

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..	338	345	267	217	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres..	93 475	73 447	89 508	63 147	Total cropland..... farms..	319	322	259	214
Average size of farm..... acres..	277	213	335	291	..... acres..	50 456	41 231	48 701	37 187
Approximate land area..... acres..	140 160	140 160	140 160	140 160	Harvested cropland..... farms..	297	282	255	204
Proportion in farms..... percent..	66.7	52.4	63.9	45.1	..... acres..	40 014	26 518	39 489	25 200
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	35 302	15 541	33 350	12 992	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars..	104 445	45 046	124 905	59 872	1 to 9 acres.....	30	32	8	
Average per acre..... dollars..	378	212	373	206	10 to 19 acres.....	24	38	14	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	40	34	33	69
1 to 9 acres.....	11	10	3	2	30 to 49 acres.....	36	41	33	
10 to 49 acres.....	52	49	17	9	50 to 99 acres.....	65	59	65	57
50 to 69 acres.....	38	33	28	13	100 to 199 acres.....	35	41	35	41
70 to 99 acres.....	32	36	28	23	200 to 499 acres.....	53	31	53	31
100 to 139 acres.....	48	56	38	27	500 to 999 acres.....	10	6	10	6
140 to 179 acres.....	27	34	26	24	1,000 acres and over.....	4	-	4	-
180 to 219 acres.....	21	30	21	26	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres.....	17	14	17	14	or grazing..... farms..	178	171	136	121
260 to 499 acres.....	57	52	54	48	..... acres..	8 385	6 773	7 316	5 929
500 to 999 acres.....	25	25	25	25	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	67	191	56	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	9	5	9	5	..... acres..	2 057	7 940	1 896	6 058
2,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1	Total woodland..... farms..	235	257	191	171
					..... acres..	36 249	25 875	34 474	21 591
					Other land (see text)..... farms..	246	242	194	(NA)
					..... acres..	6 770	6 341	6 333	4 369
					Irrigated land..... farms..	8	6	8	4
					..... acres..	520	89	520	85
					Total woodland—Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms..			147	133
					..... acres..			29 046	17 085
					Other land..... farms..			194	(NA)
					..... acres..			6 333	4 369
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and				
					woodland pasture..... farms..			48	65
					..... acres..			3 099	2 337
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			33	44
					..... acres..			2 686	1 959
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			17	30
					..... acres..			413	378
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..			185	145
					..... acres..			3 234	2 032

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..	338	345	267	217	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	93 475	73 447	89 508	63 147	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	28	27
Harvested cropland..... acres..	40 014	26 518	39 489	25 200	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	10 719	11 186
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Full owners..... number..	202	224	143	114	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	21 282	2 608
Land in farms..... acres..	51 597	35 604	48 129	26 458	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres..	12 965	8 951	12 640	7 925	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number..	109	84	104	80	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	36 282	33 443	36 034	33 028	Under 25 years.....	3	6	3	6
Harvested cropland..... acres..	22 930	15 460	22 886	15 311	25 to 34 years.....	27	23	23	13
Tenants..... number..	27	37	20	23	35 to 44 years.....	77	82	56	54
Land in farms..... acres..	5 596	4 400	5 345	3 661	45 to 54 years.....	104	108	90	70
Harvested cropland..... acres..	4 119	2 107	3 963	1 964	55 to 64 years.....	78	89	54	56
Percent of tenancy.....	8.0	10.7	7.5	10.5	65 years and over.....	46	37	38	18
Black and other races, see text—					Average age.....	50.6	50.0	50.5	49.5
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators..... number..	6	9	5	3	On farm operated.....	204	265	162	175
Land in farms..... acres..	576	800	475	459	On another farm.....	23		14	
Harvested cropland..... acres..	273	323	265	231	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	16	52	12	23
Full owners..... number..	1	3	1	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	22		20	
Land in farms..... acres..	227	239	227	-	Farm operators reporting days of work				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	91	62	91	-	off farm: ²				
Part owners..... number..	4	1	4	1	None.....	110	(NA)	94	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	248	141	248	141	1 to 49 days.....	14	23	13	18
Harvested cropland..... acres..	174	114	174	114	50 to 99 days.....	5	5	3	4
Tenants..... number..	1	5	-	2	100 to 149 days.....	5		5	
Land in farms..... acres..	101	420	-	318	150 to 199 days.....	17	17	14	7
Harvested cropland..... acres..	8	147	-	117	200 days and over.....	119	138	78	54
Percent of tenancy.....	16.7	55.5	-	66.6	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farms by type of organization:					Farming.....	175	(NA)	155	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	236	187	Other.....	160	(NA)	109	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	57 507	49 353	Farm operators reporting utilization of				
					futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
					Farm operators reporting agricultural				
					contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	19	(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			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	20	21	20	21			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	45	41	45	41			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	41	41	41	41			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	60	37	60	37			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	62	56	62			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43	56	43	56			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	73	128	2	—			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	16	13	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	15	24	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	24	13	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	18	78	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm	\$1,000 9 258	3 884	\$1,000 9 159	3 770			
	dollars 27 391	11 257	dollars 34 303	17 371			
Crops, including hay	farms 269	254	farms 237	(NA)			
	\$1,000 6 450	1 818	\$1,000 6 415	1 770			
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 4		farms 2	1			
	\$1,000 (D)		\$1,000 (D)	(D)			
Forest products	farms 39	21	farms 31	19			
	\$1,000 (D)	55	\$1,000 (D)	53			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 242	269	farms 192	191			
	\$1,000 2 600	2 011	\$1,000 2 542	1 946			
Poultry and poultry products	farms 8	(NA)	farms 6	8			
	\$1,000 50	(NA)	\$1,000 50	83			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms 237	(NA)	farms 237	(NA)			
	\$1,000 6 415	1 770	\$1,000 6 415	1 770			
Grains	farms 210	151	farms 210	151			
	\$1,000 2 484	511	\$1,000 2 484	511			
Tobacco	farms —	—	farms —	—			
	\$1,000 —	—	\$1,000 —	—			
Cotton and cottonseed	farms 124	145	farms 124	145			
	\$1,000 2 564	509	\$1,000 2 564	509			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms 15	15	farms 15	15			
	\$1,000 35	(D)	\$1,000 35	(D)			
Other field crops	farms 132	145	farms 132	145			
	\$1,000 1 190	479	\$1,000 1 190	479			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms 20	19	farms 20	19			
	\$1,000 70	36	\$1,000 70	36			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms 15	20	farms 15	20			
	\$1,000 72	202	\$1,000 72	202			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 192	191	farms 192	191			
	\$1,000 2 542	1 946	\$1,000 2 542	1 946			
Poultry and poultry products	farms 6	8	farms 6	8			
	\$1,000 50	83	\$1,000 50	83			
Dairy products	farms 1	8	farms 1	8			
	\$1,000 (2)	131	\$1,000 (2)	131			
Cattle and calves	farms 152	(NA)	farms 152	(NA)			
	\$1,000 538	670	\$1,000 538	670			
Hogs and pigs	farms 130	(NA)	farms 130	(NA)			
	\$1,000 1 951	1 062	\$1,000 1 951	1 062			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms —	—	farms —	—			
	\$1,000 —	—	\$1,000 —	—			
Other livestock and livestock products	farms 5	3	farms 5	3			
	\$1,000 3	—	\$1,000 3	—			

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
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	126	(NA)	74	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms 173	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms 90	(NA)	farms 75	(NA)		\$1,000 1 785	
	\$1,000 280	(NA)	\$1,000 269	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms 26	
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 33	34	farms 31	34		\$1,000 210	
	\$1,000 145	56	\$1,000 144	56	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms 116	
Recreational services	farms 1	—	farms 1	—		\$1,000 1 336	
	\$1,000 (2)	—	\$1,000 (2)	—	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms 48	
Government farm programs	farms 28	211	farms 25	147		\$1,000 93	
	\$1,000 30	625	\$1,000 30	567	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms 46	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 42	(NA)	farms 30	(NA)		\$1,000 123	
	\$1,000 103	(NA)	\$1,000 94	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms 11	
Other farm-related sources	farms 5	(NA)	farms 5	(NA)		\$1,000 22	
	\$1,000 1	(NA)	\$1,000 1	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 43	(NA)	farms 33	(NA)			
	\$1,000 123	(NA)	\$1,000 114	(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	farms 337	345	farms 267	217	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 261	277	farms 230	199
	\$1,000 7 128	3 453	\$1,000 7 022	3 288		\$1,000 331	147	\$1,000 328	139
Farms with —					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms 291	306	farms 240	208
\$1 to \$999	35	76	2	10		\$1,000 1 475	629	\$1,000 1 455	602
\$1,000 to \$1,999	29	38	9	—	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 188	(NA)	farms 166	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	30	29	17	16		\$1,000 647	250	\$1,000 645	244
\$3,000 to \$4,999	43	48	42	38	Lime	farms (NA)	129	farms 76	112
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	65	58	64		\$1,000 (NA)	55	\$1,000 65	54
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	—	48	49	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 324	342	farms 258	216
\$20,000 to \$39,999	43	89	43	20		\$1,000 341	185	\$1,000 331	169
\$40,000 to \$59,999	17	—	17	—	Gasoline	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 209	202
\$60,000 and over	31	—	31	—		\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 147	97
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 132	168	farms 97	122	Diesel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 158	125
	\$1,000 333	337	\$1,000 308	321		\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 129	52
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 226	246	farms 177	171	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 6	24
	\$1,000 1 204	478	\$1,000 1 179	450		\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 4	4
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 166	189	farms 138	141	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 258	216
	\$1,000 665	313	\$1,000 653	300		\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 51	16
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 60	40	Hired farm labor	farms 113	163	farms 106	115
	\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 183	48		\$1,000 479	270	\$1,000 478	261
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 61	71	Contract labor	farms 11	256	farms 9	14
	\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 325	95		\$1,000 17	249	\$1,000 17	12
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 32	27	Machine hire and customwork	farms 198	—	farms 173	178
	\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 18	7		\$1,000 456	—	\$1,000 451	222
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	farms 90	(NA)	All other production expenses	farms 309	305	farms 266	217
	\$1,000 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000 32	(NA)		\$1,000 1 843	908	\$1,000 1 799	870

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.....	303	336	238	215					
.....\$1,000.....	5 734	3 093	5 334	2 762					
.....dollars.....	18 925	9 204	22 410	12 846					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	3	21	1	80					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	78	168	45	47					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	65	56	46	48					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	60	51	52	15					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	35		32	11					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	34	40	34	14					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	18		18						
\$70,000 and over.....	10		10						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	213	232	170	158					
.....number.....	300	307	236	207					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	197	221	171	152					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	273	293	216	200					
.....number.....	412	393	348	294					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	193	220	178	188					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	267	301	222	195					
.....number.....	476	507	430	331					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	180	221	176	188					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	10		6	5					
.....number.....	11		7	5					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	4					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	59	43	59	41					
.....number.....	68	45	68	43					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	33	36	33	34					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	48	59	48	37					
.....number.....	53	67	53	37					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	48	25	31					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	23		21	23					
.....number.....	25		23	25					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		4	16					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	60	(NA)	51	(NA)					
.....number.....	64	(NA)	53	(NA)					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	28	(NA)	27	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	31	24	30	23					
.....number.....	33	25	32	24					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	17	16	17	16					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	20	(NA)	19	17					
.....number.....	20	(NA)	19	17					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	11					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	3	(NA)	3	2					
.....number.....	3	(NA)	3	3					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	1	1					

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.....	246	(X)	193	(X)	242	(X)	192	(X)	2 542
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	240	(X)	191	(X)	242	(X)	192	(X)	2 489
.....1969.....	267	(X)	185	(X)	268	(X)	190	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	195	10 406	154	9 840	189	3 245	152	3 000	538
.....1969.....	190	7 775	132	7 236	173	4 443	131	4 174	670
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	13	33	7	16	49	128	34	90	19
.....1974.....	16	114	6	37	56	399	42	298	62
10 to 19.....1974.....	46	647	31	448	47	620	39	514	94
.....1974.....	68	2 296	58	2 023	20	537	20	537	83
50 to 99.....1974.....	29	1 805	29	1 805	11	769	11	769	148
.....1974.....	12	1 453	12	1 453	6	792	6	792	133
200 to 499.....1974.....	10	(D)	10	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	161	5 238	131	4 942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	150	3 094	112	2 866	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	151	5 145	126	4 884	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	2 838	92	2 622	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	22	93	15	58	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	37	256	29	244	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(Z)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	131
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.....	151	5 145	126	4 884	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	14	37	11	32	1 to 4.....				
.....	31	213	20	128	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	42	605	33	489	10 to 19.....				
.....	40	1 346	38	1 291	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	14	944	14	944	50 to 99.....				
.....	6	730	6	730	100 to 199.....				
.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	200 to 499.....				
.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	22	93	15	58	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	10	13	7	10	1 or 2.....				
.....	2	7	2	7	3 or 4.....				
3 or 4.....	9	63	5	31	5 to 9.....				
.....	1	10	1	10	10 to 19.....				
.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....				
.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....				
.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....				
.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....				
.....	—	—	—	—	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	89	1 845	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	26	280	76
1969	99	1 731	1969	10	407	(NA)
Beef heifers	86	1 826	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	5	19	1 to 9	20	90	23
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	113	3 053	10 to 19	2	31	7
1969	116	2 639	20 to 49	2	(D)	(D)
			50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	-	-	-
			200 to 499	-	-	-
			500 and over	-	-	-

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	153	17 046	126	16 311	159	28 555	130	27 780	1 951
1969	210	18 100	162	17 057	214	23 176	166	22 129	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	10	22	7	17	2	8	-	-	-
5 to 9	7	53	4	32	8	60	1	6	(Z)
10 to 24	20	382	9	168	21	336	14	223	16
25 to 49	30	1 064	26	929	25	904	18	669	44
50 to 99	39	2 476	33	2 116	38	2 723	32	2 358	154
100 to 199	27	3 235	27	3 235	31	3 816	31	3 816	258
200 to 499	16	4 387	16	4 387	25	7 237	25	7 237	479
500 and over	4	5 427	4	5 427	9	13 471	9	13 471	999
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	48	5 214	29	4 646	135
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	28	1 400	19	1 175	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(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)	7	71	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(Z)
1969	(NA)	(NA)	8	101	(NA)	(NA)	3	25	(NA)
Horses and ponies	23	87	20	84	4	21	4	21	3
1969	36	79	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(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	97	1 863	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	138	2 517	December 1 of preceding year and November 30			
Other hogs and pigs	125	14 448	1969			
1969	158	14 540	December 1 of preceding year and May 31			
Lambs under 1 year old	-	-	1969			
Ewes 1 year old or older	-	-	1974			
Rams and wethers	-	-	1969			
			117	1 556	93	1 502
			165	1 703	132	1 621

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	38	(X)	22	(X)	5	(X)	3	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	31	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	37	1 059	21	780	4	25 016	2	(D)
1969	46	27 226	30	27 017	3	47 564	3	47 564
Hens and pullets of laying age	35	914	21	700	1	4	1	4
1969	41	1 413	27	1 248	2	564	2	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99	34	814	20	600	1	4	1	4
100 to 399	1	100	1	100	-	-	-	-
400 to 1,599	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	2	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	50	6	50
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	83

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.....	21	700	1	4	Turkeys.....1974.....	3	13	—	—
.....1969.....	27	1 248	2	(D)	.....1969.....	5	24	1	5
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	21	600	1	4	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	5	25 761	1	(D)	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	3	100	—	—	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	3	30	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	3	13	—	—
.....1969.....	5	25 761	1	(D)	.....1969.....	4	16	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	15	50	—	—	Other poultry.....1974.....	2	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	2	(D)	—	—	.....1969.....	4	(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.....	237	235	13 435	11 008	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	12	5	382	118	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	124	112	8 135	4 876	190 045	139 904	6 305 089	4 018 513	49 861	(X)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	137	164	2 304	2 139	33 380	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels).....	42	43	1 544	1 347	12 438	5 438	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain.....	39	29	1 068	1 014	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	129	187	12 351	4 748	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	3	(NA)	7	(NA)	1 545	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	60	32	1 472	932	4 112	2 193	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	34	23	176	181	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	22	29	1 013	861	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	3	(NA)	132	159	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	198	168	12 818	9 610	691 446	383 197	2	1	143	24
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	2	3	8	59	56	706	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	9	25	197	506	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	7	3	233	38	12 417	1 764	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	7	(NA)	149	80	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	3	—	42	—	124	—	—	—	—	—

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

	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Irrigated land							
							Total		Dry		Liquid			
							Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons		
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	136	7 316	(X)	—	—	52	2 348	46	508	19	147			
.....1969.....	121	5 929	(X)	—	—	75	3 322	63	1 032	28	212			
Improved pasture.....1974.....	33	2 686	(X)	—	—	10	1 686	8	361	6	236			
.....1969.....	44	1 959	(X)	—	—	26	1 138	22	177	13	83			
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	201	13 023	(X)	2	143	176	11 612	162	2 607	102	986			
.....1969.....	176	10 175	(X)	1	24	143	8 224	131	2 144	105	739			
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	12	382	(X)	—	—	12	382	12	82	—	—			
.....1969.....	5	118	(X)	—	—	5	108	2	12	4	31			
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	42	1 544	33 380	—	—	32	1 106	31	240	9	45			
.....1969.....	38	1 322	49 106	—	—	29	1 182	(NA)	246	(NA)	82			
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	17	557	31 213	—	—	12	449	12	101	5	17			
.....1969.....	24	724	35 760	—	—	22	707	(NA)	158	(NA)	34			
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—			
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	23	501	11 012	—	—	15	285	15	54	4	12			
.....1969.....	11	284	7 566	—	—	9	255	(NA)	58	(NA)	9			
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	123	8 114	189 720	2	275	65	4 906	63	820	7	27			
.....1969.....	100	4 764	136 677	—	—	66	2 732	(NA)	482	(NA)	24			
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	132	2 292	6 278 329	3	71	101	2 013	92	454	15	70			
.....1969.....	139	2 041	3 878 377	2	29	123	1 924	(NA)	554	(NA)	27			
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	58	1 465	4 096	—	—	33	864	26	255	16	96			
.....1969.....	29	898	2 117	—	—	19	607	18	190	9	38			
Field seed crops.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	124	12 318	12 408	1	11	120	12 290	109	2 555	53	709			
.....1969.....	146	4 549	5 273	2	23	137	4 421	(NA)	1 246	(NA)	399			
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—			
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	1	(Z)	8	—	—	1	—	1	(Z)	(NA)	—			
.....1969.....	3	4	196	—	—	2	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	—			
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	25	153	(X)	2	20	18	121	18	55	—	—			
.....1969.....	18	168	(X)	—	—	13	118	13	27	3	3			
Land in orchards.....1974.....	20	1 007	(X)	—	—	5	408	5	81	—	—			
.....1969.....	23	833	(X)	—	—	14	525	14	98	4	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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	2	18	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	9	(X)	1	9	1	5	—	—	—	—
Other crops	3	120	(X)	—	—	1	114	1	23	—	—

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.				
\$1,000	242		210		Diseases in crops and orchards	5		18	
farms	2	100	845		acres on which used	623		591	
Commercial fertilizer	240		200		\$1,000	7		4	
acres on which used	38	600	25	339	Weeds or grass in crops	93		93	
farms	10	543	8	160	acres on which used	17	239	4	974
\$1,000	1	455	602		\$1,000	130		31	
Lime	76		7	110	Weeds or brush in pasture	9		5	
acres on which used	5	510	7	112	acres on which used	826		233	
farms	5	494	6	792	\$1,000	2		(Z)	
\$1,000	65		54		Weeds on all other land	7		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	162		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	1		2		\$1,000	1		(NA)	
acres on which used	5		45		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)		of crops or thinning of fruit	58		91	
Insects on other crops	106		141		acres on which used	6	177	2	898
acres on which used	15	470	8	934	\$1,000	36		11	
\$1,000	371		140		Insect control on livestock and poultry	21		51	
Nematodes in crops	5		4		\$1,000	6		3	
acres on which used	84		63		Other chemicals (see text)	17		(NA)	
\$1,000	1		(Z)		\$1,000	24		(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	8		4		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	3.0		1.8		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	3		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	520		85		acres	283		(NA)	
Average per farm	65.0		21.2		Other sprinkler systems	4		(NA)	
farms	8		4		acres	105		(NA)	
acres	520		85		Land in irrigated farms	4	021	1	381
Harvested cropland irrigated	8		4		Cropland	3	425	7	19
acres	520		85		Harvested cropland	2	570	5	92
farms	—		—		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	—		—		between 1970 and 1973	1		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	—		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	3		(X)	
acres	—		—		Farms with artificial drainage	14		14	
farms	—		—		Proportion of farms	5.2		6.4	
acres	—		—		Land in farms with drainage	8	669	4	560
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—		—		Land drained	259		239	
acres	—		—		Average per farm	18.5		17.0	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	588		52		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Average per acre irrigated	1.1		0.6		tanks	67		(NA)	
Land irrigated by—					number	112		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	—		(NA)		acres	333		(NA)	

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		100		85		51	
Farms by size of debt owed:		3	801	2	673	1	129
Under \$5,000		25		25		18	
\$5,000 to \$9,999		11		12		5	
\$10,000 to \$29,999		28		20		16	
\$30,000 to \$49,999		19		17		6	
\$50,000 and over		17		11		6	

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—							106	35	33	56
150 days or more	35	37	81	76	380		478	380	68	30
25 to 149 days	33	96	80	433	68		467	81	80	306
Less than 25 days	56		306		30					
Total contract labor	9	14	(NA)	(NA)	17	12				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	42	(NA)	8	(NA)				
Farms with—							49	16	19	25
1 worker							22	12	7	7
2 workers							11	4	1	10
3 or 4 workers							10	2	5	5
5 to 9 workers							14	1	1	9
10 workers and over										