

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number.....	537	689	202	233
Land in farms..... acres.....	91 030	134 511	45 754	77 930
Average size of farm..... acres.....	170	195	227	334
Approximate land area..... acres.....	491 520	491 520	491 520	491 520
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	18.5	27.4	9.3	15.9
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	29 151	21 612	16 107	12 553
Average per farm..... dollars.....	54 284	31 367	79 738	53 876
Average per acre..... dollars.....	320	161	352	161
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	19	16	11	9
10 to 49 acres.....	86	125	17	16
50 to 69 acres.....	44	65	8	9
70 to 99 acres.....	99	108	33	26
100 to 139 acres.....	78	98	28	26
140 to 179 acres.....	46	74	15	25
180 to 219 acres.....	39	48	16	25
220 to 259 acres.....	35	30	22	16
260 to 499 acres.....	65	87	34	49
500 to 999 acres.....	19	22	12	17
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	7	12	6	12
2,000 acres and over.....	-	4	-	3
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland..... farms.....	465	616	165	201
..... acres.....	37 814	49 072	19 224	24 940
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	349	358	148	164
..... acres.....	8 206	9 622	5 758	6 865
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres.....	111	102	26	118
10 to 19 acres.....	111	97	31	
20 to 29 acres.....	52	67	23	
30 to 49 acres.....	35	44	30	
50 to 99 acres.....	24	30	23	29
100 to 199 acres.....	14	14	13	
200 to 499 acres.....	2	4	2	
500 to 999 acres.....	-	-	-	3
1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	379	487	119	
..... acres.....	27 411	32 704	13 049	14 999
Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	71	208	18	(NA)
..... acres.....	2 197	6 746	417	3 076
Total woodland..... farms.....	385	490	137	168
..... acres.....	33 573	63 701	16 296	39 444
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	358	446	139	(NA)
..... acres.....	19 643	21 738	10 234	13 546
Irrigated land..... farms.....	2	10	2	3
..... acres.....	17	288	17	23
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	18	(NA)	18	(NA)
..... acres.....	417	3 076	417	3 076
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	5	17	5	17
..... acres.....	266	539	266	539
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	3	8	3	8
..... acres.....	28	86	28	86
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	2	7	2	7
..... acres.....	17	910	17	910
Cropland idle..... farms.....	8	48	8	48
..... acres.....	106	1 541	106	1 541
Total woodland..... farms.....	137	168	137	168
..... acres.....	16 296	39 444	16 296	39 444
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	72	91	72	91
..... acres.....	5 920	8 573	5 920	8 573
Total woodland - Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	95	116	95	116
..... acres.....	10 376	30 871	10 376	30 871
Other land..... farms.....	139	(NA)	139	(NA)
..... acres.....	10 234	13 546	10 234	13 546
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	54	73	54	73
..... acres.....	7 911	10 890	7 911	10 890
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	42	41	42	41
..... acres.....	4 791	6 171	4 791	6 171
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	25	42	25	42
..... acres.....	3 120	4 719	3 120	4 719
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....	127	143	127	143
..... acres.....	2 323	2 656	2 323	2 656

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number.....	537	689	202	233
Land in farms..... acres.....	91 030	134 511	45 754	77 930
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	8 206	9 622	5 758	6 865
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners..... number.....	429	540	147	154
Land in farms..... acres.....	66 119	100 295	29 710	54 615
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	5 487	6 066	3 574	3 943
Part owners..... number.....	75	100	43	57
Land in farms..... acres.....	19 791	25 998	13 716	18 903
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	2 248	2 863	1 936	2 418
Tenants..... number.....	33	49	12	22
Land in farms..... acres.....	5 120	8 218	2 328	4 412
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	471	693	248	504
Percent of tenancy.....	6.1	7.1	5.9	9.4
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators..... number.....	34	88	2	19
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 155	6 065	160	1 527
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	288	896	103	538
Full owners..... number.....	33	67	1	6
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 055	4 529	60	720
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	188	260	3	32
Part owners..... number.....	-	6	-	4
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	379	-	234
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	288	-	230
Tenants..... number.....	1	15	1	9
Land in farms..... acres.....	100	1 157	100	573
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	100	348	100	276
Percent of tenancy.....	2.9	17.0	50.0	47.3
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	192	214
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	43 701	61 272
Farms by type of organization - Con.				
Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	16
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 581	11 711
Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	2
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	472	(D)
Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	(D)
Farm operators by age group: ²				
Under 25 years.....	7	6	4	5
25 to 34 years.....	27	35	12	22
35 to 44 years.....	66	92	21	37
45 to 54 years.....	113	158	42	50
55 to 64 years.....	161	217	67	76
65 years and over.....	159	181	53	43
Average age.....	56.7	56.1	56.0	52.9
Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
On farm operated.....	307	416	122	135
On another farm.....	6	3	7	64
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	13	156	7	
In a city, town, or urban area.....	95	26	26	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
None.....	135	(NA)	68	(NA)
1 to 49 days.....	24	55	7	19
50 to 99 days.....	20	39	2	16
100 to 149 days.....	12	54	4	17
150 to 199 days.....	18	6	6	
200 days and over.....	251	337	61	
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farming.....	214	(NA)	119	(NA)
Other.....	319	(NA)	80	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)

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	24	31	23	31			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	38		38				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	22	27	22	27			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26	28	26	28			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	46	40	46			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	87	44	86			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	343	470	9	15			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	32	44	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	44	60	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	63	76	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	204	290	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	9 454	5 582	8 921	5 102			
Average per farm dollars	17 604	8 101	44 162	21 894			
Crops, including hay	89	169	45	(NA)			
\$1,000	251	386	223	164			
Nursery and greenhouse products	8		7	3			
\$1,000	552		551	186			
Forest products	59	90	38	49			
\$1,000	180	154	167	139			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	475	583	193	215			
\$1,000	8 471	5 042	7 979	4 613			
Poultry and poultry products	78	(NA)	67	63			
\$1,000	6 720	(NA)	6 706	3 519			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000							
Grains							
\$1,000							
Tobacco							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000							
Other field crops							
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000							
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000							
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000							
Dairy products							
\$1,000							
Cattle and calves							
\$1,000							
Hogs and pigs							
\$1,000							
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products							
\$1,000							

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	314	(NA)	55	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹							
\$1,000	79	(NA)	36	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	31	57	15	37			
\$1,000	50	39	16	33			
Recreational services	2	2	-	2			
\$1,000	(Z)	3	-	3			
Government farm programs	34	169	17	66			
\$1,000	16	119	11	89			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	13	(NA)	5	(NA)			
\$1,000	4	(NA)	1	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	2	(NA)	1	(NA)			
\$1,000	3	(NA)	1	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	36	(NA)	17	(NA)			
\$1,000	31	(NA)	7	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources ²							
\$1,000							
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
\$1,000							
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
\$1,000							
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
\$1,000							
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							
\$1,000							
Rent income of nonfarm property							
\$1,000							

¹See text. ²1974 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	536	689	202	233					
\$1,000	9 176	5 122	8 389	4 515					
Farms with --									
\$1 to \$999	115	246	3	45					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	138	193	13	26					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	61	60	18	44					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	72	61	32	24					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	48	37	38					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19		19	24					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	25		25	24					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	19	81	19	24					
\$60,000 and over	37		36	32					
Livestock and poultry purchased	195	244	106	122					
\$1,000	1 270	831	1 193	778					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	477	558	183	199					
\$1,000	5 142	2 478	4 867	2 273					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	369	324	167	174					
\$1,000	4 618	2 137	4 523	2 080					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	54	41					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	90	56					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	42	25					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	231	91					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	15	40					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	47					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	118	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	49	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	126	225	40	75					
\$1,000	110	85	104	76					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	358	494	120	169					
\$1,000	295	213	190	143					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	121	(NA)	55	(NA)					
\$1,000	31	51	23	35					
Lime	(NA)	83	3	38					
\$1,000	(NA)	21	1	9					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	515	659	201	230					
\$1,000	368	214	304	140					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	184	219					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	98	77					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	47	59					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	49	11					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	67	97					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	120	25					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	201	229					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	26					
Hired farm labor	181	303	87	144					
\$1,000	555	356	471	323					
Contract labor	24	229	16	26					
\$1,000	14	125	12	44					
Machine hire and customwork	135		56	83					
\$1,000	56		39	56					
All other production expenses	473	511	201	223					
\$1,000	1 335	766	1 137	646					

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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms	505	639	188	214	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms	1	3	1	3
	\$1,000	4 942	3 109	2 670	1 704		number	1	3	1	3
Average per farm	dollars	9 785	4 864	14 204	7 962	mfd in last 5 years, number		—	3	—	3
Farms by value group:					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.						
\$1 to \$999		7	74	2	106	Corn heads for combines	farms	—	1	—	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999		155	382	38	—		number	—	1	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999		196	110	48	53	mfd in last 5 years, number		—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999		95	51	58	34	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms	3	—	1	1
\$20,000 to \$29,999		31	—	23	16		number	3	—	1	1
\$30,000 to \$49,999		14	—	13	—	mfd in last 5 years, number		—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$69,999		5	22	4	5	Mower conditioners	farms	45	(NA)	33	(NA)
\$70,000 and over		2	—	2	—		number	53	(NA)	38	(NA)
						mfd in last 5 years, number		24	(NA)	16	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.						
Automobiles	farms	334	370	128	114	Pickup balers	farms	92	100	57	66
	number	413	423	163	133		number	95	101	58	67
mfd in last 5 years, number		171	278	110	93	mfd in last 5 years, number		40	59	30	45
Motor trucks, including pickups	farms	440	518	167	185	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	farms	50	(NA)	33	34
	number	534	612	231	246		number	52	(NA)	34	44
mfd in last 5 years, number		195	374	113	170	mfd in last 5 years, number		18	(NA)	13	33
Wheel tractors	farms	415	489	162	182	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms	6	(NA)	5	6
	number	538	634	256	279		number	6	(NA)	5	7
mfd in last 5 years, number		129	243	86	126	mfd in last 5 years, number		3	(NA)	2	6
Crawler tractors	farms	17	—	5	7						
	number	17	—	5	7						
mfd in last 5 years, number		5	—	—	4						

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	1974	477	(X)	181	(X)	475	(X)	193	(X)	7 979
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1974	453	(X)	158	(X)	445	(X)	165	(X)	929
	1969	575	(X)	185	(X)	550	(X)	191	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	1974	449	21 169	158	12 850	442	8 275	165	5 864	905
	1969	565	18 801	182	11 634	541	9 755	190	6 472	785
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	4	10	—	—	103	273	8	21	4
5 to 9	1974	34	250	—	—	111	708	17	115	21
10 to 19	1974	76	1 039	13	175	102	1 349	35	510	89
20 to 49	1974	214	6 746	51	1 694	97	2 991	77	2 476	346
50 to 99	1974	73	4 930	47	3 245	20	1 402	20	1 402	244
100 to 199	1974	37	4 662	37	4 662	6	903	6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	9	(D)	8	(D)	3	649	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	349	11 479	147	7 734	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	462	10 748	170	7 398	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	336	10 770	139	7 197	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	(NA)	9 916	159	6 791	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	40	709	14	537	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	89	832	31	607	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	343
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)	272
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	336	10 770	139	7 197	Cattle sold	109	2 243	545		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 to 4	16	43	2	6	1 to 4	28	75	17		
5 to 9	40	266	4	27	5 to 9	14	101	25		
10 to 19	98	1 393	24	308	10 to 19	33	454	112		
20 to 49	122	3 638	55	1 816	20 to 49	22	642	132		
50 to 99	47	2 988	42	2 716	50 to 99	9	567	150		
100 to 199	8	982	7	864	100 to 199	3	404	110		
200 to 499	5	1 460	5	1 460	200 to 499	—	—	—		
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—	—		
Milk cows	40	709	14	537	Calves sold	139	3 621	359		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 or 2	24	33	3	4	1 or 2	10	17	1		
3 or 4	2	6	1	3	3 or 4	6	21	2		
5 to 9	2	11	—	—	5 to 9	13	89	10		
10 to 19	1	10	—	—	10 to 19	42	607	69		
20 to 49	2	(D)	2	70	20 to 49	55	1 632	168		
50 to 99	8	460	8	460	50 to 99	9	627	48		
100 to 199	1	(D)	—	—	100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)		
500 and over	—	—	—	—	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.....	1974.....	116	2 259	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974....	7	56	16
	1969.....	157	2 515		1969....	7	48	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974.....	110	2 078	Farms with—				
	1974.....	12	181	1 to 9.....	1974....	4	17	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974.....	129	2 857	10 to 19.....	1974....	3	39	13
	1969.....	161	1 721	20 to 49.....	1974....	-	-	-
				50 to 99.....	1974....	-	-	-
				100 to 199.....	1974....	-	-	-
				200 to 499.....	1974....	-	-	-
				500 and over	1974....	-	-	-

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	1974.....	36	615	7	179	16	1 569	5	370	24
	1969.....	61	1 642	19	568	35	1 818	13	858	(NA)
Farms with—										
		1 to 4.....	1974....	23	54	2	4	5	10	-
		5 to 9.....	1974....	4	29	-	-	3	17	-
		10 to 24.....	1974....	4	29	-	-	2	33	-
		25 to 49.....	1974....	5	83	2	40	2	40	3
		50 to 99.....	1974....	2	71	2	71	1	40	11
		100 to 199.....	1974....	1	(D)	1	64	3	210	10
		200 to 499.....	1974....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	-
		500 and over.....	1974....	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
		Feeder pigs sold.....	1974....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	(D)	-
			1969....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	14	-
				(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	72	42
										(NA)
Sheep and lambs										
		1974.....	1	15	-	-	1	9	-	(NA)
		1969.....	1	38	-	-	3	32	2	20
Sheep and lambs shorn.....										
		1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....										
		1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	-
Goats										
		1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
		1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	14	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Horses and ponies.....										
		1974.....	89	228	25	69	12	34	4	6
		1969.....	129	351	(NA)	(NA)	8	9	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory			
		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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974.....	5	20	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969.....	11	78	December 1 of preceding year and November 30					
Other hogs and pigs	1974.....	7	159	December 1 of preceding year and May 31					
	1969.....	18	490	June 1 and November 30.....					
Lambs under 1 year old	1974.....	-	-			16	177	5	35
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974.....	-	-			30	214	12	84
Rams and wethers.....	1974.....	-	-			13	110	5	18
	1969.....	-	-			23	126	8	48
						11	67	5	17
						16	88	7	36

1 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	1974.....	99	(X)	56	(X)	79	(X)	67	(X)	
	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	68	(X)	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974.....	51	214 035	10	212 400	20	199 621	9	198 879	
	1969.....	121	237 019	28	233 002	17	249 720	12	248 520	
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974.....	46	203 308	8	201 754	16	112 031	5	111 289	
	1969.....	113	155 210	23	151 522	12	125 070	7	123 870	
Farms with—										
		1 to 99.....	1974....	40	608	3	54	10	42	-
		100 to 399.....	1974....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		400 to 1,599.....	1974....	1	(D)	-	-	2	(D)	(D)
		1,600 to 3,199.....	1974....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		3,200 to 9,999.....	1974....	2	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-
		10,000 to 19,999.....	1974....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	(D)
		20,000 to 49,999.....	1974....	-	-	-	-	3	99 750	3
		50,000 to 99,999.....	1974....	3	190 000	3	190 000	-	-	-
		100,000 and over	1974....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974.....	50	1 169 341	47	1 157 311	60	5 740 370	58	5 692 360	
	1969.....	43	916 043	40	916 000	52	4 352 162	51	4 352 042	
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	78	6 720	67	6 706	
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	63	3 519	

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	8	201 754	5	111 289	Turkeys	1974	--	--	--	--
	1969	23	151 522	7	123 870		1969	--	--	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	7	(D)	4	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	--	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	Heavy breed	1974	--	--	--	--
						Light breed	1974	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	4	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	--	--	--	--
	1969	8	79 080	5	123 000		1969	--	--	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	(D)	2	(D)	Other poultry	1974	--	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	--	--		1969	1	(X)	--	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms							
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes		54	71	316	709		(X)		(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		6	13	11	211		(X)		(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		6	--	192	--	3 790			
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		2	14	2	13	700			5 710
Wheat (bushels)		--	--	--	--	--			--
Other small grains for grain		--	4	--	26	--	(X)		(X)
Cotton (bales)		4	41	395	1 556	115			553
Tobacco (pounds)		--	--	--	--	--			--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		9	(NA)	10	(NA)	1 693			(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		5	(NA)	9	(NA)	778			(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		305	260	7 023	6 887	15 223			12 902
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		9	38	27	100	(X)			(X)
Land in orchards		10	10	140	49	(X)			(X)
Berries for sale		--	--	--	--	(X)			(X)
Other crops		15	(NA)	100	165	(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)		11	12	130	185	7 956	2 834	--	--
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		--	3	--	65	(X)	(X)	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		1	--	1	--	15	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		1	(NA)	5	175	(X)	(X)	(NA)	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		3	5	100	259	170	975	--	--

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						
						Total		Dry		Liquid		
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	119	13 049	(X)	--	--	45	3 459	43	438	3	21
	1969	142	14 999	(X)	--	--	60	3 929	60	559	--	--
Improved pasture	1974	42	4 791	(X)	--	--	16	1 130	16	190	--	--
	1969	41	6 171	(X)	--	--	14	1 664	14	280	--	--
Corn for all purposes	1974	11	130	(X)	--	--	11	130	11	26	--	--
	1969	15	250	(X)	--	--	13	228	13	51	--	--
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	1	6	(X)	--	--	1	6	1	1	--	--
	1969	4	175	(X)	--	--	1	75	1	7	--	--
Wheat (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Oats (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Barley (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Rye (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain	1974	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	6	192	3 790	--	--	2	145	2	20	--	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	3	3	900	--	--	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	137	4 828	11 273	--	--	53	1 835	52	399	3	8
	1969	126	4 900	9 809	1	10	69	2 438	69	809	1	3
Field seed crops	1974	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969	1	14	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton (bales)	1974	4	395	115	--	--	4	395	4	54	--	--
	1969	30	1 448	509	--	--	29	1 408	(NA)	282	(NA)	2
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	7	1 400	--	--	1	7	1	1	--	--
	1969	8	1	116	--	--	2	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	8	(X)	--	--	1	8	1	5	--	--
	1969	8	25	(X)	--	--	5	20	5	10	--	--
Land in orchards	1974	4	131	(X)	--	--	1	10	1	3	--	--
	1969	6	33	(X)	--	--	1	1	1	(Z)	--	--

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

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	7	65	(X)	2	17	2	64	2	11	—
.....	1969	3	72	(X)	2	12	2	72	2	21	—
Other crops	1974	2	8	(X)	—	—	2	8	2	2	—

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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	forms	126	178	forms	126	178	forms	178	
.....	\$1,000	214	178	.....	forms	—	forms	1
Commercial fertilizer	forms	120	141	.....	acres on which used	—	.....	2
.....	acres on which used	7 198	9 838	.....	\$1,000	—	.....	(Z)
.....	tons	1 177	2 025	Weeds or grass in crops	forms	9	forms	18	
.....	\$1,000	190	143	.....	acres on which used	550	.....	1 105
Lime	forms	3	38	Weeds or brush in pasture	\$1,000	4	forms	5	
.....	acres on which used	112	1 140	.....	forms	17	.....	18
.....	tons	184	1 658	.....	acres on which used	720	.....	712
.....	\$1,000	1	9	Weeds on all other land	\$1,000	2	.....	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	forms	5	30	.....	acres on which used	6	.....	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	163	922	.....	\$1,000	67	.....	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	1	4	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	forms	1	forms	4	
Insects on other crops	forms	3	28	.....	acres on which used	125	.....	202
.....	acres on which used	342	1 320	.....	\$1,000	(Z)	.....	1
.....	\$1,000	9	10	Insect control on livestock and poultry	forms	20	forms	50	
Nematodes in crops	forms	—	—	.....	\$1,000	3	forms	5
.....	acres on which used	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	forms	19	forms	(NA)	
.....	\$1,000	—	—	.....	\$1,000	3	forms	(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	forms	2	3	Land irrigated by—Continued	forms	1	forms	(NA)	
Proportion of farms	percent	1.0	1.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	acres	15	forms	(NA)	
Total land irrigated	acres	17	23	Other sprinkler systems	forms	1	forms	(NA)	
Average per farm	acres	8.5	7.6	.....	acres	2	forms	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	forms	2	3	Land in irrigated farms	acres	1 021	forms	1 289	
.....	acres	17	23	.....	acres	395	forms	545
Harvested cropland irrigated	forms	2	3	Harvested cropland	acres	165	forms	168	
.....	acres	17	23	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	forms	—	forms	(X)	
Cropland pasture irrigated	forms	—	—	.....	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	forms	(X)
.....	acres	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	forms	—	forms	2	
Other cropland irrigated	forms	—	(NA)	.....	percent	—	forms	0.8
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	forms	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	acres	—	forms	328	
.....	acres	—	—	.....	acres	—	forms	320
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	32	48	Average per farm	acres	—	forms	160.0	
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.9	2.1	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	forms	89	forms	(NA)	
Land irrigated by—	forms	—	(NA)	tanks	number	222	forms	(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	acres	—	(NA)	.....	acres	267	forms	(NA)

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

	Forms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000	Forms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	forms	48	27	34	48	27	34
.....	\$1,000	765	518	247	765	518	247
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	forms	17	10	21	17	10	21
\$5,000 to \$9,999	forms	10	—	8	10	—	8
\$10,000 to \$29,999	forms	13	12	3	13	12	3
\$30,000 to \$49,999	forms	5	2	2	5	2	2
\$50,000 and over	forms	3	3	—	3	3	—

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—							87	22	16	66
150 days or more	22	27	114	78	367	323	471	367	72	31
25 to 149 days	16	130	130	818	72	31	585	114	130	341
Less than 25 days	66	—	341	—	31	—				
Total contract labor	16	26	(NA)	(NA)	12	44				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	37	(NA)	7	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							32	13	9	23
2 workers							9	5	1	5
3 or 4 workers							19	—	—	19
5 to 9 workers							14	1	4	9
10 workers and over							13	3	2	10