

Table 39. Farms, Land in Farms, and Percent Distribution, by Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974

[Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships]

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

	Farms			Percent distribution			Land in farms			Percent distribution		
	Total	Farming	Other occupation	Total	Farming	Other occupation	Total	Farming	Other occupation	Total	Farming	Other occupation
United States.....	1,662,542	1,235,852	426,690	100.0	74.3	25.7	802,560,735	676,041,414	126,519,321	100.0	84.2	15.8
REGIONS												
Northeast.....	89,147	68,730	20,417	100.0	77.1	22.9	18,962,276	16,205,543	2,756,733	100.0	85.5	14.5
North Central.....	847,970	667,566	180,404	100.0	78.7	21.3	329,129,729	295,637,864	33,491,865	100.0	89.8	10.2
South.....	554,007	374,522	179,485	100.0	67.6	32.4	246,521,676	189,182,246	57,339,430	100.0	76.7	23.3
West.....	171,418	125,034	46,384	100.0	72.9	27.1	207,947,054	175,015,761	32,931,293	100.0	84.2	15.8
DIVISIONS												
New England.....	15,790	12,674	3,116	100.0	80.3	19.7	3,738,951	3,244,535	494,416	100.0	86.8	13.2
Middle Atlantic.....	73,357	56,056	17,301	100.0	76.4	23.6	15,223,325	12,961,008	2,262,317	100.0	85.1	14.9
East North Central.....	356,274	256,581	99,693	100.0	72.0	28.0	81,811,470	69,405,286	12,406,184	100.0	84.8	15.2
West North Central.....	491,696	410,985	80,711	100.0	83.6	16.4	247,318,259	226,232,578	21,085,681	100.0	91.5	8.5
South Atlantic.....	184,319	129,440	54,879	100.0	70.2	29.8	45,132,457	35,016,011	10,116,446	100.0	77.6	22.4
East South Central.....	169,634	110,347	59,287	100.0	65.1	34.9	41,112,741	30,818,844	10,293,897	100.0	75.0	25.0
West South Central.....	200,054	134,735	65,319	100.0	67.3	32.7	160,276,478	123,347,391	36,929,087	100.0	77.0	23.0
Mountain.....	85,096	65,512	19,584	100.0	77.0	23.0	154,841,509	129,945,310	24,896,199	100.0	83.9	16.1
Pacific.....	86,322	59,522	26,800	100.0	69.0	31.0	53,105,545	45,070,451	8,035,094	100.0	84.9	15.1
NEW ENGLAND												
Maine.....	4,405	3,593	812	100.0	81.6	18.4	1,155,324	994,756	160,568	100.0	86.1	13.9
New Hampshire.....	1,396	1,059	337	100.0	75.9	24.1	357,123	289,464	67,659	100.0	81.1	18.9
Vermont.....	4,447	3,844	603	100.0	86.4	13.6	1,440,573	1,297,573	143,000	100.0	90.1	9.9
Massachusetts.....	2,869	2,169	700	100.0	75.6	24.4	411,384	346,025	65,359	100.0	84.1	15.9
Rhode Island.....	388	298	90	100.0	76.8	23.2	39,757	33,352	6,405	100.0	83.9	16.1
Connecticut.....	2,285	1,711	574	100.0	74.9	25.1	334,790	283,365	51,425	100.0	84.6	15.4
MIDDLE ATLANTIC												
New York.....	31,226	24,863	6,363	100.0	79.6	20.4	7,892,125	6,944,724	947,401	100.0	88.0	12.0
New Jersey.....	5,145	3,753	1,392	100.0	72.9	27.1	749,133	631,207	117,926	100.0	84.3	15.7
Pennsylvania.....	36,986	27,440	9,546	100.0	74.2	25.8	6,582,067	5,385,077	1,196,990	100.0	81.8	18.2
EAST NORTH CENTRAL												
Ohio.....	69,419	44,720	24,699	100.0	64.4	35.6	13,768,219	10,845,570	2,922,649	100.0	78.8	21.2
Indiana.....	69,969	45,810	24,159	100.0	65.5	34.5	15,310,958	12,536,986	2,773,972	100.0	81.9	18.1
Illinois.....	96,871	75,781	21,090	100.0	78.2	21.8	27,795,952	24,955,057	2,840,895	100.0	89.8	10.2
Michigan.....	46,179	30,030	16,149	100.0	65.0	35.0	9,294,396	7,293,668	2,000,728	100.0	78.5	21.5
Wisconsin.....	73,836	60,240	13,596	100.0	81.6	18.4	15,641,945	13,774,005	1,867,940	100.0	88.1	11.9
WEST NORTH CENTRAL												
Minnesota.....	85,083	72,977	12,106	100.0	85.8	14.2	25,668,266	23,669,646	1,998,620	100.0	92.2	7.8
Iowa.....	115,721	98,772	16,949	100.0	85.4	14.6	31,627,376	29,475,347	2,152,029	100.0	93.2	6.8
Missouri.....	81,542	58,765	22,777	100.0	72.1	27.9	25,500,599	21,001,874	4,498,725	100.0	82.4	17.6
North Dakota.....	40,503	37,155	3,348	100.0	91.7	8.3	40,545,006	38,842,752	1,702,254	100.0	95.8	4.2
South Dakota.....	39,293	35,275	4,018	100.0	89.8	10.2	37,857,944	34,848,357	3,009,587	100.0	92.1	7.9
Nebraska.....	61,266	54,002	7,264	100.0	88.1	11.9	40,818,146	37,429,502	3,388,644	100.0	91.7	8.3
Kansas.....	68,288	54,039	14,249	100.0	79.1	20.9	45,300,922	40,965,100	4,335,822	100.0	90.4	9.6
SOUTH ATLANTIC												
Delaware.....	2,904	2,073	831	100.0	71.4	28.6	535,697	465,625	70,072	100.0	86.9	13.1
Maryland.....	11,274	8,098	3,176	100.0	71.8	28.2	2,228,462	1,865,827	362,635	100.0	83.7	16.3
Virginia.....	31,162	21,438	9,724	100.0	68.8	31.2	7,443,966	5,602,700	1,841,266	100.0	75.3	24.7
West Virginia.....	6,002	3,780	2,222	100.0	63.0	37.0	2,005,690	1,375,579	630,111	100.0	68.6	31.4
North Carolina.....	61,739	46,763	14,976	100.0	75.7	24.3	9,042,387	7,440,404	1,601,983	100.0	82.3	17.7
South Carolina.....	17,223	11,905	5,318	100.0	69.1	30.9	4,852,312	3,683,809	1,168,503	100.0	75.9	24.1
Georgia.....	35,275	24,644	10,631	100.0	69.9	30.1	11,296,176	8,925,792	2,370,384	100.0	79.0	21.0
Florida.....	18,740	10,739	8,001	100.0	57.3	42.7	7,727,767	5,656,275	2,071,492	100.0	73.2	26.8
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL												
Kentucky.....	67,179	44,685	22,494	100.0	66.5	33.5	11,836,663	8,849,696	2,986,967	100.0	74.8	25.2
Tennessee.....	48,025	30,715	17,310	100.0	64.0	36.0	9,764,039	7,138,634	2,625,405	100.0	73.1	26.9
Alabama.....	28,934	17,949	10,985	100.0	62.0	38.0	8,981,105	6,553,252	2,427,853	100.0	73.0	27.0
Mississippi.....	25,496	16,998	8,498	100.0	66.7	33.3	10,530,934	8,277,262	2,253,672	100.0	78.6	21.4
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL												
Arkansas.....	30,611	22,429	8,182	100.0	73.3	26.7	11,387,690	9,501,371	1,886,319	100.0	83.4	16.6
Louisiana.....	18,012	13,308	4,704	100.0	73.9	26.1	7,040,051	5,757,854	1,282,197	100.0	81.8	18.2
Oklahoma.....	47,352	31,385	15,967	100.0	66.3	33.7	28,990,373	22,789,971	6,200,402	100.0	78.6	21.4
Texas.....	104,079	67,613	36,466	100.0	65.0	35.0	112,858,364	85,298,195	27,560,169	100.0	75.6	24.4
MOUNTAIN												
Montana.....	18,870	15,895	2,975	100.0	84.2	15.8	43,938,082	39,766,441	4,171,641	100.0	90.5	9.5
Idaho.....	18,774	14,785	3,989	100.0	78.8	21.2	10,321,378	9,351,263	970,115	100.0	90.6	9.4
Wyoming.....	6,313	4,989	1,324	100.0	79.0	21.0	20,133,099	17,248,319	2,884,780	100.0	85.7	14.3
Colorado.....	20,057	15,705	4,352	100.0	78.3	21.7	28,806,015	24,811,045	3,994,970	100.0	86.1	13.9
New Mexico.....	7,361	5,059	2,302	100.0	68.7	31.3	28,745,036	21,529,243	7,215,793	100.0	74.9	25.1
Arizona.....	3,848	2,528	1,320	100.0	65.7	34.3	10,865,334	7,318,836	3,546,498	100.0	67.4	32.6
Utah.....	8,398	5,473	2,925	100.0	65.2	34.8	6,759,367	5,628,159	1,131,208	100.0	83.3	16.7
Nevada.....	1,475	1,078	397	100.0	73.1	26.9	5,273,198	4,292,004	981,194	100.0	81.4	18.6
PACIFIC												
Washington.....	20,055	14,621	5,434	100.0	72.9	27.1	11,911,499	10,847,680	1,063,819	100.0	91.1	8.9
Oregon.....	16,361	11,441	4,920	100.0	69.9	30.1	13,690,425	12,139,438	1,550,987	100.0	88.7	11.3
California.....	47,824	32,191	15,633	100.0	67.3	32.7	25,595,131	21,123,091	4,472,040	100.0	82.5	17.5
Alaska.....	189	85	104	100.0	45.0	55.0	1,114,653	406,975	707,678	100.0	36.5	63.5
Hawaii.....	1,893	1,184	709	100.0	62.5	37.5	793,837	553,267	240,570	100.0	69.7	30.3