

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number..	826	934	449	518	Total cropland..... farms..	707	791	375	426
Land in farms..... acres..	181 938	180 719	141 471	130 203	Total cropland..... acres..	87 546	93 573	64 586	67 787
Average size of farm..... acres..	220	193	315	251	Harvested cropland..... farms..	527	514	323	329
Approximate land area..... acres..	519 808	519 808	519 808	519 808	Harvested cropland..... acres..	33 380	31 274	29 554	27 925
Proportion in farms..... percent..	35.0	34.8	27.2	25.0	Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	67 747	36 868	50 825	28 351	1 to 9 acres.....	99	97	29	194
Average per farm..... dollars..	82 018	39 472	113 196	54 731	10 to 19 acres.....	81	113	33	
Average per acre..... dollars..	372	204	359	218	20 to 29 acres.....	95	85	51	
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres.....	101	73	67	
1 to 9 acres.....	39	46	23	36	50 to 99 acres.....	85	83	78	72
10 to 49 acres.....	134	154	48	51	100 to 199 acres.....	32	29	32	29
50 to 69 acres.....	58	71	22	38	200 to 499 acres.....	22	25	21	25
70 to 99 acres.....	144	151	65	58	500 to 999 acres.....	9	7	9	7
100 to 139 acres.....	99	121	31	55	1,000 acres and over.....	3	2	3	2
140 to 179 acres.....	78	73	37	41	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..				
180 to 219 acres.....	67	67	50	39	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	512	640	239	311
220 to 259 acres.....	42	49	29	33	Other cropland (see text)..... acres..	50 215	57 179	33 446	36 206
260 to 499 acres.....	98	121	82	95	Total woodland..... farms..	76	130	27	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	46	62	41	55	Total woodland..... acres..	3 951	5 120	1 586	3 656
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	19	18	19	16	Other land (see text)..... farms..	463	563	244	304
2,000 acres and over.....	2	1	2	1	Other land (see text)..... acres..	59 452	54 128	48 532	37 877
					Irrigated land..... farms..	559	608	326	(NA)
					Irrigated land..... acres..	34 940	33 018	28 353	24 539
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	29	28	23	25
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. acres..	1 866	2 628	1 796	2 613

		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
		1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms..			(NA)	Total woodland—Continued		
Other cropland..... acres..		1 586	3 656	Woodland not pastured..... farms..		135
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..		9	20	Woodland not pastured..... acres..		34 370
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... acres..		634	425	Other land..... farms..		326
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..		1	14	Other land..... acres..		28 353
Cropland on which all crops failed..... acres..		25	345	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..		159
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..		7	12	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... acres..		21 563
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... acres..		320	414	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..		100
Cropland idle..... farms..		12	54	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... acres..		9 827
Cropland idle..... acres..		607	2 472	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..		83
Total woodland..... farms..		244	304	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... acres..		11 736
Total woodland..... acres..		48 532	37 877	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..		280
Woodland pastured..... farms..		164	226	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. acres..		6 790
Woodland pastured..... acres..		14 162	20 564			5 061

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms by type of organization—Con.	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number..	826	934	449	518	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	23	55
Land in farms..... acres..	181 938	180 719	141 471	130 203	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	7 338	21 820
Harvested cropland..... acres..	33 380	31 274	29 554	27 925	Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	6	5
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	22 910	1 040
Full owners..... number..	635	725	320	363	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Land in farms..... acres..	122 217	106 484	90 115	66 017	Other..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Harvested cropland..... acres..	13 911	10 296	10 795	7 607	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners..... number..	141	170	94	125	Under 25 years.....	17	9	8	7
Land in farms..... acres..	44 234	62 582	37 600	53 597	25 to 34 years.....	65	61	24	36
Harvested cropland..... acres..	10 503	14 227	9 834	13 628	35 to 44 years.....	159	170	109	104
Tenants..... number..	50	39	35	30	45 to 54 years.....	236	290	134	166
Land in farms..... acres..	15 487	11 653	13 756	10 589	55 to 64 years.....	193	237	101	144
Harvested cropland..... acres..	8 966	6 751	8 925	6 690	65 years and over.....	149	167	67	61
Percent of tenancy.....	6.1	4.1	7.8	5.7	Average age.....	51.6	52.5	50.8	50.9
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	559	664	306	362
All farm operators..... number..	—	—	—	—	On another farm.....	8	—	3	—
Land in farms..... acres..	—	—	—	—	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	14	131	10	75
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	—	—	—	In a city, town, or urban area.....	76	—	36	—
Full owners..... number..	—	—	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	—	—	—	—	None.....	258	(NA)	163	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	—	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	38	56	22	42
Part owners..... number..	—	—	—	—	50 to 99 days.....	32	59	16	19
Land in farms..... acres..	—	—	—	—	100 to 149 days.....	25	—	11	—
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	—	—	—	150 to 199 days.....	37	—	16	—
Tenants..... number..	—	—	—	—	200 days and over.....	314	353	123	138
Land in farms..... acres..	—	—	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	—	—	—	Farming.....	397	(NA)	281	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	—	—	—	Other.....	422	(NA)	162	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market				
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	420	458	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	111 223	107 343	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	176	(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 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	786	895	435	505				
farms								
\$1,000	9 589	4 869	7 405	3 918				
dollars	12 200	5 440	17 023	7 758				
Average per farm								
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$999	16	119	1	263				
\$1,000 to \$4,999	266	492	105					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	220	133	101	109				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	153	110	106	93				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	70		63	19				
\$30,000 to \$49,999	37	41	37	12				
\$50,000 to \$69,999	14		12					
\$70,000 and over	10		10	9				
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles	487	507	286	298				
mfd in last 5 years	604	603	375	351				
Motor trucks, including pickups	295	335	212	222				
mfd in last 5 years	692	717	390	433				
Wheel tractors	1 012	946	654	632				
mfd in last 5 years	412	465	290	302				
Crawler tractors	647	669	371	403				
mfd in last 5 years	931	953	624	631				
	175	372	138	261				
	32		19	23				
	34		19	23				
	3		3	9				
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.								
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	36	44	36	44				
mfd in last 5 years	40	52	40	52				
mfd in last 5 years, number	7	25	7	25				
Corn heads for combines	5	9	5					
mfd in last 5 years	5	9	5					
mfd in last 5 years, number		5						
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	3		3	8				
mfd in last 5 years	3		3	8				
mfd in last 5 years, number				5				
Mower conditioners	90	(NA)	68	(NA)				
mfd in last 5 years	95	(NA)	72	(NA)				
mfd in last 5 years, number	38	(NA)	32	(NA)				
Pickup balers	192	168	151	127				
mfd in last 5 years	198	171	155	130				
mfd in last 5 years, number	54	96	51	76				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	86	(NA)	67	82				
mfd in last 5 years	87	(NA)	68	87				
mfd in last 5 years, number	27	(NA)	25	54				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	14	(NA)	12	19				
mfd in last 5 years	16	(NA)	14	20				
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	14				

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	762	(X)	404	(X)	763	(X)	422	(X)	32 489
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	718	(X)	366	(X)	698	(X)	370	(X)	3 541
1969	782	(X)	420	(X)	739	(X)	415	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	712	35 463	362	26 792	686	15 399	364	12 938	2 075
1969	774	26 307	415	19 909	732	13 760	413	10 865	1 384
Farms with—									
1 to 4	17	42	5	12	152	370	39	86	17
5 to 9	51	370	8	57	176	1 218	65	446	66
10 to 19	137	1 855	34	497	178	2 437	90	1 300	183
20 to 49	275	8 633	116	3 806	131	3 982	122	3 786	576
50 to 99	158	10 866	126	8 879	36	2 329	35	2 257	428
100 to 199	57	7 626	56	7 470	4	541	4	541	76
200 to 499	15	(D)	15	(D)	6	1 597	6	1 597	353
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	2 925	3	2 925	376
Cows and heifers that had calved	619	19 567	335	14 961	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	658	14 261	395	11 334	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	595	18 513	322	14 039	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 330	374	10 655	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	120	1 054	73	922	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	189	931	104	679	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)	676
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	249
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	595	18 513	322	14 039	Cattle sold	258	6 024	1 260	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	42	114	10	26	1 to 4	71	161	35	
5 to 9	80	542	33	212	5 to 9	51	367	65	
10 to 19	159	2 193	55	755	10 to 19	67	872	170	
20 to 49	214	6 466	129	4 148	20 to 49	50	1 525	298	
50 to 99	76	4 951	71	4 651	50 to 99	10	619	215	
100 to 199	18	2 207	18	2 207	100 to 199	5	758	132	
200 to 499	5	(D)	5	(D)	200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	120	1 054	73	922	Calves sold	264	6 914	815	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	92	120	52	70	1 or 2	15	23	3	
3 or 4	7	23	3	10	3 or 4	20	66	9	
5 to 9	7	45	5	33	5 to 9	56	375	40	
10 to 19					10 to 19	75	1 000	112	
20 to 49	4	138	4	138	20 to 49	75	2 155	244	
50 to 99	9	(D)	8	(D)	50 to 99	17	1 045	137	
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499					200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
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	268	5 722	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	22	297	70
1969	345	5 375	1969	3	69	(NA)
Beef heifers	255	5 044	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	20	678	1 to 9	13	31	6
			10 to 19	2	28	4
			20 to 49	6	(D)	(D)
			50 to 99	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	312	6 109	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
1974	367	3 200	200 to 499	—	—	—
1969			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	83	10 607	61	10 343	69	20 795	57	20 544	1 465
1969	125	4 130	70	3 582	78	8 296	53	7 519	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	28	55	16	38	7	11	5	7	(Z)
5 to 9	7	48	3	17	4	23	—	—	—
10 to 24	15	225	11	165	8	138	7	116	7
25 to 49	8	267	8	267	17	627	14	526	27
50 to 99	7	510	5	354	12	792	10	691	33
100 to 199	8	1 017	8	1 017	9	(D)	9	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	3	1 160	3	1 160	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	7	7 325	7	7 325	10	17 240	10	17 240	1 245
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	3 254	22	3 074	49
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	1 934	21	1 488	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	3	201	1	173	3	78	1	50	(NA)
1969	6	150	4	136	3	76	3	76	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	120	1973
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	2
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	3	85	(NA)	(NA)	1	30	(Z)
1969	(NA)	(NA)	13	234	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	134	570	71	401	17	167	13	151	21
1969	227	602	(NA)	(NA)	23	67	(NA)	(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	36	870							
1969	34	482							
Other hogs and pigs	48	9 473							
1969	62	3 100							
Lambs under 1 year old	1	83							
Ewes 1 year old or older	1	85							
Rams and wethers	1	5							
	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				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	
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	50	1 075	39	1 035					
1969	69	655	43	524					
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	41	605	33	584					
1969	53	330	38	262					
June 1 and November 30	46	470	37	451					
1969	58	325	36	262					

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	262	(X)	195	(X)	229	(X)	222	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	237	(X)	(NA)	(X)	292	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	144	1 027 535	78	1 026 006	69	1 099 539	66	1 099 513
1969	201	1 336 657	127	1 334 249	122	1 439 811	119	1 430 738
Hens and pullets of laying age	129	895 321	72	894 197	54	747 757	53	747 754
1969	180	969 139	106	966 889	90	812 021	87	802 948
Farms with—								
1 to 99	83	1 580	27	611	2	30	1	27
100 to 399	1	155	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	1	1 500	1	1 500	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	25	174 418	25	174 418	36	243 417	36	243 417
10,000 to 19,999	9	121 090	9	121 090	8	102 320	8	102 320
20,000 to 49,999	6	195 278	6	195 278	3	104 000	3	104 000
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	108	2 888 912	103	2 885 466	138	13 335 856	134	13 318 656
1969	105	2 059 041	102	2 059 022	165	11 217 119	164	11 217 019
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	240	28 270	228	28 247
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	293	15 572

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.....	72	894 197	53	747 754	Turkeys.....	11	215 023	23	873 761
Hens for table or market egg production.....	106	966 889	87	802 948	Turkeys for slaughter.....	9	87 312	24	709 184
Hens for hatching egg production.....	40	513 311	16	411 947	Heavy breed.....	11	201 019	23	860 761
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	33	380 886	38	335 807	Light breed.....	9	(D)	20	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	10	93 442	15	318 458	Turkey hens for breeding.....	2	(D)	3	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	25	346 016	31	581 600	Other poultry.....	3	(D)	1	(D)
	44	38 367	38	33 301		1	12	1	2
	10	168 500	4	71 000		7	(X)	4	(X)
						3	(X)	-	(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.....	22	50	356	357	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes.....	30	38	707	1 084	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	56	61	14 128	13 996	284 934	221 552				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	5	2	5	2	2 000	1 100				
Wheat (bushels).....	21	21	828	575	21 024	19 893				
Other small grains for grain.....	6	10	41	137	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales).....	5	27	170	1 047	139	1 044				
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	18	(NA)	41	(NA)	4 498	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	5	(NA)	3	(NA)	195	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	471	436	17 330	13 400	27 575	20 706				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	14	20	129	459	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards.....	19	22	256	477	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale.....	1	2	1	1	(X)	(X)				
Other crops.....	10	(NA)	65	77	(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	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	9	30	133	235	4 760	4 820	2	-	-	40	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	4	4	170	14	1 100	118	1	-	-	60	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	2	40	8	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	15	11	386	644	19 771	39 338	3	-	-	93	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	10	(NA)	272	316	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	(NA)	40	-	-	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	12	12	632	258	1 931	707	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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.....	239	33 446	(X)	2	54	46	3 861	46	514	1	5		
Improved pasture.....	311	36 206	(X)	4	234	57	2 919	57	489	-	-		
Corn for all purposes.....	100	9 827	(X)	-	-	29	2 002	29	287	-	-		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	118	12 015	(X)	1	10	38	2 436	38	409	-	-		
Wheat (bushels).....	14	343	(X)	3	100	9	229	9	30	-	-		
Oats (bushels).....	34	257	(X)	-	-	25	202	25	33	-	-		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	23	658	(X)	4	133	15	391	15	55	-	-		
Wheat (bushels).....	25	960	(X)	-	-	17	753	16	97	2	17		
Oats (bushels).....	17	824	-	-	-	14	664	14	96	2	10		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	19	559	19 403	2	28	15	370	(NA)	39	(NA)	-		
Barley (bushels).....	2	37	500	-	-	2	37	2	6	-	-		
Rye (bushels).....	4	63	3 240	-	-	3	61	(NA)	13	(NA)	-		
Other small grains for grain.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	52	14 124	284 858	12	1 332	18	1 766	18	155	-	-		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	52	13 824	219 536	11	1 664	21	3 431	(NA)	409	(NA)	-		
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	284	13 596	22 983	5	116	64	3 184	63	449	1	2		
Field seed crops.....	273	10 570	17 396	4	210	49	2 216	49	287	2	17		
Cotton (bales).....	2	47	(X)	-	-	2	37	2	6	-	-		
Tobacco (pounds).....	5	170	139	-	-	5	170	5	30	-	-		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	27	1 047	1 044	5	52	23	1 009	(NA)	136	(NA)	6		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-		
Land in orchards.....	11	37	4 157	-	-	8	37	8	20	-	-		
Berries for sale.....	26	14	948	2	(Z)	8	6	(NA)	3	(NA)	-		
Other crops.....	11	117	(X)	5	60	10	116	10	39	1	1		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	9	433	(X)	5	350	8	431	8	124	-	-		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	9	245	(X)	1	30	3	150	3	28	-	-		
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	13	446	(X)	1	40	9	412	9	65	3	6		

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	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	3	(X)	—	—	1	3	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	2	2	(X)	—	—	—	—	1	(Z)	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	227	343	246	235	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con	2	10	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	179	179	159	159	Diseases in crops and orchards	101	371	—	—
Lime	224	224	176	176	Weeds or grass in crops	33	32	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	16	16	13	13	Weeds or brush in pasture	33	30	—	—
Insects on hay crops	10	10	—	—	Weeds on all other land	7	2	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	13	13	26	26	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	4	17	—	—
Nematodes in crops	10	10	10	10	of crops or thinning of fruit	166	813	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	14	6	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	20	(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	23	796	25	613	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	5.1	78.1	4.8	104.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	23	23	24	24	Other sprinkler systems	14	903	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	22	22	20	20	Land in irrigated farms	12 261	15 075	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	2	2	4	4	Cropland	9 261	10 745	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	54	54	234	234	Harvested cropland	5 832	8 013	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	1	1	between 1970 and 1973	1	1	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	2 253	1 833	0.7	0.7	acres irrigated in most recent year	3	21	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	0.7	4.0	—	—
Furrows or ditches	6	6	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms	1 217	8 224	—	—
	783	783	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	351	3 504	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Land drained	117.0	166.8	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	224	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—	tanks	735	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—		696	(NA)	—	—

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	—	173	6 129	132	4 749	95	1 380
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	25	17	10	17	44	16
Under \$5,000	—	—	76	23	63	17	26	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	23	32	17	25	1	8
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$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)		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—	64	86	254	159	1 103	548	157	64	42	87
150 days or more	42	223	132	840	109	47	1 259	1 103	109	47
25 to 149 days	87	—	405	—	47	—	791	254	132	405
Less than 25 days	25	51	(NA)	(NA)	85	96	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	40	(NA)	16	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Farms with—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	29	21	33
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	17	6	10
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	40	10	6	21
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	4	6	12
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	4	3	11