

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 .....	441	462	212	220	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms .....	169 241	277 994	148 380	256 640	Total cropland .....	394	361	196	186
Average size of farm .....	384	602	700	1 167	..... farms...	26 104	29 139	21 635	24 579
Approximate land area .....	498 368	498 368	498 368	498 368	..... acres...	318	295	179	173
Proportion in farms .....	34.0	55.8	29.8	51.5	..... acres...	12 335	14 471	11 362	13 514
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000...	77 310	47 297	59 945	41 637	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm .....	175 305	102 373	282 757	189 259	1 to 9 acres .....	146	120	43	
Average per acre .....	457	170	404	162	10 to 19 acres .....	55	53	29	108
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres .....	31	37	26	
1 to 9 acres .....	68	66	18	21	30 to 49 acres .....	24	20	21	
10 to 49 acres .....	150	168	56	58	50 to 99 acres .....	26	20	24	20
50 to 69 acres .....	43	43	20	18	100 to 199 acres .....	19	32	19	32
70 to 99 acres .....	40	34	20	14	200 to 499 acres .....	14	11	14	11
100 to 139 acres .....	26	33	7	18	500 to 999 acres .....	3	1	3	1
140 to 179 acres .....	8	13	5	10	1,000 acres and over .....	-	1	-	1
180 to 219 acres .....	18	9	13	6	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres .....	9	8	9	7	or grazing .....	144	122	53	48
260 to 499 acres .....	27	36	20	23	..... farms...	12 001	11 195	8 854	7 970
500 to 999 acres .....	29	20	24	17	..... acres...	54	75	33	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	6	9	3	5	Other cropland (see text) .....	1 768	3 473	1 419	3 095
2,000 acres and over .....	17	23	17	23	..... acres...				
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Total woodland .....	181	202	88	103
			1974	1969	..... farms...	113 165	186 488	107 185	176 080
Other cropland .....			33	(NA)	..... acres...	299	284	141	(NA)
..... farms...			1 419	3 095	Other land (see text) .....	29 972	62 367	19 560	55 981
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....			13	7	..... farms...	91	116	63	87
..... farms...			569	370	..... acres...	4 296	9 212	4 239	9 116
Cropland on which all crops failed .....			2	3	Total woodland -- Continued				
..... farms...			21	495	Woodland not pastured .....				
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....			3	6	..... farms...				
..... acres...			84	84	..... acres...				
Cropland idle .....			18	34	Other land .....				
..... farms...			745	2 146	..... farms...				
Total woodland .....			88	103	..... acres...				
..... farms...			107 185	176 080	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture .....				
Woodland pastured .....			55	53	..... farms...				
..... acres...			100 772	141 396	..... acres...				
					Improved pastureland and rangeland .....				
					..... farms...				
					..... acres...				
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland .....				
					..... farms...				
					..... acres...				
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....				
					..... farms...				
					..... 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 .....	441	462	212	220	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms .....	169 241	277 994	148 380	256 640	Partnership .....	(NA)	(NA)	18	16
Harvested cropland .....	12 335	14 471	11 362	13 514	..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	37 696	19 124
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	13	18
Full owners .....	349	381	141	165	..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	9 551	97 303
Land in farms .....	70 762	75 154	57 615	57 125	Other .....	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Harvested cropland .....	6 861	9 523	6 026	8 694	..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	37	43
Part owners .....	73	70	54	49	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms .....	73 765	194 798	66 055	191 803	Under 25 years .....	3	5	3	3
Harvested cropland .....	4 431	4 237	4 294	4 109	25 to 34 years .....	32	32	7	18
Tenants .....	19	11	17	6	35 to 44 years .....	58	109	26	41
Land in farms .....	24 714	8 042	24 710	7 712	45 to 54 years .....	105	111	51	54
Harvested cropland .....	1 043	711	1 042	711	55 to 64 years .....	111	85	52	45
Percent of tenancy .....	4.3	2.3	8.0	2.7	65 years and over .....	116	120	58	59
Black and other races, see text—					Average age .....	55.6	52.7	56.9	53.1
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
All farm operators .....	8	12	4	6	On farm operated .....	238	279	101	126
Land in farms .....	127	265	91	93	On another farm .....	1			
Harvested cropland .....	81	71	74	44	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	33	115	27	62
Full owners .....	5	8	1	4	In a city, town, or urban area .....	62		29	
Land in farms .....	67	168	31	40	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland .....	21	42	14	15	None .....	115	(NA)	64	(NA)
Part owners .....	-	4	-	2	1 to 49 days .....	22	28	8	11
Land in farms .....	-	97	-	53	50 to 99 days .....	6	15	2	5
Harvested cropland .....	-	29	-	29	100 to 149 days .....	15		8	
Tenants .....	3	-	3	-	150 to 199 days .....	18	31	13	21
Land in farms .....	60	-	60	-	200 days and over .....	174	229	53	68
Harvested cropland .....	60	-	60	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Percent of tenancy .....	37.5	-	75.0	-	Farming .....	165	(NA)	104	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other .....	260	(NA)	93	(NA)
Individual or family .....	(NA)	(NA)	179	185	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	101 096	140 170	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)

<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.....	38	49	38	49			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	14		14				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	26	32	26	32			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	39	33	39	33			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	41	49	40	49			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	39	45	39	44			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	244	254	16	13			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	21	28	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	36	22	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	44	31	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	143	173	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000.....	12 343	11 835	12 131	11 657			
Average per farm.....dollars	27 988	25 617	57 223	52 984			
<b>Crops, including hay</b> .....farms	204	247	125	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	6 031	4 627	5 962	2 952			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b> .....farms	70		51	49			
\$1,000.....	1 409		1 381	1 617			
<b>Forest products</b> .....farms	16	21	15	16			
\$1,000.....	614	302	614	299			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....farms	239	228	98	108			
\$1,000.....	4 288	6 906	4 174	6 789			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> .....farms	20	(NA)	9	17			
\$1,000.....	1 411	(NA)	1 410	1 775			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops.....farms			125	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			5 962	2 952			
Grains.....farms			11	9			
\$1,000.....			110	35			
Tobacco.....farms			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms			33	18			
\$1,000.....			183	57			
Other field crops.....farms			24	26			
\$1,000.....			2 890	1 298			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms			21	23			
\$1,000.....			1 272	654			
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms			67	77			
\$1,000.....			1 506	907			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....farms			98	108			
\$1,000.....			4 174	6 789			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> .....farms			9	17			
\$1,000.....			1 410	1 775			
<b>Dairy products</b> .....farms			2	3			
(D).....				591			
<b>Cattle and calves</b> .....farms			91	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			1 016	4 320			
<b>Hogs and pigs</b> .....farms			8	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			40	102			
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b> .....farms			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b> .....farms			4				
\$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		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> .....	250	(NA)	71	(NA)			
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b> .....farms	82	(NA)	54	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	281	(NA)	258	(NA)			
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b> .....farms	29	28	20	20			
\$1,000.....	196	75	190	50			
<b>Recreational services</b> .....farms	2	1	1	1			
\$1,000.....	3	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)			
<b>Government farm programs</b> .....farms	45	59	30	41			
\$1,000.....	28	40	20	35			
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b> .....farms	13	(NA)	7	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	22	(NA)	18	(NA)			
<b>Other farm-related sources</b> .....farms	6	(NA)	4	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	31	(NA)	29	(NA)			
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b> .....farms	28	(NA)	17	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	144	(NA)	138	(NA)			
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b> .....farms							
\$1,000.....							

<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</b> .....farms	441	462	212	220					
\$1,000.....	9 757	13 334	9 387	13 011					
<b>Farms with—</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	102	146	6	25					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	86	79							
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	49	37							
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	55	47							
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	45	43							
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	39								
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	14								
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	14	110							
\$60,000 and over.....	37								
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....farms	98	124	46	58					
\$1,000.....	688	3 293	658	3 259					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....farms	236	222	94	97					
\$1,000.....	2 399	2 117	2 299	2 057					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b> .....farms	160	164	84	90					
\$1,000.....	2 013	1 637	1 977	1 604					
<b>Feed ingredients</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	27	15					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	39	149					
<b>Whole grains</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	25	29					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	204	280					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	20	27					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	78	24					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	43	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	72	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b> .....farms	123	130	74	75					
\$1,000.....	407	390	400	386					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b> .....farms	351	355	172	178					
\$1,000.....	1 001	730	936	691					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b> .....farms	148	(NA)	102	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	184	209	180	200					
<b>Lime</b> .....farms	(NA)	93	19	43					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	61	15	56					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b> .....farms	392	404	190	210					
\$1,000.....	323	300	294	267					
<b>Gasoline</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	182	203					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	153	168					
<b>Diesel oil</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	88	104					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	85	53					
<b>LP gas, butane, and propane</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	41					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	15	18					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	190	204					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	40	29					
<b>Hired farm labor</b> .....farms	185	244	126	161					
\$1,000.....	1 409	1 710	1 383	1 686					
<b>Contract labor</b> .....farms	43	195	34	64					
\$1,000.....	536	439	529	330					
<b>Machine hire and customwork</b> .....farms	115		70	85					
\$1,000.....	239		233	95					
<b>All other production expenses</b> .....farms	373	393	205	216					
\$1,000.....	2 570	4 145	2 403	4 040					

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>					<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	388	400	181	202	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	1	2	1	2
..... \$1,000.....	4 966	2 914	3 562	2 316	..... number.....	1	2	1	2
Average per farm..... dollars.....	12 800	7 284	19 678	11 464	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	1	1	1
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	1	12	1	3
\$1 to \$999.....	15	40	3	103	..... number.....	1	12	1	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	107	234	35	103	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	6	1	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	128	49	49	28	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	3	1	1	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	77	43	39	39	..... number.....	3	1	1	6
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	27	11	21	11	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	1	1	2
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	24	34	24	14	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	43	(NA)	24	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	5	5	5	7	..... number.....	54	(NA)	34	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	5	5	5	7	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	15	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					Pickup balers..... farms.....	35	25	23	20
Automobiles..... farms.....	217	220	106	130	..... number.....	37	28	25	23
..... number.....	279	305	150	189	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	17	9	16
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	160	198	107	135	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	17	(NA)	15	17
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	301	286	152	164	..... number.....	17	(NA)	15	18
..... number.....	475	446	268	305	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	7	11
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	235	251	142	182	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	3	(NA)	3	9
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	304	283	145	144	..... number.....	3	(NA)	3	11
..... number.....	558	531	334	352	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	1	4
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	175	214	111	175					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	20	17	17	18					
..... number.....	20	17	17	22					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	1	1	7					

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.....	243	(X)	97	(X)	239	(X)	98	(X)	4 174
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	225	(X)	89	(X)	219	(X)	92	(X)	1 056
..... 1969.....	214	(X)	91	(X)	205	(X)	91	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	215	17 894	88	14 782	214	8 142	91	7 189	1 016
..... 1969.....	206	22 630	85	20 261	191	15 442	85	14 461	4 320
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	14	34	2	4	63	167	10	28	3
5 to 9..... 1974.....	17	138	5	41	38	256	3	23	6
10 to 19..... 1974.....	44	659	6	88	49	658	23	322	29
20 to 49..... 1974.....	65	1 843	15	529	33	979	25	794	92
50 to 99..... 1974.....	34	2 478	20	1 478	17	1 066	16	1 006	143
100 to 199..... 1974.....	23	2 710	22	2 610	6	758	6	758	71
200 to 499..... 1974.....	12	3 684	12	3 684	5	1 442	5	1 442	271
500 and over..... 1974.....	6	6 348	6	6 348	3	2 816	3	2 816	400
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	186	11 427	85	9 578	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	150	11 092	70	9 984	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	181	9 991	83	8 162	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	9 950	67	8 861	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	17	1 436	6	1 416	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	15	1 142	8	1 123	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	591
<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.....	181	9 991	83	8 162	Cattle sold.....	45	3 552	743	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	11	32	1	2	1 to 4.....	10	25	6	
5 to 9.....	27	185	8	50	5 to 9.....	6	40	11	
10 to 19.....	49	700	7	88	10 to 19.....	10	125	23	
20 to 49.....	39	1 226	21	717	20 to 49.....	7	199	48	
50 to 99.....	35	2 275	26	1 732	50 to 99.....	5	296	75	
100 to 199.....	11	1 634	11	1 634	100 to 199.....	3	433	125	
200 to 499.....	6	1 679	6	1 679	200 to 499.....	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	3	2 260	3	2 260	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	17	1 436	6	1 416	Calves sold.....	78	3 637	273	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	11	13	3	3	1 or 2.....	4	7	1	
3 or 4.....	4	(D)	1	(D)	3 or 4.....	4	14	1	
5 to 9.....	—	—	—	—	5 to 9.....	4	31	3	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	22	304	21	
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	24	743	51	
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	11	761	94	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	6	785	45	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	3	992	59	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	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.....	77	3 379	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	5	64	15
1969.....	65	4 270	1969.....	3	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	74	3 175	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	3	204	1 to 9.....	2	7	1
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	83	1 825	10 to 19.....	1	15	3
1969.....	82	6 007	20 to 49.....	2	42	11
			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 .....	37	628	10	415	23	864	8	731	40
1969.....	46	2 260	23	1 909	45	3 680	22	3 137	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	14	30	2	2	2	4	-	-	-
5 to 9.....	8	57	2	17	5	27	-	-	-
10 to 24.....	9	122	1	15	9	123	1	21	1
25 to 49.....	2	78	1	40	2	82	2	82	6
50 to 99.....	2	115	2	115	2	126	2	126	7
100 to 199.....	2	226	2	226	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	75	-	-	-
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	1 703	7	1 523	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)
1969.....	3	33	2	32	1	76	1	76	(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)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	44	(NA)	(NA)	2	28	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	83	225	28	100	9	11	1	1	(Z)
1969.....	112	552	(NA)	(NA)	17	73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

  

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	7	35	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	18	447	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	18	82	7	61
Other hogs and pigs .....	8	380	1969.....	36	543	19	457
1969.....	19	1 462	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	10	37	5	31
Lambs under 1 year old .....	-	-	1969.....	33	266	18	218
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	-	-	1974.....	17	45	7	30
Rams and wethers .....	-	-	1969.....	29	277	17	239

<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 .....	47	(X)	15	(X)	11	(X)	8	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	45	134 396	13	133 695	9	111 742	6	111 710
1969.....	45	335 711	16	334 380	19	563 915	14	563 710
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	45	134 341	13	133 673	9	111 742	6	111 710
1969.....	40	213 444	11	212 377	13	141 595	8	141 410
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	40	841	8	173	4	52	1	20
100 to 399.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
400 to 1,599.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
50,000 to 99,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
1969.....	5	68 155	3	68 005	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20	1 411	9	1 410
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	17	1 775

**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	13	133 673	6	111 710	Turkeys		1974	-	-	-
	1969	11	212 377	8	141 410			1969	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	13	133 664	6	111 710	Turkeys for slaughter		1974	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	9	-	-	Heavy breed		1974	-	-	-
						Light breed		1974	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding		1974	-	-	-
	1969	6	122 000	7	422 300			1969	-	-	-
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	4	22	-	-	Other poultry		1974	2	(X)	1 (X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	-	-	-	-			1969	3	(X)	2 (X)

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

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		26	38	879	1 113	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		6	2	150	-	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		1	-	200	-	(D)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		2	-	2	-	400	-
Wheat (bushels)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Other small grains for grain		2	1	50	5	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		28	(NA)	2 745	(NA)	392 015	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		2	(NA)	(2)	(NA)	100	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		79	49	3 037	1 916	8 278	5 397
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		33	29	1 905	1 631	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		144	153	3 194	3 839	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		3	3	1	3	(X)	(X)
Other crops		75	(NA)	412	1 247	(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)		13	9	604	598	30 982	33 950	5	2
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		3	3	165	258	2 350	3 152	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		4	1	60	12	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		6	(NA)	150	60	(X)	(X)	(NA)	60
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		2	2	16	30	32	87	-	-

**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	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	53	8 854	(X)	-	26	2 614	23	475	5	198
	1969	48	7 970	(X)	5	2 380	26	5 077	26	1 063	4
Improved pasture	1974	31	10 499	(X)	-	16	2 764	14	285	2	45
	1969	43	21 293	(X)	2	507	13 799	20	1 554	2	305
Corn for all purposes	1974	17	829	(X)	5	270	13	557	10	65	4
	1969	12	868	(X)	2	170	8	725	7	159	1
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	6	150	(X)	-	5	115	5	27	-	125
	1969	2	1 660	(X)	1	60	2	1 660	2	372	-
Wheat (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	50	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	5	84	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	1	200	(D)	-	1	200	1	50	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	48	2 555	7 579	1	100	28	1 484	21	269	13
	1969	33	1 728	5 044	5	350	16	656	16	251	2
Field seed crops	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	24	2 734	391 575	20	2 068	24	2 734	22	2 191	7
	1969	26	3 177	484 164	25	2 957	26	3 177	(NA)	3 252	(NA)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	21	1 864	(X)	14	1 485	21	1 864	17	1 016	9
	1969	23	1 616	(X)	19	1 341	23	1 614	19	1 010	5
Land in orchards	1974	73	2 846	(X)	12	279	62	2 728	62	1 760	1
	1969	84	3 356	(X)	15	403	80	3 305	79	1 905	11

**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..	2	3	(X)	2	3	2	3	2	4	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products.....1974..	51	344	(X)	27	190	41	302	41	251	10	83	-
.....1969..	49	1 024	(X)	42	950	43	1 010	41	1 008	9	30	-
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.....farms.....	176		191		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
.....\$1,000.....	1 116		892		Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms.....	36		35	
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	172		168		.....acres on which used.....	2 358		1 355	
.....acres on which used.....	15 371		30 775		.....\$1,000.....	37		22	
.....tons.....	7 690		11 843		Weeds or grass in crops.....farms.....	12		11	
.....\$1,000.....	936		691		.....acres on which used.....	1 300		532	
Lime.....farms.....	19		43		.....\$1,000.....	10		4	
.....acres on which used.....	1 811		4 297		Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms.....	1		2	
.....tons.....	1 951		8 617		.....acres on which used.....	100		178	
.....\$1,000.....	15		56		.....\$1,000.....	(Z)		(Z)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land.....farms.....	4		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops.....farms.....	5		7		.....acres on which used.....	45		(NA)	
.....acres on which used.....	596		180		.....\$1,000.....	(Z)		(NA)	
.....\$1,000.....	2		(Z)		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops.....farms.....	46		63		of crops or thinning of fruit.....farms.....	1		1	
.....acres on which used.....	4 989		5 921		.....acres on which used.....	50		35	
.....\$1,000.....	89		106		.....\$1,000.....	(Z)		(Z)	
Nematodes in crops.....farms.....	15		4		Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms.....	4		23	
.....acres on which used.....	654		154		.....\$1,000.....	2		8	
.....\$1,000.....	11		2		Other chemicals (see text).....farms.....	11		(NA)	
					.....\$1,000.....	14		(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.....farms.....	63		87		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms.....percent.....	29.7		39.5		Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....farms.....	10		(NA)	
Total land irrigated.....acres.....	4 239		9 116		.....acres.....	205		(NA)	
Average per farm.....acres.....	67.3		104.7		Other sprinkler systems.....farms.....	33		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated.....farms.....	63		87		.....acres.....	740		(NA)	
.....acres.....	4 239		8 609		Land in irrigated farms.....acres.....	9 964		32 160	
Harvested cropland irrigated.....farms.....	63		85		Cropland.....acres.....	6 677		12 003	
.....acres.....	4 235		6 127		Harvested cropland.....acres.....	5 477		7 584	
Cropland pasture irrigated.....farms.....	-		5		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
.....acres.....	-		2 380		between 1970 and 1973.....farms.....	-		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated.....farms.....	2		(NA)		.....acres irrigated in most recent year.....	-		(X)	
.....acres.....	4		102		Farms with artificial drainage.....farms.....	28		42	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture.....farms.....	-		2		Proportion of farms.....percent.....	13.2		19.0	
.....acres.....	-		507		Land in farms with drainage.....acres.....	21 902		116 789	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied.....acre-feet.....	4 397		7 682		Land drained.....acres.....	6 652		87 868	
Average per acre irrigated.....acre-feet.....	1.0		0.8		.....Average per farm.....acres.....	237.6		2092.0	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches.....farms.....	22		(NA)		tanks.....farms.....	11		(NA)	
.....acres.....	3 237		(NA)		.....number.....	22		(NA)	
					.....acres.....	43		(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).....farms.....			75		58		30	
.....\$1,000.....			5 054		4 025		1 029	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000.....			13		3		14	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....			9		10		2	
\$10,000 to \$29,999.....			24		19		8	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....			7		6		2	
\$50,000 and over.....			22		20		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.....	52	91	265	421	1 075	1 686	126	52	59	75
25 to 149 days.....	59	130	233	798	195	1 113	1 383	1 075	195	113
Less than 25 days.....	75		904	(NA)	113	529	1 402	265	233	904
Total contract labor.....	34	64	(NA)	(NA)	529	330				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor.....	16	(NA)	227	(NA)	324	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker.....							17	19	15	11
2 workers.....							15	10	13	9
3 or 4 workers.....							21	8	16	8
5 to 9 workers.....							25	7	9	12
10 workers and over.....							48	8	6	35