

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	211	290	129	164	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms	15 439	21 347	13 657	17 997	Total cropland	192	229	120	135
Average size of farm	73	74	106	110	..... farms...	8 815	9 219	7 642	7 580
..... acres...					..... acres...	173	174	117	125
Approximate land area	169 408	169 408	169 408	169 408	Harvested cropland	5 747	6 014	5 467	5 731
Proportion in farms	9.1	12.6	8.1	10.6	..... farms...				
Value of land and buildings	42 480	29 960	33 767	23 922	..... acres...				
Average per farm	201 328	103 310	261 758	145 865	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per acre	2 751	1 403	2 472	1 329	1 to 9 acres	110	67	62	
Farms by size:					10 to 19 acres	14	32	8	97
1 to 9 acres	97	67	53	33	20 to 29 acres	12	29	12	
10 to 49 acres	61	142	37	69	30 to 49 acres	9	18	7	
50 to 69 acres	11	16	7	10	50 to 99 acres	11	14	11	14
70 to 99 acres	14	22	8	13	100 to 199 acres	8	7	8	7
100 to 139 acres	9	13	6	12	200 to 499 acres	8	6	8	6
140 to 179 acres	1	6	1	4	500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1
180 to 219 acres	5	2	5	2	1,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-
220 to 259 acres	1	5	-	5	Cropland used only for pasture				
260 to 499 acres	5	11	5	10	or grazing	37	68	13	23
500 to 999 acres	2	2	2	2	..... farms...	1 713	2 729	921	1 529
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5	3	5	3	..... acres...	15	38	10	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	-	1	-	1	Other cropland (see text)	1 355	476	1 254	320
					..... farms...				
					..... acres...				
					Total woodland	28	65	12	38
					..... farms...	1 535	2 657	1 246	2 281
					..... acres...				
					Other land (see text)	114	170	66	(NA)
					..... farms...	5 089	9 471	4 769	8 136
					..... acres...				
					Irrigated land	85	65	63	52
					..... farms...	2 130	3 386	2 048	3 311
					..... acres...				

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	211	290	129	164	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	15 439	21 347	13 657	17 997	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	15	21
Harvested cropland	5 747	6 014	5 467	5 731	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	3 298	742
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					..... acres...				
Full owners	180	245	107	136	Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	20	20
Land in farms	9 685	16 087	8 434	13 491	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	4 205	4 558
Harvested cropland	4 044	5 113	3 773	4 851	..... acres...				
Part owners	14	18	9	15	Other	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
Land in farms	3 695	3 762	3 478	3 650	..... farms...	(NA)	(NA)	395	153
Harvested cropland	795	586	792	586	Farm operators by age group:²				
Tenants	17	27	13	13	Under 25 years	3	8	1	2
Land in farms	2 059	1 498	1 745	856	25 to 34 years	6	16	6	5
Harvested cropland	908	315	902	294	35 to 44 years	31	52	13	30
Percent of tenancy	8.1	9.3	10.1	7.9	45 to 54 years	54	63	31	36
					55 to 64 years	34	93	23	51
					65 years and over	59	58	33	40
					Average age	55.9	53.8	56.4	56.0
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:³				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated	107	135	57	76
All farm operators	-	-	-	-	On another farm	4		3	
Land in farms	-	-	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	6	102	5	59
Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area	32		18	
Full owners	-	-	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work				
Land in farms	-	-	-	-	off farm:²				
Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-	None	63	(NA)	42	(NA)
Part owners	-	-	-	-	1 to 49 days	6	5	3	2
Land in farms	-	-	-	-	50 to 99 days	4	1	1	1
Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-	100 to 149 days	3			
Tenants	-	-	-	-	150 to 199 days	4	25	3	9
Land in farms	-	-	-	-	200 days and over	60	128	27	49
Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Percent of tenancy	-	-	-	-	Farming	96	(NA)	66	(NA)
					Other	91	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of				
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	92	120	futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	5 759	12 544	Farm operators reporting agricultural				
					contracts	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)

¹1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	11	30	11	30	Crops	59	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	18		18		\$1,000	1 572	1 808
\$20,000 to \$39,999	23	19	22	19	farms		
					\$1,000		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23	25	23	25	Grains		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	36	28	36	\$1,000		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	38	24	37	farms		
					\$1,000		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	83	142	3	17	Tobacco		1
\$2,000 to \$2,499	8	9	(X)	(X)	\$1,000		1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5	8	(X)	(X)	farms		
\$1,000 to \$1,499	22	16	(X)	(X)	Cotton and cottonseed		
Under \$1,000 (see text)	48	109	(X)	(X)	\$1,000		
					farms		
Market value of agricultural products sold					Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	4	7
\$1,000	6 291	6 344	6 183	6 270	\$1,000	58	13
Average per farm	29 817	21 876	47 932	38 230	Other field crops		
					\$1,000		
Crops, including hay	85	163	59	(NA)	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	2	
\$1,000	1 597	3 234	1 572	1 808	\$1,000	10	
farms					farms	55	84
Nursery and greenhouse products	79		57	33	\$1,000	1 504	1 793
\$1,000	2 981		2 924	1 390			
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	28	54
Forest products		4		4	\$1,000	1 687	3 070
\$1,000		2		2	farms		
					\$1,000		
Livestock, poultry, and their products	59	110	28	54	Poultry and poultry products	2	12
\$1,000	1 714	3 108	1 687	3 070	\$1,000	(2)	718
					farms	4	9
Poultry and poultry products	9	(NA)	2	12	Dairy products	1 304	1 786
\$1,000	2	(NA)	(Z)	718	\$1,000	21	(NA)
					farms	340	422
					\$1,000		(NA)
					farms	1	(NA)
					\$1,000	10	(D)
					farms		
					Other livestock and livestock products	4	
					\$1,000	33	

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	88	(NA)	29	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	60
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	14	(NA)	9	(NA)	\$1,000	1 110
\$1,000	80	(NA)	73	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	11
farms	8	19	5	12	\$1,000	111
\$1,000	67	159	61	155	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	27
					\$1,000	376
Customwork and other agricultural services					Interest, dividends, or royalties	25
farms		7		1	\$1,000	378
\$1,000		22		7	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	15
Recreational services					\$1,000	81
\$1,000		2	16	8	Rent income of nonfarm property	10
Government farm programs	2	16	2	8	\$1,000	165
\$1,000	1	3	1	3		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	3	(NA)	2	(NA)		
\$1,000	3	(NA)	2	(NA)		
farms	2	(NA)	1	(NA)		
\$1,000	10	(NA)	10	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources	7	(NA)	5	(NA)		
\$1,000	46	(NA)	42	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹						
\$1,000						

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	211	290	129	164	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	54	54	31	29
\$1,000	5 037	5 407	4 905	5 197	\$1,000	271	150	267	147
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	168	201	105	128
\$1 to \$999	38	56	1	18	\$1,000	304	274	288	256
\$1,000 to \$1,999	28	57	2		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	104	(NA)	76	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	30	27	18	13	\$1,000	150	165	148	160
\$3,000 to \$4,999	23	36	20	24	farms	(NA)	36	6	23
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	49	22	44	\$1,000	(NA)	13	1	11
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30		28	24	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	165	263	116	156
\$20,000 to \$39,999	17		17	14	\$1,000	171	116	166	98
\$40,000 to \$59,999	8	65	8		farms	(NA)	(NA)	105	145
\$60,000 and over	13		13	27	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	82	62
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	57
Livestock and poultry purchased	29	78	15	42	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	39	14
\$1,000	30	373	18	352	farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	25
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	5
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	69	118	35	50	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	116	155
\$1,000	919	1 344	895	1 310	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	17
					Hired farm labor	80	152	59	108
Commercially mixed formula feeds	54	86	34	45	\$1,000	1 219	1 070	1 203	1 042
\$1,000	776	1 122	760	1 106	farms	25	133	17	53
farms	(NA)	(NA)	7	5	\$1,000	117	485	114	416
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	167	farms	53		32	59
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	8	3	\$1,000	166		161	59
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	8	farms	187	244	127	159
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	5	10	\$1,000	1 690	1 429	1 632	1 357
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	129	28					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)							
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)							
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	13	(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
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	162	240	95	141					
..... \$1,000.....	2 161	1 484	1 710	1 102					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	13 341	6 184	17 995	7 814					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	7	38	1	77					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	43	123	21	26					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	47	33	19	21					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	31	27	23	11					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	12		11	4					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	16	19	14	3					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	3		3	2					
\$70,000 and over.....	3		3						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	104	124	61	74					
..... number.....	137	186	88	110					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	115	46	69					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	117	141	74	92					
..... number.....	238	260	172	202					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	115	107	85	82					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	107	157	67	90					
..... number.....	212	249	151	157					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	77	97	47	65					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	7		4	6					
..... number.....	7		4	10					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1			4					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	2		2						
..... number.....	2		2						
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....									
..... number.....									
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	2		2						
..... number.....	2		2						
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	14	(NA)	10	(NA)					
..... number.....	20	(NA)	15	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	3	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	7	6	6	4					
..... number.....	7	6	6	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	2	1						
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	5	(NA)	4	3					
..... number.....	5	(NA)	4	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	(NA)	1						
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	3	(NA)	3	1					
..... number.....	3	(NA)	3	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		(NA)							

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.....	66	(X)	30	(X)	59	(X)	28	(X)	1 687
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	49	(X)	20	(X)	47	(X)	22	(X)	350
..... 1969.....	87	(X)	35	(X)	81	(X)	35	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	49	4 740	20	4 157	43	1 408	21	1 279	340
..... 1969.....	86	6 528	34	5 629	80	3 424	34	3 110	422
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	9	28	1	4	15	39	1	3	1
..... 1974.....	7	54			10	60	4	27	12
10 to 19..... 1974.....	7	90	4	49	5	61	5	61	30
20 to 49..... 1974.....	11	335	3	73	8	253	6	193	59
50 to 99..... 1974.....	7	449	4	247	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199..... 1974.....	4	532	4	532					
200 to 499..... 1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over..... 1974.....	3	(D)	3	(D)					
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	38	2 850	16	2 590	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	65	4 136	30	3 803	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	33	1 570	13	1 317	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	1 636	24	1 307	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	12	1 280	7	1 273	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	14	2 500	10	2 496	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	1 304
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	1 786
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	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows.....	33	1 570	13	1 317	17	1 055	315		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	8	27	1	3	1	4	1		
5 to 9.....	6	38	1	5	6	34	20		
10 to 19.....	6	79	2	30	4	53	35		
20 to 49.....	6	192	2	45	2	65	(D)		
50 to 99.....	3	234	3	234	1	53	(D)		
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	846	208		
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
Milk cows.....	12	1 280	7	1 273	15	224	24		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	6	6	2	2	6	7	1		
3 or 4.....	2	6	1	3	1	3	1		
5 to 9.....					2	16	2		
10 to 19.....					2	22	4		
20 to 49.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	118	15		
50 to 99.....					1	58	2		
100 to 199.....									
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(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	15	1 030	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	6	7	4
1969	27	1 265	1969	1	1	(NA)
Beef heifers	10	594	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	5	436	1 to 9	6	7	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	17	537	10 to 19	—	—	—
1969	30	561	20 to 49	—	—	—
			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	9	126	—	—	9	247	1	166	10
1969	6	283	2	260	7	461	2	(D)	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	2	4	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
5 to 9	2	16	—	—	5	36	—	—	—
10 to 24	4	74	—	—	1	14	—	—	—
25 to 49	1	32	—	—	1	30	—	—	—
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	1	166	1	166	10
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	20	—	—	—
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	32	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969	1	4	—	—	1	1	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	22	123	10	84	4	8	2	4	(D)
1969	58	373	(NA)	(NA)	14	76	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	Inventory			
	All farms			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	—	—	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	4	21	—	—
1969	1	20	1969	6	54	3	49
Other hogs and pigs	—	—	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	4	10	—	—
1969	2	240	1969	6	27	3	22
Lambs under 1 year old	—	—	June 1 and November 30	4	11	—	—
Ewes 1 year old or older	—	—	1969	3	27	3	27
Rams and wethers	—	—					

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	17	(X)	5	(X)	5	(X)	—	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	17	959	5	289	5	298	—	—
1969	25	125 635	13	124 801	11	102 879	8	102 754
Hens and pullets of laying age	17	738	5	285	5	298	—	—
1969	24	95 092	12	94 291	10	52 819	7	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99	13	338	3	85	4	118	—	—
100 to 399	4	400	2	200	1	180	—	—
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	4	86	2	80	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	2	2	(Z)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	718

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..	5	285	—	—	Turkeys.....	1974..	—	—
	1969..	12	94 291	7	(D)		1969..	2	8
Hens for table or market egg production.....	1974..	5	285	—	—	Turkeys for slaughter.....	1974..	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....	1974..	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed.....	1974..	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	Light breed.....	1974..	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	1974..	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....	1974..	—	—
	1969..	3	30 500	1	(D)		1969..	2	8
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	1974..	2	4	—	—	Other poultry.....	1974..	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	1974..	—	—	—	—		1969..	6	(X)

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.....	2	5	158	50	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	—	4	—	6	—	42				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Wheat (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Other small grains for grain.....	1	—	1	—	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Tabacco (pounds).....	—	1	—	1	—	—			2 100	
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	16	(NA)				(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	3	(NA)				(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	11	11	1 224	585	2 299	1 052				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	5	2	33	2	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards.....	90	128	4 123	5 180	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale.....	1	—	(Z)	5	(X)	(X)				
Other crops.....	71	(NA)	224	201	(X)	(X)				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	2	1	130	25	3 588	1 500	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	2	1	28	19	800	160	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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						
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid		
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Cropland used only for pasture.....	1974..	13	921	(X)	—	—	4	325	4	59	—	—
	1969..	23	1 529	(X)	—	—	6	129	6	38	—	—
Improved pasture.....	1974..	9	2 769	(X)	—	—	6	1 020	6	132	—	—
	1969..	15	2 969	(X)	—	—	9	2 120	8	496	1	5
Corn for all purposes.....	1974..	2	158	(X)	—	—	2	158	2	48	—	—
	1969..	1	44	(X)	—	—	1	25	1	30	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes.....	1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats (bushels).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley (bushels).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rye (bushels).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain.....	1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	1974..	9	1 164	2 269	1	15	4	790	3	66	1	78
	1969..	11	585	1 052	—	—	2	20	2	2	—	—
Field seed crops.....	1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tabacco (pounds).....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	1	1	2 100	—	—	1	1	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1974..	2	(Z)	16	2	(Z)	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	1974..	2	26	(X)	—	—	2	26	2	39	—	—
	1969..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards.....	1974..	60	3 935	(X)	31	1 860	57	3 897	56	2 413	1	14
	1969..	87	4 903	(X)	38	3 199	84	4 878	84	3 641	2	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

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Berries for sale	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	-	-
1969	1	5	(X)	1	5	1	5	1	2	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	57	205	(X)	38	175	42	176	39	143	19	23
1969	33	198	(X)	13	109	30	153	29	94	6	4
Other crops	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	1	(Z)	-	-

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—Con.				
\$1,000	108		138		Diseases in crops and orchards	29		43	
Commercial fertilizer	435		416		acres on which used	2 209		3 110	
acres on which used	107		123		\$1,000	53		58	
tons	6 406		7 339		Weeds or grass in crops	8		8	
\$1,000	3 016		4 319		acres on which used	212		297	
Lime	288		256		\$1,000	1		8	
acres on which used	6		23		Weeds or brush in pasture	-		-	
tons	157		1 160		acres on which used	-		-	
\$1,000	141		1 125		\$1,000	-		-	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1		11		Weeds on all other land	1		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	1		-		acres on which used	1		(NA)	
acres on which used	150		-		\$1,000	(Z)		(NA)	
\$1,000	(Z)		-		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops	35		48		of crops or thinning of fruit	4		2	
acres on which used	2 555		2 852		acres on which used	76		66	
\$1,000	81		62		\$1,000	3		4	
Nematodes in crops	3		7		Insect control on livestock and poultry	1		10	
acres on which used	10		141		\$1,000	(Z)		8	
\$1,000	2		9		Other chemicals (see text)	15		(NA)	
					\$1,000	5		(NA)	

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	63		52		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	48.8		31.7		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	17		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	2 048		3 311		acres	542		(NA)	
Average per farm	32.5		63.6		Other sprinkler systems	38		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	63		52		acres	1 221		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	2 048		3 311		Land in irrigated farms	5 510		7 547	
acres	63		52		Cropland	3 993		3 937	
Cropland pasture irrigated	2 048		3 311		Harvested cropland	3 172		3 805	
acres	-		-		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	-		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973	3		(X)	
acres	-		-		acres irrigated in most recent year	114		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		-		Farms with artificial drainage	10		34	
acres	-		-		Proportion of farms	7.8		20.7	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1 536		2 086		Land in farms with drainage	3 565		3 057	
Average per acre irrigated	0.7		0.6		Land drained	779		1 167	
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	77.9		34.3	
Furrows or ditches	1		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
acres	5		(NA)		tanks	14		(NA)	
					number	39		(NA)	
					acres	15		(NA)	

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	
		\$1,000	Forms	Forms	Forms	Forms	Forms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		25	21	8			
Farms by size of debt owed:		2 107	1 501	607			
Under \$5,000		5	4	1			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		1	1	-			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		8	7	2			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		1	-	1			
\$50,000 and over		10	9	4			

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	36	59	197	256	941		59	36	32	23	
25 to 149 days	32	79	244	308	235		1 203	941	235	27	
Less than 25 days	23		245		27		686	197	244	245	
Total contract labor	17		(NA)	(NA)	114	416					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	160	(NA)	49	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							14	9	13	6	
2 workers							13	13	6	4	
3 or 4 workers							11	5	5	3	
5 to 9 workers							10	4	1	3	
10 workers and over							11	5	7	7	