–
Chester	183	4 608	6 472	91	3 436	5 049	–	–
Chesterfield	148	3 891	8 169	100	3 129	7 337	–	–
Clarendon	60	946	1 722	55	927	1 701	–	–
Colleton	161	2 954	6 851	116	2 537	5 936	–	–
Darlington	109	2 764	5 137	88	2 555	4 875	–	–
Dillon	64	1 376	2 776	61	1 346	2 684	–	–
Dorchester	77	1 475	2 990	47	1 149	2 522	–	–
Edgefield	100	3 599	7 801	72	3 273	7 201	–	–
Fairfield	87	3 147	5 672	49	2 637	5 075	–	–
Florence	91	1 156	2 405	81	1 038	2 053	–	–
Georgetown	51	894	1 750	41	716	1 539	–	–
Greenville	273	5 533	8 780	113	3 655	6 725	–	–
Greenwood	163	5 008	7 264	91	4 060	6 145	–	–
Hampton	66	2 897	12 731	65	2 891	12 719	–	–
Horry	177	1 089	1 587	134	888	1 250	–	–
Jasper	29	1 241	2 381	23	1 224	2 350	–	–
Kershaw	134	2 882	7 101	56	2 025	5 882	–	–
Lancaster	173	2 886	5 079	77	1 880	3 697	–	–
Laurens	260	8 049	13 537	143	6 334	10 881	–	–
Lee	45	919	1 958	40	877	1 906	1	2
Lexington	313	6 090	13 346	184	5 005	11 570	–	–
McCormick	45	1 631	2 532	23	1 337	1 953	–	–
Marion	71	1 047	2 463	66	994	2 418	–	–
Marlboro	66	1 825	3 933	56	1 735	3 707	–	–
Newberry	327	7 114	13 774	192	5 655	12 061	–	–
Oconee	249	3 559	5 159	88	1 952	3 216	–	–
Orangeburg	331	8 220	22 056	269	7 742	21 188	1	30
Pickens	174	2 894	4 298	66	1 859	2 890	–	–
Richland	101	1 911	3 850	35	1 207	2 774	1	40
Saluda	332	7 685	14 007	183	6 016	11 784	–	–
Spartanburg	391	7 977	12 194	187	5 314	8 825	–	–
Sumter	92	2 691	7 548	69	2 279	6 636	–	–
Union	151	3 648	5 050	70	2 548	3 544	–	–
Williamsburg	151	1 512	1 765	103	1 361	1 621	–	–
York	277	6 650	10 709	117	4 378	7 831	1	40

Table 24. **Peanuts for Nuts: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	607	13 642	27 453 846	323	13 274	27 103 222	4	140
Abbeville	1	1	250	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	19	970	2 747 435	17	968	2 742 635	–	–
Allendale	13	633	1 438 143	13	633	1 438 143	1	30
Anderson	5	14	8 400	1	1	600	–	–
Bamberg	15	101	106 853	11	97	101 953	–	–

Table 24. **Peanuts for Nuts: 1974** — Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
Barnwell	27	1 958	4 462 501	27	1 958	4 462 501	–	–
Beaufort	14	14	12 250	4	4	4 500	–	–
Berkeley	12	12	7 549	4	4	2 500	–	–
Calhoun	15	23	13 675	7	9	6 675	1	1
Charleston	9	17	7 000	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	3	3	1 180	1	1	280	–	–
Chester	5	5	2 100	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	2	2	4 000	1	1	2 000	–	–
Clarendon	10	31	31 681	4	11	12 681	–	–
Colleton	12	88	74 250	10	86	71 125	–	–
Darlington	4	149	305 260	4	149	305 260	–	–
Dillon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	19	19	29 850	4	4	1 350	–	–
Edgefield	5	5	2 931	4	4	2 074	–	–
Fairfield	4	4	1 200	2	2	400	–	–
Florence	28	1 447	2 600 923	26	1 445	2 597 923	–	–
Georgetown	7	7	4 599	3	3	2 599	–	–
Greenville	10	34	21 384	3	25	14 850	–	–
Greenwood	6	6	3 780	1	1	700	–	–
Hampton	23	915	2 041 752	15	904	2 027 019	–	–
Horry	27	135	249 350	14	120	223 450	–	–
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	5	128	224 890	3	126	223 490	–	–
Lancaster	5	15	5 800	1	5	2 000	–	–
Laurens	9	9	4 520	1	1	480	–	–
Lee	29	1 550	2 969 595	27	1 545	2 964 595	1	9
Lexington	49	113	105 710	13	76	69 450	–	–
McCormick	2	2	3 857	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	2	2	500	2	2	500	–	–
Marlboro	1	48	(D)	1	48	(D)	–	–
Newberry	36	36	18 698	6	6	1 980	–	–
Oconee	7	7	3 780	–	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	42	47	49 350	23	26	30 900	–	–
Pickens	1	2	1 200	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	11	11	5 294	1	1	1 950	–	–
Saluda	4	4	3 428	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	9	9	10 635	2	2	2 334	–	–
Sumter	87	5 051	9 759 575	63	5 000	9 683 975	1	100
Union	9	11	(D)	2	4	(D)	–	–
Williamsburg	4	4	1 400	2	2	400	–	–
York	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 25. **Cotton: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	2 509	256 082	265 454	2 261	254 766	264 448	11	713
Abbeville	34	1 957	1 918	32	1 947	1 912	–	–
Aiken	70	4 929	6 047	62	4 896	6 029	–	–
Allendale	26	3 169	3 382	24	3 153	3 372	–	–
Anderson	77	4 128	3 476	65	4 074	3 446	–	–
Bamberg	24	3 405	3 704	23	3 403	3 702	–	–
Barnwell	50	4 911	5 003	45	4 868	4 970	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	6	666	682	6	666	682	–	–
Calhoun	122	15 811	21 202	111	15 765	21 155	–	–
Charleston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	47	2 773	2 230	41	2 745	2 220	–	–
Chester	42	4 371	3 310	38	4 352	3 295	–	–
Chesterfield	53	6 957	6 623	47	6 933	6 605	1	125
Clarendon	171	12 834	13 943	147	12 742	13 882	2	14
Colleton	4	189	260	4	189	260	–	–
Darlington	261	17 504	15 283	259	17 495	15 277	–	–
Dillon	207	19 499	19 363	203	19 495	19 355	4	23
Dorchester	7	198	187	7	198	187	–	–
Edgefield	15	1 790	2 015	14	1 785	2 010	–	–
Fairfield	1	8	3	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	83	4 409	4 301	81	4 296	4 149	–	–
Georgetown	4	4	4	–	–	–	–	–
Greenville	17	1 007	866	12	976	853	–	–
Greenwood	16	1 605	1 124	14	1 587	1 114	–	–
Hampton	16	1 203	1 256	16	1 203	1 256	–	–
Horry	9	474	481	9	474	481	–	–
Jasper	1	1	2	1	1	2	–	–
Kershaw	20	1 708	1 316	15	1 680	1 305	–	–
Lancaster	13	603	574	10	594	565	–	–
Laurens	54	3 403	2 732	41	3 328	2 680	–	–
Lee	215	38 330	40 376	193	38 226	40 300	–	–
Lexington	38	2 585	2 572	29	2 549	2 546	–	–
McCormick	1	200	(D)	1	200	(D)	–	–
Marion	38	2 784	2 160	38	2 784	2 160	–	–
Marlboro	171	39 058	42 882	162	38 973	42 808	1	(D)
Newberry	1	6	4	–	–	–	–	–
Oconee	13	900	930	12	895	925	–	–
Orangeburg	213	17 810	20 907	178	17 661	20 765	1	6
Pickens	11	83	49	1	35	14	–	–

Table 25. **Cotton: 1974** — Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (bales)	Farms	Acres
Richland	9	1 484	1 419	9	1 484	1 419	–	–
Saluda	43	3 052	3 724	37	3 024	3 704	–	–
Spartanburg	35	3 034	2 590	31	3 016	2 579	–	–
Sumter	192	20 489	20 332	175	20 402	20 289	2	(D)
Union	4	140	(D)	3	137	(D)	–	–
Williamsburg	41	1 710	1 554	39	1 706	1 552	–	–
York	34	4 901	4 289	26	4 829	4 245	–	–

Table 26. **Tobacco: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (pounds)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	6 632	71 099	146 343 457	5 867	70 315	145 287 632	122	1 789
Abbeville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Aiken	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bamberg	2	36	(D)	2	36	(D)	–	–
Barnwell	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	160	401	663 345	68	311	556 078	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cherokee	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chester	2	(Z)	314	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	51	385	671 078	42	373	656 978	2	12
Clarendon	400	4 595	9 526 191	349	4 551	9 472 216	3	114
Colleton	76	433	809 491	62	418	793 448	–	–
Darlington	465	6 398	12 718 785	439	6 364	12 670 815	14	154
Dillon	446	6 862	14 257 420	438	6 857	14 246 541	18	212
Dorchester	94	395	748 477	67	371	723 039	–	–
Edgefield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	1 232	12 753	26 371 248	1 167	12 670	26 262 607	12	97
Georgetown	212	1 326	2 699 248	146	1 258	2 611 503	1	35
Greenville	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	6	44	(D)	6	44	(D)	–	–
Horry	1 511	17 104	38 401 843	1 467	17 057	38 320 912	46	851
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	25	172	241 570	15	155	215 570	–	–
Lancaster	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Laurens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	102	1 139	2 022 752	91	1 129	2 010 858	–	–
Lexington	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	429	6 915	13 777 499	400	6 871	13 728 563	17	259
Marlboro	84	1 496	2 864 804	77	1 486	2 857 048	–	–
Newberry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oconee	2	(Z)	250	–	–	–	–	–
Orangeburg	17	109	199 172	16	108	197 172	–	–
Pickens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saluda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sumter	193	1 671	2 821 876	153	1 626	2 772 070	3	6
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	1 123	8 868	17 401 594	862	8 632	17 045 714	6	49
York	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 27. **Irish Potatoes: 1974**

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	679	805	95 216	320	680	80 928	3	106
Abbeville	4	1	54	3	1	45	–	–
Aiken	3	3	126	3	3	126	–	–
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	24	4	373	6	2	122	–	–
Bamberg	10	13	2 238	10	13	2 238	–	–
Barnwell	2	2	210	2	2	210	–	–
Beaufort	10	6	602	8	6	580	–	–
Berkeley	5	2	446	2	1	376	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	18	38	7 680	7	24	3 613	–	–
Cherokee	11	10	588	2	8	492	–	–
Chester	10	5	396	–	–	–	–	–

Table 27. **Irish Potatoes: 1974** — Continued

	All farms			Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
							Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres	Quantity harvested (hundredweight)	Farms	Acres
Chesterfield	24	10	579	7	6	239	–	–
Clarendon	12	17	2 505	8	16	2 433	–	–
Colleton	5	2	158	3	1	52	–	–
Darlington	13	20	1 413	13	20	1 413	2	6
Dillon	17	45	12 970	15	45	12 942	–	–
Dorchester	17	5	1 140	7	3	971	–	–
Edgefield	4	5	212	2	(Z)	8	–	–
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	28	12	2 434	26	11	2 414	–	–
Georgetown	9	3	913	5	1	161	–	–
Greenville	22	12	944	7	8	692	–	–
Greenwood	10	10	1 801	5	6	1 566	–	–
Hampton	7	10	960	7	10	960	–	–
Horry	63	48	3 485	42	34	2 524	–	–
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	8	2	438	–	–	–	–	–
Lancaster	30	20	1 594	8	14	1 264	–	–
Laurens	19	4	769	3	2	415	–	–
Lee	9	5	273	9	5	273	–	–
Lexington	17	3	188	7	1	63	–	–
McCormick	6	1	56	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	17	12	1 174	12	9	1 001	–	–
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	27	5	343	9	1	77	–	–
Oconee	27	6	284	5	2	78	–	–
Orangeburg	44	160	19 443	33	156	19 042	–	–
Pickens	15	13	558	1	10	400	–	–
Richland	6	1	84	1	1	30	–	–
Saluda	20	4	309	4	1	108	–	–
Spartanburg	26	17	1 391	6	4	291	–	–
Sumter	17	252	23 713	8	249	22 772	1	100
Union	17	5	291	7	1	102	–	–
Williamsburg	26	7	1 533	15	3	745	–	–
York	20	8	548	2	1	90	–	–

Table 28. **Vegetables, Sweet Corn, or Melons: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	2 089	28 255	1 262	26 397	53	1 318
Abbeville	12	34	7	20	–	–
Aiken	96	889	52	778	–	–
Allendale	52	1 528	43	1 507	2	6
Anderson	72	265	26	166	1	(Z)
Bamberg	82	1 056	62	987	–	–
Barnwell	108	2 379	90	2 302	–	–
Beaufort	47	3 997	29	3 962	3	375
Berkeley	34	861	12	832	1	1
Calhoun	18	62	9	47	1	2
Charleston	60	5 062	47	5 012	1	5
Cherokee	13	36	2	8	1	3
Chester	7	7	1	4	–	–
Chesterfield	99	1 647	50	1 496	1	4
Clarendon	25	57	25	57	2	4
Colleton	20	493	12	477	–	–
Darlington	34	317	33	309	–	–
Dillon	54	310	46	300	3	10
Dorchester	38	163	22	132	–	–
Edgefield	21	85	9	49	–	–
Fairfield	6	17	2	12	–	–
Florence	48	114	40	102	1	3
Georgetown	23	23	11	15	–	–
Greenville	77	1 010	27	865	2	45
Greenwood	16	24	4	5	–	–
Hampton	56	1 272	49	1 259	–	–
Horry	74	302	57	271	6	19
Jasper	34	675	27	659	2	75
Kershaw	30	128	13	87	–	–
Lancaster	19	119	13	110	–	–
Laurens	32	89	8	32	–	–
Lee	22	113	19	92	3	2
Lexington	102	1 418	67	1 335	16	696
McCormick	7	7	–	–	–	–
Marion	24	47	22	43	2	6
Marlboro	25	149	18	136	–	–
Newberry	24	27	7	13	–	–
Oconee	22	39	6	9	–	–
Orangeburg	185	1 748	132	1 647	1	22
Pickens	55	302	13	234	–	–
Richland	18	117	9	47	–	–
Saluda	9	60	7	58	–	–
Spartanburg	112	611	54	500	1	23
Sumter	30	64	10	20	–	–
Union	26	81	5	22	–	–
Williamsburg	77	291	48	279	2	16
York	44	163	17	104	1	2

Table 29. **Berries: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	48	96	18	64	4	23
Abbeville	2	6	–	–	–	–
Aiken	–	–	–	–	–	–
Allendale	–	–	–	–	–	–
Anderson	2	1	1	1	–	–
Bamberg	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barnwell	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Beaufort	–	–	–	–	–	–
Berkeley	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calhoun	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charleston	2	6	2	6	–	–
Cherokee	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chester	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chesterfield	–	–	–	–	–	–
Clarendon	–	–	–	–	–	–
Colleton	–	–	–	–	–	–
Darlington	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dillon	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dorchester	5	2	–	–	–	–
Edgefield	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fairfield	–	–	–	–	–	–
Florence	1	1	–	–	–	–
Georgetown	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenville	6	7	1	3	1	3
Greenwood	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hampton	–	–	–	–	–	–
Horry	4	36	3	33	2	8
Jasper	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kershaw	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lancaster	4	1	–	–	–	–
Laurens	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lee	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lexington	–	–	–	–	–	–
McCormick	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marion	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marlboro	–	–	–	–	–	–
Newberry	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
Oconee	2	2	2	2	–	–
Orangeburg	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pickens	6	8	3	3	–	–
Richland	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saluda	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spartanburg	6	18	5	17	1	12
Sumter	4	8	–	–	–	–
Union	–	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg	2	1	–	–	–	–
York	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 30. **Land in Orchards: 1974**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
South Carolina, total	1 066	38 252	693	36 858	20	2 154
Abbeville	13	131	8	112	–	–
Aiken	18	370	9	331	–	–
Allendale	8	792	4	784	–	–
Anderson	26	76	14	52	–	–
Bamberg	12	61	11	56	–	–
Barnwell	14	1 244	10	1 205	–	–
Beaufort	15	229	9	225	1	15
Berkeley	6	16	1	3	–	–
Calhoun	11	522	11	522	–	–
Charleston	15	76	1	20	–	–
Cherokee	20	2 480	9	2 462	2	(D)
Chester	12	46	7	44	–	–
Chesterfield	37	3 118	21	3 072	1	60
Clarendon	13	67	9	55	–	–
Colleton	10	58	4	46	–	–
Darlington	11	151	8	119	–	–
Dillon	9	132	9	132	1	14
Dorchester	11	27	8	25	–	–
Edgefield	43	6 876	38	6 812	3	(D)
Fairfield	7	40	4	37	–	–
Florence	16	166	15	165	2	4
Georgetown	3	7	3	7	–	–
Greenville	33	845	13	759	3	55
Greenwood	12	87	7	76	–	–
Hampton	19	318	15	300	–	–
Horry	24	93	7	69	–	–
Jasper	2	12	1	12	–	–
Kershaw	9	87	2	78	–	–
Lancaster	12	11	–	–	–	–
Laurens	14	95	7	87	–	–
Lee	9	89	7	71	–	–
Lexington	62	805	41	738	1	3

Table 30. **Land in Orchards: 1974** — Continued

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
					Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
McCormick	5	11	–	–	–	–
Marion	9	57	7	53	–	–
Marlboro	6	20	4	19	–	–
Newberry	12	45	9	40	–	–
Oconee	62	1 559	37	1 421	–	–
Orangeburg	42	1 233	35	1 203	–	–
Pickens	23	121	4	39	–	–
Richland	19	113	1	1	–	–
Saluda	37	2 100	26	2 057	–	–
Spartanburg	249	11 525	197	11 246	4	31
Sumter	19	1 513	12	1 496	–	–
Union	7	22	3	13	–	–
Williamsburg	13	78	12	76	–	–
York	37	732	33	720	2	22

Table 31. **Farm Operator Debt for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974**

	Total debt			Debt secured by real estate				Debt not secured by real estate		
	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm	Percent value of owned land operated (see text)	Farms	Debt ($1,000)	Average per farm
South Carolina, total	5 149	201 073	39 051	3 806	143 249	37 638	26.6	2 703	57 823	21 392
Abbeville	86	2 699	31 384	64	1 751	27 359	24.0	46	949	20 630
Aiken	139	5 509	39 633	107	4 579	42 794	28.1	72	929	12 903
Allendale	58	11 360	195 862	47	9 291	197 681	48.9	37	2 069	55 919
Anderson	149	4 877	32 732	117	3 757	32 111	24.5	79	1 120	14 177
Bamberg	91	3 436	37 758	73	2 622	35 918	29.4	38	814	21 421
Barnwell	84	3 518	41 881	56	2 400	42 857	29.9	56	1 118	19 964
Beaufort	19	1 086	57 158	13	795	61 154	20.5	13	291	22 385
Berkeley	45	693	15 400	34	529	15 559	14.8	19	163	8 579
Calhoun	98	4 295	43 827	76	3 232	42 526	31.2	52	1 063	20 442
Charleston	24	1 565	65 208	17	1 184	69 647	29.3	13	381	29 308
Cherokee	52	1 975	37 981	39	1 356	34 769	21.4	23	619	26 913
Chester	53	1 192	22 491	40	853	21 325	15.1	29	339	11 690
Chesterfield	97	4 012	41 361	79	2 542	32 177	32.9	40	1 470	36 750
Clarendon	178	9 468	53 191	128	6 517	50 914	39.1	98	2 950	30 102
Colleton	154	4 337	28 162	114	3 681	32 289	24.2	77	656	8 519
Darlington	241	8 726	36 207	173	5 273	30 480	21.5	133	3 453	25 962
Dillon	180	5 184	28 800	124	3 374	27 210	25.7	92	1 810	19 674
Dorchester	53	879	16 585	30	518	17 267	21.3	29	361	12 448
Edgefield	49	2 717	55 449	44	1 985	45 114	20.8	19	732	38 526
Fairfield	19	789	41 526	11	677	61 545	24.2	10	112	11 200
Florence	383	9 397	24 535	291	5 964	20 495	23.9	183	3 432	18 754
Georgetown	53	1 197	22 585	37	933	25 216	18.5	28	264	9 429
Greenville	66	1 830	27 727	43	1 385	32 209	24.4	35	445	12 714
Greenwood	35	1 771	50 600	29	1 587	54 724	21.1	17	184	10 824
Hampton	127	5 499	43 299	81	3 663	45 222	19.1	74	1 836	24 811
Horry	435	10 694	24 584	325	7 809	24 028	27.6	205	2 885	14 073
Jasper	40	2 183	54 575	24	1 874	78 083	32.2	23	309	13 435
Kershaw	49	1 763	35 980	34	1 111	32 676	35.0	25	652	26 080
Lancaster	44	1 042	23 682	37	884	23 892	14.0	17	157	9 235
Laurens	114	6 326	55 491	76	5 008	65 895	39.1	85	1 318	15 506
Lee	107	5 989	55 972	91	4 624	50 813	33.1	49	1 365	27 857
Lexington	132	4 936	37 394	97	3 610	37 216	25.0	74	1 326	17 919
McCormick	16	1 091	68 188	13	766	58 923	21.1	7	325	46 429
Marion	151	6 961	46 099	115	4 752	41 322	29.5	71	2 209	31 113
Marlboro	84	3 879	46 179	52	1 664	32 000	18.6	54	2 216	41 037
Newberry	106	5 102	48 132	93	3 915	42 097	33.0	54	1 187	21 981
Oconee	53	1 930	36 415	40	1 225	30 625	24.0	25	704	28 160
Orangeburg	343	13 837	40 341	246	9 206	37 423	31.7	207	4 631	22 372
Pickens	26	743	28 577	20	389	19 450	16.1	10	354	35 400
Richland	60	7 047	117 450	37	5 930	160 270	19.0	37	1 117	30 189
Saluda	105	4 846	46 152	90	3 703	41 144	26.4	55	1 144	20 800
Spartanburg	154	5 230	33 961	113	2 955	26 150	18.7	74	2 276	30 757
Sumter	144	8 223	57 104	103	5 100	49 515	30.8	82	3 123	38 085
Union	37	811	21 919	29	635	21 897	15.1	14	176	12 571
Williamsburg	348	7 211	20 721	251	5 068	20 191	23.2	189	2 143	11 339
York	68	3 216	47 294	53	2 572	48 528	25.3	34	644	18 941

Table 32. **Grain Storage Capacity for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974**

	Farms reporting grain storage	Under 1,000 bushels	1,000 to 4,999 bushels	5,000 to 9,999 bushels	10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25,000 to 49,999 bushels	50,000 bushels and over	None	Not reporting
South Carolina, total	3 305	975	1 179	578	390	131	52	6 465	7 743
Abbeville	30	10	18	–	1	1	–	89	100
Aiken	84	28	30	17	7	2	–	156	165
Allendale	38	7	10	4	9	5	3	66	62
Anderson	96	31	40	12	10	2	1	209	227
Bamberg	74	11	24	25	10	4	–	85	136
Barnwell	32	7	8	3	8	5	1	106	99
Beaufort	25	2	9	6	5	2	1	26	43

Table 32. Grain Storage Capacity for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 — Continued

	Farms reporting grain storage	Under 1,000 bushels	1,000 to 4,999 bushels	5,000 to 9,999 bushels	10,000 to 24,999 bushels	25,000 to 49,999 bushels	50,000 bushels and over	None	Not reporting
Berkeley	71	20	35	7	6	3	–	68	134
Calhoun	111	16	45	28	15	7	–	71	113
Charleston	24	7	5	5	4	3	–	58	59
Cherokee	23	8	12	1	1	–	1	68	61
Chester	27	9	12	3	2	1	–	85	61
Chesterfield	74	18	27	13	14	2	–	145	201
Clarendon	129	30	42	29	13	10	5	180	282
Colleton	129	22	55	25	19	7	1	117	205
Darlington	135	40	48	21	18	6	2	288	235
Dillon	76	36	13	20	5	2	–	242	250
Dorchester	97	29	42	12	12	2	–	72	153
Edgefield	34	9	12	7	5	1	–	45	70
Fairfield	11	4	5	1	1	–	–	39	37
Florence	187	74	57	34	15	5	2	590	702
Georgetown	53	27	15	8	2	1	–	61	108
Greenville	30	3	13	7	6	1	–	115	122
Greenwood	24	13	6	4	1	–	–	59	62
Hampton	53	10	10	4	18	6	5	134	155
Horry	223	126	52	26	14	1	4	795	773
Jasper	25	11	8	3	2	1	–	46	68
Kershaw	28	6	14	3	4	–	1	55	82
Lancaster	29	10	9	9	1	–	–	57	77
Laurens	46	12	22	9	1	2	–	136	99
Lee	89	11	29	22	24	2	1	85	119
Lexington	88	39	35	8	5	1	–	185	220
McCormick	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	14	15
Marion	57	19	16	16	3	2	1	226	232
Marlboro	68	15	19	14	10	4	6	83	93
Newberry	67	20	23	13	10	–	1	103	130
Oconee	24	9	12	3	–	–	–	80	94
Orangeburg	310	60	121	65	35	20	9	299	468
Pickens	19	11	7	1	–	–	–	42	72
Richland	47	7	17	6	9	7	1	35	99
Saluda	58	14	30	8	5	1	–	137	122
Spartanburg	68	25	27	10	5	–	1	234	222
Sumter	103	16	47	13	19	5	3	161	217
Union	6	1	4	1	–	–	–	53	56
Williamsburg	249	80	85	44	32	6	2	353	552
York	32	11	9	8	3	1	–	112	91

Table 33. Characteristics of Farms and Specified Excluded Agricultural Operations (See Text): 1974

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	Total (number)		Total land (acres)		Total value of land and buildings ($1,000)		Total cropland			
							Number reporting		Acres	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
South Carolina, total	29 275	3 044	6 177 024	178 940	2 886 776	98 489	28 074	2 471	3 201 239	36 549
Abbeville	503	73	111 473	3 106	42 026	1 480	464	62	51 926	720
Aiken	770	106	173 138	10 396	69 958	3 848	742	76	89 866	2 095
Allendale	212	14	124 462	492	48 566	133	203	9	80 773	224
Anderson	1 231	207	175 082	10 128	106 016	7 646	1 177	176	108 747	3 111
Bamberg	378	53	103 544	3 071	35 825	1 106	369	50	70 162	886
Barnwell	370	34	118 265	7 321	37 251	935	356	27	75 830	631
Beaufort	153	28	81 500	351	45 607	716	144	25	25 324	100
Berkeley	634	90	79 748	1 824	41 336	1 540	615	77	33 651	650
Calhoun	387	41	131 571	2 157	46 629	974	380	36	80 168	308
Charleston	251	26	75 342	1 697	39 898	1 372	236	24	35 242	275
Cherokee	475	48	76 714	2 946	34 907	1 333	436	43	40 673	968
Chester	411	50	120 902	3 913	42 414	2 219	384	39	50 518	706
Chesterfield	705	91	168 233	5 360	56 206	2 005	681	69	92 678	943
Clarendon	777	89	166 905	3 364	79 950	2 088	757	76	114 614	791
Colleton	748	83	256 581	5 843	81 881	3 656	734	73	76 749	1 017
Darlington	772	26	215 709	534	96 699	441	761	20	125 221	183
Dillon	626	35	127 516	4 506	74 627	1 872	615	24	85 824	633
Dorchester	541	82	83 598	2 665	36 961	1 804	531	74	39 101	1 168
Edgefield	277	18	103 621	4 370	46 142	1 774	253	11	44 570	180
Fairfield	215	24	81 492	2 502	28 816	846	192	17	21 422	116
Florence	1 727	77	278 609	3 831	153 681	1 902	1 698	64	134 434	495
Georgetown	384	61	59 578	944	28 142	1 060	373	42	16 988	219
Greenville	771	149	87 074	7 532	70 635	8 345	721	127	50 379	1 680
Greenwood	365	38	89 680	2 334	33 692	1 307	326	28	35 059	729
Hampton	437	38	144 584	2 866	59 466	1 362	417	31	89 249	630
Horry	2 156	110	222 836	3 547	151 590	2 826	2 128	80	108 597	711
Jasper	255	9	106 192	592	36 499	380	247	6	29 123	84
Kershaw	369	69	95 828	7 898	38 265	3 308	357	58	40 932	840
Lancaster	432	64	77 864	5 435	31 745	2 042	400	51	37 364	765
Laurens	688	89	169 372	7 577	71 593	3 284	636	66	72 547	1 240
Lee	392	17	151 793	711	68 524	358	384	16	111 151	157
Lexington	899	69	142 135	2 547	79 814	2 528	841	59	68 717	1 308
McCormick	108	17	28 539	1 223	10 339	579	99	13	10 431	420
Marion	624	30	115 990	1 173	73 012	699	612	22	60 580	90
Marlboro	320	8	152 965	143	54 628	54	311	4	102 059	26
Newberry	612	49	116 890	3 370	49 926	2 342	577	28	53 767	478
Oconee	615	104	75 949	5 398	43 107	2 696	577	87	36 224	1 112
Orangeburg	1 588	156	348 631	8 343	133 635	3 913	1 563	137	225 989	1 998
Pickens	474	53	72 269	4 278	53 036	3 310	438	48	25 118	881
Richland	408	64	89 450	2 609	91 008	3 446	369	37	45 277	394

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	Total (number)		Total land (acres)		Total value of land and buildings ($1,000)		Total cropland			
							Number reporting		Acres	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Saluda	700	55	139 844	2 321	57 637	1 116	634	43	66 492	782
Spartanburg	1 184	200	160 437	7 339	92 881	4 831	1 119	164	86 482	2 512
Sumter	736	72	189 442	6 857	87 636	2 407	705	64	123 709	908
Union	346	28	84 646	2 155	32 606	610	329	20	35 290	290
Williamsburg	1 636	118	253 346	7 013	117 518	2 843	1 601	97	126 438	1 022
York	613	82	147 685	4 358	74 444	3 152	582	71	65 784	1 073

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	Harvested cropland				Farm production expenses				Value of machinery and equipment			
	Number reporting		Acres		Number reporting		Expenses ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
South Carolina, total	24 757	1 149	2 250 952	3 616	29 226	2 962	509 937	1 786	27 362	2 905	449 233	19 286
Abbeville	298	25	13 080	84	503	73	4 325	43	467	73	5 155	500
Aiken	675	29	58 371	123	768	103	11 649	56	708	101	10 844	710
Allendale	201	2	74 284	4	212	14	10 694	5	196	14	6 473	81
Anderson	876	47	48 861	203	1 227	199	10 478	103	1 156	194	14 983	1 251
Bamberg	355	13	61 242	63	378	51	9 140	27	342	49	6 847	378
Barnwell	332	9	59 849	43	370	33	8 027	18	351	33	6 848	197
Beaufort	139	25	16 725	54	153	28	6 665	19	146	28	3 251	205
Berkeley	589	55	25 841	135	634	87	4 730	36	602	86	6 676	630
Calhoun	353	24	69 495	86	387	38	9 874	15	373	37	9 716	212
Charleston	215	7	22 100	34	251	26	7 146	18	237	26	4 991	152
Cherokee	305	19	15 331	48	475	46	8 337	27	454	44	6 351	282
Chester	263	19	16 055	92	409	50	3 369	31	389	50	5 428	294
Chesterfield	613	36	71 030	118	705	89	17 014	46	643	85	10 607	590
Clarendon	741	53	105 752	152	775	85	21 301	50	714	85	14 873	625
Colleton	680	19	53 197	42	745	81	8 938	57	681	81	9 851	575
Darlington	749	15	109 948	34	770	24	22 365	12	705	22	16 096	130
Dillon	611	7	71 837	12	626	34	16 945	34	573	34	13 520	275
Dorchester	494	39	29 622	125	541	76	4 879	48	503	74	6 486	492
Edgefield	202	5	31 502	14	276	14	8 954	10	258	14	6 441	68
Fairfield	112	10	4 246	22	212	24	1 113	10	197	24	2 139	158
Florence	1 674	46	119 481	125	1 727	76	28 363	38	1 532	68	26 721	495
Georgetown	362	37	11 006	68	382	61	3 507	50	343	60	4 413	391
Greenville	503	42	21 973	121	768	147	6 653	114	724	139	8 115	867
Greenwood	223	4	10 773	19	365	38	4 080	24	353	38	4 236	251
Hampton	389	9	75 733	33	435	37	11 795	23	408	37	8 769	280
Harry	2 102	53	86 255	134	2 156	108	30 169	81	2 039	108	30 527	647
Jasper	232	3	19 614	8	255	6	2 973	3	235	5	3 572	32
Kershaw	321	34	22 704	112	368	66	3 754	34	331	64	5 161	376
Lancaster	273	20	12 313	61	432	64	3 432	40	402	63	4 003	399
Laurens	463	24	28 112	106	685	86	9 124	51	643	86	8 275	568
Lee	364	11	105 013	29	392	17	16 612	11	370	17	12 435	143
Lexington	765	18	48 306	44	897	69	13 046	50	852	69	12 507	561
McCormick	56	4	2 271	16	107	17	1 618	8	103	17	1 000	102
Marion	596	19	50 868	44	623	30	13 500	11	573	29	10 473	213
Marlboro	301	1	89 348	6	320	8	15 005	7	289	8	9 678	29
Newberry	475	12	29 749	39	610	46	15 661	27	598	46	9 941	285
Oconee	441	24	10 782	74	613	102	5 016	73	582	102	6 048	599
Orangeburg	1 496	79	191 394	265	1 582	154	36 304	90	1 512	152	29 190	961
Pickens	303	15	6 088	53	474	49	3 996	28	459	49	4 847	363
Richland	323	26	36 200	90	408	60	7 343	37	391	59	6 895	428
Saluda	481	19	34 030	43	700	53	10 347	27	669	50	10 481	273
Spartanburg	899	71	46 650	308	1 180	200	17 558	122	1 114	198	14 478	1 172
Sumter	678	20	103 429	81	736	72	25 365	42	698	72	15 405	481
Union	218	13	6 424	41	345	27	1 290	20	340	25	2 839	168
Williamsburg	1 570	57	98 454	131	1 636	113	20 811	68	1 501	109	23 048	787
York	446	30	25 614	77	613	81	6 669	42	606	81	8 601	612

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	Market value of all agricultural products sold											
	Total				Crops, including hay, nursery, and greenhouse products				Livestock, poultry, and their products			
	Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
South Carolina, total	29 275	3 044	676 496	645	21 063	896	459 882	389	16 684	774	206 582	248
Abbeville	503	73	4 862	13	180	15	1 078	8	415	22	3 641	5
Aiken	770	106	13 251	21	569	28	6 926	11	451	34	6 225	10
Allendale	212	14	11 979	4	190	2	9 590	1	108	8	2 311	3
Anderson	1 231	207	11 861	31	618	39	4 502	18	909	44	7 288	13
Bamberg	378	53	12 388	12	336	13	7 285	9	240	8	4 928	2
Barnwell	370	34	11 331	11	312	9	8 699	5	181	8	2 470	5
Beaufort	153	28	7 193	8	130	21	5 737	6	85	5	1 440	2
Berkeley	634	90	7 166	26	506	47	4 536	18	407	44	1 974	8
Calhoun	387	41	14 308	9	319	19	11 593	7	230	3	2 495	1
Charleston	251	26	8 755	5	177	5	7 735	3	125	7	696	2
Cherokee	475	48	9 143	10	181	13	6 175	5	360	11	2 953	5
Chester	411	50	3 833	12	131	13	1 323	5	347	18	2 399	6
Chesterfield	705	91	18 934	23	545	25	9 438	11	324	25	9 371	11
Clarendon	777	89	30 472	28	722	46	24 693	21	337	28	5 498	7

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	Market value of all agricultural products sold											
	Total				Crops, including hay, nursery, and greenhouse products				Livestock, poultry, and their products			
	Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)		Number reporting		Value ($1,000)	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
Colleton	748	83	10 949	13	589	18	7 009	8	475	22	3 609	5
Darlington	772	26	31 713	10	725	12	25 926	7	288	10	5 553	4
Dillon	626	35	25 871	4	607	6	24 717	2	182	5	963	3
Dorchester	541	82	6 981	16	420	35	4 035	14	365	12	2 646	3
Edgefield	277	18	11 179	3	146	2	7 607	1	196	6	3 353	2
Fairfield	215	24	1 259	4	59	4	158	1	176	9	742	3
Florence	1 727	77	46 277	24	1 653	38	40 639	18	461	15	4 987	5
Georgetown	384	61	4 959	30	330	36	3 981	16	161	22	761	14
Greenville	771	149	7 618	20	341	28	3 037	8	539	40	4 546	12
Greenwood	365	38	4 216	9	107	4	775	2	332	16	3 168	7
Hampton	437	38	15 415	6	363	8	10 430	3	250	6	4 791	3
Horry	2 156	110	50 766	31	2 046	58	46 369	25	774	20	4 033	6
Jasper	255	9	3 529	2	207	1	2 313	1	146	1	1 033	1
Kershaw	369	69	4 562	15	250	25	2 494	12	211	13	1 846	3
Lancaster	432	64	4 226	10	156	9	1 109	4	352	20	2 981	5
Laurens	688	89	9 295	9	321	13	2 225	4	530	15	6 790	4
Lee	392	17	21 709	4	354	11	19 322	4	155	1	2 276	(Z)
Lexington	899	69	15 056	11	650	9	6 324	3	543	17	8 619	7
McCormick	108	17	1 449	(Z)	28	–	94	–	90	3	1 322	(Z)
Marion	624	30	20 964	9	577	13	19 410	6	238	14	1 460	3
Marlboro	320	8	19 979	2	288	1	18 255	1	128	2	1 679	1
Newberry	612	49	19 230	10	317	9	2 553	4	526	19	16 182	6
Oconee	615	104	5 629	7	235	16	2 272	3	480	18	3 284	4
Orangeburg	1 588	156	47 025	41	1 399	71	26 807	29	910	47	19 798	12
Pickens	474	53	4 208	7	172	7	965	2	368	15	3 067	5
Richland	408	64	8 911	19	265	18	4 438	11	232	20	4 335	7
Saluda	700	55	12 201	15	307	15	3 995	8	580	15	7 797	6
Spartanburg	1 184	200	21 355	28	686	47	12 037	17	732	34	9 269	10
Sumter	736	72	31 268	16	637	14	19 164	8	354	20	11 997	8
Union	346	28	1 407	5	114	8	235	3	285	5	1 064	3
Williamsburg	1 636	118	33 890	41	1 534	52	28 964	33	657	22	4 055	8
York	613	82	7 924	14	264	13	2 916	5	449	25	4 886	9

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	Inventory											
	Cattle and calves				Hogs and pigs				Chickens 3 months old or older			
	Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Animals on hand		Number reporting		Birds on hand	
	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations	Farms	Excluded agricultural operations
South Carolina, total	13 825	691	589 827	3 168	7 654	446	345 282	2 047	4 295	392	6 203 860	7 761
Abbeville	422	26	21 050	122	59	2	1 157	4	44	6	213 037	126
Aiken	364	7	15 728	36	203	22	9 058	127	98	20	69 099	351
Allendale	62	3	8 112	12	64	7	10 126	55	35	4	1 662	60
Anderson	939	79	41 603	357	153	7	3 314	14	135	6	194 271	299
Bamberg	165	6	10 643	16	148	9	10 081	47	69	–	23 396	–
Barnwell	131	3	6 078	8	115	4	10 998	8	40	1	55 833	60
Beaufort	61	1	6 188	4	47	8	3 634	16	42	12	36 331	172
Berkeley	266	12	5 145	50	340	37	13 501	204	145	40	61 300	1 008
Calhoun	166	2	6 791	7	155	7	10 463	20	44	10	1 779	54
Charleston	104	6	5 813	30	45	5	2 170	32	29	8	1 345	140
Cherokee	353	17	12 868	67	65	2	1 899	4	56	3	37 820	55
Chester	342	13	15 074	67	54	1	1 434	1	41	9	25 733	62
Chesterfield	246	13	10 531	49	139	20	2 972	146	78	12	113 882	122
Clarendon	180	17	4 456	55	316	22	13 084	88	113	14	272 350	131
Colleton	351	12	13 890	79	293	10	14 968	38	149	16	152 345	410
Darlington	181	4	10 386	24	175	13	9 633	57	75	6	347 704	140
Dillon	134	4	4 543	8	131	6	6 077	43	72	2	12 828	12
Dorchester	247	6	7 855	17	272	16	10 198	66	118	6	30 385	62
Edgefield	189	7	12 491	29	42	1	1 569	1	38	2	210 110	53
Fairfield	179	13	8 310	81	27	1	575	2	30	–	583	–
Florence	296	9	6 107	32	415	13	11 265	72	212	9	305 175	230
Georgetown	89	3	2 301	4	152	17	4 792	147	73	3	48 279	25
Greenville	551	56	21 253	245	96	3	2 165	14	78	10	101 196	235
Greenwood	322	17	17 319	105	37	2	624	2	41	1	162 561	20
Hampton	149	13	8 567	40	174	4	19 477	26	65	3	137 867	26
Horry	444	6	6 596	19	655	18	30 534	63	365	22	69 494	704
Jasper	98	2	5 651	10	117	1	3 123	3	85	2	16 602	24
Kershaw	176	8	9 137	43	98	16	1 128	18	48	10	4 540	184
Lancaster	339	28	12 981	163	51	12	1 799	26	49	3	194 586	45
Laurens	538	23	32 441	90	92	9	2 355	14	76	6	363 578	64
Lee	98	1	4 535	1	112	3	6 916	10	42	5	1 120	48
Lexington	482	22	14 418	114	195	7	4 784	27	136	9	195 523	147
McCormick	94	5	3 833	17	17	3	2 364	5	19	3	71 201	98
Marion	123	–	3 161	–	203	8	12 003	60	123	7	15 085	222
Marlboro	94	5	6 202	25	72	2	2 127	20	29	–	810	–
Newberry	517	28	24 665	144	180	5	8 136	21	140	6	1 037 720	73
Oconee	488	38	18 092	172	102	3	1 540	3	87	9	211 108	169
Orangeburg	626	14	31 617	54	655	43	51 720	242	258	26	150 292	638
Pickens	361	23	12 146	95	73	2	2 475	8	70	8	201 978	286
Richland	190	20	6 824	77	121	10	1 725	30	87	20	169 416	334
Saluda	567	17	29 918	113	83	3	1 326	12	76	2	216 273	35
Spartanburg	742	58	30 320	280	99	7	1 618	11	103	11	479 808	96
Sumter	224	15	12 421	56	255	16	8 924	62	121	13	12 162	250
Union	288	7	12 230	47	40	2	376	6	57	–	2 295	–
Williamsburg	389	4	7 597	12	626	26	23 289	156	351	21	115 976	271
York	458	18	21 940	92	91	11	1 786	16	53	6	57 422	220

Table 1. Miscellaneous Poultry: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Ducks				
South Carolina, total	36	304	3	42
Berkeley	3	19	–	–
Florence	3	29	1	(D)
Horry	4	63	–	–
Orangeburg	3	11	–	–
Spartanburg	3	24	–	–
Williamsburg	3	20	–	–
All other	17	138	2	(D)
Geese				
South Carolina, total	25	255	1	(D)
Berkeley	3	25	–	–
Horry	4	11	–	–
Orangeburg	4	35	1	(D)
All other	14	184	–	–
Pheasants				
South Carolina, total	5	15	–	–
All other	5	15	–	–
Quail				
South Carolina, total	9	28 006	5	38 125
York	4	27 500	4	37 125
All other	5	506	1	1 000
Other Poultry				
South Carolina, total	16	863	3	110
Horry	3	30	–	–
All other	13	833	3	110

Table 2. Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Horses of All Ages					
South Carolina, total	1 309	5 429	154	719	645
Abbeville	36	108	3	8	1
Aiken	64	237	8	34	33
Allendale	11	62	2	(D)	(D)
Anderson	38	191	5	35	21
Bamberg	23	75	3	4	1
Barnwell	15	55	2	(D)	(D)
Beaufort	17	74	2	(D)	(D)
Berkeley	24	64	1	(D)	(D)
Calhoun	12	252	9	33	69
Charleston	21	199	6	14	21
Cherokee	8	40	–	–	–
Chester	11	20	1	(D)	(D)
Chesterfield	30	92	3	88	46
Clarendon	20	66	1	(D)	(D)
Colleton	66	212	6	14	23
Darlington	13	22	–	–	–
Dillon	17	33	–	–	–
Dorchester	29	139	5	39	11
Edgefield	13	87	1	(D)	(D)
Fairfield	11	27	1	(D)	(D)
Florence	52	153	2	(D)	(D)
Georgetown	22	55	1	(D)	(D)
Greenville	46	285	9	56	25
Greenwood	28	138	4	20	5
Hampton	19	33	1	(D)	(D)
Horry	95	216	11	37	42
Jasper	9	55	1	(D)	(D)
Kershaw	18	48	5	8	14
Lancaster	25	141	5	21	29
Laurens	30	90	3	3	1
Lee	20	81	2	(D)	(D)
Lexington	44	161	3	7	47
McCormick	7	18	–	–	–
Marion	28	54	1	(D)	(D)
Marlboro	16	50	3	37	14
Newberry	30	86	2	(D)	(D)
Oconee	25	64	2	(D)	(D)
Orangeburg	59	249	5	22	15
Pickens	21	92	5	14	8
Richland	30	367	9	48	80
Saluda	25	55	–	–	–
Spartanburg	42	297	11	32	71
Sumter	33	228	3	36	11
Union	7	26	1	(D)	(D)
Williamsburg	72	221	6	12	6
York	27	111	–	–	–
Ponies of All Ages					
South Carolina, total	355	734	24	84	7
Abbeville	7	17	–	–	–
Aiken	21	38	2	(D)	(D)
Anderson	13	22	1	(D)	(D)
Bamberg	6	8	–	–	–
Barnwell	6	10	–	–	–
Beaufort	3	7	1	(D)	(D)
Berkeley	4	7	–	–	–
Calhoun	4	7	1	(D)	(D)
Charleston	4	17	–	–	–
Cherokee	3	6	–	–	–

	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Ponies of All Ages — Con.					
Chester	5	7	–	–	–
Chesterfield	11	15	–	–	–
Clarendon	3	4	–	–	–
Colleton	6	9	1	(D)	(D)
Darlington	14	38	2	(D)	(D)
Dillon	12	21	–	–	–
Dorchester	6	13	–	–	–
Fairfield	3	13	–	–	–
Florence	20	30	2	(D)	(D)
Georgetown	7	9	–	–	–
Greenville	6	10	2	(D)	(D)
Greenwood	3	6	–	–	–
Hampton	5	10	–	–	–
Horry	24	34	3	3	(Z)
Kershaw	3	9	–	–	–
Lancaster	6	60	–	–	–
Laurens	5	11	–	–	–
Lee	7	22	–	–	–
Lexington	9	21	–	–	–
Marlboro	6	13	–	–	–
Newberry	8	23	–	–	–
Oconee	3	4	–	–	–
Orangeburg	26	35	3	27	4
Richland	11	21	–	–	–
Saluda	6	7	–	–	–
Spartanburg	11	20	–	–	–
Sumter	20	66	4	23	1
Williamsburg	24	38	2	(D)	(D)
York	8	15	–	–	–
All other	6	11	–	–	–
Mules, Burros, and Donkeys of All Ages					
South Carolina, total	208	312	19	41	4
Abbeville	7	36	3	8	(Z)
Aiken	3	6	–	–	–
Anderson	16	22	1	(D)	(D)
Berkeley	5	7	–	–	–
Chesterfield	10	12	1	(D)	(D)
Clarendon	6	8	1	(D)	(D)
Colleton	8	12	–	–	–
Darlington	10	12	–	–	–
Dillon	11	12	2	(D)	(D)
Fairfield	3	3	–	–	–
Florence	24	36	–	–	–
Greenville	4	13	–	–	–
Greenwood	3	4	1	(D)	(D)
Horry	16	21	1	(D)	(D)
Lancaster	4	5	–	–	–
Lee	3	3	–	–	–
Lexington	3	3	–	–	–
Marion	6	6	–	–	–
Newberry	4	7	–	–	–
Oconee	3	4	–	–	–
Orangeburg	4	4	1	(D)	(D)
Spartanburg	3	4	–	–	–
Sumter	5	7	2	(D)	(D)
Williamsburg	27	35	3	3	(Z)
York	3	6	–	–	–
All other	17	24	3	12	1

Table 2. **Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Goats, Except Angora and Milk Goats					
South Carolina, total	41	453	8	49	1
Aiken	4	52	1	(D)	(D)
Barnwell	3	34	–	–	–
Horry	3	30	–	–	–
Lexington	4	90	–	–	–
Richland	3	8	–	–	–
Sumter	4	13	–	–	–
Williamsburg	5	53	2	(D)	(D)
All other	15	173	5	17	(Z)
Rabbits & Their Pelts					
South Carolina, total	9	1 549	10	9 805	25
All other	9	1 549	10	9 805	25
Other Livestock					
South Carolina, total	275	(X)	12	(X)	2
Abbeville	7	(X)	–	(X)	–
Aiken	12	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Allendale	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Anderson	5	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Bamberg	6	(X)	–	(X)	–
Barnwell	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Berkeley	9	(X)	–	(X)	–

Other Livestock — Con.	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
Cherokee	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Chesterfield	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Clarendon	9	(X)	–	(X)	–
Colleton	14	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Darlington	9	(X)	–	(X)	–
Dillon	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Dorchester	3	(X)	–	(X)	–
Edgefield	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Florence	10	(X)	–	(X)	–
Greenville	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Hampton	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Horry	15	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Jasper	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Kershaw	4	(X)	–	(X)	–
Lancaster	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Lee	8	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Lexington	8	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Marion	11	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Newberry	8	(X)	–	(X)	–
Oconee	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Orangeburg	24	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Pickens	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Saluda	10	(X)	–	(X)	–
Spartanburg	6	(X)	–	(X)	–
Sumter	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
Williamsburg	25	(X)	–	(X)	–
York	5	(X)	–	(X)	–
All other	13	(X)	–	(X)	–

Table 3. Mink: 1974, not shown for South Carolina

Table 4. **Colonies of Bees: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory of colonies of bees		Sales					
			Colonies of bees			Pounds of honey		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)
South Carolina, total	39	2 874	–	–	–	26	121 390	65
Anderson	5	45	–	–	–	3	560	(Z)
Colleton	3	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenville	4	297	–	–	–	3	6 150	3
Hampton	5	1 056	–	–	–	5	65 095	33
Spartanburg	3	124	–	–	–	3	12 060	10
All other	19	1 348	–	–	–	12	37 525	19

Table 5. Angora Goats: 1974, not shown for South Carolina

Table 6. Milk Goats: 1974, not shown for South Carolina

Table 7. **Fish: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Fish sales, 1974												Acres under water for fish production	
	Total		Any				Only pounds			Only number				
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Pounds	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Acres
Catfish														
South Carolina, total	6	30	5	60 038	(D)	(D)	5	60 038	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	56
All other	6	30	5	60 038	(D)	(D)	5	60 038	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	56

Table 8. Hay, Field Seeds, Other Specified Field Crops, and Berries: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixtures for Hay or Dehydrating (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	156	4 350	10 074	1	(D)
Aiken	7	140	276	–	–
Anderson	13	425	1 119	–	–
Berkeley	3	49	49	–	–
Chester	3	44	76	–	–
Colleton	3	127	508	–	–
Dillon	6	138	258	–	–
Edgefield	4	224	230	–	–
Fairfield	4	112	243	–	–
Florence	4	60	160	–	–
Greenville	6	365	767	–	–
Greenwood	5	190	232	–	–
Hampton	3	38	152	–	–
Horry	7	60	80	–	–
Lancaster	6	143	322	–	–
Laurens	9	195	688	–	–
Lexington	3	26	32	–	–
Marion	7	56	104	–	–
Newberry	9	329	644	–	–
Orangeburg	7	183	648	–	–
Saluda	6	130	266	–	–
Spartanburg	4	293	350	–	–
Sumter	4	54	176	–	–
Williamsburg	5	28	29	–	–
York	4	127	201	1	(D)
All other	24	814	2 464	–	–
Clover, Timothy, & Mixtures of Clover & Grasses for Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	275	7 136	11 689	–	–
Abbeville	14	338	428	–	–
Anderson	23	478	877	–	–
Cherokee	16	288	385	–	–
Chester	7	126	308	–	–
Colleton	3	65	64	–	–
Edgefield	6	220	760	–	–
Fairfield	7	366	447	–	–
Greenville	15	323	384	–	–
Greenwood	17	571	848	–	–
Lancaster	16	312	477	–	–
Laurens	6	120	206	–	–
McCormick	6	83	106	–	–
Marion	3	66	462	–	–
Newberry	12	199	262	–	–
Oconee	24	527	709	–	–
Pickens	13	385	501	–	–
Saluda	24	662	1 534	–	–
Spartanburg	16	755	1 196	–	–
Union	4	155	230	–	–
Williamsburg	6	48	28	–	–
York	16	438	570	–	–
All other	21	611	907	–	–
Small Grain Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	841	15 548	26 290	–	–
Abbeville	22	458	736	–	–
Aiken	3	40	45	–	–
Allendale	3	116	116	–	–
Anderson	90	2 114	3 799	–	–
Bamberg	5	45	47	–	–
Berkeley	12	76	100	–	–
Calhoun	4	122	188	–	–
Cherokee	27	470	766	–	–
Chester	24	503	842	–	–
Chesterfield	9	67	80	–	–
Clarendon	4	17	18	–	–
Colleton	10	98	206	–	–
Darlington	8	115	125	–	–
Dillon	3	29	24	–	–
Dorchester	6	165	199	–	–
Edgefield	11	251	311	–	–
Florence	9	45	73	–	–
Georgetown	4	19	19	–	–
Greenville	28	326	588	–	–
Greenwood	31	528	698	–	–
Hampton	4	52	72	–	–
Horry	17	65	76	–	–
Lancaster	15	230	415	–	–
Laurens	54	1 687	2 452	–	–
Lee	6	68	147	–	–
Lexington	23	249	386	–	–
McCormick	4	125	206	–	–
Marion	3	40	40	–	–
Newberry	91	1 703	3 178	–	–
Oconee	24	395	780	–	–
Orangeburg	14	230	464	–	–
Pickens	17	243	328	–	–
Richland	3	35	58	–	–
Saluda	82	1 930	3 491	–	–
Spartanburg	82	1 203	2 344	–	–
Union	16	239	310	–	–
Williamsburg	9	46	61	–	–
York	55	1 277	2 214	–	–
All other	9	127	288	–	–
Lespedeza for Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	277	5 719	8 745	–	–
Abbeville	11	126	221	–	–
Aiken	3	20	50	–	–
Anderson	21	357	596	–	–
Berkeley	3	20	22	–	–
Cherokee	25	571	1 036	–	–
Chester	20	378	377	–	–
Chesterfield	8	52	70	–	–
Colleton	4	26	26	–	–
Darlington	7	55	64	–	–
Dillon	3	116	365	–	–
Fairfield	4	478	275	–	–
Florence	7	51	95	–	–
Georgetown	3	32	44	–	–
Greenville	14	321	637	–	–
Greenwood	12	375	568	–	–
Lancaster	4	26	53	–	–
Laurens	29	1 055	1 626	–	–
Lexington	6	31	57	–	–
Newberry	5	58	66	–	–
Oconee	4	74	78	–	–
Orangeburg	3	49	164	–	–
Pickens	7	80	112	–	–
Saluda	11	144	204	–	–
Spartanburg	16	319	404	–	–
Sumter	3	18	14	–	–
Union	11	291	560	–	–
Williamsburg	3	102	204	–	–
York	18	321	425	–	–
All other	12	173	332	–	–
Coastal Bermuda Grass for Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	2 052	53 745	146 583	3	57
Abbeville	51	901	2 261	–	–
Aiken	143	4 199	13 798	–	–
Allendale	25	1 767	5 553	1	(D)
Anderson	68	1 297	4 000	–	–
Bamberg	55	1 509	4 204	–	–
Barnwell	44	1 309	3 678	–	–
Beaufort	13	628	2 018	–	–
Berkeley	29	454	713	–	–
Calhoun	49	1 112	3 174	–	–
Charleston	8	130	574	–	–
Chester	20	391	1 104	–	–
Chesterfield	73	2 247	5 156	–	–
Clarendon	36	536	1 194	–	–
Colleton	75	1 415	3 325	–	–
Darlington	58	1 819	4 035	–	–
Dillon	30	865	1 753	–	–
Dorchester	33	680	1 835	–	–
Edgefield	41	1 564	3 325	–	–
Fairfield	19	445	1 675	–	–
Florence	29	421	970	–	–
Georgetown	7	180	740	–	–
Greenville	29	780	1 653	–	–
Greenwood	19	450	1 039	–	–
Hampton	55	2 694	12 346	–	–
Horry	71	458	791	–	–
Jasper	22	1 120	2 293	–	–
Kershaw	45	1 713	5 427	–	–
Lancaster	20	375	931	–	–
Laurens	58	1 431	3 176	–	–
Lee	26	562	1 408	1	(D)
Lexington	148	3 841	10 004	–	–
McCormick	15	489	900	–	–
Marion	41	695	1 659	–	–
Marlboro	47	1 468	3 254	–	–
Newberry	49	854	3 118	–	–
Oconee	33	422	966	–	–
Orangeburg	223	5 719	16 952	–	–
Pickens	6	50	156	–	–
Richland	26	831	2 036	1	(D)
Saluda	47	1 339	3 372	–	–
Spartanburg	34	829	1 393	–	–
Sumter	39	1 476	5 121	–	–
Union	38	1 184	1 733	–	–
Williamsburg	47	877	1 029	–	–
York	7	205	709	–	–
Wild Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	239	5 048	6 379	–	–
Abbeville	11	186	148	–	–
Aiken	5	21	16	–	–

Table 8. **Hay, Field Seeds, Other Specified Field Crops, and Berries: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Wild Hay (dry tons)—Con.					
Anderson	11	185	227	–	–
Berkeley	5	102	66	–	–
Charleston	4	138	193	–	–
Cherokee	4	34	43	–	–
Chester	27	702	690	–	–
Colleton	12	373	729	–	–
Dorchester	3	31	42	–	–
Fairfield	19	555	1 050	–	–
Florence	8	98	147	–	–
Greenwood	17	542	621	–	–
Horry	5	29	24	–	–
Lancaster	7	135	137	–	–
Laurens	8	91	89	–	–
McCormick	9	186	160	–	–
Marlboro	3	78	70	–	–
Newberry	10	87	84	–	–
Orangeburg	3	11	25	–	–
Saluda	9	398	522	–	–
Spartanburg	6	125	210	–	–
Sumter	4	82	75	–	–
Union	12	317	339	–	–
Williamsburg	5	20	20	–	–
York	13	239	262	–	–
All other	19	283	390	–	–
Other Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	1 083	26 937	41 019	–	–
Abbeville	42	1 463	2 175	–	–
Aiken	14	284	354	–	–
Allendale	6	314	562	–	–
Anderson	109	2 355	3 190	–	–
Bamberg	13	485	745	–	–
Barnwell	8	141	192	–	–
Beaufort	4	139	236	–	–
Berkeley	17	131	273	–	–
Calhoun	6	54	47	–	–
Charleston	6	565	662	–	–
Cherokee	18	433	755	–	–
Chester	40	1 131	1 443	–	–
Chesterfield	10	451	897	–	–
Clarendon	13	311	316	–	–
Colleton	24	393	1 008	–	–
Darlington	18	394	330	–	–
Dillon	17	178	244	–	–
Dorchester	7	73	121	–	–
Edgefield	19	969	2 480	–	–
Fairfield	15	661	1 365	–	–
Florence	27	251	251	–	–
Georgetown	28	264	523	–	–
Greenville	40	1 147	1 656	–	–
Greenwood	24	1 129	1 331	–	–
Horry	39	254	253	–	–
Jasper	4	99	50	–	–
Kershaw	7	89	89	–	–
Lancaster	20	635	1 258	–	–
Laurens	46	1 316	1 978	–	–
Lee	8	145	213	–	–
Lexington	15	754	927	–	–
McCormick	12	444	567	–	–
Marion	13	108	138	–	–
Marlboro	3	43	72	–	–
Newberry	73	1 504	2 583	–	–
Oconee	27	419	500	–	–
Orangeburg	26	1 239	2 126	–	–
Pickens	30	926	1 404	–	–
Richland	3	35	58	–	–
Saluda	45	1 181	1 630	–	–
Spartanburg	79	1 675	2 745	–	–
Sumter	17	413	424	–	–
Union	7	352	368	–	–
Williamsburg	38	228	210	–	–
York	44	1 320	2 168	–	–
Grass Silage and Haylage (green tons)					
South Carolina, total	88	3 815	27 709	–	–
Anderson	6	218	1 453	–	–
Chester	4	139	565	–	–
Darlington	3	116	734	–	–
Greenville	5	305	2 890	–	–
Greenwood	3	114	811	–	–
Laurens	3	195	1 045	–	–
Newberry	18	839	6 143	–	–
Orangeburg	5	157	1 384	–	–
Richland	5	87	623	–	–
Saluda	5	232	2 294	–	–
Spartanburg	3	115	548	–	–
York	7	424	3 638	–	–
All other	21	874	5 581	–	–
Hay Crops Cut & Fed Green (green tons)					
South Carolina, total	75	1 680	9 437	1	(D)
Anderson	3	45	377	–	–
Bamberg	4	189	630	–	–
Chester	3	22	62	–	–
Greenwood	3	161	1 610	–	–
Laurens	7	244	953	–	–
Marion	3	9	12	–	–
Newberry	4	82	241	–	–
Orangeburg	8	128	965	1	(D)
Richland	3	55	175	–	–
Sumter	5	123	1 390	–	–
Williamsburg	4	12	120	–	–
All other	28	610	2 902	–	–
Red Clover Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	10	347	70 960	–	–
Spartanburg	3	98	28 300	–	–
All other	7	249	42 660	–	–
Alta Fescue Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	10	216	26 700	–	–
Oconee	4	124	8 750	–	–
All other	6	92	17 950	–	–
Ky 31 Fescue Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	108	3 015	479 455	–	–
Abbeville	8	132	21 380	–	–
Anderson	23	464	101 746	–	–
Chester	4	250	25 812	–	–
Greenville	9	609	93 620	–	–
Lancaster	3	53	11 538	–	–
Laurens	14	358	33 993	–	–
Newberry	3	146	29 600	–	–
Oconee	9	162	27 600	–	–
Spartanburg	16	314	63 000	–	–
York	5	72	8 666	–	–
All other	14	455	62 500	–	–
Bahia Grass Seed					
South Carolina, total	6	126	9 000	–	–
Lexington	3	60	7 000	–	–
All other	3	66	2 000	–	–
Annual Ryegrass Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	15	1 591	379 795	–	–
All other	15	1 591	379 795	–	–
Lespedeza Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	53	3 860	885 520	–	–
Anderson	8	700	185 400	–	–
Cherokee	4	117	20 600	–	–
Chester	5	121	21 700	–	–
Chesterfield	3	1 350	279 500	–	–
Laurens	11	185	50 400	–	–
Spartanburg	9	564	176 020	–	–
Union	4	240	32 000	–	–
All other	9	583	119 900	–	–
Lupine Seed (lb)					
South Carolina, total	3	72	25 848	–	–
Allendale	3	72	25 848	–	–
All Other Seeds					
South Carolina, total	11	319	200 600	–	–
Anderson	4	123	87 100	–	–
All other	7	196	113 500	–	–
Field Corn for Silage or Green Chop (green tons)					
South Carolina, total	596	35 694	485 866	3	71
Abbeville	6	69	1 388	–	–
Aiken	16	501	5 870	–	–
Allendale	13	1 132	11 324	–	–
Anderson	31	1 698	23 047	–	–
Bamberg	33	2 756	39 009	–	–
Barnwell	4	230	3 000	–	–
Beaufort	8	927	14 400	–	–
Berkeley	18	184	1 810	–	–
Calhoun	9	628	9 640	–	–
Cherokee	3	196	2 691	–	–
Chester	12	611	6 345	–	–
Chesterfield	4	172	1 380	–	–
Clarendon	13	511	7 369	–	–
Colleton	12	554	5 684	–	–

Table 8. Hay, Field Seeds, Other Specified Field Crops, and Berries: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Field Corn for Silage or Green Chop (green tons) — Con.					
Darlington	10	371	3 688	–	–
Dillon	4	38	696	–	–
Dorchester	16	1 025	17 221	–	–
Edgefield	3	360	5 200	–	–
Florence	21	587	6 859	–	–
Georgetown	6	41	413	–	–
Greenville	20	1 665	27 011	–	–
Greenwood	3	151	2 099	–	–
Hampton	7	612	5 741	–	–
Horry	26	113	1 274	–	–
Lancaster	3	98	1 261	–	–
Laurens	12	1 160	15 650	–	–
Lee	7	191	2 206	2	(D)
Lexington	22	615	7 607	–	–
Marlboro	4	240	3 815	–	–
Newberry	42	3 745	45 507	–	–
Oconee	6	367	4 718	–	–
Orangeburg	77	6 579	97 705	1	(D)
Richland	8	855	11 380	–	–
Saluda	25	1 330	19 615	–	–
Spartanburg	17	1 033	12 778	–	–
Sumter	15	1 625	22 630	–	–
Williamsburg	25	414	7 680	–	–
York	25	1 377	16 169	–	–
All other	10	933	13 986	–	–
Field Corn for Dry Fodder, Hogged or Grazed					
South Carolina, total	341	4 835	(X)	–	–
Aiken	9	721	(X)	–	–
Allendale	4	51	(X)	–	–
Anderson	3	5	(X)	–	–
Bamberg	11	205	(X)	–	–
Barnwell	4	64	(X)	–	–
Berkeley	13	117	(X)	–	–
Calhoun	8	204	(X)	–	–
Clarendon	13	265	(X)	–	–
Colleton	18	291	(X)	–	–
Darlington	12	117	(X)	–	–
Dillon	5	112	(X)	–	–
Dorchester	16	165	(X)	–	–
Florence	18	100	(X)	–	–
Georgetown	5	38	(X)	–	–
Greenville	5	215	(X)	–	–
Hampton	4	79	(X)	–	–
Horry	50	373	(X)	–	–
Kershaw	3	50	(X)	–	–
Lee	4	29	(X)	–	–
Lexington	5	53	(X)	–	–
Marion	7	67	(X)	–	–
Marlboro	5	115	(X)	–	–
Orangeburg	46	749	(X)	–	–
Sumter	9	58	(X)	–	–
Williamsburg	40	349	(X)	–	–
York	3	5	(X)	–	–
All other	21	238	(X)	–	–
Sorghums for Silage or Green Chop (green tons)					
South Carolina, total	273	10 083	123 153	–	–
Abbeville	7	232	2 208	–	–
Anderson	14	613	8 762	–	–
Bamberg	16	401	3 703	–	–
Beaufort	4	80	736	–	–
Berkeley	4	20	200	–	–
Chester	8	349	2 580	–	–
Colleton	3	69	640	–	–
Dillon	6	56	560	–	–
Edgefield	16	661	6 926	–	–
Florence	4	44	440	–	–
Georgetown	4	180	1 800	–	–
Greenville	11	1 749	21 692	–	–
Greenwood	4	114	1 140	–	–

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Sorghums for Silage or Green Chop (green tons) — Con.					
Jasper	3	45	446	–	–
Lancaster	4	113	1 695	–	–
Laurens	13	735	11 680	–	–
Lee	3	42	431	–	–
Newberry	29	834	10 751	–	–
Oconee	4	122	2 080	–	–
Orangeburg	29	693	7 247	–	–
Pickens	5	106	2 120	–	–
Saluda	21	901	13 208	–	–
Spartanburg	14	381	3 742	–	–
Sumter	5	251	2 700	–	–
Williamsburg	5	16	160	–	–
York	13	490	6 333	–	–
All other	24	786	9 173	–	–
Sorghums Cut for Dry Forage or Hay (dry tons)					
South Carolina, total	60	1 170	2 649	–	–
Abbeville	9	88	132	–	–
Anderson	7	141	417	–	–
Chester	3	40	48	–	–
Greenville	5	53	151	–	–
Greenwood	3	110	160	–	–
Laurens	3	22	140	–	–
Newberry	4	31	143	–	–
Saluda	3	210	306	–	–
Spartanburg	4	56	134	–	–
York	5	130	410	–	–
All other	14	289	608	–	–
Sorghums Hogged or Grazed					
South Carolina, total	40	935	(X)	–	–
Darlington	3	201	(X)	–	–
Newberry	7	81	(X)	–	–
Orangeburg	5	136	(X)	–	–
Spartanburg	3	54	(X)	–	–
Sumter	5	58	(X)	–	–
All other	17	405	(X)	–	–
Sorghum for Sirup					
South Carolina, total	5	5	(X)	–	–
All other	5	5	(X)	–	–
Soybeans Hogged or Grazed or Cut for Silage					
South Carolina, total	4	76	(X)	–	–
All other	4	76	(X)	–	–
All Other Crops					
South Carolina, total	34	295	(X)	2	(D)
Horry	6	40	(X)	–	–
Orangeburg	4	28	(X)	–	–
All other	24	227	(X)	2	(D)
Strawberries (lb)					
South Carolina, total	13	27	118 309	3	15
Pickens	3	3	8 310	–	–
Spartanburg	5	17	86 189	1	(D)
All other	5	7	23 810	2	(D)
Tame Blueberries (lb)					
South Carolina, total	5	35	77 650	1	(D)
All other	5	35	77 650	1	(D)

Table 9. Grains, Dry Beans and Peas, Sweetpotatoes, and Sugar Crops: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Oats for Grain (bu)					
South Carolina, total	1 566	36 150	1 821 753	2	(D)
Abbeville	25	300	12 051	–	–
Aiken	41	1 024	35 271	–	–
Allendale	17	1 757	110 791	–	–
Anderson	107	1 838	83 307	–	–
Bamberg	41	1 324	72 790	–	–
Beaufort	4	8	320	–	–
Berkeley	24	248	10 050	–	–
Calhoun	43	1 134	40 764	–	–
Cherokee	10	173	13 481	–	–
Chester	34	488	28 438	–	–
Chesterfield	10	272	12 350	–	–
Clarendon	27	409	23 895	–	–
Colleton	26	597	29 554	–	–
Darlington	71	1 804	98 705	–	–
Dillon	17	259	14 777	1	(D)
Dorchester	18	288	11 608	–	–
Edgefield	25	546	29 531	–	–
Fairfield	13	200	12 600	–	–
Florence	45	895	41 735	–	–
Georgetown	7	36	1 730	–	–
Greenville	32	558	26 300	–	–
Greenwood	23	415	15 957	–	–
Hampton	18	784	30 812	–	–
Horry	50	552	25 842	–	–
Kershaw	20	374	14 167	–	–
Lancaster	15	542	25 361	–	–
Laurens	41	1 008	59 832	–	–
Lee	42	598	27 999	1	(D)
Lexington	77	1 437	59 814	–	–
Marion	31	375	17 948	–	–
Marlboro	24	1 721	106 990	–	–
Newberry	90	2 447	136 115	–	–
Oconee	19	222	8 890	–	–
Orangeburg	148	3 540	184 986	–	–
Pickens	12	107	3 675	–	–
Richland	16	464	24 200	–	–
Saluda	71	1 751	78 461	–	–
Spartanburg	78	1 522	85 145	–	–
Sumter	65	2 179	112 463	–	–
Union	6	99	4 534	–	–
Williamsburg	31	504	22 845	–	–
York	47	1 289	63 788	–	–
All other	5	62	1 881	–	–
Barley for Grain (bu)					
South Carolina, total	472	12 974	561 804	–	–
Abbeville	12	202	9 310	–	–
Aiken	6	82	2 704	–	–
Anderson	73	1 833	80 367	–	–
Berkeley	6	65	1 832	–	–
Calhoun	16	1 193	45 802	–	–
Cherokee	13	358	21 820	–	–
Chester	21	402	17 402	–	–
Chesterfield	3	45	1 125	–	–
Clarendon	3	57	1 115	–	–
Darlington	4	69	2 030	–	–
Dillon	6	265	9 753	–	–
Edgefield	8	137	6 600	–	–
Florence	6	106	4 200	–	–
Greenville	15	693	32 050	–	–
Greenwood	11	250	10 434	–	–
Hampton	3	275	9 616	–	–
Laurens	31	784	39 422	–	–
Lexington	18	336	13 680	–	–
Marion	3	62	2 640	–	–
Marlboro	4	420	14 537	–	–
Newberry	64	1 975	85 005	–	–
Oconee	12	291	17 162	–	–
Orangeburg	15	307	8 370	–	–
Richland	18	457	15 181	–	–
Saluda	26	603	28 705	–	–
Spartanburg	31	597	30 677	–	–
Sumter	4	92	3 220	–	–
Union	7	118	3 150	–	–
York	22	629	33 419	–	–
All other	11	271	10 476	–	–
Rye for Grain (bu)					
South Carolina, total	748	27 318	557 170	2	(D)
Aiken	60	1 667	34 872	–	–
Allendale	29	2 591	56 445	–	–
Anderson	11	172	4 828	–	–
Bamberg	41	1 124	19 018	–	–
Barnwell	29	831	15 661	–	–
Beaufort	4	190	4 156	–	–
Calhoun	28	609	12 046	1	(D)
Chesterfield	67	6 960	121 679	–	–
Clarendon	12	201	3 859	–	–
Colleton	14	290	5 685	–	–
Darlington	33	1 286	23 785	–	–
Dillon	11	131	2 440	–	–
Dorchester	17	307	7 261	–	–
Edgefield	21	423	9 033	–	–

	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Rye for Grain (bu)—Con.					
Florence	8	91	1 759	–	–
Hampton	58	3 358	80 751	–	–
Horry	14	84	1 204	–	–
Jasper	8	249	6 575	–	–
Kershaw	20	852	14 497	–	–
Laurens	4	67	1 560	–	–
Lee	11	179	3 833	–	–
Lexington	60	1 404	33 628	1	(D)
Marion	6	81	2 470	–	–
Marlboro	27	1 351	28 263	–	–
Newberry	9	78	1 900	–	–
Orangeburg	98	1 562	33 238	–	–
Richland	5	35	844	–	–
Saluda	9	207	5 790	–	–
Sumter	16	574	13 500	–	–
Williamsburg	5	98	2 274	–	–
All other	13	266	4 316	–	–
Mixed Grains (bu)					
South Carolina, total	32	626	14 994	–	–
Anderson	4	66	691	–	–
Hampton	3	46	2 225	–	–
Lexington	12	287	6 250	–	–
Orangeburg	5	84	888	–	–
All other	8	143	4 940	–	–
Proso Millet (bu)					
South Carolina, total	39	492	6 937	–	–
Anderson	5	98	1 369	–	–
Bamberg	6	82	1 230	–	–
Edgefield	4	32	540	–	–
Saluda	5	47	400	–	–
York	4	14	198	–	–
All other	15	219	3 200	–	–
Dry Field and Seed Beans (100-lb bags)					
South Carolina, total	33	289	2 920	–	–
Horry	5	37	142	–	–
Orangeburg	5	57	224	–	–
Williamsburg	5	26	254	–	–
All other	18	169	2 300	–	–
Dry Field and Seed Peas (lb)					
South Carolina, total	22	176	227 681	–	–
Aiken	5	68	102 000	–	–
Anderson	5	35	43 973	–	–
Darlington	3	16	32 400	–	–
All other	9	57	49 308	–	–
Cowpeas for Dry Peas (bu)					
South Carolina, total	79	1 898	8 319	–	–
Aiken	16	725	3 445	–	–
Anderson	4	44	358	–	–
Barnwell	4	308	542	–	–
Berkeley	3	14	74	–	–
Chesterfield	4	95	325	–	–
Darlington	3	5	19	–	–
Horry	3	5	58	–	–
Kershaw	3	28	174	–	–
Lexington	9	125	975	–	–
Orangeburg	4	169	723	–	–
All other	26	380	1 626	–	–
Sweetpotatoes (bu)					
South Carolina, total	596	1 583	304 674	9	56
Abbeville	5	1	120	–	–
Aiken	7	27	5 472	–	–
Allendale	5	2	290	2	(D)
Anderson	11	11	1 481	–	–
Bamberg	14	18	3 791	–	–
Barnwell	4	12	1 682	–	–
Beaufort	10	54	5 264	–	–
Berkeley	23	38	5 511	–	–
Calhoun	7	5	475	1	(D)
Charleston	4	1	40	–	–
Chesterfield	7	11	1 656	1	(D)
Clarendon	22	17	2 880	–	–
Colleton	13	5	720	–	–
Darlington	39	225	51 534	1	(D)
Dillon	18	17	1 426	–	–
Dorchester	12	3	470	–	–
Edgefield	10	35	4 508	–	–
Fairfield	3	2	514	–	–
Florence	46	117	21 504	–	–
Georgetown	19	10	2 296	–	–

Table 9. Grains, Dry Beans and Peas, Sweetpotatoes, and Sugar Crops: 1974 — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Sweetpotatoes (bu) — Con.					
Greenville	7	48	4 860	–	–
Greenwood	6	2	278	–	–
Hampton	4	1	80	–	–
Horry	79	469	92 153	–	–
Lancaster	5	6	920	–	–
Lee	10	7	847	1	(D)
Lexington	16	126	22 533	1	(D)
Marion	31	74	15 914	–	–
Marlboro	5	31	2 240	–	–
Newberry	8	6	1 283	–	–
Orangeburg	40	115	35 111	–	–
Richland	3	3	545	–	–
Saluda	4	(Z)	60	–	–
Spartanburg	10	10	1 595	–	–
Sumter	15	6	743	–	–
Williamsburg	59	49	9 091	2	(D)
York	4	2	170	–	–
All other	11	19	4 617	–	–

Table 10. Vegetables Harvested for Sale: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Sweet Corn				
South Carolina, total	245	815	8	95
Aiken	14	18	–	–
Anderson	18	44	–	–
Bamberg	4	5	–	–
Barnwell	6	80	–	–
Beaufort	3	21	–	–
Calhoun	3	7	–	–
Charleston	5	19	–	–
Chesterfield	11	23	1	(D)
Darlington	8	8	–	–
Dorchester	17	106	–	–
Edgefield	4	7	–	–
Florence	8	23	–	–
Greenville	9	39	–	–
Hampton	6	29	–	–
Horry	14	22	1	(D)
Laurens	4	9	–	–
Lee	4	3	1	(D)
Lexington	14	103	1	(D)
Marion	6	7	2	(D)
Newberry	3	2	–	–
Orangeburg	17	77	–	–
Pickens	5	8	–	–
Spartanburg	19	41	1	(D)
Sumter	3	3	–	–
Union	5	11	–	–
Williamsburg	7	1	–	–
York	9	75	1	(D)
All other	19	27	–	–
Tomatoes				
South Carolina, total	279	5 385	19	316
Abbeville	3	1	–	–
Aiken	10	20	–	–
Allendale	5	81	2	(D)
Anderson	8	4	–	–
Bamberg	4	4	–	–
Barnwell	3	74	–	–
Beaufort	19	1 881	3	290
Berkeley	3	400	–	–
Calhoun	3	2	–	–
Charleston	35	2 563	1	(D)
Chesterfield	12	6	–	–
Clarendon	11	23	2	(D)
Darlington	13	9	–	–
Dorchester	5	4	–	–
Edgefield	4	21	–	–
Florence	7	4	–	–
Greenville	6	9	–	–
Horry	9	7	2	(D)
Laurens	3	2	–	–
Lee	4	2	3	2
Lexington	19	64	2	(D)
Marion	4	7	2	(D)
Oconee	3	2	–	–
Orangeburg	31	67	1	(D)
Pickens	11	15	–	–
Spartanburg	16	23	1	(D)
Williamsburg	6	2	–	–
York	3	7	–	–
All other	19	79	–	–
Cucumbers and Pickles				
South Carolina, total	302	4 355	13	144
Aiken	7	3	–	–
Allendale	8	107	2	(D)
Anderson	3	2	–	–
Bamberg	5	73	–	–
Beaufort	15	1 037	2	(D)
Berkeley	3	304	–	–
Charleston	23	1 419	–	–
Clarendon	3	3	–	–
Darlington	8	14	–	–
Dillon	42	282	1	(D)
Dorchester	5	3	–	–
Florence	16	20	–	–
Georgetown	3	3	–	–
Greenville	3	2	–	–
Hampton	7	176	–	–
Horry	35	124	3	3
Jasper	11	262	2	(D)
Kershaw	5	7	–	–
Lee	3	3	–	–
Lexington	14	12	–	–
Marion	16	16	2	(D)
Marlboro	12	122	–	–
Orangeburg	29	85	–	–
Spartanburg	3	2	1	(D)
Union	3	2	–	–
Williamsburg	11	13	–	–
All other	9	260	–	–
Watermelons				
South Carolina, total	602	8 985	7	9
Abbeville	3	5	–	–
Aiken	30	468	–	–
Allendale	41	1 302	2	(D)
Anderson	10	30	–	–
Bamberg	59	785	–	–
Barnwell	81	1 991	–	–
Beaufort	3	45	–	–
Berkeley	8	106	1	(D)
Calhoun	5	18	1	(D)
Charleston	9	37	–	–
Chesterfield	49	1 430	1	(D)
Clarendon	6	15	–	–
Colleton	10	220	–	–
Darlington	17	179	–	–
Edgefield	4	11	–	–
Florence	8	4	–	–
Greenville	3	3	–	–
Greenwood	3	2	–	–
Hampton	41	897	–	–
Horry	9	12	–	–
Jasper	18	234	–	–
Kershaw	9	73	–	–
Lancaster	11	98	–	–
Laurens	5	7	–	–
Lee	9	25	–	–
Lexington	12	90	–	–
Marion	5	6	2	(D)
Oconee	4	1	–	–
Orangeburg	47	545	–	–
Pickens	5	25	–	–
Richland	7	33	–	–
Saluda	3	26	–	–
Spartanburg	37	202	–	–
Sumter	3	3	–	–
Union	4	7	–	–
Williamsburg	10	12	–	–
York	8	23	–	–
All other	6	14	–	–

Table 10. **Vegetables Harvested for Sale: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Green Peas, Including English, Excluding Green Cowpeas				
South Carolina, total	178	533	6	14
Abbeville	4	8	–	–
Aiken	17	73	–	–
Anderson	15	62	–	–
Bamberg	3	2	–	–
Berkeley	4	2	–	–
Calhoun	3	6	1	(D)
Charleston	3	38	–	–
Darlington	7	17	–	–
Dillon	5	12	2	(D)
Florence	9	10	–	–
Greenville	3	4	–	–
Greenwood	3	2	–	–
Horry	9	14	–	–
Laurens	3	6	–	–
Lee	6	21	–	–
Lexington	9	30	–	–
Marion	3	1	2	(D)
Orangeburg	32	146	–	–
Pickens	4	9	–	–
Spartanburg	8	18	1	(D)
Sumter	5	5	–	–
Williamsburg	9	3	–	–
All other	14	44	–	–
Snap Beans, Bush and Pole				
South Carolina, total	264	2 736	11	49
Abbeville	3	2	–	–
Aiken	7	4	–	–
Anderson	10	6	1	(D)
Berkeley	8	9	1	(D)
Calhoun	5	6	1	(D)
Charleston	20	1 085	–	–
Clarendon	5	6	–	–
Darlington	6	4	–	–
Dorchester	7	12	–	–
Florence	11	33	1	(D)
Greenville	19	730	2	(D)
Horry	11	35	–	–
Jasper	5	56	1	(D)
Lee	3	(Z)	–	–
Lexington	4	8	–	–
Marion	4	2	2	(D)
Newberry	3	10	–	–
Oconee	3	1	–	–
Orangeburg	57	257	–	–
Pickens	7	164	–	–
Spartanburg	13	12	–	–
Sumter	5	5	–	–
Williamsburg	30	241	2	(D)
All other	18	48	–	–
Beets				
South Carolina, total	7	43	1	(D)
All other	7	43	1	(D)
Head Cabbage				
South Carolina, total	65	665	6	8
Aiken	3	17	–	–
Beaufort	3	192	–	–
Charleston	12	340	–	–
Horry	7	23	2	6
Orangeburg	21	72	–	–
All other	19	21	4	2
Cantaloups and Persian Melons				
South Carolina, total	103	377	–	–
Aiken	7	31	–	–
Bamberg	21	77	–	–
Barnwell	25	125	–	–
Chesterfield	7	28	–	–
Darlington	3	3	–	–
Greenville	3	17	–	–
Orangeburg	13	51	–	–
Spartanburg	5	15	–	–
All other	19	29	–	–
Collards				
South Carolina, total	90	965	17	299
Aiken	8	33	–	–
Beaufort	4	186	–	–
Charleston	6	11	–	–
Darlington	4	42	–	–
Florence	3	1	–	–
Lexington	35	507	14	288
Orangeburg	9	109	1	(D)
Spartanburg	5	42	–	–
All other	16	35	2	(D)
Cowpeas, Blackeyed and Other Green Cowpeas				
South Carolina, total	24	83	–	–
Orangeburg	4	15	–	–
Spartanburg	3	6	–	–
All other	17	62	–	–
Eggplant				
South Carolina, total	7	64	3	2
Lexington	4	3	2	(D)
All other	3	61	1	(D)
Kale				
South Carolina, total	5	40	2	(D)
All other	5	40	2	(D)
Lima Beans				
South Carolina, total	91	272	–	–
Aiken	13	40	–	–
Bamberg	3	4	–	–
Clarendon	4	9	–	–
Darlington	4	3	–	–
Florence	3	1	–	–
Hampton	6	94	–	–
Horry	4	2	–	–
Lee	7	24	–	–
Marlboro	3	4	–	–
Orangeburg	22	60	–	–
Spartanburg	3	2	–	–
All other	19	29	–	–
Muskmelons				
South Carolina, total	4	8	–	–
Spartanburg	3	7	–	–
Mustard Greens				
South Carolina, total	40	229	12	88
Beaufort	3	72	–	–
Darlington	3	6	–	–
Florence	3	1	–	–
Lexington	15	118	10	88
Orangeburg	5	18	–	–
Spartanburg	3	5	–	–
All other	8	9	2	(Z)
Dry Onions				
South Carolina, total	4	4	–	–
All other	4	4	–	–
Green Onions				
South Carolina, total	23	100	7	64
Darlington	3	2	–	–
Lexington	13	89	5	64
Orangeburg	4	9	–	–
All other	3	(Z)	2	(Z)
Okra				
South Carolina, total	112	167	8	11
Aiken	10	26	–	–
Anderson	5	4	–	–
Barnwell	3	2	–	–
Berkeley	4	3	–	–
Charleston	3	6	–	–
Chesterfield	8	9	1	(D)
Darlington	5	2	–	–
Florence	3	1	–	–
Horry	5	2	1	(D)
Lee	8	14	–	–
Lexington	13	50	3	8
Orangeburg	9	5	–	–
Spartanburg	14	30	1	(D)
All other	22	13	2	(D)
Sweet Peppers				
South Carolina, total	22	47	4	17
Lexington	5	12	2	(D)
Orangeburg	12	33	1	(D)
All other	5	2	1	(D)

Table 10. **Vegetables Harvested for Sale: 1974**—Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Hot Peppers				
South Carolina, total	13	8	2	(D)
Lexington	6	4	1	(D)
Orangeburg	3	3	1	(D)
All other	4	1	–	–
Pumpkins				
South Carolina, total	6	32	–	–
Horry	3	16	–	–
All other	3	16	–	–
Spinach				
South Carolina, total	3	26	–	–
All other	3	26	–	–
Squash				
South Carolina, total	94	896	13	88
Aiken	4	2	–	–
Beaufort	11	463	–	–
Charleston	3	6	–	–
Greenville	3	50	2	(D)
Horry	3	11	1	(D)
Jasper	5	79	2	(D)
Lexington	26	164	5	41
Orangeburg	17	91	–	–
Spartanburg	6	16	–	–
All other	16	15	3	2
Turnips				
South Carolina, total	56	142	7	14
Charleston	3	4	–	–
Darlington	5	7	–	–
Horry	3	1	–	–
Lexington	12	32	5	14
Marion	4	1	2	(Z)
Orangeburg	6	25	–	–
Spartanburg	4	26	–	–
Sumter	3	(Z)	–	–
Williamsburg	3	1	–	–
All other	13	45	–	–
Turnip Greens				
South Carolina, total	37	277	8	92
Beaufort	3	115	–	–
Georgetown	6	5	–	–
Lexington	11	97	8	92
Spartanburg	6	44	–	–
All other	11	16	–	–
Other Vegetables				
South Carolina, total	14	52	2	(D)
Lexington	4	10	2	(D)
Orangeburg	5	29	–	–
All other	5	13	–	–

Table 11. **Fruits and Nuts: 1974**

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total			Nonbearing age		Bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Quantity
Dwarf and Semidwarf Apples (lb)									
South Carolina, total	65	1 587	182 220	28	36 415	56	145 805	51	11 320 621
Anderson	3	2	200	–	–	3	200	3	26 666
Oconee	19	646	81 084	13	17 530	17	63 554	17	4 699 120
Spartanburg	30	829	91 346	12	17 745	25	73 601	24	3 243 937
All other	13	110	9 590	3	1 140	11	8 450	7	3 350 898
Standard Apples (lb)									
South Carolina, total	72	1 166	68 167	16	3 213	66	64 954	61	6 618 057
Anderson	8	26	1 264	–	–	8	1 264	8	106 466
Fairfield	4	35	2 505	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	103 985
Lexington	3	7	500	–	–	3	500	2	(D)
Marlboro	3	2	77	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Oconee	27	716	40 254	4	1 660	26	38 594	26	5 015 600
Spartanburg	9	215	14 754	3	200	9	14 554	9	825 824
York	4	5	275	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
All other	14	159	8 538	4	1 121	12	7 417	9	561 680
Clingstone Peaches (lb)									
South Carolina, total	125	4 789	469 582	53	103 151	106	366 431	98	32 738 547
Allendale	3	171	19 161	–	–	3	19 161	3	1 034 783
Chesterfield	3	570	52 000	3	33 000	3	19 000	3	1 650 000
Edgefield	21	1 200	106 660	11	14 847	20	91 813	19	10 947 300
Lexington	20	315	38 491	12	11 700	11	26 791	10	2 056 383
Newberry	3	6	550	3	180	3	370	3	32 289
Orangeburg	8	552	54 700	3	9 500	7	45 200	7	3 442 980
Saluda	11	457	41 790	6	13 420	10	28 370	8	2 245 596
Spartanburg	41	977	98 065	11	14 384	36	83 681	36	7 920 605
York	5	64	5 815	–	–	5	5 815	4	966 795
All other	10	480	52 350	4	6 120	8	46 230	5	2 441 816
Freestone Peaches (lb)									
South Carolina, total	347	24 728	2 272 154	151	597 059	318	1 675 095	306	158 284 254
Aiken	3	247	26 447	1	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Allendale	3	603	60 948	2	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)
Barnwell	4	852	90 046	2	(D)	4	(D)	4	2 586 757
Cherokee	8	2 259	227 144	3	36 200	8	190 944	8	24 031 820
Chesterfield	13	2 050	191 552	6	92 900	12	98 652	12	8 719 220
Edgefield	30	5 403	479 419	20	158 630	26	320 789	24	31 601 790
Greenville	13	733	73 267	6	14 700	13	58 567	12	4 132 920
Lexington	26	335	32 966	8	8 150	21	24 816	19	3 065 999
Orangeburg	14	538	53 914	10	11 680	13	42 234	13	6 138 219
Saluda	18	1 433	124 526	8	50 630	15	73 896	14	6 487 710
Spartanburg	177	8 471	758 696	68	112 982	167	645 714	165	62 227 830
Sumter	3	1 201	92 575	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	4 251 904
York	20	345	35 775	5	4 500	17	31 275	17	2 641 288
All other	15	258	24 879	10	14 302	13	10 577	12	694 797

Table 11. **Fruits and Nuts: 1974** — Continued

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Total			Nonbearing age		Bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Trees or vines	Farms	Quantity
Bartlett Pears (lb)									
South Carolina, total	11	197	12 751	8	279	8	12 472	6	899 584
All other	11	197	12 751	8	279	8	12 472	6	899 584
Pears, Excluding Bartlett (lb)									
South Carolina, total	10	71	6 914	4	547	6	6 367	5	3 020
All other	10	71	6 914	4	547	6	6 367	5	3 020
Grapes (tons, fresh)									
South Carolina, total	56	1 488	514 299	26	146 280	44	368 019	40	2 423
Chesterfield	6	382	136 445	5	54 900	3	81 545	2	194
Lexington	4	25	6 760	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	10
Spartanburg	18	662	199 111	9	30 000	17	169 111	16	1 360
York	10	237	84 560	1	(D)	10	(D)	10	701
All other	18	182	87 423	9	51 340	11	36 083	9	158
Plums (tons, fresh)									
South Carolina, total	27	43	3 562	11	1 262	18	2 300	12	30
Lexington	9	10	830	2	(D)	7	(D)	4	7
Spartanburg	13	27	2 280	5	775	9	1 505	6	21
All other	5	6	452	4	(D)	2	(D)	2	2
Improved Pecans (lb)									
South Carolina, total	193	2 119	27 891	33	4 476	176	23 415	133	295 939
Abbeville	7	102	1 370	1	(D)	7	(D)	4	5 270
Aiken	6	67	785	–	–	6	785	4	9 710
Anderson	5	13	192	–	–	5	192	4	3 600
Bamberg	7	52	948	1	(D)	7	(D)	7	26 900
Barnwell	6	48	980	–	–	6	980	4	2 040
Beaufort	9	225	3 185	5	1 460	7	1 725	5	17 470
Calhoun	8	54	678	1	(D)	8	(D)	8	4 230
Chester	4	25	425	–	–	4	425	1	(D)
Chesterfield	4	69	665	–	–	4	665	2	(D)
Clarendon	8	52	549	2	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)
Darlington	5	81	1 062	–	–	5	1 062	5	2 300
Dillon	7	99	1 434	2	(D)	5	(D)	4	6 189
Dorchester	6	14	214	2	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)
Florence	13	58	883	–	–	13	883	11	24 578
Greenwood	4	30	391	1	(D)	4	(D)	4	2 700
Hampton	13	155	2 688	4	1 160	12	1 528	11	36 382
Laurens	4	16	145	2	(D)	4	(D)	4	2 750
Lee	5	55	802	1	(D)	5	(D)	3	995
Marion	7	53	644	1	(D)	6	(D)	5	12 136
Orangeburg	12	61	806	–	–	12	806	10	3 130
Saluda	8	131	1 620	2	(D)	8	(D)	8	57 900
Sumter	8	275	2 350	2	(D)	6	(D)	2	(D)
Williamsburg	10	72	1 136	2	(D)	8	(D)	4	8 594
York	4	68	1 279	–	–	4	1 279	4	17 598
All other	23	246	2 660	4	220	20	2 440	16	24 481
Wild and Seedling Pecans (lb)									
South Carolina, total	33	652	6 036	4	1 410	31	4 626	23	132 015
Horry	3	9	140	–	–	3	140	2	400
Marlboro	3	15	104	–	–	3	104	3	1 200
Orangeburg	4	52	391	–	–	4	391	3	13 610
All other	23	576	5 401	4	1 410	21	3 991	15	116 805

Table 12. Forest Products—Sales: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Standing Timber or Trees		
South Carolina, total	748	6 913
Abbeville	15	57
Aiken	21	76
Allendale	7	16
Anderson	20	23
Bamberg	22	101
Barnwell	15	55
Berkeley	14	589
Calhoun	15	114
Charleston	3	281
Cherokee	6	1
Chester	21	60
Chesterfield	9	38
Clarendon	12	210
Colleton	36	148
Darlington	17	187
Dillon	10	181
Dorchester	14	237
Edgefield	11	181
Fairfield	13	242
Florence	38	603
Georgetown	11	93
Greenville	6	10
Greenwood	12	185
Hampton	15	169
Horry	51	275
Jasper	3	172
Kershaw	8	169
Lancaster	24	93
Laurens	18	76
Lee	11	92
Lexington	18	87
Marion	4	49
Marlboro	6	34
Newberry	35	340
Oconee	19	49
Orangeburg	50	235
Pickens	11	60
Richland	14	38
Saluda	30	279
Spartanburg	7	33
Sumter	12	77
Union	8	52
Williamsburg	49	829
York	4	3
All other	3	12
Firewood and Fuelwood		
South Carolina, total	54	15

	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Firewood and Fuelwood—Con.		
Abbeville	4	1
Chester	4	(Z)
Fairfield	3	1
Greenwood	4	1
Horry	4	(Z)
Lancaster	5	1
Lexington	4	(Z)
All other	26	10
Saw Logs and Veneer Logs		
South Carolina, total	200	1 119
Abbeville	5	11
Anderson	9	10
Bamberg	6	19
Calhoun	5	75
Chester	5	11
Clarendon	6	22
Colleton	15	103
Dorchester	7	30
Fairfield	4	56
Florence	10	38
Greenwood	6	35
Horry	8	27
Kershaw	6	41
Laurens	11	121
Lee	4	1
Marion	4	30
Newberry	13	113
Oconee	5	2
Orangeburg	10	74
Pickens	4	6
Saluda	8	37
Spartanburg	5	3
Sumter	4	10
Williamsburg	3	23
York	8	22
All other	29	202
Pulpwood		
South Carolina, total	730	1 608
Abbeville	38	65
Aiken	14	14
Allendale	11	57
Anderson	28	26
Bamberg	15	54

	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Pulpwood—Con.		
Barnwell	22	97
Berkeley	4	51
Calhoun	23	31
Charleston	5	32
Cherokee	9	7
Chester	26	35
Chesterfield	23	81
Clarendon	17	47
Colleton	21	77
Darlington	12	48
Dillon	7	9
Dorchester	10	19
Edgefield	11	37
Fairfield	23	59
Florence	5	9
Georgetown	10	6
Greenville	16	14
Greenwood	28	44
Hampton	14	18
Horry	18	51
Jasper	5	7
Kershaw	11	9
Lancaster	17	35
Laurens	32	70
Lee	9	18
Lexington	14	16
McCormick	5	16
Marion	9	16
Marlboro	5	10
Newberry	27	28
Oconee	15	12
Orangeburg	55	104
Pickens	7	6
Richland	8	37
Saluda	26	80
Spartanburg	3	1
Sumter	12	17
Union	11	26
Williamsburg	27	17
York	20	89
Other Forest Products		
South Carolina, total	25	30
Abbeville	3	1
Florence	3	1
Horry	3	6
Lexington	3	3
All other	13	19

Table 13. Nursery and Greenhouse Products: 1974

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over

	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in open	Value of sales($1,000)
Nursery Products				
South Carolina, total	85	(X)	922	3 485
Bamberg	3	(X)	32	94
Berkeley	3	(X)	205	724
Charleston	9	(X)	97	483
Chesterfield	4	(X)	11	51
Florence	5	(X)	14	216
Greenville	4	(X)	12	37
Greenwood	3	(X)	4	40
Lexington	5	(X)	14	59
Orangeburg	4	(X)	181	283
Pickens	5	(X)	100	300
Richland	5	(X)	17	63
Spartanburg	8	(X)	89	463
York	3	(X)	7	29
All other	24	(X)	140	643
Sod Harvested				
South Carolina, total	3	(X)	19	21
All other	3	(X)	19	21
Bulbs				
South Carolina, total	6	(X)	8	9
All other	6	(X)	8	9
Cut Flowers, Florist Greens, and Potted, Bedding, or Other Florist Plants				
South Carolina, total	85	1 120 350	21	2 033
Aiken	4	7 500	(Z)	8
Cut Flowers, Florist Greens, and Potted, Bedding, or Other Florist Plants—Con.				
Anderson	8	81 800	1	176
Charleston	5	6 992	3	27
Cherokee	3	13 450	(Z)	19
Chesterfield	6	23 208	–	31
Dillon	3	6 400	(Z)	13
Greenville	10	148 000	1	421
Laurens	4	18 150	–	41
Lexington	3	6 275	2	16
Orangeburg	7	37 740	8	67
Pickens	3	125 120	–	255
Richland	5	55 475	1	67
Spartanburg	5	343 040	–	355
All other	19	247 200	5	538
Flower Seeds, Vegetable Seeds, and Vegetable Plants				
South Carolina, total	42	262 428	31	426
Aiken	5	12 500	2	12
Anderson	4	7 024	6	14
Greenville	4	5 040	(Z)	17
Oconee	5	33 120	–	74
Spartanburg	3	138 040	–	89
All other	21	66 704	23	220
Tomatoes Grown Under Glass or Other Protection				
South Carolina, total	8	10 620	(X)	20
All other	8	10 620	(X)	20

Table 14. Farm Operators by Selected Racial and Ethnic Group: 1974

	Farm operators	
	All farms	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over
Black		
South Carolina, total	4 578	2 149
Abbeville	20	16
Aiken	113	36
Allendale	68	37
Anderson	53	20
Bamberg	44	24
Barnwell	72	35
Beaufort	50	15
Berkeley	264	68
Calhoun	60	24
Charleston	42	19
Cherokee	10	5
Chester	30	8
Chesterfield	57	18
Clarendon	297	174
Colleton	81	38
Darlington	129	96
Dillon	87	74
Dorchester	151	55
Edgefield	38	14
Fairfield	49	9
Florence	352	272
Georgetown	116	37
Black—Con.		
Greenville	32	8
Greenwood	14	3
Hampton	50	13
Horry	174	123
Jasper	93	30
Kershaw	38	11
Lancaster	29	2
Laurens	48	12
Lee	102	59
Lexington	21	6
McCormick	15	–
Marion	133	96
Marlboro	48	22
Newberry	21	3
Oconee	13	–
Orangeburg	402	156
Richland	96	45
Saluda	43	10
Spartanburg	24	2
Sumter	293	121
Union	33	7
Williamsburg	656	317
York	15	7
American Indian		
South Carolina, total	18	9
Aiken	5	1
Horry	3	1
Marlboro	3	1
All other	7	6
Spanish Origin		
South Carolina, total	6	2
Berkeley	4	–
Japanese, Chinese, and Filipino		
South Carolina, total	5	1
Orangeburg	4	–
Others		
South Carolina, total	5	1
Spartanburg	3	–

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	29 275	39 559	17 513	17 413
Land in farms — acres	6 177 024	6 991 718	5 164 205	5 207 523
Average size of farm — acres	211	177	295	299
Approximate land area — acres	19 344 832	19 344 832	19 344 832	19 344 832
Proportion in farms — percent	31.9	36.1	26.7	26.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	2 886 776	1 826 499	2 344 458	1 317 183
Average per farm — dollars	98 609	46 171	133 870	75 643
Average per acre — dollars	467	261	454	253
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	1 689	2 479	575	562
10 to 49 acres	7 677	12 129	3 123	2 949
50 to 69 acres	3 253	4 467	1 611	1 532
70 to 99 acres	3 424	4 577	1 884	1 775
100 to 139 acres	3 309	4 055	2 127	1 944
140 to 179 acres	1 956	2 506	1 329	1 367
180 to 219 acres	1 401	1 777	1 069	1 121
220 to 259 acres	1 102	1 302	851	897
260 to 499 acres	2 774	3 373	2 404	2 624
500 to 999 acres	1 631	1 875	1 522	1 662
1,000 to 1,999 acres	747	733	721	702
2,000 acres and over	312	286	297	278

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	28 074	37 634	17 016	16 979
acres	3 201 239	3 439 927	2 791 406	2 742 709
Harvested cropland — farms	24 757	32 189	16 356	16 264
acres	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 146 630	1 831 568
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	5 554	9 703	1 397	
10 to 19 acres	4 621	6 786	1 949	8 585
20 to 29 acres	3 026	3 874	1 942	
30 to 49 acres	3 440	3 850	3 039	
50 to 99 acres	3 313	3 553	3 237	3 269
100 to 199 acres	2 115	2 087	2 112	2 081
200 to 499 acres	1 785	1 600	1 780	1 597
500 to 999 acres	600	558	598	555
1,000 acres and over	303	178	302	177
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	13 070	16 532	6 525	6 815
acres	704 222	693 911	453 791	434 207
Other cropland (see text) — farms	6 842	18 423	4 495	(NA)
acres	246 065	704 261	190 985	476 934
Total woodland — farms	18 220	26 695	11 002	12 272
acres	2 211 837	2 747 307	1 779 080	1 972 620
Other land (see text) — farms	19 281	26 024	11 546	(NA)
acres	763 948	804 484	593 719	492 194
Irrigated land — farms	446	675	323	594
acres	10 335	15 003	9 429	14 374

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	4 495	(NA)
acres	190 985	476 934
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1 251	2 006
acres	45 039	91 312
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	660	1 202
acres	20 509	39 429
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	476	931
acres	20 158	42 262
Cropland idle — farms	2 716	6 968
acres	105 279	303 931
Total woodland — farms	11 002	12 272
acres	1 779 080	1 972 620
Woodland pastured — farms	4 808	5 152
acres	537 290	537 075
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	8 342	9 530
acres	1 241 790	1 435 545
Other land — farms	11 546	(NA)
acres	593 719	492 194
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	2 790	2 434
acres	309 531	247 821
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 972	1 489
acres	164 597	149 537
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	1 065	1 252
acres	144 934	98 284
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	10 843	10 493
acres	284 188	244 373

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	29 275	39 559	17 513	17 413
Land in farms — acres	6 177 024	6 991 718	5 164 205	5 207 523
Harvested cropland — acres	2 250 952	2 041 755	2 146 630	1 831 568
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	18 589	25 210	8 921	7 866
Land in farms — acres	3 059 228	3 672 307	2 196 108	2 194 804
Harvested cropland — acres	599 196	575 357	519 807	431 190
Part owners — number	7 884	9 452	6 474	6 696
Land in farms — acres	2 721 197	2 895 687	2 604 266	2 669 383
Harvested cropland — acres	1 419 155	1 250 256	1 401 405	1 209 312
Tenants — number	2 802	4 897	2 118	2 851
Land in farms — acres	396 599	423 724	363 831	343 336
Harvested cropland — acres	232 601	216 142	225 418	191 066
Percent of tenancy	9.6	12.3	12.1	16.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	4 606	9 535	2 160	2 502
Land in farms — acres	305 619	547 398	209 124	250 808
Harvested cropland — acres	124 921	176 148	104 462	109 616
Full owners — number	2 960	5 595	1 077	836
Land in farms — acres	160 608	310 371	83 429	91 574
Harvested cropland — acres	43 205	66 486	28 365	27 801
Part owners — number	1 104	1 919	758	812
Land in farms — acres	113 841	169 674	101 198	122 734
Harvested cropland — acres	64 836	72 988	61 183	58 297
Tenants — number	542	2 021	325	854
Land in farms — acres	31 170	67 353	24 497	36 500
Harvested cropland — acres	16 880	36 674	14 914	23 518
Percent of tenancy	11.8	21.1	15.0	34.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	15 867	14 920
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 216 261	4 054 936

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	1 356	1 997
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	636 051	825 422
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	247	358
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	271 409	284 282
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	43	138
acres	(NA)	(NA)	40 484	42 883
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	418	481	293	224
25 to 34 years	2 466	2 855	1 557	1 536
35 to 44 years	4 378	6 635	2 752	3 424
45 to 54 years	7 466	10 928	4 459	5 191
55 to 64 years	8 097	10 715	4 827	4 818
65 years and over	6 137	7 945	3 335	2 220
Average age	53.4	53.1	52.7	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	17 214	27 223	10 340	12 677
On another farm	1 239		807	
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 329	7 295	772	3 091
In a city, town, or urban area	2 382		1 418	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	9 424	(NA)	6 765	(NA)
1 to 49 days	1 375	2 775	673	1 251
50 to 99 days	944	1 947	462	926
100 to 149 days	873	3 469	492	1 093
150 to 199 days	1 215		645	
200 days and over	10 077	14 309	4 211	4 220
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	15 659	(NA)	11 905	(NA)
Other	13 303	(NA)	5 318	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	433	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	1 547	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	1 508	1 900	1 502	1 900
$40,000 to $99,999	2 271		2 264	
$20,000 to $39,999	2 594	2 129	2 590	2 129
$10,000 to $19,999	3 262	3 233	3 262	3 233
$5,000 to $9,999	3 885	4 575	3 882	4 575
$2,500 to $4,999	3 666	5 016	3 665	4 992
Under $2,500 (see text)	12 089	22 706	348	584
$2,000 to $2,499	1 658	2 001	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	2 096	2 431	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	2 502	3 385	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	5 833	14 889	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	676 496	362 215	661 349	342 932
Average per farm (dollars)	23 108	9 156	37 763	19 694
Crops, including hay (farms)	20 876	27 541	15 026	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	453 831	204 961	447 174	191 914
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	247		186	124
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	6 051		5 993	3 255
Forest products (farms)	2 011	2 519	1 560	1 746
Forest products ($1,000)	10 032	6 991	9 685	6 472
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	16 684	20 792	9 421	10 193
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	206 582	150 263	198 497	141 290
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	1 206	(NA)	916	1 231
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	88 394	(NA)	88 151	59 727

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	15 026	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	447 174	191 914
Grains (farms)	13 015	11 775
Grains ($1,000)	192 331	54 259
Tobacco (farms)	5 859	8 122
Tobacco ($1,000)	139 951	82 308
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	2 243	5 422
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	61 314	23 310
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	1 457	1 525
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	5 838	3 771
Other field crops (farms)	631	830
Other field crops ($1,000)	6 627	3 405
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	1 182	1 474
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	15 004	10 834
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	516	772
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	26 110	14 028
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	9 421	10 193
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	198 497	141 290
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	916	1 231
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	88 151	59 727
Dairy products (farms)	484	821
Dairy products ($1,000)	41 620	31 124
Cattle and calves (farms)	6 268	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	34 360	30 085
Hogs and pigs (farms)	4 391	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	33 578	20 355
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	16	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	9	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	242	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	779	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	12 672	(NA)	4 198	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	7 317	(NA)	4 539	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	14 297	(NA)	12 338	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	2 034	2 711	1 465	1 688
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	6 158	4 370	5 582	3 778
Recreational services (farms)	268	495	193	250
Recreational services ($1,000)	316	534	263	399
Government farm programs (farms)	3 308	18 866	2 025	9 502
Government farm programs ($1,000)	2 086	34 829	1 704	30 524
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	2 723	(NA)	1 603	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	4 734	(NA)	3 833	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	384	(NA)	314	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	1 004	(NA)	955	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	2 283	(NA)	1 447	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	4 817	(NA)	4 150	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	9 461
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	101 763
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	1 912
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	21 760
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	6 527
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	64 519
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	2 942
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	8 400
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	1 678
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	4 779
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	792
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	2 305

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	29 226	39 559	17 513	17 413
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	509 937	319 907	492 240	295 569
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	6 712	14 546	579	2 037
$1,000 to $1,999	5 021	6 915	1 589	
$2,000 to $2,999	2 920	3 677	1 749	2 028
$3,000 to $4,999	3 379	4 128	2 655	3 343
$5,000 to $9,999	3 733	4 222	3 500	3 952
$10,000 to $19,999	2 832	6 071	2 828	2 777
$20,000 to $39,999	1 991		1 989	1 634
$40,000 to $59,999	827		823	1 642
$60,000 and over	1 811		1 801	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	8 095	11 156	4 519	5 488
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	30 450	26 649	28 671	24 656
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	16 033	19 413	8 294	8 765
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	96 996	54 515	93 455	51 747
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	11 839	12 354	7 182	7 157
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	80 906	45 566	79 406	44 230
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	2 418	1 980
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5 019	2 802
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	2 529	1 953
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8 240	3 938
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	905	1 198
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	791	777
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4 352	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	1 959	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	16 400	25 896	11 911	14 091
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	13 464	7 391	13 060	6 592
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	24 422	34 134	15 302	16 307
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	84 760	44 546	81 099	40 259
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	12 461	(NA)	9 682	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	31 020	15 980	30 653	15 184
Lime (farms)	(NA)	6 212	2 807	3 947
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	2 045	3 309	1 812
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	27 999	37 571	17 061	17 341
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	33 816	24 433	31 814	21 031
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	15 437	16 553
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	13 191	10 402
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	10 026	7 076
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	9 434	4 021
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	2 518	4 220
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2 757	2 118
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	17 060	17 327
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	6 432	4 491
Hired farm labor (farms)	10 834	21 539	8 400	13 395
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	53 247	46 003	51 773	43 283
Contract labor (farms)	1 195	17 633	862	1 204
Contract labor ($1,000)	5 024	12 006	4 935	4 348
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	11 610		8 404	9 521
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	10 713		10 121	6 420
All other production expenses (farms)	26 002	31 121	17 402	17 248
All other production expenses ($1,000)	150 446	88 384	144 700	82 049

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	27 362	36 656	16 120	16 853
$1,000	449 233	261 675	365 452	198 168
Average per farm — dollars	16 418	7 138	22 671	11 758
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	352	4 499	134	7 013
$1,000 to $4,999	6 501	18 722	2 729	
$5,000 to $9,999	8 307	6 664	3 201	4 047
$10,000 to $19,999	5 567	3 696	3 858	2 960
$20,000 to $29,999	2 841	3 075	2 533	1 234
$30,000 to $49,999	2 193		2 092	833
$50,000 to $69,999	781		760	766
$70,000 and over	820		813	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	20 953	27 039	12 454	12 768
number	28 688	36 224	17 941	17 609
mfd in last 5 years, number	13 906	22 156	10 606	12 006
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	22 529	25 571	13 949	13 713
number	33 651	35 314	24 287	22 084
mfd in last 5 years, number	12 222	18 342	10 367	12 257
Wheel tractors — farms	23 653	28 740	14 391	14 810
number	44 236	50 115	33 039	32 014
mfd in last 5 years, number	11 966	20 190	10 742	14 697
Crawler tractors — farms	955		674	665
number	1 085		785	849
mfd in last 5 years, number	127		109	334

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	4 114	3 859	3 886	3 404
number	4 706	4 483	4 460	4 011
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 759	2 790	1 736	2 595
Corn heads for combines — farms	2 114	2 757	2 032	1 620
number	2 285	3 261	2 192	1 803
mfd in last 5 years, number	907	1 942	892	1 311
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	1 313		1 129	1 029
number	1 351		1 166	1 113
mfd in last 5 years, number	240		228	498
Mower conditioners — farms	2 292	(NA)	1 599	(NA)
number	2 471	(NA)	1 717	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	814	(NA)	649	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	3 590	3 726	2 675	2 700
number	3 719	3 857	2 786	2 819
mfd in last 5 years, number	957	1 798	794	1 388
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	1 611	(NA)	1 228	1 392
number	1 650	(NA)	1 260	1 466
mfd in last 5 years, number	404	(NA)	348	768
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	882	(NA)	751	739
number	1 075	(NA)	927	887
mfd in last 5 years, number	328	(NA)	296	477

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	18 826	(X)	10 202	(X)	16 684	(X)	9 421	(X)	198 497
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	17 503	(X)	9 446	(X)	15 807	(X)	8 984	(X)	67 947
1969	23 659	(X)	10 256	(X)	19 688	(X)	9 620	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	13 825	589 827	7 058	458 359	11 811	219 844	6 268	181 631	34 360
1969	16 600	515 832	6 923	398 683	13 025	248 596	6 169	202 586	30 085
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	1 676	4 144	763	1 790	3 488	8 897	1 129	2 812	521
5 to 9 — 1974	1 684	11 479	565	3 871	2 866	19 006	1 086	7 288	1 258
10 to 19 — 1974	3 195	43 879	1 008	13 816	2 641	34 538	1 379	18 822	3 324
20 to 49 — 1974	4 138	126 585	1 989	63 186	1 953	57 677	1 820	54 641	9 123
50 to 99 — 1974	1 807	119 699	1 418	95 977	587	38 130	583	37 883	6 758
100 to 199 — 1974	838	112 450	835	111 929	187	24 589	185	24 272	4 452
200 to 499 — 1974	415	118 906	411	117 622	76	22 174	73	21 080	4 683
500 and over — 1974	72	52 685	69	50 168	13	14 833	13	14 833	4 241
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	11 758	326 893	6 281	252 937	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	13 173	255 816	6 080	205 490	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	10 557	279 175	5 537	208 538	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	199 338	4 991	154 071	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	2 478	47 718	1 377	44 399	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	3 866	56 478	1 776	51 419	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	484	(X)	41 620
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	821	(X)	31 124

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	10 557	279 175	5 537	208 538
Farms with —				
1 to 4	1 503	3 915	647	1 595
5 to 9	1 939	13 187	668	4 542
10 to 19	2 798	37 835	1 109	15 257
20 to 49	3 015	88 219	1 893	57 156
50 to 99	856	55 703	780	51 344
100 to 199	330	42 261	327	41 873
200 to 499	103	28 893	100	27 609
500 and over	13	9 162	13	9 162
Milk cows	2 478	47 718	1 377	44 399
Farms with —				
1 or 2	1 449	1 987	674	905
3 or 4	339	1 156	144	482
5 to 9	208	1 306	100	624
10 to 19	55	631	38	458
20 to 49	110	3 700	109	3 659
50 to 99	143	9 992	141	9 864
100 to 199	133	17 425	131	17 130
200 to 499	39	(D)	38	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	4 640	95 470	24 833
Farms with —			
1 to 4	1 359	3 266	756
5 to 9	993	6 531	1 505
10 to 19	1 052	13 863	3 184
20 to 49	902	26 353	6 159
50 to 99	210	13 833	3 679
100 to 199	79	10 797	2 764
200 to 499	37	10 517	3 204
500 and over	8	10 310	3 584
Calves sold	4 333	86 161	9 527
Farms with —			
1 or 2	615	874	102
3 or 4	439	1 546	182
5 to 9	869	5 809	666
10 to 19	1 047	14 038	1 615
20 to 49	1 021	30 248	3 248
50 to 99	245	15 715	1 702
100 to 199	71	9 132	963
200 to 499	22	5 874	654
500 and over	4	2 925	396

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	4 504	100 325
	1969	5 149	101 255
Beef heifers	1974	4 078	78 069
Milk heifers	1974	628	22 256
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	5 181	105 097
	1969	5 807	91 938

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	830	23 179	7 370
	1969	381	21 919	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	452	1 727	411
10 to 19	1974	168	2 192	539
20 to 49	1974	142	4 060	1 006
50 to 99	1974	38	2 444	671
100 to 199	1974	13	1 758	562
200 to 499	1974	12	3 341	1 196
500 and over	1974	5	7 657	2 985

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	7 654	345 282	4 820	315 752	6 129	533 466	4 391	504 788	33 578
	1969	13 132	414 291	6 379	341 138	10 106	534 342	5 762	463 956	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	1 870	4 569	743	1 900	638	1 566	289	752	52
5 to 9	1974	1 299	8 674	678	4 605	794	5 446	387	2 666	162
10 to 24	1974	2 082	31 434	1 254	19 190	1 785	28 203	1 119	18 060	1 074
25 to 49	1974	1 131	38 131	917	31 435	1 167	39 470	910	31 304	1 991
50 to 99	1974	635	40 875	594	38 483	786	53 086	735	49 677	3 136
100 to 199	1974	322	40 923	321	40 727	480	63 462	476	62 928	4 034
200 to 499	1974	221	64 571	220	64 098	298	87 853	298	87 853	5 908
500 and over	1974	94	116 105	93	115 314	181	254 380	177	251 548	17 221
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1 421	82 758	866	73 433	1 670
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2 252	81 432	1 061	61 339	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	41	950	19	601	21	369	16	265	(NA)
	1969	100	1 615	49	924	55	1 052	33	638	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	13	389	[1]2 473
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	(X)	9
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	41	456	(NA)	(NA)	8	49	1
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	222	1 526	(NA)	(NA)	28	241	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	3 111	10 319	1 470	6 163	300	1 081	170	803	652
	1969	4 868	15 246	(NA)	(NA)	509	1 794	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	3 408	42 158
	1969	4 586	48 131
Other hogs and pigs	1974	4 619	273 594
	1969	5 971	293 007
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	15	201
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	17	318
Rams and wethers	1974	19	82

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	5 234	68 469	3 666	63 396
	1969	8 949	70 593	4 896	57 716
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	4 480	35 568	3 246	32 783
	1969	7 722	36 539	4 374	29 288
June 1 and November 30	1974	3 929	32 901	2 888	30 613
	1969	6 616	34 054	4 019	28 428

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	4 553	(X)	2 367	(X)	844	(X)	715	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	3 032	(X)	(NA)	(X)	993	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	4 295	6 203 860	2 176	6 139 609	590	7 216 854	479	7 176 952
	1969	7 443	6 835 645	2 823	6 692 353	936	6 204 664	687	6 139 520
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	4 072	5 209 786	2 073	5 152 407	528	4 204 431	422	4 164 983
	1969	6 899	5 668 618	2 653	5 545 619	852	3 987 632	624	3 928 930
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	3 660	78 503	1 688	40 197	175	4 401	82	2 101
100 to 399	1974	113	17 858	88	13 698	47	8 878	42	8 270
400 to 1,599	1974	46	34 930	46	34 930	53	40 023	51	37 803
1,600 to 3,199	1974	30	68 190	29	66 390	29	67 429	26	61 264
3,200 to 9,999	1974	59	384 269	59	384 269	90	566 939	88	548 784
10,000 to 19,999	1974	85	1 166 546	84	1 153 433	73	1 000 000	72	990 000
20,000 to 49,999	1974	61	1 777 128	61	1 777 128	47	1 346 961	47	1 346 961
50,000 to 99,999	1974	13	860 362	13	860 362	10	574 800	10	574 800
100,000 and over	1974	5	822 000	5	822 000	4	595 000	4	595 000
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	580	4 439 636	285	4 435 681	193	20 674 220	172	20 673 651
	1969	447	4 186 065	229	4 182 119	243	23 425 555	235	23 410 829
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1 206	88 394	916	88 151
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1 231	59 727

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	2 073	5 152 407	422	4 164 983
	1969	2 653	5 545 619	624	3 928 930
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	2 019	4 883 621	390	3 794 566
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	213	268 786	44	370 417
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	159	951 425	54	2 974 718
	1969	334	1 102 708	64	2 178 362
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	902	35 777	53	37 251
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	69	659 050	9	85 094
Turkeys	1974	65	701 193	71	2 562 624
	1969	116	287 321	71	1 718 691
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	54	669 638	65	2 534 774
Heavy breed	1974	51	643 381	62	2 309 774
Light breed	1974	5	26 257	8	225 000
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	28	31 555	7	27 850
	1969	88	64 359	11	62 825
Other poultry	1974	73	(X)	19	(X)
	1969	214	(X)	42	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	14 443	18 706	494 094	435 732	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1 110	940	30 513	21 392	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	13 439	14 038	1 081 703	851 524	21 516 524	18 613 432
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	607	955	13 642	13 238	27 453 846	20 927 584
Wheat (bushels)	2 633	3 372	101 057	64 905	2 688 032	2 165 011
Other small grains for grain	3 021	3 785	82 700	93 794	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	2 509	10 161	256 082	300 240	265 454	236 417
Tobacco (pounds)	6 632	10 784	71 099	69 246	146 343 457	129 169 001
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	679	(NA)	805	(NA)	95 216	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1 138	(NA)	1 838	(NA)	339 418	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	7 119	7 846	157 401	151 046	309 783	293 363
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2 089	3 168	28 255	46 033	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1 066	1 620	38 252	37 597	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	48	121	96	206	(X)	(X)
Other crops	751	(NA)	14 350	30 832	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	9 597	9 665	421 863	331 390	27 120 878	17 403 583	36	30	1 419	552
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	596	684	35 694	38 268	485 866	452 045	3	8	71	212
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	341	490	4 835	6 356	(X)	(X)	–	1	–	5
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	493	257	16 010	9 016	643 076	365 777	2	–	41	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	357	(NA)	12 188	10 073	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	156	113	4 350	2 037	10 074	4 024	1	–	40	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	6 525	453 791	(X)	6	296	2 521	174 918	2 227	29 712	850	9 791
	1969	6 815	434 207	(X)	21	1 169	3 699	222 770	3 408	52 455	1 078	12 555
Improved pasture	1974	1 972	164 597	(X)	3	22	768	59 476	695	10 351	230	2 963
	1969	1 489	149 537	(X)	4	971	799	75 969	738	16 554	230	4 306
Corn for all purposes	1974	9 934	462 392	(X)	37	1 490	7 765	395 127	7 341	101 042	3 625	40 426
	1969	10 107	376 014	(X)	39	769	7 709	313 402	7 382	90 594	3 047	34 314
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	784	28 198	(X)	2	41	583	21 307	513	4 497	251	1 637
	1969	550	19 089	(X)	–	–	492	16 930	443	3 953	198	1 453
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2 194	98 010	2 620 050	2	36	1 692	85 313	1 449	16 494	649	4 862
	1969	2 230	58 692	2 008 210	6	100	1 904	52 900	(NA)	12 302	(NA)	3 387
Oats (bushels)	1974	1 566	36 150	1 821 753	2	10	1 149	29 760	960	5 222	449	2 014
	1969	1 907	51 716	2 379 876	6	24	1 561	44 974	(NA)	8 883	(NA)	3 005
Barley (bushels)	1974	472	12 974	561 804	–	–	352	11 036	292	1 887	139	778
	1969	369	11 533	544 763	–	–	318	9 756	(NA)	2 233	(NA)	706
Rye (bushels)	1974	748	27 318	557 170	2	7	526	21 517	419	3 571	245	1 405
	1969	700	21 595	514 630	1	4	588	18 395	(NA)	3 240	(NA)	1 220
Other small grains for grain	1974	74	1 184	(X)	–	–	42	826	36	147	10	30
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	11 093	1 056 929	21 129 937	30	561	6 376	742 189	5 989	119 548	486	9 724
	1969	9 243	791 201	17 487 491	19	384	6 014	563 267	(NA)	98 583	(NA)	6 424
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	323	13 274	27 103 222	4	140	186	11 436	178	3 456	10	228
	1969	429	12 430	20 179 358	4	10	290	10 400	(NA)	2 766	(NA)	262
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	4 172	123 978	263 166	5	127	1 926	65 171	1 615	14 891	896	6 916
	1969	3 854	115 551	246 658	16	397	1 787	62 242	1 560	14 811	729	6 360
Field seed crops	1974	193	9 621	(X)	–	–	98	5 732	77	1 149	37	284
	1969	423	13 728	(X)	–	–	198	5 687	164	1 130	68	276
Cotton (bales)	1974	2 261	254 766	264 448	11	713	2 080	252 758	1 960	74 105	735	15 252
	1969	5 706	274 853	219 888	17	275	5 289	270 499	(NA)	93 190	(NA)	21 332
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	5 867	70 315	145 287 632	122	1 789	5 867	69 932	5 830	71 482	224	710
	1969	8 126	66 230	125 044 095	382	4 537	8 126	65 570	(NA)	67 838	(NA)	384
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	320	680	80 928	3	106	132	572	131	401	6	113
	1969	298	468	48 994	5	2	163	441	(NA)	373	(NA)	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1 262	26 397	(X)	53	1 318	786	20 416	769	12 857	90	1 021
	1969	1 575	41 300	(X)	72	2 367	1 199	36 048	1 166	19 610	154	2 428
Land in orchards	1974	693	36 858	(X)	20	2 154	380	28 644	373	9 528	22	392
	1969	929	35 183	(X)	39	2 706	685	32 974	669	12 163	36	1 284

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	18	64	(X)	4	23	5	38	5	8	–	–
	1969	50	141	(X)	12	44	21	58	21	29	2	(Z)
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	186	1 033	(X)	87	526	116	933	105	375	29	6
	1969	126	1 119	(X)	46	459	83	925	74	571	10	26
Other crops	1974	543	4 401	(X)	8	58	268	1 902	316	1 292	5	6

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	15 648	16 597
$1,000	111 751	55 442
Commercial fertilizer—farms	15 302	15 843
acres on which used	2 000 735	1 819 657
tons	580 940	602 697
$1,000	81 099	40 259
Lime—farms	2 807	3 947
acres on which used	295 942	269 899
tons	283 273	256 122
$1,000	3 309	1 812
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	127	145
acres on which used	5 618	6 741
$1,000	36	23
Insects on other crops—farms	5 513	9 832
acres on which used	805 876	714 757
$1,000	14 987	8 246
Nematodes in crops—farms	1 552	2 021
acres on which used	147 034	41 382
$1,000	1 448	525

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	339	489
acres on which used	41 184	36 169
$1,000	838	469
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	4 199	4 759
acres on which used	888 639	571 634
$1,000	8 059	3 140
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	300	471
acres on which used	18 214	25 542
$1,000	61	54
Weeds on all other land—farms	243	(NA)
acres on which used	4 495	(NA)
$1,000	30	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	945	2 732
acres on which used	131 789	160 504
$1,000	814	641
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	829	2 160
$1,000	182	200
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	2 089	(NA)
$1,000	888	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	323	594
Proportion of farms—percent	1.8	3.4
Total land irrigated—acres	9 429	14 374
Average per farm—acres	29.2	24.1
Cropland irrigated—farms	321	592
acres	9 407	13 403
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	317	574
acres	9 043	12 165
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	6	21
acres	296	1 169
Other cropland irrigated—farms	5	(NA)
acres	68	69
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	3	4
acres	22	971
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	8 066	9 088
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.9	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	39	(NA)
acres	1 024	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	101	(NA)
acres	3 287	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	182	(NA)
acres	4 024	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	114 476	269 438
Cropland—acres	63 635	135 677
Harvested cropland—acres	55 244	94 853
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	178	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	4 969	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2 466	4 913
Proportion of farms—percent	14.1	28.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	1 180 254	1 933 481
Land drained—acres	444 741	711 229
Average per farm—acres	180.3	144.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	3 597	(NA)
number	9 234	(NA)
acres	16 328	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	5 149	3 806	2 703
$1,000	201 073	143 249	57 823
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	1 207	802	1 017
$5,000 to $9,999	865	639	509
$10,000 to $29,999	1 521	1 216	707
$30,000 to $49,999	619	455	208
$50,000 and over	937	694	262

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	2 770	3 996	8 812	10 769	32 658	43 283
25 to 149 days	2 808	11 964	18 055	107 473	11 260	
Less than 25 days	5 536		63 317		7 855	
Total contract labor	862	1 204	(NA)	(NA)	4 935	4 348
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	300	(NA)	7 586	(NA)	3 408	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	8 400	2 770	2 808	5 536
Cash wages paid—$1,000	51 773	32 658	11 260	7 855
Number of workers	90 184	8 812	18 055	63 317
Farms with—				
1 worker	1 598	1 077	839	962
2 workers	972	646	525	507
3 or 4 workers	1 352	594	473	848
5 to 9 workers	1 552	307	377	1 087
10 workers and over	2 926	146	594	2 132

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	503	653	219	164
Land in farms — acres	111 473	117 686	77 648	62 915
Average size of farm — acres	222	180	355	384
Approximate land area — acres	323 776	323 776	323 776	323 776
Proportion in farms — percent	34.4	36.3	24.0	19.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	42 026	21 362	27 671	10 428
Average per farm — dollars	83 550	32 713	126 353	63 587
Average per acre — dollars	377	182	356	166
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	12	5	3	1
10 to 49 acres	71	123	13	3
50 to 69 acres	48	89	7	11
70 to 99 acres	54	81	9	5
100 to 139 acres	63	70	21	14
140 to 179 acres	57	75	24	13
180 to 219 acres	39	56	21	14
220 to 259 acres	37	39	19	21
260 to 499 acres	80	84	62	55
500 to 999 acres	32	24	30	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	8	4	8	4
2,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	53	(NA)
acres	2 648	3 247
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	35	45
acres	1 399	1 512
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	10
acres	21	177
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	14
acres	255	277
Cropland idle — farms	24	35
acres	973	1 281
Total woodland — farms	182	138
acres	27 586	22 101
Woodland pastured — farms	157	114
acres	16 790	12 213

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	464	612	205	152
acres	51 926	51 647	35 195	27 639
Harvested cropland — farms	298	395	162	125
acres	13 080	13 165	11 133	9 662
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	74	147	17	
10 to 19 acres	59	90	14	60
20 to 29 acres	48	39	28	
30 to 49 acres	45	52	34	
50 to 99 acres	39	38	36	36
100 to 199 acres	23	17	23	17
200 to 499 acres	8	11	8	11
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	363	468	153	115
acres	34 655	30 223	21 414	14 730
Other cropland (see text) — farms	99	253	53	(NA)
acres	4 191	8 259	2 648	3 247
Total woodland — farms	365	508	182	138
acres	38 938	44 017	27 586	22 101
Other land (see text) — farms	339	500	163	(NA)
acres	20 609	22 022	14 867	13 175
Irrigated land — farms	–	2	–	–
acres	–	4	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	88	87
acres	10 796	9 888
Other land — farms	163	(NA)
acres	14 867	13 175
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	73	63
acres	10 507	10 440
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	50	48
acres	3 865	8 149
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	35	37
acres	6 642	2 291
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	154	110
acres	4 360	2 735

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	503	653	219	164
Land in farms — acres	111 473	117 686	77 648	62 915
Harvested cropland — acres	13 080	13 165	11 133	9 662
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	383	539	138	103
Land in farms — acres	72 851	92 183	45 316	43 004
Harvested cropland — acres	5 743	6 089	4 287	3 206
Part owners — number	108	85	71	50
Land in farms — acres	36 051	22 676	30 154	17 825
Harvested cropland — acres	6 574	6 288	6 117	5 770
Tenants — number	12	29	10	11
Land in farms — acres	2 571	2 827	2 178	2 086
Harvested cropland — acres	763	788	729	686
Percent of tenancy	2.4	4.4	4.6	6.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	20	90	16	10
Land in farms — acres	1 908	5 556	1 668	1 468
Harvested cropland — acres	813	1 667	789	1 079
Full owners — number	14	67	10	2
Land in farms — acres	828	3 854	588	303
Harvested cropland — acres	325	541	301	106
Part owners — number	2	11	2	7
Land in farms — acres	702	1 295	702	965
Harvested cropland — acres	138	842	138	773
Tenants — number	4	12	4	1
Land in farms — acres	378	407	378	200
Harvested cropland — acres	350	284	350	200
Percent of tenancy	20.0	13.3	25.0	10.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	195	141
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	58 893	47 457

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	17	20
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 055	15 051
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 700	407
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	1	3	1
25 to 34 years	47	35	26	6
35 to 44 years	65	99	19	35
45 to 54 years	139	179	48	46
55 to 64 years	148	169	72	41
65 years and over	94	170	44	35
Average age	53.4	55.0	54.1	53.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	299	455	141	126
On another farm	20		8	
In a rural area, not on a farm	23	99	5	25
In a city, town, or urban area	37		11	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	114	(NA)	71	(NA)
1 to 49 days	20	40	11	5
50 to 99 days	17	15	5	8
100 to 149 days	23	47	12	7
150 to 199 days	24		9	
200 days and over	239	315	73	69
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	169	(NA)	114	(NA)
Other	327	(NA)	98	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	5	8	5
$40,000 to $99,999	19		19	
$20,000 to $39,999	6	14	6	14
$10,000 to $19,999	37	15	37	15
$5,000 to $9,999	59	48	59	48
$2,500 to $4,999	72	69	72	69
Under $2,500 (see text)	302	502	18	13
$2,000 to $2,499	36	49	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	49	41	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	50	68	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	167	344	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 862	1 872	4 586	1 514
Average per farm (dollars)	9 667	2 867	20 941	9 234
Crops, including hay (farms)	180	244	112	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	1 078	486	1 020	394
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	-		-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	-		-	-
Forest products (farms)	76	55	55	30
Forest products ($1,000)	143	40	135	31
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	415	427	189	137
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 641	1 346	3 431	1 089
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	19	(NA)	15	8
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 625	(NA)	1 625	153

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	112	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	1 020	394
Grains (farms)	91	62
Grains ($1,000)	507	143
Tobacco (farms)	-	-
Tobacco ($1,000)	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	32	44
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	446	202
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	34	28
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	59	41
Other field crops (farms)	2	3
Other field crops ($1,000)	1	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	7	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	7	2
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	2	6
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	1	2
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	189	137
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 431	1 089
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	15	8
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 625	153
Dairy products (farms)	8	11
Dairy products ($1,000)	783	174
Cattle and calves (farms)	184	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	952	692
Hogs and pigs (farms)	19	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	71	69
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	-	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	-	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	7	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	315	(NA)	96	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	182	(NA)	98	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	184	(NA)	166	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	36	43	25	18
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	103	24	101	10
Recreational services (farms)	6	7	4	3
Recreational services ($1,000)	1	2	(Z)	1
Government farm programs (farms)	135	325	79	99
Government farm programs ($1,000)	60	290	50	198
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	38	(NA)	16	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	20	(NA)	14	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	52	(NA)	28	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	62	(NA)	47	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	147
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	2 012
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	41
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	396
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	99
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	1 109
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	62
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	354
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	32
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	75
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	21
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	78

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	503	653	219	164
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	4 325	1 894	3 960	1 377
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	183	306	12	24
$1,000 to $1,999	87	145	31	
$2,000 to $2,999	43	64	14	23
$3,000 to $4,999	58	57	36	38
$5,000 to $9,999	59	54	53	52
$10,000 to $19,999	36	27	36	12
$20,000 to $39,999	14		14	8
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	7
$60,000 and over	13		13	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	167	196	69	59
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	595	207	542	148
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	341	332	157	99
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 601	293	1 536	243
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	227	144	136	63
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 451	190	1 430	174
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	35	34
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	14	19
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	60	25
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	66	31
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	29	30
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	26	18
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	116	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	173	241	103	93
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	60	41	55	31
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	360	523	174	155
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	614	373	521	276
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	135	(NA)	90	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	72	74	67	57
Lime (farms)	(NA)	147	29	46
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	29	15	19
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	486	623	216	161
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	187	174	141	88
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	178	160
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	79	61
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	106	51
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	40	15
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	10
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	216	161
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	18	11
Hired farm labor (farms)	119	215	83	103
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	165	173	158	148
Contract labor (farms)	21	197	14	5
Contract labor ($1,000)	94	62	93	3
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	137		90	67
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	73		67	32
All other production expenses (farms)	426	478	213	158
All other production expenses ($1,000)	862	497	748	353

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	467	620	198	160
$1,000	5 155	2 796	3 073	1 466
Average per farm—dollars	11 038	4 510	15 519	9 165
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	6	79	1	68
$1,000 to $4,999	128	374	39	
$5,000 to $9,999	170	105	59	43
$10,000 to $19,999	89	48	39	36
$20,000 to $29,999	44	14	33	5
$30,000 to $49,999	25		22	4
$50,000 to $69,999	4		4	4
$70,000 and over	1		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	354	492	154	126
number	484	695	221	188
mfd in last 5 years, number	173	371	100	114
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	387	425	179	136
number	516	533	284	211
mfd in last 5 years, number	113	210	77	85
Wheel tractors—farms	403	512	178	148
number	638	771	352	291
mfd in last 5 years, number	90	199	71	97
Crawler tractors—farms	24		17	14
number	24		17	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	38	45	33	27
number	41	45	36	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	18	5	14
Corn heads for combines—farms	5	8	3	3
number	5	9	3	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	5		5	4
number	5		5	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	2
Mower conditioners—farms	84	(NA)	57	(NA)
number	89	(NA)	62	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	(NA)	23	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	94	108	68	58
number	96	114	70	64
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	41	19	24
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	39	(NA)	29	32
number	39	(NA)	29	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	5	13
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	14	(NA)	13	13
number	17	(NA)	16	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	6

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	432	(X)	190	(X)	415	(X)	189	(X)	3 431
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	425	(X)	185	(X)	409	(X)	186	(X)	1 023
1969	482	(X)	134	(X)	413	(X)	132	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	422	21 050	183	15 414	407	6 602	184	5 067	952
1969	470	13 933	133	9 015	406	7 230	131	4 988	692
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	13	38	3	6	96	245	13	34	5
5 to 9—1974	20	143	2	12	108	712	28	199	41
10 to 19—1974	111	1 609	18	278	96	1 303	39	562	95
20 to 49—1974	137	4 248	37	1 204	87	2 524	84	2 454	391
50 to 99—1974	87	5 881	69	4 783	16	975	16	975	147
100 to 199—1974	43	5 588	43	5 588	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	356	12 025	169	8 791	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	367	7 416	127	5 219	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	340	11 274	160	8 103	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 949	116	4 855	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	48	751	28	688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	62	467	21	364	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	783
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	174

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	340	11 274	160	8 103			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	11	32	1	1			
5 to 9	57	420	11	90			
10 to 19	78	1 052	15	206			
20 to 49	130	4 212	74	2 543			
50 to 99	54	3 570	49	3 275			
100 to 199	7	858	7	858			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	48	751	28	688			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	23	38	14	24			
3 or 4	12	42	6	21			
5 to 9	5	28	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	2	78	2	78			
50 to 99	4	(D)	4	(D)			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					148	2 351	643
Farms with—							
1 to 4					33	91	22
5 to 9					43	277	61
10 to 19					31	429	96
20 to 49					38	1 129	248
50 to 99					1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					139	2 716	309
Farms with—							
1 or 2					10	14	2
3 or 4					9	36	4
5 to 9					26	176	23
10 to 19					44	643	75
20 to 49					42	1 179	123
50 to 99					7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	135	3 099
	1969	112	2 154
Beef heifers	1974	129	2 757
Milk heifers	1974	10	342
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	154	3 524
	1969	120	1 642

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	3	15	5
	1969	3	(D)	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	2	5	2
10 to 19	1974	1	10	3
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	59	1 157	35	1 058	25	1 144	19	1 113	71
	1969	98	648	23	357	28	677	13	479	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	31	74	13	38	5	20	4	16	1
5 to 9	1974	14	93	9	60	8	49	3	22	2
10 to 24	1974	7	114	7	114	5	92	5	92	6
25 to 49	1974	3	106	2	76	3	122	3	122	6
50 to 99	1974	1	80	1	80	1	81	1	81	2
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	137	5	120	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	163	7	142	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	3	94	1	4	3	95	1	5	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	69	186	40	125	4	11	3	8	1
	1969	123	615	(NA)	(NA)	12	73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	16	111
	1969	10	84
Other hogs and pigs	1974	34	947
	1969	22	273
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	22	172	17	165
	1969	25	132	10	95
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	18	98	13	91
	1969	21	70	9	50
June 1 and November 30	1974	11	74	11	74
	1969	14	62	9	45

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	44	(X)	30	(X)	15	(X)	14	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	44	213 037	30	212 757	14	197 646	14	197 646
	1969	87	21 560	17	20 071	7	46 007	6	45 907
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	41	134 948	27	134 700	12	77 122	12	(D)
	1969	82	21 333	16	20 001	6	22 950	5	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	30	588	16	340	1	42	1	42
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	7	47 200	7	47 200	9	(D)	9	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	–	–	–	–	1	11	–	–
	1969	2	60	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	1 625	15	1 625
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	153

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	27	134 700	12	(D)
	1969	16	20 001	5	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	27	134 670	12	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	30	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	78 015	2	(D)
	1969	1	10	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	7	42	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	10	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	30	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	101	114	813	619	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	43	16	929	460	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	88	84	3 851	4 111	70 330	67 908
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	12	1	12	250	12 400
Wheat (bushels)	64	58	911	579	24 444	12 896
Other small grains for grain	51	61	685	988	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	34	104	1 957	2 562	1 918	1 966
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	54	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	11	(NA)	3	(NA)	289	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	187	210	4 376	3 634	7 066	5 230
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	18	34	42	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	13	25	131	94	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	3	6	5	(X)	(X)
Other crops	13	(NA)	189	532	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	48	21	473	168	24 073	8 197	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	2	69	100	1 388	1 000	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	1	–	2	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	20	6	461	144	18 747	3 775	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	18	(NA)	368	214	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	3	15	10	32	20	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	153	21 414	(X)	–	–	88	8 889	82	1 535	19	253
	1969	115	14 730	(X)	–	–	89	7 629	87	1 690	20	246
Improved pasture	1974	50	3 865	(X)	–	–	18	1 090	14	163	9	88
	1969	48	8 149	(X)	–	–	28	5 208	27	848	9	300
Corn for all purposes	1974	50	542	(X)	–	–	38	423	36	147	7	19
	1969	24	270	(X)	–	–	18	171	18	51	1	4
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	33	829	(X)	–	–	26	700	21	122	12	31
	1969	11	358	(X)	–	–	8	238	8	53	3	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974	43	760	21 249	–	–	23	525	13	51	11	48
	1969	28	432	9 995	–	–	23	380	(NA)	72	(NA)	13
Oats (bushels)	1974	25	300	12 051	–	–	14	181	12	30	4	7
	1969	25	563	24 298	–	–	21	516	(NA)	69	(NA)	28
Barley (bushels)	1974	12	202	9 310	–	–	9	179	9	27	3	15
	1969	11	172	6 821	–	–	9	156	(NA)	32	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	4	80	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	7	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	60	3 511	66 240	–	–	37	2 521	34	448	3	16
	1969	47	3 540	59 115	–	–	35	2 824	(NA)	459	(NA)	15
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	400	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	115	3 501	6 016	–	–	58	2 130	49	491	25	155
	1969	73	2 277	3 700	–	–	39	1 092	37	156	10	76
Field seed crops	1974	10	170	(X)	–	–	2	24	2	5	2	2
	1969	18	363	(X)	–	–	10	156	10	33	2	9
Cotton (bales)	1974	32	1 947	1 912	–	–	23	1 885	17	513	7	80
	1969	44	2 042	1 624	–	–	44	2 018	(NA)	785	(NA)	64
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	45	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	–	11	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	20	(X)	–	–	5	14	5	4	–	–
	1969	8	13	(X)	–	–	7	20	7	13	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	8	112	(X)	–	–	5	46	4	17	1	1
	1969	8	68	(X)	–	–	7	46	7	21	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	5	(X)	–	–	–	–	2	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	184	157
$1,000	588	333
Commercial fertilizer—farms	174	148
acres on which used	18 611	20 508
tons	4 268	5 069
$1,000	521	276
Lime—farms	29	46
acres on which used	1 513	3 228
tons	1 475	2 961
$1,000	15	19
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	22
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	20	35
acres on which used	1 728	1 966
$1,000	19	17
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	25
$1,000	–	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	30	29
acres on which used	2 836	2 204
$1,000	26	14
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	8
acres on which used	246	196
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	18	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	5	9
acres on which used	467	490
$1,000	1	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	22	37
$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	10	20
Proportion of farms—percent	4.6	12.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	10 394	15 224
Land drained—acres	765	901
Average per farm—acres	76.5	45.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	84	(NA)
number	229	(NA)
acres	365	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	86	64	46
$1,000	2 699	1 751	949
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	2	28
$5,000 to $9,999	13	9	7
$10,000 to $29,999	36	34	3
$30,000 to $49,999	12	12	3
$50,000 and over	13	7	5

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	26	25	34	52	97	
25 to 149 days	30	93	44	302	34	148
Less than 25 days	50		470		26	
Total contract labor	14	5	(NA)	(NA)	93	3
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	7	(NA)	5	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	83	26	30	50
Cash wages paid—$1,000	158	97	34	26
Number of workers	548	34	44	470
Farms with—				
1 worker	30	19	25	11
2 workers	14	6	1	8
3 or 4 workers	16	1	3	12
5 to 9 workers	10	–	1	7
10 workers and over	13	–	–	12

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	770	907	405	361
Land in farms — acres	173 138	187 513	138 661	135 766
Average size of farm — acres	225	207	342	376
Approximate land area — acres	695 680	695 680	695 680	695 680
Proportion in farms — percent	24.9	27.0	19.9	19.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	69 958	41 250	53 860	29 146
Average per farm — dollars	90 855	45 479	132 989	80 736
Average per acre — dollars	404	220	388	215
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	24	34	8	4
10 to 49 acres	159	209	35	13
50 to 69 acres	78	84	31	18
70 to 99 acres	85	100	36	29
100 to 139 acres	127	128	67	52
140 to 179 acres	59	66	36	32
180 to 219 acres	43	47	25	26
220 to 259 acres	44	40	36	26
260 to 499 acres	82	108	66	77
500 to 999 acres	40	66	36	59
1,000 to 1,999 acres	21	20	21	20
2,000 acres and over	8	5	8	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	742	868	388	351
acres	89 866	89 303	76 565	68 580
Harvested cropland — farms	675	759	376	331
acres	58 371	50 921	53 526	44 301
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	108	182	9	
10 to 19 acres	121	155	29	102
20 to 29 acres	80	78	25	
30 to 49 acres	135	105	84	
50 to 99 acres	104	114	102	104
100 to 199 acres	52	52	52	52
200 to 499 acres	56	59	56	59
500 to 999 acres	14	14	14	14
1,000 acres and over	5	–	5	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	381	379	183	167
acres	17 082	12 681	12 050	8 563
Other cropland (see text) — farms	240	501	134	(NA)
acres	14 413	25 701	10 989	15 716
Total woodland — farms	492	595	269	271
acres	64 931	75 284	50 989	52 914
Other land (see text) — farms	515	604	279	(NA)
acres	18 341	22 926	11 107	14 272
Irrigated land — farms	4	1	1	1
acres	8	4	4	4

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	134	(NA)
acres	10 989	15 716
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	44	64
acres	2 481	2 865
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	20	24
acres	1 210	691
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	36
acres	122	1 782
Cropland idle — farms	77	154
acres	7 176	10 378
Total woodland — farms	269	271
acres	50 989	52 914
Woodland pastured — farms	114	126
acres	20 450	14 486
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	215	200
acres	30 539	38 428
Other land — farms	279	(NA)
acres	11 107	14 272
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	68	76
acres	3 712	6 655
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	57	52
acres	2 560	4 020
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	19	38
acres	1 152	2 635
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	262	227
acres	7 395	7 617

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	770	907	405	361
Land in farms — acres	173 138	187 513	138 661	135 766
Harvested cropland — acres	58 371	50 921	53 526	44 301
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	506	613	216	185
Land in farms — acres	99 247	99 077	69 093	56 612
Harvested cropland — acres	20 143	17 244	16 739	12 834
Part owners — number	201	223	152	151
Land in farms — acres	68 444	78 137	65 112	70 898
Harvested cropland — acres	34 542	29 111	33 764	27 824
Tenants — number	63	71	37	25
Land in farms — acres	5 447	10 299	4 456	8 256
Harvested cropland — acres	3 686	4 566	3 023	3 643
Percent of tenancy	8.2	7.8	9.1	6.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	118	230	37	48
Land in farms — acres	13 026	23 879	7 165	10 095
Harvested cropland — acres	4 599	6 672	3 678	4 346
Full owners — number	72	162	15	23
Land in farms — acres	7 126	15 447	2 371	4 176
Harvested cropland — acres	1 267	2 794	658	1 346
Part owners — number	35	45	16	21
Land in farms — acres	5 367	6 893	4 379	5 143
Harvested cropland — acres	2 937	3 207	2 723	2 704
Tenants — number	11	23	6	4
Land in farms — acres	533	1 539	415	776
Harvested cropland — acres	395	671	297	296
Percent of tenancy	9.3	10.0	16.2	8.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	370	322
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	113 936	113 622

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	24	31
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	16 279	17 011
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 446	4 979
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	154
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	14	4	11	2
25 to 34 years	62	64	31	26
35 to 44 years	107	194	60	84
45 to 54 years	200	259	89	112
55 to 64 years	242	234	126	95
65 years and over	134	152	77	42
Average age	53.0	51.9	53.2	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	396	593	219	262
On another farm	27		12	
In a rural area, not on a farm	62	206	32	66
In a city, town, or urban area	92		39	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	205	(NA)	134	(NA)
1 to 49 days	38	66	19	22
50 to 99 days	37	15	17	9
100 to 149 days	27	84	9	29
150 to 199 days	22		7	
200 days and over	335	433	138	130
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	318	(NA)	230	(NA)
Other	441	(NA)	164	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	69	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	37	47	37	47
$40,000 to $99,999	46		46	
$20,000 to $39,999	48	38	48	38
$10,000 to $19,999	68	56	68	56
$5,000 to $9,999	93	79	93	79
$2,500 to $4,999	102	111	102	111
Under $2,500 (see text)	376	576	11	30
$2,000 to $2,499	56	49	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	76	45	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	78	82	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	166	400	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	13 251	6 788	12 842	6 403
Average per farm ... dollars	17 209	7 484	31 708	17 738
Crops, including hay ... farms	561	640	344	(NA)
$1,000	6 873	2 644	6 631	2 409
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	11		7	1
$1,000	53		49	3
Forest products ... farms	43	43	38	27
$1,000	100	94	98	90
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	451	506	251	259
$1,000	6 225	4 050	6 064	3 901
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	51	(NA)	48	48
$1,000	3 953	(NA)	3 953	2 345

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	344	(NA)
$1,000	6 631	2 409
Grains ... farms	311	240
$1,000	4 071	1 075
Tobacco ... farms	-	-
$1,000	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	62	165
$1,000	1 223	817
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	70	68
$1,000	392	143
Other field crops ... farms	23	29
$1,000	515	186
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	52	62
$1,000	235	140
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	19
$1,000	195	49
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	251	259
$1,000	6 064	3 901
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	48	48
$1,000	3 953	2 345
Dairy products ... farms	8	8
$1,000	421	175
Cattle and calves ... farms	185	(NA)
$1,000	821	894
Hogs and pigs ... farms	97	(NA)
$1,000	828	488
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	-	
$1,000	-	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	14	
$1,000	42	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	420	(NA)	134	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	162	(NA)	95	(NA)
$1,000	312	(NA)	281	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	51	74	38	54
$1,000	142	116	138	97
Recreational services ... farms	11	24	9	6
$1,000	12	12	11	5
Government farm programs ... farms	64	451	38	212
$1,000	75	999	60	866
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	53	(NA)	27	(NA)
$1,000	37	(NA)	26	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	12	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	46	(NA)	45	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	54	(NA)	34	(NA)
$1,000	92	(NA)	83	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	251
$1,000	2 860
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	47
$1,000	563
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	180
$1,000	1 901
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	67
$1,000	207
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	47
$1,000	146
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	19
$1,000	42

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	768	907	405	361
$1,000	11 649	6 841	11 114	6 294
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	197	328	20	31
$1,000 to $1,999	133	195	31	
$2,000 to $2,999	80	80	38	43
$3,000 to $4,999	93	81	64	68
$5,000 to $9,999	86	80	73	76
$10,000 to $19,999	67	143	67	55
$20,000 to $39,999	43		43	44
$40,000 to $59,999	15		15	44
$60,000 and over	54		54	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	268	305	135	178
$1,000	1 082	873	1 026	827
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	458	486	215	222
$1,000	3 925	1 730	3 828	1 669
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	339	310	193	168
$1,000	3 471	1 571	3 438	1 541
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	74	60
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	74	53
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	50
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	271	56
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	34
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	19
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	136	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	462	640	292	294
$1,000	330	178	313	156
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	596	749	325	326
$1,000	1 621	900	1 507	799
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	287	(NA)	194	(NA)
$1,000	509	307	500	287
Lime ... farms	(NA)	193	85	111
$1,000	(NA)	52	101	42
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	733	885	389	359
$1,000	690	437	620	348
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	303	345
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	292	205
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	247	153
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	188	80
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	26
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	389	359
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	37
Hired farm labor ... farms	250	438	175	256
$1,000	682	609	662	579
Contract labor ... farms	34	362	21	18
$1,000	22	191	18	18
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	240		141	193
$1,000	213		192	146
All other production expenses ... farms	666	710	405	352
$1,000	2 574	1 616	2 402	1 466

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	708	866	358	353
$1,000	10 844	6 002	8 252	4 391
Average per farm—dollars	15 316	6 931	23 052	12 439
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	5	104	–	114
$1,000 to $4,999	172	417	54	
$5,000 to $9,999	231	180	66	90
$10,000 to $19,999	147	91	100	80
$20,000 to $29,999	57	74	46	30
$30,000 to $49,999	62		58	24
$50,000 to $69,999	14		14	15
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	529	637	279	281
number	728	860	412	394
mfd in last 5 years, number	307	542	228	284
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	596	632	332	309
number	924	889	630	538
mfd in last 5 years, number	289	451	236	292
Wheel tractors—farms	637	701	329	323
number	1 084	1 109	725	652
mfd in last 5 years, number	242	425	211	310
Crawler tractors—farms	34		27	15
number	34		27	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	136	119	121	100
number	149	133	134	112
mfd in last 5 years, number	48	75	46	72
Corn heads for combines—farms	72	78	62	52
number	73	95	63	57
mfd in last 5 years, number	24	48	24	33
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	43		31	23
number	43		31	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	14
Mower conditioners—farms	81	(NA)	48	(NA)
number	93	(NA)	52	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	18	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	147	140	99	108
number	163	148	113	116
mfd in last 5 years, number	45	72	37	61
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	69	(NA)	46	54
number	73	(NA)	50	55
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	(NA)	14	32
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	21	(NA)	17	16
number	23	(NA)	19	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	9	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	500	(X)	256	(X)	451	(X)	251	(X)	6 064
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	451	(X)	226	(X)	409	(X)	224	(X)	1 648
1969	539	(X)	231	(X)	463	(X)	232	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	364	15 728	197	12 604	312	5 133	185	4 311	821
1969	387	12 089	199	10 061	322	6 347	189	5 721	894
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	37	77	11	18	94	216	49	112	25
5 to 9—1974	47	333	16	130	84	536	36	237	42
10 to 19—1974	66	904	20	299	67	845	35	468	75
20 to 49—1974	131	3 960	74	2 122	44	1 353	42	1 311	208
50 to 99—1974	45	3 024	38	2 605	16	1 106	16	1 106	235
100 to 199—1974	27	3 800	27	3 800	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	313	8 818	171	7 063	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	326	5 851	175	4 957	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	288	8 163	155	6 491	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 338	160	4 524	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	57	655	29	572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	83	513	34	433	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	421
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	175

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	288	8 163	155	6 491	Cattle sold	137	1 895	537
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	41	98	15	38	1 to 4	59	143	38
5 to 9	46	314	12	88	5 to 9	31	209	48
10 to 19	79	1 085	36	523	10 to 19	22	269	66
20 to 49	84	2 526	54	1 702	20 to 49	17	531	127
50 to 99	26	1 705	26	1 705	50 to 99	6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	10	(D)	10	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	57	655	29	572	Calves sold	123	2 416	283
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	39	52	19	25	1 or 2	17	27	4
3 or 4	–	–	–	–	3 or 4	13	50	5
5 to 9	8	48	2	12	5 to 9	22	138	19
10 to 19	3	32	1	12	10 to 19	31	393	43
20 to 49	3	93	3	93	20 to 49	29	926	109
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	9	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	131	2 310	16	422	119
	1969	148	2 386	14	442	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	123	2 068	9	27	7
Milk heifers	1974	17	242	1	15	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	156	3 231	3	102	27
	1969	179	2 718	2	(D)	(D)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	16	422	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	14	442	–	–	–
Farms with —				–	–	–
1 to 9	1974	9	27			
10 to 19	1974	1	15			
20 to 49	1974	3	102			
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)			
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)			
200 to 499	1974	–	–			
500 and over	1974	–	–			

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	203	9 058	99	8 011	163	12 716	97	11 499	828
	1969	330	9 557	129	7 374	276	12 192	128	10 016	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	48	130	9	19	17	45	6	16	1
5 to 9	1974	39	263	15	104	26	178	10	65	4
10 to 24	1974	52	807	21	332	53	874	25	444	24
25 to 49	1974	42	1 390	32	1 088	33	1 175	26	922	54
50 to 99	1974	10	601	10	601	16	1 218	12	826	41
100 to 199	1974	6	753	6	753	6	868	6	868	55
200 to 499	1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	7	2 516	7	2 516	206
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	5 842	5	5 842	444
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	55	1 345	31	939	22
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	68	1 796	24	1 173	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	1	–	–	1	59	1	59	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	4	52	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	10	34	(NA)	(NA)	2	16	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	146	491	73	275	11	50	8	44	34
	1969	153	556	(NA)	(NA)	20	51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	80	1 164				
	1969	84	949				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	98	6 847				
	1969	125	6 425				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1				
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			155	1 532	84	1 282
	1969			235	1 640	92	1 219
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			124	817	71	658
	1969			187	856	81	646
June 1 and November 30	1974			107	715	67	624
	1969			157	784	68	573

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	121	(X)	64	(X)	49	(X)	46	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	73	(X)	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	98	69 099	41	68 164	18	187 744	15	187 740
	1969	163	144 007	56	141 919	25	210 897	21	210 785
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	89	65 215	40	64 463	16	75 240	13	75 236
	1969	140	106 917	48	105 188	21	112 740	17	112 630
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	82	1 408	33	656	6	49	3	45
100 to 399	1974	1	257	1	257	5	1 157	5	1 157
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 550	2	1 550	2	1 534	2	1 534
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	26	761 327	21	761 300	30	4 073 000	30	4 073 000
	1969	20	594 535	18	594 515	23	2 677 580	23	2 677 580
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	51	3 953	48	3 953
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	48	2 345

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	40	64 463	13	75 236
	1969	48	105 188	17	112 630
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	40	64 398	11	75 206
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	65	2	30
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	3 620	3	112 500
	1969	12	36 592	4	98 155
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	22	81	2	4
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	53 040	2	48
Turkeys	1974	3	25 011	1	(D)
	1969	1	10	1	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	25 005	1	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	3	25 005	1	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	6	–	–
	1969	1	10	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	7	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	391	428	11 245	10 851	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	8	144	105	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	361	318	28 591	19 499	470 933	390 815
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	19	20	970	703	2 747 435	1 188 470
Wheat (bushels)	84	139	2 964	2 484	71 521	76 612
Other small grains for grain	115	110	3 121	2 422	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	70	308	4 929	9 101	6 047	8 610
Tobacco (pounds)	–	2	–	1	–	750
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)	126	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	25	(NA)	33	(NA)	6 086	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	287	210	6 313	4 501	17 383	11 802
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	96	155	889	1 528	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	18	42	370	336	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	48	(NA)	964	1 576	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	226	187	8 529	7 656	467 873	240 796	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	16	18	501	646	5 870	6 600	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	9	14	721	419	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	–	50	–	570	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	80	55	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	4	140	96	276	110	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	183	12 050	(X)	–	–	83	5 297	66	980	37	401
	1969	167	8 563	(X)	1	4	115	4 616	97	1 014	57	571
Improved pasture	1974	57	2 560	(X)	–	–	19	1 021	18	281	13	82
	1969	52	4 020	(X)	–	–	26	2 255	26	596	8	177
Corn for all purposes	1974	234	9 751	(X)	–	–	177	7 429	174	1 778	66	570
	1969	197	8 721	(X)	–	–	145	6 498	145	1 809	56	396
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	130	(X)	–	–	3	70	2	5	1	4
	1969	2	55	(X)	–	–	2	55	2	11	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	65	2 818	68 684	–	–	46	2 209	37	394	20	135
	1969	101	2 304	72 565	–	–	86	1 965	(NA)	358	(NA)	159
Oats (bushels)	1974	41	1 024	35 271	–	–	25	512	18	78	15	32
	1969	46	1 048	41 824	–	–	34	851	(NA)	160	(NA)	74
Barley (bushels)	1974	6	82	2 704	–	–	6	82	6	15	2	6
	1969	7	121	4 330	–	–	7	121	(NA)	27	(NA)	12
Rye (bushels)	1974	60	1 667	34 872	–	–	37	1 332	32	202	20	100
	1969	62	1 085	24 659	–	–	55	979	(NA)	136	(NA)	68
Other small grains for grain	1974	3	46	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	3	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	267	27 396	455 725	–	–	128	15 765	127	2 900	6	63
	1969	194	17 701	360 717	–	–	106	10 288	(NA)	1 849	(NA)	1
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	17	968	2 742 635	–	–	9	835	9	393	–	–
	1969	13	682	1 169 969	–	–	7	577	(NA)	145	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	166	4 724	14 559	–	–	88	2 396	66	484	58	515
	1969	128	3 511	9 806	–	–	70	1 887	67	520	46	345
Field seed crops	1974	3	26	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	1	1	1
	1969	2	58	(X)	–	–	1	8	1	1	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	62	4 896	6 029	–	–	59	4 836	59	1 810	19	203
	1969	170	8 254	8 130	–	–	155	8 088	(NA)	2 839	(NA)	658
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	3	126	–	–	3	3	3	5	–	–
	1969	2	1	30	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	52	778	(X)	–	–	33	453	33	192	–	–
	1969	70	1 199	(X)	–	–	52	756	52	236	9	42
Land in orchards	1974	9	331	(X)	–	–	4	234	4	114	–	–
	1969	22	271	(X)	–	–	11	169	11	103	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	7	6	(X)	1	4	2	2	2	2	1	(Z)
1969	1	3	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	1	–	–
Other crops 1974	27	867	(X)	–	–	9	87	10	31	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	332	334
$1,000	2 007	1 086
Commercial fertilizer — farms	325	310
acres on which used	42 642	40 140
tons	11 793	12 471
$1,000	1 507	799
Lime — farms	85	111
acres on which used	7 662	7 130
tons	7 519	6 167
$1,000	101	42
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	4	6
acres on which used	126	87
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	62	141
acres on which used	10 086	12 742
$1,000	187	162
Nematodes in crops — farms	11	12
acres on which used	1 279	832
$1,000	15	4

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	6	5
acres on which used	397	240
$1,000	7	1
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	103	101
acres on which used	21 101	11 892
$1,000	171	60
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	3	10
acres on which used	110	377
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land — farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	106	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	21	56
acres on which used	1 874	3 863
$1,000	6	11
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	16	49
$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	36	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	1	1
Proportion of farms — percent	0.2	0.2
Total land irrigated — acres	4	4
Average per farm — acres	4.0	4.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	1	1
acres	4	4
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	1	–
acres	4	–
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	1
acres	–	4
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	3	1
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	0.7	0.3
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	1	(NA)
acres	4	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	8	101
Cropland — acres	4	90
Harvested cropland — acres	4	51
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	11	22
Proportion of farms — percent	2.7	6.0
Land in farms with drainage — acres	7 092	14 405
Land drained — acres	449	1 089
Average per farm — acres	40.8	49.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	65	(NA)
number	144	(NA)
acres	400	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	139	107	72
$1,000	5 509	4 579	929
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	29	14	27
$5,000 to $9,999	17	13	14
$10,000 to $29,999	47	40	24
$30,000 to $49,999	13	14	3
$50,000 and over	33	26	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	60	93	128	179	481	
25 to 149 days	48	213	142	677	100	579
Less than 25 days	111		1 122		81	
Total contract labor	21	18	(NA)	(NA)	18	18
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	44	(NA)	14	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	175	60	48	111
Cash wages paid — $1,000	662	481	100	81
Number of workers	1 392	128	142	1 122
Farms with —				
1 worker	46	24	24	25
2 workers	32	20	10	12
3 or 4 workers	31	12	6	25
5 to 9 workers	34	3	5	22
10 workers and over	32	1	3	27

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	212	285	166	150
Land in farms — acres	124 462	133 419	122 570	124 191
Average size of farm — acres	587	468	738	828
Approximate land area — acres	267 392	267 392	267 392	267 392
Proportion in farms — percent	46.5	49.9	45.8	46.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	48 566	26 225	47 378	23 681
Average per farm — dollars	229 087	92 018	285 411	157 873
Average per acre — dollars	390	197	387	191
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	14	9	–	1
10 to 49 acres	31	66	15	9
50 to 69 acres	25	20	19	–
70 to 99 acres	12	36	5	11
100 to 139 acres	12	28	12	18
140 to 179 acres	13	11	10	9
180 to 219 acres	17	13	17	6
220 to 259 acres	11	10	11	6
260 to 499 acres	18	22	18	21
500 to 999 acres	19	26	19	25
1,000 to 1,999 acres	26	27	26	27
2,000 acres and over	14	17	14	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	203	270	162	147
acres	80 773	90 706	80 053	85 747
Harvested cropland — farms	201	254	161	145
acres	74 284	67 486	73 825	65 286
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	23	33	5	
10 to 19 acres	17	35	1	20
20 to 29 acres	12	23	9	
30 to 49 acres	30	31	27	
50 to 99 acres	23	33	23	26
100 to 199 acres	30	27	30	27
200 to 499 acres	24	29	24	29
500 to 999 acres	21	22	21	22
1,000 acres and over	21	21	21	21
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	75	76	62	60
acres	3 965	6 332	3 819	6 205
Other cropland (see text) — farms	53	168	41	(NA)
acres	2 524	16 888	2 409	14 256
Total woodland — farms	122	167	106	103
acres	35 800	36 624	35 189	33 703
Other land (see text) — farms	137	177	110	(NA)
acres	7 889	6 089	7 328	4 741
Irrigated land — farms	6	1	6	1
acres	598	2	598	2

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	41	(NA)
acres	2 409	14 256
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	17	23
acres	554	2 242
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	9
acres	725	601
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	4
acres	204	490
Cropland idle — farms	20	72
acres	926	10 923
Total woodland — farms	106	103
acres	35 189	33 703
Woodland pastured — farms	33	41
acres	4 741	6 198

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	84	79
acres	30 448	27 505
Other land — farms	110	(NA)
acres	7 328	4 741
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	34	21
acres	4 528	2 278
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	15
acres	2 596	1 749
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	7
acres	1 932	529
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	103	87
acres	2 800	2 463

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	212	285	166	150
Land in farms — acres	124 462	133 419	122 570	124 191
Harvested cropland — acres	74 284	67 486	73 825	65 286
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	110	129	71	46
Land in farms — acres	25 762	32 696	24 221	25 756
Harvested cropland — acres	9 731	10 062	9 314	9 006
Part owners — number	88	100	84	83
Land in farms — acres	93 041	95 671	92 715	94 604
Harvested cropland — acres	60 770	53 897	60 748	53 524
Tenants — number	14	56	11	21
Land in farms — acres	5 659	5 052	5 634	3 831
Harvested cropland — acres	3 783	3 527	3 763	2 756
Percent of tenancy	6.6	19.6	6.6	14.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	68	120	37	28
Land in farms — acres	7 737	18 029	6 170	13 016
Harvested cropland — acres	4 858	8 446	4 533	6 962
Full owners — number	43	54	18	4
Land in farms — acres	2 368	8 114	1 147	4 494
Harvested cropland — acres	798	2 263	515	1 666
Part owners — number	21	26	17	15
Land in farms — acres	4 949	8 310	4 623	7 741
Harvested cropland — acres	3 696	4 947	3 674	4 700
Tenants — number	4	40	2	9
Land in farms — acres	420	1 605	400	781
Harvested cropland — acres	364	1 236	344	596
Percent of tenancy	5.9	33.3	5.4	32.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	152	130
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	89 886	97 182

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	14	19
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	32 684	26 732
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	277
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	5	–	3
25 to 34 years	28	28	17	17
35 to 44 years	25	40	25	26
45 to 54 years	51	91	40	41
55 to 64 years	60	84	49	50
65 years and over	48	37	35	13
Average age	54.3	51.4	54.7	50.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	118	179	96	98
On another farm	2		2	
In a rural area, not on a farm	4	74	2	40
In a city, town, or urban area	26		26	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	90	(NA)	79	(NA)
1 to 49 days	9	24	5	9
50 to 99 days	12	12	3	2
100 to 149 days	–	31	–	6
150 to 199 days	6		2	
200 days and over	51	92	39	43
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	135	(NA)	114	(NA)
Other	77	(NA)	52	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	35	44	35	44
$40,000 to $99,999	26		26	
$20,000 to $39,999	21	21	21	21
$10,000 to $19,999	25	28	25	28
$5,000 to $9,999	29	27	29	27
$2,500 to $4,999	26	23	26	23
Under $2,500 (see text)	50	142	4	7
$2,000 to $2,499	10	13	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	11	15	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	14	17	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	15	97	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	11 979	5 879	11 917	5 773
Average per farm ... dollars	56 503	20 628	71 787	38 487
Crops, including hay ... farms	189	239	157	(NA)
$1,000	9 549	4 243	9 520	4 160
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	4
Forest products ... farms	19	16	19	15
$1,000	(D)	34	(D)	33
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	108	149	74	96
$1,000	2 311	1 602	2 277	1 576
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	12	(NA)	11	14
$1,000	13	(NA)	13	537

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	157	(NA)
$1,000	9 520	4 160
Grains ... farms	154	138
$1,000	7 816	2 695
Tobacco ... farms	-	-
$1,000	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	24	64
$1,000	779	430
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	18	20
$1,000	140	68
Other field crops ... farms	15	15
$1,000	195	154
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	43	52
$1,000	459	491
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	6
$1,000	131	322
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	74	96
$1,000	2 277	1 576
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	11	14
$1,000	13	537
Dairy products ... farms	2	3
$1,000	(D)	1
Cattle and calves ... farms	40	(NA)
$1,000	635	838
Hogs and pigs ... farms	41	(NA)
$1,000	1 479	200
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	-	
$1,000	-	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	64	(NA)	34	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	49	(NA)	45	(NA)
$1,000	123	(NA)	122	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	17	27	16	13
$1,000	28	18	28	16
Recreational services ... farms	4	2	3	1
$1,000	3	(Z)	3	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	24	187	24	105
$1,000	35	842	35	790
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	19	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	53	(NA)	52	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	18	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)	23	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	81
$1,000	862
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	18
$1,000	171
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	52
$1,000	623
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	26
$1,000	33
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	8
$1,000	31
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	5
$1,000	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	212	285	166	150
$1,000	10 694	6 029	10 639	5 863
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	32	71	4	6
$1,000 to $1,999	16	54	6	
$2,000 to $2,999	18	16	15	8
$3,000 to $4,999	34	22	30	18
$5,000 to $9,999	25	30	24	26
$10,000 to $19,999	21		21	26
$20,000 to $39,999	12	92	12	20
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	46
$60,000 and over	44		44	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	29	76	21	56
$1,000	165	409	151	406
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	95	134	56	80
$1,000	992	452	980	438
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	69	82	47	53
$1,000	774	308	769	299
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	26
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	47
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	23
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	174	56
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	7	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	36
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	153	247	134	137
$1,000	441	187	440	176
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	170	252	140	144
$1,000	2 776	1 278	2 769	1 253
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	101	(NA)	99	(NA)
$1,000	817	407	817	401
Lime ... farms	(NA)	74	49	60
$1,000	(NA)	76	115	74
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	207	270	166	148
$1,000	560	377	557	348
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	134	145
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	189	176
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	146	111
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	287	129
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	6	17
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	5
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	166	148
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	39
Hired farm labor ... farms	96	157	79	109
$1,000	1 194	1 001	1 191	980
Contract labor ... farms	14	158	10	12
$1,000	97	234	97	101
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	102		91	88
$1,000	155		153	121
All other production expenses ... farms	200	234	166	149
$1,000	3 496	1 684	3 436	1 640

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	196	260	153	146
$1,000	6 473	4 762	6 143	4 376
Average per farm—dollars	33 027	18 315	40 153	29 975
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	32	–	21
$1,000 to $4,999	32	76	22	
$5,000 to $9,999	46	43	23	27
$10,000 to $19,999	31	43	23	34
$20,000 to $29,999	24	66	22	13
$30,000 to $49,999	26		26	19
$50,000 to $69,999	15		15	32
$70,000 and over	22		22	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	161	189	124	110
number	221	261	179	168
mfd in last 5 years, number	131	180	118	133
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	171	205	136	135
number	382	437	345	359
mfd in last 5 years, number	141	230	130	201
Wheel tractors—farms	172	215	136	143
number	445	543	409	450
mfd in last 5 years, number	156	274	155	247
Crawler tractors—farms	10		10	9
number	11		11	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	85	95	83	89
number	114	132	112	126
mfd in last 5 years, number	49	81	49	80
Corn heads for combines—farms	65	63	65	53
number	90	77	90	65
mfd in last 5 years, number	35	55	35	47
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	15		15	11
number	19		19	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		8	7
Mower conditioners—farms	14	(NA)	14	(NA)
number	14	(NA)	14	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	22	46	22	43
number	28	47	28	44
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	32	10	31
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	13	(NA)	11	23
number	13	(NA)	11	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	15
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	10	(NA)	10	11
number	13	(NA)	13	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	11

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	116	(X)	80	(X)	108	(X)	74	(X)	2 277
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	103	(X)	69	(X)	97	(X)	65	(X)	2 115
1969	165	(X)	94	(X)	143	(X)	94	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	62	8 112	48	7 943	51	2 968	40	2 864	635
1969	101	9 461	65	9 284	72	4 528	61	4 484	838
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	12	32	9	22	5	10	3	6	3
5 to 9—1974	3	23	3	23	7	42	6	36	10
10 to 19—1974	11	146	1	10	11	137	3	43	8
20 to 49—1974	9	268	8	245	12	394	12	394	83
50 to 99—1974	6	414	6	414	7	493	7	493	84
100 to 199—1974	5	664	5	664	4	495	4	495	107
200 to 499—1974	10	2 958	10	2 958	5	1 397	5	1 397	341
500 and over—1974	6	3 607	6	3 607	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	59	4 351	45	4 259	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	85	4 147	59	4 059	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	47	4 118	36	4 042	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 098	57	4 037	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	21	233	13	217	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	24	49	7	22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	1

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	47	4 118	36	4 042	Cattle sold	38	2 215	570
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	2	3	2	3	1 to 4	3	6	3
5 to 9	8	40	1	5	5 to 9	7	41	11
10 to 19	9	104	5	63	10 to 19	5	72	15
20 to 49	9	269	9	269	20 to 49	12	396	92
50 to 99	6	512	6	512	50 to 99	4	245	43
100 to 199	4	563	4	563	100 to 199	3	355	90
200 to 499	9	2 627	9	2 627	200 to 499	4	1 100	316
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	21	233	13	217	Calves sold	18	649	66
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	14	23	7	10	1 or 2	1	2	(Z)
3 or 4	4	14	3	11	3 or 4	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	–	–	–	–	5 to 9	2	13	2
10 to 19	1	(D)	1	(D)	10 to 19	5	59	6
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	20 to 49	7	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99	1	50	5
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	34	1 803
	1969	52	1 982
Beef heifers	1974	31	1 691
Milk heifers	1974	4	112
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	40	1 881
	1969	59	3 243

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	10	737	237
	1969	8	2 237	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	2	10	2
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	3	65	11
50 to 99	1974	1	56	14
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	64	10 126	39	9 749	67	19 186	41	18 842	1 479
	1969	126	4 172	64	3 379	107	5 853	62	5 140	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	8	16	4	8	7	19	6	17	1
5 to 9	1974	13	73	8	46	10	58	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	20	295	6	103	23	299	11	161	6
25 to 49	1974	7	205	7	205	12	437	10	341	15
50 to 99	1974	5	338	3	188	7	441	6	391	20
100 to 199	1974	4	481	4	481	2	312	2	312	24
200 to 499	1974	3	758	3	758	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	4	7 960	4	7 960	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	798	11	632	11
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	680	12	406	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	45	1	45	1	13	1	13	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	32	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	19	75	11	64	2	3	2	3	1
	1969	25	73	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	26	1 664
	1969	52	662
Other hogs and pigs	1974	37	8 085
	1969	62	2 717
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	48	2 840	31	2 806
	1969	102	849	52	686
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	47	1 367	30	1 340
	1969	87	460	48	379
June 1 and November 30	1974	31	1 473	26	1 466
	1969	80	389	44	307

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	35	(X)	25	(X)	6	(X)	6	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	35	1 662	25	1 517	6	22 281	6	22 281
	1969	59	95 261	30	94 423	15	54 723	14	54 513
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	33	1 377	23	1 252	6	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	55	94 542	28	93 813	15	54 223	14	54 013
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	28	577	18	452	3	57	3	57
100 to 399	1974	4	400	4	400	1	224	1	224
400 to 1,599	1974	1	400	1	400	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	31	2	31	–	–	–	–
	1969	9	96	1	18	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	13	11	13
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	537

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	23	1 252	6	(D)
	1969	28	93 813	14	54 013
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	23	1 217	4	281
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	35	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	32	–	–
	1969	4	58	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	14	233	2	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	5	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	6	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	4	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	4	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	2	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	145	183	20 366	12 635	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	3	1	180	25	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	147	171	41 744	36 792	822 703	916 134
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	13	15	633	750	1 438 143	1 140 027
Wheat (bushels)	39	47	3 655	2 194	70 900	66 866
Other small grains for grain	42	60	4 383	7 130	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	26	110	3 169	5 319	3 382	4 796
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	15	(NA)	9	(NA)	1 018	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	37	51	2 545	2 545	6 988	6 344
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	52	91	1 528	3 982	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	8	14	792	964	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	130	702	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	110	108	18 968	10 755	894 342	541 574	5	–	492	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	13	12	1 132	1 051	11 324	12 180	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	3	51	72	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	180	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	–	98	–	(D)	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	62	3 819	(X)	2	10	21	2 044	20	286	14	321
	1969	60	6 205	(X)	–	–	36	3 679	34	1 089	18	481
Improved pasture	1974	18	2 596	(X)	–	–	9	949	9	166	4	119
	1969	15	1 749	(X)	–	–	7	540	7	132	3	171
Corn for all purposes	1974	119	20 151	(X)	5	492	88	17 040	87	4 716	48	1 587
	1969	111	11 878	(X)	–	–	100	11 344	97	3 297	56	1 344
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	180	(X)	–	–	2	55	2	8	2	6
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	37	3 629	70 754	–	–	33	3 589	28	584	20	286
	1969	44	2 171	66 404	–	–	39	2 095	(NA)	504	(NA)	193
Oats (bushels)	1974	17	1 757	110 791	–	–	15	1 704	14	345	6	48
	1969	30	4 419	227 101	–	–	27	4 042	(NA)	835	(NA)	335
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	35	1 050	–	–	1	35	1	7	1	6
	1969	2	120	5 500	–	–	2	120	(NA)	31	(NA)	20
Rye (bushels)	1974	29	2 591	56 445	–	–	16	1 689	12	280	9	114
	1969	37	2 555	62 746	–	–	33	2 429	(NA)	459	(NA)	183
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	140	41 641	821 438	2	50	83	31 923	82	5 757	2	77
	1969	123	35 937	900 677	–	–	97	29 472	(NA)	5 012	(NA)	568
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	13	633	1 438 143	1	30	10	576	10	201	–	–
	1969	14	741	1 129 623	–	–	14	741	(NA)	155	(NA)	105
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	31	2 479	6 932	1	15	14	1 110	13	196	9	386
	1969	42	2 509	6 314	–	–	30	1 961	26	637	19	290
Field seed crops	1974	3	72	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	232	(X)	–	–	2	115	2	17	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	24	3 153	3 372	–	–	24	3 126	24	747	11	197
	1969	66	5 049	4 658	–	–	62	5 010	(NA)	1 997	(NA)	369
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	4	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	43	1 507	(X)	2	6	19	705	19	415	5	190
	1969	53	3 809	(X)	–	–	47	3 762	47	1 863	9	74
Land in orchards	1974	4	784	(X)	–	–	3	738	3	262	1	2
	1969	9	959	(X)	–	–	7	940	3	6	4	427

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	1	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	6	(X)	1	6	1	6	1	3	–	–
1969	1	2	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	–
Other crops 1974	6	55	(X)	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	142	145
$1,000	3 586	1 654
Commercial fertilizer — farms	140	136
acres on which used	65 289	66 367
tons	17 310	20 611
$1,000	2 769	1 253
Lime — farms	49	60
acres on which used	12 451	10 741
tons	10 787	10 846
$1,000	115	74
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	3	3
acres on which used	197	197
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	61	95
acres on which used	26 572	32 756
$1,000	270	222
Nematodes in crops — farms	20	5
acres on which used	11 528	892
$1,000	87	4

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	6	6
acres on which used	1 442	910
$1,000	12	3
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	53	46
acres on which used	34 496	19 710
$1,000	295	81
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	4	4
acres on which used	592	705
$1,000	6	2
Weeds on all other land — farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	82	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	11	24
acres on which used	1 982	2 858
$1,000	9	11
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	12	20
$1,000	3	3
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	21	(NA)
$1,000	19	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	6	1
Proportion of farms — percent	3.6	0.6
Total land irrigated — acres	598	2
Average per farm — acres	99.7	2.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	6	1
acres	598	2
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	6	1
acres	560	2
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	2	–
acres	10	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	2	(NA)
acres	28	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	507	2
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	0.8	1.0
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	2	(NA)
acres	88	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	1	(NA)
acres	424	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	3	(NA)
acres	86	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	10 283	(D)
Cropland — acres	2 199	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	2 161	(D)
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	31	47
Proportion of farms — percent	18.7	31.3
Land in farms with drainage — acres	43 543	55 133
Land drained — acres	10 303	17 765
Average per farm — acres	332.4	377.9
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	21	(NA)
number	86	(NA)
acres	199	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	58	47	37
$1,000	11 360	9 291	2 069
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	8	5	9
$5,000 to $9,999	1	1	1
$10,000 to $29,999	14	10	12
$30,000 to $49,999	4	4	3
$50,000 and over	31	27	12

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	53	78	233	334	1 019	980
25 to 149 days	34	76	170	885	104	
Less than 25 days	32		574		68	
Total contract labor	10	12	(NA)	(NA)	97	101
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	240	(NA)	86	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	79	53	34	32
Cash wages paid — $1,000	1 191	1 019	104	68
Number of workers	977	233	170	574
Farms with —				
1 worker	11	13	14	5
2 workers	11	14	5	2
3 or 4 workers	18	13	6	6
5 to 9 workers	15	8	4	6
10 workers and over	24	5	5	13

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 231	1 605	532	410
Land in farms — acres	175 082	212 534	125 429	118 716
Average size of farm — acres	142	132	236	290
Approximate land area — acres	479 360	479 360	479 360	479 360
Proportion in farms — percent	36.5	44.3	26.2	24.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	106 016	67 213	72 844	34 942
Average per farm — dollars	86 122	41 877	136 925	85 223
Average per acre — dollars	606	316	581	294
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	29	32	14	2
10 to 49 acres	330	499	52	30
50 to 69 acres	178	255	40	25
70 to 99 acres	199	246	69	34
100 to 139 acres	146	175	79	56
140 to 179 acres	94	94	55	46
180 to 219 acres	50	65	33	30
220 to 259 acres	47	52	40	38
260 to 499 acres	108	119	101	92
500 to 999 acres	36	54	36	43
1,000 to 1,999 acres	12	11	11	11
2,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	116	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	5 024	9 931
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	55	87
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	1 290	3 102
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	7	17
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	67	239
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	15	29
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	606	1 680
Cropland idle — farms	56	100
Cropland idle — acres	3 061	4 910
Total woodland — farms	349	294
Total woodland — acres	22 746	28 854
Woodland pastured — farms	262	214
Woodland pastured — acres	11 233	14 031

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 177	1 500	506	390
Total cropland — acres	108 747	120 136	79 012	71 227
Harvested cropland — farms	876	1 100	452	347
Harvested cropland — acres	48 861	42 432	43 816	31 965
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	257	357	39	
10 to 19 acres	181	268	57	149
20 to 29 acres	106	145	46	
30 to 49 acres	114	117	97	
50 to 99 acres	86	117	81	102
100 to 199 acres	73	59	73	59
200 to 499 acres	47	33	47	33
500 to 999 acres	11	3	11	3
1,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	843	962	337	259
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	51 588	53 926	30 172	29 331
Other cropland (see text) — farms	272	667	116	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	8 298	23 778	5 024	9 931
Total woodland — farms	814	1 114	349	294
Total woodland — acres	35 234	54 744	22 746	28 854
Other land (see text) — farms	872	1 195	387	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	31 101	37 654	23 671	18 635
Irrigated land — farms	5	9	3	3
Irrigated land — acres	74	159	13	36

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	204	175
Woodland not pastured — acres	11 513	14 823
Other land — farms	387	(NA)
Other land — acres	23 671	18 635
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	160	117
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	19 647	12 780
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	147	88
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	14 636	8 474
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	27	57
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	5 011	4 306
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	336	289
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	4 024	5 855

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 231	1 605	532	410
Land in farms — acres	175 082	212 534	125 429	118 716
Harvested cropland — acres	48 861	42 432	43 816	31 965
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	865	1 214	273	219
Land in farms — acres	98 573	132 994	56 054	53 681
Harvested cropland — acres	13 940	17 157	10 049	9 705
Part owners — number	286	264	211	156
Land in farms — acres	69 600	70 282	64 158	60 618
Harvested cropland — acres	32 279	21 697	31 332	19 919
Tenants — number	80	127	48	35
Land in farms — acres	6 909	9 258	5 217	4 417
Harvested cropland — acres	2 642	3 578	2 435	2 341
Percent of tenancy	6.5	7.9	9.0	8.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	53	123	20	19
Land in farms — acres	3 740	7 150	2 002	2 146
Harvested cropland — acres	1 646	2 380	1 353	1 289
Full owners — number	38	72	9	2
Land in farms — acres	2 298	3 884	705	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	610	632	(D)	(D)
Part owners — number	4	16	2	5
Land in farms — acres	1 018	2 098	908	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	731	926	(D)	(D)
Tenants — number	11	35	9	12
Land in farms — acres	424	1 168	389	482
Harvested cropland — acres	305	822	270	441
Percent of tenancy	20.8	28.4	45.0	63.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	490	352
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	109 251	95 006

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	35	50
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 819	17 722
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 359	4 243
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 745
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	15	22	12	2
25 to 34 years	94	75	45	15
35 to 44 years	179	237	65	63
45 to 54 years	326	485	148	130
55 to 64 years	332	443	131	114
65 years and over	278	343	124	86
Average age	54.2	54.1	53.9	54.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	828	1 090	369	313
On another farm	31		11	
In a rural area, not on a farm	30	259	21	50
In a city, town, or urban area	106		38	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	296	(NA)	181	(NA)
1 to 49 days	72	125	23	30
50 to 99 days	41	46	14	5
100 to 149 days	43	136	20	26
150 to 199 days	47		17	
200 days and over	580	771	161	121
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	475	(NA)	317	(NA)
Other	749	(NA)	208	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	27	32	27	32
$40,000 to $99,999	35		35	
$20,000 to $39,999	60	41	60	41
$10,000 to $19,999	79	60	79	60
$5,000 to $9,999	108	110	108	110
$2,500 to $4,999	197	140	197	140
Under $2,500 (see text)	725	1 222	26	27
$2,000 to $2,499	87	89	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	95	115	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	148	178	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	395	840	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	11 861	6 813	11 178	5 966
Average per farm ... dollars	9 635	4 244	21 012	14 551
Crops, including hay ... farms	604	855	372	(NA)
$1,000	4 300	1 733	4 091	1 317
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	16		12	7
$1,000	202		197	56
Forest products ... farms	77	59	55	28
$1,000	71	37	62	26
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	909	956	400	344
$1,000	7 288	5 043	6 829	4 568
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	46	(NA)	29	28
$1,000	2 085	(NA)	2 084	946

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	372	(NA)
$1,000	4 091	1 317
Grains ... farms	323	207
$1,000	2 850	509
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	65	137
$1,000	829	599
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	90	98
$1,000	324	145
Other field crops ... farms	6	9
$1,000	4	7
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	26	17
$1,000	62	35
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	10	17
$1,000	22	22
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	400	344
$1,000	6 829	4 568
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	29	28
$1,000	2 084	946
Dairy products ... farms	50	67
$1,000	2 937	1 763
Cattle and calves ... farms	377	(NA)
$1,000	1 535	1 654
Hogs and pigs ... farms	52	(NA)
$1,000	250	204
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	9	
$1,000	23	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	780	(NA)	220	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	324	(NA)	174	(NA)
$1,000	410	(NA)	319	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	82	107	52	58
$1,000	249	122	198	100
Recreational services ... farms	15	13	8	5
$1,000	6	6	4	1
Government farm programs ... farms	214	808	125	273
$1,000	116	1 001	93	748
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	63	(NA)	27	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)	15	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	13	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	91	(NA)	54	(NA)
$1,000	160	(NA)	134	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	366
$1,000	3 937
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	81
$1,000	930
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	227
$1,000	2 229
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	158
$1,000	376
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	90
$1,000	300
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	47
$1,000	102

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 227	1 605	532	410
$1,000	10 478	6 718	9 555	5 467
Farms with–				
$1 to $999	365	754	19	41
$1,000 to $1,999	273	327	59	
$2,000 to $2,999	130	130	59	35
$3,000 to $4,999	156	113	99	72
$5,000 to $9,999	103	149	96	130
$10,000 to $19,999	102		102	64
$20,000 to $39,999	48	132	48	36
$40,000 to $59,999	15		15	32
$60,000 and over	35		35	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	369	542	170	186
$1,000	1 007	828	884	661
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	784	877	329	283
$1,000	2 791	1 248	2 638	1 135
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	531	433	278	215
$1,000	2 383	890	2 326	851
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	104	117
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	98
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	109	75
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	179	147
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	49
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	67	39
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	228	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	489	702	277	260
$1,000	203	129	185	99
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	1 034	1 288	455	379
$1,000	1 862	1 080	1 623	834
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	389	(NA)	231	(NA)
$1,000	320	234	302	193
Lime ... farms	(NA)	309	86	136
$1,000	(NA)	67	53	46
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 160	1 533	524	407
$1,000	655	479	560	306
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	515	406
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	325	212
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	230	139
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	133	52
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	3
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	524	407
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	79	39
Hired farm labor ... farms	320	663	199	265
$1,000	736	552	700	465
Contract labor ... farms	40	591	18	28
$1,000	19	222	15	50
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	415		220	206
$1,000	172		139	113
All other production expenses ... farms	1 029	1 145	525	399
$1,000	2 714	1 944	2 402	1 611

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 156	1 502	491	397
$1,000	14 983	8 387	9 796	4 382
Average per farm—dollars	12 961	5 583	19 952	11 037
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	13	212	6	147
$1,000 to $4,999	343	853	97	
$5,000 to $9,999	351	213	96	103
$10,000 to $19,999	249	141	131	95
$20,000 to $29,999	94	83	62	20
$30,000 to $49,999	59		54	18
$50,000 to $69,999	30		28	14
$70,000 and over	17		17	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	888	1 172	373	324
number	1 231	1 663	550	487
mfd in last 5 years, number	471	869	245	284
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	945	1 047	432	339
number	1 298	1 416	733	587
mfd in last 5 years, number	363	606	232	251
Wheel tractors—farms	992	1 222	439	365
number	1 783	2 086	1 054	884
mfd in last 5 years, number	275	571	207	266
Crawler tractors—farms	31		22	15
number	33		23	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		1	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	142	115	122	72
number	158	119	136	76
mfd in last 5 years, number	51	63	50	45
Corn heads for combines—farms	24	33	22	15
number	24	35	22	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	20	7	10
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	15		14	9
number	15		14	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	3
Mower conditioners—farms	158	(NA)	101	(NA)
number	168	(NA)	106	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	50	(NA)	41	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	217	232	163	150
number	225	240	170	157
mfd in last 5 years, number	46	92	39	56
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	82	(NA)	62	76
number	83	(NA)	63	77
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	18	39
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	71	(NA)	59	41
number	88	(NA)	73	47
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	14	19

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	996	(X)	422	(X)	909	(X)	400	(X)	6 829
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	962	(X)	410	(X)	869	(X)	388	(X)	1 785
1969	1 120	(X)	341	(X)	904	(X)	331	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	939	41 603	398	30 016	853	12 599	377	9 465	1 535
1969	1 073	34 764	331	24 975	873	15 247	328	11 514	1 654
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	56	147	25	64	239	638	58	155	25
5 to 9—1974	101	700	16	118	242	1 603	57	391	63
10 to 19—1974	237	3 413	47	686	183	2 408	82	1 167	171
20 to 49—1974	299	9 208	101	3 274	143	4 232	134	4 034	624
50 to 99—1974	143	9 335	106	7 074	39	2 481	39	2 481	382
100 to 199—1974	75	9 906	75	9 906	3	367	3	367	76
200 to 499—1974	23	5 992	23	5 992	4	870	4	870	195
500 and over—1974	5	2 902	5	2 902	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	823	22 909	367	16 383	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	804	16 171	314	12 201	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	750	19 625	319	13 267	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 189	259	9 489	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	150	3 284	86	3 116	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	200	2 982	91	2 712	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	50	(X)	2 937
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	67	(X)	1 763

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	750	19 625	319	13 267			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	85	251	26	77			
5 to 9	127	862	26	184			
10 to 19	204	2 758	53	745			
20 to 49	242	7 095	130	4 078			
50 to 99	67	4 360	59	3 884			
100 to 199	19	2 559	19	2 559			
200 to 499	6	1 740	6	1 740			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	150	3 284	86	3 116			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	70	101	30	41			
3 or 4	19	63	6	20			
5 to 9	17	102	6	37			
10 to 19	2	21	2	21			
20 to 49	20	655	20	655			
50 to 99	11	802	11	802			
100 to 199	10	(D)	10	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					280	4 682	1 056
Farms with—							
1 to 4					76	174	40
5 to 9					65	416	95
10 to 19					57	727	140
20 to 49					67	1 923	413
50 to 99					11	656	142
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					3	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					280	4 783	479
Farms with—							
1 or 2					32	42	4
3 or 4					22	78	8
5 to 9					58	438	46
10 to 19					74	1 022	108
20 to 49					82	2 352	236
50 to 99					10	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	259	6 401	26	586	179
	1969	274	6 565	14	709	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	225	5 028	15	75	16
Milk heifers	1974	54	1 373	5	56	12
				4	(D)	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	292	7 232	1	96	(D)
	1969	294	6 209	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			1	(D)	(D)
	1969			–	–	–
Forms with —						
1 to 9	1974					
10 to 19	1974					
20 to 49	1974					
50 to 99	1974					
100 to 199	1974					
200 to 499	1974					
500 and over	1974					

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	153	3 314	81	2 822	80	3 860	52	3 424	250
	1969	257	4 356	78	3 440	122	5 989	54	4 976	(NA)
Forms with —										
1 to 4	1974	71	151	34	77	15	44	10	32	3
5 to 9	1974	26	168	7	44	12	78	8	52	4
10 to 24	1974	29	392	16	206	29	440	15	243	18
25 to 49	1974	14	446	12	388	7	222	4	147	7
50 to 99	1974	6	347	5	297	5	335	3	209	11
100 to 199	1974	3	410	3	410	7	806	7	806	39
200 to 499	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	772	9	550	8
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	1 111	9	556	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	4	1	4	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	8	–	–	2	12	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	2	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	157	484	47	213	15	52	6	37	21
	1969	268	939	(NA)	(NA)	38	125	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	34	230	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	35	391	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	63	357	36	275
Other hogs and pigs	1974	81	2 592		1969	102	657	38	505
	1969	77	3 049	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	42	179	27	147
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	1		1969	81	369	32	276
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	2	June 1 and November 30	1974	47	178	25	128
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1		1969	69	288	33	229

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	137	(X)	61	(X)	36	(X)	25	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	58	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	135	194 271	59	192 251	32	162 244	23	162 010
	1969	264	152 423	58	145 486	41	84 256	24	83 139
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	128	189 180	58	187 491	31	141 244	22	141 010
	1969	252	143 829	57	137 708	38	83 595	23	(D)
Forms with —									
1 to 99	1974	105	2 200	38	861	11	254	2	20
100 to 399	1974	7	1 060	4	710	2	346	2	346
400 to 1,599	1974	4	2 700	4	2 700	5	2 632	5	2 632
1,600 to 3,199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	4	8 930	4	8 930
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	23 460	4	23 460
10,000 to 19,999	1974	4	55 720	4	55 720	3	(D)	3	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	3	104 500	3	104 500	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	15	22 234	10	22 155	3	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	5	120	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	46	2 085	29	2 084
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	28	946

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	58	187 491	22	(D)
	1969	57	137 708	23	82 579
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	58	187 344	22	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	147	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	4 310	1	(D)
	1969	8	7 106	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	21	450	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	35	3	243
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	28	2	240
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	265	317	4 576	3 924	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	106	80	2 744	1 347	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	348	360	18 548	10 507	359 729	209 533
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	8	14	6	8 400	2 210
Wheat (bushels)	253	346	6 563	3 743	202 074	103 713
Other small grains for grain	213	256	4 472	3 986	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	77	349	4 128	7 859	3 476	6 376
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	24	(NA)	4	(NA)	373	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	28	(NA)	15	(NA)	1 711	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	489	513	9 819	9 606	17 526	14 646
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	72	82	265	321	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	26	64	76	214	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	14	1	12	(X)	(X)
Other crops	63	(NA)	1 489	2 294	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	113	82	2 250	1 797	140 142	69 304	–	1	–	7
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	31	26	1 698	1 105	23 047	11 431	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	3	5	26	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	55	26	1 774	492	70 009	16 454	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	20	(NA)	754	592	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	13	6	425	182	1 119	360	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	337	30 172	(X)	1	2	192	15 099	158	2 421	66	741
	1969	259	29 331	(X)	–	–	199	19 102	188	4 272	69	1 159
Improved pasture	1974	147	14 636	(X)	1	10	67	7 372	61	1 221	28	430
	1969	88	8 474	(X)	1	20	62	5 169	56	1 062	23	256
Corn for all purposes	1974	136	3 953	(X)	–	–	111	3 480	97	806	52	517
	1969	96	2 928	(X)	1	7	70	2 269	62	545	29	418
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	70	2 528	(X)	–	–	48	1 970	30	311	30	164
	1969	40	1 084	(X)	–	–	36	908	31	199	16	56
Wheat (bushels)	1974	179	6 123	191 975	–	–	133	4 985	101	754	49	266
	1969	138	2 542	76 094	–	–	113	1 962	(NA)	391	(NA)	83
Oats (bushels)	1974	107	1 838	83 307	–	–	86	1 662	63	198	38	125
	1969	116	2 548	111 936	1	5	96	2 186	(NA)	444	(NA)	123
Barley (bushels)	1974	73	1 833	80 367	–	–	47	1 256	30	133	28	108
	1969	28	501	17 514	–	–	21	418	(NA)	74	(NA)	37
Rye (bushels)	1974	11	172	4 828	–	–	5	106	3	9	3	14
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	8	164	(X)	–	–	7	144	5	15	4	17
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	260	17 709	344 782	–	–	147	11 823	132	1 602	17	247
	1969	147	7 716	159 369	–	–	99	5 461	(NA)	949	(NA)	120
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	600	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	1	505	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	264	7 474	14 419	–	–	118	3 917	93	760	44	291
	1969	212	6 910	11 184	–	–	94	2 665	80	610	37	260
Field seed crops	1974	29	1 287	(X)	–	–	15	301	11	46	6	10
	1969	60	1 823	(X)	–	–	26	614	19	153	14	52
Cotton (bales)	1974	65	4 074	3 446	–	–	62	4 048	53	1 226	14	237
	1969	138	6 491	5 206	1	2	128	6 362	(NA)	2 144	(NA)	394
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	6	2	122	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	3	431	1	(Z)	4	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	26	166	(X)	1	(Z)	14	84	14	35	–	–
	1969	21	184	(X)	–	–	11	126	11	46	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	14	52	(X)	–	–	7	35	7	14	–	–
	1969	15	71	(X)	–	–	11	70	11	27	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	4	3	(X)	–	–	4	3	4	2	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	12	14	(X)	1	1	4	4	2	1	4	1
1969	7	12	(X)	–	–	4	11	4	3	1	(Z)
Other crops 1974	13	90	(X)	–	–	6	25	7	6	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	468	387
$1,000	1 926	1 027
Commercial fertilizer — farms	455	355
acres on which used	56 318	47 424
tons	12 728	13 919
$1,000	1 623	834
Lime — farms	86	136
acres on which used	4 776	6 728
tons	4 716	7 016
$1,000	53	46
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	8	4
acres on which used	337	158
$1,000	3	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	49	117
acres on which used	4 751	6 579
$1,000	88	58
Nematodes in crops — farms	2	1
acres on which used	134	110
$1,000	1	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	3	11
acres on which used	12	699
$1,000	(Z)	3
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	123	136
acres on which used	13 631	10 005
$1,000	119	66
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	19	32
acres on which used	1 523	1 773
$1,000	3	2
Weeds on all other land — farms	11	(NA)
acres on which used	189	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	26	29
acres on which used	1 800	1 626
$1,000	7	6
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	46	96
$1,000	9	9
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	54	(NA)
$1,000	18	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	3	3
Proportion of farms — percent	0.6	0.7
Total land irrigated — acres	13	36
Average per farm — acres	4.3	12.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	2	2
acres	3	16
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	1	2
acres	1	16
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	1	–
acres	2	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	1	1
acres	10	20
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	12	19
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	0.9	0.5
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	3	(NA)
acres	13	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	270	678
Cropland — acres	223	383
Harvested cropland — acres	1	157
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	16	23
Proportion of farms — percent	3.0	5.6
Land in farms with drainage — acres	5 174	14 057
Land drained — acres	282	562
Average per farm — acres	17.6	24.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	115	(NA)
number	195	(NA)
acres	335	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	149	117	79
$1,000	4 877	3 757	1 120
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	24	16	30
$5,000 to $9,999	22	19	14
$10,000 to $29,999	56	51	25
$30,000 to $49,999	25	13	7
$50,000 and over	22	18	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	62	83	122	153	570	465
25 to 149 days	52	223	123	703	75	
Less than 25 days	129		575		55	
Total contract labor	18	28	(NA)	(NA)	15	50
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	27	(NA)	7	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working —		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	199	62	52	129
Cash wages paid — $1,000	700	570	75	55
Number of workers	820	122	123	575
Farms with —				
1 worker	70	33	30	46
2 workers	33	14	12	22
3 or 4 workers	45	11	5	27
5 to 9 workers	34	4	2	21
10 workers and over	17	–	3	13

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	378	548	295	270
Land in farms — acres	103 544	133 721	99 227	107 563
Average size of farm — acres	274	244	336	398
Approximate land area — acres	252 800	252 800	252 800	252 800
Proportion in farms — percent	41.0	52.9	39.3	42.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	35 825	27 349	34 116	21 457
Average per farm — dollars	94 776	49 907	115 647	79 469
Average per acre — dollars	346	205	344	199
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	16	19	4	1
10 to 49 acres	62	90	26	9
50 to 69 acres	34	72	27	16
70 to 99 acres	42	59	28	21
100 to 139 acres	42	59	32	30
140 to 179 acres	29	44	27	27
180 to 219 acres	24	35	22	17
220 to 259 acres	16	18	16	17
260 to 499 acres	52	83	52	68
500 to 999 acres	42	43	42	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	22	14	22
2,000 acres and over	5	4	5	4

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	68	(NA)
acres	2 322	9 489
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	30	63
acres	874	2 923
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	29
acres	370	1 174
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	7	16
acres	227	637
Cropland idle — farms	27	99
acres	851	4 755
Total woodland — farms	190	220
acres	24 356	30 866
Woodland pastured — farms	64	67
acres	6 270	5 317

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	369	523	290	263
acres	70 162	84 696	68 177	72 653
Harvested cropland — farms	355	476	287	259
acres	61 242	60 618	60 259	55 820
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	24	55	1	57
10 to 19 acres	38	77	11	
20 to 29 acres	45	49	36	
30 to 49 acres	56	75	47	
50 to 99 acres	50	76	50	59
100 to 199 acres	60	61	60	60
200 to 499 acres	56	56	56	56
500 to 999 acres	18	18	18	18
1,000 acres and over	8	9	8	9
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	174	262	139	150
acres	6 420	9 565	5 596	7 344
Other cropland (see text) — farms	81	299	68	(NA)
acres	2 500	14 513	2 322	9 489
Total woodland — farms	226	394	190	220
acres	26 006	41 337	24 356	30 866
Other land (see text) — farms	229	309	188	(NA)
acres	7 376	7 688	6 694	4 044
Irrigated land — farms	5	2	3	2
acres	50	5	32	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	162	187
acres	18 086	25 549
Other land — farms	188	(NA)
acres	6 694	4 044
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	51	32
acres	4 350	2 306
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	37	15
acres	2 917	1 350
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	14	18
acres	1 433	956
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	180	132
acres	2 344	1 738

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	378	548	295	270
Land in farms — acres	103 544	133 721	99 227	107 563
Harvested cropland — acres	61 242	60 618	60 259	55 820
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	217	311	152	114
Land in farms — acres	37 449	56 144	33 491	35 993
Harvested cropland — acres	15 418	15 905	14 653	12 944
Part owners — number	124	182	122	135
Land in farms — acres	63 740	72 846	63 680	68 239
Harvested cropland — acres	43 735	41 760	43 705	40 591
Tenants — number	37	55	21	21
Land in farms — acres	2 355	4 731	2 056	3 331
Harvested cropland — acres	2 089	2 953	1 901	2 285
Percent of tenancy	9.8	10.0	7.1	7.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	44	144	24	29
Land in farms — acres	3 775	14 119	3 088	6 612
Harvested cropland — acres	2 018	4 220	1 757	2 411
Full owners — number	17	78	8	9
Land in farms — acres	928	7 218	436	2 372
Harvested cropland — acres	365	1 499	237	673
Part owners — number	14	42	12	16
Land in farms — acres	2 412	5 495	2 352	3 698
Harvested cropland — acres	1 270	1 927	1 240	1 384
Tenants — number	13	24	4	4
Land in farms — acres	435	1 406	300	542
Harvested cropland — acres	383	794	280	354
Percent of tenancy	29.5	16.6	16.7	13.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	273	235
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	86 336	88 615

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	21	33
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	12 320	18 208
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	571	630
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	110
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	11	3	7	1
25 to 34 years	24	39	22	24
35 to 44 years	60	99	40	59
45 to 54 years	93	182	67	96
55 to 64 years	100	129	86	55
65 years and over	89	96	72	35
Average age	53.1	52.4	53.7	50.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	218	373	184	203
On another farm	10	119	8	50
In a rural area, not on a farm	8		3	
In a city, town, or urban area	33		25	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	165	(NA)	144	(NA)
1 to 49 days	8	35	8	18
50 to 99 days	2	24	2	14
100 to 149 days	10	62	4	12
150 to 199 days	9		5	
200 days and over	117	193	76	76
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	257	(NA)	224	(NA)
Other	120	(NA)	70	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	29	40	29	40
$40,000 to $99,999	39		39	
$20,000 to $39,999	62	41	62	41
$10,000 to $19,999	50	45	50	45
$5,000 to $9,999	58	65	58	65
$2,500 to $4,999	57	72	57	72
Under $2,500 (see text)	83	285	–	7
$2,000 to $2,499	19	42	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	24	36	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	23	51	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	17	156	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	12 388	6 303	12 265	6 035
Average per farm ... dollars	32 773	11 502	41 575	22 352
Crops, including hay ... farms	332	425	272	(NA)
$1,000	7 169	2 719	7 092	2 556
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		3	1
$1,000	116		114	(D)
Forest products ... farms	41	39	39	36
$1,000	175	189	173	187
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	240	360	197	214
$1,000	4 928	3 396	4 885	3 293
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	27	(NA)	23	15
$1,000	272	(NA)	271	279

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	272	(NA)
$1,000	7 092	2 556
Grains ... farms	267	230
$1,000	5 568	1 758
Tobacco ... farms	1	8
$1,000	(D)	33
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	23	116
$1,000	940	449
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	22	24
$1,000	185	75
Other field crops ... farms	15	10
$1,000	44	34
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	60	56
$1,000	274	172
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	3	12
$1,000	(D)	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	197	214
$1,000	4 885	3 293
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	23	15
$1,000	271	279
Dairy products ... farms	27	26
$1,000	2 415	1 522
Cattle and calves ... farms	130	(NA)
$1,000	1 139	678
Hogs and pigs ... farms	117	(NA)
$1,000	1 060	813
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	109	(NA)	53	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	106	(NA)	84	(NA)
$1,000	150	(NA)	135	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	22	49	17	36
$1,000	69	46	66	44
Recreational services ... farms	6	8	5	3
$1,000	3	1	1	1
Government farm programs ... farms	54	310	50	178
$1,000	33	803	32	726
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	33	(NA)	19	(NA)
$1,000	33	(NA)	24	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	24	(NA)	18	(NA)
$1,000	43	(NA)	33	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	150
$1,000	1 428
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	20
$1,000	184
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	105
$1,000	1 093
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	40
$1,000	63
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	28
$1,000	58
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	12
$1,000	31

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	378	548	295	270
$1,000	9 140	5 858	9 052	5 531
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	61	161	8	18
$1,000 to $1,999	37	94	18	
$2,000 to $2,999	41	44	37	26
$3,000 to $4,999	52	64	45	44
$5,000 to $9,999	45	62	45	59
$10,000 to $19,999	47		47	46
$20,000 to $39,999	44	123	44	42
$40,000 to $59,999	17		17	35
$60,000 and over	34		34	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	117	203	107	117
$1,000	559	523	554	495
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	232	319	180	193
$1,000	1 564	867	1 545	832
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	200	245	163	163
$1,000	1 192	635	1 184	612
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	51
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	76	82
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	279	123
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	27
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	15
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	120	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	286	442	254	250
$1,000	345	227	343	209
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	292	460	252	250
$1,000	2 192	1 024	2 169	954
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	178	(NA)	162	(NA)
$1,000	419	301	418	287
Lime ... farms	(NA)	138	57	107
$1,000	(NA)	55	62	52
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	349	514	273	270
$1,000	535	387	524	340
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	229	258
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	206	174
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	227	168
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	246	123
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	11
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	273	270
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	67	33
Hired farm labor ... farms	127	284	113	198
$1,000	746	797	742	777
Contract labor ... farms	11	300	11	16
$1,000	14	202	14	18
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	192		166	187
$1,000	231		228	160
All other production expenses ... farms	357	465	295	269
$1,000	2 534	1 529	2 456	1 457

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	342	508	267	268
$1,000	6 847	4 910	6 442	4 206
Average per farm—dollars	20 020	9 665	24 126	15 692
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	47	–	79
$1,000 to $4,999	70	229	40	
$5,000 to $9,999	89	104	47	67
$10,000 to $19,999	65	66	64	61
$20,000 to $29,999	42	62	42	20
$30,000 to $49,999	42		42	18
$50,000 to $69,999	15		15	23
$70,000 and over	17		17	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	268	356	216	199
number	342	470	287	256
mfd in last 5 years, number	188	308	176	190
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	299	379	239	232
number	481	554	419	396
mfd in last 5 years, number	201	311	187	236
Wheel tractors—farms	298	412	237	244
number	573	722	507	518
mfd in last 5 years, number	191	338	188	283
Crawler tractors—farms	3		3	11
number	3		3	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	85	101	83	98
number	95	117	93	114
mfd in last 5 years, number	50	80	50	79
Corn heads for combines—farms	57	94	57	66
number	61	117	61	72
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	70	31	52
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	36		36	36
number	36		36	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	13		13	16
Mower conditioners—farms	23	(NA)	19	(NA)
number	23	(NA)	19	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	49	57	45	56
number	52	63	48	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	37	17	37
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	22	(NA)	20	29
number	22	(NA)	20	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	14
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	29	(NA)	29	27
number	31	(NA)	31	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	15	20

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	248	(X)	197	(X)	240	(X)	197	(X)	4 885
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	227	(X)	183	(X)	227	(X)	186	(X)	2 198
1969	376	(X)	209	(X)	354	(X)	211	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	165	10 643	135	10 096	158	4 929	130	4 709	1 139
1969	245	11 857	158	10 837	210	5 224	146	4 906	678
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	17	37	8	12	38	96	25	65	14
5 to 9—1974	17	115	15	97	22	158	18	132	26
10 to 19—1974	22	295	14	203	36	488	27	371	75
20 to 49—1974	52	1 611	44	1 349	40	1 208	38	1 162	238
50 to 99—1974	25	1 581	22	1 431	15	942	15	942	169
100 to 199—1974	22	3 072	22	3 072	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	7	1 657	7	1 657	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	3	2 275	3	2 275	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	145	5 429	118	5 092	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	190	6 055	131	5 649	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	109	2 671	84	2 360	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 462	98	3 094	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	53	2 758	47	2 732	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	71	2 593	47	2 555	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	27	(X)	2 415
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	1 522

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	109	2 671	84	2 360
Farms with—				
1 to 4	19	47	9	17
5 to 9	26	181	20	147
10 to 19	16	202	14	174
20 to 49	30	787	25	668
50 to 99	14	909	12	809
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	53	2 758	47	2 732
Farms with—				
1 or 2	16	25	14	21
3 or 4	6	19	4	13
5 to 9	4	26	2	10
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	8	227	8	227
50 to 99	6	505	6	505
100 to 199	11	(D)	11	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	114	3 576	1 046
Farms with—			
1 to 4	26	69	18
5 to 9	15	97	26
10 to 19	25	329	78
20 to 49	38	1 083	247
50 to 99	4	231	79
100 to 199	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold	58	1 133	92
Farms with—			
1 or 2	8	9	1
3 or 4	5	19	1
5 to 9	13	77	9
10 to 19	11	144	19
20 to 49	15	460	41
50 to 99	5	(D)	19
100 to 199	1	(D)	2
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	86	2 419	41	1 912	624
	1969	113	2 655	9	200	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	69	1 179			
Milk heifers	1974	21	1 240			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	97	2 585			
	1969	132	2 533			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			41	1 912	624
	1969			9	200	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			9	40	9
10 to 19	1974			9	115	31
20 to 49	1974			19	566	123
50 to 99	1974			3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	148	10 081	124	9 737	136	16 337	117	15 945	1 060
	1969	271	13 275	149	11 387	246	20 055	147	18 198	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	10	23	8	21	4	6	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	19	138	8	58	5	33	3	21	1
10 to 24	1974	33	477	28	419	31	477	23	384	27
25 to 49	1974	39	1 420	33	1 216	27	1 004	20	719	55
50 to 99	1974	21	1 450	21	1 450	31	2 133	31	2 133	147
100 to 199	1974	15	2 078	15	2 078	16	2 190	16	2 190	131
200 to 499	1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	17	4 640	17	4 640	319
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	5 854	5	5 854	380
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	2 927	17	2 731	82
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	60	2 292	21	1 666	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	1	1	1	1	31	1	31	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	32	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	30	86	27	83	3	4	3	4	1
	1969	75	264	(NA)	(NA)	7	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			Inventory			
					All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	91	1 509	Litters of pigs farrowed between —				
	1969	120	1 741	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	118	2 039	95	1 976
Other hogs and pigs	1974	116	8 228		1969	217	2 557	124	2 176
	1969	141	9 646	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	106	993	89	958
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	193	1 241	118	1 073
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	96	1 046	81	1 018
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	192	1 316	108	1 103

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	69	(X)	50	(X)	14	(X)	12	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	50	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	69	23 396	50	23 066	14	34 781	12	34 741
	1969	101	37 820	49	36 567	13	25 101	10	24 900
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	69	20 969	50	20 649	12	32 300	10	32 260
	1969	96	34 562	47	33 545	13	23 901	10	23 700
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	62	1 269	43	949	6	280	4	240
100 to 399	1974	2	200	2	200	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	2 459	3	2 459
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	6	64	4	60	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	106	4	106	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	272	23	271
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	279

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	50	20 649	10	32 260
	1969	47	33 545	10	23 700
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	49	(D)	8	7 530
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	(D)	3	24 730
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	1 360	–	–
	1969	7	1 471	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	16	1 057	5	2 481
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	1 400	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	18	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	10	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	267	344	22 289	18 987	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	18	13	439	303	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	277	325	29 823	27 352	575 206	593 898
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	15	13	101	125	106 853	237 779
Wheat (bushels)	34	68	1 393	1 621	29 125	50 139
Other small grains for grain	66	96	2 570	2 973	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	24	191	3 405	7 193	3 704	4 786
Tobacco (pounds)	2	14	36	63	(D)	67 573
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	13	(NA)	2 238	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	16	(NA)	18	(NA)	3 805	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	93	106	2 737	2 793	6 040	7 453
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	82	92	1 056	1 465	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	19	61	183	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	253	372	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	228	191	19 051	14 711	1 147 585	691 003	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	33	32	2 756	2 019	39 009	21 902	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	11	11	205	189	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	30	8	2 400	75	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	16	(NA)	409	294	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	–	40	–	80	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	139	5 596	(X)	–	–	61	2 493	57	571	24	207
	1969	150	7 344	(X)	–	–	99	3 878	92	1 227	43	319
Improved pasture	1974	37	2 917	(X)	–	–	5	221	5	64	3	25
	1969	15	1 350	(X)	–	–	7	610	5	134	4	60
Corn for all purposes	1974	237	22 012	(X)	–	–	194	19 198	179	4 840	111	1 557
	1969	203	16 919	(X)	–	–	169	14 648	152	3 594	103	1 548
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	18	439	(X)	–	–	14	309	14	71	3	20
	1969	12	302	(X)	–	–	12	302	10	65	10	31
Wheat (bushels)	1974	34	1 393	29 125	–	–	27	1 244	23	198	11	114
	1969	58	1 549	48 553	–	–	53	1 440	(NA)	297	(NA)	121
Oats (bushels)	1974	41	1 324	72 790	–	–	39	1 274	31	239	20	96
	1969	40	1 452	61 954	–	–	33	1 320	(NA)	295	(NA)	81
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	40	2 000	–	–	1	10	–	–	1	2
	1969	4	45	2 000	–	–	4	45	(NA)	9	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels)	1974	41	1 124	19 018	–	–	37	1 065	28	178	21	61
	1969	69	1 443	32 126	–	–	58	1 248	(NA)	205	(NA)	85
Other small grains for grain	1974	6	82	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	243	29 405	570 129	–	–	152	21 009	146	3 421	9	131
	1969	204	25 395	556 261	–	–	152	20 968	(NA)	3 137	(NA)	130
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	11	97	101 953	–	–	5	91	3	16	2	5
	1969	9	121	234 729	–	–	5	117	(NA)	38	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	77	2 491	5 660	–	–	51	1 294	44	332	33	152
	1969	78	2 612	7 114	–	–	50	1 633	44	410	39	255
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	27	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	23	3 403	3 702	–	–	23	3 391	22	1 118	10	272
	1969	117	6 754	4 531	–	–	112	6 759	(NA)	2 465	(NA)	717
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	2	36	(D)	–	–	2	36	2	44	1	(Z)
	1969	8	56	62 139	–	–	8	56	(NA)	43	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	10	13	2 238	–	–	3	10	3	1	–	–
	1969	4	2	140	–	–	3	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	62	987	(X)	–	–	37	669	37	325	1	2
	1969	61	1 321	(X)	3	6	51	1 152	49	460	12	127
Land in orchards	1974	11	56	(X)	–	–	8	48	8	21	–	–
	1969	12	148	(X)	–	–	9	109	9	36	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	32	(X)	3	32	3	32	3	14	–	–
1969	1	10	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	4	–	–
Other crops 1974	16	239	(X)	–	–	5	13	5	11	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	256	257
$1,000	2 588	1 241
Commercial fertilizer—farms	252	239
acres on which used	52 427	54 319
tons	14 112	15 906
$1,000	2 169	954
Lime—farms	57	107
acres on which used	4 709	7 758
tons	4 690	8 326
$1,000	62	52
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	5
acres on which used	30	148
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	70	153
acres on which used	20 124	20 876
$1,000	185	148
Nematodes in crops—farms	8	2
acres on which used	785	30
$1,000	10	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	2
acres on which used	512	24
$1,000	8	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	68	84
acres on which used	17 567	13 330
$1,000	128	51
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	12
acres on which used	250	542
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	170	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	8	45
acres on which used	1 751	3 833
$1,000	9	27
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	17	54
$1,000	6	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	44	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	2
Proportion of farms—percent	1.0	0.7
Total land irrigated—acres	32	5
Average per farm—acres	10.7	2.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	2
acres	32	5
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	2
acres	32	5
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	20	3
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	4	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	30	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	92	519
Cropland—acres	32	307
Harvested cropland—acres	32	162
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	56	81
Proportion of farms—percent	19.0	30.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	29 019	40 374
Land drained—acres	8 511	9 950
Average per farm—acres	152.0	122.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	24	(NA)
number	57	(NA)
acres	153	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	91	73	38
$1,000	3 436	2 622	814
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	24	18	14
$5,000 to $9,999	10	12	5
$10,000 to $29,999	24	17	12
$30,000 to $49,999	10	8	3
$50,000 and over	23	18	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	45	91	138	245	564	
25 to 149 days	38	160	164	716	134	777
Less than 25 days	72		448		44	
Total contract labor	11	16	(NA)	(NA)	14	18
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	35	(NA)	6	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	113	45	38	72
Cash wages paid $1,000	742	564	134	44
Number of workers	750	138	164	448
Farms with—				
1 worker	26	17	8	16
2 workers	20	11	12	10
3 or 4 workers	23	9	11	17
5 to 9 workers	23	7	5	16
10 workers and over	21	1	2	13

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	370	467	237	213
Land in farms — acres	118 265	128 926	107 128	102 909
Average size of farm — acres	320	276	452	483
Approximate land area — acres	353 664	353 664	353 664	353 664
Proportion in farms — percent	33.4	36.5	30.3	29.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	37 251	22 347	33 097	16 848
Average per farm — dollars	100 679	47 852	139 652	79 099
Average per acre — dollars	315	173	309	164
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	9	6	4	2
10 to 49 acres	75	85	20	4
50 to 69 acres	30	58	9	11
70 to 99 acres	39	64	19	19
100 to 139 acres	53	53	31	21
140 to 179 acres	19	38	17	17
180 to 219 acres	10	26	8	20
220 to 259 acres	15	20	14	16
260 to 499 acres	43	54	39	43
500 to 999 acres	50	37	50	35
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	16	17	16
2,000 acres and over	10	10	9	9

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	356	451	232	211
acres	75 830	77 334	70 635	65 661
Harvested cropland — farms	332	400	230	205
acres	59 849	49 680	57 615	45 385
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	32	46	4	
10 to 19 acres	36	81	10	43
20 to 29 acres	53	40	16	
30 to 49 acres	27	62	17	
50 to 99 acres	52	70	52	62
100 to 199 acres	41	33	41	33
200 to 499 acres	53	41	53	41
500 to 999 acres	30	20	29	19
1,000 acres and over	8	7	8	7
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	159	187	91	91
acres	8 121	6 765	6 329	4 986
Other cropland (see text) — farms	118	302	79	(NA)
acres	7 860	20 889	6 691	15 290
Total woodland — farms	224	331	143	155
acres	27 412	42 628	23 485	32 340
Other land (see text) — farms	251	314	156	(NA)
acres	15 023	8 964	13 008	4 908
Irrigated land — farms	1	4	–	2
acres	16	112	–	100

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	79	(NA)
acres	6 691	15 290
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	25	59
acres	1 086	5 344
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	17
acres	1 035	471
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	8	14
acres	270	1 179
Cropland idle — farms	49	117
acres	4 300	8 296
Total woodland — farms	143	155
acres	23 485	32 340
Woodland pastured — farms	59	55
acres	5 514	8 243

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	100	122
acres	17 971	24 097
Other land — farms	156	(NA)
acres	13 008	4 908
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	36	26
acres	4 151	2 095
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	10
acres	1 272	746
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	27	18
acres	2 879	1 349
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	149	130
acres	8 857	2 813

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	370	467	237	213
Land in farms — acres	118 265	128 926	107 128	102 909
Harvested cropland — acres	59 849	49 680	57 615	45 385
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	211	281	108	94
Land in farms — acres	47 092	56 058	37 517	35 091
Harvested cropland — acres	14 768	14 421	13 132	11 481
Part owners — number	124	129	109	94
Land in farms — acres	62 946	65 516	61 946	62 610
Harvested cropland — acres	39 814	31 374	39 555	30 571
Tenants — number	35	57	20	25
Land in farms — acres	8 227	7 352	7 665	5 208
Harvested cropland — acres	5 267	3 885	4 928	3 333
Percent of tenancy	9.5	12.2	8.4	11.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	72	101	35	27
Land in farms — acres	8 543	11 907	6 581	6 597
Harvested cropland — acres	4 746	5 475	4 108	4 225
Full owners — number	35	62	10	16
Land in farms — acres	2 008	6 803	722	3 219
Harvested cropland — acres	811	2 301	410	1 573
Part owners — number	31	17	23	7
Land in farms — acres	6 025	2 841	5 509	2 097
Harvested cropland — acres	3 629	1 848	3 492	1 603
Tenants — number	6	22	2	4
Land in farms — acres	510	2 263	350	1 281
Harvested cropland — acres	306	1 326	206	1 049
Percent of tenancy	8.3	21.7	5.7	14.8
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	215	177
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	87 820	72 176

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	16	29
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 627	22 766
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 006	7 967
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	675	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	13	–	4
25 to 34 years	25	40	11	19
35 to 44 years	70	100	47	46
45 to 54 years	127	119	80	62
55 to 64 years	85	95	58	49
65 years and over	55	100	35	33
Average age	51.3	51.6	51.8	50.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	188	289	124	125
On another farm	6		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	44	121	15	65
In a city, town, or urban area	39		32	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	128	(NA)	103	(NA)
1 to 49 days	14	36	9	12
50 to 99 days	13	19	3	7
100 to 149 days	9	36	9	11
150 to 199 days	11		4	
200 days and over	145	203	73	77
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	175	(NA)	147	(NA)
Other	188	(NA)	84	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	30	26	29	26
$40,000 to $99,999	38		38	
$20,000 to $39,999	36	32	36	32
$10,000 to $19,999	51	41	51	41
$5,000 to $9,999	43	46	43	46
$2,500 to $4,999	38	60	38	59
Under $2,500 (see text)	134	262	2	9
$2,000 to $2,499	26	33	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	32	25	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	29	48	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	47	156	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	11 331	4 741	11 020	4 460
Average per farm ... dollars	30 624	10 152	46 496	20 938
Crops, including hay ... farms	312	370	226	(NA)
$1,000	8 699	3 273	8 500	3 097
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	2
$1,000	–		–	(D)
Forest products ... farms	39	20	36	14
$1,000	162	51	162	45
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	181	255	115	128
$1,000	2 470	1 417	2 358	1 317
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	(NA)	7	14
$1,000	826	(NA)	826	571

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	226	(NA)
$1,000	8 500	3 097
Grains ... farms	214	184
$1,000	5 315	1 322
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	45	109
$1,000	1 223	542
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	23	21
$1,000	118	49
Other field crops ... farms	29	41
$1,000	814	476
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	88	103
$1,000	609	321
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	6	10
$1,000	421	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	115	128
$1,000	2 358	1 317
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	7	14
$1,000	826	571
Dairy products ... farms	4	6
$1,000	81	214
Cattle and calves ... farms	73	(NA)
$1,000	354	346
Hogs and pigs ... farms	64	(NA)
$1,000	1 096	186
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	167	(NA)	64	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	107	(NA)	69	(NA)
$1,000	297	(NA)	281	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	37	31	31	24
$1,000	112	28	110	24
Recreational services ... farms	4	11	4	7
$1,000	1	4	1	3
Government farm programs ... farms	40	281	29	149
$1,000	22	841	18	744
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	34	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	158	(NA)	148	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	30	(NA)	25	(NA)
$1,000	102	(NA)	97	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	131
$1,000	1 646
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	32
$1,000	356
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	97
$1,000	1 202
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	45
$1,000	72
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	8
$1,000	9
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	7

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	370	467	237	213
$1,000	8 027	4 761	7 741	4 395
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	62	158	4	17
$1,000 to $1,999	76	79	25	
$2,000 to $2,999	46	47	33	18
$3,000 to $4,999	23	43	16	41
$5,000 to $9,999	46	47	43	45
$10,000 to $19,999	38	93	38	38
$20,000 to $39,999	29		29	30
$40,000 to $59,999	18		18	24
$60,000 and over	32		31	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	67	143	46	79
$1,000	335	377	323	341
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	195	232	107	112
$1,000	1 428	524	1 389	487
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	140	160	85	90
$1,000	989	417	976	400
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	26
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	21
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	315	52
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	15
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	276	368	195	190
$1,000	309	186	301	173
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	297	407	196	204
$1,000	1 751	729	1 688	664
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	172	(NA)	133	(NA)
$1,000	625	334	608	317
Lime ... farms	(NA)	80	50	69
$1,000	(NA)	43	89	40
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	359	457	231	213
$1,000	531	344	496	298
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	177	196
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	158
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	166	135
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	250	104
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	17
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	8
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	231	213
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	28
Hired farm labor ... farms	121	231	97	155
$1,000	682	716	658	678
Contract labor ... farms	15	230	13	25
$1,000	53	206	52	62
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	155		114	122
$1,000	161		154	129
All other production expenses ... farms	341	379	237	209
$1,000	2 154	1 346	2 046	1 246

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	351	442	223	207
$1,000	6 848	3 985	5 911	3 288
Average per farm — dollars	19 510	9 015	26 506	15 885
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	62	–	54
$1,000 to $4,999	82	195	36	
$5,000 to $9,999	84	69	32	47
$10,000 to $19,999	69	58	43	50
$20,000 to $29,999	37	58	37	18
$30,000 to $49,999	47		46	24
$50,000 to $69,999	15		15	14
$70,000 and over	15		14	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	266	321	170	160
number	357	432	240	236
mfd in last 5 years, number	165	271	140	159
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	319	366	198	184
number	553	540	406	345
mfd in last 5 years, number	208	272	165	174
Wheel tractors — farms	323	358	209	192
number	662	668	509	463
mfd in last 5 years, number	189	278	160	219
Crawler tractors — farms	13		10	10
number	14		11	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	109	78	102	71
number	123	95	116	87
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	50	40	45
Corn heads for combines — farms	78	55	75	42
number	88	67	85	47
mfd in last 5 years, number	28	38	27	25
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	23		22	15
number	25		24	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	9		9	11
Mower conditioners — farms	33	(NA)	24	(NA)
number	34	(NA)	25	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	42	48	38	42
number	45	52	40	46
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	22	13	19
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	17	(NA)	14	15
number	17	(NA)	14	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	8	8
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	6	(NA)	5	7
number	7	(NA)	5	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	7

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	199	(X)	117	(X)	181	(X)	115	(X)	2 358
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	185	(X)	112	(X)	174	(X)	112	(X)	1 450
1969	271	(X)	126	(X)	245	(X)	123	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	131	6 078	76	4 869	108	2 607	73	2 245	354
1969	194	6 342	94	5 151	157	2 945	88	2 460	346
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	23	60	8	18	32	86	16	40	7
5 to 9 — 1974	15	97	6	40	14	82	4	26	4
10 to 19 — 1974	32	418	10	162	26	338	18	237	40
20 to 49 — 1974	25	826	18	619	20	600	20	600	107
50 to 99 — 1974	23	1 601	22	1 531	11	764	11	764	123
100 to 199 — 1974	5	(D)	5	589	5	737	4	578	73
200 to 499 — 1974	7	1 910	7	1 910	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over — 1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	109	3 048	71	2 276	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	159	2 811	78	2 262	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	98	2 735	66	1 991	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 352	68	1 867	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	31	313	18	285	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	63	459	20	395	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	81
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	214

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	98	2 735	66	1 991			
Farms with —							
1 to 4	23	53	8	14			
5 to 9	13	93	11	77			
10 to 19	18	234	9	135			
20 to 49	31	916	26	783			
50 to 99	7	432	7	432			
100 to 199	5	(D)	5	550			
200 to 499	1	(D)	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	31	313	18	285			
Farms with —							
1 or 2	19	25	8	9			
3 or 4	1	4	1	4			
5 to 9	8	54	6	42			
10 to 19	2	(D)	2	(D)			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					56	1 400	274
Farms with —							
1 to 4					21	55	12
5 to 9					5	33	6
10 to 19					9	106	22
20 to 49					13	397	93
50 to 99					5	381	84
100 to 199					3	428	57
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					35	845	80
Farms with —							
1 or 2					1	1	(Z)
3 or 4					5	16	2
5 to 9					6	48	7
10 to 19					8	128	15
20 to 49					10	329	38
50 to 99					5	323	19
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	37	709	5	104	25
	1969	66	1 073	3	218	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	37	709	Farms with —		
Milk heifers	1974	–	–	1 to 9	3	9	2
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	62	1 884	10 to 19	–	–	–
	1969	82	1 816	20 to 49	1	38	(D)
				50 to 99	1	57	(D)
				100 to 199	–	–	–
				200 to 499	–	–	–
				500 and over	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	5	104	25			
	1969	3	218	(NA)			

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	115	10 998	64	10 154	105	17 690	64	16 713	1 096
	1969	175	5 521	75	3 924	156	6 597	71	4 982	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	20	55	12	33	19	58	13	44	3
5 to 9	1974	22	140	14	94	7	51	4	28	1
10 to 24	1974	43	741	18	296	29	492	14	270	11
25 to 49	1974	16	531	6	200	25	841	13	441	17
50 to 99	1974	7	376	7	376	16	964	11	646	25
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	4	8 338	4	8 338	4	14 140	4	14 140	972
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	44	2 216	27	1 761	40
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	58	2 511	31	1 740	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	25	1	25	1	13	1	13	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	34	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	37	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	27	82	17	65	2	2	2	2	1
	1969	83	208	(NA)	(NA)	10	24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	48	1 230	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	59	509	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	89	2 462	54	2 300
Other hogs and pigs	1974	64	8 924		1969	145	1 047	65	725
	1969	64	3 415	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	82	1 271	52	1 191
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	124	572	59	412
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	59	1 191	30	1 109
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	114	475	51	313

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	42	(X)	15	(X)	5	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	33	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	40	55 833	14	55 512	5	92 916	5	92 916
	1969	88	86 998	32	85 909	14	93 901	11	93 894
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	40	54 341	14	54 059	5	91 848	5	91 848
	1969	84	82 102	29	81 132	10	73 794	10	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	36	486	10	204	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	76	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	132	4	82	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	826	7	826
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	571

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	14	54 059	5	91 848
	1969	29	81 132	10	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	11	38 049	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	16 010	3	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	4 656	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	10	1 453	3	1 068
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	70	1	60
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	1	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	10	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	230	225	16 105	8 262	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	54	37	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	224	231	30 803	21 940	531 004	463 013
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	27	35	1 958	1 894	4 462 501	3 465 665
Wheat (bushels)	28	62	1 398	1 578	32 391	52 874
Other small grains for grain	42	60	910	1 464	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	50	197	4 911	6 476	5 003	5 458
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	210	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	30	(NA)	9 362	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	69	91	1 783	2 027	4 962	5 690
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	108	187	2 379	3 716	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	14	27	1 244	1 483	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	1	(Z)	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	318	2 401	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	157	127	14 685	7 197	827 343	258 748	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	3	230	57	3 000	475	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	3	64	44	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	30	30	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	4	30	56	200	64	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	91	6 329	(X)	–	–	36	2 457	25	424	21	197
	1969	91	4 986	(X)	–	–	57	2 547	49	565	28	394
Improved pasture	1974	20	1 272	(X)	–	–	8	286	8	52	4	13
	1969	10	746	(X)	–	–	5	190	2	20	4	23
Corn for all purposes	1974	158	14 979	(X)	–	–	131	13 514	123	2 906	68	1 495
	1969	129	7 298	(X)	–	–	101	5 980	95	1 436	58	520
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	6	–	–
	1969	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	15	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	25	1 375	31 951	–	–	23	1 349	21	257	10	79
	1969	54	1 523	51 499	–	–	45	1 331	(NA)	214	(NA)	100
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	14	300	–	–	2	14	–	–	2	2
	1969	13	130	6 915	–	–	9	107	(NA)	17	(NA)	7
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	10	300	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	29	831	15 661	–	–	21	637	15	78	9	43
	1969	35	1 127	25 314	–	–	31	1 079	(NA)	177	(NA)	89
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	184	30 212	521 091	–	–	112	21 516	101	2 637	16	473
	1969	155	20 640	439 618	–	–	100	14 682	(NA)	2 289	(NA)	215
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	27	1 958	4 462 501	–	–	18	1 526	18	377	–	–
	1969	34	1 893	3 464 565	–	–	28	1 582	(NA)	519	(NA)	5
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	53	1 548	4 165	–	–	30	955	18	227	24	157
	1969	61	1 660	4 897	–	–	35	1 079	29	240	26	202
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	90	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	5	1	1
Cotton (bales)	1974	45	4 868	4 970	–	–	45	4 861	45	1 478	23	456
	1969	110	5 750	4 982	–	–	108	5 663	(NA)	2 038	(NA)	616
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	2	210	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	7	260	–	–	2	7	(NA)	7	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	90	2 302	(X)	–	–	44	1 295	44	518	16	71
	1969	104	3 163	(X)	–	–	77	2 469	74	1 006	20	112
Land in orchards	1974	10	1 205	(X)	–	–	5	1 191	5	384	–	–
	1969	22	1 424	(X)	1	60	11	1 348	10	547	1	2

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	40	(X)	1	40	2	40	1	20	–	–
Other crops 1974	8	321	(X)	–	–	4	19	2	8	2	1

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	201	206
$1,000	2 296	982
Commercial fertilizer — farms	196	195
acres on which used	49 683	38 921
tons	12 346	11 573
$1,000	1 688	664
Lime — farms	50	69
acres on which used	7 550	5 728
tons	6 745	5 597
$1,000	89	40
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	4	2
acres on which used	76	89
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops — farms	76	128
acres on which used	19 178	19 908
$1,000	271	175
Nematodes in crops — farms	15	11
acres on which used	3 077	466
$1,000	20	4

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	9	18
acres on which used	1 713	2 298
$1,000	26	24
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	62	71
acres on which used	21 057	12 544
$1,000	138	58
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	–	4
acres on which used	–	135
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds on all other land — farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	133	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	12	48
acres on which used	2 720	3 765
$1,000	8	8
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	7	27
$1,000	5	5
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	26	(NA)
$1,000	47	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	–	2
Proportion of farms — percent	–	0.9
Total land irrigated — acres	–	100
Average per farm — acres	–	50.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	–	2
acres	–	100
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	–	2
acres	–	100
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	–	32
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	–	0.3
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	–	4 168
Cropland — acres	–	1 633
Harvested cropland — acres	–	1 122
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	100	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	17	36
Proportion of farms — percent	7.2	16.9
Land in farms with drainage — acres	12 263	39 105
Land drained — acres	733	4 260
Average per farm — acres	43.1	118.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	34	(NA)
number	68	(NA)
acres	353	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	84	56	56
$1,000	3 518	2 400	1 118
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	7	16
$5,000 to $9,999	17	10	15
$10,000 to $29,999	23	20	14
$30,000 to $49,999	7	6	5
$50,000 and over	21	13	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	44	69	129	200	477	678
25 to 149 days	30	129	172	746	104	
Less than 25 days	60		759		78	
Total contract labor	13	25	(NA)	(NA)	52	62
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	37	(NA)	15	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working —		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	97	44	30	60
Cash wages paid $1,000	658	477	104	78
Number of workers	1 060	129	172	759
Farms with —				
1 worker	18	18	15	3
2 workers	17	12	5	10
3 or 4 workers	13	8	6	11
5 to 9 workers	26	5	1	18
10 workers and over	23	1	3	18

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	153	215	94	80
Land in farms — acres	81 500	83 308	79 954	77 676
Average size of farm — acres	533	387	851	971
Approximate land area — acres	370 304	370 304	370 304	370 304
Proportion in farms — percent	22.0	22.5	21.6	21.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	45 607	20 661	43 899	17 198
Average per farm — dollars	298 087	96 095	467 015	214 976
Average per acre — dollars	560	248	549	221
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	14	32	2	4
10 to 49 acres	55	94	14	8
50 to 69 acres	6	9	6	3
70 to 99 acres	15	3	11	1
100 to 139 acres	6	12	4	7
140 to 179 acres	2	3	2	2
180 to 219 acres	1	7	1	5
220 to 259 acres	1	4	1	4
260 to 499 acres	21	19	21	16
500 to 999 acres	8	11	8	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres	11	8	11	8
2,000 acres and over	13	13	13	13

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	30	(NA)
acres	2 934	3 910
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	12	12
acres	1 065	1 278
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	4	8
acres	487	229
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	2
acres	20	58
Cropland idle — farms	15	16
acres	1 362	2 345
Total woodland — farms	52	57
acres	36 690	29 934
Woodland pastured — farms	20	26
acres	12 165	6 139

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	144	192	91	77
acres	25 324	29 338	24 387	27 579
Harvested cropland — farms	139	159	90	69
acres	16 725	20 662	16 200	20 092
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	38	80	4	22
10 to 19 acres	11	11	3	
20 to 29 acres	16	10	13	
30 to 49 acres	20	11	16	
50 to 99 acres	19	7	19	7
100 to 199 acres	11	11	11	11
200 to 499 acres	15	18	15	18
500 to 999 acres	4	7	4	7
1,000 acres and over	5	4	5	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	44	75	30	34
acres	5 529	3 988	5 253	3 577
Other cropland (see text) — farms	36	92	30	(NA)
acres	3 070	4 688	2 934	3 910
Total woodland — farms	67	132	52	57
acres	36 977	31 595	36 690	29 934
Other land (see text) — farms	99	132	60	(NA)
acres	19 199	22 375	18 877	20 163
Irrigated land — farms	11	12	9	8
acres	622	933	620	916

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	44	34
acres	24 525	23 795
Other land — farms	60	(NA)
acres	18 877	20 163
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	23	13
acres	11 203	5 110
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	12	5
acres	2 474	1 434
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	17	9
acres	8 729	3 676
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	58	46
acres	7 674	15 053

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	153	215	94	80
Land in farms — acres	81 500	83 308	79 954	77 676
Harvested cropland — acres	16 725	20 662	16 200	20 092
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	86	143	53	40
Land in farms — acres	55 891	62 965	55 173	58 921
Harvested cropland — acres	6 164	10 338	5 933	9 900
Part owners — number	52	51	38	31
Land in farms — acres	24 701	18 557	24 401	17 241
Harvested cropland — acres	9 971	9 599	9 887	9 499
Tenants — number	15	21	3	9
Land in farms — acres	908	1 786	380	1 514
Harvested cropland — acres	590	725	380	693
Percent of tenancy	9.8	9.7	3.2	11.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	50	108	15	8
Land in farms — acres	2 333	3 311	1 721	1 725
Harvested cropland — acres	650	1 039	486	677
Full owners — number	27	77	10	2
Land in farms — acres	1 804	1 202	1 500	130
Harvested cropland — acres	401	305	321	40
Part owners — number	19	23	5	6
Land in farms — acres	521	1 989	221	1 595
Harvested cropland — acres	249	702	165	637
Tenants — number	4	8	–	–
Land in farms — acres	8	120	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	32	–	–
Percent of tenancy	8.0	7.4	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	81	58
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	60 709	51 707

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	17
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	17 525
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 090	8 444
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	9	2	2
25 to 34 years	11	12	7	7
35 to 44 years	19	31	9	23
45 to 54 years	55	60	32	23
55 to 64 years	36	58	26	18
65 years and over	19	45	11	7
Average age	50.2	53.4	51.7	48.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	75	147	45	58
On another farm	5	33	5	17
In a rural area, not on a farm	4		4	
In a city, town, or urban area	13		13	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	58	(NA)	35	(NA)
1 to 49 days	14	9	9	2
50 to 99 days	2	14	2	3
100 to 149 days	8	26	4	4
150 to 199 days	7		4	
200 days and over	36	73	17	14
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	84	(NA)	53	(NA)
Other	62	(NA)	34	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	16	31	16	31
$40,000 to $99,999	14		14	
$20,000 to $39,999	15	9	15	9
$10,000 to $19,999	14	14	14	14
$5,000 to $9,999	20	15	20	15
$2,500 to $4,999	14	9	14	9
Under $2,500 (see text)	60	137	1	2
$2,000 to $2,499	6	7	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	11	5	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	14	11	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	29	114	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 193	5 120	7 124	5 044
Average per farm ... dollars	47 012	23 815	75 792	63 052
Crops, including hay ... farms	128	129	81	(NA)
$1,000	5 653	3 814	5 609	3 677
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	4
$1,000	85		85	97
Forest products ... farms	6	11	4	11
$1,000	16	98	12	98
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	85	117	57	47
$1,000	1 440	1 209	1 419	1 172
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	10	(NA)	6	4
$1,000	474	(NA)	471	273

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	81	(NA)
$1,000	5 609	3 677
Grains ... farms	62	36
$1,000	1 434	662
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	12	6
$1,000	122	24
Other field crops ... farms	12	–
$1,000	28	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	29	38
$1,000	4 017	2 985
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	5
$1,000	7	7
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	57	47
$1,000	1 419	1 172
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	4
$1,000	471	273
Dairy products ... farms	3	4
$1,000	91	146
Cattle and calves ... farms	43	(NA)
$1,000	488	374
Hogs and pigs ... farms	14	(NA)
$1,000	366	380
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	3	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	55	(NA)	28	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	38	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	91	(NA)	89	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	13	11	13	6
$1,000	34	26	34	24
Recreational services ... farms	–	5	–	5
$1,000	–	32	–	32
Government farm programs ... farms	18	78	11	32
$1,000	15	54	14	44
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	32	(NA)	32	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	8	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)	8	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	52
$1,000	1 235
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	11
$1,000	327
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	30
$1,000	273
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	25
$1,000	504
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	4
$1,000	28
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	16
$1,000	104

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	153	215	94	80
$1,000	6 665	5 225	6 602	5 102
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	34	95	–	3
$1,000 to $1,999	31	28	9	
$2,000 to $2,999	6	14	6	7
$3,000 to $4,999	4	9	2	4
$5,000 to $9,999	17	20	16	17
$10,000 to $19,999	17		17	8
$20,000 to $39,999	22	49	22	11
$40,000 to $59,999	3		3	30
$60,000 and over	19		19	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	37	47	20	17
$1,000	414	149	405	145
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	74	134	32	42
$1,000	601	346	590	322
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	61	93	29	34
$1,000	438	280	432	265
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	7
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	9
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	16	18
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	88	42
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	23	6
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	109	143	73	66
$1,000	216	137	213	133
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	120	177	75	71
$1,000	847	615	839	598
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	51	(NA)	43	(NA)
$1,000	312	239	311	236
Lime ... farms	(NA)	43	14	29
$1,000	(NA)	24	35	24
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	151	199	94	80
$1,000	294	240	286	223
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	90	77
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	150	127
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	58	51
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	51
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	8	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	94	80
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	38	38
Hired farm labor ... farms	65	123	56	67
$1,000	1 209	999	1 207	986
Contract labor ... farms	24	99	20	34
$1,000	577	864	577	787
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	64		50	37
$1,000	70		66	69
All other production expenses ... farms	144	164	94	79
$1,000	2 126	1 637	2 086	1 602

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	146	195	92	80
$1,000	3 251	2 344	2 929	1 974
Average per farm—dollars	22 269	12 021	31 837	24 678
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	21	–	14
$1,000 to $4,999	31	84	9	
$5,000 to $9,999	46	38	14	19
$10,000 to $19,999	20	14	20	10
$20,000 to $29,999	11	38	11	13
$30,000 to $49,999	18		18	10
$50,000 to $69,999	11		11	14
$70,000 and over	9		9	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	96	133	60	56
number	146	203	109	96
mfd in last 5 years, number	75	144	70	73
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	123	152	80	71
number	242	313	199	225
mfd in last 5 years, number	112	170	106	119
Wheel tractors—farms	131	141	84	76
number	312	343	261	263
mfd in last 5 years, number	89	159	87	118
Crawler tractors—farms	13		13	8
number	16		16	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	16	13	16	13
number	25	17	25	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	13	7	13
Corn heads for combines—farms	12	24	12	13
number	16	30	16	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	17	5	11
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10		6	14
number	10		6	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	6
Mower conditioners—farms	8	(NA)	4	(NA)
number	8	(NA)	4	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	15	13	12	13
number	17	13	14	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	10	1	10
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	5	(NA)	4	12
number	5	(NA)	4	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	4	9
number	6	(NA)	6	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	7

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	97	(X)	57	(X)	85	(X)	57	(X)	1 419
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	82	(X)	52	(X)	71	(X)	53	(X)	854
1969	139	(X)	47	(X)	98	(X)	45	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	61	6 188	41	5 872	56	2 527	43	2 466	488
1969	88	4 890	37	4 551	60	2 792	35	2 583	374
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	7	17	–	–	9	15	2	4	1
5 to 9—1974	–	–	–	–	10	66	6	42	7
10 to 19—1974	14	169	5	62	14	188	12	162	24
20 to 49—1974	15	423	13	371	8	298	8	298	27
50 to 99—1974	9	628	7	488	8	527	8	527	165
100 to 199—1974	8	1 030	8	1 030	4	452	4	452	64
200 to 499—1974	5	1 499	5	1 499	3	981	3	981	200
500 and over—1974	3	2 422	3	2 422	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	46	4 127	32	3 878	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	72	2 825	35	2 651	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	42	3 969	29	3 741	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 484	30	2 343	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	17	158	8	137	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	28	341	8	308	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	91
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	146

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	42	3 969	29	3 741	33	1 225	363
Farms with—							
1 to 4	4	4	–	–	14	40	12
5 to 9	5	32	–	–	9	53	12
10 to 19	5	63	5	63	3	30	8
20 to 49	8	248	6	196	2	70	(D)
50 to 99	8	556	6	416	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	7	866	7	866	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	4	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–
Milk cows	17	158	8	137	37	1 241	125
Farms with—							
1 or 2	6	7	1	2	–	–	–
3 or 4	9	(D)	5	(D)	4	12	(Z)
5 to 9	–	–	–	–	9	57	2
10 to 19	–	–	–	–	5	74	9
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	10	324	25
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	6	374	37
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	28	1 008	–	–	–
	1969	28	1 119	2	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	26	878			
Milk heifers	1974	2	130			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	26	986			
	1969	33	781			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			2	(D)	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	47	3 634	21	3 346	25	4 817	14	4 684	366
	1969	99	5 117	23	4 511	55	8 006	22	7 607	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	17	49	5	17	4	12	4	12	1
5 to 9	1974	6	48	2	12	3	23	1	5	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	14	204	6	64	11	135	2	20	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	3	110	1	30	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	3	239	3	239	1	80	1	80	3
100 to 199	1974	1	114	1	114	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	3 877	3	3 877	310
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	949	6	893	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	17	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	31	98	18	81	4	10	2	4	2
	1969	67	155	(NA)	(NA)	3	14	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	13	634				
	1969	12	559				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	21	2 712				
	1969	22	3 952				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			15	651	13	637
	1969			43	843	13	763
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			15	314	13	312
	1969			37	386	13	339
June 1 and November 30	1974			11	337	9	325
	1969			31	457	13	424

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	43	(X)	17	(X)	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	42	(D)	16	(D)	3	18 600	1	(D)
	1969	67	27 603	9	26 414	1	(D)	1	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	32	(D)	12	(D)	3	18 600	1	(D)
	1969	57	27 264	8	26 412	1	(D)	1	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	30	845	10	265	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	342	4	120	–	–	–	–
	1969	9	92	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	474	6	471
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	273

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	12	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	8	26 412	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	12	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	6	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	238	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	60	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	40	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	80	106	4 885	5 287	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	4	100	106	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	50	27	7 182	6 006	157 681	141 342
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	14	9	14	9	12 250	5 480
Wheat (bushels)	7	8	580	1 220	9 226	38 352
Other small grains for grain	10	7	202	432	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	2	–	4	–	6
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	6	(NA)	602	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	24	(NA)	61	(NA)	5 914	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	22	21	933	1 796	2 476	3 739
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	47	70	3 997	7 427	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	15	229	199	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	6	–	14	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	5	347	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	41	36	3 592	4 379	213 490	246 493	1	1	200	6
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	8	5	927	587	14 400	6 372	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	1	34	20	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	–	20	–	1 200	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	80	100	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	1	30	10	21	40	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	30	5 253	(X)	1	14	9	1 915	6	101	5	280
	1969	34	3 577	(X)	1	180	16	1 692	14	367	5	69
Improved pasture	1974	12	2 474	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	1 434	(X)	–	–	3	575	2	104	2	53
Corn for all purposes	1974	47	4 553	(X)	1	200	32	4 114	31	908	15	704
	1969	39	4 986	(X)	1	6	34	4 652	31	1 381	22	563
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	8	100	(X)	–	–	4	80	4	16	–	–
	1969	1	100	(X)	–	–	1	100	1	60	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	7	580	9 226	–	–	7	580	6	56	3	88
	1969	8	1 220	38 352	–	–	7	1 160	(NA)	325	(NA)	31
Oats (bushels)	1974	4	8	320	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	77	2 204	–	–	2	77	(NA)	19	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	4	190	4 156	–	–	2	40	2	1	–	–
	1969	3	349	7 180	–	–	1	14	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	40	7 108	157 005	–	–	25	4 765	20	656	6	300
	1969	20	5 902	138 398	–	–	11	4 477	(NA)	694	(NA)	322
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	4 500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	18	887	2 380	–	–	7	368	4	44	6	43
	1969	13	1 744	3 646	–	–	7	993	5	177	6	60
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	40	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	6	580	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	29	3 962	(X)	3	375	21	3 931	21	3 120	7	220
	1969	38	7 348	(X)	5	725	34	6 869	27	3 946	12	1 448
Land in orchards	1974	9	225	(X)	1	15	3	102	3	17	–	–
	1969	8	175	(X)	–	–	3	73	2	7	1	10

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	5	(X)	2	5	2	4	2	2	–	–
1969	4	176	(X)	1	5	4	176	4	88	–	–
Other crops 1974	10	54	(X)	–	–	4	48	4	48	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	78	74
$1,000	1 150	834
Commercial fertilizer—farms	75	68
acres on which used	15 950	20 935
tons	6 604	9 737
$1,000	839	598
Lime—farms	14	29
acres on which used	2 354	4 721
tons	2 565	3 386
$1,000	35	24
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	40
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	31	33
acres on which used	8 666	11 822
$1,000	117	115
Nematodes in crops—farms	10	22
acres on which used	1 815	3 392
$1,000	23	23

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	11	13
acres on which used	1 653	2 021
$1,000	42	23
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	24	21
acres on which used	9 783	8 172
$1,000	91	50
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	2	2
acres on which used	175	17
$1,000	1	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	2	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	20
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	5	11
$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	5	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	9	8
Proportion of farms—percent	9.6	10.0
Total land irrigated—acres	620	916
Average per farm—acres	68.9	114.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	9	8
acres	620	916
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	7	7
acres	596	736
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	1
acres	14	180
Other cropland irrigated—farms	1	(NA)
acres	10	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	545	581
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.9	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	200	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	48	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	5	(NA)
acres	372	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	8 006	17 220
Cropland—acres	3 280	7 911
Harvested cropland—acres	3 082	6 866
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	85	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	26	47
Proportion of farms—percent	27.7	58.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	27 353	57 178
Land drained—acres	9 960	21 718
Average per farm—acres	383.1	462.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	13	(NA)
number	45	(NA)
acres	208	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	19	13	13
$1,000	1 086	795	291
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	1	–	1
$5,000 to $9,999	1	1	2
$10,000 to $29,999	5	8	5
$30,000 to $49,999	10	2	4
$50,000 and over	2	2	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	25	43	225	347	817	986
25 to 149 days	32	55	291	956	294	
Less than 25 days	25		511		96	
Total contract labor	20	34	(NA)	(NA)	577	787
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	1 596	(NA)	568	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	56	25	32	25
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 207	817	294	96
Number of workers	1 027	225	291	511
Farms with—				
1 worker	8	6	7	8
2 workers	11	3	8	1
3 or 4 workers	11	7	9	5
5 to 9 workers	8	5	2	–
10 workers and over	18	4	6	11

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	634	788	273	181
Land in farms — acres	79 748	100 044	62 516	74 054
Average size of farm — acres	126	127	229	409
Approximate land area — acres	710 144	710 144	710 144	710 144
Proportion in farms — percent	11.2	14.1	8.8	10.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	41 336	31 086	28 599	18 571
Average per farm — dollars	65 199	39 449	104 758	102 603
Average per acre — dollars	518	311	457	251
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	118	134	10	3
10 to 49 acres	229	385	73	46
50 to 69 acres	69	56	33	10
70 to 99 acres	53	54	29	19
100 to 139 acres	47	40	34	20
140 to 179 acres	26	26	19	13
180 to 219 acres	14	24	11	13
220 to 259 acres	22	12	13	11
260 to 499 acres	30	30	28	23
500 to 999 acres	13	17	12	14
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	4	5	3
2,000 acres and over	6	6	6	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	615	768	269	179
acres	33 651	36 485	27 372	25 758
Harvested cropland — farms	589	714	267	169
acres	25 841	21 038	22 915	15 464
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	242	352	20	
10 to 19 acres	105	147	32	89
20 to 29 acres	64	89	46	
30 to 49 acres	64	43	57	
50 to 99 acres	46	46	45	43
100 to 199 acres	43	23	43	23
200 to 499 acres	22	12	21	12
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	243	275	110	91
acres	5 336	7 191	3 228	5 494
Other cropland (see text) — farms	85	285	34	(NA)
acres	2 474	8 256	1 229	4 800
Total woodland — farms	292	374	148	119
acres	34 382	40 853	26 539	31 000
Other land (see text) — farms	410	526	195	(NA)
acres	11 715	22 706	8 605	17 296
Irrigated land — farms	14	9	6	9
acres	162	153	142	153

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	34	(NA)
acres	1 229	4 800
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	12	14
acres	388	309
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	14
acres	59	485
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	13
acres	209	572
Cropland idle — farms	24	59
acres	573	3 434
Total woodland — farms	148	119
acres	26 539	31 000
Woodland pastured — farms	44	63
acres	8 382	9 680

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	126	90
acres	18 157	21 320
Other land — farms	195	(NA)
acres	8 605	17 296
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	31	28
acres	1 953	13 247
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	14	12
acres	647	1 221
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	19
acres	1 306	12 026
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	190	108
acres	6 652	4 049

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	634	788	273	181
Land in farms — acres	79 748	100 044	62 516	74 054
Harvested cropland — acres	25 841	21 038	22 915	15 464
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	407	539	139	91
Land in farms — acres	39 179	75 960	24 624	53 923
Harvested cropland — acres	7 919	9 675	5 708	5 884
Part owners — number	173	188	119	75
Land in farms — acres	37 763	21 709	35 866	18 488
Harvested cropland — acres	15 730	9 935	15 271	8 452
Tenants — number	54	61	15	15
Land in farms — acres	2 806	2 375	2 026	1 643
Harvested cropland — acres	2 192	1 428	1 936	1 128
Percent of tenancy	8.5	7.7	5.5	8.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	264	450	68	33
Land in farms — acres	9 003	13 119	4 101	1 691
Harvested cropland — acres	3 591	4 070	2 510	777
Full owners — number	160	305	31	14
Land in farms — acres	5 113	9 796	1 672	519
Harvested cropland — acres	1 676	2 357	1 009	235
Part owners — number	71	96	33	14
Land in farms — acres	3 325	2 561	2 126	1 086
Harvested cropland — acres	1 490	1 374	1 204	491
Tenants — number	33	49	4	5
Land in farms — acres	565	762	303	86
Harvested cropland — acres	425	339	297	51
Percent of tenancy	12.5	10.8	5.9	15.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	262	160
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	56 017	64 009

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	17
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 526	6 464
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	311
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	3 270
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	5	3	2
25 to 34 years	46	44	21	14
35 to 44 years	70	116	43	39
45 to 54 years	177	198	62	54
55 to 64 years	209	223	105	50
65 years and over	125	202	36	22
Average age	53.9	55.3	52.4	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	401	589	189	146
On another farm	22		4	
In a rural area, not on a farm	24	100	11	23
In a city, town, or urban area	23		8	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	177	(NA)	77	(NA)
1 to 49 days	28	31	11	6
50 to 99 days	39	51	6	13
100 to 149 days	46	107	21	22
150 to 199 days	39		15	
200 days and over	226	306	97	54
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	259	(NA)	137	(NA)
Other	371	(NA)	133	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	13	8	13
$40,000 to $99,999	20		19	
$20,000 to $39,999	34	15	34	15
$10,000 to $19,999	63	20	63	20
$5,000 to $9,999	52	54	52	54
$2,500 to $4,999	92	77	92	77
Under $2,500 (see text)	365	609	5	2
$2,000 to $2,499	63	42	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	75	64	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	85	86	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	142	417	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 166	3 432	6 665	2 966
Average per farm ... dollars	11 302	4 355	24 413	16 387
Crops, including hay ... farms	504	571	242	(NA)
$1,000	3 811	1 472	3 499	785
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	3
$1,000	724		724	426
Forest products ... farms	19	28	17	18
$1,000	656	159	655	153
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	407	492	200	154
$1,000	1 974	1 802	1 787	1 602
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	23	(NA)	12	15
$1,000	623	(NA)	622	555

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	242	(NA)
$1,000	3 499	785
Grains ... farms	221	114
$1,000	2 344	395
Tobacco ... farms	68	62
$1,000	551	252
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	6	31
$1,000	148	87
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	28	14
$1,000	41	20
Other field crops ... farms	14	8
$1,000	25	4
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	10	14
$1,000	388	27
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	1
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	200	154
$1,000	1 787	1 602
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	12	15
$1,000	622	555
Dairy products ... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	171
Cattle and calves ... farms	103	(NA)
$1,000	255	364
Hogs and pigs ... farms	161	(NA)
$1,000	889	513
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	21	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	335	(NA)	93	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	113	(NA)	57	(NA)
$1,000	129	(NA)	93	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	49	40	29	18
$1,000	83	35	73	13
Recreational services ... farms	11	13	6	5
$1,000	22	17	7	10
Government farm programs ... farms	29	246	13	71
$1,000	14	157	9	97
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	42	(NA)	17	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)	5	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	1	(NA)	–	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	35	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	23	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	186
$1,000	1 936
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	41
$1,000	505
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	140
$1,000	1 317
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	41
$1,000	44
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	17
$1,000	45
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	10
$1,000	25

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	634	788	273	181
$1,000	4 730	2 958	4 307	2 512
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	228	494	12	19
$1,000 to $1,999	140	92	39	
$2,000 to $2,999	76	48	41	26
$3,000 to $4,999	45	72	37	55
$5,000 to $9,999	54	43	54	42
$10,000 to $19,999	57		57	17
$20,000 to $39,999	16	39	16	8
$40,000 to $59,999	12		11	14
$60,000 and over	6		6	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	157	217	83	92
$1,000	245	269	223	240
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	437	458	169	136
$1,000	747	533	653	474
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	326	280	132	106
$1,000	528	373	472	344
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	75	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	57
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	99	66
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	22
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	7
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	53	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	376	541	234	161
$1,000	312	71	296	49
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	535	701	232	168
$1,000	972	419	871	327
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	187	(NA)	127	(NA)
$1,000	132	59	125	51
Lime ... farms	(NA)	45	30	23
$1,000	(NA)	10	11	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	585	676	268	181
$1,000	340	226	285	155
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	225	171
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	126	84
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	65
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	88	25
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	49
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	18
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	268	181
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	27
Hired farm labor ... farms	134	324	84	118
$1,000	494	568	479	525
Contract labor ... farms	18	240	15	10
$1,000	82	89	81	16
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	219		136	79
$1,000	122		102	55
All other production expenses ... farms	530	518	273	181
$1,000	1 284	725	1 185	620

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	602	659	245	180
$1,000	6 676	3 648	4 109	2 014
Average per farm—dollars	11 091	5 536	16 770	11 188
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	136	3	57
$1,000 to $4,999	151	308	41	
$5,000 to $9,999	218	112	48	49
$10,000 to $19,999	145	56	83	38
$20,000 to $29,999	37	47	31	25
$30,000 to $49,999	37		33	6
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	5
$70,000 and over	3		3	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	435	437	161	108
number	538	517	211	136
mfd in last 5 years, number	214	289	114	95
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	492	453	224	155
number	609	551	330	228
mfd in last 5 years, number	198	327	148	148
Wheel tractors—farms	480	407	220	159
number	657	602	376	288
mfd in last 5 years, number	154	290	116	155
Crawler tractors—farms	11		5	11
number	11		5	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	63	46	57	39
number	65	48	59	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	27	13	22
Corn heads for combines—farms	52	75	46	30
number	57	83	51	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	39	9	17
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	56		37	34
number	58		39	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	12		10	16
Mower conditioners—farms	33	(NA)	25	(NA)
number	33	(NA)	25	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	47	48	27	27
number	48	51	28	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	26	9	17
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	19	(NA)	11	16
number	19	(NA)	11	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	4	11
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	10	(NA)	6	9
number	10	(NA)	6	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	1	8

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	465	(X)	203	(X)	407	(X)	200	(X)	1 787
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	430	(X)	191	(X)	390	(X)	199	(X)	1 144
1969	595	(X)	153	(X)	473	(X)	151	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	266	5 145	125	3 836	178	1 879	103	1 505	255
1969	319	6 450	112	5 103	181	3 446	93	2 935	364
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	66	210	12	41	85	203	40	96	13
5 to 9—1974	64	418	26	173	39	251	23	157	26
10 to 19—1974	52	641	20	258	31	398	17	225	39
20 to 49—1974	64	1 882	48	1 430	16	406	16	406	76
50 to 99—1974	9	572	8	512	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	11	1 422	11	1 422	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	203	2 766	105	2 106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	252	3 658	100	3 035	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	175	2 635	93	2 045	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 280	83	2 755	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	50	131	16	61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	88	378	27	280	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	171

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	175	2 635	93	2 045	Cattle sold	72	858	173
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	56	149	15	45	1 to 4	30	65	11
5 to 9	36	249	16	111	5 to 9	18	115	22
10 to 19	36	463	23	310	10 to 19	9	125	25
20 to 49	35	929	27	734	20 to 49	12	343	70
50 to 99	11	(D)	11	(D)	50 to 99	3	210	45
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	50	131	16	61	Calves sold	54	647	82
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	33	53	7	12	1 or 2	15	22	2
3 or 4	12	39	6	20	3 or 4	7	26	3
5 to 9	3	19	1	9	5 to 9	18	133	17
10 to 19	2	20	2	20	10 to 19	8	110	14
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	20 to 49	5	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	73	673
	1969	80	1 220
Beef heifers	1974	69	661
Milk heifers	1974	5	12
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	94	1 057
	1969	95	848

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	18	248	56
	1969	11	483	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	11	41	8
10 to 19	1974	1	10	3
20 to 49	1974	5	125	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	72	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	340	13 501	155	11 292	303	16 393	161	13 919	889
	1969	505	12 931	135	8 006	399	15 159	131	10 915	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	58	158	8	24	24	59	4	8	1
5 to 9	1974	60	395	16	112	19	116	5	30	2
10 to 24	1974	89	1 256	19	293	95	1 591	27	530	33
25 to 49	1974	52	1 882	38	1 443	82	2 671	44	1 513	93
50 to 99	1974	34	2 167	27	1 777	36	2 494	34	2 376	157
100 to 199	1974	37	4 520	37	4 520	33	4 735	33	4 735	283
200 to 499	1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	13	(D)	13	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	79	2 322	36	1 606	31
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	75	1 647	15	693	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	119	2	78	3	66	2	41	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	17	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	93	221	25	71	10	12	1	1	1
	1969	89	163	(NA)	(NA)	3	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	116	1 183
	1969	96	988
Other hogs and pigs	1974	152	10 109
	1969	129	7 018
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	263	1 984	129	1 563
	1969	345	1 986	98	1 247
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	236	1 068	121	809
	1969	308	1 093	97	653
June 1 and November 30	1974	203	916	113	754
	1969	246	893	83	594

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	151	(X)	42	(X)	8	(X)	8	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	54	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	145	61 300	38	58 963	7	39 430	7	39 430
	1969	288	75 256	54	70 238	18	30 780	12	30 558
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	143	51 818	38	49 861	7	39 430	7	39 430
	1969	268	73 943	50	69 920	18	30 780	12	30 558
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	131	2 617	26	660	2	160	2	160
100 to 399	1974	7	900	7	900	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	3	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	16	409	4	212	–	–	–	–
	1969	16	155	4	38	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	623	12	622
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	555

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	38	49 861	7	39 430
	1969	50	69 920	12	30 558
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	38	49 736	7	39 430
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	125	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	(D)	–	–
	1969	7	169	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	(D)	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	1	40
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	13	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	8	–	–
Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	482	589	13 285	8 805	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	12	104	64	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	223	198	8 607	5 494	178 427	115 118
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	12	29	12	26	7 549	17 650
Wheat (bushels)	17	8	957	474	28 259	18 150
Other small grains for grain	32	26	343	183	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	6	181	666	1 608	682	1 132
Tobacco (pounds)	160	196	401	414	663 345	518 338
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	2	(NA)	446	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	48	(NA)	56	(NA)	8 262	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	104	127	1 262	3 752	1 776	3 344
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	34	41	861	172	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	6	13	16	35	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	12	(NA)	254	432	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	231	129	11 113	4 983	684 418	278 801	2	1	8	5
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	18	12	184	265	1 810	2 581	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	13	17	117	390	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	–	36	–	2 160	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	61	43	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	49	15	49	10	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	110	3 228	(X)	1	70	32	1 072	28	299	12	77
	1969	91	5 494	(X)	1	5	50	3 769	48	886	8	49
Improved pasture	1974	14	647	(X)	–	–	5	151	5	27	–	–
	1969	12	1 221	(X)	–	–	6	459	6	131	1	6
Corn for all purposes	1974	240	11 414	(X)	2	8	168	8 449	145	2 089	98	1 080
	1969	141	5 638	(X)	1	5	105	4 324	104	1 436	33	385
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	7	97	(X)	–	–	2	76	2	20	–	–
	1969	4	43	(X)	–	–	4	43	3	7	2	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974	15	933	27 587	–	–	9	741	7	189	2	8
	1969	7	465	17 350	–	–	7	465	(NA)	130	(NA)	5
Oats (bushels)	1974	24	248	10 050	–	–	7	96	6	19	1	4
	1969	9	84	2 870	1	2	5	59	(NA)	11	(NA)	5
Barley (bushels)	1974	6	65	1 832	–	–	2	53	1	6	1	6
	1969	1	40	1 600	–	–	1	40	(NA)	12	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	12	250	–	–	1	12	–	–	1	3
	1969	1	30	900	–	–	1	30	(NA)	–	(NA)	5
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	157	8 117	168 637	1	1	80	4 860	66	857	15	65
	1969	89	4 364	91 321	1	5	56	3 080	(NA)	648	(NA)	10
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	2 500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	4	5 000	1	2	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	62	840	1 231	–	–	25	306	24	61	11	23
	1969	35	3 278	(D)	1	3	12	2 525	10	282	4	51
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	6	666	682	–	–	6	666	6	185	1	50
	1969	35	1 077	806	–	–	30	1 032	(NA)	580	(NA)	30
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	68	311	556 078	–	–	68	311	64	279	12	13
	1969	63	295	388 686	4	28	63	291	(NA)	266	(NA)	9
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	1	376	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	1	49	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	12	832	(X)	1	1	8	810	8	812	–	–
	1969	15	142	(X)	2	26	10	120	10	42	3	8
Land in orchards	1974	1	3	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	22	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	205	(X)	3	65	3	205	3	79	–	–
1969	3	180	(X)	3	80	3	180	3	171	–	–
Other crops 1974	21	59	(X)	–	–	7	29	9	25	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	239	170
$1,000	996	379
Commercial fertilizer—farms	232	157
acres on which used	17 876	16 438
tons	6 281	5 191
$1,000	871	327
Lime—farms	30	23
acres on which used	920	1 147
tons	881	1 292
$1,000	11	9
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	2	1 216
$1,000	(Z)	2
Insects on other crops—farms	62	62
acres on which used	4 285	2 643
$1,000	54	27
Nematodes in crops—farms	7	7
acres on which used	195	64
$1,000	2	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	33
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	60	28
acres on which used	7 461	2 340
$1,000	46	10
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	3	5
acres on which used	26	512
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	7	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	7	7
acres on which used	700	196
$1,000	3	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	8	21
$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	26	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	6	9
Proportion of farms—percent	2.2	4.9
Total land irrigated—acres	142	153
Average per farm—acres	23.7	17.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	6	9
acres	142	153
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	5	9
acres	72	148
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	1	1
acres	70	5
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	352	176
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	2.5	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	5	(NA)
acres	72	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 388	4 938
Cropland—acres	474	1 697
Harvested cropland—acres	358	770
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	60	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	26	49
Proportion of farms—percent	9.5	27.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	10 815	45 225
Land drained—acres	3 284	13 545
Average per farm—acres	126.3	276.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	32	(NA)
number	74	(NA)
acres	103	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	45	34	19
$1,000	693	529	163
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	18	13	10
$5,000 to $9,999	6	4	5
$10,000 to $29,999	15	12	3
$30,000 to $49,999	2	2	–
$50,000 and over	4	3	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	20	33	64	137	325	
25 to 149 days	27	104	85	774	79	525
Less than 25 days	53		429		74	
Total contract labor	15	10	(NA)	(NA)	81	16
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	160	(NA)	73	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	84	20	27	53
Cash wages paid—$1,000	479	325	79	74
Number of workers	578	64	85	429
Farms with—				
1 worker	24	9	14	12
2 workers	18	4	7	10
3 or 4 workers	6	3	1	5
5 to 9 workers	21	3	4	11
10 workers and over	15	1	1	15

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	387	523	295	269
Land in farms — acres	131 571	142 672	124 255	120 820
Average size of farm — acres	340	273	421	449
Approximate land area — acres	241 408	241 408	241 408	241 408
Proportion in farms — percent	54.5	59.1	51.5	50.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	46 629	32 009	42 424	26 623
Average per farm — dollars	120 489	61 202	143 810	98 971
Average per acre — dollars	354	224	341	220
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	22	3	3
10 to 49 acres	65	109	30	11
50 to 69 acres	32	56	16	10
70 to 99 acres	23	52	20	25
100 to 139 acres	35	51	29	25
140 to 179 acres	28	28	23	15
180 to 219 acres	26	35	26	27
220 to 259 acres	20	21	18	18
260 to 499 acres	55	64	50	55
500 to 999 acres	52	55	50	50
1,000 to 1,999 acres	21	23	21	23
2,000 acres and over	9	7	9	7

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	51	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	2 258	7 127
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	7	21
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	530	959
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	14	11
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	290	178
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	11
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	343	732
Cropland idle — farms	32	118
Cropland idle — acres	1 095	5 258
Total woodland — farms	195	202
Total woodland — acres	36 555	40 053
Woodland pastured — farms	88	90
Woodland pastured — acres	15 299	9 437

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	380	505	292	265
Total cropland — acres	80 168	85 330	78 009	75 973
Harvested cropland — farms	353	447	276	250
Harvested cropland — acres	69 495	66 958	68 520	63 324
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	45	73	3	
10 to 19 acres	31	62	13	43
20 to 29 acres	35	44	23	
30 to 49 acres	44	49	39	
50 to 99 acres	42	63	42	51
100 to 199 acres	58	51	58	51
200 to 499 acres	52	69	52	69
500 to 999 acres	34	27	34	27
1,000 acres and over	12	9	12	9
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	157	208	122	108
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	8 211	8 371	7 231	5 522
Other cropland (see text) — farms	60	224	51	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	2 462	10 001	2 258	7 127
Total woodland — farms	243	357	195	202
Total woodland — acres	39 626	50 533	36 555	40 053
Other land (see text) — farms	242	295	183	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	11 777	6 809	9 691	4 794
Irrigated land — farms	2	1	2	1
Irrigated land — acres	48	3	48	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	136	145
Woodland not pastured — acres	21 256	30 616
Other land — farms	183	(NA)
Other land — acres	9 691	4 794
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	31	27
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	3 457	1 059
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	23	17
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	981	692
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	13	11
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 476	367
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	177	159
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	6 234	3 735

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	387	523	295	269
Land in farms — acres	131 571	142 672	124 255	120 820
Harvested cropland — acres	69 495	66 958	68 520	63 324
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	200	288	132	99
Land in farms — acres	48 515	53 407	42 184	34 587
Harvested cropland — acres	14 816	12 470	14 141	10 178
Part owners — number	150	192	135	147
Land in farms — acres	75 220	76 877	74 562	74 594
Harvested cropland — acres	50 028	48 118	49 796	47 163
Tenants — number	37	43	28	23
Land in farms — acres	7 836	12 388	7 509	11 639
Harvested cropland — acres	4 651	6 370	4 583	5 983
Percent of tenancy	9.6	8.2	9.5	8.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	61	125	25	20
Land in farms — acres	6 094	8 902	4 349	3 841
Harvested cropland — acres	2 193	3 608	1 698	1 818
Full owners — number	38	79	13	6
Land in farms — acres	4 503	4 714	3 074	955
Harvested cropland — acres	1 115	1 534	835	387
Part owners — number	18	27	9	11
Land in farms — acres	1 456	3 397	1 168	2 580
Harvested cropland — acres	954	1 470	758	1 133
Tenants — number	5	19	3	3
Land in farms — acres	135	791	107	306
Harvested cropland — acres	124	604	105	298
Percent of tenancy	8.2	15.2	12.0	15.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	264	226
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	94 694	88 840

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	30	36
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	29 061	30 258
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	500	1 448
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	274
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	9	3	9
25 to 34 years	38	40	25	25
35 to 44 years	55	89	41	47
45 to 54 years	86	112	65	73
55 to 64 years	112	148	88	73
65 years and over	90	125	72	42
Average age	54.3	53.6	55.0	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	223	324	174	183
On another farm	16		9	
In a rural area, not on a farm	20	118	13	51
In a city, town, or urban area	42		39	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	143	(NA)	127	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	36	10	14
50 to 99 days	9	22	7	6
100 to 149 days	7		7	
150 to 199 days	19	45	8	18
200 days and over	122	164	78	72
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	221	(NA)	188	(NA)
Other	165	(NA)	106	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	35	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	44	38	44	38
$40,000 to $99,999	46		46	
$20,000 to $39,999	37	42	37	42
$10,000 to $19,999	57	46	57	46
$5,000 to $9,999	54	64	54	64
$2,500 to $4,999	53	61	53	61
Under $2,500 (see text)	96	272	4	18
$2,000 to $2,499	14	32	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	14	35	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	27	29	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	41	176	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	14 308	6 334	14 206	6 131
Average per farm ... dollars	36 973	12 110	48 156	22 790
Crops, including hay ... farms	318	403	266	(NA)
... $1,000	11 593	3 636	11 535	3 522
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		–	1
... $1,000	1		–	(Z)
Forest products ... farms	36	51	36	41
... $1,000	220	228	220	224
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	230	289	168	175
... $1,000	2 495	2 469	2 451	2 384
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	8	(NA)	6	15
... $1,000	8	(NA)	8	653

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	266	(NA)
... $1,000	11 535	3 522
Grains ... farms	262	232
... $1,000	6 825	2 030
Tobacco ... farms	–	3
... $1,000	–	6
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	110	152
... $1,000	4 577	1 305
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	24	21
... $1,000	64	90
Other field crops ... farms	4	1
... $1,000	2	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	8	10
... $1,000	14	11
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	8	12
... $1,000	53	72
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	168	175
... $1,000	2 451	2 384
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	6	15
... $1,000	8	653
Dairy products ... farms	3	4
... $1,000	427	297
Cattle and calves ... farms	115	(NA)
... $1,000	671	688
Hogs and pigs ... farms	103	(NA)
... $1,000	1 276	747
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
... $1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	9	
... $1,000	69	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	121	(NA)	63	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	102	(NA)	79	(NA)
... $1,000	324	(NA)	314	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	43	40	36	29
... $1,000	234	50	230	47
Recreational services ... farms	5	4	–	3
... $1,000	(Z)	2	–	2
Government farm programs ... farms	41	306	37	185
... $1,000	56	1 413	54	1 317
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	25	(NA)	16	(NA)
... $1,000	23	(NA)	20	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	7	(NA)	6	(NA)
... $1,000	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	31	(NA)	23	(NA)
... $1,000	148	(NA)	144	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	181
... $1,000	1 690
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	28
... $1,000	255
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	123
... $1,000	1 112
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	89
... $1,000	185
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	40
... $1,000	122
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	13
... $1,000	16

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	387	523	295	269
... $1,000	9 874	6 353	9 762	6 110
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	56	175	13	17
$1,000 to $1,999	60	77	30	
$2,000 to $2,999	32	24	17	13
$3,000 to $4,999	40	50	36	43
$5,000 to $9,999	44	70	44	69
$10,000 to $19,999	47	127	47	46
$20,000 to $39,999	38		38	40
$40,000 to $59,999	20		20	41
$60,000 and over	50		50	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	103	160	69	97
... $1,000	278	459	263	442
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	207	281	147	154
... $1,000	909	819	887	781
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	148	180	114	118
... $1,000	397	466	384	450
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	50
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	117	147
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	64	52
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	373	179
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	19	21
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	5
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	64	(NA)
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	272	385	233	233
... $1,000	343	165	340	154
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	306	445	254	242
... $1,000	2 395	1 144	2 379	1 098
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	222	(NA)	205	(NA)
... $1,000	1 183	578	1 179	565
Lime ... farms	(NA)	97	75	85
... $1,000	(NA)	50	130	49
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	375	507	291	268
... $1,000	615	424	602	377
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	289	264
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	294	211
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	160	148
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	190	114
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	32	23
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	10
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	291	267
... $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	43
Hired farm labor ... farms	141	260	136	198
... $1,000	903	817	901	798
Contract labor ... farms	16	223	14	12
... $1,000	39	136	39	7
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	162		129	138
... $1,000	277		271	116
All other production expenses ... farms	364	396	295	260
... $1,000	2 933	1 810	2 865	1 771

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	373	481	288	259
$1,000	9 716	5 044	9 177	4 312
Average per farm—dollars	26 048	10 486	31 866	16 649
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	38	1	68
$1,000 to $4,999	76	226	44	
$5,000 to $9,999	89	77	47	61
$10,000 to $19,999	66	62	59	53
$20,000 to $29,999	42	78	40	27
$30,000 to $49,999	40		40	35
$50,000 to $69,999	22		22	15
$70,000 and over	35		35	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	295	357	241	197
number	417	476	355	292
mfd in last 5 years, number	246	307	228	206
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	308	380	252	234
number	496	634	440	469
mfd in last 5 years, number	187	300	176	226
Wheel tractors—farms	329	415	264	246
number	734	843	651	626
mfd in last 5 years, number	208	365	201	283
Crawler tractors—farms	11		10	11
number	12		11	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	10

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	128	150	126	146
number	159	189	157	184
mfd in last 5 years, number	54	107	54	104
Corn heads for combines—farms	57	68	55	40
number	62	70	60	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	30	47	30	31
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	51		43	29
number	55		47	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	16
Mower conditioners—farms	36	(NA)	31	(NA)
number	37	(NA)	32	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	57	55	48	52
number	57	56	48	53
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	36	9	35
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	29	(NA)	27	21
number	29	(NA)	27	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	8	14
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	13	(NA)	9	7
number	17	(NA)	13	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	247	(X)	176	(X)	230	(X)	168	(X)	2 451
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	241	(X)	171	(X)	222	(X)	163	(X)	1 947
1969	313	(X)	169	(X)	283	(X)	170	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	166	6 791	124	6 367	141	3 089	115	2 951	671
1969	190	5 820	113	5 099	164	4 070	113	3 748	688
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	22	44	8	17	43	127	26	75	16
5 to 9—1974	17	120	11	77	30	201	27	184	31
10 to 19—1974	36	462	19	261	31	383	25	314	51
20 to 49—1974	45	1 323	40	1 170	22	618	22	618	113
50 to 99—1974	32	1 978	32	1 978	10	645	10	645	146
100 to 199—1974	10	1 374	10	1 374	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	143	3 182	108	2 934	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	150	2 320	90	2 014	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	123	2 754	101	2 523	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 870	79	1 604	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	26	428	13	411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	43	450	22	410	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	427
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	297

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	123	2 754	101	2 523			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	18	51	15	42			
5 to 9	15	104	11	73			
10 to 19	40	503	28	372			
20 to 49	36	1 027	33	967			
50 to 99	11	737	11	737			
100 to 199	3	332	3	332			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	26	428	13	411			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	19	25	6	8			
3 or 4	2	7	2	7			
5 to 9	2	10	2	10			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					99	2 364	607
Farms with—							
1 to 4					31	79	17
5 to 9					18	130	24
10 to 19					20	248	52
20 to 49					18	532	116
50 to 99					10	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					48	587	64
Farms with—							
1 or 2					12	21	2
3 or 4					6	21	3
5 to 9					10	64	6
10 to 19					11	137	16
20 to 49					7	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	70	1 391
	1969	83	1 279
Beef heifers	1974	67	1 211
Milk heifers	1974	5	180
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	97	2 042
	1969	97	1 806

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	31	1 055	338
	1969	11	1 297	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	16	100	20
10 to 19	1974	9	109	29
20 to 49	1974	2	66	(D)
50 to 99	1974	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	155	10 463	104	9 784	147	17 762	103	17 175	1 276
	1969	229	12 092	129	10 770	209	15 294	128	14 021	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	23	50	10	19	17	40	7	21	1
5 to 9	1974	17	119	12	86	21	128	7	40	3
10 to 24	1974	47	631	24	318	31	527	18	307	23
25 to 49	1974	34	1 073	24	771	16	540	11	410	31
50 to 99	1974	13	884	13	884	17	1 231	15	1 101	56
100 to 199	1974	13	1 849	13	1 849	29	3 796	29	3 796	212
200 to 499	1974	4	990	4	990	11	3 359	11	3 359	228
500 and over	1974	4	4 867	4	4 867	5	8 141	5	8 141	721
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	1 971	17	1 669	41
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	45	1 742	22	1 339	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	15	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	19	263	15	259	9	34	9	34	69
	1969	50	382	(NA)	(NA)	14	73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	63	1 392
	1969	91	1 626
Other hogs and pigs	1974	102	8 392
	1969	120	9 144
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	108	1 914	69	1 818
	1969	178	2 233	97	2 014
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	92	1 020	66	965
	1969	158	1 096	91	970
June 1 and November 30	1974	89	894	63	853
	1969	137	1 137	87	1 044

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	47	(X)	25	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	44	1 779	22	1 476	2	870	2	870
	1969	95	86 953	33	85 589	13	43 349	12	42 972
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	43	1 669	22	1 425	2	870	2	870
	1969	92	85 728	32	84 526	13	42 849	12	42 472
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	41	669	20	425	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 000	2	1 000	2	870	2	870
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	12	52	4	22	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	48	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	8	6	8
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	653

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	22	1 425	2	870
	1969	32	84 526	12	42 472
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	20	1 375	2	870
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	50	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	6	–	–
	1969	2	1 017	1	500
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	10	45	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	5	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	1	6	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	1	6	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	242	237	11 837	9 185	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	5	4	50	144	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	256	305	38 222	38 500	785 879	814 221
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	15	15	23	14	13 675	9 025
Wheat (bushels)	107	185	6 319	5 474	171 125	180 204
Other small grains for grain	72	100	3 010	4 199	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	122	245	15 811	12 885	21 202	13 144
Tobacco (pounds)	–	3	–	8	–	8 744
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	16	(NA)	9	(NA)	720	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	71	64	1 420	1 151	3 668	3 274
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	18	31	62	130	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	24	522	514	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	8	(NA)	49	359	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	191	133	10 651	6 974	720 973	285 601	1	–	6	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	9	6	628	888	9 640	14 858	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	8	15	204	304	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	10	143	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	–	40	–	150	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	122	7 231	(X)	–	–	57	2 452	55	604	22	108
	1969	108	5 522	(X)	–	–	74	3 003	69	813	30	261
Improved pasture	1974	23	981	(X)	–	–	7	219	7	44	1	7
	1969	17	692	(X)	–	–	12	418	12	108	4	7
Corn for all purposes	1974	192	11 483	(X)	1	6	152	10 409	146	2 839	62	890
	1969	137	8 166	(X)	–	–	106	6 769	103	2 148	46	713
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	3	–	–
	1969	3	143	(X)	–	–	3	143	3	32	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	107	6 319	171 125	1	35	85	5 423	77	1 365	24	192
	1969	149	5 275	174 291	–	–	133	4 884	(NA)	1 474	(NA)	262
Oats (bushels)	1974	43	1 134	40 764	–	–	33	654	26	139	17	33
	1969	71	2 834	118 065	–	–	65	2 592	(NA)	716	(NA)	109
Barley (bushels)	1974	16	1 193	45 802	–	–	15	1 013	14	347	3	25
	1969	16	787	35 152	–	–	15	767	(NA)	321	(NA)	29
Rye (bushels)	1974	28	609	12 046	1	1	24	591	24	122	10	28
	1969	17	367	7 234	–	–	14	330	(NA)	85	(NA)	16
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	226	37 823	781 983	–	–	147	25 961	139	4 369	8	169
	1969	210	36 973	789 987	–	–	139	23 370	(NA)	4 651	(NA)	176
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	7	9	6 675	1	1	3	3	3	(Z)	–	–
	1969	5	5	2 600	–	–	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	57	1 357	3 616	–	–	24	733	24	190	10	55
	1969	50	1 037	3 148	–	–	22	487	19	117	11	62
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	111	15 765	21 155	–	–	107	15 745	104	5 219	30	694
	1969	153	12 298	12 694	–	–	149	12 223	(NA)	4 942	(NA)	737
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	8	8 744	1	3	3	5	(NA)	5	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	6	2 000	–	–	1	6	(NA)	3	(NA)	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	9	47	(X)	1	2	7	34	7	16	–	–
	1969	11	80	(X)	–	–	8	71	5	13	3	7
Land in orchards	1974	11	522	(X)	–	–	6	426	6	28	1	60
	1969	21	504	(X)	–	–	14	476	13	97	6	64

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	6	37	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	267	252
$1,000	3 558	1 663
Commercial fertilizer—farms	254	235
acres on which used	63 755	55 664
tons	17 560	18 031
$1,000	2 379	1 098
Lime—farms	75	85
acres on which used	12 339	7 799
tons	11 768	7 407
$1,000	130	49
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	6
acres on which used	8	132
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	130	161
acres on which used	34 011	32 911
$1,000	613	333
Nematodes in crops—farms	51	2
acres on which used	10 720	424
$1,000	61	2

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	8
acres on which used	1 243	1 926
$1,000	26	15
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	111	115
acres on which used	33 900	25 064
$1,000	292	136
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	10
acres on which used	40	493
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	8	(NA)
acres on which used	92	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	48	78
acres on which used	8 380	8 341
$1,000	41	24
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	10	24
$1,000	2	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	43	(NA)
$1,000	14	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	1
Proportion of farms—percent	0.7	0.3
Total land irrigated—acres	48	3
Average per farm—acres	24.0	3.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	48	3
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	1
acres	48	3
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	30	4
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	13	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	550	3 400
Cropland—acres	493	570
Harvested cropland—acres	393	355
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	46	79
Proportion of farms—percent	15.6	29.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	28 555	41 671
Land drained—acres	8 109	12 129
Average per farm—acres	176.3	153.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	44	(NA)
number	187	(NA)
acres	400	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	98	76	52
$1,000	4 295	3 232	1 063
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	11	17
$5,000 to $9,999	18	11	8
$10,000 to $29,999	43	30	17
$30,000 to $49,999	4	7	3
$50,000 and over	21	17	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	78	107	187	247	731	798
25 to 149 days	49	152	138	695	125	
Less than 25 days	61		453		46	
Total contract labor	14	12	(NA)	(NA)	39	7
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	48	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	136	78	49	61
Cash wages paid $1,000	901	731	125	46
Number of workers	778	187	138	453
Farms with—				
1 worker	41	32	17	17
2 workers	17	18	13	7
3 or 4 workers	29	23	10	10
5 to 9 workers	22	5	7	10
10 workers and over	27	–	2	17

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	251	235	141	123
Land in farms — acres	75 342	70 544	58 692	57 338
Average size of farm — acres	300	300	416	466
Approximate land area — acres	600 960	600 960	600 960	600 960
Proportion in farms — percent	12.5	11.7	9.8	9.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	39 898	22 612	32 313	18 589
Average per farm — dollars	158 957	96 221	229 173	151 126
Average per acre — dollars	530	321	551	324
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	20	20	8	4
10 to 49 acres	74	66	26	12
50 to 69 acres	13	16	10	12
70 to 99 acres	23	8	12	2
100 to 139 acres	26	23	16	14
140 to 179 acres	13	9	8	8
180 to 219 acres	11	10	7	8
220 to 259 acres	5	10	4	7
260 to 499 acres	20	32	14	18
500 to 999 acres	24	24	18	23
1,000 to 1,999 acres	18	11	14	10
2,000 acres and over	4	6	4	5

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	40	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	3 121	2 404
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	6	8
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	239	303
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	5	13
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	65	611
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	7
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	1 742	444
Cropland idle — farms	23	22
Cropland idle — acres	1 075	1 046
Total woodland — farms	62	71
Total woodland — acres	21 416	19 557
Woodland pastured — farms	24	28
Woodland pastured — acres	7 955	3 729

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	236	214	136	118
Total cropland — acres	35 242	31 637	30 672	28 040
Harvested cropland — farms	215	182	131	115
Harvested cropland — acres	22 100	22 859	21 242	21 984
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	70	43	16	41
10 to 19 acres	30	35	14	
20 to 29 acres	22	10	9	
30 to 49 acres	18	18	18	
50 to 99 acres	27	21	26	20
100 to 199 acres	16	23	16	22
200 to 499 acres	19	16	19	16
500 to 999 acres	11	13	11	13
1,000 acres and over	2	3	2	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	88	76	36	34
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	9 735	5 535	6 309	3 652
Other cropland (see text) — farms	53	62	40	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	3 407	3 243	3 121	2 404
Total woodland — farms	131	132	62	71
Total woodland — acres	28 889	24 200	21 416	19 557
Other land (see text) — farms	152	156	82	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	11 211	14 707	6 604	9 741
Irrigated land — farms	13	10	7	9
Irrigated land — acres	144	275	93	260

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	47	55
Woodland not pastured — acres	13 461	15 828
Other land — farms	82	(NA)
Other land — acres	6 604	9 741
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	22	15
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	2 918	5 884
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	13	4
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	1 990	267
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	10	13
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	928	5 617
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	74	77
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	3 686	3 857

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	251	235	141	123
Land in farms — acres	75 342	70 544	58 692	57 338
Harvested cropland — acres	22 100	22 859	21 242	21 984
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	145	127	58	52
Land in farms — acres	38 919	34 442	23 557	26 122
Harvested cropland — acres	5 656	4 576	5 024	4 041
Part owners — number	77	80	63	55
Land in farms — acres	31 891	31 443	31 104	26 751
Harvested cropland — acres	12 953	14 242	12 813	14 001
Tenants — number	29	28	20	16
Land in farms — acres	4 532	4 659	4 031	4 465
Harvested cropland — acres	3 491	4 041	3 405	3 942
Percent of tenancy	11.6	11.9	14.2	13.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	42	35	19	10
Land in farms — acres	5 989	1 122	4 858	449
Harvested cropland — acres	1 114	468	846	325
Full owners — number	26	18	7	3
Land in farms — acres	5 138	549	4 129	55
Harvested cropland — acres	756	119	537	27
Part owners — number	16	15	12	7
Land in farms — acres	851	538	729	394
Harvested cropland — acres	358	338	309	298
Tenants — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	35	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	11	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	5.7	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	118	102
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	44 611	41 572

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	16
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 063	13 889
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	5
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 693	1 877
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	325	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	3	1	2
25 to 34 years	37	30	15	15
35 to 44 years	33	31	13	15
45 to 54 years	57	63	30	39
55 to 64 years	52	69	38	31
65 years and over	59	39	34	21
Average age	52.6	51.9	54.9	51.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	127	140	76	81
On another farm	12	55	10	32
In a rural area, not on a farm	19		6	
In a city, town, or urban area	27		14	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	64	(NA)	42	(NA)
1 to 49 days	14	9	6	4
50 to 99 days	9	22	5	11
100 to 149 days	8	14	4	9
150 to 199 days	10		5	
200 days and over	89	109	33	36
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	109	(NA)	88	(NA)
Other	130	(NA)	43	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	23	33	23	33
$40,000 to $99,999	19		19	
$20,000 to $39,999	10	17	9	17
$10,000 to $19,999	25	14	25	14
$5,000 to $9,999	29	18	29	18
$2,500 to $4,999	29	36	29	34
Under $2,500 (see text)	116	117	7	7
$2,000 to $2,499	10	8	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	26	10	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	21	20	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	59	79	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	8 755	5 559	8 628	5 457
Average per farm ... dollars	34 881	23 656	61 189	44 362
Crops, including hay ... farms	161	154	110	(NA)
$1,000	7 224	4 688	7 161	4 321
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	18		14	7
$1,000	511		510	327
Forest products ... farms	10	11	9	10
$1,000	324	45	323	45
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	125	117	59	56
$1,000	696	826	633	764
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	9	(NA)	2	4
$1,000	4	(NA)	1	186

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	110	(NA)
$1,000	7 161	4 321
Grains ... farms	89	72
$1,000	2 602	803
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	6	10
$1,000	18	29
Other field crops ... farms	7	7
$1,000	22	7
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	47	64
$1,000	4 518	3 470
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	7
$1,000	1	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	59	56
$1,000	633	764
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	2	4
$1,000	1	186
Dairy products ... farms	–	1
$1,000	–	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	48	(NA)
$1,000	404	444
Hogs and pigs ... farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	208	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	6	
$1,000	21	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	126	(NA)	45	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	47	(NA)	25	(NA)
$1,000	119	(NA)	94	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	23	18	11	15
$1,000	51	19	37	18
Recreational services ... farms	9	7	6	5
$1,000	43	10	37	10
Government farm programs ... farms	9	43	3	31
$1,000	7	37	3	30
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	14	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	13	(NA)	12	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	18	(NA)	12	(NA)
$1,000	55	(NA)	45	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	75
$1,000	1 403
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	22
$1,000	294
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	47
$1,000	853
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	34
$1,000	152
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	18
$1,000	62
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	12
$1,000	43

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	251	235	141	123
$1,000	7 146	5 100	6 934	4 921
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	63	76	9	16
$1,000 to $1,999	26	38	10	
$2,000 to $2,999	34	7	17	2
$3,000 to $4,999	33	23	14	20
$5,000 to $9,999	30	26	28	22
$10,000 to $19,999	20	65	18	18
$20,000 to $39,999	12		12	14
$40,000 to $59,999	6		6	31
$60,000 and over	27		27	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	59	70	27	37
$1,000	197	247	178	230
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	134	124	53	54
$1,000	197	207	151	181
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	103	74	43	45
$1,000	141	165	113	151
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	6
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	10
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	14
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	9
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	155	160	108	102
$1,000	360	176	356	172
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	176	186	100	101
$1,000	1 074	709	1 051	690
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	99	(NA)	73	(NA)
$1,000	372	230	369	227
Lime ... farms	(NA)	60	23	42
$1,000	(NA)	27	62	26
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	245	214	141	123
$1,000	341	236	322	222
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	117	114
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	165	104
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	85	86
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	101	81
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	7	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	4
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	141	123
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	32
Hired farm labor ... farms	104	148	73	105
$1,000	1 071	1 115	1 024	1 066
Contract labor ... farms	22	106	20	36
$1,000	859	804	859	746
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	76		61	60
$1,000	109		107	56
All other production expenses ... farms	227	193	137	123
$1,000	2 564	1 376	2 500	1 332

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	237	214	132	122
$1,000	4 991	3 325	4 000	2 969
Average per farm—dollars	21 058	15 538	30 301	24 335
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	–	19	–	26
$1,000 to $4,999	43	85	21	
$5,000 to $9,999	73	24	26	18
$10,000 to $19,999	59	41	29	36
$20,000 to $29,999	21	45	17	16
$30,000 to $49,999	15		14	6
$50,000 to $69,999	9		8	20
$70,000 and over	17		17	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	146	131	81	79
number	219	227	126	123
mfd in last 5 years, number	117	172	73	97
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	189	172	110	102
number	373	364	275	278
mfd in last 5 years, number	151	202	135	153
Wheel tractors—farms	206	454	117	106
number	466		356	346
mfd in last 5 years, number	180	244	153	207
Crawler tractors—farms	27		13	17
number	28		14	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		2	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	44	45	44	42
number	50	54	50	51
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	42	33	40
Corn heads for combines—farms	16	39	16	28
number	18		18	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	28	12	24
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	19		15	3
number	19		15	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	2
Mower conditioners—farms	31	(NA)	18	(NA)
number	42	(NA)	29	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	21	24	16	19
number	21	24	16	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	15	6	12
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	10	(NA)	9	15
number	11	(NA)	10	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	12
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	13	(NA)	7	7
number	14	(NA)	8	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	3	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	136	(X)	61	(X)	125	(X)	59	(X)	633
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	119	(X)	54	(X)	119	(X)	55	(X)	612
1969	124	(X)	53	(X)	108	(X)	51	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	104	5 813	47	4 666	91	2 470	48	2 130	404
1969	91	5 329	41	4 372	73	3 020	36	2 722	444
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	13	26	1	3	32	78	14	27	4
5 to 9—1974	15	112	5	39	11	78	3	24	4
10 to 19—1974	19	238	7	85	23	296	8	102	15
20 to 49—1974	27	847	8	222	11	292	9	251	42
50 to 99—1974	13	939	9	666	7	490	7	490	67
100 to 199—1974	7	880	7	880	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	10	2 771	10	2 771	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	79	3 733	40	3 025	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	74	2 720	38	2 360	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	73	3 714	38	3 020	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 655	38	2 300	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	12	19	4	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	6	65	2	60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	73	3 714	38	3 020			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	6	8	1	2			
5 to 9	8	55	5	37			
10 to 19	15	202	5	62			
20 to 49	25	780	9	303			
50 to 99	7	427	6	374			
100 to 199	9	1 277	9	1 277			
200 to 499	3	965	3	965			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	12	19	4	5			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	10	11	4	5			
3 or 4	2	8	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					30	1 295	298
Farms with—							
1 to 4					5	10	2
5 to 9					6	44	8
10 to 19					7	94	19
20 to 49					7	207	37
50 to 99					1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					34	835	106
Farms with—							
1 or 2					11	16	2
3 or 4					1	4	1
5 to 9					2	13	1
10 to 19					10	131	16
20 to 49					2	51	5
50 to 99					6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	34	814
	1969	36	749
Beef heifers	1974	32	812
Milk heifers	1974	2	2
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	37	827
	1969	37	1 263

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	5	468	139
	1969	2	(D)	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	2	12	4
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	2	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	45	2 170	15	1 929	48	3 441	16	3 120	208
	1969	59	2 702	26	2 114	51	3 489	26	2 765	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	17	47	2	4	7	12	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	4	31	1	7	13	89	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	15	217	3	43	10	148	1	21	1
25 to 49	1974	2	88	2	88	6	196	3	103	7
50 to 99	1974	3	214	3	214	4	254	4	254	17
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	306	4	180	4
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	592	4	382	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	4	1	4	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	49	319	22	216	7	16	6	14	21
	1969	60	259	(NA)	(NA)	10	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	11	249
	1969	17	324
Other hogs and pigs	1974	14	1 680
	1969	25	1 790
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	3
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	28	378	11	336
	1969	40	377	19	281
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	18	193	8	178
	1969	35	145	16	97
June 1 and November 30	1974	20	185	10	158
	1969	34	232	16	184

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	33	(X)	7	(X)	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	29	1 345	7	294	3	61	1	1
	1969	25	25 364	12	25 020	6	24 682	4	24 658
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	24	1 191	7	284	2	60	–	–
	1969	24	25 276	11	25 007	6	24 682	4	24 658
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	21	691	6	184	2	60	–	–
100 to 399	1974	3	500	1	100	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	15	1	15	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	4	2	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	186

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	7	284	–	–
	1969	11	25 007	4	24 658
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	7	284	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	10	1	1
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	93	97	3 924	4 396	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	7	5	616	205	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	85	69	11 832	10 290	295 533	255 847
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	1	17	1	7 000	500
Wheat (bushels)	24	16	2 544	1 372	58 613	49 002
Other small grains for grain	10	11	43	263	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	18	(NA)	38	(NA)	7 680	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	10	(NA)	720	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	40	37	1 107	1 462	2 006	2 493
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	60	86	5 062	7 649	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	13	76	130	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	1	6	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	29	(NA)	190	604	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	46	50	3 514	3 671	228 512	238 301	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	4	60	165	750	2 115	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	5	27	56	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	4	600	165	14 096	5 150	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	5	40	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	3	–	36	–	68	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture 1974	36	6 309	(X)	–	–	13	1 809	11	144	3	31
1969	34	3 652	(X)	–	–	14	1 000	13	167	3	30
Improved pasture 1974	13	1 990	(X)	–	–	4	312	4	44	–	–
1969	4	267	(X)	1	8	3	57	3	11	–	–
Corn for all purposes 1974	46	3 601	(X)	–	–	38	3 273	30	1 171	23	452
1969	52	3 892	(X)	–	–	42	3 638	39	1 226	18	391
Sorghums for all purposes 1974	4	605	(X)	–	–	3	405	3	43	–	–
1969	5	205	(X)	–	–	4	155	3	28	1	14
Wheat (bushels) 1974	24	2 544	58 613	–	–	18	2 106	16	651	5	66
1969	15	1 345	48 552	–	–	13	1 285	(NA)	240	(NA)	57
Oats (bushels) 1974	1	5	231	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	75	3 550	–	–	3	75	(NA)	7	(NA)	7
Barley (bushels) 1974	1	9	156	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels) 1974	1	5	104	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	163	1 000	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels) 1974	76	11 706	293 613	–	–	32	5 725	31	1 332	1	11
1969	61	10 178	253 081	–	–	39	6 313	(NA)	1 203	(NA)	142
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	1	500	–	–	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry) 1974	16	888	1 586	–	–	10	368	9	110	2	8
1969	25	1 352	2 263	–	–	10	1 120	6	109	7	253
Field seed crops 1974	2	60	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	5	348	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	7	–	–
Cotton (bales) 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds) 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) 1974	7	24	3 613	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
1969	4	8	706	–	–	2	20	2	22	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale 1974	47	5 012	(X)	1	5	4	8	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
1969	64	7 528	(X)	5	142	33	4 406	32	3 702	2	128
Land in orchards 1974	1	20	(X)	–	–	57	6 736	57	6 413	2	17
1969	7	107	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
						1	6	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	2	6	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	1	–	–
1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	14	100	(X)	6	86	7	89	7	48	–	–
1969	7	127	(X)	3	102	4	110	4	50	1	20
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	105	107
$1,000	1 420	917
Commercial fertilizer—farms	100	95
acres on which used	18 560	20 578
tons	7 970	10 419
$1,000	1 051	690
Lime—farms	23	42
acres on which used	5 176	3 583
tons	5 307	3 154
$1,000	62	26
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	3
acres on which used	24	53
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	38	55
acres on which used	8 766	8 333
$1,000	163	111
Nematodes in crops—farms	14	28
acres on which used	1 187	3 191
$1,000	11	30
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	7	15
acres on which used	1 127	2 008
$1,000	20	32
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	37	33
acres on which used	12 083	4 600
$1,000	96	25
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	5
acres on which used	194	137
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	151	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	3	–
acres on which used	672	–
$1,000	5	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	5	18
$1,000	(Z)	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	10	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	7	9
Proportion of farms—percent	5.0	7.3
Total land irrigated—acres	93	260
Average per farm—acres	13.3	28.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	7	9
acres	93	252
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	7	9
acres	93	250
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	2
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	1
acres	–	8
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	134	133
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.4	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	93	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 092	4 055
Cropland—acres	641	2 280
Harvested cropland—acres	403	1 792
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	30	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	45	63
Proportion of farms—percent	31.9	51.2
Land in farms with drainage—acres	20 559	37 535
Land drained—acres	12 440	19 376
Average per farm—acres	276.4	307.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	35	(NA)
number	70	(NA)
acres	108	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Forms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	24	17	13
$1,000	1 565	1 184	381
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	3	1
$5,000 to $9,999	5	1	4
$10,000 to $29,999	4	3	3
$30,000 to $49,999	3	5	2
$50,000 and over	9	5	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	46	53	186	313	678	
25 to 149 days	25 } 92		392 } 2 296		225 } 1 066	
Less than 25 days	36		669		121	
Total contract labor	20	36	(NA)	(NA)	859	746
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	13	(NA)	1 853	(NA)	698	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	73	46	25	36
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 024	678	225	121
Number of workers	1 247	186	392	669
Farms with—				
1 worker	12	17	9	4
2 workers	3	6	2	2
3 or 4 workers	21	12	4	10
5 to 9 workers	19	7	6	11
10 workers and over	18	4	4	9

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	475	692	152	172
Land in farms — acres	76 714	96 490	40 975	45 702
Average size of farm — acres	162	139	270	266
Approximate land area — acres	251 968	251 968	251 968	251 968
Proportion in farms — percent	30.4	38.3	16.3	18.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	34 907	26 971	18 776	14 394
Average per farm — dollars	73 488	38 975	123 525	83 687
Average per acre — dollars	455	280	458	315
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	16	32	1	6
10 to 49 acres	109	165	15	9
50 to 69 acres	72	123	9	26
70 to 99 acres	53	83	15	9
100 to 139 acres	70	94	25	27
140 to 179 acres	40	53	14	19
180 to 219 acres	30	43	17	22
220 to 259 acres	15	20	11	4
260 to 499 acres	46	46	26	27
500 to 999 acres	15	20	11	10
1,000 to 1,999 acres	6	12	6	12
2,000 acres and over	3	1	2	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	436	642	145	160
acres	40 673	45 844	24 866	24 616
Harvested cropland — farms	305	439	124	120
acres	15 331	13 191	12 883	9 169
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	87	162	9	
10 to 19 acres	72	129	13	63
20 to 29 acres	44	40	18	
30 to 49 acres	33	42	19	
50 to 99 acres	35	41	31	32
100 to 199 acres	15	14	15	14
200 to 499 acres	15	9	15	9
500 to 999 acres	3	2	3	2
1,000 acres and over	1	–	1	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	329	406	93	79
acres	21 263	18 790	9 884	9 122
Other cropland (see text) — farms	99	323	26	(NA)
acres	4 079	13 863	2 099	6 325
Total woodland — farms	347	508	111	127
acres	27 618	36 774	12 162	15 390
Other land (see text) — farms	349	501	117	(NA)
acres	8 423	13 872	3 947	5 696
Irrigated land — farms	3	10	3	6
acres	1 377	664	1 377	660

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	26	(NA)
acres	2 099	6 325
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	9	40
acres	337	2 420
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	7
acres	–	376
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	7
acres	180	521
Cropland idle — farms	18	58
acres	1 582	3 008
Total woodland — farms	111	127
acres	12 162	15 390
Woodland pastured — farms	64	76
acres	5 748	5 342

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	74	87
acres	6 414	10 048
Other land — farms	117	(NA)
acres	3 947	5 696
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	39	35
acres	1 663	3 303
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	22
acres	1 518	2 176
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	16
acres	145	1 127
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	103	109
acres	2 284	2 393

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	475	692	152	172
Land in farms — acres	76 714	96 490	40 975	45 702
Harvested cropland — acres	15 331	13 191	12 883	9 169
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	371	554	93	118
Land in farms — acres	56 806	69 349	24 893	26 425
Harvested cropland — acres	6 206	6 518	4 257	3 406
Part owners — number	89	97	51	46
Land in farms — acres	18 381	23 899	15 268	18 596
Harvested cropland — acres	8 670	6 060	8 229	5 506
Tenants — number	15	41	8	8
Land in farms — acres	1 527	3 242	814	681
Harvested cropland — acres	455	613	397	257
Percent of tenancy	3.2	5.9	5.3	4.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	10	43	5	5
Land in farms — acres	1 077	2 393	830	755
Harvested cropland — acres	151	573	131	165
Full owners — number	10	19	5	1
Land in farms — acres	1 077	1 089	830	190
Harvested cropland — acres	151	259	131	48
Part owners — number	–	8	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	412	–	191
Harvested cropland — acres	–	98	–	57
Tenants — number	–	16	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	892	–	374
Harvested cropland — acres	–	216	–	60
Percent of tenancy	–	37.2	–	40.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	137	143
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	28 880	31 277

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	17
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 035	9 365
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 060	4 415
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	645
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	8	3	4
25 to 34 years	48	35	19	12
35 to 44 years	56	105	10	28
45 to 54 years	127	158	51	48
55 to 64 years	116	214	32	48
65 years and over	116	172	31	32
Average age	54.0	54.9	53.0	52.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	303	472	99	124
On another farm	23		11	
In a rural area, not on a farm	19	110	5	26
In a city, town, or urban area	38		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	127	(NA)	50	(NA)
1 to 49 days	19	45	4	10
50 to 99 days	8	18	4	7
100 to 149 days	3	55	1	10
150 to 199 days	13		1	
200 days and over	242	353	57	71
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	140	(NA)	82	(NA)
Other	329	(NA)	64	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	14	26	14	26
$40,000 to $99,999	10		10	
$20,000 to $39,999	18	12	18	12
$10,000 to $19,999	24	21	24	21
$5,000 to $9,999	35	39	35	39
$2,500 to $4,999	49	61	49	61
Under $2,500 (see text)	325	533	2	13
$2,000 to $2,499	32	29	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	40	50	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	60	59	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	193	395	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	9 143	5 461	8 849	5 120
Average per farm (dollars)	19 249	7 891	58 214	29 765
Crops, including hay (farms)	177	299	97	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	6 153	2 857	6 086	2 718
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	5		3	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	22		19	–
Forest products (farms)	36	48	15	23
Forest products ($1,000)	16	27	9	16
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	360	369	105	122
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 953	2 577	2 735	2 386
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	16	(NA)	10	37
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 506	(NA)	1 503	1 449

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	97	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	6 086	2 718
Grains (farms)	66	40
Grains ($1,000)	759	99
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	41	45
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	520	167
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	19	17
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	30	26
Other field crops (farms)	1	1
Other field crops ($1,000)	7	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	2	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	2	6
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	9	24
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	4 768	2 418
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	105	122
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 735	2 386
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	10	37
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 503	1 449
Dairy products (farms)	1	11
Dairy products ($1,000)	(D)	84
Cattle and calves (farms)	93	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	960	807
Hogs and pigs (farms)	14	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	(D)	46
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	–	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	304	(NA)	52	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	151	(NA)	56	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	620	(NA)	577	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	31	49	21	17
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	195	96	191	74
Recreational services (farms)	1	10	1	7
Recreational services ($1,000)	1	6	1	6
Government farm programs (farms)	120	344	39	88
Government farm programs ($1,000)	52	350	21	238
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	23	(NA)	6	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	18	(NA)	11	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	354	(NA)	354	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	51	(NA)	14	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	465	(NA)	427	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	97
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 046
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	28
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	263
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	66
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	638
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	34
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	81
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	14
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	62
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	2
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	1

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	475	692	152	172
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	8 337	5 063	7 893	4 518
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	169	342	3	17
$1,000 to $1,999	108	118	22	
$2,000 to $2,999	38	76	3	26
$3,000 to $4,999	61	48	29	31
$5,000 to $9,999	35	41	31	31
$10,000 to $19,999	23	67	23	25
$20,000 to $39,999	14		14	22
$40,000 to $59,999	11		11	20
$60,000 and over	16		16	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	162	228	46	73
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	903	714	838	662
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	289	340	83	99
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 280	1 005	1 184	953
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	175	154	68	71
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 093	860	1 065	845
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	23	17
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	14	21
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	26
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	103	77
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	22
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	58	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	169	282	74	81
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	76	42	69	32
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	389	552	129	133
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	519	355	412	255
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	160	(NA)	79	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	269	157	260	141
Lime (farms)	(NA)	150	27	53
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	21	53	15
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	453	653	149	170
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	323	186	279	122
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	146	162
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	152	70
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	118	53
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	78	30
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	11	16
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	11	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	149	170
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	38	16
Hired farm labor (farms)	141	256	70	103
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	1 123	853	1 105	817
Contract labor (farms)	26	267	16	15
Contract labor ($1,000)	147	129	145	23
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	147		65	76
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	110		96	75
All other production expenses (farms)	401	479	152	168
All other production expenses ($1,000)	3 588	1 622	3 478	1 438

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	454	645	147	166
$1,000	6 351	3 593	4 018	1 824
Average per farm—dollars	13 989	5 570	27 331	10 990
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	82	1	70
$1,000 to $4,999	143	370	30	
$5,000 to $9,999	160	111	29	47
$10,000 to $19,999	74	50	33	30
$20,000 to $29,999	33	32	24	9
$30,000 to $49,999	19		16	3
$50,000 to $69,999	13		9	7
$70,000 and over	5		5	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	338	479	109	127
number	442	663	150	188
mfd in last 5 years, number	162	371	79	117
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	381	441	129	125
number	586	608	313	246
mfd in last 5 years, number	153	267	107	133
Wheel tractors—farms	396	518	128	143
number	668	834	330	309
mfd in last 5 years, number	122	271	103	133
Crawler tractors—farms	21		10	14
number	24		13	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	16

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	30	26	27	14
number	31	26	28	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	12	9	10
Corn heads for combines—farms	10	11	6	2
number	11	12	7	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	6	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	7		3	3
number	7		3	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	57	(NA)	23	(NA)
number	61	(NA)	24	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	(NA)	12	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	70	75	27	26
number	70	76	27	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	32	6	10
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	31	(NA)	13	12
number	31	(NA)	13	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	5	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	4	7
number	12	(NA)	4	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	1

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	374	(X)	101	(X)	360	(X)	105	(X)	2 735
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	361	(X)	99	(X)	347	(X)	101	(X)	1 119
1969	434	(X)	107	(X)	343	(X)	104	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	353	12 868	91	7 192	335	6 338	93	4 969	960
1969	421	9 961	104	5 873	319	5 901	95	4 443	807
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	12	31	–	–	125	300	8	18	3
5 to 9—1974	46	323	3	19	93	627	7	45	9
10 to 19—1974	104	1 432	9	129	59	761	23	324	54
20 to 49—1974	128	4 021	33	1 079	47	1 358	44	1 290	173
50 to 99—1974	46	3 135	29	2 039	4	244	4	244	32
100 to 199—1974	12	1 433	12	1 433	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	308	6 890	85	3 467	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	319	4 538	90	2 772	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	298	6 644	83	3 320	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 178	84	2 522	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	46	246	7	147	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	74	360	20	250	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	84

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	298	6 644	83	3 320			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	29	91	4	10			
5 to 9	59	404	4	24			
10 to 19	92	1 242	18	257			
20 to 49	90	2 691	32	980			
50 to 99	25	1 606	22	1 439			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	3	610	3	610			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	46	246	7	147			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	26	30	2	2			
3 or 4	11	40	1	3			
5 to 9	7	(D)	3	(D)			
10 to 19	1	13	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					70	2 874	730
Farms with—							
1 to 4					10	22	5
5 to 9					11	78	14
10 to 19					20	256	50
20 to 49					23	600	101
50 to 99					3	237	51
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					2	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					61	2 095	229
Farms with—							
1 or 2					8	12	1
3 or 4					3	10	1
5 to 9					6	45	8
10 to 19					19	246	25
20 to 49					20	601	70
50 to 99					3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	59	1 525
	1969	70	1 061
Beef heifers	1974	58	1 463
Milk heifers	1974	4	62
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	70	2 200
	1969	88	2 040

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	3	(D)	(D)
	1969	7	1 228	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	2	32	5
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	65	1 899	20	1 665	28	3 834	14	3 623	(D)
	1969	84	1 157	24	732	52	1 973	19	1 601	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	39	89	6	15	5	13	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	4	20	–	–	2	11	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	11	155	4	63	6	83	4	61	4
25 to 49	1974	4	139	3	91	8	262	3	97	5
50 to 99	1974	3	246	3	246	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	200	1	200	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	2 750	4	2 750	94
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	2 325	7	2 294	45
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	235	5	130	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	6	1	6	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	5	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	59	161	9	46	3	6	–	–	–
	1969	141	404	(NA)	(NA)	4	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	11	255
	1969	12	75
Other hogs and pigs	1974	20	1 410
	1969	22	657
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	23	450	11	410
	1969	29	143	13	101
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	15	221	11	210
	1969	21	74	10	50
June 1 and November 30	1974	19	229	9	200
	1969	25	69	12	51

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	59	(X)	12	(X)	15	(X)	10	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	34	(X)	(NA)	(X)	36	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	56	37 820	9	36 830	11	171 345	6	162 223
	1969	97	158 141	24	156 571	25	147 755	24	147 745
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	55	29 932	8	29 070	9	21 158	4	12 036
	1969	87	114 639	22	113 469	19	50 955	18	50 945
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	51	932	4	70	4	122	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	210 000	3	210 000
	1969	9	188 500	9	188 500	10	789 000	10	789 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	1 506	10	1 503
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	37	1 449

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	8	29 070	4	12 036
	1969	22	113 469	18	50 945
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	7	(D)	3	10 164
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	(D)	1	1 872
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	3	43 100	6	96 800
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	1	(D)	3	56 500
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Light breed	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	92	124	865	1 098	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	37	22	973	302	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	85	69	4 021	1 251	81 051	26 293
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	3	3	3	3	1 180	1 240
Wheat (bushels)	42	101	985	715	29 123	19 328
Other small grains for grain	35	46	591	556	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	47	144	2 773	3 238	2 230	2 289
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	11	(NA)	10	(NA)	588	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	8	(NA)	4	(NA)	900	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	198	210	3 338	3 599	5 045	4 428
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	13	33	36	118	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	20	49	2 480	2 262	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	13	(NA)	133	126	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	27	16	386	528	20 716	27 019	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	4	196	169	2 691	2 380	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	15	4	707	184	26 289	9 220	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	78	60	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	2	20	40	40	27	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	93	9 884	(X)	–	–	38	3 687	37	642	2	17
	1969	79	9 122	(X)	–	–	49	3 929	47	1 205	3	90
Improved pasture	1974	32	1 518	(X)	–	–	14	848	14	155	1	2
	1969	22	2 176	(X)	–	–	15	1 154	15	329	1	18
Corn for all purposes	1974	30	582	(X)	–	–	30	582	30	235	5	30
	1969	19	697	(X)	–	–	14	547	14	195	4	71
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	17	785	(X)	–	–	11	298	10	71	4	15
	1969	8	244	(X)	–	–	8	244	8	67	2	11
Wheat (bushels)	1974	19	795	25 318	–	–	12	483	12	84	2	13
	1969	34	345	10 621	–	–	25	284	(NA)	57	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	1974	10	173	13 481	–	–	6	135	6	35	1	10
	1969	10	202	14 005	–	–	8	187	(NA)	19	(NA)	10
Barley (bushels)	1974	13	358	21 820	–	–	8	319	8	50	2	31
	1969	6	182	14 840	–	–	5	175	(NA)	46	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	4	50	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	64	3 841	78 107	–	–	27	1 550	24	230	3	2
	1969	25	804	18 343	–	–	8	163	(NA)	31	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	280	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	62	1 830	3 057	–	–	29	733	29	152	4	11
	1969	55	1 907	2 601	–	–	20	969	17	92	4	46
Field seed crops	1974	4	125	(X)	–	–	3	97	3	11	–	–
	1969	4	51	(X)	–	–	2	35	2	9	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	41	2 745	2 220	–	–	41	2 745	41	756	4	7
	1969	48	2 504	1 708	–	–	47	2 493	(NA)	942	(NA)	7
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	8	492	–	–	2	8	2	1	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	6	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	8	(X)	1	3	1	3	1	2	–	–
	1969	2	49	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	2 462	(X)	2	(D)	9	2 462	9	557	2	201
	1969	24	2 209	(X)	6	630	24	2 209	24	619	2	483

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	1	(X)	–	–	3	1	3	1	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	3	1	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–	1	(Z)
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	3	7	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	134	142
	$1,000	673	396
Commercial fertilizer	farms	129	126
	acres on which used	13 955	12 399
	tons	3 321	4 357
	$1,000	412	255
Lime	farms	27	53
	acres on which used	4 755	3 365
	tons	5 566	3 781
	$1,000	53	15
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control –			
Insects on hay crops	farms	1	–
	acres on which used	27	–
	$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops	farms	37	46
	acres on which used	4 857	3 160
	$1,000	102	45
Nematodes in crops	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control – Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	10	13
	acres on which used	2 848	1 202
	$1,000	45	46
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	26	40
	acres on which used	4 039	3 442
	$1,000	43	26
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	3	11
	acres on which used	125	1 367
	$1,000	(Z)	2
Weeds on all other land	farms	1	(NA)
	acres on which used	9	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	10	18
	acres on which used	543	1 027
	$1,000	2	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	14	31
	$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	18	(NA)
	$1,000	12	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	3	6
Proportion of farms	percent	2.0	3.4
Total land irrigated	acres	1 377	660
Average per farm	acres	459.0	110.0
Cropland irrigated	farms	3	6
	acres	1 377	660
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	3	6
	acres	1 377	630
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	30
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	1 989	147
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.4	0.2
Land irrigated by –			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by – Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	3	(NA)
	acres	1 377	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	2 902	3 597
Cropland	acres	2 416	3 000
Harvested cropland	acres	1 397	1 625
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	2	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	200	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	2	–
Proportion of farms	percent	1.3	–
Land in farms with drainage	acres	450	–
Land drained	acres	107	–
Average per farm	acres	53.5	–
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	30	(NA)
	number	61	(NA)
	acres	165	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	52	39	23
	$1,000	1 975	1 356	619
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		9	2	12
$5,000 to $9,999		9	9	1
$10,000 to $29,999		18	18	4
$30,000 to $49,999		7	3	5
$50,000 and over		9	7	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working –						
150 days or more	20	26	78	137	519	817
25 to 149 days	32	93	453	1 521	548	
Less than 25 days	46		382		38	
Total contract labor	16	15	(NA)	(NA)	145	23
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	99	(NA)	103	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working – 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	70	20	32	46
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 105	519	548	38
Number of workers	913	78	453	382
Farms with –				
1 worker	19	11	14	14
2 workers	11	4	6	4
3 or 4 workers	11	2	1	8
5 to 9 workers	12	1	4	9
10 workers and over	17	2	7	11

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	411	605	173	169
Land in farms — acres	120 902	152 117	79 630	91 992
Average size of farm — acres	294	251	460	544
Approximate land area — acres	373 824	373 824	373 824	373 824
Proportion in farms — percent	32.3	40.7	21.3	24.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	42 414	20 395	27 433	11 370
Average per farm — dollars	103 198	33 710	158 574	67 280
Average per acre — dollars	351	134	345	124
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	3	33	–	5
10 to 49 acres	45	89	10	8
50 to 69 acres	29	36	2	1
70 to 99 acres	49	64	14	9
100 to 139 acres	40	94	6	8
140 to 179 acres	37	64	8	8
180 to 219 acres	35	41	15	13
220 to 259 acres	27	28	13	9
260 to 499 acres	82	82	49	46
500 to 999 acres	44	46	39	37
1,000 to 1,999 acres	15	22	13	19
2,000 acres and over	5	6	4	6

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	48	(NA)
acres	3 033	7 425
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	15	41
acres	1 014	4 060
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	7
acres	95	145
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	16
acres	522	561
Cropland idle — farms	27	47
acres	1 402	2 659
Total woodland — farms	134	144
acres	34 974	42 803
Woodland pastured — farms	105	112
acres	15 167	17 451

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	384	570	168	156
acres	50 518	57 895	34 472	38 556
Harvested cropland — farms	263	426	140	138
acres	16 055	17 136	14 391	14 010
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	61	166	8	
10 to 19 acres	63	121	19	74
20 to 29 acres	24	38	11	
30 to 49 acres	37	31	29	
50 to 99 acres	31	34	26	28
100 to 199 acres	29	19	29	19
200 to 499 acres	14	10	14	10
500 to 999 acres	4	7	4	7
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	305	405	113	119
acres	29 616	27 651	17 048	17 121
Other cropland (see text) — farms	98	270	48	(NA)
acres	4 847	13 108	3 033	7 425
Total woodland — farms	321	490	134	144
acres	54 511	71 223	34 974	42 803
Other land (see text) — farms	287	464	131	(NA)
acres	15 873	22 999	10 184	10 633
Irrigated land — farms	1	3	1	3
acres	2	24	2	24

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	77	96
acres	19 807	25 352
Other land — farms	131	(NA)
acres	10 184	10 633
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	59	58
acres	6 613	7 706
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	47	46
acres	5 090	6 302
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	22	26
acres	1 523	1 404
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	114	115
acres	3 571	2 927

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	411	605	173	169
Land in farms — acres	120 902	152 117	79 630	91 992
Harvested cropland — acres	16 055	17 136	14 391	14 010
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	316	443	100	96
Land in farms — acres	78 680	103 793	40 377	54 849
Harvested cropland — acres	6 432	7 219	4 959	5 190
Part owners — number	78	119	64	64
Land in farms — acres	38 666	43 600	36 773	34 829
Harvested cropland — acres	8 620	8 847	8 482	8 096
Tenants — number	17	43	9	9
Land in farms — acres	3 556	4 724	2 480	2 314
Harvested cropland — acres	1 003	1 070	950	724
Percent of tenancy	4.1	7.1	5.2	5.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	30	161	8	12
Land in farms — acres	2 715	16 186	599	1 627
Harvested cropland — acres	436	1 187	363	296
Full owners — number	23	103	5	2
Land in farms — acres	2 089	12 863	421	459
Harvested cropland — acres	252	485	229	30
Part owners — number	5	29	3	6
Land in farms — acres	284	2 478	178	1 085
Harvested cropland — acres	162	394	134	183
Tenants — number	2	29	–	4
Land in farms — acres	342	845	–	83
Harvested cropland — acres	22	308	–	83
Percent of tenancy	6.7	18.0	–	33.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	159	145
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	71 790	70 920

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	18
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 604	16 865
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	236	3 600
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	607
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	1	5	1	1
25 to 34 years	35	19	17	11
35 to 44 years	50	71	16	30
45 to 54 years	111	153	62	50
55 to 64 years	122	196	41	49
65 years and over	91	161	35	28
Average age	54.9	57.0	53.4	52.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	266	441	113	138
On another farm	22		18	
In a rural area, not on a farm	14	94	9	18
In a city, town, or urban area	32		8	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	114	(NA)	64	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	39	12	9
50 to 99 days	4	19	–	6
100 to 149 days	6		4	
150 to 199 days	25	49	14	13
200 days and over	179	244	50	50
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	159	(NA)	100	(NA)
Other	251	(NA)	72	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	8	17	8	17
$40,000 to $99,999	19		19	
$20,000 to $39,999	18	28	18	28
$10,000 to $19,999	21	32	21	32
$5,000 to $9,999	53	33	53	33
$2,500 to $4,999	50	50	50	50
Under $2,500 (see text)	242	445	4	9
$2,000 to $2,499	26	25	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	37	42	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	48	56	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	131	322	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	3 833	3 172	3 605	2 884
Average per farm ... dollars	9 325	5 242	20 839	17 064
Crops, including hay ... farms	130	249	100	(NA)
$1,000	1 318	720	1 295	637
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	1
$1,000	5		5	3
Forest products ... farms	55	78	47	35
$1,000	111	107	106	90
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	347	408	144	154
$1,000	2 399	2 345	2 198	2 154
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	8	(NA)	4	9
$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	277

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	100	(NA)
$1,000	1 295	637
Grains ... farms	70	52
$1,000	541	167
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	38	55
$1,000	696	360
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	34	40
$1,000	53	95
Other field crops ... farms	2	4
$1,000	1	10
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	1	1
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	6
$1,000	3	4
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	144	154
$1,000	2 198	2 154
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	9
$1,000	(D)	277
Dairy products ... farms	22	56
$1,000	1 128	1 182
Cattle and calves ... farms	138	(NA)
$1,000	721	564
Hogs and pigs ... farms	12	(NA)
$1,000	126	132
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	257	(NA)	80	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	118	(NA)	64	(NA)
$1,000	93	(NA)	56	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	26	34	10	16
$1,000	15	18	3	15
Recreational services ... farms	2	10	2	4
$1,000	1	4	1	3
Government farm programs ... farms	91	323	56	105
$1,000	59	305	45	233
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	15	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	14	(NA)	6	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	46	(NA)	23	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)	14	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	124
$1,000	1 639
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	30
$1,000	408
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	82
$1,000	814
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	56
$1,000	269
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	32
$1,000	104
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	12
$1,000	44

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	409	605	173	169
$1,000	3 369	2 889	3 046	2 516
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	107	308	6	23
$1,000 to $1,999	103	118	13	
$2,000 to $2,999	42	34	15	18
$3,000 to $4,999	56	40	38	25
$5,000 to $9,999	47	36	47	34
$10,000 to $19,999	22	69	22	31
$20,000 to $39,999	8		8	26
$40,000 to $59,999	12		12	12
$60,000 and over	12		12	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	133	211	52	77
$1,000	223	270	173	234
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	299	396	113	135
$1,000	820	677	741	617
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	205	244	101	116
$1,000	653	555	619	527
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	31
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	26
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	11
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	55	39
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	24	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	25
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	163	274	90	112
$1,000	54	41	47	33
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	286	458	143	147
$1,000	624	373	562	312
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	117	(NA)	73	(NA)
$1,000	195	96	189	88
Lime ... farms	(NA)	103	32	52
$1,000	(NA)	22	15	19
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	386	559	166	166
$1,000	244	197	208	153
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	163	164
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	112	111
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	92	50
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	64	26
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	3	10
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	166	166
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	15
Hired farm labor ... farms	113	245	82	114
$1,000	214	286	203	261
Contract labor ... farms	14	167	6	11
$1,000	4	59	3	6
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	82		57	71
$1,000	46		41	37
All other production expenses ... farms	339	409	172	166
$1,000	945	890	838	775

Table 6. **Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	389	555	160	161
$1,000	5 428	2 935	3 588	1 857
Average per farm—dollars	13 954	5 288	22 427	11 535
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	107	3	66
$1,000 to $4,999	92	298	22	
$5,000 to $9,999	134	77	39	37
$10,000 to $19,999	83	42	34	27
$20,000 to $29,999	26	31	17	14
$30,000 to $49,999	28		27	10
$50,000 to $69,999	13		13	7
$70,000 and over	5		5	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	311	402	127	126
number	454	565	199	208
mfd in last 5 years, number	183	331	97	136
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	328	371	150	133
number	454	488	258	214
mfd in last 5 years, number	115	190	80	98
Wheel tractors—farms	331	432	139	144
number	595	751	344	349
mfd in last 5 years, number	96	218	69	117
Crawler tractors—farms	34		17	20
number	39		20	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	37	32	36	27
number	42	38	41	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	17	6	17
Corn heads for combines—farms	3	12	3	5
number	3	14	3	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	3
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	9		9	4
number	9		9	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	–
Mower conditioners—farms	45	(NA)	28	(NA)
number	46	(NA)	29	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	10	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	104	119	68	71
number	107	123	69	75
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	50	19	26
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	30	(NA)	15	28
number	30	(NA)	15	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	8	14
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	24	(NA)	20	39
number	27	(NA)	23	46
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	7	15

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	363	(X)	147	(X)	347	(X)	144	(X)	2 198
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	349	(X)	139	(X)	335	(X)	142	(X)	847
1969	467	(X)	151	(X)	396	(X)	151	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	342	15 074	137	10 783	324	6 660	138	5 064	721
1969	425	13 487	143	9 932	372	6 306	146	4 771	564
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	20	59	3	5	54	152	3	8	1
5 to 9—1974	38	273	7	54	76	506	9	66	12
10 to 19—1974	76	1 062	7	111	91	1 278	32	451	62
20 to 49—1974	109	3 456	34	1 175	74	2 152	65	1 967	266
50 to 99—1974	68	4 693	55	3 907	20	1 281	20	1 281	177
100 to 199—1974	24	3 110	24	3 110	8	(D)	8	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	312	9 218	137	6 591	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	362	7 818	140	6 107	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	283	7 839	125	5 317	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 137	102	3 693	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	68	1 379	27	1 274	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	137	2 681	59	2 414	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	1 128
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	56	(X)	1 182

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	283	7 839	125	5 317			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	21	67	2	2			
5 to 9	50	337	16	113			
10 to 19	75	1 056	13	198			
20 to 49	96	2 979	58	1 874			
50 to 99	33	2 174	28	1 904			
100 to 199	6	(D)	6	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	68	1 379	27	1 274			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	30	39	5	5			
3 or 4	10	35	1	4			
5 to 9	7	40	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	10	367	10	367			
50 to 99	8	528	8	528			
100 to 199	3	370	3	370			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					100	1 921	359
Farms with—							
1 to 4					17	38	7
5 to 9					20	136	33
10 to 19					25	322	55
20 to 49					31	861	148
50 to 99					5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					109	3 143	362
Farms with—							
1 or 2					4	5	(Z)
3 or 4					3	12	1
5 to 9					18	125	12
10 to 19					27	357	32
20 to 49					42	1 255	129
50 to 99					10	621	77
100 to 199					4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	104	2 231	8	241	63
	1969	124	2 386	2	59	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	95	1 661	4	11	3
Milk heifers	1974	18	570	–	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	103	1 961	3	(D)	(D)
	1969	121	1 439	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			1	(D)	(D)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	54	1 434	20	1 075	32	1 978	12	1 561	126
	1969	133	2 587	40	1 890	63	3 440	29	2 962	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	24	51	8	17	2	2	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	8	53	4	31	4	29	2	12	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	9	150	–	–	15	289	3	67	3
25 to 49	1974	8	243	4	142	4	129	2	53	2
50 to 99	1974	2	102	1	50	4	226	2	126	6
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	136	2	39	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	564	6	318	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	50	122	15	27	5	12	1	1	(Z)
	1969	98	303	(NA)	(NA)	9	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	136				
	1969	19	398				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	19	939				
	1969	39	1 492				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			31	227	13	154
	1969			54	323	20	246
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			28	131	11	79
	1969			45	171	20	122
June 1 and November 30	1974			20	96	9	75
	1969			35	152	19	124

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	44	(X)	9	(X)	4	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	41	25 733	9	24 975	3	4 482	3	4 482
	1969	119	59 074	20	56 476	11	41 694	8	38 644
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	40	25 668	9	24 975	3	4 482	3	4 482
	1969	112	57 277	19	55 017	11	41 694	8	38 644
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	37	818	6	125	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	8	88	–	–	1	5	–	–
	1969	3	35	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	(D)	4	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	277

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	9	24 975	3	4 482
	1969	19	55 017	8	38 644
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	9	24 975	3	4 482
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	1 402	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	3	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	83	195	1 177	2 410	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	38	53	1 264	1 835	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	57	62	3 060	2 669	59 945	57 299
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	21	5	25	2 100	14 700
Wheat (bushels)	26	19	778	305	23 803	11 500
Other small grains for grain	54	44	1 019	752	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	42	131	4 371	3 737	3 310	3 582
Tobacco (pounds)	2	–	(Z)	–	314	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	5	(NA)	396	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	196	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	183	235	4 608	4 424	6 472	7 014
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	25	7	28	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	28	46	89	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	17	(NA)	409	1 152	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	25	34	263	640	12 111	32 556	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	12	25	611	1 102	6 345	12 264	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	1	5	3	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	24	16	855	765	43 000	38 942	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	11	(NA)	389	1 032	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	44	4	76	2	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	113	17 048	(X)	–	–	57	5 309	55	1 028	4	48
	1969	119	17 121	(X)	–	–	82	5 812	81	1 349	9	60
Improved pasture	1974	47	5 090	(X)	–	–	17	959	17	207	1	(Z)
	1969	46	6 302	(X)	–	–	25	3 635	24	642	7	186
Corn for all purposes	1974	37	879	(X)	–	–	31	793	31	206	6	26
	1969	50	1 745	(X)	–	–	40	1 671	39	544	8	88
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	31	1 244	(X)	–	–	23	1 025	23	261	9	40
	1969	43	1 797	(X)	–	–	38	1 373	37	338	8	40
Wheat (bushels)	1974	24	758	23 507	–	–	19	705	16	118	5	13
	1969	10	248	9 984	–	–	9	238	(NA)	40	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	1974	34	488	28 438	–	–	18	252	17	47	4	6
	1969	20	342	17 160	1	6	14	298	(NA)	61	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels)	1974	21	402	17 402	–	–	10	309	7	28	5	26
	1969	8	289	15 830	–	–	8	289	(NA)	63	(NA)	11
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	26	650	–	–	2	26	2	5	1	1
	1969	3	22	380	–	–	3	22	(NA)	5	(NA)	1
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	56	3 045	59 645	–	–	29	2 058	29	375	–	–
	1969	38	2 444	53 118	–	–	25	2 012	(NA)	342	(NA)	8
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	2	980	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	91	3 436	5 049	–	–	41	1 616	41	425	5	35
	1969	76	2 975	5 415	1	15	31	1 181	31	321	2	36
Field seed crops	1974	9	378	(X)	–	–	4	157	4	18	–	–
	1969	28	927	(X)	–	–	13	463	10	54	4	34
Cotton (bales)	1974	38	4 352	3 295	–	–	32	4 304	32	1 290	2	19
	1969	55	3 265	3 186	1	3	51	3 216	(NA)	1 153	(NA)	20
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	4	(X)	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	6	(X)	–	–	1	4	1	2	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	7	44	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–
	1969	8	64	(X)	–	–	2	32	2	10	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	2	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	–
1969	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–
Other crops 1974	5	12	(X)	–	–	4	7	4	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	147	149
$1,000	751	400
Commercial fertilizer — farms	143	142
acres on which used	17 528	20 262
tons	4 227	5 424
$1,000	562	312
Lime — farms	32	52
acres on which used	1 406	2 886
tons	1 463	3 141
$1,000	15	19
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	1	1
acres on which used	12	10
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	19	40
acres on which used	3 952	3 151
$1,000	88	27
Nematodes in crops — farms	–	4
acres on which used	–	174
$1,000	–	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	1	–
acres on which used	225	–
$1,000	2	–
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	34	35
acres on which used	4 271	4 599
$1,000	73	28
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	5	17
acres on which used	312	812
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land — farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	7	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	8	14
acres on which used	1 573	1 939
$1,000	5	6
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	14	56
$1,000	1	5
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	16	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	1	3
Proportion of farms — percent	0.6	1.7
Total land irrigated — acres	2	24
Average per farm — acres	2.0	8.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	1	3
acres	2	24
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	1	3
acres	2	24
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	1	34
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	0.7	1.4
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	1	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	21	1 652
Cropland — acres	4	799
Harvested cropland — acres	2	156
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	4	6
Proportion of farms — percent	2.3	3.5
Land in farms with drainage — acres	698	4 206
Land drained — acres	46	137
Average per farm — acres	11.5	22.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	64	(NA)
number	140	(NA)
acres	201	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	53	40	29
$1,000	1 192	853	339
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	9	6	15
$5,000 to $9,999	13	8	7
$10,000 to $29,999	16	14	4
$30,000 to $49,999	8	8	1
$50,000 and over	7	4	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	33	45	58	97	162	
25 to 149 days	21	96	39	295	30	261
Less than 25 days	42		195		11	
Total contract labor	6	11	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	82	33	21	42
Cash wages paid — $1,000	203	162	30	11
Number of workers	292	58	39	195
Farms with —				
1 worker	32	19	11	15
2 workers	19	9	6	6
3 or 4 workers	14	3	3	8
5 to 9 workers	9	2	1	7
10 workers and over	8	–	–	6

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	705	1 024	420	386
Land in farms — acres	168 233	198 612	147 374	145 776
Average size of farm — acres	239	194	351	378
Approximate land area — acres	505 600	505 600	505 600	505 600
Proportion in farms — percent	33.3	39.3	29.1	28.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	56 206	37 654	48 426	26 423
Average per farm — dollars	79 726	36 771	115 299	68 454
Average per acre — dollars	334	190	329	181
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	45	18	14	6
10 to 49 acres	169	300	55	34
50 to 69 acres	66	120	30	23
70 to 99 acres	70	124	34	30
100 to 139 acres	96	110	60	44
140 to 179 acres	49	70	39	30
180 to 219 acres	32	77	28	37
220 to 259 acres	28	32	23	28
260 to 499 acres	78	89	65	75
500 to 999 acres	35	47	35	42
1,000 to 1,999 acres	27	27	27	27
2,000 acres and over	10	10	10	10

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	129	(NA)
acres	6 804	12 673
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	57	65
acres	1 738	3 047
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	16	32
acres	636	1 253
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	6	17
acres	116	1 498
Cropland idle — farms	71	150
acres	4 314	6 875
Total woodland — farms	280	267
acres	44 686	51 577
Woodland pastured — farms	118	109
acres	7 913	13 986

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	681	974	402	367
acres	92 678	99 405	83 593	79 042
Harvested cropland — farms	613	847	391	352
acres	71 030	63 741	68 187	56 649
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	137	251	24	
10 to 19 acres	89	164	28	126
20 to 29 acres	74	93	41	
30 to 49 acres	101	100	92	
50 to 99 acres	80	101	74	88
100 to 199 acres	51	52	51	52
200 to 499 acres	54	62	54	62
500 to 999 acres	16	17	16	17
1,000 acres and over	11	7	11	7
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	286	344	140	134
acres	13 272	14 921	8 602	9 720
Other cropland (see text) — farms	194	540	129	(NA)
acres	8 376	20 743	6 804	12 673
Total woodland — farms	450	709	280	267
acres	52 033	73 682	44 686	51 577
Other land (see text) — farms	465	685	283	(NA)
acres	23 522	25 525	19 095	15 157
Irrigated land — farms	11	9	10	8
acres	353	329	352	319

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	221	212
acres	36 773	37 591
Other land — farms	283	(NA)
acres	19 095	15 157
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	88	66
acres	10 473	8 531
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	68	39
acres	6 109	6 410
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	28	29
acres	4 364	2 121
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	262	243
acres	8 622	6 626

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	705	1 024	420	386
Land in farms — acres	168 233	198 612	147 374	145 776
Harvested cropland — acres	71 030	63 741	68 187	56 649
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	439	686	218	177
Land in farms — acres	71 173	100 528	54 113	56 132
Harvested cropland — acres	16 494	16 718	14 281	11 630
Part owners — number	196	254	162	165
Land in farms — acres	85 659	84 963	83 031	77 839
Harvested cropland — acres	49 013	39 725	48 620	38 269
Tenants — number	70	84	40	44
Land in farms — acres	11 401	13 121	10 230	11 805
Harvested cropland — acres	5 523	7 298	5 286	6 750
Percent of tenancy	9.9	8.2	9.5	11.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	57	143	18	19
Land in farms — acres	3 823	9 279	2 253	3 106
Harvested cropland — acres	1 794	2 875	1 517	1 594
Full owners — number	31	99	9	6
Land in farms — acres	1 842	5 469	827	685
Harvested cropland — acres	498	1 270	329	428
Part owners — number	9	28	7	11
Land in farms — acres	1 415	3 051	1 316	2 221
Harvested cropland — acres	1 183	1 296	1 154	1 056
Tenants — number	17	16	2	2
Land in farms — acres	566	759	110	200
Harvested cropland — acres	113	309	34	110
Percent of tenancy	29.8	11.1	11.1	10.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	384	324
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	106 169	110 639

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	19	49
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 737	23 738
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	10
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	27 396	10 913
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 072	486
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	9	5	3
25 to 34 years	65	77	47	31
35 to 44 years	112	166	57	78
45 to 54 years	197	287	120	109
55 to 64 years	184	302	95	131
65 years and over	123	183	79	34
Average age	52.2	53.2	52.1	50.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	382	688	237	263
On another farm	30		20	
In a rural area, not on a farm	36	224	23	95
In a city, town, or urban area	61		38	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	200	(NA)	132	(NA)
1 to 49 days	35	54	17	19
50 to 99 days	24	38	10	15
100 to 149 days	23	88	16	26
150 to 199 days	20		17	
200 days and over	250	421	103	102
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	355	(NA)	253	(NA)
Other	332	(NA)	150	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	53	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	37	53	37	53
$40,000 to $99,999	34		34	
$20,000 to $39,999	56	34	56	34
$10,000 to $19,999	62	54	62	54
$5,000 to $9,999	105	84	104	84
$2,500 to $4,999	102	113	102	113
Under $2,500 (see text)	309	686	25	48
$2,000 to $2,499	48	51	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	57	72	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	57	105	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	147	458	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	18 934	10 041	18 632	9 584
Average per farm ... dollars	26 857	9 805	44 361	24 829
Crops, including hay ... farms	537	746	357	(NA)
$1,000	9 345	4 215	9 153	3 834
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	11		11	3
$1,000	92		92	61
Forest products ... farms	42	96	32	65
$1,000	126	249	122	235
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	324	380	196	189
$1,000	9 371	5 576	9 265	5 454
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	40	(NA)	34	42
$1,000	8 256	(NA)	8 255	4 523

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	357	(NA)
$1,000	9 153	3 834
Grains ... farms	326	265
$1,000	4 935	1 404
Tobacco ... farms	42	82
$1,000	651	473
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	47	140
$1,000	1 389	897
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	31	37
$1,000	371	166
Other field crops ... farms	6	9
$1,000	11	18
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	50	81
$1,000	260	275
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	15	12
$1,000	1 535	602
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	196	189
$1,000	9 265	5 454
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	34	42
$1,000	8 255	4 523
Dairy products ... farms	4	-
$1,000	48	-
Cattle and calves ... farms	142	(NA)
$1,000	693	662
Hogs and pigs ... farms	67	(NA)
$1,000	223	269
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	-	
$1,000	-	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	5	
$1,000	46	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	302	(NA)	106	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	170	(NA)	109	(NA)
$1,000	345	(NA)	317	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	36	81	28	46
$1,000	195	96	183	88
Recreational services ... farms	11	9	7	6
$1,000	2	5	1	3
Government farm programs ... farms	90	553	66	223
$1,000	80	1 240	74	1 065
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	81	(NA)	44	(NA)
$1,000	67	(NA)	58	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	56	(NA)	37	(NA)
$1,000	96	(NA)	78	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	227
$1,000	2 102
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	46
$1,000	498
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	155
$1,000	1 347
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	62
$1,000	118
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	41
$1,000	91
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	21
$1,000	48

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	705	1 024	420	386
$1,000	17 014	9 689	16 693	9 081
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	184	458	26	53
$1,000 to $1,999	133	156	45	
$2,000 to $2,999	79	101	56	51
$3,000 to $4,999	76	91	63	74
$5,000 to $9,999	77	91	74	81
$10,000 to $19,999	64		64	40
$20,000 to $39,999	35	127	35	38
$40,000 to $59,999	11		11	49
$60,000 and over	46		46	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	187	230	113	120
$1,000	1 100	952	1 074	930
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	345	373	166	160
$1,000	6 407	2 935	6 352	2 879
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	256	224	131	136
$1,000	5 366	2 671	5 336	2 647
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	58	25
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	477	77
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	63	23
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	529	145
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	23
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	9	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	80	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	69	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	362	701	262	290
$1,000	282	154	275	124
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	546	817	326	323
$1,000	1 924	1 025	1 852	905
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	246	(NA)	196	(NA)
$1,000	693	369	687	343
Lime ... farms	(NA)	147	70	94
$1,000	(NA)	52	96	46
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	685	950	409	386
$1,000	690	535	637	428
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	384	379
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	325	255
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	204	165
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	160	90
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	51
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	27
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	409	386
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	98	56
Hired farm labor ... farms	236	518	181	276
$1,000	1 539	1 280	1 525	1 226
Contract labor ... farms	26	458	17	37
$1,000	251	293	251	66
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	301		219	207
$1,000	214		202	180
All other production expenses ... farms	635	780	412	379
$1,000	3 912	2 146	3 770	2 000

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	643	925	372	374
$1,000	10 607	6 594	8 596	4 817
Average per farm — dollars	16 496	7 128	23 109	12 878
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	121	2	140
$1,000 to $4,999	165	485	81	
$5,000 to $9,999	194	138	58	86
$10,000 to $19,999	124	97	84	76
$20,000 to $29,999	55	84	54	33
$30,000 to $49,999	57		53	24
$50,000 to $69,999	23		22	15
$70,000 and over	18		18	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	472	656	272	257
number	617	874	374	340
mfd in last 5 years, number	289	503	223	221
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	544	662	330	321
number	829	944	602	573
mfd in last 5 years, number	236	485	212	317
Wheel tractors — farms	556	734	327	339
number	1 029	1 228	762	742
mfd in last 5 years, number	231	508	206	371
Crawler tractors — farms	23		12	7
number	24		13	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	124	115	117	103
number	151	138	144	126
mfd in last 5 years, number	55	82	55	78
Corn heads for combines — farms	27	44	27	17
number	27	53	27	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	27	14	11
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	35		29	25
number	35		29	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	13
Mower conditioners — farms	35	(NA)	30	(NA)
number	42	(NA)	34	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	63	66	51	60
number	67	72	55	66
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	48	20	44
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	37	(NA)	31	35
number	39	(NA)	33	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	26
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	17	(NA)	14	7
number	18	(NA)	15	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	4	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	370	(X)	204	(X)	324	(X)	196	(X)	9 265
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	327	(X)	187	(X)	285	(X)	180	(X)	916
1969	453	(X)	175	(X)	342	(X)	170	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	246	10 531	150	8 685	221	4 279	142	3 744	693
1969	297	10 855	134	8 714	254	5 915	129	5 034	662
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	22	50	7	15	66	162	35	81	14
5 to 9 — 1974	25	162	13	82	54	372	31	223	33
10 to 19 — 1974	59	818	31	422	44	560	19	255	74
20 to 49 — 1974	95	3 062	56	1 847	40	1 171	40	1 171	229
50 to 99 — 1974	27	1 702	25	1 582	10	685	10	685	107
100 to 199 — 1974	7	843	7	843	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 — 1974	8	2 043	8	2 043	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over — 1974	3	1 851	3	1 851	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	214	6 132	132	5 138	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	233	5 495	115	4 584	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	198	6 002	124	5 048	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 428	109	4 558	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	37	130	21	90	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	34	67	12	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	48
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	198	6 002	124	5 048
Farms with —				
1 to 4	18	44	6	17
5 to 9	40	288	20	138
10 to 19	53	752	31	449
20 to 49	66	1 912	46	1 438
50 to 99	8	482	8	482
100 to 199	10	1 349	10	1 349
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)
Milk cows	37	130	21	90
Farms with —				
1 or 2	29	40	18	23
3 or 4	4	14	1	3
5 to 9	2	12	–	–
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	2	64	2	64
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	74	1 395	424
Farms with —			
1 to 4	32	72	19
5 to 9	15	107	28
10 to 19	10	152	64
20 to 49	11	342	145
50 to 99	3	200	45
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	114	2 349	269
Farms with —			
1 or 2	25	41	4
3 or 4	10	38	5
5 to 9	25	175	16
10 to 19	19	248	29
20 to 49	26	759	85
50 to 99	5	394	43
100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	81	1 243
	1969	98	2 362
Beef heifers	1974	79	1 193
Milk heifers	1974	6	50
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	108	2 304
	1969	103	1 768

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	7	47	19
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	6	32	14
10 to 19	1974	1	15	5
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	139	2 972	74	2 444	101	5 453	67	4 766	223
	1969	250	5 828	93	4 902	141	8 520	77	7 638	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	59	166	19	60	10	23	7	16	1
5 to 9	1974	28	187	15	90	9	69	8	63	4
10 to 24	1974	17	266	11	191	36	512	17	248	18
25 to 49	1974	15	534	13	484	19	664	10	354	24
50 to 99	1974	13	759	9	559	16	998	14	898	51
100 to 199	1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	8	1 030	8	1 030	50
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	31	3 273	17	2 843	81
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	37	2 521	18	2 234	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	12	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	74	186	36	107	5	100	3	88	46
	1969	105	299	(NA)	(NA)	11	22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	51	453
	1969	52	517
Other hogs and pigs	1974	71	1 991
	1969	86	4 385
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	91	730	59	618
	1969	113	877	55	695
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	69	359	47	313
	1969	92	457	50	364
June 1 and November 30	1974	73	371	51	305
	1969	90	420	51	331

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	91	(X)	42	(X)	33	(X)	30	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	48	(X)	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	78	113 882	30	113 050	10	42 838	8	42 763
	1969	124	303 448	34	301 167	14	237 255	12	237 134
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	74	112 699	29	111 985	10	41 991	8	41 916
	1969	112	195 290	34	193 222	14	86 355	12	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	70	1 309	25	595	6	136	4	61
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	6	52 593	4	52 560	6	756 469	5	756 460
	1969	10	182 608	9	182 601	12	1 080 500	12	1 080 500
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	40	8 256	34	8 255
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	42	4 523

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	29	111 985	8	41 916
	1969	34	193 222	12	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	28	(D)	7	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	107 010	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	7	1 065	1	847
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	10	334 500	17	975 600
	1969	7	181 501	15	704 492
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	8	(D)	14	961 500
Heavy breed	1974	8	(D)	13	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	2	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	(D)	3	14 100
	1969	3	59 001	2	(D)
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	258	368	4 807	4 219	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	20	20	761	739	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	362	427	39 002	33 133	693 743	631 333
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	2	2	1	4 000	1 961
Wheat (bushels)	39	40	1 885	1 799	52 546	59 740
Other small grains for grain	89	60	7 450	3 234	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	53	308	6 957	10 782	6 623	9 228
Tobacco (pounds)	51	130	385	570	671 078	800 808
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	24	(NA)	10	(NA)	579	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	18	(NA)	14	(NA)	1 944	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	148	140	3 891	3 664	8 169	9 385
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	99	154	1 647	3 730	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	37	32	3 118	1 397	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	21	(X)	(X)
Other crops	23	(NA)	2 922	1 483	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	151	131	4 067	2 526	200 770	115 334	1	1	12	10
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	5	172	270	1 380	2 950	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	5	4	41	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	15	10	716	591	38 079	17 320	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	11	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	1	220	3	(D)	8	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	140	8 602	(X)	–	–	37	2 796	36	506	16	198
	1969	134	9 720	(X)	2	103	66	4 482	64	903	19	143
Improved pasture	1974	68	6 109	(X)	–	–	24	2 020	23	265	4	14
	1969	39	6 410	(X)	–	–	19	3 267	19	596	5	58
Corn for all purposes	1974	155	4 243	(X)	1	12	128	3 895	121	990	37	263
	1969	137	2 837	(X)	1	10	97	2 167	92	658	27	193
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	15	716	(X)	–	–	9	306	9	53	6	28
	1969	12	602	(X)	–	–	10	591	10	143	2	100
Wheat (bushels)	1974	34	1 834	51 836	–	–	25	1 719	22	242	18	77
	1969	27	1 701	57 544	–	–	23	1 667	(NA)	492	(NA)	101
Oats (bushels)	1974	10	272	12 350	–	–	9	223	9	38	5	10
	1969	21	647	29 155	–	–	17	520	(NA)	95	(NA)	43
Barley (bushels)	1974	3	45	1 125	–	–	2	20	2	3	–	–
	1969	5	63	2 033	–	–	3	40	(NA)	3	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	1974	67	6 960	121 679	–	–	42	5 758	30	804	20	238
	1969	22	2 232	46 330	–	–	20	2 117	(NA)	229	(NA)	71
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	295	37 994	681 573	1	125	175	28 976	172	5 309	6	37
	1969	239	30 257	581 053	–	–	160	21 551	(NA)	3 420	(NA)	5
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	2 000	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	100	3 129	7 337	–	–	48	1 633	35	277	27	194
	1969	72	3 006	8 574	–	–	29	1 594	25	286	14	139
Field seed crops	1974	3	2 750	(X)	–	–	3	2 750	3	519	1	140
	1969	13	1 217	(X)	–	–	6	326	6	70	2	16
Cotton (bales)	1974	47	6 933	6 605	1	125	45	6 908	45	2 067	23	432
	1969	144	9 624	8 478	1	13	136	9 534	(NA)	3 631	(NA)	392
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	42	373	656 978	2	12	42	373	42	367	–	–
	1969	82	507	721 318	1	12	82	503	(NA)	491	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	6	239	–	–	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	5	1	186	–	–	4	1	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	50	1 496	(X)	1	4	28	1 208	28	495	4	10
	1969	81	3 366	(X)	1	10	65	3 094	64	1 002	3	23
Land in orchards	1974	21	3 072	(X)	1	60	13	2 938	13	975	1	15
	1969	19	1 359	(X)	1	(D)	12	1 280	12	485	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	21	(X)	1	1	1	20	1	5	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	11	18	(X)	5	11	6	15	6	4	1	(Z)
1969	3	10	(X)	1	10	2	10	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	10	148	(X)	1	6	6	68	6	8	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	335	342
$1,000	2 538	1 248
Commercial fertilizer—farms	326	305
acres on which used	61 669	52 911
tons	14 607	13 857
$1,000	1 852	905
Lime—farms	70	94
acres on which used	10 637	7 606
tons	10 148	7 124
$1,000	96	46
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	3
acres on which used	213	126
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	75	147
acres on which used	21 830	17 188
$1,000	276	199
Nematodes in crops—farms	17	13
acres on which used	2 153	701
$1,000	20	5
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	6	4
acres on which used	1 700	368
$1,000	21	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	101	98
acres on which used	31 756	15 523
$1,000	241	73
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	9
acres on which used	356	547
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	217	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	13	41
acres on which used	1 838	4 713
$1,000	6	10
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	14	39
$1,000	8	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	47	(NA)
$1,000	14	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	10	8
Proportion of farms—percent	2.4	2.0
Total land irrigated—acres	352	319
Average per farm—acres	35.2	39.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	10	8
acres	352	319
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	10	7
acres	352	216
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	103
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	78	208
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.2	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	12	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	8	(NA)
acres	340	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 743	11 120
Cropland—acres	2 089	5 155
Harvested cropland—acres	1 608	3 740
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	8	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	20	33
Proportion of farms—percent	4.8	8.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	16 693	29 700
Land drained—acres	4 479	4 006
Average per farm—acres	224.0	121.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	109	(NA)
number	342	(NA)
acres	693	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	97	79	40
$1,000	4 012	2 542	1 470
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	24	21	12
$5,000 to $9,999	18	14	7
$10,000 to $29,999	32	27	12
$30,000 to $49,999	7	5	2
$50,000 and over	16	12	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	65	95	248	312	1 025	
25 to 149 days	38	240	421	2 017	381	1 226
Less than 25 days	129		1 184		120	
Total contract labor	17	37	(NA)	(NA)	251	66
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	7	(NA)	1	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	181	65	38	129
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 525	1 025	381	120
Number of workers	1 853	248	421	1 184
Farms with—				
1 worker	45	27	15	24
2 workers	20	11	7	14
3 or 4 workers	25	15	5	18
5 to 9 workers	47	6	4	38
10 workers and over	44	6	7	35

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	777	1 257	591	599
Land in farms — acres	166 905	198 162	159 254	169 394
Average size of farm — acres	215	158	269	283
Approximate land area — acres	383 552	383 552	383 552	383 552
Proportion in farms — percent	43.5	51.7	41.5	44.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	79 950	55 315	75 792	45 769
Average per farm — dollars	102 895	44 005	128 244	76 409
Average per acre — dollars	479	279	476	270
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	52	111	20	17
10 to 49 acres	262	506	146	120
50 to 69 acres	82	124	72	55
70 to 99 acres	97	129	81	81
100 to 139 acres	68	93	63	62
140 to 179 acres	37	51	37	35
180 to 219 acres	28	40	27	35
220 to 259 acres	14	24	14	23
260 to 499 acres	58	90	52	85
500 to 999 acres	37	48	37	45
1,000 to 1,999 acres	29	29	29	29
2,000 acres and over	13	12	13	12

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	113	(NA)
acres	3 447	18 531
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	17	31
acres	317	1 646
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	38	102
acres	1 062	2 993
Cropland in cultivated summer follow — farms	13	23
acres	619	1 456
Cropland idle — farms	56	276
acres	1 449	12 436
Total woodland — farms	288	401
acres	35 075	55 268
Woodland pastured — farms	86	140
acres	6 817	11 874

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	757	1 229	580	587
acres	114 614	123 337	112 167	108 401
Harvested cropland — farms	741	1 195	577	584
acres	105 752	90 586	104 232	82 736
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	148	339	48	
10 to 19 acres	105	273	58	288
20 to 29 acres	94	131	80	
30 to 49 acres	112	148	109	
50 to 99 acres	106	120	106	112
100 to 199 acres	56	77	56	77
200 to 499 acres	68	61	68	61
500 to 999 acres	27	35	27	35
1,000 acres and over	25	11	25	11
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	199	330	152	211
acres	5 036	8 842	4 488	7 134
Other cropland (see text) — farms	138	656	113	(NA)
acres	3 826	23 909	3 447	18 531
Total woodland — farms	382	755	288	401
acres	38 971	65 686	35 075	55 268
Other land (see text) — farms	497	783	378	(NA)
acres	13 320	9 139	12 012	5 725
Irrigated land — farms	9	26	9	25
acres	150	366	150	361

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	240	319
acres	28 258	43 394
Other land — farms	378	(NA)
acres	12 012	5 725
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	37	47
acres	2 339	1 294
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	10
acres	1 222	263
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	37
acres	1 117	1 031
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	366	360
acres	9 673	4 431

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	777	1 257	591	599
Land in farms — acres	166 905	198 162	159 254	169 394
Harvested cropland — acres	105 752	90 586	104 232	82 736
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	376	583	230	196
Land in farms — acres	37 302	52 877	31 304	36 115
Harvested cropland — acres	15 932	16 090	14 757	11 963
Part owners — number	265	391	241	277
Land in farms — acres	112 975	121 310	111 591	113 953
Harvested cropland — acres	78 034	62 100	77 829	60 471
Tenants — number	136	283	120	126
Land in farms — acres	16 628	23 975	16 359	19 326
Harvested cropland — acres	11 786	12 396	11 646	10 302
Percent of tenancy	17.5	22.5	20.3	21.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	297	639	174	178
Land in farms — acres	20 353	35 549	15 216	20 389
Harvested cropland — acres	11 686	14 418	10 694	9 060
Full owners — number	176	309	81	56
Land in farms — acres	7 629	13 022	3 777	4 722
Harvested cropland — acres	2 862	4 493	2 094	1 789
Part owners — number	80	165	64	78
Land in farms — acres	10 375	16 292	9 292	12 843
Harvested cropland — acres	7 134	6 942	6 998	5 747
Tenants — number	41	165	29	44
Land in farms — acres	2 349	6 235	2 147	2 824
Harvested cropland — acres	1 690	2 983	1 602	1 524
Percent of tenancy	13.8	25.8	16.7	24.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	539	508
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	127 939	135 651

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	39	71
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 769	24 467
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	12	16
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 396	5 261
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	4
acres	(NA)	(NA)	150	4 015
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	25	15	17	6
25 to 34 years	77	107	62	67
35 to 44 years	114	227	94	125
45 to 54 years	198	373	171	181
55 to 64 years	173	334	118	162
65 years and over	177	201	116	58
Average age	52.5	51.7	51.2	49.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	437	887	343	453
On another farm	44		27	
In a rural area, not on a farm	43	213	33	91
In a city, town, or urban area	41		27	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	283	(NA)	217	(NA)
1 to 49 days	31	107	25	52
50 to 99 days	30	84	26	40
100 to 149 days	33	106	23	26
150 to 199 days	25		15	
200 days and over	171	305	115	91
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	532	(NA)	434	(NA)
Other	232	(NA)	144	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	72	73	72	73
$40,000 to $99,999	86		86	
$20,000 to $39,999	93	77	93	77
$10,000 to $19,999	110	112	110	112
$5,000 to $9,999	116	151	116	151
$2,500 to $4,999	109	174	109	174
Under $2,500 (see text)	191	670	5	12
$2,000 to $2,499	33	80	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	55	93	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	46	94	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	57	403	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	30 472	13 389	30 228	12 786
Average per farm ... dollars	39 218	10 651	51 147	21 345
Crops, including hay ... farms	720	1 140	573	(NA)
$1,000	24 634	9 026	24 435	8 537
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	–
$1,000	(D)		(D)	–
Forest products ... farms	40	51	34	46
$1,000	(D)	236	(D)	232
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	337	614	265	347
$1,000	5 498	4 127	5 455	4 017
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	35	(NA)	32	27
$1,000	3 061	(NA)	3 061	1 992

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	573	(NA)
$1,000	24 435	8 537
Grains ... farms	521	466
$1,000	11 743	2 599
Tobacco ... farms	349	461
$1,000	9 417	4 639
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	144	388
$1,000	3 143	1 111
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	24	35
$1,000	62	67
Other field crops ... farms	14	15
$1,000	30	70
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	21	20
$1,000	(D)	37
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	2	12
$1,000	(D)	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	265	347
$1,000	5 455	4 017
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	32	27
$1,000	3 061	1 992
Dairy products ... farms	6	4
$1,000	310	240
Cattle and calves ... farms	87	(NA)
$1,000	487	555
Hogs and pigs ... farms	215	(NA)
$1,000	1 595	1 230
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	3	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	197	(NA)	96	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	169	(NA)	127	(NA)
$1,000	352	(NA)	315	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	59	122	42	76
$1,000	132	108	120	87
Recreational services ... farms	10	34	4	17
$1,000	5	25	2	20
Government farm programs ... farms	32	769	28	416
$1,000	30	2 197	29	2 001
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	97	(NA)	72	(NA)
$1,000	150	(NA)	131	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	11	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	35	(NA)	34	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	47	(NA)	33	(NA)
$1,000	91	(NA)	84	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	292
$1,000	2 368
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	63
$1,000	454
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	227
$1,000	1 751
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	55
$1,000	65
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	29
$1,000	54
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	44

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	775	1 257	591	599
$1,000	21 301	12 592	21 121	11 986
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	166	454	33	68
$1,000 to $1,999	100	218	63	
$2,000 to $2,999	55	110	51	70
$3,000 to $4,999	92	127	88	114
$5,000 to $9,999	94	109	88	108
$10,000 to $19,999	76		76	108
$20,000 to $39,999	81	239	81	56
$40,000 to $59,999	28		28	75
$60,000 and over	83		83	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	157	231	128	161
$1,000	1 220	917	1 213	908
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	320	590	225	291
$1,000	2 921	1 712	2 898	1 668
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	239	416	180	247
$1,000	2 779	1 499	2 770	1 476
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	55	52
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	84
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	66	127
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	26
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	13
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	88	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	492	1 084	425	555
$1,000	610	296	605	262
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	683	1 185	548	581
$1,000	3 404	1 923	3 380	1 794
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	413	(NA)	362	(NA)
$1,000	1 997	882	1 993	844
Lime ... farms	(NA)	131	90	103
$1,000	(NA)	54	131	51
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	718	1 154	566	599
$1,000	1 589	1 078	1 560	969
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	507	574
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	555	473
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	279	239
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	467	194
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	118	217
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	204	115
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	566	597
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	334	186
Hired farm labor ... farms	386	826	320	503
$1,000	2 186	1 792	2 156	1 718
Contract labor ... farms	27	691	22	28
$1,000	94	400	93	88
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	370		304	369
$1,000	434		412	269
All other production expenses ... farms	713	1 024	590	596
$1,000	6 847	3 591	6 786	3 466

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	714	1 122	543	581
$1,000	14 873	9 272	13 585	7 749
Average per farm—dollars	20 831	8 263	25 018	13 337
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	178	1	237
$1,000 to $4,999	156	530	106	
$5,000 to $9,999	201	185	108	144
$10,000 to $19,999	129	103	111	79
$20,000 to $29,999	88	126	88	46
$30,000 to $49,999	60		58	34
$50,000 to $69,999	32		30	41
$70,000 and over	41		41	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	592	838	449	447
number	802	1 092	641	636
mfd in last 5 years, number	444	665	413	429
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	574	698	448	456
number	920	965	789	709
mfd in last 5 years, number	392	560	376	421
Wheel tractors—farms	593	798	465	508
number	1 310	1 571	1 161	1 195
mfd in last 5 years, number	434	709	414	596
Crawler tractors—farms	13		13	10
number	15		15	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	138	159	133	152
number	166	186	159	179
mfd in last 5 years, number	92	128	86	124
Corn heads for combines—farms	104	126	102	97
number	116	147	114	111
mfd in last 5 years, number	62	106	60	89
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	29		27	29
number	29		27	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		–	16
Mower conditioners—farms	21	(NA)	17	(NA)
number	25	(NA)	19	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	4	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	24	45	23	42
number	25	47	24	43
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	19	10	16
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	7	(NA)	6	24
number	7	(NA)	6	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	8
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	5	(NA)	5	6
number	7	(NA)	7	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	409	(X)	307	(X)	337	(X)	265	(X)	5 455
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	376	(X)	282	(X)	317	(X)	250	(X)	2 081
1969	724	(X)	350	(X)	601	(X)	338	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	180	4 456	142	4 146	106	1 945	87	1 856	487
1969	317	5 814	178	5 299	191	3 127	131	2 966	555
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	82	181	59	137	44	111	31	80	11
5 to 9—1974	14	98	14	98	26	173	22	139	18
10 to 19—1974	39	515	30	393	19	233	17	209	33
20 to 49—1974	27	784	21	640	10	287	10	287	49
50 to 99—1974	8	554	8	554	4	242	4	242	28
100 to 199—1974	4	540	4	540	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	148	2 258	125	2 145	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	268	2 297	156	2 057	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	97	1 648	85	1 551	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 719	109	1 566	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	63	610	51	594	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	131	578	64	491	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	310
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	240

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	97	1 648	85	1 551			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	38	85	36	80			
5 to 9	17	119	13	91			
10 to 19	20	239	14	175			
20 to 49	15	420	15	420			
50 to 99	4	265	4	265			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	63	610	51	594			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	51	68	39	52			
3 or 4	5	15	5	15			
5 to 9	1	7	1	7			
10 to 19	1	10	1	10			
20 to 49	2	60	2	60			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					60	1 370	436
Farms with—							
1 to 4					30	55	10
5 to 9					10	66	13
10 to 19					12	150	34
20 to 49					3	76	14
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					69	486	50
Farms with—							
1 or 2					23	35	4
3 or 4					12	41	5
5 to 9					17	102	10
10 to 19					10	123	14
20 to 49					7	185	17
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	73	1 068
	1969	103	1 618
Beef heifers	1974	65	883
Milk heifers	1974	14	185
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	81	933
	1969	118	1 624

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	957	360
	1969	14	1 212	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	9	19	3
10 to 19	1974	3	39	9
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	316	13 084	235	12 274	270	26 972	215	26 330	1 595
	1969	650	24 427	311	21 295	540	33 458	298	30 532	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	56	147	29	73	26	76	11	33	2
5 to 9	1974	63	453	40	293	37	270	23	178	9
10 to 24	1974	112	1 742	88	1 398	104	1 597	86	1 322	79
25 to 49	1974	52	1 831	45	1 599	44	1 492	36	1 260	74
50 to 99	1974	16	1 080	16	1 080	27	1 660	27	1 660	99
100 to 199	1974	7	1 039	7	1 039	18	2 610	18	2 610	177
200 to 499	1974	6	1 775	6	1 775	5	1 736	5	1 736	94
500 and over	1974	4	5 017	4	5 017	9	17 531	9	17 531	1 060
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	57	7 013	41	6 844	203
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	163	6 304	78	5 295	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	3	1	3	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	13	1	1	3	31	2	24	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	20	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	26	74	22	70	1	5	1	5	2
	1969	76	184	(NA)	(NA)	7	23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	166	1 562
	1969	256	3 289
Other hogs and pigs	1974	219	10 712
	1969	285	18 006
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	1
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	1
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	236	2 770	179	2 605
	1969	539	4 648	267	3 948
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	210	1 554	165	1 467
	1969	460	2 299	243	1 888
June 1 and November 30	1974	172	1 216	128	1 138
	1969	391	2 349	213	2 060

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	129	(X)	88	(X)	27	(X)	24	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	114	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	113	272 350	76	271 745	17	163 807	14	163 784
	1969	285	206 278	108	202 668	11	79 741	9	79 723
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	104	253 049	73	252 693	16	145 575	13	145 552
	1969	268	204 203	97	201 486	11	79 741	9	79 723
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	88	2 181	57	1 825	3	23	–	–
100 to 399	1974	5	966	5	966	4	820	4	820
400 to 1,599	1974	2	820	2	820	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	16 128	3	16 128
10,000 to 19,999	1974	5	53 800	5	53 800	4	(D)	4	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	25	344 871	17	344 731	10	1 030 800	10	1 030 800
	1969	33	178 489	11	178 202	6	999 000	6	999 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	35	3 061	32	3 061
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	27	1 992

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	73	252 693	13	145 552
	1969	97	201 486	9	79 723
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	70	221 258	12	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	22	31 435	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	8	16 061	1	(D)
	1969	19	797	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	39	2 991	2	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	35	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	3	8	1	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	547	826	26 461	26 813	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	6	466	279	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	565	611	59 186	35 529	1 285 746	768 242
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	10	11	31	676	31 681	569 790
Wheat (bushels)	80	59	6 509	1 951	154 846	81 372
Other small grains for grain	50	117	688	1 823	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	171	818	12 834	19 099	13 943	11 755
Tobacco (pounds)	400	702	4 595	4 519	9 526 191	7 136 665
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	17	(NA)	2 505	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	40	(NA)	25	(NA)	4 086	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	60	156	946	1 337	1 722	2 543
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	25	64	57	269	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	13	19	67	154	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	13	419	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	430	427	25 067	23 884	1 712 541	1 149 668	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	13	17	511	387	7 369	7 251	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	13	23	265	322	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	4	310	273	11 150	7 038	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	136	6	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	–	4	–	4	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	152	4 488	(X)	–	–	23	714	19	119	8	35
	1969	211	7 134	(X)	–	–	65	1 547	60	372	21	204
Improved pasture	1974	20	1 222	(X)	–	–	6	385	6	82	2	35
	1969	10	263	(X)	–	–	5	69	5	11	3	3
Corn for all purposes	1974	438	25 843	(X)	–	–	327	21 022	309	4 964	146	1 858
	1969	444	24 593	(X)	–	–	354	21 293	338	5 613	172	2 540
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	446	(X)	–	–	4	435	3	50	4	88
	1969	6	279	(X)	–	–	5	79	2	10	3	6
Wheat (bushels)	1974	80	6 509	154 846	–	–	66	5 153	61	930	33	347
	1969	47	1 897	80 053	–	–	44	1 832	(NA)	354	(NA)	104
Oats (bushels)	1974	27	409	23 895	–	–	25	400	21	96	9	23
	1969	64	1 423	61 219	–	–	48	1 164	(NA)	207	(NA)	70
Barley (bushels)	1974	3	57	1 115	–	–	3	57	3	17	3	5
	1969	1	150	5 000	–	–	1	150	(NA)	30	(NA)	15
Rye (bushels)	1974	12	201	3 859	–	–	8	187	7	41	3	3
	1969	7	78	2 630	–	–	4	37	(NA)	5	(NA)	3
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	3	(X)	–	–	1	3	1	(Z)	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	487	58 514	1 274 356	2	16	293	43 330	273	5 890	23	536
	1969	376	33 009	725 570	–	–	282	23 416	(NA)	3 677	(NA)	180
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	11	12 681	–	–	3	10	3	2	–	–
	1969	5	668	563 830	–	–	4	667	(NA)	116	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	55	927	1 701	–	–	28	382	23	79	16	87
	1969	78	1 049	2 216	–	–	33	303	29	63	12	47
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	67	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	147	12 742	13 882	2	14	130	12 621	128	3 328	39	788
	1969	403	16 837	10 539	–	–	370	16 693	(NA)	5 235	(NA)	1 256
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	349	4 551	9 472 216	3	114	349	4 548	347	4 386	9	27
	1969	461	4 283	6 845 965	25	358	461	3 981	(NA)	4 006	(NA)	9
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	16	2 433	–	–	2	12	2	10	2	3
	1969	10	15	1 571	–	–	9	20	(NA)	20	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	25	57	(X)	2	4	18	48	18	37	–	–
	1969	24	197	(X)	–	–	17	153	17	66	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	55	(X)	–	–	2	38	2	7	–	–
	1969	16	149	(X)	–	–	9	61	9	11	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	8	(X)	2	3	2	3	2	4	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	18	23	(X)	–	–	6	10	8	3	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	554	584
$1,000	5 373	2 638
Commercial fertilizer — farms	548	574
acres on which used	89 428	71 590
tons	23 911	24 265
$1,000	3 380	1 794
Lime — farms	90	103
acres on which used	10 143	7 871
tons	10 325	7 861
$1,000	131	51
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	3	3
acres on which used	46	123
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops — farms	271	450
acres on which used	63 649	40 269
$1,000	1 133	496
Nematodes in crops — farms	100	102
acres on which used	17 159	3 121
$1,000	137	23

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	7	6
acres on which used	862	1 009
$1,000	18	18
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	175	247
acres on which used	51 651	37 517
$1,000	485	209
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	1	4
acres on which used	400	47
$1,000	4	(Z)
Weeds on all other land — farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	10	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	47	157
acres on which used	5 909	9 164
$1,000	31	37
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	17	50
$1,000	5	6
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	76	(NA)
$1,000	49	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	9	25
Proportion of farms — percent	1.5	4.1
Total land irrigated — acres	150	361
Average per farm — acres	16.7	14.4
Cropland irrigated — farms	9	25
acres	150	361
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	9	25
acres	150	361
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	163	135
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	1.1	0.4
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	6	(NA)
acres	36	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	5	(NA)
acres	118	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	3 320	15 688
Cropland — acres	2 817	8 889
Harvested cropland — acres	2 763	6 793
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	10	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	246	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	92	204
Proportion of farms — percent	15.6	34.0
Land in farms with drainage — acres	57 436	100 855
Land drained — acres	34 571	49 955
Average per farm — acres	375.8	244.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	72	(NA)
number	196	(NA)
acres	629	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	178	128	98
$1,000	9 468	6 517	2 950
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	34	25	21
$5,000 to $9,999	23	15	18
$10,000 to $29,999	55	36	30
$30,000 to $49,999	17	15	11
$50,000 and over	49	37	18

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	127	188	378	481	1 314	1 718
25 to 149 days	116	441	709	3 567	638	
Less than 25 days	195		2 076		204	
Total contract labor	22	28	(NA)	(NA)	93	88
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	50	(NA)	34	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	320	127	116	195
Cash wages paid $1,000	2 156	1 314	638	204
Number of workers	3 163	378	709	2 076
Farms with —				
1 worker	59	43	42	34
2 workers	31	31	16	11
3 or 4 workers	49	32	20	24
5 to 9 workers	71	15	18	43
10 workers and over	110	6	20	83

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	748	1 036	451	361
Land in farms — acres	256 581	258 715	215 540	204 060
Average size of farm — acres	343	250	478	565
Approximate land area — acres	671 360	671 360	671 360	671 360
Proportion in farms — percent	38.2	38.5	32.1	30.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	81 881	51 616	66 271	38 005
Average per farm — dollars	109 467	49 822	146 943	105 275
Average per acre — dollars	319	200	307	186
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	33	56	4	5
10 to 49 acres	190	295	68	33
50 to 69 acres	72	117	33	16
70 to 99 acres	87	117	48	36
100 to 139 acres	66	107	51	39
140 to 179 acres	60	80	47	28
180 to 219 acres	49	43	36	22
220 to 259 acres	33	32	31	19
260 to 499 acres	70	101	61	82
500 to 999 acres	45	53	35	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	17	16	15
2,000 acres and over	26	18	21	18

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	128	(NA)
acres	5 739	13 642
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	35	57
acres	1 715	2 538
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	31	36
acres	511	1 236
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	25	23
acres	1 299	1 284
Cropland idle — farms	52	145
acres	2 214	8 584
Total woodland — farms	329	305
acres	111 585	114 399
Woodland pastured — farms	149	128
acres	39 407	35 845

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	734	976	445	355
acres	76 749	83 171	68 331	63 809
Harvested cropland — farms	680	823	435	335
acres	53 197	45 954	50 438	39 282
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	126	250	20	
10 to 19 acres	157	178	51	142
20 to 29 acres	85	114	55	
30 to 49 acres	93	80	90	
50 to 99 acres	105	96	105	88
100 to 199 acres	49	53	49	53
200 to 499 acres	42	40	42	40
500 to 999 acres	17	7	17	7
1,000 acres and over	6	5	6	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	372	501	218	181
acres	16 091	14 987	12 154	10 885
Other cropland (see text) — farms	211	587	128	(NA)
acres	7 461	22 230	5 739	13 642
Total woodland — farms	523	778	329	305
acres	135 858	143 562	111 585	114 399
Other land (see text) — farms	483	587	292	(NA)
acres	43 974	31 982	35 624	25 852
Irrigated land — farms	3	13	1	13
acres	44	1 329	30	1 329

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	259	235
acres	72 178	78 554
Other land — farms	292	(NA)
acres	35 624	25 852
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	92	57
acres	12 050	13 944
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	62	36
acres	7 028	4 930
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	36	34
acres	5 022	9 014
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	270	194
acres	23 574	11 908

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	748	1 036	451	361
Land in farms — acres	256 581	258 715	215 540	204 060
Harvested cropland — acres	53 197	45 954	50 438	39 282
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	470	718	238	185
Land in farms — acres	174 626	169 178	136 922	124 916
Harvested cropland — acres	19 352	18 779	17 340	14 045
Part owners — number	238	251	186	153
Land in farms — acres	76 662	73 100	74 106	64 567
Harvested cropland — acres	30 850	23 361	30 256	21 813
Tenants — number	40	67	27	23
Land in farms — acres	5 293	16 437	4 512	14 577
Harvested cropland — acres	2 995	3 814	2 842	3 424
Percent of tenancy	5.3	6.4	6.0	6.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	82	277	38	32
Land in farms — acres	4 775	16 904	3 263	7 067
Harvested cropland — acres	1 713	3 940	1 457	2 051
Full owners — number	51	193	16	13
Land in farms — acres	2 323	9 445	1 082	1 732
Harvested cropland — acres	746	1 679	552	455
Part owners — number	28	57	20	13
Land in farms — acres	2 287	6 142	2 027	4 483
Harvested cropland — acres	811	1 894	751	1 386
Tenants — number	3	27	2	6
Land in farms — acres	165	1 317	154	852
Harvested cropland — acres	156	367	154	210
Percent of tenancy	3.7	9.7	5.3	18.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	424	325
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	168 221	147 298

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	23	30
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	22 442	29 889
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	25 973
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	900
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	10	17	10	7
25 to 34 years	87	75	39	36
35 to 44 years	83	140	55	61
45 to 54 years	193	263	140	91
55 to 64 years	203	284	115	104
65 years and over	168	257	88	62
Average age	53.1	54.9	52.5	51.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	446	751	281	268
On another farm	23		12	
In a rural area, not on a farm	40	199	25	65
In a city, town, or urban area	54		27	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	241	(NA)	158	(NA)
1 to 49 days	47	69	16	26
50 to 99 days	22	40	12	12
100 to 149 days	8	96	5	19
150 to 199 days	43		23	
200 days and over	274	389	143	104
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	386	(NA)	281	(NA)
Other	358	(NA)	166	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	22	31	22	31
$40,000 to $99,999	48		48	
$20,000 to $39,999	39	38	39	38
$10,000 to $19,999	105	56	105	56
$5,000 to $9,999	110	107	110	107
$2,500 to $4,999	126	120	126	120
Under $2,500 (see text)	298	684	1	9
$2,000 to $2,499	42	47	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	75	74	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	47	97	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	134	466	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	10 949	6 985	10 613	6 467
Average per farm ... dollars	14 637	6 742	23 532	17 915
Crops, including hay ... farms	585	651	399	(NA)
$1,000	6 838	2 423	6 634	2 069
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		1	4
$1,000	(D)		(D)	100
Forest products ... farms	83	69	70	46
$1,000	(D)	229	(D)	220
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	475	707	307	297
$1,000	3 609	4 333	3 482	4 079
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	31	(NA)	25	21
$1,000	1 551	(NA)	1 551	1 423

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	399	(NA)
$1,000	6 634	2 069
Grains ... farms	378	247
$1,000	5 596	1 297
Tobacco ... farms	62	89
$1,000	778	353
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	4	19
$1,000	53	64
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	40	27
$1,000	86	49
Other field crops ... farms	9	8
$1,000	13	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	11	17
$1,000	106	296
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	1
$1,000	1	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	307	297
$1,000	3 482	4 079
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	25	21
$1,000	1 551	1 423
Dairy products ... farms	2	7
$1,000	(D)	512
Cattle and calves ... farms	202	(NA)
$1,000	678	1 020
Hogs and pigs ... farms	173	(NA)
$1,000	1 192	1 124
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	334	(NA)	126	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	184	(NA)	111	(NA)
$1,000	314	(NA)	225	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	40	62	29	37
$1,000	205	83	143	73
Recreational services ... farms	7	13	7	8
$1,000	4	49	4	47
Government farm programs ... farms	85	496	56	199
$1,000	53	516	39	374
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	89	(NA)	45	(NA)
$1,000	48	(NA)	35	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	8	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	67	(NA)	43	(NA)
$1,000	143	(NA)	92	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	261
$1,000	3 142
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	62
$1,000	721
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	176
$1,000	1 894
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	85
$1,000	375
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	45
$1,000	135
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	18

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	745	1 036	451	361
$1,000	8 938	6 506	8 572	5 960
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	187	469	26	40
$1,000 to $1,999	138	206	48	
$2,000 to $2,999	66	60	43	35
$3,000 to $4,999	99	99	84	84
$5,000 to $9,999	93	92	88	92
$10,000 to $19,999	72	110	72	52
$20,000 to $39,999	39		39	26
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	32
$60,000 and over	35		35	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	237	334	138	163
$1,000	500	807	478	775
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	476	678	271	279
$1,000	1 720	1 642	1 650	1 552
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	370	452	229	217
$1,000	1 467	1 395	1 434	1 348
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	111	95
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	143	84
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	55	69
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	62	110
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	9
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	153	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	491	707	367	308
$1,000	355	158	341	132
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	625	880	381	326
$1,000	1 935	1 013	1 847	885
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	280	(NA)	223	(NA)
$1,000	410	167	405	151
Lime ... farms	(NA)	202	65	132
$1,000	(NA)	61	70	55
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	709	940	428	357
$1,000	644	456	585	368
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	402	333
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	298	212
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	216	140
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	177	86
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	63
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	21
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	428	357
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	49
Hired farm labor ... farms	197	409	149	229
$1,000	687	673	670	639
Contract labor ... farms	24	467	17	20
$1,000	42	242	41	62
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	310		234	206
$1,000	205		190	137
All other production expenses ... farms	657	773	451	359
$1,000	2 439	1 348	2 318	1 258

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	681	915	398	354
$1,000	9 851	6 348	7 783	4 491
Average per farm—dollars	14 465	6 937	19 556	12 687
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	123	6	120
$1,000 to $4,999	167	447	84	
$5,000 to $9,999	247	175	93	90
$10,000 to $19,999	111	96	83	79
$20,000 to $29,999	64	74	53	28
$30,000 to $49,999	48		45	21
$50,000 to $69,999	16		16	16
$70,000 and over	18		18	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	514	657	285	260
number	657	837	384	337
mfd in last 5 years, number	277	564	207	241
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	545	590	331	299
number	807	799	585	488
mfd in last 5 years, number	271	438	234	286
Wheel tractors—farms	582	655	356	311
number	951	999	688	577
mfd in last 5 years, number	226	425	201	290
Crawler tractors—farms	28		26	18
number	32		30	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	106	76	99	67
number	123	92	114	83
mfd in last 5 years, number	49	61	47	58
Corn heads for combines—farms	95	111	88	46
number	104	130	95	53
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	73	39	43
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	75		65	55
number	77		67	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	14		14	24
Mower conditioners—farms	63	(NA)	51	(NA)
number	70	(NA)	54	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	16	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	85	77	68	58
number	93	80	70	61
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	47	19	37
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	39	(NA)	35	32
number	43	(NA)	35	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	9	18
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	15	(NA)	15	15
number	17	(NA)	17	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	12

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	523	(X)	319	(X)	475	(X)	307	(X)	3 482
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	478	(X)	294	(X)	442	(X)	291	(X)	1 871
1969	745	(X)	280	(X)	688	(X)	285	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	351	13 890	224	12 277	283	4 418	202	3 960	678
1969	524	15 243	211	12 632	417	8 358	200	7 339	1 020
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	46	118	20	46	88	218	44	103	19
5 to 9—1974	58	380	15	107	75	494	50	328	43
10 to 19—1974	75	1 047	41	584	56	714	47	597	92
20 to 49—1974	107	3 284	84	2 534	40	1 180	37	1 120	179
50 to 99—1974	34	2 380	33	2 325	19	1 132	19	1 132	194
100 to 199—1974	23	3 154	23	3 154	5	680	5	680	152
200 to 499—1974	7	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	287	7 236	201	6 476	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	435	7 331	190	6 056	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	267	7 068	188	6 356	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 499	165	5 325	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	63	168	35	120	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	102	832	47	731	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	512

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	267	7 068	188	6 356			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	37	101	14	40			
5 to 9	67	460	34	247			
10 to 19	66	879	51	666			
20 to 49	59	1 660	51	1 435			
50 to 99	26	1 780	26	1 780			
100 to 199	10	(D)	10	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	63	168	35	120			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	45	59	23	29			
3 or 4	11	35	5	17			
5 to 9	5	32	5	32			
10 to 19	1	15	1	15			
20 to 49	1	27	1	27			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					142	2 133	479
Farms with—							
1 to 4					51	130	26
5 to 9					36	221	42
10 to 19					27	344	70
20 to 49					15	399	84
50 to 99					11	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					144	1 827	199
Farms with—							
1 or 2					36	45	5
3 or 4					19	67	9
5 to 9					30	203	19
10 to 19					29	384	41
20 to 49					23	709	77
50 to 99					7	419	49
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	147	2 748
	1969	163	3 424
Beef heifers	1974	142	2 720
Milk heifers	1974	9	28
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	174	3 053
	1969	184	3 152

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	33	749	183
	1969	19	1 230	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	16	72	16
10 to 19	1974	6	70	22
20 to 49	1974	5	132	30
50 to 99	1974	5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	293	14 968	172	13 462	275	21 395	173	19 987	1 192
	1969	519	23 776	203	19 195	503	30 921	214	26 495	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	43	100	16	44	23	61	3	10	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	56	373	14	103	31	221	13	89	6
10 to 24	1974	77	1 101	44	614	91	1 422	39	635	38
25 to 49	1974	56	1 892	42	1 455	48	1 598	39	1 318	76
50 to 99	1974	30	1 877	25	1 621	35	2 465	32	2 307	141
100 to 199	1974	18	2 314	18	2 314	26	3 362	26	3 362	209
200 to 499	1974	6	2 211	6	2 211	14	4 818	14	4 818	296
500 and over	1974	7	5 100	7	5 100	7	7 448	7	7 448	425
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	67	4 637	42	4 385	98
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	128	3 655	37	2 167	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	9	1	9	1	2	1	2	(NA)
	1969	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	9	[1]55
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	33	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	119	338	66	221	7	16	6	15	23
	1969	186	566	(NA)	(NA)	16	75	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	131	1 343
	1969	168	2 394
Other hogs and pigs	1974	168	12 119
	1969	191	16 801
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	4
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	4
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	234	2 709	139	2 459
	1969	437	3 961	175	3 142
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	193	1 490	120	1 344
	1969	399	2 112	169	1 601
June 1 and November 30	1974	174	1 219	120	1 115
	1969	321	1 849	157	1 541

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	150	(X)	75	(X)	23	(X)	21	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	65	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	149	152 345	74	150 588	23	146 802	21	146 772
	1969	215	148 976	63	145 981	24	160 687	18	160 449
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	145	144 198	74	142 741	23	139 066	21	139 036
	1969	200	143 078	58	140 468	24	159 793	18	159 599
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	126	2 570	55	1 113	6	188	4	158
100 to 399	1974	2	400	2	400	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	6	3 900	6	3 900	6	3 304	6	3 304
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	7	45 830	7	45 830
10,000 to 19,999	1974	10	(D)	10	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	13	393	2	300	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	39	1	5	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	31	1 551	25	1 551
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	1 423

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	74	142 741	21	139 036
	1969	58	140 468	18	159 599
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	70	89 813	18	61 668
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	52 928	4	77 368
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	2 400	–	–
	1969	6	4 368	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	25	5 447	4	7 736
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	11	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	3	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	10	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	515	619	21 112	19 389	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	11	7	110	208	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	390	336	28 418	17 699	563 555	401 746
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	12	7	88	16	74 250	11 640
Wheat (bushels)	12	30	913	656	19 710	19 386
Other small grains for grain	36	70	905	2 805	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	4	50	189	923	260	707
Tobacco (pounds)	76	171	433	447	809 491	609 153
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	2	(NA)	158	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	19	(NA)	8	(NA)	1 055	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	161	149	2 954	3 208	6 851	6 762
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	20	41	493	632	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	10	21	58	72	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	38	562	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	344	260	18 778	14 884	1 243 739	690 543	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	12	10	554	643	5 684	7 595	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	18	24	291	365	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	1	12	45	900	1 800	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	74	160	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	127	6	508	8	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	218	12 154	(X)	–	–	71	2 440	57	630	33	228
	1969	181	10 885	(X)	3	614	122	5 872	105	1 387	48	289
Improved pasture	1974	62	7 028	(X)	–	–	20	1 220	16	241	6	96
	1969	36	4 930	(X)	–	–	10	904	7	132	3	10
Corn for all purposes	1974	347	19 623	(X)	–	–	264	16 042	217	3 812	164	1 909
	1969	267	15 892	(X)	–	–	227	14 281	197	3 855	139	1 772
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	86	(X)	–	–	5	86	5	21	1	2
	1969	4	205	(X)	–	–	4	205	3	37	4	48
Wheat (bushels)	1974	12	913	19 710	–	–	10	807	6	104	10	95
	1969	21	567	16 350	–	–	16	385	(NA)	73	(NA)	36
Oats (bushels)	1974	26	597	29 554	–	–	17	417	13	86	11	46
	1969	38	1 066	35 449	–	–	28	688	(NA)	133	(NA)	20
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	69	3 500	–	–	1	69	(NA)	14	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	14	290	5 685	–	–	11	235	7	37	9	30
	1969	32	1 597	41 564	–	–	25	1 125	(NA)	261	(NA)	65
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	311	27 590	551 036	–	–	171	20 338	144	2 999	28	656
	1969	185	15 393	355 227	1	4	148	12 680	(NA)	2 251	(NA)	240
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	10	86	71 125	–	–	5	68	4	23	3	3
	1969	2	7	3 500	–	–	1	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	116	2 537	5 936	–	–	60	1 646	45	340	36	240
	1969	89	2 805	6 174	2	206	47	1 287	37	317	22	110
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	4	189	260	–	–	4	189	4	72	2	5
	1969	20	810	635	–	–	19	798	(NA)	245	(NA)	92
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	62	418	793 448	–	–	62	418	62	397	3	8
	1969	89	354	505 208	3	32	89	353	(NA)	346	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	1	52	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	11	571	–	–	1	11	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	12	477	(X)	–	–	6	412	6	229	–	–
	1969	18	603	(X)	2	406	13	562	13	287	2	121
Land in orchards	1974	4	46	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	13	47	(X)	–	–	7	26	7	5	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	30	(X)	1	30	1	30	1	20	–	–
1969	4	69	(X)	3	68	3	68	3	53	1	1
Other crops 1974	7	12	(X)	1	1	1	1	2	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	390	337
$1,000	2 253	1 037
Commercial fertilizer—farms	381	318
acres on which used	44 476	39 440
tons	12 352	12 229
$1,000	1 847	885
Lime—farms	65	132
acres on which used	5 492	7 349
tons	5 603	7 065
$1,000	70	55
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	5	2
acres on which used	264	23
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	91	122
acres on which used	15 724	7 541
$1,000	134	42
Nematodes in crops—farms	14	18
acres on which used	296	587
$1,000	5	5

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	5
acres on which used	–	585
$1,000	–	6
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	107	88
acres on which used	19 318	6 509
$1,000	169	34
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	8
acres on which used	75	246
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	6	(NA)
acres on which used	60	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	4	14
acres on which used	114	783
$1,000	2	4
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	18	54
$1,000	2	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	64	(NA)
$1,000	23	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	13
Proportion of farms—percent	0.2	3.6
Total land irrigated—acres	30	1 329
Average per farm—acres	30.0	102.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	13
acres	30	1 329
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	11
acres	30	715
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	3
acres	–	614
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	25	974
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	11	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	19	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	300	12 829
Cropland—acres	50	4 820
Harvested cropland—acres	30	3 130
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	3	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	76	141
Proportion of farms—percent	16.9	39.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	70 700	108 830
Land drained—acres	19 508	31 137
Average per farm—acres	256.7	220.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	50	(NA)
number	90	(NA)
acres	166	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	154	114	77
$1,000	4 337	3 681	656
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	48	26	44
$5,000 to $9,999	16	18	14
$10,000 to $29,999	43	29	14
$30,000 to $49,999	15	17	1
$50,000 and over	32	24	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	45	72	120	180	521	
25 to 149 days	34	205	138	1 188	89	639
Less than 25 days	107		567		60	
Total contract labor	17	20	(NA)	(NA)	41	62
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	61	(NA)	22	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	149	45	34	107
Cash wages paid—$1,000	670	521	89	60
Number of workers	825	120	138	567
Farms with—				
1 worker	42	17	13	30
2 workers	21	14	4	16
3 or 4 workers	30	10	11	16
5 to 9 workers	23	2	1	22
10 workers and over	33	2	5	23

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	772	1 204	658	821
Land in farms — acres	215 709	218 310	207 234	199 946
Average size of farm — acres	279	181	315	244
Approximate land area — acres	347 520	347 520	347 520	347 520
Proportion in farms — percent	62.1	62.8	59.6	57.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	96 699	70 540	92 018	64 399
Average per farm — dollars	125 257	58 587	139 845	78 439
Average per acre — dollars	448	323	444	322
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	54	97	26	37
10 to 49 acres	130	346	92	146
50 to 69 acres	76	116	55	69
70 to 99 acres	77	123	68	88
100 to 139 acres	114	149	101	121
140 to 179 acres	50	68	50	65
180 to 219 acres	46	51	46	49
220 to 259 acres	29	43	28	43
260 to 499 acres	84	109	82	104
500 to 999 acres	70	71	70	68
1,000 to 1,999 acres	35	24	33	24
2,000 acres and over	7	7	7	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	761	1 172	650	813
acres	125 221	132 635	123 381	124 313
Harvested cropland — farms	749	1 138	647	809
acres	109 948	100 746	108 901	96 073
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	101	208	43	
10 to 19 acres	60	183	34	369
20 to 29 acres	69	137	56	
30 to 49 acres	108	161	103	
50 to 99 acres	141	202	141	193
100 to 199 acres	116	119	116	119
200 to 499 acres	99	89	99	89
500 to 999 acres	43	36	43	36
1,000 acres and over	12	3	12	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	186	302	152	222
acres	6 818	8 762	6 294	7 504
Other cropland (see text) — farms	203	595	181	(NA)
acres	8 455	23 127	8 186	20 736
Total woodland — farms	464	733	398	545
acres	76 267	73 776	70 344	66 469
Other land (see text) — farms	462	800	401	(NA)
acres	14 221	11 899	13 509	9 164
Irrigated land — farms	27	30	21	28
acres	277	286	235	284

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	181	(NA)
acres	8 186	20 736
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	18	61
acres	226	4 915
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	35	45
acres	576	712
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	33
acres	1 051	1 193
Cropland idle — farms	125	384
acres	6 333	13 916
Total woodland — farms	398	545
acres	70 344	66 469
Woodland pastured — farms	110	146
acres	5 003	11 933
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	336	440
acres	65 341	54 536
Other land — farms	401	(NA)
acres	13 509	9 164
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	68	52
acres	7 080	1 505
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	38	30
acres	1 894	938
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	31	25
acres	5 186	567
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	391	535
acres	6 429	7 659

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	772	1 204	658	821
Land in farms — acres	215 709	218 310	207 234	199 946
Harvested cropland — acres	109 948	100 746	108 901	96 073
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	345	537	254	279
Land in farms — acres	76 315	75 922	68 421	62 255
Harvested cropland — acres	22 138	24 716	21 241	21 573
Part owners — number	306	371	298	323
Land in farms — acres	121 403	121 638	121 017	119 256
Harvested cropland — acres	73 980	62 362	73 920	61 653
Tenants — number	121	296	106	219
Land in farms — acres	17 991	20 750	17 796	18 435
Harvested cropland — acres	13 830	13 668	13 740	12 847
Percent of tenancy	15.7	24.5	16.1	26.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	129	348	96	194
Land in farms — acres	7 475	18 258	6 679	13 290
Harvested cropland — acres	4 161	8 907	3 996	7 626
Full owners — number	66	124	43	35
Land in farms — acres	3 128	6 636	2 583	3 537
Harvested cropland — acres	1 227	1 939	1 104	1 235
Part owners — number	40	68	36	46
Land in farms — acres	3 577	6 837	3 401	5 691
Harvested cropland — acres	2 326	3 600	2 320	3 398
Tenants — number	23	156	17	113
Land in farms — acres	770	4 785	695	4 062
Harvested cropland — acres	608	3 368	572	2 993
Percent of tenancy	17.8	44.8	17.7	58.2
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	581	708
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	162 671	152 061

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	66	82
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	26 461	28 418
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	26
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	19 097
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	370
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	17	22	16	11
25 to 34 years	88	112	73	87
35 to 44 years	112	194	99	141
45 to 54 years	178	332	144	230
55 to 64 years	223	374	195	253
65 years and over	143	170	120	99
Average age	52.2	51.6	52.3	50.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	422	836	374	622
On another farm	50		44	
In a rural area, not on a farm	36	234	20	135
In a city, town, or urban area	73		60	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	297	(NA)	275	(NA)
1 to 49 days	26	71	19	49
50 to 99 days	16	54	12	39
100 to 149 days	20	102	13	45
150 to 199 days	30		24	
200 days and over	207	350	152	176
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	533	(NA)	493	(NA)
Other	228	(NA)	154	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	20	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	100	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	77	94	77	94
$40,000 to $99,999	109		109	
$20,000 to $39,999	124	110	124	110
$10,000 to $19,999	127	163	127	163
$5,000 to $9,999	144	231	144	231
$2,500 to $4,999	74	213	74	213
Under $2,500 (see text)	117	393	3	10
$2,000 to $2,499	20	74	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	22	77	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	27	72	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	48	170	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	31 713	16 768	31 575	16 314
Average per farm ... dollars	41 079	13 927	47 987	19 871
Crops, including hay ... farms	723	1 126	642	(NA)
$1,000	25 902	12 341	25 802	11 948
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	1
$1,000	(D)		(D)	6
Forest products ... farms	26	106	26	98
$1,000	(D)	333	(D)	331
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	288	419	242	327
$1,000	5 553	4 094	5 514	4 030
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	29	(NA)	21	35
$1,000	3 280	(NA)	3 279	2 291

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	642	(NA)
$1,000	25 802	11 948
Grains ... farms	581	671
$1,000	9 717	3 395
Tobacco ... farms	439	696
$1,000	12 137	6 739
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	259	530
$1,000	3 547	1 526
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	24	40
$1,000	53	112
Other field crops ... farms	40	62
$1,000	267	111
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	25	36
$1,000	75	58
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	7
$1,000	7	7
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	242	327
$1,000	5 514	4 030
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	21	35
$1,000	3 279	2 291
Dairy products ... farms	7	15
$1,000	595	673
Cattle and calves ... farms	138	(NA)
$1,000	763	501
Hogs and pigs ... farms	134	(NA)
$1,000	877	566
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	207	(NA)	124	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	250	(NA)	205	(NA)
$1,000	709	(NA)	656	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	81	109	76	87
$1,000	307	188	302	176
Recreational services ... farms	2	6	2	5
$1,000	8	8	8	8
Government farm programs ... farms	80	704	78	528
$1,000	88	1 914	86	1 801
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	134	(NA)	96	(NA)
$1,000	293	(NA)	246	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	13	(NA)	13	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	66	(NA)	60	(NA)
$1,000	237	(NA)	214	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	339
$1,000	3 993
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	60
$1,000	890
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	249
$1,000	2 523
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	119
$1,000	441
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	45
$1,000	112
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	23
$1,000	28

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	770	1 204	658	821
$1,000	22 365	14 070	22 188	13 580
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	42	224	4	106
$1,000 to $1,999	87	199	40	
$2,000 to $2,999	83	136	67	105
$3,000 to $4,999	112	159	105	132
$5,000 to $9,999	112	192	108	184
$10,000 to $19,999	96		96	129
$20,000 to $39,999	102	294	102	86
$40,000 to $59,999	54		54	79
$60,000 and over	82		82	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	154	229	117	166
$1,000	630	490	620	478
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	264	365	211	265
$1,000	2 606	1 654	2 577	1 631
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	217	279	179	229
$1,000	2 263	1 528	2 244	1 516
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	77	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	152	56
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	170	45
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	27
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	14
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	95	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	486	975	450	735
$1,000	552	318	549	303
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	698	1 149	609	805
$1,000	3 742	2 132	3 712	2 044
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	504	(NA)	470	(NA)
$1,000	1 879	954	1 876	930
Lime ... farms	(NA)	245	146	219
$1,000	(NA)	108	194	105
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	742	1 179	638	816
$1,000	1 829	1 241	1 808	1 165
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	590	761
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	665	471
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	488	476
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	589	319
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	155	221
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	164	111
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	638	816
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	390	264
Hired farm labor ... farms	427	893	386	678
$1,000	3 048	2 219	3 034	2 153
Contract labor ... farms	38	707	33	46
$1,000	98	650	96	127
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	433		373	508
$1,000	723		712	489
All other production expenses ... farms	739	1 063	658	818
$1,000	7 257	4 412	7 158	4 259

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	705	1 136	601	792
$1,000	16 096	11 676	15 462	10 315
Average per farm—dollars	22 831	10 277	25 727	13 024
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	101	3	343
$1,000 to $4,999	133	503	91	
$5,000 to $9,999	133	201	86	149
$10,000 to $19,999	162	168	152	145
$20,000 to $29,999	104	163	103	60
$30,000 to $49,999	88		88	46
$50,000 to $69,999	37		37	49
$70,000 and over	41		41	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	580	868	508	623
number	841	1 168	765	861
mfd in last 5 years, number	497	742	465	555
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	581	772	511	606
number	1 070	1 193	995	1 008
mfd in last 5 years, number	453	655	434	550
Wheel tractors—farms	621	934	533	677
number	1 647	1 995	1 548	1 647
mfd in last 5 years, number	488	942	475	823
Crawler tractors—farms	8		8	24
number	9		9	36
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	187	188	186	182
number	219	218	218	211
mfd in last 5 years, number	99	147	99	142
Corn heads for combines—farms	50	91	50	67
number	52	105	52	71
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	74	20	53
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	48		44	26
number	48		44	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	15
Mower conditioners—farms	35	(NA)	34	(NA)
number	36	(NA)	35	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	10	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	60	69	60	62
number	62	72	62	65
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	32	17	31
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	31	(NA)	31	44
number	31	(NA)	31	46
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	27
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	11	21
number	17	(NA)	17	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	14	13

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	326	(X)	278	(X)	288	(X)	242	(X)	5 514
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	295	(X)	251	(X)	274	(X)	229	(X)	1 639
1969	458	(X)	345	(X)	392	(X)	302	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	181	10 386	156	9 885	161	4 015	138	3 861	763
1969	235	7 788	183	7 207	196	3 931	158	3 737	501
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	17	37	14	29	37	100	28	74	13
5 to 9—1974	24	157	19	125	44	304	33	221	35
10 to 19—1974	39	534	32	421	19	235	16	190	30
20 to 49—1974	45	1 508	35	1 160	40	1 200	40	1 200	220
50 to 99—1974	25	1 745	25	1 745	11	732	11	732	117
100 to 199—1974	19	2 459	19	2 459	8	(D)	8	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	12	3 946	12	3 946	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	164	5 635	141	5 326	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	182	4 085	147	3 815	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	155	5 071	132	4 768	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 872	121	2 622	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	22	564	17	558	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	46	1 213	32	1 193	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	595
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	673

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	155	5 071	132	4 768	93	2 075	534
Farms with—							
1 to 4	23	51	19	41	31	75	16
5 to 9	21	138	17	112	15	109	26
10 to 19	39	542	28	378	12	167	45
20 to 49	47	1 504	43	1 401	25	759	169
50 to 99	14	921	14	921	7	461	88
100 to 199	8	1 125	8	1 125	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	3	790	3	790	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	22	564	17	558			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	13	18	8	12			
3 or 4	2	8	2	8			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	1	30	1	30			
50 to 99	3	200	3	200			
100 to 199	3	308	3	308			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					93	2 075	534
Farms with—							
1 to 4					31	75	16
5 to 9					15	109	26
10 to 19					12	167	45
20 to 49					25	759	169
50 to 99					7	461	88
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					99	1 786	228
Farms with—							
1 or 2					24	42	5
3 or 4					8	31	4
5 to 9					22	143	18
10 to 19					13	175	22
20 to 49					23	709	86
50 to 99					7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	104	2 400
	1969	126	2 018
Beef heifers	1974	97	2 118
Milk heifers	1974	8	282
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	112	2 159
	1969	147	1 374

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	22	479	146
	1969	13	532	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	12	39	8
10 to 19	1974	2	30	9
20 to 49	1974	6	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	51	8
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	175	9 633	144	9 148	160	15 810	134	15 172	877
	1969	338	10 914	251	9 908	277	13 056	212	11 732	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	21	57	19	49	7	14	7	14	1
5 to 9	1974	33	214	23	153	24	172	17	120	9
10 to 24	1974	55	787	46	657	39	628	27	418	21
25 to 49	1974	38	1 259	28	973	40	1 235	36	1 103	60
50 to 99	1974	10	553	10	553	28	1 888	25	1 644	93
100 to 199	1974	7	900	7	900	7	725	7	725	41
200 to 499	1974	8	2 758	8	2 758	3	760	3	760	49
500 and over	1974	3	3 105	3	3 105	12	10 388	12	10 388	603
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	48	6 635	36	6 250	124
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	42	2 177	26	1 611	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	44	(NA)	(NA)	3	35	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	41	86	25	60	2	4	2	4	1
	1969	79	211	(NA)	(NA)	8	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	115	1 627
	1969	144	1 585
Other hogs and pigs	1974	131	7 521
	1969	236	8 323
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	147	2 517	120	2 408
	1969	213	1 615	163	1 450
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	131	1 365	111	1 315
	1969	190	879	147	774
June 1 and November 30	1974	119	1 152	93	1 093
	1969	146	736	116	676

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	81	(X)	65	(X)	12	(X)	12	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	94	(X)	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	75	347 704	59	347 154	7	276 153	7	276 153
	1969	137	167 467	92	166 608	23	135 881	20	135 792
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	73	296 761	57	296 254	7	100 583	7	100 583
	1969	127	163 750	88	163 027	22	88 754	19	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	63	1 831	47	1 324	1	45	1	45
100 to 399	1974	4	530	4	530	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	16	92 500	14	92 496	4	564 170	4	564 170
	1969	6	100 076	4	100 070	6	825 030	6	825 030
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	3 280	21	3 279
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	35	2 291

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	57	296 254	7	100 583
	1969	88	163 027	19	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	56	289 602	6	95 325
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	13	6 652	3	5 258
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	11	50 130	1	(D)
	1969	16	3 192	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	33	770	3	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	4	44	1	(D)
	1969	4	68	5	96 018
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	4	36	1	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	3	(D)	1	(D)
Light breed	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	8	–	–
	1969	2	10	1	3
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	7	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	371	643	9 286	12 852	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	7	10	342	151	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	604	792	69 979	56 353	1 353 484	1 340 973
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	6	149	57	305 260	143 385
Wheat (bushels)	140	188	5 563	2 318	142 218	84 554
Other small grains for grain	103	131	3 256	2 922	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	261	665	17 504	18 290	15 283	14 492
Tobacco (pounds)	465	847	6 398	6 204	12 718 785	10 767 294
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	20	(NA)	1 413	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	41	(NA)	227	(NA)	51 674	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	109	119	2 764	1 629	5 137	3 095
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	34	51	317	576	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	30	151	244	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	27	914	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	316	481	8 569	10 819	538 015	514 400	3	2	69	5
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	10	29	371	1 119	3 688	14 750	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	12	12	117	104	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	7	97	114	3 080	3 752	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	243	30	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	4	15	29	21	34	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	152	6 294	(X)	–	–	59	3 141	54	493	16	169
	1969	222	7 504	(X)	1	1	100	4 144	90	826	38	289
Improved pasture	1974	38	1 894	(X)	–	–	16	884	13	140	9	52
	1969	30	938	(X)	–	–	11	250	7	32	7	37
Corn for all purposes	1974	328	9 057	(X)	3	69	269	8 077	260	2 030	116	836
	1969	503	12 042	(X)	2	5	351	9 205	333	2 744	127	820
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	340	(X)	–	–	6	340	6	61	6	43
	1969	9	144	(X)	–	–	8	143	8	29	3	8
Wheat (bushels)	1974	137	5 547	142 018	–	–	113	5 129	96	890	33	217
	1969	162	2 257	83 084	–	–	142	2 059	(NA)	487	(NA)	97
Oats (bushels)	1974	71	1 804	98 705	–	–	57	1 666	55	348	12	61
	1969	100	2 313	124 153	–	–	87	2 104	(NA)	344	(NA)	97
Barley (bushels)	1974	4	69	2 030	–	–	4	69	4	10	–	–
	1969	3	33	1 600	–	–	3	33	(NA)	10	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	33	1 286	23 785	–	–	30	965	28	146	6	26
	1969	26	525	11 736	–	–	24	519	(NA)	111	(NA)	24
Other small grains for grain	1974	3	73	(X)	–	–	3	73	3	3	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	556	69 444	1 345 699	1	2	342	49 503	326	7 914	22	387
	1969	605	53 917	1 291 596	–	–	389	40 954	(NA)	7 031	(NA)	298
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	149	305 260	–	–	3	29	3	8	–	–
	1969	4	55	141 247	–	–	3	54	(NA)	16	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	88	2 555	4 875	–	–	49	1 666	35	315	28	163
	1969	91	1 357	2 791	–	–	42	683	35	173	23	109
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	217	(X)	–	–	3	123	2	15	1	1
Cotton (bales)	1974	259	17 495	15 277	–	–	236	17 270	226	5 018	53	862
	1969	538	17 608	14 073	1	1	486	17 112	(NA)	6 213	(NA)	952
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	439	6 364	12 670 815	14	154	439	6 208	436	5 467	23	136
	1969	696	5 988	10 452 069	25	256	696	5 976	(NA)	5 456	(NA)	21
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	13	20	1 413	2	6	7	13	7	24	–	–
	1969	11	28	5 560	–	–	8	25	(NA)	24	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	33	309	(X)	–	–	20	161	18	53	2	2
	1969	40	519	(X)	–	–	29	403	28	143	1	(Z)
Land in orchards	1974	8	119	(X)	–	–	2	87	2	23	1	4
	1969	21	212	(X)	–	–	13	184	13	59	1	4

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	4	(X)	2	4	2	4	2	2	–	–
1969	1	5	(X)	1	5	1	5	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	40	247	(X)	1	1	33	218	35	205	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	629	811
$1,000	5 588	2 973
Commercial fertilizer—farms	609	794
acres on which used	95 642	84 305
tons	26 140	26 649
$1,000	3 712	2 044
Lime—farms	146	219
acres on which used	17 819	14 210
tons	16 636	13 467
$1,000	194	105
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	4
acres on which used	62	57
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	351	629
acres on which used	48 514	52 530
$1,000	1 073	561
Nematodes in crops—farms	115	104
acres on which used	8 930	1 308
$1,000	96	17

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	11	13
acres on which used	1 176	1 222
$1,000	10	9
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	263	339
acres on which used	55 201	37 983
$1,000	420	192
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	13
acres on which used	219	390
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	16	(NA)
acres on which used	347	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	99	234
acres on which used	8 249	10 022
$1,000	47	36
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	30	59
$1,000	8	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	72	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	21	28
Proportion of farms—percent	3.2	3.4
Total land irrigated—acres	235	284
Average per farm—acres	11.2	10.1
Cropland irrigated—farms	21	28
acres	235	284
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	21	26
acres	235	272
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	1
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	11
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	123	259
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.5	0.9
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	4	(NA)
acres	24	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	68	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	11	(NA)
acres	143	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	20 635	26 641
Cropland—acres	10 368	13 360
Harvested cropland—acres	9 104	9 073
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	10	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	952	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	168	350
Proportion of farms—percent	25.5	42.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	102 734	118 676
Land drained—acres	32 381	43 883
Average per farm—acres	192.7	125.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	152	(NA)
number	431	(NA)
acres	415	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	241	173	133
$1,000	8 726	5 273	3 453
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	52	37	35
$5,000 to $9,999	27	24	29
$10,000 to $29,999	85	61	41
$30,000 to $49,999	36	22	15
$50,000 and over	41	29	13

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	144	196	585	543	1 795	
25 to 149 days	172	640	1 586	6 774	712	2 153
Less than 25 days	259		3 417		526	
Total contract labor	33	46	(NA)	(NA)	96	127
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	35	(NA)	34	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	386	144	172	259
Cash wages paid—$1,000	3 034	1 795	712	526
Number of workers	5 588	585	1 586	3 417
Farms with—				
1 worker	39	46	23	18
2 workers	29	27	41	21
3 or 4 workers	54	42	27	31
5 to 9 workers	72	14	25	59
10 workers and over	192	15	56	130

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	626	900	568	722
Land in farms — acres	127 516	149 550	124 907	138 251
Average size of farm — acres	204	166	220	191
Approximate land area — acres	260 480	260 480	260 480	260 480
Proportion in farms — percent	49.0	57.4	48.0	53.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	74 627	45 995	72 987	42 231
Average per farm — dollars	119 212	51 105	128 498	58 491
Average per acre — dollars	585	308	584	305
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	49	87	35	56
10 to 49 acres	151	275	120	193
50 to 69 acres	58	94	51	75
70 to 99 acres	66	76	66	62
100 to 139 acres	85	91	84	78
140 to 179 acres	37	52	36	48
180 to 219 acres	25	48	23	45
220 to 259 acres	24	25	24	23
260 to 499 acres	69	79	67	70
500 to 999 acres	39	53	39	52
1,000 to 1,999 acres	18	17	18	17
2,000 acres and over	5	3	5	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	199	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	6 747	14 569
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	48	86
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	1 271	3 328
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	30	54
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	1 136	1 170
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	22	26
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	1 413	1 384
Cropland idle — farms	122	301
Cropland idle — acres	2 927	8 687
Total woodland — farms	295	419
Total woodland — acres	31 780	46 851
Woodland pastured — farms	102	126
Woodland pastured — acres	4 164	8 863

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	615	885	563	720
Total cropland — acres	85 824	85 611	84 790	80 858
Harvested cropland — farms	611	863	560	717
Harvested cropland — acres	71 837	63 396	71 299	61 768
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	91	202	69	
10 to 19 acres	78	158	56	448
20 to 29 acres	72	117	65	
30 to 49 acres	84	116	84	
50 to 99 acres	124	114	124	113
100 to 199 acres	63	76	63	76
200 to 499 acres	76	59	76	59
500 to 999 acres	11	15	11	15
1,000 acres and over	12	6	12	6
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	152	205	137	176
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	7 165	5 569	6 744	4 521
Other cropland (see text) — farms	208	453	199	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	6 822	16 646	6 747	14 569
Total woodland — farms	317	505	295	419
Total woodland — acres	33 119	51 869	31 780	46 851
Other land (see text) — farms	373	555	338	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	8 573	12 070	8 337	10 542
Irrigated land — farms	22	36	22	36
Irrigated land — acres	473	460	473	460

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	245	337
Woodland not pastured — acres	27 616	37 988
Other land — farms	338	(NA)
Other land — acres	8 337	10 542
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	21	76
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	2 131	3 083
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	7	31
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	121	1 697
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	14	49
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 010	1 386
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	338	417
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	6 206	7 459

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	626	900	568	722
Land in farms — acres	127 516	149 550	124 907	138 251
Harvested cropland — acres	71 837	63 396	71 299	61 768
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	303	365	257	242
Land in farms — acres	43 848	46 469	41 385	37 215
Harvested cropland — acres	18 078	13 197	17 628	12 224
Part owners — number	163	231	163	217
Land in farms — acres	63 665	77 907	63 665	76 891
Harvested cropland — acres	40 881	37 408	40 881	37 263
Tenants — number	160	304	148	263
Land in farms — acres	20 003	25 174	19 857	24 145
Harvested cropland — acres	12 878	12 791	12 790	12 281
Percent of tenancy	25.6	33.7	26.1	36.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	87	200	74	141
Land in farms — acres	4 887	7 211	4 573	5 401
Harvested cropland — acres	2 475	3 123	2 414	2 786
Full owners — number	37	61	31	24
Land in farms — acres	1 894	2 598	1 662	1 207
Harvested cropland — acres	710	562	701	384
Part owners — number	16	22	16	19
Land in farms — acres	2 065	1 927	2 065	1 839
Harvested cropland — acres	1 159	689	1 159	675
Tenants — number	34	117	27	98
Land in farms — acres	928	2 686	846	2 355
Harvested cropland — acres	606	1 872	554	1 727
Percent of tenancy	39.1	58.5	36.5	69.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	502	623
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	98 689	109 408

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	57	80
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	21 576	19 200
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	16
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	7 835
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 808
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	7	2	7
25 to 34 years	36	57	32	50
35 to 44 years	92	206	88	165
45 to 54 years	214	309	199	262
55 to 64 years	171	204	151	162
65 years and over	101	117	87	76
Average age	53.1	50.8	52.8	50.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	332	599	306	503
On another farm	30		28	
In a rural area, not on a farm	35	209	35	151
In a city, town, or urban area	49		45	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	269	(NA)	258	(NA)
1 to 49 days	28	87	24	69
50 to 99 days	19	52	19	40
100 to 149 days	10	83	10	51
150 to 199 days	29		25	
200 days and over	125	171	100	124
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	448	(NA)	424	(NA)
Other	169	(NA)	135	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	55	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	51	57	51	57
$40,000 to $99,999	131		131	
$20,000 to $39,999	81	105	81	105
$10,000 to $19,999	147	170	147	170
$5,000 to $9,999	98	227	98	227
$2,500 to $4,999	59	146	59	146
Under $2,500 (see text)	59	195	1	17
$2,000 to $2,499	8	27	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	7	32	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	17	31	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	27	105	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	25 871	11 799	25 804	11 620
Average per farm ... dollars	41 328	13 110	45 430	16 094
Crops, including hay ... farms	604	860	555	(NA)
$1,000	24 704	11 018	24 646	10 855
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	1
$1,000	13		13	4
Forest products ... farms	20	43	17	39
$1,000	192	146	191	144
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	182	271	161	230
$1,000	963	635	954	617
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	16	(NA)	16	19
$1,000	113	(NA)	113	29

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	555	(NA)
$1,000	24 646	10 855
Grains ... farms	466	551
$1,000	5 649	1 840
Tobacco ... farms	438	649
$1,000	13 958	7 890
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	199	291
$1,000	4 794	989
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	23	25
$1,000	51	39
Other field crops ... farms	9	18
$1,000	93	12
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	44	75
$1,000	92	77
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	3	22
$1,000	10	8
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	161	230
$1,000	954	617
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	16	19
$1,000	113	29
Dairy products ... farms	4	3
$1,000	53	37
Cattle and calves ... farms	97	(NA)
$1,000	346	225
Hogs and pigs ... farms	86	(NA)
$1,000	442	326
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	114	(NA)	79	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	175	(NA)	154	(NA)
$1,000	920	(NA)	882	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	63	73	63	64
$1,000	244	84	244	81
Recreational services ... farms	–	7	–	5
$1,000	–	6	–	6
Government farm programs ... farms	49	403	45	338
$1,000	39	1 263	38	1 218
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	93	(NA)	76	(NA)
$1,000	632	(NA)	594	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	56	(NA)	50	(NA)
$1,000	322	(NA)	310	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	269
$1,000	2 216
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	47
$1,000	581
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	194
$1,000	1 423
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	78
$1,000	120
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	30
$1,000	66
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	19
$1,000	27

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	626	900	568	722
$1,000	16 945	8 701	16 877	8 475
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	40	123	11	99
$1,000 to $1,999	59	127	36	
$2,000 to $2,999	39	85	38	74
$3,000 to $4,999	91	153	86	143
$5,000 to $9,999	119	178	119	172
$10,000 to $19,999	99		99	132
$20,000 to $39,999	85	234	85	70
$40,000 to $59,999	39		39	32
$60,000 and over	55		55	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	84	129	72	104
$1,000	142	156	135	152
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	199	231	161	179
$1,000	364	182	354	173
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	167	163	136	140
$1,000	320	104	314	99
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	39
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	21	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	32
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	4	3
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	62	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	437	760	413	652
$1,000	426	245	425	238
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	584	859	536	714
$1,000	3 059	1 372	3 051	1 338
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	383	(NA)	371	(NA)
$1,000	1 763	670	1 761	661
Lime ... farms	(NA)	85	87	78
$1,000	(NA)	39	149	38
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	618	888	562	721
$1,000	1 722	1 137	1 713	1 105
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	547	708
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	665	517
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	223	112
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	404	68
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	104	247
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	264	166
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	562	720
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	380	354
Hired farm labor ... farms	338	701	327	609
$1,000	2 169	1 409	2 167	1 365
Contract labor ... farms	19	575	19	41
$1,000	43	395	43	90
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	353		334	470
$1,000	638		632	287
All other production expenses ... farms	621	847	567	721
$1,000	6 619	3 137	6 583	3 067

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	573	840	515	676
$1,000	13 520	6 965	13 117	6 336
Average per farm—dollars	23 595	8 291	25 470	9 372
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	60	2	330
$1,000 to $4,999	81	380	68	
$5,000 to $9,999	139	183	103	142
$10,000 to $19,999	134	126	125	115
$20,000 to $29,999	85	91	85	41
$30,000 to $49,999	72		72	34
$50,000 to $69,999	30		30	14
$70,000 and over	30		30	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	487	665	431	547
number	811	931	747	750
mfd in last 5 years, number	453	612	438	500
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	494	608	446	515
number	832	821	783	715
mfd in last 5 years, number	396	477	394	421
Wheel tractors—farms	520	730	464	589
number	1 364	1 600	1 299	1 372
mfd in last 5 years, number	443	626	437	557
Crawler tractors—farms	3		3	9
number	3		3	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	107	110	107	107
number	127	128	127	124
mfd in last 5 years, number	71	85	71	85
Corn heads for combines—farms	57	97	57	72
number	60	115	60	77
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	71	25	55
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	43		43	31
number	49		49	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		8	16
Mower conditioners—farms	32	(NA)	31	(NA)
number	34	(NA)	33	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	51	69	49	64
number	58	71	56	66
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	29	26	25
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	22	(NA)	22	31
number	26	(NA)	26	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	6	(NA)	6	10
number	10	(NA)	10	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	9

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	234	(X)	205	(X)	182	(X)	161	(X)	954
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	213	(X)	187	(X)	178	(X)	157	(X)	787
1969	321	(X)	259	(X)	251	(X)	215	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	134	4 543	123	4 402	106	1 882	97	1 863	346
1969	137	3 576	118	3 383	91	1 523	82	1 480	225
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	26	65	25	61	35	80	26	61	11
5 to 9—1974	15	103	13	89	33	219	33	219	33
10 to 19—1974	40	495	33	423	20	263	20	263	46
20 to 49—1974	27	826	27	826	13	360	13	360	68
50 to 99—1974	21	1 404	20	1 353	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	119	2 592	109	2 520	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	113	1 875	97	1 792	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	109	2 395	99	2 328	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 765	82	1 686	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	25	197	22	192	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	28	110	24	106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	53
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	37

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	109	2 395	99	2 328			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	27	53	25	50			
5 to 9	23	150	17	117			
10 to 19	32	421	31	410			
20 to 49	19	542	18	522			
50 to 99	4	299	4	299			
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)			
Milk cows	25	197	22	192			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	18	24	16	22			
3 or 4	2	6	1	3			
5 to 9	3	(D)	3	(D)			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					71	812	205
Farms with—							
1 to 4					35	96	21
5 to 9					16	94	26
10 to 19					14	180	46
20 to 49					4	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					1	55	12
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					67	1 051	141
Farms with—							
1 or 2					14	17	2
3 or 4					7	22	2
5 to 9					21	148	17
10 to 19					16	189	17
20 to 49					6	198	16
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	67	910
	1969	78	726
Beef heifers	1974	63	897
Milk heifers	1974	6	13
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	85	972
	1969	89	865

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	21	212	58
	1969	3	397	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	14	54	16
10 to 19	1974	5	62	14
20 to 49	1974	1	21	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	75	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	131	6 077	113	5 817	99	7 636	86	7 509	442
	1969	259	6 771	207	6 295	197	8 134	167	7 724	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	20	53	19	52	5	6	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	39	268	30	215	20	135	15	101	5
10 to 24	1974	31	486	29	462	30	466	29	455	27
25 to 49	1974	26	818	20	636	22	760	19	682	48
50 to 99	1974	10	567	10	567	12	768	12	768	34
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	5	669	5	669	43
200 to 499	1974	1	200	1	200	1	200	1	200	12
500 and over	1974	4	3 685	4	3 685	4	4 632	4	4 632	272
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	2 342	21	2 292	39
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	1 436	26	1 426	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	3	11	3	11	2	7	2	7	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	81	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	29	62	24	54	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	81	218	(NA)	(NA)	11	25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	75	747
	1969	137	838
Other hogs and pigs	1974	108	5 070
	1969	195	5 457
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	93	1 074	80	1 043
	1969	179	1 186	151	1 118
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	73	554	62	537
	1969	145	621	122	572
June 1 and November 30	1974	68	520	61	506
	1969	138	565	121	546

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	72	(X)	60	(X)	10	(X)	10	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	86	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	72	12 828	60	12 620	10	(D)	10	(D)
	1969	108	11 964	84	11 361	8	7 734	6	7 614
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	68	12 228	56	12 050	7	(D)	7	(D)
	1969	102	11 354	84	10 875	8	7 559	6	7 439
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	61	1 718	49	1 540	5	58	5	58
100 to 399	1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	5	80	5	80	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	55	2	55	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	113	16	113
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	19	29

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	56	12 050	7	(D)
	1969	84	10 875	6	7 439
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	56	11 799	7	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	9	251	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	83	–	–
	1969	8	121	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	40	487	3	6
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	10	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	3	18	2	10
	1969	3	15	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	4	2	10
Heavy breed	1974	2	4	2	10
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	3	14	–	–
	1969	2	12	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	362	581	7 754	13 403	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	9	4	220	51	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	467	491	35 290	27 706	724 327	582 531
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	5	–	10	–	15 250
Wheat (bushels)	62	52	3 445	1 163	103 999	38 811
Other small grains for grain	36	64	671	877	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	207	351	19 499	12 368	19 363	10 486
Tobacco (pounds)	446	710	6 862	6 411	14 257 420	12 183 453
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	45	(NA)	12 970	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	18	(NA)	17	(NA)	1 426	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	64	104	1 376	1 680	2 776	3 087
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	54	95	310	395	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	25	132	154	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	29	450	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	327	497	7 438	12 594	511 155	780 842	1	2	10	21
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	1	38	20	696	200	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	18	112	211	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	3	152	36	1 200	3 074	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	68	15	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	3	138	10	258	20	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	137	6 744	(X)	–	–	30	1 629	29	316	12	92
	1969	176	4 521	(X)	–	–	45	996	41	234	14	33
Improved pasture	1974	7	121	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	31	1 697	(X)	–	–	15	978	14	121	3	56
Corn for all purposes	1974	329	7 588	(X)	1	10	249	5 880	235	1 369	113	498
	1969	501	12 825	(X)	2	21	362	10 012	351	2 821	137	844
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	220	(X)	–	–	6	56	6	34	–	–
	1969	4	51	(X)	–	–	4	23	4	13	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	62	3 445	103 999	–	–	47	3 132	43	601	12	29
	1969	47	1 153	38 396	–	–	40	926	(NA)	224	(NA)	50
Oats (bushels)	1974	17	259	14 777	1	2	14	254	12	41	6	13
	1969	46	663	28 018	–	–	36	432	(NA)	54	(NA)	30
Barley (bushels)	1974	6	265	9 753	–	–	6	265	6	68	2	3
	1969	8	124	4 887	–	–	7	94	(NA)	18	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels)	1974	11	131	2 440	–	–	8	96	4	13	4	5
	1969	5	50	1 350	–	–	2	25	(NA)	6	(NA)	2
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	436	34 989	719 406	4	195	239	25 405	230	4 267	16	113
	1969	429	27 077	569 015	–	–	270	20 796	(NA)	3 498	(NA)	94
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	10	15 250	–	–	4	9	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	61	1 346	2 684	–	–	29	910	26	240	17	135
	1969	88	1 574	2 922	1	10	26	593	22	155	7	41
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	182	(X)	–	–	2	54	1	8	1	1
Cotton (bales)	1974	203	19 495	19 355	4	23	185	19 280	181	5 896	77	1 375
	1969	310	12 176	10 357	1	8	290	11 961	(NA)	3 808	(NA)	662
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	438	6 857	14 246 541	18	212	438	6 854	437	7 075	18	38
	1969	649	6 327	12 063 383	32	403	649	6 270	(NA)	6 181	(NA)	63
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	15	45	12 942	–	–	10	43	10	44	–	–
	1969	10	12	951	1	(Z)	3	8	(NA)	9	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	46	300	(X)	3	10	29	136	29	48	6	8
	1969	83	374	(X)	5	13	65	304	62	119	9	14
Land in orchards	1974	9	132	(X)	1	14	3	33	3	7	–	–
	1969	23	148	(X)	–	–	12	108	12	23	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	1	(X)	1	(Z)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	1	–	–
Other crops 1974	8	43	(X)	–	–	5	39	7	23	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	541	716
$1,000	4 813	1 999
Commercial fertilizer—farms	536	709
acres on which used	64 065	53 742
tons	22 355	19 216
$1,000	3 051	1 338
Lime—farms	87	78
acres on which used	13 165	4 732
tons	11 950	4 914
$1,000	149	38
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	4
acres on which used	8	82
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	307	565
acres on which used	42 252	29 081
$1,000	1 058	431
Nematodes in crops—farms	97	163
acres on which used	5 119	2 194
$1,000	63	27
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	17
acres on which used	466	385
$1,000	5	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	177	256
acres on which used	32 546	20 604
$1,000	378	119
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	7
acres on which used	189	192
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	6	(NA)
acres on which used	60	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	84	177
acres on which used	13 210	7 228
$1,000	63	33
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	11	40
$1,000	2	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	59	(NA)
$1,000	42	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	22	36
Proportion of farms—percent	3.9	4.9
Total land irrigated—acres	473	460
Average per farm—acres	21.5	12.7
Cropland irrigated—farms	22	36
acres	473	460
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	22	36
acres	473	460
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	384	215
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	18	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	97	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	14	(NA)
acres	278	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	6 839	14 157
Cropland—acres	4 328	7 609
Harvested cropland—acres	3 789	5 351
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	26	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	303	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	123	288
Proportion of farms—percent	21.7	39.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	50 495	73 486
Land drained—acres	23 700	29 444
Average per farm—acres	192.7	102.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	130	(NA)
number	375	(NA)
acres	367	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	180	124	92
$1,000	5 184	3 374	1 810
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	52	40	26
$5,000 to $9,999	43	26	23
$10,000 to $29,999	46	34	25
$30,000 to $49,999	13	11	11
$50,000 and over	26	13	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	93	136	263	308	851	1 365
25 to 149 days	143	585	1 349	6 619	781	
Less than 25 days	232		3 155		535	
Total contract labor	19	41	(NA)	(NA)	43	90
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	44	(NA)	16	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	327	93	143	232
Cash wages paid—$1,000	2 167	851	781	535
Number of workers	4 767	263	1 349	3 155
Farms with—				
1 worker	33	32	30	28
2 workers	16	29	20	7
3 or 4 workers	46	17	18	22
5 to 9 workers	56	13	21	46
10 workers and over	176	2	54	129

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	541	836	322	264
Land in farms — acres	83 598	117 168	68 983	78 179
Average size of farm — acres	155	140	214	296
Approximate land area — acres	364 224	364 224	364 224	364 224
Proportion in farms — percent	23.0	32.2	18.9	21.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	36 961	27 233	28 208	16 712
Average per farm — dollars	68 319	32 575	87 602	63 304
Average per acre — dollars	442	232	409	214
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	49	78	11	1
10 to 49 acres	177	293	70	17
50 to 69 acres	45	87	26	22
70 to 99 acres	52	71	37	25
100 to 139 acres	52	82	36	41
140 to 179 acres	33	49	23	27
180 to 219 acres	31	30	26	17
220 to 259 acres	23	29	21	21
260 to 499 acres	42	73	42	57
500 to 999 acres	27	32	20	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres	9	10	9	8
2,000 acres and over	1	2	1	2

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	61	(NA)
acres	1 471	6 884
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	14	23
acres	189	951
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	18	35
acres	428	1 168
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	15
acres	318	712
Cropland idle — farms	38	110
acres	536	4 053
Total woodland — farms	182	216
acres	25 564	36 846
Woodland pastured — farms	98	114
acres	14 424	11 393

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	531	801	319	262
acres	39 101	46 593	34 070	34 162
Harvested cropland — farms	494	715	311	251
acres	29 622	28 399	27 737	23 160
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	126	285	28	
10 to 19 acres	108	134	47	102
20 to 29 acres	56	65	37	
30 to 49 acres	61	75	56	
50 to 99 acres	62	90	62	83
100 to 199 acres	46	40	46	40
200 to 499 acres	28	22	28	22
500 to 999 acres	7	4	7	4
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	231	291	137	130
acres	7 192	5 924	4 862	4 118
Other cropland (see text) — farms	90	451	61	(NA)
acres	2 287	12 270	1 471	6 884
Total woodland — farms	297	548	182	216
acres	33 047	57 676	25 564	36 846
Other land (see text) — farms	322	509	185	(NA)
acres	11 450	12 899	9 349	7 171
Irrigated land — farms	1	2	1	2
acres	25	42	25	42

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	133	166
acres	11 140	25 453
Other land — farms	185	(NA)
acres	9 349	7 171
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	43	40
acres	3 549	4 690
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	25	25
acres	1 033	1 150
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	19	22
acres	2 516	3 540
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	168	144
acres	5 800	2 481

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	541	836	322	264
Land in farms — acres	83 598	117 168	68 983	78 179
Harvested cropland — acres	29 622	28 399	27 737	23 160
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	342	537	171	112
Land in farms — acres	42 300	65 856	29 806	33 468
Harvested cropland — acres	9 618	9 592	8 295	5 938
Part owners — number	162	230	125	134
Land in farms — acres	37 130	43 454	35 554	38 051
Harvested cropland — acres	17 603	17 002	17 155	15 784
Tenants — number	37	69	26	18
Land in farms — acres	4 168	7 858	3 623	6 660
Harvested cropland — acres	2 401	1 805	2 287	1 438
Percent of tenancy	6.8	8.2	8.1	6.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	151	319	55	28
Land in farms — acres	8 363	13 578	6 111	5 102
Harvested cropland — acres	2 135	3 975	1 386	1 872
Full owners — number	106	196	32	8
Land in farms — acres	6 367	6 277	4 556	667
Harvested cropland — acres	1 118	1 407	632	171
Part owners — number	36	75	21	13
Land in farms — acres	1 645	4 582	1 355	2 470
Harvested cropland — acres	947	1 837	730	1 170
Tenants — number	9	48	2	7
Land in farms — acres	351	2 719	200	1 965
Harvested cropland — acres	70	731	24	531
Percent of tenancy	6.0	15.0	3.6	25.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	296	230
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	59 328	63 825

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	20	30
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 434	13 136
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	405	1 218
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	816	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	14	6	4
25 to 34 years	45	45	31	21
35 to 44 years	90	117	47	44
45 to 54 years	113	262	69	92
55 to 64 years	158	206	90	66
65 years and over	122	192	73	37
Average age	53.6	54.4	53.4	51.5
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	298	584	183	202
On another farm	12		5	
In a rural area, not on a farm	45	145	17	43
In a city, town, or urban area	51		37	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	137	(NA)	90	(NA)
1 to 49 days	26	62	10	17
50 to 99 days	24	20	6	7
100 to 149 days	28	101	13	11
150 to 199 days	23		11	
200 days and over	186	333	95	91
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	287	(NA)	202	(NA)
Other	247	(NA)	114	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	12	19	12	19
$40,000 to $99,999	28		28	
$20,000 to $39,999	40	28	39	28
$10,000 to $19,999	58	39	58	39
$5,000 to $9,999	79	73	79	73
$2,500 to $4,999	103	100	103	99
Under $2,500 (see text)	221	577	3	6
$2,000 to $2,499	34	41	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	42	52	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	41	80	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	104	404	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	6 981	4 384	6 715	3 935
Average per farm ... dollars	12 903	5 244	20 852	14 906
Crops, including hay ... farms	418	592	289	(NA)
$1,000	3 920	1 455	3 783	1 233
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	2
$1,000	115		115	(D)
Forest products ... farms	32	37	29	25
$1,000	300	114	286	101
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	365	547	225	223
$1,000	2 646	2 815	2 530	2 601
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	30	(NA)	18	12
$1,000	221	(NA)	221	550

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	289	(NA)
$1,000	3 783	1 233
Grains ... farms	263	196
$1,000	2 797	562
Tobacco ... farms	67	94
$1,000	718	386
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	7	74
$1,000	47	92
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	17	25
$1,000	153	47
Other field crops ... farms	4	4
$1,000	9	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	14	28
$1,000	59	62
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	-	3
$1,000	-	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	225	223
$1,000	2 530	2 601
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	18	12
$1,000	221	550
Dairy products ... farms	7	16
$1,000	1 039	802
Cattle and calves ... farms	131	(NA)
$1,000	370	320
Hogs and pigs ... farms	168	(NA)
$1,000	888	929
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	-	
$1,000	-	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	5	
$1,000	11	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	242	(NA)	94	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	130	(NA)	74	(NA)
$1,000	157	(NA)	101	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	45	54	22	27
$1,000	94	55	63	49
Recreational services ... farms	5	14	3	13
$1,000	10	18	10	18
Government farm programs ... farms	48	397	35	164
$1,000	22	410	18	302
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	61	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	30	(NA)	8	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	35	(NA)	26	(NA)
$1,000	67	(NA)	57	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	166
$1,000	1 873
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	39
$1,000	347
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	123
$1,000	1 330
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	33
$1,000	62
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	15
$1,000	73
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	13
$1,000	61

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	541	836	322	264
$1,000	4 879	3 924	4 593	3 450
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	137	430	11	23
$1,000 to $1,999	114	124	47	
$2,000 to $2,999	46	59	42	30
$3,000 to $4,999	76	64	58	56
$5,000 to $9,999	77	73	74	70
$10,000 to $19,999	43	86	43	50
$20,000 to $39,999	26		25	19
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	16
$60,000 and over	15		15	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	198	254	112	129
$1,000	261	335	240	302
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	387	500	227	202
$1,000	1 019	949	964	878
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	300	314	203	154
$1,000	861	755	844	719
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	61
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	81
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	56	53
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	57
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	20
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	103	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	334	641	248	242
$1,000	203	136	195	113
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	445	712	271	248
$1,000	954	633	913	542
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	181	(NA)	129	(NA)
$1,000	134	116	130	107
Lime ... farms	(NA)	41	24	33
$1,000	(NA)	12	20	11
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	520	755	315	264
$1,000	393	313	361	234
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	298	246
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	180	115
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	180	140
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	104	61
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	20	72
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	25
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	315	264
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	63	32
Hired farm labor ... farms	184	394	126	199
$1,000	473	474	443	418
Contract labor ... farms	21	306	11	19
$1,000	9	107	8	18
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	247		181	145
$1,000	147		133	66
All other production expenses ... farms	480	589	321	263
$1,000	1 286	861	1 178	774

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	503	720	288	260
$1,000	6 486	4 259	5 095	2 805
Average per farm—dollars	12 895	5 914	17 690	10 790
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	117	6	77
$1,000 to $4,999	131	336	50	
$5,000 to $9,999	169	146	63	87
$10,000 to $19,999	105	70	81	54
$20,000 to $29,999	43	51	40	26
$30,000 to $49,999	28		28	10
$50,000 to $69,999	11		11	6
$70,000 and over	9		9	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	390	524	208	195
number	506	643	288	254
mfd in last 5 years, number	245	421	177	200
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	404	499	244	224
number	510	579	342	292
mfd in last 5 years, number	178	359	146	203
Wheel tractors—farms	406	504	250	237
number	628	764	453	452
mfd in last 5 years, number	154	325	136	217
Crawler tractors—farms	17		13	10
number	17		13	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	77	70	75	64
number	80	75	78	69
mfd in last 5 years, number	29	46	29	45
Corn heads for combines—farms	59	121	57	45
number	63	136	59	47
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	79	18	35
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	79		61	65
number	79		61	67
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	33
Mower conditioners—farms	34	(NA)	28	(NA)
number	34	(NA)	28	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	41	43	32	35
number	41	43	32	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	29	13	23
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	12	(NA)	10	16
number	12	(NA)	10	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	18	(NA)	15	14
number	22	(NA)	17	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	404	(X)	226	(X)	365	(X)	225	(X)	2 530
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	385	(X)	217	(X)	354	(X)	222	(X)	1 258
1969	595	(X)	223	(X)	533	(X)	221	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	247	7 855	139	6 505	195	2 510	131	2 158	370
1969	333	7 484	144	6 003	249	3 860	133	3 259	320
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	64	160	17	44	69	159	25	54	10
5 to 9—1974	23	160	7	52	50	327	37	241	44
10 to 19—1974	59	801	37	512	41	508	37	452	74
20 to 49—1974	57	1 636	39	1 216	27	853	25	805	130
50 to 99—1974	26	1 636	22	1 392	6	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	11	1 293	10	1 120	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	7	2 169	7	2 169	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	180	4 210	114	3 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	248	4 013	121	3 378	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	157	3 153	105	2 501	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 537	101	2 002	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	39	1 057	18	992	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	82	1 476	30	1 376	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	1 039
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	802

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	157	3 153	105	2 501			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	27	52	14	30			
5 to 9	36	253	16	109			
10 to 19	35	457	25	317			
20 to 49	47	1 440	39	1 219			
50 to 99	8	470	8	470			
100 to 199	4	481	3	356			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	39	1 057	18	992			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	23	31	9	9			
3 or 4	3	12	1	4			
5 to 9	6	41	1	6			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	1	40	1	40			
50 to 99	1	75	1	75			
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					106	1 178	271
Farms with—							
1 to 4					38	78	17
5 to 9					34	222	47
10 to 19					14	148	32
20 to 49					17	492	108
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					73	980	100
Farms with—							
1 or 2					8	12	2
3 or 4					18	65	8
5 to 9					14	87	11
10 to 19					20	267	29
20 to 49					12	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	89	1 421
	1969	112	1 339
Beef heifers	1974	83	734
Milk heifers	1974	10	687
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	105	1 591
	1969	119	1 286

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	29	417	107
	1969	14	193	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	15	52	11
10 to 19	1974	8	88	18
20 to 49	1974	4	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	58	(D)
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	272	10 198	163	9 034	250	13 652	168	12 380	888
	1969	488	19 152	184	14 855	442	24 689	183	20 194	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	40	101	11	34	8	18	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	27	174	5	30	43	318	12	79	6
10 to 24	1974	118	1 802	67	1 076	83	1 417	52	858	54
25 to 49	1974	24	754	19	627	46	1 497	34	1 091	76
50 to 99	1974	40	2 537	38	2 437	40	2 841	39	2 788	180
100 to 199	1974	15	1 819	15	1 819	18	2 191	18	2 191	158
200 to 499	1974	7	(D)	7	(D)	8	2 199	8	2 199	153
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	3 171	4	3 171	261
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	52	956	32	684	15
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	97	2 482	22	1 312	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	25	2	21	3	36	1	16	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	50	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	93	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	61	240	30	152	7	41	5	39	11
	1969	91	264	(NA)	(NA)	12	24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	131	976
	1969	142	2 082
Other hogs and pigs	1974	159	8 058
	1969	178	12 773
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	202	1 568	138	1 397
	1969	409	3 495	150	2 627
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	184	838	127	738
	1969	365	1 828	138	1 329
June 1 and November 30	1974	149	730	109	659
	1969	294	1 667	134	1 298

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	118	(X)	51	(X)	8	(X)	7	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	42	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	118	30 385	51	29 078	7	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	154	109 835	41	107 012	26	32 462	8	32 134
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	115	28 692	51	27 507	7	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	143	94 381	40	91 855	23	31 421	8	31 134
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	110	2 092	47	1 007	3	16	2	4
100 to 399	1974	1	100	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	2	1 550	2	1 550
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	12	61	6	45	1	3	1	3
	1969	9	187	2	12	1	3	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	221	18	221
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	550

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	51	27 507	6	(D)
	1969	40	91 855	8	31 134
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	49	17 417	6	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	8	10 090	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	10	–	–
	1969	6	10 078	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	15	1 561	1	710
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	40	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	12	–	–
	1969	2	16	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	8	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	8	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	4	–	–
	1969	2	5	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	372	555	11 964	12 739	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	10	116	174	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	272	278	15 154	10 576	315 416	230 751
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	19	34	19	40	29 850	26 335
Wheat (bushels)	16	17	327	202	8 057	5 614
Other small grains for grain	48	32	734	502	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	7	186	198	2 318	187	1 290
Tobacco (pounds)	94	221	395	511	748 477	693 719
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	5	(NA)	1 140	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	29	(NA)	8	(NA)	1 070	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	77	88	1 475	902	2 990	2 716
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	38	61	163	423	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	16	27	73	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	5	–	2	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	64	580	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	239	213	9 824	8 698	647 285	407 765	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	16	22	1 025	887	17 221	10 389	–	1	–	17
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	16	24	165	333	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	64	4	1 664	160	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	50	168	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	137	4 862	(X)	–	–	36	989	35	253	10	63
	1969	130	4 118	(X)	–	–	56	1 805	50	466	21	223
Improved pasture	1974	25	1 033	(X)	–	–	8	262	5	43	4	6
	1969	25	1 150	(X)	–	–	10	425	9	66	2	8
Corn for all purposes	1974	242	11 014	(X)	–	–	184	9 668	173	2 484	113	1 141
	1969	216	9 918	(X)	1	17	181	8 982	173	2 679	91	1 180
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	114	(X)	–	–	3	114	3	19	1	8
	1969	8	172	(X)	–	–	6	145	6	47	1	9
Wheat (bushels)	1974	16	327	8 057	–	–	14	325	14	91	1	2
	1969	10	98	2 780	1	25	8	58	(NA)	15	(NA)	9
Oats (bushels)	1974	18	288	11 608	–	–	12	260	12	56	6	23
	1969	20	390	17 865	–	–	18	335	(NA)	83	(NA)	24
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	17	307	7 261	–	–	7	167	7	26	2	18
	1969	8	60	1 800	–	–	8	60	(NA)	13	(NA)	6
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	50	(X)	–	–	1	50	1	1	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	218	14 662	307 974	–	–	110	8 770	103	1 220	8	143
	1969	152	9 166	201 620	–	–	109	6 559	(NA)	1 158	(NA)	20
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	1 350	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–
	1969	8	13	5 675	–	–	6	11	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	47	1 149	2 522	–	–	21	581	20	190	14	91
	1969	54	698	2 468	–	–	29	406	28	129	12	63
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	40	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	7	198	187	–	–	5	168	5	44	2	5
	1969	86	1 899	1 032	–	–	79	1 938	(NA)	708	(NA)	241
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	67	371	723 039	–	–	67	371	67	410	–	–
	1969	95	390	574 632	–	–	95	382	(NA)	388	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	3	971	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	2	167	–	–	2	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	22	132	(X)	–	–	14	113	14	48	2	13
	1969	28	347	(X)	–	–	20	255	19	111	5	26
Land in orchards	1974	8	25	(X)	–	–	2	6	2	4	–	–
	1969	7	49	(X)	–	–	2	4	2	2	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	27	(X)	1	25	3	27	2	6	1	(Z)
1969	2	31	(X)	–	–	1	6	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	4	33	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	275	255
$1,000	1 043	649
Commercial fertilizer—farms	271	239
acres on which used	21 889	21 483
tons	6 411	7 697
$1,000	913	542
Lime—farms	24	33
acres on which used	1 671	1 504
tons	1 681	1 424
$1,000	20	11
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	6
acres on which used	–	78
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	68	147
acres on which used	6 100	6 405
$1,000	51	60
Nematodes in crops—farms	8	4
acres on which used	655	22
$1,000	4	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	80
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	47	83
acres on which used	8 157	4 394
$1,000	46	28
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	1
acres on which used	125	21
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	39	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	37
acres on which used	–	1 157
$1,000	–	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	10	45
$1,000	1	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	43	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	2
Proportion of farms—percent	0.3	0.7
Total land irrigated—acres	25	42
Average per farm—acres	25.0	21.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	2
acres	25	42
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	2
acres	25	42
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	104	53
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	4.2	1.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	25	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	75	587
Cropland—acres	25	177
Harvested cropland—acres	25	150
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	36	91
Proportion of farms—percent	11.2	34.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	12 560	31 122
Land drained—acres	5 922	12 335
Average per farm—acres	164.5	135.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	21	(NA)
number	31	(NA)
acres	54	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	53	30	29
$1,000	879	518	361
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	13	5	11
$5,000 to $9,999	16	13	3
$10,000 to $29,999	15	7	12
$30,000 to $49,999	5	4	2
$50,000 and over	4	1	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	22	60	75	112	279	
25 to 149 days	28	177	123	1 526	74	418
Less than 25 days	97		767		90	
Total contract labor	11	19	(NA)	(NA)	8	18
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	126	22	28	97
Cash wages paid $1,000	443	279	74	90
Number of workers	965	75	123	767
Farms with—				
1 worker	38	7	10	32
2 workers	13	4	8	7
3 or 4 workers	19	6	2	14
5 to 9 workers	22	4	4	17
10 workers and over	34	1	4	27

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	277	387	149	137
Land in farms — acres	103 621	114 539	86 480	85 357
Average size of farm — acres	374	296	580	623
Approximate land area — acres	308 480	308 480	308 480	308 480
Proportion in farms — percent	33.6	37.1	28.0	27.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	46 142	27 452	39 126	21 376
Average per farm — dollars	166 579	70 935	262 589	156 027
Average per acre — dollars	445	240	452	250
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	10	8	1	2
10 to 49 acres	38	75	9	5
50 to 69 acres	28	31	12	4
70 to 99 acres	24	58	8	6
100 to 139 acres	31	43	13	8
140 to 179 acres	17	22	6	10
180 to 219 acres	11	21	7	11
220 to 259 acres	17	22	9	12
260 to 499 acres	47	54	35	32
500 to 999 acres	34	37	29	31
1,000 to 1,999 acres	13	10	13	10
2,000 acres and over	7	6	7	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	253	363	142	132
acres	44 570	42 587	38 973	32 831
Harvested cropland — farms	202	277	129	121
acres	31 502	23 845	30 649	21 997
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	40	88	10	
10 to 19 acres	42	54	8	36
20 to 29 acres	17	24	12	
30 to 49 acres	18	26	15	
50 to 99 acres	16	27	15	27
100 to 199 acres	31	21	31	21
200 to 499 acres	20	28	20	28
500 to 999 acres	12	7	12	7
1,000 acres and over	6	2	6	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	160	208	85	80
acres	10 884	11 986	6 809	7 582
Other cropland (see text) — farms	63	211	39	(NA)
acres	2 184	6 756	1 515	3 252
Total woodland — farms	227	306	131	112
acres	46 796	54 316	38 515	40 860
Other land (see text) — farms	216	270	108	(NA)
acres	12 255	17 636	8 992	11 666
Irrigated land — farms	6	16	3	16
acres	579	1 436	575	1 436

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	39	(NA)
acres	1 515	3 252
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	22	26
acres	909	874
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	5
acres	67	145
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	7	8
acres	191	464
Cropland idle — farms	12	46
acres	348	1 769
Total woodland — farms	131	112
acres	38 515	40 860
Woodland pastured — farms	66	53
acres	9 150	12 502

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	82	79
acres	29 365	28 358
Other land — farms	108	(NA)
acres	8 992	11 666
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	41	32
acres	5 431	9 062
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	34	26
acres	4 155	4 501
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	13
acres	1 276	4 561
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	91	92
acres	3 561	2 604

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	277	387	149	137
Land in farms — acres	103 621	114 539	86 480	85 357
Harvested cropland — acres	31 502	23 845	30 649	21 997
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	194	295	84	71
Land in farms — acres	53 731	74 158	38 924	47 140
Harvested cropland — acres	6 179	6 363	5 489	4 865
Part owners — number	68	68	53	57
Land in farms — acres	44 151	37 957	41 912	36 845
Harvested cropland — acres	22 896	16 465	22 767	16 305
Tenants — number	15	24	12	9
Land in farms — acres	5 739	2 424	5 644	1 372
Harvested cropland — acres	2 427	1 017	2 393	827
Percent of tenancy	5.4	6.2	8.1	6.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	38	81	14	2
Land in farms — acres	6 207	6 093	4 724	822
Harvested cropland — acres	1 416	851	1 226	298
Full owners — number	29	67	9	–
Land in farms — acres	4 780	4 684	3 865	–
Harvested cropland — acres	1 189	415	1 055	–
Part owners — number	8	4	5	2
Land in farms — acres	1 397	1 022	859	822
Harvested cropland — acres	197	314	171	298
Tenants — number	1	10	–	–
Land in farms — acres	30	387	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	30	122	–	–
Percent of tenancy	2.6	12.3	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	121	112
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	60 393	67 165

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	25	24
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	24 862	17 789
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 225	403
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	4	3	3
25 to 34 years	10	15	3	9
35 to 44 years	45	60	14	30
45 to 54 years	59	89	35	30
55 to 64 years	93	113	52	46
65 years and over	62	106	39	19
Average age	55.4	56.1	57.1	52.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	171	271	95	90
On another farm	3		3	
In a rural area, not on a farm	14	79	5	36
In a city, town, or urban area	31		17	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	92	(NA)	57	(NA)
1 to 49 days	9	32	3	11
50 to 99 days	8	23	4	7
100 to 149 days	7	30	7	8
150 to 199 days	5		5	
200 days and over	92	141	27	42
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	132	(NA)	99	(NA)
Other	142	(NA)	47	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	28	44	28	44
$40,000 to $99,999	25		25	
$20,000 to $39,999	21	14	21	14
$10,000 to $19,999	15	22	15	22
$5,000 to $9,999	25	21	25	21
$2,500 to $4,999	28	33	28	33
Under $2,500 (see text)	135	253	7	3
$2,000 to $2,499	28	14	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	21	23	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	22	35	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	64	181	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	11 179	6 728	11 038	6 559
Average per farm ... dollars	40 359	17 384	74 079	47 874
Crops, including hay ... farms	146	213	107	(NA)
$1,000	7 607	3 548	7 565	3 494
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	23	38	20	27
$1,000	219	280	218	271
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	196	233	104	102
$1,000	3 353	2 900	3 255	2 793
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	16	(NA)	13	11
$1,000	1 250	(NA)	1 250	1 257

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	107	(NA)
$1,000	7 565	3 494
Grains ... farms	87	73
$1,000	1 849	400
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	14	68
$1,000	457	428
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	23	21
$1,000	67	43
Other field crops ... farms	8	5
$1,000	23	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	9	4
$1,000	30	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	32	43
$1,000	5 140	2 615
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	104	102
$1,000	3 255	2 793
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	13	11
$1,000	1 250	1 257
Dairy products ... farms	18	18
$1,000	1 272	819
Cattle and calves ... farms	96	(NA)
$1,000	481	585
Hogs and pigs ... farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	241	131
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	1	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	1	
$1,000	10	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	121	(NA)	34	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	88	(NA)	49	(NA)
$1,000	159	(NA)	140	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	23	28	15	17
$1,000	102	93	99	90
Recreational services ... farms	2	3	1	1
$1,000	3	2	(Z)	1
Government farm programs ... farms	43	214	25	83
$1,000	22	418	17	363
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	27	(NA)	14	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)	22	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	11	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	32	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	82	(NA)	73	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	69
$1,000	981
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	14
$1,000	146
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	47
$1,000	678
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	29
$1,000	107
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	19
$1,000	47
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	5
$1,000	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	276	387	149	137
$1,000	8 954	5 894	8 765	5 648
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	58	160	–	11
$1,000 to $1,999	54	60	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	27	40	15	6
$3,000 to $4,999	26	19	19	13
$5,000 to $9,999	25	29	17	28
$10,000 to $19,999	16	79	16	27
$20,000 to $39,999	15		15	18
$40,000 to $59,999	18		18	34
$60,000 and over	37		37	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	93	124	54	50
$1,000	472	349	460	330
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	191	221	97	87
$1,000	1 733	1 134	1 692	1 097
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	158	134	92	75
$1,000	1 512	1 042	1 490	1 031
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	12
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	19
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	184	43
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	15
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	134	223	87	100
$1,000	153	94	149	85
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	223	329	129	127
$1,000	1 079	631	1 036	575
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	113	(NA)	84	(NA)
$1,000	583	308	580	303
Lime ... farms	(NA)	72	27	57
$1,000	(NA)	45	47	42
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	267	368	148	137
$1,000	401	260	380	224
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	142	137
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	196	150
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	99	55
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	121	40
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	17
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	10
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	148	137
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	24
Hired farm labor ... farms	106	181	81	110
$1,000	1 389	1 047	1 380	1 031
Contract labor ... farms	15	115	13	26
$1,000	354	463	353	335
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	72		48	58
$1,000	246		243	120
All other production expenses ... farms	253	298	149	137
$1,000	2 546	1 609	2 473	1 548

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	258	363	142	134
$1,000	6 441	3 323	5 507	2 594
Average per farm—dollars	24 963	9 154	38 783	19 357
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	42	–	41
$1,000 to $4,999	56	184	17	
$5,000 to $9,999	72	55	22	29
$10,000 to $19,999	48	36	30	19
$20,000 to $29,999	16	46	12	16
$30,000 to $49,999	31		30	18
$50,000 to $69,999	13		11	11
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	187	221	105	96
number	297	339	187	173
mfd in last 5 years, number	148	222	109	121
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	200	267	129	115
number	392	437	309	265
mfd in last 5 years, number	161	224	133	128
Wheel tractors—farms	219	297	131	126
number	593	554	479	356
mfd in last 5 years, number	203	230	187	158
Crawler tractors—farms	11		9	3
number	11		9	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		1	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	52	46	48	43
number	54	48	50	45
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	32	25	31
Corn heads for combines—farms	6	15	4	4
number	6	17	4	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	3	2	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	11		7	10
number	11		7	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	58	(NA)	33	(NA)
number	61	(NA)	34	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	22	(NA)	17	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	71	65	53	51
number	76	68	57	54
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	23	23	18
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	42	(NA)	34	30
number	44	(NA)	36	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	21	11
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	10	14
number	15	(NA)	13	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	3	7

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	213	(X)	107	(X)	196	(X)	104	(X)	3 255
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	197	(X)	98	(X)	185	(X)	99	(X)	723
1969	262	(X)	99	(X)	226	(X)	99	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	189	12 491	97	10 092	175	3 804	96	3 109	481
1969	239	10 655	96	8 536	209	4 655	96	3 807	585
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	9	19	3	9	37	113	11	37	11
5 to 9—1974	12	91	2	11	38	252	16	115	18
10 to 19—1974	32	442	8	110	41	563	17	229	34
20 to 49—1974	68	2 012	30	919	36	1 186	29	1 038	136
50 to 99—1974	33	2 244	19	1 360	19	1 060	19	1 060	171
100 to 199—1974	21	3 194	21	3 194	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	12	(D)	12	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	168	7 778	89	6 252	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	200	5 781	91	4 791	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	148	6 283	74	4 810	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 394	74	3 469	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	36	1 495	23	1 442	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	62	1 387	28	1 322	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	1 272
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	819

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	148	6 283	74	4 810			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	9	25	2	8			
5 to 9	14	97	3	18			
10 to 19	36	492	13	177			
20 to 49	54	1 483	27	770			
50 to 99	19	1 349	13	1 000			
100 to 199	13	1 863	13	1 863			
200 to 499	3	974	3	974			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	36	1 495	23	1 442			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	11	17	3	6			
3 or 4	1	3	1	3			
5 to 9	4	25	2	13			
10 to 19	3	30	–	–			
20 to 49	3	95	3	95			
50 to 99	9	642	9	642			
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					63	1 057	236
Farms with—							
1 to 4					17	42	18
5 to 9					13	89	23
10 to 19					15	195	51
20 to 49					16	497	96
50 to 99					1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					83	2 052	245
Farms with—							
1 or 2					9	12	1
3 or 4					6	24	2
5 to 9					10	72	5
10 to 19					18	239	27
20 to 49					27	791	76
50 to 99					11	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	61	2 040	5	64	20
	1969	81	2 495	3	50	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	45	1 609	3	6	(D)
Milk heifers	1974	18	431	2	58	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	60	1 800	–	–	–
	1969	80	1 250	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			5	64	20
	1969			3	50	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			3	6	(D)
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			2	58	(D)
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	42	1 569	21	1 389	30	3 433	19	3 336	241
	1969	75	1 736	16	1 184	45	3 854	13	3 380	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	15	31	2	4	3	12	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	10	71	8	56	6	53	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	11	158	7	98	11	166	9	134	11
25 to 49	1974	3	109	1	31	1	28	1	28	3
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	3	162	3	162	8
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	3	462	3	462	30
200 to 499	1974	3	1 200	3	1 200	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	695	6	656	19
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	455	2	(D)	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	32	1	32	1	22	1	22	(NA)
	1969	3	220	3	220	3	52	3	52	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	22	[1]136
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	66	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	40	160	13	87	1	10	1	10	10
	1969	39	128	(NA)	(NA)	5	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	13	137	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	11	243	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	27	205	16	176
Other hogs and pigs	1974	15	1 252		1969	33	504	13	429
	1969	11	941	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	19	90	11	72
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	10		1969	30	258	12	219
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	20	June 1 and November 30	1974	22	115	15	104
Rams and wethers	1974	1	2		1969	26	246	12	210

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	40	(X)	18	(X)	11	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	38	210 110	16	209 568	9	314 314	9	314 314
	1969	53	150 035	13	149 098	8	152 215	6	152 175
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	35	99 784	14	99 263	7	95 104	7	95 104
	1969	51	129 888	12	(D)	7	103 215	5	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	31	784	10	263	2	4	2	4
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	8	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	4	65	1	20	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	1 250	13	1 250
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	1 257

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	14	99 263	7	95 104
	1969	12	(D)	5	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	(D)	6	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	2	(D)	2	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	3	(D)	1	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	(D)	–	–
	1969	1	(D)	1	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	3	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	63	121	1 224	1 801	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	21	20	794	793	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	90	80	16 304	8 376	345 395	187 523
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	4	5	4	2 931	1 675
Wheat (bushels)	37	70	1 215	728	37 167	28 550
Other small grains for grain	41	62	1 150	1 399	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	15	151	1 790	3 990	2 015	4 092
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	5	(NA)	212	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	37	(NA)	4 609	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	100	100	3 599	2 638	7 801	5 914
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	15	85	28	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	43	57	6 876	4 853	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	14	158	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	33	27	633	940	23 111	44 842	–	1	–	19
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	7	360	384	5 200	6 010	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	5	126	334	6 627	5 255	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	16	(NA)	661	427	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	1	224	100	230	90	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	85	6 809	(X)	–	–	41	2 881	38	517	8	250
	1969	80	7 582	(X)	–	–	58	4 534	58	1 418	10	51
Improved pasture	1974	34	4 155	(X)	–	–	19	2 098	19	406	5	63
	1969	26	4 501	(X)	–	–	18	3 256	17	817	1	10
Corn for all purposes	1974	35	993	(X)	–	–	25	783	25	153	5	57
	1969	32	1 324	(X)	1	19	23	717	23	243	2	35
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	19	787	(X)	–	–	14	452	14	112	1	3
	1969	15	761	(X)	–	–	14	661	13	127	3	9
Wheat (bushels)	1974	30	1 179	36 513	–	–	24	1 078	24	212	4	26
	1969	39	619	25 465	–	–	33	581	(NA)	192	(NA)	4
Oats (bushels)	1974	25	546	29 531	–	–	17	511	17	90	2	22
	1969	25	501	19 233	–	–	20	387	(NA)	126	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels)	1974	8	137	6 600	–	–	8	137	8	23	–	–
	1969	17	436	24 735	–	–	14	362	(NA)	117	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	21	423	9 033	–	–	12	343	12	94	2	3
	1969	16	334	10 094	–	–	14	325	(NA)	79	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	4	32	(X)	–	–	2	30	2	8	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	78	16 144	342 872	–	–	60	12 123	57	1 778	3	255
	1969	63	8 096	182 970	–	–	50	6 464	(NA)	1 494	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	4	2 074	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	72	3 273	7 201	–	–	37	1 655	37	453	5	72
	1969	59	2 245	5 197	2	55	38	1 409	38	492	4	23
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	75	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	14	1 785	2 010	–	–	14	1 735	14	443	3	53
	1969	70	3 623	3 840	2	109	63	3 563	(NA)	1 739	(NA)	71
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	9	49	(X)	–	–	4	27	4	14	–	–
	1969	4	9	(X)	1	3	2	7	2	9	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	38	6 812	(X)	3	(D)	27	5 096	27	2 193	2	2
	1969	45	4 787	(X)	11	1 248	40	4 647	40	1 965	1	100

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	8	48	(X)	–	–	6	44	7	17	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	131	129
$1,000	1 616	878
Commercial fertilizer—farms	129	116
acres on which used	28 993	26 929
tons	7 319	9 131
$1,000	1 036	575
Lime—farms	27	57
acres on which used	3 655	6 063
tons	3 880	5 578
$1,000	47	42
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	105
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	29	55
acres on which used	8 120	8 386
$1,000	180	145
Nematodes in crops—farms	5	5
acres on which used	1 880	272
$1,000	23	9

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	13	12
acres on which used	3 417	2 513
$1,000	154	60
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	45	42
acres on which used	14 993	6 114
$1,000	139	35
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	8	14
acres on which used	788	819
$1,000	3	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	37	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	7	34
acres on which used	1 072	1 892
$1,000	5	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	15	27
$1,000	3	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	18	(NA)
$1,000	28	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	16
Proportion of farms—percent	2.0	11.6
Total land irrigated—acres	575	1 436
Average per farm—acres	191.7	89.7
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	16
acres	575	1 436
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	16
acres	575	1 436
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	383	979
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.7	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	100	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	475	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	8 460	13 282
Cropland—acres	4 673	8 342
Harvested cropland—acres	4 518	6 314
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	5	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	470	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	7	11
Proportion of farms—percent	4.7	8.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	5 756	4 469
Land drained—acres	144	762
Average per farm—acres	20.6	69.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	51	(NA)
number	153	(NA)
acres	645	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	49	44	19
$1,000	2 717	1 985	732
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	7	7	4
$5,000 to $9,999	7	6	2
$10,000 to $29,999	9	10	7
$30,000 to $49,999	11	12	–
$50,000 and over	15	9	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	56	58	282	259	1 042	1 031
25 to 149 days	33	83	430	765	260	
Less than 25 days	39		382		79	
Total contract labor	13	26	(NA)	(NA)	353	335
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	609	(NA)	308	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	81	56	33	39
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 380	1 042	260	79
Number of workers	1 094	282	430	382
Farms with—				
1 worker	12	15	12	7
2 workers	19	16	4	6
3 or 4 workers	14	9	6	6
5 to 9 workers	11	10	4	5
10 workers and over	25	6	7	15

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	215	313	87	75
Land in farms — acres	81 492	104 799	54 312	60 367
Average size of farm — acres	379	335	624	805
Approximate land area — acres	445 568	445 568	445 568	445 568
Proportion in farms — percent	18.3	23.5	12.2	13.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	28 816	16 534	19 391	9 158
Average per farm — dollars	134 029	52 824	222 881	122 100
Average per acre — dollars	354	158	357	152
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	4	6	1	–
10 to 49 acres	22	42	4	1
50 to 69 acres	26	23	2	2
70 to 99 acres	19	34	4	1
100 to 139 acres	28	29	8	5
140 to 179 acres	10	26	5	6
180 to 219 acres	14	29	6	4
220 to 259 acres	12	22	2	–
260 to 499 acres	32	49	18	17
500 to 999 acres	25	33	19	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	19	13	14	13
2,000 acres and over	4	7	4	6

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	10	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	100	1 671
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	4
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	1	280
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	2
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	8	45
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	5
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	80	170
Cropland idle — farms	7	12
Cropland idle — acres	11	1 176
Total woodland — farms	73	65
Total woodland — acres	32 849	36 165
Woodland pastured — farms	59	46
Woodland pastured — acres	16 973	16 908

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	192	277	76	69
Total cropland — acres	21 422	24 287	13 810	14 259
Harvested cropland — farms	112	163	62	53
Harvested cropland — acres	4 246	5 285	3 608	4 245
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	32	73	7	
10 to 19 acres	29	42	16	29
20 to 29 acres	13	13	8	
30 to 49 acres	12	10	5	
50 to 99 acres	14	8	14	7
100 to 199 acres	8	12	8	12
200 to 499 acres	4	3	4	3
500 to 999 acres	–	2	–	2
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	155	217	56	50
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	16 281	15 718	10 102	8 343
Other cropland (see text) — farms	34	62	10	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	895	3 284	100	1 671
Total woodland — farms	172	259	73	65
Total woodland — acres	50 051	61 850	32 849	36 165
Other land (see text) — farms	139	207	56	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	10 019	18 662	7 653	9 943
Irrigated land — farms	–	–	–	–
Irrigated land — acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	46	34
Woodland not pastured — acres	15 876	19 257
Other land — farms	56	(NA)
Other land — acres	7 653	9 943
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	25	26
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	6 636	7 756
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	18
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 952	4 794
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	18
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 684	2 962
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	42	44
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	1 017	2 187

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	215	313	87	75
Land in farms — acres	81 492	104 799	54 312	60 367
Harvested cropland — acres	4 246	5 285	3 608	4 245
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	166	267	64	56
Land in farms — acres	55 683	76 666	32 722	36 562
Harvested cropland — acres	2 121	2 891	1 744	2 023
Part owners — number	42	37	20	17
Land in farms — acres	24 863	26 976	20 838	23 005
Harvested cropland — acres	2 027	2 247	1 808	2 109
Tenants — number	7	9	3	2
Land in farms — acres	946	1 157	752	800
Harvested cropland — acres	98	147	56	113
Percent of tenancy	3.3	2.8	3.4	2.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	49	106	9	6
Land in farms — acres	8 233	15 480	2 995	2 684
Harvested cropland — acres	328	771	199	245
Full owners — number	46	91	7	5
Land in farms — acres	7 987	12 349	2 759	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	300	694	175	245
Part owners — number	2	9	2	1
Land in farms — acres	236	2 954	236	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	24	50	24	–
Tenants — number	1	6	–	–
Land in farms — acres	10	177	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	4	27	–	–
Percent of tenancy	2.0	5.6	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	79	66
Individual or family — acres	(NA)	(NA)	47 648	52 215

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	9
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	8 152
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	2	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	9	11	5	2
35 to 44 years	14	33	3	18
45 to 54 years	47	51	19	12
55 to 64 years	60	108	25	22
65 years and over	82	110	34	21
Average age	58.9	58.8	59.3	56.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	127	209	48	48
On another farm	11		6	
In a rural area, not on a farm	6	56	2	15
In a city, town, or urban area	23		13	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	51	(NA)	22	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	16	5	6
50 to 99 days	3	12	–	5
100 to 149 days	5	18	2	4
150 to 199 days	2		2	
200 days and over	105	152	28	26
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	86	(NA)	51	(NA)
Other	128	(NA)	35	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	1	7	1	7
$40,000 to $99,999	4		4	
$20,000 to $39,999	9	8	9	8
$10,000 to $19,999	14	9	14	9
$5,000 to $9,999	30	24	30	24
$2,500 to $4,999	28	26	28	26
Under $2,500 (see text)	129	239	1	1
$2,000 to $2,499	6	9	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	18	25	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	32	33	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	73	172	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	1 259	1 162	1 144	1 004
Average per farm (dollars)	5 857	3 712	13 155	13 385
Crops, including hay — farms	59	79	31	(NA)
Crops, including hay — $1,000	158	169	141	151
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	–		–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products — $1,000	–		–	–
Forest products — farms	45	60	39	32
Forest products — $1,000	359	230	358	222
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	176	226	80	70
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	742	762	645	631
Poultry and poultry products — farms	5	(NA)	5	6
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	11

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops — farms	31	(NA)
Crops — $1,000	141	151
Grains — farms	19	14
Grains — $1,000	60	57
Tobacco — farms	–	–
Tobacco — $1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed — farms	–	1
Cotton and cottonseed — $1,000	–	(D)
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — farms	13	21
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — $1,000	62	60
Other field crops — farms	3	2
Other field crops — $1,000	2	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — farms	2	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — $1,000	6	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries — farms	3	4
Fruits, nuts, and berries — $1,000	13	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	80	70
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	645	631
Poultry and poultry products — farms	5	6
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	(Z)	11
Dairy products — farms	3	7
Dairy products — $1,000	149	115
Cattle and calves — farms	79	(NA)
Cattle and calves — $1,000	447	486
Hogs and pigs — farms	9	(NA)
Hogs and pigs — $1,000	(D)	20
Sheep, lambs, and wool — farms	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool — $1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products — farms	2	
Other livestock and livestock products — $1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	134	(NA)	35	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — farms	57	(NA)	30	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — $1,000	40	(NA)	31	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	8	18	5	8
Customwork and other agricultural services — $1,000	10	14	8	7
Recreational services — farms	2	5	2	2
Recreational services — $1,000	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Government farm programs — farms	44	138	23	42
Government farm programs — $1,000	23	83	18	62
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	7	(NA)	5	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — $1,000	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — $1,000	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — farms	14	(NA)	6	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — $1,000	14	(NA)	8	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — farms	57
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — $1,000	721
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — farms	12
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — $1,000	122
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — farms	31
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — $1,000	365
Interest, dividends, or royalties — farms	35
Interest, dividends, or royalties — $1,000	100
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — farms	20
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — $1,000	63
Rent income of nonfarm property — farms	8
Rent income of nonfarm property — $1,000	70

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses — farms	212	313	87	75
Total farm production expenses — $1,000	1 113	953	947	721
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	73	163	2	12
$1,000 to $1,999	37	56	9	
$2,000 to $2,999	36	35	20	13
$3,000 to $4,999	16	21	12	12
$5,000 to $9,999	22	17	16	17
$10,000 to $19,999	18		18	11
$20,000 to $39,999	5	21	5	6
$40,000 to $59,999	3		3	4
$60,000 and over	2		2	
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	67	124	36	34
Livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	130	203	101	162
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — farms	181	235	77	63
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	262	142	222	97
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	142	131	70	51
Commercially mixed formula feeds — $1,000	219	84	199	67
Feed ingredients — farms	(NA)	(NA)	19	12
Feed ingredients — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	15
Whole grains — farms	(NA)	(NA)	8	11
Whole grains — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	13
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	6
Hay, green chop, and silage — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	2
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — farms	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — farms	63	114	34	30
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — $1,000	12	12	10	8
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	149	236	69	62
Commercial fertilizer purchased — $1,000	187	144	165	113
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — farms	40	(NA)	22	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — $1,000	12	19	10	16
Lime — farms	(NA)	43	10	18
Lime — $1,000	(NA)	8	6	5
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	198	286	87	75
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — $1,000	98	76	73	49
Gasoline — farms	(NA)	(NA)	75	72
Gasoline — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	31
Diesel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	29
Diesel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	12
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
LP gas, butane, and propane — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	87	75
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	5
Hired farm labor — farms	64	150	44	55
Hired farm labor — $1,000	79	110	75	91
Contract labor — farms	5	72	4	3
Contract labor — $1,000	(D)	25	(D)	5
Machine hire and customwork — farms	40		30	23
Machine hire and customwork — $1,000	(D)		(D)	14
All other production expenses — farms	183	223	86	74
All other production expenses — $1,000	300	222	250	165

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	197	280	81	73
$1,000	2 139	1 112	1 234	592
Average per farm — dollars	10 858	3 972	15 236	8 113
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	5	48	–	37
$1,000 to $4,999	61	167	23	
$5,000 to $9,999	57	40	13	13
$10,000 to $19,999	46	16	23	15
$20,000 to $29,999	19	9	13	6
$30,000 to $49,999	7		7	1
$50,000 to $69,999	–		–	1
$70,000 and over	2		2	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	141	193	59	53
number	182	257	77	70
mfd in last 5 years, number	85	178	47	56
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	153	199	66	64
number	205	249	105	101
mfd in last 5 years, number	68	103	40	55
Wheel tractors — farms	164	190	77	63
number	221	256	125	107
mfd in last 5 years, number	53	97	42	48
Crawler tractors — farms	12		6	6
number	12		6	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	2	6	2	6
number	2	6	2	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	4	–	4
Corn heads for combines — farms	–	3	–	1
number	–	3	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	1	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	3		3	2
number	3		3	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	1
Mower conditioners — farms	30	(NA)	11	(NA)
number	35	(NA)	14	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	7	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	46	45	34	34
number	48	47	36	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	27	20	22
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	23	(NA)	15	24
number	25	(NA)	17	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	7	14
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	3	(NA)	2	2
number	3	(NA)	2	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	185	(X)	78	(X)	176	(X)	80	(X)	645
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	181	(X)	77	(X)	170	(X)	79	(X)	472
1969	254	(X)	68	(X)	218	(X)	66	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	179	8 310	77	6 543	165	3 449	79	2 785	447
1969	245	7 419	68	5 124	213	4 171	66	3 119	486
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	15	40	–	–	18	59	4	10	2
5 to 9 — 1974	14	94	4	30	58	390	7	53	4
10 to 19 — 1974	43	587	4	60	36	487	18	269	42
20 to 49 — 1974	62	1 828	26	822	38	1 244	35	1 184	183
50 to 99 — 1974	22	1 569	20	1 439	12	835	12	835	124
100 to 199 — 1974	17	2 446	17	2 446	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 — 1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over — 1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	147	4 882	76	3 879	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	198	3 797	54	2 672	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	143	4 667	76	3 692	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 453	48	2 421	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	21	215	9	187	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	51	344	11	251	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	149
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	115

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	143	4 667	76	3 692			
Farms with —							
1 to 4	9	24	1	2			
5 to 9	22	164	4	30			
10 to 19	36	454	14	179			
20 to 49	50	1 512	31	968			
50 to 99	16	1 155	16	1 155			
100 to 199	9	(D)	9	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	21	215	9	187			
Farms with —							
1 or 2	9	12	2	3			
3 or 4	7	26	2	7			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	2	20	2	20			
20 to 49	1	(D)	1	(D)			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					62	1 453	287
Farms with —							
1 to 4					9	22	4
5 to 9					10	68	12
10 to 19					17	225	44
20 to 49					20	626	125
50 to 99					4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					67	1 332	160
Farms with —							
1 or 2					5	5	1
3 or 4					1	3	(Z)
5 to 9					6	47	3
10 to 19					25	342	40
20 to 49					28	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	48	1 162
	1969	52	1 093
Beef heifers	1974	48	1 085
Milk heifers	1974	6	77
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	66	1 502
	1969	63	1 359

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	4	98	23
	1969	–	–	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	4	98	23
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	27	575	12	418	16	424	9	358	(D)
	1969	60	570	10	174	24	285	7	161	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	12	35	3	11	2	8	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	3	20	–	–	2	16	1	8	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	6	84	5	69	6	74	2	24	2
25 to 49	1974	5	206	3	108	5	186	5	186	11
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	140	1	140	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	230	1	230	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	58	4	43	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	93	3	43	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	12	1	12	1	7	1	7	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	18	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	10	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	25	73	13	40	2	11	1	1	11
	1969	32	101	(NA)	(NA)	4	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	43
	1969	5	28
Other hogs and pigs	1974	12	375
	1969	10	146
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	20	75	5	41
	1969	19	65	5	32
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	17	42	5	22
	1969	18	45	5	19
June 1 and November 30	1974	13	33	4	19
	1969	11	20	5	13

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	31	(X)	17	(X)	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	30	583	16	367	1	10	1	10
	1969	68	(D)	10	(D)	6	1 242	2	1 200
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	30	557	16	360	1	10	1	10
	1969	66	3 313	10	(D)	6	1 242	2	1 200
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	30	557	16	360	1	10	1	10
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	9	92	4	87	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(Z)	5	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	11

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	16	360	1	10
	1969	10	(D)	2	1 200
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	16	360	1	10
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	7	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	24	58	222	405	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	8	136	215	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	12	7	258	273	6 248	6 240
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	8	4	7	1 200	6 650
Wheat (bushels)	7	9	104	236	3 132	7 080
Other small grains for grain	15	23	354	502	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	19	8	374	3	231
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	4	(NA)	904	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	87	104	3 147	2 717	5 672	4 485
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	6	15	17	32	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	7	17	40	54	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	4	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	129	585	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	8	9	157	206	10 000	6 711	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	6	68	211	(D)	10 051	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	60	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	–	112	–	243	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	56	10 102	(X)	–	–	34	3 819	34	660	7	67
	1969	50	8 343	(X)	–	–	34	3 768	34	785	4	34
Improved pasture	1974	20	2 952	(X)	–	–	10	1 071	10	160	–	–
	1969	18	4 794	(X)	–	–	10	1 999	10	329	4	31
Corn for all purposes	1974	8	157	(X)	–	–	8	157	8	40	–	–
	1969	9	206	(X)	–	–	4	148	4	42	1	1
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	128	(X)	–	–	3	120	3	28	–	–
	1969	6	211	(X)	–	–	6	211	6	49	5	24
Wheat (bushels)	1974	7	104	3 132	–	–	2	90	2	24	–	–
	1969	4	217	6 580	–	–	3	117	(NA)	28	(NA)	11
Oats (bushels)	1974	13	200	12 600	–	–	7	76	7	19	2	3
	1969	5	112	6 910	–	–	5	67	(NA)	13	(NA)	10
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	229	14 880	–	–	2	69	(NA)	12	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	150	2 000	–	–	1	150	1	35	–	–
	1969	2	110	1 750	–	–	2	110	(NA)	23	(NA)	1
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	11	230	5 748	–	–	3	70	3	15	–	–
	1969	3	237	5 340	–	–	3	237	(NA)	45	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	400	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–
	1969	1	–	50	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	49	2 637	5 075	–	–	24	1 343	24	347	7	124
	1969	42	2 101	3 864	–	–	19	1 022	19	281	6	65
Field seed crops	1974	3	126	(X)	–	–	2	26	2	6	1	2
	1969	8	549	(X)	–	–	4	201	2	33	2	7
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	300	178	–	–	1	300	(NA)	90	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	2	12	(X)	–	–	2	11	2	6	–	–
	1969	2	15	(X)	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	4	37	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	32	(X)	–	–	1	12	1	5	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	4	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	2	4	(X)	–	–	2	2	3	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	69	62
$1,000	174	129
Commercial fertilizer—farms	69	50
acres on which used	6 939	8 276
tons	1 535	1 930
$1,000	165	113
Lime—farms	10	18
acres on which used	625	956
tons	655	914
$1,000	6	5
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Insects on hay crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	27	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	4	320
$1,000	(Z)	4
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	5	8
acres on which used	413	811
$1,000	1	5
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	3
acres on which used	20	245
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	160	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	9	20
$1,000	1	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	6	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	30	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2	1
Proportion of farms—percent	2.3	1.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	654	(D)
Land drained—acres	104	60
Average per farm—acres	52.0	60.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	42	(NA)
number	176	(NA)
acres	313	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	19	11	10
$1,000	789	677	112
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	3	3	1
$5,000 to $9,999	6	1	6
$10,000 to $29,999	4	1	3
$30,000 to $49,999	3	3	–
$50,000 and over	3	3	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	10	17	16	27	43	91
25 to 149 days	12	43	30	185	13	
Less than 25 days	30		238		19	
Total contract labor	4	3	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	5
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	15	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working— 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	44	10	12	30
Cash wages paid $1,000	75	43	13	19
Number of workers	284	16	30	238
Farms with—				
1 worker	15	6	5	8
2 workers	3	2	2	4
3 or 4 workers	14	2	3	9
5 to 9 workers	7	–	2	4
10 workers and over	5	–	–	5

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 727	2 543	1 479	1 759
Land in farms — acres	278 609	315 711	265 832	280 297
Average size of farm — acres	161	124	180	159
Approximate land area — acres	515 200	515 200	515 200	515 200
Proportion in farms — percent	54.1	61.3	51.6	54.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	153 681	113 681	143 344	98 564
Average per farm — dollars	88 987	44 703	96 920	56 034
Average per acre — dollars	552	360	539	352
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	131	202	76	68
10 to 49 acres	514	914	380	481
50 to 69 acres	198	284	175	220
70 to 99 acres	212	295	192	225
100 to 139 acres	201	288	192	240
140 to 179 acres	88	151	88	136
180 to 219 acres	63	83	63	75
220 to 259 acres	68	59	66	58
260 to 499 acres	143	158	140	150
500 to 999 acres	80	76	79	73
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	25	17	25
2,000 acres and over	12	8	11	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 698	2 478	1 471	1 752
acres	134 434	162 467	129 957	148 088
Harvested cropland — farms	1 674	2 398	1 465	1 740
acres	119 481	113 146	116 703	105 523
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	271	567	171	
10 to 19 acres	308	542	229	1 167
20 to 29 acres	218	346	194	
30 to 49 acres	279	366	275	
50 to 99 acres	280	297	280	295
100 to 199 acres	186	187	185	186
200 to 499 acres	105	79	104	78
500 to 999 acres	22	12	22	12
1,000 acres and over	5	2	5	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	290	582	231	426
acres	4 788	9 760	3 876	8 137
Other cropland (see text) — farms	381	1 227	350	(NA)
acres	10 165	39 561	9 378	34 428
Total woodland — farms	1 017	1 531	904	1 131
acres	111 546	129 566	105 874	114 855
Other land (see text) — farms	1 047	1 538	893	(NA)
acres	32 629	23 678	30 001	17 354
Irrigated land — farms	28	61	24	57
acres	243	717	231	662

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	350	(NA)
acres	9 378	34 428
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	75	108
acres	1 520	2 820
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	31	101
acres	966	2 265
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	32	60
acres	922	2 512
Cropland idle — farms	249	784
acres	5 970	26 831
Total woodland — farms	904	1 131
acres	105 874	114 855
Woodland pastured — farms	231	312
acres	21 737	16 636

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	752	954
acres	84 137	98 219
Other land — farms	893	(NA)
acres	30 001	17 354
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	117	121
acres	10 891	4 420
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	64	50
acres	1 983	1 637
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	55	76
acres	8 908	2 783
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	862	994
acres	19 110	12 934

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 727	2 543	1 479	1 759
Land in farms — acres	278 609	315 711	265 832	280 297
Harvested cropland — acres	119 481	113 146	116 703	105 523
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	962	1 332	746	736
Land in farms — acres	133 741	142 394	121 631	113 192
Harvested cropland — acres	40 044	35 849	37 614	30 350
Part owners — number	461	619	443	553
Land in farms — acres	107 104	136 307	106 653	132 785
Harvested cropland — acres	56 534	56 261	56 296	55 455
Tenants — number	304	592	290	470
Land in farms — acres	37 764	37 010	37 548	34 320
Harvested cropland — acres	22 903	21 036	22 793	19 718
Percent of tenancy	17.6	23.2	19.6	26.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	353	712	273	389
Land in farms — acres	17 329	30 243	15 381	22 110
Harvested cropland — acres	8 226	11 813	7 717	9 452
Full owners — number	196	362	128	130
Land in farms — acres	7 180	14 960	5 457	8 756
Harvested cropland — acres	2 952	4 224	2 543	2 714
Part owners — number	92	114	83	81
Land in farms — acres	7 547	8 228	7 348	7 228
Harvested cropland — acres	3 545	2 994	3 468	2 653
Tenants — number	65	236	62	178
Land in farms — acres	2 602	7 055	2 576	6 126
Harvested cropland — acres	1 729	4 595	1 706	4 085
Percent of tenancy	18.4	33.1	22.7	45.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	1 312	1 557
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	225 785	237 326

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	153	145
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	29 829	29 366
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	12	40
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 018	11 058
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	17
acres	(NA)	(NA)	200	2 547
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	23	33	18	19
25 to 34 years	140	165	120	125
35 to 44 years	325	505	288	376
45 to 54 years	410	771	360	560
55 to 64 years	510	738	444	528
65 years and over	303	331	235	151
Average age	52.5	51.4	52.2	50.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	945	1 715	817	1 230
On another farm	116		92	
In a rural area, not on a farm	80	482	71	322
In a city, town, or urban area	130		111	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	737	(NA)	668	(NA)
1 to 49 days	61	190	55	125
50 to 99 days	46	164	35	116
100 to 149 days	51	218	34	106
150 to 199 days	55		46	
200 days and over	320	596	234	324
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	1 316	(NA)	1 175	(NA)
Other	395	(NA)	290	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	27	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	99	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	83	105	83	105
$40,000 to $99,999	208		206	
$20,000 to $39,999	290	220	290	220
$10,000 to $19,999	330	370	330	370
$5,000 to $9,999	324	574	324	574
$2,500 to $4,999	235	470	235	468
Under $2,500 (see text)	257	804	11	22
$2,000 to $2,499	49	152	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	44	114	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	83	141	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	81	397	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	46 277	27 104	45 819	26 165
Average per farm ... dollars	26 796	10 658	30 980	14 874
Crops, including hay ... farms	1 646	2 358	1 448	(NA)
$1,000	40 407	22 616	40 039	21 615
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	9		7	4
$1,000	232		229	219
Forest products ... farms	54	133	52	114
$1,000	650	343	650	335
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	461	812	381	605
$1,000	4 987	4 145	4 901	3 995
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	43	(NA)	40	54
$1,000	3 017	(NA)	3 016	2 168

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	1 448	(NA)
$1,000	40 039	21 615
Grains ... farms	1 302	1 446
$1,000	13 200	3 843
Tobacco ... farms	1 165	1 585
$1,000	25 294	16 410
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	81	535
$1,000	852	1 013
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	27	47
$1,000	47	58
Other field crops ... farms	51	109
$1,000	576	223
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	36	41
$1,000	57	58
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	9	25
$1,000	12	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	381	605
$1,000	4 901	3 995
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	40	54
$1,000	3 016	2 168
Dairy products ... farms	7	22
$1,000	533	474
Cattle and calves ... farms	136	(NA)
$1,000	323	335
Hogs and pigs ... farms	263	(NA)
$1,000	1 026	1 018
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	4	
$1,000	2	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	350	(NA)	207	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	368	(NA)	287	(NA)
$1,000	885	(NA)	776	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	87	166	78	122
$1,000	260	262	235	206
Recreational services ... farms	10	30	10	15
$1,000	2	12	2	9
Government farm programs ... farms	42	1 182	41	889
$1,000	44	1 480	44	1 363
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	248	(NA)	176	(NA)
$1,000	527	(NA)	445	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	19	(NA)	19	(NA)
$1,000	50	(NA)	50	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	105	(NA)	87	(NA)
$1,000	287	(NA)	258	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	658
$1,000	6 166
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	127
$1,000	1 383
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	445
$1,000	4 005
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	162
$1,000	437
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	97
$1,000	200
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	39
$1,000	141

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 727	2 543	1 479	1 759
$1,000	28 363	19 292	27 945	18 281
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	179	475	42	249
$1,000 to $1,999	202	435	136	
$2,000 to $2,999	203	336	180	274
$3,000 to $4,999	256	435	236	391
$5,000 to $9,999	315	422	315	407
$10,000 to $19,999	272	440	272	258
$20,000 to $39,999	136		136	111
$40,000 to $59,999	75		74	69
$60,000 and over	89		88	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	215	391	167	289
$1,000	820	872	812	847
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	526	766	392	535
$1,000	2 779	1 570	2 729	1 528
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	460	581	360	462
$1,000	2 614	1 385	2 579	1 361
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	68	78
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	71
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	85
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	90	87
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	41
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	130	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	1 151	2 053	1 012	1 559
$1,000	806	462	792	425
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	1 600	2 429	1 404	1 736
$1,000	5 273	2 823	5 175	2 666
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	980	(NA)	911	(NA)
$1,000	1 516	993	1 493	954
Lime ... farms	(NA)	246	182	195
$1,000	(NA)	77	106	71
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 677	2 498	1 442	1 757
$1,000	2 748	2 180	2 698	2 014
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 254	1 679
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 052	791
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	957	668
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	550	286
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	316	618
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	260	291
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 442	1 756
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	836	646
Hired farm labor ... farms	814	1 844	738	1 403
$1,000	3 344	3 234	3 259	3 078
Contract labor ... farms	66	1 419	52	87
$1,000	159	656	158	101
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	974		875	1 072
$1,000	767		752	505
All other production expenses ... farms	1 645	2 294	1 479	1 753
$1,000	10 150	6 504	10 052	6 164

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 532	2 402	1 309	1 681
$1,000	26 721	16 143	24 750	13 930
Average per farm—dollars	17 442	6 720	18 907	8 286
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	20	278	18	875
$1,000 to $4,999	320	1 187	260	
$5,000 to $9,999	376	493	272	402
$10,000 to $19,999	330	254	285	225
$20,000 to $29,999	248	190	240	97
$30,000 to $49,999	170		168	49
$50,000 to $69,999	33		32	33
$70,000 and over	35		34	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 219	1 824	1 032	1 284
number	1 672	2 339	1 433	1 654
mfd in last 5 years, number	930	1 427	848	1 089
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 264	1 628	1 095	1 272
number	1 859	2 048	1 670	1 667
mfd in last 5 years, number	793	1 174	751	1 003
Wheel tractors—farms	1 344	1 918	1 152	1 417
number	2 796	3 426	2 567	2 816
mfd in last 5 years, number	866	1 542	833	1 344
Crawler tractors—farms	22		20	26
number	29		24	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	25
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	231	214	230	202
number	257	248	256	235
mfd in last 5 years, number	118	176	117	168
Corn heads for combines—farms	149	199	148	111
number	157	236	156	123
mfd in last 5 years, number	84	152	83	102
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	78		77	88
number	78		77	92
mfd in last 5 years, number	21		21	41
Mower conditioners—farms	39	(NA)	33	(NA)
number	41	(NA)	34	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	57	78	51	72
number	58	80	52	74
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	37	7	34
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	28	(NA)	25	35
number	28	(NA)	25	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	28	(NA)	26	26
number	32	(NA)	30	29
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	10	11

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	641	(X)	536	(X)	461	(X)	381	(X)	4 901
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	576	(X)	481	(X)	441	(X)	366	(X)	1 350
1969	1 006	(X)	706	(X)	764	(X)	574	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	296	6 107	247	5 279	159	2 730	136	2 475	323
1969	373	6 210	282	5 533	226	2 934	177	2 649	335
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	104	251	90	217	45	110	37	90	18
5 to 9—1974	58	376	43	281	31	196	26	161	28
10 to 19—1974	46	580	39	492	34	435	27	357	54
20 to 49—1974	58	1 667	48	1 389	39	1 088	37	1 016	125
50 to 99—1974	21	1 468	19	1 300	7	392	6	342	37
100 to 199—1974	6	870	5	705	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	3	895	3	895	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	234	3 422	199	3 003	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	304	3 155	229	2 790	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	166	2 662	142	2 271	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 147	160	1 866	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	93	760	79	732	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	135	1 008	98	924	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	533
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	474

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	166	2 662	142	2 271			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	59	157	50	139			
5 to 9	28	174	26	160			
10 to 19	32	421	27	354			
20 to 49	32	827	27	714			
50 to 99	13	(D)	10	(D)			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	93	760	79	732			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	70	84	60	73			
3 or 4	13	46	10	36			
5 to 9	6	45	5	38			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	60	1	60			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					87	644	134
Farms with—							
1 to 4					40	91	19
5 to 9					20	125	29
10 to 19					18	231	41
20 to 49					9	197	45
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					104	1 831	189
Farms with—							
1 or 2					23	36	6
3 or 4					16	57	7
5 to 9					14	94	11
10 to 19					18	240	20
20 to 49					28	799	76
50 to 99					3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	140	1 193
	1969	166	1 641
Beef heifers	1974	128	914
Milk heifers	1974	21	279
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	155	1 083
	1969	209	1 102

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	26	211	51
	1969	7	60	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	17	36	8
10 to 19	1974	3	43	12
20 to 49	1974	6	132	31
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	415	11 265	349	10 360	319	16 275	263	15 394	1 026
	1969	863	23 696	600	20 945	658	26 069	498	23 750	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	122	285	108	257	48	131	36	95	7
5 to 9	1974	80	521	66	438	52	337	34	225	13
10 to 24	1974	109	1 665	76	1 143	86	1 381	72	1 183	72
25 to 49	1974	46	1 596	45	1 571	68	2 231	58	1 897	119
50 to 99	1974	39	2 571	35	2 324	32	2 098	31	2 027	125
100 to 199	1974	12	1 697	12	1 697	16	2 013	15	1 883	134
200 to 499	1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	13	3 869	13	3 869	246
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	4 215	4	4 215	311
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	47	1 897	33	1 574	32
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	99	3 564	60	2 716	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	2	4	2	4	(NA)
	1969	4	30	4	30	2	28	1	14	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	1 –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	19	103	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	77	223	62	183	4	5	4	5	2
	1969	122	307	(NA)	(NA)	9	29	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	219	1 373
	1969	397	2 580
Other hogs and pigs	1974	328	8 987
	1969	566	18 365
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	287	2 037	244	1 865
	1969	572	3 539	431	3 093
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	245	1 082	209	996
	1969	493	1 839	365	1 575
June 1 and November 30	1974	207	955	174	869
	1969	411	1 700	335	1 518

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	215	(X)	188	(X)	20	(X)	19	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	229	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	212	305 175	185	304 506	16	263 986	15	263 947
	1969	368	291 670	226	287 508	28	223 912	19	220 710
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	205	301 938	179	301 345	16	261 383	15	261 344
	1969	339	290 034	213	286 599	26	222 704	18	220 704
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	189	4 273	163	3 680	5	205	4	166
100 to 399	1974	7	1 265	7	1 265	3	478	3	478
400 to 1,599	1974	1	400	1	400	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	1 700	1	1 700
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	4	110 000	4	110 000	3	87 000	3	87 000
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	17	65 247	17	65 247	3	405 200	3	405 200
	1969	22	56 797	10	56 621	6	609 200	6	609 200
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	3 017	40	3 016
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	54	2 168

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	179	301 345	15	261 344
	1969	213	286 599	18	220 704
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	175	281 192	14	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	13	20 153	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	18	260	–	–
	1969	23	445	1	6
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	72	2 901	2	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	13	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	19	–	–
	1969	6	28	1	3 000
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	15	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	15	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	4	–	–
	1969	6	19	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	13	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1 075	1 627	30 100	29 221	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	17	28	426	493	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1 282	1 467	68 278	51 233	1 351 156	1 271 323
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	28	87	1 447	1 171	2 600 923	1 680 784
Wheat (bushels)	95	84	2 584	1 341	75 173	46 729
Other small grains for grain	55	140	1 094	1 817	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	83	759	4 409	13 251	4 301	9 858
Tobacco (pounds)	1 232	1 922	12 753	13 367	26 371 248	24 941 273
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	28	(NA)	12	(NA)	2 434	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	51	(NA)	121	(NA)	21 679	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	91	133	1 156	1 202	2 405	1 954
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	48	78	114	379	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	16	38	166	214	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	5	1	13	(X)	(X)
Other crops	15	(NA)	36	790	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	948	1 223	28 651	25 674	2 111 294	1 497 489	2	2	9	15
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	21	36	587	716	6 859	8 133	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	18	38	100	333	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	12	10	282	297	13 220	14 148	1	–	30	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	44	82	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	–	60	–	160	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	231	3 876	(X)	–	–	39	942	36	204	6	58
	1969	426	8 137	(X)	2	23	161	3 100	151	948	33	167
Improved pasture	1974	64	1 983	(X)	–	–	19	644	16	167	5	15
	1969	50	1 637	(X)	–	–	20	437	19	134	5	28
Corn for all purposes	1974	964	29 338	(X)	2	9	744	24 790	719	6 459	388	2 724
	1969	1 248	26 723	(X)	2	15	911	20 663	884	6 144	330	1 817
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	16	326	(X)	1	30	13	294	13	85	2	21
	1969	13	379	(X)	–	–	12	359	12	94	5	14
Wheat (bushels)	1974	91	2 521	73 828	–	–	72	2 254	64	489	18	108
	1969	72	1 283	45 540	1	30	53	950	(NA)	262	(NA)	30
Oats (bushels)	1974	45	895	41 735	–	–	33	840	32	143	6	38
	1969	100	1 361	73 132	1	3	73	1 270	(NA)	282	(NA)	76
Barley (bushels)	1974	6	106	4 200	–	–	6	106	6	27	–	–
	1969	4	43	3 050	–	–	4	43	(NA)	10	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	1974	8	91	1 759	–	–	3	61	2	12	2	3
	1969	7	68	1 566	–	–	6	64	(NA)	9	(NA)	2
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1 150	66 768	1 326 085	7	81	665	44 358	651	7 490	16	329
	1969	1 173	47 974	1 199 115	3	48	755	34 491	(NA)	6 238	(NA)	244
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	26	1 445	2 597 923	–	–	24	1 443	24	534	–	–
	1969	84	1 162	1 672 084	1	5	56	973	(NA)	341	(NA)	3
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	81	1 038	2 053	–	–	18	566	13	88	11	35
	1969	100	1 046	1 738	1	3	40	527	37	149	7	13
Field seed crops	1974	2	12	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	36	(X)	–	–	1	9	1	(Z)	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	81	4 296	4 149	–	–	70	4 201	70	1 235	19	82
	1969	608	12 587	9 385	2	51	534	11 910	(NA)	4 041	(NA)	424
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	1 167	12 670	26 262 607	12	97	1 167	12 620	1 158	12 832	31	102
	1969	1 585	12 890	24 241 587	48	458	1 585	12 799	(NA)	13 004	(NA)	52
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	26	11	2 414	–	–	14	5	14	6	–	–
	1969	28	71	9 029	–	–	17	68	(NA)	46	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	40	102	(X)	1	3	27	49	27	27	4	2
	1969	53	287	(X)	1	6	39	247	39	95	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	15	165	(X)	2	4	4	113	4	42	–	–
	1969	28	192	(X)	–	–	13	99	12	15	1	(Z)

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	7	15	(X)	4	10	5	13	5	20	–	–
1969	4	16	(X)	2	15	3	12	3	20	–	–
Other crops 1974	29	118	(X)	–	–	22	107	24	84	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	1 420	1 742
$1,000	6 668	3 620
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 404	1 729
acres on which used	93 501	88 373
tons	33 461	34 782
$1,000	5 175	2 666
Lime—farms	182	195
acres on which used	9 991	9 896
tons	8 190	8 398
$1,000	106	71
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	2
acres on which used	219	8
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	676	1 280
acres on which used	39 305	43 956
$1,000	784	567
Nematodes in crops—farms	240	383
acres on which used	6 399	4 462
$1,000	113	82
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	20	38
acres on which used	913	796
$1,000	9	8
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	361	381
acres on which used	39 306	21 449
$1,000	376	137
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	25
acres on which used	165	815
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	14	(NA)
acres on which used	97	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	59	302
acres on which used	2 564	7 032
$1,000	52	64
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	32	115
$1,000	3	14
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	183	(NA)
$1,000	46	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	24	57
Proportion of farms—percent	1.6	3.2
Total land irrigated—acres	231	662
Average per farm—acres	9.6	11.6
Cropland irrigated—farms	24	57
acres	231	662
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	24	55
acres	231	639
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	23
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	254	591
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	0.9
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	12	(NA)
acres	138	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	22	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	8	(NA)
acres	71	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	6 086	13 667
Cropland—acres	2 218	7 525
Harvested cropland—acres	1 825	5 358
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	6	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	39	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	260	608
Proportion of farms—percent	17.6	34.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	62 687	126 837
Land drained—acres	33 596	62 523
Average per farm—acres	129.2	102.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	206	(NA)
number	454	(NA)
acres	530	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	383	291	183
$1,000	9 397	5 964	3 432
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	135	113	82
$5,000 to $9,999	72	51	35
$10,000 to $29,999	101	75	41
$30,000 to $49,999	33	21	13
$50,000 and over	42	31	12

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	165	273	484	571	1 637	
25 to 149 days	211	1 337	1 439	16 222	758	3 078
Less than 25 days	563		7 560		864	
Total contract labor	52	87	(NA)	(NA)	158	101
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	18	(NA)	186	(NA)	93	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	738	165	211	563
Cash wages paid $1,000	3 259	1 637	758	864
Number of workers	9 483	484	1 439	7 560
Farms with—				
1 worker	83	65	39	61
2 workers	51	40	31	30
3 or 4 workers	96	41	47	57
5 to 9 workers	131	11	34	111
10 workers and over	377	8	60	304

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	384	528	222	221
Land in farms — acres	59 578	67 607	53 992	51 171
Average size of farm — acres	155	128	243	232
Approximate land area — acres	519 744	519 744	519 744	519 744
Proportion in farms — percent	11.5	13.0	10.4	9.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	28 142	16 731	25 152	11 424
Average per farm — dollars	73 286	31 687	113 296	51 693
Average per acre — dollars	472	247	466	223
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	66	62	11	8
10 to 49 acres	133	214	56	58
50 to 69 acres	43	64	29	27
70 to 99 acres	28	37	18	19
100 to 139 acres	18	38	16	20
140 to 179 acres	21	29	21	21
180 to 219 acres	14	20	14	16
220 to 259 acres	14	12	14	8
260 to 499 acres	29	30	26	25
500 to 999 acres	12	15	11	12
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	3	3	3
2,000 acres and over	3	4	3	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	373	510	218	219
acres	16 988	21 394	15 124	16 619
Harvested cropland — farms	362	475	214	207
acres	11 006	10 760	9 997	8 795
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	151	251	40	
10 to 19 acres	69	106	35	158
20 to 29 acres	46	43	45	
30 to 49 acres	37	24	37	
50 to 99 acres	32	31	30	29
100 to 199 acres	18	15	18	15
200 to 499 acres	8	4	8	4
500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	102	196	69	85
acres	3 709	4 762	3 134	3 158
Other cropland (see text) — farms	94	253	72	(NA)
acres	2 273	5 872	1 993	4 666
Total woodland — farms	207	320	135	146
acres	27 881	36 324	25 120	27 500
Other land (see text) — farms	242	364	157	(NA)
acres	14 709	9 889	13 748	7 052
Irrigated land — farms	12	7	2	5
acres	87	96	37	92

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	72	(NA)
acres	1 993	4 666
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	15	34
acres	648	686
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	11
acres	236	99
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	12
acres	304	464
Cropland idle — farms	49	118
acres	805	3 417
Total woodland — farms	135	146
acres	25 120	27 500
Woodland pastured — farms	54	33
acres	12 632	2 434

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	104	139
acres	12 488	25 066
Other land — farms	157	(NA)
acres	13 748	7 052
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	12	34
acres	649	2 387
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	6	21
acres	301	1 386
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	6	19
acres	348	1 001
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	152	134
acres	13 099	4 665

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	384	528	222	221
Land in farms — acres	59 578	67 607	53 992	51 171
Harvested cropland — acres	11 006	10 760	9 997	8 795
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	283	367	136	116
Land in farms — acres	43 858	47 704	38 606	34 175
Harvested cropland — acres	4 958	4 480	4 076	3 128
Part owners — number	75	106	64	75
Land in farms — acres	14 020	14 963	13 733	12 781
Harvested cropland — acres	5 162	4 703	5 078	4 356
Tenants — number	26	55	22	30
Land in farms — acres	1 700	4 940	1 653	4 215
Harvested cropland — acres	886	1 577	843	1 311
Percent of tenancy	6.8	10.4	9.9	13.5
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	117	209	38	24
Land in farms — acres	2 929	7 597	1 796	1 724
Harvested cropland — acres	794	1 128	450	272
Full owners — number	100	164	29	13
Land in farms — acres	2 282	6 121	1 309	1 186
Harvested cropland — acres	590	736	310	99
Part owners — number	14	23	6	8
Land in farms — acres	560	849	400	417
Harvested cropland — acres	192	224	128	111
Tenants — number	3	22	3	3
Land in farms — acres	87	627	87	121
Harvested cropland — acres	12	168	12	62
Percent of tenancy	2.6	10.5	7.9	12.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	202	194
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	49 166	43 758

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	17	20
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 813	6 731
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13	682
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	10	4	4
25 to 34 years	29	32	23	19
35 to 44 years	51	84	39	42
45 to 54 years	100	161	46	61
55 to 64 years	112	149	52	61
65 years and over	84	92	55	34
Average age	54.2	53.0	53.3	51.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	243	355	145	159
On another farm	5		4	
In a rural area, not on a farm	21	106	14	40
In a city, town, or urban area	9		5	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	108	(NA)	75	(NA)
1 to 49 days	27	32	6	15
50 to 99 days	21	24	9	13
100 to 149 days	17	45	13	16
150 to 199 days	14		13	
200 days and over	116	234	43	78
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	218	(NA)	159	(NA)
Other	163	(NA)	60	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	9	9	9	9
$40,000 to $99,999	20		20	
$20,000 to $39,999	37	22	37	22
$10,000 to $19,999	42	41	42	41
$5,000 to $9,999	62	66	62	66
$2,500 to $4,999	52	74	52	74
Under $2,500 (see text)	162	316	–	9
$2,000 to $2,499	35	31	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	15	41	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	35	57	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	77	187	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 959	2 988	4 763	2 715
Average per farm (dollars)	12 915	5 658	21 455	12 283
Crops, including hay (farms)	323	429	200	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	3 804	2 213	3 651	1 876
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	7		3	3
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	176		170	131
Forest products (farms)	23	23	22	19
Forest products ($1,000)	218	95	217	93
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	161	231	106	110
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	761	680	724	614
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	7	(NA)	3	12
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	319	(NA)	318	162

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	200	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	3 651	1 876
Grains (farms)	171	131
Grains ($1,000)	1 098	280
Tobacco (farms)	146	187
Tobacco ($1,000)	2 474	1 565
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	–	10
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	–	5
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	19	9
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	60	20
Other field crops (farms)	11	2
Other field crops ($1,000)	10	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	11	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	9	6
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	1	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	(Z)	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	106	110
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	724	614
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	3	12
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	318	162
Dairy products (farms)	–	4
Dairy products ($1,000)	–	59
Cattle and calves (farms)	52	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	89	215
Hogs and pigs (farms)	89	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	314	178
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	4	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	3	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	151	(NA)	48	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	130	(NA)	81	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	220	(NA)	163	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	26	29	13	8
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	72	16	45	11
Recreational services (farms)	18	5	17	1
Recreational services ($1,000)	21	(Z)	21	(Z)
Government farm programs (farms)	45	190	34	107
Government farm programs ($1,000)	22	100	20	81
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	68	(NA)	38	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	95	(NA)	73	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	5	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	10	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	39	(NA)	23	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	52	(NA)	44	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	117
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 132
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	16
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	302
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	85
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	707
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	22
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	64
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	24
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	56
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	7
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	382	528	222	221
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	3 507	2 422	3 355	2 182
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	108	228	10	25
$1,000 to $1,999	73	85	24	
$2,000 to $2,999	25	57	19	44
$3,000 to $4,999	48	47	43	42
$5,000 to $9,999	47	48	45	47
$10,000 to $19,999	41		41	41
$20,000 to $39,999	21	63	21	15
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	7
$60,000 and over	12		12	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	84	128	59	63
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	186	112	181	101
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	196	240	101	100
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	397	265	366	237
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	161	148	91	84
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	379	208	358	197
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	19	8
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5	5
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	30	27
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	30
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	12
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	4
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	40	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	232	361	163	186
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	86	41	82	32
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	344	480	201	207
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	528	332	503	277
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	131	(NA)	111	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	98	71	97	67
Lime (farms)	(NA)	35	14	25
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	12	13	12
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	351	497	203	221
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	331	264	296	217
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	140	214
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	86	87
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	118	98
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	83	35
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	42	71
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	54	22
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	203	221
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	72	73
Hired farm labor (farms)	172	333	140	187
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	531	534	520	499
Contract labor (farms)	21	196	21	16
Contract labor ($1,000)	33	58	33	9
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	149		106	110
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	96		92	39
All other production expenses (farms)	341	366	222	221
All other production expenses ($1,000)	1 221	745	1 178	703

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	343	482	189	212
$1,000	4 413	2 780	3 219	2 070
Average per farm — dollars	12 867	5 767	17 029	9 765
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	77	2	93
$1,000 to $4,999	72	253	38	
$5,000 to $9,999	134	81	46	63
$10,000 to $19,999	73	51	48	36
$20,000 to $29,999	33	20	29	9
$30,000 to $49,999	14		12	4
$50,000 to $69,999	10		10	7
$70,000 and over	4		4	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	261	298	144	152
number	350	353	200	197
mfd in last 5 years, number	175	238	125	152
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	276	333	157	180
number	342	399	219	236
mfd in last 5 years, number	134	261	112	164
Wheel tractors — farms	270	338	157	169
number	408	449	292	255
mfd in last 5 years, number	114	204	101	152
Crawler tractors — farms	6		6	13
number	8		8	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	18	14	18	12
number	19	21	19	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	15	3	13
Corn heads for combines — farms	20	16	16	7
number	20	27	16	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	20	3	12
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	19		17	10
number	19		17	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		3	7
Mower conditioners — farms	15	(NA)	11	(NA)
number	16	(NA)	12	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	27	26	20	17
number	27	26	20	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	9	4	7
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	14	(NA)	12	10
number	15	(NA)	13	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	8
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	2	(NA)	2	1
number	2	(NA)	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	224	(X)	137	(X)	161	(X)	106	(X)	724
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	188	(X)	112	(X)	152	(X)	102	(X)	403
1969	296	(X)	113	(X)	223	(X)	107	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	89	2 301	65	2 009	67	491	52	422	89
1969	160	2 879	67	2 200	104	1 644	55	1 390	215
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	22	47	14	29	37	93	29	72	15
5 to 9 — 1974	11	69	8	53	14	93	8	57	11
10 to 19 — 1974	21	266	13	154	11	149	10	137	23
20 to 49 — 1974	22	660	17	514	5	156	5	156	40
50 to 99 — 1974	10	702	10	702	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199 — 1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499 — 1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over — 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	77	1 216	59	1 071	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	132	1 569	58	1 236	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	65	1 185	50	1 046	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 389	44	1 106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	20	31	15	25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	47	180	22	130	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	59

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	65	1 185	50	1 046
Farms with —				
1 to 4	15	39	13	35
5 to 9	17	116	7	47
10 to 19	10	126	8	96
20 to 49	15	412	14	376
50 to 99	7	(D)	7	(D)
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	20	31	15	25
Farms with —				
1 or 2	19	23	14	17
3 or 4	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1	8	1	8
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	37	262	71
Farms with —			
1 to 4	22	49	14
5 to 9	8	52	11
10 to 19	4	56	12
20 to 49	3	105	34
50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	32	160	19
Farms with —			
1 or 2	17	23	2
3 or 4	7	25	3
5 to 9	1	7	1
10 to 19	6	75	10
20 to 49	1	30	3
50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	42	539	8	62	15
	1969	49	601	8	61	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	39	528	4	8	1
Milk heifers	1974	6	11	4	54	14
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	40	399	–	–	–
	1969	51	363	–	–	–
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			–	–	–
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	152	4 792	91	3 961	126	6 192	89	5 626	314
	1969	230	5 416	96	4 000	170	6 047	87	4 701	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	35	100	17	53	11	25	10	22	2
5 to 9	1974	19	129	9	69	12	82	6	50	2
10 to 24	1974	52	911	26	463	48	791	21	375	22
25 to 49	1974	20	677	14	451	26	862	23	747	38
50 to 99	1974	11	729	10	679	8	507	8	507	36
100 to 199	1974	10	1 246	10	1 246	13	2 041	13	2 041	99
200 to 499	1974	5	1 000	5	1 000	8	1 884	8	1 884	115
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	40	2 111	28	1 881	41
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	1 028	16	651	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	30	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	35	87	25	64	3	12	1	2	1
	1969	61	129	(NA)	(NA)	3	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	69	489	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	72	515	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	111	820	71	673
Other hogs and pigs	1974	87	3 472		1969	133	660	76	496
	1969	93	3 485	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	94	431	63	364
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	114	345	59	243
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	93	389	61	309
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	96	315	63	253

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	75	(X)	38	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	45	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	73	48 279	36	47 085	3	26 715	3	26 715
	1969	130	28 705	45	27 025	6	14 116	4	14 104
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	64	43 626	31	42 552	3	25 650	3	25 650
	1969	123	28 261	40	26 807	6	14 116	4	14 104
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	61	1 626	28	552	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	3	42 000	3	42 000	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	120	3	120	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	42	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	319	3	318
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	162

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	31	42 552	3	25 650
	1969	40	26 807	4	14 104
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	28	27 488	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	15 064	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	–	–
	1969	1	28	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	15	(D)	1	1 065
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	60	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	2	–	–
	1969	1	10	1	5
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	2	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	2	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	5	1	2
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	279	350	6 005	5 026	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	5	5	188	83	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	98	110	2 623	2 494	47 685	48 477
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	7	9	7	10	4 599	6 370
Wheat (bushels)	6	5	84	116	1 622	2 580
Other small grains for grain	7	22	48	171	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	4	26	4	127	4	77
Tobacco (pounds)	212	358	1 326	1 461	2 699 248	2 628 180
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	3	(NA)	913	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	44	(NA)	21	(NA)	3 184	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	51	62	894	997	1 750	1 655
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	23	26	23	44	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	3	9	7	49	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	8	(NA)	32	207	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	171	147	5 295	3 744	363 651	214 202	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	4	41	60	413	684	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	9	38	48	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	–	8	–	320	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	180	75	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	1	8	10	8	15	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	69	3 134	(X)	–	–	11	655	11	129	4	9
	1969	85	3 158	(X)	–	–	27	2 198	27	321	5	193
Improved pasture	1974	6	301	(X)	–	–	2	21	2	5	1	3
	1969	21	1 386	(X)	–	–	7	558	7	158	3	39
Corn for all purposes	1974	172	5 374	(X)	–	–	135	4 435	135	1 255	52	438
	1969	154	3 852	(X)	–	–	111	3 244	109	859	48	233
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	188	(X)	–	–	5	188	5	33	5	17
	1969	1	75	(X)	–	–	1	75	1	22	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	6	84	1 622	–	–	5	77	5	28	–	–
	1969	3	110	2 480	–	–	3	110	(NA)	2	(NA)	14
Oats (bushels)	1974	7	36	1 730	–	–	5	26	5	6	–	–
	1969	12	107	3 606	–	–	9	79	(NA)	13	(NA)	10
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	5	250	–	–	1	5	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	5	150	–	–	1	5	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	2	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	(Z)	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	87	2 531	46 134	–	–	49	1 557	49	249	1	3
	1969	89	2 378	46 689	–	–	64	2 113	(NA)	368	(NA)	3
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	3	3	2 599	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	(Z)	70	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	41	716	1 539	–	–	11	406	11	112	2	30
	1969	28	775	1 353	–	–	12	649	11	168	7	45
Field seed crops	1974	1	15	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	100	(X)	–	–	1	100	1	15	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	11	82	51	–	–	9	80	(NA)	27	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	146	1 258	2 611 503	1	35	146	1 253	146	1 261	1	(Z)
	1969	187	1 277	2 382 538	4	88	187	1 276	(NA)	1 274	(NA)	3
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	1	161	–	–	3	1	3	(Z)	–	–
	1969	6	2	78	–	–	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	11	15	(X)	–	–	7	10	7	4	–	–
	1969	8	15	(X)	–	–	6	11	6	6	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	3	7	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	3	26	(X)	–	–	1	2	1	1	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	12	(X)	1	2	3	12	3	19	–	–
1969	3	9	(X)	1	4	3	9	3	7	–	–
Other crops 1974	12	14	(X)	–	–	5	7	8	6	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	201	207
$1,000	600	344
Commercial fertilizer—farms	201	205
acres on which used	8 720	10 578
tons	3 619	3 791
$1,000	503	277
Lime—farms	14	25
acres on which used	1 110	1 421
tons	1 116	1 400
$1,000	13	12
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	58	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	81	132
acres on which used	2 330	2 753
$1,000	41	34
Nematodes in crops—farms	27	44
acres on which used	336	621
$1,000	7	8

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	2	6
acres on which used	206	100
$1,000	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	47	31
acres on which used	2 880	954
$1,000	24	6
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	5
acres on which used	25	126
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	4	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	2	12
acres on which used	41	166
$1,000	1	4
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	24
$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	20	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	5
Proportion of farms—percent	0.9	2.2
Total land irrigated—acres	37	92
Average per farm—acres	18.5	18.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	5
acres	37	92
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	5
acres	37	92
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	66	45
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.8	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	35	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	321	1 618
Cropland—acres	237	1 091
Harvested cropland—acres	237	849
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	31	77
Proportion of farms—percent	14.0	34.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	15 769	21 521
Land drained—acres	3 399	8 653
Average per farm—acres	109.6	112.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	40	(NA)
number	81	(NA)
acres	79	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	53	37	28
$1,000	1 197	933	264
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	18	12	17
$5,000 to $9,999	6	4	2
$10,000 to $29,999	19	14	8
$30,000 to $49,999	5	2	1
$50,000 and over	5	5	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	15	34	48	68	217	
25 to 149 days	50	173	304	2 173	163	499
Less than 25 days	103		1 630		140	
Total contract labor	21	16	(NA)	(NA)	33	9
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	48	(NA)	24	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	140	15	50	103
Cash wages paid $1,000	520	217	163	140
Number of workers	1 982	48	304	1 630
Farms with—				
1 worker	21	5	11	22
2 workers	19	4	9	13
3 or 4 workers	21	3	7	10
5 to 9 workers	21	2	10	12
10 workers and over	58	1	13	46

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	771	1 065	267	237
Land in farms — acres	87 074	109 421	54 014	50 449
Average size of farm — acres	113	103	202	213
Approximate land area — acres	506 880	506 880	506 880	506 880
Proportion in farms — percent	17.2	21.6	10.7	10.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	70 635	54 247	40 350	28 010
Average per farm — dollars	91 615	50 935	151 124	118 183
Average per acre — dollars	811	496	747	555
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	24	38	7	9
10 to 49 acres	310	473	52	32
50 to 69 acres	110	139	31	21
70 to 99 acres	91	123	31	21
100 to 139 acres	62	100	26	35
140 to 179 acres	41	49	19	27
180 to 219 acres	28	26	19	9
220 to 259 acres	26	30	11	18
260 to 499 acres	51	63	45	47
500 to 999 acres	24	14	22	12
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4	10	4	6
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	721	978	249	217
acres	50 379	54 493	33 071	29 800
Harvested cropland — farms	503	630	220	179
acres	21 973	18 310	18 719	13 369
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	181	271	29	
10 to 19 acres	118	157	38	101
20 to 29 acres	60	74	29	
30 to 49 acres	55	46	36	
50 to 99 acres	42	42	41	38
100 to 199 acres	19	21	19	21
200 to 499 acres	22	17	22	17
500 to 999 acres	6	2	6	2
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	479	695	137	135
acres	24 717	25 648	12 961	12 224
Other cropland (see text) — farms	148	361	48	(NA)
acres	3 689	10 535	1 391	4 207
Total woodland — farms	477	761	177	180
acres	22 350	33 080	12 177	12 366
Other land (see text) — farms	555	772	192	(NA)
acres	14 345	21 848	8 766	8 283
Irrigated land — farms	14	11	12	10
acres	132	116	128	115

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	48	(NA)
acres	1 391	4 207
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	21	37
acres	576	1 706
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	2	6
acres	9	276
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	11
acres	34	165
Cropland idle — farms	27	59
acres	772	2 060
Total woodland — farms	177	180
acres	12 177	12 366
Woodland pastured — farms	107	120
acres	6 721	5 440

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	107	113
acres	5 456	6 926
Other land — farms	192	(NA)
acres	8 766	8 283
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	64	58
acres	4 672	5 583
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	51	39
acres	2 883	3 881
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	27
acres	1 789	1 702
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	182	157
acres	4 094	2 700

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	771	1 065	267	237
Land in farms — acres	87 074	109 421	54 014	50 449
Harvested cropland — acres	21 973	18 310	18 719	13 369
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	568	817	149	120
Land in farms — acres	47 327	70 260	21 718	19 097
Harvested cropland — acres	7 189	5 994	4 920	2 456
Part owners — number	161	193	98	103
Land in farms — acres	33 780	35 011	27 813	29 197
Harvested cropland — acres	12 754	11 103	11 929	10 101
Tenants — number	42	55	20	14
Land in farms — acres	5 967	4 150	4 483	2 155
Harvested cropland — acres	2 030	1 213	1 870	812
Percent of tenancy	5.4	5.1	7.5	5.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	32	50	8	6
Land in farms — acres	1 835	2 998	712	830
Harvested cropland — acres	402	620	279	220
Full owners — number	25	38	3	2
Land in farms — acres	1 390	2 294	305	330
Harvested cropland — acres	191	393	104	36
Part owners — number	5	3	3	3
Land in farms — acres	247	450	209	450
Harvested cropland — acres	175	154	139	154
Tenants — number	2	9	2	1
Land in farms — acres	198	254	198	50
Harvested cropland — acres	36	73	36	30
Percent of tenancy	6.3	18.0	25.0	16.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	235	199
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	44 472	39 472

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	23	32
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	6 118	9 005
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 574	1 972
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	850	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	15	2	3
25 to 34 years	49	68	30	22
35 to 44 years	124	143	49	36
45 to 54 years	164	290	46	54
55 to 64 years	224	278	81	78
65 years and over	193	271	50	44
Average age	55.4	54.6	53.7	53.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	476	730	167	167
On another farm	34		16	
In a rural area, not on a farm	27	177	8	41
In a city, town, or urban area	65		23	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	193	(NA)	88	(NA)
1 to 49 days	38	65	6	15
50 to 99 days	42	24	8	5
100 to 149 days	26	94	7	26
150 to 199 days	22		9	
200 days and over	353	525	82	77
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	296	(NA)	150	(NA)
Other	466	(NA)	108	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	18	33	18	33
$40,000 to $99,999	27		27	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	27	19	27
$10,000 to $19,999	40	34	40	34
$5,000 to $9,999	62	41	62	41
$2,500 to $4,999	89	80	89	79
Under $2,500 (see text)	516	850	12	23
$2,000 to $2,499	41	33	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	62	77	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	93	99	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	320	641	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	7 618	5 252	7 188	4 752
Average per farm (dollars)	9 881	4 931	26 923	20 049
Crops, including hay — farms	323	431	161	(NA)
Crops, including hay — $1,000	2 535	1 829	2 403	1 073
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	28		14	8
Nursery and greenhouse products — $1,000	502		490	599
Forest products — farms	41	44	21	19
Forest products — $1,000	35	65	26	56
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	539	616	189	184
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	4 546	3 359	4 269	3 024
Poultry and poultry products — farms	36	(NA)	19	30
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	635	(NA)	634	691

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops — farms	161	(NA)
Crops — $1,000	2 403	1 073
Grains — farms	100	69
Grains — $1,000	916	285
Tobacco — farms	–	–
Tobacco — $1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed — farms	12	18
Cotton and cottonseed — $1,000	208	75
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — farms	45	36
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — $1,000	383	68
Other field crops — farms	11	4
Other field crops — $1,000	31	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — farms	26	19
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — $1,000	378	120
Fruits, nuts, and berries — farms	13	17
Fruits, nuts, and berries — $1,000	486	523
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	189	184
Livestock, poultry, and their products — $1,000	4 269	3 024
Poultry and poultry products — farms	19	30
Poultry and poultry products — $1,000	634	691
Dairy products — farms	19	36
Dairy products — $1,000	2 488	1 513
Cattle and calves — farms	164	(NA)
Cattle and calves — $1,000	807	651
Hogs and pigs — farms	28	(NA)
Hogs and pigs — $1,000	308	169
Sheep, lambs, and wool — farms	1	
Sheep, lambs, and wool — $1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products — farms	15	
Other livestock and livestock products — $1,000	31	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	475	(NA)	99	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — farms	174	(NA)	78	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — $1,000	143	(NA)	82	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	34	60	16	30
Customwork and other agricultural services — $1,000	43	155	24	134
Recreational services — farms	8	19	4	9
Recreational services — $1,000	8	16	6	11
Government farm programs — farms	106	387	44	97
Government farm programs — $1,000	53	228	26	125
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	44	(NA)	21	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — $1,000	33	(NA)	21	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	8	(NA)	4	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — $1,000	7	(NA)	5	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — farms	66	(NA)	17	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — $1,000	74	(NA)	24	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — farms	162
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — $1,000	2 591
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — farms	23
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — $1,000	385
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — farms	112
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — $1,000	1 680
Interest, dividends, or royalties — farms	69
Interest, dividends, or royalties — $1,000	229
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — farms	40
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — $1,000	212
Rent income of nonfarm property — farms	33
Rent income of nonfarm property — $1,000	85

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses — farms	768	1 065	267	237
Total farm production expenses — $1,000	6 653	5 030	5 922	4 238
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	249	568	14	30
$1,000 to $1,999	197	205	29	
$2,000 to $2,999	76	77	28	26
$3,000 to $4,999	92	55	54	29
$5,000 to $9,999	54	58	42	50
$10,000 to $19,999	40	102	40	51
$20,000 to $39,999	31		31	31
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	20
$60,000 and over	22		22	
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	287	348	76	100
Livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	510	472	394	367
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — farms	517	625	153	168
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — $1,000	1 743	1 063	1 601	964
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	343	285	135	127
Commercially mixed formula feeds — $1,000	1 358	849	1 317	814
Feed ingredients — farms	(NA)	(NA)	49	48
Feed ingredients — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	33
Whole grains — farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	45
Whole grains — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	191	100
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	38
Hay, green chop, and silage — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	64	18
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — farms	(NA)	(NA)	98	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — farms	347	367	151	120
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — $1,000	297	193	283	177
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	620	859	200	192
Commercial fertilizer purchased — $1,000	970	530	805	378
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — farms	263	(NA)	117	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — $1,000	210	138	191	108
Lime — farms	(NA)	215	49	57
Lime — $1,000	(NA)	43	55	22
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	723	1 002	261	235
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — $1,000	346	275	276	187
Gasoline — farms	(NA)	(NA)	225	224
Gasoline — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	151	118
Diesel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	144	94
Diesel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	80	28
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	24
LP gas, butane, and propane — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	8
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	261	235
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — $1,000	(NA)	(NA)	39	33
Hired farm labor — farms	176	355	100	141
Hired farm labor — $1,000	677	566	660	520
Contract labor — farms	39	366	18	33
Contract labor — $1,000	116	273	100	170
Machine hire and customwork — farms	207		96	92
Machine hire and customwork — $1,000	95		75	61
All other production expenses — farms	636	704	262	231
All other production expenses — $1,000	1 691	1 520	1 484	1 306

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	724	985	241	228
$1,000	8 115	5 027	4 517	2 484
Average per farm—dollars	11 208	5 103	18 743	10 894
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	16	131	4	89
$1,000 to $4,999	218	550	48	
$5,000 to $9,999	299	201	76	62
$10,000 to $19,999	101	53	44	35
$20,000 to $29,999	43		29	27
$30,000 to $49,999	30	50	24	5
$50,000 to $69,999	10		9	10
$70,000 and over	7		7	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	508	754	160	177
number	698	1 020	253	252
mfd in last 5 years, number	253	600	132	170
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	573	687	200	201
number	827	942	385	378
mfd in last 5 years, number	219	406	127	164
Wheel tractors—farms	617	765	218	210
number	935	1 200	466	437
mfd in last 5 years, number	157	379	117	150
Crawler tractors—farms	31		10	20
number	42		17	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	10

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	48	42	41	32
number	52	43	45	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	18	12	16
Corn heads for combines—farms	15	38	13	11
number	16	41	14	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	17	5	9
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	7		4	17
number	7		4	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	8
Mower conditioners—farms	63	(NA)	38	(NA)
number	68	(NA)	39	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	11	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	109	123	71	70
number	113	126	75	72
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	44	18	28
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	39	(NA)	23	31
number	39	(NA)	23	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	13
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	27	(NA)	17	22
number	30	(NA)	20	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	6	15

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	606	(X)	198	(X)	539	(X)	189	(X)	4 269
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	575	(X)	184	(X)	510	(X)	179	(X)	1 116
1969	711	(X)	169	(X)	562	(X)	161	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	551	21 253	170	14 019	484	6 072	164	4 219	807
1969	658	16 078	162	10 168	517	7 621	155	5 101	651
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	41	95	6	14	183	452	22	60	14
5 to 9—1974	84	576	6	41	123	810	26	176	40
10 to 19—1974	151	2 051	29	416	93	1 207	39	558	106
20 to 49—1974	167	4 867	46	1 434	68	2 041	60	1 863	348
50 to 99—1974	67	4 495	42	2 945	12	777	12	777	147
100 to 199—1974	25	3 358	25	3 358	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	13	3 706	13	3 706	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	3	2 105	3	2 105	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	469	11 452	149	7 535	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	517	7 999	152	5 647	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	432	9 033	129	5 217	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 705	126	3 488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	80	2 419	34	2 318	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	108	2 294	46	2 159	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	2 488
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	36	(X)	1 513

	Inventory, 1974					Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	432	9 033	129	5 217	Cattle sold	134	2 326	624
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	76	208	15	35	1 to 4	27	60	16
5 to 9	94	627	16	115	5 to 9	26	177	54
10 to 19	130	1 707	19	257	10 to 19	50	664	161
20 to 49	88	2 491	42	1 199	20 to 49	24	714	198
50 to 99	35	2 189	28	1 800	50 to 99	6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	5	680	5	680	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	3	(D)	3	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	80	2 419	34	2 318	Calves sold	120	1 893	184
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	41	57	10	15	1 or 2	24	27	3
3 or 4	14	48	2	6	3 or 4	8	27	4
5 to 9	5	32	2	15	5 to 9	20	123	14
10 to 19	2	20	2	20	10 to 19	34	511	45
20 to 49	5	200	5	200	20 to 49	30	928	97
50 to 99	3	178	3	178	50 to 99	4	277	22
100 to 199	8	(D)	8	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	124	3 654
	1969	130	2 846
Beef heifers	1974	104	2 329
Milk heifers	1974	25	1 325
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	116	2 830
	1969	133	1 675

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	12	123	28
	1969	8	161	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	7	24	6
10 to 19	1974	3	34	(D)
20 to 49	1974	2	65	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	96	2 165	38	1 862	46	4 845	28	4 474	308
	1969	148	2 555	35	1 845	87	4 340	27	3 499	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	48	104	11	27	9	18	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	17	102	4	23	3	20	1	8	1
10 to 24	1974	19	288	13	191	13	221	10	173	12
25 to 49	1974	7	232	5	182	7	263	4	177	10
50 to 99	1974	1	54	1	54	3	167	3	167	11
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	566	3	356	22
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	789	5	736	12
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	871	6	630	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	13	1	13	1	8	1	8	(NA)
	1969	4	66	–	–	2	64	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	[1]80
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	6	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	141	572	48	295	30	105	11	58	25
	1969	219	814	(NA)	(NA)	38	154	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	15	81
	1969	19	147
Other hogs and pigs	1974	36	1 781
	1969	35	1 698
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	6
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	6
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	36	242	17	189
	1969	58	295	20	201
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	22	116	10	94
	1969	44	154	17	111
June 1 and November 30	1974	31	126	16	95
	1969	36	141	15	90

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	85	(X)	27	(X)	25	(X)	18	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	39	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	78	101 196	24	99 992	19	135 246	17	135 237
	1969	170	71 676	34	68 111	35	36 234	18	33 505
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	76	47 498	23	46 373	16	29 964	14	29 955
	1969	158	70 994	34	67 876	31	35 774	18	33 500
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	64	1 298	11	173	5	139	3	130
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	2	560	2	560
400 to 1,599	1974	4	3 500	4	3 500	3	2 205	3	2 205
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	4	15 600	4	15 600	3	12 020	3	12 020
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	15 107	3	15 020	6	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	9	68 582	5	68 500	8	509 000	8	509 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	36	635	19	634
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	30	691

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	23	46 373	14	29 955
	1969	34	67 876	18	33 500
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	22	40 363	14	25 635
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	6 010	3	4 320
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	5	104 850
	1969	4	220	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	8	(D)	3	432
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	2	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	5	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	202	221	4 774	2 630	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	52	48	2 270	1 049	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	92	131	4 697	5 290	88 846	119 507
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	10	12	34	21	21 384	9 880
Wheat (bushels)	43	69	803	350	23 484	9 278
Other small grains for grain	77	89	1 439	1 180	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	17	76	1 007	1 259	866	974
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	22	(NA)	12	(NA)	944	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	24	(NA)	54	(NA)	6 276	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	273	298	5 533	4 810	8 780	7 754
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	77	84	1 010	435	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	33	51	845	941	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	6	12	7	10	(X)	(X)
Other crops	46	(NA)	816	795	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	66	38	2 239	906	133 313	35 347	1	–	9	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	20	15	1 665	951	27 011	10 390	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	3	215	37	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	17	4	356	47	13 671	1 946	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	16	(NA)	1 828	872	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	2	365	45	767	106	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	137	12 961	(X)	–	–	60	5 270	50	1 044	24	490
	1969	135	12 224	(X)	–	–	95	7 461	87	1 767	20	395
Improved pasture	1974	51	2 883	(X)	–	–	20	1 295	18	350	8	71
	1969	39	3 881	(X)	–	–	27	2 103	24	603	8	103
Corn for all purposes	1974	80	4 119	(X)	1	9	56	3 364	53	947	19	295
	1969	52	1 894	(X)	–	–	45	1 799	38	556	19	275
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	32	2 184	(X)	–	–	27	2 039	26	415	5	67
	1969	21	919	(X)	–	–	19	683	17	170	6	56
Wheat (bushels)	1974	29	705	21 440	–	–	18	482	15	72	6	21
	1969	21	176	4 808	–	–	14	143	(NA)	29	(NA)	4
Oats (bushels)	1974	32	558	26 300	–	–	23	492	21	78	3	13
	1969	26	715	36 806	–	–	18	613	(NA)	102	(NA)	28
Barley (bushels)	1974	15	693	32 050	–	–	11	649	11	107	1	10
	1969	15	147	7 980	–	–	15	147	(NA)	41	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	15	(X)	–	–	1	15	1	2	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	65	4 485	85 892	–	–	36	3 205	31	484	6	56
	1969	51	4 411	103 269	–	–	27	2 659	(NA)	368	(NA)	120
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	3	25	14 850	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	480	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	113	3 655	6 725	–	–	51	1 788	44	382	19	170
	1969	92	2 763	5 080	–	–	43	1 507	39	311	13	124
Field seed crops	1974	9	699	(X)	–	–	5	505	4	136	1	6
	1969	17	523	(X)	–	–	11	291	11	77	1	2
Cotton (bales)	1974	12	976	853	–	–	10	956	5	90	8	158
	1969	19	934	700	–	–	17	917	(NA)	153	(NA)	252
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	8	692	–	–	2	6	2	3	–	–
	1969	8	15	890	–	–	6	15	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	27	865	(X)	2	45	18	804	17	260	4	47
	1969	26	329	(X)	1	35	14	126	14	54	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	13	759	(X)	3	55	9	526	9	178	–	–
	1969	18	807	(X)	2	51	16	789	16	278	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	1	3	(X)	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	1	(X)	2	1	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	14	16	(X)	6	15	8	16	4	9	4	1
1969	10	75	(X)	6	28	6	16	5	25	1	1
Other crops 1974	10	87	(X)	–	–	3	70	3	25	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	215	200
$1,000	996	485
Commercial fertilizer—farms	200	184
acres on which used	21 483	19 291
tons	5 986	5 905
$1,000	805	378
Lime—farms	49	57
acres on which used	4 917	2 820
tons	5 611	3 418
$1,000	55	22
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	1
acres on which used	5	45
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	24	28
acres on which used	2 074	1 564
$1,000	33	32
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	3
acres on which used	–	126
$1,000	–	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	17	7
acres on which used	862	502
$1,000	31	9
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	40	56
acres on which used	5 881	4 617
$1,000	61	34
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	17
acres on which used	469	888
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	39	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	3	4
acres on which used	316	308
$1,000	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	19	56
$1,000	3	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	28	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	12	10
Proportion of farms—percent	4.5	4.2
Total land irrigated—acres	128	115
Average per farm—acres	10.7	11.5
Cropland irrigated—farms	12	10
acres	128	115
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	12	10
acres	128	115
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	97	108
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	0.9
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	9	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	54	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	7	(NA)
acres	69	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 429	911
Cropland—acres	1 074	605
Harvested cropland—acres	805	466
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	41	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	5	20
Proportion of farms—percent	1.9	8.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	2 962	3 201
Land drained—acres	380	727
Average per farm—acres	76.0	36.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	45	(NA)
number	81	(NA)
acres	202	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	66	43	35
$1,000	1 830	1 385	445
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	9	5	7
$5,000 to $9,999	20	9	14
$10,000 to $29,999	16	11	10
$30,000 to $49,999	12	9	3
$50,000 and over	9	9	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	45	62	138	135	547	520
25 to 149 days	25	105	99	871	63	
Less than 25 days	59		356		50	
Total contract labor	18	33	(NA)	(NA)	100	170
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	165	(NA)	89	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	100	45	25	59
Cash wages paid $1,000	660	547	63	50
Number of workers	593	138	99	356
Farms with—				
1 worker	30	19	10	15
2 workers	11	8	6	5
3 or 4 workers	23	10	5	18
5 to 9 workers	21	5	3	11
10 workers and over	15	3	1	10

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	365	377	145	128
Land in farms — acres	89 680	106 081	67 285	80 274
Average size of farm — acres	246	281	464	627
Approximate land area — acres	285 440	285 440	285 440	285 440
Proportion in farms — percent	31.4	37.2	23.6	28.1
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	33 692	19 997	23 077	13 838
Average per farm — dollars	92 308	53 043	159 153	108 110
Average per acre — dollars	376	189	343	172
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	8	20	1	2
10 to 49 acres	69	68	6	2
50 to 69 acres	42	40	5	6
70 to 99 acres	35	29	7	2
100 to 139 acres	50	61	17	12
140 to 179 acres	43	33	17	10
180 to 219 acres	23	21	15	10
220 to 259 acres	14	13	8	8
260 to 499 acres	42	45	35	34
500 to 999 acres	30	33	25	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	6	3	6
2,000 acres and over	6	8	6	8

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	27	(NA)
acres	1 056	2 429
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	14	22
acres	644	1 103
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	1	1
acres	25	20
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	11
acres	13	272
Cropland idle — farms	13	14
acres	374	1 034
Total woodland — farms	124	107
acres	31 631	44 532
Woodland pastured — farms	94	77
acres	12 512	13 044

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	326	344	137	120
acres	35 059	34 803	25 544	24 761
Harvested cropland — farms	223	224	116	99
acres	10 773	8 517	9 538	6 880
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	74	77	17	58
10 to 19 acres	55	51	21	
20 to 29 acres	23	24	15	
30 to 49 acres	23	26	17	
50 to 99 acres	20	21	18	16
100 to 199 acres	12	16	12	16
200 to 499 acres	14	8	14	8
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	269	266	110	86
acres	22 809	22 551	14 950	15 452
Other cropland (see text) — farms	51	95	27	(NA)
acres	1 477	3 735	1 056	2 429
Total woodland — farms	275	300	124	107
acres	40 528	56 264	31 631	44 532
Other land (see text) — farms	245	265	102	(NA)
acres	14 093	15 014	10 110	10 981
Irrigated land — farms	8	4	3	3
acres	41	15	12	11

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	75	79
acres	19 119	31 488
Other land — farms	102	(NA)
acres	10 110	10 981
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	32	41
acres	7 998	8 417
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	27	39
acres	6 155	7 821
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	10	9
acres	1 843	596
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	89	76
acres	2 112	2 564

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	365	377	145	128
Land in farms — acres	89 680	106 081	67 285	80 274
Harvested cropland — acres	10 773	8 517	9 538	6 880
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	299	293	110	87
Land in farms — acres	75 661	81 839	55 447	59 395
Harvested cropland — acres	6 693	4 722	5 644	3 475
Part owners — number	50	62	31	36
Land in farms — acres	11 829	21 586	10 161	19 565
Harvested cropland — acres	3 453	3 520	3 322	3 166
Tenants — number	16	22	4	5
Land in farms — acres	2 190	2 656	1 677	1 314
Harvested cropland — acres	627	275	572	239
Percent of tenancy	4.4	5.8	2.8	3.9
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	14	29	3	4
Land in farms — acres	1 210	2 157	690	697
Harvested cropland — acres	499	454	412	360
Full owners — number	8	24	2	3
Land in farms — acres	648	1 538	250	394
Harvested cropland — acres	91	208	66	157
Part owners — number	3	4	–	1
Land in farms — acres	102	603	–	303
Harvested cropland — acres	42	236	–	203
Tenants — number	3	1	1	–
Land in farms — acres	460	16	440	–
Harvested cropland — acres	366	10	346	–
Percent of tenancy	21.4	3.4	33.3	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	130	113
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	57 965	60 395

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 472	12 875
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	5 922
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 082
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	2	–	–
25 to 34 years	38	27	6	6
35 to 44 years	57	50	26	16
45 to 54 years	54	101	22	33
55 to 64 years	120	94	42	38
65 years and over	92	103	46	35
Average age	55.0	55.0	57.4	56.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	239	247	92	88
On another farm	4	80	–	25
In a rural area, not on a farm	12		4	
In a city, town, or urban area	37		17	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	88	(NA)	46	(NA)
1 to 49 days	19	34	5	14
50 to 99 days	7	27	2	5
100 to 149 days	13	20	5	8
150 to 199 days	15		6	
200 days and over	182	181	46	37
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	128	(NA)	79	(NA)
Other	233	(NA)	63	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	11	13	11	13
$40,000 to $99,999	12		11	
$20,000 to $39,999	11	17	11	17
$10,000 to $19,999	30	17	30	17
$5,000 to $9,999	31	36	31	36
$2,500 to $4,999	46	42	46	41
Under $2,500 (see text)	224	252	5	4
$2,000 to $2,499	28	19	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	38	26	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	50	38	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	108	169	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	4 216	2 854	3 908	2 612
Average per farm ... dollars	11 552	7 570	26 950	20 407
Crops, including hay ... farms	104	118	59	(NA)
$1,000	710	297	680	224
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	3		3	4
$1,000	65		65	44
Forest products ... farms	58	63	39	43
$1,000	273	125	266	117
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	332	313	134	122
$1,000	3 168	2 432	2 896	2 227
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	16	(NA)	8	14
$1,000	1 415	(NA)	1 413	949

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	59	(NA)
$1,000	680	224
Grains ... farms	35	21
$1,000	342	50
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	14	16
$1,000	227	105
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	21	26
$1,000	74	47
Other field crops ... farms	2	2
$1,000	11	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	2	4
$1,000	2	13
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	9
$1,000	24	7
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	134	122
$1,000	2 896	2 227
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	8	14
$1,000	1 413	949
Dairy products ... farms	7	13
$1,000	373	454
Cattle and calves ... farms	131	(NA)
$1,000	1 059	761
Hogs and pigs ... farms	11	(NA)
$1,000	44	63
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	5	
$1,000	5	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	238	(NA)	64	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	112	(NA)	58	(NA)
$1,000	58	(NA)	40	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	14	23	7	12
$1,000	8	24	2	21
Recreational services ... farms	1	7	1	1
$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Government farm programs ... farms	94	132	47	60
$1,000	32	168	21	146
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	12	(NA)	8	(NA)
$1,000	8	(NA)	7	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	28	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	32	(NA)	24	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	94
$1,000	1 860
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	20
$1,000	771
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	62
$1,000	823
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	48
$1,000	143
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	28
$1,000	108
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	11
$1,000	15

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	365	377	145	128
$1,000	4 080	2 637	3 659	2 270
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	109	116	6	14
$1,000 to $1,999	67	104	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	46	39	17	13
$3,000 to $4,999	51	44	28	30
$5,000 to $9,999	34	29	25	27
$10,000 to $19,999	19	45	19	22
$20,000 to $39,999	19		19	11
$40,000 to $59,999	3		3	11
$60,000 and over	17		16	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	119	153	54	58
$1,000	772	411	703	351
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	291	268	118	100
$1,000	1 313	790	1 237	742
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	194	132	101	73
$1,000	1 116	646	1 084	627
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	31
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	88	56
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	52	25
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	44
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	12	16
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	15
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	74	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	98	140	43	56
$1,000	58	29	54	24
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	275	305	120	113
$1,000	470	301	377	240
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	104	(NA)	53	(NA)
$1,000	119	61	111	52
Lime ... farms	(NA)	85	28	34
$1,000	(NA)	26	20	19
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	352	363	143	128
$1,000	184	117	141	83
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	141	126
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	55
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	14
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	2	13
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	143	128
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	9
Hired farm labor ... farms	142	170	77	91
$1,000	353	279	324	254
Contract labor ... farms	18	108	6	11
$1,000	12	69	11	32
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	91		41	43
$1,000	34		28	26
All other production expenses ... farms	300	303	143	128
$1,000	766	580	638	466

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	353	359	139	126
$1,000	4 236	1 944	2 735	1 212
Average per farm—dollars	12 001	5 414	19 674	9 618
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	11	31	2	55
$1,000 to $4,999	112	207	24	
$5,000 to $9,999	116	77	32	33
$10,000 to $19,999	53	28	32	23
$20,000 to $29,999	31	16	23	6
$30,000 to $49,999	18		14	6
$50,000 to $69,999	5		5	3
$70,000 and over	7		7	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	240	250	96	95
number	342	355	161	154
mfd in last 5 years, number	136	195	76	84
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	281	262	118	101
number	389	332	201	156
mfd in last 5 years, number	96	136	50	68
Wheel tractors—farms	306	284	129	109
number	479	462	254	219
mfd in last 5 years, number	73	152	55	85
Crawler tractors—farms	19		9	10
number	20		10	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		2	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	22	21	20	13
number	25	21	23	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	11	10	7
Corn heads for combines—farms	4	10	4	2
number	4	11	4	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	4	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	4		4	7
number	5		5	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	58	(NA)	32	(NA)
number	62	(NA)	36	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	(NA)	11	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	93	120	66	66
number	96	126	69	72
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	42	10	28
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	42	(NA)	32	37
number	43	(NA)	33	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	5	22
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	11	(NA)	9	13
number	11	(NA)	9	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	331	(X)	129	(X)	332	(X)	134	(X)	2 896
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	326	(X)	127	(X)	328	(X)	131	(X)	1 104
1969	318	(X)	118	(X)	307	(X)	120	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	322	17 319	127	12 565	324	7 437	131	5 553	1 059
1969	311	14 557	117	10 335	301	6 780	119	5 259	761
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	28	–	–	75	214	6	19	3
5 to 9—1974	19	131	1	8	67	444	8	49	7
10 to 19—1974	84	1 203	7	100	83	1 121	27	407	68
20 to 49—1974	103	3 136	33	1 085	72	2 100	64	1 920	300
50 to 99—1974	62	4 010	44	2 972	17	1 092	17	1 092	205
100 to 199—1974	29	3 857	29	3 857	5	567	5	567	169
200 to 499—1974	12	(D)	11	(D)	4	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	265	10 246	116	7 390	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	248	7 682	111	5 758	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	261	9 859	112	7 006	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 719	101	4 826	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	18	387	15	384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	44	963	28	932	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	373
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	454

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	261	9 859	112	7 006	Cattle sold	96	2 318	609
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	11	34	3	12	1 to 4	15	40	7
5 to 9	44	304	2	16	5 to 9	21	135	27
10 to 19	69	958	13	189	10 to 19	26	369	81
20 to 49	93	2 911	53	1 650	20 to 49	29	831	188
50 to 99	23	1 472	21	1 360	50 to 99	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	16	2 039	16	2 039	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	3	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	18	387	15	384	Calves sold	109	3 235	450
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	12	19	9	16	1 or 2	1	1	(Z)
3 or 4	2	6	2	6	3 or 4	10	35	4
5 to 9	–	–	–	–	5 to 9	12	71	11
10 to 19	–	–	–	–	10 to 19	35	492	60
20 to 49	1	25	1	25	20 to 49	39	1 152	141
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99	9	603	101
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	79	1 835
	1969	94	2 465
Beef heifers	1974	73	1 567
Milk heifers	1974	8	268
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	107	3 340
	1969	110	2 112

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	9	127	31
	1969	3	86	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	3	7	1
10 to 19	1974	3	36	6
20 to 49	1974	3	84	23
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	37	624	20	506	29	753	11	606	44
	1969	47	1 395	18	992	22	1 649	12	1 504	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	18	40	10	17	3	7	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	6	44	2	14	12	72	2	12	1
10 to 24	1974	10	142	5	77	11	162	5	79	5
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	1	58	1	58	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	100	1	100	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	240	1	240	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	125	3	80	2
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	164	3	130	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	10	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	82	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	62	264	28	144	7	24	4	20	5
	1969	89	237	(NA)	(NA)	8	21	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	7	61
	1969	11	168
Other hogs and pigs	1974	20	445
	1969	17	824
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	18	148	8	128
	1969	18	274	11	239
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	12	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	16	137	10	117
June 1 and November 30	1974	13	(D)	7	(D)
	1969	12	137	9	122

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	41	(X)	19	(X)	14	(X)	8	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3-months old or older	1974	41	162 561	19	161 810	14	147 183	8	145 548
	1969	56	163 837	21	160 716	17	105 020	12	103 269
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	39	132 338	18	131 785	9	87 063	7	(D)
	1969	54	157 746	20	154 704	16	99 020	11	97 269
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	31	613	11	210	1	15	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	150	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	1	1 168
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	49 780	3	49 780
20,000 to 49,999	1974	3	86 275	3	86 275	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	20	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	1 415	8	1 413
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	949

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	18	131 785	7	(D)
	1969	20	154 704	11	97 269
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	131 722	7	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	63	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	2	(D)	1	6 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	(D)	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	2	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	50	60	777	827	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	20	9	547	371	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	36	21	1 933	682	35 610	14 086
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	6	8	6	10	3 780	12 620
Wheat (bushels)	22	16	573	142	16 960	3 519
Other small grains for grain	31	29	710	503	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	16	25	1 605	1 202	1 124	1 141
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	(NA)	10	(NA)	1 801	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	16	(NA)	11	(NA)	1 287	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	163	180	5 008	4 588	7 264	7 286
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	16	22	24	62	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	18	87	107	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	143	206	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	25	19	500	551	22 656	24 548	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	3	151	98	2 099	1 020	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	1	30	2	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	14	4	302	121	12 052	4 278	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	224	242	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	2	190	8	232	6	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	110	14 950	(X)	–	–	56	5 353	53	974	14	251
	1969	86	15 452	(X)	–	–	63	4 996	62	1 156	7	163
Improved pasture	1974	27	6 155	(X)	–	–	11	1 389	10	193	2	83
	1969	39	7 821	(X)	–	–	27	4 028	27	794	4	124
Corn for all purposes	1974	26	681	(X)	–	–	25	669	24	244	6	114
	1969	20	651	(X)	–	–	18	341	18	160	2	5
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	16	526	(X)	–	–	15	366	13	80	4	29
	1969	7	363	(X)	–	–	6	316	6	101	2	14
Wheat (bushels)	1974	19	539	16 265	–	–	16	505	13	173	5	35
	1969	9	117	3 023	–	–	5	49	(NA)	11	(NA)	3
Oats (bushels)	1974	23	415	15 957	–	–	14	225	13	47	2	6
	1969	13	205	8 280	–	–	11	150	(NA)	36	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	11	250	10 434	–	–	10	210	9	51	3	6
	1969	12	252	14 433	–	–	8	205	(NA)	42	(NA)	19
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	28	1 878	34 849	–	–	19	1 278	15	168	4	13
	1969	12	585	13 270	–	–	7	225	(NA)	48	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	700	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	1	220	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	91	4 060	6 145	–	–	44	2 125	41	402	11	124
	1969	84	3 417	5 666	–	–	43	1 787	42	495	7	37
Field seed crops	1974	3	124	(X)	–	–	1	30	–	–	1	8
	1969	8	186	(X)	–	–	5	102	5	28	3	9
Cotton (bales)	1974	14	1 587	1 114	–	–	14	1 581	13	522	3	40
	1969	15	1 162	1 109	–	–	13	968	(NA)	456	(NA)	58
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	6	1 566	–	–	1	4	1	4	–	–
	1969	2	(Z)	10	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	4	5	(X)	–	–	4	5	4	3	–	–
	1969	4	30	(X)	1	5	3	21	3	12	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	7	76	(X)	–	–	4	31	3	18	1	3
	1969	12	85	(X)	–	–	7	61	7	30	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	3	11	(X)	3	11	3	12	3	8	–	–
	1969	4	9	(X)	1	4	2	8	2	2	–	–
Other crops	1974	5	7	(X)	–	–	3	5	3	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	124	116
$1,000	488	291
Commercial fertilizer — farms	120	107
acres on which used	13 789	13 270
tons	3 598	3 805
$1,000	377	240
Lime — farms	28	34
acres on which used	1 802	2 983
tons	1 714	2 673
$1,000	20	19
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	2	–
acres on which used	25	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops — farms	14	17
acres on which used	1 463	1 059
$1,000	45	14
Nematodes in crops — farms	1	–
acres on which used	500	–
$1,000	14	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	17
$1,000	–	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	20	25
acres on which used	3 031	1 496
$1,000	24	9
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	6	7
acres on which used	332	286
$1,000	2	(Z)
Weeds on all other land — farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	28	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	2	5
acres on which used	555	554
$1,000	1	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	19	40
$1,000	3	5
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	4	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	3	3
Proportion of farms — percent	2.1	2.3
Total land irrigated — acres	12	11
Average per farm — acres	4.0	3.6
Cropland irrigated — farms	3	3
acres	12	11
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	3	3
acres	12	11
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	21	8
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	1.8	0.7
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	3	(NA)
acres	12	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	680	253
Cropland — acres	12	141
Harvested cropland — acres	12	15
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	7	11
Proportion of farms — percent	4.8	8.5
Land in farms with drainage — acres	4 030	9 385
Land drained — acres	111	563
Average per farm — acres	15.9	51.1
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	64	(NA)
number	219	(NA)
acres	282	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	35	29	17
$1,000	1 771	1 587	184
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	5	7	3
$5,000 to $9,999	6	5	8
$10,000 to $29,999	14	7	5
$30,000 to $49,999	2	2	1
$50,000 and over	8	8	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	25	38	68	80	233	254
25 to 149 days	33	72	88	201	56	
Less than 25 days	45		284		36	
Total contract labor	6	11	(NA)	(NA)	11	32
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	77	25	33	45
Cash wages paid — $1,000	324	233	56	36
Number of workers	440	68	88	284
Farms with —				
1 worker	15	10	14	9
2 workers	14	7	5	7
3 or 4 workers	17	5	9	7
5 to 9 workers	17	2	4	11
10 workers and over	14	1	1	11

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	437	525	342	262
Land in farms — acres	144 584	163 895	137 629	141 947
Average size of farm — acres	331	312	402	542
Approximate land area — acres	359 424	359 424	359 424	359 424
Proportion in farms — percent	40.2	45.6	38.3	39.5
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	59 466	32 280	56 342	27 679
Average per farm — dollars	136 078	61 486	164 743	105 646
Average per acre — dollars	411	197	409	195
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	23	29	12	4
10 to 49 acres	99	137	46	18
50 to 69 acres	20	39	13	13
70 to 99 acres	46	49	42	21
100 to 139 acres	40	55	35	32
140 to 179 acres	30	29	26	17
180 to 219 acres	23	27	21	21
220 to 259 acres	16	18	15	9
260 to 499 acres	71	67	63	57
500 to 999 acres	36	40	36	36
1,000 to 1,999 acres	24	24	24	23
2,000 acres and over	9	11	9	11

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	417	499	323	255
acres	89 249	81 557	86 143	72 187
Harvested cropland — farms	389	453	317	250
acres	75 733	58 974	74 900	55 534
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	50	78	5	
10 to 19 acres	23	69	9	63
20 to 29 acres	21	69	11	
30 to 49 acres	78	40	75	
50 to 99 acres	72	70	72	60
100 to 199 acres	55	44	55	44
200 to 499 acres	41	50	41	50
500 to 999 acres	34	25	34	25
1,000 acres and over	15	8	15	8
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	149	171	106	101
acres	9 476	4 813	7 379	3 376
Other cropland (see text) — farms	65	318	51	(NA)
acres	4 040	17 770	3 864	13 277
Total woodland — farms	255	325	193	184
acres	45 436	69 919	43 980	60 782
Other land (see text) — farms	235	282	187	(NA)
acres	9 899	12 419	7 506	8 978
Irrigated land — farms	–	3	–	3
acres	–	956	–	956

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	51	(NA)
acres	3 864	13 277
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	16	31
acres	1 451	2 078
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	21
acres	28	659
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	12
acres	50	489
Cropland idle — farms	34	123
acres	2 335	10 051
Total woodland — farms	193	184
acres	43 980	60 782
Woodland pastured — farms	68	65
acres	10 964	9 332

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	156	147
acres	33 016	51 450
Other land — farms	187	(NA)
acres	7 506	8 978
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	38	20
acres	3 928	6 357
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	23	12
acres	2 400	6 045
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	17	9
acres	1 528	312
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	171	127
acres	3 578	2 621

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	437	525	342	262
Land in farms — acres	144 584	163 895	137 629	141 947
Harvested cropland — acres	75 733	58 974	74 900	55 534
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	245	297	166	114
Land in farms — acres	69 960	74 010	63 426	55 426
Harvested cropland — acres	18 375	13 420	17 716	11 321
Part owners — number	139	165	131	118
Land in farms — acres	64 087	83 204	63 840	80 823
Harvested cropland — acres	48 182	40 981	48 143	40 326
Tenants — number	53	63	45	30
Land in farms — acres	10 537	6 681	10 363	5 698
Harvested cropland — acres	9 176	4 573	9 041	3 887
Percent of tenancy	12.1	12.0	13.2	11.4
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	50	131	13	23
Land in farms — acres	2 213	11 047	1 287	6 716
Harvested cropland — acres	992	3 945	658	2 573
Full owners — number	35	77	7	10
Land in farms — acres	1 544	6 430	758	3 571
Harvested cropland — acres	563	1 052	276	385
Part owners — number	10	34	3	8
Land in farms — acres	373	3 645	251	2 653
Harvested cropland — acres	196	2 131	167	1 802
Tenants — number	5	20	3	5
Land in farms — acres	296	972	278	492
Harvested cropland — acres	233	762	215	386
Percent of tenancy	10.0	15.2	23.1	21.7
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	316	235
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	105 320	102 387

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	23	21
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 292	15 719
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 017	23 661
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	180
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	4	13	4	4
25 to 34 years	58	64	53	36
35 to 44 years	59	73	51	44
45 to 54 years	123	117	89	67
55 to 64 years	123	176	96	79
65 years and over	67	82	46	32
Average age	51.6	51.6	50.4	50.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	220	339	173	180
On another farm	17		17	
In a rural area, not on a farm	20	122	16	64
In a city, town, or urban area	67		53	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	139	(NA)	120	(NA)
1 to 49 days	22	38	18	17
50 to 99 days	21	24	10	10
100 to 149 days	12	63	7	17
150 to 199 days	14		11	
200 days and over	137	178	97	67
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	249	(NA)	206	(NA)
Other	185	(NA)	133	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	29	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	45	38	45	38
$40,000 to $99,999	47		47	
$20,000 to $39,999	50	41	50	41
$10,000 to $19,999	71	48	71	48
$5,000 to $9,999	83	44	83	44
$2,500 to $4,999	42	79	42	79
Under $2,500 (see text)	99	275	4	12
$2,000 to $2,499	18	19	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	19	30	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	13	54	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	49	172	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	15 415	7 793	15 317	7 590
Average per farm ... dollars	35 274	14 844	44 786	28 970
Crops, including hay ... farms	361	405	307	(NA)
$1,000	10 409	3 620	10 337	3 508
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	2
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	27	37	27	32
$1,000	(D)	177	(D)	175
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	250	322	209	187
$1,000	4 791	3 996	4 765	3 907
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	19	(NA)	15	20
$1,000	1 371	(NA)	1 370	2 266

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	307	(NA)
$1,000	10 337	3 508
Grains ... farms	301	219
$1,000	8 805	2 331
Tobacco ... farms	6	2
$1,000	76	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	16	78
$1,000	254	241
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	18	19
$1,000	387	523
Other field crops ... farms	20	20
$1,000	378	88
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	49	60
$1,000	413	159
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	8	17
$1,000	24	149
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	209	187
$1,000	4 765	3 907
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	15	20
$1,000	1 370	2 266
Dairy products ... farms	3	7
$1,000	255	116
Cattle and calves ... farms	108	(NA)
$1,000	888	782
Hogs and pigs ... farms	151	(NA)
$1,000	2 215	744
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	8	
$1,000	38	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	134	(NA)	69	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	104	(NA)	84	(NA)
$1,000	158	(NA)	147	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	47	45	41	33
$1,000	89	54	81	49
Recreational services ... farms	9	5	9	5
$1,000	2	5	2	5
Government farm programs ... farms	45	295	35	172
$1,000	26	740	24	664
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	28	(NA)	24	(NA)
$1,000	39	(NA)	37	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	38	(NA)	28	(NA)
$1,000	68	(NA)	57	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	190
$1,000	1 786
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	32
$1,000	407
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	138
$1,000	1 147
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	53
$1,000	109
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	39
$1,000	117
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	6
$1,000	6

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	435	525	342	262
$1,000	11 795	7 552	11 706	7 300
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	67	191	2	31
$1,000 to $1,999	25	68	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	51	41	41	16
$3,000 to $4,999	52	39	48	33
$5,000 to $9,999	82	71	81	67
$10,000 to $19,999	65	115	65	35
$20,000 to $39,999	25		25	37
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	43
$60,000 and over	52		52	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	115	156	100	109
$1,000	775	442	765	430
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	240	291	182	163
$1,000	2 040	1 358	2 027	1 325
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	204	202	159	122
$1,000	1 490	1 007	1 482	988
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	69	36
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	207	173
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	53	44
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	307	155
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	21	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	9
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	81	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	336	405	274	232
$1,000	405	207	400	195
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	358	444	292	242
$1,000	2 563	1 336	2 542	1 283
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	223	(NA)	207	(NA)
$1,000	830	364	828	356
Lime ... farms	(NA)	144	72	115
$1,000	(NA)	98	151	95
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	407	496	324	261
$1,000	651	442	640	405
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	258	242
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	250	178
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	209	170
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	291	129
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	18	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	18
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	324	261
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	86	80
Hired farm labor ... farms	159	263	149	185
$1,000	1 098	945	1 096	925
Contract labor ... farms	22	248	20	23
$1,000	52	269	52	84
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	200		169	150
$1,000	363		357	167
All other production expenses ... farms	408	390	341	254
$1,000	3 019	2 188	2 945	2 131

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	408	477	315	257
$1,000	8 769	5 310	8 161	4 608
Average per farm—dollars	21 492	11 132	25 909	17 931
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	3	48	3	64
$1,000 to $4,999	81	190	51	
$5,000 to $9,999	91	111	42	68
$10,000 to $19,999	90	60	76	57
$20,000 to $29,999	39	68	39	23
$30,000 to $49,999	61		61	22
$50,000 to $69,999	17		17	23
$70,000 and over	26		26	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	298	348	228	185
number	381	435	302	241
mfd in last 5 years, number	211	283	189	175
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	346	337	277	226
number	648	597	579	470
mfd in last 5 years, number	250	321	228	244
Wheel tractors—farms	343	346	267	225
number	654	630	577	482
mfd in last 5 years, number	230	332	215	264
Crawler tractors—farms	16		16	19
number	18		18	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		7	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	114	113	114	107
number	129	135	129	129
mfd in last 5 years, number	56	85	56	82
Corn heads for combines—farms	98	103	98	78
number	106	116	106	85
mfd in last 5 years, number	44	74	44	59
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	16		14	16
number	16		14	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	9
Mower conditioners—farms	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
number	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	36	32	36	30
number	36	34	36	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	20	15	19
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	12	(NA)	12	10
number	14	(NA)	14	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	7	(NA)	7	9
number	15	(NA)	15	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	8	8

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	263	(X)	210	(X)	250	(X)	209	(X)	4 765
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	238	(X)	189	(X)	231	(X)	198	(X)	3 102
1969	335	(X)	176	(X)	305	(X)	180	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	149	8 567	119	8 277	117	4 396	108	4 307	888
1969	189	10 011	108	9 191	154	3 784	98	3 466	782
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	11	28	5	16	27	75	25	67	13
5 to 9—1974	33	210	16	115	11	75	8	54	10
10 to 19—1974	24	301	21	266	29	397	26	362	97
20 to 49—1974	37	1 068	34	995	36	1 041	35	1 016	218
50 to 99—1974	22	1 475	21	1 400	7	464	7	464	101
100 to 199—1974	12	1 635	12	1 635	3	354	3	354	104
200 to 499—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	112	5 119	95	4 951	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	150	4 782	97	4 443	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	105	4 789	90	4 635	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 510	88	4 196	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	24	330	20	316	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	42	272	27	247	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	255
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	116

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	105	4 789	90	4 635
Farms with—				
1 to 4	15	48	11	34
5 to 9	22	127	15	90
10 to 19	12	155	9	121
20 to 49	33	923	33	923
50 to 99	10	665	9	596
100 to 199	10	1 196	10	1 196
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)
Milk cows	24	330	20	316
Farms with—				
1 or 2	14	21	12	17
3 or 4	5	20	5	20
5 to 9	2	10	–	–
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	84	2 146	629
Farms with—			
1 to 4	20	46	13
5 to 9	11	71	18
10 to 19	22	315	103
20 to 49	20	566	155
50 to 99	7	494	116
100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	68	2 161	259
Farms with—			
1 or 2	11	18	3
3 or 4	10	33	3
5 to 9	15	102	15
10 to 19	18	230	29
20 to 49	11	333	36
50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	69	1 619	18	503	169
	1969	77	2 623	11	295	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	66	1 407			
Milk heifers	1974	6	212			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	83	1 707			
	1969	92	2 125			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			18	503	169
	1969			11	295	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			7	37	9
10 to 19	1974			5	55	17
20 to 49	1974			5	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	174	19 477	138	19 097	175	34 546	151	34 035	2 215
	1969	254	13 770	134	12 295	223	18 469	137	17 142	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	18	51	9	29	11	26	5	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	25	185	8	59	17	125	14	99	8
10 to 24	1974	30	450	24	358	16	261	11	202	17
25 to 49	1974	33	1 124	29	984	40	1 419	34	1 213	88
50 to 99	1974	25	1 621	25	1 621	31	1 867	27	1 667	110
100 to 199	1974	21	2 514	21	2 514	22	2 961	22	2 961	203
200 to 499	1974	17	5 061	17	5 061	26	7 160	26	7 160	491
500 and over	1974	5	8 471	5	8 471	12	20 727	12	20 727	1 297
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	4 257	13	3 979	95
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	35	1 749	19	1 417	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	32	60	21	43	1	1	1	1	(Z)
	1969	43	110	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	117	2 999
	1969	118	2 236
Other hogs and pigs	1974	124	16 098
	1969	127	10 059
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	147	4 858	119	4 742
	1969	212	2 670	130	2 442
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	138	2 247	114	2 192
	1969	178	1 269	114	1 151
June 1 and November 30	1974	123	2 611	101	2 550
	1969	168	1 401	114	1 291

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	67	(X)	42	(X)	13	(X)	13	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	57	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	65	137 867	41	137 406	12	134 250	12	134 250
	1969	128	402 241	56	400 442	25	314 049	18	313 795
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	61	132 713	41	132 349	12	134 250	12	134 250
	1969	123	287 620	53	286 034	21	167 673	15	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	51	1 113	31	749	2	150	2	150
100 to 399	1974	3	600	3	600	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	33 800	3	33 800
20,000 to 49,999	1974	4	96 000	4	96 000	3	80 000	3	80 000
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	108	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	81	1	75	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	1 371	15	1 370
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	20	2 266

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	41	132 349	12	134 250
	1969	53	286 034	15	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	40	132 325	12	134 250
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	24	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	–	–
	1969	8	114 077	2	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	12	(D)	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	1	(D)
	1969	3	18	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	18	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	308	316	22 109	14 080	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	3	2	188	10	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	314	312	44 677	33 265	1 078 195	758 572
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	23	17	915	556	2 041 752	675 878
Wheat (bushels)	44	52	2 856	3 580	59 150	124 460
Other small grains for grain	71	59	4 463	2 317	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	16	120	1 203	3 607	1 256	2 587
Tobacco (pounds)	6	2	44	16	(D)	(D)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	7	(NA)	10	(NA)	960	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	80	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	66	59	2 897	3 136	12 731	15 215
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	56	91	1 272	1 653	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	19	29	318	558	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	4	(NA)	6	477	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	252	187	20 985	12 051	1 375 256	692 778	–	1	–	8
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	7	6	612	722	5 741	8 185	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	8	79	81	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	–	158	–	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	30	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	38	24	152	75	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	106	7 379	(X)	–	–	37	1 504	36	280	17	130
	1969	101	3 376	(X)	1	2	54	1 938	40	472	39	274
Improved pasture	1974	23	2 400	(X)	–	–	8	1 710	7	131	4	241
	1969	12	6 045	(X)	1	923	6	3 892	5	1 532	3	4
Corn for all purposes	1974	256	21 676	(X)	–	–	212	19 478	207	5 684	177	2 394
	1969	192	12 854	(X)	1	8	163	11 451	157	3 694	93	1 203
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	188	(X)	–	–	2	60	2	13	2	10
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	42	2 826	59 050	–	–	29	2 367	27	538	21	224
	1969	51	3 577	124 340	–	–	49	3 569	(NA)	898	(NA)	387
Oats (bushels)	1974	18	784	30 812	–	–	11	721	10	71	5	150
	1969	7	78	3 955	–	–	4	64	(NA)	17	(NA)	5
Barley (bushels)	1974	3	275	9 616	–	–	3	275	2	32	2	33
	1969	1	45	3 100	–	–	1	45	(NA)	12	(NA)	7
Rye (bushels)	1974	58	3 358	80 751	–	–	46	3 041	40	662	27	307
	1969	51	2 155	58 309	–	–	42	1 764	(NA)	416	(NA)	158
Other small grains for grain	1974	3	46	(X)	–	–	2	40	2	12	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	284	44 359	1 072 042	–	–	177	35 510	171	6 948	10	256
	1969	198	31 619	727 074	–	–	157	26 678	(NA)	5 796	(NA)	356
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	15	904	2 027 019	–	–	9	852	9	157	–	–
	1969	11	549	670 635	–	–	9	547	(NA)	132	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	65	2 891	12 719	–	–	30	2 430	23	377	25	418
	1969	45	2 973	15 056	–	–	24	2 465	21	958	18	545
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	338	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	16	1 203	1 256	–	–	16	1 203	16	433	13	156
	1969	86	3 443	2 525	1	10	80	3 370	(NA)	1 244	(NA)	304
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	6	44	(D)	–	–	6	44	6	54	5	3
	1969	2	16	(D)	–	–	2	16	(NA)	17	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	10	960	–	–	3	2	3	2	–	–
	1969	2	2	160	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	49	1 259	(X)	–	–	23	803	14	193	12	176
	1969	59	1 511	(X)	1	13	48	1 401	46	546	8	168
Land in orchards	1974	15	300	(X)	–	–	3	157	3	38	–	–
	1969	21	529	(X)	–	–	14	385	14	209	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	1	(X)	–	–	2	1	–	–	2	(Z)
	1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	2	6	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	298	249
	$1,000	3 369	1 639
Commercial fertilizer	farms	292	231
	acres on which used	70 219	57 644
	tons	20 124	19 373
	$1,000	2 542	1 283
Lime	farms	72	115
	acres on which used	11 888	14 171
	tons	11 720	13 677
	$1,000	151	95
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —			
Insects on hay crops	farms	4	5
	acres on which used	1 719	2 147
	$1,000	11	5
Insects on other crops	farms	128	126
	acres on which used	34 195	22 855
	$1,000	344	146
Nematodes in crops	farms	23	6
	acres on which used	8 830	342
	$1,000	70	2
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	6	17
	acres on which used	1 605	1 209
	$1,000	37	17
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	92	58
	acres on which used	29 842	14 768
	$1,000	180	76
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	2	1
	acres on which used	72	5
	$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land	farms	–	(NA)
	acres on which used	–	(NA)
	$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	8	33
	acres on which used	877	1 816
	$1,000	4	9
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	14	37
	$1,000	9	4
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	53	(NA)
	$1,000	22	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	3
Proportion of farms	percent	–	1.1
Total land irrigated	acres	–	(D)
Average per farm	acres	–	(D)
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	2
	acres	–	33
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	1
	acres	–	31
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	1
	acres	–	2
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	1
	acres	–	923
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	802
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	(D)
Land irrigated by —			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by — Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	(D)
Cropland	acres	–	(D)
Harvested cropland	acres	–	(D)
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	61	95
Proportion of farms	percent	17.8	36.2
Land in farms with drainage	acres	42 625	83 404
Land drained	acres	17 633	23 241
Average per farm	acres	289.1	244.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	36	(NA)
	number	66	(NA)
	acres	138	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	127	81	74
	$1,000	5 499	3 663	1 836
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		38	21	29
$5,000 to $9,999		23	17	10
$10,000 to $29,999		22	9	19
$30,000 to $49,999		14	9	7
$50,000 and over		30	25	9

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	70	89	214	253	875	925
25 to 149 days	43	143	195	735	148	
Less than 25 days	98		625		73	
Total contract labor	20	23	(NA)	(NA)	52	84
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	45	(NA)	13	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working — 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	149	70	43	98
Cash wages paid	$1,000 1 096	875	148	73
Number of workers	1 034	214	195	625
Farms with —				
1 worker	40	25	14	26
2 workers	22	19	11	19
3 or 4 workers	32	12	10	20
5 to 9 workers	29	12	4	13
10 workers and over	26	2	4	20

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	2 156	3 024	1 791	2 160
Land in farms — acres	222 836	270 845	204 356	223 425
Average size of farm — acres	103	90	114	103
Approximate land area — acres	738 496	738 496	738 496	738 496
Proportion in farms — percent	30.2	36.7	27.7	30.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	151 590	110 587	140 050	90 499
Average per farm — dollars	70 311	36 569	78 196	41 897
Average per acre — dollars	680	408	685	405
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	115	189	72	91
10 to 49 acres	746	1 155	538	719
50 to 69 acres	273	459	233	339
70 to 99 acres	301	412	265	329
100 to 139 acres	278	292	259	225
140 to 179 acres	144	158	140	130
180 to 219 acres	81	114	77	103
220 to 259 acres	58	67	53	61
260 to 499 acres	120	133	116	121
500 to 999 acres	29	40	27	37
1,000 to 1,999 acres	8	4	8	4
2,000 acres and over	3	1	3	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	630	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	12 881	32 196
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	106	186
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	1 442	3 840
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	95	67
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	1 398	627
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	76	144
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	2 115	4 606
Cropland idle — farms	457	1 034
Cropland idle — acres	7 926	23 123
Total woodland — farms	1 094	1 475
Total woodland — acres	76 024	95 162
Woodland pastured — farms	319	437
Woodland pastured — acres	14 544	18 229

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	2 128	2 945	1 775	2 157
Total cropland — acres	108 597	128 882	102 930	112 550
Harvested cropland — farms	2 102	2 801	1 772	2 146
Harvested cropland — acres	86 255	78 837	82 972	72 366
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	421	843	245	
10 to 19 acres	457	760	346	1 778
20 to 29 acres	327	403	285	
30 to 49 acres	378	424	377	
50 to 99 acres	329	254	329	251
100 to 199 acres	145	89	145	89
200 to 499 acres	40	23	40	23
500 to 999 acres	4	4	4	4
1,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	503	797	392	602
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	8 417	9 799	7 077	7 988
Other cropland (see text) — farms	724	1 655	630	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	13 925	40 246	12 881	32 196
Total woodland — farms	1 298	2 068	1 094	1 475
Total woodland — acres	84 812	119 903	76 024	95 162
Other land (see text) — farms	1 286	1 903	1 096	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	29 427	22 060	25 402	15 713
Irrigated land — farms	68	126	56	119
Irrigated land — acres	962	1 694	942	1 653

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	893	1 221
Woodland not pastured — acres	61 480	76 933
Other land — farms	1 096	(NA)
Other land — acres	25 402	15 713
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	178	197
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	10 016	3 223
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	119	88
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	7 445	1 177
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	78	121
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 571	2 046
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	1 059	1 294
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	15 386	12 490

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	2 156	3 024	1 791	2 160
Land in farms — acres	222 836	270 845	204 356	223 425
Harvested cropland — acres	86 255	78 837	82 972	72 366
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	1 213	1 692	926	999
Land in farms — acres	109 390	150 823	93 230	110 892
Harvested cropland — acres	29 247	29 660	26 765	24 801
Part owners — number	617	803	570	701
Land in farms — acres	86 717	95 683	84 933	90 034
Harvested cropland — acres	42 332	34 506	41 847	33 533
Tenants — number	326	529	295	460
Land in farms — acres	26 729	24 339	26 193	22 499
Harvested cropland — acres	14 676	14 671	14 360	14 032
Percent of tenancy	15.1	17.4	16.5	21.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	177	218	124	131
Land in farms — acres	7 309	8 280	6 102	5 506
Harvested cropland — acres	3 101	2 741	2 822	2 333
Full owners — number	128	105	81	49
Land in farms — acres	4 196	4 357	3 057	2 429
Harvested cropland — acres	1 267	861	1 032	673
Part owners — number	45	57	39	34
Land in farms — acres	3 074	2 570	3 006	1 836
Harvested cropland — acres	1 819	876	1 775	713
Tenants — number	4	56	4	48
Land in farms — acres	39	1 353	39	1 241
Harvested cropland — acres	15	1 004	15	947
Percent of tenancy	2.3	25.6	3.2	36.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	1 633	1 863
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	184 863	188 328

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	144	243
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 029	28 312
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	11	41
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 158	5 749
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	13
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	306	1 036
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	74	53	66	38
25 to 34 years	224	376	198	298
35 to 44 years	379	688	329	497
45 to 54 years	580	850	480	644
55 to 64 years	621	702	509	515
65 years and over	264	355	195	168
Average age	50.3	48.9	49.7	47.9
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	1 227	2 170	1 023	1 659
On another farm	156		135	
In a rural area, not on a farm	83	563	69	323
In a city, town, or urban area	87		68	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	987	(NA)	879	(NA)
1 to 49 days	106	230	71	162
50 to 99 days	64	235	58	196
100 to 149 days	71	296	57	151
150 to 199 days	76		58	
200 days and over	334	621	205	325
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	1 684	(NA)	1 492	(NA)
Other	458	(NA)	285	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	58	76	58	76
$40,000 to $99,999	319		319	
$20,000 to $39,999	450	319	450	319
$10,000 to $19,999	426	619	426	619
$5,000 to $9,999	338	641	338	641
$2,500 to $4,999	195	487	195	487
Under $2,500 (see text)	370	882	5	18
$2,000 to $2,499	79	128	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	68	112	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	87	132	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	136	510	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	50 766	29 604	50 299	28 807
Average per farm ... dollars	23 546	9 789	28 084	13 336
Crops, including hay ... farms	2 043	2 727	1 751	(NA)
$1,000	46 297	26 520	45 931	25 917
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	5		3	3
$1,000	73		71	2
Forest products ... farms	89	120	73	101
$1,000	363	256	359	245
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	774	1 125	638	882
$1,000	4 033	2 828	3 938	2 643
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	43	(NA)	27	50
$1,000	549	(NA)	545	219

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	1 751	(NA)
$1,000	45 931	25 917
Grains ... farms	1 426	1 518
$1,000	8 841	2 547
Tobacco ... farms	1 467	2 020
$1,000	36 364	22 963
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	9	9
$1,000	121	10
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	41	50
$1,000	33	39
Other field crops ... farms	76	103
$1,000	417	146
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	52	73
$1,000	105	134
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	18
$1,000	49	79
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	638	882
$1,000	3 938	2 643
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	27	50
$1,000	545	219
Dairy products ... farms	1	5
$1,000	(D)	51
Cattle and calves ... farms	196	(NA)
$1,000	320	269
Hogs and pigs ... farms	535	(NA)
$1,000	2 988	2 103
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	14	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	408	(NA)	198	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	459	(NA)	317	(NA)
$1,000	1 563	(NA)	1 290	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	99	136	80	104
$1,000	690	301	652	265
Recreational services ... farms	1	16	1	11
$1,000	1	11	1	7
Government farm programs ... farms	52	1 116	45	807
$1,000	37	779	36	626
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	320	(NA)	193	(NA)
$1,000	788	(NA)	563	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	35	(NA)	31	(NA)
$1,000	47	(NA)	38	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	139	(NA)	103	(NA)
$1,000	386	(NA)	327	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	723
$1,000	5 228
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	148
$1,000	967
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	498
$1,000	3 674
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	164
$1,000	220
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	112
$1,000	271
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	49
$1,000	96

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	2 156	3 024	1 791	2 160
$1,000	30 169	19 336	29 692	18 046
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	224	461	47	256
$1,000 to $1,999	241	454	121	
$2,000 to $2,999	176	364	131	270
$3,000 to $4,999	243	535	224	467
$5,000 to $9,999	419	659	415	616
$10,000 to $19,999	393	551	393	400
$20,000 to $39,999	313		313	123
$40,000 to $59,999	84		84	28
$60,000 and over	63		63	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	423	553	332	420
$1,000	589	463	554	433
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	791	1 064	610	814
$1,000	1 984	1 098	1 902	1 023
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	680	904	558	724
$1,000	1 643	898	1 598	843
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	103	118
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	118	80
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	124	132
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	180	94
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	30
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	5
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	194	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	1 366	2 352	1 175	1 819
$1,000	606	321	588	291
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	2 000	2 802	1 706	2 135
$1,000	5 351	2 697	5 258	2 545
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	1 248	(NA)	1 138	(NA)
$1,000	1 294	918	1 282	862
Lime ... farms	(NA)	441	183	367
$1,000	(NA)	82	70	75
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	2 132	2 968	1 779	2 156
$1,000	3 445	2 722	3 383	2 519
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 741	2 003
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 117	966
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 026	626
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	697	189
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	658	865
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	550	454
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 779	2 155
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 019	910
Hired farm labor ... farms	1 105	2 278	1 029	1 881
$1,000	4 046	4 012	4 011	3 800
Contract labor ... farms	74	1 784	61	114
$1,000	103	667	97	145
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	1 116		988	1 341
$1,000	839		807	454
All other production expenses ... farms	2 040	2 769	1 789	2 156
$1,000	11 912	6 439	11 779	5 973

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	2 039	2 882	1 694	2 098
$1,000	30 527	16 642	28 147	13 827
Average per farm—dollars	14 971	5 774	16 616	6 590
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	12	200	8	1 084
$1,000 to $4,999	389	1 489	278	
$5,000 to $9,999	529	760	356	620
$10,000 to $19,999	536	317	486	284
$20,000 to $29,999	349	116	343	64
$30,000 to $49,999	171		170	33
$50,000 to $69,999	33		33	13
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 615	2 141	1 346	1 569
number	2 123	2 555	1 775	1 867
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 340	1 817	1 191	1 375
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 689	2 114	1 453	1 662
number	2 234	2 399	1 991	1 922
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 158	1 584	1 101	1 338
Wheel tractors—farms	1 790	2 395	1 487	1 829
number	3 070	3 451	2 723	2 796
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 195	1 641	1 141	1 398
Crawler tractors—farms	20		19	21
number	25		24	24
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	10

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	138	137	138	126
number	155	157	155	140
mfd in last 5 years, number	56	119	56	106
Corn heads for combines—farms	107	136	103	98
number	110	154	106	108
mfd in last 5 years, number	39	108	39	88
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	61		58	33
number	62		59	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	30		30	16
Mower conditioners—farms	34	(NA)	32	(NA)
number	41	(NA)	39	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	8	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	132	38	130	35
number	132	40	130	37
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	21	12	20
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	105	(NA)	105	15
number	105	(NA)	105	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	103	(NA)	103	11
number	122	(NA)	122	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	19

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	963	(X)	782	(X)	774	(X)	638	(X)	3 938
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	855	(X)	696	(X)	749	(X)	621	(X)	3 307
1969	1 326	(X)	1 043	(X)	1 083	(X)	859	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	444	6 596	347	5 639	252	2 010	196	1 819	320
1969	419	5 216	331	4 590	240	2 271	189	2 051	269
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	112	301	90	235	114	287	70	190	28
5 to 9—1974	139	907	92	593	67	441	58	381	65
10 to 19—1974	94	1 213	77	989	51	670	48	636	113
20 to 49—1974	80	2 353	71	2 110	18	(D)	18	(D)	(D)
50 to 99—1974	14	883	12	773	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	4	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	357	3 531	278	3 099	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	319	2 080	259	1 852	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	324	3 236	254	2 878	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 869	215	1 668	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	105	295	72	221	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	81	211	67	184	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	51

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	324	3 236	254	2 878
Farms with—				
1 to 4	128	291	88	204
5 to 9	96	620	72	453
10 to 19	57	731	53	687
20 to 49	36	994	34	934
50 to 99	6	(D)	6	(D)
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	105	295	72	221
Farms with—				
1 or 2	77	102	50	58
3 or 4	16	49	12	37
5 to 9	6	44	4	26
10 to 19	5	50	5	50
20 to 49	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1	50	1	50
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	141	1 014	213
Farms with—			
1 to 4	72	173	31
5 to 9	34	227	48
10 to 19	23	285	53
20 to 49	11	279	71
50 to 99	1	50	10
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	129	805	106
Farms with—			
1 or 2	29	43	5
3 or 4	32	114	15
5 to 9	41	280	37
10 to 19	24	288	42
20 to 49	3	80	7
50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	175	1 150
	1969	210	1 125
Beef heifers	1974	168	1 116
Milk heifers	1974	10	34
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	230	1 390
	1969	250	1 613

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	54	328	85
	1969	34	336	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	45	183	39
10 to 19	1974	7	95	(D)
20 to 49	1974	2	50	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	655	30 534	559	29 443	614	43 223	535	42 295	2 988
	1969	1 171	44 159	928	40 813	982	53 748	786	50 073	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	90	237	60	162	53	132	36	96	6
5 to 9	1974	105	716	89	610	70	475	50	334	23
10 to 24	1974	213	3 177	175	2 650	201	3 097	168	2 619	158
25 to 49	1974	127	3 974	117	3 691	120	3 992	111	3 719	265
50 to 99	1974	68	4 406	66	4 306	91	6 000	91	6 000	406
100 to 199	1974	25	3 349	25	3 349	47	5 881	47	5 881	422
200 to 499	1974	18	4 655	18	4 655	19	5 761	19	5 761	401
500 and over	1974	9	10 020	9	10 020	13	17 885	13	17 885	1 306
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	74	3 063	65	3 000	69
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	157	8 314	130	7 709	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	5	1	5	1	2	1	2	(NA)
	1969	6	48	3	34	1	12	1	12	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	30	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	22	93	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	126	279	105	250	14	42	12	40	42
	1969	239	550	(NA)	(NA)	11	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	443	3 361
	1969	679	5 394
Other hogs and pigs	1974	540	26 082
	1969	849	35 419
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	2
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	2
Rams and wethers	1974	1	1

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	547	5 231	476	5 046
	1969	892	6 922	723	6 300
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	471	2 756	418	2 660
	1969	776	3 471	631	3 109
June 1 and November 30	1974	396	2 475	354	2 386
	1969	703	3 451	584	3 191

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	367	(X)	283	(X)	23	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	443	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	365	69 494	281	67 246	23	49 702	11	49 124
	1969	627	54 631	438	47 824	27	16 232	16	14 317
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	342	67 808	263	65 891	21	49 690	9	49 116
	1969	579	51 513	407	45 732	25	11 635	15	9 726
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	333	8 138	254	6 221	16	490	6	116
100 to 399	1974	6	670	6	670	2	200	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	21	812	14	692	4	8	–	–
	1969	12	192	9	159	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	549	27	545
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	50	219

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	263	65 891	9	49 116
	1969	407	45 732	15	9 726
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	263	65 458	9	49 116
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	16	433	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	13	109	–	–
	1969	42	925	1	4 591
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	130	1 246	2	8
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	208	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	14	–	–
	1969	11	69	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	13	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	13	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	1	–	–
	1969	11	(D)	–	–
Other poultry	1974	8	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	30	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1 491	1 960	30 123	27 360	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	15	22	234	96	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1 288	1 362	35 925	30 885	796 430	732 305
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	27	47	135	133	249 350	135 582
Wheat (bushels)	47	79	797	782	19 260	29 413
Other small grains for grain	75	103	705	1 093	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	9	24	474	135	481	88
Tobacco (pounds)	1 511	2 234	17 104	16 582	38 401 843	35 514 463
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	63	(NA)	48	(NA)	3 485	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	88	(NA)	479	(NA)	93 089	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	177	181	1 089	1 335	1 587	1 789
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	74	93	302	441	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	24	29	93	87	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	4	9	36	61	(X)	(X)
Other crops	29	(NA)	197	615	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1 249	1 515	28 292	23 753	1 936 049	1 564 156	5	7	44	174
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	26	33	113	181	1 274	1 813	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	50	85	373	587	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	5	4	137	16	6 360	540	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	31	47	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	9	60	58	80	108	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	392	7 077	(X)	–	–	73	1 448	69	394	16	58
	1969	602	7 988	(X)	1	8	165	1 945	155	620	19	31
Improved pasture	1974	119	7 445	(X)	–	–	37	628	33	207	6	7
	1969	88	1 177	(X)	1	20	30	445	30	162	3	11
Corn for all purposes	1974	1 272	28 778	(X)	5	44	967	23 811	943	6 762	348	1 690
	1969	1 546	24 521	(X)	7	174	1 159	19 053	1 146	6 613	289	1 236
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	168	(X)	–	–	7	160	7	59	1	2
	1969	14	63	(X)	–	–	9	31	8	7	6	5
Wheat (bushels)	1974	42	762	18 665	–	–	32	589	30	69	4	24
	1969	63	735	27 637	1	15	43	509	(NA)	132	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels)	1974	50	552	25 842	–	–	26	329	25	58	9	27
	1969	65	713	29 725	–	–	49	482	(NA)	103	(NA)	24
Barley (bushels)	1974	2	10	135	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	24	840	–	–	3	24	(NA)	3	(NA)	6
Rye (bushels)	1974	14	84	1 204	–	–	8	36	8	9	–	–
	1969	27	291	7 009	–	–	16	148	(NA)	23	(NA)	7
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1 134	34 505	769 348	3	16	643	21 921	631	4 116	17	41
	1969	1 080	28 175	671 064	9	297	601	18 425	(NA)	3 562	(NA)	208
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	14	120	223 450	–	–	6	102	6	56	–	–
	1969	27	103	111 095	2	3	18	79	(NA)	25	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	134	888	1 250	–	–	38	278	36	81	21	52
	1969	135	1 113	1 502	3	37	39	284	36	87	11	18
Field seed crops	1974	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	15	(X)	–	–	2	10	2	2	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	9	474	481	–	–	6	454	6	141	–	–
	1969	15	110	66	–	–	11	95	(NA)	33	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	1 467	17 057	38 320 912	46	851	1 467	16 973	1 458	19 182	37	116
	1969	2 020	16 315	35 042 330	108	1 051	2 020	16 253	(NA)	18 860	(NA)	53
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	42	34	2 524	–	–	21	12	21	6	1	(Z)
	1969	51	29	2 892	1	1	33	27	(NA)	23	(NA)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	57	271	(X)	6	19	41	176	41	84	6	5
	1969	73	380	(X)	8	55	50	303	48	126	2	53
Land in orchards	1974	7	69	(X)	–	–	3	11	3	5	–	–
	1969	20	54	(X)	1	1	9	25	9	9	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	3	33	(X)	2	8	2	32	2	7	–	–
1969	7	59	(X)	3	13	4	23	4	15	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	3	13	(X)	1	6	2	13	2	4	–	–
1969	3	5	(X)	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–
Other crops 1974	77	601	(X)	–	–	53	500	61	437	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	1 727	2 142
$1,000	6 540	3 407
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 706	2 119
acres on which used	67 617	58 910
tons	33 706	32 454
$1,000	5 258	2 545
Lime—farms	183	367
acres on which used	5 781	10 228
tons	5 013	7 802
$1,000	70	75
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	4	7
acres on which used	46	61
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	880	1 678
acres on which used	28 362	26 841
$1,000	715	490
Nematodes in crops—farms	309	648
acres on which used	7 058	6 986
$1,000	145	137

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	24	40
acres on which used	722	377
$1,000	13	9
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	372	354
acres on which used	18 396	9 298
$1,000	217	66
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	16	14
acres on which used	174	273
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	26	(NA)
acres on which used	262	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	48	315
acres on which used	1 288	3 147
$1,000	18	67
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	40	135
$1,000	10	7
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	220	(NA)
$1,000	89	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	56	119
Proportion of farms—percent	3.1	5.5
Total land irrigated—acres	942	1 653
Average per farm—acres	16.8	13.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	56	119
acres	942	1 633
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	56	117
acres	942	1 623
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	8
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	2
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	1
acres	–	20
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	523	1 107
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	6	(NA)
acres	120	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	25	(NA)
acres	421	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	24	(NA)
acres	333	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	10 124	21 247
Cropland—acres	6 218	11 080
Harvested cropland—acres	5 482	6 431
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	46	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	568	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	467	1 013
Proportion of farms—percent	26.1	46.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	65 026	126 678
Land drained—acres	28 239	55 939
Average per farm—acres	60.5	55.2
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	444	(NA)
number	1 032	(NA)
acres	1 000	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	435	325	205
$1,000	10 694	7 809	2 885
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	98	58	71
$5,000 to $9,999	82	70	47
$10,000 to $29,999	147	119	62
$30,000 to $49,999	60	41	15
$50,000 and over	48	37	10

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	144	216	301	402	900	
25 to 149 days	363	1 850	2 920	19 475	1 347	3 800
Less than 25 days	767		11 606		1 764	
Total contract labor	61	114	(NA)	(NA)	97	145
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	12	(NA)	130	(NA)	35	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	1 029	144	363	767
Cash wages paid—$1,000	4 011	900	1 347	1 764
Number of workers	14 827	301	2 920	11 606
Farms with—				
1 worker	105	73	54	86
2 workers	58	32	54	26
3 or 4 workers	88	30	44	63
5 to 9 workers	214	7	79	182
10 workers and over	564	2	132	410

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	255	246	139	95
Land in farms — acres	106 192	101 799	93 985	91 913
Average size of farm — acres	416	414	676	968
Approximate land area — acres	417 472	417 472	417 472	417 472
Proportion in farms — percent	25.4	24.4	22.5	22.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	36 499	18 905	30 163	14 832
Average per farm — dollars	143 133	76 851	216 998	156 128
Average per acre — dollars	344	186	321	161
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	20	2	7
10 to 49 acres	83	83	24	4
50 to 69 acres	22	21	11	5
70 to 99 acres	21	18	17	3
100 to 139 acres	21	23	15	13
140 to 179 acres	14	16	9	11
180 to 219 acres	11	3	8	2
220 to 259 acres	6	17	6	11
260 to 499 acres	27	17	24	12
500 to 999 acres	16	12	12	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	6	8	4	8
2,000 acres and over	7	8	7	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	247	222	137	91
acres	29 123	22 075	25 671	18 161
Harvested cropland — farms	232	181	135	86
acres	19 614	13 577	18 324	12 223
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	42	47	–	
10 to 19 acres	32	22	3	29
20 to 29 acres	44	25	25	
30 to 49 acres	42	28	35	
50 to 99 acres	30	28	30	26
100 to 199 acres	23	17	23	17
200 to 499 acres	12	9	12	9
500 to 999 acres	4	3	4	3
1,000 acres and over	3	2	3	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	88	91	44	35
acres	7 047	3 715	5 306	2 532
Other cropland (see text) — farms	39	116	20	(NA)
acres	2 462	4 783	2 041	3 406
Total woodland — farms	130	166	83	69
acres	62 613	49 973	56 896	46 077
Other land (see text) — farms	177	162	95	(NA)
acres	14 456	29 751	11 418	27 675
Irrigated land — farms	2	10	2	8
acres	75	303	75	283

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	20	(NA)
acres	2 041	3 406
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	7	15
acres	962	719
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	17
acres	–	844
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	2
acres	21	16
Cropland idle — farms	13	32
acres	1 058	1 827
Total woodland — farms	83	69
acres	56 896	46 077
Woodland pastured — farms	27	31
acres	16 856	27 108

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	66	52
acres	40 040	18 969
Other land — farms	95	(NA)
acres	11 418	27 675
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	18	11
acres	2 506	4 798
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	9	7
acres	643	2 107
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	11	7
acres	1 863	2 691
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	94	55
acres	8 912	22 877

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	255	246	139	95
Land in farms — acres	106 192	101 799	93 985	91 913
Harvested cropland — acres	19 614	13 577	18 324	12 223
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	148	142	67	41
Land in farms — acres	76 208	83 593	65 781	77 419
Harvested cropland — acres	7 135	5 534	6 380	4 799
Part owners — number	81	77	59	34
Land in farms — acres	25 781	13 524	24 925	10 901
Harvested cropland — acres	9 349	5 873	8 997	5 309
Tenants — number	26	27	13	20
Land in farms — acres	4 203	4 682	3 279	3 593
Harvested cropland — acres	3 130	2 170	2 947	2 115
Percent of tenancy	10.2	10.9	9.4	21.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	93	107	30	21
Land in farms — acres	4 552	6 275	2 578	2 624
Harvested cropland — acres	2 407	2 254	1 695	1 665
Full owners — number	54	64	7	1
Land in farms — acres	2 032	2 388	656	105
Harvested cropland — acres	737	358	269	47
Part owners — number	37	33	21	12
Land in farms — acres	2 358	2 439	1 760	1 771
Harvested cropland — acres	1 525	1 396	1 281	1 118
Tenants — number	2	10	2	8
Land in farms — acres	162	1 448	162	748
Harvested cropland — acres	145	500	145	500
Percent of tenancy	2.2	9.3	6.7	38.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	127	80
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	48 841	40 562

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	9
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 992	9 027
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	42 152	41 825
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	499
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	3	4	1
25 to 34 years	7	24	5	10
35 to 44 years	46	35	26	21
45 to 54 years	45	58	28	25
55 to 64 years	71	68	45	23
65 years and over	77	58	28	15
Average age	54.6	53.1	53.3	50.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	139	167	75	62
On another farm	13		11	
In a rural area, not on a farm	21	43	15	21
In a city, town, or urban area	8		7	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	83	(NA)	43	(NA)
1 to 49 days	20	10	7	4
50 to 99 days	3	18	1	8
100 to 149 days	8		6	
150 to 199 days	22	31	15	2
200 days and over	83	95	37	31
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	115	(NA)	76	(NA)
Other	137	(NA)	60	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	6	8	6	8
$40,000 to $99,999	16		16	
$20,000 to $39,999	19	8	19	8
$10,000 to $19,999	20	10	20	10
$5,000 to $9,999	42	32	42	32
$2,500 to $4,999	35	32	35	32
Under $2,500 (see text)	117	156	1	5
$2,000 to $2,499	17	15	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	18	17	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	27	29	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	55	95	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	3 529	1 744	3 400	1 626
Average per farm (dollars)	13 840	7 087	24 463	17 120
Crops, including hay (farms)	204	141	130	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	2 310	786	2 223	735
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	3		–	1
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	4		–	8
Forest products (farms)	9	13	9	12
Forest products ($1,000)	183	238	183	238
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	146	161	78	64
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 033	720	995	645
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	11	(NA)	6	9
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	138	(NA)	138	12

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	130	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	2 223	735
Grains (farms)	129	73
Grains ($1,000)	1 980	423
Tobacco (farms)	–	4
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	14
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	1	3
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	1	5
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	7	11
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	9	69
Other field crops (farms)	–	–
Other field crops ($1,000)	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	27	20
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	233	224
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	1	2
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	1	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	78	64
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	995	645
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	6	9
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	138	12
Dairy products (farms)	2	2
Dairy products ($1,000)	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	42	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	434	(D)
Hogs and pigs (farms)	54	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	210	194
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	3	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	2	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	1	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	140	(NA)	55	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	54	(NA)	40	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	128	(NA)	126	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	25	23	19	11
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	39	20	39	17
Recreational services (farms)	8	7	8	7
Recreational services ($1,000)	61	28	61	28
Government farm programs (farms)	18	95	16	46
Government farm programs ($1,000)	8	122	7	105
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	11	(NA)	5	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	25	(NA)	15	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	60	(NA)	59	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	85
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	955
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	17
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	160
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	67
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	540
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	17
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	180
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	18
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	74
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	1
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	(Z)

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	255	246	139	95
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	2 973	1 658	2 841	1 504
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	63	95	2	19
$1,000 to $1,999	50	62	16	
$2,000 to $2,999	26	13	13	6
$3,000 to $4,999	32	22	24	19
$5,000 to $9,999	32	25	32	22
$10,000 to $19,999	26		26	14
$20,000 to $39,999	6	29	6	9
$40,000 to $59,999	10		10	6
$60,000 and over	10		10	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	56	79	32	36
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	128	76	119	65
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	150	149	78	60
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	384	221	362	191
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	120	100	72	46
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	303	119	293	101
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	19	13
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	36	16
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	24	15
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	30	21
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	8	15
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	53
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	30	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	20	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	186	170	124	81
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	153	52	145	44
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	207	198	125	79
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	722	307	698	280
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	90	(NA)	71	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	94	51	92	47
Lime (farms)	(NA)	38	24	26
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	16	27	15
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	244	221	134	94
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	205	111	185	94
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	119	88
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	81	53
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	106	66
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	77	28
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4	19
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	134	94
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	24	9
Hired farm labor (farms)	71	108	49	68
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	387	229	377	215
Contract labor (farms)	9	102	9	9
Contract labor ($1,000)	15	76	15	33
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	110		67	52
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	77		70	36
All other production expenses (farms)	223	204	138	94
All other production expenses ($1,000)	809	534	759	498

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	235	217	128	92
$1,000	3 572	1 967	2 881	1 550
Average per farm—dollars	15 201	9 064	22 506	16 851
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	14	–	23
$1,000 to $4,999	53	105	18	
$5,000 to $9,999	76	60	41	32
$10,000 to $19,999	46	16	23	15
$20,000 to $29,999	17	22	13	8
$30,000 to $49,999	19		19	4
$50,000 to $69,999	6		6	10
$70,000 and over	8		8	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	179	160	92	68
number	237	212	120	99
mfd in last 5 years, number	124	151	73	66
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	183	156	113	80
number	277	217	200	136
mfd in last 5 years, number	114	124	93	74
Wheel tractors—farms	195	163	121	85
number	312	267	231	161
mfd in last 5 years, number	119	144	90	95
Crawler tractors—farms	13		13	11
number	16		16	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	6
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	39	20	35	19
number	41	21	37	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	17	19	16
Corn heads for combines—farms	36	27	32	14
number	36	30	32	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	16	13	10
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	14		12	7
number	14		12	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	4
Mower conditioners—farms	14	(NA)	9	(NA)
number	15	(NA)	10	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	3	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	14	15	12	13
number	16	17	13	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	11	3	9
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	5	(NA)	5	10
number	7	(NA)	7	13
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	4	(NA)	3	2
number	6	(NA)	5	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	179	(X)	88	(X)	146	(X)	78	(X)	995
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	157	(X)	78	(X)	126	(X)	73	(X)	646
1969	171	(X)	64	(X)	150	(X)	60	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	98	5 651	50	5 118	61	1 770	42	1 628	434
1969	113	6 083	45	5 380	86	2 225	37	1 926	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	32	61	6	14	20	51	14	41	8
5 to 9—1974	9	64	2	13	15	95	10	63	14
10 to 19—1974	26	337	20	257	16	204	8	104	19
20 to 49—1974	15	477	8	242	5	144	5	144	54
50 to 99—1974	9	543	7	423	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	4	545	4	545	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	76	2 903	45	2 636	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	98	2 958	40	2 701	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	60	2 628	43	2 403	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 726	36	2 504	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	25	275	9	233	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	20	232	6	197	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	60	2 628	43	2 403	Cattle sold	29	1 229	399
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	10	21	6	16	1 to 4	14	34	9
5 to 9	16	106	11	68	5 to 9	5	33	8
10 to 19	13	168	11	138	10 to 19	3	41	12
20 to 49	14	396	8	244	20 to 49	6	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	6	(D)	6	(D)	50 to 99	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	25	275	9	233	Calves sold	30	399	35
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	14	24	1	2	1 or 2	12	15	3
3 or 4	–	–	–	–	3 or 4	5	18	2
5 to 9	8	41	6	31	5 to 9	2	10	2
10 to 19	1	10	–	–	10 to 19	5	58	6
20 to 49	1	(D)	1	(D)	20 to 49	3	114	15
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99	3	184	8
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	27	851	10	(D)	(D)
	1969	34	1 056	3	501	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	26	(D)	Farms with —		
Milk heifers	1974	2	(D)	1 to 9	1974	5	21	6
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	28	1 631	10 to 19	1974	3	35	9
	1969	42	1 623	20 to 49	1974	1	20	2
				50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
				100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
				200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
				500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	10	(D)	(D)				
	1969	3	501	(NA)				

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	117	3 123	54	2 398	90	3 514	54	3 055	210
	1969	124	3 399	41	2 194	112	5 529	41	4 255	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	23	53	–	–	6	20	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	12	76	2	10	11	75	4	24	1
10 to 24	1974	38	654	14	260	37	600	18	316	23
25 to 49	1974	26	879	22	767	15	521	11	417	23
50 to 99	1974	15	961	13	861	13	921	13	921	62
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	354	6	163	5
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	33	733	7	356	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	230	3	230	3	53	3	53	(NA)
	1969	3	174	3	174	3	66	3	66	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	152	[1]886
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	32	112	10	57	3	5	1	3	(Z)
	1969	39	143	(NA)	(NA)	3	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	45	294	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	32	289	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	75	463	46	359
Other hogs and pigs	1974	53	2 104		1969	103	735	36	499
	1969	39	1 905	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	68	251	39	186
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	3	72		1969	97	431	36	291
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	3	108	June 1 and November 30	1974	61	212	42	173
Rams and wethers	1974	3	50		1969	67	304	28	208

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	89	(X)	28	(X)	6	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	85	16 602	28	15 422	6	12 281	5	12 276
	1969	71	7 420	16	5 549	9	1 286	4	976
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	81	16 230	26	15 277	5	12 231	4	12 226
	1969	62	3 225	15	2 027	9	1 286	4	976
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	77	1 330	22	377	1	5	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	11	169	4	40	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	1	20	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	138	6	138
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	12

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	26	15 277	4	12 226
	1969	15	2 027	4	976
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	24	15 247	4	12 226
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	30	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	20	–	–
	1969	3	3 501	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	16	125	1	50
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	1	5	–	–
	1969	3	17	1	12
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	2	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	2	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	3	–	–
	1969	2	11	1	12
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	196	147	9 105	5 808	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	3	2	45	125	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	130	83	8 796	5 521	210 034	128 293
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	2	–	2	–	1 560
Wheat (bushels)	1	5	15	275	300	10 000
Other small grains for grain	12	8	253	309	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	6	1	136	2	67
Tobacco (pounds)	–	6	–	25	–	22 018
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	75	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	29	35	1 241	887	2 381	2 150
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	34	29	675	735	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	2	4	12	25	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1	(NA)	–	81	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	109	69	7 414	4 601	435 280	207 167	–	1	–	6
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	5	(D)	399	(D)	5 835	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	5	10	21	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	100	–	5 000	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	45	25	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	2	–	36	–	20	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	44	5 306	(X)	–	–	19	4 191	18	290	9	70
	1969	35	2 532	(X)	–	–	22	1 941	21	569	6	44
Improved pasture	1974	9	643	(X)	–	–	3	105	3	18	2	9
	1969	7	2 107	(X)	–	–	2	2 035	2	512	1	1 013
Corn for all purposes	1974	109	8 114	(X)	–	–	98	7 665	98	2 261	65	1 078
	1969	71	5 021	(X)	1	6	54	4 115	53	1 129	27	570
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	45	(X)	–	–	3	45	3	9	2	6
	1969	2	125	(X)	–	–	2	125	2	19	1	3
Wheat (bushels)	1974	1	15	300	–	–	1	15	1	2	–	–
	1969	5	275	10 000	–	–	3	265	(NA)	126	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	500	–	–	1	20	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	8	249	6 575	–	–	3	157	2	9	1	40
	1969	4	266	9 205	–	–	3	260	(NA)	63	(NA)	23
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	107	8 537	206 595	–	–	57	5 113	55	905	5	40
	1969	56	5 109	119 044	2	20	34	4 015	(NA)	925	(NA)	39
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	23	1 224	2 350	–	–	10	925	8	249	7	175
	1969	21	825	2 041	–	–	13	602	11	167	10	181
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	10	1	2
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	1	2	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
	1969	3	121	49	–	–	2	114	(NA)	52	(NA)	17
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	21	19 488	–	–	4	21	(NA)	12	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	27	659	(X)	2	75	18	530	18	232	2	10
	1969	21	713	(X)	5	251	16	563	16	331	4	3
Land in orchards	1974	1	12	(X)	–	–	1	12	1	4	–	–
	1969	3	24	(X)	–	–	2	20	2	5	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Total: Acres	Dry: Farms	Dry: Tons	Liquid: Farms	Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	6	(X)	1	6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	125	85
$1,000	791	327
Commercial fertilizer—farms	125	74
acres on which used	18 759	14 130
tons	5 405	5 818
$1,000	698	280
Lime—farms	24	26
acres on which used	1 890	2 400
tons	1 976	2 282
$1,000	27	15
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	2
acres on which used	130	210
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	32	34
acres on which used	6 189	1 978
$1,000	30	10
Nematodes in crops—farms	4	4
acres on which used	780	1 232
$1,000	3	7

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	4	3
acres on which used	144	235
$1,000	1	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	14	13
acres on which used	3 180	3 267
$1,000	16	11
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	3
acres on which used	(D)	866
$1,000	5	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	(D)	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	90
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	3	16
$1,000	4	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	31	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	8
Proportion of farms—percent	1.4	8.4
Total land irrigated—acres	75	283
Average per farm—acres	37.5	35.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	8
acres	75	283
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	8
acres	75	283
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	24	139
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.3	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	50	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	25	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	960	3 003
Cropland—acres	923	1 860
Harvested cropland—acres	(D)	1 600
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	20	27
Proportion of farms—percent	14.4	28.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	55 944	59 798
Land drained—acres	4 913	9 449
Average per farm—acres	245.7	349.9
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	14	(NA)
number	24	(NA)
acres	453	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	40	24	23
$1,000	2 183	1 874	309
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	17	5	16
$5,000 to $9,999	4	2	3
$10,000 to $29,999	7	9	2
$30,000 to $49,999	7	4	1
$50,000 and over	5	4	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	16	20	52	57	319	215
25 to 149 days	11	57	40	220	37	
Less than 25 days	33		222		21	
Total contract labor	9	9	(NA)	(NA)	15	33
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	49	16	11	33
Cash wages paid—$1,000	377	319	37	21
Number of workers	314	52	40	222
Farms with—				
1 worker	9	7	4	5
2 workers	9	4	2	4
3 or 4 workers	10	3	1	8
5 to 9 workers	12	1	3	10
10 workers and over	9	1	1	6

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	369	482	165	165
Land in farms — acres	95 828	130 121	74 577	82 195
Average size of farm — acres	260	270	452	498
Approximate land area — acres	499 840	499 840	499 840	499 840
Proportion in farms — percent	19.2	26.0	14.9	16.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	38 265	24 032	29 092	14 491
Average per farm — dollars	103 700	49 858	176 317	87 826
Average per acre — dollars	399	185	390	176
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	14	12	3	3
10 to 49 acres	89	80	20	4
50 to 69 acres	41	48	9	4
70 to 99 acres	33	62	10	16
100 to 139 acres	45	61	23	17
140 to 179 acres	35	37	13	7
180 to 219 acres	14	25	8	13
220 to 259 acres	23	28	17	13
260 to 499 acres	33	63	24	39
500 to 999 acres	21	44	19	32
1,000 to 1,999 acres	16	15	14	10
2,000 acres and over	5	7	5	7

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	71	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	3 739	7 318
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	31	23
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	998	1 140
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	9	12
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	79	390
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	3	12
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	60	730
Cropland idle — farms	49	64
Cropland idle — acres	2 602	5 058
Total woodland — farms	111	115
Total woodland — acres	27 270	42 617
Woodland pastured — farms	54	57
Woodland pastured — acres	7 749	13 807

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	357	457	158	160
Total cropland — acres	40 932	46 836	34 302	33 999
Harvested cropland — farms	321	385	145	147
Harvested cropland — acres	22 704	22 903	20 505	19 621
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	71	121	8	
10 to 19 acres	86	81	9	59
20 to 29 acres	46	41	22	
30 to 49 acres	47	48	35	
50 to 99 acres	29	46	29	40
100 to 199 acres	16	19	16	19
200 to 499 acres	15	20	15	20
500 to 999 acres	7	8	7	8
1,000 acres and over	4	1	4	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	190	182	93	66
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	13 250	10 782	10 058	7 060
Other cropland (see text) — farms	124	244	71	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	4 978	13 151	3 739	7 318
Total woodland — farms	246	338	111	115
Total woodland — acres	37 706	66 736	27 270	42 617
Other land (see text) — farms	262	341	120	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	17 190	16 549	13 005	5 579
Irrigated land — farms	1	6	1	3
Irrigated land — acres	1	47	1	34

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	88	77
Woodland not pastured — acres	19 521	28 810
Other land — farms	120	(NA)
Other land — acres	13 005	5 579
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	34	32
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	10 731	2 037
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	27	28
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	4 720	1 634
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	8
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	6 011	403
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	113	99
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 274	3 542

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	369	482	165	165
Land in farms — acres	95 828	130 121	74 577	82 195
Harvested cropland — acres	22 704	22 903	20 505	19 621
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	269	330	97	79
Land in farms — acres	68 811	76 184	50 940	40 416
Harvested cropland — acres	9 347	7 334	7 677	5 148
Part owners — number	78	120	58	75
Land in farms — acres	22 794	46 714	20 156	38 893
Harvested cropland — acres	9 863	13 144	9 538	12 384
Tenants — number	22	32	10	11
Land in farms — acres	4 223	7 223	3 481	2 886
Harvested cropland — acres	3 494	2 425	3 290	2 089
Percent of tenancy	6.0	6.6	6.1	6.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	38	121	11	19
Land in farms — acres	3 075	9 937	1 467	3 108
Harvested cropland — acres	678	2 025	410	1 261
Full owners — number	25	92	2	7
Land in farms — acres	1 616	6 065	100	701
Harvested cropland — acres	214	753	6	210
Part owners — number	11	22	9	10
Land in farms — acres	1 429	3 250	1 367	2 095
Harvested cropland — acres	434	1 051	404	913
Tenants — number	2	7	–	2
Land in farms — acres	30	622	–	312
Harvested cropland — acres	30	221	–	138
Percent of tenancy	5.3	5.7	–	10.5
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	155	145
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	61 267	64 550

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	13
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 072	6 768
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 238	9 294
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 583
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	4	2	1
25 to 34 years	45	17	14	8
35 to 44 years	54	88	24	34
45 to 54 years	112	121	57	48
55 to 64 years	83	121	32	45
65 years and over	69	131	33	29
Average age	51.6	55.1	51.5	53.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	220	332	101	119
On another farm	9		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	23	91	10	32
In a city, town, or urban area	35		12	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	83	(NA)	48	(NA)
1 to 49 days	10	38	5	9
50 to 99 days	7	19	2	7
100 to 149 days	4	40	–	13
150 to 199 days	25		12	
200 days and over	194	197	68	51
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	114	(NA)	70	(NA)
Other	252	(NA)	92	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	13	11	13	11
$40,000 to $99,999	16		16	
$20,000 to $39,999	14	18	14	18
$10,000 to $19,999	27	21	27	21
$5,000 to $9,999	37	45	37	45
$2,500 to $4,999	49	60	49	60
Under $2,500 (see text)	213	327	9	10
$2,000 to $2,499	29	25	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	28	22	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	54	46	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	102	234	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 562	3 211	4 354	3 011
Average per farm (dollars)	12 364	6 661	26 390	18 247
Crops, including hay (farms)	249	296	125	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	2 445	1 283	2 334	1 094
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	1		1	3
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	(D)		(D)	84
Forest products (farms)	33	67	21	45
Forest products ($1,000)	(D)	120	(D)	110
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	211	234	111	110
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 846	1 808	1 753	1 723
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	17	(NA)	9	8
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 010	(NA)	1 009	677

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	125	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	2 334	1 094
Grains (farms)	112	97
Grains ($1,000)	1 700	550
Tobacco (farms)	15	29
Tobacco ($1,000)	212	132
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	15	60
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	269	304
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	20	25
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	79	32
Other field crops (farms)	4	11
Other field crops ($1,000)	52	53
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	13	13
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	21	18
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	4
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	6
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	111	110
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 753	1 723
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	9	8
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 009	677
Dairy products (farms)	4	3
Dairy products ($1,000)	6	216
Cattle and calves (farms)	86	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	620	505
Hogs and pigs (farms)	39	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	100	325
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	6	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	18	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	230	(NA)	65	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	93	(NA)	56	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	134	(NA)	117	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	23	35	17	23
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	69	83	67	69
Recreational services (farms)	4	5	3	1
Recreational services ($1,000)	2	8	1	2
Government farm programs (farms)	41	246	22	111
Government farm programs ($1,000)	34	459	24	386
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	42	(NA)	27	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	27	(NA)	23	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	30	(NA)	16	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	46	(NA)	40	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	112
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 438
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	26
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	491
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	76
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	808
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	39
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	64
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	19
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	54
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	8
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	22

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	368	482	165	165
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	3 754	3 191	3 510	2 844
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	128	213	8	12
$1,000 to $1,999	72	63	23	
$2,000 to $2,999	32	53	16	23
$3,000 to $4,999	29	51	17	34
$5,000 to $9,999	50	52	44	46
$10,000 to $19,999	20	50	20	19
$20,000 to $39,999	19		19	18
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	13
$60,000 and over	11		11	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	100	126	51	44
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	345	463	318	441
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	187	228	82	96
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	726	497	681	464
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	130	142	68	74
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	659	432	636	418
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	23	17
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	25	15
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	25	22
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	12	21
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	12	15
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	10
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	176	304	99	124
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	107	99	103	89
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	302	386	130	144
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	665	395	617	347
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	118	(NA)	63	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	226	148	220	141
Lime (farms)	(NA)	74	18	45
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	26	27	23
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	347	445	159	165
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	265	229	235	183
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	151	157
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	131	119
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	70	60
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	54	29
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	7	32
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	9	16
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	159	165
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	40	19
Hired farm labor (farms)	134	222	74	118
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	296	425	275	379
Contract labor (farms)	7	173	5	15
Contract labor ($1,000)	17	104	16	22
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	115		65	79
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	87		78	65
All other production expenses (farms)	304	374	160	158
All other production expenses ($1,000)	1 021	831	949	714

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	331	444	141	165
$1,000	5 161	2 664	3 398	1 714
Average per farm—dollars	15 591	6 000	24 099	10 387
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	56	1	75
$1,000 to $4,999	85	231	23	
$5,000 to $9,999	98	80	28	33
$10,000 to $19,999	65	47	31	27
$20,000 to $29,999	36	30	23	18
$30,000 to $49,999	32		22	7
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	5
$70,000 and over	10		10	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	252	318	109	128
number	354	468	166	200
mfd in last 5 years, number	156	287	98	126
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	287	317	127	134
number	400	424	224	228
mfd in last 5 years, number	142	222	103	135
Wheel tractors—farms	280	335	124	139
number	479	553	276	298
mfd in last 5 years, number	115	196	84	123
Crawler tractors—farms	27		10	9
number	31		14	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		–	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	49	48	37	43
number	51	55	39	50
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	33	13	31
Corn heads for combines—farms	25	26	19	17
number	25	33	19	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	19	8	13
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10		9	8
number	10		9	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	4
Mower conditioners—farms	39	(NA)	25	(NA)
number	45	(NA)	29	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	12	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	53	61	34	42
number	57	63	37	44
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	27	19	20
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	37	(NA)	25	16
number	41	(NA)	28	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	6	5
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	6	(NA)	2	3
number	7	(NA)	3	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	–	3

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	244	(X)	112	(X)	211	(X)	111	(X)	1 753
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	222	(X)	104	(X)	198	(X)	105	(X)	720
1969	281	(X)	106	(X)	217	(X)	101	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	176	9 137	82	7 469	162	3 491	86	3 022	620
1969	225	8 477	93	6 983	165	4 016	88	3 556	505
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	17	48	2	4	65	191	24	65	13
5 to 9—1974	14	95	2	14	29	195	9	57	9
10 to 19—1974	47	688	16	230	31	408	17	223	37
20 to 49—1974	57	1 727	25	863	21	603	20	583	97
50 to 99—1974	15	905	11	684	9	517	9	517	162
100 to 199—1974	18	2 338	18	2 338	3	415	3	415	95
200 to 499—1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	4	1 162	4	1 162	208
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	147	4 929	69	3 986	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	166	4 411	78	3 823	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	139	4 872	67	3 967	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 982	73	3 437	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	20	57	8	19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	40	429	12	386	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	6
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	216

	Inventory, 1974					Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	139	4 872	67	3 967	Cattle sold	71	1 612	441
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	13	32	2	6	1 to 4	27	68	15
5 to 9	22	161	7	52	5 to 9	6	33	7
10 to 19	48	662	17	238	10 to 19	17	218	44
20 to 49	32	903	17	557	20 to 49	14	462	118
50 to 99	13	896	13	896	50 to 99	5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	8	1 018	8	1 018	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	20	57	8	19	Calves sold	52	1 410	179
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	14	20	5	6	1 or 2	3	4	1
3 or 4	2	7	1	3	3 or 4	7	23	3
5 to 9	2	10	2	10	5 to 9	14	91	12
10 to 19	2	20	–	–	10 to 19	13	177	23
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	20 to 49	10	340	47
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	57	1 634			
	1969	74	1 846			
Beef heifers	1974	55	1 545			
Milk heifers	1974	7	89			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	69	1 849			
	1969	83	1 314			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			4	96	31
	1969			4	201	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			2	6	1
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			1	40	(D)
50 to 99	1974			1	50	(D)
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	98	1 128	46	806	70	2 268	39	1 590	100
	1969	150	3 901	52	2 973	102	7 496	49	6 529	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	41	109	7	23	4	6	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	16	94	10	64	7	51	3	17	1
10 to 24	1974	30	483	19	307	18	281	11	160	9
25 to 49	1974	9	317	8	287	26	828	9	308	22
50 to 99	1974	2	125	2	125	13	852	13	852	59
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	2	250	2	250	9
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	654	9	334	8
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	536	7	191	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	20	(NA)	(NA)	2	11	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	63	204	20	57	13	16	5	8	14
	1969	64	270	(NA)	(NA)	12	23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			Inventory			
					All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	28	139	Litters of pigs farrowed between —				
	1969	32	167	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	62	278	30	169
Other hogs and pigs	1974	43	667		1969	81	366	34	189
	1969	49	2 806	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	51	150	26	92
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	66	190	32	109
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	46	128	24	77
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	55	176	23	80

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	52	(X)	18	(X)	11	(X)	9	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	48	4 540	16	3 935	5	324	3	300
	1969	90	43 500	28	42 060	10	60 119	3	59 882
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	44	4 358	13	3 801	5	324	3	300
	1969	88	43 089	27	41 979	9	60 082	3	59 882
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	43	(D)	12	(D)	4	44	2	20
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	1	280	1	280
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	5	30 100	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	1 010	9	1 009
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	677

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	13	3 801	3	300
	1969	27	41 979	3	59 882
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	3 801	3	300
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	5	65	–	–
	1969	5	67	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	7	69	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	3	92 200	6	174 900
	1969	–	–	2	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	92 200	6	174 900
Heavy breed	1974	3	92 200	6	174 900
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	189	224	4 061	4 639	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	208	60	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	130	136	11 868	9 601	201 498	181 567
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	10	128	176	224 890	209 390
Wheat (bushels)	29	33	1 396	603	36 400	21 320
Other small grains for grain	42	39	1 273	584	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	20	120	1 708	4 132	1 316	3 225
Tobacco (pounds)	25	39	172	175	241 570	215 376
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	438	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	14	(NA)	3 628	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	134	128	2 882	2 097	7 101	4 796
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	30	35	128	473	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	13	87	235	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	3	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	107	422	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	84	66	3 156	3 089	159 590	186 814	–	1	–	30
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	2	100	364	200	8 890	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	3	50	68	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	1	158	56	1 808	3 000	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	50	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	1	64	30	160	150	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	93	10 058	(X)	–	–	38	3 530	32	404	9	109
	1969	66	7 060	(X)	–	–	43	2 721	39	586	9	151
Improved pasture	1974	27	4 720	(X)	–	–	9	729	7	65	2	56
	1969	28	1 634	(X)	–	–	12	985	11	146	4	33
Corn for all purposes	1974	86	3 306	(X)	–	–	69	2 818	68	768	11	63
	1969	69	3 521	(X)	1	30	57	3 117	46	572	21	701
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	2	208	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	56	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	28	1 391	36 360	–	–	24	1 249	18	175	16	158
	1969	24	574	20 525	–	–	21	557	(NA)	104	(NA)	35
Oats (bushels)	1974	20	374	14 167	–	–	18	372	17	78	2	9
	1969	16	330	8 685	–	–	13	255	(NA)	29	(NA)	17
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	8	300	–	–	1	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	2
Rye (bushels)	1974	20	852	14 497	–	–	11	211	9	27	3	14
	1969	6	128	3 135	–	–	5	108	(NA)	16	(NA)	4
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	95	11 416	196 954	–	–	43	6 847	41	952	3	176
	1969	82	8 693	168 671	–	–	45	5 844	(NA)	739	(NA)	234
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	3	126	223 490	–	–	2	112	2	51	–	–
	1969	6	172	205 800	–	–	6	172	(NA)	60	(NA)	15
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	56	2 025	5 882	–	–	28	1 368	26	742	8	71
	1969	57	1 541	4 066	–	–	28	820	27	255	4	17
Field seed crops	1974	3	35	(X)	–	–	2	10	–	–	2	2
	1969	3	24	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	2	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	15	1 680	1 305	–	–	15	1 640	15	510	4	44
	1969	60	3 721	2 981	–	–	56	3 844	(NA)	993	(NA)	582
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	15	155	215 570	–	–	15	155	15	144	–	–
	1969	29	161	199 196	–	–	29	159	(NA)	109	(NA)	13
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	22	1 320	–	–	1	22	(NA)	22	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	13	87	(X)	–	–	5	37	5	14	–	–
	1969	14	404	(X)	–	–	11	314	10	84	2	1
Land in orchards	1974	2	78	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	215	(X)	–	–	5	213	4	1	1	90

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
1969	3	12	(X)	2	4	3	12	3	9	–	–
Other crops 1974	5	79	(X)	–	–	1	11	1	9	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	132	150
$1,000	838	488
Commercial fertilizer—farms	130	137
acres on which used	19 094	19 424
tons	4 642	5 690
$1,000	617	347
Lime—farms	18	45
acres on which used	2 963	2 890
tons	2 675	2 941
$1,000	27	23
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	3
acres on which used	60	53
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insects on other crops—farms	27	63
acres on which used	6 423	6 791
$1,000	108	68
Nematodes in crops—farms	5	1
acres on which used	270	5
$1,000	4	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	3
acres on which used	113	137
$1,000	2	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	29	39
acres on which used	8 485	6 189
$1,000	68	37
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	4	10
acres on which used	159	395
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	7	26
acres on which used	877	3 049
$1,000	6	8
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	9	24
$1,000	2	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	14	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	1	3
Proportion of farms—percent	0.6	1.8
Total land irrigated—acres	1	34
Average per farm—acres	1.0	11.3
Cropland irrigated—farms	1	3
acres	1	34
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	1	3
acres	1	34
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	1	24
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	38	3 007
Cropland—acres	14	837
Harvested cropland—acres	1	810
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	9	33
Proportion of farms—percent	5.5	20.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	5 061	23 358
Land drained—acres	1 593	6 520
Average per farm—acres	177.0	197.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	44	(NA)
number	108	(NA)
acres	172	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	49	34	25
$1,000	1 763	1 111	652
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	14	7	13
$5,000 to $9,999	10	8	1
$10,000 to $29,999	12	9	6
$30,000 to $49,999	4	3	2
$50,000 and over	9	7	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	24	40	52	103	177	
25 to 149 days	24	99	74	648	50	379
Less than 25 days	46		357		48	
Total contract labor	5	15	(NA)	(NA)	16	22
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	16	(NA)	16	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	74	24	24	46
Cash wages paid $1,000	275	177	50	48
Number of workers	483	52	74	357
Farms with—				
1 worker	21	13	8	8
2 workers	6	2	8	4
3 or 4 workers	22	8	4	15
5 to 9 workers	8	1	2	6
10 workers and over	17	–	2	13

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	432	501	163	137
Land in farms — acres	77 864	75 524	48 227	36 162
Average size of farm — acres	180	151	296	264
Approximate land area — acres	321 280	321 280	321 280	321 280
Proportion in farms — percent	24.2	23.5	15.0	11.3
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	31 745	16 520	19 417	7 192
Average per farm — dollars	73 485	32 973	119 125	52 495
Average per acre — dollars	408	219	403	199
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	10	19	1	3
10 to 49 acres	75	126	7	11
50 to 69 acres	51	50	11	2
70 to 99 acres	65	64	22	11
100 to 139 acres	66	72	22	18
140 to 179 acres	36	43	16	21
180 to 219 acres	23	21	13	12
220 to 259 acres	25	24	9	8
260 to 499 acres	51	53	32	30
500 to 999 acres	20	28	20	20
1,000 to 1,999 acres	10	1	10	1
2,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	400	466	152	129
acres	37 364	29 374	24 190	16 442
Harvested cropland — farms	273	299	126	109
acres	12 313	8 376	10 602	6 189
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	85	111	11	
10 to 19 acres	78	72	28	69
20 to 29 acres	30	45	12	
30 to 49 acres	20	28	18	
50 to 99 acres	26	23	23	20
100 to 199 acres	17	14	17	14
200 to 499 acres	17	5	17	5
500 to 999 acres	–	1	–	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	335	327	117	75
acres	23 437	16 222	12 427	8 103
Other cropland (see text) — farms	68	136	31	(NA)
acres	1 614	4 776	1 161	2 150
Total woodland — farms	312	383	121	112
acres	29 790	34 278	17 005	14 251
Other land (see text) — farms	288	340	107	(NA)
acres	10 710	11 872	7 032	5 469
Irrigated land — farms	–	1	–	1
acres	–	15	–	15

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	31	(NA)
acres	1 161	2 150
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	5	12
acres	246	736
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	4	4
acres	132	35
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	15	7
acres	566	130
Cropland idle — farms	8	24
acres	217	1 249
Total woodland — farms	121	112
acres	17 005	14 251
Woodland pastured — farms	98	70
acres	13 341	6 662

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	57	77
acres	3 664	7 589
Other land — farms	107	(NA)
acres	7 032	5 469
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	38	41
acres	4 628	3 755
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	26	34
acres	1 421	2 796
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	15	18
acres	3 207	959
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	92	71
acres	2 404	1 714

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	432	501	163	137
Land in farms — acres	77 864	75 524	48 227	36 162
Harvested cropland — acres	12 313	8 376	10 602	6 189
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	307	389	87	74
Land in farms — acres	48 418	52 409	24 525	17 803
Harvested cropland — acres	4 784	3 094	3 533	1 475
Part owners — number	109	97	67	57
Land in farms — acres	28 217	21 825	22 815	17 732
Harvested cropland — acres	7 055	4 805	6 624	4 368
Tenants — number	16	15	9	6
Land in farms — acres	1 229	1 290	887	627
Harvested cropland — acres	474	477	445	346
Percent of tenancy	3.7	2.9	5.5	4.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	29	63	2	6
Land in farms — acres	2 697	4 000	174	464
Harvested cropland — acres	323	482	24	98
Full owners — number	23	54	2	6
Land in farms — acres	2 095	3 488	174	464
Harvested cropland — acres	255	430	24	98
Part owners — number	6	6	–	–
Land in farms — acres	602	452	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	68	30	–	–
Tenants — number	–	3	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	60	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	22	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	4.7	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	155	111
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	44 621	28 394

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	25
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 526	7 443
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	80	–
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	325
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	–	3	–
25 to 34 years	28	38	8	14
35 to 44 years	66	43	25	10
45 to 54 years	94	116	37	39
55 to 64 years	122	171	50	50
65 years and over	118	133	39	24
Average age	55.5	56.4	54.7	54.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	284	351	110	107
On another farm	10		7	
In a rural area, not on a farm	21	75	8	19
In a city, town, or urban area	26		9	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	87	(NA)	44	(NA)
1 to 49 days	25	47	13	18
50 to 99 days	11	31	4	14
100 to 149 days	14		4	
150 to 199 days	16	25	10	6
200 days and over	223	239	50	45
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	152	(NA)	94	(NA)
Other	279	(NA)	68	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	7	10	7	10
$40,000 to $99,999	9		9	
$20,000 to $39,999	15	8	15	8
$10,000 to $19,999	35	20	35	20
$5,000 to $9,999	58	43	58	43
$2,500 to $4,999	31	48	31	48
Under $2,500 (see text)	277	372	8	8
$2,000 to $2,499	18	26	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	48	46	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	59	66	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	152	234	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 226	2 718	3 966	2 446
Average per farm (dollars)	9 783	5 426	24 330	17 851
Crops, including hay (farms)	156	179	86	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	1 105	381	1 050	327
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	2		2	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	4		4	–
Forest products (farms)	57	43	44	27
Forest products ($1,000)	136	60	131	50
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	352	355	139	119
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 981	2 278	2 781	2 069
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	11	(NA)	11	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 930	(NA)	1 930	1 548

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	86	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	1 050	327
Grains (farms)	71	43
Grains ($1,000)	836	87
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	10	22
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	117	182
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	22	32
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	62	33
Other field crops (farms)	6	3
Other field crops ($1,000)	11	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	13	10
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	25	23
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	2
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	139	119
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 781	2 069
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	11	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 930	1 548
Dairy products (farms)	1	5
Dairy products ($1,000)	(D)	37
Cattle and calves (farms)	133	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	664	428
Hogs and pigs (farms)	20	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	136	56
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	5	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	(D)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	279	(NA)	58	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	117	(NA)	48	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	85	(NA)	66	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	32	38	19	20
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	51	38	46	23
Recreational services (farms)	3	8	3	4
Recreational services ($1,000)	1	1	1	1
Government farm programs (farms)	70	180	30	64
Government farm programs ($1,000)	26	185	17	153
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	24	(NA)	3	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	29	(NA)	8	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	35	(NA)	22	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	117
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 330
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	22
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	169
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	86
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	920
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	53
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	106
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	30
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	80
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	16
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	54

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	432	501	163	137
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	3 432	2 656	3 018	2 296
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	117	236	6	12
$1,000 to $1,999	108	96	14	
$2,000 to $2,999	43	51	12	24
$3,000 to $4,999	63	49	35	33
$5,000 to $9,999	45	31	40	30
$10,000 to $19,999	33	38	33	21
$20,000 to $39,999	13		13	7
$40,000 to $59,999	2		2	10
$60,000 and over	8		8	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	138	184	73	76
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	389	468	333	413
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	335	336	123	102
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 459	1 002	1 364	942
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	227	185	102	86
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 319	897	1 282	873
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	27	27
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	23	6
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	31	23
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	47	55
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	22	20
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	70	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	170	196	83	75
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	73	25	66	16
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	339	399	136	114
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	438	259	353	187
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	155	(NA)	70	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	70	65	60	57
Lime (farms)	(NA)	78	25	34
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	15	9	10
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	405	470	154	137
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	179	132	138	92
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	140	134
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	71	62
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	66	44
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	38	14
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4	7
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	10	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	154	132
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	19	10
Hired farm labor (farms)	93	199	40	73
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	96	148	89	126
Contract labor (farms)	22	192	13	10
Contract labor ($1,000)	10	94	8	28
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	117		54	60
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	47		36	43
All other production expenses (farms)	368	345	161	137
All other production expenses ($1,000)	672	464	556	393

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	402	470	147	134
$1,000	4 003	1 948	2 416	1 069
Average per farm—dollars	9 957	4 144	16 438	7 977
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	8	90	–	68
$1,000 to $4,999	149	271	32	
$5,000 to $9,999	116	66	29	33
$10,000 to $19,999	81	29	41	21
$20,000 to $29,999	20	14	18	6
$30,000 to $49,999	23		22	4
$50,000 to $69,999	1		1	2
$70,000 and over	4		4	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	294	340	99	101
number	423	516	151	145
mfd in last 5 years, number	155	267	79	89
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	305	311	126	109
number	411	415	220	170
mfd in last 5 years, number	96	163	65	76
Wheel tractors—farms	350	365	142	122
number	540	538	302	223
mfd in last 5 years, number	97	138	88	62
Crawler tractors—farms	15		5	5
number	16		6	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		–	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	27	16	23	11
number	29	17	25	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	12	6	8
Corn heads for combines—farms	8	14	8	4
number	10	15	10	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	5	1	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	16		11	7
number	16		11	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	1
Mower conditioners—farms	50	(NA)	29	(NA)
number	57	(NA)	32	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	15	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	48	51	34	33
number	49	52	35	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	22	13	17
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	18	(NA)	15	16
number	18	(NA)	15	17
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	7	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	8	(NA)	6	6
number	8	(NA)	6	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	3	4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	374	(X)	138	(X)	352	(X)	139	(X)	2 781
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	354	(X)	133	(X)	339	(X)	136	(X)	800
1969	409	(X)	110	(X)	340	(X)	111	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	339	12 981	129	7 951	333	5 192	133	3 810	664
1969	376	9 227	104	5 398	314	4 591	106	2 990	428
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	5	18	–	–	75	195	9	23	2
5 to 9—1974	29	211	4	24	92	631	11	79	16
10 to 19—1974	87	1 235	11	171	82	1 019	32	421	87
20 to 49—1974	134	3 989	56	1 834	65	1 973	62	1 913	338
50 to 99—1974	62	3 973	36	2 367	17	(D)	17	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	17	2 261	17	2 261	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	1 294	5	1 294	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	300	7 076	118	4 356	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	263	4 281	89	2 600	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	292	6 955	115	4 286	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 086	84	2 487	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	27	121	9	70	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	38	195	12	113	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	37

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	292	6 955	115	4 286			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	26	90	3	11			
5 to 9	53	357	8	57			
10 to 19	80	1 153	25	401			
20 to 49	102	3 005	52	1 677			
50 to 99	22	1 277	18	1 067			
100 to 199	9	1 073	9	1 073			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	27	121	9	70			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	17	24	5	7			
3 or 4	4	16	–	–			
5 to 9	4	31	3	23			
10 to 19	1	10	–	–			
20 to 49	1	40	1	40			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					108	1 805	416
Farms with—							
1 to 4					20	60	12
5 to 9					26	176	45
10 to 19					25	338	84
20 to 49					32	891	193
50 to 99					4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					109	2 005	247
Farms with—							
1 or 2					10	17	3
3 or 4					13	42	5
5 to 9					11	69	9
10 to 19					35	468	59
20 to 49					34	1 009	127
50 to 99					5	(D)	35
100 to 199					1	(D)	10
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	90	1 684	21	440	113
	1969	78	1 267	5	117	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	87	1 644			
Milk heifers	1974	4	40			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	101	1 911			
	1969	96	1 531			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			21	440	113
	1969			5	117	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			3	11	2
10 to 19	1974			11	175	40
20 to 49	1974			6	169	(D)
50 to 99	1974			1	85	(D)
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	51	1 799	24	1 647	30	2 019	20	1 855	136
	1969	94	1 042	21	573	57	1 614	19	1 184	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	23	58	5	10	5	20	1	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	10	71	4	30	3	18	1	8	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	8	133	6	109	7	114	6	102	6
25 to 49	1974	2	69	1	30	8	310	5	184	9
50 to 99	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	219	3	219	18
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	4	1 090	4	1 090	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	70	3	36	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20	597	8	411	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	16	–	–	2	4	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	12	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	15	(NA)	(NA)	2	5	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	85	355	27	201	9	25	5	21	29
	1969	92	311	(NA)	(NA)	10	61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			Inventory			
					All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	14	170	Litters of pigs farrowed between —				
	1969	14	94	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	24	237	14	211
					1969	49	226	15	144
Other hogs and pigs	1974	20	1 477	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	20	121	12	106
	1969	19	479		1969	46	124	14	73
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	20	116	12	105
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–		1969	29	102	14	71
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–						

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	49	(X)	20	(X)	11	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	49	194 586	20	194 243	8	123 822	8	123 822
	1969	81	174 821	23	173 840	17	150 505	15	150 445
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	43	169 282	20	169 022	8	123 822	8	123 822
	1969	75	148 181	21	147 315	16	99 105	14	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	35	482	12	222	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	400	2	400	2	248	2	248
400 to 1,599	1974	1	1 200	1	1 200	1	(D)	1	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	105 500	3	105 500
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	2	200	2	200	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	85 514	2	(D)	3	386 588	3	386 588
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	1 930	11	1 930
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	1 548

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	20	169 022	8	123 822
	1969	21	147 315	14	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	20	169 005	8	123 822
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	17	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	25 100	–	–
	1969	1	(D)	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	121	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	3	83 000
	1969	1	(D)	2	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	3	83 000
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	3	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	113	159	1 426	1 436	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	32	30	519	245	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	75	38	5 417	1 751	104 369	38 067
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	5	15	12	5 800	8 420
Wheat (bushels)	34	8	1 598	45	42 987	1 499
Other small grains for grain	24	18	671	159	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	13	50	603	1 823	574	1 947
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	30	(NA)	20	(NA)	1 594	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	20	(NA)	10	(NA)	1 405	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	173	155	2 886	2 364	5 079	3 425
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	19	31	119	343	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	10	11	32	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	4	1	1	15	(X)	(X)
Other crops	5	(NA)	54	525	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	43	40	901	712	34 263	27 715	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	2	98	20	1 261	300	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	–	10	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	13	7	339	105	16 439	2 743	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	126	27	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	–	143	–	322	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	117	12 427	(X)	–	–	57	3 827	52	648	15	140
	1969	75	8 103	(X)	–	–	56	4 246	53	759	14	158
Improved pasture	1974	26	1 421	(X)	–	–	12	541	12	116	1	6
	1969	34	2 796	(X)	–	–	21	1 274	20	323	7	31
Corn for all purposes	1974	48	1 009	(X)	–	–	37	744	37	216	11	38
	1969	41	732	(X)	–	–	24	464	23	112	5	29
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	18	465	(X)	–	–	17	433	17	138	6	7
	1969	9	132	(X)	–	–	9	132	9	31	7	13
Wheat (bushels)	1974	31	1 573	42 272	–	–	21	1 077	17	102	7	68
	1969	3	16	640	–	–	1	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	15	542	25 361	–	–	10	473	10	96	–	–
	1969	7	54	2 016	–	–	3	13	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	12	400	–	–	1	12	1	1	–	–
	1969	2	17	660	–	–	2	17	(NA)	3	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	40	480	–	–	1	40	1	4	–	–
	1969	1	20	240	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	58	5 265	101 766	–	–	31	3 246	30	585	1	4
	1969	26	1 547	34 309	–	–	17	1 027	(NA)	136	(NA)	15
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	5	2 000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	77	1 880	3 697	–	–	43	1 077	41	324	17	81
	1969	54	1 520	2 409	–	–	22	538	20	109	6	15
Field seed crops	1974	3	53	(X)	–	–	1	10	1	4	1	1
	1969	18	473	(X)	–	–	13	306	11	70	3	8
Cotton (bales)	1974	10	594	565	–	–	10	582	9	152	7	64
	1969	23	1 699	1 807	–	–	22	1 688	(NA)	547	(NA)	309
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	14	1 264	–	–	1	8	1	8	–	–
	1969	2	1	53	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	13	110	(X)	–	–	7	33	7	17	–	–
	1969	11	326	(X)	1	1	7	249	7	62	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	15	(X)	1	15	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	6	8	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	143	123
$1,000	412	244
Commercial fertilizer—farms	136	105
acres on which used	12 105	9 968
tons	2 818	2 737
$1,000	353	187
Lime—farms	25	34
acres on which used	939	1 823
tons	991	1 647
$1,000	9	10
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	–
acres on which used	131	–
$1,000	1	–
Insects on other crops—farms	10	21
acres on which used	835	1 874
$1,000	20	23
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	25	25
acres on which used	2 887	2 332
$1,000	22	18
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	6
acres on which used	342	203
$1,000	2	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	5	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	–	10
acres on which used	–	1 235
$1,000	–	2
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	13	33
$1,000	1	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	18	(NA)
$1,000	4	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	1
Proportion of farms—percent	–	0.7
Total land irrigated—acres	–	15
Average per farm—acres	–	15.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	15
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	15
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	4
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	0.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	(D)
Cropland—acres	–	(D)
Harvested cropland—acres	–	(D)
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	2	3
Proportion of farms—percent	1.2	2.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	222	913
Land drained—acres	150	338
Average per farm—acres	75.0	112.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	63	(NA)
number	170	(NA)
acres	292	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	44	37	17
$1,000	1 042	884	157
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	6	4	6
$5,000 to $9,999	8	6	5
$10,000 to $29,999	19	19	5
$30,000 to $49,999	4	1	1
$50,000 and over	7	7	–

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	8	14	13	28	60	
25 to 149 days	12	67	21	194	15	126
Less than 25 days	29		168		13	
Total contract labor	13	10	(NA)	(NA)	8	28
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	17	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	40	8	12	29
Cash wages paid $1,000	89	60	15	13
Number of workers	202	13	21	168
Farms with—				
1 worker	9	3	9	7
2 workers	11	5	–	6
3 or 4 workers	6	–	2	5
5 to 9 workers	11	–	1	8
10 workers and over	3	–	–	3

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	688	737	281	228
Land in farms — acres	169 372	173 347	125 726	112 193
Average size of farm — acres	246	235	447	492
Approximate land area — acres	454 976	454 976	454 976	454 976
Proportion in farms — percent	37.2	38.1	27.6	24.7
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	71 593	45 270	49 937	21 067
Average per farm — dollars	104 060	61 424	177 711	92 398
Average per acre — dollars	423	261	397	188
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	13	13	4	4
10 to 49 acres	136	151	24	8
50 to 69 acres	82	82	16	6
70 to 99 acres	95	119	21	11
100 to 139 acres	95	80	27	18
140 to 179 acres	54	50	17	12
180 to 219 acres	34	42	20	22
220 to 259 acres	25	29	18	18
260 to 499 acres	60	89	48	62
500 to 999 acres	56	49	51	40
1,000 to 1,999 acres	31	28	29	23
2,000 acres and over	7	5	6	4

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	69	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	5 173	9 363
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	33	43
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	1 905	3 630
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	9
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	672	158
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	5	13
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	107	1 648
Cropland idle — farms	34	62
Cropland idle — acres	2 489	3 927
Total woodland — farms	206	200
Total woodland — acres	47 584	48 962
Woodland pastured — farms	147	139
Woodland pastured — acres	23 575	18 859

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	636	700	267	216
Total cropland — acres	72 547	78 666	52 517	52 378
Harvested cropland — farms	463	500	231	188
Harvested cropland — acres	28 112	25 672	24 188	20 905
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	124	140	16	
10 to 19 acres	89	129	22	79
20 to 29 acres	63	58	31	
30 to 49 acres	59	59	39	
50 to 99 acres	61	45	58	41
100 to 199 acres	25	43	25	43
200 to 499 acres	37	20	35	19
500 to 999 acres	5	6	5	6
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	450	462	160	135
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	36 953	35 419	23 156	22 110
Other cropland (see text) — farms	147	317	69	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	7 482	17 575	5 173	9 363
Total woodland — farms	475	581	206	200
Total woodland — acres	62 216	75 637	47 584	48 962
Other land (see text) — farms	504	506	206	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	34 609	19 044	25 625	10 853
Irrigated land — farms	2	8	–	5
Irrigated land — acres	10	146	–	112

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	125	128
Woodland not pastured — acres	24 009	30 103
Other land — farms	206	(NA)
Other land — acres	25 625	10 853
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	93	60
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	18 779	8 697
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	70	47
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	9 884	7 480
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	25
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	8 895	1 217
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	179	144
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	6 846	2 156

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	688	737	281	228
Land in farms — acres	169 372	173 347	125 726	112 193
Harvested cropland — acres	28 112	25 672	24 188	20 905
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	499	571	160	128
Land in farms — acres	101 789	106 736	69 582	55 084
Harvested cropland — acres	9 821	9 397	7 433	6 109
Part owners — number	147	133	93	87
Land in farms — acres	59 686	59 064	49 903	50 920
Harvested cropland — acres	15 742	13 657	14 424	12 533
Tenants — number	42	33	28	13
Land in farms — acres	7 897	7 547	6 241	6 189
Harvested cropland — acres	2 549	2 618	2 331	2 263
Percent of tenancy	6.1	4.4	10.0	5.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	48	81	12	6
Land in farms — acres	5 170	6 600	1 597	950
Harvested cropland — acres	922	1 057	472	297
Full owners — number	32	61	3	3
Land in farms — acres	3 253	4 989	749	650
Harvested cropland — acres	428	587	87	115
Part owners — number	–	10	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	857	–	245
Harvested cropland — acres	–	292	–	157
Tenants — number	16	10	9	1
Land in farms — acres	1 917	754	848	55
Harvested cropland — acres	494	178	385	25
Percent of tenancy	33.3	12.3	75.0	16.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	251	185
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	107 371	88 667

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	25	38
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 835	20 170
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 556
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1 800
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	10	1	8	1
25 to 34 years	70	43	35	17
35 to 44 years	94	110	38	33
45 to 54 years	197	232	69	75
55 to 64 years	165	191	73	64
65 years and over	145	160	53	38
Average age	53.1	54.6	51.6	53.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	423	495	180	166
On another farm	11		5	
In a rural area, not on a farm	28	135	12	43
In a city, town, or urban area	84		41	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	173	(NA)	83	(NA)
1 to 49 days	50	54	17	15
50 to 99 days	12	25	7	8
100 to 149 days	20	49	7	12
150 to 199 days	27		8	
200 days and over	341	353	109	83
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	226	(NA)	126	(NA)
Other	455	(NA)	150	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	24	34	23	34
$40,000 to $99,999	26		25	
$20,000 to $39,999	30	22	30	22
$10,000 to $19,999	43	27	43	27
$5,000 to $9,999	70	59	70	59
$2,500 to $4,999	82	79	82	76
Under $2,500 (see text)	413	516	8	10
$2,000 to $2,499	40	37	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	65	51	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	84	86	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	224	342	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	9 295	5 875	8 617	5 198
Average per farm ... dollars	13 510	7 971	30 667	22 796
Crops, including hay ... farms	316	355	181	(NA)
$1,000	2 167	950	2 024	816
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	5		5	2
$1,000	58		58	(D)
Forest products ... farms	74	47	51	27
$1,000	280	103	268	93
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	530	497	229	198
$1,000	6 790	4 822	6 268	4 288
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	28	(NA)	20	26
$1,000	2 765	(NA)	2 763	1 615

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	181	(NA)
$1,000	2 024	816
Grains ... farms	133	100
$1,000	1 193	354
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	41	50
$1,000	543	274
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	61	58
$1,000	234	130
Other field crops ... farms	4	1
$1,000	1	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	7	8
$1,000	11	12
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	11
$1,000	42	30
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	229	198
$1,000	6 268	4 288
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	20	26
$1,000	2 763	1 615
Dairy products ... farms	16	30
$1,000	1 694	1 416
Cattle and calves ... farms	219	(NA)
$1,000	1 660	1 082
Hogs and pigs ... farms	25	(NA)
$1,000	149	175
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	1	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	447	(NA)	121	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	201	(NA)	98	(NA)
$1,000	220	(NA)	167	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	41	39	21	23
$1,000	83	39	66	34
Recreational services ... farms	4	13	2	4
$1,000	1	10	(Z)	1
Government farm programs ... farms	152	387	77	140
$1,000	84	507	64	389
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	34	(NA)	13	(NA)
$1,000	41	(NA)	34	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	11	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	42	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	43	(NA)	36	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	199
$1,000	3 092
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	45
$1,000	476
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	134
$1,000	1 975
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	84
$1,000	346
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	31
$1,000	163
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	24
$1,000	131

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	685	737	281	228
$1,000	9 124	5 466	8 225	4 669
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	204	291	5	26
$1,000 to $1,999	140	143	24	
$2,000 to $2,999	67	88	26	27
$3,000 to $4,999	82	71	48	40
$5,000 to $9,999	71	51	59	43
$10,000 to $19,999	48	93	48	36
$20,000 to $39,999	22		22	21
$40,000 to $59,999	14		14	35
$60,000 and over	37		35	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	282	316	114	127
$1,000	1 113	819	1 031	724
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	497	440	190	155
$1,000	3 026	1 486	2 821	1 367
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	357	259	176	129
$1,000	2 758	1 296	2 651	1 221
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	57	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	52
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	76	27
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	118	53
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	37
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	20	41
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	145	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	321	315	156	122
$1,000	137	77	120	59
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	560	596	246	203
$1,000	1 299	652	1 141	525
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	243	(NA)	142	(NA)
$1,000	246	148	224	128
Lime ... farms	(NA)	149	66	65
$1,000	(NA)	34	68	25
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	658	712	266	227
$1,000	390	272	308	197
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	266	220
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	184	133
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	102
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	76	38
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	19
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	266	227
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	21
Hired farm labor ... farms	214	358	128	168
$1,000	741	639	630	533
Contract labor ... farms	19	303	14	15
$1,000	23	107	22	20
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	236		114	100
$1,000	131		108	52
All other production expenses ... farms	601	537	277	227
$1,000	2 018	1 266	1 738	1 064

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment — farms	643	704	252	225
$1,000	8 275	4 291	5 162	2 612
Average per farm — dollars	12 870	6 095	20 484	11 607
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	2	88	2	70
$1,000 to $4,999	180	361	44	
$5,000 to $9,999	228	135	58	65
$10,000 to $19,999	126	67	63	43
$20,000 to $29,999	48	53	29	29
$30,000 to $49,999	33		32	13
$50,000 to $69,999	15		14	5
$70,000 and over	11		10	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles — farms	462	516	175	171
number	637	741	253	265
mfd in last 5 years, number	245	415	130	161
Motor trucks, including pickups — farms	523	493	213	190
number	725	695	384	340
mfd in last 5 years, number	200	333	153	153
Wheel tractors — farms	586	588	237	205
number	995	1 056	539	490
mfd in last 5 years, number	184	342	134	183
Crawler tractors — farms	51		32	21
number	56		35	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled — farms	58	65	51	50
number	65	68	58	53
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	45	15	38
Corn heads for combines — farms	8	21	8	8
number	10	24	10	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	8	4	6
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers — farms	8		6	6
number	8		6	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	1
Mower conditioners — farms	85	(NA)	55	(NA)
number	88	(NA)	58	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	(NA)	27	(NA)
Pickup balers — farms	140	124	92	86
number	143	125	95	86
mfd in last 5 years, number	36	52	30	38
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled — farms	53	(NA)	38	53
number	55	(NA)	40	55
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	(NA)	18	28
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type — farms	21	(NA)	17	25
number	26	(NA)	21	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	8	16

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry — 1974	566	(X)	235	(X)	530	(X)	229	(X)	6 268
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep — 1974	555	(X)	230	(X)	516	(X)	222	(X)	1 810
1969	545	(X)	187	(X)	480	(X)	189	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves — 1974	538	32 441	223	25 344	507	9 994	219	8 208	1 660
1969	525	22 317	181	16 909	457	8 976	180	6 962	1 082
Farms with —									
1 to 4 — 1974	28	63	7	14	170	449	22	55	14
5 to 9 — 1974	49	329	6	44	99	659	21	150	29
10 to 19 — 1974	136	1 864	16	230	111	1 516	52	776	145
20 to 49 — 1974	158	4 865	54	1 869	76	2 262	74	2 209	414
50 to 99 — 1974	80	5 237	55	3 771	38	2 637	37	2 547	613
100 to 199 — 1974	42	5 927	42	5 927	9	1 121	9	1 121	217
200 to 499 — 1974	43	(D)	41	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over — 1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved — 1974	478	17 302	210	13 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	438	10 913	170	8 576	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows — 1974	457	15 382	197	11 803	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 731	145	6 620	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows — 1974	65	1 920	29	1 690	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	76	2 182	37	1 956	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold — 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	1 694
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	1 416

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	457	15 382	197	11 803			
Farms with —							
1 to 4	51	146	8	18			
5 to 9	77	516	12	83			
10 to 19	116	1 539	28	408			
20 to 49	135	3 901	74	2 249			
50 to 99	38	2 524	36	2 414			
100 to 199	28	3 731	27	3 606			
200 to 499	12	3 025	12	3 025			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	65	1 920	29	1 690			
Farms with —							
1 or 2	37	47	9	11			
3 or 4	7	25	3	12			
5 to 9	3	17	1	5			
10 to 19	1	10	1	10			
20 to 49	2	58	2	58			
50 to 99	5	297	4	247			
100 to 199	8	(D)	7	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					177	3 916	1 103
Farms with —							
1 to 4					36	77	21
5 to 9					33	215	48
10 to 19					46	621	150
20 to 49					44	1 435	357
50 to 99					14	995	375
100 to 199					4	573	153
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					146	4 292	557
Farms with —							
1 or 2					16	19	2
3 or 4					8	28	3
5 to 9					24	162	17
10 to 19					34	499	54
20 to 49					42	1 235	138
50 to 99					15	990	125
100 to 199					5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					1	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	177	5 778	17	182	43
	1969	148	4 711	–	–	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	163	4 537			
Milk heifers	1974	22	1 241			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	188	6 073			
	1969	172	3 622			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			17	182	43
	1969			–	–	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			9	32	6
10 to 19	1974			5	71	18
20 to 49	1974			3	79	19
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	92	2 355	36	1 892	49	4 396	25	3 206	149
	1969	98	2 175	33	1 283	64	3 394	31	2 075	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	39	78	10	26	4	9	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	11	75	2	14	10	68	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	23	368	6	105	13	237	5	93	5
25 to 49	1974	6	223	6	223	9	311	9	311	19
50 to 99	1974	8	576	7	489	5	401	4	317	23
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	414	3	414	31
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	3	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	1 895	6	1 613	34
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	555	6	418	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	3	10	1	6	2	2	2	2	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	67	180	33	101	8	20	3	3	1
	1969	111	386	(NA)	(NA)	14	57	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	22	311	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	22	291	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	48	549	23	418
Other hogs and pigs	1974	35	1 581		1969	57	492	22	219
	1969	31	992	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	35	310	19	223
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	48	251	21	113
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	40	239	19	195
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	45	241	18	106

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	82	(X)	25	(X)	29	(X)	20	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	76	363 578	23	362 261	27	515 614	20	515 504
	1969	120	260 533	31	254 027	27	284 307	19	273 583
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	70	214 667	17	213 519	21	184 015	14	183 905
	1969	113	194 580	26	188 366	22	149 641	14	138 917
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	58	1 252	5	104	7	110	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	2	650	2	650
400 to 1,599	1974	3	2 900	3	2 900	3	(D)	3	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	56 000	4	56 000
20,000 to 49,999	1974	4	105 500	4	105 500	4	117 140	4	117 140
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	20	251	–	–	2	4	–	–
	1969	4	16 700	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	28	2 765	20	2 763
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	26	1 615

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	17	213 519	14	183 905
	1969	26	188 366	14	138 917
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	213 519	14	183 905
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	148 700	6	331 599
	1969	6	65 605	5	134 666
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	42	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	150	107	3 632	2 640	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	64	42	1 717	683	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	155	166	7 633	7 303	147 917	147 898
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	14	9	14	4 520	5 368
Wheat (bushels)	83	95	1 809	1 355	49 884	32 699
Other small grains for grain	94	78	2 168	1 968	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	54	123	3 403	3 896	2 732	3 078
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	19	(NA)	4	(NA)	769	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	26	(NA)	8	(NA)	855	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	260	257	8 049	6 550	13 537	10 800
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	32	43	89	123	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	14	31	95	175	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	4	–	5	(X)	(X)
Other crops	33	(NA)	674	1 748	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	57	28	1 576	629	74 347	21 667	–	1	–	22
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	12	14	1 160	1 244	15 650	9 210	–	1	–	70
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	3	20	35	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	26	6	656	126	12 108	5 220	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	17	(NA)	843	436	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	9	3	195	247	688	348	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	160	23 156	(X)	–	–	86	10 559	69	1 321	34	644
	1969	135	22 110	(X)	–	–	105	13 698	99	3 167	24	568
Improved pasture	1974	70	9 884	(X)	–	–	42	6 156	40	995	18	169
	1969	47	7 480	(X)	–	–	39	4 603	36	860	9	99
Corn for all purposes	1974	63	2 756	(X)	–	–	52	2 599	47	672	21	251
	1969	39	1 908	(X)	2	92	28	1 560	24	525	11	224
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	42	1 499	(X)	–	–	33	1 124	30	235	12	56
	1969	21	562	(X)	–	–	21	508	20	123	4	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974	56	1 647	46 881	–	–	42	1 418	27	203	20	100
	1969	45	1 114	27 807	–	–	38	859	(NA)	200	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	1974	41	1 008	59 832	–	–	33	748	28	136	13	27
	1969	51	1 293	58 591	–	–	43	1 179	(NA)	248	(NA)	22
Barley (bushels)	1974	31	784	39 422	–	–	28	734	23	139	8	26
	1969	19	430	16 852	–	–	17	386	(NA)	101	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	1974	4	67	1 560	–	–	4	67	4	15	3	4
	1969	3	69	2 660	–	–	2	34	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	101	7 032	139 692	–	–	52	4 539	41	628	13	91
	1969	78	6 249	129 769	–	–	48	4 237	(NA)	693	(NA)	14
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	480	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–
	1969	3	3	1 500	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	143	6 334	10 881	–	–	76	3 668	64	768	34	362
	1969	124	4 924	8 429	–	–	52	2 610	45	612	20	136
Field seed crops	1974	23	615	(X)	–	–	13	343	12	98	4	11
	1969	37	1 379	(X)	–	–	20	716	17	144	7	26
Cotton (bales)	1974	41	3 328	2 680	–	–	37	3 184	28	913	22	392
	1969	52	3 422	2 706	–	–	50	3 397	(NA)	1 026	(NA)	265
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	2	415	–	–	2	1	2	1	–	–
	1969	4	1	37	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	8	32	(X)	–	–	3	17	3	5	–	–
	1969	8	51	(X)	3	15	6	32	3	8	4	3
Land in orchards	1974	7	87	(X)	–	–	2	7	2	2	–	–
	1969	11	159	(X)	–	–	8	144	8	56	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	3	(X)	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	5	5	(X)	–	–	3	5	3	2	1	(Z)
1969	2	20	(X)	–	–	2	20	2	10	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	5	(X)	–	–	2	4	2	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	249	208
$1,000	1 365	652
Commercial fertilizer—farms	246	193
acres on which used	35 176	34 013
tons	8 268	9 163
$1,000	1 141	525
Lime—farms	66	65
acres on which used	5 832	4 116
tons	6 876	3 875
$1,000	68	25
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	5	3
acres on which used	68	81
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	27	46
acres on which used	3 346	3 265
$1,000	62	41
Nematodes in crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	30	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	1	5
acres on which used	50	409
$1,000	2	4
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	57	69
acres on which used	6 445	6 636
$1,000	53	45
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	19	21
acres on which used	1 294	1 846
$1,000	4	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	7	(NA)
acres on which used	221	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	10	12
acres on which used	1 032	1 517
$1,000	6	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	35	58
$1,000	9	5
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	44	(NA)
$1,000	19	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	5
Proportion of farms—percent	–	2.1
Total land irrigated—acres	–	112
Average per farm—acres	–	22.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	5
acres	–	112
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	5
acres	–	112
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	36
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	0.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	2 415
Cropland—acres	–	1 104
Harvested cropland—acres	–	578
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	57	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	13	7
Proportion of farms—percent	4.6	3.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	6 602	4 567
Land drained—acres	336	164
Average per farm—acres	25.8	23.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	99	(NA)
number	329	(NA)
acres	623	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	114	76	85
$1,000	6 326	5 008	1 318
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	17	3	35
$5,000 to $9,999	18	17	16
$10,000 to $29,999	41	30	24
$30,000 to $49,999	16	8	3
$50,000 and over	22	18	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	59	62	145	144	508	533
25 to 149 days	49	134	102	556	86	
Less than 25 days	73		485		37	
Total contract labor	14	15	(NA)	(NA)	22	20
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	24	(NA)	7	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	128	59	49	73
Cash wages paid—$1,000	630	508	86	37
Number of workers	732	145	102	485
Farms with—				
1 worker	38	26	23	21
2 workers	19	13	14	8
3 or 4 workers	27	11	9	17
5 to 9 workers	27	9	2	13
10 workers and over	17	–	1	14

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	392	578	293	344
Land in farms — acres	151 793	159 346	146 489	147 104
Average size of farm — acres	387	276	500	428
Approximate land area — acres	261 760	261 760	261 760	261 760
Proportion in farms — percent	58.0	60.9	56.0	56.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	68 524	43 482	65 555	39 112
Average per farm — dollars	174 807	75 228	223 738	113 698
Average per acre — dollars	451	273	448	266
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	22	38	7	16
10 to 49 acres	94	159	50	33
50 to 69 acres	42	55	25	23
70 to 99 acres	31	47	23	24
100 to 139 acres	30	45	23	30
140 to 179 acres	16	23	12	16
180 to 219 acres	26	33	25	28
220 to 259 acres	14	17	12	16
260 to 499 acres	28	61	28	58
500 to 999 acres	40	57	39	57
1,000 to 1,999 acres	32	34	32	34
2,000 acres and over	17	9	17	9

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	384	552	286	335
acres	111 151	107 415	109 002	102 243
Harvested cropland — farms	364	525	279	327
acres	105 013	92 428	104 002	89 493
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	52	97	9	
10 to 19 acres	49	71	26	84
20 to 29 acres	33	47	16	
30 to 49 acres	50	65	48	
50 to 99 acres	40	66	40	64
100 to 199 acres	31	49	31	49
200 to 499 acres	45	72	45	72
500 to 999 acres	24	41	24	41
1,000 acres and over	40	17	40	17
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	89	133	64	88
acres	2 918	3 981	2 107	3 585
Other cropland (see text) — farms	76	290	58	(NA)
acres	3 220	11 006	2 893	9 165
Total woodland — farms	203	379	155	235
acres	31 284	42 902	29 072	38 052
Other land (see text) — farms	245	356	186	(NA)
acres	9 358	9 029	8 415	6 809
Irrigated land — farms	3	9	3	6
acres	98	67	98	53

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	58	(NA)
acres	2 893	9 165
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	13	26
acres	173	1 033
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	11	21
acres	273	636
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	15
acres	638	465
Cropland idle — farms	37	151
acres	1 809	7 031
Total woodland — farms	155	235
acres	29 072	38 052
Woodland pastured — farms	38	91
acres	3 661	12 672

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	134	179
acres	25 411	25 380
Other land — farms	186	(NA)
acres	8 415	6 809
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	41	28
acres	2 746	2 217
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	35	16
acres	1 673	1 668
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	12
acres	1 073	549
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	181	196
acres	5 669	4 592

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	392	578	293	344
Land in farms — acres	151 793	159 346	146 489	147 104
Harvested cropland — acres	105 013	92 428	104 002	89 493
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	199	311	117	141
Land in farms — acres	31 792	47 383	27 407	38 110
Harvested cropland — acres	15 355	19 570	14 526	17 482
Part owners — number	147	198	136	165
Land in farms — acres	101 154	106 294	100 579	104 111
Harvested cropland — acres	75 650	68 829	75 556	68 414
Tenants — number	46	69	40	38
Land in farms — acres	18 847	5 669	18 503	4 883
Harvested cropland — acres	14 008	4 029	13 920	3 597
Percent of tenancy	11.7	11.9	13.7	11.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	102	197	59	60
Land in farms — acres	11 758	9 793	10 352	4 894
Harvested cropland — acres	7 944	3 915	7 572	2 373
Full owners — number	67	124	28	35
Land in farms — acres	3 272	5 667	1 878	2 298
Harvested cropland — acres	1 176	1 930	812	939
Part owners — number	28	38	24	12
Land in farms — acres	8 125	2 903	8 113	1 794
Harvested cropland — acres	6 514	1 319	6 506	999
Tenants — number	7	35	7	13
Land in farms — acres	361	1 223	361	802
Harvested cropland — acres	254	666	254	435
Percent of tenancy	6.9	17.7	11.9	21.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	261	296
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	123 258	123 050

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	31	41
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	21 005
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	2 659
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	390
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	–	7	–	6
25 to 34 years	55	45	47	31
35 to 44 years	39	123	38	75
45 to 54 years	126	150	74	89
55 to 64 years	93	156	74	99
65 years and over	78	97	59	44
Average age	52.8	52.0	52.1	50.6
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	208	372	171	237
On another farm	24		13	
In a rural area, not on a farm	12	123	12	66
In a city, town, or urban area	40		21	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	172	(NA)	146	(NA)
1 to 49 days	12	37	12	23
50 to 99 days	7	22	6	10
100 to 149 days	5	52	3	18
150 to 199 days	29		16	
200 days and over	89	168	42	74
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	267	(NA)	237	(NA)
Other	124	(NA)	55	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	64	59	64	59
$40,000 to $99,999	44		44	
$20,000 to $39,999	41	46	41	46
$10,000 to $19,999	31	62	31	62
$5,000 to $9,999	52	75	52	75
$2,500 to $4,999	56	87	56	87
Under $2,500 (see text)	104	249	5	15
$2,000 to $2,499	15	22	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	11	41	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	38	41	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	40	145	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	21 709	8 243	21 601	8 038
Average per farm ... dollars	55 380	14 261	73 725	23 365
Crops, including hay ... farms	353	509	276	(NA)
$1,000	19 313	6 565	19 226	6 397
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	1
$1,000	9		9	2
Forest products ... farms	20	49	20	41
$1,000	112	61	112	58
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	155	220	124	154
$1,000	2 276	1 617	2 255	1 581
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	14	(NA)	12	16
$1,000	1 109	(NA)	1 109	625

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	276	(NA)
$1,000	19 226	6 397
Grains ... farms	256	287
$1,000	7 570	2 526
Tobacco ... farms	91	161
$1,000	1 940	1 137
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	191	275
$1,000	9 124	2 292
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	8	12
$1,000	13	16
Other field crops ... farms	29	43
$1,000	543	405
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	18	15
$1,000	32	20
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	6
$1,000	6	1
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	124	154
$1,000	2 255	1 581
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	12	16
$1,000	1 109	625
Dairy products ... farms	2	5
$1,000	(D)	438
Cattle and calves ... farms	68	(NA)
$1,000	206	176
Hogs and pigs ... farms	66	(NA)
$1,000	688	343
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	4	
$1,000	(D)	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	123	(NA)	52	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	105	(NA)	77	(NA)
$1,000	306	(NA)	276	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	37	64	37	52
$1,000	184	148	184	146
Recreational services ... farms	–	6	–	5
$1,000	–	22	–	22
Government farm programs ... farms	21	366	16	242
$1,000	28	2 294	27	2 200
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	55	(NA)	32	(NA)
$1,000	87	(NA)	59	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	6	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	37	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	91	(NA)	80	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	157
$1,000	1 696
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	32
$1,000	380
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	102
$1,000	1 154
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	59
$1,000	97
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	29
$1,000	53
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	10
$1,000	12

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	392	578	293	344
$1,000	16 612	8 959	16 497	8 741
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	53	160	6	35
$1,000 to $1,999	68	86	30	
$2,000 to $2,999	50	38	39	22
$3,000 to $4,999	26	59	23	52
$5,000 to $9,999	35	68	35	68
$10,000 to $19,999	32		32	49
$20,000 to $39,999	38	167	38	49
$40,000 to $59,999	15		15	69
$60,000 and over	75		75	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	95	110	54	76
$1,000	319	230	305	225
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	171	198	110	121
$1,000	1 108	638	1 093	622
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	147	138	98	97
$1,000	885	551	875	542
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	25
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	87	29
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	34	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	121	44
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	19
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	7
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	49	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	274	488	241	317
$1,000	523	347	520	335
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	359	535	274	329
$1,000	3 729	1 577	3 707	1 536
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	233	(NA)	202	(NA)
$1,000	2 503	927	2 499	914
Lime ... farms	(NA)	126	65	105
$1,000	(NA)	62	135	60
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	379	547	290	337
$1,000	1 067	731	1 049	691
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	277	336
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	389	381
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	171	168
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	448	169
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	101	91
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	53
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	289	337
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	140	88
Hired farm labor ... farms	195	400	169	295
$1,000	1 735	1 413	1 729	1 389
Contract labor ... farms	11	317	9	12
$1,000	36	288	36	15
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	199		168	211
$1,000	509		503	257
All other production expenses ... farms	367	495	292	337
$1,000	5 083	2 808	5 043	2 757

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	370	530	275	321
$1,000	12 435	8 119	11 654	7 562
Average per farm—dollars	33 607	15 318	42 380	23 557
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	56	1	88
$1,000 to $4,999	66	220	49	
$5,000 to $9,999	95	69	30	57
$10,000 to $19,999	57	62	49	55
$20,000 to $29,999	38	123	34	32
$30,000 to $49,999	36		35	32
$50,000 to $69,999	33		33	57
$70,000 and over	44		44	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	312	414	238	257
number	474	630	376	440
mfd in last 5 years, number	270	387	246	314
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	300	360	236	260
number	604	633	540	524
mfd in last 5 years, number	285	347	275	296
Wheel tractors—farms	320	426	238	292
number	901	1 059	798	885
mfd in last 5 years, number	340	509	328	473
Crawler tractors—farms	18		14	10
number	19		15	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	140	151	134	147
number	176	197	170	193
mfd in last 5 years, number	73	133	73	131
Corn heads for combines—farms	41	52	41	35
number	41	65	41	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	53	21	36
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	15		15	19
number	16		16	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	15
Mower conditioners—farms	19	(NA)	18	(NA)
number	19	(NA)	18	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	29	45	27	44
number	32	47	30	46
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	23	10	23
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	13	(NA)	11	22
number	13	(NA)	11	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	4	13
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	7	(NA)	7	7
number	10	(NA)	10	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	186	(X)	135	(X)	155	(X)	124	(X)	2 255
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	168	(X)	122	(X)	145	(X)	115	(X)	894
1969	248	(X)	146	(X)	205	(X)	143	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	98	4 535	78	4 229	81	1 259	68	1 201	206
1969	132	3 609	84	3 337	97	1 366	75	1 283	176
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	26	65	20	43	29	63	21	51	7
5 to 9—1974	3	23	–	–	16	107	14	97	18
10 to 19—1974	19	230	14	166	19	248	16	212	40
20 to 49—1974	23	722	19	629	12	339	12	339	40
50 to 99—1974	16	1 066	14	962	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	6	819	6	819	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	5	1 610	5	1 610	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	91	2 591	72	2 392	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	110	1 938	76	1 776	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	74	2 319	59	2 138	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 275	63	1 144	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	19	272	14	254	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	43	663	21	632	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	438

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	74	2 319	59	2 138			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	12	26	10	19			
5 to 9	13	85	7	45			
10 to 19	19	278	16	237			
20 to 49	18	553	14	460			
50 to 99	5	368	5	368			
100 to 199	5	(D)	5	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	19	272	14	254			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	9	14	8	12			
3 or 4	8	28	4	12			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					36	415	133
Farms with—							
1 to 4					9	17	5
5 to 9					14	94	21
10 to 19					9	112	29
20 to 49					3	(D)	(D)
50 to 99					–	–	–
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					53	786	73
Farms with—							
1 or 2					8	10	1
3 or 4					14	47	5
5 to 9					8	57	7
10 to 19					12	150	17
20 to 49					7	190	16
50 to 99					3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	51	996
	1969	59	912
Beef heifers	1974	50	790
Milk heifers	1974	4	206
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	59	841
	1969	68	649

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	3	21	6
	1969	4	12	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	2	3	1
10 to 19	1974	1	18	5
20 to 49	1974	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	112	6 916	79	6 687	83	9 856	66	9 620	688
	1969	192	7 266	109	6 548	148	9 091	101	8 508	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	19	45	12	24	7	13	2	8	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	38	255	15	103	4	28	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	22	324	20	303	32	541	23	356	23
25 to 49	1974	13	434	12	399	7	237	6	205	14
50 to 99	1974	8	545	8	545	15	967	15	967	58
100 to 199	1974	3	301	3	301	8	1 077	8	1 077	69
200 to 499	1974	5	1 327	5	1 327	5	1 241	5	1 241	96
500 and over	1974	4	3 685	4	3 685	5	5 752	5	5 752	426
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	534	11	478	9
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	1 102	18	1 009	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	76	(NA)	(NA)	3	22	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	29	113	24	103	2	43	2	43	13
	1969	46	136	(NA)	(NA)	6	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	39	556
	1969	78	1 081
Other hogs and pigs	1974	76	6 131
	1969	102	5 467
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	63	711	47	681
	1969	135	1 322	82	1 206
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	54	376	42	358
	1969	116	706	74	644
June 1 and November 30	1974	44	335	33	323
	1969	103	616	67	562

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	48	(X)	29	(X)	13	(X)	12	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	48	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	42	1 120	23	537	1	160	–	–
	1969	98	19 218	42	18 080	6	16 184	6	16 184
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	38	1 016	19	436	1	160	–	–
	1969	89	3 504	39	2 680	5	1 184	5	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	37	766	19	436	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	250	–	–	1	160	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	12	311 545	7	311 540	8	972 000	8	972 000
	1969	11	328 457	8	328 424	11	1 276 366	11	1 276 366
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	1 109	12	1 109
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	625

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	436	–	–
	1969	39	2 680	5	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	17	328	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	108	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	276	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	101	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	(D)	4	65 000
	1969	2	7	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	(D)	4	65 000
Heavy breed	1974	2	(D)	4	65 000
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	5	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	2	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	166	271	6 937	7 213	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	7	5	62	45	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	299	370	52 881	51 304	957 697	1 024 652
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	29	59	1 550	1 665	2 969 595	3 506 881
Wheat (bushels)	133	185	8 328	5 395	218 597	200 187
Other small grains for grain	55	93	966	2 864	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	215	413	38 330	25 654	40 376	21 197
Tobacco (pounds)	102	228	1 139	1 191	2 022 752	1 920 049
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	5	(NA)	273	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	7	(NA)	847	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	45	58	919	946	1 958	1 578
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	22	24	113	218	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	15	89	74	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	65	160	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	133	179	6 595	6 175	373 751	303 242	2	–	42	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	7	7	191	421	2 206	3 334	2	–	21	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	8	29	156	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	1	–	11	–	110	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	42	27	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	2	–	8	–	20	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	64	2 107	(X)	–	–	27	1 278	21	172	18	202
	1969	88	3 585	(X)	–	–	45	1 695	42	442	17	91
Improved pasture	1974	35	1 673	(X)	1	8	6	116	5	20	5	22
	1969	16	1 668	(X)	–	–	4	168	2	22	2	8
Corn for all purposes	1974	136	6 815	(X)	2	63	108	6 039	104	1 357	60	589
	1969	186	6 752	(X)	–	–	147	5 714	140	1 766	70	602
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	3	42	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	38	(X)	–	–	2	35	2	9	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	119	8 202	216 323	1	1	101	7 846	90	1 698	46	385
	1969	150	5 265	196 273	–	–	134	4 924	(NA)	1 015	(NA)	424
Oats (bushels)	1974	42	598	27 999	1	8	30	480	26	82	10	11
	1969	68	2 630	128 367	–	–	61	2 314	(NA)	459	(NA)	223
Barley (bushels)	1974	2	65	2 550	–	–	1	40	–	–	1	2
	1969	2	64	2 600	–	–	1	50	(NA)	21	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	11	179	3 833	–	–	8	141	3	11	6	15
	1969	12	118	2 867	–	–	10	106	(NA)	22	(NA)	8
Other small grains for grain	1974	2	6	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	248	52 329	950 669	–	–	159	43 036	150	8 196	15	252
	1969	264	50 092	1 005 477	–	–	191	37 108	(NA)	7 190	(NA)	375
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	27	1 545	2 964 595	1	9	19	1 401	17	588	2	10
	1969	38	1 608	3 436 124	–	–	30	1 200	(NA)	341	(NA)	36
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	40	877	1 906	1	2	21	366	12	55	14	53
	1969	38	863	1 506	–	–	18	513	13	93	12	66
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	193	38 226	40 300	–	–	180	38 095	175	12 419	72	2 004
	1969	283	24 770	20 663	1	8	271	24 616	(NA)	9 328	(NA)	1 558
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	91	1 129	2 010 858	–	–	91	1 128	91	1 037	2	3
	1969	162	1 126	1 843 966	4	34	162	1 117	(NA)	1 031	(NA)	24
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	9	5	273	–	–	4	1	4	1	–	–
	1969	5	3	682	–	–	2	3	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	19	92	(X)	3	2	14	44	14	19	–	–
	1969	17	208	(X)	1	10	9	180	9	76	1	3
Land in orchards	1974	7	71	(X)	–	–	3	18	3	4	–	–
	1969	15	74	(X)	–	–	8	53	8	21	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	5	(X)	1	5	1	5	1	5	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	9	70	(X)	1	1	2	4	3	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	275	330
$1,000	6 206	2 450
Commercial fertilizer—farms	274	328
acres on which used	100 066	79 839
tons	29 217	25 271
$1,000	3 707	1 536
Lime—farms	65	105
acres on which used	19 506	11 271
tons	12 855	8 607
$1,000	135	60
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	50	–
$1,000	1	–
Insects on other crops—farms	157	263
acres on which used	60 957	46 709
$1,000	1 437	586
Nematodes in crops—farms	22	17
acres on which used	4 376	477
$1,000	43	6

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	3
acres on which used	1 202	176
$1,000	9	2
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	120	154
acres on which used	62 387	41 443
$1,000	672	212
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	6
acres on which used	461	199
$1,000	2	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	10	(NA)
acres on which used	210	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	70	131
acres on which used	20 111	17 051
$1,000	173	45
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	9	22
$1,000	1	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	34	(NA)
$1,000	23	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	6
Proportion of farms—percent	1.0	1.7
Total land irrigated—acres	98	53
Average per farm—acres	32.7	8.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	6
acres	90	53
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	6
acres	90	53
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	–
acres	8	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	39	63
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.4	1.2
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	5	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	93	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	453	2 745
Cropland—acres	306	1 905
Harvested cropland—acres	256	1 722
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	15	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	66	113
Proportion of farms—percent	22.5	32.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	52 496	72 384
Land drained—acres	26 157	32 180
Average per farm—acres	396.3	284.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	63	(NA)
number	171	(NA)
acres	230	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	107	91	49
$1,000	5 989	4 624	1 365
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	22	16	19
$5,000 to $9,999	12	13	5
$10,000 to $29,999	21	19	15
$30,000 to $49,999	19	15	3
$50,000 and over	33	28	7

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	90	149	380	453	1 288	
25 to 149 days	65	246	428	1 662	284	1 389
Less than 25 days	95		937		158	
Total contract labor	9	12	(NA)	(NA)	36	15
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	69	(NA)	29	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	169	90	65	95
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 729	1 288	284	158
Number of workers	1 745	380	428	937
Farms with—				
1 worker	26	25	23	13
2 workers	23	14	6	12
3 or 4 workers	35	24	18	27
5 to 9 workers	31	18	6	19
10 workers and over	54	9	12	24

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	899	1 057	493	431
Land in farms — acres	142 135	152 913	112 927	96 144
Average size of farm — acres	158	145	229	223
Approximate land area — acres	458 880	458 880	458 880	458 880
Proportion in farms — percent	31.0	33.3	24.6	21.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	79 814	48 734	61 247	31 525
Average per farm — dollars	88 781	46 105	124 233	73 144
Average per acre — dollars	562	319	542	328
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	37	23	12	13
10 to 49 acres	230	261	81	49
50 to 69 acres	117	141	52	39
70 to 99 acres	120	176	41	55
100 to 139 acres	134	133	86	63
140 to 179 acres	65	89	46	44
180 to 219 acres	36	52	29	28
220 to 259 acres	36	37	30	23
260 to 499 acres	79	93	73	68
500 to 999 acres	34	40	32	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres	8	11	8	10
2,000 acres and over	3	1	3	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	133	(NA)
acres	4 680	8 015
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	35	55
acres	916	1 677
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	29	32
acres	556	792
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	24
acres	436	805
Cropland idle — farms	72	135
acres	2 772	4 741
Total woodland — farms	323	331
acres	45 910	37 245
Woodland pastured — farms	127	123
acres	10 116	7 619

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	841	1 008	470	406
acres	68 717	71 565	56 656	51 270
Harvested cropland — farms	765	864	447	385
acres	48 306	45 476	44 135	37 913
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	135	218	17	
10 to 19 acres	197	168	56	171
20 to 29 acres	102	128	59	
30 to 49 acres	101	127	87	
50 to 99 acres	103	114	101	105
100 to 199 acres	67	62	67	62
200 to 499 acres	48	36	48	36
500 to 999 acres	10	10	10	10
1,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	446	458	226	172
acres	13 427	10 443	7 841	5 342
Other cropland (see text) — farms	241	474	133	(NA)
acres	6 984	15 646	4 680	8 015
Total woodland — farms	578	815	323	331
acres	58 130	63 755	45 910	37 245
Other land (see text) — farms	603	737	346	(NA)
acres	15 288	17 593	10 361	7 629
Irrigated land — farms	28	26	22	22
acres	787	795	776	754

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	263	281
acres	35 794	29 626
Other land — farms	346	(NA)
acres	10 361	7 629
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	86	85
acres	3 186	3 034
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	62	52
acres	2 113	1 704
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	33	37
acres	1 073	1 330
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	328	297
acres	7 175	4 595

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	899	1 057	493	431
Land in farms — acres	142 135	152 913	112 927	96 144
Harvested cropland — acres	48 306	45 476	44 135	37 913
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	618	716	273	220
Land in farms — acres	74 729	89 034	49 287	41 589
Harvested cropland — acres	16 230	15 127	13 017	9 858
Part owners — number	225	276	186	180
Land in farms — acres	59 932	59 104	57 781	51 178
Harvested cropland — acres	28 344	27 309	27 800	25 490
Tenants — number	56	65	34	31
Land in farms — acres	7 474	4 775	5 859	3 377
Harvested cropland — acres	3 732	3 040	3 318	2 565
Percent of tenancy	6.2	6.1	6.9	7.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	21	53	6	12
Land in farms — acres	2 539	7 900	1 433	4 584
Harvested cropland — acres	905	2 178	729	1 561
Full owners — number	11	32	3	5
Land in farms — acres	633	3 984	254	1 323
Harvested cropland — acres	162	633	90	286
Part owners — number	6	11	3	6
Land in farms — acres	1 306	3 402	1 179	3 216
Harvested cropland — acres	661	1 363	639	1 261
Tenants — number	4	10	–	1
Land in farms — acres	600	514	–	45
Harvested cropland — acres	82	182	–	14
Percent of tenancy	19.0	18.8	–	8.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	461	389
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	101 929	85 234

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	27	38
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 082	9 945
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	185
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	780
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	15	11	8	6
25 to 34 years	75	78	37	40
35 to 44 years	150	178	88	88
45 to 54 years	227	337	130	135
55 to 64 years	262	260	150	111
65 years and over	165	193	75	51
Average age	52.6	52.6	52.2	50.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	595	800	334	340
On another farm	27		14	
In a rural area, not on a farm	22	155	10	60
In a city, town, or urban area	57		23	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	253	(NA)	173	(NA)
1 to 49 days	39	69	17	29
50 to 99 days	22	32	6	12
100 to 149 days	18	66	7	15
150 to 199 days	28		16	
200 days and over	401	457	157	134
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	387	(NA)	295	(NA)
Other	507	(NA)	193	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	32	61	32	61
$40,000 to $99,999	54		54	
$20,000 to $39,999	69	51	69	51
$10,000 to $19,999	80	55	80	55
$5,000 to $9,999	117	99	117	99
$2,500 to $4,999	123	132	123	132
Under $2,500 (see text)	424	659	18	33
$2,000 to $2,499	64	63	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	78	76	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	87	105	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	195	415	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	15 056	10 128	14 604	9 630
Average per farm (dollars)	16 748	9 582	29 622	22 343
Crops, including hay (farms)	640	720	411	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	6 231	2 816	6 005	2 459
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	13		10	10
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	92		88	98
Forest products (farms)	51	62	37	42
Forest products ($1,000)	114	71	107	60
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	543	619	310	310
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	8 619	7 242	8 404	7 013
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	90	(NA)	73	105
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	6 610	(NA)	6 603	5 838

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	411	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	6 005	2 459
Grains (farms)	351	287
Grains ($1,000)	3 395	1 017
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	29	87
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	568	275
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	78	63
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	186	125
Other field crops (farms)	23	45
Other field crops ($1,000)	143	140
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	67	92
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	1 208	548
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	27	39
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	505	353
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	310	310
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	8 404	7 013
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	73	105
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	6 603	5 838
Dairy products (farms)	8	18
Dairy products ($1,000)	388	240
Cattle and calves (farms)	233	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	865	501
Hogs and pigs (farms)	100	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	498	433
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	6	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	50	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	477	(NA)	161	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	179	(NA)	112	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	188	(NA)	163	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	58	75	46	48
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	98	84	88	72
Recreational services (farms)	9	14	6	3
Recreational services ($1,000)	9	28	9	10
Government farm programs (farms)	84	456	55	191
Government farm programs ($1,000)	44	518	35	397
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	39	(NA)	15	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	22	(NA)	16	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	11	(NA)	11	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	69	(NA)	43	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	113	(NA)	92	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	301
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	3 370
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	49
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	583
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	215
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	2 323
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	93
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	234
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	57
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	171
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	24
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	59

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	897	1 057	493	431
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	13 046	9 320	12 490	8 675
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	225	406	39	53
$1,000 to $1,999	200	200	54	
$2,000 to $2,999	84	104	39	59
$3,000 to $4,999	95	100	71	79
$5,000 to $9,999	106	81	103	74
$10,000 to $19,999	68	166	68	64
$20,000 to $39,999	54		54	39
$40,000 to $59,999	11		11	63
$60,000 and over	54		54	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	335	421	173	217
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	2 002	1 550	1 947	1 485
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	548	609	275	280
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	4 809	3 829	4 695	3 739
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	391	400	233	227
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	4 548	3 660	4 503	3 618
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	98	64
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	40	45
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	124	63
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	132	61
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	30	47
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	20	15
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	150	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	57	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	490	648	319	325
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	225	134	211	114
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	729	898	391	380
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	1 495	834	1 378	704
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	301	(NA)	205	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	390	204	381	183
Lime (farms)	(NA)	187	97	108
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	40	104	33
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	871	1 041	482	431
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	607	460	546	370
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	443	417
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	263	242
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	277	180
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	160	58
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	34	55
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	33	31
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	482	431
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	90	40
Hired farm labor (farms)	212	396	156	237
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	810	609	798	565
Contract labor (farms)	20	396	16	21
Contract labor ($1,000)	20	148	19	14
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	318		185	187
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	151		126	102
All other production expenses (farms)	800	836	490	425
All other production expenses ($1,000)	2 536	1 552	2 333	1 399

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	852	1 025	464	425
$1,000	12 507	6 641	9 682	4 446
Average per farm—dollars	14 679	6 478	20 866	10 461
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	71	–	149
$1,000 to $4,999	202	549	70	
$5,000 to $9,999	293	223	112	129
$10,000 to $19,999	162	111	110	86
$20,000 to $29,999	82	71	73	32
$30,000 to $49,999	67		60	19
$50,000 to $69,999	19		19	10
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	651	786	354	331
number	860	1 038	480	461
mfd in last 5 years, number	377	617	255	309
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	716	805	419	372
number	1 048	1 143	734	663
mfd in last 5 years, number	300	580	237	350
Wheel tractors—farms	767	911	420	386
number	1 219	1 407	818	744
mfd in last 5 years, number	253	535	213	322
Crawler tractors—farms	24		20	15
number	29		24	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	158	146	146	120
number	166	157	154	131
mfd in last 5 years, number	31	76	31	64
Corn heads for combines—farms	66	85	65	35
number	68	93	67	36
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	35	14	16
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	44		29	38
number	44		29	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	11
Mower conditioners—farms	106	(NA)	81	(NA)
number	108	(NA)	83	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	35	(NA)	29	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	149	142	111	94
number	152	143	114	95
mfd in last 5 years, number	43	71	39	52
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	62	(NA)	50	43
number	62	(NA)	50	43
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	13	23
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	18	(NA)	15	15
number	19	(NA)	16	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	617	(X)	328	(X)	543	(X)	310	(X)	8 404
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	542	(X)	286	(X)	478	(X)	270	(X)	1 362
1969	652	(X)	270	(X)	553	(X)	258	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	482	14 418	252	10 917	413	5 924	233	4 643	865
1969	523	11 201	223	7 779	426	5 135	208	3 810	501
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	58	142	19	47	116	286	39	84	15
5 to 9—1974	63	447	17	130	121	790	67	417	71
10 to 19—1974	127	1 752	48	684	82	1 009	45	582	100
20 to 49—1974	153	4 623	91	2 837	69	1 946	57	1 667	280
50 to 99—1974	56	3 577	52	3 342	21	1 291	21	1 291	268
100 to 199—1974	19	2 460	19	2 460	4	602	4	602	130
200 to 499—1974	6	1 417	6	1 417	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	387	7 644	220	5 759	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	411	5 248	188	3 787	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	353	6 999	205	5 223	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 544	159	3 252	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	87	645	35	536	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	141	704	52	535	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	388
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	240

	Inventory, 1974					Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	353	6 999	205	5 223	Cattle sold	167	2 561	624
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	54	131	21	46	1 to 4	37	76	18
5 to 9	61	422	24	180	5 to 9	62	401	89
10 to 19	102	1 377	50	695	10 to 19	33	403	94
20 to 49	105	2 950	79	2 183	20 to 49	21	654	142
50 to 99	28	1 753	28	1 753	50 to 99	12	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	3	366	3	366	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–
Milk cows	87	645	35	536	Calves sold	143	2 082	241
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	67	100	21	28	1 or 2	16	21	3
3 or 4	3	9	3	9	3 or 4	15	51	6
5 to 9	7	46	1	9	5 to 9	52	318	33
10 to 19	3	35	3	35	10 to 19	23	302	33
20 to 49	4	118	4	118	20 to 49	27	700	83
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99	8	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	150	2 508
	1969	172	2 339
Beef heifers	1974	141	2 199
Milk heifers	1974	14	309
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	188	2 650
	1969	188	1 653

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	62	625	152
	1969	27	477	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	46	176	40
10 to 19	1974	7	87	19
20 to 49	1974	6	212	50
50 to 99	1974	3	150	43
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	195	4 784	109	3 908	152	8 203	100	7 355	498
	1969	332	9 001	156	6 896	270	11 980	151	10 096	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	75	177	30	76	26	63	10	26	2
5 to 9	1974	19	149	11	80	13	84	8	54	3
10 to 24	1974	46	718	25	354	36	557	19	296	16
25 to 49	1974	32	1 023	20	681	40	1 342	30	1 046	86
50 to 99	1974	13	804	13	804	16	1 142	12	918	54
100 to 199	1974	6	640	6	640	14	1 820	14	1 820	137
200 to 499	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	4	995	4	995	71
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	2 200	3	2 200	128
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	1 852	15	1 466	34
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	2 225	26	1 434	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	6	28	–	–	4	66	2	50	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	4	90	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	39	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	92	282	46	182	6	14	3	7	47
	1969	129	433	(NA)	(NA)	23	90	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	63	612
	1969	105	998
Other hogs and pigs	1974	104	3 296
	1969	152	5 898
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	101	977	67	849
	1969	213	1 535	113	1 227
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	85	497	53	429
	1969	189	820	105	653
June 1 and November 30	1974	84	480	58	420
	1969	162	715	99	574

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	170	(X)	87	(X)	70	(X)	61	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	111	(X)	(NA)	(X)	98	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	136	195 523	56	193 374	25	366 632	17	366 376
	1969	189	476 288	71	471 295	51	433 840	42	432 848
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	131	180 872	53	178 808	23	159 798	15	159 578
	1969	180	409 009	67	404 437	44	334 418	36	333 428
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	114	2 758	40	1 094	8	220	–	–
100 to 399	1974	7	950	3	550	1	100	1	100
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	7	45 639	7	45 639
10,000 to 19,999	1974	4	45 784	4	45 784	4	54 029	4	54 029
20,000 to 49,999	1974	3	61 380	3	61 380	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	47	1 318 155	36	1 317 830	45	4 669 202	44	4 669 182
	1969	53	1 205 345	43	1 204 800	58	6 039 809	58	6 039 809
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	90	6 610	73	6 603
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	105	5 838

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	53	178 808	15	159 578
	1969	67	404 437	36	333 428
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	50	137 974	10	113 210
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	40 834	5	46 368
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	10 450	3	201 806
	1969	5	62 600	6	95 300
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	11	4 116	5	4 992
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	90	1	65
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	70	1	65
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	450	452	9 165	7 350	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	16	23	275	153	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	433	438	25 040	23 535	389 032	445 115
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	49	65	113	247	105 710	331 375
Wheat (bushels)	93	100	2 428	1 093	59 070	32 672
Other small grains for grain	175	158	3 727	2 817	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	38	169	2 585	3 933	2 572	3 231
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	3	(NA)	188	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	25	(NA)	129	(NA)	22 851	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	313	278	6 090	4 462	13 346	11 019
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	102	147	1 418	1 623	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	62	69	805	1 235	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	2	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	39	(NA)	317	800	(X)	(X)

	Forms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	246	188	7 217	5 152	311 315	143 997	2	1	8	8
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	22	18	615	296	7 607	2 822	–	2	–	31
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	9	53	85	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	7	6	217	55	11 820	1 660	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	36	49	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	26	20	32	40	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture 1974	226	7 841	(X)	–	–	95	3 091	87	619	30	154
1969	172	5 342	(X)	1	6	116	3 235	114	907	34	160
Improved pasture 1974	62	2 113	(X)	–	–	22	716	20	175	7	23
1969	52	1 704	(X)	–	–	30	1 155	30	332	8	37
Corn for all purposes 1974	259	7 885	(X)	2	8	210	6 012	205	1 821	48	292
1969	200	5 533	(X)	3	39	152	4 090	151	1 311	41	278
Sorghums for all purposes 1974	8	253	(X)	–	–	7	248	7	29	2	8
1969	12	104	(X)	–	–	8	94	8	33	–	–
Wheat (bushels) 1974	78	2 363	57 466	–	–	50	1 826	46	453	12	41
1969	53	867	27 482	–	–	43	767	(NA)	203	(NA)	37
Oats (bushels) 1974	77	1 437	59 814	–	–	53	965	45	172	27	72
1969	75	1 586	67 284	–	–	64	1 299	(NA)	286	(NA)	59
Barley (bushels) 1974	18	336	13 680	–	–	15	328	15	51	5	13
1969	9	84	2 411	–	–	7	48	(NA)	12	(NA)	2
Rye (bushels) 1974	60	1 404	33 628	1	6	41	869	34	155	13	41
1969	35	614	15 742	1	4	31	542	(NA)	155	(NA)	25
Other small grains for grain 1974	12	287	(X)	–	–	7	162	4	49	3	3
Soybeans for beans (bushels) 1974	317	23 750	371 341	2	20	165	15 685	164	2 639	3	5
1969	240	20 610	394 674	–	–	150	13 944	(NA)	2 482	(NA)	14
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) 1974	13	76	69 450	–	–	6	33	6	17	–	–
1969	27	204	286 408	–	–	14	129	(NA)	42	(NA)	2
Hay crops (tons, dry) 1974	184	5 005	11 570	–	–	80	2 277	69	600	42	252
1969	143	3 413	9 321	–	–	77	1 859	72	589	37	289
Field seed crops 1974	4	90	(X)	–	–	3	80	2	20	1	6
1969	5	84	(X)	–	–	4	82	4	28	–	–
Cotton (bales) 1974	29	2 549	2 546	–	–	27	2 537	26	982	6	138
1969	89	3 331	2 786	1	50	84	3 282	(NA)	1 240	(NA)	232
Tobacco (pounds) 1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) 1974	7	1	63	–	–	2	(Z)	2	1	–	–
1969	4	(Z)	37	–	–	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale 1974	67	1 335	(X)	16	696	55	1 174	54	659	2	90
1969	92	1 433	(X)	15	556	68	1 226	68	602	4	8
Land in orchards 1974	41	738	(X)	1	3	25	514	25	203	–	–
1969	42	1 139	(X)	1	10	39	1 083	39	603	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	1	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	10	18	(X)	8	18	8	18	8	6	2	(Z)
1969	10	48	(X)	3	17	7	48	6	11	1	(Z)
Other crops 1974	25	276	(X)	1	45	16	230	18	143	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	406	397
$1,000	1 759	887
Commercial fertilizer—farms	391	346
acres on which used	36 821	33 276
tons	9 951	10 164
$1,000	1 378	704
Lime—farms	97	108
acres on which used	9 326	5 383
tons	8 841	5 155
$1,000	104	33
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	7	7
acres on which used	166	56
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	75	151
acres on which used	9 649	9 430
$1,000	109	87
Nematodes in crops—farms	7	2
acres on which used	916	58
$1,000	9	1

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	14	24
acres on which used	360	816
$1,000	10	10
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	75	97
acres on which used	9 794	7 599
$1,000	89	39
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	15	6
acres on which used	572	190
$1,000	2	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	2	(NA)
acres on which used	102	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	14	38
acres on which used	2 291	1 892
$1,000	23	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	25	50
$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	38	(NA)
$1,000	30	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	22	22
Proportion of farms—percent	4.5	5.1
Total land irrigated—acres	776	754
Average per farm—acres	35.3	34.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	22	22
acres	776	754
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	22	21
acres	776	729
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	6
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	19
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	325	341
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.4	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	31	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	6	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	19	(NA)
acres	770	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	3 099	4 810
Cropland—acres	1 810	2 701
Harvested cropland—acres	1 313	2 106
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	27	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	17	15
Proportion of farms—percent	3.4	3.4
Land in farms with drainage—acres	2 133	3 409
Land drained—acres	421	250
Average per farm—acres	24.8	16.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	102	(NA)
number	207	(NA)
acres	529	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	132	97	74
$1,000	4 936	3 610	1 326
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	29	17	28
$5,000 to $9,999	22	17	15
$10,000 to $29,999	47	37	23
$30,000 to $49,999	16	11	2
$50,000 and over	18	15	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	55	71	187	179	615	
25 to 149 days	49	204	216	1 054	126	565
Less than 25 days	85		605		57	
Total contract labor	16	21	(NA)	(NA)	19	14
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	38	(NA)	14	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	156	55	49	85
Cash wages paid—$1,000	798	615	126	57
Number of workers	1 008	187	216	605
Farms with—				
1 worker	51	26	17	24
2 workers	20	9	13	12
3 or 4 workers	32	12	10	17
5 to 9 workers	29	5	4	14
10 workers and over	24	3	5	18

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	108	190	31	39
Land in farms — acres	28 539	38 200	18 521	20 502
Average size of farm — acres	264	201	597	526
Approximate land area — acres	230 080	230 080	230 080	230 080
Proportion in farms — percent	12.4	16.6	8.0	8.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	10 339	7 686	6 556	4 211
Average per farm — dollars	95 731	40 454	211 474	107 969
Average per acre — dollars	362	201	354	205
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	1	11	–	–
10 to 49 acres	17	53	2	6
50 to 69 acres	15	17	–	–
70 to 99 acres	11	22	1	4
100 to 139 acres	23	22	4	2
140 to 179 acres	4	11	–	1
180 to 219 acres	6	8	4	3
220 to 259 acres	4	9	–	2
260 to 499 acres	10	20	4	7
500 to 999 acres	10	9	10	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres	6	7	5	6
2,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	99	174	30	34
acres	10 431	10 807	6 047	6 083
Harvested cropland — farms	56	115	25	29
acres	2 271	2 535	1 862	1 539
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	16	53	2	
10 to 19 acres	14	32	4	19
20 to 29 acres	10	13	4	
30 to 49 acres	4	4	4	
50 to 99 acres	4	7	4	4
100 to 199 acres	6	4	5	4
200 to 499 acres	2	2	2	2
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	84	128	23	28
acres	6 732	6 833	3 868	3 976
Other cropland (see text) — farms	24	55	6	(NA)
acres	1 428	1 439	317	568
Total woodland — farms	92	137	27	35
acres	14 555	18 628	10 274	10 747
Other land (see text) — farms	83	144	20	(NA)
acres	3 553	8 765	2 200	3 672
Irrigated land — farms	–	–	–	–
acres	–	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	6	(NA)
acres	317	568
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	1	9
acres	40	194
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	2
acres	–	125
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	2	3
acres	69	48
Cropland idle — farms	6	9
acres	208	201
Total woodland — farms	27	35
acres	10 274	10 747
Woodland pastured — farms	19	30
acres	4 366	5 160
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	14	25
acres	5 908	5 587
Other land — farms	20	(NA)
acres	2 200	3 672
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	9	17
acres	1 856	3 041
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	9	14
acres	702	1 977
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	3	8
acres	1 154	1 064
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	19	27
acres	344	631

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	108	190	31	39
Land in farms — acres	28 539	38 200	18 521	20 502
Harvested cropland — acres	2 271	2 535	1 862	1 539
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	82	133	17	26
Land in farms — acres	15 508	25 653	6 746	11 400
Harvested cropland — acres	1 104	1 304	818	612
Part owners — number	26	29	14	11
Land in farms — acres	13 031	11 841	11 775	9 062
Harvested cropland — acres	1 167	1 001	1 044	927
Tenants — number	–	28	–	2
Land in farms — acres	–	706	–	40
Harvested cropland — acres	–	230	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	14.7	–	5.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	15	70	–	7
Land in farms — acres	615	5 607	–	1 470
Harvested cropland — acres	58	555	–	101
Full owners — number	14	39	–	5
Land in farms — acres	554	4 373	–	1 256
Harvested cropland — acres	38	244	–	45
Part owners — number	1	6	–	2
Land in farms — acres	61	573	–	214
Harvested cropland — acres	20	86	–	56
Tenants — number	–	25	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	661	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	225	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	35.7	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	29	35
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 861	18 023

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization – Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	570	2 408
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	90	71
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	–	2	–
25 to 34 years	5	6	2	–
35 to 44 years	13	24	6	7
45 to 54 years	26	40	3	11
55 to 64 years	26	44	6	11
65 years and over	33	76	11	10
Average age	57.0	59.3	57.0	56.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	54	123	22	27
On another farm	4		–	
In a rural area, not on a farm	2	33	–	6
In a city, town, or urban area	8		1	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	15	(NA)	6	(NA)
1 to 49 days	5	23	4	1
50 to 99 days	2	13	–	1
100 to 149 days	7	18	1	2
150 to 199 days	19		4	
200 days and over	51	67	8	17
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	21	(NA)	13	(NA)
Other	85	(NA)	17	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	3	4	3	4
$40,000 to $99,999	1		–	
$20,000 to $39,999	3	4	3	4
$10,000 to $19,999	7	7	7	7
$5,000 to $9,999	10	10	10	10
$2,500 to $4,999	8	15	8	14
Under $2,500 (see text)	76	150	–	–
$2,000 to $2,499	4	13	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	7	11	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	12	16	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	53	110	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	1 449	1 030	1 341	848
Average per farm (dollars)	13 413	5 423	43 249	21 754
Crops, including hay (farms)	28	73	11	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	94	85	79	58
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	–		–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	–		–	–
Forest products (farms)	13	40	7	21
Forest products ($1,000)	33	116	28	65
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	90	124	28	37
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 322	830	1 234	726
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	3	(NA)	2	2
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	(NA)	(D)	380

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	11	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	79	58
Grains (farms)	4	1
Grains ($1,000)	(D)	1
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	1	11
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	(D)	24
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	8	9
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	25	29
Other field crops (farms)	–	2
Other field crops ($1,000)	–	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	–	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	–	2
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	1
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	–	(Z)
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	28	37
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	1 234	726
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	2	2
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	(D)	380
Dairy products (farms)	–	1
Dairy products ($1,000)	–	(D)
Cattle and calves (farms)	27	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	154	(D)
Hogs and pigs (farms)	6	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	(D)	89
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	–	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	87	(NA)	15	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	35	(NA)	12	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	24	(NA)	17	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	–	6	–	3
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	–	5	–	5
Recreational services (farms)	–	–	–	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	–	–	–
Government farm programs (farms)	34	88	11	22
Government farm programs ($1,000)	19	83	12	52
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	6	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	21
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	240
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	9
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	100
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	9
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	110
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	5
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	15
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	6
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	13
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	3
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	3

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	107	190	31	39
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	1 618	947	1 457	795
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	48	116	–	11
$1,000 to $1,999	17	41	2	
$2,000 to $2,999	7	3	3	–
$3,000 to $4,999	7	8	3	7
$5,000 to $9,999	10	6	6	6
$10,000 to $19,999	11		11	8
$20,000 to $39,999	1	16	1	3
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	4
$60,000 and over	5		4	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	47	62	16	17
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	162	141	142	129
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	101	127	29	32
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	617	217	578	188
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	73	66	28	27
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	481	173	456	156
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4	6
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4	4
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	117	24
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	1	10
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	39	73	13	16
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	8	7	5	4
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	73	131	21	31
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	106	89	75	68
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	29	(NA)	14	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	19	13	16	10
Lime (farms)	(NA)	19	10	10
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	5	3	4
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	100	168	30	39
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	45	60	32	31
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	29	38
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	20	24
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	20	9
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	6	3
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	3	–
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	2	–
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	30	39
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	4	4
Hired farm labor (farms)	36	80	14	26
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	154	122	123	97
Contract labor (farms)	2	41	2	4
Contract labor ($1,000)	(D)	18	(D)	2
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	22		10	12
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	(D)		(D)	9
All other production expenses (farms)	89	112	31	39
All other production expenses ($1,000)	486	281	463	256

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	103	160	29	38
$1,000	1 000	826	416	404
Average per farm—dollars	9 710	5 163	14 361	10 623
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	39	1	16
$1,000 to $4,999	34	75	6	
$5,000 to $9,999	40	26	6	6
$10,000 to $19,999	17	12	9	10
$20,000 to $29,999	5	8	3	3
$30,000 to $49,999	4		3	3
$50,000 to $69,999	2		1	
$70,000 and over	–		–	–
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	68	100	18	24
number	92	145	29	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	28	103	10	28
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	83	117	23	34
number	115	148	46	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	35	80	23	39
Wheel tractors—farms	90	102	27	30
number	127	155	50	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	66	7	31
Crawler tractors—farms	4		3	2
number	4		3	3
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		–	–

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	1	3	1	–
number	1	3	1	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	–
Corn heads for combines—farms	–	3	–	–
number	–	3	–	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	2	–	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	–		–	1
number	–		–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	20	(NA)	13	(NA)
number	21	(NA)	14	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	6	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	30	28	18	17
number	31	30	19	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	13	5	6
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	14	(NA)	10	11
number	14	(NA)	10	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	6
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	3	(NA)	–	1
number	3	(NA)	–	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	95	(X)	29	(X)	90	(X)	28	(X)	1 234
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	95	(X)	29	(X)	84	(X)	28	(X)	377
1969	151	(X)	37	(X)	120	(X)	36	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	94	3 833	28	2 691	82	1 531	27	1 143	154
1969	143	4 032	33	2 707	114	2 296	32	1 583	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	7	8	–	–	24	64	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9—1974	12	79	1	5	22	143	3	23	3
10 to 19—1974	24	333	2	30	15	193	3	36	5
20 to 49—1974	36	1 041	11	355	10	343	10	343	44
50 to 99—1974	2	(D)	1	78	10	(D)	9	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	10	1 421	10	1 421	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	3	(D)	3	802	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	86	2 457	27	1 758	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	113	2 414	33	1 717	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	78	2 402	27	1 754	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 293	31	1 688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	12	55	3	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	26	121	4	29	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	78	2 402	27	1 754			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	8	24	1	3			
5 to 9	13	104	–	–			
10 to 19	25	331	4	53			
20 to 49	19	527	9	282			
50 to 99	5	399	5	399			
100 to 199	7	(D)	7	(D)			
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	12	55	3	4			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	11	14	3	4			
3 or 4	–	–	–	–			
5 to 9	–	–	–	–			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	1	41	–	–			
50 to 99	–	–	–	–			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					24	431	74
Farms with—							
1 to 4					7	20	4
5 to 9					3	15	2
10 to 19					4	49	7
20 to 49					9	257	50
50 to 99					1	90	11
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					22	712	80
Farms with—							
1 or 2					–	–	–
3 or 4					1	3	(Z)
5 to 9					3	17	2
10 to 19					1	14	2
20 to 49					13	406	52
50 to 99					3	(D)	13
100 to 199					1	(D)	11
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	19	375
	1969	28	508
Beef heifers	1974	19	375
Milk heifers	1974	–	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	25	558
	1969	29	482

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	6	177	37
	1969	1	52	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	–	–	–
10 to 19	1974	–	–	–
20 to 49	1974	6	177	37
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	17	2 364	6	2 338	8	3 760	6	3 748	(D)
	1969	43	1 291	9	1 069	14	2 536	6	2 371	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	12	19	2	4	1	3	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	1	5	1	5	2	12	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	1	11	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 49	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	2	116	2	116	8
100 to 199	1974	1	100	1	100	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	1 351	4	1 326	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	19	62	7	18	2	10	–	–	–
	1969	31	71	(NA)	(NA)	3	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	3	305
	1969	6	271
Other hogs and pigs	1974	6	2 033
	1969	8	798
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	3	621	3	621
	1969	18	298	6	268
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	10	111	4	98
June 1 and November 30	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	17	187	5	170

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	19	(X)	2	(X)	3	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	19	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	44	(D)	6	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	17	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	41	41 216	6	40 627	3	27 311	3	27 311
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	15	195	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	1	720	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	5	41	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	6	40 627	3	27 311
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	20	43	207	266	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	5	–	108	–	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	4	2	4	3 857	(D)
Wheat (bushels)	3	1	45	1	1 350	12
Other small grains for grain	8	14	76	107	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	54	200	527	(D)	384
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	56	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	5	(NA)	640	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	45	62	1 631	1 525	2 532	2 881
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	9	7	19	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	2	11	11	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	–	(NA)	–	59	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	7	8	103	55	7 000	2 420	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	1	16	35	186	420	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	1	25	4	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	3	–	70	–	2 936	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	38	–	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	2	–	8	–	24	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	23	3 868	(X)	–	–	10	1 009	7	111	3	65
	1969	28	3 976	(X)	–	–	19	2 383	19	557	–	–
Improved pasture	1974	9	702	(X)	–	–	5	405	5	96	–	–
	1969	14	1 977	(X)	–	–	6	893	5	119	1	50
Corn for all purposes	1974	9	144	(X)	–	–	9	144	9	37	2	9
	1969	9	94	(X)	–	–	6	65	6	23	–	–
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	108	(X)	–	–	5	108	5	41	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	40	1 200	–	–	2	40	2	12	–	–
	1969	1	1	12	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	2	43	1 350	–	–	2	43	1	6	1	3
	1969	1	2	50	–	–	1	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	3	75	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	6	202	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	2	4	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	(D)	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	23	1 337	1 953	–	–	8	648	7	130	2	29
	1969	20	1 088	2 247	–	–	7	336	7	94	2	8
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	45	(X)	–	–	2	45	2	9	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	200	(D)	–	–	1	200	–	–	1	107
	1969	11	277	227	–	–	11	325	(NA)	141	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	2	360	–	–	2	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	4	(X)	–	–	2	4	2	1	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	10	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Irrigated land: Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops	1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	23	33
	$1,000	91	78
Commercial fertilizer	farms	21	28
	acres on which used	2 597	4 063
	tons	647	1 006
	$1,000	75	68
Lime	farms	10	10
	acres on which used	268	507
	tons	268	500
	$1,000	3	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–
Insects on other crops	farms	1	4
	acres on which used	200	144
	$1,000	7	3
Nematodes in crops	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	–	–
	acres on which used	–	–
	$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	2	5
	acres on which used	285	224
	$1,000	3	3
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	1	2
	acres on which used	15	100
	$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land	farms	2	(NA)
	acres on which used	13	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	1	–
	acres on which used	200	–
	$1,000	1	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	5	11
	$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	1	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	–	–
Proportion of farms	percent	–	–
Total land irrigated	acres	–	–
Average per farm	acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	–	–
Cropland	acres	–	–
Harvested cropland	acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	–	2
Proportion of farms	percent	–	5.1
Land in farms with drainage	acres	–	(D)
Land drained	acres	–	57
Average per farm	acres	–	28.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	14	(NA)
	number	71	(NA)
	acres	108	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	16	13	7
	$1,000	1 091	766	325
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		1	–	1
$5,000 to $9,999		–	1	1
$10,000 to $29,999		3	1	2
$30,000 to $49,999		3	3	–
$50,000 and over		9	8	3

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	10	13	30	31	110	97
25 to 149 days	6	24	8	129	7	
Less than 25 days	11		33		6	
Total contract labor	2	4	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	2
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	20	(NA)	4	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	14	10	6	11
Cash wages paid $1,000	123	110	7	6
Number of workers	71	30	8	33
Farms with—				
1 worker	3	4	4	4
2 workers	3	4	2	3
3 or 4 workers	3	1	–	2
5 to 9 workers	3	–	–	2
10 workers and over	2	1	–	–

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	624	868	515	617
Land in farms — acres	115 990	117 774	111 196	105 463
Average size of farm — acres	186	136	216	171
Approximate land area — acres	311 936	311 936	311 936	311 936
Proportion in farms — percent	37.2	37.8	35.6	33.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	73 012	44 782	70 522	39 313
Average per farm — dollars	117 007	51 591	136 936	63 716
Average per acre — dollars	629	380	634	373
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	55	98	28	27
10 to 49 acres	175	319	121	207
50 to 69 acres	86	85	81	68
70 to 99 acres	67	83	55	67
100 to 139 acres	70	75	65	59
140 to 179 acres	17	37	15	32
180 to 219 acres	31	28	28	23
220 to 259 acres	12	18	12	15
260 to 499 acres	56	76	56	72
500 to 999 acres	36	38	35	36
1,000 to 1,999 acres	12	7	12	7
2,000 acres and over	7	4	7	4

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	138	(NA)
acres	5 639	12 992
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	27	43
acres	495	1 338
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	15	57
acres	318	1 107
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	11	28
acres	1 034	989
Cropland idle — farms	94	264
acres	3 792	9 558
Total woodland — farms	313	350
acres	43 569	40 950
Woodland pastured — farms	103	105
acres	9 328	5 883

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	612	837	512	614
acres	60 580	63 425	58 835	58 978
Harvested cropland — farms	596	809	512	612
acres	50 868	43 919	50 039	41 941
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	112	210	61	419
10 to 19 acres	93	167	72	
20 to 29 acres	70	109	60	
30 to 49 acres	94	126	92	
50 to 99 acres	107	102	107	98
100 to 199 acres	61	52	61	52
200 to 499 acres	42	34	42	34
500 to 999 acres	12	7	12	7
1,000 acres and over	5	2	5	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	155	219	135	163
acres	3 793	4 680	3 157	4 045
Other cropland (see text) — farms	159	406	138	(NA)
acres	5 919	14 826	5 639	12 992
Total woodland — farms	358	486	313	350
acres	45 718	47 419	43 569	40 950
Other land (see text) — farms	416	516	342	(NA)
acres	9 692	6 930	8 792	5 535
Irrigated land — farms	24	79	24	76
acres	619	1 369	619	1 356

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	266	300
acres	34 241	35 067
Other land — farms	342	(NA)
acres	8 792	5 535
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	33	48
acres	1 894	1 745
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	16	27
acres	1 399	776
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	17	24
acres	495	969
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	333	346
acres	6 898	3 790

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	624	868	515	617
Land in farms — acres	115 990	117 774	111 196	105 463
Harvested cropland — acres	50 868	43 919	50 039	41 941
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	304	383	228	202
Land in farms — acres	37 229	41 853	33 204	32 620
Harvested cropland — acres	12 453	9 442	11 851	8 056
Part owners — number	197	236	176	204
Land in farms — acres	57 239	58 644	56 595	56 203
Harvested cropland — acres	28 258	21 654	28 074	21 291
Tenants — number	123	249	111	211
Land in farms — acres	21 522	17 277	21 397	16 640
Harvested cropland — acres	10 157	12 823	10 114	12 594
Percent of tenancy	19.7	28.6	21.6	34.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	134	266	97	148
Land in farms — acres	7 179	10 601	5 988	7 501
Harvested cropland — acres	2 836	3 847	2 558	3 206
Full owners — number	70	119	43	39
Land in farms — acres	3 520	5 173	2 455	2 983
Harvested cropland — acres	1 189	1 197	954	834
Part owners — number	42	65	37	44
Land in farms — acres	2 982	3 580	2 921	2 824
Harvested cropland — acres	1 284	1 202	1 252	990
Tenants — number	22	82	17	65
Land in farms — acres	677	1 848	612	1 694
Harvested cropland — acres	363	1 448	352	1 382
Percent of tenancy	16.4	30.8	17.5	43.9
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	460	522
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	97 561	80 080

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	47	75
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	12 184	18 350
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	15
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 201	6 764
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
acres	(NA)	(NA)	250	269
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	11	14	8	8
25 to 34 years	47	94	37	56
35 to 44 years	113	169	78	136
45 to 54 years	140	225	120	178
55 to 64 years	176	264	154	192
65 years and over	129	102	110	47
Average age	53.2	50.4	54.1	49.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	348	589	281	432
On another farm	38	185	32	123
In a rural area, not on a farm	25		23	
In a city, town, or urban area	46		42	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	277	(NA)	245	(NA)
1 to 49 days	26	61	20	48
50 to 99 days	17	61	11	39
100 to 149 days	18	88	13	44
150 to 199 days	22		11	
200 days and over	103	168	64	99
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	462	(NA)	410	(NA)
Other	154	(NA)	97	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	48	62	48	62
$40,000 to $99,999	91		91	
$20,000 to $39,999	71	88	71	88
$10,000 to $19,999	142	143	142	143
$5,000 to $9,999	101	172	101	172
$2,500 to $4,999	62	140	62	140
Under $2,500 (see text)	109	263	–	12
$2,000 to $2,499	17	45	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	34	34	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	16	44	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	42	140	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	20 964	10 798	20 823	10 553
Average per farm ... dollars	33 596	12 440	40 434	17 103
Crops, including hay ... farms	575	797	506	(NA)
$1,000	19 390	9 635	19 288	9 431
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	5
$1,000	(D)		(D)	8
Forest products ... farms	17	45	17	38
$1,000	(D)	175	(D)	172
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	238	329	192	254
$1,000	1 460	988	1 421	942
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	11	(NA)	10	20
$1,000	113	(NA)	113	85

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	506	(NA)
$1,000	19 288	9 431
Grains ... farms	439	479
$1,000	5 206	1 455
Tobacco ... farms	400	558
$1,000	13 439	7 463
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	36	153
$1,000	498	357
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	21	29
$1,000	38	27
Other field crops ... farms	16	30
$1,000	74	84
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	17	10
$1,000	22	32
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	5	10
$1,000	10	13
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	192	254
$1,000	1 421	942
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	10	20
$1,000	113	85
Dairy products ... farms	–	3
$1,000	–	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	67	(NA)
$1,000	282	436
Hogs and pigs ... farms	153	(NA)
$1,000	1 021	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	4	
$1,000	2	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	4	
$1,000	3	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ...	112	(NA)	45	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	140	(NA)	108	(NA)
$1,000	529	(NA)	478	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	36	60	32	48
$1,000	84	69	75	62
Recreational services ... farms	2	7	2	5
$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	22	351	20	271
$1,000	36	611	34	576
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	95	(NA)	68	(NA)
$1,000	362	(NA)	322	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
$1,000	47	(NA)	47	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	52	(NA)	41	(NA)
$1,000	172	(NA)	165	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	212
$1,000	1 858
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	42
$1,000	643
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	143
$1,000	931
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	42
$1,000	90
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	37
$1,000	95
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	19
$1,000	99

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	623	868	515	617
$1,000	13 500	7 681	13 357	7 327
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	65	136	8	81
$1,000 to $1,999	63	146	29	
$2,000 to $2,999	49	97	40	72
$3,000 to $4,999	88	135	82	119
$5,000 to $9,999	115	162	113	153
$10,000 to $19,999	104	192	104	109
$20,000 to $39,999	65		65	49
$40,000 to $59,999	25		25	34
$60,000 and over	49		49	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	133	161	107	115
$1,000	250	286	237	278
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	245	329	176	234
$1,000	517	339	490	322
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	220	258	164	191
$1,000	371	260	361	249
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	59
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	39
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	51
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	32
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	12	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	9	3
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	67	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	383	730	346	566
$1,000	332	162	328	150
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	566	818	484	607
$1,000	2 437	1 208	2 409	1 162
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	341	(NA)	320	(NA)
$1,000	740	483	738	470
Lime ... farms	(NA)	111	73	91
$1,000	(NA)	61	67	59
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	605	845	506	616
$1,000	1 249	903	1 227	856
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	475	588
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	415	326
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	322	141
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	349	102
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	113	245
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	140
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	506	616
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	302	287
Hired farm labor ... farms	329	674	295	541
$1,000	1 978	1 383	1 970	1 321
Contract labor ... farms	20	486	20	26
$1,000	43	245	43	50
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	288		258	361
$1,000	337		330	177
All other production expenses ... farms	596	804	515	614
$1,000	5 617	2 670	5 534	2 542

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	573	816	472	594
$1,000	10 473	5 721	9 820	5 031
Average per farm—dollars	18 277	7 011	20 805	8 469
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	17	76	14	330
$1,000 to $4,999	102	437	69	
$5,000 to $9,999	139	141	87	119
$10,000 to $19,999	130	86	119	72
$20,000 to $29,999	94	76	92	46
$30,000 to $49,999	50		50	12
$50,000 to $69,999	21		21	15
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	471	578	381	420
number	617	738	518	540
mfd in last 5 years, number	344	484	317	373
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	488	555	412	454
number	707	691	629	588
mfd in last 5 years, number	341	401	325	350
Wheel tractors—farms	486	642	418	505
number	1 012	1 145	939	973
mfd in last 5 years, number	370	483	361	441
Crawler tractors—farms	4		2	11
number	8		4	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	76	67	76	62
number	86	77	86	72
mfd in last 5 years, number	42	52	42	50
Corn heads for combines—farms	48	60	48	45
number	50	75	50	51
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	49	19	37
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	32		31	19
number	33		32	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	11
Mower conditioners—farms	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
number	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	43	39	38	36
number	44	42	39	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	11	20	11	19
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	10	(NA)	8	20
number	10	(NA)	8	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	1	(NA)	1	5
number	1	(NA)	1	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	(NA)	–	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	294	(X)	229	(X)	238	(X)	192	(X)	1 421
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	256	(X)	202	(X)	230	(X)	187	(X)	1 305
1969	381	(X)	286	(X)	319	(X)	246	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	123	3 161	102	2 885	83	1 126	67	1 034	282
1969	144	2 964	109	2 689	101	2 440	79	2 362	436
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	29	69	24	52	25	69	17	45	11
5 to 9—1974	19	130	18	124	28	205	22	157	36
10 to 19—1974	28	383	18	243	15	199	13	179	24
20 to 49—1974	31	859	26	746	9	260	9	260	65
50 to 99—1974	9	603	9	603	6	393	6	393	146
100 to 199—1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	112	1 931	95	1 732	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	132	1 512	104	1 373	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	99	1 864	84	1 673	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 369	75	1 241	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	26	67	21	59	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	49	143	41	132	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	–	(X)	–
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	(D)

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	99	1 864	84	1 673	Cattle sold		50	546	222
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	24	54	21	48	1 to 4		20	52	13
5 to 9	16	96	15	90	5 to 9		17	115	29
10 to 19	33	467	23	313	10 to 19		6	80	17
20 to 49	15	374	14	349	20 to 49		4	109	44
50 to 99	8	498	8	498	50 to 99		3	190	120
100 to 199	3	375	3	375	100 to 199		–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499		–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over		–	–	–
Milk cows	26	67	21	59	Calves sold		37	488	60
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	19	26	14	18	1 or 2		7	12	3
3 or 4	3	9	3	9	3 or 4		4	14	2
5 to 9	4	32	4	32	5 to 9		8	50	8
10 to 19	–	–	–	–	10 to 19		11	147	15
20 to 49	–	–	–	–	20 to 49		4	101	13
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99		3	164	19
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	100 to 199		–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499		–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over		–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	63	589
	1969	67	626
Beef heifers	1974	61	585
Milk heifers	1974	3	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	62	564
	1969	72	690

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	200	73
	1969	6	1 023	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	8	28	6
10 to 19	1974	4	63	18
20 to 49	1974	2	59	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	50	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	203	12 003	157	11 493	186	17 383	153	16 977	1 021
	1969	317	8 583	240	7 695	265	10 659	205	9 607	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	30	79	18	53	22	66	16	46	3
5 to 9	1974	34	221	22	139	21	152	11	73	5
10 to 24	1974	64	942	48	716	50	850	34	571	32
25 to 49	1974	36	1 315	30	1 139	40	1 345	39	1 317	81
50 to 99	1974	26	1 803	26	1 803	22	1 538	22	1 538	117
100 to 199	1974	4	462	4	462	15	1 738	15	1 738	113
200 to 499	1974	8	(D)	8	(D)	13	3 984	13	3 984	290
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	7 710	3	7 710	380
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	906	22	826	20
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	65	2 141	47	1 807	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	4	112	4	112	4	56	4	56	(NA)
	1969	2	10	2	10	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	56	[1]344
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	34	(NA)	(NA)	2	16	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	39	82	29	56	1	2	1	2	1
	1969	85	187	(NA)	(NA)	11	66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	121	1 502
	1969	180	1 023
Other hogs and pigs	1974	151	9 991
	1969	221	6 672
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	4	40
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	4	64
Rams and wethers	1974	4	8

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	156	2 878	130	2 808
	1969	242	1 458	188	1 287
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	137	1 496	116	1 452
	1969	216	755	173	671
June 1 and November 30	1974	115	1 382	100	1 356
	1969	180	703	140	616

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	125	(X)	94	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	105	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	123	15 085	92	14 535	3	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	164	26 726	103	25 443	4	(D)	4	11 370
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	117	14 764	90	14 283	3	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	158	26 298	100	25 190	4	(D)	4	11 370
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	113	2 374	86	1 893	2	8	2	8
100 to 399	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	6	150	6	150	–	–	–	–
	1969	9	147	4	113	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	113	10	113
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	20	85

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	90	14 283	3	(D)
	1969	100	25 190	4	11 370
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	89	14 137	3	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	146	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	116	–	–
	1969	7	86	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	40	136	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	6	62	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	28	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	25	–	–
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	5	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	384	625	11 568	13 930	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	6	8	69	24	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	418	416	27 980	16 813	607 396	413 107
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	–	2	–	500	–
Wheat (bushels)	37	17	1 300	176	28 551	5 868
Other small grains for grain	39	71	564	933	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	38	230	2 784	4 758	2 160	3 786
Tobacco (pounds)	429	657	6 915	6 071	13 777 499	11 772 941
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 174	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	36	(NA)	77	(NA)	16 204	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	71	110	1 047	1 283	2 463	2 111
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	24	47	361	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	22	57	228	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	76	118	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	328	478	11 132	12 793	855 224	764 423	5	2	350	45
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	11	2	132	40	1 863	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	7	17	67	164	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	5	–	49	–	4 310	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	20	5	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	6	56	49	104	99	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	135	3 157	(X)	–	–	36	1 072	34	216	7	61
	1969	163	4 045	(X)	2	3	44	1 150	39	338	13	107
Improved pasture	1974	16	1 399	(X)	–	–	7	91	7	35	2	10
	1969	27	776	(X)	–	–	13	183	12	50	4	7
Corn for all purposes	1974	331	11 201	(X)	5	350	250	9 358	246	2 633	97	541
	1969	483	13 089	(X)	2	45	358	10 574	350	3 158	95	617
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	69	(X)	–	–	2	24	2	2	1	1
	1969	1	5	(X)	–	–	1	5	1	2	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	37	1 300	28 551	–	–	28	1 244	25	209	12	84
	1969	14	157	5 508	1	1	13	152	(NA)	23	(NA)	28
Oats (bushels)	1974	31	375	17 948	–	–	21	340	14	57	12	33
	1969	46	605	32 806	–	–	36	523	(NA)	126	(NA)	45
Barley (bushels)	1974	3	62	2 640	–	–	3	62	3	12	–	–
	1969	8	210	8 990	–	–	5	28	(NA)	6	(NA)	2
Rye (bushels)	1974	6	81	2 470	–	–	6	81	6	20	1	4
	1969	6	68	2 190	–	–	3	21	(NA)	4	(NA)	2
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	30	(X)	–	–	1	30	1	6	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	389	27 679	602 329	–	–	245	20 311	241	3 761	4	30
	1969	349	16 229	399 655	1	3	229	12 485	(NA)	2 147	(NA)	33
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	66	994	2 418	–	–	24	463	21	127	11	44
	1969	85	1 194	2 011	1	25	27	434	24	152	10	47
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	20	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	38	2 784	2 160	–	–	32	2 746	32	876	7	27
	1969	182	4 557	3 654	2	10	166	4 276	(NA)	1 703	(NA)	164
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	400	6 871	13 728 563	17	259	400	6 870	400	6 939	16	77
	1969	558	5 956	11 604 320	74	1 237	558	5 946	(NA)	6 284	(NA)	7
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	12	9	1 001	–	–	5	7	5	11	–	–
	1969	19	10	674	1	(Z)	9	8	(NA)	10	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	22	43	(X)	2	6	12	33	12	24	–	–
	1969	9	343	(X)	–	–	6	318	6	184	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	7	53	(X)	–	–	2	12	2	4	–	–
	1969	14	223	(X)	–	–	9	215	9	66	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	4	(X)	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	5	3	(X)	1	3	1	3	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	26	98	(X)	–	–	20	90	22	64	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	486	611
$1,000	3 148	1 632
Commercial fertilizer—farms	484	604
acres on which used	42 891	36 699
tons	15 913	15 551
$1,000	2 409	1 162
Lime—farms	73	91
acres on which used	5 748	8 275
tons	5 328	5 886
$1,000	67	59
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	7	2
acres on which used	109	19
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	235	477
acres on which used	19 985	19 326
$1,000	361	271
Nematodes in crops—farms	82	178
acres on which used	3 121	2 477
$1,000	55	47
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	6	18
acres on which used	2 563	346
$1,000	26	3
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	131	156
acres on which used	18 839	9 281
$1,000	199	59
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	1	5
acres on which used	15	51
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	8	(NA)
acres on which used	126	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	17	97
acres on which used	855	3 497
$1,000	11	25
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	13	38
$1,000	3	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	67	(NA)
$1,000	15	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	24	76
Proportion of farms—percent	4.7	12.3
Total land irrigated—acres	619	1 356
Average per farm—acres	25.8	17.8
Cropland irrigated—farms	24	76
acres	619	1 356
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	24	75
acres	619	1 353
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	2
acres	–	3
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	243	679
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.4	0.5
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	10	(NA)
acres	88	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	13	(NA)
acres	281	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	8 947	22 102
Cropland—acres	6 165	13 095
Harvested cropland—acres	5 719	9 884
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	21	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	751	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	93	232
Proportion of farms—percent	18.1	37.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	29 950	52 149
Land drained—acres	12 688	26 238
Average per farm—acres	136.4	113.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	136	(NA)
number	400	(NA)
acres	380	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	151	115	71
$1,000	6 961	4 752	2 209
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	47	34	30
$5,000 to $9,999	24	26	9
$10,000 to $29,999	37	22	16
$30,000 to $49,999	15	13	7
$50,000 and over	28	20	9

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	65	94	212	182	750	
25 to 149 days	113	528	1 156	7 122	698	1 321
Less than 25 days	217		3 822		522	
Total contract labor	20	26	(NA)	(NA)	43	50
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	77	(NA)	28	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	295	65	113	217
Cash wages paid—$1,000	1 970	750	698	522
Number of workers	5 190	212	1 156	3 822
Farms with—				
1 worker	29	24	18	20
2 workers	17	17	12	10
3 or 4 workers	22	10	11	20
5 to 9 workers	34	11	23	27
10 workers and over	193	3	49	140

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	320	429	244	254
Land in farms — acres	152 965	165 742	148 585	156 568
Average size of farm — acres	478	386	609	616
Approximate land area — acres	309 120	309 120	309 120	309 120
Proportion in farms — percent	49.5	53.6	48.1	50.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	54 628	40 138	52 637	37 899
Average per farm — dollars	170 712	93 562	215 727	149 207
Average per acre — dollars	357	242	354	242
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	12	28	7	5
10 to 49 acres	66	110	30	26
50 to 69 acres	33	42	20	12
70 to 99 acres	26	27	13	15
100 to 139 acres	32	27	26	11
140 to 179 acres	12	21	10	17
180 to 219 acres	9	18	9	15
220 to 259 acres	5	16	5	16
260 to 499 acres	42	46	42	43
500 to 999 acres	36	48	35	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres	32	24	32	24
2,000 acres and over	15	22	15	22

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	71	(NA)
acres	4 235	13 507
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	9	26
acres	694	2 309
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	12	29
acres	318	996
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	9	18
acres	343	1 904
Cropland idle — farms	60	113
acres	2 880	8 298
Total woodland — farms	134	186
acres	40 730	40 787
Woodland pastured — farms	36	61
acres	8 429	9 796

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	311	418	242	249
acres	102 059	110 641	100 019	105 899
Harvested cropland — farms	301	394	238	249
acres	89 348	85 937	88 623	83 893
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	46	72	17	64
10 to 19 acres	34	59	13	
20 to 29 acres	28	32	15	
30 to 49 acres	27	44	27	
50 to 99 acres	35	44	35	42
100 to 199 acres	26	34	26	34
200 to 499 acres	48	54	48	54
500 to 999 acres	33	35	33	35
1,000 acres and over	24	20	24	20
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	105	132	78	85
acres	7 885	9 335	7 161	8 499
Other cropland (see text) — farms	92	235	71	(NA)
acres	4 826	15 369	4 235	13 507
Total woodland — farms	171	280	134	186
acres	42 066	44 094	40 730	40 787
Other land (see text) — farms	186	271	140	(NA)
acres	8 840	11 007	7 836	9 882
Irrigated land — farms	3	4	3	4
acres	605	24	605	24

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	118	149
acres	32 301	30 991
Other land — farms	140	(NA)
acres	7 836	9 882
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	37	25
acres	4 891	3 494
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	20	10
acres	3 184	2 366
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	16
acres	1 707	1 128
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	134	157
acres	2 945	6 388

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	320	429	244	254
Land in farms — acres	152 965	165 742	148 585	156 568
Harvested cropland — acres	89 348	85 937	88 623	83 893
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	143	186	88	69
Land in farms — acres	33 931	25 917	30 966	18 935
Harvested cropland — acres	14 513	7 398	14 066	6 253
Part owners — number	116	164	108	141
Land in farms — acres	104 350	121 376	103 225	120 069
Harvested cropland — acres	63 760	67 354	63 659	66 894
Tenants — number	61	79	48	44
Land in farms — acres	14 684	18 449	14 394	17 564
Harvested cropland — acres	11 075	11 185	10 898	10 746
Percent of tenancy	19.1	18.4	19.7	17.3
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	51	102	23	23
Land in farms — acres	3 620	6 606	2 345	3 583
Harvested cropland — acres	2 208	3 888	1 896	2 978
Full owners — number	27	54	13	5
Land in farms — acres	1 033	2 498	372	588
Harvested cropland — acres	341	820	243	323
Part owners — number	10	16	5	6
Land in farms — acres	2 227	3 339	1 854	2 721
Harvested cropland — acres	1 619	2 558	1 534	2 395
Tenants — number	14	32	5	12
Land in farms — acres	360	769	119	274
Harvested cropland — acres	248	510	119	260
Percent of tenancy	27.5	31.3	21.7	52.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	217	220
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	120 906	131 372

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	17	28
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	17 430	21 486
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	4
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	9 572	3 213
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
acres	(NA)	(NA)	677	497
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	7	5	3
25 to 34 years	25	30	23	15
35 to 44 years	41	76	28	54
45 to 54 years	72	124	59	72
55 to 64 years	94	130	61	80
65 years and over	73	62	58	30
Average age	54.3	51.9	53.5	51.4
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	186	262	136	158
On another farm	16	119	14	79
In a rural area, not on a farm	7		5	
In a city, town, or urban area	41		33	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	132	(NA)	114	(NA)
1 to 49 days	16	20	9	16
50 to 99 days	14	12	10	9
100 to 149 days	3	35	1	18
150 to 199 days	11		9	
200 days and over	73	134	43	55
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	230	(NA)	193	(NA)
Other	80	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	61	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	52	50	52	50
$40,000 to $99,999	49		49	
$20,000 to $39,999	25	33	25	33
$10,000 to $19,999	42	49	42	49
$5,000 to $9,999	32	52	32	52
$2,500 to $4,999	38	59	38	59
Under $2,500 (see text)	82	186	6	11
$2,000 to $2,499	17	23	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	22	27	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	16	35	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	27	101	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	19 979	7 597	19 881	7 438
Average per farm ... dollars	62 435	17 708	81 481	29 283
Crops, including hay ... farms	286	367	228	(NA)
$1,000	18 231	5 626	18 154	5 469
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		4	3
$1,000	24		24	48
Forest products ... farms	16	36	12	32
$1,000	46	147	45	145
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	128	162	97	113
$1,000	1 679	1 825	1 659	1 777
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	8	(NA)	3	11
$1,000	695	(NA)	694	575

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	228	(NA)
$1,000	18 154	5 469
Grains ... farms	200	202
$1,000	5 316	2 107
Tobacco ... farms	77	116
$1,000	2 639	939
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	162	185
$1,000	9 971	2 217
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	20	18
$1,000	111	71
Other field crops ... farms	6	6
$1,000	60	24
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	17	25
$1,000	57	105
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	3
$1,000	1	6
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	97	113
$1,000	1 659	1 777
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	3	11
$1,000	694	575
Dairy products ... farms	5	8
$1,000	170	251
Cattle and calves ... farms	70	(NA)
$1,000	541	707
Hogs and pigs ... farms	42	(NA)
$1,000	239	244
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	3	
$1,000	14	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	90	(NA)	34	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	100	(NA)	70	(NA)
$1,000	278	(NA)	257	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	33	37	24	29
$1,000	74	99	66	96
Recreational services ... farms	–	2	–	1
$1,000	–	1	–	(Z)
Government farm programs ... farms	25	263	22	171
$1,000	60	2 229	58	2 161
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	62	(NA)	40	(NA)
$1,000	114	(NA)	102	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
$1,000	30	(NA)	30	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	33	(NA)	24	(NA)
$1,000	67	(NA)	57	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	118
$1,000	935
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	24
$1,000	189
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	80
$1,000	520
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	41
$1,000	148
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	21
$1,000	56
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	14
$1,000	22

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	320	429	244	254
$1,000	15 005	8 059	14 924	7 873
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	56	105	4	15
$1,000 to $1,999	19	60	7	
$2,000 to $2,999	26	39	16	22
$3,000 to $4,999	24	36	22	28
$5,000 to $9,999	47	55	47	55
$10,000 to $19,999	29		29	40
$20,000 to $39,999	38	134	38	43
$40,000 to $59,999	16		16	51
$60,000 and over	65		65	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	63	92	46	63
$1,000	351	394	342	387
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	137	165	105	98
$1,000	635	657	623	638
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	101	111	85	78
$1,000	316	326	310	314
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	227	106
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	30
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	77	212
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	8	14
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	6
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	48	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	238	337	203	224
$1,000	423	262	420	253
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	258	379	215	245
$1,000	2 892	1 271	2 881	1 245
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	191	(NA)	174	(NA)
$1,000	2 350	847	2 347	835
Lime ... farms	(NA)	76	39	64
$1,000	(NA)	56	57	55
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	309	401	239	252
$1,000	1 054	624	1 045	592
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	225	245
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	465	319
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	149	86
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	368	151
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	63
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	75	33
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	239	252
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	136	89
Hired farm labor ... farms	166	300	149	219
$1,000	1 760	1 189	1 755	1 169
Contract labor ... farms	14	206	11	16
$1,000	10	171	9	19
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	152		122	128
$1,000	311		307	138
All other production expenses ... farms	297	355	242	250
$1,000	5 219	2 644	5 164	2 597

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	289	402	219	248
$1,000	9 678	6 625	9 178	6 191
Average per farm—dollars	33 489	16 481	41 907	24 963
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	26	–	81
$1,000 to $4,999	55	194	32	
$5,000 to $9,999	58	40	33	29
$10,000 to $19,999	51	55	31	52
$20,000 to $29,999	31	87	30	23
$30,000 to $49,999	34		34	27
$50,000 to $69,999	24		24	36
$70,000 and over	35		35	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	232	306	177	193
number	321	474	257	310
mfd in last 5 years, number	191	282	170	208
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	249	279	194	203
number	519	518	459	433
mfd in last 5 years, number	238	239	227	206
Wheel tractors—farms	270	331	208	222
number	812	913	737	772
mfd in last 5 years, number	240	364	233	328
Crawler tractors—farms	9		9	5
number	12		12	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	94	104	93	99
number	117	129	116	124
mfd in last 5 years, number	48	81	48	76
Corn heads for combines—farms	37	61	37	40
number	41	85	41	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	44	17	31
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	23		23	26
number	27		27	33
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	13
Mower conditioners—farms	20	(NA)	18	(NA)
number	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	47	68	45	63
number	50	73	48	68
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	34	14	33
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	18	(NA)	18	32
number	21	(NA)	21	34
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	16
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	13	(NA)	11	21
number	17	(NA)	15	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	10

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	152	(X)	101	(X)	128	(X)	97	(X)	1 659
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	136	(X)	98	(X)	118	(X)	95	(X)	780
1969	188	(X)	111	(X)	154	(X)	107	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	94	6 202	69	5 788	91	2 292	70	2 172	541
1969	131	7 079	92	6 764	99	3 756	82	3 547	707
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	9	26	4	14	23	57	11	32	6
5 to 9—1974	9	60	6	37	16	98	11	69	14
10 to 19—1974	12	154	7	82	17	204	14	167	29
20 to 49—1974	31	942	19	635	22	636	21	607	86
50 to 99—1974	14	906	14	906	9	646	9	646	212
100 to 199—1974	11	1 457	11	1 457	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	77	3 021	59	2 770	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	117	3 379	84	3 200	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	72	2 814	55	2 565	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 928	71	2 759	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	8	207	7	205	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	31	451	22	441	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	170
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	251

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	72	2 814	55	2 565
Farms with—				
1 to 4	6	13	4	6
5 to 9	13	83	8	51
10 to 19	10	145	4	55
20 to 49	25	745	21	625
50 to 99	11	693	11	693
100 to 199	4	435	4	435
200 to 499	3	700	3	700
500 and over	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	8	207	7	205
Farms with—				
1 or 2	4	6	3	4
3 or 4	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	–	–	–	–
10 to 19	–	–	–	–
20 to 49	2	(D)	2	(D)
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 199	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	47	1 468	468
Farms with—			
1 to 4	11	30	6
5 to 9	10	72	16
10 to 19	10	113	26
20 to 49	7	220	69
50 to 99	5	382	157
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	37	704	72
Farms with—			
1 or 2	2	4	(Z)
3 or 4	3	10	1
5 to 9	6	33	3
10 to 19	11	138	14
20 to 49	12	315	33
50 to 99	3	204	21
100 to 199	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	46	1 093
	1969	77	1 867
Beef heifers	1974	41	906
Milk heifers	1974	5	187
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	53	1 925
	1969	85	1 697

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	17	527	192
	1969	9	1 327	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	11	53	13
10 to 19	1974	1	12	4
20 to 49	1974	1	26	4
50 to 99	1974	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	72	2 127	49	1 989	50	3 878	42	3 816	239
	1969	116	5 000	61	4 194	91	6 829	56	6 092	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	15	39	1	4	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	14	89	8	54	8	51	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	16	241	14	220	5	66	3	41	3
25 to 49	1974	15	456	14	409	20	710	20	710	44
50 to 99	1974	5	332	5	332	7	557	7	557	26
100 to 199	1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	3	445	3	445	32
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	1 012	9	972	21
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	628	9	493	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	19	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	35	106	16	63	8	46	3	37	14
	1969	49	100	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	35	269
	1969	43	612
Other hogs and pigs	1974	49	1 720
	1969	57	3 582
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	49	489	37	463
	1969	83	685	44	545
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	42	270	34	259
	1969	65	383	39	307
June 1 and November 30	1974	38	219	30	204
	1969	60	302	37	238

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	34	(X)	12	(X)	5	(X)	3	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	29	810	11	362	3	45	1	25
	1969	55	3 404	24	2 011	5	1 031	3	579
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	29	684	11	301	2	20	–	–
	1969	47	2 784	22	1 777	5	927	3	579
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	29	684	11	301	2	20	–	–
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	9	36	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	31 050	3	31 050	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	695	3	694
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	575

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	11	301	–	–
	1969	22	1 777	3	579
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	11	301	–	–
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	32	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	3	61	1	25
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	20	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	2	(D)	2	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	(D)	2	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	1	(D)	2	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	132	172	5 947	7 096	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	12	10	1 122	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	219	247	39 812	40 414	705 462	827 814
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	2	48	117	(D)	(D)
Wheat (bushels)	23	24	1 816	1 053	49 895	39 537
Other small grains for grain	42	74	3 502	6 182	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	171	266	39 058	27 299	42 882	21 657
Tobacco (pounds)	84	147	1 496	1 042	2 864 804	1 532 287
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	5	(NA)	31	(NA)	2 240	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	66	71	1 825	2 135	3 933	4 735
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	25	43	149	557	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	6	14	20	235	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	591	545	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	98	108	5 400	6 046	321 769	316 650	1	–	75	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	8	240	670	3 815	7 700	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	7	115	152	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	–	8	–	910	–	43 802	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	–	(NA)	–	142	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	1	70	20	200	25	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	78	7 161	(X)	–	–	30	1 865	19	242	19	179
	1969	85	8 499	(X)	–	–	43	3 325	36	547	20	267
Improved pasture	1974	20	3 184	(X)	–	–	3	375	2	55	2	14
	1969	10	2 366	(X)	–	–	2	400	2	85	1	25
Corn for all purposes	1974	102	5 755	(X)	1	75	91	5 070	78	1 062	55	510
	1969	113	6 868	(X)	–	–	79	5 544	71	1 409	30	619
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	11	1 052	(X)	–	–	10	1 049	10	197	3	43
Wheat (bushels)	1974	23	1 816	49 895	–	–	19	1 735	17	221	6	180
	1969	24	1 053	39 537	–	–	24	1 053	(NA)	147	(NA)	160
Oats (bushels)	1974	24	1 721	106 990	–	–	22	1 707	16	293	16	173
	1969	41	2 533	113 365	–	–	35	2 293	(NA)	328	(NA)	216
Barley (bushels)	1974	4	420	14 537	–	–	4	420	3	68	2	65
	1969	19	1 471	56 910	–	–	19	1 471	(NA)	268	(NA)	120
Rye (bushels)	1974	27	1 351	28 263	–	–	23	1 288	17	216	17	152
	1969	30	2 040	40 447	–	–	24	1 766	(NA)	235	(NA)	145
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	188	39 460	700 369	–	–	114	24 718	106	3 607	9	285
	1969	185	39 649	813 169	–	–	109	24 819	(NA)	3 653	(NA)	304
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	48	(D)	–	–	1	48	1	15	–	–
	1969	2	117	(D)	–	–	1	94	(NA)	29	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	56	1 735	3 707	–	–	30	1 015	18	158	23	117
	1969	51	2 029	4 634	–	–	27	1 249	17	219	15	141
Field seed crops	1974	3	564	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	5	325	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	3	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	162	38 973	42 808	1	525	154	38 888	134	9 413	76	2 388
	1969	185	26 727	21 316	–	–	182	26 302	(NA)	8 188	(NA)	2 883
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	77	1 486	2 857 048	–	–	77	1 487	76	1 322	7	22
	1969	116	1 001	1 493 905	4	24	116	1 000	(NA)	909	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	18	136	(X)	–	–	12	94	12	20	2	1
	1969	27	496	(X)	–	–	21	421	21	105	4	3
Land in orchards	1974	4	19	(X)	–	–	3	18	3	5	–	–
	1969	10	198	(X)	–	–	6	157	6	16	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	4	5	(X)	2	5	2	5	4	2	–	–
1969	3	9	(X)	1	8	1	8	1	2	–	–
Other crops 1974	7	52	(X)	–	–	6	37	4	6	2	5

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	218	247
$1,000	5 229	2 079
Commercial fertilizer—farms	215	238
acres on which used	78 781	71 016
tons	20 798	21 273
$1,000	2 881	1 245
Lime—farms	39	64
acres on which used	6 335	7 440
tons	5 505	7 212
$1,000	57	55
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	200
$1,000	–	1
Insects on other crops—farms	147	195
acres on which used	58 299	43 900
$1,000	1 466	533
Nematodes in crops—farms	58	11
acres on which used	18 115	514
$1,000	161	6

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	5	–
acres on which used	2 227	–
$1,000	12	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	96	114
acres on which used	46 948	38 335
$1,000	515	199
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	3	5
acres on which used	190	363
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	9	(NA)
acres on which used	183	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	78	82
acres on which used	21 609	15 251
$1,000	107	37
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	20
$1,000	3	1
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	23	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	4
Proportion of farms—percent	1.2	1.5
Total land irrigated—acres	605	24
Average per farm—acres	201.7	6.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	4
acres	605	24
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	4
acres	605	24
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	378	8
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.6	0.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	4	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 546	1 762
Cropland—acres	1 980	1 194
Harvested cropland—acres	1 980	1 045
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	41	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	59	75
Proportion of farms—percent	24.2	29.5
Land in farms with drainage—acres	56 171	64 718
Land drained—acres	34 574	33 534
Average per farm—acres	586.0	447.1
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	43	(NA)
number	83	(NA)
acres	188	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	84	52	54
$1,000	3 879	1 664	2 216
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	17	5	16
$5,000 to $9,999	11	9	7
$10,000 to $29,999	21	15	14
$30,000 to $49,999	13	9	7
$50,000 and over	22	14	10

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	90	118	347	369	1 423	1 169
25 to 149 days	67	181	286	1 403	251	
Less than 25 days	79		899		81	
Total contract labor	11	16	(NA)	(NA)	9	19
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	27	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	149	90	67	79
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 755	1 423	251	81
Number of workers	1 532	347	286	899
Farms with—				
1 worker	14	18	20	12
2 workers	20	21	13	5
3 or 4 workers	21	31	19	19
5 to 9 workers	46	13	7	11
10 workers and over	48	7	8	32

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	612	836	300	276
Land in farms — acres	116 890	151 374	87 894	90 195
Average size of farm — acres	191	181	293	327
Approximate land area — acres	406 400	406 400	406 400	406 400
Proportion in farms — percent	28.8	37.2	21.6	22.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	49 926	32 935	37 290	19 033
Average per farm — dollars	81 579	39 396	124 299	68 961
Average per acre — dollars	427	218	424	211
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	15	22	7	15
10 to 49 acres	103	156	26	15
50 to 69 acres	72	92	19	11
70 to 99 acres	98	117	29	21
100 to 139 acres	87	128	34	27
140 to 179 acres	37	73	22	22
180 to 219 acres	50	58	34	36
220 to 259 acres	26	46	15	24
260 to 499 acres	78	82	68	47
500 to 999 acres	32	49	32	45
1,000 to 1,999 acres	13	11	13	11
2,000 acres and over	1	2	1	2

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	53	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	1 539	3 455
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	24	28
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	661	1 165
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	4
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	123	60
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	8	20
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	298	814
Cropland idle — farms	19	58
Cropland idle — acres	457	1 416
Total woodland — farms	245	235
Total woodland — acres	34 723	34 923
Woodland pastured — farms	156	140
Woodland pastured — acres	12 805	11 722

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	577	781	280	243
Total cropland — acres	53 767	64 015	42 879	43 207
Harvested cropland — farms	475	608	260	225
Harvested cropland — acres	29 749	29 484	26 754	24 021
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	106	195	14	
10 to 19 acres	90	131	35	111
20 to 29 acres	87	86	31	
30 to 49 acres	67	73	57	
50 to 99 acres	54	61	52	52
100 to 199 acres	28	31	28	31
200 to 499 acres	36	21	36	21
500 to 999 acres	7	8	7	8
1,000 acres and over	–	2	–	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	398	566	174	174
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	21 709	26 618	14 586	15 731
Other cropland (see text) — farms	119	313	53	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	2 309	7 913	1 539	3 455
Total woodland — farms	487	690	245	235
Total woodland — acres	48 551	63 688	34 723	34 923
Other land (see text) — farms	450	661	231	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	14 572	23 671	10 292	12 065
Irrigated land — farms	3	5	2	4
Irrigated land — acres	6	108	4	93

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland – Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	180	182
Woodland not pastured — acres	21 918	23 201
Other land — farms	231	(NA)
Other land — acres	10 292	12 065
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	109	105
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	7 561	10 108
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	92	80
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	5 809	7 095
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	33	43
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	1 752	3 013
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	207	199
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 731	1 957

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	612	836	300	276
Land in farms — acres	116 890	151 374	87 894	90 195
Harvested cropland — acres	29 749	29 484	26 754	24 021
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	420	618	169	158
Land in farms — acres	72 558	95 786	48 555	44 362
Harvested cropland — acres	11 372	10 605	9 225	6 662
Part owners — number	158	172	114	94
Land in farms — acres	40 821	47 958	36 953	39 419
Harvested cropland — acres	17 372	16 846	16 772	15 670
Tenants — number	34	46	17	24
Land in farms — acres	3 511	7 630	2 386	6 414
Harvested cropland — acres	1 005	2 033	757	1 689
Percent of tenancy	5.6	5.5	5.7	8.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	21	64	3	6
Land in farms — acres	1 857	4 542	427	454
Harvested cropland — acres	218	524	66	71
Full owners — number	18	47	1	2
Land in farms — acres	1 445	3 699	55	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	156	342	14	33
Part owners — number	3	6	2	–
Land in farms — acres	412	265	372	–
Harvested cropland — acres	62	77	52	–
Tenants — number	–	11	–	4
Land in farms — acres	–	578	–	(D)
Harvested cropland — acres	–	105	–	38
Percent of tenancy	–	17.1	–	66.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	260	223
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	69 499	67 073

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	34	45
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 563	17 014
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	6
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	2 832	5 433
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	675
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	12	3	3
25 to 34 years	57	52	25	23
35 to 44 years	89	119	42	43
45 to 54 years	112	208	58	88
55 to 64 years	194	263	88	91
65 years and over	151	182	78	28
Average age	54.5	54.5	54.3	51.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	427	631	221	218
On another farm	13		7	
In a rural area, not on a farm	9	104	1	28
In a city, town, or urban area	49		19	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	170	(NA)	103	(NA)
1 to 49 days	23	46	17	15
50 to 99 days	18	22	11	10
100 to 149 days	18	42	6	10
150 to 199 days	34		8	
200 days and over	260	414	91	98
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	260	(NA)	189	(NA)
Other	346	(NA)	105	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	61	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	63	88	63	88
$40,000 to $99,999	35		35	
$20,000 to $39,999	42	44	42	44
$10,000 to $19,999	29	28	29	28
$5,000 to $9,999	55	41	55	41
$2,500 to $4,999	73	70	73	70
Under $2,500 (see text)	315	565	3	5
$2,000 to $2,499	35	38	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	46	51	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	76	70	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	158	406	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	19 230	11 837	18 905	11 428
Average per farm ... dollars	31 421	14 159	63 016	41 404
Crops, including hay ... farms	315	372	193	(NA)
$1,000	2 387	775	2 300	650
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	2		2	2
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	83	84	60	51
$1,000	(D)	148	(D)	130
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	526	629	266	261
$1,000	16 182	10 914	15 956	10 648
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	72	(NA)	61	84
$1,000	9 687	(NA)	9 685	5 971

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	193	(NA)
$1,000	2 300	650
Grains ... farms	173	126
$1,000	1 995	408
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	–	13
$1,000	–	26
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	64	45
$1,000	270	90
Other field crops ... farms	4	2
$1,000	6	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	4	4
$1,000	7	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	8	5
$1,000	22	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	266	261
$1,000	15 956	10 648
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	61	84
$1,000	9 685	5 971
Dairy products ... farms	46	85
$1,000	4 618	3 325
Cattle and calves ... farms	230	(NA)
$1,000	901	1 019
Hogs and pigs ... farms	75	(NA)
$1,000	747	333
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	5	
$1,000	6	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	336	(NA)	87	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	157	(NA)	88	(NA)
$1,000	115	(NA)	95	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	26	45	17	23
$1,000	40	18	37	14
Recreational services ... farms	3	9	2	5
$1,000	1	3	1	2
Government farm programs ... farms	115	361	67	147
$1,000	53	184	41	128
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	34	(NA)	15	(NA)
$1,000	11	(NA)	7	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	47	(NA)	23	(NA)
$1,000	54	(NA)	41	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	196
$1,000	2 130
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	42
$1,000	624
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	125
$1,000	1 102
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	73
$1,000	145
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	44
$1,000	170
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	18
$1,000	88

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	610	836	300	276
$1,000	15 661	10 427	15 211	9 860
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	134	360	9	21
$1,000 to $1,999	145	159	26	
$2,000 to $2,999	81	53	40	17
$3,000 to $4,999	47	62	32	43
$5,000 to $9,999	56	51	46	44
$10,000 to $19,999	41	151	41	33
$20,000 to $39,999	16		16	37
$40,000 to $59,999	17		17	81
$60,000 and over	73		73	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	251	371	150	185
$1,000	1 730	1 848	1 688	1 777
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	449	597	221	244
$1,000	8 001	4 312	7 895	4 235
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	309	369	204	215
$1,000	7 266	3 935	7 239	3 907
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	81	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	381	152
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	97	47
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	260	163
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	13	20
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	14
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	159	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	128	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	274	420	174	168
$1,000	186	104	178	90
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	484	649	238	223
$1,000	1 276	769	1 171	656
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	233	(NA)	152	(NA)
$1,000	204	128	196	115
Lime ... farms	(NA)	202	55	105
$1,000	(NA)	58	54	50
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	585	816	297	274
$1,000	488	378	423	288
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	231	269
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	191	167
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	186	112
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	156	61
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	24
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	297	274
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	36
Hired farm labor ... farms	199	349	133	190
$1,000	967	877	956	850
Contract labor ... farms	22	290	11	16
$1,000	8	128	5	36
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	154		91	114
$1,000	86		77	72
All other production expenses ... farms	518	634	300	276
$1,000	2 716	1 883	2 493	1 742

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	598	808	290	271
$1,000	9 941	5 466	7 295	3 555
Average per farm—dollars	16 623	6 764	25 154	13 117
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	81	–	102
$1,000 to $4,999	128	425	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	158	153	60	55
$10,000 to $19,999	170	92	77	62
$20,000 to $29,999	57	57	43	21
$30,000 to $49,999	39		36	12
$50,000 to $69,999	18		18	19
$70,000 and over	21		21	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	470	663	234	226
number	664	959	359	341
mfd in last 5 years, number	273	539	171	203
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	500	589	249	229
number	765	812	493	418
mfd in last 5 years, number	246	371	167	177
Wheel tractors—farms	559	695	279	243
number	1 072	1 207	696	572
mfd in last 5 years, number	207	361	172	186
Crawler tractors—farms	27		20	16
number	28		21	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	5

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	101	88	90	68
number	121	95	110	75
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	42	33	38
Corn heads for combines—farms	30	46	29	28
number	30	48	29	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	26	16	19
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	25		23	15
number	25		23	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	3
Mower conditioners—farms	115	(NA)	86	(NA)
number	120	(NA)	89	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	47	(NA)	41	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	190	192	129	121
number	191	194	130	122
mfd in last 5 years, number	33	80	26	49
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	84	(NA)	59	69
number	85	(NA)	60	69
mfd in last 5 years, number	16	(NA)	12	30
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	46	(NA)	45	45
number	62	(NA)	61	51
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	21	21

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	558	(X)	268	(X)	526	(X)	266	(X)	15 956
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	528	(X)	249	(X)	497	(X)	244	(X)	1 648
1969	676	(X)	234	(X)	581	(X)	228	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	517	24 665	240	19 218	472	7 163	230	5 478	901
1969	628	23 919	220	18 371	539	10 721	211	8 726	1 019
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	33	100	9	22	128	329	30	66	12
5 to 9—1974	53	372	8	47	119	784	45	293	40
10 to 19—1974	119	1 716	29	429	124	1 673	58	837	140
20 to 49—1974	179	5 415	77	2 544	77	2 398	73	2 303	408
50 to 99—1974	78	5 060	62	4 174	17	1 017	17	1 017	167
100 to 199—1974	31	4 225	31	4 225	7	962	7	962	133
200 to 499—1974	22	(D)	22	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	471	14 578	232	11 242	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	515	12 057	204	9 793	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	425	9 356	194	6 113	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	6 576	141	4 530	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	106	5 222	69	5 129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	186	5 481	102	5 263	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	46	(X)	4 618
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	85	(X)	3 325

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	425	9 356	194	6 113			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	36	97	9	22			
5 to 9	86	599	25	166			
10 to 19	130	1 794	43	589			
20 to 49	141	3 999	85	2 469			
50 to 99	24	1 611	24	1 611			
100 to 199	5	553	5	553			
200 to 499	3	703	3	703			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	106	5 222	69	5 129			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	41	55	15	17			
3 or 4	7	22	1	3			
5 to 9	11	74	7	48			
10 to 19	3	43	2	33			
20 to 49	14	451	14	451			
50 to 99	7	521	7	521			
100 to 199	16	2 301	16	2 301			
200 to 499	7	1 755	7	1 755			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold	175	2 410	631				
Farms with—							
1 to 4	59	141	31				
5 to 9	34	227	52				
10 to 19	40	518	144				
20 to 49	35	967	251				
50 to 99	5	(D)	(D)				
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)				
200 to 499	–	–	–				
500 and over	–	–	–				
Calves sold	175	3 068	270				
Farms with—							
1 or 2	20	27	3				
3 or 4	12	43	5				
5 to 9	49	340	34				
10 to 19	43	572	64				
20 to 49	42	1 282	128				
50 to 99	5	278	14				
100 to 199	4	526	22				
200 to 499	–	–	–				
500 and over	–	–	–				

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	179	4 828
	1969	195	4 627
Beef heifers	1974	146	2 469
Milk heifers	1974	40	2 359
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	186	3 148
	1969	190	3 951

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	216	64
	1969	10	191	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	7	21	3
10 to 19	1974	4	48	10
20 to 49	1974	3	87	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	60	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	180	8 136	90	7 614	98	10 609	75	10 300	747
	1969	238	5 855	89	4 808	154	8 873	80	7 854	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	80	191	19	47	10	24	7	14	1
5 to 9	1974	23	167	12	87	10	75	4	28	2
10 to 24	1974	33	514	17	283	23	335	12	188	12
25 to 49	1974	23	879	21	812	12	414	9	309	14
50 to 99	1974	9	637	9	637	16	1 105	16	1 105	77
100 to 199	1974	3	383	3	383	15	1 979	15	1 979	140
200 to 499	1974	6	1 745	6	1 745	7	1 634	7	1 634	111
500 and over	1974	3	3 620	3	3 620	5	5 043	5	5 043	390
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	28	1 221	17	1 091	18
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	1 086	20	844	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	2	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	30	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	62	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	90	260	35	109	6	17	2	5	1
	1969	101	256	(NA)	(NA)	10	20	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	59	1 193
	1969	50	585
Other hogs and pigs	1974	87	6 421
	1969	83	4 223
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	92	1 675	64	1 601
	1969	125	945	57	789
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	83	851	60	812
	1969	98	460	50	390
June 1 and November 30	1974	70	824	52	789
	1969	89	485	47	399

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	150	(X)	78	(X)	62	(X)	58	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	97	(X)	(NA)	(X)	82	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	140	1 037 720	73	1 035 986	58	1 602 113	54	1 601 956
	1969	235	1 012 357	94	1 008 332	83	1 293 108	75	1 292 725
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	129	795 598	67	794 233	47	728 720	43	728 687
	1969	224	709 508	85	705 747	72	594 182	64	593 839
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	85	2 002	23	637	4	33	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	350	2	350	2	350	2	350
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 300	2	1 300	1	800	1	800
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	1 848	1	1 848
3,200 to 9,999	1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	10	70 392	10	70 392
10,000 to 19,999	1974	12	190 527	12	190 527	15	240 340	15	240 340
20,000 to 49,999	1974	16	416 694	16	416 694	13	(D)	13	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	18	1 808	5	1 512	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	30 020	2	(D)	3	190 000	3	190 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	72	9 687	61	9 685
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	84	5 971

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	67	794 233	43	728 687
	1969	85	705 747	64	593 839
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	65	778 223	41	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	16 010	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	239 210	12	871 749
	1969	13	301 373	13	697 832
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	11	2 543	2	1 520
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	6	197 017	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	(D)	3	12 350
	1969	1	800	4	75 900
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	3	11 000
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	3	11 000
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	(D)	1	1 350
	1969	1	700	1	700
Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	4	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	251	303	7 336	6 794	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	101	69	2 954	1 822	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	200	203	9 586	6 460	201 767	153 200
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	36	43	36	55	18 698	51 075
Wheat (bushels)	115	150	2 880	1 224	102 052	47 783
Other small grains for grain	181	218	4 960	6 099	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1	42	6	420	4	354
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	27	(NA)	5	(NA)	343	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	33	(NA)	12	(NA)	2 313	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	327	384	7 114	7 273	13 774	13 283
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	19	27	31	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	23	45	47	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	7	(Z)	5	(X)	(X)
Other crops	20	(NA)	472	883	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	111	92	3 049	2 378	185 188	107 154	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	42	51	3 745	3 393	45 507	35 716	–	1	–	35
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	4	5	23	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	68	35	1 945	1 176	85 098	56 120	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	35	(NA)	946	555	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	9	8	329	277	644	785	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	174	14 586	(X)	–	–	72	5 118	54	942	40	332
	1969	174	15 731	(X)	1	45	119	8 199	88	1 633	48	841
Improved pasture	1974	92	5 809	(X)	–	–	43	3 468	31	479	20	244
	1969	80	7 095	(X)	–	–	55	5 558	42	943	24	391
Corn for all purposes	1974	131	6 799	(X)	–	–	112	6 142	96	1 682	76	870
	1969	116	5 794	(X)	1	35	98	5 250	85	1 592	39	490
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	86	2 891	(X)	–	–	71	2 522	54	442	41	327
	1969	52	1 731	(X)	–	–	51	1 691	35	338	29	223
Wheat (bushels)	1974	89	2 767	99 724	–	–	62	2 311	51	336	37	229
	1969	76	888	39 416	–	–	68	815	(NA)	144	(NA)	105
Oats (bushels)	1974	90	2 447	136 115	–	–	65	2 118	40	236	38	228
	1969	93	3 651	163 169	–	–	81	3 444	(NA)	479	(NA)	398
Barley (bushels)	1974	64	1 975	85 005	–	–	51	1 663	39	257	30	179
	1969	52	1 559	87 990	–	–	48	1 367	(NA)	209	(NA)	172
Rye (bushels)	1974	9	78	1 900	–	–	3	31	2	4	3	5
	1969	4	29	880	–	–	4	29	(NA)	6	(NA)	3
Other small grains for grain	1974	5	63	(X)	–	–	4	53	4	9	2	6
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	145	9 113	193 788	–	–	67	4 700	45	430	23	472
	1969	93	5 365	131 709	–	–	47	3 039	(NA)	371	(NA)	251
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	6	6	1 980	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	1 400	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	192	5 655	12 061	–	–	84	3 049	65	635	38	285
	1969	162	5 334	10 940	1	6	90	2 869	66	569	40	367
Field seed crops	1974	8	413	(X)	–	–	6	378	3	55	5	56
	1969	20	736	(X)	–	–	13	432	7	45	8	52
Cotton (bales)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	13	281	238	–	–	12	239	(NA)	80	(NA)	14
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	9	1	77	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	10	1	99	–	–	3	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	13	(X)	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	6	10	(X)	–	–	6	10	6	6	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	9	40	(X)	–	–	2	30	2	8	–	–
	1969	5	23	(X)	–	–	4	21	3	5	1	1

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
1969	3	3	(X)	1	3	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	7	(X)	2	4	2	7	2	1	–	–
1969	2	4	(X)	1	2	2	4	1	1	1	2
Other crops 1974	7	48	(X)	–	–	1	20	2	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	254	242
$1,000	1 367	771
Commercial fertilizer—farms	238	207
acres on which used	31 613	33 023
tons	8 750	9 756
$1,000	1 171	656
Lime—farms	55	105
acres on which used	4 294	6 301
tons	4 548	6 862
$1,000	54	50
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	9	12
acres on which used	366	348
$1,000	1	1
Insects on other crops—farms	18	23
acres on which used	2 580	864
$1,000	24	5
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	10
$1,000	–	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	4
acres on which used	33	354
$1,000	1	1
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	75	85
acres on which used	9 538	8 843
$1,000	91	43
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	9	22
acres on which used	699	1 511
$1,000	2	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	17	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	3	3
acres on which used	63	276
$1,000	(Z)	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	41	89
$1,000	16	8
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	41	(NA)
$1,000	7	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	2	4
Proportion of farms—percent	0.7	1.4
Total land irrigated—acres	4	93
Average per farm—acres	2.0	23.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	2	4
acres	4	93
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	2	4
acres	4	48
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	45
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	2	28
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.5	0.3
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	1	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	3	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	112	1 742
Cropland—acres	7	1 068
Harvested cropland—acres	7	988
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	100	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	7	6
Proportion of farms—percent	2.3	2.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	4 226	2 897
Land drained—acres	286	292
Average per farm—acres	40.9	48.6
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	106	(NA)
number	262	(NA)
acres	536	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	106	93	54
$1,000	5 102	3 915	1 187
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	12	15
$5,000 to $9,999	17	16	10
$10,000 to $29,999	34	26	19
$30,000 to $49,999	8	10	4
$50,000 and over	35	29	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	61	96	185	227	797	850
25 to 149 days	45	143	136	463	121	
Less than 25 days	73		450		37	
Total contract labor	11	16	(NA)	(NA)	5	36
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	24	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	133	61	45	73
Cash wages paid $1,000	956	797	121	37
Number of workers	771	185	136	450
Farms with—				
1 worker	38	25	19	18
2 workers	26	9	8	15
3 or 4 workers	20	14	11	14
5 to 9 workers	27	9	4	17
10 workers and over	22	4	3	9

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	615	772	198	163
Land in farms — acres	75 949	90 771	40 609	37 268
Average size of farm — acres	123	118	205	229
Approximate land area — acres	418 560	418 560	418 560	418 560
Proportion in farms — percent	18.1	21.7	9.7	8.9
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	43 107	21 245	23 385	9 708
Average per farm — dollars	70 092	27 518	118 104	59 559
Average per acre — dollars	568	234	576	260
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	22	5	3
10 to 49 acres	168	234	24	15
50 to 69 acres	110	118	20	15
70 to 99 acres	88	113	31	15
100 to 139 acres	81	98	27	28
140 to 179 acres	43	62	26	22
180 to 219 acres	33	30	20	10
220 to 259 acres	15	26	8	13
260 to 499 acres	32	48	17	27
500 to 999 acres	19	18	15	12
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	2	5	2
2,000 acres and over	–	1	–	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	577	722	186	154
acres	36 224	37 564	20 586	16 867
Harvested cropland — farms	441	460	160	143
acres	10 782	9 265	7 807	5 989
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	189	219	35	
10 to 19 acres	109	115	25	107
20 to 29 acres	56	47	23	
30 to 49 acres	41	40	32	
50 to 99 acres	28	26	27	23
100 to 199 acres	13	12	13	12
200 to 499 acres	3	–	3	–
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	417	523	122	101
acres	22 393	20 627	11 665	8 488
Other cropland (see text) — farms	116	285	43	(NA)
acres	3 049	7 672	1 114	2 390
Total woodland — farms	449	609	150	135
acres	30 146	39 513	14 858	16 000
Other land (see text) — farms	408	526	144	(NA)
acres	9 579	13 694	5 165	4 401
Irrigated land — farms	6	–	4	–
acres	64	–	12	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	43	(NA)
acres	1 114	2 390
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	22	20
acres	382	477
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	7	1
acres	304	5
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	10
acres	27	125
Cropland idle — farms	18	44
acres	401	1 783
Total woodland — farms	150	135
acres	14 858	16 000
Woodland pastured — farms	90	94
acres	6 498	6 394

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	104	90
acres	8 360	9 606
Other land — farms	144	(NA)
acres	5 165	4 401
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	44	34
acres	3 709	1 935
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	40	18
acres	3 221	1 471
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	13	18
acres	488	464
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	131	101
acres	1 456	2 466

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	615	772	198	163
Land in farms — acres	75 949	90 771	40 609	37 268
Harvested cropland — acres	10 782	9 265	7 807	5 989
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	512	663	142	114
Land in farms — acres	52 311	71 172	21 683	24 606
Harvested cropland — acres	6 007	6 091	3 538	3 302
Part owners — number	80	79	50	39
Land in farms — acres	20 887	16 392	17 584	10 974
Harvested cropland — acres	4 227	2 548	3 873	2 222
Tenants — number	23	30	6	10
Land in farms — acres	2 751	3 207	1 342	1 688
Harvested cropland — acres	548	626	396	465
Percent of tenancy	3.7	3.8	3.0	6.1
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	13	20	–	–
Land in farms — acres	484	1 502	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	85	246	–	–
Full owners — number	13	18	–	–
Land in farms — acres	484	1 346	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	85	191	–	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	2	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	156	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	55	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	10.0	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	181	123
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	31 984	25 041

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	14	36
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 289	7 654
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3 336	4 175
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	398
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	7	9	1	3
25 to 34 years	45	45	16	5
35 to 44 years	82	91	36	23
45 to 54 years	150	203	38	50
55 to 64 years	169	229	52	49
65 years and over	158	195	52	33
Average age	54.7	55.6	54.8	54.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	371	538	114	115
On another farm	14		9	
In a rural area, not on a farm	29	108	9	26
In a city, town, or urban area	61		18	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	132	(NA)	56	(NA)
1 to 49 days	30	48	7	11
50 to 99 days	22	29	5	9
100 to 149 days	19	71	6	8
150 to 199 days	25		5	
200 days and over	303	367	72	48
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	217	(NA)	104	(NA)
Other	394	(NA)	91	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	11	19	11	19
$40,000 to $99,999	16		16	
$20,000 to $39,999	15	17	15	17
$10,000 to $19,999	33	14	33	14
$5,000 to $9,999	41	43	40	43
$2,500 to $4,999	69	66	69	64
Under $2,500 (see text)	430	613	14	6
$2,000 to $2,499	41	28	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	60	59	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	65	62	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	264	464	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	5 629	3 517	5 245	3 133
Average per farm (dollars)	9 153	4 556	26 492	19 218
Crops, including hay (farms)	231	250	104	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	2 119	594	2 015	473
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	8		5	3
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	153		147	42
Forest products (farms)	76	46	34	16
Forest products ($1,000)	74	69	63	60
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	480	509	158	141
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 284	2 855	3 020	2 559
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	27	(NA)	17	23
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 594	(NA)	1 594	1 543

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	104	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	2 015	473
Grains (farms)	51	35
Grains ($1,000)	277	64
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	12	17
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	211	63
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	31	32
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	67	35
Other field crops (farms)	4	1
Other field crops ($1,000)	1	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	5	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	6	15
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	35	29
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	1 453	296
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	158	141
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 020	2 559
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	17	23
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 594	1 543
Dairy products (farms)	13	26
Dairy products ($1,000)	748	485
Cattle and calves (farms)	149	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	510	459
Hogs and pigs (farms)	16	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	162	72
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	6	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	6	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	404	(NA)	76	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	153	(NA)	53	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	89	(NA)	40	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	33	34	12	13
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	36	59	16	50
Recreational services (farms)	–	8	–	3
Recreational services ($1,000)	–	5	–	3
Government farm programs (farms)	112	290	47	75
Government farm programs ($1,000)	35	182	21	103
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	30	(NA)	6	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	11	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	9	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	7	(NA)	1	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	42	(NA)	14	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	32	(NA)	10	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	125
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	1 498
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	23
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	232
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	88
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	939
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	43
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	168
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	30
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	117
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	26
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	42

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	613	772	198	163
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	5 016	3 287	4 438	2 725
Farms with—				
$1 to $999	198	442	1	20
$1,000 to $1,999	139	120	11	
$2,000 to $2,999	82	62	20	13
$3,000 to $4,999	49	48	34	39
$5,000 to $9,999	74	43	62	34
$10,000 to $19,999	25	57	24	30
$20,000 to $39,999	25		25	11
$40,000 to $59,999	5		5	16
$60,000 and over	16		16	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	255	315	78	81
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	510	492	408	426
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	417	439	130	113
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 493	1 208	1 395	1 146
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	257	224	118	96
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 315	1 099	1 277	1 076
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	40	29
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	19	16
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	53	11
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	92	49
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	20	21
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	6
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	85	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	207	293	89	79
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	88	34	79	19
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	513	624	163	150
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	574	304	431	182
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	200	(NA)	98	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	175	84	163	72
Lime (farms)	(NA)	106	43	66
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	19	18	15
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	585	715	189	162
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	233	161	175	105
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	176	158
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	106	70
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	70	57
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	36	15
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	10	25
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	189	162
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	26	14
Hired farm labor (farms)	156	277	83	103
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	300	309	283	261
Contract labor (farms)	55	315	32	18
Contract labor ($1,000)	274	107	266	31
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	185		68	69
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	55		41	35
All other production expenses (farms)	495	512	194	163
All other production expenses ($1,000)	1 314	588	1 176	447

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	582	717	178	160
$1,000	6 048	2 875	3 044	1 473
Average per farm—dollars	10 392	4 009	17 099	9 205
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	7	144	1	75
$1,000 to $4,999	182	429	31	
$5,000 to $9,999	236	72	55	36
$10,000 to $19,999	89	47	43	27
$20,000 to $29,999	29	25	19	14
$30,000 to $49,999	31		23	4
$50,000 to $69,999	4		2	4
$70,000 and over	4		4	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	382	510	113	106
number	505	680	158	151
mfd in last 5 years, number	190	380	89	100
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	493	518	160	144
number	658	658	280	245
mfd in last 5 years, number	156	291	88	122
Wheel tractors—farms	493	535	160	139
number	694	717	298	245
mfd in last 5 years, number	119	217	78	79
Crawler tractors—farms	29		12	19
number	31		13	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	9

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	25	15	22	9
number	25	15	22	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	7	6	3
Corn heads for combines—farms	8	17	7	4
number	8	17	7	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	4	2	2
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	6		4	5
number	7		5	5
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	62	(NA)	35	(NA)
number	71	(NA)	39	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	19	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	88	84	45	51
number	88	84	45	51
mfd in last 5 years, number	22	40	16	25
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	52	(NA)	25	27
number	52	(NA)	25	27
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	10	15
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	15	(NA)	8	10
number	18	(NA)	11	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	1

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	519	(X)	155	(X)	480	(X)	158	(X)	3 020
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	501	(X)	149	(X)	459	(X)	152	(X)	672
1969	610	(X)	132	(X)	486	(X)	132	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	488	18 092	148	10 978	445	5 617	149	3 769	510
1969	591	12 931	129	6 998	471	5 779	128	3 527	459
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	32	80	3	7	156	388	16	31	5
5 to 9—1974	42	280	1	6	104	669	21	139	18
10 to 19—1974	143	2 026	16	251	105	1 361	38	537	91
20 to 49—1974	171	5 299	51	1 717	66	1 877	60	1 740	239
50 to 99—1974	66	4 320	43	2 910	9	649	9	649	75
100 to 199—1974	26	3 511	26	3 511	5	673	5	673	81
200 to 499—1974	7	(D)	7	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	417	9 597	139	5 716	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	445	6 301	115	3 900	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	388	8 707	126	4 982	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 136	98	2 998	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	77	890	28	734	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	151	1 165	40	902	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	748
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	485

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	388	8 707	126	4 982	108	1 719	322
Farms with—							
1 to 4	45	135	5	13	19	49	11
5 to 9	69	495	7	57	16	104	21
10 to 19	128	1 716	29	421	45	592	114
20 to 49	109	3 141	52	1 514	23	594	121
50 to 99	29	1 935	25	1 692	4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	7	(D)	7	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–
500 and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Milk cows	77	890	28	734			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	45	62	11	17			
3 or 4	4	16	1	4			
5 to 9	11	79	2	10			
10 to 19	5	52	2	22			
20 to 49	3	87	3	87			
50 to 99	8	(D)	8	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					108	1 719	322
Farms with—							
1 to 4					19	49	11
5 to 9					16	104	21
10 to 19					45	592	114
20 to 49					23	594	121
50 to 99					4	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					113	2 050	188
Farms with—							
1 or 2					18	25	2
3 or 4					2	7	1
5 to 9					23	164	18
10 to 19					33	413	45
20 to 49					32	981	84
50 to 99					3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	105	2 563
	1969	103	1 688
Beef heifers	1974	91	2 231
Milk heifers	1974	16	332
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	123	2 699
	1969	116	1 410

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	17	241	62
	1969	3	311	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	4	14	4
10 to 19	1974	9	115	25
20 to 49	1974	4	112	33
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	102	1 540	25	1 232	39	2 244	16	2 056	162
	1969	133	1 980	27	1 497	42	2 389	20	2 034	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	65	126	12	21	12	30	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	19	104	3	15	10	65	3	19	1
10 to 24	1974	11	157	3	43	5	76	4	64	1
25 to 49	1974	2	55	2	55	4	140	1	40	1
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–	–	2	120	2	120	8
100 to 199	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	468	3	468	35
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	221	8	145	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	536	8	373	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	4	32	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	126	264	26	68	3	8	2	5	6
	1969	169	367	(NA)	(NA)	8	15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	12	224
	1969	16	215
Other hogs and pigs	1974	24	1 008
	1969	21	1 282
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	31	214	13	175
	1969	36	445	16	390
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	21	113	11	91
	1969	32	236	15	200
June 1 and November 30	1974	23	101	10	84
	1969	25	209	13	190

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	89	(X)	20	(X)	17	(X)	15	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	32	(X)	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	87	211 108	19	209 715	14	144 538	13	144 531
	1969	131	223 646	30	221 449	27	149 584	18	149 220
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	85	168 578	19	167 275	13	132 538	12	(D)
	1969	116	201 119	29	199 433	24	129 424	17	(D)
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	76	1 514	10	211	4	19	3	12
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	28 794	5	28 794
10,000 to 19,999	1974	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	4	112 500	4	112 500	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	8	82	2	55	3	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	3	67 515	3	67 515	4	334 700	3	334 500
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	1 594	17	1 594
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	23	1 543

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	167 275	12	(D)
	1969	29	199 433	17	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	167 264	12	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	11	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	42 435	1	(D)
	1969	3	22 010	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	5	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	175	178	1 666	1 850	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	35	24	879	234	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	42	22	1 195	302	19 784	6 428
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	7	5	7	5	3 780	2 240
Wheat (bushels)	57	62	870	458	28 985	12 883
Other small grains for grain	49	61	674	536	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	13	31	900	722	930	715
Tobacco (pounds)	2	2	(Z)	1	250	1 250
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	27	(NA)	6	(NA)	284	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	17	(NA)	3	(NA)	320	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	249	257	3 559	3 275	5 159	4 753
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	22	44	39	83	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	62	67	1 559	1 368	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	4	2	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	28	(NA)	371	583	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	37	39	568	850	27 698	50 061	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	7	367	305	4 718	3 498	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	14	4	710	70	45 024	3 780	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	122	96	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	2	–	6	–	2	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	122	11 665	(X)	–	–	60	5 594	60	986	4	124
	1969	101	8 488	(X)	–	–	83	5 433	80	1 244	9	84
Improved pasture	1974	40	3 221	(X)	–	–	23	2 340	23	411	1	70
	1969	18	1 471	(X)	–	–	13	1 018	13	219	1	(Z)
Corn for all purposes	1974	39	935	(X)	–	–	32	806	30	278	7	33
	1969	42	1 155	(X)	–	–	21	779	19	220	10	79
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	18	832	(X)	–	–	15	740	13	188	6	73
	1969	8	166	(X)	–	–	8	166	8	40	2	2
Wheat (bushels)	1974	25	658	23 633	–	–	18	575	16	113	5	99
	1969	24	225	6 882	–	–	22	217	(NA)	58	(NA)	–
Oats (bushels)	1974	19	222	8 890	–	–	16	217	14	68	4	10
	1969	20	276	11 530	–	–	20	248	(NA)	60	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	12	291	17 162	–	–	7	276	3	23	5	53
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	10	300	–	–	1	10	1	2	1	2
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	14	(X)	–	–	1	14	1	4	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	31	1 104	18 368	–	–	23	883	21	165	2	10
	1969	10	194	4 118	–	–	9	188	(NA)	41	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	88	1 952	3 216	–	–	41	954	38	284	5	29
	1969	76	1 772	2 947	–	–	29	782	28	201	6	45
Field seed crops	1974	15	315	(X)	–	–	11	251	9	113	4	18
	1969	19	410	(X)	–	–	3	30	3	6	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	12	895	925	–	–	12	895	10	243	2	26
	1969	17	633	618	–	–	13	609	(NA)	252	(NA)	12
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	5	2	78	–	–	5	2	5	1	–	–
	1969	5	2	115	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	6	9	(X)	–	–	5	9	5	9	–	–
	1969	9	27	(X)	–	–	9	25	9	4	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	37	1 421	(X)	–	–	23	1 089	23	309	–	–
	1969	31	1 262	(X)	–	–	30	1 242	30	284	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	2	2	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	5	14	(X)	3	10	3	13	3	6	2	(Z)
1969	3	16	(X)	1	1	1	15	1	6	–	–
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	169	158
$1,000	595	254
Commercial fertilizer—farms	163	137
acres on which used	14 669	10 756
tons	3 750	2 859
$1,000	431	182
Lime—farms	43	66
acres on which used	1 646	2 066
tons	1 666	2 202
$1,000	18	15
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	–
acres on which used	85	–
$1,000	1	–
Insects on other crops—farms	27	26
acres on which used	1 578	1 553
$1,000	89	26
Nematodes in crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	105	–
$1,000	1	–

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	20	14
acres on which used	310	913
$1,000	13	17
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	27	25
acres on which used	1 636	1 298
$1,000	23	9
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	6
acres on which used	268	720
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	3	(NA)
acres on which used	13	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	7	4
acres on which used	211	203
$1,000	2	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	16	31
$1,000	2	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	20	(NA)
$1,000	13	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	4	–
Proportion of farms—percent	2.0	–
Total land irrigated—acres	12	–
Average per farm—acres	3.0	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	4	–
acres	12	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	4	–
acres	12	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	9	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.8	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	10	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	2	(NA)
acres	2	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	214	–
Cropland—acres	106	–
Harvested cropland—acres	42	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	350	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	15	28
Proportion of farms—percent	7.6	17.1
Land in farms with drainage—acres	3 824	12 001
Land drained—acres	267	415
Average per farm—acres	17.8	14.8
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	41	(NA)
number	68	(NA)
acres	76	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	53	40	25
$1,000	1 930	1 225	704
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	12	5	9
$5,000 to $9,999	10	7	8
$10,000 to $29,999	12	10	4
$30,000 to $49,999	11	12	–
$50,000 and over	8	6	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	16	32	53	70	227	261
25 to 149 days	19	87	34	319	31	
Less than 25 days	60		409		25	
Total contract labor	32	18	(NA)	(NA)	266	31
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	208	(NA)	197	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	83	16	19	60
Cash wages paid $1,000	283	227	31	25
Number of workers	496	53	34	409
Farms with—				
1 worker	27	9	7	21
2 workers	15	5	9	6
3 or 4 workers	14	–	3	8
5 to 9 workers	11	–	–	11
10 workers and over	16	2	–	14

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 588	2 300	1 077	947
Land in farms — acres	348 631	419 501	318 829	339 931
Average size of farm — acres	220	182	296	359
Approximate land area — acres	707 648	707 648	707 648	707 648
Proportion in farms — percent	49.3	59.3	45.1	48.0
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	133 635	103 055	120 976	80 097
Average per farm — dollars	84 153	44 806	112 327	84 580
Average per acre — dollars	383	246	379	236
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	85	153	15	6
10 to 49 acres	407	725	155	59
50 to 69 acres	152	205	94	48
70 to 99 acres	168	250	113	80
100 to 139 acres	154	202	130	107
140 to 179 acres	112	156	87	103
180 to 219 acres	86	99	74	76
220 to 259 acres	66	80	62	69
260 to 499 acres	186	231	179	205
500 to 999 acres	111	125	107	120
1,000 to 1,999 acres	49	64	49	64
2,000 acres and over	12	10	12	10

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	243	(NA)
acres	9 584	35 195
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	58	112
acres	1 968	5 143
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	32	72
acres	926	2 104
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	37	53
acres	957	3 027
Cropland idle — farms	159	453
acres	5 733	24 921
Total woodland — farms	702	724
acres	86 931	107 326
Woodland pastured — farms	257	277
acres	20 692	15 895

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 563	2 219	1 056	934
acres	225 989	252 012	212 880	215 634
Harvested cropland — farms	1 496	2 076	1 038	912
acres	191 394	176 766	185 237	158 266
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	204	478	19	
10 to 19 acres	216	351	44	226
20 to 29 acres	186	266	114	
30 to 49 acres	237	268	208	
50 to 99 acres	224	290	224	263
100 to 199 acres	162	185	162	185
200 to 499 acres	187	168	187	168
500 to 999 acres	51	60	51	60
1,000 acres and over	29	10	29	10
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	631	755	435	426
acres	22 730	25 569	18 059	22 173
Other cropland (see text) — farms	365	1 238	243	(NA)
acres	11 865	49 677	9 584	35 195
Total woodland — farms	993	1 529	702	724
acres	99 734	140 431	86 931	107 326
Other land (see text) — farms	1 027	1 344	689	(NA)
acres	22 908	27 058	19 018	16 971
Irrigated land — farms	24	19	11	15
acres	376	336	183	301

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	576	597
acres	66 239	91 431
Other land — farms	689	(NA)
acres	19 018	16 971
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	152	115
acres	8 054	6 832
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	106	73
acres	5 941	4 512
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	53	55
acres	2 113	2 320
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	660	507
acres	10 964	10 139

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 588	2 300	1 077	947
Land in farms — acres	348 631	419 501	318 829	339 931
Harvested cropland — acres	191 394	176 766	185 237	158 266
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	914	1 359	509	385
Land in farms — acres	127 057	163 929	101 156	101 770
Harvested cropland — acres	44 229	45 802	39 358	33 889
Part owners — number	546	683	475	472
Land in farms — acres	196 393	230 465	193 216	218 568
Harvested cropland — acres	127 862	115 429	127 041	111 722
Tenants — number	128	258	93	90
Land in farms — acres	25 181	25 107	24 457	19 593
Harvested cropland — acres	19 303	15 535	18 838	12 655
Percent of tenancy	8.1	11.2	8.6	9.5
Black and other races, see text —				
Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	408	868	158	138
Land in farms — acres	25 822	49 055	17 666	20 177
Harvested cropland — acres	14 746	18 362	11 564	8 979
Full owners — number	270	490	76	47
Land in farms — acres	12 888	24 578	6 075	6 097
Harvested cropland — acres	5 953	7 105	3 417	2 171
Part owners — number	107	234	70	77
Land in farms — acres	10 970	19 573	10 010	13 149
Harvested cropland — acres	7 097	8 831	6 686	6 233
Tenants — number	31	144	12	14
Land in farms — acres	1 964	4 904	1 581	931
Harvested cropland — acres	1 696	2 426	1 461	575
Percent of tenancy	7.6	16.5	7.6	10.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	976	792
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	251 744	264 071

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	90	132
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	52 399	61 387
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	8	9
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 394	11 400
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	14
acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 292	3 073
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	15	31	7	11
25 to 34 years	124	152	83	75
35 to 44 years	251	332	182	164
45 to 54 years	404	655	257	283
55 to 64 years	427	655	280	274
65 years and over	356	475	257	140
Average age	53.9	53.8	54.1	51.8
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	926	1 523	643	688
On another farm	65		36	
In a rural area, not on a farm	87	521	48	194
In a city, town, or urban area	165		129	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	548	(NA)	397	(NA)
1 to 49 days	91	159	40	77
50 to 99 days	55	106	41	45
100 to 149 days	39	241	30	49
150 to 199 days	73		36	
200 days and over	478	751	271	222
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	972	(NA)	742	(NA)
Other	605	(NA)	324	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	104	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	108	132	108	132
$40,000 to $99,999	128		128	
$20,000 to $39,999	159	92	159	92
$10,000 to $19,999	171	178	171	178
$5,000 to $9,999	259	227	259	227
$2,500 to $4,999	224	270	224	270
Under $2,500 (see text)	539	1 401	28	48
$2,000 to $2,499	104	116	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	109	160	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	110	215	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	216	910	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	47 025	22 382	46 402	21 288
Average per farm (dollars)	29 613	9 731	43 085	22 479
Crops, including hay (farms)	1 392	1 919	992	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	26 306	9 056	25 842	8 200
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	17		13	8
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	501		499	163
Forest products (farms)	112	152	106	115
Forest products ($1,000)	419	414	413	400
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	910	1 322	683	676
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	19 798	12 911	19 649	12 526
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	44	(NA)	34	57
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 465	(NA)	1 465	1 537

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	992	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	25 842	8 200
Grains (farms)	968	809
Grains ($1,000)	18 038	4 390
Tobacco (farms)	15	34
Tobacco ($1,000)	194	147
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	177	569
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	5 054	2 198
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	110	101
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	418	437
Other field crops (farms)	34	55
Other field crops ($1,000)	272	142
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	125	214
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	783	617
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	23	51
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	1 083	270
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	683	676
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	19 649	12 526
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	34	57
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 465	1 537
Dairy products (farms)	63	91
Dairy products ($1,000)	8 354	6 415
Cattle and calves (farms)	403	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	3 818	2 514
Hogs and pigs (farms)	449	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	5 993	2 059
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	1	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	(Z)	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	11	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	19	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	575	(NA)	250	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	377	(NA)	276	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	615	(NA)	555	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	139	196	99	131
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	261	227	236	192
Recreational services (farms)	20	26	13	14
Recreational services ($1,000)	14	16	12	13
Government farm programs (farms)	156	1 427	128	669
Government farm programs ($1,000)	153	3 263	142	2 831
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	120	(NA)	83	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	152	(NA)	133	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	27	(NA)	21	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	34	(NA)	33	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	147	(NA)	111	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	185	(NA)	166	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	594
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	5 904
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	109
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	1 103
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	413
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	4 086
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	195
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	375
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	121
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	263
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	37
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	76

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	1 582	2 300	1 077	947
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	36 304	22 067	35 810	20 685
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	375	872	48	68
$1,000 to $1,999	228	391	108	
$2,000 to $2,999	136	173	93	77
$3,000 to $4,999	172	224	160	175
$5,000 to $9,999	198	241	195	228
$10,000 to $19,999	171	399	171	171
$20,000 to $39,999	121		121	98
$40,000 to $59,999	56		56	130
$60,000 and over	125		125	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	514	720	373	397
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	2 637	1 857	2 604	1 797
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	858	1 235	582	603
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	7 722	3 693	7 643	3 528
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	666	881	484	486
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	5 316	2 531	5 280	2 434
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	224	211
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	487	497
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	248	180
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	1 802	538
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	72	83
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	74	60
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	321	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	251	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	1 135	1 895	893	876
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	1 067	630	1 045	556
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	1 287	2 029	905	897
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	6 815	3 639	6 701	3 380
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	697	(NA)	596	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	2 165	1 264	2 155	1 193
Lime (farms)	(NA)	420	200	314
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	173	296	163
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	1 494	2 177	1 044	943
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	1 897	1 408	1 820	1 185
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	996	896
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	819	665
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	771	524
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	692	348
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	70	119
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	68	54
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	1 044	942
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	241	118
Hired farm labor (farms)	572	1 262	454	704
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	3 242	3 155	3 215	3 009
Contract labor (farms)	45	1 126	33	64
Contract labor ($1,000)	86	627	84	94
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	725		554	531
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	798		768	453
All other production expenses (farms)	1 411	1 793	1 064	930
All other production expenses ($1,000)	9 874	5 794	9 526	5 492

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 512	2 102	1 029	922
$1,000	29 190	18 659	25 855	14 849
Average per farm—dollars	19 306	8 876	25 126	16 105
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	21	280	8	280
$1,000 to $4,999	323	930	157	
$5,000 to $9,999	419	380	191	200
$10,000 to $19,999	308	248	244	194
$20,000 to $29,999	156	264	149	103
$30,000 to $49,999	157		153	68
$50,000 to $69,999	59		59	77
$70,000 and over	69		68	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 178	1 524	788	726
number	1 620	2 044	1 147	1 028
mfd in last 5 years, number	850	1 268	707	732
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 281	1 474	924	802
number	1 985	2 147	1 615	1 441
mfd in last 5 years, number	779	1 120	706	792
Wheel tractors—farms	1 304	1 638	947	833
number	2 569	3 077	2 172	2 066
mfd in last 5 years, number	743	1 295	701	967
Crawler tractors—farms	53		47	53
number	66		60	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		5	25

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	375	416	358	360
number	427	468	404	412
mfd in last 5 years, number	149	266	148	245
Corn heads for combines—farms	243	298	241	183
number	257	343	253	190
mfd in last 5 years, number	109	203	109	139
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	100		83	103
number	104		87	122
mfd in last 5 years, number	31		30	51
Mower conditioners—farms	99	(NA)	85	(NA)
number	108	(NA)	92	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	34	(NA)	33	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	185	230	170	205
number	190	243	175	218
mfd in last 5 years, number	51	131	48	123
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	90	(NA)	85	111
number	90	(NA)	85	118
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	(NA)	27	65
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	61	(NA)	61	83
number	88	(NA)	88	106
mfd in last 5 years, number	44	(NA)	44	68

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	1 009	(X)	698	(X)	910	(X)	683	(X)	19 649
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	962	(X)	672	(X)	890	(X)	671	(X)	9 812
1969	1 422	(X)	666	(X)	1 283	(X)	655	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	626	31 617	467	29 872	497	15 945	403	15 461	3 818
1969	841	36 601	464	33 828	663	17 354	433	16 174	2 514
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	124	294	67	144	134	315	84	211	38
5 to 9—1974	93	647	45	329	104	713	74	516	91
10 to 19—1974	95	1 340	62	855	121	1 620	107	1 437	272
20 to 49—1974	153	4 620	139	4 238	78	2 278	78	2 278	420
50 to 99—1974	83	5 696	76	5 286	42	2 837	42	2 837	461
100 to 199—1974	47	6 752	47	6 752	13	1 664	13	1 664	220
200 to 499—1974	24	6 912	24	6 912	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	7	5 356	7	5 356	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	536	17 750	406	16 676	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	665	17 402	397	16 210	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	406	9 475	316	8 543	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 463	293	6 463	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	192	8 275	137	8 133	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	263	9 939	145	9 747	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	8 354
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	91	(X)	6 415

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	406	9 475	316	8 543			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	72	155	39	90			
5 to 9	81	545	54	361			
10 to 19	92	1 288	71	966			
20 to 49	120	3 562	115	3 441			
50 to 99	27	1 611	23	1 371			
100 to 199	11	1 226	11	1 226			
200 to 499	3	1 088	3	1 088			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	192	8 275	137	8 133			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	91	120	57	74			
3 or 4	24	81	10	35			
5 to 9	16	94	10	54			
10 to 19	6	86	5	76			
20 to 49	4	163	4	163			
50 to 99	17	1 203	17	1 203			
100 to 199	24	2 961	24	2 961			
200 to 499	8	(D)	8	(D)			
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)			
Cattle sold					298	10 293	3 392
Farms with—							
1 to 4					96	227	52
5 to 9					64	417	97
10 to 19					69	900	247
20 to 49					45	1 437	374
50 to 99					15	955	259
100 to 199					4	493	105
200 to 499					4	(D)	(D)
500 and over					1	(D)	(D)
Calves sold					279	5 168	426
Farms with—							
1 or 2					39	56	6
3 or 4					37	129	15
5 to 9					65	451	49
10 to 19					75	991	113
20 to 49					40	1 193	104
50 to 99					15	1 094	56
100 to 199					6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	277	7 260	70	5 973	2 183
	1969	368	10 522	33	3 780	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	216	2 807			
Milk heifers	1974	70	4 453			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	336	5 936			
	1969	409	7 096			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			70	5 973	2 183
	1969			33	3 780	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			40	146	39
10 to 19	1974			18	230	60
20 to 49	1974			6	169	48
50 to 99	1974			2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974			1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974			2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974			1	(D)	(D)

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	655	51 720	436	49 083	605	85 200	449	83 036	5 993
	1969	1 103	46 192	477	38 000	995	54 492	477	46 964	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	69	174	29	70	48	120	21	45	3
5 to 9	1974	115	743	37	237	70	452	22	146	7
10 to 24	1974	175	2 695	96	1 524	149	2 237	93	1 447	83
25 to 49	1974	117	4 049	99	3 475	109	3 746	89	3 119	215
50 to 99	1974	79	5 102	75	4 820	89	6 013	84	5 647	392
100 to 199	1974	41	5 321	41	5 321	67	9 088	67	9 088	619
200 to 499	1974	39	11 606	39	11 606	42	13 519	42	13 519	935
500 and over	1974	20	22 030	20	22 030	31	50 025	31	50 025	3 740
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	148	8 148	90	7 343	150
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	249	8 912	95	6 716	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	31	1	31	2	34	1	31	(NA)
	1969	9	71	6	49	4	79	2	27	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	40	[1]192
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	8	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	11	212	(NA)	(NA)	2	80	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	113	368	73	284	10	51	8	49	19
	1969	243	727	(NA)	(NA)	26	124	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	337	6 468				
	1969	382	5 356				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	419	42 615				
	1969	454	32 644				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	29				
Rams and wethers	1974	1	2				
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			512	11 762	367	11 329
	1969			876	8 144	399	6 688
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			461	6 144	337	5 887
	1969			752	4 252	361	3 453
June 1 and November 30	1974			385	5 618	302	5 442
	1969			670	3 892	354	3 235

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	267	(X)	130	(X)	26	(X)	20	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	163	(X)	(NA)	(X)	45	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	258	150 292	127	147 406	24	131 800	18	131 468
	1969	474	157 344	154	148 436	54	94 158	35	93 148
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	252	148 965	126	146 689	21	101 579	15	101 247
	1969	450	155 297	149	147 901	54	94 127	35	93 138
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	238	4 606	114	2 630	10	300	5	92
100 to 399	1974	7	1 150	5	850	4	436	3	312
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	1	1 120	1	1 120
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	4	128 000	4	128 000	3	76 080	3	76 080
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	29	561	7	261	4	322 000	4	322 000
	1969	20	140 365	8	140 034	7	631 503	7	631 503
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	44	1 465	34	1 465
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	57	1 537

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	126	146 689	15	101 247
	1969	149	147 901	35	93 138
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	125	143 568	15	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	9	3 121	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	75	3	30 005
	1969	14	264	1	5
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	57	642	1	216
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	30 018	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	3	–	–
	1969	4	12 603	3	48 009
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	3	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	1	3	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(D)	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	19	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1 100	1 296	63 138	46 519	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	58	41	1 421	1 249	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1 142	1 270	94 471	73 935	1 878 646	1 495 786
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	42	70	47	98	49 350	58 506
Wheat (bushels)	146	310	5 809	5 896	148 056	178 027
Other small grains for grain	235	370	5 660	8 937	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	213	1 235	17 810	30 662	20 907	22 847
Tobacco (pounds)	17	54	109	199	199 172	242 674
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	44	(NA)	160	(NA)	19 443	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	67	(NA)	140	(NA)	36 873	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	331	384	8 220	9 417	22 056	27 075
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	185	424	1 748	3 956	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	42	96	1 233	1 425	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	35	(NA)	514	1 425	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	776	599	53 666	31 822	3 784 018	1 679 873	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	77	91	6 579	9 308	97 705	114 979	1	1	50	20
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	46	47	749	716	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	7	476	180	23 716	6 662	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	34	(NA)	829	1 035	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7	6	183	177	648	618	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	435	18 059	(X)	–	–	194	8 254	156	1 517	123	1 146
	1969	426	22 173	(X)	1	5	251	11 082	210	2 727	132	1 571
Improved pasture	1974	106	5 941	(X)	1	4	26	1 322	22	259	12	165
	1969	73	4 512	(X)	–	–	35	1 209	30	235	15	150
Corn for all purposes	1974	798	60 994	(X)	1	50	655	54 695	592	13 084	375	6 795
	1969	640	41 846	(X)	1	20	521	35 331	479	9 436	288	5 887
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	38	1 305	(X)	–	–	29	1 072	25	199	24	215
	1969	33	1 215	(X)	–	–	31	1 185	24	268	23	255
Wheat (bushels)	1974	133	5 745	146 996	–	–	122	5 605	101	1 133	60	400
	1969	258	5 628	171 146	1	25	227	4 850	(NA)	1 171	(NA)	338
Oats (bushels)	1974	148	3 540	184 986	–	–	116	2 882	93	514	54	235
	1969	201	5 249	231 605	1	6	177	4 793	(NA)	993	(NA)	371
Barley (bushels)	1974	15	307	8 370	–	–	10	238	6	9	5	48
	1969	16	683	28 658	–	–	15	681	(NA)	181	(NA)	89
Rye (bushels)	1974	98	1 562	33 238	–	–	76	1 397	55	233	38	96
	1969	113	2 274	55 589	–	–	99	1 922	(NA)	342	(NA)	151
Other small grains for grain	1974	5	84	(X)	–	–	4	80	4	17	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	871	91 451	1 828 555	2	8	454	62 104	406	8 155	58	1 350
	1969	655	66 137	1 363 182	–	–	388	40 061	(NA)	6 889	(NA)	602
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	23	26	30 900	–	–	6	7	6	2	–	–
	1969	26	44	28 005	–	–	13	17	(NA)	5	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	269	7 742	21 188	1	30	143	4 551	104	918	104	818
	1969	282	8 751	26 016	1	7	161	5 662	113	1 020	109	1 127
Field seed crops	1974	3	38	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	128	(X)	–	–	6	63	2	5	4	21
Cotton (bales)	1974	178	17 661	20 765	1	6	162	17 431	157	5 228	65	1 151
	1969	570	26 918	20 506	–	–	550	26 803	(NA)	9 548	(NA)	3 140
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	16	108	197 172	–	–	16	108	16	92	5	7
	1969	34	183	229 534	2	30	34	183	(NA)	175	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	33	156	19 042	–	–	23	150	23	143	2	10
	1969	27	153	14 591	1	1	24	150	(NA)	156	(NA)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	132	1 647	(X)	1	22	93	1 265	91	886	12	43
	1969	221	3 351	(X)	3	41	186	2 888	183	1 188	33	164
Land in orchards	1974	35	1 203	(X)	–	–	15	778	15	214	2	4
	1969	74	1 375	(X)	2	150	43	1 096	40	238	4	54

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	13	199	(X)	5	63	6	157	5	14	2	1
1969	8	86	(X)	3	15	7	67	6	27	1	(Z)
Other crops 1974	38	373	(X)	–	–	9	97	14	84	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	939	906
$1,000	8 856	4 572
Commercial fertilizer—farms	905	875
acres on which used	162 208	138 505
tons	45 186	48 765
$1,000	6 701	3 380
Lime—farms	200	314
acres on which used	25 793	25 130
tons	24 972	24 747
$1,000	296	163
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	15	14
acres on which used	513	510
$1,000	3	2
Insects on other crops—farms	289	578
acres on which used	59 460	57 461
$1,000	922	685
Nematodes in crops—farms	94	17
acres on which used	19 467	1 505
$1,000	124	13

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	10	18
acres on which used	818	876
$1,000	17	9
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	291	367
acres on which used	80 296	47 952
$1,000	685	252
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	23	31
acres on which used	1 289	1 313
$1,000	4	4
Weeds on all other land—farms	20	(NA)
acres on which used	383	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	66	260
acres on which used	8 395	14 829
$1,000	42	47
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	53	143
$1,000	9	17
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	157	(NA)
$1,000	50	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	11	15
Proportion of farms—percent	1.0	1.5
Total land irrigated—acres	183	301
Average per farm—acres	16.6	20.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	10	15
acres	179	301
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	10	14
acres	179	296
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	5
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	1	–
acres	4	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	129	179
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.7	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	3	(NA)
acres	30	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	82	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	9	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	3 085	6 574
Cropland—acres	1 778	4 117
Harvested cropland—acres	1 730	2 846
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	24	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	185	306
Proportion of farms—percent	17.2	32.3
Land in farms with drainage—acres	94 766	165 460
Land drained—acres	35 381	56 771
Average per farm—acres	191.2	185.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	155	(NA)
number	295	(NA)
acres	979	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	343	246	207
$1,000	13 837	9 206	4 631
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	86	51	87
$5,000 to $9,999	63	41	29
$10,000 to $29,999	88	87	58
$30,000 to $49,999	49	31	18
$50,000 and over	57	36	15

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	221	335	710	906	2 667	3 009
25 to 149 days	138	553	512	2 742	352	
Less than 25 days	269		1 857		195	
Total contract labor	33	64	(NA)	(NA)	84	94
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	76	(NA)	31	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	454	221	138	269
Cash wages paid $1,000	3 215	2 667	352	195
Number of workers	3 079	710	512	1 857
Farms with—				
1 worker	109	81	59	60
2 workers	69	52	26	31
3 or 4 workers	87	46	28	59
5 to 9 workers	102	35	14	64
10 workers and over	87	7	11	55

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	474	563	133	107
Land in farms — acres	72 269	84 642	26 539	22 706
Average size of farm — acres	152	150	200	212
Approximate land area — acres	314 880	314 880	314 880	314 880
Proportion in farms — percent	23.0	26.9	8.4	7.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	53 036	25 807	15 335	6 033
Average per farm — dollars	111 890	45 837	115 304	56 380
Average per acre — dollars	734	305	578	266
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	19	10	8	2
10 to 49 acres	135	182	12	13
50 to 69 acres	108	87	18	13
70 to 99 acres	67	99	19	17
100 to 139 acres	59	71	21	13
140 to 179 acres	32	36	16	11
180 to 219 acres	15	13	8	6
220 to 259 acres	5	15	2	9
260 to 499 acres	15	32	13	11
500 to 999 acres	15	15	13	11
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	1	3	–
2,000 acres and over	1	2	–	1

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	32	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	813	1 788
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	12	13
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	166	354
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	3	–
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	17	–
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	10	6
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	113	310
Cropland idle — farms	15	31
Cropland idle — acres	517	1 124
Total woodland — farms	97	89
Total woodland — acres	9 761	10 500
Woodland pastured — farms	67	63
Woodland pastured — acres	3 591	2 915

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	438	506	119	98
Total cropland — acres	25 118	26 737	11 033	9 138
Harvested cropland — farms	303	308	99	68
Harvested cropland — acres	6 088	5 141	3 539	2 568
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	140	178	19	
10 to 19 acres	83	71	25	53
20 to 29 acres	32	27	14	
30 to 49 acres	23	16	17	
50 to 99 acres	17	10	17	10
100 to 199 acres	7	4	7	4
200 to 499 acres	–	1	–	1
500 to 999 acres	1	1	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	338	386	79	72
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	14 810	14 233	6 681	4 782
Other cropland (see text) — farms	120	228	32	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	4 220	7 363	813	1 788
Total woodland — farms	340	448	97	89
Total woodland — acres	35 214	46 069	9 761	10 500
Other land (see text) — farms	326	436	98	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	11 937	11 836	5 745	3 068
Irrigated land — farms	6	2	3	1
Irrigated land — acres	26	78	9	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	55	60
Woodland not pastured — acres	6 170	7 585
Other land — farms	98	(NA)
Other land — acres	5 745	3 068
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	49	25
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	2 846	1 553
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	37	14
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	2 405	932
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	19	12
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	441	621
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	93	66
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	2 899	1 515

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	474	563	133	107
Land in farms — acres	72 269	84 642	26 539	22 706
Harvested cropland — acres	6 088	5 141	3 539	2 568
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	382	503	89	77
Land in farms — acres	60 587	74 807	18 088	15 707
Harvested cropland — acres	3 944	3 537	1 845	1 209
Part owners — number	74	43	35	24
Land in farms — acres	10 975	8 257	7 894	6 205
Harvested cropland — acres	1 753	1 341	1 339	1 181
Tenants — number	18	17	9	6
Land in farms — acres	707	1 578	557	794
Harvested cropland — acres	391	263	355	178
Percent of tenancy	3.8	3.0	6.8	5.6
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	3	3	2	–
Land in farms — acres	138	195	66	–
Harvested cropland — acres	17	28	10	–
Full owners — number	3	3	2	–
Land in farms — acres	138	195	66	–
Harvested cropland — acres	17	28	10	–
Part owners — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Tenants — number	–	–	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	–	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	–	–	–
Percent of tenancy	–	–	–	–
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	124	87
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	25 144	16 965

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	5	17
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 154	5 621
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	171	120
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	–
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	70	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	4	1	–
25 to 34 years	26	28	11	9
35 to 44 years	42	78	14	15
45 to 54 years	132	123	36	32
55 to 64 years	143	158	43	30
65 years and over	123	172	24	21
Average age	56.1	56.4	54.0	54.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	292	396	88	80
On another farm	8		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	12	62	5	16
In a city, town, or urban area	45		10	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	116	(NA)	46	(NA)
1 to 49 days	31	36	5	11
50 to 99 days	33	34	7	4
100 to 149 days	22	29	5	5
150 to 199 days	5		1	
200 days and over	207	288	41	40
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	165	(NA)	73	(NA)
Other	304	(NA)	56	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	–	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	9	18	8	18
$40,000 to $99,999	6		6	
$20,000 to $39,999	7	6	7	6
$10,000 to $19,999	16	8	16	8
$5,000 to $9,999	37	10	37	10
$2,500 to $4,999	50	62	50	61
Under $2,500 (see text)	349	459	9	4
$2,000 to $2,499	30	24	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	61	30	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	72	55	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	186	350	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	4 208	3 040	3 273	2 336
Average per farm (dollars)	8 877	5 400	24 610	21 834
Crops, including hay (farms)	164	156	58	(NA)
Crops, including hay ($1,000)	407	369	268	255
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	9		8	2
Nursery and greenhouse products ($1,000)	558		558	(D)
Forest products (farms)	28	34	19	16
Forest products ($1,000)	175	99	73	23
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	368	353	112	101
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	3 067	2 572	2 374	2 059
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	21	(NA)	16	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 799	(NA)	1 772	1 387

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	58	(NA)
Crops ($1,000)	268	255
Grains (farms)	36	20
Grains ($1,000)	80	49
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
Tobacco ($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	1	3
Cotton and cottonseed ($1,000)	2	9
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	18	17
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ($1,000)	92	10
Other field crops (farms)	1	3
Other field crops ($1,000)	3	2
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	12	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ($1,000)	61	16
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	6	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ($1,000)	30	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	112	101
Livestock, poultry, and their products ($1,000)	2 374	2 059
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	16	21
Poultry and poultry products ($1,000)	1 772	1 387
Dairy products (farms)	4	13
Dairy products ($1,000)	155	344
Cattle and calves (farms)	100	(NA)
Cattle and calves ($1,000)	336	297
Hogs and pigs (farms)	23	(NA)
Hogs and pigs ($1,000)	101	31
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	1	
Sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	2	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	5	
Other livestock and livestock products ($1,000)	8	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	293	(NA)	41	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	77	(NA)	23	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ($1,000)	69	(NA)	34	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	31	37	12	9
Customwork and other agricultural services ($1,000)	37	16	25	8
Recreational services (farms)	1	2	1	–
Recreational services ($1,000)	(Z)	(D)	(Z)	–
Government farm programs (farms)	34	206	10	41
Government farm programs ($1,000)	16	88	7	29
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	18	(NA)	2	(NA)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ($1,000)	15	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	5	(NA)	–	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ($1,000)	1	(NA)	–	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	27	(NA)	3	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ($1,000)	16	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	78
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ($1,000)	865
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	19
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ($1,000)	213
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	51
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ($1,000)	556
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	21
Interest, dividends, or royalties ($1,000)	38
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	6
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ($1,000)	41
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	8
Rent income of nonfarm property ($1,000)	17

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	474	563	133	107
Total farm production expenses ($1,000)	3 996	2 891	2 820	1 998
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	193	333	3	11
$1,000 to $1,999	118	101	15	
$2,000 to $2,999	51	36	21	20
$3,000 to $4,999	40	31	27	20
$5,000 to $9,999	32	26	28	21
$10,000 to $19,999	19		19	9
$20,000 to $39,999	6	36	6	9
$40,000 to $59,999	3		3	17
$60,000 and over	12		11	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	203	225	53	62
Livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	451	598	357	504
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	344	314	97	86
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ($1,000)	1 610	926	1 304	777
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	229	168	91	74
Commercially mixed formula feeds ($1,000)	1 152	765	1 126	750
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	16	15
Feed ingredients ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	113	9
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	28	15
Whole grains ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	56	7
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	7	16
Hay, green chop, and silage ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	9	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	56	(NA)
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	204	203	68	48
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ($1,000)	74	48	61	36
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	351	405	84	78
Commercial fertilizer purchased ($1,000)	341	216	167	111
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	148	(NA)	47	(NA)
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ($1,000)	46	31	25	16
Lime (farms)	(NA)	75	17	21
Lime ($1,000)	(NA)	13	11	7
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	455	541	132	107
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ($1,000)	169	113	90	52
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	130	101
Gasoline ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	59	34
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	34
Diesel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	12	8
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	4	13
LP gas, butane, and propane ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	4	2
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	132	107
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	15	8
Hired farm labor (farms)	92	212	38	70
Hired farm labor ($1,000)	540	471	230	164
Contract labor (farms)	25	173	13	11
Contract labor ($1,000)	27	62	25	34
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	103		28	34
Machine hire and customwork ($1,000)	30		9	12
All other production expenses (farms)	396	363	131	104
All other production expenses ($1,000)	707	425	532	293

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	459	538	125	107
$1,000	4 847	2 580	1 898	905
Average per farm—dollars	10 559	4 796	15 187	8 454
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	10	61	4	53
$1,000 to $4,999	112	340	17	
$5,000 to $9,999	206	85	36	23
$10,000 to $19,999	84	30	31	14
$20,000 to $29,999	28	22	20	15
$30,000 to $49,999	15		14	1
$50,000 to $69,999	2		2	1
$70,000 and over	2		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	352	396	91	63
number	497	547	124	90
mfd in last 5 years, number	165	338	47	67
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	372	361	118	84
number	455	538	186	147
mfd in last 5 years, number	118	260	66	81
Wheel tractors—farms	395	424	106	95
number	615	637	204	175
mfd in last 5 years, number	104	241	49	59
Crawler tractors—farms	20		13	7
number	24		14	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	7		6	6

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	10	17	7	11
number	13	17	7	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	9	1	7
Corn heads for combines—farms	8	15	3	5
number	9	16	3	6
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	9	1	6
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	10		6	8
number	10		6	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	3
Mower conditioners—farms	44	(NA)	21	(NA)
number	46	(NA)	22	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	69	57	42	28
number	69	57	42	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	29	16	10
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	33	(NA)	19	16
number	33	(NA)	19	16
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	6	7
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	27	(NA)	17	11
number	39	(NA)	26	12
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	16	6

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	393	(X)	109	(X)	368	(X)	112	(X)	2 374
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	374	(X)	102	(X)	345	(X)	105	(X)	440
1969	432	(X)	92	(X)	321	(X)	91	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	361	12 146	96	5 481	324	4 094	100	2 077	336
1969	415	9 468	88	4 538	312	4 158	88	2 380	297
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	23	64	–	–	97	275	10	28	5
5 to 9—1974	37	261	1	7	97	635	19	124	23
10 to 19—1974	98	1 342	15	224	83	1 038	34	475	87
20 to 49—1974	150	4 791	36	1 182	38	1 092	29	888	136
50 to 99—1974	38	2 663	30	2 151	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	13	(D)	13	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	300	6 552	89	3 134	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	326	4 095	80	2 111	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	291	6 143	86	2 968	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 187	67	1 494	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	39	409	10	166	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	83	908	21	617	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	155
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	344

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	291	6 143	86	2 968	Cattle sold	72	928	214	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	36	102	2	6	1 to 4	13	37	12	
5 to 9	53	365	6	48	5 to 9	25	175	38	
10 to 19	87	1 179	18	268	10 to 19	23	335	68	
20 to 49	97	2 703	46	1 440	20 to 49	9	(D)	(D)	
50 to 99	10	615	7	(D)	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	7	(D)	7	(D)	100 to 199	–	–	–	
200 to 499	1	(D)	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–	
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–	
Milk cows	39	409	10	166	Calves sold	73	1 149	122	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	23	29	5	7	1 or 2	7	10	1	
3 or 4	7	25	–	–	3 or 4	9	33	4	
5 to 9	4	26	1	(D)	5 to 9	15	103	11	
10 to 19	–	–	–	–	10 to 19	26	353	45	
20 to 49	4	(D)	4	(D)	20 to 49	12	370	32	
50 to 99	–	–	–	–	50 to 99	4	280	28	
100 to 199	1	(D)	–	–	100 to 199	–	–	–	
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	–	–	–	
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	–	–	–	

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	66	1 426
	1969	79	1 435
Beef heifers	1974	60	1 236
Milk heifers	1974	10	190
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	71	921
	1969	78	992

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	12	169	42
	1969	2	44	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	8	28	8
10 to 19	1974	1	15	3
20 to 49	1974	2	70	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	56	(D)
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	73	2 475	23	1 662	45	2 331	23	1 416	101
	1969	112	1 323	19	632	39	1 847	14	886	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	32	63	1	4	6	17	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	6	36	2	12	6	48	1	6	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	13	191	3	49	14	207	9	139	9
25 to 49	1974	10	316	6	201	10	329	7	247	15
50 to 99	1974	6	386	6	386	5	318	3	210	23
100 to 199	1974	3	472	3	(D)	1	150	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	3	1 011	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	461	7	168	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	647	5	211	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	254	1	86	2	108	1	57	(NA)
	1969	1	244	–	–	1	70	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	57	[1]501
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	2
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	85	270	21	92	7	16	5	14	8
	1969	131	317	(NA)	(NA)	4	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	15	204
	1969	10	69
Other hogs and pigs	1974	23	1 458
	1969	17	563
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	40
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	39
Rams and wethers	1974	1	7

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	31	374	15	202
	1969	28	227	10	73
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	27	172	14	83
	1969	25	106	9	34
June 1 and November 30	1974	26	202	14	119
	1969	21	121	9	39

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	72	(X)	23	(X)	15	(X)	14	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	70	201 978	23	199 151	15	233 319	14	230 634
	1969	138	194 475	27	187 728	23	173 255	18	160 123
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	67	171 788	23	169 145	15	113 199	14	(D)
	1969	128	193 621	27	187 719	23	169 205	18	160 123
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	54	1 065	11	222	2	12	2	12
100 to 399	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 700	2	1 700	3	3 081	3	3 081
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	18 235	3	18 235
10,000 to 19,999	1974	5	85 500	5	85 500	4	57 670	4	57 670
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	9	65	2	30	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	186	–	–	3	136 500	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	1 799	16	1 772
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	1 387

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	23	169 145	14	(D)
	1969	27	187 719	18	160 123
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	23	169 121	14	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	24	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	1	6	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	(D)	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	149	149	1 265	1 843	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	23	34	400	250	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	32	20	612	215	11 085	4 439
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	8	2	7	1 200	2 610
Wheat (bushels)	24	17	168	157	4 264	3 780
Other small grains for grain	25	23	217	301	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	11	16	83	240	49	221
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	15	(NA)	13	(NA)	558	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	10	(NA)	3	(NA)	755	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	174	175	2 894	1 754	4 298	2 405
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	55	36	302	129	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	23	37	121	162	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	6	11	8	7	(X)	(X)
Other crops	16	(NA)	134	189	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	31	23	463	734	25 165	42 753	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	7	10	264	60	3 058	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	–	6	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	10	2	128	69	6 342	3 143	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	146	86	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	4	76	64	167	114	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	79	6 681	(X)	–	–	29	2 081	29	509	1	10
	1969	72	4 782	(X)	–	–	49	3 176	49	996	7	70
Improved pasture	1974	37	2 405	(X)	–	–	16	949	16	184	1	25
	1969	14	932	(X)	–	–	7	324	7	81	–	–
Corn for all purposes	1974	32	479	(X)	–	–	25	417	25	113	11	36
	1969	25	998	(X)	–	–	19	763	18	195	4	72
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	15	274	(X)	–	–	9	162	9	53	3	15
	1969	5	155	(X)	–	–	4	152	4	41	1	9
Wheat (bushels)	1974	8	81	1 934	–	–	7	75	5	15	2	5
	1969	4	40	980	–	–	3	36	(NA)	10	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	1974	12	107	3 675	–	–	10	100	10	26	–	–
	1969	7	77	4 110	–	–	4	27	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	61	4 250	–	–	2	61	(NA)	12	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	4	40	–	–	1	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	17	429	7 434	–	–	13	347	13	58	–	–
	1969	8	159	3 274	–	–	2	43	(NA)	7	(NA)	1
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	1	170	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	66	1 859	2 890	–	–	19	459	19	131	3	20
	1969	44	832	1 145	–	–	22	442	21	124	2	10
Field seed crops	1974	2	18	(X)	–	–	1	8	1	2	–	–
	1969	5	102	(X)	–	–	4	82	4	14	1	5
Cotton (bales)	1974	1	35	14	–	–	1	35	1	8	–	–
	1969	3	90	97	–	–	1	80	(NA)	35	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	10	400	–	–	1	10	1	5	–	–
	1969	4	1	57	–	–	2	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	13	234	(X)	–	–	8	55	8	22	–	–
	1969	8	66	(X)	–	–	8	66	8	26	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	4	39	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	21	(X)	–	–	2	21	2	6	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	3	3	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	4	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	8	103	(X)	3	9	4	100	4	48	–	–
1969	2	47	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	(Z)	1	1
Other crops 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	97	87
$1,000	191	127
Commercial fertilizer—farms	84	70
acres on which used	4 798	5 290
tons	1 285	1 730
$1,000	167	111
Lime—farms	17	21
acres on which used	889	1 007
tons	810	1 006
$1,000	11	7
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	3	2
acres on which used	94	24
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	9	8
acres on which used	136	134
$1,000	3	1
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	3	2
acres on which used	13	22
$1,000	1	(Z)
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	14	13
acres on which used	582	550
$1,000	4	4
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	5	5
acres on which used	118	100
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land—farms	–	(NA)
acres on which used	–	(NA)
$1,000	–	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	–
acres on which used	6	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	8	35
$1,000	3	3
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	10	(NA)
$1,000	1	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	3	1
Proportion of farms—percent	2.3	0.9
Total land irrigated—acres	9	3
Average per farm—acres	3.0	3.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	3	1
acres	9	3
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	3	1
acres	9	3
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	21	6
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	2.3	2.0
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	3	(NA)
acres	9	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	195	22
Cropland—acres	107	3
Harvested cropland—acres	78	3
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	3	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	41	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	3	4
Proportion of farms—percent	2.3	3.7
Land in farms with drainage—acres	790	1 529
Land drained—acres	56	399
Average per farm—acres	18.7	99.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	16	(NA)
number	34	(NA)
acres	89	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	26	20	10
$1,000	743	389	354
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	4	5	5
$5,000 to $9,999	6	3	1
$10,000 to $29,999	8	7	1
$30,000 to $49,999	5	4	1
$50,000 and over	3	1	2

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	13	23	50	47	202	164
25 to 149 days	16	61	31	150	22	
Less than 25 days	16		62		7	
Total contract labor	13	11	(NA)	(NA)	25	34
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	18	(NA)	9	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	38	13	16	16
Cash wages paid $1,000	230	202	22	7
Number of workers	143	50	31	62
Farms with—				
1 worker	17	6	10	6
2 workers	11	3	4	5
3 or 4 workers	5	2	1	1
5 to 9 workers	1	–	–	2
10 workers and over	4	2	1	2

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	408	530	181	163
Land in farms — acres	89 450	100 156	64 532	66 013
Average size of farm — acres	219	189	357	405
Approximate land area — acres	478 848	478 848	478 848	478 848
Proportion in farms — percent	18.7	20.9	13.5	13.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	91 008	39 839	66 049	26 780
Average per farm — dollars	223 060	75 167	364 914	164 294
Average per acre — dollars	1 017	398	1 024	406
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	21	22	8	3
10 to 49 acres	120	169	36	16
50 to 69 acres	48	49	15	12
70 to 99 acres	53	84	16	23
100 to 139 acres	48	55	25	14
140 to 179 acres	24	31	9	12
180 to 219 acres	12	23	6	9
220 to 259 acres	16	11	9	7
260 to 499 acres	21	35	20	25
500 to 999 acres	24	32	20	27
1,000 to 1,999 acres	13	15	11	12
2,000 acres and over	8	4	6	3

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	28	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	2 347	3 471
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	9	16
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	234	1 294
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	9
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	1 098	115
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	8
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	12	337
Cropland idle — farms	13	42
Cropland idle — acres	1 003	1 725
Total woodland — farms	98	105
Total woodland — acres	18 166	23 019
Woodland pastured — farms	52	47
Woodland pastured — acres	3 774	6 417

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	369	497	163	154
Total cropland — acres	45 277	50 907	38 256	38 452
Harvested cropland — farms	323	415	154	142
Harvested cropland — acres	36 200	35 609	33 541	30 355
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	75	127	13	
10 to 19 acres	87	89	10	46
20 to 29 acres	35	48	15	
30 to 49 acres	29	42	23	
50 to 99 acres	33	45	31	35
100 to 199 acres	23	23	22	21
200 to 499 acres	25	24	24	24
500 to 999 acres	10	14	10	13
1,000 acres and over	6	3	6	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	152	231	48	66
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	5 565	8 950	2 368	4 626
Other cropland (see text) — farms	74	188	28	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	3 512	6 348	2 347	3 471
Total woodland — farms	236	326	98	105
Total woodland — acres	31 765	38 382	18 166	23 019
Other land (see text) — farms	271	341	112	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	12 408	10 867	8 110	4 542
Irrigated land — farms	13	6	5	3
Irrigated land — acres	126	125	46	107

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	69	80
Woodland not pastured — acres	14 392	16 602
Other land — farms	112	(NA)
Other land — acres	8 110	4 542
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	24	22
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	4 481	1 288
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	12	16
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	587	878
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	18	9
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	3 894	410
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	105	94
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	3 629	3 254

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	408	530	181	163
Land in farms — acres	89 450	100 156	64 532	66 013
Harvested cropland — acres	36 200	35 609	33 541	30 355
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	248	369	89	87
Land in farms — acres	46 443	57 643	26 883	31 669
Harvested cropland — acres	10 434	10 786	8 674	7 593
Part owners — number	137	124	79	60
Land in farms — acres	40 049	37 833	35 438	31 624
Harvested cropland — acres	23 961	21 861	23 090	20 140
Tenants — number	23	37	13	16
Land in farms — acres	2 958	4 680	2 211	2 720
Harvested cropland — acres	1 805	2 962	1 777	2 622
Percent of tenancy	5.6	6.9	7.2	9.8
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	96	161	45	24
Land in farms — acres	9 284	8 481	7 289	3 339
Harvested cropland — acres	3 945	3 879	3 316	2 086
Full owners — number	41	105	13	9
Land in farms — acres	4 590	5 447	3 383	2 211
Harvested cropland — acres	776	2 007	453	1 084
Part owners — number	52	40	31	11
Land in farms — acres	4 634	2 418	3 856	908
Harvested cropland — acres	3 169	1 458	2 863	787
Tenants — number	3	16	1	4
Land in farms — acres	60	616	50	220
Harvested cropland — acres	–	414	–	215
Percent of tenancy	3.1	9.9	2.2	16.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	164	143
Individual or family — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	54 710	54 504

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	7	12
Partnership — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 616	6 354
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	9	2
Corporation — land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 203	1 715
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	6
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	3	3 440
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	3	9	2	4
25 to 34 years	25	41	9	12
35 to 44 years	56	84	20	30
45 to 54 years	107	156	56	46
55 to 64 years	102	112	42	37
65 years and over	100	128	42	34
Average age	54.6	53.3	54.8	52.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	245	367	97	108
On another farm	8		6	
In a rural area, not on a farm	15	107	12	40
In a city, town, or urban area	39		22	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	110	(NA)	65	(NA)
1 to 49 days	19	32	5	11
50 to 99 days	15	25	7	3
100 to 149 days	3	58	2	8
150 to 199 days	28		17	
200 days and over	161	207	40	54
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	163	(NA)	97	(NA)
Other	230	(NA)	74	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	17	19	15	19
$40,000 to $99,999	24		23	
$20,000 to $39,999	20	19	19	19
$10,000 to $19,999	20	27	20	27
$5,000 to $9,999	40	40	40	40
$2,500 to $4,999	51	49	51	45
Under $2,500 (see text)	236	376	13	13
$2,000 to $2,499	23	30	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	46	42	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	62	57	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	105	247	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000)	8 911	4 964	8 208	4 205
Average per farm (dollars)	21 841	9 366	45 350	25 800
Crops, including hay (farms)	254	338	135	(NA)
($1,000)	4 306	1 872	4 162	1 655
Nursery and greenhouse products (farms)	12		10	4
($1,000)	132		131	36
Forest products (farms)	44	51	23	24
($1,000)	138	105	82	63
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	232	265	93	105
($1,000)	4 335	2 988	3 833	2 452
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	34	(NA)	15	24
($1,000)	2 193	(NA)	2 023	1 043

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops (farms)	135	(NA)
($1,000)	4 162	1 655
Grains (farms)	123	101
($1,000)	3 727	1 362
Tobacco (farms)	–	–
($1,000)	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed (farms)	9	37
($1,000)	302	232
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage (farms)	15	22
($1,000)	118	31
Other field crops (farms)	3	7
($1,000)	4	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons (farms)	8	9
($1,000)	11	16
Fruits, nuts, and berries (farms)	–	3
($1,000)	–	5
Livestock, poultry, and their products (farms)	93	105
($1,000)	3 833	2 452
Poultry and poultry products (farms)	15	24
($1,000)	2 023	1 043
Dairy products (farms)	5	13
($1,000)	1 170	911
Cattle and calves (farms)	56	(NA)
($1,000)	469	273
Hogs and pigs (farms)	43	(NA)
($1,000)	87	224
Sheep, lambs, and wool (farms)	–	
($1,000)	–	
Other livestock and livestock products (farms)	10	
($1,000)	84	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	234	(NA)	57	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] (farms)	72	(NA)	34	(NA)
($1,000)	171	(NA)	149	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services (farms)	24	28	12	7
($1,000)	113	19	107	9
Recreational services (farms)	6	15	3	6
($1,000)	11	11	3	9
Government farm programs (farms)	35	210	15	75
($1,000)	30	316	24	253
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments (farms)	12	(NA)	8	(NA)
($1,000)	15	(NA)	13	(NA)
Other farm-related sources (farms)	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
($1,000)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] (farms)	23	(NA)	13	(NA)
($1,000)	25	(NA)	17	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] (farms)	99
($1,000)	1 431
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related (farms)	15
($1,000)	195
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips (farms)	70
($1,000)	813
Interest, dividends, or royalties (farms)	29
($1,000)	239
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. (farms)	28
($1,000)	92
Rent income of nonfarm property (farms)	10
($1,000)	92

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses (farms)	408	530	181	163
($1,000)	7 343	4 405	6 603	3 693
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	131	236	18	14
$1,000 to $1,999	77	99	13	
$2,000 to $2,999	47	40	20	18
$3,000 to $4,999	49	44	36	26
$5,000 to $9,999	37	48	32	46
$10,000 to $19,999	14	63	13	20
$20,000 to $39,999	17		17	20
$40,000 to $59,999	16		14	19
$60,000 and over	20		18	
Livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	158	158	53	60
($1,000)	896	388	832	285
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased (farms)	259	285	91	88
($1,000)	1 734	1 023	1 496	852
Commercially mixed formula feeds (farms)	158	160	68	72
($1,000)	1 534	879	1 349	753
Feed ingredients (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	32	13
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	101	8
Whole grains (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	33	27
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	43	45
Hay, green chop, and silage (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	8	17
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	3	46
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	42	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased (farms)	216	313	109	110
($1,000)	227	103	213	87
Commercial fertilizer purchased (farms)	294	398	117	137
($1,000)	1 073	536	980	462
Other agricultural chemicals purchased (farms)	138	(NA)	70	(NA)
($1,000)	425	170	416	160
Lime (farms)	(NA)	82	22	38
($1,000)	(NA)	23	121	20
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business (farms)	390	498	172	162
($1,000)	377	279	330	214
Gasoline (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	156	148
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	155	117
Diesel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	105	79
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	120	51
LP gas, butane, and propane (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	5	21
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	8	19
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil (farms)	(NA)	(NA)	172	162
($1,000)	(NA)	(NA)	47	27
Hired farm labor (farms)	117	226	77	126
($1,000)	762	720	639	608
Contract labor (farms)	12	66	6	11
($1,000)	4		3	13
Machine hire and customwork (farms)	109		53	55
($1,000)	37		28	37
All other production expenses (farms)	351	399	174	159
($1,000)	1 808	1 118	1 623	974

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	391	489	168	158
$1,000	6 895	4 069	5 026	2 645
Average per farm—dollars	17 634	8 320	29 919	16 741
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	1	53	1	48
$1,000 to $4,999	118	255	40	
$5,000 to $9,999	115	79	21	38
$10,000 to $19,999	77	46	40	26
$20,000 to $29,999	29	56	25	17
$30,000 to $49,999	25		19	15
$50,000 to $69,999	14		11	14
$70,000 and over	12		11	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	282	324	127	108
number	391	462	184	163
mfd in last 5 years, number	193	261	117	116
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	300	328	125	130
number	483	508	275	271
mfd in last 5 years, number	132	221	92	113
Wheel tractors—farms	329	388	143	137
number	562	694	336	353
mfd in last 5 years, number	128	278	100	175
Crawler tractors—farms	22		14	15
number	26		18	23
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	73	78	64	57
number	94	98	85	76
mfd in last 5 years, number	41	54	37	43
Corn heads for combines—farms	27	35	26	23
number	34	59	33	40
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	37	15	31
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	24		16	10
number	24		16	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		–	3
Mower conditioners—farms	40	(NA)	20	(NA)
number	42	(NA)	20	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	41	67	24	40
number	43	70	26	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	25	5	19
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	17	(NA)	12	17
number	17	(NA)	12	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	10
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	12	(NA)	8	11
number	12	(NA)	8	15
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	(NA)	5	11

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	282	(X)	104	(X)	232	(X)	93	(X)	3 833
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	243	(X)	89	(X)	206	(X)	83	(X)	556
1969	301	(X)	96	(X)	240	(X)	91	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	190	6 824	62	4 449	149	3 582	56	2 821	469
1969	234	7 022	82	4 729	191	3 089	75	2 063	273
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	23	50	6	9	50	129	13	21	5
5 to 9—1974	38	268	8	49	39	259	4	29	6
10 to 19—1974	57	789	10	144	30	348	12	132	28
20 to 49—1974	41	1 229	15	526	16	509	14	460	92
50 to 99—1974	18	1 099	12	721	7	398	7	398	61
100 to 199—1974	6	810	5	627	4	589	3	431	96
200 to 499—1974	6	(D)	5	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	161	3 201	49	1 889	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	181	3 256	70	2 362	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	138	2 197	41	1 060	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	1 899	51	1 136	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	48	1 004	13	829	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	59	1 357	25	1 226	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	1 170
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	911

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	138	2 197	41	1 060			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	39	110	6	13			
5 to 9	28	179	7	47			
10 to 19	41	566	10	147			
20 to 49	21	591	12	359			
50 to 99	6	339	4	(D)			
100 to 199	3	412	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	48	1 004	13	829			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	25	37	7	11			
3 or 4	13	46	1	3			
5 to 9	5	33	1	5			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	2	(D)	1	(D)			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold	49	1 873	400				
Farms with—							
1 to 4	12	23	7				
5 to 9	5	35	9				
10 to 19	10	108	26				
20 to 49	14	451	106				
50 to 99	4	231	61				
100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)				
200 to 499	–	–	–				
500 and over	1	(D)	(D)				
Calves sold	26	948	70				
Farms with—							
1 or 2	6	7	1				
3 or 4	1	4	1				
5 to 9	6	43	5				
10 to 19	5	69	10				
20 to 49	4	141	16				
50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)				
100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)				
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)				
500 and over	–	–	–				

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	37	1 150
	1969	49	1 045
Beef heifers	1974	32	810
Milk heifers	1974	5	340
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	50	1 410
	1969	65	1 322

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	10	293	90
	1969	7	120	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	4	11	3
10 to 19	1974	2	22	8
20 to 49	1974	3	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	121	1 725	48	921	87	3 011	43	1 899	87
	1969	153	3 207	49	1 128	110	5 007	44	1 863	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	50	133	14	38	23	37	9	15	1
5 to 9	1974	21	142	13	78	25	164	7	50	2
10 to 24	1974	35	438	10	125	15	250	5	68	4
25 to 49	1974	7	238	5	180	10	376	10	376	19
50 to 99	1974	5	358	4	280	5	358	5	358	16
100 to 199	1974	3	416	2	220	7	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	869	15	783	16
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	612	5	314	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	2	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	8	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	16	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	80	530	33	388	13	62	9	48	80
	1969	92	715	(NA)	(NA)	18	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	32	150
	1969	35	212
Other hogs and pigs	1974	45	771
	1969	42	916
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	64	311	34	230
	1969	96	647	36	256
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	56	157	30	111
	1969	85	348	32	129
June 1 and November 30	1974	51	154	30	119
	1969	73	299	32	127

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	95	(X)	30	(X)	19	(X)	9	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	32	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	87	169 416	25	(D)	16	167 920	7	158 595
	1969	102	164 579	28	148 520	23	142 756	18	125 893
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	85	168 865	25	(D)	14	(D)	5	(D)
	1969	92	142 687	27	126 992	23	142 756	18	125 893
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	73	1 777	18	363	8	170	–	–
100 to 399	1974	6	1 475	2	235	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	3	2 000	3	2 000	2	1 100	2	1 100
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	9	44 512	3	44 409	3	253 834	3	253 834
	1969	12	70 072	3	70 000	4	284 000	4	284 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	2 193	15	2 023
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	24	1 043

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	25	(D)	5	(D)
	1969	27	126 992	18	125 893
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	20	(D)	4	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	10	3 685	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	49	2	(D)
	1969	4	21 523	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	11	391	1	245
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	61 500	–	–
Turkeys	1974	2	5	–	–
	1969	2	56	1	50
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	3	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	2	3	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	2	–	–
	1969	1	6	–	–
Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	8	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	148	183	6 693	6 480	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	19	13	450	306	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	176	198	23 268	20 643	519 237	451 047
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	11	9	11	9	5 294	5 090
Wheat (bushels)	42	86	3 646	4 105	110 841	149 105
Other small grains for grain	63	60	1 258	2 709	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	9	102	1 484	2 884	1 419	2 039
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	84	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	20	(NA)	14	(NA)	1 973	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	101	129	1 911	2 625	3 850	5 202
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	18	34	117	159	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	19	26	113	170	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	13	(NA)	31	236	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	58	49	5 101	3 495	245 857	187 579	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	8	5	855	1 568	11 380	18 515	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	2	26	104	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	11	5	136	54	2 558	2 040	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	275	230	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	1	84	12	(D)	12	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	48	2 368	(X)	–	–	18	1 116	15	142	4	97
	1969	66	4 626	(X)	1	60	41	2 814	40	786	4	94
Improved pasture	1974	12	587	(X)	–	–	7	360	4	55	3	17
	1969	16	878	(X)	–	–	10	459	10	107	2	6
Corn for all purposes	1974	63	5 982	(X)	–	–	49	4 733	47	1 482	14	184
	1969	51	5 167	(X)	–	–	39	4 884	39	1 939	10	523
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	13	411	(X)	–	–	9	379	4	89	6	30
	1969	7	284	(X)	–	–	5	211	4	25	1	2
Wheat (bushels)	1974	34	3 574	108 714	–	–	26	3 226	26	829	9	97
	1969	52	3 840	143 081	–	–	42	3 593	(NA)	846	(NA)	117
Oats (bushels)	1974	16	464	24 200	–	–	11	389	9	103	5	18
	1969	30	1 104	60 444	–	–	21	770	(NA)	216	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	1974	18	457	15 181	–	–	10	303	10	49	3	6
	1969	13	1 233	50 839	–	–	11	733	(NA)	193	(NA)	5
Rye (bushels)	1974	5	35	844	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	6	84	2 420	–	–	5	79	(NA)	11	(NA)	6
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	20	(X)	–	–	1	20	1	6	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	105	22 452	505 369	–	–	54	15 917	53	2 785	3	10
	1969	90	18 666	417 235	–	–	46	11 195	(NA)	2 206	(NA)	89
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	1 950	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	35	1 207	2 774	1	40	13	522	8	125	8	76
	1969	48	1 708	3 620	–	–	21	896	21	244	2	18
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	97	(X)	–	–	1	33	1	10	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	9	1 484	1 419	–	–	9	1 484	8	356	2	78
	1969	38	2 582	1 881	–	–	36	2 572	(NA)	790	(NA)	405
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	1	30	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	9	1 219	–	–	1	9	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	9	47	(X)	–	–	5	24	5	5	–	–
	1969	10	47	(X)	1	4	7	39	7	19	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	1	1	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–
	1969	8	88	(X)	1	34	6	82	6	24	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land: Farms	Irrigated land: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Total: Acres	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Dry: Tons	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Farms	Commercial fertilizer used: Liquid: Tons
Berries for sale	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	10	20	(X)	4	5	5	17	5	5	1	(Z)
	1969	4	12	(X)	2	8	2	8	2	6	–	–
Other crops	1974	4	11	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	127	146
	$1,000	1 397	622
Commercial fertilizer	farms	117	131
	acres on which used	28 495	27 079
	tons	6 642	7 890
	$1,000	980	462
Lime	farms	22	38
	acres on which used	6 747	3 401
	tons	8 893	3 147
	$1,000	121	20
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			
Insects on hay crops	farms	2	4
	acres on which used	100	55
	$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops	farms	18	55
	acres on which used	6 733	7 312
	$1,000	103	66
Nematodes in crops	farms	3	3
	acres on which used	1 066	194
	$1,000	11	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1	2
	acres on which used	839	68
	$1,000	5	1
Weeds or grass in crops	farms	44	51
	acres on which used	21 661	14 004
	$1,000	166	64
Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	3	7
	acres on which used	55	321
	$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Weeds on all other land	farms	1	(NA)
	acres on which used	1	(NA)
	$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	3	13
	acres on which used	1 356	970
	$1,000	4	3
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	6	16
	$1,000	2	1
Other chemicals (see text)	farms	15	(NA)
	$1,000	3	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	5	3
Proportion of farms	percent	2.8	1.8
Total land irrigated	acres	46	107
Average per farm	acres	9.2	35.6
Cropland irrigated	farms	5	3
	acres	46	107
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	5	2
	acres	46	47
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	–	1
	acres	–	60
Other cropland irrigated	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	–	–
	acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	28	54
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.6	0.5
Land irrigated by—			
Furrows or ditches	farms	–	(NA)
	acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued			
Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	4	(NA)
	acres	45	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems	farms	1	(NA)
	acres	1	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms	acres	922	1 923
Cropland	acres	582	1 027
Harvested cropland	acres	110	648
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms	–	(X)
	acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage	farms	20	35
Proportion of farms	percent	11.0	21.4
Land in farms with drainage	acres	18 556	22 045
Land drained	acres	7 823	9 396
Average per farm	acres	391.2	268.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms	25	(NA)
	number	51	(NA)
	acres	129	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	60	37	37
	$1,000	7 047	5 930	1 117
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under $5,000		16	8	14
$5,000 to $9,999		11	2	13
$10,000 to $29,999		14	11	4
$30,000 to $49,999		4	5	2
$50,000 and over		15	11	4

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms: 1974	Farms: 1969	Workers: 1974	Workers: 1969	Dollars (1,000): 1974	Dollars (1,000): 1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	39	53	107	145	521	608
25 to 149 days	20	98	114	454	99	
Less than 25 days	42		309		19	
Total contract labor	6	11	(NA)	(NA)	3	13
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	2	(NA)	1	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—: 150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	77	39	20	42
Cash wages paid $1,000	639	521	99	19
Number of workers	530	107	114	309
Farms with—				
1 worker	29	18	6	19
2 workers	6	8	4	5
3 or 4 workers	19	7	4	5
5 to 9 workers	11	4	4	6
10 workers and over	12	2	2	7

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	700	822	317	299
Land in farms — acres	139 844	144 788	105 641	93 145
Average size of farm — acres	200	176	333	312
Approximate land area — acres	293 120	293 120	293 120	293 120
Proportion in farms — percent	47.7	49.4	36.0	31.8
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	57 637	31 729	44 115	20 652
Average per farm — dollars	82 339	38 599	139 164	69 068
Average per acre — dollars	412	219	418	222
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	19	24	8	7
10 to 49 acres	118	155	16	20
50 to 69 acres	78	107	10	16
70 to 99 acres	98	126	29	25
100 to 139 acres	91	101	33	38
140 to 179 acres	86	95	49	39
180 to 219 acres	46	37	31	22
220 to 259 acres	40	42	27	21
260 to 499 acres	64	67	54	49
500 to 999 acres	39	54	39	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres	20	13	20	13
2,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	634	751	286	280
acres	66 492	68 251	50 990	49 917
Harvested cropland — farms	481	523	254	244
acres	34 030	27 361	30 895	24 104
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	95	188	6	
10 to 19 acres	113	77	29	120
20 to 29 acres	62	74	22	
30 to 49 acres	58	59	48	
50 to 99 acres	73	63	69	62
100 to 199 acres	38	30	38	30
200 to 499 acres	32	23	32	23
500 to 999 acres	9	8	9	8
1,000 acres and over	1	1	1	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	456	552	177	205
acres	28 893	33 260	17 852	21 236
Other cropland (see text) — farms	124	267	62	(NA)
acres	3 569	7 630	2 243	4 577
Total woodland — farms	523	677	241	251
acres	53 904	60 105	40 074	34 746
Other land (see text) — farms	495	550	245	(NA)
acres	19 448	16 432	14 577	8 482
Irrigated land — farms	2	8	–	8
acres	3	181	–	181

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	62	(NA)
acres	2 243	4 577
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	24	41
acres	1 181	2 184
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	10	11
acres	182	248
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	8	21
acres	362	622
Cropland idle — farms	25	49
acres	518	1 523
Total woodland — farms	241	251
acres	40 074	34 746
Woodland pastured — farms	158	173
acres	13 414	14 786

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	172	169
acres	26 660	19 960
Other land — farms	245	(NA)
acres	14 577	8 482
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	106	76
acres	9 960	5 593
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	77	60
acres	6 260	4 450
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	39	30
acres	3 700	1 143
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	201	198
acres	4 617	2 889

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	700	822	317	299
Land in farms — acres	139 844	144 788	105 641	93 145
Harvested cropland — acres	34 030	27 361	30 895	24 104
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	506	634	183	174
Land in farms — acres	73 766	85 258	44 843	39 707
Harvested cropland — acres	11 284	8 714	8 945	6 046
Part owners — number	169	156	125	115
Land in farms — acres	63 171	57 182	58 873	52 189
Harvested cropland — acres	21 671	17 839	20 978	17 502
Tenants — number	25	32	9	10
Land in farms — acres	2 907	2 348	1 925	1 249
Harvested cropland — acres	1 075	808	972	556
Percent of tenancy	3.6	3.8	2.8	3.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	43	78	10	18
Land in farms — acres	4 135	6 244	1 885	2 511
Harvested cropland — acres	1 157	1 267	885	723
Full owners — number	35	64	4	14
Land in farms — acres	2 631	5 037	440	1 675
Harvested cropland — acres	519	807	276	435
Part owners — number	7	3	6	1
Land in farms — acres	1 464	746	1 445	684
Harvested cropland — acres	621	250	609	250
Tenants — number	1	11	–	3
Land in farms — acres	40	461	–	152
Harvested cropland — acres	17	210	–	38
Percent of tenancy	2.3	14.1	–	16.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	282	251
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	87 334	70 284

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	29	43
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	12 892	21 124
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	1
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 415	109
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	4
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 628
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	5	6	1	2
25 to 34 years	58	75	28	27
35 to 44 years	108	128	51	52
45 to 54 years	165	201	91	70
55 to 64 years	163	209	72	94
65 years and over	195	203	68	54
Average age	54.8	54.1	53.4	53.1
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	464	580	223	233
On another farm	13		6	
In a rural area, not on a farm	19	124	5	37
In a city, town, or urban area	54		25	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	224	(NA)	130	(NA)
1 to 49 days	25	37	4	18
50 to 99 days	17	41	6	13
100 to 149 days	19		10	
150 to 199 days	45	54	26	12
200 days and over	267	357	71	79
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	323	(NA)	204	(NA)
Other	371	(NA)	107	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	57	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over — farms	36	61	36	61
$40,000 to $99,999 — farms	50		50	
$20,000 to $39,999 — farms	29	45	29	45
$10,000 to $19,999 — farms	45	41	45	41
$5,000 to $9,999 — farms	69	59	69	59
$2,500 to $4,999 — farms	80	89	80	89
Under $2,500 (see text) — farms	391	527	8	4
$2,000 to $2,499 — farms	39	46	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999 — farms	83	60	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499 — farms	73	73	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text) — farms	196	348	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold — $1,000	12 201	8 402	11 805	7 991
Average per farm — dollars	17 429	10 221	37 240	26 726
Crops, including hay — farms	307	315	192	(NA)
$1,000	3 995	1 856	3 893	1 773
Nursery and greenhouse products — farms	–		–	1
$1,000	–		–	(D)
Forest products — farms	78	77	62	52
$1,000	408	150	397	136
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	580	630	275	267
$1,000	7 797	6 396	7 515	6 082
Poultry and poultry products — farms	38	(NA)	33	51
$1,000	2 923	(NA)	2 922	2 771

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops — farms	192	(NA)
$1,000	3 893	1 773
Grains — farms	169	127
$1,000	1 911	533
Tobacco — farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed — farms	37	60
$1,000	803	425
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage — farms	37	50
$1,000	135	93
Other field crops — farms	–	4
$1,000	–	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons — farms	7	9
$1,000	32	16
Fruits, nuts, and berries — farms	20	24
$1,000	1 012	682
Livestock, poultry, and their products — farms	275	267
$1,000	7 515	6 082
Poultry and poultry products — farms	33	51
$1,000	2 922	2 771
Dairy products — farms	38	69
$1,000	3 117	2 162
Cattle and calves — farms	253	(NA)
$1,000	1 323	1 020
Hogs and pigs — farms	27	(NA)
$1,000	153	128
Sheep, lambs, and wool — farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products — farms	–	
$1,000	–	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] — farms	371	(NA)	95	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] — farms	210	(NA)	118	(NA)
$1,000	314	(NA)	290	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services — farms	50	53	41	39
$1,000	193	112	188	104
Recreational services — farms	4	8	4	5
$1,000	1	27	1	11
Government farm programs — farms	176	376	98	162
$1,000	86	531	69	454
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments — farms	20	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	10	(NA)	9	(NA)
Other farm-related sources — farms	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)	24	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] — farms	69	(NA)	42	(NA)
$1,000	106	(NA)	98	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] — farms	190
$1,000	2 177
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related — farms	43
$1,000	428
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips — farms	125
$1,000	1 476
Interest, dividends, or royalties — farms	89
$1,000	170
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. — farms	42
$1,000	91
Rent income of nonfarm property — farms	14
$1,000	11

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses — farms	700	822	317	299
$1,000	10 347	7 500	9 850	6 925
Farms with —				
$1 to $999	208	315	7	28
$1,000 to $1,999	135	157	22	
$2,000 to $2,999	61	91	19	35
$3,000 to $4,999	58	58	44	39
$5,000 to $9,999	94	58	81	54
$10,000 to $19,999	33	143	33	53
$20,000 to $39,999	45		45	38
$40,000 to $59,999	19		19	52
$60,000 and over	47		47	
Livestock and poultry purchased — farms	231	342	139	161
$1,000	946	951	895	866
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased — farms	497	536	235	229
$1,000	3 659	2 547	3 566	2 468
Commercially mixed formula feeds — farms	361	339	214	182
$1,000	3 436	2 095	3 396	2 055
Feed ingredients — farms	(NA)	(NA)	73	47
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	128
Whole grains — farms	(NA)	(NA)	63	53
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	84	234
Hay, green chop, and silage — farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	51
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry — farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	69	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased — farms	296	367	175	169
$1,000	155	79	146	68
Commercial fertilizer purchased — farms	587	661	272	261
$1,000	1 459	795	1 308	678
Other agricultural chemicals purchased — farms	260	(NA)	176	(NA)
$1,000	416	209	407	199
Lime — farms	(NA)	152	73	96
$1,000	(NA)	34	71	29
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business — farms	674	809	313	299
$1,000	482	365	420	280
Gasoline — farms	(NA)	(NA)	281	287
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	199	160
Diesel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	207	123
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	148	61
LP gas, butane, and propane — farms	(NA)	(NA)	15	39
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	29
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil — farms	(NA)	(NA)	313	299
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	66	29
Hired farm labor — farms	211	361	144	193
$1,000	831	724	819	693
Contract labor — farms	24	283	14	19
$1,000	82	229	71	52
Machine hire and customwork — farms	228		133	143
$1,000	149		138	154
All other production expenses — farms	571	633	316	296
$1,000	2 169	1 604	2 011	1 467

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	669	788	301	295
$1,000	10 481	5 353	7 679	3 749
Average per farm—dollars	15 666	6 793	25 513	12 708
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	9	94	1	127
$1,000 to $4,999	167	435	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	208	121	69	48
$10,000 to $19,999	148	75	74	61
$20,000 to $29,999	55	63	43	31
$30,000 to $49,999	43		40	11
$50,000 to $69,999	21		21	17
$70,000 and over	18		18	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	524	639	240	234
number	750	881	395	357
mfd in last 5 years, number	292	494	208	218
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	553	557	273	249
number	788	762	483	431
mfd in last 5 years, number	240	372	192	212
Wheel tractors—farms	582	646	284	259
number	1 090	1 118	704	608
mfd in last 5 years, number	241	382	215	229
Crawler tractors—farms	30		20	16
number	32		22	18
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	3

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	91	67	82	53
number	97	73	88	59
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	52	18	45
Corn heads for combines—farms	17	33	15	10
number	17	38	15	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	16	6	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	28		23	22
number	29		23	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	7
Mower conditioners—farms	106	(NA)	89	(NA)
number	110	(NA)	93	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	46	(NA)	44	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	155	148	117	109
number	159	151	120	112
mfd in last 5 years, number	54	65	51	55
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	72	(NA)	53	49
number	73	(NA)	54	52
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	18	27
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	38	(NA)	30	35
number	46	(NA)	37	38
mfd in last 5 years, number	20	(NA)	18	23

Table 7. Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	597	(X)	269	(X)	580	(X)	275	(X)	7 515
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	581	(X)	257	(X)	564	(X)	261	(X)	1 475
1969	668	(X)	246	(X)	601	(X)	248	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	567	29 918	249	22 935	552	11 010	253	8 843	1 323
1969	638	21 974	237	16 339	572	10 945	238	8 400	1 020
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	17	45	1	4	131	336	21	58	10
5 to 9—1974	40	277	3	23	133	898	36	257	39
10 to 19—1974	141	1 954	22	297	134	1 753	51	720	114
20 to 49—1974	192	5 964	68	2 327	107	3 116	98	2 901	468
50 to 99—1974	101	6 633	79	5 239	27	1 838	27	1 838	263
100 to 199—1974	45	6 194	45	6 194	16	2 129	16	2 129	272
200 to 499—1974	31	8 851	31	8 851	4	940	4	940	156
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	500	18 032	237	14 070	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	513	12 679	218	10 203	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	461	14 820	210	10 962	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 047	172	6 745	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	82	3 212	45	3 108	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	154	3 632	81	3 458	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)	3 117
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	69	(X)	2 162

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	461	14 820	210	10 962			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	32	92	4	12			
5 to 9	69	448	13	81			
10 to 19	123	1 696	27	378			
20 to 49	163	4 852	93	2 834			
50 to 99	47	3 072	46	2 997			
100 to 199	20	2 752	20	2 752			
200 to 499	7	1 908	7	1 908			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	82	3 212	45	3 108			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	24	38	5	7			
3 or 4	18	65	2	7			
5 to 9	3	16	2	11			
10 to 19	2	25	1	15			
20 to 49	8	300	8	300			
50 to 99	16	1 197	16	1 197			
100 to 199	9	(D)	9	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					167	4 054	814
Farms with—							
1 to 4					41	113	24
5 to 9					24	161	39
10 to 19					42	581	123
20 to 49					42	1 158	268
50 to 99					8	645	104
100 to 199					10	1 396	257
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					192	4 789	508
Farms with—							
1 or 2					8	13	1
3 or 4					15	47	6
5 to 9					33	220	23
10 to 19					56	789	93
20 to 49					53	1 572	180
50 to 99					20	1 253	119
100 to 199					7	895	86
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	178	5 022
	1969	172	3 480
Beef heifers	1974	154	3 189
Milk heifers	1974	43	1 833
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	179	3 843
	1969	203	2 656

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	12	322	68
	1969	3	45	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	2	11	3
10 to 19	1974	3	38	9
20 to 49	1974	4	80	18
50 to 99	1974	3	193	37
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	83	1 326	33	1 154	42	2 425	27	2 346	153
	1969	147	2 401	51	1 891	90	3 578	49	2 822	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	52	133	11	32	8	10	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	8	44	2	12	8	57	4	31	2
10 to 24	1974	9	119	6	80	8	116	5	73	4
25 to 49	1974	6	248	6	248	4	148	4	148	14
50 to 99	1974	5	332	5	332	7	486	7	486	21
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	524	4	524	26
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	1 084	3	1 084	87
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	602	12	580	12
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	673	11	453	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	12	2	8	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	37	(NA)	(NA)	1	18	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	72	153	25	62	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	76	174	(NA)	(NA)	9	21	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	18	173
	1969	31	230
Other hogs and pigs	1974	30	981
	1969	49	1 661
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	27	288	20	272
	1969	71	398	33	292
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	25	159	19	150
	1969	53	221	23	155
June 1 and November 30	1974	22	129	17	122
	1969	50	177	28	137

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	89	(X)	44	(X)	34	(X)	32	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	62	(X)	(NA)	(X)	51	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	76	216 273	31	215 241	20	321 834	18	321 759
	1969	127	273 866	51	271 826	40	401 352	36	401 062
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	72	186 787	28	185 927	16	225 309	15	225 284
	1969	112	223 542	44	221 637	34	174 352	30	174 062
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	57	987	15	327	1	25	–	–
100 to 399	1974	2	200	–	–	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	2	1 000	2	1 000	2	1 840	2	1 840
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	3	17 700	3	17 700	3	22 074	3	22 074
10,000 to 19,999	1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	6	74 520	6	74 520
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	15	197 751	13	197 724	15	1 011 874	15	1 011 874
	1969	18	378 662	12	378 614	16	1 796 518	16	1 796 518
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	38	2 923	33	2 922
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	51	2 771

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	28	185 927	15	225 284
	1969	44	221 637	30	174 062
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	27	(D)	12	160 534
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	(D)	3	64 750
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	27 501	3	90 000
	1969	4	50 100	6	227 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	6	1 813	3	6 475
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	23	1	8
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	–	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	205	200	3 641	2 552	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	68	59	2 563	1 622	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	201	169	13 559	9 352	278 369	214 323
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	4	4	4	3 428	5 400
Wheat (bushels)	60	78	1 322	763	42 768	24 929
Other small grains for grain	119	142	2 805	2 894	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	43	99	3 052	3 705	3 724	3 951
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	20	(NA)	4	(NA)	309	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	6	(NA)	872	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	332	297	7 685	5 733	14 007	10 138
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	9	22	60	98	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	37	31	2 100	1 361	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	1	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	8	(NA)	255	759	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	82	49	1 657	762	100 592	20 708	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	25	25	1 330	1 132	19 615	11 721	–	2	–	39
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	4	26	58	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	40	21	1 339	596	44 519	30 614	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	24	(NA)	1 111	968	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	6	2	130	48	266	150	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	177	17 852	(X)	–	–	112	10 381	89	1 601	38	838
	1969	205	21 236	(X)	–	–	160	14 427	141	3 466	51	873
Improved pasture	1974	77	6 260	(X)	–	–	45	3 378	34	568	15	415
	1969	60	4 450	(X)	–	–	38	2 946	36	836	10	97
Corn for all purposes	1974	97	3 013	(X)	–	–	85	2 451	73	758	29	291
	1969	71	1 952	(X)	2	39	63	1 831	59	520	18	209
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	55	2 450	(X)	–	–	39	1 531	31	429	14	213
	1969	45	1 564	(X)	–	–	41	1 508	39	448	16	168
Wheat (bushels)	1974	46	1 267	41 563	–	–	30	1 025	16	135	16	103
	1969	53	688	23 194	1	4	43	633	(NA)	98	(NA)	59
Oats (bushels)	1974	71	1 751	78 461	–	–	56	1 502	38	262	20	137
	1969	76	1 805	76 172	–	–	56	1 521	(NA)	238	(NA)	92
Barley (bushels)	1974	26	603	28 705	–	–	19	512	15	97	8	41
	1969	26	503	24 031	–	–	21	408	(NA)	90	(NA)	36
Rye (bushels)	1974	9	207	5 790	–	–	9	207	5	32	6	18
	1969	13	208	5 032	–	–	11	202	(NA)	46	(NA)	17
Other small grains for grain	1974	6	67	(X)	–	–	2	27	1	2	1	5
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	146	13 025	270 153	–	–	94	9 944	59	961	36	1 008
	1969	104	8 632	199 145	–	–	67	6 725	(NA)	756	(NA)	483
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	183	6 016	11 784	–	–	96	3 502	71	724	45	392
	1969	156	4 458	8 559	2	30	65	1 957	54	461	22	169
Field seed crops	1974	5	245	(X)	–	–	4	200	3	28	1	5
	1969	25	651	(X)	–	–	14	454	11	104	7	23
Cotton (bales)	1974	37	3 024	3 704	–	–	35	3 010	11	248	27	1 064
	1969	61	3 535	3 773	1	2	58	3 427	(NA)	822	(NA)	809
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	4	1	108	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	6	1 661	–	–	1	5	(NA)	5	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	7	58	(X)	–	–	1	6	–	–	1	2
	1969	10	72	(X)	–	–	6	24	5	12	1	1
Land in orchards	1974	26	2 057	(X)	–	–	18	1 241	14	296	7	63
	1969	26	1 332	(X)	3	105	22	1 247	20	459	4	40

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	1	6	(X)	–	–	1	6	1	1	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	279	269
$1,000	1 715	877
Commercial fertilizer — farms	272	249
acres on which used	38 933	37 423
tons	10 742	11 458
$1,000	1 308	678
Lime — farms	73	96
acres on which used	5 888	4 493
tons	6 170	4 229
$1,000	71	29
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	6	2
acres on which used	132	6
$1,000	1	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	39	67
acres on which used	5 978	5 866
$1,000	145	106
Nematodes in crops — farms	4	2
acres on which used	400	238
$1,000	6	8

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	7	6
acres on which used	920	238
$1,000	8	5
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	85	75
acres on which used	13 959	7 075
$1,000	132	34
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	34	30
acres on which used	1 935	2 223
$1,000	6	3
Weeds on all other land — farms	13	(NA)
acres on which used	365	(NA)
$1,000	3	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	17	29
acres on which used	1 937	1 849
$1,000	8	7
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	45	70
$1,000	10	6
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	34	(NA)
$1,000	18	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	–	8
Proportion of farms — percent	–	2.6
Total land irrigated — acres	–	181
Average per farm — acres	–	22.6
Cropland irrigated — farms	–	8
acres	–	181
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	–	8
acres	–	181
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	–	61
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	–	0.3
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	–	7 904
Cropland — acres	–	4 739
Harvested cropland — acres	–	2 702
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	2	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	70	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	10	10
Proportion of farms — percent	3.2	3.3
Land in farms with drainage — acres	5 514	4 963
Land drained — acres	221	577
Average per farm — acres	22.1	57.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	161	(NA)
number	495	(NA)
acres	869	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	105	90	55
$1,000	4 846	3 703	1 144
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	10	10	13
$5,000 to $9,999	8	5	12
$10,000 to $29,999	35	35	15
$30,000 to $49,999	17	15	6
$50,000 and over	35	25	9

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	68	78	177	176	602	
25 to 149 days	45 } 152		185 } 978		147 } 693	
Less than 25 days	83		620		70	
Total contract labor	14	19	(NA)	(NA)	71	52
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	61	(NA)	60	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working —		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	144	68	45	83
Cash wages paid — $1,000	819	602	147	70
Number of workers	982	177	185	620
Farms with —				
1 worker	30	26	19	15
2 workers	27	20	12	14
3 or 4 workers	36	18	9	18
5 to 9 workers	29	1	4	21
10 workers and over	22	3	1	15

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 184	1 488	524	441
Land in farms — acres	160 437	168 323	116 113	97 721
Average size of farm — acres	136	113	222	222
Approximate land area — acres	531 648	531 648	531 648	531 648
Proportion in farms — percent	30.2	31.7	21.8	18.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	92 881	54 522	65 645	30 896
Average per farm — dollars	78 447	36 641	125 276	70 058
Average per acre — dollars	579	324	565	316
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	47	56	16	6
10 to 49 acres	413	567	108	77
50 to 69 acres	163	228	60	46
70 to 99 acres	168	200	64	52
100 to 139 acres	95	119	53	48
140 to 179 acres	90	73	55	37
180 to 219 acres	49	67	33	39
220 to 259 acres	32	38	19	23
260 to 499 acres	79	99	68	78
500 to 999 acres	27	28	27	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	11	17	11
2,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	157	(NA)
Other cropland — acres	6 836	8 623
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	70	75
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — acres	2 773	3 185
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	6	14
Cropland on which all crops failed — acres	68	194
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	8	23
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — acres	223	439
Cropland idle — farms	91	131
Cropland idle — acres	3 772	4 805
Total woodland — farms	295	302
Total woodland — acres	31 504	25 751
Woodland pastured — farms	168	162
Woodland pastured — acres	10 282	9 768

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 119	1 383	498	421
Total cropland — acres	86 482	95 623	63 509	60 435
Harvested cropland — farms	899	997	458	368
Harvested cropland — acres	46 650	38 915	40 899	31 159
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	225	344	22	
10 to 19 acres	215	213	75	196
20 to 29 acres	116	145	55	
30 to 49 acres	127	117	100	
50 to 99 acres	104	87	94	81
100 to 199 acres	60	52	60	52
200 to 499 acres	39	34	39	34
500 to 999 acres	13	5	13	5
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	672	850	227	217
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — acres	29 636	38 311	15 774	20 653
Other cropland (see text) — farms	314	582	157	(NA)
Other cropland (see text) — acres	10 196	18 397	6 836	8 623
Total woodland — farms	727	993	295	302
Total woodland — acres	45 645	47 001	31 504	25 751
Other land (see text) — farms	821	1 064	375	(NA)
Other land (see text) — acres	28 310	25 699	21 100	11 535
Irrigated land — farms	15	12	12	12
Irrigated land — acres	245	207	149	207

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	194	198
Woodland not pastured — acres	21 222	15 983
Other land — farms	375	(NA)
Other land — acres	21 100	11 535
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	117	87
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — acres	16 292	6 106
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	80	66
Improved pastureland and rangeland — acres	6 625	5 039
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	42	32
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — acres	9 667	1 067
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	342	302
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — acres	4 808	5 429

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 184	1 488	524	441
Land in farms — acres	160 437	168 323	116 113	97 721
Harvested cropland — acres	46 650	38 915	40 899	31 159
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	870	1 161	301	270
Land in farms — acres	100 101	114 698	63 015	54 329
Harvested cropland — acres	18 498	17 475	14 188	11 677
Part owners — number	259	258	191	148
Land in farms — acres	51 617	47 348	45 692	39 131
Harvested cropland — acres	24 737	19 774	23 522	18 355
Tenants — number	55	69	32	23
Land in farms — acres	8 719	6 277	7 406	4 261
Harvested cropland — acres	3 415	1 666	3 189	1 127
Percent of tenancy	4.6	4.6	6.1	5.2
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	27	78	2	9
Land in farms — acres	1 721	4 184	223	762
Harvested cropland — acres	261	799	45	214
Full owners — number	24	64	2	5
Land in farms — acres	1 531	3 818	223	559
Harvested cropland — acres	210	622	45	111
Part owners — number	3	7	–	3
Land in farms — acres	190	245	–	158
Harvested cropland — acres	51	90	–	68
Tenants — number	–	7	–	1
Land in farms — acres	–	121	–	45
Harvested cropland — acres	–	87	–	35
Percent of tenancy	–	8.9	–	11.1
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	465	356
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	87 597	68 615

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	40	67
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 523	16 555
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	17	14
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	14 914	12 068
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Other — acres	(NA)	(NA)	79	483
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	17	7	14	3
25 to 34 years	82	100	36	37
35 to 44 years	170	237	85	69
45 to 54 years	276	383	98	128
55 to 64 years	311	370	154	112
65 years and over	309	391	118	92
Average age	54.6	54.8	53.7	53.3
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	745	945	340	312
On another farm	42		16	
In a rural area, not on a farm	66	271	34	78
In a city, town, or urban area	82		28	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	326	(NA)	189	(NA)
1 to 49 days	46	104	15	42
50 to 99 days	27	80	8	20
100 to 149 days	28	99	18	39
150 to 199 days	45		22	
200 days and over	532	718	148	146
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	490	(NA)	329	(NA)
Other	675	(NA)	176	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	41	59	41	59
$40,000 to $99,999	50		50	
$20,000 to $39,999	79	47	79	47
$10,000 to $19,999	76	64	76	64
$5,000 to $9,999	132	106	132	106
$2,500 to $4,999	119	152	119	151
Under $2,500 (see text)	687	1 060	27	14
$2,000 to $2,499	82	60	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	91	72	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	140	148	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	374	780	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	21 355	10 500	20 714	9 859
Average per farm ... dollars	18 036	7 056	39 531	22 356
Crops, including hay ... farms	674	744	397	(NA)
$1,000	11 130	5 887	10 855	5 381
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	15		13	11
$1,000	908		907	211
Forest products ... farms	42	38	16	21
$1,000	49	30	37	27
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	732	748	306	281
$1,000	9 269	4 583	8 916	4 240
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	41	(NA)	29	38
$1,000	5 470	(NA)	5 468	1 587

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	397	(NA)
$1,000	10 855	5 381
Grains ... farms	245	160
$1,000	1 971	400
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	31	50
$1,000	545	251
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	70	75
$1,000	199	139
Other field crops ... farms	10	12
$1,000	13	10
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	50	37
$1,000	139	70
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	186	194
$1,000	7 987	4 513
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	306	281
$1,000	8 916	4 240
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	29	38
$1,000	5 468	1 587
Dairy products ... farms	20	28
$1,000	1 330	748
Cattle and calves ... farms	278	(NA)
$1,000	1 907	1 655
Hogs and pigs ... farms	28	(NA)
$1,000	127	249
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	15	
$1,000	85	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	684	(NA)	178	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	335	(NA)	153	(NA)
$1,000	353	(NA)	289	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	91	101	54	44
$1,000	198	529	172	504
Recreational services ... farms	8	7	6	2
$1,000	5	2	5	1
Government farm programs ... farms	222	533	106	196
$1,000	82	461	64	338
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	71	(NA)	21	(NA)
$1,000	40	(NA)	23	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	15	(NA)	10	(NA)
$1,000	29	(NA)	25	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	96	(NA)	44	(NA)
$1,000	87	(NA)	62	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	306
$1,000	4 252
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	55
$1,000	741
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	214
$1,000	2 990
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	94
$1,000	228
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	68
$1,000	190
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	36
$1,000	103

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 180	1 488	524	441
$1,000	17 558	9 946	16 598	8 879
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	302	664	10	45
$1,000 to $1,999	259	286	40	
$2,000 to $2,999	137	149	65	54
$3,000 to $4,999	145	128	89	88
$5,000 to $9,999	139	103	122	96
$10,000 to $19,999	70		70	61
$20,000 to $39,999	60	158	60	44
$40,000 to $59,999	17		17	53
$60,000 and over	51		51	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	375	475	147	164
$1,000	1 508	1 199	1 378	1 055
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	641	665	216	211
$1,000	4 258	1 444	4 114	1 347
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	407	339	173	175
$1,000	2 826	1 247	2 773	1 210
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	812	43
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	81	38
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	503	56
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	42
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	39
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	159	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	507	618	255	217
$1,000	388	122	368	90
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	929	1 242	433	396
$1,000	1 536	988	1 342	805
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	445	(NA)	269	(NA)
$1,000	649	424	626	388
Lime ... farms	(NA)	216	101	98
$1,000	(NA)	52	71	38
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 143	1 386	511	431
$1,000	788	493	685	362
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	452	400
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	358	210
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	327	234
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	185	99
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	17	33
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	8
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	511	431
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	45
Hired farm labor ... farms	390	647	265	292
$1,000	1 921	1 811	1 877	1 720
Contract labor ... farms	89	585	74	105
$1,000	824	717	820	491
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	361		180	181
$1,000	221		178	163
All other production expenses ... farms	1 007	1 042	509	440
$1,000	5 465	2 748	5 129	2 458

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 114	1 381	484	416
$1,000	14 478	7 113	9 966	4 583
Average per farm—dollars	12 996	5 150	20 590	11 016
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	16	192	6	187
$1,000 to $4,999	307	839	74	
$5,000 to $9,999	374	185	104	86
$10,000 to $19,999	218	96	122	79
$20,000 to $29,999	105	69	86	29
$30,000 to $49,999	53		51	18
$50,000 to $69,999	21		21	17
$70,000 and over	20		20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	775	958	341	290
number	1 017	1 327	486	428
mfd in last 5 years, number	442	766	265	271
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	925	969	434	347
number	1 445	1 412	886	687
mfd in last 5 years, number	460	605	345	314
Wheel tractors—farms	982	1 092	440	377
number	1 683	1 820	1 022	890
mfd in last 5 years, number	404	602	332	336
Crawler tractors—farms	49		31	30
number	50		32	39
mfd in last 5 years, number	8		5	8

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	117	76	96	57
number	123	81	102	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	37	49	37	42
Corn heads for combines—farms	22	16	21	9
number	23	19	21	9
mfd in last 5 years, number	4	6	4	4
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	21		19	6
number	21		19	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		4	2
Mower conditioners—farms	107	(NA)	58	(NA)
number	115	(NA)	64	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	40	(NA)	27	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	175	158	109	104
number	179	158	113	104
mfd in last 5 years, number	46	77	35	54
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	63	(NA)	37	47
number	65	(NA)	37	54
mfd in last 5 years, number	18	(NA)	15	29
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	34	(NA)	26	29
number	36	(NA)	28	35
mfd in last 5 years, number	12	(NA)	10	16

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	815	(X)	317	(X)	732	(X)	306	(X)	8 916
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	762	(X)	291	(X)	689	(X)	287	(X)	2 034
1969	872	(X)	267	(X)	685	(X)	259	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	742	30 320	286	21 599	669	12 365	278	9 996	1 907
1969	819	22 239	253	15 507	631	11 477	244	8 867	1 655
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	66	184	25	71	230	579	39	99	19
5 to 9—1974	82	551	12	77	151	993	38	255	54
10 to 19—1974	196	2 639	31	412	151	1 986	69	954	182
20 to 49—1974	252	7 847	92	3 085	102	2 972	97	2 853	485
50 to 99—1974	81	5 252	61	4 107	20	1 324	20	1 324	244
100 to 199—1974	44	5 596	44	5 596	7	962	7	962	161
200 to 499—1974	18	6 046	18	6 046	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	3	2 205	3	2 205	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	647	15 986	260	11 030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	604	9 621	212	6 967	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	605	14 584	236	9 732	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 176	179	5 699	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	98	1 402	42	1 298	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	147	1 445	50	1 268	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	1 330
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	28	(X)	748

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	605	14 584	236	9 732	Cattle sold	215	5 543	1 376
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	72	220	21	62	1 to 4	51	122	35
5 to 9	123	836	17	108	5 to 9	51	348	92
10 to 19	203	2 738	61	844	10 to 19	65	883	216
20 to 49	147	4 318	80	2 426	20 to 49	30	898	227
50 to 99	37	2 308	34	2 128	50 to 99	9	605	127
100 to 199	16	2 066	16	2 066	100 to 199	5	807	145
200 to 499	7	2 098	7	2 098	200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows	98	1 402	42	1 298	Calves sold	194	4 453	531
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	64	87	19	33	1 or 2	22	33	3
3 or 4	10	35	4	15	3 or 4	19	69	8
5 to 9	6	35	1	5	5 to 9	35	232	26
10 to 19	2	29	2	29	10 to 19	51	661	80
20 to 49	1	45	1	45	20 to 49	52	1 506	173
50 to 99	12	736	12	736	50 to 99	10	624	85
100 to 199	3	435	3	435	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	180	5 261
	1969	185	3 675
Beef heifers	1974	166	4 638
Milk heifers	1974	25	623
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	197	5 308
	1969	230	4 865

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	49	770	223
	1969	15	235	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	31	101	28
10 to 19	1974	11	152	44
20 to 49	1974	4	127	28
50 to 99	1974	1	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	99	1 618	38	1 134	49	2 627	28	2 076	127
	1969	169	3 538	56	2 907	94	5 136	44	4 585	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	55	140	15	41	10	17	5	9	1
5 to 9	1974	13	83	6	39	10	69	8	51	3
10 to 24	1974	17	269	9	146	9	135	1	12	1
25 to 49	1974	7	209	3	91	4	118	2	58	1
50 to 99	1974	4	252	2	152	9	663	5	321	11
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	469	4	469	21
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	824	10	370	8
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	505	5	373	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	5	96	–	–	3	50	–	–	(NA)
	1969	4	44	–	–	2	34	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	126	556	46	317	14	42	11	32	71
	1969	238	751	(NA)	(NA)	27	61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	20	160
	1969	31	320
Other hogs and pigs	1974	37	974
	1969	51	2 587
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	44	235	21	160
	1969	59	505	32	408
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	35	142	19	107
	1969	53	265	28	199
June 1 and November 30	1974	29	93	13	53
	1969	45	240	29	209

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	114	(X)	39	(X)	30	(X)	24	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	103	479 808	32	477 861	20	484 783	15	474 685
	1969	160	189 027	37	185 776	31	265 909	23	265 439
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	95	424 250	30	422 815	18	394 783	13	(D)
	1969	147	153 392	37	150 750	28	83 854	20	83 439
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	81	1 950	17	615	4	98	–	–
100 to 399	1974	1	100	–	–	2	600	2	600
400 to 1,599	1974	3	3 500	3	3 500	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	32 785	4	32 785
10,000 to 19,999	1974	4	62 000	4	62 000	2	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	13	248 701	6	248 550	7	1 243 915	6	1 243 900
	1969	11	75 305	6	75 020	11	642 224	11	642 224
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	41	5 470	29	5 468
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	38	1 587

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	30	422 815	13	(D)
	1969	37	150 750	20	83 439
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	30	422 785	13	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	30	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	55 012	2	(D)
	1969	3	35 020	4	182 000
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	8	34	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Turkeys	1974	4	21 600	4	57 600
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	298	336	4 717	3 669	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	74	52	1 632	1 195	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	276	236	12 628	6 697	234 665	156 188
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	17	9	19	10 635	11 320
Wheat (bushels)	143	176	2 418	1 935	66 002	63 515
Other small grains for grain	138	140	2 425	2 005	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	35	135	3 034	3 351	2 590	2 861
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	26	(NA)	17	(NA)	1 391	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	38	(NA)	21	(NA)	2 524	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	391	368	7 977	7 137	12 194	11 640
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	112	133	611	646	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	249	290	11 525	12 351	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	6	10	18	15	(X)	(X)
Other crops	60	(NA)	1 250	865	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	109	65	2 672	1 104	133 754	39 708	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	17	26	1 033	1 143	12 778	13 603	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	4	10	18	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	30	9	881	299	46 271	12 114	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	19	(NA)	491	634	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	5	293	67	350	215	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	227	15 774	(X)	–	–	127	8 728	118	1 421	26	353
	1969	217	20 653	(X)	–	–	149	11 965	144	2 690	32	495
Improved pasture	1974	80	6 625	(X)	–	–	33	2 708	32	334	10	144
	1969	66	5 039	(X)	–	–	40	3 938	38	847	10	165
Corn for all purposes	1974	122	3 715	(X)	–	–	100	3 395	94	840	36	272
	1969	86	2 265	(X)	–	–	60	1 706	60	516	13	117
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	46	1 372	(X)	–	–	30	1 060	29	194	8	27
	1969	30	933	(X)	–	–	26	766	26	187	9	42
Wheat (bushels)	1974	93	2 088	59 178	–	–	74	1 763	68	268	17	61
	1969	87	1 427	50 467	–	–	76	1 306	(NA)	295	(NA)	53
Oats (bushels)	1974	78	1 522	85 145	–	–	64	1 213	57	184	16	44
	1969	70	1 304	70 769	1	2	55	1 106	(NA)	256	(NA)	29
Barley (bushels)	1974	31	597	30 677	–	–	21	483	19	86	6	24
	1969	15	261	13 050	–	–	15	261	(NA)	51	(NA)	26
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	67	1 805	–	–	3	27	(NA)	4	(NA)	1
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	201	11 866	222 773	–	–	105	7 848	101	1 132	6	74
	1969	122	5 452	129 730	–	–	77	3 411	(NA)	540	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	2 334	–	–	2	2	2	(Z)	–	–
	1969	1	1	1 000	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	187	5 314	8 825	–	–	85	2 564	80	553	20	132
	1969	136	4 727	8 647	–	–	73	2 619	70	583	16	157
Field seed crops	1974	29	995	(X)	–	–	16	478	11	74	6	16
	1969	25	596	(X)	–	–	7	106	7	19	4	8
Cotton (bales)	1974	31	3 016	2 579	–	–	31	3 016	31	990	1	8
	1969	52	2 727	2 398	–	–	45	2 612	(NA)	893	(NA)	(Z)
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	6	4	291	–	–	3	2	3	1	–	–
	1969	3	1	42	–	–	3	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	54	500	(X)	1	23	39	388	39	171	–	–
	1969	41	378	(X)	3	40	33	325	33	144	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	197	11 246	(X)	4	31	122	9 161	121	2 987	3	37
	1969	191	11 795	(X)	7	127	181	11 701	181	4 886	1	3

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	5	17	(X)	1	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	6	11	(X)	2	9	2	8	2	6	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	13	100	(X)	8	82	11	90	10	29	4	2
1969	11	73	(X)	4	30	8	64	6	41	2	(Z)
Other crops 1974	11	66	(X)	–	–	8	34	9	9	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	443	410
$1,000	1 968	1 193
Commercial fertilizer—farms	433	367
acres on which used	42 954	41 949
tons	10 472	13 075
$1,000	1 342	805
Lime—farms	101	98
acres on which used	7 052	5 496
tons	7 242	5 614
$1,000	71	38
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	6
acres on which used	15	72
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	91	130
acres on which used	11 347	10 551
$1,000	278	191
Nematodes in crops—farms	3	1
acres on which used	5	4
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	60	76
acres on which used	4 726	4 662
$1,000	143	92
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	97	94
acres on which used	9 926	7 160
$1,000	76	52
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	15
acres on which used	411	924
$1,000	1	2
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	278	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	14	26
acres on which used	1 595	1 585
$1,000	10	6
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	34	58
$1,000	6	6
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	57	(NA)
$1,000	39	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	12	12
Proportion of farms—percent	2.3	2.7
Total land irrigated—acres	149	207
Average per farm—acres	12.4	17.2
Cropland irrigated—farms	12	12
acres	149	207
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	12	12
acres	149	207
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	158	139
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.1	0.7
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	36	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	5	(NA)
acres	36	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	5	(NA)
acres	67	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	802	3 561
Cropland—acres	563	2 078
Harvested cropland—acres	438	1 559
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	7	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	134	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	13	16
Proportion of farms—percent	2.5	3.6
Land in farms with drainage—acres	8 567	7 724
Land drained—acres	2 580	2 268
Average per farm—acres	198.5	141.7
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	107	(NA)
number	216	(NA)
acres	454	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	154	113	74
$1,000	5 230	2 955	2 276
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	31	17	30
$5,000 to $9,999	39	31	10
$10,000 to $29,999	40	38	17
$30,000 to $49,999	19	12	7
$50,000 and over	25	15	10

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	95	124	331	369	1 209	1 720
25 to 149 days	77	252	613	3 345	393	
Less than 25 days	191		2 809		275	
Total contract labor	74	105	(NA)	(NA)	820	491
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	45	(NA)	1 178	(NA)	679	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	265	95	77	191
Cash wages paid $1,000	1 877	1 209	393	275
Number of workers	3 753	331	613	2 809
Farms with—				
1 worker	50	34	18	30
2 workers	37	21	24	22
3 or 4 workers	46	21	12	34
5 to 9 workers	40	12	5	34
10 workers and over	92	7	18	71

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	736	1 086	481	464
Land in farms — acres	189 442	224 662	171 515	187 430
Average size of farm — acres	257	207	357	404
Approximate land area — acres	430 272	430 272	430 272	430 272
Proportion in farms — percent	44.0	52.2	39.9	43.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	87 636	65 163	76 540	52 344
Average per farm — dollars	119 070	60 003	159 126	112 810
Average per acre — dollars	463	290	446	279
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	51	95	16	12
10 to 49 acres	248	400	95	56
50 to 69 acres	70	132	44	50
70 to 99 acres	87	106	66	51
100 to 139 acres	55	76	49	50
140 to 179 acres	22	50	21	37
180 to 219 acres	27	34	25	25
220 to 259 acres	19	20	19	19
260 to 499 acres	65	78	55	72
500 to 999 acres	54	48	54	47
1,000 to 1,999 acres	20	33	20	33
2,000 acres and over	18	14	17	12

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	107	(NA)
acres	7 937	14 564
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	11	45
acres	941	2 020
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	35	78
acres	2 671	3 692
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	4	19
acres	59	1 263
Cropland idle — farms	70	164
acres	4 266	7 589
Total woodland — farms	244	317
acres	41 517	53 679
Woodland pastured — farms	103	131
acres	10 199	11 419

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	705	1 033	463	453
acres	123 709	135 080	115 859	120 489
Harvested cropland — farms	678	991	452	451
acres	103 429	108 459	99 193	98 891
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	136	248	28	
10 to 19 acres	119	211	34	150
20 to 29 acres	76	96	54	
30 to 49 acres	86	122	78	
50 to 99 acres	86	114	84	103
100 to 199 acres	60	77	60	77
200 to 499 acres	65	77	65	76
500 to 999 acres	27	28	27	28
1,000 acres and over	23	18	22	17
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	208	311	141	154
acres	11 982	8 312	8 729	7 034
Other cropland (see text) — farms	129	464	107	(NA)
acres	8 298	18 309	7 937	14 564
Total woodland — farms	347	656	244	317
acres	47 584	68 274	41 517	53 679
Other land (see text) — farms	499	725	333	(NA)
acres	18 149	21 308	14 139	13 262
Irrigated land — farms	8	2	7	2
acres	319	16	318	16

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	181	243
acres	31 318	42 260
Other land — farms	333	(NA)
acres	14 139	13 262
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	63	41
acres	8 201	6 535
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	37	23
acres	2 049	4 763
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	32	24
acres	6 152	1 772
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	318	276
acres	5 938	6 727

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	736	1 086	481	464
Land in farms — acres	189 442	224 662	171 515	187 430
Harvested cropland — acres	103 429	108 459	99 193	98 891
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	420	560	219	145
Land in farms — acres	57 631	64 309	42 594	35 678
Harvested cropland — acres	18 800	19 720	15 150	13 356
Part owners — number	229	351	195	243
Land in farms — acres	115 202	145 354	113 556	139 645
Harvested cropland — acres	74 275	78 649	73 862	76 767
Tenants — number	87	175	67	76
Land in farms — acres	16 609	14 999	15 365	12 107
Harvested cropland — acres	10 354	10 090	10 181	8 768
Percent of tenancy	11.8	16.1	13.9	16.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	293	601	121	144
Land in farms — acres	16 543	33 577	9 999	15 714
Harvested cropland — acres	7 098	13 830	5 390	7 979
Full owners — number	203	341	74	47
Land in farms — acres	10 093	16 104	5 492	4 662
Harvested cropland — acres	3 507	5 616	2 261	2 225
Part owners — number	54	157	29	74
Land in farms — acres	4 016	13 995	3 269	9 875
Harvested cropland — acres	2 454	6 314	2 157	4 874
Tenants — number	36	103	18	23
Land in farms — acres	2 434	3 478	1 238	1 177
Harvested cropland — acres	1 137	1 900	972	880
Percent of tenancy	12.3	17.1	14.9	15.9
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	439	409
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	134 387	150 210

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	29	47
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	21 171	30 296
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	13	8
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 957	6 924
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	–
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	13	17	11	11
25 to 34 years	60	66	40	33
35 to 44 years	76	216	50	88
45 to 54 years	182	301	117	139
55 to 64 years	188	274	125	130
65 years and over	203	212	125	63
Average age	55.8	52.5	55.4	51.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	411	755	255	342
On another farm	50		32	
In a rural area, not on a farm	38	187	25	75
In a city, town, or urban area	41		34	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	220	(NA)	160	(NA)
1 to 49 days	39	84	19	35
50 to 99 days	20	62	6	22
100 to 149 days	28	110	17	32
150 to 199 days	44		20	
200 days and over	202	338	111	96
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	474	(NA)	338	(NA)
Other	248	(NA)	130	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	76	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	77	79	76	79
$40,000 to $99,999	60		60	
$20,000 to $39,999	70	61	70	61
$10,000 to $19,999	60	80	60	80
$5,000 to $9,999	112	102	112	102
$2,500 to $4,999	98	129	98	127
Under $2,500 (see text)	259	635	5	15
$2,000 to $2,499	60	56	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	45	69	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	37	98	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	117	412	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	31 268	14 758	30 315	13 879
Average per farm ... dollars	42 483	13 589	63 025	29 911
Crops, including hay ... farms	636	915	437	(NA)
$1,000	19 145	8 084	18 836	7 647
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	4		2	2
$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)
Forest products ... farms	30	49	27	39
$1,000	(D)	374	(D)	333
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	354	514	252	279
$1,000	11 997	6 300	11 357	5 900
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	50	(NA)	44	44
$1,000	7 588	(NA)	7 588	3 295

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	437	(NA)
$1,000	18 836	7 647
Grains ... farms	411	397
$1,000	8 095	3 069
Tobacco ... farms	153	209
$1,000	2 748	1 542
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	174	303
$1,000	5 465	1 722
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	24	31
$1,000	109	97
Other field crops ... farms	63	77
$1,000	1 874	887
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	7	26
$1,000	8	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	12
$1,000	537	280
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	252	279
$1,000	11 357	5 900
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	44	44
$1,000	7 588	3 295
Dairy products ... farms	14	18
$1,000	2 205	1 200
Cattle and calves ... farms	117	(NA)
$1,000	752	827
Hogs and pigs ... farms	149	(NA)
$1,000	801	578
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	6	
$1,000	12	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	259	(NA)	98	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	153	(NA)	103	(NA)
$1,000	406	(NA)	354	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	49	96	38	64
$1,000	204	335	199	307
Recreational services ... farms	3	15	3	6
$1,000	3	3	3	3
Government farm programs ... farms	45	585	34	310
$1,000	49	2 152	39	2 037
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	85	(NA)	53	(NA)
$1,000	112	(NA)	77	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	18	(NA)	14	(NA)
$1,000	39	(NA)	37	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	51	(NA)	35	(NA)
$1,000	84	(NA)	76	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	259
$1,000	2 355
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	55
$1,000	553
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	165
$1,000	1 429
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	52
$1,000	164
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	49
$1,000	151
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	23
$1,000	58

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	736	1 086	481	464
$1,000	25 365	14 394	24 604	13 436
Farms with–				
$1 to $999	173	414	15	42
$1,000 to $1,999	113	166	53	
$2,000 to $2,999	69	105	53	52
$3,000 to $4,999	76	119	68	99
$5,000 to $9,999	78	69	66	60
$10,000 to $19,999	63		63	79
$20,000 to $39,999	51	213	51	58
$40,000 to $59,999	23		23	74
$60,000 and over	90		89	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	199	299	132	153
$1,000	1 374	1 168	1 343	1 149
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	346	499	205	229
$1,000	6 769	2 563	6 586	2 473
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	251	363	165	189
$1,000	5 862	2 309	5 796	2 249
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	74	48
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	340	95
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	43
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	405	109
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	28	35
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	21
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	89	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	467	918	367	426
$1,000	666	454	644	405
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	589	940	413	442
$1,000	3 644	1 766	3 458	1 599
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	362	(NA)	298	(NA)
$1,000	2 203	999	2 179	962
Lime ... farms	(NA)	125	86	89
$1,000	(NA)	72	146	66
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	703	1 001	476	461
$1,000	1 302	1 007	1 240	891
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	448	444
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	527	506
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	200	195
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	352	171
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	72	149
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	131	100
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	476	460
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	230	113
Hired farm labor ... farms	337	636	256	385
$1,000	2 746	2 257	2 611	2 138
Contract labor ... farms	28	542	25	20
$1,000	71	343	71	101
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	297		209	263
$1,000	341		318	196
All other production expenses ... farms	642	838	479	456
$1,000	6 248	3 838	6 116	3 523

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	698	973	452	449
$1,000	15 405	9 912	13 451	8 066
Average per farm—dollars	22 070	10 187	29 758	17 964
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	4	118	2	152
$1,000 to $4,999	141	464	70	
$5,000 to $9,999	224	157	78	91
$10,000 to $19,999	106	99	90	90
$20,000 to $29,999	65	135	60	34
$30,000 to $49,999	81		76	41
$50,000 to $69,999	45		45	41
$70,000 and over	32		31	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	577	762	375	369
number	823	1 043	574	530
mfd in last 5 years, number	401	631	346	373
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	547	593	382	354
number	890	948	705	680
mfd in last 5 years, number	328	507	299	382
Wheel tractors—farms	614	781	416	411
number	1 335	1 662	1 103	1 187
mfd in last 5 years, number	414	713	389	586
Crawler tractors—farms	21		16	15
number	31		26	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	13

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	173	150	167	143
number	212	198	205	190
mfd in last 5 years, number	70	130	68	129
Corn heads for combines—farms	84	110	81	61
number	97	146	91	68
mfd in last 5 years, number	29	97	29	50
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	45		42	61
number	46		43	68
mfd in last 5 years, number	5		5	43
Mower conditioners—farms	40	(NA)	26	(NA)
number	44	(NA)	29	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	17	(NA)	11	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	67	68	56	61
number	71	75	59	66
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	44	10	41
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	31	(NA)	25	30
number	31	(NA)	25	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	24
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	22	(NA)	18	24
number	33	(NA)	25	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	5	19

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	436	(X)	284	(X)	354	(X)	252	(X)	11 357
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	384	(X)	250	(X)	319	(X)	224	(X)	1 553
1969	642	(X)	279	(X)	479	(X)	258	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	224	12 421	153	10 618	158	4 307	117	3 823	752
1969	304	11 838	155	10 178	183	4 594	124	4 171	827
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	69	155	33	76	43	107	30	74	14
5 to 9—1974	31	214	23	158	38	243	22	142	29
10 to 19—1974	29	390	24	326	36	480	26	356	67
20 to 49—1974	48	1 563	29	901	21	522	20	498	90
50 to 99—1974	19	1 358	17	1 248	10	718	10	718	156
100 to 199—1974	8	971	8	971	4	440	4	440	72
200 to 499—1974	15	4 318	15	4 318	6	1 797	5	1 595	323
500 and over—1974	5	3 452	4	2 620	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	182	6 059	127	5 264	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	243	6 280	135	5 575	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	132	3 501	97	2 984	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 878	102	3 641	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	70	2 558	45	2 280	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	119	2 402	54	1 934	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)	2 205
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	1 200

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	132	3 501	97	2 984			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	29	72	23	63			
5 to 9	22	156	13	89			
10 to 19	28	371	22	289			
20 to 49	36	1 067	23	769			
50 to 99	10	625	9	564			
100 to 199	5	(D)	5	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	70	2 558	45	2 280			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	50	66	27	36			
3 or 4	5	16	4	12			
5 to 9	2	10	2	10			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	1	60	1	60			
100 to 199	6	861	6	861			
200 to 499	6	1 545	5	1 301			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					91	1 989	560
Farms with—							
1 to 4					35	78	16
5 to 9					21	121	33
10 to 19					15	215	50
20 to 49					11	271	76
50 to 99					4	260	80
100 to 199					2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					3	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					65	1 834	191
Farms with—							
1 or 2					9	12	1
3 or 4					8	29	2
5 to 9					12	72	8
10 to 19					13	165	20
20 to 49					12	332	30
50 to 99					8	624	101
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					2	(D)	(D)
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	97	2 732	11	542	165
	1969	101	2 089	9	572	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	85	1 877			
Milk heifers	1974	14	855			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	115	2 622			
	1969	112	2 514			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			11	542	165
	1969			9	572	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			4	16	4
10 to 19	1974			4	71	14
20 to 49	1974			1	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974			1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	255	8 924	166	7 087	212	14 758	149	13 170	801
	1969	532	14 583	219	11 180	398	18 083	202	15 284	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	54	149	32	88	23	58	7	17	2
5 to 9	1974	58	396	37	249	26	190	19	142	8
10 to 24	1974	85	1 374	46	764	80	1 283	51	865	53
25 to 49	1974	28	971	22	743	43	1 499	33	1 167	76
50 to 99	1974	20	1 169	20	1 169	21	1 479	21	1 479	102
100 to 199	1974	5	584	5	584	9	1 113	9	1 113	61
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	847	3	847	69
500 and over	1974	4	(D)	3	(D)	7	8 289	6	7 540	431
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	39	3 093	27	2 953	85
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	84	3 228	44	2 772	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	5	114	2	105	2	126	2	126	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1]–
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	4	13	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	10	77	(NA)	(NA)	2	7	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	72	349	43	294	12	67	6	59	11
	1969	81	285	(NA)	(NA)	11	30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Inventory			
				All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	113	1 257				
	1969	172	1 574				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	154	5 830				
	1969	205	9 606				
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–				
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–				
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–				
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974			182	1 790	127	1 484
	1969			385	2 559	185	1 937
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974			156	956	112	790
	1969			330	1 384	163	1 021
June 1 and November 30	1974			122	834	89	694
	1969			251	1 175	143	916

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	146	(X)	74	(X)	42	(X)	38	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	83	(X)	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	121	12 162	52	10 590	5	57 778	2	57 534
	1969	256	126 183	70	121 140	17	85 175	9	84 266
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	115	11 608	50	10 303	4	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	229	99 192	67	95 154	17	81 335	9	80 426
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	111	2 198	47	1 093	2	120	–	–
100 to 399	1974	3	(D)	2	(D)	1	124	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	36	881 203	20	881 052	26	4 879 306	25	4 879 281
	1969	22	179 826	12	179 653	21	2 431 143	21	2 431 143
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	50	7 588	44	7 588
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	44	3 295

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**—Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	50	10 303	1	(D)
	1969	67	95 154	9	80 426
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	46	10 090	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	9	213	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	9	83	1	(D)
	1969	12	21 014	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	36	204	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	7	1	(D)
Turkeys	1974	6	78 500	15	532 298
	1969	3	4 623	11	259 500
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	6	78 500	15	532 298
Heavy breed	1974	6	78 500	15	(D)
Light breed	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	3	4 222	1	(D)
Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	10	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	453	636	21 554	20 198	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	15	19	460	741	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	526	620	47 233	47 980	892 019	1 049 815
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	87	150	5 051	4 433	9 759 575	7 074 069
Wheat (bushels)	104	123	4 679	2 661	122 297	99 425
Other small grains for grain	94	160	3 334	5 334	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	192	621	20 489	24 103	20 332	16 305
Tobacco (pounds)	193	324	1 671	1 548	2 821 876	2 587 065
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	252	(NA)	23 713	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	35	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 339	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	92	121	2 691	2 902	7 548	6 849
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	30	64	64	202	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	19	33	1 513	1 647	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	4	–	8	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	62	546	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	306	306	18 061	15 119	1 118 089	800 784	2	–	54	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	15	23	1 625	1 766	22 630	20 930	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	9	12	58	224	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	5	5	138	379	3 970	11 016	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	10	(NA)	309	346	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	–	54	–	176	–	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	141	8 729	(X)	–	–	41	3 239	36	759	22	353
	1969	154	7 034	(X)	–	–	72	3 333	68	788	28	309
Improved pasture	1974	37	2 049	(X)	–	–	18	669	18	136	4	44
	1969	23	4 763	(X)	–	–	7	393	7	81	2	17
Corn for all purposes	1974	317	19 744	(X)	2	54	239	17 095	234	3 864	78	1 780
	1969	318	17 109	(X)	–	–	243	15 266	235	4 360	98	1 572
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	14	447	(X)	–	–	9	254	8	50	6	7
	1969	15	725	(X)	–	–	13	646	10	63	6	137
Wheat (bushels)	1974	99	4 493	114 985	–	–	71	3 453	68	801	21	204
	1969	95	2 249	85 454	–	–	85	2 042	(NA)	469	(NA)	134
Oats (bushels)	1974	65	2 179	112 463	–	–	49	1 867	43	357	26	154
	1969	93	3 780	178 043	–	–	82	3 317	(NA)	605	(NA)	255
Barley (bushels)	1974	4	92	3 220	–	–	4	92	4	19	–	–
	1969	7	426	20 892	–	–	7	426	(NA)	87	(NA)	20
Rye (bushels)	1974	16	574	13 500	–	–	13	404	10	72	4	18
	1969	25	915	25 587	–	–	22	820	(NA)	75	(NA)	48
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	50	(X)	–	–	1	50	1	11	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	378	45 657	867 223	2	8	212	32 671	206	5 114	13	443
	1969	359	44 968	997 992	–	–	218	28 709	(NA)	4 842	(NA)	238
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	63	5 000	9 683 975	1	100	47	4 290	44	1 012	3	210
	1969	74	4 231	6 809 264	–	–	59	3 398	(NA)	789	(NA)	97
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	69	2 279	6 636	–	–	28	858	26	257	17	123
	1969	69	2 431	6 136	–	–	33	1 664	27	331	18	134
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	84	(X)	–	–	1	80	1	12	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	175	20 402	20 289	2	20	159	20 298	153	6 460	64	1 526
	1969	315	22 229	15 285	–	–	299	21 877	(NA)	6 309	(NA)	2 157
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	153	1 626	2 772 070	3	6	153	1 625	152	1 558	4	70
	1969	211	1 420	2 428 482	1	15	211	1 414	(NA)	1 396	(NA)	11
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	249	22 772	1	100	6	249	5	99	1	100
	1969	6	22	1 110	–	–	5	22	(NA)	21	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	10	20	(X)	–	–	6	10	6	4	–	–
	1969	28	146	(X)	–	–	18	99	18	48	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	12	1 496	(X)	–	–	4	858	4	439	–	–
	1969	21	1 605	(X)	–	–	14	1 463	13	520	3	2

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	2	16	(X)	–	–	2	16	2	5	–	–
1969	2	4	(X)	1	1	2	4	2	3	–	–
Other crops 1974	7	48	(X)	–	–	4	6	8	2	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	423	446
$1,000	5 636	2 560
Commercial fertilizer—farms	413	431
acres on which used	88 116	95 833
tons	26 073	26 086
$1,000	3 458	1 599
Lime—farms	86	89
acres on which used	13 369	10 776
tons	13 003	10 398
$1,000	146	66
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	2	–
acres on which used	46	–
$1,000	(Z)	–
Insects on other crops—farms	178	325
acres on which used	47 782	44 071
$1,000	1 120	532
Nematodes in crops—farms	55	30
acres on which used	5 238	2 507
$1,000	54	20
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	9	19
acres on which used	2 250	5 215
$1,000	86	21
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	157	220
acres on which used	56 461	45 019
$1,000	640	264
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	6	8
acres on which used	272	710
$1,000	1	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	5	(NA)
acres on which used	28	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	48	137
acres on which used	9 268	15 189
$1,000	69	43
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	16	55
$1,000	3	11
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	71	(NA)
$1,000	60	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	7	2
Proportion of farms—percent	1.5	0.4
Total land irrigated—acres	318	16
Average per farm—acres	45.4	8.0
Cropland irrigated—farms	7	2
acres	318	16
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	7	2
acres	288	16
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	2	(NA)
acres	30	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	237	9
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	0.7	0.6
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	2	(NA)
acres	56	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	200	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	4	(NA)
acres	62	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	2 906	189
Cropland—acres	2 869	16
Harvested cropland—acres	2 837	16
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	4	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	46	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	65	130
Proportion of farms—percent	13.5	28.0
Land in farms with drainage—acres	59 655	98 116
Land drained—acres	30 038	53 888
Average per farm—acres	462.1	414.5
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	64	(NA)
number	161	(NA)
acres	276	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	144	103	82
$1,000	8 223	5 100	3 123
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	30	20	28
$5,000 to $9,999	19	15	13
$10,000 to $29,999	42	35	15
$30,000 to $49,999	19	10	9
$50,000 and over	34	23	17

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	123	160	525	643	2 057	2 138
25 to 149 days	79	328	413	2 642	330	
Less than 25 days	153		1 895		224	
Total contract labor	25	20	(NA)	(NA)	71	101
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	137	(NA)	56	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	256	123	79	153
Cash wages paid $1,000	2 611	2 057	330	224
Number of workers	2 833	525	413	1 895
Farms with—				
1 worker	52	48	26	21
2 workers	31	25	12	19
3 or 4 workers	42	18	12	24
5 to 9 workers	45	16	14	31
10 workers and over	86	16	15	58

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	346	339	115	81
Land in farms — acres	84 646	82 437	53 935	50 775
Average size of farm — acres	245	243	469	627
Approximate land area — acres	328 704	328 704	328 704	328 704
Proportion in farms — percent	25.8	25.1	16.4	15.4
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	32 606	11 537	20 875	6 801
Average per farm — dollars	94 238	34 031	181 525	83 957
Average per acre — dollars	385	140	387	134
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	9	3	–	1
10 to 49 acres	48	74	3	2
50 to 69 acres	28	39	3	3
70 to 99 acres	37	32	7	3
100 to 139 acres	65	52	12	9
140 to 179 acres	31	32	15	8
180 to 219 acres	26	18	11	4
220 to 259 acres	18	15	7	4
260 to 499 acres	48	37	28	15
500 to 999 acres	18	23	11	18
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	7	17	7
2,000 acres and over	1	7	1	7

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	31	(NA)
acres	2 421	1 877
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	23	14
acres	1 720	435
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	–	1
acres	–	1
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	1	5
acres	9	77
Cropland idle — farms	10	14
acres	692	1 364
Total woodland — farms	98	66
acres	26 911	27 323
Woodland pastured — farms	73	47
acres	17 608	14 795

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	329	317	110	76
acres	35 290	28 475	20 786	16 071
Harvested cropland — farms	218	188	85	58
acres	6 424	5 114	4 590	3 295
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	71	72	8	
10 to 19 acres	59	51	20	41
20 to 29 acres	26	17	13	
30 to 49 acres	24	24	13	
50 to 99 acres	24	14	17	8
100 to 199 acres	9	6	9	5
200 to 499 acres	5	4	5	4
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–
1,000 acres and over	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	267	222	87	54
acres	25 434	17 697	13 775	10 899
Other cropland (see text) — farms	86	125	31	(NA)
acres	3 432	5 664	2 421	1 877
Total woodland — farms	259	249	98	66
acres	38 223	40 465	26 911	27 323
Other land (see text) — farms	252	243	81	(NA)
acres	11 133	13 497	6 238	7 381
Irrigated land — farms	2	–	–	–
acres	27	–	–	–

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	48	37
acres	9 303	12 528
Other land — farms	81	(NA)
acres	6 238	7 381
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	50	19
acres	4 978	5 900
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	48	13
acres	4 137	3 991
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	8	8
acres	841	1 909
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	60	45
acres	1 260	1 481

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	346	339	115	81
Land in farms — acres	84 646	82 437	53 935	50 775
Harvested cropland — acres	6 424	5 114	4 590	3 295
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	292	287	94	61
Land in farms — acres	68 255	62 187	43 100	35 130
Harvested cropland — acres	5 072	3 341	3 502	2 011
Part owners — number	42	39	16	17
Land in farms — acres	14 582	19 103	9 656	15 029
Harvested cropland — acres	1 162	1 573	921	1 188
Tenants — number	12	13	5	3
Land in farms — acres	1 809	1 147	1 179	616
Harvested cropland — acres	190	200	167	96
Percent of tenancy	3.5	3.8	4.3	3.7
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	33	34	7	5
Land in farms — acres	5 033	5 375	1 458	1 671
Harvested cropland — acres	451	380	100	179
Full owners — number	33	28	7	4
Land in farms — acres	5 033	5 093	1 458	1 622
Harvested cropland — acres	451	246	100	130
Part owners — number	–	1	–	–
Land in farms — acres	–	106	–	–
Harvested cropland — acres	–	42	–	–
Tenants — number	–	5	–	1
Land in farms — acres	–	176	–	49
Harvested cropland — acres	–	92	–	49
Percent of tenancy	–	14.7	–	20.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	113	71
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	34 682

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	2	7
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	9 308
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	(D)
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	1
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	(D)
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	6	1	2	–
25 to 34 years	24	8	11	1
35 to 44 years	33	53	6	12
45 to 54 years	93	112	27	27
55 to 64 years	125	83	49	24
65 years and over	64	82	20	17
Average age	54.7	55.2	54.8	54.7
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	211	233	62	55
On another farm	8		5	
In a rural area, not on a farm	16	45	2	15
In a city, town, or urban area	47		28	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	74	(NA)	29	(NA)
1 to 49 days	17	23	1	5
50 to 99 days	14	8	3	1
100 to 149 days	9		5	
150 to 199 days	10	24	5	6
200 days and over	180	177	54	34
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	104	(NA)	48	(NA)
Other	241	(NA)	67	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	–	8	–	8
$40,000 to $99,999	4		4	
$20,000 to $39,999	9	9	8	9
$10,000 to $19,999	14	7	14	7
$5,000 to $9,999	43	21	43	21
$2,500 to $4,999	45	36	45	35
Under $2,500 (see text)	231	258	1	1
$2,000 to $2,499	17	15	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	52	15	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	46	49	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	116	179	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	1 407	1 284	1 148	1 062
Average per farm ... dollars	4 065	3 787	9 981	13 111
Crops, including hay ... farms	114	115	37	(NA)
$1,000	235	107	171	64
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	–		–	–
$1,000	–		–	–
Forest products ... farms	44	33	21	19
$1,000	108	56	97	52
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	285	249	108	78
$1,000	1 064	1 120	880	946
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	10	(NA)	4	11
$1,000	7	(NA)	4	203

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	37	(NA)
$1,000	171	64
Grains ... farms	23	8
$1,000	110	10
Tobacco ... farms	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	3	3
$1,000	22	10
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	14	22
$1,000	30	37
Other field crops ... farms	1	1
$1,000	1	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	5	7
$1,000	8	3
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	1	4
$1,000	1	2
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	108	78
$1,000	880	946
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	4	11
$1,000	4	203
Dairy products ... farms	4	8
$1,000	111	207
Cattle and calves ... farms	107	(NA)
$1,000	752	505
Hogs and pigs ... farms	6	(NA)
$1,000	11	32
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	2	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	233	(NA)	61	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	122	(NA)	53	(NA)
$1,000	84	(NA)	60	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	16	20	7	5
$1,000	17	7	8	5
Recreational services ... farms	2	5	2	–
$1,000	4	(Z)	4	–
Government farm programs ... farms	107	152	44	54
$1,000	33	98	19	54
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	6	(NA)	3	(NA)
$1,000	12	(NA)	11	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
$1,000	18	(NA)	18	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	43	(NA)	23	(NA)
$1,000	35	(NA)	22	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	87
$1,000	1 206
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	33
$1,000	435
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	52
$1,000	559
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	30
$1,000	74
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	19
$1,000	38
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	9
$1,000	100

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	345	339	115	81
$1,000	1 290	1 275	939	983
Farms with–				
$1 to $999	111	162	4	12
$1,000 to $1,999	83	76	12	
$2,000 to $2,999	43	27	11	9
$3,000 to $4,999	41	26	25	17
$5,000 to $9,999	35	18	32	15
$10,000 to $19,999	25		25	13
$20,000 to $39,999	5	30	4	10
$40,000 to $59,999	1		1	5
$60,000 and over	1		1	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	92	179	34	48
$1,000	129	221	99	159
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	258	247	86	67
$1,000	218	280	124	243
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	167	120	72	60
$1,000	134	232	95	217
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	22	7
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	4
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	32	6
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	7
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	12
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	15
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	52	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	99	97	36	37
$1,000	16	16	12	12
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	287	275	94	68
$1,000	314	202	230	145
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	96	(NA)	43	(NA)
$1,000	29	20	23	14
Lime ... farms	(NA)	82	17	26
$1,000	(NA)	12	8	7
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	334	312	112	80
$1,000	118	84	83	53
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	78
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	59	38
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	52	24
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	6
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1	9
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	2
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	112	80
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	10	6
Hired farm labor ... farms	98	132	54	58
$1,000	104	126	87	110
Contract labor ... farms	13	136	5	5
$1,000	7	36	5	3
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	90		42	36
$1,000	41		32	19
All other production expenses ... farms	290	242	115	80
$1,000	313	291	232	226

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	340	309	113	77
$1,000	2 839	1 253	1 439	538
Average per farm—dollars	8 350	4 053	12 738	6 989
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	9	27	5	38
$1,000 to $4,999	130	208	26	
$5,000 to $9,999	108	48	25	22
$10,000 to $19,999	65	21	32	14
$20,000 to $29,999	18	5	15	2
$30,000 to $49,999	6		6	1
$50,000 to $69,999	3		3	–
$70,000 and over	1		1	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	221	243	81	56
number	307	316	112	83
mfd in last 5 years, number	113	177	52	48
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	268	214	88	62
number	325	272	130	100
mfd in last 5 years, number	78	105	38	41
Wheel tractors—farms	286	246	99	70
number	402	368	175	142
mfd in last 5 years, number	58	118	35	46
Crawler tractors—farms	14		12	7
number	14		12	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		–	2

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	6	2	6	2
number	6	2	6	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	1	2	1
Corn heads for combines—farms	2	5	2	1
number	2	6	2	1
mfd in last 5 years, number	–	3	–	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	2		1	2
number	2		1	2
mfd in last 5 years, number	–		–	–
Mower conditioners—farms	28	(NA)	19	(NA)
number	30	(NA)	21	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	65	46	41	30
number	69	46	44	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	19	12	13
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	28	(NA)	17	19
number	28	(NA)	17	20
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	4	9
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	9	(NA)	8	8
number	10	(NA)	8	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	5

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	308	(X)	107	(X)	285	(X)	108	(X)	880
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	292	(X)	107	(X)	269	(X)	108	(X)	763
1969	278	(X)	73	(X)	234	(X)	74	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	288	12 230	106	8 589	264	5 318	107	4 154	752
1969	267	8 400	72	5 975	229	4 995	74	3 707	505
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	24	69	2	8	50	131	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9—1974	29	195	1	9	69	472	9	57	9
10 to 19—1974	65	897	7	100	66	894	21	333	61
20 to 49—1974	96	2 965	38	1 371	59	1 917	56	1 857	313
50 to 99—1974	52	3 558	36	2 555	14	962	14	962	147
100 to 199—1974	15	1 939	15	1 939	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	6	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	236	6 135	98	4 256	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	200	4 201	62	3 151	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	225	5 869	94	4 090	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 658	57	2 729	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	48	266	14	166	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	60	543	13	422	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	111
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	207

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	225	5 869	94	4 090			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	22	57	1	4			
5 to 9	35	227	2	15			
10 to 19	69	920	24	334			
20 to 49	68	2 023	40	1 301			
50 to 99	25	1 619	21	1 413			
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)			
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	48	266	14	166			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	20	26	3	3			
3 or 4	18	60	7	23			
5 to 9	6	35	1	5			
10 to 19	2	(D)	1	(D)			
20 to 49	–	–	–	–			
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)			
100 to 199	–	–	–	–			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					74	1 972	441
Farms with—							
1 to 4					2	4	1
5 to 9					2	11	5
10 to 19					30	429	87
20 to 49					32	956	196
50 to 99					7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					81	2 182	312
Farms with—							
1 or 2					3	4	1
3 or 4					2	7	1
5 to 9					20	118	13
10 to 19					15	193	25
20 to 49					29	937	123
50 to 99					9	561	66
100 to 199					3	362	82
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	80	2 002	–	–	–
	1969	54	1 275	2	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	78	1 942			
Milk heifers	1974	2	60			
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	81	2 331			
	1969	70	1 549			
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974			–	–	–
	1969			2	(D)	(NA)
Farms with —						
1 to 9	1974			–	–	–
10 to 19	1974			–	–	–
20 to 49	1974			–	–	–
50 to 99	1974			–	–	–
100 to 199	1974			–	–	–
200 to 499	1974			–	–	–
500 and over	1974			–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	40	376	17	279	15	372	6	214	11
	1969	60	285	6	70	20	243	4	90	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	19	43	5	11	–	–	–	–	–
5 to 9	1974	13	67	6	30	5	37	–	–	–
10 to 24	1974	2	28	–	–	2	37	1	14	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	4	122	4	122	7	248	4	150	9
50 to 99	1974	2	116	2	116	1	50	1	50	2
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	121	3	69	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	61	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	52	188	7	31	9	21	1	7	1
	1969	53	181	(NA)	(NA)	4	33	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				Inventory			
						All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	27	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
	1969	2	4	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	15	61	5	30
Other hogs and pigs	1974	17	252		1969	13	35	2	7
	1969	6	66	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	7	23	3	11
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–		1969	13	23	2	5
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–	June 1 and November 30	1974	11	38	3	19
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–		1969	11	12	2	2

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	57	(X)	14	(X)	6	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	57	2 295	14	1 273	5	858	4	851
	1969	84	17 253	16	14 796	9	10 721	7	10 559
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	54	2 188	13	1 239	5	858	4	851
	1969	73	11 701	15	9 871	7	10 715	5	10 553
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	50	938	11	259	4	158	3	151
100 to 399	1974	3	410	1	140	–	–	–	–
400 to 1,599	1974	1	840	1	840	1	700	1	700
1,600 to 3,199	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	8	160	–	–	1	300	–	–
	1969	6	49 106	5	49 006	5	294 000	3	280 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	7	4	4
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	203

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	13	1 239	4	851
	1969	15	9 871	5	10 553
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	1 239	4	851
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(D)	–	–
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	34	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	–	–
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Light breed	1974	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	–	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	1	(X)	–	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	74	60	616	399	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	20	13	302	135	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	18	9	852	265	14 188	4 978
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	15	11	31	(D)	19 404
Wheat (bushels)	23	12	289	77	6 897	2 289
Other small grains for grain	20	12	298	148	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	4	18	140	228	(D)	175
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	5	(NA)	291	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	13	(NA)	6	(NA)	685	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	151	125	3 648	3 396	5 050	5 918
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	26	28	81	55	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	7	18	22	86	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	3	–	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	12	(NA)	307	401	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	22	11	178	70	8 012	1 835	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	3	55	97	(D)	900	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	–	–	–	–	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	10	1	218	25	5 933	1 500	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	30	50	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	–	1	–	10	–	10	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	87	13 775	(X)	–	–	45	6 305	45	849	3	48
	1969	54	10 899	(X)	–	–	48	6 451	46	1 176	11	128
Improved pasture	1974	48	4 137	(X)	–	–	17	1 916	17	380	1	5
	1969	13	3 991	(X)	–	–	9	1 243	9	251	3	109
Corn for all purposes	1974	23	233	(X)	–	–	21	211	21	65	4	12
	1969	13	167	(X)	–	–	9	125	9	43	1	3
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	11	248	(X)	–	–	9	238	9	48	5	4
	1969	3	75	(X)	–	–	3	75	3	27	–	–
Wheat (bushels)	1974	12	200	4 530	–	–	6	112	5	11	2	17
	1969	2	27	830	–	–	1	17	(NA)	4	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	1974	6	99	4 534	–	–	5	84	5	22	–	–
	1969	2	40	1 100	–	–	2	40	(NA)	8	(NA)	–
Barley (bushels)	1974	7	118	3 150	–	–	3	106	3	28	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Rye (bushels)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	15	832	13 742	–	–	3	107	3	15	–	–
	1969	3	168	3 348	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	4	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	70	2 548	3 544	–	–	26	982	26	231	2	12
	1969	49	2 360	4 696	–	–	24	1 433	23	347	8	58
Field seed crops	1974	5	260	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	8	361	(X)	–	–	5	186	5	40	–	–
Cotton (bales)	1974	3	137	(D)	–	–	3	137	3	56	–	–
	1969	3	143	94	–	–	3	143	(NA)	53	(NA)	–
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	7	1	102	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	22	(X)	–	–	2	9	2	7	–	–
	1969	7	23	(X)	–	–	5	13	5	5	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	3	13	(X)	–	–	2	10	2	4	–	–
	1969	6	13	(X)	–	–	6	13	6	8	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	3	1	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	5	(X)	–	–	1	1	2	(Z)	1	(Z)

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	97	70
$1,000	254	159
Commercial fertilizer—farms	94	66
acres on which used	10 218	9 742
tons	1 814	2 262
$1,000	230	145
Lime—farms	17	26
acres on which used	781	1 154
tons	914	1 154
$1,000	8	7
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	–	2
acres on which used	–	28
$1,000	–	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	5	3
acres on which used	233	149
$1,000	5	2
Nematodes in crops—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	–	–
acres on which used	–	–
$1,000	–	–
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	2	6
acres on which used	46	373
$1,000	(Z)	1
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	7	10
acres on which used	489	625
$1,000	1	1
Weeds on all other land—farms	4	(NA)
acres on which used	12	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	1	1
acres on which used	21	87
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	12	26
$1,000	1	2
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	15	(NA)
$1,000	6	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	–	–
Proportion of farms—percent	–	–
Total land irrigated—acres	–	–
Average per farm—acres	–	–
Cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	–	–
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	–	–
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	–	–
Cropland—acres	–	–
Harvested cropland—acres	–	–
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	4	4
Proportion of farms—percent	3.5	4.9
Land in farms with drainage—acres	3 419	2 385
Land drained—acres	114	148
Average per farm—acres	28.5	37.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	42	(NA)
number	152	(NA)
acres	270	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	37	29	14
$1,000	811	635	176
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	11	7	7
$5,000 to $9,999	5	4	1
$10,000 to $29,999	13	12	4
$30,000 to $49,999	2	–	1
$50,000 and over	6	6	1

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	7	15	15	37	31	110
25 to 149 days	12	54	22	232	37	
Less than 25 days	40		323		19	
Total contract labor	5	5	(NA)	(NA)	5	3
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	7	(NA)	3	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	54	7	12	40
Cash wages paid $1,000	87	31	37	19
Number of workers	360	15	22	323
Farms with—				
1 worker	18	3	9	10
2 workers	3	1	2	3
3 or 4 workers	16	3	–	11
5 to 9 workers	7	–	1	6
10 workers and over	10	–	–	10

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	1 636	2 381	1 154	1 213
Land in farms — acres	253 346	290 583	235 368	246 582
Average size of farm — acres	155	122	204	203
Approximate land area — acres	598 400	598 400	598 400	598 400
Proportion in farms — percent	42.3	48.6	39.3	41.2
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	117 518	74 310	108 388	57 489
Average per farm — dollars	71 832	31 209	93 924	47 393
Average per acre — dollars	464	256	461	233
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	240	403	74	80
10 to 49 acres	529	889	301	294
50 to 69 acres	141	198	118	116
70 to 99 acres	154	205	122	140
100 to 139 acres	122	152	106	105
140 to 179 acres	75	111	71	90
180 to 219 acres	65	87	59	73
220 to 259 acres	43	61	43	53
260 to 499 acres	147	156	144	145
500 to 999 acres	89	87	85	85
1,000 to 1,999 acres	21	28	21	28
2,000 acres and over	10	4	10	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	1 601	2 314	1 145	1 205
acres	126 438	146 520	120 320	128 249
Harvested cropland — farms	1 570	2 240	1 138	1 198
acres	98 454	86 366	95 523	77 333
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	518	917	189	
10 to 19 acres	277	461	194	807
20 to 29 acres	135	247	121	
30 to 49 acres	188	218	182	
50 to 99 acres	206	180	206	174
100 to 199 acres	113	133	113	133
200 to 499 acres	103	67	103	67
500 to 999 acres	25	16	25	16
1,000 acres and over	5	1	5	1
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	459	612	361	412
acres	13 397	8 960	11 670	7 040
Other cropland (see text) — farms	391	1 241	321	(NA)
acres	14 587	51 194	13 127	43 876
Total woodland — farms	842	1 353	640	765
acres	95 155	120 297	86 850	101 922
Other land (see text) — farms	1 052	1 447	765	(NA)
acres	31 753	23 766	28 198	16 411
Irrigated land — farms	21	59	11	49
acres	185	728	121	707

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	321	(NA)
acres	13 127	43 876
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	76	109
acres	2 951	3 593
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	66	137
acres	1 097	9 482
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	26	58
acres	1 205	2 427
Cropland idle — farms	201	611
acres	7 874	28 374
Total woodland — farms	640	765
acres	86 850	101 922
Woodland pastured — farms	204	245
acres	16 414	15 716

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	535	662
acres	70 436	86 206
Other land — farms	765	(NA)
acres	28 198	16 411
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	130	121
acres	12 355	4 120
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	80	45
acres	7 899	1 309
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	60	81
acres	4 456	2 811
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	734	734
acres	15 843	12 291

Table 2. Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	1 636	2 381	1 154	1 213
Land in farms — acres	253 346	290 583	235 368	246 582
Harvested cropland — acres	98 454	86 366	95 523	77 333
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	986	1 306	586	502
Land in farms — acres	103 250	132 324	87 230	99 709
Harvested cropland — acres	27 715	27 893	25 355	22 307
Part owners — number	427	583	393	431
Land in farms — acres	128 913	134 433	127 981	127 749
Harvested cropland — acres	58 886	46 238	58 666	44 636
Tenants — number	223	492	175	280
Land in farms — acres	21 183	23 826	20 157	19 124
Harvested cropland — acres	11 853	12 235	11 502	10 390
Percent of tenancy	13.6	20.6	15.2	23.0
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	658	1 288	319	417
Land in farms — acres	35 206	48 400	28 767	28 913
Harvested cropland — acres	11 739	16 061	9 991	10 413
Full owners — number	453	725	176	153
Land in farms — acres	14 537	27 649	9 661	13 763
Harvested cropland — acres	4 037	6 629	2 750	3 429
Part owners — number	108	239	79	116
Land in farms — acres	10 855	13 466	10 072	10 560
Harvested cropland — acres	3 723	5 159	3 514	4 084
Tenants — number	97	324	64	148
Land in farms — acres	9 814	7 285	9 034	4 590
Harvested cropland — acres	3 979	4 273	3 727	2 900
Percent of tenancy	14.7	25.1	20.1	35.4
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	1 065	1 027
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	210 764	194 976

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	79	131
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	22 431	34 171
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	6	41
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 477	13 262
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	4	14
acres	(NA)	(NA)	696	4 173
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	28	32	10	16
25 to 34 years	130	176	99	105
35 to 44 years	306	446	253	263
45 to 54 years	450	665	321	383
55 to 64 years	440	627	305	323
65 years and over	271	435	156	123
Average age	52.0	52.3	50.8	50.0
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	842	1 700	606	895
On another farm	132		82	
In a rural area, not on a farm	86	407	56	193
In a city, town, or urban area	121		99	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	596	(NA)	427	(NA)
1 to 49 days	83	215	41	111
50 to 99 days	60	163	34	82
100 to 149 days	52	222	29	88
150 to 199 days	82		40	
200 days and over	380	566	278	244
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	1 171	(NA)	854	(NA)
Other	454	(NA)	290	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	93	(NA)

[1] 1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2] 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	70	83	70	83
$40,000 to $99,999	141		141	
$20,000 to $39,999	174	110	174	110
$10,000 to $19,999	237	200	237	200
$5,000 to $9,999	287	388	286	388
$2,500 to $4,999	236	411	236	410
Under $2,500 (see text)	491	1 189	10	22
$2,000 to $2,499	113	134	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	107	155	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	103	235	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	168	665	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	33 890	16 748	33 257	15 607
Average per farm ... dollars	20 715	7 033	28 819	12 866
Crops, including hay ... farms	1 534	2 212	1 123	(NA)
$1,000	28 964	13 558	28 434	12 582
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	1		1	2
$1,000	1		1	1
Forest products ... farms	79	89	76	73
$1,000	871	326	870	322
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	657	1 024	486	662
$1,000	4 055	2 863	3 952	2 701
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	41	(NA)	41	56
$1,000	1 527	(NA)	1 527	769

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	1 123	(NA)
$1,000	28 434	12 582
Grains ... farms	914	876
$1,000	11 624	2 757
Tobacco ... farms	858	1 071
$1,000	16 284	9 201
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	35	380
$1,000	315	506
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	45	37
$1,000	79	34
Other field crops ... farms	25	20
$1,000	38	10
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	39	56
$1,000	89	64
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	4	17
$1,000	4	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	486	662
$1,000	3 952	2 701
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	41	56
$1,000	1 527	769
Dairy products ... farms	5	9
$1,000	242	196
Cattle and calves ... farms	182	(NA)
$1,000	408	320
Hogs and pigs ... farms	384	(NA)
$1,000	1 768	1 417
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	–	
$1,000	–	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	11	
$1,000	7	

Table 4. **Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1]	440	(NA)	212	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	417	(NA)	294	(NA)
$1,000	1 149	(NA)	968	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	150	149	108	94
$1,000	532	286	474	206
Recreational services ... farms	25	33	18	18
$1,000	39	44	35	42
Government farm programs ... farms	53	1 250	48	729
$1,000	41	1 589	33	1 412
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	245	(NA)	160	(NA)
$1,000	484	(NA)	373	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	22	(NA)	20	(NA)
$1,000	54	(NA)	53	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	119	(NA)	98	(NA)
$1,000	330	(NA)	322	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	571
$1,000	4 848
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	115
$1,000	1 004
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	398
$1,000	3 344
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	122
$1,000	234
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	72
$1,000	152
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	39
$1,000	114

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. **Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	1 636	2 381	1 154	1 213
$1,000	20 811	12 618	20 316	11 563
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	360	855	30	225
$1,000 to $1,999	240	424	145	
$2,000 to $2,999	169	261	137	182
$3,000 to $4,999	202	289	185	266
$5,000 to $9,999	251	254	243	242
$10,000 to $19,999	162	298	162	163
$20,000 to $39,999	126		126	84
$40,000 to $59,999	45		45	51
$60,000 and over	81		81	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	267	449	205	257
$1,000	507	547	491	514
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	724	960	479	527
$1,000	1 994	1 038	1 926	956
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	603	651	429	419
$1,000	1 763	842	1 720	798
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	97	95
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	74	69
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	112	126
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	121	79
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	40
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	192	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	1 036	1 874	858	1 105
$1,000	597	333	584	295
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	1 519	2 257	1 098	1 191
$1,000	4 373	2 266	4 275	2 068
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	800	(NA)	674	(NA)
$1,000	1 026	570	1 019	540
Lime ... farms	(NA)	174	138	141
$1,000	(NA)	42	112	39
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	1 539	2 259	1 111	1 210
$1,000	2 120	1 557	2 026	1 358
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	842	1 149
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	610	538
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	603	466
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	543	199
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	229	439
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	245	195
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 111	1 210
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	628	425
Hired farm labor ... farms	806	1 626	628	1 007
$1,000	2 589	1 798	2 539	1 644
Contract labor ... farms	70	1 081	52	54
$1,000	59	536	57	73
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	785		598	674
$1,000	665		635	412
All other production expenses ... farms	1 492	1 995	1 150	1 209
$1,000	6 880	3 973	6 727	3 703

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	1 501	2 182	1 043	1 161
$1,000	23 048	12 214	20 138	9 590
Average per farm—dollars	15 355	5 597	19 308	8 260
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	47	341	15	572
$1,000 to $4,999	319	1 097	192	
$5,000 to $9,999	452	407	199	289
$10,000 to $19,999	311	216	270	182
$20,000 to $29,999	177		172	62
$30,000 to $49,999	136	121	136	40
$50,000 to $69,999	26		26	16
$70,000 and over	33		33	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	1 207	1 631	815	882
number	1 564	2 004	1 129	1 127
mfd in last 5 years, number	894	1 262	769	783
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	1 180	1 372	859	877
number	1 534	1 621	1 212	1 102
mfd in last 5 years, number	674	945	620	703
Wheel tractors—farms	1 197	1 388	875	938
number	2 208	2 326	1 867	1 791
mfd in last 5 years, number	738	1 080	693	877
Crawler tractors—farms	31		30	22
number	34		33	28
mfd in last 5 years, number	11		11	18

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	173	116	171	109
number	188	143	184	134
mfd in last 5 years, number	84	108	84	103
Corn heads for combines—farms	152	151	150	93
number	168	191	166	114
mfd in last 5 years, number	78	123	76	87
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	79		73	56
number	81		75	60
mfd in last 5 years, number	20		20	28
Mower conditioners—farms	50	(NA)	40	(NA)
number	52	(NA)	42	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	59	74	55	65
number	61	78	57	67
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	45	13	39
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	25	(NA)	25	28
number	25	(NA)	25	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	(NA)	8	16
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	9	(NA)	9	11
number	9	(NA)	9	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	8

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	845	(X)	588	(X)	657	(X)	486	(X)	3 952
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	778	(X)	551	(X)	623	(X)	472	(X)	2 177
1969	1 281	(X)	710	(X)	974	(X)	637	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	389	7 597	286	6 758	224	2 380	182	2 163	408
1969	518	6 896	334	6 131	278	2 769	221	2 558	320
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	145	322	91	187	98	215	67	155	33
5 to 9—1974	64	441	36	257	52	326	48	306	56
10 to 19—1974	68	914	54	702	38	481	34	437	84
20 to 49—1974	68	2 062	64	1 954	28	769	25	676	130
50 to 99—1974	33	2 095	30	1 895	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199—1974	9	(D)	9	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499—1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
500 and over—1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	312	3 861	237	3 488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	417	3 446	283	3 081	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	232	3 331	194	3 047	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 743	214	2 483	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	129	530	78	441	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	174	703	99	598	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	242
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	196

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	232	3 331	194	3 047			
Farms with—							
1 to 4	80	192	61	147			
5 to 9	42	304	30	208			
10 to 19	49	666	45	610			
20 to 49	50	1 398	47	1 311			
50 to 99	9	(D)	9	(D)			
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Milk cows	129	530	78	441			
Farms with—							
1 or 2	92	126	52	72			
3 or 4	27	86	16	51			
5 to 9	6	33	6	33			
10 to 19	–	–	–	–			
20 to 49	2	(D)	2	(D)			
50 to 99	1	80	1	80			
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)			
200 to 499	–	–	–	–			
500 and over	–	–	–	–			
Cattle sold					124	1 188	247
Farms with—							
1 to 4					57	144	33
5 to 9					36	238	51
10 to 19					19	241	45
20 to 49					9	273	64
50 to 99					2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199					1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–
Calves sold					108	975	161
Farms with—							
1 or 2					28	37	4
3 or 4					15	51	9
5 to 9					32	197	35
10 to 19					17	197	41
20 to 49					12	266	36
50 to 99					4	227	36
100 to 199					–	–	–
200 to 499					–	–	–
500 and over					–	–	–

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	147	1 777
	1969	213	1 595
Beef heifers	1974	128	1 480
Milk heifers	1974	31	297
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	194	1 493
	1969	245	1 455

		Sales—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	35	305	62
	1969	13	156	(NA)
Farms with—				
1 to 9	1974	27	117	25
10 to 19	1974	4	52	6
20 to 49	1974	4	136	30
50 to 99	1974	–	–	–
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	–	–	–
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	626	23 289	439	21 052	508	31 978	384	30 483	1 768
	1969	1 158	31 152	638	25 814	883	38 166	577	33 775	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	100	249	54	128	73	153	32	83	6
5 to 9	1974	116	792	70	494	73	516	48	343	18
10 to 24	1974	213	3 100	140	2 048	160	2 495	118	1 841	95
25 to 49	1974	106	3 481	86	2 865	81	2 755	68	2 382	138
50 to 99	1974	48	2 978	46	2 828	65	4 434	62	4 209	252
100 to 199	1974	20	2 480	20	2 480	15	2 012	15	2 012	115
200 to 499	1974	20	5 622	20	5 622	29	7 981	29	7 981	442
500 and over	1974	3	4 587	3	4 587	12	11 632	12	11 632	702
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	108	5 036	73	4 615	91
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	192	5 410	119	4 172	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)
	1969	6	93	2	31	5	45	3	39	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	[1] –
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	–	(X)	–
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	5	53	(NA)	(NA)	2	30	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	21	61	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	106	305	82	259	8	20	8	20	6
	1969	190	425	(NA)	(NA)	13	94	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	328	2 927
	1969	493	3 962
Other hogs and pigs	1974	431	18 125
	1969	597	21 852
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	–	–
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	–	–
Rams and wethers	1974	–	–

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	455	4 172	344	3 871
	1969	876	5 411	539	4 426
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	381	2 184	297	2 023
	1969	758	2 888	483	2 306
June 1 and November 30	1974	341	1 988	268	1 848
	1969	644	2 523	430	2 120

[1] Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	358	(X)	200	(X)	29	(X)	29	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	291	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	351	115 976	199	113 082	23	(D)	23	(D)
	1969	637	215 860	287	208 552	28	105 933	17	105 518
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	329	114 787	187	112 189	23	(D)	23	(D)
	1969	579	132 437	270	126 922	24	85 903	15	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	314	6 602	172	4 004	12	132	12	132
100 to 399	1974	8	1 465	8	1 465	6	800	6	800
400 to 1,599	1974	4	2 720	4	2 720	4	2 326	4	2 326
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	64	939	28	475	4	100	4	100
	1969	32	404	10	144	2	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	41	1 527	41	1 527
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	56	769

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	187	112 189	23	(D)
	1969	270	126 922	15	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	183	110 795	21	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	30	1 394	4	702
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	10	153	–	–
	1969	38	80 743	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	111	740	2	68
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	13	233	4	(D)
Turkeys	1974	5	116	4	70 100
	1969	22	11 077	5	53 014
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	5	112	4	70 100
Heavy breed	1974	5	110	4	70 100
Light breed	1974	1	2	–	–
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	4	–	–
	1969	20	58	1	11
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	–	(X)
	1969	15	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1 227	1 711	40 567	35 558	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	14	25	123	196	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	805	706	45 078	29 472	938 496	684 113
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	18	4	18	1 400	11 150
Wheat (bushels)	69	28	2 063	217	46 230	8 104
Other small grains for grain	50	101	732	1 126	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	41	778	1 710	10 209	1 554	5 791
Tobacco (pounds)	1 123	1 813	8 868	8 409	17 401 594	14 966 110
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	26	(NA)	7	(NA)	1 533	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	99	(NA)	61	(NA)	10 971	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	151	322	1 512	1 548	1 765	1 881
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	77	119	291	346	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	13	25	78	149	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	–	1	–	(X)	(X)
Other crops	16	(NA)	66	488	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	897	931	38 063	30 403	2 666 592	1 816 762	1	5	16	171
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	25	18	414	252	7 680	4 346	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	40	38	349	516	(X)	(X)	–	1	–	5
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	6	4	71	130	1 356	4 218	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	36	21	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	5	10	28	38	29	58	–	–	–	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	361	11 670	(X)	–	–	75	1 234	74	298	19	56
	1969	412	7 040	(X)	1	10	139	2 546	134	577	20	218
Improved pasture	1974	80	7 899	(X)	–	–	29	1 324	28	285	4	71
	1969	45	1 309	(X)	–	–	14	543	14	112	2	7
Corn for all purposes	1974	913	38 826	(X)	1	16	675	31 951	634	7 742	361	3 556
	1969	952	31 171	(X)	6	176	733	25 032	705	6 971	348	3 079
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	12	107	(X)	–	–	10	81	10	16	9	7
	1969	11	151	(X)	–	–	6	80	6	22	1	3
Wheat (bushels)	1974	61	2 037	45 480	–	–	57	1 815	48	379	32	110
	1969	20	203	7 826	–	–	17	179	(NA)	42	(NA)	4
Oats (bushels)	1974	31	504	22 845	–	–	21	431	18	48	13	36
	1969	59	902	39 360	–	–	47	805	(NA)	202	(NA)	32
Barley (bushels)	1974	2	95	3 935	–	–	2	95	2	23	1	3
	1969	1	20	700	–	–	1	20	(NA)	–	(NA)	6
Rye (bushels)	1974	5	98	2 274	–	–	2	60	2	15	–	–
	1969	6	50	1 114	–	–	6	50	(NA)	9	(NA)	5
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	5	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	697	44 324	923 618	3	39	455	33 750	418	5 192	45	1 091
	1969	526	27 459	641 132	2	7	424	24 354	(NA)	4 427	(NA)	240
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	7	7	4 900	–	–	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	103	1 361	1 621	–	–	30	349	29	108	21	70
	1969	180	1 238	1 515	–	–	43	335	42	89	8	12
Field seed crops	1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	16	(X)	–	–	3	4	2	1	1	(Z)
Cotton (bales)	1974	39	1 706	1 552	–	–	31	1 654	27	369	14	62
	1969	437	9 025	5 205	2	8	393	8 854	(NA)	2 737	(NA)	367
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	862	8 632	17 045 714	6	49	862	8 554	855	8 641	50	89
	1969	1 070	7 646	13 897 787	46	508	1 070	7 558	(NA)	7 576	(NA)	117
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	15	3	745	–	–	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	–	–
	1969	24	20	1 208	–	–	7	13	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	48	279	(X)	2	16	25	232	25	97	–	–
	1969	69	284	(X)	2	1	38	191	38	62	1	4
Land in orchards	1974	12	76	(X)	–	–	7	36	7	6	–	–
	1969	20	125	(X)	–	–	11	57	11	19	2	3

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	1	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	35	113	(X)	–	–	10	59	16	27	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime—farms	1 100	1 199
$1,000	5 294	2 608
Commercial fertilizer—farms	1 098	1 183
acres on which used	81 884	70 959
tons	28 461	27 021
$1,000	4 275	2 068
Lime—farms	138	141
acres on which used	8 618	5 573
tons	8 032	4 844
$1,000	112	39
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Insects on hay crops—farms	1	6
acres on which used	20	29
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops—farms	446	867
acres on which used	38 668	31 911
$1,000	512	293
Nematodes in crops—farms	118	165
acres on which used	3 110	1 813
$1,000	51	24

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards—farms	8	21
acres on which used	1 319	803
$1,000	9	5
Weeds or grass in crops—farms	239	303
acres on which used	33 484	20 844
$1,000	270	139
Weeds or brush in pasture—farms	11	18
acres on which used	187	688
$1,000	(Z)	3
Weeds on all other land—farms	15	(NA)
acres on which used	160	(NA)
$1,000	2	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit—farms	45	149
acres on which used	1 194	4 015
$1,000	14	22
Insect control on livestock and poultry—farms	22	114
$1,000	1	7
Other chemicals (see text)—farms	169	(NA)
$1,000	47	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year—farms	11	49
Proportion of farms—percent	1.0	4.0
Total land irrigated—acres	121	707
Average per farm—acres	11.0	14.4
Cropland irrigated—farms	11	49
acres	121	707
Harvested cropland irrigated—farms	11	47
acres	121	692
Cropland pasture irrigated—farms	–	1
acres	–	10
Other cropland irrigated—farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	5
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture—farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied—acre-feet	140	561
Average per acre irrigated—acre-feet	1.2	0.8
Land irrigated by—		
Furrows or ditches—farms	1	(NA)
acres	8	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by—Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems—farms	1	(NA)
acres	35	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems—farms	9	(NA)
acres	78	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms—acres	1 594	14 624
Cropland—acres	1 205	7 947
Harvested cropland—acres	1 131	4 655
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973—farms	8	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	178	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage—farms	219	435
Proportion of farms—percent	19.0	35.8
Land in farms with drainage—acres	65 298	120 016
Land drained—acres	27 977	53 070
Average per farm—acres	127.7	122.0
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—farms	195	(NA)
number	605	(NA)
acres	602	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)—farms	348	251	189
$1,000	7 211	5 068	2 143
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	108	91	87
$5,000 to $9,999	71	34	47
$10,000 to $29,999	100	82	36
$30,000 to $49,999	44	27	13
$50,000 and over	25	17	6

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working—						
150 days or more	121	149	355	293	1 084	1 644
25 to 149 days	212	966	1 545	9 535	764	
Less than 25 days	445		6 228		691	
Total contract labor	52	54	(NA)	(NA)	57	73
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	38	(NA)	15	(NA)

		1974 hired farm workers working—		
	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	628	121	212	445
Cash wages paid $1,000	2 539	1 084	764	691
Number of workers	8 128	355	1 545	6 228
Farms with—				
1 worker	82	44	51	57
2 workers	65	32	36	39
3 or 4 workers	104	22	35	70
5 to 9 workers	90	18	26	62
10 workers and over	287	5	64	217

Table 1. **Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms — number	613	812	235	255
Land in farms — acres	147 685	167 326	99 120	98 978
Average size of farm — acres	241	206	422	388
Approximate land area — acres	437 760	437 760	437 760	437 760
Proportion in farms — percent	33.7	38.2	22.6	22.6
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	74 444	37 464	47 787	20 374
Average per farm — dollars	121 441	46 138	203 347	79 899
Average per acre — dollars	504	224	482	206
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	18	28	6	7
10 to 49 acres	108	163	17	13
50 to 69 acres	41	60	9	8
70 to 99 acres	85	100	17	12
100 to 139 acres	80	98	29	20
140 to 179 acres	74	82	23	26
180 to 219 acres	34	49	13	20
220 to 259 acres	36	51	16	25
260 to 499 acres	80	107	54	62
500 to 999 acres	36	56	31	45
1,000 to 1,999 acres	14	14	14	13
2,000 acres and over	7	4	6	4

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland — farms	582	731	222	233
acres	65 784	72 366	45 770	45 088
Harvested cropland — farms	446	558	208	207
acres	25 614	21 810	22 167	17 031
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	102	189	12	
10 to 19 acres	119	133	33	107
20 to 29 acres	65	65	23	
30 to 49 acres	54	64	41	
50 to 99 acres	52	55	45	48
100 to 199 acres	24	28	24	28
200 to 499 acres	22	21	22	21
500 to 999 acres	5	3	5	3
1,000 acres and over	3	–	3	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	436	508	143	161
acres	34 055	34 904	19 786	20 504
Other cropland (see text) — farms	136	309	63	(NA)
acres	6 115	15 652	3 817	7 553
Total woodland — farms	447	600	175	196
acres	52 819	62 375	31 584	34 596
Other land (see text) — farms	467	621	192	(NA)
acres	29 082	32 585	21 766	19 294
Irrigated land — farms	9	11	8	5
acres	296	278	294	245

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland — farms	63	(NA)
acres	3 817	7 553
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured — farms	35	33
acres	1 729	1 557
Cropland on which all crops failed — farms	8	8
acres	165	400
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow — farms	13	17
acres	394	484
Cropland idle — farms	18	64
acres	1 529	5 112
Total woodland — farms	175	196
acres	31 584	34 596
Woodland pastured — farms	136	148
acres	11 917	18 997

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland — Continued		
Woodland not pastured — farms	91	112
acres	19 667	15 599
Other land — farms	192	(NA)
acres	21 766	19 294
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture — farms	74	64
acres	17 332	11 918
Improved pastureland and rangeland — farms	55	48
acres	7 698	9 379
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland — farms	29	28
acres	9 634	2 539
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. — farms	176	179
acres	4 434	7 376

Table 2. **Farm Operators — Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators — number	613	812	235	255
Land in farms — acres	147 685	167 326	99 120	98 978
Harvested cropland — acres	25 614	21 810	22 167	17 031
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners — number	448	622	124	166
Land in farms — acres	74 975	103 680	36 368	47 817
Harvested cropland — acres	7 745	9 048	5 020	5 779
Part owners — number	144	143	100	83
Land in farms — acres	61 914	57 704	55 083	48 896
Harvested cropland — acres	16 674	11 860	16 075	10 799
Tenants — number	21	47	11	6
Land in farms — acres	10 796	5 942	7 669	2 265
Harvested cropland — acres	1 195	902	1 072	453
Percent of tenancy	3.4	5.7	4.7	2.3
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure:[1]				
All farm operators — number	15	88	7	13
Land in farms — acres	1 310	8 177	496	2 623
Harvested cropland — acres	386	1 205	260	320
Full owners — number	7	65	2	11
Land in farms — acres	760	7 067	96	2 448
Harvested cropland — acres	123	919	24	259
Part owners — number	5	7	3	1
Land in farms — acres	400	606	320	174
Harvested cropland — acres	170	160	156	60
Tenants — number	3	16	2	1
Land in farms — acres	150	504	80	1
Harvested cropland — acres	93	126	80	1
Percent of tenancy	20.0	18.1	28.6	7.6
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family — number	(NA)	(NA)	212	207
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	86 987	76 272

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Partnership — number	(NA)	(NA)	22	43
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 524	20 683
Corporation — number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Land in farms — acres	(NA)	(NA)	609	907
Other — number	(NA)	(NA)	–	3
acres	(NA)	(NA)	–	1 116
Farm operators by age group:[2]				
Under 25 years	8	5	2	3
25 to 34 years	28	45	13	18
35 to 44 years	103	107	35	39
45 to 54 years	177	203	69	73
55 to 64 years	154	206	55	61
65 years and over	141	246	60	61
Average age	54.4	56.1	54.7	54.2
Farm operators by place of residence:[2]				
On farm operated	416	591	168	194
On another farm	3		1	
In a rural area, not on a farm	22	123	12	31
In a city, town, or urban area	47		14	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:[2]				
None	130	(NA)	69	(NA)
1 to 49 days	20	50	8	14
50 to 99 days	28	46	8	8
100 to 149 days	25	63	15	25
150 to 199 days	20		8	
200 days and over	336	395	94	93
Farm operators by principal occupation:[2]				
Farming	195	(NA)	121	(NA)
Other	416	(NA)	113	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)

[1]1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:				
$100,000 and over	24	31	24	31
$40,000 to $99,999	22		22	
$20,000 to $39,999	18	31	18	31
$10,000 to $19,999	43	46	43	46
$5,000 to $9,999	51	33	51	33
$2,500 to $4,999	70	104	69	104
Under $2,500 (see text)	385	567	8	10
$2,000 to $2,499	39	42	(X)	(X)
$1,500 to $1,999	52	62	(X)	(X)
$1,000 to $1,499	78	82	(X)	(X)
Under $1,000 (see text)	216	381	(X)	(X)
Market value of agricultural products sold ... $1,000	7 924	5 110	7 561	4 691
Average per farm ... dollars	12 927	6 292	32 174	18 396
Crops, including hay ... farms	260	315	146	(NA)
$1,000	2 865	1 102	2 775	988
Nursery and greenhouse products ... farms	6		6	1
$1,000	51		51	6
Forest products ... farms	45	85	27	41
$1,000	122	141	118	123
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	449	587	178	222
$1,000	4 886	3 867	4 617	3 575
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	33	(NA)	27	40
$1,000	2 262	(NA)	2 260	1 514

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Specified products sold:		
Crops ... farms	146	(NA)
$1,000	2 775	988
Grains ... farms	101	53
$1,000	1 101	146
Tobacco ... farms	–	2
$1,000	–	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ... farms	26	46
$1,000	1 005	411
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ... farms	38	51
$1,000	130	97
Other field crops ... farms	4	16
$1,000	1	28
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ... farms	16	10
$1,000	49	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ... farms	27	33
$1,000	491	267
Livestock, poultry, and their products ... farms	178	222
$1,000	4 617	3 575
Poultry and poultry products ... farms	27	40
$1,000	2 260	1 514
Dairy products ... farms	18	29
$1,000	1 104	727
Cattle and calves ... farms	160	(NA)
$1,000	1 073	1 099
Hogs and pigs ... farms	28	(NA)
$1,000	179	235
Sheep, lambs, and wool ... farms	1	
$1,000	1	
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	2	
$1,000	(Z)	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold[1] ... farms	398	(NA)	96	(NA)
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses[1] ... farms	151	(NA)	84	(NA)
$1,000	165	(NA)	142	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	48	46	36	27
$1,000	78	48	76	37
Recreational services ... farms	6	18	1	8
$1,000	2	47	(Z)	43
Government farm programs ... farms	92	366	53	133
$1,000	53	331	43	241
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ... farms	39	(NA)	16	(NA)
$1,000	24	(NA)	16	(NA)
Other farm-related sources ... farms	11	(NA)	9	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)	7	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources[1] ... farms	50	(NA)	29	(NA)
$1,000	70	(NA)	56	(NA)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over, 1974
Total family income from off-farm sources[2] ... farms	169
$1,000	2 330
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ... farms	29
$1,000	415
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ... farms	124
$1,000	1 433
Interest, dividends, or royalties ... farms	70
$1,000	352
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ... farms	29
$1,000	71
Rent income of nonfarm property ... farms	22
$1,000	60

[1]See text. [2]1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses ... farms	613	812	235	255
$1,000	6 669	4 874	6 095	4 270
Farms with –				
$1 to $999	188	347	12	38
$1,000 to $1,999	130	177	18	
$2,000 to $2,999	66	70	23	24
$3,000 to $4,999	69	58	36	41
$5,000 to $9,999	67	54	53	46
$10,000 to $19,999	27	106	27	43
$20,000 to $39,999	30		30	39
$40,000 to $59,999	7		7	24
$60,000 and over	29		29	
Livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	213	290	86	115
$1,000	592	649	517	581
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ... farms	400	495	152	175
$1,000	2 113	1 400	2 008	1 323
Commercially mixed formula feeds ... farms	250	317	125	151
$1,000	1 766	1 136	1 731	1 098
Feed ingredients ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	32
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	44
Whole grains ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	46
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	170	164
Hay, green chop, and silage ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	32
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	17
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	109	(NA)
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ... farms	270	329	132	143
$1,000	117	56	106	44
Commercial fertilizer purchased ... farms	478	630	196	201
$1,000	887	580	767	476
Other agricultural chemicals purchased ... farms	174	(NA)	95	(NA)
$1,000	281	151	274	137
Lime ... farms	(NA)	149	34	65
$1,000	(NA)	39	33	31
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ... farms	591	773	231	255
$1,000	393	264	327	191
Gasoline ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	220	240
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	167	125
Diesel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	142	102
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	32
LP gas, butane, and propane ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	20	18
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	12
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ... farms	(NA)	(NA)	231	254
$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	22
Hired farm labor ... farms	169	415	100	184
$1,000	450	539	420	495
Contract labor ... farms	18	296	6	27
$1,000	10	141	7	47
Machine hire and customwork ... farms	162		87	113
$1,000	72		61	62
All other production expenses ... farms	509	615	230	251
$1,000	1 753	1 094	1 563	915

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	606	766	229	250
$1,000	8 601	4 253	5 707	2 743
Average per farm—dollars	14 193	5 552	24 923	10 973
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $999	6	98	–	110
$1,000 to $4,999	143	434	35	
$5,000 to $9,999	216	138	43	60
$10,000 to $19,999	117	54	41	38
$20,000 to $29,999	66	42	53	17
$30,000 to $49,999	36		35	17
$50,000 to $69,999	10		10	8
$70,000 and over	12		12	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles—farms	473	528	188	182
number	677	769	297	258
mfd in last 5 years, number	288	425	149	165
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms	514	524	208	202
number	739	721	399	344
mfd in last 5 years, number	224	337	136	163
Wheel tractors—farms	539	648	214	224
number	907	1 085	504	485
mfd in last 5 years, number	220	382	159	211
Crawler tractors—farms	33		24	25
number	44		35	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	17

	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	51	38	49	30
number	57	40	55	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	26	27	25
Corn heads for combines—farms	10	16	10	–
number	10	16	10	–
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	4	3	–
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	14		14	11
number	15		15	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	4
Mower conditioners—farms	81	(NA)	54	(NA)
number	96	(NA)	63	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	(NA)	20	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	163	168	99	97
number	164	170	100	99
mfd in last 5 years, number	26	78	19	53
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	67	(NA)	37	49
number	67	(NA)	37	49
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	10	30
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	36	(NA)	34	23
number	39	(NA)	36	25
mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	16

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry—1974	492	(X)	185	(X)	449	(X)	178	(X)	4 617
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974	468	(X)	174	(X)	427	(X)	168	(X)	1 253
1969	622	(X)	205	(X)	548	(X)	204	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974	458	21 940	167	15 489	415	8 245	160	6 308	1 073
1969	592	21 387	196	14 975	526	10 284	197	8 062	1 099
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974	29	83	6	16	97	269	10	29	6
5 to 9—1974	56	364	8	51	95	639	15	102	22
10 to 19—1974	92	1 254	7	97	120	1 539	40	557	115
20 to 49—1974	154	4 821	46	1 580	66	1 877	58	1 699	259
50 to 99—1974	77	4 958	50	3 285	24	1 449	24	1 449	187
100 to 199—1974	29	3 699	29	3 699	10	1 555	10	1 555	339
200 to 499—1974	20	(D)	20	(D)	3	917	3	917	145
500 and over—1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974	405	13 083	161	9 147	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	509	11 153	188	8 427	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974	377	11 765	142	7 918	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 643	163	7 139	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974	75	1 318	34	1 229	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	134	1 510	45	1 288	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	1 104
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	727

	Inventory, 1974			
	All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	377	11 765	142	7 918
Farms with—				
1 to 4	29	80	5	12
5 to 9	56	375	7	44
10 to 19	108	1 483	21	310
20 to 49	128	3 721	56	1 600
50 to 99	34	2 237	31	2 083
100 to 199	16	2 015	16	2 015
200 to 499	5	(D)	5	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)
Milk cows	75	1 318	34	1 229
Farms with—				
1 or 2	45	62	14	20
3 or 4	6	19	–	–
5 to 9	8	55	4	27
10 to 19	2	30	2	30
20 to 49	3	86	3	86
50 to 99	8	554	8	554
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–	–

	Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle sold	131	2 679	746
Farms with—			
1 to 4	29	73	15
5 to 9	22	148	38
10 to 19	44	598	140
20 to 49	27	779	180
50 to 99	5	343	68
100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–
Calves sold	124	3 629	327
Farms with—			
1 or 2	13	20	2
3 or 4	6	22	2
5 to 9	13	81	8
10 to 19	30	435	51
20 to 49	46	1 315	134
50 to 99	8	489	29
100 to 199	7	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	–	–	–

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	129	3 431
	1969	168	3 687
Beef heifers	1974	118	2 800
Milk heifers	1974	16	631
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	126	2 911
	1969	169	2 861

		Sales — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	15	478	121
	1969	2	9	(NA)
Farms with —				
1 to 9	1974	8	33	8
10 to 19	1974	2	20	4
20 to 49	1974	3	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	1974	1	60	10
100 to 199	1974	–	–	–
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	–	–	–

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	91	1 786	39	1 539	42	2 867	28	2 684	179
	1969	143	3 837	45	3 204	83	5 437	44	4 895	(NA)
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974	54	111	14	36	5	13	2	6	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	67	6	46	4	26	1	5	(Z)
10 to 24	1974	12	177	4	56	9	144	5	89	6
25 to 49	1974	6	208	5	178	9	267	5	167	7
50 to 99	1974	6	423	6	423	6	469	6	469	27
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	671	4	671	51
200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	1 277	5	1 277	87
500 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	573	6	486	9
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	799	9	570	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	70	1	70	1	30	1	30	(NA)
	1969	4	56	3	47	1	34	1	34	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	45	[1]279
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	3	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	91	288	30	126	7	8	–	–	–
	1969	154	572	(NA)	(NA)	20	73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory — Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	21	208
	1969	34	456
Other hogs and pigs	1974	39	1 331
	1969	41	2 748
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	1	25
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	40
Rams and wethers	1974	1	5

		Inventory			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	41	394	25	351
	1969	61	662	36	596
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	32	206	20	179
	1969	53	338	34	298
June 1 and November 30	1974	33	188	23	172
	1969	42	324	29	298

[1]Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1974	61	(X)	30	(X)	30	(X)	25	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)	(NA)	(X)	40	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	53	57 422	22	56 468	20	235 133	15	234 917
	1969	111	122 939	26	120 468	22	156 555	17	154 473
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	51	57 162	21	56 305	18	(D)	13	(D)
	1969	102	75 399	23	73 460	18	45 010	13	42 940
Farms with —									
1 to 99	1974	38	962	9	305	9	424	4	208
100 to 399	1974	6	1 200	5	1 000	1	109	1	109
400 to 1,599	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	900	2	900
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	4	51 000	4	51 000	3	31 400	3	31 400
20,000 to 49,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 and over	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	1	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	12	126 144	8	126 012	17	981 020	15	981 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, ($1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	33	2 262	27	2 260
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	40	1 514

Table 9. **Poultry — Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969** — Continued

		Farms with sales of $2,500 and over			
		Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	21	56 305	13	(D)
	1969	23	73 460	13	42 940
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	21	56 305	13	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	–	–	–	–
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	20	2	(D)
	1969	8	45 720	4	110 350
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	5	143	–	–
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	5	99 830	–	–
Turkeys	1974	1	(D)	5	198 386
	1969	2	(D)	6	86 313
Turkeys for slaughter	1974	–	–	4	(D)
Heavy breed	1974	–	–	4	165 586
Light breed	1974	–	–	1	(D)
Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	–	–	–	–
Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	5	(X)
	1969	6	(X)	6	(X)

Table 10. **Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	175	190	2 768	2 268	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	61	48	1 921	1 540	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	89	47	5 786	2 056	130 606	41 572
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	17	–	42	–	34 590
Wheat (bushels)	39	35	1 473	293	54 678	10 655
Other small grains for grain	80	67	2 121	1 289	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	34	113	4 901	3 851	4 289	3 435
Tobacco (pounds)	–	2	–	11	–	(D)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	20	(NA)	8	(NA)	548	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	21	(NA)	7	(NA)	702	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	277	382	6 650	8 604	10 709	11 627
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	44	59	163	199	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	37	70	732	1 121	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	–	5	–	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	19	(NA)	155	857	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of $2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
							Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	61	49	921	712	42 961	25 253	1	–	15	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	25	23	1 377	867	16 169	10 877	–	–	–	–
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	3	2	5	23	(X)	(X)	–	–	–	–
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	33	18	1 158	828	29 954	30 057	1	–	11	–
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	18	(NA)	620	603	(X)	(X)	–	(NA)	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	4	6	127	178	201	163	1	–	40	–

Table 11. **Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

					Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
							Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	143	19 786	(X)	1	200	56	6 342	55	1 113	6	32
	1969	161	20 504	(X)	1	100	104	9 508	103	2 183	8	109
Improved pasture	1974	55	7 698	(X)	–	–	29	4 753	29	874	–	–
	1969	48	9 379	(X)	–	–	28	3 761	27	793	4	284
Corn for all purposes	1974	78	2 303	(X)	1	15	65	2 007	65	475	19	85
	1969	63	1 602	(X)	–	–	48	1 325	48	456	7	50
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	44	1 778	(X)	1	11	29	1 242	29	337	7	45
	1969	31	1 431	(X)	–	–	30	1 389	29	358	8	62
Wheat (bushels)	1974	33	1 431	53 970	–	–	23	1 257	23	237	2	11
	1969	18	229	8 810	–	–	14	183	(NA)	44	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels)	1974	47	1 289	63 788	–	–	32	905	31	176	6	26
	1969	23	407	22 522	–	–	19	340	(NA)	78	(NA)	10
Barley (bushels)	1974	22	629	33 419	–	–	20	623	18	73	8	38
	1969	18	618	35 630	–	–	12	379	(NA)	72	(NA)	16
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	4	50	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
	1969	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Other small grains for grain	1974	4	14	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	71	5 601	127 790	–	–	49	4 603	49	838	1	7
	1969	25	1 935	38 981	–	–	24	1 705	(NA)	322	(NA)	19
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	4	19	19 590	–	–	3	18	(NA)	4	(NA)	–
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	117	4 378	7 831	1	40	58	2 239	56	619	5	14
	1969	154	5 849	8 264	–	–	71	2 514	69	817	8	51
Field seed crops	1974	8	126	(X)	–	–	5	74	5	16	–	–
	1969	22	673	(X)	–	–	8	376	7	84	1	2
Cotton (bales)	1974	26	4 829	4 245	–	–	23	4 752	23	1 252	1	4
	1969	47	3 386	3 111	–	–	41	3 336	(NA)	948	(NA)	101
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	11	(D)	–	–	2	11	(NA)	11	(NA)	–
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	1	90	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	1969	2	(Z)	24	–	–	–	–	(NA)	–	(NA)	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	17	104	(X)	1	2	10	85	10	25	–	–
	1969	13	96	(X)	2	5	10	88	10	33	–	–
Land in orchards	1974	33	720	(X)	2	22	24	537	24	139	–	–
	1969	32	1 002	(X)	3	140	31	986	31	378	–	–

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969 — Continued

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used					
					Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale 1974	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse products 1974	6	11	(X)	2	3	5	11	4	5	1	(Z)
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops 1974	3	3	(X)	–	–	1	1	1	(Z)	–	–

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime — farms	201	208
$1,000	1 041	612
Commercial fertilizer — farms	196	188
acres on which used	29 533	25 973
tons	6 464	7 334
$1,000	767	476
Lime — farms	34	65
acres on which used	3 751	3 773
tons	3 984	5 025
$1,000	33	31
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control —		
Insects on hay crops — farms	1	3
acres on which used	2	43
$1,000	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on other crops — farms	31	51
acres on which used	4 600	3 873
$1,000	160	56
Nematodes in crops — farms	–	1
acres on which used	–	6
$1,000	–	(Z)

	1974	1969
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control — Con.		
Diseases in crops and orchards — farms	9	9
acres on which used	196	375
$1,000	5	4
Weeds or grass in crops — farms	36	43
acres on which used	6 204	3 271
$1,000	54	31
Weeds or brush in pasture — farms	4	7
acres on which used	316	228
$1,000	1	(Z)
Weeds on all other land — farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	2	(NA)
$1,000	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit — farms	8	19
acres on which used	2 273	1 979
$1,000	11	11
Insect control on livestock and poultry — farms	16	66
$1,000	3	4
Other chemicals (see text) — farms	19	(NA)
$1,000	9	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year — farms	8	5
Proportion of farms — percent	3.4	1.9
Total land irrigated — acres	294	245
Average per farm — acres	36.8	49.0
Cropland irrigated — farms	8	5
acres	294	245
Harvested cropland irrigated — farms	8	5
acres	94	145
Cropland pasture irrigated — farms	1	1
acres	200	100
Other cropland irrigated — farms	–	(NA)
acres	–	–
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture — farms	–	–
acres	–	–
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	520	141
Average per acre irrigated — acre-feet	1.8	0.6
Land irrigated by —		
Furrows or ditches — farms	3	(NA)
acres	266	(NA)

	1974	1969
Land irrigated by — Continued		
Self-propelled sprinkler systems — farms	1	(NA)
acres	12	(NA)
Other sprinkler systems — farms	5	(NA)
acres	56	(NA)
Land in irrigated farms — acres	2 979	3 067
Cropland — acres	1 345	1 716
Harvested cropland — acres	684	801
Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973 — farms	–	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	–	(X)
Farms with artifical drainage — farms	1	16
Proportion of farms — percent	0.4	6.2
Land in farms with drainage — acres	1 018	8 682
Land drained — acres	10	615
Average per farm — acres	10.0	38.4
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks — farms	84	(NA)
number	249	(NA)
acres	572	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) — farms	68	53	34
$1,000	3 216	2 572	644
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under $5,000	16	8	15
$5,000 to $9,999	10	11	2
$10,000 to $29,999	18	15	12
$30,000 to $49,999	6	5	–
$50,000 and over	18	14	5

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Hired farm workers working —						
150 days or more	51	70	84	138	291	
25 to 149 days	30	150	75	741	76	495
Less than 25 days	56		393		53	
Total contract labor	6	27	(NA)	(NA)	7	47
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	7	(NA)	2	(NA)

	Total	1974 hired farm workers working —		
		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Farms	100	51	30	56
Cash wages paid — $1,000	420	291	76	53
Number of workers	552	84	75	393
Farms with —				
1 worker	32	29	9	15
2 workers	21	16	13	4
3 or 4 workers	19	5	5	15
5 to 9 workers	13	1	2	11
10 workers and over	15	–	1	11

APPENDIX A. General Explanation

1. Taking the Census

Enumeration Method

The growing complexity in the structure of American agriculture along with increasing numbers of farm operators living off-farm have made an enumerator-type census as conducted in the past increasingly difficult. The mailout/mailback census, made possible by the availability of relatively complete administrative lists, provides the respondent the opportunity to complete the report more nearly at his own convenience than in an enumerator-type census. Generally the quality of data on reports completed by operators exceeds that of reports filled out by enumerators. Based on the overall satisfactory experience with the mailout/mailback procedure used in 1969, a decision was made to continue the mail procedure for 1974.

In censuses prior to 1969, enumerators were assigned to enumerate all farms in a specified geographic area and were instructed to call on all farm operators in person. Beginning with the 1950 census, copies of the report form were mailed to rural boxholders prior to the enumeration's starting date, and farm operators were asked to complete the forms and have them ready for the enumerator to collect. Enumerators going door-to-door in rural areas would pickup and review any forms that had been completed; they would also fill out or complete reports for those places having some agricultural operations which did not have forms completed and ready for review.

The mailout/mailback procedure has not been used in taking the agriculture census in Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands. A discussion of the direct enumeration methods used appears in the reports for these outlying areas.

Mailing List

The starting point for the enumeration of the 1974 census was the mailing list, which consisted of all persons and organizations that could be identified from administrative records as associated with agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974. The list was assembled from the records of the 1969 Census of Agriculture and those of other government agencies. Only the more comprehensive sets of administrative records containing information related to agricultural activities were initially used. This included records primarily from the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the Internal Revenue Service, and the Social Security Administration.

To improve the mailing list and to identify individual units of multiestablishment farming operations—particularly corporations, a precanvass of the larger, more complex, and specialized operations (approximately 55,000 cases mostly identified from the 1969 agriculture census plus those in the file of companies in retail, wholesale, and manufacturing areas known to have agricultural operations) was conducted in early 1974. This survey identified over 6,200 multiestablishment companies or other organizations having one or more separate establishments (or locations) producing agricultural products or providing agricultural services to others. In many cases, these agricultural establishments were in addition to nonagricultural establishments operated by the company. Separate census report forms were required of each individual farming unit or agricultural establishment identified in the precanvass. The precanvass form also provided information to distinguish primary farming corporations from business-associated farming corporations and family-controlled corporations from other corporations.

Lists of specialized operations, such as nurseries and broiler growers which might not be identified in other administrative records, as well as selected lists of other large and/or specialized producers, such as feedlots and fish farms, were included in the mail list. In total, about 130,000 special list names were included.

The master list primarily contained the names and addresses of persons and organizations known to be associated with agricultural operations in 1973. It was constructed by merging and unduplicating the various source lists on the basis of Social Security or Employee Identification numbers, along with some unduplication based on alphabetic matching of names and addresses. To facilitate processing, each name on the master list was assigned a size code to indicate an estimate of value of sales as well as a code for county location. Most duplicate names not identified prior to mailing were either reported by respondents or located during the office processing.

Report Forms

Two basic census report forms were used for all States except Alaska and Hawaii. A regular 18-page report form was mailed to all farms whose 1974 sales of agricultural products were expected to total $2,500 or more. A short six-page report form was sent to all operators whose 1974 sales were expected to total less

than $2,500. This short form covered the major subjects (crops, land use, livestock and poultry, equipment, expenditures, and value of sales), but omitted most of the additional detail found in the regular form. Both report forms, with the instructions for completing them, are reproduced in appendix C.

As for 1969, a short form was used so that operators of the smaller places would not be burdened with the extensive detail needed from the larger operators. In 1969, there were 996,567 farms with annual sales of less than $2,500 (about 36 percent of all farms), but they accounted for less than 2 percent of the total value of all farm products sold. For 1974, preliminary tabulations indicate that this group of farms will number approximately 770,000, or 31.4 percent of all farms and will account for less than 1.3 percent of the total value of farm products sold by all farms.

In Alaska, the regular report form was used to enumerate all farms. For Hawaii, a modified version of the regular form was used for all farms. The modifications were made principally in the crops section in order to cover the specialized agriculture on the islands.

Initial Mailing

The report forms were mailed during the last week of December 1974 and the first week of January 1975 to all persons and organizations on the mailing list. This mailing consisted of approximately 4,133,000 report forms (2,391,000 regular forms and 1,742,000 short forms). Undeliverable mail returned by the Postal Service reduced the mailing list by 232,000, including 67,000 regular forms and 165,000 short forms.

Instructions for completing the forms were attached in the centerfold of each form. In an effort to provide additional help to farmers in completing their reports, approximately 35,000 copies of a Farm Census Guide booklet were sent to county officials to whom farmers might turn for assistance. Included were rural banks, vocational agricultural instructors, and the following county offices: Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Soil Conservation Service, Farmer's Home Administration, and Agricultural Extension Service. This guide contained descriptions and definitions for various items in more detail than the instructions included with each report form. Representatives of the above agencies were asked to assist the farmers in filling out their report forms if the farmers came to them for help.

The regular report form was to be filled out by all farm operators who received it regardless of the amount of farm products sold. When recipients of the short form reported sales in 1974 substantially greater than $2,500, it was sometimes necessary to contact them again for the additional data needed to complete the more detailed regular form. If the recipient of a regular report form had sales less than $2,500, the data were condensed during the processing to those items appearing on the short form.

Followup Procedures

Data collection plans included a "thank you" card and four followup letters, two of which were accompanied by census report forms at approximately 1-month intervals. Data collection was expected to be substantially completed by June 30. However, because of a marked increase in respondent resistance as compared with the 1969 census, the data collection phase was extended into the office processing phase. Additional followup letters were sent to the remaining nonrespondents in June, July, August, and November. Nonrespondent addresses believed to be operating farms with sales of $40,000 or more were contacted by telephone during the period April 1975 through February 1976. Most of the nonresponse telephone calls were made by the staff of the Data Preparation Division in Jeffersonville, Indiana. Some of the calls to the more complex cases were referred to the Agriculture Division staff for handling. In total, nearly 107,000 cases were completed by telephone during this period.

As part of the routine followup procedures, specialized farms indentified on the mailing list as producing products such as broilers, beef cattle, hogs, etc. were checked to insure coverage in the census. If no report had been received for farms on these special lists, they were contacted by telephone to obtain the required information. Also, farms and ranches with large acreage in the 1969 census were checked to insure coverage in 1974. If reports were missing, telephone calls were made to obtain the necessary information to insure coverage. In some instances, successor operators were discovered and enumerated. The processing system provided for the inclusion of missing reports as late as the final tabulation of the county data for each State.

2. Major Changes in Data Collected

A number of items generally collected in follow-on surveys were included on the regular census report form for 1974. The major changes and modifications were in:

- Fuel and grain storage facilities
- Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks
- Futures market
- Contracts
- Payroll and employment
- Injuries and illnesses
- Farm credit
- Family income from off-farm sources

These changes represent only a small part of those recommended. All recommendations were reviewed by the Census Advisory Committee on Agriculture Statistics, which then suggested priorities for items to be included in the census. The Census Bureau had final responsibility for the content, wording, and format of the report forms.

Besides the major additions, a limited number of items were included or asked in more detail than otherwise necessary so as to improve the quality of the data collected. For example, totals were asked for several detailed items to be used for cross checking data. These cross-check totals were asked for such items as value of cattle and calves sold, amount of cash wages paid, and chemical costs.

3. Office Processing

All report forms were reviewed prior to keying the data to magnetic tapes. Reports were subjected to a clerical screening review, during which significant notes or major problems were referred to technical assistants or, if necessary, to the professional analyst for solution. Records of all large agricultural operations, including multiunit operations and operations having $500,000 or more sales of agricultural products in 1974 (lesser levels in specified States) were reviewed by professional employees of the Agriculture Division. Omissions, inconsistencies, and other problems that could not be resolved by reference to other information on the report were resolved by contact (usually telephone) with the respondent.

The data for each report form were subject to a detailed item-by-item computer edit which required almost the full capacity of a large electronic computer. The program made comprehensive checks for consistency and reasonableness, corrected data found to be in error or inconsistent, supplied key missing data, and assigned farm classification codes which were necessary for tabulation of the data. Entries of large magnitude and significant computer changes of a doubtful nature were manually verified for accuracy. Obvious errors such as reports of cotton and citrus in the Northern States were also identified and corrected. However, it was impossible to identify and correct all errors or to supply estimates for all the incompleteness within the census reports. These factors and others may affect the reliability of some data for some minor items, but they will not have a significant effect on major data items in any county.

4. 1969 Data Corrections

Some 1969 data have been revised since publication of the 1969 census. The revisions corrected sizeable data errors in 14 counties and reporting and processing errors affecting four data items in a larger number of counties and States. The major county revisions were for:

Cullman, Alabama—revised broilers sold and related data.
Inyo, California—revised land in farms and related data.
Hawaii, Honolulu, Kauai, and Maui, Hawaii—revised number of fattened cattle and related data.
Spencer, Indiana—revised cattle and calves inventory.
Harford, Maryland—revised acreage of total cropland.
Marshall, Minnesota—revised acreage of land in farms.
Dodge, Nebraska—revised number of milk cows and value of sales.
Merrick, Nebraska—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.
Rusk, Texas—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.
Hampshire and Jefferson, West Virginia—revised cattle and calves sold and related data.

The revisions to correct for reporting and processing errors were made on:
Acres and production of Irish potatoes harvested.
Acres artificially drained.
Total acreage fertilized.
Acreage of land in orchards fertilized (only in Wisconsin).

5. Definitions and Explanations

The following definitions and explanations relate to items which require a more detailed description than is in the tables. Many of the items are followed in the tables by a "(See text)" notation. Most of the terms and their explanations are taken from the instructions printed on the report forms or issued with the forms. For an exact wording of the questions on the two different report forms used in 1974 for the conterminuous United States, and the instruction sheets which accompanied these forms, see appendix C.

A further discussion and more detailed analysis of the items included on the report forms and of the published data is given in Volume II, **Statistics by Subject,** of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

Most definitions of items and terms are the same as used in 1969 and earlier censuses. In general, processing steps and procedures for 1974 were designed to develop a report as fully comparable as possible with reports of earlier censuses.

Land area—The approximate total land area of counties and States shown for 1974 represents the land area as determined by records and calculations updated as of January 1, 1970. These data are updated periodically; however, the acreages shown for 1974 are essentially the same as in 1969. Any differences between the land area in 1974 and 1969 would be due to new construction of reservoirs, change in number and size of reservoirs, lakes, streams, etc.

Land in farms—The acreage designated in the tables as "land in farms" consists primarily of agricultural land used for crops, pasture, or grazing. It also includes woodland and wasteland not actually under cultivation nor used for pasture or grazing, provided it was part of the farm operator's total operation. Large acreages of woodland or wasteland held for nonagricultural purposes were deleted from individual reports during the processing operations.

Land in farms is an operating unit concept and includes land owned and operated as well as land rented from others. Land used rent free was to be reported as land rented from others. Except for open range and grazing land used under government permits, all grazing land was included as "land in farms" provided the place was part of a farm or ranch. Grazing land operated by grazing associations was to be reported by the person chiefly responsible for conducting the business of the association. All land in Indian reservations used for growing crops or grazing livestock was to be included as land in farms. Land in Indian reservations not reported by individual Indians or non-Indians was to be reported in the name of the cooperative group which used the land. In some cases, an entire Indian reservation was reported as one farm.

Data on ownership of land, type of rental arrangements, and farms with grazing permits are shown in Volume II with totals for each State.

Land in two or more counties—With few exceptions, the land in each farm was tabulated as being in the operator's principal county. The principal county was defined as the one where the largest value of the agricultural products was raised or produced. It was usually where the operator reported all or the largest proportion of his total land. For a limited number of counties in the Western States, this procedure has resulted in more land in farms being counted within a county than there is land area. To minimize this distortion, some exceptions were developed from a survey of large-scale farms carried out prior to the mailing of the census forms. This survey identified about 1,600 operations as having more than one separately reportable farm unit. Other reports received showing land in noncontiguous counties were separated into two or more reports if the data would significantly affect the county totals. These reports were assigned to the appropriate counties during office processing.

Value of land and buildings—The respondents were asked to report their estimate of the current market value of land and buildings owned, rented or leased from others, and rented or leased to others. Market value refers to the respondent's estimate of what the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

If the value of land and buildings was not reported, it was estimated during office processing by using the average value of farms having similar characteristics in the same area.

Farm operator—The term "farm operator" designates a person who operates a farm, either doing the work himself or directly supervising the work. He may be the owner, a member of the owner's household, a salaried manager, a tenant, a renter, or a sharecropper. If he rents land to others or has land worked on shares by others, he is considered the operator only of the land which he retains for his own operation. In the case of partnerships, only one partner is counted as an operator. For census purposes, the number of farm operators is the same as the number of farms. In some cases, the operator was not the individual named on the address label of the questionnaire, but another family member or a partner or hired manager who was actually in charge of the farm operations.

The term "farms" in the presentation of data denotes the number of farms reporting the item. For example, if there were 3,710 farms in a State and 842 of these farms had 27,381 cattle and calves, the data for those farms reporting cattle and calves would appear as:

Cattle and calves	farms.....	842
	number..	27,381

Farm operator characteristics—Operator characteristics such as race or origin, residence, age, occupation, and off-farm work, were collected for all farms with sales of under $2,500 and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over operated by individuals or partnerships. These data were not obtained for corporations and other types of organizations such as cooperatives, prison farms, grazing associations, and Indian reservations.

Family off-farm income—In the absence of a sample follow-on survey, such as was conducted for the last three censuses, five questions were added to the 1974 report form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over to obtain data on income from off-farm sources. These sources included income from a professional practice, cash wages, salaries, interest, dividends, royalties, pensions, etc. These data were included in the census to provide a better understanding of the present income distribution in agriculture and for the development of future policies and agricultural programs. Off-farm income data were not obtained for farms operated by corporations and other organizations. Similar data have been collected in 1960, 1965, and 1970 in sample surveys taken as part of the census program.

Family income from other sources greater than agricultural sales—For farms with sales of $2,500 and over, this classification is based on a comparison of the sum of farm-related and off-farm income sources with the value of agricultural sales. For farms with sales of under $2,500, the report form included a separate inquiry about the relationship of off-farm and other income sources to agricultural sales. The response to that inquiry was used as a basis for this classification.

For ease of reference to this classification in some tables, the term "off-farm income" applies to both farm-related and off-farm sources. A separate line is shown in most tables for farms not reporting or reporting no farm-related or off-farm income.

Value of crops harvested—This item represents the estimated value of all crops harvested during the 1974 crop year. Data for the value of crops harvested were obtained by multiplying the average estimated values per unit by the operators' reports of acres or quantities harvested. In instances where only acres harvested were reported, State estimates of value of production per acre were used. Generally, harvested units of production (pounds, bushels, bales, etc.) were multiplied by State estimates of price per unit. A combination of these two factors was used when only acres harvested were requested of small farms, but units of production were requested of larger farms. The State average production prices used in these calculations were obtained in most part from publications by the Statistical Reporting Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). When USDA estimates were not available, Bureau of the Census statisticians made estimates using available sources such as data from adjacent States, respondents, report forms, and county extension agents and other persons knowledgeable about specific crops.

Value of livestock on farms—Data for value of livestock and poultry on farms were obtained by multiplying the number of livestock of each major age and sex

group by the State average price. The State average prices for cattle, hogs, sheep, Angora goats, and hens and pullets were obtained primarily from data published by the Statistical Reporting Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Prices applied to other types of livestock were census-derived averages based primarily on reported value of sales for these types in the 1974 Census of Agriculture. The 1969 and 1964 data were developed in a similar manner.

Value of agricultural products sold—This item represents the gross market value before taxes and production expenditures of all agricultural products sold or removed from the place in 1974 regardless of who received the payment. It includes receipts by the operator as well as the value of any shares received by partners, landlords, contractors and others associated with the place.

The total value of agricultural products represents the sum of all crops including nursery products sold, forest products sold, and poultry and livestock and their products sold. It does not include income from farm-related sources such as agricultural services, government farm programs, or recreation and other related sources, or income from nonfarm sources. Data from these sources of income are shown separately in various State and county tables.

The value of crops sold in 1974 does not necessarily represent sales from crops harvested in 1974. An examination of a sample of individual reports indicated extensive reporting of sales from crops produced in 1973. Some cash grain farms indicated that the 1974 grain crops were in storage and there were no sales from the 1974 crop. Likewise, some farms reported sales in 1974 from two different crop years.

Data for the value of agricultural products sold were obtained on both the regular and short forms directly from the respondents in the 1974 and 1969 Censuses of Agriculture. This procedure was a departure from the one used in previous censuses in which data on value of sales were obtained by enumeration for some products and were estimated for others. For cases in which the farm operator failed to report a value of sales, estimates were made based on the amount of crops harvested or the numbers of livestock sold. Although similar procedures were used in earlier censuses, the extent of sales estimation has increased in each of the recent censuses. Extensive estimation of market values was required for farms growing or producing products under contract.

Caution should be applied when comparing sales in 1974 with sales reported in earlier censuses due to the extreme ranges in per unit prices between census years. Reported values for 1974 varied greatly from farm to farm because of the month-to-month price per-unit variations within the 1974 census year.

Farms by value of agricultural products sold—Counts of farms by value of agricultural products sold are shown by various size groups in a number of the county and State tables. Data are shown separately for all farms and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 and over classified by value of sales are shown in State table 31. At the State level, 1974 farms with sales of $100,000 and over have been further classified into three groups: $100,000 to $199,999, $200,000 to $499,999, and $500,000 and over. These data are shown in State tables 15 and 28 through 33. Characteristics of farms with sales of under $2,500 are shown by age and occupation of the farm operator in State table 9.

Under $1,000 sales—In county summary table 33 and appendix B, the "Under $1,000" category includes only those operations reporting sales less than $1,000 and not having the potential resources on hand to produce $1,000 or more in sales. In county table 3, county summary table 7, and State tables 4 and 9, the under $1,000 category includes those farms reporting less than $1,000 in sales, but having the potential for sales of $1,000 or more.

$1,000 to $1,499 sales—For county summary table 7, this category includes those farms reporting sales of under $1,000, but having the potential for sales of between $1,000 and $2,500.

Under $2,500 sales—In all tables except county summary table 7, the "All farms" category includes those farms with sales of under $2,500 without regard to potential sales. In county summary table 7, the "under $2,500 sales" category excludes abnormal farms and farms having the potential (unrealized in 1974) for sales of $2,500 and over.

In county table 3 and State tables 9, 15, 26, and 28 through 33, the classification "Farms with sales of $2,500 and over" (usually designated in column headings) includes farms reporting sales of under $2,500, but having the production potential for sales of $2,500 and over.

$2,500 to $4,999 sales—In county summary table 7 and in the boxhead for State table 31, this category includes those farms, other than abnormal farms, having reported sales of $2,500 to $4,999 and those farms with lesser sales but having the potential for sales of $2,500 and over.

In county table 3, 1969 abnormal farms are classified in this sales group regardless of the value of their sales, but 1974 abnormal farms were classified according to their actual sales.

Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—In an effort to conform more closely to the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC), a number of commodity groupings were changed for 1974 from those used for 1969. The next seven definitions reflect changes; the last does not.

Other field crops—For 1974, this group includes the value of sales of peanuts, Irish potatoes, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, sugar cane, popcorn, mint for oil, hops, etc. For 1969, the value of pineapples sold was also included.

Fruits, nuts, and berries—For 1974, the value of pineapple sold is included in this group. For 1969, pineapple was considered a field crop.

Poultry and poultry products—For 1974, the value of poultry hatchery sales is included in this group. For 1969, it was not. The value of sales for poultry hatched is shown in State table 24 and in the county miscellaneous tables. (Also see **Poultry hatcheries** in this section).

Sheep, lambs, and wool—For 1974, the value of sales of these items is shown separately. For 1969, this value was combined with that for hogs, goats, and mohair.

Hogs and pigs—For 1974, the value of hogs and pigs sold is shown separately. For 1969, this value was combined with that for sheep, lambs, wool, goats, and mohair.

Goats and mohair—For 1974, the value of goats and mohair sold is shown separately in the county miscellaneous tables, and in aggregate with the value of other livestock and livestock products. For 1969, this value was combined with that for sheep, lambs, wool, and hogs.

Other livestock and livestock products—For 1974, the production of fish and laboratory animals is included in the agriculture census, whereas for 1969 it was not. The value of fish raised and sold and laboratory animals sold is included in the category "Other livestock and livestock products." Separate data on fish production and sales are shown in State table 24.

Forest products sold—As in previous censuses, the sales data shown for the 1974 census for this item relate only to forest products sold from farms. Commercial logging, timber, or other types of forest product operations or establishments are excluded, as are places selling only forest products. Such operations or establishments are excluded from being classed as agricultural production according to the Standard Industrial Classification in which they are classified as Forestry-Major Group 08.

Total farm production expenses—The overall completeness of expenditures data reported by farm operators for 1974 is poorer than for most recent censuses. This is especially true for farms producing crops, livestock, or poultry under contract. The majority of such operators did not know and were unwilling to estimate the value of production inputs furnished by the contractor. The scope of this phenomenon has been increasing as the structure of agriculture becomes more complex, requiring increased estimations of production expenses during office processing of individual census reports. These estimates were made for individual expenditures, and were based on the scope of related crop and livestock information for the individual report, or in some cases on averages or ratios of expenditures reported by similar farms in the same geographic area.

The figures for 1974 and 1969 are heavily weighted by the effect of reporting of "All other production expenses." Some farmers may have misinterpreted the intent of this question and reported capital improvement expenditures, purchase of long-term assets, household expenses, and other personal expenditures; others may have failed to include all applicable items. Any calculations of net farm income based on this census figure should be used with caution.

Commercial fertilizer—Data for 1974 and 1969 include the cost of rock phosphate and gypsum. These items were excluded from the 1964 figures.

Other agricultural chemicals—These expenditures include the cost of all herbicides, fungicides, other pesticides, growth control chemicals, and defoliants used for crops or pastureland, and insecticides used for livestock and poultry during the census year. They also include expenditures for chemicals such as lime for soil treatment and sanitation, pesticides used for rodent and bird control, etc. A detailed breakdown by the purpose of the chemical application along with the related expenditure is shown for farms with sales of $2,500 and over in county table 12 and State tables 13 and 28 through 33.

All other production expenses—This item was subject to extensive errors in reporting due to the complexity of concept and the numerous individual expense items eligible for inclusion in the one answer space. Respondents failed in many cases to follow the instructions specifying the type of expenditures to be included or excluded. Obvious errors were corrected during the processing, but the dollar figures for this item should be used with caution. For all statistical tables, this item includes the balance of production expenses for all items not already individually specified in the table.

Crop classifications—Some respondents reported crops on lines designated for other crops. Obvious errors were corrected during processing; however, not all errors were corrected. For example, the wheat categories were so poorly reported that for most States, data by kind of wheat are not published.

Hay crops—Data shown for hay represents all hay crops, including grass silage and hay cut green, unless otherwise specified. In showing production data for all hay crops, dry tons represent dry tonnage for the various hay categories and dry-weight equivalent for grass silage and hay cut and fed green. The conversion used was 3 tons green weight to one ton dry.

Land in vegetables—The total acres of land used for vegetables in 1974 shown in State table 8 and county summary table 28 are not fully comparable to the acres published for 1969. For 1974, the data are the land from which vegetables were harvested; for 1969 the acres shown are the sum of the acres of the individual crops harvested. In areas where more than one vegetable crop is grown on the same land during the season, comparability is affected.

Land in orchards—This includes land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees of all ages, including land on which all fruit crops failed. Respondents were instructed not to report abandoned plantings and plantings of less than 20 fruit, citrus, or nut trees, or of grapevines.

Poultry hatcheries—The data shown for hatcheries do not represent the total of all hatchery production or value. The historical census concept of counting items as sold only if the product was taken from the farm dictated that only hatcheries which produced chicks, poults, and ducklings for sale or placement on other farms should be included in the census totals. Poultry hatched and raised for sale or for layer replacement on the same place have been excluded. For such operations, the value of sales from the final product, such as broilers, turkeys, or eggs, is counted in the census. The value of hatchery sales is included in the category "Poultry and poultry products" and is also shown separately in State table 24.

Fish production—The raising of fish for sale was included as agricultural production by the 1972 SIC, and data for such operations are included in the agriculture census for the first time in 1974. As the commercial raising of fish is a relatively new industry, the census mailing register covering fish production may have been incomplete. Information on fish production and sales is shown in State table 24 and in the county miscellaneous table 7.

Bees and honey—Bee and honey production was enumerated and tabulated in the county in which the home farm was located (even though hives are often moved from farm to farm over a wide geographic area for pollination). Several factors affect the completeness and accuracy of these data: First, bee and honey sales were enumerated separately only for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Many bee owners operate on a small scale, and their sales are not identified separately in the statistics. Second, some bee operations may not have been on the mailing list. Third, some operators on the mailing list may not have considered beekeeping to be an agricultural operation, and therefore did not report.

Total cropland—Total cropland consists of land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut; land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products; land used only for pasture or grazing; land in cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses; land on which all crops failed; and land in cultivated summer fallow. It also includes cropland that is idle. This item may be overstated for 1974 and 1969 as compared to earlier censuses (see next paragraph).

Cropland used only for pasture or grazing—This category covers rotation pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements. Land in this category may have been overstated in 1974 and 1969 due to a tendency of farm operators to report all pastureland in the first question relating to pastureland. Obvious errors were corrected during processing.

Other cropland—This category consists of land used for soil improvement crops, land on which all crops failed, and land in cultivated summer fallow. It also includes idle cropland.

Other land—In State tables 1 and 9, county table 1, and county summary table 2, other land refers to all land not otherwise itemized. It includes pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pasture, and house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. In State tables 10 and 28, other land refers only to house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.

Irrigation—Data on methods of irrigation and quantity of water used are shown in State table 12 and county table 13. More detailed statistical tables on these items, as well as more information on irrigated crop yields, are included in Volume II of the census.

Commercial fertilizer—The acreage fertilized and tonnage applied are shown along with the acreage harvested for most major crops and groups of other crops. The acreage fertilized may include some acreage on which part of a crop failed, but if all of a fertilized crop failed, fertilizer figures are not included with data shown by crop. Instead, fertilized acreage on which all crops failed and tonnage are included in the totals shown for all acreage fertilized and tons applied. For most counties and States, the difference in acreage is not significant.

Other agricultural chemicals—Detailed data showing the general purposes for which chemicals were applied are published for farms with sales of $2,500 and over. Some farm operators reported their total acreage treated by sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc., but did not allocate acreage according to the various purposes of the treatment. It was not feasible to allocate misreported data properly, so these data were added to "Other chemicals."

To a limited degree, then, detailed data for insect, nematode, disease, and weed control are incompletely reported and the item "Other chemicals" actually includes a sizeable amount of expenditures relating to these controls.

Grain storage capacity—A question on grain storage was asked for the first time in the 1974 census. No attempt was made to supply missing data for this item; instead, the number of farms not reporting are shown.

Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks—This information was first collected for the 1954 census, but was not collected for 1969. In 1974, data were collected on the number of ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks, and the area covered by them when filled to capacity.

Futures market—These data were collected to determine if the operator utilized the commodity futures market in 1974 to hedge sales of any farm commodities produced on the place. The data probably represent an overstatement of the actual number of farm operators using the futures market. Apparently, respondents were confused between futures market transactions and forward pricing agreements. Although obvious errors were corrected, the data should be used with caution.

Contracts—The data published in State table 27 are shown essentially as reported, except for inconsistencies that were corrected. The published data are incompletely reported, partly because of the complex and varied nature of production and marketing contracts, and partly because of a lack of understanding, or more often a lack of knowledge, on the part of the respondents, of the facts. Some contracts were not reported at all, and for some reported contracts not all characteristics were given. The "Not reported" line in table 27 indicates the extent of incompleteness of reporting on the contract characteristics. Data on the amount received from the contractor varied from the full market value for some marketing contracts to only fractional values for some production contracts. More detailed data for individual items produced under contract are included in Volume II of the census.

Payroll and employment—For 1974 more data were collected than in previous agriculture censuses, to provide a more complete accounting and classification of hired labor involved in agriculture production. Data were collected on the number of workers by number of days worked, cash wages paid, and amount paid to contract workers and salaried corporation officers (see section 30 of the form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over).

Some respondents who had sizeable numbers of seasonal workers during the year had difficulty reporting the number of workers by days worked, because their records were often not kept in such detail. County and State totals for the number of seasonal workers give a sizeable overcount for the number of hired workers actually involved in agriculture because many of them worked on more than one farm during the year and thus may have been counted more than once. Therefore, these data should be used with some caution.

Caution is also necessary with the data on contract labor. Some farm operators may not have distinguished clearly between hired labor and contract labor—workers hired through a labor contractor or crewleader. This has resulted in a possible overstatement of the number of farms using contract labor, although the dollar amounts involved are generally small.

Likewise, salaries paid to corporate officers may include some worktime spent on nonfarm activities.

Injuries and illnesses—Information on injuries and illnesses was collected for the first time in the 1974 census. Information was obtained on the number of injuries and illnesses of hired workers, paid members of the operator's family, unpaid family members, and operators of farms with sales of $2,500 or more. No data are shown in this report; however, several unpublished tabulations were made and copies are available for purchase upon request (see section 7. **Unpublished Data**). The unpublished data were tabulated as reported; no attempt was made to estimate for possible missing or underreported data.

Farm credit—The census of agriculture has collected varying amounts of data relating to credit since 1890. Continuing changes in technology and agricultural practices have increased the amount of money and credit required for efficient farm operation. In lieu of the traditional separate finance survey, section 33 was added to the report form for farms with sales of $2,500 and over to obtain information from farm operators on debts secured and not secured by real estate. The data collected are shown in county table 14, county summary table 31, and State tables 28 through 33, and in some unpublished tables on the financial characteristics of farm operators.

Debt secured by real estate relates to debt owed by the farm operator and secured by land owned and operated. Debt on land owned by the operator but rented to others was to be excluded. In county summary table 31, a ratio has been calculated of the debt secured by real estate to the value of owned land operated. This is one measure of the degree of indebtedness. Data for debts for secured by real estate pertain only to debt owed by the operator and exclude debts owed by landlords, contractors, etc.

Farm fuel storage capacity—Questions were asked for the first time in the 1974 census on the on-farm storage capacity of gasoline, diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, and propane used for the farm business. However, a significant number of respondents failed to answer these questions or answered them incorrectly; for instance, many operators reported the total gallons purchased during the year instead of the fuel storage capacity. Such obvious errors were deleted, but since acceptable data were not obtained for substantial number of farms, none is shown in this report. Several tabulations were made, however, and unpublished data are available for purchase upon request (see section 7. **Unpublished Data**).

Income and expenses from farm-related sources—An expanded series of questions on farm-related income and expenses were asked of all farms in the 1974 census to obtain a more complete picture of the total income of farm operators from all sources. These sources include income and expenses associated with customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others, recreational services, participation in government programs, renting out land, and other activity conducted on the farm or closely related to the farm. As a general rule, these other income sources are included if they are closely related, even though supplemental, to the farm operation. However, if they constitute a separate establishment or were conducted from another location, they are not included. For example, if a farm operator owned a company which furnished custom services to other farms, and that company and its income were reported in the 1974 Survey of Agricultural Services as a separate establishment, the income is not included in the data for this category. Also not included are reported sales of capital assets such as land, buildings, and machinery. Examples of income from other farm-related sources that are included are: payments from farm insurance damages, gas tax refunds, patronage dividends, expenditure rebates, farm

machine and building rentals, and farm by-products sales.

Besides those expenses associated with customwork, recreational services, government programs, renting of farmland, etc., expenses include operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. However, the data shown for this item do not represent the total expenditures associated with farm-related income. The respondent was requested, if separate records were available, to report farm-related income expenses separately from farm production expenses. If the respondent did not report farm-related expenses separately, those expenses are assumed to be included in farm production expenses.

Differences in totals for some items—The total given in one table for an item may differ slightly from the total given in another table for the same item because of the rounding of fractions or the rounding to thousands.

6. Farm Classifications

State table 9 presents detailed data for all farms classified by selected value of sales groups; State tables 28 to 33 present detailed data for farms with sales of $2,500 and over classified by specified characteristics—tenure of operator, type of organization, age and principal occupation of operator, size of farm (in acres), value of agricultural products sold, and standard industrial classification. In addition, this report contains a number of farm counts according to various characteristics, as well as frequency distributions of farms classified by value of sales of each of the principal farm enterprises.

Farms by tenure of operator—The classifications of tenure as used for both the 1974 and 1969 censuses are:

a. Full owners, who operate only land they own;
b. Part owners, who operate land they own and also land they rent from others; and
c. Tenants, who operate only land they rent from others or work on shares for others.

Detailed data by tenure of operator and type of organization are shown in State table 28. For the 1964 census and earlier censuses, a separate classification was used for hired managers, in addition to full owners, part owners, and tenants. The manager classification was discontinued because managed farms became increasingly difficult to define and identify, especially with the mail enumeration. Farms which may be operated by hired managers for 1969 and 1974 are distributed among full owners, part owners, and tenants according to the reported ownership of the land in the place.

Farms by age of operator—Age of the farm operator was obtained for all farms with sales under $2,500 and only for individual, family, or partnership operated farms having sales of $2,500 and over. Characteristics of farms by two age-of-operator groups in combination with occupation information are shown in State table 9 for farms with sales of under $2,500 and by six age groups in State table 29 for farms with sales of $2,500 and over.

Racial and ethnic groups—These data were collected and tabulated for all farm operators with sales under $2,500 and for those operators with sales of $2,500 and over if they operated the farm as an individual or family or partnership. Each operator, except those in Hawaii, was asked to classify himself or herself into one of six racial or ethnic groups. For Hawaii, nine categories were provided.

For 1974, data are shown for "Blacks and other races"; "other races" includes American Indians, Hawaiians, Japanese, Chinese, Filipinos, Koreans, and any other separate racial group. The comparable data for 1969 are for Black-operated farms only. The farm operators reporting themselves to be of Spanish origin were included with the White race wherever separate data for "White" were shown. Counts of farm operators for each of the enumerated racial or ethnic groups are shown in county miscellaneous data table 14 for counties with three or more operators in any of the groups.

Farms by type of organization—This was the second census of agriculture for which farms were classified by type of organization; the first time was for the 1969 census. The respondent classified his own organizational status by marking a box opposite the type of organization which best described the way the place was operated in 1974. The classifications were:

a. Individual or family operation (sole proprietorship), excluding partnership and corporation.
b. Partnership operation, including family partnership.
c. Corporation, including family corporation.
d. Other, such as cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc.

The farms were classified according to the information provided in section 37 of the regular form. Many of the reports which showed "other" as the type of organization came from institutional farms, Indian reservations, or other operations classified as "abnormal." Abnormal farms were not included in the tabulations for farms with sales of $2,500 and over.

Some caution should be taken when comparing 1974 data for corporations with 1969 data. A followup study of the 1969 data indicated that a sizable number of farms were wrongly reported as corporate, especially in the Southern States. These errors in the 1969 data have not been corrected and are shown as originally published.

More detailed data obtained from a special survey of farms operated by corporations are included in **Volume IV, Special Reports,** of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

Farms by value of sales—In earlier agricutural censuses, data were classified in nine groups referred to as "economic classes." The use of this term was discontinued for 1974; however, for farms with sales of $2,500 or more in 1974, the value-of-products sold classifications are the same as the value ranges used for establishing economic classes 1 through 5

in prior censuses and are therefore comparable. Some caution should be used in comparing value-of-sales data for 1974 with those of earlier censuses due to the substantial increase in prices received by farmers between the census periods.

Data for farms with sales of less than $2,500, classified in earlier censuses as economic classes 6, part time, and part retirement, are not directly comparable to the 1974 value classes because of the change in farm definition and modifications in farm classification. For 1969, farms with sales of under $2,500 were classified as:

a. Class 6—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is under 65 years of age and did not work off the farm 100 days or more in the census year.
b. Part time—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is under 65 years of age and worked off the farm 100 days or more in the census year.
c. Part retirement—$50 to $2,499 of farm product sales and a farm operator who is 65 years or over.

If 1974 data shown in State table 9 and appendix B are combined, limited comparisons between 1969 and 1974 can be made as follows:

Compare 1969 class 6 farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were under 65 years old and devoting 50 percent or more of their worktime to farming. Compare 1969 part-time farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were under 65 years old and devoting less than 50 percent of their worktime to farming. Compare 1969 part-retirement farms with 1974 farms with sales of less than $2,500 whose operators were 65 years old and over regardless of occupation.

Abnormal farms—This category includes institutional farms, experimental and research farms, and Indian reservations. Institutional farms include those operated by hospitals, penitentiaries, schools, grazing associations, government agencies, etc. Data for abnormal farms were included in totals for all farms, but were excluded from data for farms with sales of $2,500 or more. Characteristics of abnormal farms are shown in State table 9. The abnormal farms are comparable to abnormal farms of earlier censuses.

New classification of farms—A new classification series was used to present the data for the 1974 census. It was developed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the Bureau of the Census to better describe today's agriculture and its complex relationships with other sectors of the economy. The major classifications are:

a. Primary farm—A farm operated by an individual or family or partnership where the operator spends 50 percent or more of his worktime on the farm (considers farming to be the principal occupation) or a farm operated under a corporate structure which received 50 percent or more if its gross business (farm and nonfarm) from the sale of agricultural products.
b. Part-time farm—A farm operated by an individual or partnership where the operator spends less than 50 percent of his worktime on the farm (does not consider farming to be the principal occupation).
c. Business-associated farm—A farm operated under a corporated structure which received less than 50 percent of its gross business income (farm and nonfarm) from the sale of agricultural products.
d. Abnormal farm—An institutional, experimental, or research farm, or an Indian reservation. An institutional farm is one operated by a hospital, penitentiary, school, grazing association, government agency, etc.

Some new classifications are not yet available. Data necessary to classify corporations as primary or business-associated are being collected in a separate survey. It will be published, along with data for individuals and partnerships, in a later report. However, the classifications for individual or family operated farms, for partnerships, and for abnormal farms are described in the following discussion of data presented by principal occupation of the farm operator.

Farms by principal occupation—Information was obtained on the occupation of the farm operator in 1974 to provide the basis for the new farm classification. Data on occupation were not obtained in 1969. The principal occupation classification for farms with sales of $2,500 and over relates only to farms operated by individuals or families (sole proprietorships) and partnerships. Farm characteristics are shown by age of the operator and occupation for farms with sales of under $2,500 in State table 9 and for farms with sales of $2,500 and over in State table 29.

The classifications used for 1974 were:

a. Farming—The principal occupation of the operator if he spent 50 percent or more of his worktime in 1974 in farming.
b. Other—The principal occupation of the operator if he spent 50 percent or more of his work time in 1974 at occupations other than farming. Some operators engaged in ranching marked "other" as their principal occupation. Most such obvious errors were corrected during the processing operation.

Farms operated by persons who consider themselves farmers by occupation would be classified as primary farms under the new classification. Likewise, those farms operated by persons who consider themselves as having occupations other than farming would be classified as part-time farms.

Farms by size—All farms were classified by size according to the total land area established for each farm (acres in this place). Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 and over by 12 size-of-farm groups are presented in State table 30. The same classification was used for all States. By definition, a farm was an operating unit, not an ownership tract.

In the case of a landlord who had assigned land to tenants, the land assigned

to each tenant was considered a separate farm even though the landlord may have considered the entire landholding as one unit in respect to supervision, equipment, rotation practice, purchase of supplies, or sale of products.

Farms by type—Data from the 1974 census are being published in accordance with the expanded classification system for agricultural production published in the 1972 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual. In general, the SIC classifications published for 1974 are comparable to the historical type-of-farm classifications except that the expanded SIC provides the potential for a more detailed classification.

Farms by standard industrial classification—A standard classification for agricultural production establishments (farms, ranches, nurseries, greenhouses, etc.) has been evolving over the entire lifetime of the SIC system, but at a less rapid rate than in other producing sectors of the economy, primarily because of the diversity of production typical of most farms. In recent years, increasing specialization by agricultural producers has encouraged the creation of a more detailed set of classifications. These classifications, found in the 1972 SIC Manual, are intended to promote uniformity and comparability in the presentation of statistical data collected by various agencies.

An establishment primarily engaged in crop production (major group 01) or livestock production (major group 02) is classified in the 3- or 4-digit industry group which accounts for 50 percent or more of the total value of sales of its agricultural production. If the total value of sales of agricultural products of an establishment was less than 50 percent from a single 4-digit industry, but 50 percent or more from the products of two or more 4-digit industries within the same 3-digit industry group, the establishment is classified in the miscellaneous industry of that industry group; otherwise, it is classified as a general crop farm in industry 0191 or a general livestock farm in industry 0291.

Detailed characteristics of farms with sales of $2,500 or more for selected SIC groupings are shown in State tables 32 and 33 and county summary table 6. Additional and more complete 1974 data for various SIC classifications will be shown in Volume II.

Farms not classified by SIC—Some farms included in the 1974 Census of Agriculture did not meet the official specifications of the standard industrial classification for agricultural activities. Sales of forest products, which by historical census definition are included in the total value of farm products sold, are excluded by the SIC classification system. Therefore, farms having more than one-half of their sales from forest products are excluded from SIC classification. In addition, those farms having a significant proportion (but less than half) of their sales from forest products and not meeting the definition of one of the two categories of general farms are also excluded from SIC classification.

7. Unpublished Data

Data collected and tabulated primarily to meet the needs of specific governmental users have been assembled in a series of unpublished tables. The table headings and stubs of most of these tables have more frequent data intervals and size groupings than those published in Volume I. In some cases, the tables display the data in a format specified by certain data users. Most tables provide State level statistics.

The principal unpublished tabulations available are on:

- Farm contracts.
- Fuel storage capacity.
- Grain storage capacity.
- Grazing permits.
- Hired workers.
- Injuries and illnesses.
- Irrigated and nonirrigated crop yields.
- Land use by size of farm.
- Selected farm characteristics by—
  - Standard industrial classification
  - Debt status.
  - Race or origin.
  - Age of farm operator.
  - Days worked off-farm by the operator.
- Utilization of futures market.

In addition some data were tabulated extending frequency distributions for already published items. These tabulations are in the same format as State tables 28 through 33.

For information on the content and cost of the unpublished tabulations, please write to the Chief, Agriculture Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

8. Nonsampling Errors

Every census or survey has some errors. These can arise from such sources as incorrect or incomplete reporting, processing errors, and the inability to obtain a response from all farmers. Limited sampling was done in this census, and most of the error is of the nonsampling type.

Reported data may be incorrect due to misunderstanding of questions or the use of estimates in reporting. During processing, adjustments are made to data items which appear to be inconsistent with other items.

Respondents may fail to provide all of the information requested. In some cases, the respondent may indicate the presence of an item but not the amount. Imputations were made for missing data on the quantities and sales values of crops and livestock, but no imputations were made for such items as forest products sold, injuries and illnesses, and farm credit.

An adjustment was made for operations on the mailing list which did not respond to the census. This adjustment employed sampling, and variation from the adjustment is measured in sampling errors; however, any systematic bias is not measured. The methodology for this adjustment is described in section 10. **Statistical Adjustments.**

There was considerable undercoverage of smaller farms because a large number of these places were not represented in

any of the administrative records of places associated with agricultural operations and, consequently, were not on the final mailing list. On the other hand, some names were on the mailing list more than once. Duplication was eliminated in the processing to a large extent, but some remains, particularly for farms whose operation changed hands, in whole or in part, while the list was being developed. Measures of final undercoverage are provided in section 9. **Census Coverage.**

9. Census Coverage

Although a complete and fully accurate count of farms, farmland, and farm production is the aim of each nationwide census of agriculture, the complex structure of America's agriculture makes this aim difficult to achieve. Among the complexities are the many places to be enumerated, the variety of arrangements under which farms are operated, the continuing changes in the relationship of farm operators to the land operated, the expiration of leases and the initiation or renewal of leases, the problem of obtaining a complete listing of all agricultural operators, the difficulty of locating and identifying some farms, the operator's absence from his farm during mail effort and followup procedures, and the operator's opinion that some or all of his agricultural operations should not be included in the census.

An evaluation of the coverage has been conducted for each census of agriculture since 1945. Although its primary purpose is to pinpoint problem areas and supply evidence upon which to base improvements, the coverage check also provides users of census data with estimates of the completeness of census counts. Preliminary results of a coverage check for this State indicate that about 80 percent of all farms are included in the census. The farms included are estimated to account for more than 97 percent of the total value of sales of agricultural products in 1974.

More detailed information, reporting coverage by size and type of farm and by geographic area, are included in a separate report of the 1974 Census of Agriculture.

10. Statistical Adjustments

Report forms were obtained and tabulated for all the identified larger farms (in general, those with expected sales of $40,000 and over). In the few instances where the operator did not supply the required information, data were obtained from secondary sources. By means of detailed, programed edit specifications, adjustments or corrections were made during the computer-edit operation for internally incomplete or inconsistent data. The review procedures provided for computer printouts of edit changes to an item that exceeded specified limits. These changes were then reviewed for reasonableness by members of the processing staff and necessary corrections made.

Nonresponse

The statistics for each State and county were adjusted to account for smaller operations which did not respond in the census. The number of farms for which adjustment was made was estimated on the basis of the results of a canvass of a random sample of mailing register addressees who did not respond during the regular census followup period. The figures supplied by a stratified sample of addressees who did respond were then expanded to represent the nonrespondents and included in the census totals.

Table A shows for selected items for the State the percent of the published total that the nonresponse adjustment represents. These percentages indicate the potential for bias in published figures due to nonresponse, i.e., the extent to which the actual data for nonrespondents may not agree with the nonresponse adjustments. The probable range of difference is unknown. However, the degree of uncertainty regarding the accuracy of the data increases as the percentage of the total represented by the nonrespondent adjustment increases.

Table A. Percent of State Total Represented by Adjustment for Whole Farm Nonresponse: 1974

Item	Percent of total
Number of farms	22.1
Land in farms	13.6
Value of products sold	8.8
Harvested cropland	11.1
Inventory:	
Cattle and calves	13.7
Chickens 3 months old or older	1.5
Hogs and pigs	14.0

Sampling

During the construction of the mailing list for the census, names obtained from various sources were matched to eliminate duplicates. Names that only appeared on the list provided by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service were randomly sampled at a rate varying by State from 100% to 10%, and only those drawn in the sample were asked to complete census reports. The census reports obtained were expanded to estimate the totals for all the farms on the "ASCS only" list. The farms in the sample generally were small in size, but they occasionally included some larger farms. The States sampled at a 100% rate (all ASCS only names included in the mailing register) were Alaska, Delaware, Hawaii, Nevada, New Jersey, and West Virginia.

Reliability of Adjustments for Nonresponse and Sampling

Table B shows estimates of reliability of the published totals for selected data items for the State. These estimates include the variability from sampling the "ASCS only" list and the variability from using the random selection of respondent farms weighted by expansion factors to represent nonrespondent farms. For computing the estimates of variability due to weighting for nonresponse, the farms selected for weighting were considered to be a random sample of all farms in the stratum from which they were selected. The variances from the two

sources--the ASCS only use and the nonresponse adjustment--were combined in the usual manner to provide the estimates of reliability.

There is approximately 67% confidence that the difference between the published estimate and the figure that would have been obtained if there were no variability involved is not more than the percentage presented in the table for a specific item. There is approximately 95% confidence that the difference is less than twice the percentage given.

As calculated for this report, the standard error measures the effect of certain nonsampling errors, but does not measure any systematic biases in the data arising from incorrect reporting by respondents or adjustments for nonresponse, or incompleteness of the mailing list.

Table B. **Estimates of the Reliability of Published Totals for Selected Items: 1974**

County	Land in farms		Value of land and buildings		Harvested cropland		Value of crops sold		Value of livestock and poultry sold	
	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)
South Carolina, total	6 117 024 ~~29 275~~	0.4	2886 776 ~~6 177 024~~	0.3	2 250 952 ~~2 886 776~~	0.2	676 496 ~~2 250 952~~	0.2	206 582	0.2
Abbeville	111,473	2.0	42 026	2.0	13 080	1.8	1 078	2.1	3 641	2.1
Aiken	173 138	1.3	69 958	1.3	58 371	1.2	6 873	1.3	6 225	2.0
Allendale	124 462	.6	48 566	.6	74 284	.8	9 549	.9	2 311	.4
Anderson	175 082	1.3	106 016	1.7	48 861	1.6	4 300	2.1	7 288	1.4
Bamberg	103 544	1.3	35 825	1.5	61 242	1.3	7 169	1.4	4 928	2.3
Barnwell	118 265	1.5	37 251	1.7	59 849	1.3	8 699	1.0	2 470	9.4
Beaufort	81 500	7.5	45 607	6.8	16 725	1.2	5 653	.5	1 440	.7
Berkeley	79 748	2.5	41 336	3.4	25 841	1.9	3 811	1.9	1 974	1.6
Calhoun	131 571	1.7	46 629	1.7	69 495	.9	11 593	1.1	2 495	.9
Charleston	75 342	3.4	39 898	2.5	22 100	2.2	7 224	.8	696	1.8
Cherokee	76 714	2.7	34 907	2.3	15 331	2.8	6 153	1.1	2 953	.9
Chester	120 902	2.1	42 414	1.6	16 055	2.1	1 318	2.8	2 399	1.3
Chesterfield	168 233	1.0	56 206	1.6	71 030	1.4	9 345	1.3	9 371	.5
Clarendon	166 905	1.0	79 950	.8	105 752	.8	24 634	.7	5 498	1.0
Colleton	256 581	5.6	81 881	4.0	53 197	1.3	6 838	1.4	3 609	3.8
Darlington	215 709	1.0	96 699	.8	109 948	.7	25 902	.6	5 553	.6
Dillon	127 516	1.4	74 627	1.2	71 837	1.1	24 704	1.1	963	2.9
Dorchester	83 598	2.9	36 961	2.5	29 622	3.1	3 920	2.8	2 646	.9
Edgefield	103 621	2.1	46 142	1.6	31 502	3.6	7 607	1.3	3 353	4.6
Fairfield	81 492	6.6	28 816	7.1	4 246	8.5	158	10.5	742	3.3
Florence	278 609	1.0	153 681	.8	119 481	.7	40 407	.7	4 987	.7
Georgetown	59 578	2.8	28 142	3.8	11 006	2.0	3 804	1.9	761	2.9
Greenville	87 074	1.8	70 635	2.0	21 973	2.6	2 535	2.8	4 546	1.6
Greenwood	89 680	1.5	33 692	1.9	10 773	1.7	710	2.3	3 168	.9
Hampton	144 584	1.1	59 466	1.0	75 733	1.1	10 409	1.1	4 791	1.2
Horry	222 836	1.0	151 590	.9	86 255	.8	46 297	.8	4 033	1.0
Jasper	106 192	3.2	36 499	3.9	19 614	3.0	2 310	4.0	1 033	1.2
Kershaw	95 828	2.2	38 265	2.3	22 704	2.6	2 445	2.7	1 846	1.5
Lancaster	77 864	3.0	31 745	4.0	12 313	4.7	1 105	3.8	2 981	1.0
Laurens	169 372	1.8	71 593	1.5	28 112	1.5	2 167	2.1	6 790	.9
Lee	151 793	1.0	68 524	1.5	105 013	1.1	19 313	.9	2 276	1.2
Lexington	142 135	3.3	79 814	2.0	48 306	2.0	6 231	1.7	8 619	1.0
McCormick	28 539	4.7	10 339	4.3	2 271	4.4	94	9.4	1 322	1.3
Marion	115 990	1.6	73 012	1.6	50 868	1.2	19 390	1.0	1 460	3.9
Marlboro	152 965	1.2	54 628	1.7	89 348	.9	18 231	.9	1 679	1.0
Newberry	116 890	1.7	49 926	1.6	29 749	1.5	2 387	2.1	16 182	.9
Oconee	75 949	2.2	43 107	2.6	10 782	2.9	2 119	3.0	3 284	1.1
Orangeburg	348 631	.7	133 635	.8	191 394	.8	26 306	.8	19 798	.5
Pickens	72 269	2.0	53 036	1.6	6 088	3.1	407	4.6	3 067	.7
Richland	89 450	1.8	91 008	1.6	36 200	1.5	4 306	1.7	4 335	.7
Saluda	139 844	2.1	57 637	1.5	34 030	2.4	3 995	2.3	7 797	1.0

Table B. **Estimates of the Reliability of Published Totals for Selected Items: 1974**—Con.

County	Cattle and calves on farms		Chickens 3 months old and older on farms		Hogs and pigs on farms		Corn harvested for all purposes		Hay harvested	
	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)
South Carolina, total	589 827	0.4	6 203 860	0.4	345 282	0.7	494 094	0.3	157 401	0.6
Abbeville	21 050	1.7	213 037	3.5	1 157	15.0	813	8.4	4 376	2.5
Aiken	15 728	1.9	69 099	.2	9 058	3.0	11 245	2.1	6 313	2.5
Allendale	8 112	2.4	1 662	18.3	10 126	.6	20 366	.8	2 545	1.2
Anderson	41 603	1.5	194 271	3.9	3 314	2.0	4 576	2.6	9 819	2.3
Bamberg	10 643	2.5	23 396	3.2	10 081	1.8	22 289	1.5	2 737	4.3
Barnwell	6 078	1.9	55 833	6.3	10 998	1.6	16 105	1.7	1 783	2.6
Beaufort	6 188	1.2	(D)	(D)	3 634	2.2	4 885	2.5	933	1.6
Berkeley	5 145	3.5	61 300	.4	13 501	3.5	13 285	2.4	1 262	4.5
Calhoun	6 791	2.4	1 779	24.8	10 463	2.1	11 837	1.4	1 420	6.8
Charleston	5 813	5.0	1 345	15.9	2 170	5.0	3 924	1.6	1 107	5.3
Cherokee	12 868	4.2	37 820	.2	1 899	3.8	865	11.3	3 338	3.4
Chester	15 074	1.8	25 733	.3	1 434	2.3	1 177	5.5	4 608	3.0
Chesterfield	10 531	3.5	113 882	.1	2 972	7.2	4 807	5.1	3 891	4.2
Clarendon	4 456	2.4	272 350	3.0	13 084	1.5	26 461	1.0	946	3.5
Colleton	13 890	2.3	152 345	9.4	14 968	5.5	21 112	1.4	2 954	5.2
Darlington	10 386	3.2	347 704	.4	9 633	6.0	9 286	1.4	2 764	5.8
Dillon	4 543	3.9	12 828	2.2	6 077	10.7	7 754	1.8	1 376	7.0
Dorchester	7 855	2.2	30 385	.4	10 198	2.1	11 964	2.3	1 475	4.1
Edgefield	12 491	4.0	210 110	1.2	1 569	([1])	1 224	6.1	3 599	6.6
Fairfield	8 310	3.8	583	8.7	575	15.9	222	19.5	3 147	9.6
Florence	6 107	1.8	305 175	.1	11 265	2.3	30 100	1.0	1 156	2.3
Georgetown	2 301	5.4	48 279	.4	4 792	7.5	6 005	1.9	894	7.1
Greenville	21 253	2.1	101 196	3.7	2 165	5.0	4 774	1.6	5 533	3.5
Greenwood	17 319	2.2	162 561	.0	624	3.4	777	1.9	5 008	2.7
Hampton	8 567	4.1	137 867	.1	19 477	2.4	22 109	1.2	2 897	.9
Horry	6 596	2.5	69 494	.5	30 534	1.6	30 123	1.0	1 089	4.2
Jasper	5 651	1.8	16 602	1.2	3 123	4.3	9 105	3.1	1 241	4.4
Kershaw	9 137	2.4	4 540	1.9	1 128	4.6	4 061	3.0	2 882	3.8
Lancaster	12 981	2.5	194 586	.1	1 799	15.9	1 426	6.4	2 886	2.6
Laurens	32 441	1.4	363 578	.0	2 355	3.6	3 632	2.1	8 049	2.8
Lee	4 535	7.0	1 120	6.5	6 916	1.3	6 937	1.4	919	2.5
Lexington	14 418	2.8	195 523	.1	4 784	2.7	9 165	3.7	6 090	3.3
McCormick	3 833	6.9	(D)	(D)	2 364	.1	207	15.2	1 631	4.3
Marion	3 161	5.2	15 085	.7	12 003	2.3	11 568	1.3	1 047	3.9
Marlboro	6 202	3.9	810	17.0	2 127	4.8	5 947	1.8	1 825	5.1
Newberry	24 665	1.3	1 037 720	1.5	8 136	3.6	7 336	1.4	7 114	1.8
Oconee	18 092	1.9	211 108	.1	1 540	7.5	1 666	4.3	3 559	3.1
Orangeburg	31 617	1.2	150 292	.2	51 720	2.0	63 138	.9	8 220	2.7
Pickens	12 146	2.3	201 978	.1	2 475	4.5	1 265	4.1	2 894	5.2
Richland	6 824	2.0	169 416	.3	1 725	3.4	6 693	1.2	1 911	5.9
Saluda	29 918	1.7	216 273	.2	1 326	7.5	3 641	1.7	7 685	2.4

[1] Estimated coefficient of variation is 25.0 percent or greater. These coefficients are usually associated with small data values and when a significant portion of the total is derived from estimates for nonrespondents and sample reports.

Table B. **Estimates of the Reliability of Published Totals for Selected Items: 1974**—Con.

County	Land in farms		Value of land and buildings		Harvested cropland		Value of crops sold		Value of livestock and poultry sold	
	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)	Dollars (1,000)	Standard error (percent)
Spartanburg . .	160 437	1.6	92 881	1.3	46 650	1.4	11 130	1.1	9 269	0.4
Sumter	189 442	1.0	87 636	1.0	103 429	.6	19 145	.5	11 997	.5
Union.	84 646	4.5	32 606	5.7	6 424	6.9	235	7.0	1 064	2.1
Williamsburg. .	253 346	1.0	117 518	.8	98 454	.8	28 964	.7	4 054	1.2
York	147 685	.9	74 444	1.5	25 614	2.0	2 865	2.4	4 886	.7

Table B. **Estimates of the Reliability of Published Totals for Selected Items: 1974**—Con.

County	Cattle and calves on farms		Chickens 3 months old and older on farms		Hogs and pigs on farms		Corn harvested for all purposes		Hay harvested	
	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Number	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)	Acres	Standard error (percent)
Spartanburg . .	30 320	1.7	479 808	0.4	1 618	7.6	4 717	2.2	7 977	1.8
Sumter	12 421	2.0	12 162	1.4	8 924	1.6	21 554	.7	2 691	2.4
Union.	12 230	5.0	2 295	3.8	376	3.7	616	6.3	3 648	11.2
Williamsburg. .	7 597	2.0	115 976	1.5	23 289	5.1	40 567	1.0	1 512	3.0
York	21 940	1.4	57 422	.6	1 786	4.7	2 768	4.9	6 650	2.3

APPENDIX B. Characteristics of Agricultural Operations Qualifying as Farms by the 1959 Definition But Excluded by the 1974 Definition: 1974 and 1969

Farm or **Farms** in the data line captions below means agricultural operations qualifying as farms by 1959 definition but excluded by 1974 definition (see p. IX, **Farm Definition**)

	Specified excluded agricultural operations, 1974					Farms with sales under $1,000, 1969			
		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Farms and Land in Farms									
Farms — number	3 044	479	441	1 774	350	14 720	3 183	7 594	3 943
percent	100.0	15.7	14.5	58.3	11.5	100.0	21.6	51.6	26.8
Land in farms — acres	178 940	32 568	26 502	96 783	23 087	1 041 035	207 402	531 536	302 097
Average size of farm — acres	59	68	60	55	66	71	65	70	77
Value of land and buildings — $1,000	98 489	12 969	13 373	61 219	10 929	299 119	61 061	159 314	78 743
Average per farm — dollars	32 355	27 074	30 325	34 509	31 225	20 321	19 184	20 979	19 970
Average per acre — dollars	550	398	505	633	473	287	294	300	261
Farms by value of farm:									
$1 to $9,999	829	181	118	424	106	5 969	1 445	2 875	1 649
$10,000 to $19,999	747	96	106	447	98	3 822	810	1 993	1 019
$20,000 to $39,999	783	110	140	468	65	3 155	551	1 783	821
$40,000 to $69,999	415	60	40	267	48	1 193	250	655	288
$70,000 to $99,999	111	10	15	67	19	277	59	137	81
$100,000 and over	159	22	22	101	14	304	68	151	85
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:									
Land owned — farms	2 915	453	426	1 693	343	13 500	2 819	6 976	3 705
acres	204 611	41 474	27 205	109 958	25 974	1 033 955	203 963	520 861	309 131
Land rented or leased from others — farms	268	56	33	157	22	2 801	740	1 562	499
acres	8 202	1 291	2 706	3 166	1 039	90 056	25 508	49 849	14 699
Land rented or leased to others — farms	833	202	98	439	94	2 282	588	1 057	637
acres	33 873	10 197	3 409	16 341	3 926	82 976	22 069	39 174	21 733
Land in Farms According to Use									
Total cropland — farms	2 471	379	368	1 427	297	13 599	2 939	7 006	3 654
acres	36 549	4 482	6 643	20 658	4 766	390 068	79 290	202 389	108 389
Harvested cropland — farms	1 149	202	181	631	135	9 886	2 213	4 911	2 762
acres	3 616	589	501	2 133	393	92 552	20 749	47 509	24 294
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres	1 121	201	179	606	135	6 166	1 384	2 965	1 817
10 to 19 acres	28	1	2	25	–	2 657	587	1 385	685
20 to 29 acres	–	–	–	–	–	718	157	372	189
30 to 49 acres	–	–	–	–	–	311	76	169	66
50 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	34	9	20	5
100 acres and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing — farms	1 406	182	195	851	178	6 476	1 162	3 617	1 697
acres	20 890	2 852	3 189	12 167	2 682	152 346	26 291	85 988	40 067
Other cropland (see text) — farms	584	84	91	330	79	6 231	1 372	3 103	1 756
acres	12 043	1 041	2 953	6 358	1 691	145 170	32 250	68 892	44 028
Woodland, including woodland pasture — farms	1 636	247	222	983	184	9 458	1 881	4 994	2 583
acres	93 264	14 552	13 017	52 877	12 818	453 576	87 057	232 166	134 353
Other land (see text) — farms	2 237	376	337	1 278	246	9 949	2 095	5 068	2 786
acres	49 127	13 534	6 842	23 248	5 503	197 391	41 055	96 981	59 355
Irrigated land — farms	26	4	5	16	1	37	3	27	7
acres	74	8	15	50	1	183	9	152	22
Race and Tenure of Operator									
All farm operators:									
Full owners	2 786	425	408	1 624	329	12 012	2 478	6 076	3 458
Part owners	126	26	18	69	13	1 457	335	883	239
Tenants	132	28	15	81	8	1 251	370	635	246
White farm operators:									
Full owners	2 096	237	262	1 364	233	8 526	1 591	4 730	2 205
Part owners	75	14	9	47	5	787	134	552	101
Tenants	59	8	4	44	3	528	127	311	90
Black and other races (see text):									
Full owners	690	188	146	260	96	3 486	887	1 346	1 253
Part owners	51	12	9	22	8	670	201	331	138
Tenants	73	20	11	37	5	723	243	324	156
Farm Operator Characteristics[1]									
Farm operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	38	11	–	27	–	162	65	97	–
25 to 34 years	279	50	–	229	–	825	150	675	–
35 to 44 years	471	68	–	403	–	2 098	391	1 707	–
45 to 54 years	771	150	–	621	–	3 748	1 026	2 722	–
55 to 64 years	694	200	–	494	–	3 944	1 551	2 393	–
65 years and over	791	–	441	–	350	3 943	–	–	3 943
Average age	53.8	50.0	70.8	47.2	71.2	55.3	52.0	48.1	71.7
Farm operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	1 297	163	159	789	186	9 434	1 925	4 652	2 857
On another farm	168	82	17	63	6				
In a rural area not on a farm	108	21	19	58	10	2 819	678	1 712	429
In a city, town, or urban area	171	14	14	122	21				
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	2 738	314	345	1 742	337	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
None	775	182	274	150	169	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Any	1 963	132	71	1 592	168	9 998	956	7 594	1 448
1 to 49 days	204	41	38	76	49	1 007	510	–	497
50 to 99 days	126	22	15	64	25	665	446	–	219
100 to 149 days	79	9	7	39	24				
150 to 199 days	154	20	1	117	16	1 441	–	1 235	206
200 days and over	1 400	40	10	1 296	54	6 885	–	6 359	526
Farm operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	920	479	441	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other	2 124	–	–	1 774	350	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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		By occupation and age of operator							
		Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming					
	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Farm Operator Characteristics[1] — Continued									
Farm operators by off-farm income:									
Reporting any	1 721	276	244	990	211	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold	1 598	250	223	931	194	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold	123	26	21	59	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Not reporting or reporting none	1 323	203	197	784	139	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms by Size									
1 to 9 acres	608	126	119	289	74	1 428	393	649	386
10 to 49 acres	1 515	188	171	984	172	6 691	1 508	3 512	1 671
50 to 69 acres	266	53	37	146	30	1 885	372	1 010	503
70 to 99 acres	238	32	51	131	24	1 751	343	918	490
100 to 139 acres	157	30	17	96	14	1 226	216	668	342
140 to 179 acres	108	22	20	56	10	628	141	285	202
180 to 219 acres	24	6	7	9	2	349	63	187	99
220 to 259 acres	41	4	3	29	5	231	46	124	61
260 to 499 acres	51	12	7	19	13	385	68	169	148
500 acres and over	36	6	9	15	6	146	33	72	41
Value of Products Sold									
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) $1,000	645	119	101	357	67	5 302	1 202	2 728	1 372
Average per farm dollars	212	248	230	201	192	360	378	359	348
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
Under $250	1 911	285	267	1 128	231	6 231	1 256	3 213	1 762
$250 to $499	564	84	74	336	70	3 388	743	1 730	915
$500 to $999	569	110	100	310	49	5 101	1 184	2 651	1 266
Crops and hay sold farms	871	158	142	471	100	7 213	1 764	3 414	2 035
$1,000	378	79	59	201	39	2 908	763	1 376	769
Nursery and greenhouse products farms	25	2	8	8	7				
$1,000	11	(Z)	5	3	3				
Forest products farms	45	2	7	31	5	282	52	121	109
$1,000	7	1	2	4	1	56	11	28	18
Livestock and livestock products farms	745	126	88	457	74	5 975	1 131	3 232	1 612
$1,000	243	38	34	148	23	2 337	427	1 325	585
Poultry and poultry products farms	51	9	8	20	14				
$1,000	6	1	1	2	1				
Production Expenses									
Total farm production expenses farms	2 962	456	425	1 742	339	14 720	3 183	7 594	3 943
$1,000	1 786	269	265	1 059	194	11 624	2 544	6 380	2 700
Farms with expenditures of—									
$1 to $499	1 353	216	194	800	143	6 688	1 492	3 173	2 023
$500 to $999	1 270	189	188	731	162	4 404	919	2 345	1 140
$1,000 to $1,999	286	44	30	181	31	3 628	772	2 076	780
$2,000 and over	53	7	13	30	3				
Livestock and poultry purchased farms	933	107	109	591	126	3 527	663	1 974	890
$1,000	185	13	21	128	23	890	158	554	179
Feed for livestock and poultry farms	2 127	312	311	1 253	251	6 799	1 293	3 769	1 737
$1,000	372	61	48	221	42	1 236	225	724	287
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms	1 641	258	243	926	214	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
tons	1 548	256	229	863	200	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	204	34	29	115	25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms	901	129	148	514	110	7 329	1 650	3 655	2 024
$1,000	42	5	8	23	7	399	94	203	102
Commercial fertilizer farms	1 775	267	262	1 036	210	11 416	2 383	5 992	3 041
$1,000	130	17	17	79	16	1 958	399	1 114	445
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) farms	275	64	33	155	23	5 326	1 158	2 897	1 271
$1,000	15	4	2	7	2	340	85	190	65
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business farms	2 675	408	379	1 584	304	13 169	2 809	6 997	3 363
$1,000	344	59	56	189	40	1 844	424	936	485
Hired farm labor farms	255	44	41	153	17	4 728	1 061	2 407	1 260
$1,000	72	15	33	23	2	1 075	309	493	273
Contract labor farms	34	6	2	25	1	4 502	952	2 385	1 165
$1,000	4	(Z)	(Z)	3	(Z)	568	128	311	130
Machine hire and customwork farms	326	54	37	204	31				
$1,000	31	4	5	20	3				
Other production expenses farms	2 178	338	304	1 275	261	8 858	1 900	4 675	2 283
$1,000	591	91	75	367	58	3 313	722	1 856	735
Farm-Related Income and Expenses									
Farm-related income farms	455	94	57	239	65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	353	111	36	155	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services farms	77	23	10	37	7	606	166	287	153
$1,000	70	25	2	24	18	337	169	129	38
Recreational services farms	8	–	–	5	3	154	39	78	37
$1,000	10	–	–	9	(Z)	42	8	19	15
Government farm programs farms	101	7	13	63	18	5 910	1 198	3 008	1 704
$1,000	33	3	8	17	5	2 393	512	1 217	663
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments farms	304	72	36	149	47	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	229	80	26	98	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other farm-related sources farms	16	4	–	10	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	12	3	–	6	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Expenses for farm-related income sources farms	145	36	16	72	21	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
$1,000	79	16	3	40	20	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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	Total	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Less than 65 years old	65 years old and over	Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles—farms	2 483	387	372	1 427	297	9 363	1 921	5 140	2 302
number	2 861	431	396	1 717	317	12 306	2 430	7 030	2 846
Motortrucks, including pickups—farms	2 185	332	297	1 320	236	7 381	1 495	4 164	1 722
number	2 258	340	305	1 374	239	8 100	1 653	4 577	1 870
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	2 263	335	305	1 389	234	8 635	1 707	4 906	2 022
number	2 381	349	332	1 458	242	10 403	2 070	5 922	2 411
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers—farms	2 234	328	294	1 378	234	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	2 340	339	317	1 442	242	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crawler tractors—farms	39	10	13	16	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	41	10	15	16	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms	9	1	2	6	–	238	60	135	43
number	9	1	2	6	–	249	62	144	43
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers—farms	18	3	1	12	2	150	37	98	15
number	26	11	1	12	2	158	40	103	15
Corn heads for combines—farms	6	3	1	2	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	9	6	1	2	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms	13	1	–	10	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	17	5	–	10	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners—farms	47	6	3	33	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	48	7	3	33	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pickup balers—farms	22	8	–	13	1	465	82	296	87
number	22	8	–	13	1	470	82	300	88
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms	12	5	–	7	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	12	5	–	7	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms	3	2	–	1	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
number	7	6	–	1	–	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms	2 905	440	412	1 717	336	12 905	2 753	6 898	3 254
$1,000	19 286	3 009	2 792	11 411	2 074	37 754	7 694	21 673	8 386
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:									
$1 to $999	101	7	21	56	17	2 810	648	1 254	908
$1,000 to $4,999	747	109	84	463	91	8 032	1 682	4 426	1 924
$5,000 to $9,999	1 780	276	262	1 039	203	1 536	316	917	303
$10,000 to $19,999	247	44	42	137	24	402	82	227	93
$20,000 to $29,999	24	3	–	20	1				
$30,000 to $49,999	6	1	3	2	–	125	25	74	26
$50,000 and over	–	–	–	–	–				
Livestock and Poultry									
Livestock and poultry inventory:									
Cattle and calves—farms	691	74	92	439	86	6 086	1 066	3 445	1 575
number	3 168	296	403	2 143	326	51 510	8 349	31 247	11 914
Cows and heifers that had calved—farms	463	53	65	299	46	4 280	761	2 367	1 152
number	1 706	182	247	1 137	140	21 318	3 520	12 551	5 247
Beef cows—farms	370	35	48	261	26	3 270	524	1 927	819
number	1 426	142	187	1 007	90	18 800	2 964	11 376	4 460
Milk cows—farms	146	25	25	72	24	1 346	296	606	444
number	280	40	60	130	50	2 518	556	1 175	787
Hogs and pigs—farms	446	108	61	226	51	4 177	988	1 992	1 197
number	2 047	492	382	986	187	33 492	7 734	17 112	8 646
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30—farms	190	43	27	92	28	2 213	509	1 109	595
number	402	92	47	207	56	5 409	1 184	2 819	1 406
Sheep and lambs—farms	12	4	–	3	5	37	11	10	16
number	37	4	–	17	16	259	62	96	101
Horses and ponies—farms	340	30	29	242	39	1 814	277	1 205	332
number	1 093	117	53	825	98	4 317	650	2 982	685
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	392	78	58	213	43	3 109	724	1 357	1 028
number	7 761	1 304	1 320	4 020	1 117	68 627	15 235	30 691	22 701
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	356	72	56	190	38	2 862	665	1 251	946
number	5 895	1 049	998	2 966	882	56 736	12 398	25 151	19 187
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	62	16	9	29	8	130	42	57	31
number	837	106	45	610	76	1 970	483	1 034	453
Other livestock and poultry—farms	205	34	22	132	17	2 198	481	959	758
Livestock and poultry sold:									
Cattle and calves—farms	297	28	39	204	26	3 692	594	2 137	961
number	869	70	108	605	86	14 895	2 411	8 660	3 824
Hogs and pigs—farms	239	68	35	113	23	2 304	535	1 114	655
number	2 032	565	290	920	257	23 977	5 540	12 371	6 066
Feeder pigs sold—farms	69	20	10	27	12	710	166	347	197
number	893	236	83	382	192	9 281	2 054	5 071	2 156
Sheep and lambs—farms	6	–	–	1	5	13	4	7	2
number	18	–	–	2	16	212	36	142	34
Horses and ponies—farms	63	6	–	47	10	124	26	84	14
number	128	10	–	97	21	244	36	190	18
Chickens 3 months old or older—farms	29	8	5	9	7	126	27	63	36
number	1 323	497	80	548	198	8 870	1 905	3 607	3 358
Hens and pullets of laying age—farms	24	8	5	7	4	115	26	54	35
number	1 049	497	80	446	26	7 909	1 855	2 976	3 078
Broilers and other meat-type chickens—farms	1	–	–	1	–	2	–	2	–
number	9	–	–	9	–	20	–	20	–
Other livestock and poultry—farms	68	12	–	48	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes—farms	444	67	94	232	51	5 375	1 237	2 486	1 652
acres	1 024	139	247	531	107	28 461	6 319	13 900	8 242
For grain or seed—farms	438	65	94	230	49	5 111	1 177	2 352	1 582
acres	1 004	133	247	521	103	26 619	5 940	12 913	7 766
bushels	44 626	5 963	9 768	23 444	5 451	724 250	166 494	355 530	202 226
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed—farms	6	2	–	2	2	370	87	178	105
acres	20	6	–	10	4	1 842	379	987	476

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Crops Harvested — Continued									
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup—farms	18	4	–	14	–	244	57	124	63
acres	68	8	–	60	–	1 297	371	646	280
For grain or seed—farms	2	–	–	2	–	79	21	34	24
acres	4	–	–	4	–	451	109	224	118
bushels	94	–	–	94	–	12 882	3 052	6 024	3 806
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed—farms	16	4	–	12	–	173	40	90	43
acres	64	8	–	56	–	846	262	422	162
Wheat for grain—farms	34	1	4	23	6	609	122	302	185
acres	121	2	4	99	16	2 607	521	1 341	745
bushels	2 901	100	130	2 440	231	57 328	10 861	29 555	16 912
Other small grains for grain—farms	57	10	3	36	8	685	142	323	220
acres	218	14	22	152	30	3 235	619	1 631	985
Soybeans for beans—farms	321	82	41	168	30	2 486	623	1 302	561
acres	1 158	295	132	602	129	23 623	5 696	13 278	4 649
bushels	20 772	5 365	2 317	11 083	2 007	388 970	92 666	220 579	75 725
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)—farms	149	16	13	104	16	2 335	397	1 281	657
acres	698	75	33	518	72	15 999	2 588	9 165	4 246
tons	733	82	35	545	71	18 055	2 692	10 718	4 645
Cotton—farms	27	8	5	12	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	52	10	14	22	6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
bales	40	9	13	16	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Peanuts for nuts—farms	21	–	6	11	4	339	85	136	118
acres	21	–	6	11	4	410	102	176	132
pounds	24 700	–	5 400	13 800	5 500	321 279	75 729	145 254	100 296
Tobacco—farms	88	32	14	37	5	1 143	395	421	327
acres	25	11	5	8	2	755	256	288	211
pounds	44 690	18 723	9 250	14 847	1 870	864 017	309 505	327 959	226 553
Irish potatoes—farms	43	2	7	30	4	795	167	331	297
acres	10	(Z)	1	7	1	420	100	165	154
hundredweight	933	40	300	532	61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes—farms	48	7	5	26	10				
acres	12	1	1	6	4				
bushels	1 735	177	67	1 035	456				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale—farms	68	4	18	36	10	971	206	422	343
acres	49	3	10	29	8	2 041	439	962	640
Berries for sale—farms	2	–	–	2	–	47	15	12	20
acres	1	–	–	1	–	43	21	10	12
Land in orchards—farms	27	1	1	20	5	453	76	275	102
acres	17	1	1	12	3	1 454	278	890	287
All other crops—farms	34	3	10	12	9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
acres	5	(Z)	1	2	1	1 767	428	835	505
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection—farms	13	–	4	3	6	16	2	11	3
square feet	6 776	–	3 020	1 632	2 124	6 305	2	4 003	2 300

APPENDIX C. Report Forms

FORM **74-A1** (10-1-74) O.M.B. No. 41-S74065; Approval Expires December 31, 1975

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

PLEASE remove the envelope and Instruction Sheet from the center of this booklet and . . . KEEP THEM HANDY.

IT'S EASIER THAN IT LOOKS to fill out this report. Many items can be answered by marking a "Yes" or "No" box. There are whole sections which may not apply to your operation – for these, just mark the NO box and go to the next section as instructed.

EXPLANATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS are provided all through the form with more detail in the Instruction Sheet you have removed from the center of this report. Use them — **they will help.**

A Message from the Director of the Bureau of the Census...

January 2, 1975

Dear Friend:

It's time for the 1974 Census of Agriculture, and we need your help.

Please fill out this report and return it in the envelope provided.

This is a most important census. Many changes have occurred in agriculture since 1969 when the last census was taken. It is important to you that these changes be measured and understood by other farmers and ranchers as well as by those who serve you and them.

Your answers are needed and are COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL, as spelled out in the Notice at the right of this letter.

Please fill out your report and send it back right away. We'll appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,

Vincent P. Barabba

VINCENT P. BARABBA
Director
Bureau of the Census

NOTICE — Response to this inquiry is required by law. (Title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law **YOUR REPORT TO THE CENSUS BUREAU IS CONFIDENTIAL.** It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Your report **CANNOT** be used for purposes of taxation, investigation, or regulation. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

NOTE: If you correspond with us regarding your report, please use the Census File Number shown in the address block on the booklet cover.

Complete this report and RETURN TO

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

Section 1 **Did you receive more than one report form?**

☐ YES — *See separate Instructions*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 2*

Enter extra file number(s) here ▶

Section 2 **FARMING, RANCHING, OR OTHER AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES IN 1974**

	YES	NO
1. At any time in 1974 did you raise, produce, or sell ANY amount of any of the items listed below?	1 ☐	2 ☐

- Crops
- Hay, pasture, sod
- Vegetables, melons, mushrooms
- Fruits, nuts, berries, and citrus
- Cattle (including feedlots)
- Hogs, sheep, goats, horses
- Poultry, eggs
- Dairy products
- Forest products on farms
- Greenhouse and nursery products
- Fish in captivity
- Fur-bearing animals in captivity
- Other animal specialties

	YES	NO
2. Did you at any time in 1974 raise or produce any agricultural products for contractors such as feed companies, processors, or packers?	1 ☐	2 ☐
3. Did you raise or produce any agricultural products for others or with others under a partnership, share arrangement, or other rental agreement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
4. Did you own any land that was used by someone else for agricultural purposes in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
5. Did you own any livestock or poultry that was cared for by someone else under a share agreement or custom arrangement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐

▶ ***If you answered YES to ANY of these questions, go to Section 3.***

▶ ***If you answered NO to ALL five of these questions, tear off this front cover and mail it back to us in the envelope provided.***

Section 3 ACREAGE in 1974 and LAND VALUE

Include all cropland, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, wasteland, idle land, house lots, etc.

	None	Number of acres	Your estimate of the current market value of these acres and the buildings on them — Dollars	Cents
1. ALL land owned	☐	040	1 $	
2. ALL land rented or leased FROM OTHERS, including land worked on shares; leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. *(Do NOT include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.)*	☐	050	1 $	
3. All land rented or leased TO OTHERS, including land worked on shares by others and land subleased	☐	060	1 $	
4. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** ① *(Please ADD acres owned (item 1) and acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space.)*	→	070	These are the ACRES in "THIS PLACE" ① for this census report	

① *"THIS PLACE" means your farm or ranch, feedlots, poultry houses, greenhouses, and/or any other agricultural operations.*

5. If you rented land FROM OTHERS (item 2 above), please enter the following information for each landlord.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	Number of acres	Rental arrangements in 1974 *Mark (X) all that apply* — Share of crops	Share of livestock or products	Cash as rent	Other arrangements
		081	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		082	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		083	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐

List additional landlords on back cover.

6. If you rented land TO OTHERS (item 3 above), please enter the following information for each renter.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	No. of acres
		085
		086
		087

List additional renters on back cover.

7. Of the land you rented or leased from others (item 2 above), how many acres did you subrent or sublease to others? *(Include land rented or leased by you which was worked on shares by others.)*

None	Number of acres	Current market value
☐	088	1 $

PLEASE READ

You may be able to skip most of this form if —

a. All the land you owned or rented was worked on shares or rented to someone else.
b. There were no crops or livestock in 1974 on the acres in "THIS PLACE" (item 4 above).
c. The land you operated prior to 1974 has been sold to someone else.

If a, b, or c apply to your operation, please read the Instructions before continuing with this report.

Section 4 LOCATION OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY

1. In what county was the largest value of your agricultural products raised or produced? *(Enter county name, State, and number of acres on the "Principal county" line. If you have agricultural operations in any other county(ies), enter the county name(s), etc., on the lines provided for "Other counties.")*

	County name	State	No. of acres
Principal county			091
Other counties			092
			093
			094

2. Location of place within principal county entered above. *(Give name of township, district, precinct, etc., or Township – Range numbers.)*

Name of location

015 014 013 012 011 010

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READ AND ANSWER THIS QUESTION → THEN FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS

During 1974 did you produce any crops; cut any hay; have any nursery or greenhouse products or specialty crops; or have any land in orchards, groves, or vineyards?

☐ YES — *Go to Section 5 below*
☐ NO — *Skip to page 8 and COMPLETE Section 17*

Section 5 Was any FIELD CORN harvested for any purpose from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 6*

• *Report sweet corn in Section 12 and popcorn in Section 16 when you reach those sections.*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated
1. Field corn for grain or seed *(Report quantity of shelled corn harvested in either **bushels or hundredweight.** 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn)*	101	1 Bushels shelled — OR — 6 Hundredweight shelled	2
2. Field corn for silage or green chop	102	1 Tons, green weight	2
3. Field corn cut for dry fodder, hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in items 1 or 2.)*	103		2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field corn	109	1	/10	2	/10

Section 6 Were any SORGHUMS or MILO harvested from this place in 1974?

(Include both grain and sweet varieties. Do not report sorghum-sudan crosses in this section.)

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 7*

• *Report sorghum-sudan crosses for hay in Section 10 and sorghum for sirup in Section 16 when you reach those sections.*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated
1. Sorghums (milo) for grain or seed *(Report quantity harvested in either **bushels or pounds.**)*	111	1 Bushels — OR — 6 Pounds	2
2. Sorghums for silage or green chop	112	1 Tons, green weight	2
3. Sorghums cut for dry forage or hay	113	1 Tons, dry weight	2
4. Sorghums hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in items 1, 2, or 3.)*	114		2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
5. Commercial fertilizer used on sorghums	119	1	/10	2	/10

Section 7 Were any SOYBEANS, PEANUTS, DRY BEANS, or DRY PEAS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 8*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Soybeans for beans ②	121	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Peanuts for nuts ③	122	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Dry field and seed beans	123	1 100-lb. bags	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Dry lima beans	124	1 100-lb. bags	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. Dry field and seed peas ④	125	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Cowpeas for dry peas ⑤	126	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10

② Soybean hay is to be reported in Section 10 and soybeans hogged or grazed, cut for silage, or plowed under in Section 16.
③ Peanut hay is to be reported in Section 10.
④ Austrian winter peas are to be reported in Section 11.
⑤ Cowpea hay is to be reported in Section 10, green cowpeas in Section 12, cowpeas hogged or grazed or cut for silage in Section 16.

Section 8 SMALL GRAINS (including RICE) harvested from this place in 1974

COMPLETE THIS SECTION *Please supply all requested information or mark "None" for each crop listed. For each crop harvested from this place in 1974, be sure to report quantity harvested in the unit specified, acres irrigated, acres fertilized, and amount of fertilizer used. If your small grain crop is not listed here, see Section 16 when you reach that section.*

- *Report small grain hay in Section 10 when you reach that section.*

	None	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Hard red winter wheat	☐	131	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Soft red winter wheat	☐	132	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Hard red spring wheat	☐	133	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Durum wheat	☐	134	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. White wheat	☐	135	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Oats for grain	☐	137	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Barley for grain	☐	138	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
8. Rye for grain	☐	139	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
9. Mixed grains	☐	140	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
10. Flaxseed	☐	141	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
11. Buckwheat	☐	142	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
12. Proso millet	☐	143	1 Bu.	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
13. Rice *(Report quantity harvested in either **100-lb. bags, bushels, or barrels**)*	☐	144	1 100-lb. bags — OR — 6 Bu. — OR — 7 Barrels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10

Section 9 Were any COTTON, TOBACCO, IRISH POTATOES, SWEETPOTATOES, OR SUGAR CROPS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 10 on next page*

Report tenths of acres where indicated.

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Cotton	151	1 Bales	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Tobacco — all types	152 /10	1 Pounds	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
3. Irish potatoes (excluding home use)	153 /10	1 Hundred-weight	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
4. Sweetpotatoes (excluding home use)	154 /10	1 Bushels	2 /10	3 /10	4	/10	5	/10
5. Sugar beets for sugar	155	1 Tons	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Sugar beets for seed	156	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Sugarcane for sugar⑥	157	1 Tons	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
8. Sugarcane for sirup	158		2	3	4	/10	5	/10
9. Sugarcane for seed	159		2	3	4	/10	5	/10

⑥ In Florida and Texas, report cuttings from November 1973 through April 1974. Other States, report 1974 crop year.

Section 10 — Was any DRY HAY, GRASS SILAGE, HAYLAGE, or GREEN CHOP cut or harvested from this place in 1974? *(Include hay cut from pastures.)*

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 11*

If cuttings were made for both dry hay and grass silage, "haylage," or "green chop" from the same fields, report the acreage in the appropriate items under ***Part A — Hay*** *and* ***Part B — Grass Silage*** *below.*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested *(Report either dry or green weight, as indicated)*	Acres irrigated
■Part A — DRY HAY *(If two or more cuttings of dry hay were made from the same acres, report acres only once, but report total tons from all cuttings.)*			
1. Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	172	1 Tons, dry	2
2. Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	173	1 Tons, dry	2
3. Small grain hay	174	1 Tons, dry	2
4. Lespedeza for hay	175	1 Tons, dry	2
5. Coastal Bermuda grass for hay	176	1 Tons, dry	2
6. Wild hay	177	1 Tons, dry	2
7. Other hay — Sudan grass, sorghum-sudan crosses, soybean, cowpea, peanut, etc.	178	1 Tons, dry	2
■Part B — GRASS SILAGE, HAYLAGE, AND GREEN CHOP *(If two or more cuttings of grass silage, "haylage," or "green chop" were made from the same acres, report acres only once, but report total tons from all cuttings.)*			
8. Grass silage and haylage	181	1 Tons, green	2
9. Hay crops cut and fed green (green chop)	182	1 Tons, green	2

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
10. Commercial fertilizer used on crops listed above	189	1	/10	2	/10

Section 11 — Were any FIELD SEEDS (grass, legume, clover, etc.) harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 12*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested *(Report in pounds, clean seed)*	Acres irrigated
1. Red clover seed	191	1 Pounds	2
2. Alfalfa seed	192	1 Pounds	2
3. Other field seed *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)*		1 Pounds	2
Crop name _____ No. _____		1 Pounds	2
Crop name _____ No. _____			

List additional field seed crops harvested on back cover.

Crop name	No.
Austrian winter peas	193
Birdsfoot trefoil seed	194
Fescue seed: Alta	195
Chewings	196
KY 31	197
Red	198
Other	199
Bahia grass seed	201
Bentgrass seed	202
Bromegrass seed	203
Orchardgrass seed	204
Ryegrass seed: Annual	205
Perennial	206
Sudan grass seed	207
Timothy	208
Wheatgrass seed	209
Kentucky Bluegrass seed:	
Merion	211
Proprietary	212
Other	213
Lespedeza	214
Lupine seed	215
Alsike clover seed	216
Crimson clover seed	217
Ladino clover seed	218
Sweetclover seed	219
White clover seed	221
Red top seed	222
Hairy vetch seed	223
Vetch seed, other than hairy	224
All other seeds — millet (foxtail), bluestem, canarygrass, etc.	225

(Write name on line in item 3 above.)

	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field seeds *(Do not report fertilizer here if the same acreage was reported in Section 10.)*	235	1	/10	2	/10

Section 12 — Were any VEGETABLES, SWEET CORN, OR MELONS harvested for sale from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 13 on next page*

For Florida, report for the September 1, 1973 through August 31, 1974 harvest season; for all other States report for calendar year 1974. (See separate Instructions for additional guidelines on filling this section.)

	Acres harvested ⑦				Acres irrigated	
	For fresh market		For processing ⑧			
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths
1. Sweet corn	241	/10	1	/10	2	/10
2. Tomatoes	242	/10	1	/10	2	/10
3. Cucumbers and pickles	243	/10	1	/10	2	/10
4. Watermelons	244	/10	1	/10	2	/10
5. Green peas, including English, excluding green cowpeas	245	/10	1	/10	2	/10
6. Snap beans, bush and pole	246	/10	1	/10	2	/10
7. Other vegetable crops *(Enter vegetable name and No. from list below.)*		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10
Vegetable name _____ No. _____		/10	1	/10	2	/10

List additional vegetables harvested for sale on back cover.

Vegetable name	No.
Artichokes	249
Asparagus	250
Beets	251
Broccoli	252
Brussels sprouts	253
Cabbage	255
Cantaloups and Persian melons	256
Carrots	257
Cauliflower	258
Celery	259
Chicory	260
Collards	262
Cowpeas (blackeye and other green cowpeas)	263
Eggplant	265
Endive	266
Escarole	267
Garlic	268
Honeydew melons	269
Kale	270
Lettuce, head	271
Lettuce, romaine	272
Lettuce, other	273
Lima beans	274
Muskmelons	275
Mustard greens	277
Onions, dry	278
Onions, green	279
Okra	280
Peppers, sweet	281
Peppers, hot	282
Pimientos	283
Pumpkins	284
Radishes	285
Rhubarb	286
Shallots	287
Spinach	288
Squash	289
Turnips	290
Turnip greens	291
Other vegetables	294

(Write vegetable name on line in item 7 above.)

8. Land used for vegetable crops *(Report acres only once even though two or more crops were harvested from the same acres or the same acres were irrigated or fertilized twice. Report all fertilizer used.)*

Acres harvested		Acres irrigated		Acres fertilized		Commercial fertilizer used			
						Dry		Liquid or gas	
Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
299 /10		1 /10		2 /10		3 /10		4 /10	

⑦ When more than one vegetable crop is harvested from the same acres, report the acres for each crop.
⑧ Processing includes canning, freezing, pickling, etc.

Section 13 **Was there a COMBINED TOTAL of 20 or more fruit trees, including citrus, grapevines, and nut trees on this place in 1974?** *(Do NOT include abandoned trees or plantings.)*

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 14*

Report the total acres, acres irrigated, acres fertilized, and the amount of fertilizer used for all fruit trees, grapevines, and nut trees on this place. Acreage in abandoned trees should not be reported in this section but should be reported in Section 18, item 2f, Cropland idle.

	Acres in trees and vines of all ages		Acres irrigated		Commercial fertilizer used					
					Acres fertilized		Dry		Liquid or gas	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
1. Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees	301	/10	1	/10	2	/10	3	/10	4	/10

For each item, report the acres and number of trees or vines not yet of bearing age, acres and trees or vines of bearing age and quantity harvested. Trees or vines of bearing age that were not harvested because of low price or damage from hail, frost, etc., should be reported in acres in trees of bearing age. For interplanting or mixed varieties of trees, see separate Instructions. (Also see Instructions for conversion tables, if necessary.)

	Not of bearing age			Bearing age			Quantity harvested *(Report tenths where specified)*	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees (or vines)	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees (or vines)		
2. Apples, dwarf and semi-dwarf. . .	302	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
3. Apples, standard	303	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
4. Peaches, clingstone	304	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
5. Peaches, freestone	305	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
6. Pears, Bartlett	306	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
7. Pears, other than Bartlett	307	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
8. Cherries, tart	308	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
9. Cherries, sweet	309	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Pounds
10. Grapes ⑨	310	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
							5 /10	Tons, dry
11. Plums	314	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
12. Prunes ⑨	315	/10	1	2	/10	3	4 /10	Tons, fresh
							5 /10	Tons, dry
■ *For citrus, report quantity harvested in 1973-74 from bloom of 1973.* 13. Valencia oranges	320	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
14. Navel oranges	321	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
15. Temple oranges	322	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
16. Other oranges — Hamlin, Pineapple, Parson Brown, etc. . . .	323	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes
17. Grapefruit	324	/10	1	2	/10	3	4	Boxes

⑨ Report quantity harvested in either or both units, depending on the way the fruit was sold.

▶ ***If you have fruit trees not listed above or nut trees, continue with item 18 at the top of the next page.***

Section 13 Continued

18. If you have any fruit trees which were not listed in items 2 through 17, or nut trees, enter crop name and No. in cols. (a) and (b) from the lists below and give the requested information for each item you list. Report quantity harvested in col. (e). In col. (f) indicate the unit in which you measure the crop. If you mark "Boxes," enter the average capacity, in pounds, of the box.

Enter from list below		Not of bearing age (c)			Bearing age (d)			Quantity harvested	Unit of measure *Mark (X) one* (f)			Average capacity of boxes in pounds
Name (a)	No. (b)	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees	Whole acres	Tenths	Number of trees	(e)	Lbs.	Tons	Boxes	(g)
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6
			/10	1	2	/10	3	4	5 1☐	2☐	3☐	6

• CITRUS CROPS	No.
(Report quantity harvested in 1973—74 from bloom of 1973.)	
Kumquats	325
Lemons	326
Limes (1 bushel = 50 lbs.)	327
Tangelos	328
Tangerines and mandarins	329
Other citrus fruit trees	330

• NONCITRUS CROPS	No.
Apricots	331
Avocados *(See Instructions)*	332
Dates	333
Figs *(See Instructions)*	334
Mangoes	335
Nectarines	336
Pomegranates	337
Olives	338
Other noncitrus fruit trees	339

• NUT CROPS	No.
Almonds	340
Filberts and hazelnuts	341
Pecans, improved	342
Pecans, wild and seeding	343
Pistachio	344
Tung nuts (in husk)	345
Walnuts (English or Persian)	346
Walnuts, planted black	347
Other nut trees	351

Section 14 Were any NURSERY and GREENHOUSE PRODUCTS, SOD, BULBS, FLOWERS, FLOWER SEEDS, VEGETABLE SEEDS and PLANTS, VEGETABLES under glass or other protection, or MUSHROOMS grown for sale on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 15 on next page*

		Area used in 1974: Square feet under glass or other protection ⑩	Area used in 1974: Acres in the open — Whole acres	Area used in 1974: Acres in the open — Tenths	Value of sales during 1974 ⑪ — Dollars	Value of sales during 1974 ⑪ — Cents
1. Nursery products — trees, shrubs, vines, etc.		371	1	/10	2 $	
2. Sod harvested		372	1	/10	2 $	
3. Bulbs		373	1	/10	2 $	
4. Cut flowers, florist greens; and potted, bedding, or other florist plants		374	1	/10	2 $	
5. Flower seeds, vegetable seeds, and vegetable plants *(Report sweet corn for seed in Section 16.)*		384	1	/10	2 $	
6. Vegetables, including mushrooms, grown under glass or other protection	a. Tomatoes	385			2 $	
	b. Cucumbers	386			2 $	
	c. Lettuce	387			2 $	
	d. Mushrooms	388			2 $	
	e. Other vegetables	389			2 $	
7. Area irrigated *(Include items 1 through 6e.)*		391	1	/10		

8. Commercial fertilizer used on the crops listed above	Area fertilized: Square feet	Area fertilized: Acres	Area fertilized: Tenths	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
	399	1	/10	2	/10	3	/10

⑩ Report the greenhouse area only once, even though more than one crop was grown on it, except where flowers and other crops were grown on the same benches or beds. In this case, report the area once for each category. For mushrooms, report caves and other types of growing areas.

⑪ Estimates are acceptable. Do not include value of products bought for resale without additional growing.

Section 15 > Were any BERRIES harvested for sale from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 16*

	Acres harvested		Quantity harvested (1 quart = 1 ½ pounds)		Acres irrigated	
	Whole acres	Tenths			Whole acres	Tenths
1. Strawberries	402	/10	1 Pounds		2	/10
2. Cranberries	403	/10	1 100-lb barrels		2	/10
3. Other berries *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)*						
Crop name _____ No. _____		/10	1 Pounds		2	/10
Crop name _____ No. _____		/10	1 Pounds		2	/10

List additional berry crops harvested for sale on back cover.

Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.
Blackberries and dewberries	404	Boysenberries	407	Loganberries	411	Youngberries	414
Blueberries, tame	405	Currants	408	Raspberries, red	412	All other berries	415
Blueberries, wild	406	Gooseberries	409	Raspberries, black	413	*(Write crop name on line in item 3 above.)*	

	Acres fertilized		Dry fertilizer		Liquid or gas fertilizer	
	Whole acres	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on berries	429	/10	1	/10	2	/10

Section 16 > Were any OTHER CROPS harvested from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 17*

	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested	Acres irrigated	Commercial fertilizer used: Acres fertilized	Dry: Whole tons	Dry: Tenths	Liquid or gas: Whole tons	Liquid or gas: Tenths
1. Popcorn	431	1 Pounds, shelled	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
2. Safflower	432	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
3. Sunflower seed	433	1 Pounds	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
4. Emmer and spelt	434	1 Bushels	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
5. Mint for oil	435	1 Pounds of oil	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
6. Broomcorn	436	1 Tons of brush	2	3	4	/10	5	/10
7. Other crops *(Enter crop name and No. from list below.)* Crop name _____ No. _____			2	3	4	/10	5	/10
Crop name _____ No. _____			2	3	4	/10	5	/10

List additional crops harvested on back cover.

Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.	Crop name	No.
Castor beans	437	Guar	443	Root crops for feed	449	Sweet corn for seed	454
Chufas for nuts	438	Hops	444	Sesame for seed	450	Triticale	455
Cowpeas hogged or grazed or cut for silage	439	Lentils	445	Sorghum for sirup	451	Velvetbeans for beans	456
Crambe	441	Mungbeans for beans	446	Soybeans hogged or grazed or cut for silage	452	Wild rice	457
Dill for oil	442	Mustard seed	447	Soybeans plowed under	453	Wormseed oil	458
		Rapeseed	448			All other crops *(Write crop name on line in item 7 above.)*	459

Section 17 > Were any FOREST PRODUCTS sold from this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to and COMPLETE Section 18*

	Value of sales: Dollars	Cents
1. Standing timber or trees	491 $	
2. Firewood and fuelwood	492 $	
3. Sawlogs and veneer logs	493 $	
4. Pulpwood	494 $	
5. Other forest products (bark, bolts, Christmas trees, gum for naval stores, fence posts, maple products, etc.)	495 $	

Section 18 LAND USE IN 1974 — *COMPLETE THIS SECTION*

1. Copy acres in "This Place" from Section 3, item 4, page 1 → 501 _____ Acres

▶ ***NOTE:*** *If the same land had more than one use in 1974, REPORT THAT LAND ONLY* ***ONCE*** *— in the first use listed below that applies. For example, cropland that was harvested and pastured is to be reported only as "Cropland harvested."*

		Number of acres	Acres irrigated in 1974
2.	a. Cropland harvested *(Include all land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut, and all land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products.)*	502	1
	b. Cropland used only for pasture or grazing *(Include rotation pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements.)*	503	1
	c. Cropland used for cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, but not harvested and not pastured	505	1
	d. Cropland on which all crops failed *(Exception: Do not report here land in orchards and vineyards on which the crop failed. Such acreage is to be reported in item 2a.)*	506	1
	e. Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	507	1
	f. Cropland idle	509	1
3.	**Woodland** *(Include all woodlots and timber tracts and cutover and deforested land with young timber growth.)* a. Woodland pastured	511	
	b. Woodland not pastured	512	
4.	**Other pastureland and rangeland** *(Include any pastureland other than cropland and woodland pasture.)* a. Pastureland and rangeland on which you applied lime, fertilizer, seed, improved by irrigation, drainage, or control of weeds and brush	514	1
	b. Other pastureland and rangeland	515	
5.	**All other land** — Land in house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. *(Include any land not reported above.)*	516	
6.	**TOTAL ACRES** *(Please add the acres reported in items 2a through 5 and enter the total in this space. Should be the same as item 1 above.)* →	IN "THIS PLACE" 517	IRRIGATED 1

7. Do you have any grazing permits on a per-head basis? 519
   - ☐ YES — *Mark (X) all boxes which apply* →
     - 1 ☐ Forest Service
     - 2 ☐ Taylor Grazing (BLM)
     - 3 ☐ Indian Land
     - 4 ☐ Other Federal or State
     - 5 ☐ Other — *Specify* _____
   - ☐ NO — *Go to Section 19*

Section 19 Was any of the LAND in this place IRRIGATED in 1974?

☐ YES — *Answer items 1 and 2 below*
☐ NO — *Answer item 3 below*

1. How many acres were irrigated in 1974 by each of these methods?

	None	Acres irrigated in 1974
a. Furrows or ditches	☐	523
b. Flooding	☐	524
c. Subirrigation	☐	525
d. Self-propelled sprinkler system (center pivot, traveling guns, traveling booms, etc.)	☐	526
e. All other sprinkler systems (solid set, move pipe, wheel lines, tow lines, etc.)	☐	527

Estimated quantity of water used in 1974 *(See separate Instructions for additional information on estimating quantity of water used.)*

2. Please estimate the quantity of water used for irrigation in 1974 *(Report in the unit or units of measure most convenient for you.)*

	Water used in 1974
a. Acre-feet *(One acre-foot covers one acre, one foot deep)*	531 Acre-feet _____ Tenths /10
b. Gallons *(Pumping capacity per minute X 60 minutes X hours operated in season)*	532 _____ Gallons
c. If acre-feet or gallons cannot be estimated in a or b above, give depth in inches of all water applied	533 _____ Total inches

3. If **no land was irrigated in 1974**, was there any land in this place irrigated at any time in 1970-1973?
   - ☐ YES — *Complete a and b* →
     - a. What was the most recent year in which acres were irrigated? 535 _____ Year
     - b. How many acres were irrigated in that year? 536 _____ Acres
   - ☐ NO — *Go to Section 20 on next page*

Section 20 Was any land on this place ARTIFICIALLY DRAINED?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 21*

	None	Acres artificially drained
1. How many acres in this place were artificially drained? *(Include open ditches, underground tile drains, grading for drainage, dikes, or pumping to control water. Exclude drainage solely for the removal of irrigation waste water.)*	☐	541
2. How many acres were artificially drained by systems installed since January 1, 1974?	☐	542

Section 21 Was any COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER applied to PASTURELAND on this place in 1974?

☐ YES *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Continue with NOTE below*

	None	Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer		Liquid or gas fertilizer	
			Whole tons	Tenths	Whole tons	Tenths
1. How many acres of **cropland used only for pasture** in 1974 (reported in Section 18, item 2b) were fertilized?	☐	551	1	/10	2	/10
2. How many acres of **other pastureland** in 1974 (reported in Section 18, item 4a) were fertilized?	☐	552	1	/10	2	/10

NOTE: READ AND ANSWER THIS QUESTION

Did you or anyone else have any livestock, poultry, or animal specialties on this place in 1974? *(Include fish raised in captivity.)*

☐ YES — *Go to Section 22 below*

☐ NO — *Skip to page 13 and COMPLETE Section 27*

Section 22 Were there any POULTRY such as CHICKENS, TURKEYS, DUCKS, etc., on this place at any time in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 23*

- *Report hatchery operations such as baby chicks, turkey poults, etc., in Section 26.*

	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Total number of birds sold in 1974
1. HENS, PULLETS, ROOSTERS for table eggs and hatching egg production		
a. **Hens and pullets** of laying age kept for TABLE or MARKET egg production	602	1
b. **Hens and pullets** of laying age kept for HATCHING egg production	603	1
c. **Pullets** 3 months old or older not yet of laying age	605	1
d. **Pullet chicks and pullets** under 3 months old *(Exclude commercial broilers.)*	606	1
e. **Roosters** and male chickens (all male breeding stock)	607	1
2. BROILERS, fryers, and other meat type chickens, including capons and roasters	608	1
3. TURKEYS		
a. Heavy breed turkeys for slaughter *(Exclude breeders.)*	611	1
b. Light breed turkeys for slaughter *(Exclude breeders.)*	612	1
c. Turkey HENS kept for breeding *(Include both heavy and light breeds.)*	613	1
4. OTHER POULTRY raised in captivity *(Enter fowl name and No. from list below.)*		
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1
Fowl name _____ No. _____		1

List additional poultry on back cover.

Fowl name	No.	Fowl name	No.	Fowl name	No.
Ducks	614	Pigeons or squab	616	Quail	618
Geese	615	Pheasants	617	All other poultry	619

(Write name on line in item 4 above.)

	Value of sales	
	Dollars	Cents
5. What was the value before taxes and expenses of poultry and poultry products (eggs, etc.) sold from this place in 1974? *(Include estimated value of poultry and poultry products moved from this place by contractors or others.)*	629 $	

Section 23 — Did you or anyone else have any CATTLE or CALVES on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 24*

■ INVENTORY on December 31, 1974

		INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974
1. Cattle and calves of all ages *(Total of a, b, c, and d below.)*		631
a. Beef cows *(Include beef heifers that had calved.)*		632
b. Milk cows *(Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved.)*		633
c. Heifers and heifer calves *(Exclude heifers that had calved.)*	(1) For beef purposes and beef cow replacement	634
	(2) For milk cow replacement	635
d. Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		636

■ CATTLE AND CALVES SOLD from this place in 1974
(Include those fed on "This Place" on a contract or custom basis. Also, report cattle moved from this place to a feedlot for further feeding as sold; report both the number and estimated value. See separate Instructions.)

	None	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales before taxes and expenses — Dollars	Cents
2. Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	☐	641	1 $	
3. Cattle including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	☐	642	1 $	
a. Of the total cattle sold, how many were fattened on this place on grain or concentrates for 30 days or more and sold for slaughter?	☐	643	1 $	

■ DAIRY PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974

- *Report goat dairy products in Section 26 when you reach that section.*

	Value of dairy products sold — Dollars	Cents
4. What was the gross value of sales of dairy products (milk, cream, etc.) from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses?	649 $	

Section 24 — Did you or anyone else have any HOGS or PIGS on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 25 on next page*

■ INVENTORY on December 31, 1974

	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974
1. Hogs and pigs of all ages *(Total of a and b below.)*	651
a. Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	652
b. Other hogs and pigs	653

■ LITTERS FARROWED

2. Litters farrowed on this place between —	None	Number of litters
a. December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974	☐	654
b. June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	☐	655

■ HOGS AND PIGS SOLD

	None	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales before taxes and expenses — Dollars	Cents
3. Hogs and pigs sold from this place in 1974	☐	656	1 $	
a. Of the hogs and pigs sold, how many were sold as FEEDER PIGS for further feeding?	☐	657	1 $	

Section 25 — Did you or anyone else have any SHEEP or LAMBS on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 26*

		INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Total number sold in 1974
1.	Sheep and lambs of all ages *(Total of a, b, and c below.)*	661	1
a.	Lambs under 1 year old	662	
b.	Ewes 1 year old or older	663	
c.	Rams and wethers 1 year old or older	664	

	None		
2. Sheep and lambs shorn	☐	665 Number shorn	1 Pounds of wool shorn

	Value of sales	
	Dollars	Cents
3. What was the gross value of sales of sheep, lambs, and wool from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses?	669 $	

Section 26 — Did you or anyone else have any OTHER LIVESTOCK or ANIMAL SPECIALTIES on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 27*

	INVENTORY Number on this place Dec. 31, 1974	Total number sold in 1974	Value of sales Dollars	Cents
1. Horses of all ages *(Do not include ponies.)*	671	1	2 $	
2. Ponies of all ages	672	1	2 $	
3. Mules, burros, and donkeys of all ages	673	1	2 $	
4. Mink and their pelts	674	1	2 $	
a. Mink females used for breeding	675			
5. Other livestock in captivity, bees, and poultry hatched *(Enter name and No. from list below.)*		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____		1	2 $	
Name _____ No _____				

Other Livestock in Captivity, Bees, and Poultry Hatched

Name	No.	Name	No.	Name	No.
Colonies of bees	676	Other goats	679	Foxes and their pelts	683
Angora goats	677	Rabbits and their pelts	681	Poultry hatched	684
Milk goats	678	Chinchillas and their pelts	682	All other livestock	685

	Acres under water for fish production	Total quantity sold in 1974		Value of sales Dollars	Cents
6. Livestock or animal products *(Enter name and No. from "List A" below.)*		1	Pounds	2	
		OR			
Name _____ No _____		3	Gallons	$	
7. Fish in captivity *(Enter name and No. from "List B" below.)*	Tenths /10	1	Pounds	2	
		OR			
Name _____ No _____		3	Number	$	

List A — Livestock Products

Name	No.
Mohair sold	687
Goats milk sold	688
Honey sold	689

List B — Fish in Captivity

Name	No.	Name	No.
Catfish	691	Tropical fish	694
Trout	692	Other fish	695
Other food-type fish	693		

▶ *List any additional livestock, livestock products, animal specialties, or fish on back cover.*

Section 27 MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT on this place on December 31, 1974

(Include only equipment used for agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974.)

COMPLETE THIS SECTION

■ **Value of ALL machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974**

1. What is the estimated market value of ALL machinery, equipment, and implements usually kept on this place and used for the farm or ranch business? *(Include cars, trucks, tractors, combines, plows, disks, harrows, dryers, pumps, motors, irrigation equipment, dairy equipment including milkers and bulk tanks, livestock feeders, grinding and mixing equipment, etc.)* . . . . . 701 $ | Estimated market value: Dollars | Cents

■ **SELECTED machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974** *(Report only if used in 1973 or 1974.)*

		Total number on this place on December 31, 1974	Of the total, HOW MANY were manufactured in the last 5 years (1970-1974)? *(Number)*
2.	Automobiles	702	1
3.	Motortrucks *(Include pickups.)*	703	1
4.	Wheel tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers	704	1
5.	Crawler tractors	705	1
6.	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	706	1
7.	Corn heads for combines	707	1
8.	Other corn pickers and picker-shellers	708	1
9.	Mower conditioners	709	1
10.	Pickup balers	710	1
11.	Windrowers — pull and self-propelled *(Exclude side delivery rakes.)*	711	1
12.	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	712	1

Section 28 MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS — *COMPLETE THIS SECTION*

1. GRAIN STORAGE FACILITIES — Mark (X) one to show the total grain storage capacity, including ear corn, on this place. *(Do not include temporary structures.)* 721
   - 1 ☐ None
   - 2 ☐ Under 1,000 bushels (Under 25 tons)
   - 3 ☐ 1,000-4,999 bushels (25-124 tons)
   - 4 ☐ 5,000-9,999 bushels (125-249 tons)
   - 5 ☐ 10,000-24,999 bushels (250-624 tons)
   - 6 ☐ 25,000-49,999 bushels (625-1,249 tons)
   - 7 ☐ 50,000 bushels and over (1,250 tons and over)

2. How many ARTIFICIAL PONDS, PITS, RESERVOIRS, and EARTHEN TANKS are on this place? *(Do not report natural lakes, gravel pits, strip mining pits, flooded fields, sewage lagoons, or manure pits.)* . . . . . None ☐ 722 ____ Number of artificial ponds, pits, etc

   a. Area covered when filled to capacity . . . . . 723 Whole acres | Tenths /10

3. FUTURES MARKET — Did you utilize the commodity futures market in 1974 to hedge sales of any farm commodities which you produce? 724
   - 1 ☐ YES — *Mark which commodities* →
   - 2 ☐ NO — *Go to Section 29 on next page*

   725
   - 1 ☐ Corn (grain)
   - 2 ☐ Sorghums (grain)
   - 3 ☐ Soybeans (grain)
   - 4 ☐ Wheat (grain)
   - 5 ☐ Cotton
   - 6 ☐ Potatoes
   - 7 ☐ Cattle (live)
   - 8 ☐ Hogs (live)
   - 9 ☐ Other — *Specify* _____

Section 29 — Did you have any CONTRACT or BINDING AGREEMENT to produce or market any farm products on this place in 1974? *(Include oral and written agreements made more than 30 days prior to delivery.)*

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 30*

1. Mark (X) as many products as you produced and/or marketed under contract.

No.	Product name	No.	Product name	No.	Product name	No.	Product name
1 ☐	Broilers	7 ☐	Feeder cattle and/or stocker cattle	13 ☐	Field and seed corn	19 ☐	Fruit, citrus, nuts for fresh market
2 ☐	Started pullets	8 ☐	Breeding cattle	14 ☐	Soybeans	20 ☐	Fruit, including citrus, for processing
3 ☐	Chicken eggs	9 ☐	Slaughter hogs	15 ☐	Wheat	21 ☐	Sugar beets
4 ☐	Turkeys	10 ☐	Feeder pigs	16 ☐	Cotton	22 ☐	Other crops, such as hops, popcorn, potatoes, safflower, sugarcane, etc. *(Write product name on line A1 below.)*
5 ☐	Milk and other dairy products	11 ☐	Breeding hogs	17 ☐	Vegetables for fresh market		
6 ☐	Fattened cattle	12 ☐	Other livestock and/or poultry *(Write product name on line A1 below.)*	18 ☐	Vegetables for processing		

2. For each product marked above, enter the Name and No. in the column heading where indicated and complete the remaining entries in the column (items B through G) for that product.

		FIRST CONTRACT	SECOND CONTRACT	THIRD CONTRACT	FOURTH CONTRACT
A. Product(s) under contract *Enter name and No. from item 1 above*	1. Product name				
	2. No.	731	732	733	734
B. Type of contract *Mark (X) one of these items for each product under contract*	1. Production ⑫	1 ☐	1 ☐	1 ☐	1 ☐
	2. Marketing ⑬	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Production, including feeding, and marketing	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Other	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
C. Type of contractor *Mark (X) one of these items for each product under contract*	1. Co-op	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	2. Feed company	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Packer	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Processor	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
	5. Other	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐
D. Items furnished by contractor under terms of contract *Mark (X) for as many items as apply for each product under contract*	1. Feed	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	2. Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc.	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Seed	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐
	4. Fertilizer	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐	4 ☐
	5. Chemicals	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐	5 ☐
	6. Labor	6 ☐	6 ☐	6 ☐	6 ☐
	7. Machinery, equipment, or buildings	7 ☐	7 ☐	7 ☐	7 ☐
	8. Harvesting	8 ☐	8 ☐	8 ☐	8 ☐
	9. Transportation	9 ☐	9 ☐	9 ☐	9 ☐
	10. Processing/packing	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐	4 10 ☐
	11. Credit	11 ☐	11 ☐	11 ☐	11 ☐
	12. Technical assistance	12 ☐	12 ☐	12 ☐	12 ☐
	13. Other	13 ☐	13 ☐	13 ☐	13 ☐
	14. None	14 ☐	14 ☐	14 ☐	14 ☐
E. What percent of the total production of this product was sold under contract?		5 Percent	5 Percent	5 Percent	5 Percent
F. 1. Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract?		6 Dollars Cents $	6 Dollars Cents $	6 Dollars Cents $	6 Dollars Cents $
2. Did this payment represent the total market value of the product?		7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No	7 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No
G. Did the contract specify — *Mark (X) one*	1. Exact price?	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐	8 1 ☐
	2. Method of determining price?	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐	2 ☐
	3. Neither price nor method?	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐	3 ☐

⑫ Production contracts, including custom feeding, usually specify kind and/or amount of farm product to be produced and may specify variety or breed, operations to be performed during production, or inputs and technical assistance to be supplied by contractor

⑬ Marketing contracts usually specify kind and/or amount of farm product to be delivered but usually do not specify that contractor provides services or supplies or that particular operations or methods be used in production

Section 30 **PAYROLL AND EMPLOYMENT - Did you have any paid workers doing agricultural labor, employees of labor contractors or crew leaders, or other salaried employees working on this place in 1974?**

☐ YES -- *Complete this section*
☐ NO -- *Go to Section 31*

Please read before answering items 1, 2, and 3 below

Hired farm or ranch workers — In addition to farm workers and paid family members, include such persons as bookkeepers, office workers, maintenance people, etc., whose employment is primarily associated with agricultural production on this place even though they may not be doing agricultural labor. Do not include unpaid family workers or the proprietors or partners of unincorporated places.

Cash wages paid — Report gross payments in 1974 to employees before deductions for Social Security, taxes, insurance premiums, etc. Include all wages, salaries, commissions, paid bonuses, vacation and sick leave pay. Do not include room and board, house rent, or other items paid in kind.

For each of the following groups, report how many hired farm or ranch workers were employed and the amount of cash wages paid to them.

	Number of workers	Cash wages paid	
		Dollars	Cents
1. Of the hired farm or ranch workers, how many worked—			
a. 150 days or more?	751	1 $	
b. 25–149 days?	752	1 $	
c. Less than 25 days?	753	1 $	
2. Contract workers hired through a crew leader or contractor			
a. What was the cost of contract labor?		754 $	
b. How many workers did the contractor furnish? *(Estimate if necessary.)*	755		
3. Salaried corporation officers			
a. If this operation is incorporated, how many corporation officers were salaried in 1974?	756		
b. What was the amount paid?		757 $	

Section 31 **INJURIES AND ILLNESSES CONNECTED WITH FARM OR RANCH WORK — Were there any work connected injuries that required more than first aid treatment, or work connected illnesses or death to workers on this place in 1974?**
(Do not include deaths, injuries, or illnesses to employees of contractors.)

☐ YES -- *Complete this section*
☐ NO -- *Go to Section 32 on next page*

	Operator and unpaid family workers	Hired workers and paid members of operator's family
1. Non-fatal injuries and illnesses		
a. How many workers had injuries or illnesses without lost workdays?	761 Workers	1 Workers
b. How many workers had injuries or illnesses with lost workdays?	762 Workers	1 Workers
(1) How many days were lost as a result of all injuries and illnesses?	763 Days	1 Days
2. Number of deaths	764 Number	1 Number

Section 32 — Were any INSECTICIDES, HERBICIDES, FUNGICIDES, OTHER PESTICIDES, LIME, or OTHER CHEMICALS used on this place in 1974?

☐ YES — *Complete this section*
☐ NO — *Go to Section 33*

Include any of these materials paid for by you, your landlord, or contractors. If custom applied, report only estimated cost of material. Cost of applying should be reported in Section 34, item 9. For each item listed, ***report acres only once,*** *but report cost of all such materials used on these acres in 1974. If multipurpose chemicals were used, report acreage treated for each purpose and allocate cost of materials.*

	Number of acres on which used	Cost of chemicals *(Do not include cost of applying)* Dollars	Cents
1. Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., (fungicide, herbicide, insecticide, nematocide) to control —			
a. Insects on hay crops (alfalfa, timothy, etc.)	771	1 $	
b. Insects on other crops (corn, other grain, cotton, tobacco, potatoes, trees, vines, etc.)	772	1 $	
c. Nematodes in crops	773	1 $	
d. Diseases in crops and orchards (blights, smuts, rusts, etc.)	774	1 $	
e. Weeds or grass in crops *(Include both pre-emergence and post emergence.)*	775	1 $	
f. Weeds or brush in pasture	776	1 $	
g. Weeds on all other land (fence rows, ditch banks, road sides, etc.)	777	1 $	
2. Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	778	1 $	
3. Expenditures for insect control on livestock and poultry, including treatment of buildings		779 $	
4. Lime *(Do not include land plaster or gypsum or lime for sanitation.)* 781 Tons	782	1 $	
5. Other chemicals (excluding fertilizer), such as lime for sanitation, pesticides used for rodent and bird control, etc.		783 $	
6. TOTAL CHEMICAL COST *(Add dollars for items 1a through 5 and enter total here and in Section 34, item 10.)*		784 $	

Section 33 — FARM CREDIT

1. DEBTS SECURED BY REAL ESTATE — Were there any real estate mortgages, deeds of trust, or land purchase contracts on farm land and buildings owned and operated by you? *(If you rent land to others, see separate Instructions.)*

☐ YES — *Answer a, b, and c* ☐ NO — *Go to item 2* ☐ No land owned — *Go to item 2*

	Amount *(principal only)* owed December 31, 1974 Dollars	Cents
a. Amount owed to a Federal Land Bank, The Farmers Home Administration, an insurance company, a commercial or savings bank, and/or a production credit association	791 $	
b. Amount owed to a savings and loan association, mortgage investment company, and/or other financial institution not covered above	792 $	
c. Amount owed to individual(s) from whom you bought part or all of the property or to others (secured by mortgage, deed of trust, land purchase contract, etc.)	793 $	

2. DEBTS NOT SECURED BY REAL ESTATE — Were any chattel mortgages, sales contracts, or unsecured notes owed by you on December 31, 1974, for operating this farm or ranch business?

☐ YES — *Answer a, b, and c* ☐ NO — *Go to Section 34*

	Amount *(principal only)* owed December 31, 1974 Dollars	Cents
a. Amount owed to a commercial or savings bank, a production credit association, The Farmers Home Administration, and/or other lending agencies	795 $	
b. Amount owed to business firms or farm suppliers (machinery dealer, feed dealer, fuel supplier, fertilizer dealers, etc., or their finance agencies)	796 $	
c. Amount owed to relatives and other individuals	797 $	

Section 34 — Production EXPENSES paid by you and others for this place in 1974

COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Include your best estimates of expenses paid by you, your landlord, contractors, buyers, and others for production of crops, livestock, and other agricultural products on this place. DO NOT INCLUDE expenses connected with performing customwork off this place, operation of non-farm activities, businesses or services, and household expenses not related to the farm business.

		Production expenses Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock and poultry purchased — cattle, calves, hogs, pigs, sheep, lambs, goats, horses, baby chicks, poults, started pullets, etc.		801 $	
2. Total feed purchased for livestock and poultry — grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc. *(Total dollars for a, b, c, and d below.)*		802 $	
	Tons / Tenths / Dollars / Cents		
a. Commercially mixed formula feeds purchased — complete, supplement, concentrates *(Do not include ingredients purchased separately, such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, and urea.)*	803 /10 1 $		
b. Ingredients purchased — such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, urea, etc., millfeeds or other milling byproducts *(Do not include whole grains.)*	804 /10 1 $		
c. Whole grains purchased — such as corn, oats, barley, grain sorghum, wheat, rye, etc. *(Include cracked grain. Do not include millfeeds or other milling byproducts, or green chop.)*	805 /10 1 $		
d. Hay, green chop, silage, etc.	806 /10 1 $		
3. Animal health costs for livestock and poultry *(Include veterinarian services, serums, vaccines, tonics, medicines, etc.)*		807 $	
4. Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased		808 $	
5. Commercial fertilizer purchased — all forms, including rock phosphate and gypsum *(Report custom application costs in item 9 below.)*		809 $	
6. Total gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil purchased for the farm business — Diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, propane, piped gas, kerosene, fuel oil, motor oil, grease, etc. *(Total dollars for a, b, c, and d below.)*		811 $	
	Storage capacity for farm use (Gallons) / Estimated expenditures for farm use in 1974 Dollars / Cents		
a. Gasoline for the farm business	812 1 $		
b. Diesel fuel for the farm business	813 1 $		
c. LP gas, butane, propane for the farm business *(4.5 lbs. = 1 gallon)*	814 1 $		
d. Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil for the farm business	815 $		
7. Hired farm labor *(Add dollars reported in Section 30, items 1a, 1b, and 1c, and enter total here.)*		821 $	
8. Contract labor *(Copy dollars reported in Section 30, item 2a.)*		823 $	
9. Machine hire and customwork *(Include expenditures for this place for use of equipment and for customwork such as grinding and mixing feed, plowing, combining, corn picking, drying, silo filling, spraying, dusting, fertilizing, etc.)*		824 $	
10. Agricultural chemicals purchased *(Copy dollars reported in Section 32, item 6.)*		826 $	
11. All other production expenses *(Include OTHER current operating expenses such as depreciation, taxes, interest, cash rent, insurance, repairs, electricity, purchase of water, etc., for the farm business.)*		827 $	
12. TOTAL PRODUCTION EXPENSES including expenses paid by landlords, contractors, or others *(Add dollars in items 1 through 11 and enter total here.)* →		829 $	

Section 35 — Value of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974, before taxes and expenses *(See separate Instructions.)*

COMPLETE THIS PAGE

Report your best estimates of the value for each of the following groups of products sold from this place. Include value of landlord's and/or contractor's share, estimating if necessary.

	Estimated value of products sold	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Grains — corn for grain, small grains, soybeans for beans, grain sorghums, cowpeas for peas, dry beans, and dry peas	832 $	
2. Cotton and cottonseed	833 $	
3. Tobacco	834 $	
4. Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	835 $	
5. Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons *(Do not include Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes.)*	836 $	
6. Other field crops — peanuts, Irish potatoes, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, sugarcane, popcorn, mint for oil, hops, etc. — *Specify* _____	837 $	
7. Fruits, nuts, and berries — apples, berries, citrus, grapes, peaches, pecans, pears, pineapples, etc.	838 $	
8. Nursery and greenhouse products sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 14, items 1 through 6e and enter the total here.)*	839 $	
9. Forest products sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 17 and enter the total here.)*	849 $	
10. Poultry and poultry products, broilers, other chickens, eggs, ducks, turkeys, etc. *(Copy dollars reported in Section 22, item 5.)*	852 $	
11. Cattle and calves sold *(Add dollars reported in Section 23, items 2 and 3 — do NOT include item 3a — and enter the total here.)*	853 $	
12. Dairy products — milk, cream, etc. *(Copy dollars reported in Section 23, item 4. Report goat dairy products in item 15 below.)*	854 $	
13. Hogs and pigs sold *(Copy dollars reported in Section 24, item 3.)*	855 $	
14. Sheep, lambs, and wool *(Copy dollars reported in Section 25, item 3.)*	856 $	
15. Other livestock, horses, mules, fur-bearing animals, bees, honey, goat dairy products, mohair, etc. *(Add dollars reported in Section 26, items 1 through 7, and enter the total here.)*	857 $	
16. TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD including value of landlord's and/or contractor's share *(Add dollars entered in items 1 through 15 and enter total here.)* →	859 $	

Section 36 — INCOME AND EXPENSES from FARM-RELATED SOURCES IN 1974

■ Part A — INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES

Report amount received before taxes and expenses.

	None	Farm-related income Dollars	Cents
1. Customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others—plowing, planting, spraying, harvesting, preparation of products for market, etc. *(If customwork is a separate business, see separate Instructions.)*	☐	871 $	
2. Recreational services — providing hunting, fishing, picnicking, camping, boarding and lodging, or other recreational facilities on this place	☐	872 $	
3. Payments you received for participation in Government farm programs *(Do not include redeemable loans.)*	☐	873 $	
4. Gross cash rent or share payments received from renting out farm land or payments received from lease or sale of allotments *(Include payments for livestock pastured on a per-head basis, per-month basis, per-pound basis, etc.)*	☐	874 $	
5. Other business or source of income which is conducted on or CLOSELY RELATED to the AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS on this place — *Specify kind* _____	☐	875 $	

■ Part B — EXPENSES FOR FARM-RELATED INCOME SOURCES

	None	Farm-related expenses Dollars	Cents
6. For farm-related income sources reported in items 1 through 5 above, enter the total estimated expenses paid by you and others in 1974 *(Include all operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. Do not include expenses already reported in Section 34.)*	☐	876 $	

Section 37 TYPE OF ORGANIZATION, OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS, and related information

COMPLETE THIS PAGE

■ **Part A — Type of Organization**

1. Mark (X) the one box which best describes the way this place was operated in 1974.

901 1 ☐ INDIVIDUAL or FAMILY operation (sole proprietorship), excluding partnership and corporation

2 ☐ PARTNERSHIP operation, including family partnerships *(See separate Instructions.)* — *Enter number of partners* . . 902 _____

} *Complete Parts B and C below*

3 ☐ CORPORATION, including family corporations — *Skip to Section 38*

4 ☐ OTHER, such as cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc. — *Specify type then skip to Section 38* . . . . . _____

■ **Part B — Farm Operator Characteristics and Related Information for Individual, Family, or Partnership Operations**

1. **Residence** — Where does the operator, person in charge, or senior partner of this farm or ranch operation live? 903

1 ☐ On this place

Not on this place: 2 ☐ On another farm; 3 ☐ In a rural area, not on a farm; 4 ☐ In a city, town, or urban area

2. What was the earliest year the operator (or senior partner, if partnership) began to operate any part of this place? . . . . . 904 _____ Year

3. How old is the operator (or senior partner, if partnership)? . . . . . 905 _____ Years old

4. Operator's race — *Mark (X) appropriate box* 906

1 ☐ White

2 ☐ Negro or Black

3 ☐ American Indian

4 ☐ Mexican American, Chicano, Mexican (Mexicano), Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, Other Spanish

5 ☐ Japanese, Chinese, Filipino

11 ☐ Other — *Specify what race* _____

5. **Principal Occupation** — At what occupation did the operator spend the majority (50 percent or more) of his work time in 1974? *(For partnerships, consider all members of the partnership together.)* 907

1 ☐ Farming

2 ☐ Other

6. **Off-Farm Work** — How many days did each member of the family work OFF the place in 1974? *(Include work at a nonfarm job, business, profession, or on someone else's farm. Do not include exchange farm work.)*

[*Mark (X) one for each applicable line.*]

		None	1–49 days	50–99 days	100–149 days	150–199 days	200 days or more
a. Operator or senior partner.	911	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
b. Spouse.	912	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
c. Other.	913	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐
d. Other.	914	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐	5 ☐	6 ☐

■ **Part C — Family Income from Off-Farm Sources in 1974**

(Report amount you and members of your family received in 1974 from the following sources. For partnership operations, the report should be for the senior partner and his family.)

	None	Income from off-farm sources: Dollars	Cents
1. Operation of a non-farm-related business (not reported in Section 36) or professional practice *(Report NET after expenses.)*	☐	921 $	
2. Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips from all jobs *(Report amount before deducting taxes.)*	☐	922 $	
3. Interest, dividends, or royalties	☐	923 $	
4. Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, veterans payments, annuities, unemployment insurance, workmen's compensation, and old age and other public assistance.	☐	924 $	
5. Rental income of nonfarm property *(Report NET after deduction of expenses.)*	☐	925 $	

Section 38 PERSON COMPLETING THIS REPORT

PLEASE PRINT	Name	Date: 931 Month	Day	Telephone: 932 Area Code	Number

Enter remarks on back cover.

INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR FORM 74-A1

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO HELP YOU FILL OUT YOUR REPORT

Please remove this sheet and keep it handy for reference while filling out the report. Additional help may be found in copies of the Farm Census Guide, which should be available for reference at U.S.D.A. County offices and other locations in your area. Do NOT return these instructions with your filled out report.

GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(1) Who Should Complete This Form** — All persons receiving this form, including landlords, tenants, partnerships, corporations, institutions, and others should complete the first sections. Most people will need to complete the rest of the form. However, some will be able to skip most of it. Follow the directions at the end of Section 2.

▶ **(2) If You Have Multiple Farming Operations** — A census report form should be filled out for each separate and distinct production unit. For example, if you are the sole proprietor of one agricultural operation, the senior partner in an agricultural partnership, and manager of a third agricultural operation, three separate census reports should be filled out and returned by you. A separate report should be made for each agricultural operation (farm, ranch, feedlot, greenhouse, etc.) for which you maintain separate records of operating expenses and sales, livestock and other inventories, machinery and equipment, and crop acreages and production. If you need more forms, please let us know.

▶ **(3) If You Don't Have Multiple Farming Operations and You Received Two or More Census of Agriculture Report Forms-** Complete only one form for your place. If you received both a green form (74-A1) and a brown form (74-A2) fill out the green form. Tear off the front covers of any extra forms received, write "Duplicate" beside the extra addresses, and return the covers with your completed report so we can correct our address list.

INSTRUCTIONS AFTER YOU'VE COMPLETED SECTION 3

Now that you've completed Section 3, please read the following instructions.

▶ **(4) Complete the Rest of This Form** if you reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, and **had** agricultural operations on that land. Read the instructions beginning with "More General Information" if you need help. Mail the completed form back in the return envelope provided. (Do NOT return this Instruction Sheet.)

▶ **(5) Do Not Complete The Rest of The Form if —**

▶ **EITHER** ◀

(a) You reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4 but had no agricultural operations in 1974 on the land.

▶ **OR** ◀

(b) All of your land was operated by a renter or sharecropper. (The entry in Section 3, item 4 should be "0" in most cases.) Your renter or sharecropper should have received a report form also and he is required to report the agricultural operations on the land he rents from or works on shares for you. You may be able to help him fill out his report.

▶ **OR** ◀

(c) Your only involvement with the agricultural activity was a financial investment and Section 3, item 4 is "0." The operator of that activity will receive a report form to fill out.

If you are not required to complete the rest of the form—PLEASE—

(1) Tear off the front cover and page one;

(2) Write a brief explanatory note on the cover describing why you are not a farm operator such as: "Sold farm in 1973," "No crops or livestock," "All land rented out," "Not a farm operator — only have financial interest in some cattle;" and

(3) Mail back the two torn-off sheets in the return envelope found in the centerfold.

MORE GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(6) Partnership Operations** — For partnerships, the senior partner should fill out one report form for the entire partnership farming operation. If members of the partnership operate farms on their own, in addition to the partnership, separate reports should be filled out for each individual place. If members of the farming partnership, other than the senior partner, received report forms and they had **no** farming operations of their own, they should tear off the cover, write a brief explanation such as "Senior partner has filled out report for partnership -- I have no other farming operations of my own," and mail it back to us in the return envelope.

▶ **(7) Landlord's or Contractor's Share** — If you rented or leased land or had a contract for the production of agricultural products, be sure to include on your report the landlord's or contractor's share of the production, sales, and expenses, so your Census report will be complete for "This Place."

If you do not know the landlord's or contractor's share, include your BEST ESTIMATE.

▶ **(8) The Same Report Form Is Used For All States Except Hawaii.** Because it is meant for use in all parts of the country, it contains sections which may not apply in your area or to your operation. For these, you can simply mark the "No" box and go to the next section.

▶ **(9) Filling Out the Report Form** — There are a few rules that will help us if you follow them.

(a) All money figures may be entered in whole dollars. Cents are not required.

(b) Enter whole numbers except where tenths are asked for. Where you have 1/2 or 1/4 or 1/3 of an acre or ton, convert these to tenths. For instance, convert 1/2 to 5/10, 1/3 to 3/10, 1/4 to 2/10, etc.

(c) Enter replies in the proper space, on the correct line, and in the units requested; i.e., dollars, bushels, tons, etc. Some conversion methods are shown on the report form or in the Instructions under the appropriate section number.

(d) If you do not have exact figures, give your best estimates.

(e) A section answered by an "X" in the "No" box is finished. Go to the next section indicated.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIED SECTIONS

▶ Section 3 — Acreage in 1974

The purpose of Section 3 is to establish the land for which you are to report agricultural operations. Report all agricultural land operated by the addressee in 1974—cropland, woodland, pastureland, wasteland, and any other land—not just planted land. Report for all separate pieces of land that are included in this operation, regardless of location.

Market value refers to what you think the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

Item 1 — Land Owned — Include all land associated with agricultural operations in 1974, whether held under title, purchase contract or mortgage, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate by you and/or your spouse; or by the partnership, corporation, or organization for which you are reporting.

Item 2 — Land Rented (or Leased) FROM OTHERS — Report here any land you rented FROM OTHERS for cash or equivalent or a share of the crops or livestock or used rent free, regardless of whether the landowner supplied any equipment, fertilizer, or other materials or supervised your work. Also include Federal and State land rented or leased by the acre, but not land used on a per-head or animal-unit basis.

Item 3 — Land Rented (or Leased) TO OTHERS — Report here any land rented TO OTHERS for cash or other consideration or that was worked for you by someone else for a share of the crops or livestock. Include all agricultural land which you owned (or rented from others) but did not use in 1974 because it was rented, leased, or used by others in 1974. Do not include land rented to others for only part of the year if you used it for agricultural operations for the other part.

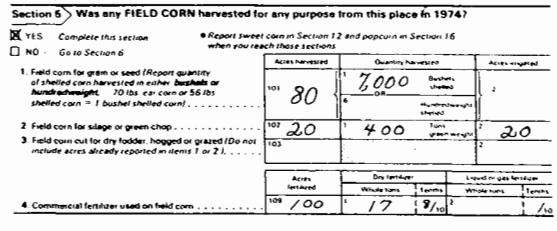
Item 4 — Acres in "This Place" — This is the land you owned in 1974 **PLUS** the land you RENTED FROM others, **MINUS** the land you RENTED TO others. It is very important that you report this figure correctly since it is the net acreage to which the remainder of the form applies, the "Acres in This Place." That is, your report should cover only the operations on the net acreage as reported in item 4.

▶ Sections 5-16 — Crops

Do not include in your report any crops on land which you rented or leased to others or which was worked on shares by others in 1974. Your report should include only those crops grown on the "Acres in This Place," as reported in Section 3, item 4.

For each applicable crop or group of crops, report the area harvested.

An example of how to report crops harvested — A farmer planted 100 acres of field corn. He harvested 80 acres, getting 7,000 bushels of shelled corn. He irrigated 20 acres and cut them for silage; he estimated the production at 400 tons. He turned his cattle into the 100 acres after the harvest and let them graze. All 100 acres were fertilized using 17-3/4 tons of dry fertilizer. His entries on the Census report are shown in the following illustration



Section 6 — Was any FIELD CORN harvested for any purpose from this place in 1974?

☒ YES — Complete this section. ☐ NO — Go to Section 6

• Report sweet corn in Section 12 and popcorn in Section 16 when you reach those sections.

		Acres harvested	Quantity harvested		Acres irrigated
1. Field corn for grain or seed (Report quantity of shelled corn harvested in either bushels or hundredweight. 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn)	101	80	7,000 (Bushels, shelled) OR (Hundredweight, shelled)	2	
2. Field corn for silage or green chop	102	20	400 (Tons, green weight)	2	20
3. Field corn cut for dry fodder, hogged or grazed (Do not include acres already reported in items 1 or 2.)	103			2	

		Acres fertilized	Dry fertilizer: Whole tons	Dry fertilizer: Tenths	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Whole tons	Liquid or gas fertilizer: Tenths
4. Commercial fertilizer used on field corn	109	100	17	9/10		1/10

No provision is made for reporting acres grazed after harvest. Since letting the cattle graze was a secondary use of land already harvested, the farmer **did not** have to make any entry in item 3.

Quantity harvested — Report in the units specified. If your records show a different unit than printed on the form, please convert to the unit shown. A choice of two units is provided for some crops.

Commercial fertilizer — Report the total number of acres fertilized in 1974 and the total tons and tenths of tons (including filler), used on all applications. Report anhydrous ammonia in the "Liquid or gas" column.

Interplanted crops and "skip-row" planting — If you grew two crops in alternate strips in the same field at the same time, or one crop in a "skip-row" pattern, for each crop report the portion of the field used for that crop.

▶ Section 12 — Vegetables

Acres are to be reported for fresh market and/or for processing. If a vegetable crop was harvested for **both** purposes, prorate the acreage on the basis of the production for each use. For example, 2 tons of tomatoes were picked for fresh market from a 5-acre field; later the same 5 acres were picked and the 8 tons of tomatoes harvested went for processing. Since 2/10 of the production was for fresh market and 8/10 for processing, report 1 acre (2/10 X 5) for fresh market and 4 acres (8/10 X 5) for processing. If you don't know what use was made of the vegetables, report them under the purpose for which you think they were used.

▶ Section 13 — Fruit

If trees or vines are interplanted, estimate the area covered by each kind of fruit.

Approximate Box Weight — Pounds Per Box

State	All Oranges*	Grapefruit	Tangerines	Lemons
Arizona	75	64	75	76
California	75	65	75	76
Florida	90	85	95	90
Texas	90	80	95	90
Other States	90	85	95	90

*Includes Temples and Tangelos

Avocados — Quantity harvested — In California report for the period October 1, 1973 to September 30, 1974. In Florida report for the period July 1, 1974 to about February 28, 1975.

Figs — Report quantity harvested in dry weight. In California 3 lbs. fresh = 1 lb. dry. Other States 4 lbs. fresh = 1 lb. dry.

▶ Section 18 — Land Use in 1974

All acres included in this place (see entry in Section 3, item 4) should be accounted for. If any acreage was devoted to more than one specified land use during 1974, report the acreage only on the line for the first item which fits. (For example, 10 acres harvested for wheat for grain and subsequently pastured — report the 10 acres only in item 2a, Cropland harvested.)

▶ Section 19 — Irrigation

Report the estimated quantity of water used in the unit of measure most convenient for you.

Acre-feet — Many irrigation districts show amount of water delivered to their users in acre-feet on their bills. If you do not know the acre-feet of water used but have an estimate of average acre-feet used per acre, obtain the total acre-feet by multiplying the average times the number of acres irrigated.

Gallons — Irrigators pumping from their own wells may estimate total gallons used by multiplying the pumping capacity for the pump times minutes in the hour (60), times hours pumped per day, times days pumped per season during 1974. For example, a 100 gal./minute pump was pumped an average of 20 hours per day for a season of 96 days. One hundred gal./minute times 60 minutes, times 20 hours pumped per day, times 96-day season = 11,520,000 gallons.

Total inches — When a sprinkler system is used, it may be simpler to estimate the total depth in inches of all water applied during the season.

▶ Sections 22-26 — Livestock and Poultry

Animals to be included in the report — Report all animals on the place on December 31, 1974 **owned by you** or **kept by you** for others. Include animals on unfenced land, grazing on national forest land, grazing on district land or cooperative grazing association land, or rangeland administered by the Bureau of Land Management on a per-head or lease basis (such as wheat pasture). Include poultry (broilers, layers, turkeys, etc.) fed under contract on "This Place."

Animals to be excluded from the report — Do not report any animals on land rented to others in 1974. Your report should include only animals on the "Acres in This Place" as reported in Section 3, item 4, except as noted above.

Number sold — Report all animals sold or removed from this place including those sold for a landlord or given to a landlord as his share or to others in trade or in payment for goods and services. Include animals of all ages without regard to ownership or who shared in the receipts if the animals were located on the place 30 days or more and were sold or removed from the place for sale in 1974.

Sales from contract and custom feeding operations — Include animals (including poultry fed under contract) fed on this place on a contract or custom basis if they were removed from the place in 1974.

Animals bought and sold — Do **not** include animals bought and resold within 30 days. Such purchases and sales are considered to be "dealer" transactions and should not be reported.

Fat cattle sales — Do not include on the fattened cattle line:
- **(a)** Veal calves which were fattened primarily on milk, or
- **(b)** Dairy cows fed only the usual dairy ration before being sold, or
- **(c)** Cattle and calves that have been fed on grain or concentrates and sold for further feeding.

Value of sales — Be sure to report the total value of sales without deducting cost of feed, cost of livestock purchased, cost of hauling and selling, and so forth. If the sales price or value is not known, give your best estimate of their value when they left this place.

Animals sold from another place — Do not report the value of sales of animals owned by you but held and sold from someone else's place. For example, do not report cattle purchased elsewhere, fed in, and sold from a feedlot not part of this place.

Animals moved to another place — For animals removed from your place to a feedlot for feeding, give your best estimate of their market value when they left this place.

Sheep and lambs shorn — In the first answer space report the number shorn; in the second answer space report the total weight in pounds, grease basis, of all wool obtained in 1974, whether from one or two shearings.

▶ Section 28 — Miscellaneous Items

Futures market — Report those commodities you bought or sold (or bought and sold) through a commodity exchange as a hedge against crops produced on this place. Do not report transactions in any commodities not grown on the place. For example, if you bought or sold both wheat and cotton through a commodity exchange and wheat was grown on the place but no cotton, mark only the box opposite wheat.

▶ Section 29 — Contracts

Many farm products are produced and marketed under a contract or binding agreement between the farm operator (producer) and the person who buys or uses the farm product. It may be a production contract, a marketing contract, or a combination of both. **Production contracts** usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm product to be produced and may specify variety or breed, the operations to be performed during production, and the inputs and technical assistance to be supplied by the contractor. **Marketing contracts** usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm product to be delivered but usually do not specify the particular operations or methods to be used in production.

For each product under contract, report the type of contract. Co-op contractors should include production contracts with cooperative processors. Do not include contracts made by you for services (customwork, hauling, etc.) or to produce farm items for you wherein you are the purchaser rather than the supplier of the products.

If a sales contract or agreement provides also for supplying or furnishing feed, seed, labor, or equipment, report it as a production contract. Do not report contracts or agreements which do not provide **specifically** for the production or marketing of agricultural products.

▶ Section 33 — Farm Credit

Item 1 — Debts Secured by Real Estate — Do not include debt on land and buildings rented to or from others. If you owned a farm, with a debt on it, and rented part of it to others or had worked on shares, report (estimate) only the part of the debt that relates to the part operated by you.

Item 2 — Debts Not Secured by Real Estate — Do not report: (1) debts on nonagricultural property such as cotton gins, canning factories, sugar mills, motels, stores, etc.; (2) price support loans owed to the Commodity Credit Corp.; (3) your landlord's share of any debts; or (4) charge accounts that are paid in full monthly (debts owed for less than 30 days).

▶ Section 36 — Income and Expenses from Farm-Related Sources

Items 1, 2, and 5 refer only to those income producing activities for which you use part of the land, machinery, equipment, labor, or capital normally used on this place, and which you do not consider as entirely separate from your farming activities. **Report gross amount received before taxes and expenses.**

Do not report income or expenses for customwork or agricultural services provided for others if operated as an entirely separate business from your agricultural operations. The net amount should be reported in Section 37 — Family Income from Off-Farm Sources (Part C, item 1).

▶ Section 37 — Type of Organization

Individual or family operation (sole proprietorship) — Defined as a farm or business organization controlled and operated by an individual. Includes family operations that are **not** incorporated and **not** operated under a partnership agreement.

Partnership operations — Defined as two or more persons who have agreed on the amount of their contribution (capital and effort) and the distribution of profits. Co-ownership of land by husband and wife or joint filing of income tax forms by husband and wife do not necessarily mean that a partnership exists unless there is some agreement as to sharing contributions, decision making, profits, and liabilities.

Corporation, including family corporations — Defined as a legal entity or artificial person created under the laws of a State to carry on a business. This definition does **not** include cooperatives.

Other — Such as cooperative (defined as an incorporated or unincorporated enterprise or association created and formed jointly by the members), estate or trust (defined as a fund of money or property administered for the benefit of another individual or organization), prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc.

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

PLEASE remove the envelope and Instruction Sheet from the center of this booklet and . . . KEEP THEM HANDY.

EXPLANATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS are provided all through the form with more detail in the Instruction Sheet you have removed from the center of this report. Use them — **they will help.**

A Message from the Director of the Bureau of the Census...

January 2, 1975

Dear Friend:

It's time for the 1974 Census of Agriculture, and we need your help.

Please fill out this report and return it in the envelope provided.

This is a most important census. Many changes have occurred in agriculture since 1969 when the last census was taken. It is important to you that these changes be measured and understood by other farmers and ranchers as well as by those who serve you and them.

Your answers are needed and are COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL, as spelled out in the Notice at the right of this letter.

Please fill out your report and send it back right away. We'll appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,

Vincent P. Barabba

VINCENT P. BARABBA
Director
Bureau of the Census

NOTICE — Response to this inquiry is required by law. (Title 13, U S Code) By the same law **YOUR REPORT TO THE CENSUS BUREAU IS CONFIDENTIAL.** It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Your report **CANNOT** be used for purposes of taxation, investigation, or regulation. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

NOTE: If you correspond with us regarding your report, please use the Census File Number shown in the address block on the booklet cover.

Complete this report and RETURN TO

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

Section 1 Did you receive more than one report form?

☐ YES — *See separate Instructions*

☐ NO — *Go to Section 2*

Enter extra file number(s) here ▶

Section 2 FARMING, RANCHING, OR OTHER AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES IN 1974

	YES	NO
1. At any time in 1974 did you raise, produce, or sell ANY amount of any of the items listed below?	1 ☐	2 ☐

- Crops
- Hay, pasture, sod
- Vegetables, melons, mushrooms
- Fruits, nuts, berries, and citrus
- Cattle (including feedlots)
- Hogs, sheep, goats, horses
- Poultry, eggs
- Dairy products
- Forest products on farms
- Greenhouse and nursery products
- Fish in captivity
- Fur-bearing animals in captivity
- Other animal specialties

	YES	NO
2. Did you at any time in 1974 raise or produce any agricultural products for contractors such as feed companies, processors, or packers?	1 ☐	2 ☐
3. Did you raise or produce any agricultural products for others or with others under a partnership, share arrangement, or other rental agreement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
4. Did you own any land that was used by someone else for agricultural purposes in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐
5. Did you own any livestock or poultry that was cared for by someone else under a share agreement or custom arrangement in 1974?	1 ☐	2 ☐

▶ ***If you answered YES to ANY of these questions, go to Section 3.***

▶ ***If you answered NO to ALL five of these questions, tear off this front cover and mail it back to us in the envelope provided.***

Section 3 ACREAGE in 1974 and LAND VALUE

Include all cropland, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, wasteland, idle land, house lots, etc.

	None	Number of acres	Your estimate of the current market value of these acres and the buildings on them — Dollars	Cents
1. ALL land owned	☐	040	1 $	
2. ALL land rented or leased FROM OTHERS, including land worked on shares; leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. *(Do NOT include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.)*	☐	050	1 $	
3. All land rented or leased TO OTHERS, including land worked on shares by others and land subleased	☐	060	1 $	
4. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** ① *(Please ADD acres owned (item 1) and acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space.)* →		070	These are the ACRES in "THIS PLACE" ① for this census report	

① *"THIS PLACE" means your farm or ranch, feedlots, poultry houses, greenhouses, and/or any other agricultural operations.*

5. If you rented land FROM OTHERS (item 2 above), please enter the following information for each landlord.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	Number of acres	Rental arrangements in 1974 *Mark (X) all that apply* — Share of crops	Share of livestock or products	Cash as rent	Other arrangements
		081	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		082	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐
		083	1 ☐	2 ☐	3 ☐	4 ☐

List additional landlords on back cover

6. If you rented land TO OTHERS (item 3 above), please enter the following information for each renter.

Name	Address (No. and street, city, State, ZIP code)	No. of acres
		085
		086
		087

List additional renters on back cover

7. Of the land you rented or leased from others (item 2 above), how many acres did you subrent or sublease to others? *(Include land rented or leased by you which was worked on shares by others.)* None ☐

Number of acres	Current market value
088	1 $

PLEASE READ

You may be able to skip most of this form if —

a. All the land you owned or rented was worked on shares or rented to someone else.
b. There were no crops or livestock in 1974 on the acres in "THIS PLACE" (item 4 above).
c. The land you operated prior to 1974 has been sold to someone else.

If a, b, or c apply to your operation, please read the Instructions before continuing with this report.

Section 4 LOCATION OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY

1. In what county was the largest value of your agricultural products raised or produced? *(Enter county name, State, and number of acres on the "Principal county" line. If you have agricultural operations in any other county(ies), enter the county name(s), etc., on the lines provided for "Other counties.")*

	County name	State	No. of acres
Principal county			091
Other counties			092
			093
			094

2. Location of place within principal county entered above *(Give name of township, district, precinct, etc., or Township – Range numbers.)*

Name of location

010 011 012 013 014 015

CENSUS USE ONLY

Section 5 CROPS HARVESTED FOR ANY PURPOSE FROM THIS PLACE IN 1974

Report all crops harvested. Include crops grown under contract. Be sure to include landlord's share.

	None	Acres harvested	Quantity harvested
1. Field corn for grain or seed *(Report quantity on a shelled basis in either **bushels or hundredweight**. 70 lbs. ear corn or 56 lbs. shelled corn = 1 bushel shelled corn.)*	☐	101	1 Bushels shelled — OR — 6 Hundredweight shelled
2. Field corn for silage, cut for green chop or dry fodder, hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in item 1.)*	☐	104	
3. Sorghums or milo for grain or seed *(Report quantity harvested in either **bushels or pounds.**)*	☐	111	1 Bushels — OR — 6 Pounds
4. Sorghums for silage, cut for green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed *(Do not include acres already reported in item 3.)*	☐	115	
5. Soybeans for beans	☐	121	1 Bushels
6. Peanuts for nuts	☐	122	1 Pounds
7. Wheat for grain	☐	130	1 Bushels
8. Other small grains for grain — oats, barley, rye, rice, etc. — *Specify* _____	☐	136	
9. Cotton	☐	151	1 Bales
10. Tobacco — all types	☐	152 /10	1 Pounds
11. Irish potatoes (excluding home use)	☐	153 /10	1 Hundredweight
12. Sweetpotatoes (excluding home use)	☐	154 /10	1 Bushels
13. Hay — all kinds except sorghum hay *(Include grain hay, grass silage, wild hay, etc. If two or more cuttings were made from the same land, REPORT ACRES ONLY ONCE, but report total tons of all cuttings.)*	☐	170	1 Tons, dry
14. Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	☐	240 /10	
15. Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, citrus or other groves, vineyards, and nut trees of all ages *(Include land on which the fruit crop failed. Do not include abandoned acreages or plantings.)* — *Specify* _____	☐	301 /10	
16. Berries for sale — *Specify* _____	☐	401 /10	
17. All other crops *(Include field seeds; sugar crops; nursery products; flowers, etc., grown in the open; sod; etc.)* — *Specify* _____	☐	430 /10	

	Square feet
18. If any greenhouse products were sold, how many square feet were under glass or other protection?	460

Section 6 LAND USE IN 1974

The purpose of this section is to distribute all acres in "THIS PLACE" among items 1 through 5.

▶ ***NOTE:*** *If the same land had more than one use in 1974, REPORT THAT LAND ONLY ONCE — in the first use that applies. For example, cropland that was harvested and pastured is to be reported only as "Cropland harvested."*

	Number of acres
1. Cropland harvested *(Include all land from which crops were harvested or hay was cut, and all land in orchards, citrus groves, vineyards, and nursery and greenhouse products. If two crops were harvested from the same land in 1974, report the acres only once.)*	502
2. Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	503
3. All other cropland *(Include cropland used for soil-improvement crops, crop failure, cultivated summer fallow, and idle cropland.)*	504
4. Woodland *(Include woodland pasture.)*	510
5. All other land *(Include pastureland other than cropland and woodland pasture, rangeland, and land in house lots, barn lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.)*	513
6. **TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE"** *(Please add the acres reported in items 1 through 5 and enter the total in this space.)* ***(This total should be the same as the total in Section 3, item 4.)*** →	517

7. How much of the total land reported in item 6 was IRRIGATED in 1974? . . . . . 528 Acres irrigated

Section 7 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Be sure to report all livestock and poultry on this place on December 31, 1974, no matter who owned them. Include as sold all livestock and poultry fed on a contract or custom basis and taken from this place in 1974.

	None	Number of litters	INVENTORY Number on this place December 31, 1974	Number sold in 1974
1. Hens and pullets of laying age *(Exclude started pullets being raised for sale.)*	☐		601	1
2. Any other chickens 3 months old or older (roosters, started pullets, etc.)	☐		604	1
3. Broilers, fryers, and other meat-type chickens (including capons and roasters)	☐		608	1
4. Cattle and calves of all ages	☐		631	1
a. Beef cows *(Include beef heifers that had calved.)*	☐		632	
b. Milk cows *(Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved.)*	☐		633	
5. Hogs and pigs of all ages	☐		651	1
a. Of the total sold, how many were sold as FEEDER PIGS for further feeding?	☐			2
b. Litters of pigs farrowed on this place between —	None	Number of litters		
(1) December 1, 1973 and May 31, 1974	☐	654		
(2) June 1, 1974 and November 30, 1974	☐	655		
6. Sheep and lambs of all ages	None ☐		661	1
7. Horses and ponies of all ages	☐		670	1
8. Other livestock and poultry — goats, mules, fur-bearing animals, turkeys, ducks, geese, colonies of bees, poultry hatched, fish in captivity except at fish hatcheries, etc.	☐		698	1
Specify what kind _____			699	1

Section 8 MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT on this place on December 31, 1974

(Include only equipment used for agricultural operations in 1973 or 1974.)

■ **Value of ALL machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974**

1. What is the estimated market value of ALL machinery, equipment, and implements usually kept on this place and used for the farm or ranch business? *(Include cars, trucks, tractors, combines, plows, disks, harrows, dryers, pumps, motors, irrigation equipment, dairy equipment including milkers and bulk tanks, livestock feeders, grinding and mixing equipment, etc.)*

Estimated market value	
Dollars	Cents
701 $	

■ **SELECTED machinery and equipment on this place, December 31, 1974** *(Report only if used in 1973 or 1974.)*

	Total number on this place on December 31, 1974	Of the total, HOW MANY were manufactured in the last 5 years (1970-1974)? *(Number)*
2. Automobiles	702	1
3. Motortrucks *(Include pickups.)*	703	1
4. Wheel tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers	704	1
5. Crawler tractors	705	1
6. Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	706	1
7. Corn heads for combines	707	1
8. Other corn pickers and picker-shellers	708	1
9. Mower conditioners	709	1
10. Pickup balers	710	1
11. Windrowers — pull and self-propelled *(Exclude side delivery rakes.)*	711	1
12. Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	712	1

Section 9 Production EXPENSES paid by you and others for this place in 1974

Include your best estimates of expenses paid by you, your landlord, contractors, buyers, and others for production of crops, livestock, and other agricultural products on this place. DO NOT INCLUDE expenses connected with performing customwork off this place, operation of non-farm activities, businesses or services and household expenses not related to the farm business.

	Tons	Tenths	Dollars	Cents	Production expenses Dollars	Cents
1. Livestock and poultry purchased—cattle, calves, hogs, pigs, sheep, lambs, goats, horses, baby chicks, poults, started pullets, etc.					801 $	
2. Total feed purchased for livestock and poultry—grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc.					802 $	
a. Commercially mixed formula feeds purchased – complete, supplement, concentrates *(Do not include ingredients purchased separately, such as soybean meal, cottonseed meal, and urea.)*	803	/10	1 $			
3. Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased					808 $	
4. Commercial fertilizer purchased — all forms, including rock phosphate and gypsum *(Report custom application costs in item 8.)*					809 $	
5. Total gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil purchased for the farm business — Diesel fuel, LP gas, butane, propane, piped gas, kerosene, fuel oil, motor oil, grease, etc.					811 $	
6. Hired farm labor					821 $	
7. Contract labor					823 $	
8. Machine hire and customwork *(Include expenditures for this place for use of equipment and for customwork such as grinding and mixing feed, plowing, combining, corn picking, silo filling, spraying, dusting, fertilizing, drying, etc.)*					824 $	
9. Agricultural chemicals purchased *(Include lime, insecticides, etc. Exclude fertilizer.)*					826 $	
10. All other production expenses *(Include other current operating expenses such as depreciation, taxes, interest, cash rent, insurance, repairs, electricity, purchase of water, etc., for the farm business.)*					827 $	
11. **TOTAL PRODUCTION EXPENSES including expenses paid by landlords, contractors, or others** *(Add dollars for items 1 through 10 and enter total here.)* →					829 $	

Section 10 — Value of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD from this place in 1974 before taxes and expenses

Report your best estimates of the value of each of the following groups of products sold from this place. Include value of landlord's and/or contractor's share, estimating if necessary.

	Estimated value of products sold	
	Dollars	Cents
1. Crops and hay sold *(Do not include nursery and greenhouse products.)*	831 $	
2. Nursery and greenhouse products sold	839 $	
3. Forest products sold — firewood, fuelwood, fenceposts, sawlogs, Christmas trees, gum for naval stores, standing timber or trees, maple products, etc.	849 $	
4. Poultry and poultry products (eggs, etc.) sold	852 $	
5. Livestock and livestock products (milk, wool, etc.) sold	858 $	
6. TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD including value of landlord's and/or contractor's share *(Add dollars entered in items 1 through 5 and enter total here.)* →	859 $	

Section 11 — INCOME AND EXPENSES from FARM-RELATED SOURCES IN 1974

■ Part A — INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES

(Report amount received before taxes and expenses.)

	None	Farm-related income	
		Dollars	Cents
1. Customwork and other agricultural services provided for farmers and others — plowing, planting, spraying, harvesting, preparation of products for market, etc. *(If customwork is a separate business, see Instructions.)*	☐	871 $	
2. Recreational services — providing hunting, fishing, picnicking, camping, boarding and lodging, or other recreational facilities on this place	☐	872 $	
3. Payments you received for participation in Government farm programs *(Do not include redeemable loans.)*	☐	873 $	
4. Gross cash rent or share payments received from renting out farm land or payments received from lease or sale of allotments *(Include payments for livestock pastured on a per-head basis, per-month basis, per-pound basis, etc.)*	☐	874 $	
5. Other business or source which is conducted on or CLOSELY RELATED to the AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS on this place — *Specify kind* _____	☐	875 $	

■ Part B — EXPENSES FOR FARM-RELATED INCOME SOURCES

	None	Farm-related expenses	
		Dollars	Cents
6. For farm-related income sources reported in items 1 through 5, enter the total estimated expenses paid by you and others in 1974 *(Include all operating expenses, depreciation, taxes, interest, insurance, etc. Do NOT include expenses already reported in Section 9.)*	☐	876 $	

Section 12 FARM OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

1. Where does the operator, person in charge, of this farm or ranch live? 903

- 1 ☐ On this place
- Not on this place —
  - 2 ☐ On another farm
  - 3 ☐ In a rural area, not on a farm
  - 4 ☐ In a city, town, or urban area

2. Year operator began to operate any part of this place . . . . . 904 _____ Year

3. Operator's age . . . . . 905 _____ Years old

4. Operator's race — *Mark (X) appropriate box* 906

- 1 ☐ White
- 2 ☐ Negro or Black
- 3 ☐ American Indian
- 4 ☐ Mexican American, Chicano, Mexican (Mexicano), Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, Other Spanish
- 5 ☐ Japanese, Chinese, Filipino
- 11 ☐ Other — *Specify what race* _____

5. Principal Occupation — At what occupation did the operator spend the majority (50 percent or more) of his work time in 1974? *(For partnerships, consider all members of the partnership together.)* 907

- 1 ☐ Farming
- 2 ☐ Other

6. Number of days operator worked off this place in 1974 *(Include work at a nonfarm job, business, or profession, or on someone else's farm. Do not include exchange farm work.)* — *Mark (X) the appropriate box.* 911

- 1 ☐ None
- 2 ☐ 1–49 days
- 3 ☐ 50–99 days
- 4 ☐ 100–149 days
- 5 ☐ 150–199 days
- 6 ☐ 200 days or more

7. Was the income which you and your family received from work off the farm and from other sources greater than the total value of agricultural products sold from this place in 1974? 920

- 1 ☐ Yes
- 2 ☐ No

8. Person preparing this report

PLEASE PRINT

Name	Date		Telephone	
	931 Month	Day	932 Area code	Number

REMARKS — *Please write your remarks on the outside back cover where we can more readily see and respond to them if required.*

INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR FORM 74-A2

1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO HELP YOU FILL OUT YOUR REPORT

Please remove this sheet and keep it handy for reference while filling out the report. Additional help may be found in copies of the Farm Census Guide, which should be available for reference at U.S.D.A. County offices and other locations in your area. Do NOT return these instructions with your filled out report.

GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(1) Who Should Complete This Form** — All persons receiving this form, including landlords, tenants, partnerships, corporations, institutions, and others should complete the first sections. Most people will need to complete the rest of the form. However, some will be able to skip most of it. Follow the directions at the end of Section 2.

▶ **(2) If You Have Multiple Farming Operations** – A census report form should be filled out for each separate and distinct production unit. For example, if you are the sole proprietor of one agricultural operation, the senior partner in an agricultural partnership, and manager of a third agricultural operation, three separate census reports should be filled out and returned by you. A separate report should be made for each agricultural operation (farm, ranch, feedlot, greenhouse, etc.) for which you maintain separate records of operating expenses and sales, livestock and other inventories, machinery and equipment, and crop acreages and production. If you need more forms, please let us know.

▶ **(3) If You Don't Have Multiple Farming Operations and You Received Two or More Census of Agriculture Report Forms-** Complete only one form for your place. If you received both a green form (74-A1) and a brown form (74-A2) fill out the green form.

Tear off the front covers of any extra forms received, write "Duplicate" beside the extra addresses and return the covers with your completed report so we can correct our address list.

INSTRUCTIONS AFTER YOU'VE COMPLETED SECTION 3

Now that you've completed Section 3, please read the following instructions.

▶ **(4) Complete the Rest of This Form** if you reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, and **had** agricultural operations on that land. Read the instructions beginning with "More General Information" if you need help. Mail the completed form back in the return envelope provided. (Do NOT return this Instruction Sheet.)

▶ **(5) Do Not Complete The Rest of The Form if** —

▶ **EITHER** ◀

(a) You reported an acreage in Section 3, item 4, but had no agricultural operations in 1974 on the land.

▶ **OR** ◀

(b) All of your land was operated by a renter or sharecropper. (The entry in Section 3, item 4 should be "0" in most cases.) Your renter or sharecropper should have received a report form also and he is required to report the agricultural operations on the land he rents from or works on shares for you. You may be able to help him fill out his report.

▶ **OR** ◀

(c) Your only involvement with the agricultural activity was a financial investment and Section 3, item 4 is "0." The operator of that activity will receive a report form to fill out.

If you are not required to complete the rest of the form—PLEASE-

(1) Tear off the front cover and page one;

(2) Write a brief explanatory note on the cover describing why you are not a farm operator such as: "Sold farm in 1973," "No crops or livestock," "All land rented out," "Not a farm operator — only have financial interest in some cattle;" and

(3) Mail back the two torn-off sheets in the return envelope found in the centerfold.

MORE GENERAL INFORMATION

▶ **(6) Partnership Operations** — For partnerships, the senior partner should fill out one report form for the entire partnership farming operation. If members of the partnership operate farms on their own, in addition to the partnership, separate reports should be filled out for each individual place. If members of the farming partnership, other than the senior partner, received report forms and they had **no** farming operations of their own, they should tear off the cover, write a brief explanation such as "Senior partner has filled out report for partnership — I have no other farming operations of my own," and mail it back to us in the return envelope.

▶ **(7) Landlord's or Contractor's Share** — If you rented or leased land or had a contract for the production of agricultural products, be sure to include on your report the landlord's or contractor's share of the production, sales, and expenses, so your Census report will be complete for "This Place."

If you do not know the landlord's or contractor's share, include your BEST ESTIMATE.

▶ **(8) Filling Out the Report Form** — There are a few rules that will help us if you follow them.

(1) All money figures may be entered in whole dollars. Cents are not required.

(2) Enter whole numbers except where tenths are asked for. Where you have 1/2 or 1/4 or 1/3 of an acre or ton, convert these to tenths. For instance, convert 1/2 to 5/10, 1/3 to 3/10, 1/4 to 2/10, etc.

(3) Enter replies in the proper space, on the correct line, and in the units requested; i.e., dollars, bushels, tons, etc.

(4) If you do not have exact figures, give your best estimates.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIED SECTIONS

▶ **Section 3 — Acreage in 1974**

The purpose of Section 3 is to establish the land for which you are to report agricultural operations. Report all agricultural land operated by the addressee in 1974—cropland, woodland, pastureland, wasteland, and any other land—not just planted land. Report for all separate pieces of land that are included in this operation, regardless of location.

Market value refers to what you think the land and buildings would sell for under present market conditions.

Item 1 — Land Owned — Include all land associated with agricultural operations in 1974, whether held under title, purchase contract or mortgage, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate by you and/or your spouse; or by the partnership, corporation, or organization for which you are reporting.

Item 2 — Land Rented (or Leased) FROM OTHERS — Report here any land you rented FROM OTHERS for cash or equivalent or a share of the crops or livestock or used rent free, regardless of whether the landowner supplied any equipment, fertilizer, or other materials or supervised your work. Also include Federal and State land rented or leased by the acre, but not land used on a per-head or animal-unit basis.

Item 3 — Land Rented (or Leased) TO OTHERS — Report here any land rented TO OTHERS for cash or other consideration or that was worked for you by someone else for a share of the crops or livestock. Include all agricultural land which you owned (or rented from others) but did not use in 1974 because it was rented, leased, or used by others in 1974. Do not include land rented to others for only part of the year if you used it for agricultural operations for the other part.

Item 4 — Acres in "This Place" — This is the land you owned in 1974 **PLUS** the land you RENTED FROM others, **MINUS** the land you RENTED TO others. It is very important that you report this figure correctly since it is the net acreage to which the remainder of the form applies, the "Acres in This Place." That is, your report should cover only the operations on the net acreage as reported in item 4.

▶ Section 5 — Crops

Do not include in your report any crops on land which you rented or leased to others or which was worked on shares by others in 1974. Your report should include only those crops grown on the "Acres in This Place," as reported in Section 3, item 4.

For each applicable crop or group of crops, report the area harvested. Notice that items 1 through 9 and 13 ask for whole acres, while items 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, and 17 ask for acres and tenths, and item 18 should be reported in square feet.

Quantity harvested — Report in the units specified. If your records show a different unit than printed on the form, please convert to the unit shown. A choice of two units is provided for corn and sorghums.

Interplanted crops and "skip-row" planting — If you grew two crops in alternate strips in the same field at the same time, or one crop in a "skip-row" pattern, for each crop report the portion of the field used for that crop.

▶ Section 6 — Land Use in 1974

All acres included in this place (see entry in Section 3, item 4) should be accounted for. If any acreage was devoted to more than one specified land use during 1974, report the acreage only on the line for the first item which fits. (For example, 10 acres harvested for wheat for grain and subsequently pastured—report the 10 acres only in item 1, Cropland harvested.)

▶ Section 7 — Livestock and Poultry

Animals to be included in the report — Report all animals on the place on December 31, 1974 **owned by you** or **kept by you** for others. Include animals on unfenced land, grazing on national forest land, grazing on district land or cooperative grazing association land, or rangeland administered by the Bureau of Land Management. Include poultry (broilers, layers, turkeys, etc.) fed under contract on "This Place."

Animals to be excluded from the report — Do not report any animals on land rented to others in 1974. Your report should include only animals on the "Acres in This Place" as reported in Section 3, item 4, except as noted above.

Number sold — Report all animals sold or removed from this place including those sold for a landlord or given to a landlord as his share or to others in trade or in payment for goods and services. Include animals of all ages without regard to ownership or who shared in the receipts if the animals were located on the place 30 days or more and were sold or removed from the place for sale in 1974.

Sales from contract and custom feeding operations — Include animals (including poultry fed under contract) fed on this place on a contract or custom basis if they were removed from the place in 1974.

▶ Section 9 — Production Expenses

Report costs incurred for items and services received during 1974 whether or not payment has been made. If you are a tenant farmer or a part-owner, you should report expenditures by landlords for agricultural operations on this place as well as your own expenditures. If you rent part of your land to others, you should report only that money spent for agricultural operations on land you used during 1974 — "Acres in This Place." Estimate the cost of items furnished by contractors.

▶ Section 10 — Value of Agricultural Products Sold

The items in this section relate to the agricultural production for the "Acres in This Place." Report the value of all products sold or removed from this place in 1974. Do not deduct any production costs. Include the value of a landlord's or contractor's share.

Report the total gross value of all crops sold from this place in 1974 regardless of the year they were produced, and the value of all poultry, livestock, and their products sold from this place during 1974. Include the full value of any shares given to or sold for landlords and others in payment for services or products; any products raised and sold under contract; any products sold from this place by members of the family of the person in charge of the place; crops sold in the field; crops harvested by the processor; and crops shipped to a central market.

Do not deduct any cost or expenses incurred in producing these products.

Crops sold — Include the value of any grains or other agricultural commodities placed or to be placed under Commodity Credit Corporation loan or seal and any share given to or sold for landlords and others.

Poultry and livestock sales — If there are entries in the "number sold" column for any items in Section 7, there should be an entry in item 4 and/or 5.

For livestock, poultry, and poultry products produced under contract, report the total market value (estimate if necessary) of those sold or removed from "This Place."

Landlords — If you rent land to others and also operate land yourself, report only those products sold from the part of your land that you operate as your place. Do **not** include crops, animals, or other farm products produced by cash tenants, share tenants, sharecroppers, or renters.

▶ Section 11 — Income and Expenses from Farm-Related Sources

Items 1, 2, and 5 refer only to those income producing activities for which you use part of the land, machinery, equipment, labor, or capital normally used on this place, and which you do not consider as entirely separate from your farming activities. **Report gross amount received before taxes and expenses.**

Do not report income or expenses for customwork or agricultural services provided for others if operated as an entirely separate business from your agricultural operations.

▶ Section 12 — Farm Operator Characteristics

Report this information for the person who is responsible for the agricultural activities on this place. Normally, this is the person who does the work or directly supervises the work. He may be an owner, tenant, sharecropper, etc.

For partnerships, report information for the partner mainly in charge, or if in doubt, report for the eldest.

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▶ **(1)** If additional forms are needed, write to the —

Bureau of the Census
Agriculture Branch
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130

▶ **(2)** To avoid unnecessary follow-ups, please complete the form and return it as soon as possible. Response to this inquiry is required by law (Title 13, U.S. Code).

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S				
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Safflower	–	–	8	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	5, 9, 17, 28–33	10	–	5
Sesame seed	–	–	8	–
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Small grain hay	25	–	8	–
Snap beans, bush and pole	25	–	10	–
Sod	–	–	13	–
Sorghums	8, 9, 25, 28–33	19, 20	8	10, 11
Soybeans	8, 9, 25, 28–33	22	9	10, 11
Spinach	–	–	10	–
Squash	–	–	10	–
Standard industrial classification of farms (SIC)	28–33	6	–	–
Standing timber or trees sold	–	–	12	–
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	21, 28–33	12	–	7
Strawberries	25, 28–33	–	8	–
Sudan grass seed	–	–	8	–
Sugar beets	–	–	9	–
Sugarcane	–	–	9	–
Sunflower seed	–	–	8	–
Sweet corn	–	–	10	–
Sweet corn for seed	–	–	8	–
Sweetpotatoes	8, 9, 25	–	9	10
T				
Tangelos	–	–	11	–
Tangerines and mandarins	–	–	11	–
Taro (Hawaii only)	–	–	8	–
Tenant operated farms	3, 9, 14, 28–33	4	–	2
Tenure	3, 9, 14, 28–33	4	–	2
Timber	–	–	12	–
Timothy seed	–	–	8	–
T-Con.				
Tobacco	28–33	26	–	3, 10, 11
Tobacco, value sold	28–33	–	–	3
Tomatoes	–	–	10	–
Tomatoes, under protection	–	–	13	–
Tractors	6, 9, 19, 28–33	11	–	–
Triticale	–	–	8	–
Tropical fish sold	–	–	7	–
Trout sold	–	–	7	–
Trucks	6, 9, 19, 28–33	–	–	–
Tung nuts	–	–	11	–
Turkeys	28–33	15	–	9
Turnip greens	–	–	10	–
Turnips	–	–	10	–
Type of farm (SIC)	28–33	6	–	–
Type of organization	14, 28–33	4	–	2
V				
Value of agricultural products sold	4, 9, 15, 26, 28–33	7, 8	–	3
Value of land and buildings	1, 9, 10, 28–33	1, 33	–	1
Value of machinery and equipment	6, 9, 19, 28–33	11	–	6
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	26, 28–33	28	10	3, 10, 11
Vegetables in the open	25, 28–33	–	10	–
Vegetable seeds and vegetable plants	–	–	13	–
Vegetables grown under protection	–	–	13	–
Velvetbeans, for beans	–	–	8	–
Vetch seed	–	–	8	–
W				
Wages received from nonfarm work	16, 28–33	–	–	4
Wages paid to farm workers	5, 9, 17, 18	–	–	15
Walnuts, English or Persian	–	–	11	–
Water used for irrigation	12	–	–	–
Watercress (Hawaii only)	–	–	10	–
Watermelons	25	–	10	–
Weeds, chemical control	13, 28–33	–	–	12
Wheat for grain	8, 9, 25, 28–33	21	9	10, 11
Wheatgrass seed	–	–	8	–
Wheel tractors	6, 9, 19, 28–33	–	–	6
Whole grains purchased for feed	17, 28–33	10	–	5
Wild hay	25	–	8	–
Wild rice	–	–	8	–
Windrowers	6, 9, 19, 28–33	–	–	6
Wood roses (Hawaii only)	–	–	15	–
Woodland	1, 9, 10, 28–33	2	–	1
Work off-farm by farm operator	3, 9, 14, 28–33	5	–	2
Workers on farms	28–33	–	–	15
Wormseed oil	–	–	8	–
Y				
Youngberries	–	–	8	–