

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.....	560	600	497	499	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	391 997	401 889	322 473	336 926	Total cropland..... farms.....	527	560	477	484
Average size of farm..... acres.....	700	670	649	675	..... acres.....	180 174	193 460	177 056	187 700
Approximate land area..... acres.....	1 192 960	1 192 960	1 192 960	1 192 960	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	513	531	472	478
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	32.9	33.7	27.0	28.2	..... acres.....	128 673	111 107	127 077	109 006
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000.....	125 798	54 493	116 619	50 543	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	224 639	90 821	234 646	101 288	1 to 9 acres.....	14	18	6	] 64
Average per acre..... dollars.....	321	136	362	150	10 to 19 acres.....	23	20	16	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	15	25	8	
1 to 9 acres.....	23	33	11	10	30 to 49 acres.....	53	40	39	
10 to 49 acres.....	68	65	44	27	50 to 99 acres.....	89	100	86	88
50 to 69 acres.....	19	19	17	17	100 to 199 acres.....	121	132	121	132
70 to 99 acres.....	38	50	33	37	200 to 499 acres.....	128	151	126	149
100 to 139 acres.....	41	46	40	44	500 to 999 acres.....	51	38	51	38
140 to 179 acres.....	48	48	45	39	1,000 acres and over.....	19	7	19	7
180 to 219 acres.....	19	25	17	23	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres.....	37	47	32	45	or grazing..... farms.....	252	288	223	235
260 to 499 acres.....	100	105	97	99	..... acres.....	21 580	27 166	20 303	25 216
500 to 999 acres.....	81	86	80	84	..... farms.....	181	391	176	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	55	46	53	46	Other cropland (see text)..... acres.....	29 921	55 187	29 676	53 478
2,000 acres and over.....	31	30	28	28	Total woodland..... farms.....	42	49	36	39
					..... acres.....	7 955	11 755	7 605	10 415
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	404	463	358	(NA)
					..... acres.....	203 868	196 674	137 812	138 811
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	420	454	387	402
					..... acres.....	75 631	76 810	74 158	74 433

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	176	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued		
..... acres.....	29 676	53 478	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	13	16
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	17	64	..... acres.....	1 012	2 679
..... acres.....	528	2 897	Other land..... farms.....	358	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	16	18	..... acres.....	137 812	138 811
..... acres.....	1 712	593	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	181	189
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	124	261	..... acres.....	124 021	125 727
..... acres.....	25 554	47 999	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	75	98
Cropland idle..... farms.....	38	84	..... acres.....	12 513	16 554
..... acres.....	1 882	1 989	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	134	128
Total woodland..... farms.....	36	39	..... acres.....	111 508	109 173
..... acres.....	7 605	10 415	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....	295	342
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	29	32	..... acres.....	13 791	13 084
..... acres.....	6 593	7 736			

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.....	560	600	497	499	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	391 997	401 889	322 473	336 926	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	53	84
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	128 673	111 107	127 077	109 006	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	62 424	89 319
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	20	7
Full owners..... number.....	295	325	241	244	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	69 363	49 893
Land in farms..... acres.....	106 100	150 379	97 420	139 431	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	39 022	41 736	37 563	39 975	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	753	1 474
Part owners..... number.....	201	201	195	197	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	212 203	180 997	205 637	180 038	Under 25 years.....	12	3	12	2
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	77 920	60 225	77 806	60 037	25 to 34 years.....	45	68	37	53
Tenants..... number.....	64	74	61	58	35 to 44 years.....	98	148	88	134
Land in farms..... acres.....	73 694	70 513	19 216	17 457	45 to 54 years.....	167	158	148	135
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	11 731	9 146	11 708	8 994	55 to 64 years.....	125	157	113	132
Percent of tenancy.....	11.4	12.3	12.3	11.6	65 years and over.....	85	66	76	43
					Average age.....	51.3	49.5	51.4	49.1
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	309	419	270	372
All farm operators..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	—	On another farm.....	21	—	17	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	270	(NA)	270	—	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	28	136	26	101
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	220	(NA)	220	—	In a city, town, or urban area.....	74	—	71	—
Full owners..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	None.....	222	(NA)	216	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	43	75	34	66
Part owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	—	50 to 99 days.....	15	30	13	26
Land in farms..... acres.....	270	(NA)	270	—	100 to 149 days.....	25	78	23	69
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	220	(NA)	220	—	150 to 199 days.....	38	34	34	69
Tenants..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	—	200 days and over.....	80	133	55	82
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farming.....	422	(NA)	401	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Other.....	110	(NA)	73	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	421	407	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	75	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	189 933	196 240					

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	71	76	71	76			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	140	132	138	132			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	106	106	106	106			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	76	143	76	143			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	60	85	60	85			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43	61	43	57			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	64	103	3	6			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	8	15	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	11	13	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	20	27	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	25	48	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm	\$33,081	\$13,264	\$32,833	\$13,084			
Crops, including hay	470	502	440	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products	22,940	8,639	22,801	8,556			
Forest products	2	1	2	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	364	407	324	340			
Poultry and poultry products	13	(NA)	11	15			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	440	(NA)					
Grains	22,801	8,556					
Tobacco	7,657	2,910					
Cotton and cottonseed							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	156	198					
Other field crops	720	316					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	246	268					
Fruits, nuts, and berries	14,424	5,306					
Livestock, poultry, and their products	324	340					
Poultry and poultry products	10,030	4,527					
Dairy products	89	128					
Cattle and calves	1,306	779					
Hogs and pigs	307	(NA)					
Sheep, lambs, and wool	7,814	2,996					
Other livestock and livestock products	22	(NA)					

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974
	1974	1969	1974	1969		
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	104	(NA)	62	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	179	(NA)	164	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services	679	(NA)	639	(NA)		
Recreational services	47	67	44	63		
Government farm programs	155	100	153	97		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	5	6	4	6		
Other farm-related sources	5	10	3	10		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	103	395	99	365		
Total family income from off-farm sources ²	206	1,064	205	1,040		
Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related	54	(NA)	46	(NA)		
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	298	(NA)	264	(NA)		
Interest, dividends, or royalties	12	(NA)	12	(NA)		
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	14	(NA)	14	(NA)		
Rent income of nonfarm property	68	(NA)	60	(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	560	600	497	499					
Farms with --	23,748	9,767	23,494	9,568					
\$1 to \$999	20	54	1	24					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	25	47	12						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	22	25	10	21					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	45	53	33	40					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	83	145	78	141					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	135		135	144					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	102		101	79					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	51	276	51						
\$60,000 and over	77		76	50					
Livestock and poultry purchased	203	217	174	188					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	2 585	1 369	2 558	1 357					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	297	347	256	299					
Feed ingredients	4 722	837	4 670	809					
Whole grains	153	197	139	181					
Hay, green chop, and silage	704	212	695	203					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	35	44					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	(NA)	(NA)	1 466	46					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	(NA)	(NA)	130	98					
Other agricultural chemicals	(NA)	(NA)	1 234	170					
Lime	(NA)	(NA)	101	129					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	(NA)	(NA)	1 275	390					
Gasoline	361	358	342	339					
Diesel oil	1 460	472	1 452	468					
LP gas, butane, and propane	402	412	383	384					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	2 034	653	2 020	644					
Hired farm labor	316	(NA)	306	(NA)					
Contract labor	350	139	346	137					
Machine hire and customwork	(NA)	(NA)							
All other production expenses	(NA)	(NA)							

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

	All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	548	588	488	498	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	266	258	256	251
..... farms.....	22 846	11 737	21 945	11 335	..... farms.....	312	290	302	283
Average per farm.....	41 691	19 961	44 970	22 760	..... number.....	61	109	61	107
Farms by value group:					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
\$1 to \$999.....	—	16	—	65	Corn heads for combines.....	—	16	—	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	47	112	35	65	..... farms.....	—	20	—	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	51	111	32	94	..... number.....	—	8	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	85	114	74	107	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	2	—	2	14
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	85	—	77	90	..... farms.....	2	—	2	16
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	147	—	137	83	..... number.....	1	—	1	8
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	59	—	59	59	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
\$70,000 and over.....	74	—	74	59	Mower conditioners.....	89	(NA)	83	(NA)
					..... farms.....	92	(NA)	86	(NA)
					..... number.....	31	(NA)	31	(NA)
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers.....	283	295	262	277
Automobiles.....	487	519	432	468	..... farms.....	294	307	273	289
..... farms.....	727	693	648	636	..... number.....	110	140	106	132
..... number.....	469	429	427	398	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	505	558	452	483	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	205	(NA)	197	142
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	556	417	464	293	..... farms.....	211	(NA)	203	143
..... farms.....	553	566	522	538	..... number.....	100	(NA)	99	75
..... number.....	495	531	446	464	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	284	381	197	127	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	22	(NA)	21	34
Crawler tractors.....	114	—	112	131	..... farms.....	22	(NA)	21	34
..... farms.....	137	—	135	160	..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	4
..... number.....	4	—	4	26	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry.....	368	(X)	325	(X)	364	(X)	324	(X)	10 030
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	355	(X)	315	(X)	359	(X)	322	(X)	8 703
..... 1974.....	389	(X)	326	(X)	390	(X)	333	(X)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	337	38 121	299	37 278	341	25 701	307	25 472	7 814
Cattle and calves.....	361	24 837	313	24 108	365	16 640	318	16 326	2 996
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....	17	52	11	37	53	139	32	78	18
5 to 9.....	12	74	11	68	45	295	40	266	53
10 to 19.....	39	581	21	314	61	880	54	784	155
20 to 49.....	94	3 065	82	2 658	91	2 913	90	2 870	550
50 to 99.....	77	5 508	77	5 508	61	4 104	61	4 104	761
100 to 199.....	61	7 943	60	7 795	16	2 283	16	2 283	420
200 to 499.....	25	6 961	25	6 961	10	3 386	10	3 386	669
500 and over.....	12	13 937	12	13 937	4	11 701	4	11 701	5 188
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	316	17 293	283	16 926	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1974.....	318	11 003	284	10 781	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	252	14 746	225	14 466	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	(NA)	8 815	212	8 703	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1974.....	135	2 547	122	2 460	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	178	2 188	152	2 078	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	89	(X)	1 306
..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	128	(X)	779
..... 1969.....									
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	252	14 746	225	14 466	Cattle sold.....	274	19 832	7 204	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	26	72	16	38	1 to 4.....	44	105	27	
5 to 9.....	19	124	15	96	5 to 9.....	57	392	85	
10 to 19.....	44	624	35	495	10 to 19.....	48	686	161	
20 to 49.....	70	2 226	66	2 137	20 to 49.....	76	2 214	511	
50 to 99.....	59	4 008	59	4 008	50 to 99.....	27	1 827	429	
100 to 199.....	19	2 610	19	2 610	100 to 199.....	11	1 550	338	
200 to 499.....	14	(D)	14	(D)	200 to 499.....	9	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	135	2 547	122	2 460	Calves sold.....	154	5 640	610	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	35	49	30	44	1 or 2.....	17	27	3	
3 or 4.....	19	64	18	60	3 or 4.....	19	64	9	
5 to 9.....	20	130	14	93	5 to 9.....	14	93	10	
10 to 19.....	25	360	25	360	10 to 19.....	32	427	51	
20 to 49.....	18	556	17	515	20 to 49.....	45	1 473	189	
50 to 99.....	16	918	16	918	50 to 99.....	19	1 309	130	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	4	519	48	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	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	253	7 950	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	40	(D)	(D)
1969	266	6 418	1969	31	1 325	(NA)
Beef heifers	201	6 837	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	81	1 113	1 to 9	20	110	31
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	250	12 402	10 to 19	7	97	25
1969	272	6 909	20 to 49	7	206	63
			50 to 99	1	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

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	40	583	26	373	26	1 243	22	1 098	58
1969	51	1 835	36	1 415	48	2 411	35	1 886	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	13	31	8	21	5	17	4	14	1
5 to 9	16	83	10	53	4	30	4	30	1
10 to 24	4	53	4	53	5	89	3	49	3
25 to 49	4	133	2	73	2	72	2	72	5
50 to 99	2	173	2	173	4	304	4	304	8
100 to 199	1	110	—	—	6	731	5	629	40
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	433	6	431	5
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	347	7	261	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	36	27 911	35	27 826	34	23 848	33	23 783	(NA)
1969	63	25 801	52	25 643	58	25 288	50	25 169	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	31	21 582	233 393
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	33	(X)	831
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	10	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	135	744	114	676	19	73	16	64	17
1969	168	855	(NA)	(NA)	32	107	(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	12	71	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	23	187	December 1 of preceding year and November 30			
Other hogs and pigs	21	302	18	153	13	117
1969	34	1 228	30	286	23	226
Lambs under 1 year old	27	5 989	14	83	11	67
Ewes 1 year old or older	34	21 432	24	172	18	129
Rams and wethers	27	405	14	70	9	50
			21	114	18	97

*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)	36	(X)	5	(X)	4	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	34	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	44	1 677	33	1 377	3	77	3	77
1969	35	1 574	30	1 467	5	262	5	262
Hens and pullets of laying age	44	1 600	33	1 335	3	77	3	77
1969	34	1 552	29	1 447	4	87	4	87
Farms with—								
1 to 99	41	1 250	30	985	3	77	3	77
100 to 399	3	350	3	350	—	—	—	—
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	11	786	8	675	4	495	3	395
1969	—	—	—	—	2	225	2	225
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	3	11	3
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	4

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	33	1 335	3	77	Turkeys	2	8	-	-
1969	29	1 447	4	87	1969	1	4	1	15
Hens for table or market egg production	33	1 335	3	77	1974	2	8	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	-	-	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	40	-	-	Turkeys for slaughter	2	8	-	-
1969	2	5	1	150	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1	2	-	-	Light breed	-	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	-	-	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
					1969	1	4	-	-
					1974	2	(X)	-	(X)
					1969	13	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	6	1	284	35	(X)		(X)			
Sorghums for all purposes	-	1	-	50	(X)		(X)			
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-		-			
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-		-			
Wheat (bushels)	353	422	36 160	35 521	1 027 746		1 424 683			
Other small grains for grain	347	405	46 591	32 123	(X)		(X)			
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-		-			
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-		-			
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	247	(NA)	19 749	(NA)	4 036 962		(NA)			
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-		(NA)			
Hay crops (tons, dry)	380	402	24 997	23 772	55 880		55 493			
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	1	2	1	(X)		(X)			
Land in orchards	1	1	1	2	(X)		(X)			
Berries for sale	1	1	(Z)	(Z)	(X)		(X)			
Other crops	19	(NA)	1 480	1 871	(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)	-	-	-	-	-		-		-	
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	1	284	35	3 880		630		6	1
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	-	-	-	-	(X)		(X)		-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-		-		-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	-	(NA)	-	50	(X)		(X)		-	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	345	356	22 772	21 119	52 427		50 593		253	299
					13 637		14 967			

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					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	223	20 303	(X)	132	8 049	41	2 198	40	197	1	4
1969	235	25 216	(X)	167	8 622	63	1 860	63	226	1	2
Improved pasture	75	12 513	(X)	32	5 948	10	324	10	25	-	-
1969	98	16 554	(X)	49	6 531	12	907	12	52	-	-
Corn for all purposes	6	284	(X)	6	284	1	30	1	2	-	-
1969	1	35	(X)	1	35	1	35	1	6	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	1	50	(X)	1	50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	339	35 918	1 017 710	227	12 297	197	22 442	142	1 416	62	620
1969	384	34 996	1 404 481	261	10 785	186	12 196	(NA)	1 048	(NA)	224
Oats (bushels)	59	1 594	49 947	42	619	11	713	10	20	1	1
1969	96	2 200	127 398	62	1 427	38	752	(NA)	97	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	290	44 078	1 454 439	181	11 077	192	30 838	121	1 358	80	862
1969	298	27 998	1 387 515	196	8 992	165	13 612	(NA)	657	(NA)	232
Rye (bushels)	1	45	4 000	1	45	1	45	1	7	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	18	461	(X)	18	461	7	178	3	4	4	29
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	350	24 152	54 231	257	14 486	74	3 954	70	393	4	26
1969	366	22 788	53 066	308	16 330	61	3 489	60	340	1	30
Field seed crops	1	45	(X)	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	7	177	(X)	6	110	4	90	4	9	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	245	19 654	4 014 402	243	19 323	245	19 517	193	3 940	102	1 195
1969	262	17 635	3 320 767	262	17 635	258	16 956	(NA)	3 568	(NA)	318
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	1	2	(X)	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-

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..	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
.....	1969..	2	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other crops	1974..	18	1 435	(X)	18	1 388	11	957	9	89	1	20

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	413	—	432	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	7	—	11	—
.....	\$1,000..	2 366	781	—	Diseases in crops and orchards	410	—	1 092	—
Commercial fertilizer	383	—	363	—	.....	2	—	3	—
.....	acres on which used..	81 195	51 542	—	Weeds or grass in crops	181	—	202	—
.....	tons..	10 209	7 097	—	.....	41 681	—	31 540	—
Lime	\$1,000..	2 020	644	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	154	—	38	—
.....	acres on which used..	—	—	—	.....	10	—	17	—
.....	tons..	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land	827	—	3 123	—
.....	\$1,000..	—	—	—	.....	2	—	6	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	.....	27	—	(NA)	—
Insects on hay crops	32	—	11	—	.....	655	—	(NA)	—
.....	acres on which used..	1 552	421	—	.....	2	—	(NA)	—
.....	\$1,000..	7	1	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	5	—
Insects on other crops	130	—	210	—	.....	559	—	708	—
.....	acres on which used..	13 340	16 069	—	.....	3	—	1	—
.....	\$1,000..	133	77	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	38	—	91	—
Nematodes in crops	8	—	8	—	.....	4	—	6	—
.....	acres on which used..	723	136	—	Other chemicals (see text)	48	—	(NA)	—
.....	\$1,000..	25	3	—	.....	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	387	—	402	—	Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	77.9	—	80.5	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	12	—	(NA)	—
Total land irrigated	74 158	—	74 433	—	.....	2 775	—	(NA)	—
Average per farm	191.6	—	185.1	—	Other sprinkler systems	208	—	(NA)	—
Cropland irrigated	379	—	396	—	.....	37 945	—	(NA)	—
.....	acres..	68 210	67 902	—	Land in irrigated farms	194 259	—	259 714	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	372	—	387	—	.....	114 355	—	131 908	—
.....	acres..	59 812	57 906	—	Harvested cropland	85 413	—	79 476	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	132	—	167	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..	8 049	8 622	—	between 1970 and 1973	2	—	(X)	—
Other cropland irrigated	14	—	(NA)	—	.....	60	—	(X)	—
.....	acres..	349	1 374	—	Farms with artificial drainage	18	—	44	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	32	—	49	—	Proportion of farms	3.6	—	8.8	—
.....	acres..	5 948	6 531	—	Land in farms with drainage	19 043	—	37 943	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	158 873	—	176 349	—	Land drained	1 766	—	5 684	—
Average per acre irrigated	2.1	—	2.4	—	.....	98.1	—	129.1	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	—	—	—	—
Furrows or ditches	60	—	(NA)	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
.....	acres..	5 183	(NA)	—	tanks	44	—	(NA)	—
					.....	230	—	(NA)	—
					.....	291	—	(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)	—	250	—	194	—	160	—
Farms by size of debt owed:		16 789		10 642		6 147	
Under \$5,000	—	29	—	11	—	41	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	26	—	26	—	34	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	81	—	74	—	48	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	37	—	29	—	14	—
\$50,000 and over	—	77	—	54	—	23	—

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—							303	117	131	202
150 days or more	117	89	250	158	1 060	1 020	1 799	1 060	502	236
25 to 149 days	131	391	568	2 403	502	236	2 373	250	568	1 555
Less than 25 days	202	—	(NA)	(NA)	168	89				
Total contract labor	29	46	(NA)	(NA)	—	—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	125	(NA)	102	(NA)				
Farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	65	65	35	36
Cash wages paid	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	27	32	19
Number of workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	11	23	45
Farms with—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74	13	26	47
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	83	1	15	55
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—				
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—				
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—				
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—				