

**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 .....	201	214	144	161	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms .....	710 431	707 714	675 065	678 974	Total cropland .....	160	159	116	123
Average size of farm .....	3 534	3 307	4 688	4 217	Harvested cropland .....	40 575	36 849	32 389	31 613
Approximate land area .....	1 007 296	1 007 296	1 007 296	1 007 296	Other cropland .....	18 085	17 846	17 201	16 980
Proportion in farms .....	70.5	70.3	67.0	67.4	<b>Farms by acres harvested:</b>				
Value of land and buildings .....	77 713	28 473	71 662	26 802	1 to 9 acres .....	5	4	1	
Average per farm .....	386 630	133 050	497 652	166 469	10 to 19 acres .....	9	17	2	
Average per acre .....	109	40	106	39	20 to 29 acres .....	13	11	7	29
					30 to 49 acres .....	34	21	19	
<b>Farms by size:</b>					50 to 99 acres .....	30	39	27	34
1 to 9 acres .....	6	8	3	2	100 to 199 acres .....	28	29	28	29
10 to 49 acres .....	-	5	-	1	200 to 499 acres .....	14	22	14	22
50 to 69 acres .....	-	5	-	-	500 to 999 acres .....	3	3	3	3
70 to 99 acres .....	1	2	1	1	1,000 acres and over .....	1	2	1	2
100 to 139 acres .....	2	9	-	5	<b>Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....</b>				
140 to 179 acres .....	7	5	1	2	farms .....	50	62	23	42
					acres .....	14 269	15 427	8 967	12 072
180 to 219 acres .....	4	8	3	6	Other cropland (see text) .....	44	29	34	(NA)
220 to 259 acres .....	-	-	-	-	acres .....	8 221	3 576	6 221	2 561
260 to 499 acres .....	27	19	6	10	Total woodland .....	41	36	22	27
500 to 999 acres .....	37	40	27	28	acres .....	29 276	39 467	26 866	36 539
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	41	38	29	33	Other land (see text) .....	173	183	134	(NA)
2,000 acres and over .....	76	75	74	73	acres .....	640 580	631 398	615 810	610 822
					Irrigated land .....	82	106	68	86
					acres .....	12 242	14 063	11 909	13 521
					<b>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over</b>				
Other cropland .....			34	(NA)	Total woodland - Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....			6 221	2 561	Woodland not pastured .....			10	6
Cropland on which all crops failed .....			2	9	acres .....			10 080	2 708
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....			46	795	Other land .....			134	(NA)
Cropland idle .....			20	1	acres .....			615 810	610 822
Total woodland .....			2 925	25	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture .....			123	135
Woodland pastured .....			17	14	acres .....			609 584	590 877
			2 970	1 317	Improved pastureland and rangeland .....			23	17
			2	6	acres .....			64 365	15 835
			280	424	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland .....			102	122
			22	27	acres .....			545 219	575 042
			26 866	36 539	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....			71	90
			19	22	acres .....			6 226	19 945
			16 786	33 831					

**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 .....	201	214	144	161	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms .....	710 431	707 714	675 065	678 974	Partnership .....	(NA)	(NA)	25	35
Harvested cropland .....	18 085	17 846	17 201	16 980	Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	137 978	144 302
<b>Farms by tenure of farm operator:</b>					Corporation .....	(NA)	(NA)	7	3
Full owners .....	98	107	61	69	Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	157 977	53 084
Land in farms .....	181 553	123 354	165 467	114 459	Other .....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland .....	5 877	7 281	5 294	6 582	acres .....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners .....	94	90	77	81	<b>Farm operators by age group:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Land in farms .....	509 506	484 043	491 466	468 778	Under 25 years .....	1	8	-	4
Harvested cropland .....	11 778	9 715	11 527	9 548	25 to 34 years .....	15	22	7	20
Tenants .....	9	17	6	11	35 to 44 years .....	22	45	16	35
Land in farms .....	19 372	100 317	18 132	95 737	45 to 54 years .....	44	41	41	34
Harvested cropland .....	430	850	380	850	55 to 64 years .....	47	73	32	48
Percent of tenancy .....	4.5	7.9	4.2	6.8	65 years and over .....	65	25	41	20
					Average age .....	56.4	50.2	56.0	49.9
<b>Black and other races, see text—</b>					<b>Farm operators by place of residence:<sup>2</sup></b>				
<b>Farm operators by tenure:<sup>1</sup></b>					On farm operated .....	132	149	96	123
All farm operators .....	-	(NA)	-	-	On another farm .....	1	-	1	-
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	-	47	-	27
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area .....	30	-	20	-
Full owners .....	-	(NA)	-	-	<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	None .....	72	(NA)	59	(NA)
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days .....	7	24	6	21
Part owners .....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days .....	6	21	2	18
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days .....	11	-	7	-
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days .....	7	22	5	12
Tenants .....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	35	52	22	29
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	<b>Farm operators by principal occupation:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming .....	146	(NA)	108	(NA)
Percent of tenancy .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other .....	48	(NA)	29	(NA)
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>					<b>Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market</b>	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Individual or family .....	(NA)	(NA)	112	123	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	379 110	481 588					

<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
Farms by value of sales:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	6	19	6	19	Crops	41	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	12		12		\$1,000	370	151
\$20,000 to \$39,999	20	18	20	18	Grains	21	19
					\$1,000	211	54
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26	28	26	28	Tobacco	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	54	45	54	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30	40	30	40	farms	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	62	55	5	2	Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	6	12	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999	21	9	(X)	(X)	farms	24	31
\$1,000 to \$1,499	11	10	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	160	96
Under \$1,000 (see text)	24	24	(X)	(X)	farms	-	-
					Other field crops	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
					farms	-	-
Market value of agricultural products sold					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	-	-
\$1,000	3 574	3 564	3 496	3 505	\$1,000	-	-
Average per farm	17 782	16 656	24 277	21 769	farms	-	-
					Fruits, nuts, and berries	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
					farms	-	-
Crops, including hay	44	57	41	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	137	160
\$1,000	375	163	370	151	\$1,000	3 113	3 340
					farms	5	11
Nursery and greenhouse products	-	-	-	-	\$1,000	3	42
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	farms	9	16
					\$1,000	385	290
					farms	-	-
Forest products	4	12	4	11	Cattle and calves	137	(NA)
\$1,000	12	15	12	14	\$1,000	2 374	2 939
					farms	11	(NA)
					\$1,000	37	69
					farms	13	
Livestock, poultry, and their products	190	193	137	160	\$1,000	8	
\$1,000	3 187	3 387	3 113	3 340	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
					farms	14	
Poultry and poultry products	6	(NA)	5	11	\$1,000	305	
\$1,000	4	(NA)	3	42	farms	-	-

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 <sup>1</sup>	61	(NA)	34	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	74
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	35	(NA)	30	(NA)	farms	592
\$1,000	175	(NA)	173	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	17
farms	9	18	8	17	\$1,000	174
\$1,000	14	42	13	41	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	36
					\$1,000	258
Recreational services	2	6	2	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties	27
\$1,000	6	14	6	10	\$1,000	89
farms	19	52	16	46	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	20
Government farm programs	19	52	18	50	\$1,000	52
\$1,000	19	52	18	50	Rent income of nonfarm property	10
					farms	10
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	12	(NA)	11	(NA)	\$1,000	20
\$1,000	129	(NA)	128	(NA)		
farms	2	(NA)	2	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources	7	(NA)	7	(NA)		
\$1,000	15	(NA)	12	(NA)		
farms	22	(NA)	19	(NA)		
\$1,000	22	(NA)	19	(NA)		

<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
Total farm production expenses	201	214	144	161	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	36	26	28	25
\$1,000	3 538	3 316	3 439	3 234	\$1,000	24	4	23	4
					farms	8	23	6	22
Farms with—					\$1,000	16	20	16	20
\$1 to \$999	28	27	5	15	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	9	(NA)	6	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,999	26	23	9	18	farms	1	4	1	4
\$2,000 to \$2,999	13	33	16	29	\$1,000	7	-	-	-
\$3,000 to \$4,999	20	31	41	41	farms	(NA)	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	42	32	31	\$1,000	(NA)	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32		17	12	farms	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	17	58	5	15	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	198	210	144	161
\$40,000 to \$59,999	5		14		\$1,000	259	161	233	150
\$60,000 and over	14		5	15	farms	(NA)	(NA)	143	159
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	166	115
Livestock and poultry purchased	66	109	59	89	farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	40
\$1,000	607	1 494	597	1 480	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	9
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	44
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	148	182	113	149	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	14
\$1,000	764	372	730	362	farms	62	109	54	92
					\$1,000	296	175	292	170
Commercially mixed formula feeds	111	117	92	104	farms	11	68	11	17
\$1,000	418	191	405	188	\$1,000	7	42	7	15
farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	36	farms	38	36	36	46
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	44	\$1,000	32	32	32	23
farms	(NA)	(NA)	68	46	farms	176	205	142	160
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	67	41	\$1,000	1 533	1 044	1 462	1 006
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	41	farms	-	-		
farms	(NA)	(NA)	238	63	\$1,000	-	-		
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	(NA)					

**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.....	193	202	144	160					
\$1,000.....	3 640	1 555	3 073	1 427					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	18 861	7 696	21 344	8 921					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	12	-	71					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	25	95	18	38					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	44	40	29	32					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	53	35	30	8					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	37	-	34	9					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	24	-	24	4					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	4	20	4	2					
\$70,000 and over.....	5	-	5	-					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....farms.....	157	149	114	126					
.....number.....	212	218	162	189					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	104	111	84	103					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	180	187	136	149					
.....number.....	340	312	291	266					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	144	130	123	115					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	162	153	125	130					
.....number.....	336	315	273	254					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	47	53	40	44					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	37	-	36	31					
.....number.....	40	-	39	35					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	-	2	6					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. - Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	14	9	14	9					
.....number.....	19	11	19	11					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	4	2	4					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	1	1	1	-					
.....number.....	1	1	1	-					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	-	1	-					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	1	-	1	-					
.....number.....	1	-	1	-					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	-	-	-					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	27	(NA)	21	(NA)					
.....number.....	27	(NA)	21	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	114	96	89	87					
.....number.....	119	100	94	91					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	31	22	30					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	59	(NA)	56	42					
.....number.....	60	(NA)	57	42					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	(NA)	16	28					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	12	(NA)	12	7					
.....number.....	12	(NA)	12	8					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	1	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	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry.....1974.....	185	(X)	129	(X)	190	(X)	137	(X) 3 113
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	180	(X)	125	(X)	189	(X)	137	(X) 2 420
.....1969.....	197	(X)	156	(X)	193	(X)	160	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	178	30 820	123	29 300	187	13 789	137	13 315 2 374
.....1969.....	195	30 593	155	29 967	189	19 062	159	18 803 2 939
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....1974.....	4	10	1	2	8	19	3	8 1
5 to 9.....1974.....	4	31	-	-	21	135	4	24 10
10 to 19.....1974.....	15	210	2	26	38	493	12	183 31
20 to 49.....1974.....	49	1 466	21	657	55	1 729	53	1 687 285
50 to 99.....1974.....	37	2 663	30	2 175	38	2 661	38	2 661 370
100 to 199.....1974.....	35	5 183	35	5 183	14	1 966	14	1 966 394
200 to 499.....1974.....	24	6 955	24	6 955	9	2 814	9	2 814 495
500 and over.....1974.....	10	14 302	10	14 302	4	3 972	4	3 972 788
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	164	16 009	121	15 321	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	167	13 249	140	13 038	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	154	15 687	114	15 007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	12 677	135	12 472	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	47	322	40	314	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	62	572	59	566	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X) 385
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X) 290
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>								
	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.....	154	15 687	114	15 007	Cattle sold.....			
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	8	21	4	13	1 to 4.....			
5 to 9.....	3	21	1	7	5 to 9.....			
10 to 19.....	34	467	12	175	10 to 19.....			
20 to 49.....	41	1 296	29	930	20 to 49.....			
50 to 99.....	27	1 790	27	1 790	50 to 99.....			
100 to 199.....	26	3 489	26	3 489	100 to 199.....			
200 to 499.....	7	1 820	7	1 820	200 to 499.....			
500 and over.....	8	6 783	8	6 783	500 and over.....			
Milk cows.....	47	322	40	314	Calves sold.....			
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	33	44	26	36	1 or 2.....			
3 or 4.....	6	20	6	20	3 or 4.....			
5 to 9.....	3	18	3	18	5 to 9.....			
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-	10 to 19.....			
20 to 49.....	3	93	3	93	20 to 49.....			
50 to 99.....	2	147	2	147	50 to 99.....			
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....			
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....			
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....			

**Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued**

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates		Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves .....	105	6 892	-----	1974...	-----	-----	-----
1969.....	141	8 554	-----	1969.....	3	108	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	104	6 730	Farms with—	1 to 9 .....	-----	-----	-----
Milk heifers .....	8	162	10 to 19 .....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	110	7 087	20 to 49 .....	-----	-----	-----	-----
1969.....	144	8 375	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 .....	14	539	12	519	13	1 182	11	1 166	37
1969.....	26	250	22	199	22	512	18	376	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	6	12	6	12	1	1	1	1	(2)
5 to 9 .....	—	—	—	—	2	16	—	—	—
10 to 24 .....	5	60	3	40	5	95	5	95	6
25 to 49 .....	—	—	—	—	2	68	2	68	3
50 to 99 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	62	1	62	3
100 to 199 .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	122	5	94	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	15	436	12	348	16	362	13	316	(NA)
1969.....	21	5 040	17	4 926	24	1 713	20	1 610	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	212	12 720
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	13	(X)	8
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	89	495	64	424	13	124	13	124	305
1969.....	120	602	(NA)	(NA)	18	42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

  

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	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	102	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....	8	200	8	200
1969.....	13	42	1969.....	19	69	17	51
Other hogs and pigs .....	10	417	1974.....	7	82	7	82
1969.....	17	157	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	19	40	17	30
Lambs under 1 year old .....	11	160	1969.....	7	118	7	118
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	12	178	1974.....	8	29	7	21
1969.....	9	10	1969.....				

<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 .....	32	(X)	27	(X)	3	(X)	2	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	37	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	26	1 293	21	1 101	3	400	2	350
1969.....	41	2 332	37	2 250	7	18 760	7	18 760
Hens and pullets, of laying age .....	26	1 271	21	1 079	3	400	2	350
1969.....	38	2 251	36	2 225	6	760	6	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	23	571	18	379	1	50	—	—
100 to 399 .....	2	300	2	300	2	350	2	350
400 to 1,599 .....	1	400	1	400	—	—	—	—
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	1 800	6	1 800	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	4	5	3
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	42

**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 .....	21	1 079	2	350	Turkeys .....	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	36	2 225	6	(D)	1969 .....	2	10	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production .....	21	1 031	2	350	Turkeys for slaughter .....	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed .....	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production .....	2	48	—	—	1974 .....	—	—	—	—
1974 .....	—	—	—	—	Light breed .....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older .....	—	—	—	—	1974 .....	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	2	6	1	(D)	1969 .....	2	8	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding .....	13	22	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding .....	—	—	—	—
1974 .....	—	—	—	—	1974 .....	2	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	—	—	—	—	1969 .....	4	(X)	—	(X)
1974 .....	—	—	—	—	1974 .....	—	—	—	—
					1969 .....	—	—	—	—
					Other poultry .....	—	—	—	—

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes .....	3	1	107	70	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes .....	2	5	140	624	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels) .....	22	19	2 692	3 079	56 024	54 159
Other small grains for grain .....	4	24	115	738	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels) .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	123	135	15 043	13 349	20 827	22 517
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards .....	—	2	—	4	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale .....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops .....	—	(NA)	—	7	(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) .....	2	1	104	70	3 037	2 450	—	1	70
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	1	—	1	—	9	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed .....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels) .....	2	1	140	200	4 189	6 000	1	40	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. ....	—	(NA)	—	387	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	30
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	76	92	12 036	8 454	16 584	15 882	53	70	9 616

**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 .....	23	8 967	(X)	7	739	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	42	12 072	(X)	17	2 800	2	200	2	17	—	—
Improved pasture .....	23	64 365	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	17	15 835	(X)	2	717	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for all purposes .....	2	105	(X)	—	—	1	4	1	(Z)	—	—
1969 .....	1	70	(X)	1	70	1	70	1	21	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes .....	2	140	(X)	1	40	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	4	587	(X)	1	30	2	230	1	2	1	4
Wheat (bushels) .....	22	2 692	56 024	3	25	1	400	1	12	—	—
1969 .....	17	2 997	52 479	3	412	1	300	(NA)	—	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels) .....	3	65	1 339	1	20	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	16	468	16 338	9	279	1	25	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	8	266	8 005	5	39	1	200	(NA)	—	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	1	3	120	1	3	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	89	14 211	19 728	62	11 067	4	340	4	54	—	—
1969 .....	109	12 603	21 575	83	9 185	7	559	7	100	—	—
Field seed crops .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	1	3	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	2	4	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	(Z)	—	—

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						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	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con-				
lime .....	11		40		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	-		-	
\$1,000 .....	16		23		acres on which used .....	-		-	
Commercial fertilizer .....	6		12		\$1,000 .....	-		-	
acres on which used .....	744		1 586		Weeds or grass in crops .....	1		2	
tons .....	67		157		acres on which used .....	9		130	
\$1,000 .....	16		20		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)	
Lime .....	-		-		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	1		2	
acres on which used .....	-		-		acres on which used .....	5		25	
tons .....	-		-		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)	
\$1,000 .....	-		-		Weeds on all other land .....	-		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used .....	-		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops .....	1		4		\$1,000 .....	-		(NA)	
acres on which used .....	5		463		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000 .....	(Z)		1		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	-		-	
Insects on other crops .....	1		-		acres on which used .....	-		-	
acres on which used .....	4		-		\$1,000 .....	-		-	
\$1,000 .....	(Z)		-		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	4		23	
Nematodes in crops .....	-		-		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		2	
acres on which used .....	-		-		Other chemicals (see text) .....	1		(NA)	
\$1,000 .....	-		-		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(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 .....	68		86		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	47.2		53.4		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	11 909		13 521		acres .....	-		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	175.1		157.2		Other sprinkler systems .....	1		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	68		86		acres .....	16		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	11 909		12 804		Land in irrigated farms .....	314 978		348 816	
acres .....	63		83		Cropland .....	18 960		22 764	
acres .....	11 142		10 004		Harvested cropland .....	12 541		11 574	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	7		17		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres .....	739		2 800		between 1970 and 1973 .....	5		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated .....	1		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year .....	160		(X)	
acres .....	28		2		Farms with artificial drainage .....	2		6	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-		2		Proportion of farms .....	1.4		3.7	
acres .....	-		717		Land in farms with drainage .....	6 715		92 245	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	22 935		21 735		Land drained .....	59		637	
Average per acre irrigated .....	1.9		1.6		Average per farm .....	29.5		106.1	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches .....	27		(NA)		tanks .....	69		(NA)	
acres .....	1 765		(NA)		number .....	465		(NA)	
					acres .....	627		(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) .....			65		47		41	
			10 461		9 055		1 406	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000 .....			8		5		7	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....			11		12		6	
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....			19		7		20	
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....			6		4		4	
\$50,000 and over .....			21		19		4	

**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—										
150 days or more .....	24		54		235		54	15	30	
25 to 149 days .....	15		28		28		235	28	30	
Less than 25 days .....	30		115		30		54	28	115	
Total contract labor .....	11		(NA)		7		19	11	9	
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	3		8		2		10	8	2	
							15	2	3	
							6	2	1	
							4	1	-	