

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	113	126	79	96	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms	286 263	284 005	275 788	274 247	Total cropland	50	33	31	27
Average size of farm	2 533	2 254	3 491	2 857	Harvested cropland	1 142	1 250	1 106	1 245
Approximate land area	797 440	797 440	797 440	797 440	Farms by acres harvested:				
Proportion in farms	35.9	35.6	34.6	34.4	1 to 9 acres	5	1	3	
Value of land and buildings	47 163	35 828	42 792	33 352	10 to 19 acres				10
Average per farm	417 370	284 346	541 677	347 413	20 to 29 acres			3	
Average per acre	165	126	155	122	30 to 49 acres	8	7	7	
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres	3	4	3	4
1 to 9 acres	12	4	5	3	100 to 199 acres	1	3	1	3
10 to 49 acres	2	5	1	1	200 to 499 acres	2	1	2	1
50 to 69 acres	2	2	2	2	500 to 999 acres				
70 to 99 acres	8	9	4	6	1,000 acres and over				
100 to 139 acres	9		6		Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	38	19	21	14
140 to 179 acres	10	16	4	9	Other cropland (see text)	8	7	6	(NA)
180 to 219 acres	5	2	1	2	Total woodland	6	1	3	1
220 to 259 acres	5	4	5	4	Woodland not pastured	623	44	363	44
260 to 499 acres	10	27	8	17	Other land (see text)	89	121	70	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	18	21	12	18	Irrigated land	24	24	20	21
1,000 to 1,999 acres	10	12	10	10		1 701	2 102	1 660	2 072
2,000 acres and over	22	24	21	24					
Other cropland									
	farms		6	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
	acres		219	949	Woodland not pastured				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms		2	1	Other land			70	(NA)
	acres		10	2				270 033	270 990
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms		3	1	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture			56	83
	acres		189	50				268 632	241 884
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms		1	3	Improved pastureland and rangeland			9	5
	acres		20	642				3 874	1 762
Cropland idle	farms		—	2	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland			51	80
	acres		—	255				264 758	240 122
Total woodland	farms		3	1	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.			43	55
	acres		363	44				1 401	29 106
Woodland pastured	farms		3	1					
	acres		363	44					

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	113	126	79	96	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	286 263	284 005	275 788	274 247	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	5	10
Harvested cropland	1 142	1 250	1 106	1 245	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	9 933
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	7	7
Full owners	72	77	48	56	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	103 991	48 353
Land in farms	117 978	82 865	111 253	76 571	Other	(NA)	(NA)	1	—
Harvested cropland	320	664	319	659	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>			(D)	—
Part owners	32	41	27	36	Under 25 years	2	—	—	—
Land in farms	165 196	198 264	162 938	195 870	25 to 34 years	9	6	6	5
Harvested cropland	510	506	510	506	35 to 44 years	5	23	1	20
Tenants	9	8	4	4	45 to 54 years	16	28	14	22
Land in farms	3 089	2 876	1 597	1 806	55 to 64 years	53	52	37	33
Harvested cropland	312	80	277	80	65 years and over	20	17	13	16
Percent of tenancy	8.0	6.3	5.1	4.1	Average age	56.5	54.2	57.4	53.8
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated	67	91	46	68
All farm operators	1	(NA)	1	—	On another farm	5	2	2	—
Land in farms	600	(NA)	600	—	In a rural area, not on a farm	5	18	5	16
Harvested cropland	—	(NA)	—	—	In a city, town, or urban area	9	7	7	—
Full owners	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms	—	(NA)	—	—	None	26	(NA)	24	(NA)
Harvested cropland	—	(NA)	—	—	1 to 49 days	6	5	5	5
Part owners	—	(NA)	—	—	50 to 99 days	2	2	2	2
Land in farms	—	(NA)	—	—	100 to 149 days	10	12	2	10
Harvested cropland	—	(NA)	—	—	150 to 199 days	37	47	18	31
Tenants	1	(NA)	1	—	200 days and over	—	—	—	—
Land in farms	600	(NA)	600	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland	—	(NA)	—	—	Farming	51	(NA)	44	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	100.0	(NA)	100.0	—	Other	54	(NA)	27	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	66	79	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	163 505	215 961					

<sup>1</sup>1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. <sup>2</sup>1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.



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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment				
farms	101	117	72	94
\$1,000	1 455	994	1 309	921
Average per farm dollars	14 402	8 494	18 176	9 797
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$999	6	3	1	45
\$1,000 to \$4,999	21	61	8	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26	21	17	15
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30	16	29	11
\$20,000 to \$29,999	9		8	3
\$30,000 to \$49,999		16	5	
\$50,000 to \$69,999	1		1	2
\$70,000 and over	3		3	
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>				
Automobiles	67	79	52	64
mfd in last 5 years	96	119	78	100
Motor trucks, including pickups	68	72	59	57
mfd in last 5 years	94	105	67	88
Wheel tractors	223	212	187	192
mfd in last 5 years	108	108	95	95
farms	48	44	37	37
number	89	79	72	62
mfd in last 5 years	27	37	21	29
Crawler tractors	7		7	10
number	7		7	11
mfd in last 5 years	1		1	7
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	1	3	1	3
mfd in last 5 years	1	4	1	4
Corn heads for combines		1		
mfd in last 5 years		1		
Other compactors and picker-shellers				1
mfd in last 5 years				1
Mower conditioners	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Pickup balers	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years	5	11	5	10
mfd in last 5 years	6	11	6	10
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1	4	1	4
farms	2	(NA)	2	6
number	2	(NA)	2	6
mfd in last 5 years	1	(NA)	1	3
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	2	(NA)	2	8
number	2	(NA)	2	8
mfd in last 5 years	-	(NA)	-	3

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	110	(X)	76	(X)	109	(X)	77	(X)	6 100
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	104	(X)	72	(X)	103	(X)	73	(X)	5 992
1969	117	(X)	90	(X)	119	(X)	92	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	103	30 989	71	30 352	101	23 251	71	23 031	5 975
1969	116	23 983	90	23 477	118	16 277	92	16 015	2 251
Farms with—									
1 to 4	5	14	2	5	12	34	3	8	1
5 to 9	5	35	2	14	15	100	2	13	3
10 to 19	15	221	3	51	12	171	4	64	11
20 to 49	26	825	13	453	22	743	22	743	129
50 to 99	10	819	9	754	9	565	9	565	79
100 to 199	11	1 582	11	1 582	14	1 916	14	1 916	257
200 to 499	13	3 844	13	3 844	12	4 163	12	4 163	654
500 and over	18	23 649	18	23 649	5	15 559	5	15 559	4 840
Cows and heifers that had calved	96	16 023	69	15 673	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	104	15 775	81	15 473	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	96	15 977	69	15 629	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	15 722	79	15 423	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	22	46	20	44	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	20	53	18	50	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	-	(X)	-
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	96	15 977	69	15 629	Cattle sold	57	16 471	5 174	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	10	22	4	10	1 to 4	6	16	3	
5 to 9	6	37	2	13	5 to 9	5	39	8	
10 to 19	12	157	3	49	10 to 19	13	189	33	
20 to 49	23	727	15	523	20 to 49	20	659	143	
50 to 99	8	500	8	500	50 to 99	4	304	58	
100 to 199	15	2 127	15	2 127	100 to 199	5	792	153	
200 to 499	15	5 576	15	5 576	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	7	6 831	7	6 831	500 and over	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	22	46	20	44	Calves sold	53	6 560	801	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	16	23	14	21	1 or 2	-	-	-	
3 or 4	5	18	5	18	3 or 4	3	11	2	
5 to 9	1	5	1	5	5 to 9	1	9	1	
10 to 19	-	-	-	-	10 to 19	5	67	9	
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	20 to 49	17	589	76	
50 to 99	-	-	-	-	50 to 99	4	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	12	1 496	171	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	9	2 874	361	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	2	(D)	(D)	

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	58	3 490	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	2	(D)	(D)
1969	69	3 533	1969	5	46	(NA)
Beef heifers	57	3 258	Farms with—	1	8	3
Milk heifers	4	232	1 to 9	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	64	11 189	10 to 19	—	—	—
1969	83	4 471	20 to 49	—	—	—
			50 to 99	—	—	—
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	—	—	—
			500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

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	7	42	6	38	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
1969	4	40	3	33	3	187	2	164	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	5	11	4	7	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 24	2	31	2	31	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 49	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	136	1	136	3
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	140	1	140	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	3	253	3	253	3	83	3	83	(NA)
1969	4	290	3	226	3	74	2	62	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	3
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	70	875	53	801	22	105	16	89	107
1969	88	881	(NA)	(NA)	22	57	(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	1	20	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	2	21	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	2	50	2	50
Other hogs and pigs	5	18	1969	3	24	2	23
1969	3	12	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	2	27	2	27
Lambs under 1 year old	2	24	1969	2	11	2	11
Ewes 1 year old or older	3	219	1974	2	23	2	23
Rams and wethers	3	10	1969	2	13	1	12

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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	21	(X)	14	(X)	3	(X)	2	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	20	495	14	354	3	370	2	70
1969	12	9 247	10	9 215	1	1 000	1	1 000
Hens and pullets of laying age	20	436	14	305	3	370	2	70
1969	12	6 189	10	6 157	1	1 000	1	1 000
Farms with—								
1 to 99	20	436	14	305	2	70	2	70
100 to 399	—	—	—	—	1	300	—	—
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3	21	1	10	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	2	3	(Z)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(D)

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	14	305	2	70	Turkeys	3	12	—	—
1969	10	6 157	1	1 000	1969	1	2	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	14	270	2	70	Turkeys for slaughter	2	10	—	—
1974	14	270	2	70	Heavy breed	2	10	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	4	35	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1974	4	35	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	2	2	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	5	38	—	—	1969	1	2	—	—
1969	3	3 028	—	—	Other poultry	3	(X)	—	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	7	11	—	—	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
1974	7	11	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	2	14	1	4					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	5	2	163	29	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	—	2	—	138	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	—	1	—	20	—	666
Other small grains for grain	3	3	298	227	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	2	2	(D)	186	(D)	(D)
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	13	15	669	635	2 105	2 018
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	3	—	20	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1	—	1	—	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	2	(NA)	30	—	(X)	(X)

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over								
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	—	2	—	29	—	1 029	—	2	29
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	—	157	—	2 275	—	3	—	157
Corn for dry fodder, haggged or grazed	2	—	6	—	(X)	(X)	2	—	6
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	2	—	138	—	7 375	—	2	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	8	7	490	300	1 860	1 370	8	7	490

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	21	4 067	(X)	8	554	3	127	2	6	1	10
1969	14	1 019	(X)	12	827	4	388	4	74	—	—
Improved pasture	9	3 874	(X)	—	—	1	27	1	4	—	—
1969	5	1 762	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for all purposes	5	163	(X)	5	163	5	163	5	16	—	—
1969	2	29	(X)	2	29	2	29	—	—	2	2
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	138	(X)	2	138	2	138	1	20	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	20	666	1	20	1	20	(NA)	—	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley (bushels)	3	298	21 070	3	298	3	298	—	—	(NA)	—
1969	3	227	10 350	3	227	2	177	(NA)	—	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	30
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	12	635	2 059	11	585	1	40	1	30	1	1
1969	15	635	2 019	15	635	1	36	1	4	—	—
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	80	1	7	1	3
1969	2	186	(D)	2	186	2	186	(NA)	—	(NA)	34
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	15	(X)	2	15	2	15	2	10	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

**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.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Nursery and greenhouse products.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other crops.....1974.....	2	30	(X)	2	30	—	—	—	—	—	

**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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime.....farms.....	20	36	20	36	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	34	21	34	21	Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms.....	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	12	9	12	9	.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	735	989	735	989	.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—
.....tons.....	112	176	112	176	Weeds or grass in crops.....farms.....	1	3	1	3
.....\$1,000.....	30	13	30	13	.....acres on which used.....	80	183	80	183
Lime.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	1	1	1	1
.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms.....	2	2	2	2
.....tons.....	—	—	—	—	.....acres on which used.....	10	700	10	700
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land.....farms.....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Insects on hay crops.....farms.....	1	—	1	—	.....acres on which used.....	100	(NA)	100	(NA)
.....acres on which used.....	80	—	80	—	.....\$1,000.....	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
.....\$1,000.....	(Z)	—	(Z)	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops.....farms.....	1	1	1	1	of crops or thinning of fruit.....farms.....	—	—	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	80	121	80	121	.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	2	2	2	2	.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—
Nematodes in crops.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms.....	6	22	6	22
.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	1	4	1	4
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text).....farms.....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(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.....farms.....	20	21	20	21	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms.....percent.....	25.3	21.8	25.3	21.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....farms.....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Total land irrigated.....acres.....	1 660	2 072	1 660	2 072	.....acres.....	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Average per farm.....acres.....	83.0	98.6	83.0	98.6	Other sprinkler systems.....farms.....	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Cropland irrigated.....farms.....	20	21	20	21	.....acres.....	119	(NA)	119	(NA)
.....acres.....	1 660	2 072	1 660	2 072	Land in irrigated farms.....acres.....	36 334	82 881	36 334	82 881
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	15	18	15	18	.....acres.....	3 232	2 539	3 232	2 539
.....acres.....	1 056	1 245	1 056	1 245	Harvested cropland.....acres.....	1 056	1 245	1 056	1 245
Cropland pasture irrigated.....farms.....	8	12	8	12	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	(X)	—	(X)
.....acres.....	554	827	554	827	between 1970 and 1973.....farms.....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated.....farms.....	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	.....acres irrigated in most recent year.....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage.....farms.....	—	1	—	1
.....acres.....	50	—	50	—	Proportion of farms.....percent.....	—	1.0	—	1.0
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied.....acre-feet.....	4 289	4 333	4 289	4 333	Land in farms with drainage.....acres.....	—	184	—	184
Average per acre irrigated.....acre-feet.....	2.6	2.1	2.6	2.1	Land drained.....acres.....	—	65	—	65
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm.....acres.....	—	65.0	—	65.0
Furrows or ditches.....farms.....	8	(NA)	8	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
.....acres.....	770	(NA)	770	(NA)	tanks.....farms.....	33	(NA)	33	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	.....number.....	248	(NA)	248	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	.....acres.....	386	(NA)	386	(NA)

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text).....farms.....	—	25	23	8	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	—	3 723	2 791	933	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Under \$5,000.....	—	1	1	2	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	—	6	5	3	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999.....	—	2	2	1	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	—	16	15	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Farms.....	54	40	15	14
150 days or more.....	40	44	98	94	436	336	Cash wages paid—\$1,000.....	467	436	24	7
25 to 149 days.....	15	50	43	151	24	7	Number of workers.....	192	98	43	51
Less than 25 days.....	14	—	51	—	7	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor.....	2	10	(NA)	(NA)	3	12	1 worker.....	18	19	6	2
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor.....	1	(NA)	14	(NA)	2	(NA)	2 workers.....	11	9	2	4
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers.....	12	10	4	4
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers.....	10	1	3	3
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over.....	3	1	—	1