

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	1974	1969
All farms ..... number	343	441	225	245	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>					
Land in farms ..... acres	120 540	152 047	108 862	128 562	Total cropland ..... farms..	302	395	200	220	
Average size of farm ..... acres	351	345	484	525	..... acres	57 541	63 019	52 526	53 570	
Approximate land area ..... acres	228 032	228 032	228 032	228 032	Harvested cropland ..... farms..	211	263	163	169	
Proportion in farms ..... percent	52.9	66.7	47.7	56.4	..... acres	22 721	21 610	22 078	20 369	
Value of land and buildings \$1,000	73 180	36 287	65 333	30 144	Farms by acres harvested:					
Average per farm ..... dollars	213 353	82 283	290 369	123 038	1 to 9 acres .....	31	50	7	7	
Average per acre ..... dollars	607	239	600	234	10 to 19 acres .....	27	40	13	77	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres .....	30	38	25	7	
1 to 9 acres .....	16	23	12	9	30 to 49 acres .....	31	43	27	7	
10 to 49 acres .....	50	55	15	13	50 to 99 acres .....	35	34	34	34	
50 to 69 acres .....	25	26	5	2	100 to 199 acres .....	27	26	27	26	
70 to 99 acres .....	28	32	17	9	200 to 499 acres .....	21	25	21	25	
100 to 139 acres .....	30	50	12	21	500 to 999 acres .....	6	6	6	6	
140 to 179 acres .....	38	41	21	18	1,000 acres and over .....	3	1	3	1	
180 to 219 acres .....	20	34	17	17	Cropland used only for pasture					
220 to 259 acres .....	28	26	24	21	or grazing .....	240	293	153	167	
260 to 499 acres .....	46	69	40	53	..... acres	32 031	32 067	28 358	26 106	
500 to 999 acres .....	37	57	37	54	Other cropland (see text) .....	55	167	29	(NA)	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	19	16	19	16	..... farms	2 789	9 342	2 090	7 095	
2,000 acres and over .....	6	12	6	12	..... acres					
					Total woodland..... farms..	244	335	157	203	
					..... acres	41 408	66 394	37 483	55 749	
					Other land (see text) .....	275	333	186	(NA)	
					..... farms	21 591	22 634	18 853	19 243	
					..... acres	1	2	1	2	
					Irrigated land .....	2	12	2	12	
					..... acres					

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland ..... farms..	29	(NA)		
..... acres..	2 090	7 095		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	7	58		
..... farms..	704	2 948		
..... acres..	1	13		
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	60	453		
..... farms..	-	14		
..... acres..	-	463		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....	22	34		
..... farms..	1 326	3 031		
..... acres..				
Cropland idle .....				
..... farms..				
..... acres..				
Total woodland .....	157	203		
..... farms..	37 483	55 749		
..... acres..	112	151		
Woodland pastured .....	14 907	25 533		
..... farms..				
..... acres..				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Woodland not pastured .....	82	110		
..... farms..	22 576	30 216		
..... acres..				
Other land..... farms..	186	(NA)		
..... acres..	18 853	19 243		
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture .....	80	83		
..... farms..	15 053	15 412		
..... acres..				
Improved pastureland and rangeland .....	53	60		
..... farms..	6 940	8 372		
..... acres..				
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland .....	37	40		
..... farms..	8 113	7 040		
..... acres..				
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....	167	176		
..... farms..	3 800	3 831		
..... 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 ..... number	343	441	225	245	Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Land in farms ..... acres	120 540	152 047	108 862	128 562	Partnership ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	30	30
Harvested cropland ..... acres	22 721	21 610	22 078	20 369	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	22 201	25 001
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	5	3
Full owners ..... number	218	321	125	153	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 800	2 840
Land in farms ..... acres	51 870	94 484	43 322	73 755	Other ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
Harvested cropland ..... acres	6 358	8 665	5 805	7 673	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	2 085
Part owners ..... number	100	86	78	72	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ..... acres	51 025	51 478	48 187	49 995	Under 25 years .....	5	11	4	3
Harvested cropland ..... acres	13 397	11 903	13 334	11 781	25 to 34 years .....	29	47	18	31
Tenants ..... number	25	34	22	20	35 to 44 years .....	62	72	44	50
Land in farms ..... acres	17 645	6 085	17 353	4 812	45 to 54 years .....	93	128	62	68
Harvested cropland ..... acres	2 966	1 042	2 939	915	55 to 64 years .....	100	105	68	54
Percent of tenancy .....	7.3	7.7	9.8	8.1	65 years and over .....	49	78	24	39
Black and other races, see text —					Average age .....	51.6	51.4	50.8	50.5
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
All farm operators ..... number	22	48	8	18	On farm operated .....	225	309	151	191
Land in farms ..... acres	1 987	4 406	739	2 061	On another farm .....	13		9	
Harvested cropland ..... acres	283	648	173	352	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	7	74	6	32
Full owners ..... number	19	34	5	11	In a city, town, or urban area .....	24		13	
Land in farms ..... acres	1 735	3 469	487	1 321	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland ..... acres	215	340	105	107	None .....	118	(NA)	93	(NA)
Part owners ..... number	3	4	3	2	1 to 49 days .....	13	19	8	12
Land in farms ..... acres	252	341	252	(D)	50 to 99 days .....	8	10	5	4
Harvested cropland ..... acres	68	79	68	59	100 to 149 days .....	7	29	7	9
Tenants ..... number	-	10	-	5	150 to 199 days .....	15		7	
Land in farms ..... acres	-	596	-	500	200 days and over .....	114	170	49	67
Harvested cropland ..... acres	-	229	-	186	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Percent of tenancy .....	-	20.8	-	27.7	Farming .....	169	(NA)	146	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other .....	169	(NA)	74	(NA)
Individual or family ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	190	210	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Land in farms ..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	75 861	98 636	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	62	(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	53	99	53	99			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	59		59				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	23	39	23	39			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	29	24	29			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	28	37	28			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	34	23	33			
<b>Under \$2,500 (see text):</b>	124	212	6	17			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	12	23	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	20	34	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	21	25	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	71	130	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold:</b>							
\$1,000	16 545	10 834	16 431	10 661			
Average per farm dollars	48 237	24 566	73 028	43 513			
<b>Crops, including hay:</b>							
\$1,000	111	168	87	(NA)			
\$1,000	2 765	1 212	2 741	1 171			
Nursery and greenhouse products	2		1	1			
\$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)			
<b>Forest products:</b>							
\$1,000	37	53	35	44			
\$1,000	(D)	201	(D)	196			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products:</b>							
\$1,000	296	343	201	221			
\$1,000	13 403	9 420	13 314	9 293			
<b>Poultry and poultry products:</b>							
\$1,000	43	(NA)	42	41			
\$1,000	3 983	(NA)	3 982	2 740			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
<b>Crops:</b>							
\$1,000		87		(NA)			
\$1,000	2 741		1 171				
\$1,000	46		32				
\$1,000	488		83				
Tobacco							
\$1,000							
\$1,000	39		62				
\$1,000	1 258		422				
\$1,000	31		38				
\$1,000	225		64				
Other field crops			1				
\$1,000	(Z)						
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons			3				
\$1,000			12				
\$1,000	3		2				
\$1,000	758		587				
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products:</b>							
\$1,000	201		221				
\$1,000	13 314		9 293				
\$1,000	42		41				
\$1,000	3 982		2 740				
\$1,000	83		99				
\$1,000	7 456		5 195				
\$1,000	186		(NA)				
\$1,000	1 432		1 261				
\$1,000	13		(NA)				
\$1,000	443		97				
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
\$1,000	1						
\$1,000	(Z)						

**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 <sup>1</sup>	149	(NA)	53	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>		131
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	81	(NA)	62	(NA)	\$1,000		2 737
Customwork and other agricultural services	159	(NA)	144	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		14
\$1,000	16	33	16	18	\$1,000		659
\$1,000	35	47	35	39	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		85
Recreational services	5	5	3	2	\$1,000		1 280
\$1,000	5	1	5	(Z)	Interest, dividends, or royalties		59
Government farm programs	37	197	29	123	\$1,000		649
\$1,000	51	516	43	479	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		29
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	32	(NA)	23	(NA)	\$1,000		80
\$1,000	64	(NA)	58	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		7
Other farm-related sources	8	(NA)	8	(NA)	\$1,000		68
\$1,000	3	(NA)	3	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	26	(NA)	21	(NA)			
\$1,000	32	(NA)	26	(NA)			

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

**Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
<b>Total farm production expenses:</b>									
\$1,000	14 805	9 167	14 614	8 889	<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased:</b>				
<b>Farms with—</b>					\$1,000	141	201	110	123
\$1 to \$999	49	107	6	12	\$1,000	159	79	156	70
\$1,000 to \$1,999	40	58			\$1,000	255	346	177	203
\$2,000 to \$2,999	21	34	9		\$1,000	1 226	700	1 199	657
\$3,000 to \$4,999	38	27	16	18	<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased:</b>				
\$5,000 to \$9,999	33	43	32	34	\$1,000	110	(NA)	92	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$19,999	33		33	40	\$1,000	310	237	308	230
\$20,000 to \$39,999	27		27	50	\$1,000	110	110	35	72
\$40,000 to \$59,999	22	172	22		\$1,000	(NA)	28	51	25
\$60,000 and over	80		80	82	<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business:</b>				
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased:</b>					\$1,000	330	430	218	245
\$1,000	164	216	123	146	\$1,000	491	388	472	362
\$1,000	1 247	1 292	1 212	1 263	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	216	233
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased:</b>					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	266	190
\$1,000	281	326	194	202	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	114	78
\$1,000	6 962	3 467	6 923	3 428	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	93	69
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds:</b>					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	72
\$1,000	233	257	186	187	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	43	62
\$1,000	6 408	3 234	6 392	3 210	<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil:</b>				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	49	21	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	218	245
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	201	47	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	69	41
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	20	<b>Hired farm labor:</b>				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	252	98	\$1,000	155	261	133	183
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	24	49	\$1,000	1 341	922	1 330	901
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	72	<b>Contract labor:</b>				
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry:</b>					\$1,000	15	141	11	24
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	152	(NA)	\$1,000	23	131	23	28
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	100	(NA)	\$1,000	88		64	85
					\$1,000	63		61	92
					\$1,000	301	371	224	241
					\$1,000	2 982	1 952	2 832	1 858

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	321	423	211	241					
.....\$1,000.....	6 286	3 902	5 404	3 230					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	19 582	9 223	25 613	13 400					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	30	-	89					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	60	196	26	89					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	90	92	48	56					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	82	41	54	36					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	33		29	32					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	27		26	14					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	11	64	11	14					
\$70,000 and over.....	17		17						
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....farms.....	245	325	167	189					
.....number.....	381	464	278	280					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	212	295	180	182					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	278	345	191	219					
.....number.....	480	574	387	414					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	205	293	173	220					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	293	354	188	206					
.....number.....	610	792	483	570					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	123	206	116	171					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	27		24	28					
.....number.....	28		25	35					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	6					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. - Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	22	14	22	13					
.....number.....	23	14	23	13					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	5	7	5					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	13	22	13	8					
.....number.....	13	22	13	8					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	5	4	2					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	9		9	14					
.....number.....	9		9	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	3					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	73	(NA)	60	(NA)					
.....number.....	81	(NA)	67	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	30	(NA)	30	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	92	93	84	79					
.....number.....	94	97	86	83					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	37	43	37	37					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	46	(NA)	42	51					
.....number.....	49	(NA)	44	54					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	(NA)	25	23					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	20	(NA)	20	33					
.....number.....	28	(NA)	28	48					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11	(NA)	11	17					

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.....	301	(X)	198	(X)	296	(X)	201	(X)	13 314
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	291	(X)	191	(X)	284	(X)	191	(X)	1 875
.....1969.....	338	(X)	202	(X)	324	(X)	202	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	285	28 020	187	25 723	274	9 859	186	9 148	1 432
.....1969.....	328	25 805	198	23 419	315	11 366	199	10 310	1 261
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	11	25	4	9	48	138	18	48	10
5 to 9.....1974.....	12	95	-	-	42	285	12	75	14
10 to 19.....1974.....	33	456	7	104	58	852	32	489	82
20 to 49.....1974.....	83	2 592	37	1 205	72	2 200	70	2 152	330
50 to 99.....1974.....	57	3 971	50	3 524	34	2 131	34	2 131	313
100 to 199.....1974.....	54	7 423	54	7 423	10	1 325	10	1 325	194
200 to 499.....1974.....	27	8 528	27	8 528	9	(D)	9	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	8	4 930	8	4 930	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	249	15 836	173	14 600	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	281	15 135	186	14 143	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	177	7 374	104	6 170	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	6 353	106	5 400	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	102	8 462	87	8 430	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	118	8 782	102	8 743	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	83	(X)	7 456
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	99	(X)	5 195
<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	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows.....	177	7 374	104	6 170	146	4 080	1 057		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	14	24	6	11	25	66	17		
5 to 9.....	20	139	6	42	21	132	32		
10 to 19.....	37	529	12	178	38	531	136		
20 to 49.....	59	1 633	36	1 058	44	1 250	307		
50 to 99.....	30	1 811	27	1 643	9	543	144		
100 to 199.....	11	1 391	11	1 391	7	(D)	221		
200 to 499.....	6	1 847	6	1 847	2	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	(D)		
Milk cows.....	102	8 462	87	8 430	132	5 068	375		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	21	37	7	13	5	7	1		
3 or 4.....	-	-	-	-	6	20	2		
5 to 9.....	2	16	1	8	13	88	8		
10 to 19.....	3	41	3	41	35	478	46		
20 to 49.....	11	348	11	348	47	1 436	101		
50 to 99.....	34	2 416	34	2 416	16	1 045	65		
100 to 199.....	20	2 701	20	2 701	7	948	63		
200 to 499.....	10	(D)	10	(D)	2	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(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.....	148	6 833	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	4	304	103
.....1969.....	169	6 813	.....1969.....	5	386	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	84	2 592	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	74	4 241	1 to 9.....	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	131	4 290	10 to 19.....	2	(D)	(D)
.....1969.....	159	2 463	20 to 49.....	—	—	—
			50 to 99.....	1	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199.....	—	—	—
			200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)
			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.....	42	4 146	16	4 010	21	5 952	13	5 863	443
.....1969.....	55	867	26	628	33	2 670	16	2 439	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	18	39	7	20	4	11	2	5	(Z)
5 to 9.....	12	70	—	—	3	16	—	—	—
10 to 24.....	3	47	—	—	3	40	2	30	1
25 to 49.....	4	128	4	128	2	57	—	—	—
50 to 99.....	2	130	2	130	2	116	2	116	9
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	1	100	1	100	3
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	3	618	3	618	26
500 and over.....	3	3 732	3	3 732	3	4 994	3	4 994	404
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	1 385	4	1 370	35
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	586	6	442	(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)	2	24	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	54	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	30	104	13	51	1	1	1	1	(Z)
.....1969.....	74	239	(NA)	(NA)	4	42	(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.....	9	503	21	854	9	831
.....1969.....	15	202	28	251	15	204
Other hogs and pigs.....	16	3 507	18	421	9	408
.....1969.....	23	426	25	145	14	116
Lambs under 1 year old.....	—	—	17	433	7	423
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	—	—	21	106	14	88
Rams and wethers.....	—	—				

<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.....	48	(X)	35	(X)	42	(X)	42	(X)
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	45	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	23	134 598	12	134 417	11	174 450	11	174 450
.....1969.....	40	177 904	21	177 603	13	399 586	13	399 586
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	20	115 793	9	115 617	6	108 650	6	108 650
.....1969.....	33	111 540	16	111 326	8	129 620	8	129 620
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	14	293	3	117	—	—	—	—
100 to 399.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	24	694 436	22	694 316	31	3 299 260	31	3 299 260
.....1969.....	24	575 728	24	575 728	28	2 664 313	28	2 664 313
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	3 983	42	3 982
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	41	2 740

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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	9	115 617	6	108 650	Turkeys	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	16	111 326	8	129 620		1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	9	115 617	6	108 650	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed	1974	-	-	-	-
	1974	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	18 800	5	65 800	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	7	65 158	6	269 900		1969	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-	Other poultry	1974	2	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	(D)	-	-		1969	1	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		79	106	5 418	4 200	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		9	15	552	728	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		20	17	1 588	1 155	34 782	23 446
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		2	4	3	4	4 500	4 856
Wheat (bushels)		16	11	444	78	12 550	2 815
Other small grains for grain		20	24	582	737	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)		42	105	6 890	7 158	6 399	3 909
Tobacco (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	22	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		3	(NA)	1	(NA)	87	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		142	147	6 753	5 574	15 591	11 134
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		7	8	26	20	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		6	26	676	1 774	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		-	1	-	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops		9	(NA)	766	353	(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)		43	39	2 577	1 057	128 138	22 962	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		23	29	2 653	2 709	29 840	20 145	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		2	6	6	161	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		1	6	70	202	3 500	6 798	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		8	(NA)	482	525	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		3	3	90	180	180	305	-	-

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	153	28 358	(X)	-	87	12 758	64	2 003	34	594
	1969	167	26 106	(X)	-	116	14 254	95	2 550	52	1 252
Improved pasture	1974	53	6 940	(X)	-	20	2 266	14	400	8	109
	1969	60	8 372	(X)	-	34	3 194	26	424	16	185
Corn for all purposes	1974	55	5 236	(X)	-	50	5 055	41	1 040	24	1 033
	1969	67	3 927	(X)	-	59	3 467	47	820	32	788
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	9	552	(X)	-	8	540	6	99	4	72
	1969	14	727	(X)	-	13	682	8	143	9	118
Wheat (bushels)	1974	14	434	12 370	-	12	384	11	79	7	27
	1969	9	70	2 730	-	9	70	(NA)	17	(NA)	4
Oats (bushels)	1974	13	317	17 733	-	12	311	6	35	9	61
	1969	16	486	16 130	-	14	454	(NA)	101	(NA)	42
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	20	800	-	1	20	-	-	1	4
	1969	1	10	600	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	5	132	2 257	-	5	132	4	44	1	3
	1969	9	208	5 235	-	8	198	(NA)	20	(NA)	33
Other small grains for grain	1974	2	24	(X)	-	2	24	2	2	1	1
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	18	1 572	34 350	-	9	901	4	88	5	94
	1969	14	1 129	22 810	-	12	1 069	(NA)	106	(NA)	140
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	124	6 429	15 155	-	66	3 206	51	718	28	237
	1969	111	5 099	10 467	-	63	3 225	47	654	32	360
Field seed crops	1974	6	664	(X)	-	3	438	-	-	3	144
	1969	18	330	(X)	-	11	193	5	30	9	39
Cotton (bales)	1974	39	6 853	6 370	-	39	6 853	18	841	27	1 546
	1969	62	6 744	3 661	1	62	6 743	(NA)	1 257	(NA)	1 579
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	(Z)	5	-	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	-	-
	1969	1	-	8	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	3	22	(X)	-	3	22	3	6	-	-
	1969	3	10	(X)	-	2	5	2	2	-	-
Land in orchards	1974	5	669	(X)	-	5	670	5	66	1	(Z)
	1969	15	1 734	(X)	-	9	1 676	8	406	1	175

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Berries for sale .....	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	1	100	(X)	1	2	1	100	1	10	—	—
1969	1	10	35	(X)	1	2	1	10	1	7	—	—
Other crops .....	1974	1	1	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—

**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	
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	farms	184	209	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
\$1,000	1 507	888	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms	1	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms	177	192	acres on which used .....	600	
acres on which used .....	farms	33 741	35 265	\$1,000	5	
\$1,000	9 369	11 259	Weeds or grass in crops .....	farms	41	
Lime .....	farms	1 199	657	acres on which used .....	9 421	
acres on which used .....	farms	4 891	3 575	\$1,000	7 122	
\$1,000	4 549	3 392	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	farms	94	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	51	25	acres on which used .....	4	
Insects on hay crops .....	farms	3	2	\$1,000	8	
acres on which used .....	farms	62	26	Weeds on all other land .....	farms	165
\$1,000	(2)	(2)	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	farms	2	
Insects on other crops .....	farms	6 916	7 361	acres on which used .....	(2)	
\$1,000	125	115	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	farms	45	
Nematodes in crops .....	farms	1	1	\$1,000	(2)	
acres on which used .....	farms	55	950	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
\$1,000	(2)	4	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	farms	7	
			acres on which used .....	farms	3 052	
			\$1,000	24		
			Other chemicals (see text) .....	farms	21	
			\$1,000	4		
			\$1,000	9		
			\$1,000	4		

**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 irrigated in census year .....	farms	1	2	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms .....	percent	0.4	0.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	farms
Total land irrigated .....	acres	2	12	acres	—
Average per farm .....	acres	2.0	6.0	Other sprinkler systems .....	farms
Cropland irrigated .....	farms	1	2	acres	1
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms	1	2	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	farms	2	10	Cropland .....	acres
Other cropland irrigated .....	farms	—	—	Harvested cropland .....	acres
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	farms	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	acre-feet	2	10	between 1970 and 1973 .....	farms
Average per acre irrigated .....	acre-feet	1.0	0.8	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	—
Land irrigated by—				Farms with artificial drainage .....	farms
Furrows or ditches .....	farms	—	(NA)	Proportion of farms .....	percent
	acres	—	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage .....	acres
				Land drained .....	acres
				Average per farm .....	acres
				Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	
				tanks .....	farms
				number	81
				acres	180
					469
					(NA)
					(NA)
					(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
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	farms	100	83	39
\$1,000	9 228	7 611	1 617	
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000 .....		3	3	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		9	11	4
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		34	25	18
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		18	15	5
\$50,000 and over .....		36	29	10

**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 .....	82	101	213	258	970	901	133	82	43	61
25 to 149 days .....	43	128	354	623	324		1 330	970	324	36
Less than 25 days .....	61		345		36		912	213	354	345
Total contract labor .....	11	24	(NA)	(NA)	23	28				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	4	(NA)	16	(NA)	8	(NA)				
Farms .....										
Cash wages paid - \$1,000 .....										
Number of workers .....										
Farms with—										
1 worker .....			41		34			34	22	14
2 workers .....			20		25			25	7	17
3 or 4 workers .....			34		13			13	6	11
5 to 9 workers .....			22		8			8	7	10
10 workers and over .....			16		2			2	1	9