

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

All Farms		1974	1969	1964	All Farms		1974	1969	1964
All farms	number	5 906	6 874	9 247	Cotton	farms	-	-	-
Farms with harvested cropland	number	5 501	6 125	8 619		acres	-	-	-
	acres	514 804	511 096	657 285		bales	-	-	-
All crops harvested, including nursery products	farms	5 501	6 125	8 619		value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
	value of production \$1,000	75 125	33 375	43 009	Peanuts for nuts	farms	-	-	-
Field corn for all purposes	farms	2 310	2 168	2 804		acres	-	-	-
For grain or seed	farms	185	126	57		value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
	acres	5 776	2 699	692		pounds	-	-	-
	bushels	470 402	232 226	53 937	Tobacco	farms	-	-	-
	value of production \$1,000	1 411	302	89		acres	-	-	-
Cut for silage, green chop or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed	farms	2 235	2 124	(NA)		pounds	-	-	-
	acres	88 636	61 722	44 773		value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
	value of production \$1,000	18 893	8 452	5 500	Irish potatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	198	260	(NA)
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup	farms	93	80	-		acres	1 035	1 003	1 547
For grain or seed	farms	-	-	-		hundredweight	221 208	(NA)	(NA)
	acres	-	-	-		value of production \$1,000	841	474	1 307
	bushels	-	-	-	Sweetpotatoes <sup>1</sup>	farms	-	-	-
	value of production \$1,000	-	-	-		acres	-	-	-
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage, or hay, or hogged or grazed	farms	93	80	(NA)		bushels	-	-	-
	acres	1 894	1 133	-		value of production \$1,000	-	-	-
	value of production \$1,000	185	57	-	Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons	farms	229	258	272
Wheat for grain	farms	25	25	25	for sale	acres	1 338	993	1 322
	acres	252	458	383		value of production \$1,000	634	275	378
	bushels	9 281	19 912	11 827	Berries for sale	farms	79	124	218
	value of production \$1,000	33	25	21		acres	96	108	167
Other small grains for grain	farms	158	228	(NA)		value of production \$1,000	138	125	86
	acres	3 071	4 312	10 465	Land in orchards	farms	161	164	352
	value of production \$1,000	211	158	430		acres	5 322	4 492	5 056
Soybeans for beans	farms	7	4	-		value of production \$1,000	5 661	2 947	(NA)
	acres	107	24	-	Other crops	farms	249	(NA)	(NA)
	bushels	3 260	284	-		acres	2 208	3 050	3 789
	value of production \$1,000	23	1	-		value of production \$1,000	1 548	704	(NA)
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)	farms	5 074	5 674	(NA)	Greenhouse products under glass	farms	107	48	(NA)
	acres	431 888	436 919	596 503	or other protection	sq. ft.	400 878	170 016	379 952
	tons, dry	783 415	836 785	952 786		value of production \$1,000	925	228	(NA)
	value of production \$1,000	45 549	19 855	31 193					

<sup>1</sup>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
<b>Farms and Land in Farms</b>								
Farms	number	4 531	1 363	208	171	871	113	12
	percent	76.7	23.1	3.5	2.9	14.7	1.9	0.2
Land in farms	acres	1 487 270	175 005	31 027	24 837	106 000	13 141	5 286
Average size of farm	acres	328	128	149	145	122	116	441
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000	675 545	89 777	14 725	10 940	58 354	5 758	4 457
Average per farm	dollars	149 094	65 867	70 795	63 976	66 996	50 959	371 404
Average per acre	dollars	454	513	475	440	551	438	843
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999	farms	33	43	7	8	23	5	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	acres	80	122	14	15	73	20	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	farms	337	338	60	46	207	25	-
\$40,000 to \$69,999	farms	1 145	408	61	57	261	29	3
\$70,000 to \$99,999	farms	897	178	16	15	127	20	1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	farms	1 134	168	24	21	110	13	1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	farms	707	63	13	5	44	1	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	farms	950	40	13	3	24	-	2
\$500,000 and over	farms	120	3	-	1	2	-	4
Owned and rented lands by farm operators:								
Land owned	farms	4 277	1 324	198	168	845	113	11
	acres	1 206 693	172 326	30 387	25 591	102 498	13 850	5 201
Land rented or leased from others	farms	2 155	246	37	19	183	7	5
	acres	300 949	12 325	2 245	684	9 282	114	85
Land rented or leased to others	farms	280	198	32	15	124	27	-
	acres	20 372	9 646	1 605	1 438	5 780	823	-
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>								
Total cropland	farms	4 434	1 316	197	165	845	109	12
	acres	714 218	63 713	12 007	8 456	38 184	5 066	1 413
Harvested cropland	farms	4 346	1 143	179	150	721	93	12
	acres	486 923	27 141	4 869	3 625	16 475	2 172	740
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	farms	149	215	30	24	146	15	4
10 to 19 acres	acres	129	267	33	38	174	22	-
20 to 29 acres	farms	181	279	45	36	170	28	2
30 to 49 acres	acres	556	266	41	39	166	20	2
50 to 99 acres	farms	1 367	114	28	13	65	8	2
100 to 199 acres	acres	1 374	2	2	-	-	-	1
200 to 499 acres	farms	547	-	-	-	-	-	1
500 to 999 acres	acres	38	-	-	-	-	-	2
1,000 acres and over	farms	5	-	-	-	-	-	60
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	2 932	907	141	101	601	64	5
	acres	201 938	30 428	6 528	3 767	17 877	2 256	613
Other cropland (see text)	farms	674	247	33	29	167	18	2
	acres	25 357	6 144	610	1 064	3 832	638	60

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All Farms	Farms with sales under \$2,500							Abnormal farms
	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
<b>Land in Farms According to Use—Con.</b>								
Woodland, including woodland pasture..... farms.....	4 782	3 729	1 043	155	132	666	90	10
..... acres.....	657 088	562 850	91 150	15 660	13 435	55 207	6 848	3 088
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	4 184	3 295	879	134	111	567	67	10
..... acres.....	231 129	210 202	20 142	3 360	2 946	12 609	1 227	785
Irrigated land..... farms.....	46	36	8	1	1	6	—	2
..... acres.....	509	446	42	15	4	23	—	21
<b>Color and Tenure of Operator</b>								
All farm operators:								
Full owners.....	3 504	2 380	1 117	171	152	688	106	7
Part owners.....	2 106	1 896	206	27	16	156	7	4
Tenants.....	296	255	40	10	3	27	—	1
White farm operators:								
Full owners.....	3 449	2 338	1 111	170	152	683	106	(X)
Part owners.....	2 051	1 845	206	27	16	156	7	(X)
Tenants.....	287	247	40	10	3	27	—	(X)
Black and other races, see text:								
Full owners.....	15	9	6	1	—	5	—	(X)
Part owners.....	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	(X)
Tenants.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	(X)
<b>Farm Operator Characteristics<sup>1</sup></b>								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	106	94	12	7	—	5	—	(X)
25 to 34 years.....	738	592	146	18	—	128	—	(X)
35 to 44 years.....	1 216	931	285	29	—	256	—	(X)
45 to 54 years.....	1 556	1 220	336	52	—	284	—	(X)
55 to 64 years.....	1 307	1 007	300	102	—	198	—	(X)
65 years and over.....	887	603	284	—	171	—	113	(X)
Average age.....	50.0	49.4	52.0	50.8	72.5	45.9	70.0	(X)
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	4 808	3 758	1 050	165	139	664	82	(X)
On another farm.....	54	44	10	5	1	2	—	(X)
In a rural area not on a farm.....	128	97	31	5	1	21	4	(X)
In a city, town, or urban area.....	189	105	84	—	5	68	11	(X)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....	4 915	3 647	1 268	177	127	861	103	(X)
None.....	2 713	2 464	249	83	104	33	29	(X)
Any.....	2 202	1 183	1 019	94	23	828	74	(X)
1 to 49 days.....	436	345	91	29	14	35	13	(X)
50 to 99 days.....	181	116	65	20	2	39	4	(X)
100 to 149 days.....	133	85	48	7	3	23	15	(X)
150 to 199 days.....	241	120	121	19	1	82	19	(X)
200 days and over.....	1 211	517	694	19	3	649	23	(X)
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	4 223	3 844	379	208	171	—	—	(X)
Other.....	1 587	603	984	—	—	871	113	(X)
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:								
Reporting any.....	4 026	2 887	1 139	136	105	813	85	(X)
Off-farm income equal to or greater than value of farm products sold.....	1 557	478	1 079	116	77	804	82	(X)
Off-farm income less than value of farm products sold.....	2 469	2 409	60	20	28	9	3	(X)
Not reporting or reporting none.....	1 784	1 560	224	72	66	58	28	(X)
<b>Farms by Size</b>								
1 to 9 acres.....	160	91	67	11	12	36	8	2
10 to 49 acres.....	402	134	267	32	22	196	17	1
50 to 69 acres.....	238	107	131	15	16	94	6	—
70 to 99 acres.....	303	124	178	27	21	102	28	1
100 to 139 acres.....	572	333	239	28	30	164	17	—
140 to 179 acres.....	577	421	154	21	25	96	12	2
180 to 219 acres.....	595	471	124	28	22	62	12	—
220 to 259 acres.....	539	464	75	16	5	48	6	—
260 to 499 acres.....	1 741	1 626	112	25	14	66	7	3
500 to 999 acres.....	655	640	14	5	3	6	—	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	110	107	1	—	1	—	—	2
2,000 acres and over.....	14	13	1	—	—	1	—	—
<b>Value of Products Sold</b>								
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)..... \$1,000.....	207 889	205 970	1 408	236	184	883	105	512
Average per farm..... dollars.....	35 200	45 458	1 033	1 134	1 076	1 014	925	42 652
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	721	30	688	99	79	449	61	3
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	300	12	288	36	43	188	21	—
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	213	4	209	43	21	119	26	—
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	187	9	178	30	28	115	5	—
\$2,500 and over.....	4 485	4 476	—	—	—	—	—	9
Crops and hay sold..... farms.....	1 971	1 302	666	99	81	419	67	3
..... \$1,000.....	14 263	13 591	645	94	77	404	70	26
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	157	114	38	6	8	20	4	5
..... \$1,000.....	1 581	1 515	36	4	9	19	5	29
Forest products..... farms.....	1 235	1 058	173	45	27	94	7	4
..... \$1,000.....	2 709	2 592	94	26	18	45	5	23
Livestock and livestock products..... farms.....	4 845	4 025	813	143	102	530	38	7
..... \$1,000.....	180 557	179 519	608	109	77	399	24	429
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	346	214	131	22	17	90	2	1
..... \$1,000.....	8 780	8 753	24	3	3	17	(2)	3

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

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	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years	65 years and over	
<b>Production Expenses</b>								
Total farm production expenses..... farms.....	5 900	4 531	1 357	204	169	871	113	12
..... \$1,000.....	179 001	176 228	2 304	420	280	1 463	142	468
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	235	11	223	27	30	137	29	1
\$500 to \$999.....	362	35	326	37	31	217	41	1
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	503	99	403	71	61	248	23	1
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	323	139	183	24	19	130	10	1
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	388	232	156	25	22	102	7	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	514	448	66	20	6	37	3	—
\$10,000 and over.....	3 575	3 567	—	—	—	—	—	8
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	2 603	1 957	644	99	59	456	30	2
..... \$1,000.....	11 322	11 064	244	46	22	168	8	14
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	278	96	182	39	21	113	9	—
\$100 to \$499.....	574	265	308	31	24	237	16	1
\$500 to \$999.....	352	257	95	16	9	67	3	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	507	455	52	10	4	36	2	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	315	308	7	3	1	3	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	577	576	—	—	—	—	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	5 136	4 064	1 065	154	111	732	68	7
..... \$1,000.....	67 486	66 740	590	121	56	384	30	157
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	223	21	202	23	18	145	16	—
\$100 to \$499.....	584	133	451	54	49	313	35	—
\$500 to \$999.....	354	126	228	34	27	157	10	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	454	290	163	36	17	105	5	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	356	335	21	7	—	12	2	—
\$5,000 and over.....	3 165	3 159	—	—	—	—	—	6
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	4 672	3 956	711	95	77	482	57	5
..... tons.....	429 607	426 414	2 369	470	244	1 545	110	824
..... \$1,000.....	61 008	60 560	347	76	37	217	18	101
Farms that used—								
1 to 49 tons.....	2 010	1 298	711	95	77	482	57	1
50 to 99 tons.....	1 090	1 090	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 tons.....	1 080	1 078	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 tons.....	438	436	—	—	—	—	—	2
500 tons and over.....	54	54	—	—	—	—	—	2
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	203	40	163	17	11	118	17	—
\$100 to \$499.....	451	148	303	28	37	211	27	—
\$500 to \$999.....	274	141	133	18	18	86	11	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	394	291	103	28	11	62	2	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	355	346	9	4	—	5	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	2 995	2 990	—	—	—	—	—	5
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms.....	3 463	2 976	476	83	43	320	30	11
..... \$1,000.....	1 901	1 859	39	7	5	25	2	4
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	821	470	348	61	30	234	23	3
\$100 to \$499.....	1 534	1 404	124	21	11	85	7	6
\$500 to \$999.....	595	590	4	1	2	1	—	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	430	429	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	62	62	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	21	21	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer..... farms.....	3 997	3 376	610	87	67	405	51	11
..... \$1,000.....	7 400	7 278	112	21	11	73	7	10
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	442	174	266	34	25	183	24	2
\$100 to \$499.....	892	592	298	42	36	195	25	2
\$500 to \$999.....	656	611	42	9	6	25	2	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	1 070	1 063	4	2	—	2	—	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	602	601	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$5,000 and over.....	335	335	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)..... farms.....	2 532	2 252	271	40	28	182	21	9
..... \$1,000.....	1 539	1 511	24	5	2	16	1	5
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	568	391	174	23	21	113	17	3
\$100 to \$499.....	1 133	1 035	96	16	7	69	4	2
\$500 to \$999.....	440	438	1	1	—	—	—	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	300	297	—	—	—	—	—	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	66	66	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	25	25	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	5 782	4 484	1 286	186	162	836	102	12
..... \$1,000.....	6 705	6 449	240	47	29	148	15	16
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	640	112	527	55	60	355	57	1
\$100 to \$499.....	1 507	860	643	100	88	416	39	4
\$500 to \$999.....	1 290	1 185	104	29	14	56	5	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	1 705	1 688	12	2	—	9	—	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	505	505	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	135	134	—	—	—	—	—	1
Hired farm labor..... farms.....	3 137	2 834	294	41	47	187	19	9
..... \$1,000.....	14 779	14 497	123	14	24	79	6	159
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	184	92	92	9	16	66	1	—
\$100 to \$499.....	537	403	133	22	18	77	16	1
\$500 to \$999.....	406	374	32	7	6	18	1	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	549	518	31	3	5	22	1	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	564	558	6	—	2	4	—	—
\$5,000 and over.....	897	889	—	—	—	—	—	8

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	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				less than 65 years	65 years and over	less than 65 years	65 years and over	
<b>Production Expenses—Continued</b>								
Contract labor	farms... 215	164	50	9	3	37	1	1
	\$1,000... 389	364	20	3	2	15	(2)	6
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99	17	—	17	1	—	16	—	—
\$100 to \$499	72	51	21	6	1	13	1	—
\$500 to \$999	47	40	7	2	1	4	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499	41	38	3	3	1	2	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	21	2	—	—	2	—	—
\$5,000 and over	15	14	—	—	—	—	—	1
Machine hire and customwork	farms... 1 728	1 517	208	25	21	140	22	3
	\$1,000... 1 125	1 085	37	7	3	20	7	2
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99	414	325	89	14	11	59	5	—
\$100 to \$499	745	638	105	6	10	75	14	2
\$500 to \$999	274	265	9	2	—	6	1	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499	223	217	5	3	—	—	2	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999	49	49	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 and over	23	23	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other production expenses	farms... 5 631	4 525	1 094	165	133	705	91	12
	\$1,000... 66 353	65 382	876	150	127	535	64	95
Farms with expenditures of—								
\$1 to \$99	76	8	66	10	13	38	5	2
\$100 to \$499	596	81	514	76	51	330	57	1
\$500 to \$999	361	164	196	27	26	133	10	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499	756	506	248	34	32	170	12	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	669	604	64	16	8	34	6	1
\$5,000 and over	3 173	3 162	6	2	3	—	1	5
<b>Farm-Related Income and Expenses</b>								
Farm-related income	farms... 1 808	1 453	354	45	30	261	18	1
	\$1,000... 2 404	2 073	320	49	27	217	27	11
Farms with farm-related income of—								
\$1 to \$499	952	717	235	21	20	182	12	—
\$500 to \$999	405	355	50	14	3	32	1	—
\$1,000 to \$1,999	224	189	35	1	2	31	1	—
\$2,000 to \$2,999	87	72	15	6	2	7	—	—
\$3,000 to \$4,999	53	46	7	2	1	3	1	—
\$5,000 and over	87	74	12	1	2	6	3	1
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 411	308	103	14	11	76	2	—
	\$1,000... 805	686	119	17	13	83	6	—
Recreational services	farms... 91	63	28	3	2	21	2	—
	\$1,000... 448	371	77	16	7	40	14	—
Government farm programs	farms... 1 167	1 030	136	17	5	108	6	1
	\$1,000... 716	675	40	3	1	35	1	(Z)
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 351	226	125	19	8	89	9	—
	\$1,000... 239	175	65	8	4	48	4	—
Other farm-related sources	farms... 198	164	33	4	6	22	1	—
	\$1,000... 197	167	19	5	1	11	2	11
Expenses for farm-related income sources	farms... 474	363	111	11	7	85	8	—
	\$1,000... 795	611	184	34	12	119	19	—
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>								
Automobiles	farms... 4 719	3 802	914	141	123	579	71	3
	number... 6 353	5 167	1 178	174	145	772	87	8
Motortrucks, including pickups	farms... 4 373	3 494	869	139	82	586	62	10
	number... 6 177	5 149	983	172	86	663	62	45
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	farms... 5 350	4 246	1 092	161	142	702	87	12
	number... 14 706	12 990	1 672	275	229	1 061	107	44
Wheeltractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers	farms... 5 319	4 223	1 084	160	142	695	87	12
	number... 13 694	12 104	1 549	241	209	994	105	41
Crawler tractors	farms... 940	823	114	31	20	61	2	3
	number... 1 012	886	123	34	20	67	2	3
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms... 80	73	6	—	—	6	—	1
	number... 87	80	6	—	—	6	—	1
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	farms... 400	378	21	8	—	13	—	1
	number... 426	404	21	8	—	13	—	1
Corn heads for combines	farms... 224	213	10	4	—	6	—	1
	number... 238	227	10	4	—	6	—	1
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms... 182	171	11	4	—	7	—	—
	number... 188	177	11	4	—	7	—	—
Mower conditioners	farms... 2 591	2 367	221	38	26	150	7	3
	number... 2 776	2 545	227	41	26	153	7	4
Pickup balers	farms... 3 779	3 327	446	82	54	289	21	6
	number... 3 975	3 516	452	82	56	293	21	7
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	farms... 1 303	1 200	101	17	10	70	4	2
	number... 1 396	1 281	113	26	10	73	4	2
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms... 2 040	1 983	53	23	2	22	6	4
	number... 2 328	2 270	53	23	2	22	6	5
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms... 5 754	4 451	1 291	188	158	844	101	12
	\$1,000... 141 152	129 318	11 284	2 006	1 593	6 966	718	550
Farms by value of machinery and equipment:								
\$1 to \$999	27	11	16	—	2	13	1	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	669	272	396	54	45	274	23	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 036	548	488	48	51	327	62	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1 196	906	289	62	41	173	13	1
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1 057	983	73	16	12	43	2	1
\$30,000 to \$49,999	1 095	1 063	26	8	5	13	—	6
\$50,000 and over	674	668	3	—	2	1	—	3

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

All Farms	Farms with sales under \$2,500						Abnormal farms	
	Total	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	Total	Occupation farming		Occupation other than farming		
				Less than 65 years	65 years and over	Less than 65 years		65 years and over
<b>Livestock and Poultry</b>								
Livestock and poultry inventory:								
Cattle and calves.....farms.....	4 763	3 938	819	140	102	535	42	
.....number.....	331 990	320 346	11 068	2 496	1 328	6 747	497	
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	189	60	129	16	14	88	11	
5 to 9.....	273	52	220	26	29	155	10	
10 to 19.....	439	156	283	51	37	182	13	
20 and over.....	3 862	3 670	187	47	22	110	8	
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms.....	4 464	3 785	673	101	84	458	30	
.....number.....	201 031	195 948	4 731	725	457	3 309	240	
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	469	157	311	46	48	203	14	
5 to 9.....	302	104	198	23	21	146	8	
10 to 19.....	381	252	129	29	14	82	4	
20 and over.....	3 312	3 272	35	3	1	27	4	
Beef cows.....farms.....	1 204	680	522	84	49	362	27	
.....number.....	11 825	7 964	3 839	596	278	2 747	218	
Milk cows.....farms.....	3 899	3 570	324	48	59	206	11	
.....number.....	189 206	187 984	892	129	179	562	22	
Hogs and pigs.....farms.....	755	509	245	38	20	180	7	
.....number.....	4 455	3 340	1 092	178	96	801	17	
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	541	360	181	26	14	135	6	
5 to 9.....	115	82	33	10	—	22	1	
10 to 24.....	76	48	27	2	6	19	—	
25 and over.....	23	19	4	—	—	4	—	
Litters of pigs farrowed between December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....farms.....	235	162	72	12	6	52	2	
.....number.....	943	762	178	28	22	126	2	
Farms by litters farrowed:								
1 litter.....	93	65	28	8	2	16	2	
2 to 4 litters.....	97	59	37	2	2	33	—	
5 to 9 litters.....	30	24	6	2	2	2	—	
10 to 19 litters.....	6	5	1	—	—	1	—	
20 litters and over.....	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	
Sheep and lambs.....farms.....	243	114	128	17	14	92	5	
.....number.....	4 998	3 084	1 882	306	94	1 449	33	
Farms with—								
1.....	31	23	8	1	1	6	—	
2 to 4.....	57	25	32	8	5	17	2	
5 to 9.....	46	7	39	—	4	32	3	
10 to 24.....	52	33	19	3	4	12	—	
25 and over.....	57	26	30	5	—	25	—	
Horses and ponies.....farms.....	1 253	830	422	60	40	293	29	
.....number.....	5 355	3 827	1 474	237	119	1 025	93	
Farms with—								
1.....	357	245	112	14	13	78	7	
2 to 4.....	592	387	205	29	20	140	16	
5 to 9.....	188	113	75	9	6	56	4	
10 to 24.....	92	62	30	8	1	19	2	
25 and over.....	24	23	—	—	—	—	—	
Chickens 3 months old or older.....farms.....	753	476	276	47	36	182	11	
.....number.....	826 674	818 728	7 571	1 449	1 057	4 773	292	
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	660	391	269	46	35	177	11	
100 to 399.....	48	40	7	1	1	5	—	
400 to 1,599.....	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1,600 and over.....	26	26	—	—	—	—	—	
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms.....	733	464	268	47	36	176	9	
.....number.....	800 988	793 658	6 955	1 312	1 047	4 335	261	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....farms.....	70	39	31	9	2	19	1	
.....number.....	3 152	1 618	1 534	458	2	1 050	24	
Other livestock and poultry.....farms.....	410	206	203	38	18	137	10	
Livestock and poultry sold:								
Cattle and calves.....farms.....	4 592	3 945	642	122	85	409	26	
.....number.....	150 895	147 290	3 377	751	404	2 112	110	
Hogs and pigs.....farms.....	288	190	97	18	12	62	5	
.....number.....	5 491	4 388	1 082	181	200	689	12	
Feeder pigs sold.....farms.....	98	67	31	4	6	21	—	
.....number.....	2 811	2 119	692	51	182	459	—	
Sheep and lambs.....farms.....	142	75	66	8	4	54	—	
.....number.....	2 534	1 817	697	135	15	547	—	
Horses and ponies.....farms.....	194	117	76	15	4	55	2	
.....number.....	645	467	163	32	6	123	2	
Chickens 3 months old or older.....farms.....	154	109	44	12	5	25	2	
.....number.....	416 705	415 048	1 282	335	217	643	87	
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms.....	143	106	36	8	5	22	1	
.....number.....	388 248	386 762	1 111	287	217	535	72	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....farms.....	24	14	10	2	—	8	—	
.....number.....	4 802	4 240	562	200	—	362	—	
Other livestock and poultry.....farms.....	130	57	72	15	3	49	5	
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes.....farms.....	2 310	2 229	76	17	8	45	6	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	89	49	40	11	6	22	1	
5 to 14 acres.....	458	430	27	4	2	20	1	
15 to 24 acres.....	448	438	9	2	—	3	1	
25 acres and over.....	1 315	1 312	—	—	—	—	—	
For grain or seed.....farms.....	185	162	23	1	4	13	5	
.....acres.....	5 776	5 671	105	1	4	38	62	
bushels.....	470 402	464 326	6 076	75	390	3 061	2 550	
Cut for silage, green chop, or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed.....farms.....	2 235	2 176	54	16	4	33	1	
.....acres.....	88 636	88 169	320	93	12	207	8	

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
<b>Crops Harvested—Continued</b>								
Sorghums for all purposes, except sirup..... farms...	93	82	11	2	2	7	-	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	
5 to 14 acres.....	49	45	4	2	-	2	-	
15 to 24 acres.....	13	9	4	-	2	2	-	
25 acres and over.....	22	19	3	-	-	3	-	
For grain or seed..... farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... bushels...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cut for silage, green chop, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed..... farms...	93	82	11	2	2	7	-	
..... acres...	1 894	1 671	223	26	40	157	-	
Wheat for grain..... farms...	25	21	4	1	-	3	-	
..... acres...	252	230	22	1	-	21	-	
..... bushels...	9 281	8 662	619	20	-	599	-	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	13	10	3	1	-	2	-	
5 to 14 acres.....	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	
15 to 24 acres.....	4	3	1	-	-	1	-	
25 acres and over.....	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	
Other small grains for grain..... farms...	158	138	19	4	2	13	1	
..... acres...	3 071	2 878	172	18	6	148	21	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	19	15	4	2	1	1	-	
5 to 14 acres.....	63	50	13	2	1	10	-	
15 to 24 acres.....	38	36	1	-	-	1	1	
25 acres and over.....	38	37	1	-	-	1	-	
Soybeans for beans..... farms...	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	107	107	-	-	-	-	-	
..... bushels...	3 260	3 260	-	-	-	-	-	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
5 to 14 acres.....	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
15 to 24 acres.....	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
25 acres and over.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Hay and grass silage, excluding sorghum hay (see text)..... farms...	5 074	4 051	1 016	168	134	634	80	
..... acres...	431 888	405 328	26 047	4 722	3 527	15 722	2 076	
..... tons...	783 415	750 506	31 825	5 509	4 640	18 882	2 794	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	47	13	34	6	1	24	3	
5 to 14 acres.....	307	83	223	35	29	143	16	
15 to 24 acres.....	432	170	260	38	31	170	21	
25 to 49 acres.....	1 090	705	384	57	60	235	32	
50 acres and over.....	3 198	3 080	115	32	13	62	8	
Cotton..... farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... boles...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5 to 9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
10 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Peanuts for nuts..... farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... pounds...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Farms with—								
1 to 4 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5 to 9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
10 to 14 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
15 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tobacco..... farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... pounds...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.4 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
0.5 to 0.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1.0 to 1.4 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1.5 to 1.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
2.0 to 4.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5.0 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Irish potatoes..... farms...	198	120	78	14	13	47	4	
..... acres...	1 035	983	52	7	9	35	1	
..... hundredweight...	221 208	216 224	4 984	528	705	3 673	78	
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	113	59	54	11	7	32	4	
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	54	33	21	2	6	13	-	
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	9	6	3	1	-	2	-	
5.0 acres and over.....	22	22	-	-	-	-	-	
Sweetpotatoes..... farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
..... bushels...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5.0 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale..... farms...	229	154	74	11	7	49	7	
..... acres...	1 338	1 177	137	24	11	93	9	
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	43	23	20	4	2	12	2	
1.0 to 2.9 acres.....	91	55	36	4	4	24	4	
3.0 to 4.9 acres.....	35	20	15	2	1	11	1	
5.0 to 9.9 acres.....	23	20	3	1	-	2	-	
10.0 acres and over.....	37	36	-	-	-	-	1	

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
<b>Crops Harvested—Continued</b>								
Berries for sale	79	52	27	13	2	10	2	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	96	83	12	6	(Z)	5	1	—
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	44	24	20	10	2	7	1	—
1.0 to 2.9 acres	26	19	7	3	—	3	1	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—
5.0 acres and over	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	161	112	47	8	1	34	4	2
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	5 322	5 127	170	51	(Z)	109	10	26
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	15	—	15	1	1	13	—	—
1.0 to 2.9 acres	25	11	14	2	—	10	2	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres	18	10	8	—	—	6	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres	16	14	1	1	—	—	—	1
10.0 acres and over	87	77	9	4	—	5	—	1
All other crops	249	184	60	4	9	43	4	5
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	2 208	2 086	101	1	19	79	2	21
Farms with—								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	84	57	24	3	5	14	2	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres	55	34	20	1	2	15	2	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	18	13	5	—	—	5	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres	30	20	10	—	—	—	—	—
10.0 to 14.9 acres	30	29	1	—	—	—	—	—
15.0 to 24.9 acres	12	11	—	—	—	—	—	—
25.0 acres and over	20	20	—	—	—	—	—	—
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection	107	78	25	3	5	15	2	4
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
square feet	400 878	381 780	16 248	396	4 400	9 952	1 500	2 850

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 With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974			1969			1964		
	number	acres	acres	number	acres	acres	number	acres	acres		Land in Farms According to Use—Con.	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
Farms	4 531	4 850	6 716	4 850	5 034	6 716	4 531	4 850	6 716	Total cropland—Continued	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in farms	1 487 270	1 617 034	2 203 432	1 617 034	1 721 721	2 203 432	1 487 270	1 617 034	2 203 432	Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	85	160	(NA)	2 747	4 598	(NA)	3 228	4 488	(NA)
Average size of farm	328	333	328	333	328	328	328	333	328	Cropland idle	323	458	488	323	458	488	323	458	488
Value of land and buildings	\$1,000 675 545	\$1,000 355 442	\$1,000 235 347	\$1,000 355 442	\$1,000 347 043	\$1,000 235 347	\$1,000 675 545	\$1,000 355 442	\$1,000 235 347	acres	10 648	22 609	14 195	10 648	22 609	14 195	10 648	22 609	14 195
Average per farm	149 094	73 286	35 043	73 286	35 043	35 043	149 094	73 286	35 043	Total woodland	3 729	4 156	6 098	3 729	4 156	6 098	3 729	4 156	6 098
Average per acre	454	220	107	220	107	107	454	220	107	acres	562 850	630 964	974 469	562 850	630 964	974 469	562 850	630 964	974 469
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>										Woodland pastured	2 122	2 553	3 925	2 122	2 553	3 925	2 122	2 553	3 925
Total cropland	4 434	4 731	(NA)	4 731	796 445	6 520	4 434	4 731	(NA)	acres	193 053	231 091	364 654	193 053	231 091	364 654	193 053	231 091	364 654
Harvested cropland	4 346	4 595	6 520	4 595	6 520	6 520	4 346	4 595	6 520	Woodland not pastured	2 799	2 953	4 278	2 799	2 953	4 278	2 799	2 953	4 278
Farms by acres harvested:										acres	369 797	399 873	609 815	369 797	399 873	609 815	369 797	399 873	609 815
1 to 49 acres	1 015	1 118	1 735	1 118	1 735	1 735	1 015	1 118	1 735	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture	1 687	1 947	4 335	1 687	1 947	4 335	1 687	1 947	4 335
50 to 99 acres	1 367	1 564	2 550	1 564	2 550	2 550	1 367	1 564	2 550	acres	147 923	172 835	369 984	147 923	172 835	369 984	147 923	172 835	369 984
100 to 199 acres	1 374	1 370	1 721	1 370	1 721	1 721	1 374	1 370	1 721	Improved pastureland and rangeland	898	1 123	1 731	898	1 123	1 731	898	1 123	1 731
200 to 499 acres	547	518	482	518	482	482	547	518	482	acres	58 901	68 142	48 811	58 901	68 142	48 811	58 901	68 142	48 811
500 to 999 acres	38	22	29	22	29	29	38	22	29	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland	1 090	1 348	(NA)	1 090	1 348	(NA)	1 090	1 348	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	5	3	3	3	3	3	5	3	3	acres	89 022	104 693	321 173	89 022	104 693	321 173	89 022	104 693	321 173
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	3	(NA)	3	(NA)	(NA)	5	3	(NA)	Other land (see text)	2 815	2 694	6 116	2 815	2 694	6 116	2 815	2 694	6 116
2,000 acres and over	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	acres	62 279	60 459	62 430	62 279	60 459	62 430	62 279	60 459	62 430
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	2 932	3 389	3 364	3 389	3 364	3 364	2 932	3 389	3 364	acres	36	34	53	36	34	53	36	34	53
acres	201 938	245 566	163 892	245 566	163 892	163 892	201 938	245 566	163 892	acres	446	274	959	446	274	959	446	274	959
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	210	148	278	148	278	278	210	148	278	acres	4 057	4 489	(NA)	4 057	4 489	(NA)	4 057	4 489	(NA)
acres	6 375	5 151	6 962	5 151	6 962	6 962	6 375	5 151	6 962	acres	542 914	649 492	898 530	542 914	649 492	898 530	542 914	649 492	898 530
Cropland on which all crops failed	167	53	233	53	233	233	167	53	233	Total pastureland, all types	4 057	4 489	(NA)	4 057	4 489	(NA)	4 057	4 489	(NA)
acres	5 587	1 097	4 214	1 097	4 214	4 214	5 587	1 097	4 214	acres	542 914	649 492	898 530	542 914	649 492	898 530	542 914	649 492	898 530

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	1969	1964	Acres in farms	Farms with harvested cropland		Farms with irrigated land			
					Number	Total acres in farms	Acres harvested	Number	Total acres in farms	Acres irrigated
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	4 531	4 850	6 716	1 487 270	4 346	1 462 765	486 923	36	6 147	446
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres	91	82	91	283	51	172	104	7	34	10
10 to 49 acres	134	92	140	3 345	98	2 585	1 408	6	148	30
50 to 69 acres	107	72	102	6 210	94	5 467	2 837	1	50	1
70 to 99 acres	124	151	212	10 612	115	9 845	4 562	2	158	6
100 to 139 acres	333	346	525	39 162	311	36 624	15 729	4	500	12
140 to 179 acres	421	465	713	66 984	404	64 401	24 357	1	140	26
180 to 219 acres	471	518	718	93 470	464	92 118	34 683	4	821	105
220 to 259 acres	464	508	694	110 541	452	107 721	40 966	1	235	2
260 to 499 acres	1 626	1 807	2 461	579 739	1 606	573 431	199 501	8	3 029	211
500 to 999 acres	640	684	911	404 336	633	400 173	121 379	2	1 032	43
1,000 to 1,999 acres	107	109	126	133 058	105	130 698	35 219	—	—	—
2,000 acres and over	13	16	23	39 530	13	39 530	6 178	—	—	—
5,000 acres and over	1	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	1	(D)	180	—	—	—