

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.....	331	425	195	220
Land in farms..... acres.....	120 631	126 021	105 781	108 311
Average size of farm..... acres.....	364	297	542	492
Approximate land area..... acres.....	334 464	334 464	334 464	334 464
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	36.1	37.7	31.6	32.4
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000.....	42 057	26 224	37 036	22 779
Average per farm..... dollars.....	127 060	61 702	189 928	103 540
Average per acre..... dollars.....	349	208	350	210
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	15	16	7	6
10 to 49 acres.....	56	92	22	14
50 to 69 acres.....	13	43	2	7
70 to 99 acres.....	41	37	14	14
100 to 139 acres.....	39	35	19	15
140 to 179 acres.....	27	45	13	31
180 to 219 acres.....	13	26	9	16
220 to 259 acres.....	16	13	12	10
260 to 499 acres.....	44	59	30	50
500 to 999 acres.....	39	30	39	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	15	22	15	22
2,000 acres and over.....	13	7	13	7

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland..... farms.....	283	355	166	194
..... acres.....	64 453	64 026	57 512	55 070
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	224	223	147	158
..... acres.....	36 657	27 976	35 788	27 216
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres.....	53	60	10	67
10 to 19 acres.....	38	32	16	
20 to 29 acres.....	14	19	9	
30 to 49 acres.....	36	21	29	
50 to 99 acres.....	25	33	25	33
100 to 199 acres.....	13	17	13	17
200 to 499 acres.....	25	25	25	25
500 to 999 acres.....	12	11	12	11
1,000 acres and over.....	8	5	8	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	182	259	95	124
..... acres.....	22 193	27 048	16 202	19 788
Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	39	99	31	(NA)
..... acres.....	5 603	9 002	5 522	8 066
Total woodland..... farms.....	179	245	105	128
..... acres.....	24 019	32 167	18 862	27 521
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	212	284	135	(NA)
..... acres.....	32 159	29 828	29 407	25 720
Irrigated land..... farms.....	25	36	20	33
..... acres.....	6 690	5 933	6 641	5 882

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....			31	(NA)
..... acres.....			5 522	8 066
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			3	17
..... acres.....			470	774
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			18	19
..... acres.....			2 860	2 920
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			7	21
..... acres.....			929	2 544
Cropland idle..... farms.....			9	29
..... acres.....			1 263	1 828
Total woodland..... farms.....			105	128
..... acres.....			18 862	27 521
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			77	100
..... acres.....			10 436	10 194

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland -- Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			55	58
..... acres.....			8 426	17 327
Other land..... farms.....			135	(NA)
..... acres.....			29 407	25 720
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			75	74
..... acres.....			24 092	21 115
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			46	44
..... acres.....			12 691	13 616
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			38	36
..... acres.....			11 401	7 499
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....			110	139
..... acres.....			5 315	4 605

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.....	331	425	195	220
Land in farms..... acres.....	120 631	126 021	105 781	108 311
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	36 657	27 976	35 788	27 216
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners..... number.....	217	278	106	109
Land in farms..... acres.....	42 908	54 891	32 337	39 737
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	6 703	6 094	6 052	5 633
Part owners..... number.....	93	106	71	91
Land in farms..... acres.....	62 210	60 803	58 551	59 318
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	20 664	19 029	20 456	18 930
Tenants..... number.....	21	41	18	20
Land in farms..... acres.....	15 513	10 327	14 893	9 256
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	9 290	2 853	9 280	2 653
Percent of tenancy.....	6.3	9.6	9.2	9.0
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators..... number.....	16	57	5	16
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 099	5 348	356	3 555
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	162	1 004	125	814
Full owners..... number.....	11	41	4	11
Land in farms..... acres.....	897	3 035	276	1 810
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	122	252	105	139
Part owners..... number.....	5	9	1	5
Land in farms..... acres.....	202	1 863	80	1 745
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	40	694	20	675
Tenants..... number.....	--	7	--	--
Land in farms..... acres.....	--	450	--	--
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	--	58	--	--
Percent of tenancy.....	--	12.2	--	--
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	169	188
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	69 093	74 001

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	29
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	26 235	20 805
Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	13 505
Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	--
..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	--
Farm operators by age group: ²				
Under 25 years.....	5	2	4	2
25 to 34 years.....	36	39	20	20
35 to 44 years.....	42	54	28	33
45 to 54 years.....	80	97	51	53
55 to 64 years.....	86	145	54	72
65 years and over.....	77	88	33	40
Average age.....	53.7	54.3	51.9	53.0
Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
On farm operated.....	173	269	110	151
On another farm.....	9	6	6	48
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	19	101	10	48
In a city, town, or urban area.....	48	30	30	48
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
None.....	130	(NA)	80	(NA)
1 to 49 days.....	12	39	6	16
50 to 99 days.....	18	16	8	7
100 to 149 days.....	4	31	4	19
150 to 199 days.....	11	8	8	19
200 days and over.....	93	162	41	47
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farming.....	178	(NA)	129	(NA)
Other.....	148	(NA)	61	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	55	(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	30	43	30	43			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	41		41				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	34	36	34	36			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25	31	25	31			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	56	28	56			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	46	29	46			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	144	213	8	8			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	18	14	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	25	35	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	33	23	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	68	141	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000...	10 817	5 999	10 670	5 846			
Average per farm dollars	32 680	14 114	54 719	26 572			
Crops, including hay	122	168	89	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products	4 970	1 729	4 936	1 704			
Forest products	3	51	28	35			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	270	337	166	197			
Poultry and poultry products	51	(NA)	46	41			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
Grains							
Tobacco							
Cotton and cottonseed							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
Other field crops							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
Poultry and poultry products							
Dairy products							
Cattle and calves							
Hogs and pigs							
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
Other livestock and livestock products							

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	129	(NA)	50	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	53	(NA)	39	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services	19	42	12	29		
Recreational services	3	2	3	2		
Government farm programs	21	150	18	97		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	16	(NA)	12	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources	2	(NA)	2	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	14	(NA)	8	(NA)		
Total family income from off-farm sources ²						109
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related						29
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips						66
Interest, dividends, or royalties						544
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.						47
Rent income of nonfarm property						185
						25
						89
						11
						25

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	331	425	195	220					
Farms with \$1 to \$999	54	133	2	14					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	56	54	4	12					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	25	30	8	33					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	34	44	20	47					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	50	36	38					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	31		31	36					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	29	114	29	36					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	12		12	40					
\$60,000 and over	53		53						
Livestock and poultry purchased	148	187	93	119					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	250	321	149	177					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	199	188	132	131					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	63	56					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	50	42					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	141	79					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	29	37					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	135	201	97	124					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	334	115	331	109					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	211	270	130	154					
Lime	757	274	735	260					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	108	(NA)	90	(NA)					
Gasoline	666	224	661	219					
Diesel oil	(NA)	37	13	17					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	14	11	11					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	312	399	187	220					
Hired farm labor	618	291	594	256					
Contract labor	(NA)	(NA)	181	198					
Machine hire and customwork	(NA)	(NA)	200	96					
All other production expenses	(NA)	(NA)	107	91					
	(NA)	(NA)	203	56					
	(NA)	(NA)	71	130					
	(NA)	(NA)	92	76					
	(NA)	(NA)	187	220					
	(NA)	(NA)	98	27					
	120	203	93	147					
	633	517	626	504					
	20	157	16	22					
	38	188	37	29					
	101		70	106					
	256		249	151					
	299	326	192	218					
	2 564	1 580	2 455	1 526					

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					Grain and bean combines, self-propelled				
— farms	313	392	183	214	— farms	31	26	30	26
— \$1,000	5 995	4 035	5 173	3 428	— number	40	29	39	29
— dollars	19 155	10 293	28 267	16 019	— mfd in last 5 years, number	22	23	22	23
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines				
\$1 to \$999	6	34	—	—	— farms	8	11	8	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999	76	203	28	93	— number	8	14	8	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	107	64	45	43	— mfd in last 5 years, number	—	6	—	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999	47	30	35	25	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	17	—	16	20	— farms	2	—	2	9
\$30,000 to \$49,999	33	—	33	16	— number	3	—	3	11
\$50,000 to \$69,999	15	61	14	—	— mfd in last 5 years, number	—	—	—	4
\$70,000 and over	12	—	12	17	Mower conditioners				
					— farms	46	(NA)	40	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					— number	50	(NA)	44	(NA)
Automobiles					— mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	19	(NA)
— farms	208	240	132	143	Pickup balers				
— number	264	294	182	181	— farms	52	76	44	67
— mfd in last 5 years, number	154	225	128	146	— number	53	83	45	74
Motor trucks, including pickups					— mfd in last 5 years, number	17	54	15	49
— farms	280	303	172	188	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled				
— number	435	409	314	287	— farms	28	(NA)	22	29
— mfd in last 5 years, number	186	275	155	189	— number	34	(NA)	28	37
Wheel tractors					— mfd in last 5 years, number	15	(NA)	14	25
— farms	248	296	157	173	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type				
— number	480	559	374	417	— farms	4	(NA)	4	3
— mfd in last 5 years, number	153	278	133	229	— number	4	(NA)	4	3
Crawler tractors					— mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	2
— farms	11	—	7	6					
— number	11	—	7	6					
— mfd in last 5 years, number	2	—	2	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	272	(X)	162	(X)	270	(X)	166	(X)	5 600
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	259	(X)	151	(X)	256	(X)	153	(X)	2 036
— 1969	339	(X)	182	(X)	324	(X)	186	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	258	27 922	150	24 857	253	15 940	151	15 106	1 746
— 1969	330	21 204	177	18 791	312	13 805	181	12 769	1 719
Farms with —									
1 to 4	6	16	3	10	37	105	8	21	3
5 to 9	17	126	5	30	61	395	19	126	19
10 to 19	30	419	6	87	50	638	26	329	46
20 to 49	90	2 906	36	1 220	64	1 862	57	1 690	270
50 to 99	53	3 628	38	2 683	23	1 477	23	1 477	216
100 to 199	39	5 547	39	5 547	10	1 408	10	1 408	200
200 to 499	15	4 111	15	4 111	6	—	6	(D)	(D)
500 and over	8	11 169	8	11 169	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved									
— 1974	230	13 697	138	12 122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— 1969	281	10 447	163	9 309	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— Beef cows	221	13 317	133	11 777	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— 1969	(NA)	9 852	155	8 759	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— Milk cows	29	380	11	345	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— 1969	52	595	20	550	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
— Dairy products sold									
— 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	199
— 1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	296
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Beef cows	221	13 317	133	11 777	Cattle sold	90	5 087	1 202	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4	10	25	2	2	1 to 4	13	28	6	
5 to 9	24	154	7	43	5 to 9	20	125	25	
10 to 19	48	683	19	297	10 to 19	20	275	61	
20 to 49	72	2 212	39	1 244	20 to 49	22	621	137	
50 to 99	38	2 674	37	2 622	50 to 99	5	331	76	
100 to 199	14	1 915	14	1 915	100 to 199	3	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	11	2 884	11	2 884	200 to 499	6	2 004	445	
500 and over	4	2 770	4	2 770	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	29	380	11	345	Calves sold	122	10 019	544	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2	21	32	5	7	1 or 2	5	8	(2)	
3 or 4	2	6	2	6	3 or 4	6	21	3	
5 to 9	3	19	1	9	5 to 9	16	106	11	
10 to 19	—	—	—	—	10 to 19	27	355	42	
20 to 49	—	—	—	—	20 to 49	48	1 452	182	
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99	12	727	63	
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	5	700	95	
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	1	(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	116	4 259	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	4	1 165	281
1969	133	3 217	1969	1	42	(NA)
Beef heifers	114	4 205	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	3	54	1 to 9	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	126	8 476	10 to 19	—	—	—
1969	161	6 265	20 to 49	1	30	9
			50 to 99	—	—	—
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	3	1 135	272
			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	16	2 138	8	2 073	13	3 610	8	3 576	290
1969	44	2 180	17	1 918	33	3 061	17	2 797	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	7	15	1	1	3	6	—	—	—
5 to 9	1	8	1	8	1	9	1	9	(Z)
10 to 24	3	45	2	24	3	44	1	16	(Z)
25 to 49	1	30	—	—	3	106	3	106	2
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	97	3	92	1
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	143	3	33	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969	4	108	—	—	5	54	1	50	(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)	1	8	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	99	(NA)	(NA)	2	38	(NA)
Horses and ponies	43	136	20	83	3	9	3	9	4
1969	89	268	(NA)	(NA)	6	28	(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	6	330	10	439	7	428
1969	13	281	30	266	14	216
Other hogs and pigs	8	1 743	10	248	7	240
1969	16	1 637	21	138	8	108
Lambs under 1 year old	—	—	8	191	6	188
Ewes 1 year old or older	—	—	22	128	14	108
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	55	(X)	34	(X)	49	(X)	46	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	31	548	10	169	5	(D)	2	(D)
1969	58	7 455	11	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	30	502	9	139	4	(D)	1	(D)
1969	54	7 159	11	6 188	3	5 440	1	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99	30	502	9	139	3	34	1	12
100 to 399	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	—	—
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	29	661 407	27	661 400	45	4 337 505	45	4 337 505
1969	41	1 012 268	35	1 012 192	39	3 535 326	39	3 535 326
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	51	3 364	46	3 361
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	41	1 881

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 9	139	1	(D)	Turkeys	1974 1	6	—	—
	1969 11	6 188	1	(D)		1969 1	3	1	1
Hens for table or market egg production	1974 9	139	1	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1974 —	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974 —	—	—	—	Heavy breed	1974 —	—	—	—
					Light breed	1974 —	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974 —	—	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	1974 1	6	—	—
	1969 2	6	—	—		1969 1	3	1	1
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974 5	30	—	—	Other poultry	1974 1	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974 2	(D)	—	—		1969 —	(X)	—	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	24	40	117	592	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	12	1 176	1 278	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	49	61	11 514	9 160	221 531	128 051
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	4	3	53	3	86 750	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	6	6	780	149	12 402	2 995
Other small grains for grain	9	9	4 030	1 548	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	79	115	13 452	10 010	8 411	10 737
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	7	(NA)	1	(NA)	63	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	4	(NA)	3	(NA)	540	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	146	136	5 778	5 229	10 428	9 663
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	7	126	9	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	—	11	—	134	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	24	427	(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)	6	10	48	396	1 516	16 203	2	60
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	3	—	32	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	6	9	1 096	753	43 056	17 113	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	50	524	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	17	45	1 044	2 023	1 605	4 200	1	35

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974 95	16 202	(X)	—	—	20	1 828	19	129	1	3
	1969 124	19 788	(X)	1	100	44	3 638	44	641	—	—
Improved pasture	1974 46	12 691	(X)	—	—	19	7 082	17	665	4	115
	1969 44	13 616	(X)	—	—	16	5 561	16	653	3	18
Corn for all purposes	1974 6	48	(X)	—	—	5	43	5	12	2	3
	1969 13	428	(X)	2	60	9	236	7	36	5	5
Sorghums for all purposes	1974 6	1 146	(X)	—	—	4	956	3	117	3	16
	1969 11	1 277	(X)	—	—	9	1 163	6	32	4	102
Wheat (bushels)	1974 6	780	12 402	—	—	4	630	4	69	—	—
	1969 6	149	2 995	—	—	6	149	(NA)	7	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels)	1974 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 4	138	5 140	—	—	3	130	(NA)	13	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels)	1974 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	1974 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	1974 9	4 030	(X)	9	4 030	9	4 030	9	572	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974 48	11 496	221 231	—	—	15	2 706	15	328	—	—
	1969 58	9 082	127 645	7	552	9	1 230	(NA)	171	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974 1	48	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 1	1	400	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974 103	5 230	9 487	—	—	33	1 571	28	171	5	29
	1969 113	4 974	9 106	5	256	30	941	30	184	1	3
Field seed crops	1974 —	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 4	411	(X)	1	50	1	50	1	5	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974 64	13 294	8 333	12	2 551	62	13 052	46	1 123	31	828
	1969 82	9 757	10 601	26	3 646	78	9 715	(NA)	1 272	(NA)	279
Tobacco (pounds)	1974 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974 1	(Z)	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 3	—	15	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974 1	(D)	(X)	1	60	1	115	1	12	—	—
	1969 2	4	(X)	—	—	1	2	1	(Z)	—	—
Land in orchards	1974 —	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969 6	127	(X)	—	—	3	115	3	25	—	—

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..	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969..	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974..	-	(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	137	137	165	165	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
.....	\$1,000..	1 397	479	479	.....	3	3	2	2
Commercial fertilizer	130	130	139	139	Diseases in crops and orchards	733	733	224	224
.....	acres on which used..	32 269	24 150	24 150	.....	8	8	(Z)	(Z)
.....	tons	4 239	3 593	3 593	Weeds or gross in crops	48	48	57	57
.....	\$1,000..	735	260	260	.....	18 365	18 365	13 296	13 296
Lime	13	13	17	17	.....	241	241	86	86
.....	acres on which used..	630	884	884	Weeds or brush in pasture	16	16	12	12
.....	tons	1 197	1 545	1 545	.....	891	891	2 974	2 974
.....	\$1,000..	11	11	11	.....	3	3	4	4
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land	8	8	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	8	8	17	17	.....	237	237	(NA)	(NA)
.....	acres on which used..	786	741	741	.....	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
.....	\$1,000..	5	4	4	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops	46	46	58	58	.....	28	28	39	39
.....	acres on which used..	13 998	10 330	10 330	.....	7 920	7 920	5 654	5 654
.....	\$1,000..	351	92	92	.....	32	32	13	13
Nematodes in crops	1	1	1	1	Insect control on livestock and poultry	22	22	50	50
.....	acres on which used..	550	50	50	.....	3	3	6	6
.....	\$1,000..	3	(Z)	(Z)	Other chemicals (see text)	10	10	(NA)	(NA)
					.....	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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	20	20	33	33	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	10.3	10.3	15.0	15.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	6 641	6 641	5 882	5 882	.....	200	200	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	332.1	332.1	178.2	178.2	Other sprinkler systems	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	20	20	33	33	.....	400	400	(NA)	(NA)
.....	acres	6 641	5 882	5 882	Land in irrigated farms	31 648	31 648	42 978	42 978
Harvested cropland irrigated	20	20	32	32	.....	20 719	20 719	24 409	24 409
.....	acres	6 641	5 782	5 782	Harvested cropland	17 517	17 517	15 420	15 420
Cropland pasture irrigated	1	1	1	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
.....	acres	-	100	100	.....	4	4	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.....	505	505	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	14	14	53	53
.....	acres .....	-	-	-	.....	7.2	7.2	24.0	24.0
.....	acres	-	-	-	Proportion of farms	17 857	17 857	55 490	55 490
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	5 803	5 803	5 493	5 493	Land in farms with drainage	9 570	9 570	37 893	37 893
Average per acre irrigated	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	.....	683.6	683.6	714.9	714.9
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches	12	12	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	57	57	(NA)	(NA)
.....	acres	2 032	(NA)	(NA)	.....	144	144	(NA)	(NA)
					.....	373	373	(NA)	(NA)

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

	Forms	Acres	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			\$1,000	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	12	12	90	90	68	68	53	53
.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 209	5 209	3 075	3 075	2 134	2 134
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	8	8	8	8	4	4	11	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	11	11	11	10	10	9	9
\$10,000 to \$29,999	38	38	38	38	28	28	20	20
\$30,000 to \$49,999	11	11	11	11	9	9	5	5
\$50,000 and over	22	22	22	22	17	17	8	8

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	33	56	111	122	491	504	Farms	93	33	35	52
25 to 149 days	35	127	125	603	77	504	Cash wages paid — \$1,000..	626	491	77	58
Less than 25 days	52	22	383	(NA)	58	29	.....	619	111	125	383
Total contract labor	16	22	(NA)	(NA)	37	29	Number of workers	21	12	13	12
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	65	(NA)	24	(NA)	Farms with—	17	6	8	5
							1 worker	20	5	9	14
							2 workers	17	9	3	8
							3 or 4 workers	17	1	2	13
							5 to 9 workers	18	1	2	13
							10 workers and over	18	1	2	13