

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	442	481	154	153	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms	68 058	68 279	41 123	38 267	Total cropland	385	391	132	125
Average size of farm	154	142	267	250	Harvested cropland	34 242	30 527	20 890	16 603
Approximate land area	397 568	397 568	397 568	397 568	Farms by acres harvested:	9 153	5 906	7 757	4 261
Proportion in farms	17.1	17.2	10.3	9.6	1 to 9 acres	57	62	12	
Value of land and buildings	26 608	15 779	14 489	7 720	10 to 19 acres	56	41	17	
Average per farm	60 200	32 804	94 087	50 454	20 to 29 acres	30	33	14	62
Average per acre	391	231	352	202	30 to 49 acres	28	27	21	
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres	19	18	18	14
1 to 9 acres	12	10	4	2	100 to 199 acres	12	5	12	5
10 to 49 acres	98	112	14	14	200 to 499 acres	4	3	4	3
50 to 69 acres	38	42	5	4	500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
70 to 99 acres	65	85	15	12	1,000 acres and over	1	-	1	-
100 to 139 acres	74	68	10	12	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	312	342	93	99
140 to 179 acres	37	39	23	15	Other cropland (see text)	23 283	23 081	11 940	11 236
180 to 219 acres	43	37	27	24	Total woodland	46	46	15	(NA)
220 to 259 acres	16	28	4	17	Other land (see text)	1 806	1 540	1 193	1 106
260 to 499 acres	43	44	36	37	Irrigated land	297	337	101	122
500 to 999 acres	13	13	13	10	Woodland not pastured	18 074	22 666	9 633	11 985
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	3	1	3	Other land (see text)	291	315	116	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	2	-	2	-	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	15 742	15 086	10 600	9 679
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland	7	3	7	3
					Improved pastureland and rangeland	689	20	689	20
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.			91	90

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	442	481	154	153	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	68 058	68 279	41 123	38 267	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	7	15
Harvested cropland	9 153	5 906	7 757	4 261	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	4 388	4 975
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	1	-
Full owners	343	385	104	107	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	320	-
Land in farms	44 316	46 998	22 601	22 914	Other	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
Harvested cropland	3 700	2 570	2 693	1 470	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	-	450
Part owners	88	84	48	43	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms	21 621	19 538	(D)	14 573	Under 25 years	8	1	1	-
Harvested cropland	4 418	3 196	(D)	2 741	25 to 34 years	60	42	23	13
Tenants	11	12	2	3	35 to 44 years	88	118	16	37
Land in farms	2 121	1 743	(D)	780	45 to 54 years	111	150	48	45
Harvested cropland	1 035	140	(D)	50	55 to 64 years	117	112	53	36
Percent of tenancy	2.5	2.4	1.3	1.9	65 years and over	57	58	12	22
Black and other races, see text—					Average age	49.9	50.3	51.0	51.1
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators	2	4	-	-	On farm operated	306	329	104	112
Land in farms	414	350	-	-	On another farm	9	7	6	1
Harvested cropland	70	80	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	10	71	1	20
Full owners	1	-	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area	30		10	
Land in farms	220	-	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland	10	-	-	-	None	101	(NA)	34	(NA)
Part owners	1	4	-	-	1 to 49 days	11	24	5	5
Land in farms	194	350	-	-	50 to 99 days	9	18	9	9
Harvested cropland	60	80	-	-	100 to 149 days	10	40	8	16
Tenants	-	-	-	-	150 to 199 days	24	2	2	2
Land in farms	-	-	-	-	200 days and over	242	296	67	68
Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy	-	-	-	-	Farming	126	(NA)	66	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other	315	(NA)	87	(NA)
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	146	137	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	36 415	32 842	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	17	(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	9	11	9	11			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	13	18	13	18			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	12	18	12	18			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	21	27	21	27			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	37	40	37			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	47	56	47	56			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	300	332	12	4			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	21	34	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	54	45	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	61	59	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	164	194	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	7 301	2 652	7 036	2 356			
Average per farm dollars	16 519	5 514	45 690	15 398			
Crops, including hay	84	70	48	(NA)			
\$1,000	509	150	478	125			
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	1	1	1			
\$1,000	5	5	5	(D)			
Forest products	37	32	22	22			
\$1,000	121	67	113	64			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	392	418	144	144			
\$1,000	6 667	2 436	6 441	2 166			
Poultry and poultry products	23	(NA)	16	16			
\$1,000	5 178	(NA)	5 178	1 010			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms		farms				
\$1,000	48	(NA)	478	125			
Grains	farms		farms				
\$1,000	18	15	386	48			
Tobacco	farms		farms				
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed	farms		farms				
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms		farms				
\$1,000	31	20	85	36			
Other field crops	farms		farms				
\$1,000	1	2	(Z)	(D)			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms		farms				
\$1,000	4	6	3	3			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms		farms				
\$1,000	3	5	144	144			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms		farms				
\$1,000	6 441	2 166	16	16			
Poultry and poultry products	farms		farms				
\$1,000	5 178	1 010	10	19			
Dairy products	farms		farms				
\$1,000	436	411	131	(NA)			
Cattle and calves	farms		farms				
\$1,000	72	96	171	650			
Hogs and pigs	farms		farms				
\$1,000	72	96	16	16			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms		farms				
\$1,000	-	-	8	8			
Other livestock and livestock products	farms		farms				
\$1,000	34	34	34	34			

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 sold ¹	282	(NA)	60	(NA)		6
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms		farms			
\$1,000	56	(NA)	26	(NA)		105
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms		farms			
\$1,000	66	(NA)	54	(NA)		1 079
Recreational services	farms		farms			
\$1,000	14	15	7	8		28
Government farm programs	farms		farms			
\$1,000	23	30	21	23		260
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms		farms			
\$1,000	3	4	-	1		69
Other farm-related sources	farms		farms			
\$1,000	1	(Z)	-	(Z)		722
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms		farms			
\$1,000	33	93	15	34		43
Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms		farms			
\$1,000	12	20	5	9		22
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms		farms			
\$1,000	9	(NA)	6	(NA)		43
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms		farms			
\$1,000	28	(NA)	27	(NA)		20
Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms		farms			
\$1,000	4	(NA)	3	(NA)		45
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms		farms			
\$1,000	3	(NA)	2	(NA)		8
Rent income of nonfarm property	farms		farms			
\$1,000	18	(NA)	9	(NA)		9

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	farms		farms						
\$1,000	441	481	154	153					
Farms with -									
\$1 to \$999	95	166	4	20					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	106	115	7	13					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	66	56	21	37					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	57	55	27	36					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	42	39	37					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19	19	19	22					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	16	47	16	15					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	7	7	7	10					
\$60,000 and over	14	14	14	10					
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms		farms						
\$1,000	182	236	71	92					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms		farms						
\$1,000	982	608	870	530					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms		farms						
\$1,000	412	424	142	135					
Feed ingredients	farms		farms						
\$1,000	3 715	1 069	3 521	938					
Whole grains	farms		farms						
\$1,000	293	257	131	117					
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms		farms						
\$1,000	3 425	913	3 332	856					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	29					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	34					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	17					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	9					
Lime	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	45					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	66	39					
Gasoline	farms		farms						
\$1,000	430	459	154	153					
Diesel oil	farms		farms						
\$1,000	207	115	156	74					
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	136	144					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms		farms						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	48					
Hired farm labor	farms		farms						
\$1,000	88	138	36	71					
Contract labor	farms		farms						
\$1,000	473	83	460	69					
Machine hire and customwork	farms		farms						
\$1,000	15	151	11	12					
All other production expenses	farms		farms						
\$1,000	17	45	15	12					
	farms		farms						
\$1,000	81	24	52	16					
	farms		farms						
\$1,000	366	336	149	153					
	farms		farms						
\$1,000	990	444	836	344					

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..... farms.....	422	454	144	151	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	12	5	12	5
\$1,000.....	4 305	1 975	2 411	1 033	number.....	16	5	16	5
Average per farm..... dollars.....	10 202	4 349	16 746	6 837	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	2	1	2
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	17	61	1	76	Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	-	7	-	-
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	112	283	20	38	number.....	-	7	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	155	62	41	29	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	2	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	90	38	41	4	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	4	2	5	5
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	31	10	24	4	number.....	4	2	5	2
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	11		11		mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	-	-	-
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	2		2		Mower conditioners..... farms.....	51	(NA)	34	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	4		4		number.....	54	(NA)	37	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	266	301	95	105	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	(NA)	17	(NA)
number.....	322	356	115	134	Pickup balers..... farms.....	76	61	47	37
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	142	220	59	95	number.....	77	61	47	37
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	368	392	134	138	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	31	19	23
number.....	449	450	196	169	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	36	(NA)	21	18
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	186	270	97	120	number.....	36	(NA)	21	22
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	353	343	127	129	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	11	16
number.....	470	444	211	196	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	13	(NA)	7	3
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	92	175	56	89	number.....	13	(NA)	7	3
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	19		10	9	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	1	2
number.....	19		10	9					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	5					

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		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Any livestock or poultry.....1974.....	403	(X)	139	(X)	392	(X)	144	(X)	6 441
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	390	(X)	134	(X)	379	(X)	134	(X)	793
.....1969.....	437	(X)	135	(X)	401	(X)	132	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	384	17 009	131	10 979	371	6 538	131	4 976	721
.....1969.....	423	13 592	131	8 471	388	7 177	129	4 951	650
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	12	32	2	5	114	311	8	23	3
.....1974.....	27	187	2	14	86	595	8	52	6
5 to 9.....1974.....	101	1 482	11	157	85	1 160	29	429	60
.....1974.....	138	4 315	29	1 021	57	1 803	57	1 803	276
10 to 19.....1974.....	66	4 376	47	3 165	21	1 281	21	1 281	167
.....1974.....	30	3 741	30	3 741	5	655	5	655	96
20 to 49.....1974.....	9	(D)	9	(D)	3	733	3	733	112
.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
50 to 99.....1974.....	327	9 256	122	6 303	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	348	7 519	120	5 122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199.....1974.....	316	8 578	117	5 688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	6 643	108	4 317	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499.....1974.....	45	678	20	615	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	80	876	37	805	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	327	9 256	122	6 303	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	348	7 519	120	5 122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	316	8 578	117	5 688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	6 643	108	4 317	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	45	678	20	615	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	80	876	37	805	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	436
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	411
Inventory, 1974									
	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.....	316	8 578	117	5 688	Cattle sold.....	93	2 208	418	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	21	58	3	9	1 to 4.....	10	26	5	
.....	64	456	5	33	5 to 9.....	16	108	21	
5 to 9.....	90	1 194	17	245	10 to 19.....	26	337	66	
.....	95	2 801	49	1 533	20 to 49.....	36	1 110	216	
10 to 19.....	34	2 238	31	2 037	50 to 99.....	1	90	(D)	
.....	10	(D)	10	(D)	100 to 199.....	4	537	(D)	
20 to 49.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....	-	-	-	
.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	
50 to 99.....	9	561	9	561	Calves sold.....	117	2 768	303	
.....	-	-	-	-	Farms with—				
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	1 to 2.....	6	11	1	
.....	-	-	-	-	3 to 4.....	4	13	1	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	5 to 9.....	24	160	18	
.....	-	-	-	-	10 to 19.....	32	430	46	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	20 to 49.....	40	1 188	122	
					50 to 99.....	8	575	60	
					100 to 199.....	3	391	54	
					200 to 499.....	-	-	-	
					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.....	100	2 773	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	14	162	30
1969.....	110	1 881	1969.....	2	5	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	97	2 574	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	12	199	1 to 9.....	5	25	5
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	107	1 903	10 to 19.....	6	77	14
1969.....	125	1 468	20 to 49.....	3	60	11
			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.....	40	657	14	461	34	1 213	16	930	72
1969.....	71	2 003	24	1 647	47	1 873	21	1 565	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	20	42	6	13	7	20	2	5	1
5 to 9.....	7	49	—	—	10	60	3	16	1
10 to 24.....	5	79	1	15	5	86	1	21	1
25 to 49.....	5	146	5	146	2	84	2	84	6
50 to 99.....	2	141	1	87	8	562	6	403	30
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	1	200	1	200	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	372	5	131	3
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	566	8	458	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969.....	2	5	1	1	1	4	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	1
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	98	239	29	89	9	46	5	36	31
1969.....	119	313	(NA)	(NA)	16	63	(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		Dollars (1,000)
					Farms	Number	
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....	7	29	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	15	183	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	28	99	10	46
Other hogs and pigs.....	13	432	1969.....	50	336	19	257
1969.....	21	1 464	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	25	60	9	32
Lambs under 1 year old.....	—	—	1969.....	40	176	18	127
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	—	—	1974.....	16	39	6	14
Rams and wethers.....	—	—	June 1 and November 30.....	37	160	16	130
1969.....	—	—	1969.....	—	—	—	—

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)	24	(X)	17	(X)	16	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	65	340 479	21	339 747	15	927 028	14	927 013
1969.....	80	163 319	25	161 954	18	409 216	15	408 736
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	64	215 463	20	214 770	11	675 127	10	675 112
1969.....	71	79 561	17	78 432	12	67 380	9	66 900
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	55	863	11	170	1	15	—	—
100 to 399.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	4	24 600	4	24 600	3	14 012	3	14 012
10,000 to 19,999.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	5	(D)	5	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	7	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
1969.....	3	18	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	5 178	16	5 178
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	1 010

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	214 770	10	675 112	Turkeys	1974	--	--	--	--
	1969	17	78 432	9	66 900		1969	--	--	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	14	169 170	4	625 100	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	--	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	6	45 600	6	50 012	Heavy breed	1974	--	--	--	--
						Light breed	1974	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	(D)	5	246 100	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	--	--	--	--
	1969	8	81 519	7	340 500		1969	--	--	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	(D)	6	5 801	Other poultry	1974	--	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	1	(D)		1969	4	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		21	34	138	360			(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes		8	11	286	221			(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		19	12	2 647	1 232	37 742				15 766	
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		1	9	1	8	600				6 400	
Wheat (bushels)		2	1	30	15	300				450	
Other small grains for grain		6	8	697	70	(X)				(X)	
Cotton (bales)		--	--	--	--	--				--	
Tobacco (pounds)		--	--	--	--	--				--	
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		8	(NA)	3	(NA)	260				(NA)	
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		3	(NA)	2	(NA)	178				(NA)	
Hay crops (tons, dry)		163	145	5 458	3 857	10 116				6 224	
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		8	9	16	33	(X)				(X)	
Land in orchards		8	10	49	62	(X)				(X)	
Berries for sale		6	2	3	(Z)	(X)				(X)	
Other crops		7	(NA)	50	129	(X)				(X)	

		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)		5	14	40	212	1 490	3 410	--	--	--	--
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		1	1	1	10	8	50	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		--	--	--	--	(X)	(X)	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		5	6	253	189	5 482	4 515	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		1	(NA)	14	15	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		6	1	195	6	385	23	--	--	--	--

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	93	11 940	(X)	--	--	36	2 289	36	280	--	--
	1969	99	11 236	(X)	--	--	38	1 806	38	228	--	--
Improved pasture	1974	39	3 729	(X)	--	--	24	1 798	24	241	--	--
	1969	49	5 559	(X)	2	10	36	1 997	36	325	--	--
Corn for all purposes	1974	6	41	(X)	--	--	4	28	4	3	--	--
	1969	14	222	(X)	--	--	11	177	11	38	--	--
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	5	267	(X)	--	--	2	80	2	4	--	--
	1969	8	204	(X)	--	--	7	134	7	16	--	--
Wheat (bushels)	1974	2	30	300	--	--	2	30	1	5	1	2
	1969	1	15	450	--	--	1	15	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
Oats (bushels)	1974	1	40	400	--	--	1	40	1	10	--	--
	1969	5	54	2 500	--	--	5	45	(NA)	6	(NA)	--
Barley (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Rye (bushels)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain	1974	4	647	(X)	4	647	4	647	4	73	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	17	2 609	37 112	--	--	4	378	4	34	--	--
	1969	7	1 104	13 373	--	--	5	944	(NA)	47	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	1	1	1 000	--	--	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	85	4 269	8 045	1	20	36	1 541	36	227	--	--
	1969	65	2 566	4 305	--	--	18	458	18	59	--	--
Field seed crops	1974	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969	2	98	(X)	--	--	2	98	2	14	--	--
Cotton (bales)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	2	(Z)	40	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969	6	--	29	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	5	10	(X)	1	3	1	6	1	3	--	--
	1969	7	29	(X)	--	--	5	26	5	9	--	--
Land in orchards	1974	5	45	(X)	1	19	1	30	1	1	--	--
	1969	2	51	(X)	1	10	1	50	1	30	--	--

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	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	(Z)	1	1	—	—
Other crops	1	2	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	109	168	124	72	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1	1	1	1
Commercial fertilizer	97	97	95	72	Diseases in crops and orchards	30	30	30	30
acres on which used	6 867	6 867	5 758	5 758	acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Lime	18	18	35	18	Weeds or grass in crops	6	6	15	15
acres on which used	860	860	1 015	860	acres on which used	832	832	443	443
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	13	13	9	13	Weeds or brush in pasture	26	26	21	21
Insects on hay crops	2	2	1	2	acres on which used	2 205	2 205	1 438	1 438
acres on which used	225	225	25	225	Weeds on all other land	4	4	2	2
Insects on other crops	3	3	4	3	acres on which used	126	126	(NA)	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	1	1	1	1	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	(Z)	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	1	—	—
					acres on which used	10	10	—	—
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	22	22	39	39
					Other chemicals (see text)	9	9	2	2
						1	1	(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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	7	4.5	3	1.9	Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	—	—	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	689	98.4	20	6.6	Other sprinkler systems	3	3	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	7	7	1	1	Land in irrigated farms	42	42	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	689	7	10	7	Cropland	4 583	4 583	222	222
Harvested cropland irrigated	689	7	10	7	Harvested cropland	3 444	3 444	50	50
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	—	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	2	2	Farms with artificial drainage	4	4	7	7
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	653	0.9	40	2.0	Proportion of farms	2.6	2.6	4.5	4.5
Average per acre irrigated	0.9	0.9	2.0	0.9	Land in farms with drainage	1 974	1 974	1 478	1 478
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Land drained	497	497	516	516
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	124.3	124.3	73.7	73.7
acres	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	77	77	(NA)	(NA)
					number	241	241	(NA)	(NA)
					acres	172	172	(NA)	(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		\$1,000		\$1,000	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	1	49	1 964	40	1 165	24	799
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	18	18	13	16			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	3	3	2			
\$10,000 to \$29,999	15	15	13	3			
\$30,000 to \$49,999	8	8	7	3			
\$50,000 and over	5	5	4	3			

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—											
150 days or more	10	19	86	23	297	69	36	10	13	23	
25 to 149 days	13	64	103	184	140	23	460	297	140	23	
Less than 25 days	23	11	107	(NA)	23	12	296	86	103	107	
Total contract labor	11	12	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	57	(NA)	10	(NA)	Farms with—				
							1 worker	15	5	5	
							2 workers	8	1	5	
							3 or 4 workers	5	2	1	
							5 to 9 workers	6	1	5	
							10 workers and over	2	1	2	