

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.....	431	443	272	253	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	106 434	123 945	91 308	104 271	Total cropland..... farms.....	416	417	267	241
Average size of farm..... acres.....	247	280	336	412	acres.....	45 917	55 266	40 240	47 622
Approximate land area..... acres.....	327 872	327 872	327 872	327 872	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	341	345	239	219
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	32.5	37.8	27.8	31.8	acres.....	22 571	27 938	20 552	25 394
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	61 499	31 350	50 566	24 468	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	142 688	70 748	185 903	96 711	1 to 9 acres.....	47	62	17	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	578	253	554	235	10 to 19 acres.....	71	51	34	
					20 to 29 acres.....	56	53	40	106
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres.....	66	58	48	
1 to 9 acres.....	15	16	7	4	50 to 99 acres.....	57	59	57	52
10 to 49 acres.....	106	88	39	21	100 to 199 acres.....	22	29	22	29
50 to 69 acres.....	32	30	14	13	200 to 499 acres.....	14	24	13	23
70 to 99 acres.....	47	49	18	22	500 to 999 acres.....	6	7	6	7
100 to 139 acres.....	57	42	45	22	1,000 acres and over.....	2	2	2	2
140 to 179 acres.....	33	33	19	12	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	276	229	176	131
180 to 219 acres.....	25	40	21	28	acres.....	19 380	14 778	16 122	12 241
220 to 259 acres.....	14	18	14	14	farms.....	106	227	87	(NA)
260 to 499 acres.....	48	63	45	57	acres.....	3 966	12 550	3 566	9 987
500 to 999 acres.....	37	43	35	40	Total woodland..... farms.....	303	331	199	200
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	13	13	11	12	acres.....	39 522	51 002	32 839	42 476
2,000 acres and over.....	4	8	4	8	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	319	322	212	(NA)
					acres.....	20 995	17 677	18 229	14 173
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	71	128	65	125
					acres.....	2 848	4 955	2 685	4 860

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	87	(NA)		
acres.....	3 566	9 987		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	28	44		
acres.....	816	1 703		
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	11	15		
acres.....	262	545		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	9	20		
acres.....	506	1 570		
Cropland idle..... farms.....	59	104		
acres.....	1 982	6 169		
Total woodland..... farms.....	199	200		
acres.....	32 839	42 476		
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	81	83		
acres.....	8 993	7 007		

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland—Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			159	158
acres.....			23 846	35 469
Other land..... farms.....			212	(NA)
acres.....			18 229	14 173
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			84	75
acres.....			12 963	9 665
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			64	55
acres.....			7 902	6 758
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			31	27
acres.....			5 061	2 907
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			193	167
acres.....			5 266	4 508

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.....	431	443	272	253	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	106 434	123 945	91 308	104 271	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	38
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	22 571	27 938	20 552	25 394	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	7 715	17 919
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	19
Full owners..... number.....	311	319	192	156	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	23 873	22 598
Land in farms..... acres.....	61 059	64 474	51 123	46 814	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	1
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	9 772	9 733	8 278	7 726	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	240
Part owners..... number.....	88	98	59	80	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	35 985	50 326	32 594	49 262	Under 25 years.....	2	6	2	4
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	9 530	15 143	9 085	14 785	25 to 34 years.....	35	42	20	24
Tenants..... number.....	32	26	21	17	35 to 44 years.....	74	78	40	55
Land in farms..... acres.....	9 390	9 145	7 591	8 195	45 to 54 years.....	130	129	88	79
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	3 269	3 062	3 189	2 883	55 to 64 years.....	97	101	68	64
Percent of tenancy.....	7.4	5.8	7.7	6.7	65 years and over.....	75	87	37	27
					Average age.....	52.7	51.9	52.6	49.6
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	262	310	163	173
All farm operators..... number.....	58	40	37	11	On another farm.....	13		12	
Land in farms..... acres.....	5 435	2 766	4 169	867	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	12		7	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	1 279	784	1 069	261	In a city, town, or urban area.....	48		33	60
Full owners..... number.....	42	27	28	8	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 401	2 053	3 384	689	None.....	117	(NA)	82	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	950	554	779	209	1 to 49 days.....	26	17	9	12
Part owners..... number.....	11	10	7	2	50 to 99 days.....	13	16	6	9
Land in farms..... acres.....	787	656	579	(0)	100 to 149 days.....	8		8	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	267	173	228	45	150 to 199 days.....	22		12	14
Tenants..... number.....	5	3	2	1	200 days and over.....	176	175	91	69
Land in farms..... acres.....	247	57	206	7	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	62	57	62	7	Farming.....	172	(NA)	142	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	8.6	7.5	5.4	9.0	Other.....	241	(NA)	113	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	238	195	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	30	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	59 720	63 514					

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	47	112	46	112			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	34		34				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	24	27	24	27			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34	24	34	24			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	65	41	65	41			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	58	46	58	45			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	169	193	11	4			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	32	14	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	28	37	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	18	26	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	91	116	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	22 929	25 917	22 643	25 656			
Average per form dollars	53 200	58 504	83 246	101 408			
Crops, including hay							
\$1,000	11 946	18 461	11 818	18 389			
\$1,000	15		12				
\$1,000	1 629		1 627	(D)			
Forest products							
\$1,000	29	41	26	32			
\$1,000	262	167	261	163			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	329	344	207	209			
\$1,000	9 092	7 289	8 937	7 105			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	25	(NA)	11	17			
\$1,000	3 940	(NA)	3 937	1 653			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000					193		(NA)
\$1,000					11 818		18 389
\$1,000					126		96
\$1,000					1 235		536
\$1,000					71		123
\$1,000					9 018		16 794
\$1,000					-		-
\$1,000					-		-
\$1,000					43		17
\$1,000					184		(D)
\$1,000					31		30
\$1,000					336		122
\$1,000					38		40
\$1,000					934		389
\$1,000					6		15
\$1,000					111		13
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000					207		209
\$1,000					8 937		7 105
\$1,000					11		17
\$1,000					3 937		1 653
\$1,000					2		3
\$1,000					(D)		938
\$1,000					164		(NA)
\$1,000					3 149		3 536
\$1,000					85		(NA)
\$1,000					1 411		978
\$1,000					1		
\$1,000					(Z)		
\$1,000					9		
\$1,000					(D)		

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	228	(NA)	102	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	165
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	113	(NA)	81	(NA)	\$1,000	2 309
\$1,000	148	(NA)	125	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	32
Customwork and other agricultural services	17	27	14	16	\$1,000	542
\$1,000	37	88	35	87	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	109
Recreational services	2	3	2	2	\$1,000	1 365
\$1,000	(Z)	4	(Z)	2	Interest, dividends, or royalties	66
Government farm programs	61	184	44	117	\$1,000	235
\$1,000	40	221	31	179	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	18
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	45	(NA)	30	(NA)	\$1,000	75
\$1,000	39	(NA)	27	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	22
Other farm-related sources	6	(NA)	6	(NA)	\$1,000	93
\$1,000	31	(NA)	31	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	25	(NA)	14	(NA)		
\$1,000	31	(NA)	20	(NA)		

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	427	443	272	253	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	303	320	200	206
\$1,000	20 004	20 263	19 706	19 967	\$1,000	396	163	386	150
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	333	376	225	230
\$1 to \$999	79	96	4	8	\$1,000	1 615	1 619	1 567	1 559
\$1,000 to \$1,999	62	63	19		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	158	(NA)	121	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	35	41	22	18	\$1,000	439	526	430	517
\$3,000 to \$4,999	66	35	49	28	\$1,000	(NA)	87	28	63
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	55	46	47	\$1,000	(NA)	29	21	24
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26		26	17	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	403	438	260	252
\$20,000 to \$39,999	31		31	28	\$1,000	789	816	760	779
\$40,000 to \$59,999	19	153	19		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	221	231
\$60,000 and over	57		56	107	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	286	274
Livestock and poultry purchased	170	176	105	123	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	182	170
\$1,000	2 385	2 372	2 349	2 352	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	162	97
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	315	306	185	188	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	47	131
\$1,000	3 803	2 596	3 735	2 539	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	244	357
Commercially mixed formula feeds	232	228	164	150	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	260	252
\$1,000	2 590	2 206	2 565	2 177	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	67	51
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	49	38	Hired farm labor	172	288	141	210
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	317	48	\$1,000	4 906	6 072	4 877	6 057
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	39	64	Contract labor	13	144	11	10
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	833	269	\$1,000	28	202	28	26
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	36	44	Machine hire and customwork	125		98	112
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	20	45	\$1,000	225		222	171
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	105	(NA)	\$1,000	387		271	251
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	117	(NA)	\$1,000	5 418	5 897	5 236	5 817

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.....	386	430	239	247					
\$1,000.....	6 800	4 893	5 710	4 157					
Average per farm.....	17 616	11 378	23 890	16 830					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	3	33	2	69					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	103	183	44						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	108	81	52	60					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	77	65	53	55					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	32		28	31					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	34		32	17					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	16	68	15						
\$70,000 and over.....	13		13	15					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	245	283	153	165					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	324	369	216	233					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	331	332	206	207					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	574	644	421	499					
Wheel tractors.....	332	410	222	346					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	613	683	452	518					
Crawler tractors.....	226	387	180	335					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	7	7	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	3					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	19	15	17	12					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	17	23	14					
Corn heads for combines.....	18	114	17	15					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	126	20	15					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	5	71	5	8					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	86		64	77					
Mower conditioners.....	89		67	82					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7		7	45					
Pickup balers.....	74	(NA)	53	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	84	(NA)	63	(NA)					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	33	(NA)	31	(NA)					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	44	39	39	32					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	47	40	42	33					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	21	25	20	25					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	(NA)	15	18					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	17	(NA)	16	20					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	10	(NA)	9	16					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	14	(NA)	11	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	12	9					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	4	9					

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.....	350	(X)	215	(X)	329	(X)	207	(X)	8 937
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	333	(X)	203	(X)	316	(X)	200	(X)	4 561
Cattle and calves.....	336	(X)	195	(X)	333	(X)	199	(X)	(NA)
1974.....	282	28 389	170	26 040	257	12 140	164	11 521	3 149
1969.....	239	24 055	146	21 971	232	16 852	144	16 048	3 536
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	22	60	7	20	54	147	12	32	6
5 to 9.....	31	216	10	64	59	385	20	132	21
10 to 19.....	51	727	15	217	50	708	41	583	91
20 to 49.....	69	2 043	39	1 230	54	1 604	52	1 559	264
50 to 99.....	43	2 975	34	2 426	23	1 657	22	1 576	271
100 to 199.....	43	6 258	43	6 258	12	1 585	12	1 585	293
200 to 499.....	15	4 622	14	4 337	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	8	11 488	8	11 488	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	225	12 409	152	11 382	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	194	9 236	125	8 580	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	217	11 813	150	10 810	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	7 045	121	6 427	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	29	596	14	572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	37	2 191	17	2 153	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	938
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.....	217	11 813	150	10 810	Cattle sold.....		115	8 300	2 801
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	24	69	12	34	1 to 4.....	20	51	11	
5 to 9.....	29	196	9	56	5 to 9.....	28	191	43	
10 to 19.....	50	654	30	402	10 to 19.....	18	234	44	
20 to 49.....	47	1 519	35	1 139	20 to 49.....	26	707	161	
50 to 99.....	39	2 696	36	2 500	50 to 99.....	14	856	183	
100 to 199.....	20	2 782	20	2 782	100 to 199.....	5	610	189	
200 to 499.....	6	(D)	6	(D)	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	29	596	14	572	Calves sold.....	120	3 221	348	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	24	31	10	13	1 or 2.....	11	14	1	
3 or 4.....	1	4	1	4	3 or 4.....	10	34	3	
5 to 9.....	1	6	—	—	5 to 9.....	21	137	13	
10 to 19.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	10 to 19.....	26	393	45	
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	39	1 183	148	
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	9	681	70	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	3	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
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			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves.....	131	4 532	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	29	5 887	2 253
.....1969.....	115	4 674	.....1969.....	33	7 585	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	130	4 269	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	3	263	1 to 9.....	15	82	23
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	146	10 126	10 to 19.....	6	76	16
.....1974.....	132	8 717	20 to 49.....	2	67	8
.....1969.....			50 to 99.....	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)
			500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)

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.....	148	11 507	81	10 581	135	18 793	85	17 836	1 411
.....1969.....	187	15 381	109	13 901	178	20 861	113	19 567	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	25	63	5	9	5	20	2	8	(Z)
5 to 9.....	26	194	11	83	22	152	6	44	3
10 to 24.....	39	597	17	291	31	468	15	254	16
25 to 49.....	29	997	20	679	32	979	18	541	39
50 to 99.....	13	783	13	783	18	1 162	18	1 162	73
100 to 199.....	4	608	3	471	9	1 117	8	932	71
200 to 499.....	6	1 664	6	1 664	10	2 981	10	2 981	200
500 and over.....	6	6 601	6	6 601	8	11 914	8	11 914	1 009
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	971	9	709	18
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	2 271	18	1 951	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	3	24	3	24	1	8	1	8	(NA)
.....1969.....	1	4	1	4	2	19	1	4	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	44
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	(Z)
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	15	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	63	(NA)	(NA)	1	20	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	62	229	38	182	5	30	4	28	21
.....1969.....	60	219	(NA)	(NA)	2	31	(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.....	68	1 529	113	2 352	71	2 181
.....1969.....	96	2 197	156	3 302	96	3 000
Other hogs and pigs.....	76	9 052	102	1 272	68	1 187
.....1969.....	102	11 704	146	1 821	94	1 677
Lambs under 1 year old.....	2	6	91	1 080	56	994
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	3	13	136	1 481	91	1 323
Rams and wethers.....	3	5				

	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	113	2 352	71	2 181
.....1969.....	156	3 302	96	3 000
December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	102	1 272	68	1 187
.....1969.....	146	1 821	94	1 677
June 1 and November 30.....	91	1 080	56	994
.....1969.....	136	1 481	91	1 323

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.....	88	(X)	44	(X)	12	(X)	7	(X)
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	31	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	85	279 711	41	278 368	11	79 891	6	79 525
.....1969.....	55	302 604	31	301 946	17	130 906	16	130 896
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	77	250 667	37	249 667	8	75 950	6	75 850
.....1969.....	55	276 498	31	275 929	16	130 904	15	130 894
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	69	1 256	32	572	2	100	—	—
100 to 399.....	3	316	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	1	500	1	500	2	1 100	2	1 100
1,600 to 3,199.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999.....	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	11	336	8	327	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	3 940	11	3 937
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	17	1 653

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...	37	249 667	6	75 850	Turkeys.....1974...	1	(D)	1	(D)
.....1969...	31	275 929	15	130 894	.....1969...	2	34	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974...	35	154 664	4	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974...	1	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974...	3	95 003	2	(D)	.....1974...	1	(D)	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974...	3	21 508	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974...	—	—	—	—
.....1969...	4	26 005	—	—	Light breed.....1974...	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974...	21	7 193	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974...	2	19	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974...	1	(D)	—	—	.....1969...	4	(X)	2	(X)
					Other poultry.....1974...	8	(X)	—	(X)
					.....1969...				

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	239	261	9 223	13 144	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes.....	13	8	276	575	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	43	18	4 011	1 666	107 025	45 806				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	30	38	817	754	2 340 560	1 011 113				
Wheat (bushels).....	3	12	104	2 510	1 764	76 971				
Other small grains for grain.....	9	12	178	1 532	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales).....	1	2	8	6	2	2				
Tobacco (pounds).....	76	140	1 643	3 621	2 791 278	5 614 799				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	4	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	20	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	7	(NA)	6	(NA)	735	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	101	62	3 888	3 985	8 081	9 272				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	46	46	1 359	768	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards.....	18	26	961	167	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)				
Other crops.....	26	(NA)	1 037	336	(X)	(X)				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	144	152	6 398	9 586	302 666	283 045	5	7	158	171
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	12	8	1 244	1 230	17 704	10 996	1	—	300	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	12	11	226	240	(X)	(X)	2	1	24	22
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	3	7	73	435	2 900	18 566	—	1	—	100
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	6	(NA)	153	140	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	4	—	99	—	238	—	—	—	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974...	176	16 122	(X)	3	109	79	7 254	75	1 417	16	90
.....1969...	131	12 241	(X)	6	190	84	8 127	83	2 266	19	172
Improved pasture.....1974...	64	7 902	(X)	—	—	32	5 072	31	1 012	4	54
.....1969...	55	6 758	(X)	—	—	36	3 830	36	1 010	10	72
Corn for all purposes.....1974...	157	7 868	(X)	6	482	132	6 816	129	1 767	33	160
.....1969...	160	11 056	(X)	8	193	146	9 814	144	2 724	53	292
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974...	9	226	(X)	—	—	8	216	3	26	6	21
.....1969...	8	575	(X)	1	100	7	457	7	152	1	2
Wheat (bushels).....1974...	3	104	1 764	—	—	3	104	3	32	2	11
.....1969...	12	2 510	76 971	1	100	10	2 160	(NA)	505	(NA)	7
Oats (bushels).....1974...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969...	5	451	26 426	—	—	5	451	(NA)	116	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels).....1974...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969...	4	415	15 920	—	—	3	165	(NA)	39	(NA)	10
Rye (bushels).....1974...	3	60	1 734	—	—	1	30	1	8	—	—
.....1969...	4	65	1 850	—	—	4	65	(NA)	18	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974...	2	77	(X)	—	—	1	47	1	9	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974...	40	3 942	105 348	—	—	20	2 031	19	383	1	10
.....1969...	12	1 595	44 152	—	—	10	1 475	(NA)	287	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974...	29	767	2 140 560	—	—	22	711	22	206	—	—
.....1969...	26	676	930 047	—	—	18	471	(NA)	147	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974...	84	3 489	7 420	—	—	42	2 072	38	550	18	85
.....1969...	51	3 769	8 927	2	23	31	2 790	30	721	11	60
Field seed crops.....1974...	10	806	(X)	—	—	5	146	5	34	1	5
.....1969...	3	179	(X)	—	—	2	163	2	41	1	5
Cotton (bales).....1974...	1	8	2	—	—	1	8	1	2	—	—
.....1969...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974...	71	1 634	2 778 962	46	1 245	71	1 633	71	3 060	2	5
.....1969...	123	3 592	5 579 373	110	3 509	123	3 592	(NA)	7 575	(NA)	2
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974...	3	(Z)	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969...	2	(Z)	40	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974...	38	1 339	(X)	27	535	36	1 334	36	768	5	8
.....1969...	40	763	(X)	34	642	38	663	38	426	6	54
Land in orchards.....1974...	11	910	(X)	—	—	4	870	4	176	1	100
.....1969...	18	138	(X)	1	1	6	102	6	32	—	—

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	12	213	(X)	6	208	6	208	6	50	3	34	—
1969	2	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	3	(D)	2	64	1	60	—
Other crops	6	9	(X)	—	—	2	4	2	1	—	—	—
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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	—	—	—	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
lime	—	—	—	—	Insects on hay crops	4	1	—	—
forms	232	236	—	—	acres on which used	93	4	—	—
\$1,000	1 997	2 076	—	—	\$1,000	(2)	(2)	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	—	—	—	—	forms	66	128	—	—
forms	225	224	—	—	acres on which used	5 684	5 672	—	—
acres on which used	28 565	37 339	—	—	\$1,000	254	351	—	—
tons	10 084	16 876	—	—	forms	21	89	—	—
\$1,000	1 567	1 559	—	—	acres on which used	851	2 956	—	—
Lime	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	65	114	—	—
forms	28	63	—	—					
acres on which used	1 503	2 705	—	—					
tons	1 466	2 581	—	—					
\$1,000	21	24	—	—					
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—									
Insects on hay crops	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
Nematodes in crops	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
Other chemicals (see text)	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—

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	65	125	—	—	Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	23.9	49.4	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	11	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated	2 685	4 860	—	—	acres	661	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm	41.3	38.8	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	53	(NA)	—	—
forms	65	125	—	—	acres	2 007	(NA)	—	—
acres	2 685	4 860	—	—	forms	—	—	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	65	124	—	—	acres	38 793	66 427	—	—
forms	2 442	4 657	—	—	\$1,000	14 234	30 935	—	—
acres	3	6	—	—	forms	9 561	16 671	—	—
acres	109	190	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
forms	4	(NA)	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	5	(X)	—	—
acres	134	13	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	73	(X)	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	7	31	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	2.6	12.2	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	acres	2 573	25 262	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Land drained	265	2 931	—	—
forms	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	37.9	94.5	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	3 169	4 977	—	—	tanks	89	(NA)	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	1.2	1.0	—	—	number	281	(NA)	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	acres	534	(NA)	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—					
Furrows or ditches	1	(NA)	—	—					
forms	17	(NA)	—	—					
acres	—	—	—	—					

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

	Forms	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	147	94	95
\$1,000	—	10 533	5 881	4 652
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000	—	41	22	36
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	12	6	6
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	33	24	25
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	11	10	8
\$50,000 and over	—	50	32	20

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	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—	74	133	1 125	1 577	2 545	6 057	141	74	66	85
150 days or more	66	187	3 672	9 701	2 051	—	4 877	2 545	2 051	281
25 to 149 days	85	—	2 189	(NA)	281	—	6 986	1 125	3 672	2 189
Less than 25 days	11	10	(NA)	(NA)	28	26	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Forms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	89	(NA)	17	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	20	12	11
Cash wages paid	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	7	2	5
Number of workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	11	7	13
Farms with—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	15	3	13
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	76	21	42	43
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—