

Table 8. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Islands: 1960 to 1975

[1975 data are for July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975; data for other census years are for calendar years]

| | Virgin Islands | | | | Saint Croix | | | | Saint John | | | | Saint Thomas | | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 |
| Farms.....number.. | 327 | 212 | 466 | 501 | 236 | 136 | 291 | 315 | 39 | 17 | 53 | 58 | 52 | 59 | 122 | 128 |
| Land in farms.....acres.. | 24,703 | 20,470 | 39,539 | 44,062 | 21,548 | 17,669 | 30,596 | 34,376 | 837 | 552 | 2,499 | 3,369 | 2,318 | 2,249 | 6,444 | 6,317 |
| Cropland, total.....farms.. | 203 | 98 | (NA) | (NA) | 146 | 65 | (NA) | (NA) | 13 | 3 | (NA) | (NA) | 44 | 30 | (NA) | (NA) |
| acres.. | 2,458 | 9,416 | 9,635 | 11,302 | 2,277 | 9,286 | 8,369 | 8,686 | 17 | 3 | 382 | 829 | 164 | 127 | 884 | 1,787 |
| Harvested cropland....farms.. | 174 | 85 | 201 | 296 | 126 | 54 | 115 | 208 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 42 | 29 | 81 | 80 |
| acres.. | 751 | 737 | 5,134 | 4,272 | 654 | 626 | 4,915 | 4,053 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 14 | 90 | 109 | 211 | 205 |
| Other cropland.....farms.. | 83 | 34 | (NA) | (NA) | 49 | 29 | (NA) | (NA) | 8 | 1 | (NA) | (NA) | 26 | 4 | (NA) | (NA) |
| acres.. | 1,707 | 8,679 | 4,501 | 7,030 | 1,623 | 8,660 | 3,454 | 4,633 | 10 | 1 | 374 | 815 | 74 | 18 | 673 | 1,582 |
| Pasture or grazing land.farms.. | 181 | 100 | (NA) | (NA) | 123 | 67 | (NA) | (NA) | 32 | 13 | (NA) | (NA) | 26 | 20 | (NA) | (NA) |
| acres.. | 15,452 | 7,583 | 19,611 | 21,483 | 13,836 | 6,208 | 16,638 | 17,868 | 400 | 223 | 867 | 1,647 | 1,216 | 1,152 | 2,106 | 1,968 |
| Woodland not pastured...farms.. | 72 | 52 | 100 | 81 | 40 | 26 | 29 | 38 | 14 | 6 | 14 | 7 | 18 | 20 | 57 | 36 |
| acres.. | 5,321 | 2,366 | 8,447 | 8,036 | 4,059 | 1,385 | 4,302 | 5,870 | 389 | 317 | 1,169 | 844 | 873 | 664 | 2,976 | 1,322 |
| Other land.....farms.. | 287 | 163 | 445 | 396 | 203 | 102 | 279 | 248 | 35 | 10 | 52 | 39 | 49 | 51 | 114 | 109 |
| acres.. | 1,472 | 1,105 | 1,846 | 3,241 | 1,376 | 790 | 1,287 | 1,952 | 31 | 9 | 81 | 49 | 65 | 306 | 478 | 1,240 |

Table 9. Size of Farm by Islands: 1960 to 1975

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| | Virgin Islands | | | | Saint Croix | | | | Saint John | | | | Saint Thomas | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 | 1975 | 1970 | 1964 | 1960 |
| Farms.....number.. | 327 | 212 | 466 | 501 | 236 | 136 | 291 | 315 | 39 | 17 | 53 | 58 | 52 | 59 | 122 | 128 |
| acres.. | 24,703 | 20,470 | 39,539 | 44,062 | 21,548 | 17,669 | 30,596 | 34,376 | 837 | 552 | 2,499 | 3,369 | 2,318 | 2,249 | 6,444 | 6,317 |
| Under 3 acres.....farms.. | 109 | 66 | 48 | 56 | 81 | 42 | 32 | 35 | 15 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 19 | 13 | 18 |
| acres.. | 124 | 76 | 69 | 81 | 87 | 49 | 44 | 51 | 18 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 19 | 21 | 22 | 27 |
| 3 to 9 acres.....farms.. | 94 | 55 | 196 | 199 | 57 | 29 | 111 | 124 | 13 | 8 | 29 | 22 | 24 | 18 | 56 | 53 |
| acres.. | 520 | 265 | 1,015 | 1,079 | 309 | 140 | 575 | 675 | 73 | 41 | 133 | 126 | 138 | 84 | 307 | 278 |
| 10 to 19 acres.....farms.. | 35 | 24 | 75 | 87 | 28 | 13 | 53 | 55 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 13 | 3 | 9 | 14 | 19 |
| acres.. | 448 | 279 | 985 | 1,184 | 353 | 148 | 691 | 754 | 51 | 25 | 96 | 173 | 44 | 106 | 198 | 257 |
| 20 to 49 acres.....farms.. | 33 | 25 | 49 | 57 | 26 | 19 | 26 | 30 | 4 | - | 5 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 18 | 23 |
| acres.. | 943 | 827 | 1,495 | 1,846 | 758 | 660 | 831 | 937 | 95 | - | 135 | 113 | 90 | 167 | 529 | 796 |
| 50 to 99 acres.....farms.. | 19 | 16 | 32 | 42 | 16 | 14 | 24 | 28 | - | - | 3 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 5 |
| acres.. | 1,418 | 1,079 | 2,243 | 2,929 | 1,241 | 963 | 1,734 | 1,976 | - | - | 183 | 640 | 178 | 116 | 326 | 313 |
| 100 to 174 acres.....farms.. | 13 | 7 | 24 | 18 | 10 | 5 | 17 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| acres.. | 1,585 | 838 | 3,158 | 2,427 | 1,264 | 638 | 2,261 | 1,875 | 100 | 100 | 284 | 452 | 221 | 100 | 613 | (D) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....farms.. | 7 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 1 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| acres.. | 1,534 | 613 | 2,112 | 2,071 | 1,109 | 413 | 1,478 | 1,210 | 200 | - | - | (D) | 225 | 200 | 634 | 445 |
| 260 to 499 acres.....farms.. | 8 | 7 | 14 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
| acres.. | 3,025 | 2,593 | 5,196 | 4,810 | 1,924 | 1,398 | 2,528 | 3,196 | 300 | 380 | 680 | (D) | 801 | 815 | 1,988 | 1,168 |
| 500 to 999 acres.....farms.. | 3 | 4 | 11 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 6 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| acres.. | 1,943 | 2,691 | 7,769 | 6,971 | 1,340 | 2,051 | 4,957 | 4,038 | - | - | 985 | - | 603 | 640 | 1,827 | 2,933 |
| 1,000 acres and over..farms.. | 6 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 8 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| acres.. | 13,163 | 11,209 | 15,497 | 20,664 | 13,163 | 11,209 | 15,497 | 19,664 | - | - | - | (D) | - | - | - | - |

Table 10. Farm Location, Source of Financing, and Farm Labor, by Islands: 1975

| | Virgin Islands | Saint Croix | Saint John | Saint Thomas | | Virgin Islands | Saint Croix | Saint John | Saint Thomas |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|
| | FARM LOCATION | | | | | SOURCE OF FARM FINANCING--Con. | | | |
| Farms..... | 327 | 236 | 39 | 52 | Private.....number.. | 19 | 17 | 1 | 1 |
| On hard surface road..... | 75 | 65 | 3 | 7 | 1 to 24 percent..... | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Off hard surface road..... | 252 | 171 | 36 | 45 | 25 to 49 percent..... | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| Less than 1 mile..... | 251 | 170 | 36 | 45 | 50 to 74 percent..... | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| 1 to 4 miles..... | 1 | 1 | - | - | 75 to 99 percent..... | - | - | - | - |
| SOURCE OF FARM FINANCING | | | | | 100 percent..... | 15 | 13 | 1 | 1 |
| Operator.....number.. | 306 | 217 | 38 | 51 | Commercial.....number.. | 5 | 5 | - | - |
| 1 to 24 percent..... | - | - | - | - | 1 to 24 percent..... | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| 25 to 49 percent..... | 2 | 2 | - | - | 25 to 49 percent..... | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| 50 to 74 percent..... | 3 | 3 | - | - | 50 to 74 percent..... | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| 75 to 99 percent..... | 5 | 5 | - | - | 75 to 99 percent..... | - | - | - | - |
| 100 percent..... | 296 | 207 | 38 | 51 | 100 percent..... | - | - | - | - |