

**Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1978 and 1974**

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms .....	58 648	13 742 485	54 911	13 878 294	38 840	12 134 801	35 836	12 048 792
Average size of farm .....	(X)	234	(X)	253	(X)	312	(X)	336
Approximate land area .....	(X)	37 175 040	(X)	37 175 040	(X)	37 175 040	(X)	37 175 040
Proportion in farms .....	(X)	37.0	(X)	37.3	(X)	32.6	(X)	32.4
Value of land and buildings: <sup>1</sup>								
Average per farm .....	181 876	(X)	119 766	(X)	238 935	(X)	153 422	(X)
Average per acre .....	(X)	777	(X)	474	(X)	766	(X)	456
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland .....	52 188	6 977 959	49 723	6 475 079	35 310	6 429 465	32 623	5 774 675
Harvested cropland .....	42 951	4 748 175	40 732	4 161 205	31 046	4 581 498	29 752	4 027 860
By acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres .....	9 169	42 515	7 962	(NA)	3 363	15 430	2 237	(NA)
10 to 19 acres .....	7 280	96 863	6 197	(NA)	3 619	49 407	2 843	(NA)
20 to 29 acres .....	4 290	98 970	4 308	(NA)	3 077	71 546	3 108	(NA)
30 to 49 acres .....	5 175	194 811	5 360	(NA)	4 255	161 501	4 788	(NA)
50 to 99 acres .....	6 114	420 425	6 646	(NA)	5 865	404 876	6 534	(NA)
100 to 199 acres .....	4 559	630 371	4 838	(NA)	4 523	626 034	4 836	(NA)
200 to 499 acres .....	4 234	1 299 483	3 814	(NA)	4 221	1 295 564	3 803	(NA)
500 to 999 acres .....	1 524	1 030 508	1 180	(NA)	1 519	(D)	1 178	(NA)
1,000 acres or more .....	606	934 029	427	(NA)	604	(D)	425	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture .....	27 022	1 551 257	30 081	1 828 086	18 043	1 272 925	17 844	1 342 934
Other cropland .....	16 812	678 527	10 303	485 788	11 822	575 042	7 159	403 881
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested or pastured .....	3 032	87 473	(NA)	(NA)	2 080	73 231	2 163	95 225
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	5 100	182 132	(NA)	(NA)	3 188	147 554	947	32 030
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....	1 625	69 721	(NA)	(NA)	1 174	64 274	1 007	60 259
Cropland idle .....	10 752	339 201	(NA)	(NA)	7 874	289 983	3 995	216 367
Total woodland .....	36 765	5 174 439	36 096	5 423 384	25 702	4 350 979	23 928	4 600 930
Woodland pastured .....	18 880	1 374 526	(NA)	(NA)	13 117	1 149 573	12 630	1 375 438
Woodland not pastured .....	26 295	3 799 913	(NA)	(NA)	18 526	3 201 406	17 095	3 225 492
Other land .....	41 731	1 590 087	38 728	1 979 831	26 960	1 354 357	25 802	1 673 187
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	9 294	909 293	(NA)	(NA)	6 614	802 511	9 018	1 116 844
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	39 348	680 794	(NA)	(NA)	25 212	551 846	23 672	556 343
Pastureland, all types .....	38 204	3 835 076	(NA)	(NA)	25 647	3 225 009	(NA)	3 835 216
Irrigated land .....	4 644	463 534	2 138	112 271	4 352	459 880	1 991	111 500
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	4 489	452 469	(NA)	(NA)	4 276	450 095	1 962	107 479
Pastureland irrigated .....	221	7 831	(NA)	(NA)	180	7 306	(NA)	2 662
Other land irrigated .....	127	3 234	(NA)	(NA)	66	2 479	24	1 359
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978 .....	8 405	168 078	(X)	(X)	7 437	162 058	(X)	(X)

<sup>1</sup>1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1978 and 1974**

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Market value of agricultural products sold <sup>1</sup> .....	58 648	2 393 268	54 911	1 859 780	38 840	2 368 213	35 836	1 836 671
Average per farm .....	(X)	40 807	(X)	33 869	(X)	60 974	(X)	51 252
Farms by value of agricultural products sold: <sup>1</sup>								
\$100,000 or more .....	6 639	1 649 495	4 732	(NA)	6 639	1 649 495	4 732	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999 .....	6 516	424 440	7 123	(NA)	6 516	424 440	7 123	(NA)
\$20,000 to \$39,999 .....	4 773	134 466	5 709	(NA)	4 773	134 466	5 709	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	5 720	81 255	5 940	(NA)	5 720	81 255	5 940	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6 953	49 259	6 132	(NA)	6 953	49 259	6 132	(NA)
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	8 239	29 298	5 445	(NA)	8 239	29 298	5 445	(NA)
Less than \$2,500 (see text):	19 762	20 673	19 790	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
\$2,000 to \$2,499 .....	2 777	6 134	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	3 139	5 336	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	4 597	5 550	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Less than \$1,000 .....	9 249	3 653	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Abnormal farms (see text) .....	46	4 381	40	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Crops .....	29 568	923 702	31 527	849 543	24 133	917 377	(NA)	842 921
Grains .....	20 473	288 742	(NA)	(NA)	17 600	285 492	20 062	304 694
Commodity Credit Corporation loans .....	1 666	10 672	(NA)	(NA)	1 566	10 634	(NA)	(NA)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	876	32 114	(NA)	(NA)	857	32 026	3 989	77 655
Commodity Credit Corporation loans .....	121	2 763	(NA)	(NA)	120	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
Tobacco .....	4 336	145 324	(NA)	(NA)	4 235	145 242	6 199	132 105
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage .....	4 362	17 571	(NA)	(NA)	3 478	16 652	2 917	12 425
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	3 133	28 364	(NA)	(NA)	2 359	27 872	1 986	14 371
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	3 611	56 343	(NA)	(NA)	2 789	55 684	1 772	30 882
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	737	37 044	567	26 056	557	36 713	384	25 707
Other crops .....	10 182	318 199	(NA)	(NA)	9 696	317 695	10 346	245 083
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	43 630	1 469 566	41 692	976 488	30 219	1 450 836	27 736	960 652
Poultry and poultry products .....	6 256	854 111	6 092	582 733	5 548	853 736	5 681	582 420
Dairy products .....	1 355	143 199	(NA)	(NA)	1 304	141 938	1 089	98 876
Cattle and calves .....	31 102	243 387	(NA)	(NA)	21 553	231 198	21 095	136 388
Hogs and pigs .....	16 088	218 862	(NA)	(NA)	12 013	214 406	11 645	137 765
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	91	73	(NA)	(NA)	59	57	48	66
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	2 243	9 934	(NA)	(NA)	1 499	9 503	732	5 137

<sup>1</sup>1974 data include sales of forest products.

Table 3. Farms, Land in Farms, Land Use, and Irrigation, by Size of Farm: 1978 and 1974

	Farms		1978							
			Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land				
	1978	1974	Acres in farms	Farms	Acres in farms	Harvested cropland	Farms	Acres in farms	Harvested cropland	Irrigated land
All farms	58 648	54 911	13 742 485	42 951	12 291 077	4 748 175	4 644	2 773 801	1 371 171	463 534
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres	5 224	2 959	20 296	1 852	9 845	5 658	170	750	486	466
10 to 49 acres	13 498	11 118	364 803	8 418	234 942	106 597	437	11 216	4 575	3 447
50 to 69 acres	5 373	5 314	311 225	3 893	225 565	91 204	158	9 187	4 537	2 112
70 to 99 acres	5 672	5 910	471 957	4 304	358 811	130 653	224	18 713	9 131	4 056
100 to 139 acres	6 482	6 551	743 715	4 741	550 478	195 046	314	36 664	18 866	6 113
140 to 179 acres	4 108	4 218	643 515	3 341	523 785	185 467	294	46 646	26 338	10 653
180 to 219 acres	2 975	3 358	589 432	2 445	484 951	178 605	230	45 682	23 514	8 253
220 to 259 acres	2 361	2 443	562 733	2 061	491 272	180 315	243	58 151	30 945	12 019
260 to 499 acres	6 535	6 648	2 316 864	5 850	2 079 539	838 997	959	348 771	192 056	64 478
500 to 999 acres	4 018	3 953	2 748 683	3 751	2 571 180	1 128 400	899	634 446	348 918	117 732
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 688	1 716	2 254 309	1 614	2 157 366	952 422	487	661 540	357 343	125 491
2,000 acres or more	714	723	2 714 953	681	2 603 343	754 811	229	902 035	354 462	108 714

Table 4. Operators—Tenure, Type of Organization, and Characteristics: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Land in farms	58 648	13 742 485	54 911	13 878 294	38 840	12 134 801	35 836	12 048 792
Harvested cropland	42 951	4 748 175	40 732	4 161 205	31 046	4 581 498	29 752	4 027 860
Tenure of operator:								
Full owners	37 546	6 607 653	38 344	7 656 727	22 043	5 264 854	21 904	6 074 350
Harvested cropland	24 526	1 293 307	(NA)	1 407 980	15 522	1 178 887	(NA)	1 303 602
Part owners	15 378	6 266 568	12 100	5 289 048	12 802	6 053 724	10 366	5 102 417
Harvested cropland	14 171	2 949 313	(NA)	2 309 555	12 063	2 910 058	(NA)	2 288 163
Tenants	5 724	868 264	4 467	932 519	3 995	816 223	3 566	872 025
Harvested cropland	4 254	505 555	(NA)	443 670	3 461	492 553	(NA)	436 095
Type of organization:								
Individual or family	52 310	10 475 775	(NA)	(NA)	33 510	9 042 225	32 557	9 777 152
Partnership	5 015	2 045 175	(NA)	(NA)	4 134	1 960 148	2 718	1 519 024
Corporation	1 097	1 007 335	(NA)	(NA)	1 075	999 423	464	662 151
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	226	214 200	(NA)	(NA)	121	133 005	97	90 465

  

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more	
	1978		1974			1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Operators by principal occupation:					Operators by place of residence:				
Farming	27 811	30 243	22 660	24 644	On farm operated	41 664	32 939	27 121	21 624
Other	30 837	24 067	16 180	10 631	Not on farm operated	9 728	8 292	6 816	5 281
Operators by age group:					Not reported	7 256	13 079	4 903	8 370
Under 25 years	1 210	811	942	579	Operators reporting days of work off farm:				
25 to 34 years	6 687	5 142	4 807	3 437	None	22 967	18 433	17 297	14 027
35 to 44 years	11 766	9 304	7 659	5 862	1 to 49 days	3 013	2 211	2 281	1 298
45 to 54 years	13 749	13 462	9 431	9 117	50 to 99 days	1 425	1 416	1 071	868
55 to 64 years	14 257	14 641	9 759	9 926	100 to 149 days	1 673	1 357	1 161	838
65 years and over	10 979	10 950	6 242	6 354	150 to 199 days	2 506	2 230	1 653	1 266
Average age	51.2	52.6	50.4	52.4	200 days or more	24 101	18 000	13 003	8 193

\*Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Selected Farm Production Expenses: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
Livestock and poultry purchased	21 148	234 837	21 339	173 453	16 370	231 679	15 013	169 483
Feed for livestock and poultry	41 158	655 953	38 725	505 816	28 290	647 692	24 737	498 110
Commercially mixed formula feeds	19 335	548 293	29 957	446 872	14 828	545 768	21 555	443 242
Animal health costs	26 557	12 571	(NA)	(NA)	20 763	12 068	15 975	7 319
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	30 891	61 498	32 087	42 762	23 730	60 342	24 897	42 059
Commercial fertilizer	41 658	203 603	41 832	180 691	30 032	196 771	28 089	175 127
Other agricultural chemicals including lime	34 862	88 874	21 242	58 664	27 069	86 696	17 434	58 160
Hired farm labor	22 884	140 130	18 707	96 699	19 564	136 863	15 086	94 444
Contract labor	3 702	12 643	2 245	5 002	3 058	12 377	1 651	4 847
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	20 139	32 053	20 651	27 308	15 948	30 463	16 405	26 516
Energy and petroleum products	58 105	128 464	(NA)	(NA)	38 601	123 223	(NA)	(NA)
Petroleum products	58 056	106 117	52 076	64 585	38 565	101 861	34 892	61 753
Gasoline	49 964	39 748	(NA)	(NA)	33 463	37 118	29 171	23 829
Diesel fuel	34 612	39 170	(NA)	(NA)	27 262	38 319	21 872	19 964
LP gas, butane, and propane	10 800	17 242	(NA)	(NA)	9 989	17 114	6 482	7 809
Fuel oil	2 185	1 112	(NA)	(NA)	1 695	1 067	(NA)	(NA)
Natural gas	1 373	1 790	(NA)	(NA)	1 135	1 714	34 878	10 151
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease	58 055	7 054	(NA)	(NA)	38 564	6 529	(NA)	(NA)
Electricity	29 851	22 116	(NA)	(NA)	24 922	21 182	(NA)	(NA)
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.	1 092	232	(NA)	(NA)	666	180	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 6. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer and Lime: 1978 and 1974**

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres on which used	Farms	Acres on which used	Farms	Acres on which used
Commercial fertilizer .....	35 938	4 564 020	26 493	4 386 679	28 091	4 094 260
Cropland fertilized, except pasture .....	33 123	3 950 197	25 004	3 835 756	(NA)	3 397 630
Pasture and rangeland fertilized .....	12 057	613 823	8 981	550 923	(NA)	696 630
Lime .....	16 584	1 345 985	13 465	1 294 590	6 828	627 678
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	16 057	1 764 447	13 348	1 732 780	(NA)	1 258 703
Nematodes in crops .....	6 510	493 055	5 942	487 874	2 379	116 664
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	6 030	494 859	5 047	486 324	1 451	144 135
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	18 090	2 492 708	14 957	2 417 696	(NA)	1 556 789
Chemicals for—						
Defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit .....	1 892	143 451	1 661	140 330	1 589	145 460
Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	14 351	(X)	11 501	(X)	2 460	(X)
Sanitation and rodent and bird control .....	7 525	(X)	6 126	(X)	(NA)	(X)

**Table 7. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1978 and 1974**

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more				ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT—Con.	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974			1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms		farms		Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—Con.											
	\$1,000	58 418	50 927	38 756	33 200	\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	5 217	4 858	4 694	4 470	\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	4 263	5 180	4 183	5 064		
	dollars	1 468 741	871 343	1 331 434	742 734	\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	2 552	1 488	2 520	1 475	\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 582	1 488	1 559	1 475		
Average per farm .....		25 142	17 110	34 354	22 372	\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	2 656	1 646	2 646	1 626	\$200,000 or more .....	1 041		1 026			
Farms by value group:																	
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		10 665	12 269	5 858	5 667												
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		19 578	14 446	6 990	6 740												
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		10 864	11 040	9 280	8 158												
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	1978						1974										
	All farms		Manufactured 1974 to 1978		Manufactured prior to 1974		All farms		Manufactured 1974 to 1978		Manufactured prior to 1974						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Automobiles .....	33 719	47 953	19 345	24 095	18 628	23 858	37 365	50 798	27 570								
Motortrucks including pickups .....	48 111	79 764	23 564	31 422	33 242	48 342	43 619	69 239	27 803								
Wheel tractors .....	49 488	85 049	15 784	22 843	41 139	62 206	43 878	74 758	23 110								
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only .....	8 652	9 924	3 530	3 893	5 428	6 031	5 616	6 255	2 526								
Corn heads for combines .....	7 072	7 637	2 821	2 988	4 372	4 649	4 518	4 836	1 854								
Other combine harvesters and picker-shellers .....	3 239	3 649	628	773	2 723	2 876	4 024	4 274	1 388								
Cottonpickers .....	923	1 182	281	335	713	847	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)								
Mower conditioners .....	8 487	9 451	3 342	3 598	5 391	5 853	5 762	6 383	2 411								
Pickup balers .....	8 322	8 909	3 072	3 212	5 530	5 697	6 444	6 678	2 095								
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type .....	2 168	2 652	949	1 095	1 322	1 557	1 462	1 722	613								

**Table 8. Hired Farm Workers: 1978 and 1974**

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	Hired workers—All farms, 1978					Any hired workers—Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more	
	Any	Working 150 days or more		Working less than 150 days		1978	1974
		Farms	Workers	Farms	Workers		
Farms .....	22 884	8 727	(X)	19 086	(X)	19 566	15 086
Workers .....	124 841	(X)	21 938	(X)	102 903	115 263	123 884
Farms with—							
1 worker .....	7 048	4 461	4 461	6 137	6 137	5 306	3 659
2 workers .....	4 097	1 921	3 842	3 310	6 620	3 568	2 234
3 or 4 workers .....	4 131	1 452	4 840	3 119	10 533	3 635	2 521
5 to 9 workers .....	4 338	684	4 010	3 749	23 978	3 926	2 797
10 workers or more .....	3 270	209	4 785	2 771	55 635	3 131	3 875

Table 9. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY</b>								
Inventory:								
Any livestock or poultry.....	45 186	(X)	42 629	(X)	29 555	(X)	27 191	(X)
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	41 048	(X)	40 083	(X)	26 703	(X)	25 203	(X)
Sales:								
Any livestock or poultry and their products..... \$1,000...	43 630	1 469 566	41 692	976 488	30 219	1 450 836	27 736	960 652
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... \$1,000...	39 927	462 322	38 695	(NA)	27 050	445 660	25 249	274 219
<b>CATTLE AND CALVES</b>								
Inventory:								
Cattle and calves.....	32 875	1 616 992	35 478	2 022 904	21 737	1 446 054	21 777	1 725 060
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	29 811	865 568	30 168	1 063 007	19 865	768 995	19 427	904 423
Beef cows.....	27 743	732 675	28 014	943 475	18 419	639 723	18 007	790 564
Milk cows.....	3 572	132 893	4 645	119 532	2 363	129 272	2 880	113 859
Heifers and heifer calves.....	24 962	399 936	(NA)	(NA)	17 178	360 469	14 653	378 492
Steers, steer calves, bulls and bull calves.....	27 788	351 488	(NA)	(NA)	18 946	316 590	17 411	442 145
Sales:								
Cattle and calves.....	31 102	902 437	33 077	803 176	21 553	841 594	21 095	712 356
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	243 387	(X)	(NA)	(X)	231 198	(X)	136 388
Calves.....	23 442	409 582	(NA)	(NA)	16 673	372 355	14 967	323 435
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	75 905	(X)	(NA)	(X)	70 051	(X)	34 333
Cattle.....	21 467	492 855	(NA)	(NA)	15 407	469 239	14 443	388 921
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	167 482	(X)	(NA)	(X)	161 147	(X)	102 055
Fattened cattle.....	3 300	154 755	(NA)	(NA)	2 613	151 686	2 588	122 780
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	62 197	(X)	(NA)	(X)	61 212	(X)	40 329
Dairy products.....	1 355	143 199	(NA)	(NA)	1 304	141 938	1 089	98 876
(X)..... \$1,000...								
<b>HOGS, SHEEP, GOATS, AND HORSES</b>								
Inventory:								
Hogs and pigs.....	17 654	1 687 613	15 158	1 243 255	12 107	1 606 175	11 517	1 192 153
Used or to be used for breeding.....	14 214	255 521	(NA)	(NA)	10 214	238 571	9 217	167 141
Other hogs and pigs.....	16 169	1 432 092	(NA)	(NA)	11 113	1 367 604	10 894	1 025 012
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30.....	14 680	325 751	11 916	248 851	10 508	310 616	9 844	239 784
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	13 022	164 803	10 842	131 766	9 676	156 611	9 127	126 608
June 1 and Nov. 30.....	11 900	160 948	9 681	117 085	9 187	154 005	8 289	113 176
Sheep and lambs.....	129	3 681	114	3 239	81	2 965	68	2 888
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	107	2 641	(NA)	(NA)	66	2 221	61	1 464
Goats.....	720	8 471	(NA)	(NA)	288	4 612	220	3 765
Horses and ponies.....	7 039	27 546	5 602	19 551	4 081	18 819	2 949	13 029
Sales:								
Hogs and pigs.....	16 088	2 551 191	14 084	2 091 998	12 013	2 470 523	11 645	2 037 048
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	218 862	(X)	(NA)	(X)	214 406	(X)	137 765
Feeder pigs.....	4 485	359 009	3 295	250 276	2 969	326 617	2 389	230 420
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	13 142	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12 181	(X)	5 440
Sheep and lambs.....	81	1 396	58	1 516	53	1 082	43	1 321
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	78	3 015	(NA)	(NA)	51	2 573	37	1 667
Pounds of wool.....	(X)	20 116	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17 535	(X)	9 372
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... \$1,000...	91	73	(NA)	(NA)	59	57	48	66
Goats.....	232	2 651	(NA)	(NA)	137	1 972	99	1 194
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	78	(X)	(NA)	(X)	60	(X)	17
Horses and ponies.....	1 249	4 098	600	2 522	931	3 280	390	2 056
(X)..... \$1,000...	(X)	4 472	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4 233	(X)	2 237
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Inventory:								
Any poultry.....	10 659	(X)	9 083	(X)	6 573	(X)	6 488	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	7 568	30 640 902	6 187	25 591 146	3 750	30 486 762	3 668	25 477 774
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	7 307	24 736 589	5 768	21 290 084	3 510	24 610 689	3 432	21 206 842
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	1 891	5 904 313	(NA)	(NA)	830	5 876 073	372	3 771 257
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	948	5 749 317	(NA)	(NA)	562	5 722 519	312	3 698 799
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	3 946	88 543 350	3 188	69 754 744	2 788	88 363 676	2 830	69 746 445
Turkeys.....	663	628 862	(NA)	(NA)	244	626 095	162	265 068
Turkeys for slaughter.....	322	583 536	(NA)	(NA)	141	582 549	115	240 630
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....	518	45 326	(NA)	(NA)	180	43 546	97	24 438
Other poultry.....	1 503	(X)	(NA)	(X)	649	(X)	211	(X)
Sales:								
Any poultry.....	6 086	(X)	5 669	(X)	5 466	(X)	5 493	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	2 249	38 583 228	1 821	30 805 137	1 878	38 521 580	1 674	30 756 766
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	1 719	21 517 008	1 385	17 994 314	1 357	21 471 886	1 253	17 947 932
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	566	17 066 220	(NA)	(NA)	549	17 049 694	452	12 359 823
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	96	2 760 607	(NA)	(NA)	93	2 759 451	55	1 092 255
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	3 468	435 402 329	3 794	355 956 075	3 363	435 372 868	3 757	355 947 335
Turkeys.....	83	2 004 996	(NA)	(NA)	75	2 004 768	56	1 796 842
Turkeys for slaughter.....	73	1 962 538	(NA)	(NA)	70	1 962 325	52	1 741 772
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....	15	42 458	(NA)	(NA)	10	42 443	11	55 070
Other poultry.....	165	(X)	(NA)	(X)	87	(X)	84	(X)
Poultry and poultry products..... \$1,000...	6 256	854 111	6 092	582 733	5 548	853 736	5 681	582 420

Table 10. Crops: 1978 and 1974

		All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more					
		Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated			
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Corn for all purposes	1978	24 025	1 642 016	(X)	1 735	184 978	18 676	1 578 618	(X)	1 679	184 455
	1974	27 825	1 756 008	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21 699	1 697 394	(X)	345	36 224
For grain or seed (bushels)	1978	23 102	1 527 218	78 494 793	1 688	176 704	17 866	1 466 642	76 732 071	1 633	176 218
	1974	26 979	1 661 085	91 870 613	(NA)	(NA)	21 092	1 606 372	89 811 622	327	32 982
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	1978	1 449	111 451	1 149 989	118	(D)	1 323	108 928	1 119 274	115	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 164	78 292	982 162	33	3 043
For fodder, hogged or grazed	1978	100	3 347	(X)	2	(D)	74	3 048	(X)	2	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	742	12 730	(X)	4	199
Sorghums for all purposes	1978	1 372	64 194	(X)	91	4 073	1 289	62 990	(X)	89	(D)
	1974	1 385	57 009	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1 161	55 113	(X)	5	126
For grain or seed (bushels)	1978	892	36 390	1 239 077	57	2 327	835	35 556	1 218 513	55	(D)
	1974	746	32 555	1 302 164	(NA)	(NA)	682	32 079	1 285 782	2	(D)
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	1978	481	26 764	250 387	34	(D)	457	26 409	246 881	33	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	369	17 160	192 225	1	(D)
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry)	1978	15	747	1 653	1	(D)	13	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	63	1 022	2 590	-	-
Hogged or grazed	1978	17	293	(X)	-	-	15	(D)	(X)	-	-
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	128	4 852	(X)	2	(D)
Wheat for grain (bushels)	1978	2 034	109 364	3 286 853	42	2 285	1 877	107 477	3 248 866	41	(D)
	1974	2 092	117 268	2 759 101	(NA)	(NA)	1 862	115 580	2 725 251	7	685
Oats for grain (bushels)	1978	1 888	95 626	4 639 093	51	3 435	1 755	94 219	4 595 280	51	3 435
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1 116	40 181	2 043 224	3	117
Barley for grain (bushels)	1978	257	16 741	667 716	4	166	247	16 596	660 412	4	166
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	118	3 792	146 590	-	-
Rye for grain (bushels)	1978	790	35 961	801 077	19	888	761	35 681	795 971	18	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2 174	73 241	1 465 282	8	290
Other small grains for grain	1978	61	2 439	(X)	1	(D)	53	2 322	(X)	-	-
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	120	3 892	(X)	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1978	12 665	1 586 528	27 275 975	531	48 383	11 530	1 566 362	27 037 472	525	48 280
	1974	8 943	785 367	18 885 782	(NA)	(NA)	8 445	779 360	18 774 632	52	3 170
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1978	9 600	503 208	1 548 323 195	2 065	137 434	9 316	501 735	1 546 649 260	2 057	137 397
	1974	10 574	482 772	1 375 299 529	(NA)	(NA)	10 185	481 700	1 373 604 823	456	30 950
Cotton (bales)	1978	890	114 163	104 033	29	1 918	867	113 766	103 747	26	1 888
	1974	4 279	373 342	367 268	(NA)	(NA)	4 040	371 509	366 101	22	1 989
Tobacco (pounds)	1978	4 341	55 177	113 094 972	1 417	21 292	4 237	55 059	112 987 873	1 414	21 289
	1974	6 408	65 048	137 298 822	(NA)	(NA)	6 203	64 816	136 987 753	1 152	14 387
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1978	359	874	99 105	13	161	221	682	87 533	9	110
	1974	762	455	51 261	(NA)	(NA)	348	312	39 131	8	8
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1978	741	4 738	1 004 060	41	1 667	526	4 420	956 794	34	1 654
	1974	813	3 674	812 924	(NA)	(NA)	458	3 526	795 373	20	1 215
Hay crops (tons, dry) (see text)	1978	17 271	480 227	959 664	253	6 369	12 598	419 078	883 355	222	6 039
	1974	14 200	360 502	791 432	(NA)	(NA)	9 939	308 298	708 421	79	2 378
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1978	812	17 725	34 337	20	338	608	15 299	31 492	20	338
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	396	9 763	20 064	1	(D)
Other tame dry hay (tons, dry) (see text)	1978	14 131	378 966	803 543	216	5 553	10 655	334 903	745 278	187	5 244
Field seed crops	1978	205	8 929	(X)	7	1 025	167	8 492	(X)	6	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	291	12 425	(X)	2	(D)
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	1978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-
Red clover seed (pounds)	1978	1	(D)	(D)	-	-	1	(D)	(D)	-	-
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	1978	3 151	60 790	(X)	563	28 917	2 369	58 712	(X)	513	28 830
	1974	3 148	42 997	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2 106	40 301	(X)	214	8 422
Sweet corn	1978	731	4 706	(X)	66	2 282	487	4 348	(X)	47	2 265
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	356	1 933	(X)	19	699
Tomatoes	1978	425	1 528	(X)	105	978	316	1 488	(X)	91	975
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	361	1 367	(X)	41	462
Green peas excluding cowpeas	1978	541	2 312	(X)	39	181	353	2 049	(X)	25	175
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	448	1 990	(X)	10	23
Land in orchards	1978	5 647	155 702	(X)	190	12 345	3 757	142 089	(X)	136	11 274
	1974	3 827	121 816	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2 639	117 416	(X)	30	2 043
Apples (pounds)	1978	972	5 354	20 794 241	(NA)	(NA)	330	4 078	20 407 998	(NA)	(NA)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	189	3 636	21 476 667	(NA)	(NA)
Peaches (pounds)	1978	865	22 313	102 079 037	(NA)	(NA)	335	21 309	101 767 953	(NA)	(NA)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	257	22 954	81 833 675	(NA)	(NA)
Grapes (pounds) (see text)	1978	762	1 250	2 277 040	(NA)	(NA)	316	948	2 145 963	(NA)	(NA)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	111	715	2 020 000	(NA)	(NA)
Berries	1978	234	530	(X)	35	68	119	418	(X)	23	61
	1974	95	227	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	46	179	(X)	-	-
Strawberries (pounds)	1978	62	35	39 092	10	15	28	23	21 986	7	14
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	21	24	53 996	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1978	738	7 185	(X)	301	4 929	557	6 857	(X)	267	4 857
Other crops	1978	294	14 077	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	254	13 738	(X)	(NA)	(NA)