

Table 14. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 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	
	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text		Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text
Farms and land in farms operated by—													
All farm operators	31 697	2 373	31 091	32 640	7 883 643	259 935	7 925 545	8 117 199	98	(NA)	242	(NA)	
Harvested cropland	29 563	2 310	29 112	31 442	2 228 343	85 234	1 966 513	2 052 252	55 661	(NA)	79 460	(NA)	
Full owners	18 588	1 134	17 907	14 040	3 742 594	110 071	4 079 853	(NA)	543	27	367	486	
Harvested cropland	16 859	1 084	16 223	(NA)	740 127	22 397	726 887	(NA)	2 407	131	2 297	2 837	
Part owners	9 981	910	9 691	11 222	3 534 498	126 846	3 280 298	(NA)	4 798	268	5 555	6 923	
Harvested cropland	9 756	903	9 532	(NA)	1 246 559	52 660	1 028 981	(NA)	7 780	559	8 549	9 542	
Tenants	3 128	329	3 493	6 937	606 551	23 018	565 394	(NA)	8 594	725	8 814	7 967	
Harvested cropland	2 948	323	3 357	(NA)	241 657	10 177	210 645	(NA)	7 040	663	5 509	4 885	
Percent of tenancy	9.9	13.9	11.2	21.2					53.8	56.0	52.6	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:													
Individual or family	28 490	2 264	26 384	(NA)	6 453 357	243 285	6 205 410	(NA)	20 932	1 413	23 904	29 241	
Partnership	2 672	109	4 013	(NA)	990 609	16 650	1 271 982	(NA)	1 352	163	4 480	2 511	
Corporation, including family corporations	437	(NA)	452	(NA)	384 016	(NA)	368 693	(NA)	1 704	176			
	384 016	(NA)	368 693	(NA)					1 787	58			
Farms by type of organization—Continued													
Other	98	(NA)	242	(NA)									
Farm operators by age group: <sup>1</sup>													
Under 25 years	543	27	367	486									
25 to 34 years	2 407	131	2 297	2 837									
35 to 44 years	4 798	268	5 555	6 923									
45 to 54 years	7 780	559	8 549	9 542									
55 to 64 years	8 594	725	8 814	7 967									
65 years and over	7 040	663	5 509	4 885									
Average age	53.8	56.0	52.6	(NA)									
Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>1</sup>													
On farm operated	20 932	1 413	23 904	29 241									
On another farm	1 352	163	4 480	2 511									
In a rural area, not on a farm	1 704	176											
In a city, town, or urban area	1 787	58											
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>1</sup>													
1 to 49 days	12 357	797	14 208	11 208									
50 to 99 days	1 663	84	3 089	3 150									
100 to 149 days	912	82	1 441	1 467									
150 to 199 days	902	78	2 093	1 552									
200 days and over	1 243	108	7 585	5 039									
Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>1</sup>													
Farming	21 438	1 796	(NA)	(NA)									
Other than farming	9 724	577	(NA)	(NA)									

<sup>1</sup>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	Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	31 697	31 091	Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued		
Average per farm	930 484	535 059	Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued		
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:			Cotton and cottonseed	22	297
Under \$2,500 (see text)	537	516	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	5 210	5 480
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8 316	10 161	Other field crops	15 326	10 628
\$5,000 to \$7,499	4 827	5 508	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	2 613	3 415
\$7,500 to \$9,999	3 066	3 252	Fruits, nuts, and berries	62 846	39 029
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3 684	3 396	Nursery and greenhouse products	985	1 259
\$15,000 to \$19,999	2 134	1 917	Forest products sold	16 503	10 998
\$20,000 to \$29,999	2 381	2 176	Livestock, poultry, and their products sold	778	1 041
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1 435	1 349	Poultry and poultry products	29 965	21 065
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1 753	1 245	Dairy products	368	309
\$60,000 and over	3 564	1 571	Cattle and calves	17 700	11 181
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1 031	624	Sheep, lambs, and wool	2 420	3 252
\$80,000 to \$99,999	636	331	Hogs and pigs	8 972	7 690
\$100,000 and over	1 897	616	Other livestock and livestock products	23 060	24 247
\$100,000 to \$199,999	1 264	448		497 664	323 524
\$200,000 to \$499,999	527	139		2 341	3 149
\$500,000 and over	106	29		145 693	72 485
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:				3 441	5 417
Crops, including nursery products and hay	24 058	23 659		141 177	93 948
Grains	423 849	203 845		19 924	114 243
Tobacco	14 853	12 686		135 441	1 823
	167 479	42 756		1 823	(NA)
	11 387	11 686		5 002	(NA)
	113 758	67 883		6 715	42 847
				59 625	
				1 053	
				10 726	

<sup>1</sup>Includes goats and mohair sold.