

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

All Farms	1974		1969		1964		1959		1954		1950		1945		1940	
	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres	number	acres
All farms	8 018	34 271 918	8 838	35 476 374	9 038	37 052 500	9 744	36 199 666	11 402	34 989 064	12 614	34 420 892	13 076	33 116 554	15 018	28 025 979
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Average size of farm	4 274	4 274	4 014	4 014	4 102	4 102	3 715	3 715	3 069	3 069	2 729	2 729	2 533	2 533	1 866	1 866
Approximate land area	62 212 224	62 212 224	62 212 224	62 212 224	62 256 500	62 256 500	62 343 040	62 343 040	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840	62 403 840
Proportion in farms	55.1	55.1	57.0	57.0	59.5	59.5	58.1	58.1	56.1	56.1	55.2	55.2	53.1	53.1	(NA)	(NA)
Value of land and buildings	2 750 681	2 750 681	1 445 270	1 445 270	1 042 579	1 042 579	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	343 063	343 063	163 529	163 529	115 355	115 355	79 447	79 447	46 935	46 935	36 060	36 060	17 746	17 746	10 585	10 585
Average per acre	80	80	41	41	28	28	21	21	15	15	13	13	7	7	6	6
Land in Farms According to Use																
Total cropland	6 857	6 857	7 296	7 296	8 033	8 033	8 763	8 763	10 068	10 068	11 484	11 484	11 837	11 837	13 884	13 884
Harvested cropland	6 347	6 347	6 747	6 747	7 624	7 624	8 338	8 338	9 352	9 352	10 960	10 960	11 551	11 551	12 454	12 454
Farms by acres harvested:	1 680 679	1 680 679	1 685 597	1 685 597	1 702 350	1 702 350	1 679 024	1 679 024	1 556 022	1 556 022	1 900 646	1 900 646	1 843 413	1 843 413	1 534 800	1 534 800
1 to 49 acres	1 137	1 137	1 163	1 163	1 413	1 413	1 535	1 535	2 148	2 148	2 339	2 339	2 630	2 630	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 9 acres	153	153	146	146	226	226	246	246	386	386	473	473	611	611	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 acres	236	236	245	245	288	288	299	299	402	402	411	411	439	439	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 29 acres	219	219	276	276	274	274	325	325	432	432	440	440	462	462	(NA)	(NA)
30 to 49 acres	529	529	496	496	625	625	665	665	928	928	1 015	1 015	1 118	1 118	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	1 040	1 040	1 127	1 127	1 366	1 366	1 691	1 691	2 342	2 342	2 687	2 687	3 117	3 117	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 acres	1 567	1 567	1 769	1 769	2 216	2 216	2 521	2 521	2 650	2 650	3 210	3 210	3 224	3 224	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499 acres	1 766	1 766	1 896	1 896	1 931	1 931	1 969	1 969	1 692	1 692	2 045	2 045	2 007	2 007	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	588	588	579	579	518	518	449	449	373	373	512	512	413	413	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 acres and over	249	249	213	213	180	180	173	173	147	147	167	167	160	160	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres	200	200	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	49	49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	3 086	3 086	3 697	3 697	3 069	3 069	3 279	3 279	4 072	4 072	3 215	3 215	2 507	2 507	6 589	6 589
Other cropland (see text)	1 682	1 682	2 164	2 164	2 902	2 902	2 721	2 721	3 496	3 496	3 766	3 766	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Woodland, including woodland pasture	657	657	718	718	925	925	899	899	1 251	1 251	1 709	1 709	737	737	1 958	1 958
Other land (see text)	6 828	6 828	7 662	7 662	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Irrigated land	4 738	4 738	5 034	5 034	5 923	5 923	6 825	6 825	7 130	7 130	7 831	7 831	7 793	7 793	8 637	8 637
Farms by value of land and buildings:	1 459 900	1 459 900	1 523 422	1 523 422	1 571 150	1 571 150	1 469 911	1 469 911	1 262 632	1 262 632	1 431 767	1 431 767	1 353 873	1 353 873	1 284 027	1 284 027
\$1 to \$9,999	235	235	526	526	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$10,000 to \$19,999	304	304	697	697	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$20,000 to \$39,999	677	677	1 664	1 664	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$40,000 to \$69,999	999	999	1 709	1 709	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$70,000 to \$99,999	766	766	994	994	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1 043	1 043	1 035	1 035	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$150,000 to \$199,999	781	781	599	599	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 934	1 934	1 119	1 119	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98
\$500,000 and over	1 279	1 279	495	495	1 119	1 119	1 095	1 095	1 298	1 298	431	431	246	246	98	98

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	8 018	8 838	9 038	34 271 918	35 476 374	37 052 500	1 680 679	1 685 597	1 702 350	1 459 900	1 523 422	1 571 192
with harvested cropland	6 347	6 747	7 624	23 365 657	23 584 224	(NA)	1 680 679	1 685 597	1 702 350	1 427 209	1 483 486	1 103 739
with irrigated land	4 738	5 034	5 923	17 129 395	17 861 141	20 792 839	1 216 350	1 232 942	1 234 367	1 459 900	1 523 422	1 571 192
Farms by size:												
1 to 9 acres - number	391	660	234	765	1 016	656	110	64	72	323	158	220
With harvested cropland	35	24	33	151	107	(NA)	110	64	72	102	51	(NA)
With irrigated land	45	36	66	223	193	(NA)	87	41	(NA)	323	158	220
10 to 49 acres - number	403	473	516	11 584	13 434	13 958	5 238	4 442	3 981	6 029	6 173	6 676
With harvested cropland	275	261	264	8 377	7 462	(NA)	5 238	4 442	3 981	5 062	4 518	(NA)
With irrigated land	270	279	359	8 109	8 189	(NA)	3 965	3 382	(NA)	6 029	6 173	6 676
50 to 99 acres - number	165	101	128	9 586	5 957	7 471	3 789	1 981	2 780	4 164	2 741	3 868
With harvested cropland	112	66	99	6 497	3 891	(NA)	3 789	1 981	2 780	3 204	2 379	(NA)
With irrigated land	109	72	106	6 443	4 255	(NA)	2 532	1 832	(NA)	4 164	2 741	3 868
70 to 99 acres - number	278	296	328	22 660	24 071	26 513	9 513	9 262	10 453	10 311	10 926	13 845
With harvested cropland	216	225	272	17 671	18 393	(NA)	9 513	9 262	10 453	9 044	10 216	(NA)
With irrigated land	201	211	287	16 296	17 228	(NA)	7 695	7 809	(NA)	10 311	10 926	13 845
100 to 139 acres - number	292	285	323	34 094	33 323	38 090	15 470	13 927	16 521	15 380	15 236	19 814
With harvested cropland	244	220	265	28 686	26 008	(NA)	15 470	13 927	16 521	14 784	13 943	(NA)
With irrigated land	217	206	264	25 647	24 513	(NA)	13 138	12 291	(NA)	15 380	15 236	19 814
140 to 179 acres - number	421	429	554	66 707	68 075	88 065	30 650	32 247	42 021	30 146	34 926	47 609
With harvested cropland	367	374	504	58 215	59 383	(NA)	30 650	32 247	42 021	28 621	33 708	(NA)
With irrigated land	327	339	488	51 878	53 914	(NA)	26 373	28 819	(NA)	30 146	34 926	47 609
180 to 219 acres - number	217	251	311	42 607	49 648	61 271	17 447	23 376	26 886	16 394	23 991	31 037
With harvested cropland	185	228	285	36 325	45 034	(NA)	17 447	23 376	26 886	15 563	23 364	(NA)
With irrigated land	165	204	262	32 306	40 343	(NA)	14 883	21 196	(NA)	16 394	23 991	31 037
220 to 259 acres - number	254	318	340	60 381	75 659	80 703	28 087	36 977	37 117	28 983	41 644	44 825
With harvested cropland	225	292	322	53 433	69 430	(NA)	28 087	36 977	37 117	27 957	41 064	(NA)
With irrigated land	215	267	314	51 031	63 469	(NA)	26 012	34 543	(NA)	28 983	41 644	44 825
260 to 499 acres - number	1 092	1 167	1 351	398 303	427 115	491 095	158 728	164 366	177 505	155 794	179 468	204 089
With harvested cropland	987	1 042	1 241	360 668	379 955	(NA)	158 728	164 366	177 505	153 175	177 234	(NA)
With irrigated land	824	883	1 105	298 172	321 861	(NA)	136 283	146 458	(NA)	155 794	179 468	204 089
500 to 999 acres - number	987	1 121	1 163									