

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	336	334	310	302	Land in Farms According to Use	Total cropland	326	308	309	290
Land in farms	495 745	454 609	469 355	432 974		Harvested cropland	331 234	315 849	330 668	313 930
Average size of farm	1 475	1 361	1 514	1 434	 farms	315	297	302	287
..... acres acres	209 972	163 548	209 761	163 397
Approximate land area	904 448	904 448	904 448	904 448		Farms by acres harvested:				
Proportion in farms	54.8	50.3	51.9	47.9		1 to 9 acres	10	6	5	
Value of land and buildings	132 457	62 862	128 849	60 370		10 to 19 acres	10	6	5	} 18
Average per farm	394 218	188 208	415 643	199 900		20 to 29 acres	3	2	3	
Average per acre	267	138	275	139		30 to 49 acres	14	14	11	
						50 to 99 acres	23	23	23		23
Farms by size:						100 to 199 acres	43	39	43	39
1 to 9 acres	4	13	-	3		200 to 499 acres	61	80	61	80
10 to 49 acres	22	13	10	5		500 to 999 acres	77	77	77	77
50 to 69 acres	6	4	4	4		1,000 acres and over	74	50	74	50
70 to 99 acres	11	7	11	6		Cropland used only for pasture				
100 to 139 acres	14	17	12	12		or grazing	104	113	96	98
140 to 179 acres	28	13	26	12	 farms	10 614	20 037	10 413	19 148
180 to 219 acres	7	11	7	11	 acres	172	224	169	(NA)
220 to 259 acres	7	9	7	8		Other cropland (see text)	110 648	132 264	110 494	131 385
260 to 499 acres	33	47	32	45	 farms	12	9	12	9
500 to 999 acres	53	54	53	53	..... acres	2 193	5 339	2 193	5 339
1,000 to 1,999 acres	75	69	75	59	Other land (see text)	245	263	225	(NA)	
2,000 acres and over	76	77	73	74	..... farms	162 318	133 421	136 494	113 705
					..... acres	204	191	195	185
					Irrigated land	80 808	64 005	80 545	63 919	
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Total woodland					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Other land (see text)					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Irrigated land					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Total woodland—Continued					
					Woodland not pastured					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Other land					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and					
					woodland pasture					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Improved pastureland and rangeland					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.					
					..... farms				
					..... acres				

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators	336	334	310	302	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	495 745	454 609	469 355	432 974	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	50	47
Harvested cropland	209 972	163 548	209 761	163 397	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	72 756	71 783
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	17	12
Full owners	128	131	115	106	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	79 580	42 048
Land in farms	110 101	105 268	109 601	103 786	Other	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
Harvested cropland	55 594	37 131	55 545	37 046	..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	46	2 960
Part owners	169	152	164	149	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms	349 800	300 516	333 295	289 653	Under 25 years	7	6	5	4
Harvested cropland	138 875	102 469	138 777	102 469	25 to 34 years	31	38	30	34
Tenants	39	51	31	47	35 to 44 years	65	76	57	69
Land in farms	35 844	48 825	26 459	39 535	45 to 54 years	81	99	79	94
Harvested cropland	15 503	23 948	15 439	23 882	55 to 64 years	87	86	80	82
Percent of tenancy	11.6	15.2	10.0	15.5	65 years and over	42	29	40	19
Black and other races, see text—					Average age	50.4	48.4	50.7	48.3
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators	3	(NA)	3	-	On farm operated	185	225	176	211
Land in farms	4 403	(NA)	4 403	-	On another farm	11		9	
Harvested cropland	4 240	(NA)	4 240	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	22	80	21	71
Full owners	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area	46		39	
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work				
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	off farm: ²				
Part owners	2	(NA)	2	-	None	178	(NA)	174	(NA)
Land in farms	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	1 to 49 days	18	36	18	29
Harvested cropland	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	50 to 99 days	2	16	2	15
Tenants	1	(NA)	1	-	100 to 149 days	3	32	3	29
Land in farms	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	150 to 199 days	10	47	9	34
Harvested cropland	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	200 days and over	45		30	
Percent of tenancy	33.3	(NA)	33.3	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farms by type of organization:					Farming	268	(NA)	262	(NA)
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	241	238	Other	45	(NA)	29	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	316 973	316 183	Farm operators reporting utilization of				
					futures market	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)
					Farm operators reporting agricultural				
					contracts	(NA)	(NA)	81	(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	110	92	110	92			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	77		77				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	38	82	38	82			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	69	48	69			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	34	20	34			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	25	17	21			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	26	32		4			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3	3	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	9	5	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	6	4	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	8	20	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	53 655	19 941	53 625	19 921			
Average per farm dollars	159 689	59 702	172 982	65 963			
Crops, including hay							
farms	301	276	293	(NA)			
\$1,000	40 460	12 795	40 448	12 792			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	2		2				
\$1,000	6		6				
Forest products							
farms	1		1				
\$1,000	10		10				
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	151	184	135	164			
\$1,000	13 180	7 146	13 161	7 129			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	4	(NA)	4	8			
\$1,000	50	(NA)	50	3			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms		293		(NA)			
\$1,000		40 448		12 792			
Grains		277		260			
\$1,000		18 530		4 235			
Tobacco							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage		67		59			
\$1,000		(D)		154			
Other field crops		90		100			
\$1,000		21 389		8 378			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons		1		3			
\$1,000		(D)		24			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms		135		164			
\$1,000		13 161		7 129			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms		4		8			
\$1,000		50		3			
Dairy products							
farms		10		24			
\$1,000		186		240			
Cattle and calves							
farms		127		(NA)			
\$1,000		12 757		6 512			
Hogs and pigs							
farms		11		(NA)			
\$1,000		13		374			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms		14					
\$1,000		147					
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms		9					
\$1,000		7					

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	51	(NA)	35	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	154
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	125	(NA)	117	(NA)	\$1,000	1 080
Customwork and other agricultural services	837	(NA)	754	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	19
farms	41	45	40	43	\$1,000	171
\$1,000	171	65	171	62	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	85
Recreational services	1	1	1	1	\$1,000	651
\$1,000	5	(Z)	5	(Z)	Interest, dividends, or royalties	80
Government farm programs	67	203	66	199	\$1,000	158
\$1,000	257	1 511	257	1 508	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	30
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	31	(NA)	24	(NA)	\$1,000	84
farms	334	(NA)	251	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	11
\$1,000	18	(NA)	18	(NA)	\$1,000	15
Other farm-related sources	71	(NA)	71	(NA)		
farms	40	(NA)	33	(NA)		
\$1,000	191	(NA)	113	(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	336	334	310	302	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	180	167	175	165
\$1,000	39 257	16 723	39 211	16 650	\$1,000	1 981	754	1 980	754
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	226	149	217	147
\$1 to \$999	14	12	2	8	\$1,000	5 027	1 467	5 026	1 467
\$1,000 to \$1,999	12	13	7		Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	9	20	5	14	farms	176	(NA)	172	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	19	25	15	20	\$1,000	618	220	618	220
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	48	41	44	Lime				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	55		55	77	farms	(NA)			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	57		57	55	\$1,000				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	22	216	22	84	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
\$60,000 and over	106		106		farms	332	329	309	298
Livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	1 513	756	1 505	749
farms	85	118	77	102	Gasoline				
\$1,000	5 990	3 332	5 971	3 321	farms	(NA)	(NA)	305	295
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000			720	420
farms	128	163	116	139	Diesel oil			268	260
\$1,000	5 755	1 601	5 746	1 589	\$1,000			586	255
Commercially mixed formula feeds					farms	(NA)	(NA)	86	69
farms	94	89	88	80	\$1,000			67	15
\$1,000	934	608	930	606	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil			309	298
Feed ingredients					\$1,000			131	59
farms	(NA)	(NA)	16	18	Hired farm labor			187	247
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 020	12	farms	191	257	3 736	2 013
Whole grains					\$1,000	3 738	2 021	22	67
farms	(NA)	(NA)	32	62	Contract labor			126	322
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3 229	650	farms	22	180	168	151
Hay, green chop, and silage					\$1,000	126	629	126	322
farms	(NA)	(NA)	32	45	Machine hire and customwork			631	305
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	567	321	farms	173		326	300
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry					\$1,000	631		326	300
farms	(NA)	(NA)	98	(NA)	All other production expenses			13 878	5 943
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	139	(NA)	\$1,000			13 734	5 910

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... 321	324	297	297					
	\$1,000... 29 837	14 846	29 490	14 629					
Average per farm	dollars... 92 949	45 819	99 295	49 256					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	1	5	-	18					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	13	27	9	31					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	41	16	37					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	37	12	57					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	48	37	45	37					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	53	214	50	43					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	38		38	111					
\$70,000 and over	127		127						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	farms... 272	282	254	261					
	number... 443	405	420	381					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 311	289	293	276					
Motor trucks, including pickups	farms... 309	313	287	288					
	number... 1 519	1 200	1 480	1 159					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 680	548	665	530					
Wheel tractors	farms... 287	301	270	253					
	number... 960	956	925	640					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 320	346	311	287					
Crawler tractors	farms... 158		157	176					
	number... 242		241	293					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 15		15	52					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms... 209	196	208	194					
	number... 296	278	295	275					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 109	136	109	134					
Corn heads for combines	farms... -	6	-	-					
	number... -	9	-	-					
mfd in last 5 years	number... -	6	-	-					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms... 3		3	6					
	number... 4		4	9					
mfd in last 5 years	number... -		-	6					
Mower conditioners	farms... 25	(NA)	25	(NA)					
	number... 26	(NA)	26	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 3	(NA)	3	(NA)					
Pickup balers	farms... 121	115	115	113					
	number... 134	121	128	119					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 39	63	39	63					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	farms... 100	(NA)	94	77					
	number... 107	(NA)	101	77					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 43	(NA)	43	51					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms... 15	(NA)	15	22					
	number... 16	(NA)	16	25					
mfd in last 5 years	number... 4	(NA)	4	19					

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	170	(X)	152	(X)	151	(X)	135	(X) 13 161
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	149	(X)	133	(X)	149	(X)	133	(X) 12 917
	1969	(X)	153	(X)	178	(X)	159	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves	139	36 569	125	36 360	140	37 322	127	37 242 12 757
	1969	33 390	141	33 058	160	29 074	148	28 965 6 512
Farms with—								
1 to 4	8	22	5	16	10	22	7	17 4
5 to 9	2	11	2	11	20	137	11	77 18
10 to 19	17	249	10	149	22	296	21	281 62
20 to 49	21	691	17	588	26	837	26	837 178
50 to 99	32	2 293	32	2 293	27	1 879	27	1 879 389
100 to 199	19	2 429	19	2 429	13	1 687	13	1 687 310
200 to 499	24	7 640	24	7 640	19	5 983	19	5 983 1 386
500 and over	16	23 234	16	23 234	3	26 481	3	26 481 10 412
Cows and heifers that had calved	114	14 029	108	13 993	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
	1969	11 264	127	11 089	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows	106	13 695	100	13 662	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
	1969	10 657	114	10 484	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows	28	334	27	331	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
	1969	607	34	605	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X) 186
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X) 240
Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—				
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)	
Beef cows	106	13 695	100	13 662	Cattle sold	107	32 941 12 097	
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	3	8	2	6	1 to 4	11	25 5	
5 to 9	8	48	3	17	5 to 9	15	106 25	
10 to 19	9	130	9	130	10 to 19	18	259 69	
20 to 49	23	770	23	770	20 to 49	28	928 251	
50 to 99	21	1 447	21	1 447	50 to 99	15	1 050 249	
100 to 199	18	2 204	18	2 204	100 to 199	7	932 239	
200 to 499	20	6 738	20	6 738	200 to 499	10	3 160 847	
500 and over	4	2 350	4	2 350	500 and over	3	26 481 10 412	
Milk cows	28	334	27	331	Calves sold	73	4 301 661	
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	15	20	15	20	1 or 2	3	6 1	
3 or 4	2	6	1	3	3 or 4	3	12 2	
5 to 9	1	6	1	6	5 to 9	9	59 7	
10 to 19	1	15	1	15	10 to 19	18	249 41	
20 to 49	8	217	8	217	20 to 49	12	337 47	
50 to 99	1	70	1	70	50 to 99	11	784 119	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	11	1 310 194	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	6	1 544 250	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	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	1974	97	7 879	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates		27	(D)	(D)
	1969	122	9 120			13	15 668	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	93	7 621	Farms with—		11	45	14
Milk heifers	1974	13	258	1 to 9	1974	3	39	8
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	105	14 488	10 to 19	1974	7	220	54
	1969	134	12 849	20 to 49	1974	2	(D)	(D)
				50 to 99	1974	—	—	—
				100 to 199	1974	—	—	—
				200 to 499	1974	2	(D)	(D)
				500 and over	1974	2	(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	1974	17	334	13	249	15	351	11	241 13
	1969	32	602	23	561	29	817	20	787 (NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	1974	8	20	7	18	2	5	2	5 (Z)
5 to 9	1974	1	5	—	—	1	5	1	5 (Z)
10 to 24	1974	3	47	3	47	6	87	4	47 3
25 to 49	1974	2	78	—	—	5	198	3	128 7
50 to 99	1974	3	184	3	184	1	56	1	56 2
100 to 199	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	198	3	88 1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	248	5	230 (NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	17	2 354	13	2 178	18	4 695	14	4 598 (NA)
	1969	29	6 849	27	6 775	30	11 388	28	11 354 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	3 310 134 204
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	14	(X) 147
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	4	(NA)	(NA)	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	90	569	79	520	11	36	9	34 7
	1969	116	602	(NA)	(NA)	19	63	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
		Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory			
		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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	9	29	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				13	77
	1969	14	85	December 1 of preceding year and November 30				17	113
Other hogs and pigs	1974	11	220	December 1 of preceding year and May 31				11	38
	1969	22	476	June 1 and November 30				15	59
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	7	149					11	39
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	10	1 961					13	54
Rams and wethers	1974	9	68					13	54

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	1974	24	(X)	18	(X)	1	(X)	1	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	17	(D)	13	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	18	1 060	17	1 040	6	374	6	374
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	16	(D)	13	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	18	1 047	17	1 027	5	309	5	309
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	15	(D)	12	316	—	—	—	—
100 to 399	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1974	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	639	8	629	—	—	—	—
	1969	2	115	1	35	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	50	4	50
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	3

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	13	(D)	1	(D)	Turkeys	1	9	-	-
1969	17	1 027	5	309	1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	12	(D)	1	(D)	1974	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1	50	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	20	-	-	1969	1	9	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	5	37	-	-	1974	1	(X)	-	(X)
1974	-	-	-	-	1969	2	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	-	-	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	8	13	436	343	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	264	247	158 344	103 056	4 502 560	2 759 104
Other small grains for grain	115	162	12 636	21 958	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	77	(NA)	19 770	(NA)	4 991 928	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	147	140	12 850	10 697	39 565	34 196
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	3	70	150	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Other crops	41	(NA)	6 384	11 641	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1	-	60	-	2 952	-	1	-	60	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	7	13	376	343	6 234	6 099	7	13	376	343
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	-	(NA)	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	132	127	11 459	8 752	36 693	30 563	113	106	9 375	7 573

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	96	10 413	(X)	37	1 317	13	598	13	77	-	-
1969	98	19 148	(X)	54	2 748	23	1 298	21	189	2	8
Improved pasture	16	1 776	(X)	11	672	4	435	2	8	2	15
1969	45	22 579	(X)	12	358	5	384	5	72	-	-
Corn for all purposes	8	436	(X)	8	436	4	134	4	21	1	5
1969	13	343	(X)	13	343	13	343	12	51	1	1
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	259	158 257	4 499 779	122	38 402	175	99 075	123	6 244	73	3 570
1969	244	102 991	2 757 846	108	13 253	98	16 752	(NA)	1 855	(NA)	277
Oats (bushels)	13	217	4 622	7	42	5	132	5	13	-	-
1969	60	4 455	150 084	15	451	6	178	(NA)	12	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels)	108	12 359	433 974	60	4 565	62	7 446	37	371	26	410
1969	113	14 625	773 328	82	8 503	55	7 477	(NA)	809	(NA)	79
Rye (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	1	1	7	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	2	45	(X)	1	10	1	10	1	1	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	139	12 741	39 211	116	9 903	35	3 811	30	439	6	38
1969	133	10 619	34 027	110	8 720	29	2 535	28	461	1	30
Field seed crops	6	89	(X)	1	3	1	2	1	(Z)	-	-
1969	6	148	(X)	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	77	19 770	4 991 928	75	19 061	77	19 765	69	7 412	21	1 383
1969	71	15 734	3 862 520	71	15 734	71	15 728	(NA)	4 423	(NA)	2 544
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	70	(X)	1	70	1	70	-	-	1	4
1969	3	150	(X)	3	150	3	150	3	14	1	(Z)
1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	14	(X)	2	14	2	14	2	27	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	34	6 281	(X)	33	5 911	33	5 911	29	1 758	11	302	—

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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	—	—	—	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
lime	—	—	—	—	Diseases in crops and orchards	11	8	—	—
farms	242	203	—	—	acres on which used	3 690	2 410	—	—
\$1,000	5 644	1 687	—	—	farms	16	9	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	138 264	57 418	—	—	Weeds or grass in crops	121	125	—	—
tons	22 124	14 539	—	—	acres on which used	63 340	27 225	—	—
\$1,000	5 026	1 467	—	—	farms	266	102	—	—
Lime	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	5	10	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	124	283	—	—
tons	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	(Z)	1	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	farms	18	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land	1 038	(NA)	—	—
Insects on hay crops	8	4	—	—	acres on which used	4	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used	675	510	—	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	3	1	—	—	of crops or thinning of fruit	34	21	—	—
Insects on other crops	71	47	—	—	acres on which used	7 070	5 234	—	—
acres on which used	28 669	11 153	—	—	farms	44	30	—	—
\$1,000	263	69	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	14	36	—	—
Nematodes in crops	2	1	—	—	farms	9	4	—	—
acres on which used	276	21	—	—	\$1,000	16	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000	5	2	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	8	(NA)	—	—
					farms	—	—	—	—
					\$1,000	—	—	—	—

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	195	80 545	185	63 919	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	62.9	413.1	61.2	345.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	19	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated	—	—	—	—	acres	7 124	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm	—	—	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	138	(NA)	—	—
Cropland irrigated	184	79 873	184	63 561	acres	66 538	(NA)	—	
Harvested cropland	181	78 237	181	59 801	farms	281 731	213 149	—	
acres	194	37	181	54	Cropland	182 587	150 701	—	
farms	78 237	5	78 237	54	Harvested cropland	130 811	93 236	—	
acres	1 317	319	1 317	54	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	(X)	—	
Other cropland irrigated	5	12	5	1	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)	—	
farms	319	11	319	1	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	—	—	
acres	672	672	672	358	Farms with artificial drainage	2	13	—	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	0.6	4.3	—	
farms	—	—	—	—	acres	504	19 532	—	
acres	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	52	2 067	—	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	176 904	176 904	136 856	136 856	Land drained	26.0	159.0	—	
Average per acre irrigated	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	Average per farm	—	—	—	
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	
Furrows or ditches	42	—	(NA)	—	tanks	30	(NA)	—	
farms	—	—	—	—	number	100	(NA)	—	
acres	4 850	—	(NA)	—	acres	88	(NA)	—	

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	—	176	136	125	—	—	
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	27 588	17 054	10 534	—	—	
Under \$5,000	—	—	12	8	12	—	—	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	12	7	16	—	—	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	29	29	35	—	—	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	19	18	13	—	—	
\$50,000 and over	—	—	104	74	49	—	—	

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—	—	—	—	—	—	—	187	116	96	103
150 days or more	116	130	413	340	2 144	2 013	3 736	2 144	1 254	338
25 to 149 days	96	220	1 084	1 871	1 254	338	3 105	413	1 084	1 608
Less than 25 days	103	—	1 608	—	338	—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	22	67	(NA)	(NA)	126	—	—	—	—	—
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	280	(NA)	120	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Farms with—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	45	24	14
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	28	12	17
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	18	12	11
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	17	15	24
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	70	8	33	37
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—