

**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.....	513	713	382	470	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>					
Land in farms..... acres.....	65 198	92 883	59 392	81 167	Total cropland..... farms.....	473	659	356	444	
Average size of farm..... acres.....	127	130	155	173	acres.....	52 767	77 613	49 434	70 486	
Approximate land area..... acres.....	610 688	610 688	610 688	610 688	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	451	620	348	424	
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	10.7	15.2	9.7	13.3	acres.....	46 612	61 203	44 619	56 743	
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000...	156 195	195 736	145 041	170 804	Farms by acres harvested:					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	304 473	274 524	379 689	363 412	1 to 9 acres.....	131	137	85	145	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	2 396	2 107	2 442	2 104	10 to 19 acres.....	42	63	20		
					20 to 29 acres.....	30	53	14		
					30 to 49 acres.....	57	75	42		
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres.....	51	94	49	85	
1 to 9 acres.....	135	126	84	74	100 to 199 acres.....	69	105	69	103	
10 to 49 acres.....	133	193	79	66	200 to 499 acres.....	54	73	52	71	
50 to 69 acres.....	36	44	29	27	500 to 999 acres.....	14	16	14	16	
70 to 99 acres.....	39	60	33	45	1,000 acres and over.....	3	4	3	4	
100 to 139 acres.....	36	62	33	48	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	82	129	50	99	
140 to 179 acres.....	41	56	37	54	acres.....	2 470	5 583	1 327	4 537	
					farms.....	83	228	65	(NA)	
					acres.....	3 685	10 827	3 488	9 206	
					Total woodland..... farms.....	71	87	40	53	
180 to 219 acres.....	12	37	10	31	acres.....	4 085	3 785	2 863	2 324	
220 to 259 acres.....	15	30	15	28	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	323	458	249	(NA)	
260 to 499 acres.....	35	68	33	61	acres.....	8 346	11 485	7 095	8 357	
500 to 999 acres.....	25	31	23	30	Irrigated land..... farms.....	45	40	43	35	
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4	5	4	5	acres.....	946	662	933	549	
2,000 acres and over.....	2	1	2	1						
									<b>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over</b>	
									1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....			65	(NA)	Total woodland — Continued					
acres.....			3 488	9 206	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			28	27	
					acres.....			1 859	977	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			19	70	Other land..... farms.....			249	(NA)	
acres.....			592	3 380	acres.....			7 095	8 357	
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			25	21	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			25	35	
acres.....			577	397	acres.....			1 521	3 363	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			7	14	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			8	16	
acres.....			39	830	acres.....			173	1 923	
Cropland idle..... farms.....			28	92	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			17	22	
acres.....			2 280	4 599	acres.....			1 348	1 440	
Total woodland..... farms.....			40	53	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			244	287	
acres.....			2 863	2 324	acres.....			5 574	4 994	
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			22	28						
acres.....			1 004	1 347						

**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.....	513	713	382	470	Farms by type of organization — Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	65 198	92 883	59 392	81 167	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	41	58
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	46 612	61 203	44 619	56 743	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 385	14 402
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	20	17
Full owners..... number.....	291	327	184	177	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 831	2 566
Land in farms..... acres.....	23 964	28 273	18 864	20 804	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	8
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	11 752	13 635	10 011	11 195	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	388	1 011
Part owners..... number.....	92	177	82	133	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	17 240	32 856	16 863	30 168	Under 25 years.....	9	23	8	16
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	14 328	24 055	14 215	22 957	25 to 34 years.....	45	61	31	41
Tenants..... number.....	130	209	116	160	35 to 44 years.....	61	147	48	98
Land in farms..... acres.....	23 994	31 754	23 665	30 195	45 to 54 years.....	132	199	87	138
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	20 532	23 513	20 393	22 591	55 to 64 years.....	146	166	119	112
Percent of tenancy.....	25.3	29.3	30.4	34.0	65 years and over.....	96	117	67	65
					Average age.....	53.2	50.7	53.2	50.1
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	249	421	186	291
All farm operators..... number.....	3	(NA)	1	3	On another farm.....	15	9	15	7
Land in farms..... acres.....	210	(NA)	125	3	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	20	191	15	124
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	84	(NA)	64	—	In a city, town, or urban area.....	87	—	71	—
Full owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	—	2	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	25	(NA)	—	2	None.....	172	(NA)	143	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	20	75	15	42
Part owners..... number.....	2	(NA)	1	—	50 to 99 days.....	9	7	7	22
Land in farms..... acres.....	185	(NA)	125	—	100 to 149 days.....	16	51	15	31
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	84	(NA)	64	—	150 to 199 days.....	23	16	16	97
Tenants..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	1	200 days and over.....	168	215	94	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	1	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	1	Farming.....	248	(NA)	217	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	33.3	Other.....	241	(NA)	143	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	319	387	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	50 788	63 188					

<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 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	467	675	359	450					
\$1,000.....	10 451	7 923	9 385	6 934					
Average per farm.....	22 380	11 738	26 143	15 408					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	3	21		90					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	74	228	54						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	93	144	45	101					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	103	165	74	146					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	77		72	56					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	70	117	68	39					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	23		22						
\$70,000 and over.....	24		24	18					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....	357	517	277	365					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	487	667	386	471					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	303	418	253	321					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	364	512	289	376					
Wheel tractors.....	702	873	616	723					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	279	463	242	401					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	404	613	316	402					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 097	1 569	953	1 175					
Crawler tractors.....	194	416	189	346					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	23		18	34					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25		20	45					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	13					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	106	169	100	151					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	122	180	116	160					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	26	70	25	64					
Corn heads for combines.....	56	221	56	90					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	262	63	94					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	97	20	52					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	75		65	121					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	76		66	124					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16		15	40					
Mower conditioners.....	63	(NA)	49	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	66	(NA)	51	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	10	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....	100	131	90	107					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	100	136	90	112					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	10	40	10	37					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	33	(NA)	27	26					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	34	(NA)	28	28					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	3	11					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	20	(NA)	17	40					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	(NA)	19	46					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	(NA)	5	14					

**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.....	151	(X)	109	(X)	144	(X)	107	(X)	1 469
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	86	(X)	65	(X)	84	(X)	64	(X)	817
Cattle and calves.....	166	(X)	125	(X)	170	(X)	132	(X)	(NA)
1974.....	73	2 929	54	2 446	67	2 071	51	1 826	617
1969.....	126	6 892	99	6 340	125	3 989	104	3 794	741
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	10	22	8	16	19	49	11	31	10
5 to 9.....	10	67	4	27	8	58	4	30	8
10 to 19.....	11	158	8	111	20	282	18	260	66
20 to 49.....	25	793	19	638	11	322	10	286	59
50 to 99.....	9	596	9	596	4	274	4	274	112
100 to 199.....	6	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	47	1 227	36	1 057	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	93	2 715	67	2 509	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	37	1 004	27	887	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	1 355	36	1 260	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	15	223	12	170	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	55	1 360	41	1 249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	169
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	37	(X)	587
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974—	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	37	1 004	27	887	Cattle sold.....	45	1 639	597	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	7	15	3	4	1 to 4.....	10	26	10	
5 to 9.....	8	60	6	47	5 to 9.....	5	35	13	
10 to 19.....	5	74	4	59	10 to 19.....	15	204	56	
20 to 49.....	12	354	9	276	20 to 49.....	8	214	66	
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	3	215	90	
100 to 199.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	15	223	12	170	Calves sold.....	14	187	20	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	5	8	4	7	1 or 2.....	3	3	(2)	
3 or 4.....	3	10	3	10	3 or 4.....	2	8	1	
5 to 9.....	-	-	-	-	5 to 9.....	4	26	2	
10 to 19.....	3	37	2	25	10 to 19.....	1	19	2	
20 to 49.....	3	115	2	75	20 to 49.....	4	131	14	
50 to 99.....	1	53	1	53	50 to 99.....	-	-	-	
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	-	-	-	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	-	-	-	
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 .....	31	629	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	22	1 045	396
1969 .....	62	1 275	1969 .....	32	1 253	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	22	474	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	9	155	1 to 9 .....	9	39	12
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	38	760	10 to 19 .....	5	77	20
1969 .....	78	2 556	20 to 49 .....	3	79	14
			50 to 99 .....	3	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199 .....	—	—	—
			200 to 499 .....	2	(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 .....	28	1 673	20	1 416	27	2 928	21	2 715	198
1969 .....	64	5 250	53	4 907	71	10 012	59	9 537	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	4	9	2	5	1	2	—	—	—
5 to 9 .....	4	28	1	8	1	5	—	—	—
10 to 24 .....	3	33	2	23	7	100	4	57	6
25 to 49 .....	6	177	6	177	6	221	6	221	15
50 to 99 .....	5	338	4	270	3	207	3	207	12
100 to 199 .....	3	375	2	220	4	513	3	350	27
200 to 499 .....	3	713	3	713	5	1 880	5	1 880	139
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	147	4	132	3
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	16	1 270	13	1 175	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	9	89	7	71	8	42	6	36	(NA)
1969 .....	23	235	10	81	17	315	8	164	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	32	285
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	1
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	5	14	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	56	699	38	615	32	154	26	125	283
1969 .....	87	1 350	(NA)	(NA)	37	270	(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 .....	16	333	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969 .....	38	421	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....			
Other hogs and pigs .....	15	1 083	20	328	17	278
1969 .....	48	4 486	51	745	40	657
Lambs under 1 year old .....	7	31	17	146	14	121
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	7	35	45	424	36	379
Rams and wethers .....	4	5	12	182	10	157
			38	321	33	278

\*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 .....	43	(X)	28	(X)	19	(X)	16	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	55	(X)	(NA)	(X)	27	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	40	9 241	25	8 526	15	22 646	12	22 608
1969 .....	81	53 548	49	50 643	34	35 282	23	34 132
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	39	9 029	24	8 424	14	22 636	12	22 608
1969 .....	78	53 091	47	50 370	32	34 064	21	32 914
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	24	779	10	324	3	48	1	20
100 to 399 .....	7	1 050	6	900	2	388	2	388
400 to 1,599 .....	8	7 200	8	7 200	8	(D)	8	(D)
1,600 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	3	137	3	137	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	1	(D)	1	2 000	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	126	22	124
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	354

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	24	8 424	12	22 608	Turkeys	2	3	2	1 600
Hens for table or market egg production	47	50 370	21	32 914	Heavy breed	—	—	3	3 000
Hens for hatching egg production	24	8 424	12	22 608	Light breed	2	3	2	1 600
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	75	—	—	Turkeys for slaughter	1	1	2	1 600
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	2	130	—	—	Heavy breed	1	2	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	2	27	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Other poultry	6	(X)	3	(X)
	—	—	—	—		11	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	149	294	13 322	22 369	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	34	17	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	218	309	20 220	20 457	384 208	552 745
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	69	110	2 300	2 406	79 781	94 571
Other small grains for grain	72	149	1 779	4 191	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	3	(NA)	210	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	147	172	4 506	5 383	8 806	14 801
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	95	149	2 406	4 535	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	14	16	116	73	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	1	16	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	110	(NA)	2 522	2 260	(X)	(X)

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	132	237	12 394	20 877	666 691	1 818 346	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	14	40	453	483	3 527	5 311	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	9	—	112	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	—	30	—	1 200	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	17	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	53	80	1 509	2 306	3 516	7 690	—	—	—	—

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	50	1 327	(X)	—	—	1	20	1	3	—	—
1969	99	4 537	(X)	—	—	13	372	13	49	—	—
Improved pasture	8	173	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	16	1 923	(X)	—	—	1	10	1	2	—	—
Corn for all purposes	133	12 847	(X)	—	—	106	11 406	93	1 434	43	690
1969	239	21 472	(X)	—	—	190	18 366	175	2 901	77	1 373
Sorghums for all purposes	1	30	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	17	(X)	—	—	1	6	1	1	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	58	2 162	74 001	—	—	39	1 587	38	212	2	5
1969	91	2 146	86 006	—	—	62	1 522	(NA)	124	(NA)	89
Oats (bushels)	56	1 575	78 835	—	—	16	398	16	50	—	—
1969	111	3 454	192 000	—	—	46	1 176	(NA)	124	(NA)	26
Barley (bushels)	1	15	650	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	6	140	5 533	—	—	2	58	(NA)	11	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	3	35	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	191	19 792	378 510	—	—	59	6 327	52	440	8	141
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	231	19 125	520 474	—	—	84	5 952	(NA)	402	(NA)	100
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	110	3 798	7 579	—	—	8	473	7	46	1	2
1969	114	4 317	12 619	—	—	16	696	15	84	1	3
Field seed crops	1	400	(X)	—	—	1	400	1	61	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	3	210	—	—	2	3	2	1	—	—
1969	6	10	1 710	—	—	2	6	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	72	2 337	(X)	4	424	51	2 043	47	702	7	104
1969	113	4 300	(X)	3	121	99	4 041	98	1 334	6	79
Land in orchards	7	86	(X)	—	—	1	8	1	2	—	—
1969	2	1	(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 .....	1	15	(X)	—	—	1	15	1	(Z)	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	91	2 068	(X)	39	380	54	1 430	46	246	21	23
1969 .....	98	2 235	(X)	31	228	63	1 037	56	464	9	3
Other crops .....	1	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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 .....	256	982	382	865	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	11	40	40	11
Commercial fertilizer .....	239	865	338	865	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	401	1 544	16	7
acres on which used .....	24 256	33 158	7 166	338	acres on which used .....	7	16	200	94
tons .....	4 176	7 166	603	338	Weeds or grass in crops .....	18 052	25 553	142	141
\$1,000 .....	732	603	45	3	acres on which used .....	—	3	90	—
Lime .....	11	45	392	1 315	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	—	3	(Z)	—
acres on which used .....	392	1 315	3 513	3 513	acres on which used .....	—	90	(Z)	—
tons .....	1 178	3 513	15	15	tons .....	—	3	(NA)	—
\$1,000 .....	7	15	2	2	Weeds on all other land .....	3	(NA)	(NA)	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	120	120	acres on which used .....	12	(NA)	(NA)	—
Insects on hay crops .....	1	2	140	140	tons .....	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	—
acres on which used .....	12	120	11 009	11 009	\$1,000 .....	4	12	12	4
\$1,000 .....	(Z)	120	81	81	acres on which used .....	1	246	2	1
Insects on other crops .....	69	140	3	3	tons .....	101	2	34	101
acres on which used .....	7 248	11 009	3	3	\$1,000 .....	1	2	2	1
\$1,000 .....	77	81	994	994	acres on which used .....	6	34	2	6
Nematodes in crops .....	1	3	3	3	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	(Z)	2	(NA)	(Z)
acres on which used .....	1	3	3	3	acres on which used .....	43	(NA)	(NA)	43
\$1,000 .....	(Z)	3	3	3	tons .....	18	(NA)	(NA)	18
					\$1,000 .....	18	(NA)	(NA)	18

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 .....	43	933	35	549	Land irrigated by—Continued	6	(NA)	(NA)	6
Proportion of farms .....	11.3	21.7	7.4	15.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	329	(NA)	(NA)	329
Total land irrigated .....	933	21 700	549	15 600	Other sprinkler systems .....	35	(NA)	(NA)	35
Average per farm .....	21.7	504	15.6	438	acres .....	541	(NA)	(NA)	541
Cropland irrigated .....	43	810	34	319	Land in irrigated farms .....	2 497	881	881	2 497
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	43	810	33	319	Cropland .....	2 187	741	741	2 187
acres .....	810	319	—	—	Harvested cropland .....	1 840	623	623	1 840
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	3	(X)	(X)	3
Other cropland irrigated .....	1	40	40	40	between 1970 and 1973 .....	78	(X)	(X)	78
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	123	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	69	184	184	69
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	661	399	0.7	0.7	Farms with artificial drainage .....	18.1	39.1	39.1	18.1
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.7	0.7	16 433	37 712	Proportion of farms .....	12 216	28 222	28 222	12 216
Land irrigated by .....	1	60	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage .....	177.0	153.3	153.3	177.0
Furrows or ditches .....	60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm .....	23	(NA)	(NA)	23
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	54	(NA)	(NA)	54
					tanks .....	58	(NA)	(NA)	58

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) .....	—	67	44	31	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	3 925	3 050	875	—	—	—
Under \$5,000 .....	—	8	4	9	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	6	5	4	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	—	16	9	7	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	10	7	3	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over .....	—	27	19	8	—	—	—

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—	88	101	520	687	3 338	3 795	Farms .....	164	88	71	75
150 days or more .....	71	260	490	1 804	622	1 137	Cash wages paid .....	4 097	3 338	622	137
25 to 149 days .....	75	—	772	(NA)	137	98	Number of workers .....	1 782	520	490	772
Less than 25 days .....	4	18	(NA)	(NA)	24	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor .....	4	18	(NA)	(NA)	24	—	1 worker .....	36	32	22	15
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	1	(NA)	10	(NA)	3	(NA)	2 workers .....	28	19	15	11
							3 or 4 workers .....	27	18	9	12
							5 to 9 workers .....	32	6	11	15
							10 workers and over .....	41	13	14	22