

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number	451	634	205	242	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres	113 526	169 680	85 903	120 189	Total cropland..... farms	414	571	185	214
Average size of farm..... acres	252	268	419	497	..... acres	46 650	61 604	34 610	44 357
Approximate land area..... acres	391 616	391 616	391 616	391 616	Harvested cropland..... farms	299	423	153	186
Proportion in farms..... percent	29.0	43.3	21.9	30.7	..... acres	15 548	19 506	13 618	16 031
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000	42 285	33 507	28 689	20 952	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars	93 759	52 849	139 946	86 580	1 to 9 acres.....	99	124	21	
Average per acre..... dollars	372	197	334	174	10 to 19 acres.....	65	112	23	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	39	52	23	95
1 to 9 acres.....	21	29	6	6	30 to 49 acres.....	32	43	25	
10 to 49 acres.....	109	134	19	11	50 to 99 acres.....	26	41	26	41
50 to 69 acres.....	35	73	7	9	100 to 199 acres.....	15	29	12	29
70 to 99 acres.....	35	53	9	13	200 to 499 acres.....	18	21	18	21
100 to 139 acres.....	53	55	20	16	500 to 999 acres.....	5	1	5	
140 to 179 acres.....	27	40	13	14	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....	27	45	15	23	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms	269	325	116	123
220 to 259 acres.....	18	30	10	10	..... acres	27 672	28 503	19 101	18 949
260 to 499 acres.....	70	79	55	60	Other cropland (see text)..... farms	68	232	25	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	31	61	29	46	..... acres	3 430	13 595	1 891	9 377
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	19	29	17	29	Total woodland..... farms	274	456	141	198
2,000 acres and over.....	6	6	5	5	..... acres	43 319	78 218	33 156	55 703
					Other land (see text)..... farms	325	448	151	(NA)
					..... acres	23 557	29 858	18 137	20 129
					Irrigated land..... farms	9	13	5	9
					..... acres	37	594	8	452
					Total woodland - Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms			77	111
					..... acres			16 371	28 676
					Other land..... farms			151	(NA)
					..... acres			18 137	20 129
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms			82	94
					..... acres			14 941	16 646
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			51	59
					..... acres			5 983	10 963
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			42	44
					..... acres			8 958	5 683
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms			128	163
					..... acres			3 196	3 483

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number	451	634	205	242	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres	113 526	169 680	85 903	120 189	Partnership..... number	(NA)	(NA)	12	29
Harvested cropland..... acres	15 548	19 506	13 618	16 031	Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 012	22 915
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number	(NA)	(NA)	3	5
Full owners..... number	295	446	106	141	Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	3 625
Land in farms..... acres	62 916	103 607	40 422	65 509	Other..... number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Harvested cropland..... acres	4 571	6 523	3 270	4 807	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	174
Part owners..... number	109	101	73	70	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres	40 554	49 308	36 688	40 879	Under 25 years.....	7	6	5	1
Harvested cropland..... acres	9 109	10 538	8 696	9 408	25 to 34 years.....	19	36	8	13
Tenants..... number	47	87	26	31	35 to 44 years.....	100	141	37	60
Land in farms..... acres	10 056	16 765	8 793	13 801	45 to 54 years.....	144	134	58	56
Harvested cropland..... acres	1 868	2 445	1 652	1 816	55 to 64 years.....	83	146	47	62
Percent of tenancy.....	10.4	13.7	12.7	12.8	65 years and over.....	91	171	46	50
					Average age.....	52.4	54.2	53.4	52.9
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	265	421	124	154
All farm operators..... number	57	172	7	20	On another farm.....	11	130	5	
Land in farms..... acres	4 185	14 194	1 448	2 712	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	19		8	
Harvested cropland..... acres	490	2 592	169	1 006	In a city, town, or urban area.....	67		36	66
Full owners..... number	42	93	5	2	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres	3 025	8 807	858	320	None.....	115	(NA)	71	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres	299	882	108	42	1 to 49 days.....	13	35	6	9
Part owners..... number	8	13	-	1	50 to 99 days.....	6	28	1	9
Land in farms..... acres	368	591	-	131	100 to 149 days.....	19		5	
Harvested cropland..... acres	32	192	-	46	150 to 199 days.....	10	55	5	9
Tenants..... number	7	66	2	17	200 days and over.....	229	271	81	99
Land in farms..... acres	792	4 796	590	2 261	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres	159	1 518	61	918	Farming.....	156	(NA)	103	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	12.3	38.3	28.6	85.0	Other.....	288	(NA)	98	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Individual or family..... number	(NA)	(NA)	189	206	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	75 985	93 475					

¹1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over.....	11	18	10	18			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	20	34	19	34			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	15		14				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	45	40	45	40			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	48	51	48	51			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	55	84	55	83			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	257	407	14	16			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	48	34	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	41	43	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	34	52	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	134	278	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	6 483	5 091	5 691	4 322			
Average per farm..... dollars	14 375	8 030	27 762	17 859			
Crops, including hay farms.....	194	330	106	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	1 786	2 049	1 655	1 032			
Nursery and greenhouse products farms.....	14		10	12			
\$1,000.....	757		754	805			
Forest products farms.....	49	82	39	59			
\$1,000.....	431	212	293	206			
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms.....	341	399	172	199			
\$1,000.....	3 508	2 830	2 990	2 280			
Poultry and poultry products farms.....	14	(NA)	5	9			
\$1,000.....	1 134	(NA)	1 118	303			
Specified products sold:							
Crops farms.....			106	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			1 655	1 032			
Grains farms.....			47	48			
\$1,000.....			280	57			
Tobacco farms.....			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed farms.....			37	80			
\$1,000.....			1 174	672			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage farms.....			44	57			
\$1,000.....			143	152			
Other field crops farms.....			5	10			
\$1,000.....			7	7			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms.....			9	25			
\$1,000.....			24	63			
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms.....			13	37			
\$1,000.....			27	80			
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms.....			172	199			
\$1,000.....			2 990	2 280			
Poultry and poultry products farms.....			5	9			
\$1,000.....			1 118	303			
Dairy products farms.....			3	9			
\$1,000.....			316	561			
Cattle and calves farms.....			160	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			1 285	1 127			
Hogs and pigs farms.....			32	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			243	289			
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms.....			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
Other livestock and livestock products farms.....			10				
\$1,000.....			28				

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969			
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold¹	287	(NA)	90	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹ farms.....	79	(NA)	48	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	194	(NA)	163	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services farms.....	23	34	20	26			
\$1,000.....	94	68	87	57			
Recreational services farms.....	8	19	6	12			
\$1,000.....	13	16	13	11			
Government farm programs farms.....	32	245	19	123			
\$1,000.....	22	604	15	541			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments farms.....	31	(NA)	16	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	44	(NA)	29	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources farms.....	8	(NA)	7	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	20	(NA)	20	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹ farms.....	29	(NA)	15	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	55	(NA)	39	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources² farms.....							142
\$1,000.....							2 221
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related farms.....							33
\$1,000.....							650
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips farms.....							85
\$1,000.....							1 046
Interest, dividends, or royalties farms.....							71
\$1,000.....							170
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. farms.....							30
\$1,000.....							154
Rent income of nonfarm property farms.....							32
\$1,000.....							201

¹ See text. ² 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses farms.....	451	634	205	242					
\$1,000.....	5 937	4 993	4 971	3 996					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999.....	92	264	3	28					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	106	107	10						
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	40	51	13	27					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	64	63	40	45					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	66	72	59	66					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	40		40	27					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	19	77	18	26					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	6		6						
\$60,000 and over.....	18		16	23					
Livestock and poultry purchased farms.....	202	209	76	90					
\$1,000.....	438	490	351	413					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased farms.....	358	448	163	183					
\$1,000.....	2 014	971	1 536	741					
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms.....	245	219	124	135					
\$1,000.....	1 408	494	1 256	425					
Feed ingredients farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	56	69					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	93	165					
Whole grains farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	41	55					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	46	113					
Hay, green chop, and silage farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	42	53					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	141	38					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	96	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	27	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased farms.....	211	337	104	151					
\$1,000.....	188	92	177	61					
Commercial fertilizer purchased farms.....	350	503	165	204					
\$1,000.....	645	509	567	417					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased farms.....	128	(NA)	66	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	222	169	208	139					
Lime farms.....	(NA)	74	19	51					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	25	13	19					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business farms.....	438	595	200	240					
\$1,000.....	308	271	257	211					
Gasoline farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	167	229					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	142	137					
Diesel oil farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	91	109					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	59	38					
LP gas, butane, and propane farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	32					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	12					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	200	240					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	35	24					
Hired farm labor farms.....	154	317	98	187					
\$1,000.....	669	985	549	690					
Contract labor farms.....	20	172	11	15					
\$1,000.....	17	111	16	23					
Machine hire and customwork farms.....	106		63	76					
\$1,000.....	103		88	75					
All other production expenses farms.....	377	489	201	238					
\$1,000.....	1 333	1 394	1 196	1 226					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	446	575	200	231					
\$1,000	5 697	4 175	3 548	3 036					
Average per farm	12 774	7 261	17 742	13 142					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	7	111	6	98					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	137	282	37	98					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	131	89	47	49					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	102	45	58	38					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	26		24	21					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	22		10	16					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	12	48	12	9					
\$70,000 and over	9		6						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	305	349	128	153					
mfd in last 5 years	443	464	187	236					
Motor trucks, including pickups	266	274	113	150					
mfd in last 5 years	377	411	171	186					
Wheel tractors	587	606	324	346					
mfd in last 5 years	233	312	159	185					
Crawler tractors	364	395	177	208					
mfd in last 5 years	592	713	348	441					
Pickup balers	176	297	118	205					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	20		13	21					
mfd in last 5 years	22		15	21					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	4		3	6					

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	19	13	15	12					
mfd in last 5 years	19	21	15	18					
Corn heads for combines	7	13	6	10					
mfd in last 5 years	13	27	12	8					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	13	38	12	12					
mfd in last 5 years	3	17	3	6					
Mower conditioners	24		18	16					
mfd in last 5 years	28		22	18					
Pickup balers	2		2	7					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	38	(NA)	29	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	42	(NA)	33	(NA)					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	20	(NA)	17	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	67	63	54	56					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	70	72	57	61					
mfd in last 5 years	26	40	22	37					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	29	(NA)	28	29					
mfd in last 5 years	29	(NA)	28	30					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	9	(NA)	8	13					
mfd in last 5 years	10	(NA)	9	9					
mfd in last 5 years	10	(NA)	9	12					
mfd in last 5 years	1	(NA)	-	7					

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry	365	(X)	172	(X)	341	(X)	172	(X)	2 990
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	352	(X)	164	(X)	333	(X)	168	(X)	1 528
Cattle and calves	452	(X)	190	(X)	392	(X)	197	(X)	(NA)
1974	329	19 837	158	14 819	300	8 549	160	7 185	1 285
1969	406	19 484	185	15 120	359	10 886	192	8 979	1 127
Farms with—									
1 to 4	25	58	5	10	75	183	16	36	8
5 to 9	27	205	3	21	48	317	9	63	10
10 to 19	59	820	8	117	51	693	22	305	46
20 to 49	88	2 868	40	1 410	75	2 234	63	1 939	311
50 to 99	71	4 504	44	2 910	38	2 428	38	2 428	347
100 to 199	43	5 757	43	5 757	7	788	7	788	114
200 to 499	15	(D)	15	4 594	5	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved									
1974	288	11 733	150	8 983	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	356	11 116	177	9 030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	275	11 216	148	8 722	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 974	169	8 185	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	39	517	8	261	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	69	1 142	17	845	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	316
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	561

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	275	11 216	148	8 722	116	3 207	844		
Farms with—									
1 to 4	31	87	8	16	28	65	16		
5 to 9	24	162	3	22	17	113	27		
10 to 19	42	548	11	146	32	415	86		
20 to 49	106	3 091	60	1 800	29	946	214		
50 to 99	49	3 392	44	3 094	5	308	75		
100 to 199	15	1 925	15	1 925	2	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499	8	2 011	7	1 719	2	(D)	(D)		
500 and over	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows	39	517	8	(D)	125	3 978	441		
Farms with—									
1 or 2	17	25	4	4	4	8	1		
3 or 4	15	53	2	7	6	20	3		
5 to 9	4	34	-	-	11	84	11		
10 to 19	1	10	1	10	30	431	54		
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	49	1 483	171		
50 to 99	-	-	-	-	20	1 273	127		
100 to 199	1	(D)	-	-	5	679	75		
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-		
500 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves.....	129	3 148	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	4	63	19
1969.....	159	3 526	1969.....	6	138	(NA)
Beef heifers	127	2 775	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	4	373	1 to 9.....	1	4	1
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	138	2 688	10 to 19.....	2	26	8
1969.....	170	2 564	20 to 49.....	1	33	10
			50 to 99.....	—	—	—
			100 to 199.....	—	—	—
			200 to 499.....	—	—	—
			500 and over.....	—	—	—

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	78	3 671	36	2 288	64	5 981	32	4 021	243
1969.....	151	6 191	49	4 692	92	9 120	47	6 923	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	24	59	10	22	5	8	1	1	(Z)
5 to 9.....	14	94	5	33	6	38	3	17	1
10 to 24.....	22	313	10	145	23	396	4	66	5
25 to 49.....	7	232	1	42	11	358	6	216	15
50 to 99.....	5	369	5	369	7	542	7	542	27
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	6	802	6	802	31
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	803	10	696	13
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	800	5	502	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1	40	—	—	1	10	—	—	(NA)
1969.....	5	124	—	—	1	84	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	64	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	96	398	34	265	13	21	6	12	4
1969.....	119	375	(NA)	(NA)	11	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	Farms	Number		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	23	356	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	37	552	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	48	645	25	393
Other hogs and pigs	28	1 932	1969.....	85	1 125	38	799
1969.....	46	4 140	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	47	390	24	241
Lambs under 1 year old.....	—	—	1969.....	77	604	36	421
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	—	—	1974.....	27	255	18	152
Rams and wethers.....	—	—	1969.....	58	521	29	378

¹Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	72	(X)	20	(X)	11	(X)	3	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	72	201 430	20	197 533	10	(D)	3	(D)
1969.....	111	65 856	27	60 918	13	73 491	7	65 735
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	66	(D)	20	(D)	8	(D)	3	(D)
1969.....	105	17 848	25	13 880	11	36 195	5	28 735
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	64	1 406	19	488	6	140	2	20
100 to 399.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	—	—	—	—	1	700	—	—
1,600 to 3,199.....	1	2 000	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	15	262	2	74	6	8 084	—	—
1969.....	4	60 036	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	1 134	5	1 118
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	303

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1974...	20	(D)	3	(D)	Turkeys.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	25	13 880	5	28 735	.....1969.....	4	16	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	20	(D)	3	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	2	35	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	3	40 010	—	—	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	3	45 020	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	10	35	—	—	.....1969.....	4	16	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	1	(D)	—	—	Other poultry.....1974.....	1	(X)	—	(X)
					.....1969.....	2	(X)	—	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	153	235	2 689	4 621	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	7	10	180	255	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	22	10	1 449	480	27 453	9 822
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	3	17	6	17	13 600	10 560
Wheat (bushels).....	6	4	163	150	2 590	5 850
Other small grains for grain.....	21	16	944	571	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	59	197	6 058	7 285	5 259	6 890
Tabacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	72	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	29	(NA)	28	(NA)	4 413	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	126	114	3 397	4 004	8 910	10 076
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	36	81	157	423	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	48	82	410	783	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	1	1	(Z)	20	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	25	(NA)	255	1 447	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	58	75	1 412	2 468	54 937	65 796	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	4	7	379	677	3 820	6 193	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	2	68	34	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	2	1	50	8	1 300	116	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	2	(NA)	76	163	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	1	1	10	10	8	30	—	—	—	—

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	116	19 101	(X)	—	—	48	5 082	47	1 007	4	21
.....1969.....	123	18 949	(X)	—	—	69	8 230	61	1 140	20	901
Improved pasture.....1974.....	51	5 983	(X)	—	—	20	2 317	19	256	2	29
.....1969.....	59	10 963	(X)	—	—	33	3 324	32	643	7	74
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	60	1 859	(X)	—	—	49	1 666	49	376	2	1
.....1969.....	82	3 179	(X)	—	—	67	2 593	65	560	6	125
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	4	126	(X)	—	—	3	96	3	16	—	—
.....1969.....	7	171	(X)	—	—	6	96	5	4	2	26
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	5	148	2 090	—	—	3	134	3	23	—	—
.....1969.....	3	132	5 150	—	—	3	132	(NA)	66	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	2	71	3 400	—	—	2	71	2	12	—	—
.....1969.....	4	300	12 632	—	—	1	10	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	1	10	200	—	—	1	10	1	2	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	12	744	8 825	—	—	9	340	9	47	—	—
.....1969.....	11	219	3 857	—	—	10	204	(NA)	37	(NA)	8
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	20	1 410	26 293	—	—	14	878	14	112	—	—
.....1969.....	7	278	4 466	—	—	5	274	(NA)	34	(NA)	18
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	2	5	12 800	—	—	1	4	1	1	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	84	2 998	7 854	—	—	51	1 996	49	583	10	128
.....1969.....	82	3 574	9 351	—	—	50	2 576	48	935	18	268
Field seed crops.....1974.....	4	59	(X)	—	—	3	39	3	9	—	—
.....1969.....	14	658	(X)	—	—	7	376	6	90	1	12
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	38	5 772	5 012	—	—	37	5 757	37	1 352	1	13
.....1969.....	82	6 367	6 192	—	—	76	5 771	(NA)	1 626	(NA)	199
Tabacco (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	1	(Z)	5	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	9	109	(X)	—	—	7	96	7	17	1	(Z)
.....1969.....	25	288	(X)	—	—	24	234	24	53	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	17	283	(X)	—	—	9	187	9	43	—	—
.....1969.....	46	651	(X)	—	—	34	470	34	118	—	—

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	20	(X)	—	—	1	20	1	6	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	10	74	(X)	4	6	6	72	6	72	—
1969	12	548	(X)	7	448	9	519	9	194	1	(Z)
Other crops	1974	6	118	(X)	—	—	2	13	2	4	—

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	168	775	217	556	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	165	193	193	248	Diseases in crops and orchards	5	34	12	245
Lime	19	567	51	417	Weeds or grass in crops	27	1	3	64
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1	35	1	6	Weeds or brush in pasture	1	15	1	15
Insects on hay crops	35	(Z)	6	(Z)	Weeds on all other land	2	21	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	29	4 647	67	5 014	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	8	1 201	12	1 487
Nematodes in crops	2	130	71	1 000	of crops or thinning of fruit	5	5	3	3
	425	3	521	5	Insect control on livestock and poultry	13	4	4	4
	3		5		Other chemicals (see text)	18	2	(NA)	(NA)

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	5	8	9	452	Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	2.4	1.6	3.7	50.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	8	5	9	8	Other sprinkler systems	5	8	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	1.6	5	9	452	Land in irrigated farms	93	41	1 653	847
Cropland irrigated	5	5	9	8	Cropland	27	21	592	592
Harvested cropland irrigated	8	5	9	8	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	(X)	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	—	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	11	5.4	11	4.5
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	33	4.2	1 064	2.4	Proportion of farms	5.4	5 314	4 557	4 557
Average per acre irrigated	4.2	—	2.4	—	Land in farms with drainage	1 622	147.5	770	70.0
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	—	Average per farm	147.5	—	70.0	—
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	68	161	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	—	tanks	595	—	(NA)	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	—	76	2 203	50	1 351	50	852
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	—	—	16	26	11	14	18	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	26	15	14	12	9	9
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	15	5	9	4	4	4
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	5	14	4	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—							98	35	26	71
150 days or more	35	66	129	194	418	690	549	418	74	57
25 to 149 days	26	163	230	974	74	57	1 365	129	230	1 006
Less than 25 days	71	—	1 006	—	57	—				
Total contract labor	11	15	(NA)	(NA)	16	23				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	6	(NA)	3	(NA)				
Cash wages paid							98	35	26	71
Number of workers							549	418	74	57
Farms with—							1 365	129	230	1 006
1 worker	28	14	14	14	23	23				
2 workers	11	9	9	4	5	5				
3 or 4 workers	16	8	8	3	6	6				
5 to 9 workers	22	2	2	3	19	19				
10 workers and over	21	2	2	2	18	18				