

**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 ..... number.....	321	303	241	240					
Land in farms ..... acres.....	296 096	243 848	270 023	237 494	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Average size of farm ..... acres.....	922	805	1 120	990	Total cropland ..... farms.....	303	280	232	228
					..... acres.....	98 035	87 282	91 762	83 569
Approximate land area ..... acres.....	460 224	460 224	460 224	460 224	Harvested cropland ..... farms.....	283	254	217	219
Proportion in farms ..... percent.....	64.3	53.0	58.7	51.6	..... acres.....	72 578	58 147	70 278	57 194
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000.....	58 869	24 030	53 668	22 944	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm ..... dollars.....	183 393	79 308	222 690	95 600	1 to 9 acres .....	-	10	-	-
Average per acre ..... dollars.....	199	99	199	97	10 to 19 acres .....	15	7	3	3
					20 to 29 acres .....	53	6	5	18
					30 to 49 acres .....	30	37	23	32
					50 to 99 acres .....	49	53	49	53
					100 to 199 acres .....	84	91	84	91
					200 to 499 acres .....	28	24	28	24
					500 to 999 acres .....	7	1	7	1
					1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
					Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	161	164	125	126
					..... acres.....	20 030	22 264	17 290	19 798
					Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	72	72	54	(NA)
					..... acres.....	5 427	6 871	4 194	6 577
					Total woodland..... farms.....	14	2	2	2
					..... acres.....	6 604	350	196	350
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	228	235	178	(NA)
					..... acres.....	191 457	156 216	178 065	153 575
					Irrigated land ..... farms.....	268	255	228	220
					..... acres.....	87 703	86 117	77 703	84 276

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland ..... farms.....	54	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued		
..... acres.....	4 194	6 577	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	1	-
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	8	19	..... acres.....	20	-
..... acres.....	200	1 067	Other land..... farms.....	178	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed ..... farms.....	19	14	..... acres.....	178 065	153 575
..... acres.....	961	940	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	123	135
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ..... farms.....	9	13	..... acres.....	171 723	149 156
..... acres.....	490	1 297	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	48	69
Cropland idle..... farms.....	29	34	..... acres.....	13 735	17 406
..... acres.....	2 543	3 273	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	95	105
Total woodland ..... farms.....	2	2	..... acres.....	157 988	131 750
..... acres.....	196	350	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.....	131	138
Woodland pastured ..... farms.....	2	2	..... acres.....	6 342	4 419
..... acres.....	176	350			

**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 ..... number.....	321	303	241	240	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	296 096	243 848	270 023	237 494	Partnership ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	24	32
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	72 578	58 147	70 278	57 194	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	29 582	26 041
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	11	8
Full owners ..... number.....	214	207	148	147	Land in farms ..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	112 930	96 418
Land in farms ..... acres.....	98 780	68 498	85 134	62 230	Other ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	3
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	35 379	25 329	33 339	24 392	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	1 360
Part owners ..... number.....	86	72	81	71	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	190 495	164 462	179 128	164 392	Under 25 years .....	8	9	8	7
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	32 780	27 688	32 645	27 688	25 to 34 years .....	53	28	48	25
Tenants ..... number.....	21	24	12	22	35 to 44 years .....	47	76	37	59
Land in farms ..... acres.....	6 821	10 888	5 761	10 872	45 to 54 years .....	97	77	71	61
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	4 419	5 130	4 294	5 114	55 to 64 years .....	45	74	36	58
Percent of tenancy.....	6.5	7.9	5.0	9.1	65 years and over .....	59	39	30	30
					Average age .....	49.5	49.3	47.2	49.1
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated.....	241	252	172	205
All farm operators ..... number.....	3	(NA)	3	-	On another farm.....	13		11	
Land in farms ..... acres.....	1 195	(NA)	1 195	-	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	6	33	4	
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	785	(NA)	785	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	11		11	22
Full owners ..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	640	(NA)	640	-	None.....	115	(NA)	101	(NA)
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	300	(NA)	300	-	1 to 49 days .....	12	50	11	44
Part owners ..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	-	50 to 99 days .....	10	12	10	10
Land in farms ..... acres.....	555	(NA)	555	-	100 to 149 days .....	4	38	4	28
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	485	(NA)	485	-	150 to 199 days .....	26	4	23	
Tenants ..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	90	99	39	62
Land in farms ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	191	(NA)	165	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	118	(NA)	65	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	(NA)
Individual or family ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	206	197	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)
Land in farms ..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	127 511	113 675					

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

**Table 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
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>							
\$100,000 and over.....	29	35	29	35			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	51		51				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	46	50	46	50			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	32	61	32	61			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	36	48	36	48			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	43	30	43	30			
<b>Under \$2,500 (see text):</b>	84	79	4	16			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	12	16	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	14	10	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	8	14	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	50	39	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold:</b>							
\$1,000.....	14 342	5 403	14 252	5 342			
Average per farm..... dollars.....	44 680	17 831	59 135	22 256			
<b>Crops, including hay..... farms:</b>	184	208	162	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	11 545	2 966	11 524	2 948			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms:</b>	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000.....	-	-	-	-			
<b>Forest products..... farms:</b>	1	1	1	1			
\$1,000.....	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms:</b>	236	228	170	187			
\$1,000.....	2 797	2 437	2 728	2 393			
<b>Poultry and poultry products..... farms:</b>	12	(NA)	6	9			
\$1,000.....	1	(NA)	1	49			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops..... farms.....					162	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					11 524	2 948	
Grains..... farms.....					104	125	
\$1,000.....					2 799	911	
Tobacco..... farms.....					-	-	
\$1,000.....					-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....					-	-	
\$1,000.....					-	-	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....					122	127	
\$1,000.....					1 806	562	
Other field crops..... farms.....					46	55	
\$1,000.....					3 080	1 298	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....					4	5	
\$1,000.....					3 838	177	
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....					-	-	
\$1,000.....					-	-	
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms:</b>	170	187					
\$1,000.....	2 728	2 393					
<b>Poultry and poultry products..... farms:</b>	6	9					
\$1,000.....	1	49					
<b>Dairy products..... farms:</b>	15	20					
\$1,000.....	797	362					
<b>Cattle and calves..... farms:</b>	151	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 456	1 268					
<b>Hogs and pigs..... farms:</b>	20	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	98	715					
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms:</b>	47						
\$1,000.....	305						
<b>Other livestock and livestock products..... farms:</b>	15						
\$1,000.....	72						

**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
<b>Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold<sup>1</sup></b>	116	(NA)	57	(NA)			
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup>..... farms:</b>	86	(NA)	77	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	238	(NA)	231	(NA)			
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms:</b>	33	52	31	50			
\$1,000.....	103	117	102	114			
<b>Recreational services..... farms:</b>	5	9	5	9			
\$1,000.....	1	12	1	12			
<b>Government farm programs..... farms:</b>	42	110	39	96			
\$1,000.....	32	109	31	102			
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms:</b>	27	(NA)	26	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	81	(NA)	76	(NA)			
<b>Other farm-related sources..... farms:</b>	13	(NA)	10	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	21	(NA)	21	(NA)			
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup>..... farms:</b>	24	(NA)	22	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	60	(NA)	58	(NA)			
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup>..... farms:</b>							
\$1,000.....							139
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related..... farms:</b>							21
\$1,000.....							168
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms:</b>							93
\$1,000.....							727
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms:</b>							57
\$1,000.....							124
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms:</b>							16
\$1,000.....							50
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms:</b>							12
\$1,000.....							52

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 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
<b>Total farm production expenses..... farms:</b>	321	303	241	240					
\$1,000.....	10 495	4 565	10 326	4 437					
<b>Farms with..... farms:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	22	25	1	19					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	40	36	11	8					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	15	12	7	8					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	42	39	23	26					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	48	62	45	58					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	39	65	39	65					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	57	38	57	38					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	24	129	24	129					
\$60,000 and over.....	34		34	26					
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms:</b>	137	149	92	112					
\$1,000.....	527	512	489	494					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms:</b>	207	200	151	159					
\$1,000.....	787	371	754	354					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms:</b>	162	125	124	114					
\$1,000.....	341	187	331	186					
<b>Feed ingredients..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	30	30					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	29	22					
<b>Whole grains..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	57	62					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	204	71					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	30	33					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	189	75					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	119	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms:</b>	128	136	114	115					
\$1,000.....	349	150	348	148					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms:</b>	105	128	103	121					
\$1,000.....	1 031	301	1 031	301					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms:</b>	97	(NA)	94	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	229	58	229	57					
<b>Lime..... farms:</b>	(NA)	-	-	-					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	-	-	-					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms:</b>	315	300	238	239					
\$1,000.....	646	338	626	325					
<b>Gasoline..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	234	234					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	361	215					
<b>Diesel oil..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	146	122					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	162	59					
<b>LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	71	79					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	53	26					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms:</b>	(NA)	(NA)	237	239					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	49	26					
<b>Hired farm labor..... farms:</b>	144	190	107	165					
\$1,000.....	1 489	590	1 484	582					
<b>Contract labor..... farms:</b>	32	197	31	73					
\$1,000.....	105	282	105	77					
<b>Machine hire and customwork..... farms:</b>	119	105	105	140					
\$1,000.....	282	277	277	196					
<b>All other production expenses..... farms:</b>	305	280	239	233					
\$1,000.....	5 050	1 963	4 937	1 903					

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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	306	296	231	236					
.....\$1,000.....	8 065	3 947	7 583	3 750					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	26 358	13 335	32 826	15 890					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	2	14	1	50					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	60	90	11						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	37	48	22	44					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	70	71	64	71					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	37		35	36					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	56	73	54	27					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	26		26						
\$70,000 and over.....	18		18	8					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....farms.....	248	245	181	199					
.....number.....	346	356	270	297					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	190	191	155	167					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	286	274	216	221					
.....number.....	697	581	620	518					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	209	188	196	166					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	269	257	213	216					
.....number.....	706	660	603	544					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	91	139	82	126					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	43		43	51					
.....number.....	50		50	58					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	11					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines.....farms.....	56	46	54	45					
self-propelled.....number.....	64	51	62	50					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11	22	11	22					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	—	2	—	—					
.....number.....	—	2	—	—					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	6		6	2					
.....number.....	6		6	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—		—	—					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	40	(NA)	37	(NA)					
.....number.....	44	(NA)	41	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	(NA)	5	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	173	168	150	149					
.....number.....	204	178	181	158					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	39	78	36	72					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	134	(NA)	130	92					
.....number.....	148	(NA)	144	96					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	47	(NA)	47	58					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	5	(NA)	4	10					
.....number.....	5	(NA)	4	12					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	(NA)	2	2					

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.....	252	(X)	184	(X)	236	(X)	170	(X)	2 728
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	233	(X)	166	(X)	229	(X)	167	(X)	1 858
.....1969.....	218	(X)	173	(X)	218	(X)	178	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	224	19 283	159	18 310	208	9 234	151	8 819	1 456
.....1969.....	184	14 242	140	13 806	168	8 878	140	8 720	1 268
<b>Farms with —</b>									
1 to 4.....1974.....	19	58	7	20	31	96	8	21	2
5 to 9.....1974.....	11	76	7	49	45	344	23	176	18
10 to 19.....1974.....	69	944	32	389	33	431	23	302	65
20 to 49.....1974.....	39	1 225	27	872	51	1 617	49	1 574	301
50 to 99.....1974.....	33	2 303	33	2 303	35	2 388	35	2 388	440
100 to 199.....1974.....	31	3 970	31	3 970	6	850	6	850	187
200 to 499.....1974.....	17	4 474	17	4 474	3	793	3	793	119
500 and over.....1974.....	5	6 233	5	6 233	4	2 715	4	2 715	324
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	200	11 653	149	11 181	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	174	9 224	133	9 028	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	161	10 642	131	10 237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	8 433	119	8 274	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	73	1 011	46	944	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	80	791	56	754	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	797
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	362
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over							
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	161	10 642	131	10 237	Cattle sold.....	96	2 566	639	
<b>Farms with —</b>									
1 to 4.....	12	37	5	15	Farms with —.....	21	49	9	
5 to 9.....	13	80	10	60	1 to 4.....	13	93	22	
10 to 19.....	51	679	35	424	5 to 9.....	25	348	74	
20 to 49.....	27	866	23	758	10 to 19.....	23	725	168	
50 to 99.....	35	2 269	35	2 269	20 to 49.....	7	430	139	
100 to 199.....	17	2 056	17	2 056	50 to 99.....	7	921	227	
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199.....	—	—	—	
500 and over.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	200 to 499.....	—	—	—	
Milk cows.....	73	1 011	46	944	500 and over.....	—	—	—	
<b>Farms with —</b>									
1 or 2.....	46	60	32	44	Calves sold.....	121	6 253	817	
3 or 4.....	15	58	2	7	Farms with —.....	4	6	1	
5 to 9.....	—	—	—	—	1 or 2.....	11	38	3	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	3 or 4.....	20	162	14	
20 to 49.....	6	165	6	165	5 to 9.....	21	267	51	
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	10 to 19.....	33	1 069	187	
100 to 199.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	20 to 49.....	24	1 539	195	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	3	385	51	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)	
					200 to 499.....	3	(D)	(D)	
					500 and over.....	3	(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.....	109	3 996	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	11	189	63
1969.....	113	2 544	1969.....	4	128	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	94	3 446	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	21	550	1 to 9 .....	6	18	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	119	3 133	10 to 19 .....	3	(D)	(D)
1969.....	130	2 234	20 to 49 .....	—	—	—
			50 to 99 .....	2	(D)	(D)
			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 .....	29	1 034	21	1 000	34	1 907	20	1 697	98
1969.....	49	1 345	33	1 217	45	2 005	33	1 751	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	10	12	5	6	6	14	5	10	1
5 to 9 .....	3	16	2	11	7	50	6	42	2
10 to 24 .....	8	95	6	72	10	124	—	—	—
25 to 49 .....	1	42	1	42	2	74	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	3	199	3	199	4	250	4	250	13
100 to 199 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	125	1	125	7
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	1 270	4	1 270	76
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20	281	8	161	3
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	918	9	702	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	57	9 086	46	8 755	57	9 558	47	9 249	(NA)
1969.....	104	26 009	88	25 234	105	24 582	89	24 113	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	41	6 088	156 813
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	47	(X)	305
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	12	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(2)
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	11	269	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	124	915	87	809	19	503	11	482	66
1969.....	108	1 320	(NA)	(NA)	22	125	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

  

	Inventory				Inventory			
	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 ..	9	83	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		23	130	10	96
1969.....	20	187	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..		32	263	20	225
Other hogs and pigs .....	21	917	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....		11	85	4	70
1969.....	30	1 030	June 1 and November 30 .....		28	155	19	136
Lambs under 1 year old .....	40	3 329			16	45	7	26
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	41	5 166			26	108	15	89
Rams and wethers .....	40	260						

<sup>1</sup>Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry .....	46	(X)	30	(X)	6	(X)	2	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	43	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	42	1 313	28	801	5	186	1	30
1969.....	64	9 741	39	9 125	5	7 350	5	7 350
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	42	1 262	28	769	5	170	1	30
1969.....	63	9 640	38	9 100	3	6 680	3	6 680
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	41	1 162	28	769	5	170	1	30
100 to 399 .....	1	100	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	6	465	4	265	1	3	1	3
1969.....	2	14	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	1	6	1
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	49

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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974..	28	769	1	30	Turkeys	1974..	5	29	—	—
	1969..	38	9 100	3	6 680		1969..	2	4	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	28	761	1	30	Turkeys for slaughter	1974..	3	23	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	1	8	—	—	Heavy breed	1974..	3	23	—	—
						Light breed	1974..	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	1	15	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1974..	2	6	—	—
	1969..	—	—	1	300		1969..	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	8	17	—	—	Other poultry	1974..	3	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	—	—	—	—		1969..	6	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

All farms									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes	1974..	4	1	150	20	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1969..	7	—	472	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	23	10	1 398	390	58 947	9 371	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain	1969..	118	141	18 546	15 905	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	46	(NA)	4 883	(NA)	1 107 753	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1969..	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	249	222	44 880	35 726	74 298	57 476	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1969..	4	5	2 775	729	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1974..	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1969..	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1974..	—	(NA)	—	493	(X)	(X)	(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)	1974..	3	—	140	—	6 644	—	3	140
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1969..	1	1	10	20	60	188	1	10
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1974..	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1974..	1	(NA)	280	—	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1969..	180	175	31 414	22 122	50 881	43 544	154	168

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	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974..	(X)	69	10 460	1	38	—	—	1	4
	1969..	(X)	93	15 233	4	220	2	7	2	30
Improved pasture	1974..	(X)	22	4 093	3	130	—	—	3	21
	1969..	(X)	59	13 463	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for all purposes	1974..	(X)	4	150	4	150	3	12	2	12
	1969..	(X)	1	20	1	20	1	3	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	(X)	1	280	1	280	—	—	—	—
	1969..	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	58 547	21	1 192	7	760	7	81	4	13
	1969..	9 071	7	174	5	273	(NA)	14	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	1974..	79 459	40	1 528	11	495	10	44	1	1
	1969..	108 122	54	2 217	24	992	(NA)	54	(NA)	11
Barley (bushels)	1974..	944 807	93	16 733	60	13 687	53	1 527	22	333
	1969..	656 966	96	13 001	74	11 048	(NA)	1 200	(NA)	95
Rye (bushels)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	200	1	8	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	1974..	(X)	1	40	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	71 917	166	34 986	15	1 468	15	138	—	—
	1969..	56 555	182	32 900	19	1 379	16	102	4	9
Field seed crops	1974..	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974..	(X)	2	105	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	1 107 753	46	4 883	46	4 883	46	1 343	20	367
	1969..	1 051 697	52	4 894	52	4 844	(NA)	1 115	(NA)	100
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	(X)	4	2 775	4	2 775	4	1 052	3	619
	1969..	(X)	5	729	5	729	5	232	—	—
Land in orchards	1974..	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	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	
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	farms	122	143	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
\$1,000 .....	1 260	358	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms	6	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms	103	113	acres on which used .....	1 071	
acres on which used .....	24 389	19 665	\$1,000 .....	8	2	
tons .....	5 568	2 990	Weeds or grass in crops .....	farms	57	
\$1,000 .....	1 031	301	acres on which used .....	11 171	8 396	
Lime .....	farms	-	-	\$1,000 .....	66	18
acres on which used .....	-	-	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	farms	5	
tons .....	-	-	acres on which used .....	295	328	
\$1,000 .....	-	-	\$1,000 .....	1	(Z)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			Weeds on all other land .....	farms	16	
Insects on hay crops .....	farms	11	3	acres on which used .....	274	
acres on which used .....	1 077	505	\$1,000 .....	1	(NA)	
\$1,000 .....	3	2	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control			
Insects on other crops .....	farms	30	46	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	farms	2
acres on which used .....	8 111	6 329	acres on which used .....	200	78	
\$1,000 .....	145	31	\$1,000 .....	1	(Z)	
Nematodes in crops .....	farms	-	-	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	farms	9
acres on which used .....	-	-	\$1,000 .....	1	2	
\$1,000 .....	-	-	Other chemicals (see text) .....	farms	6	
			\$1,000 .....	4	(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 irrigated in census year .....	farms	228	220	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms .....	percent	94.6	91.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	farms
Total land irrigated .....	acres	77 703	84 276	acres	26
Average per farm .....	acres	340.8	383.0	Other sprinkler systems .....	farms
Cropland irrigated .....	farms	224	216	acres	9 918
acres	73 610	70 813	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres	5
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms	199	210	acres	1 465
acres	62 061	54 498	Harvested cropland .....	acres	205 105
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	farms	69	93	acres	86 499
acres	10 460	15 233	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
Other cropland irrigated .....	farms	14	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973 .....	farms
acres	1 089	1 082	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	farms	22	59	Farms with artificial drainage .....	farms
acres	4 093	13 463	Proportion of farms .....	percent	40
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	acre-feet	116 406	138 501	Land in farms with drainage .....	acres
Average per acre irrigated .....	acre-feet	1.5	1.6	Land drained .....	acres
Land irrigated by—			Average per farm .....	acres	208.5
Furrows or ditches .....	farms	63	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	
acres	13 721	(NA)	tanks .....	farms	
			number	58	(NA)
			acres	120	(NA)
				213	(NA)

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	farms	160	134	105
\$1,000 .....	9 054	6 425	2 629	
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000 .....	15	12	15	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	14	5	30	
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	34	48	26	
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	33	16	17	
\$50,000 and over .....	64	53	17	

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 .....	56	70	154	125	722	582	107	56	48	68	
25 to 149 days .....	48	140	856	721	558		1 484	722	558	204	
Less than 25 days .....	68		824		204		Number of workers	154	856	824	
Total contract labor .....	31	73	(NA)	(NA)	105	77	Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	18	(NA)	129	(NA)	63	(NA)	1 worker .....	27	27	20	
							2 workers .....	17	11	12	
							3 or 4 workers .....	21	12	5	
							5 to 9 workers .....	17	5	3	
							10 workers and over .....	25	1	8	