

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.....	814	888	595	529	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	168 450	163 183	156 940	140 569	Total cropland..... farms.....	781	844	573	519
Average size of farm..... acres.....	207	184	264	266	..... acres.....	138 837	130 914	131 048	114 864
Approximate land area..... acres.....	277 504	277 504	277 504	277 504	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	714	760	559	496
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	60.7	58.8	56.6	50.7	..... acres.....	112 638	84 792	109 900	78 532
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	72 045	45 608	64 997	37 070	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	88 507	51 360	109 239	70 075	1 to 9 acres.....	45	58	6	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	428	279	414	264	10 to 19 acres.....	84	106	24	
					20 to 29 acres.....	69	67	43	
					30 to 49 acres.....	108	115	85	104
					50 to 99 acres.....	125	165	118	144
					100 to 199 acres.....	107	119	107	118
					200 to 499 acres.....	124	103	124	103
					500 to 999 acres.....	41	25	41	25
					1,000 acres and over.....	11	2	11	2
Farms by size:					Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	381	484	245	297
1 to 9 acres.....	28	34	16	6	..... acres.....	18 149	18 027	13 708	13 770
10 to 49 acres.....	188	191	83	32	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	188	458	164	(NA)
50 to 69 acres.....	95	92	51	40	..... acres.....	8 050	28 095	7 440	22 562
70 to 99 acres.....	109	109	71	51	Total woodland..... farms.....	324	475	252	319
100 to 139 acres.....	64	111	51	78	..... acres.....	11 625	16 748	10 459	13 721
140 to 179 acres.....	53	69	48	58	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	600	651	447	(NA)
180 to 219 acres.....	36	48	36	40	..... acres.....	17 988	15 521	15 433	11 984
220 to 259 acres.....	36	41	36	37	Irrigated land..... farms.....	-	9	-	7
260 to 499 acres.....	122	115	120	109	..... acres.....	-	344	-	288
500 to 999 acres.....	65	67	65	67					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	15	11	15	11					
2,000 acres and over.....	3	-	3	-					

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	164	(NA)		
..... acres.....	7 440	22 562		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	63	144		
..... acres.....	2 188	8 311		
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	54	119		
..... acres.....	2 418	5 742		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	6	27		
..... acres.....	246	1 146		
Cropland idle..... farms.....	71	160		
..... acres.....	2 588	7 363		
Total woodland..... farms.....	252	319		
..... acres.....	10 459	13 721		
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	96	146		
..... acres.....	2 228	3 188		
Total woodland—Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	190	218		
..... acres.....	8 231	10 533		
Other land..... farms.....	447	(NA)		
..... acres.....	15 433	11 984		
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	81	87		
..... acres.....	5 007	5 098		
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	37	47		
..... acres.....	2 336	3 826		
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	49	53		
..... acres.....	2 671	1 272		
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....	431	385		
..... acres.....	10 426	6 886		

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.....	814	888	595	529	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	168 450	163 183	156 940	140 569	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	34	56
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	112 638	84 792	109 900	78 532	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	15 814	19 680
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Full owners..... number.....	522	565	336	265	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms..... acres.....	61 009	65 866	51 055	47 788	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	33 329	24 579	31 111	20 017	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number.....	259	290	231	238	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	102 519	92 383	101 151	88 308	Under 25 years.....	25	13	21	10
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	75 420	56 615	74 986	55 088	25 to 34 years.....	88	107	57	61
Tenants..... number.....	33	33	28	26	35 to 44 years.....	154	155	112	105
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 922	4 934	4 734	4 473	45 to 54 years.....	190	214	141	127
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	3 889	3 598	3 803	3 427	55 to 64 years.....	218	252	160	159
Percent of tenancy.....	4.1	3.7	4.7	4.9	65 years and over.....	139	147	104	67
					Average age.....	50.9	51.1	51.1	50.0
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	540	669	416	422
All farm operators..... number.....	2	(NA)	1	1	On another farm.....	41	-	28	-
Land in farms..... acres.....	162	(NA)	100	120	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	26	122	21	53
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	54	(NA)	30	20	In a city, town, or urban area.....	53	-	39	-
Full owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	None.....	237	(NA)	207	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days.....	48	74	33	49
Part owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	-	1	50 to 99 days.....	37	35	22	21
Land in farms..... acres.....	62	(NA)	-	120	100 to 149 days.....	21	89	20	42
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	24	(NA)	-	20	150 to 199 days.....	22	-	14	-
Tenants..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	-	200 days and over.....	332	361	194	157
Land in farms..... acres.....	100	(NA)	100	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	30	(NA)	30	-	Farming.....	419	(NA)	380	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	50.0	(NA)	100.0	-	Other.....	395	(NA)	215	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	561	473	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	23	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	141 126	120 889					

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.....	28	27	28	27			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	89		89				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	87	71	87	71			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	109	104	109	104			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	140	139	140	139			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	121	174	121	174			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	240	373	21	14			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	31	47	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	55	65	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	58	80	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	96	181	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	15 190	7 241	14 944	6 868			
Average per farm.....dollars	18 661	8 153	25 116	12 982			
Crops, including hay.....farms	656	668	535	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	10 912	3 253	10 798	3 070			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms	4		4	2			
\$1,000.....	23		23	(D)			
Forest products.....farms	12	19	11	15			
\$1,000.....	14	28	14	26			
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms	494	600	364	405			
\$1,000.....	4 240	3 960	4 109	3 771			
Poultry and poultry products.....farms	37	(NA)	27	33			
\$1,000.....	225	(NA)	223	328			
Specified products sold:							
Crops.....farms					535	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					10 798	3 070	
Grains.....farms					519	444	
\$1,000.....					10 514	2 906	
Tobacco.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms					98	85	
\$1,000.....					251	72	
Other field crops.....farms						4	
\$1,000.....						5	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms						1	
\$1,000.....						(D)	
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms					4	14	
\$1,000.....					34	60	
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms					364	405	
\$1,000.....					4 109	3 771	
Poultry and poultry products.....farms					27	33	
\$1,000.....					223	328	
Dairy products.....farms					4	19	
\$1,000.....					203	197	
Cattle and calves.....farms					257	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					1 363	1 307	
Hogs and pigs.....farms					200	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					2 209	1 939	
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms					9		
\$1,000.....					29		
Other livestock and livestock products.....farms					13		
\$1,000.....					82		

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 sold¹	347	(NA)	176	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses².....farms	160	(NA)	139	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	463	(NA)	442	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms	57	95	54	76		
\$1,000.....	115	82	114	71		
Recreational services.....farms	1	5	1	5		
\$1,000.....	3	6	3	6		
Government farm programs.....farms	61	261	55	184		
\$1,000.....	218	452	214	393		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms	43	(NA)	33	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	56	(NA)	43	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources.....farms	22	(NA)	18	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	71	(NA)	68	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹.....farms	64	(NA)	58	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	106	(NA)	104	(NA)		
Total family income from off-farm sources².....farms						387
\$1,000.....						3 654
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....farms						60
\$1,000.....						714
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms						265
\$1,000.....						2 447
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms						132
\$1,000.....						199
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc......farms						78
\$1,000.....						247
Rent income of nonfarm property.....farms						24
\$1,000.....						47

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	814	888	595	529					
\$1,000.....	10 186	6 382	9 890	5 906					
Farms with									
\$1 to \$999.....	106	183	10						
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	124	159	45	49					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	98	87	63	48					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	91	131	84	108					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	145	162	143	158					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	112		112	94					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	81		81	50					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	26		26						
\$60,000 and over.....	31	166	31	22					
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	281	329	207	216					
\$1,000.....	660	728	621	688					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	490	563	315	370					
\$1,000.....	1 485	1 132	1 403	1 068					
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms	391	405	270	323					
\$1,000.....	986	700	952	678					
Feed ingredients.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	64	54					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	96	66					
Whole grains.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	109	160					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	336	301					
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	27	57					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	18	23					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	185	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms	484	635	422	439					
\$1,000.....	541	231	535	212					
Commercial fertilizer purchased.....farms	507	624	418	434					
\$1,000.....	1 886	724	1 857	676					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....farms	316	(NA)	291	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	610	237	604	218					
Lime.....farms	(NA)	192	105	157					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	96	115	86					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms	788	873	573	528					
\$1,000.....	809	496	771	431					
Gasoline.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	528	512					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	441	304					
Diesel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	253	191					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	216	79					
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	78	55					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	46	9					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	571	528					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	68	40					
Hired farm labor.....farms	209	310	177	223					
\$1,000.....	363	249	357	232					
Contract labor.....farms	27	493	20	26					
\$1,000.....	26	208	25	9					
Machine hire and customwork.....farms	343		282	306					
\$1,000.....	199		190	166					
All other production expenses.....farms	764	747	589	522					
\$1,000.....	3 606	2 377	3 492	2 205					

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	738	860	535	522					
\$1,000	15 780	7 824	14 279	6 586					
Average per farm	21 382	9 097	26 689	12 616					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	10	50	9	140					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	136	356	63	132					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	171	190	85	132					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	164	137	128	126					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	83		77						
\$30,000 to \$49,999	85	127	84	32					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	43		43						
\$70,000 and over	46		46	15					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	610	686	440	443					
Motor trucks, including pickups	755	833	564	548					
Wheel tractors	442	531	330	353					
Crawler tractors	600	704	441	469					
Pickup balers	886	917	720	661					
Mower conditioners	388	454	283	307					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	622	763	469	489					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	1 202	1 290	1 012	924					
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	239	413	231	334					
Corn heads for combines	25		25	16					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	29		29	16					
Mfd in last 5 years	-	-	-	-					

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	494	(X)	352	(X)	494	(X)	364	(X)	4 109
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	475	(X)	337	(X)	483	(X)	356	(X)	3 601
Cattle and calves	588	(X)	388	(X)	572	(X)	390	(X)	1 363
Farms with—	400	14 547	276	12 641	362	5 814	257	5 212	1 363
1 to 4	421	14 475	269	12 564	384	7 631	259	6 822	1 307
5 to 9	35	95	17	42	103	275	52	112	21
10 to 19	50	341	35	234	91	635	49	333	96
20 to 49	109	1 457	57	813	83	1 113	71	976	226
50 to 99	128	3 850	90	2 804	58	1 746	58	1 746	459
100 to 199	48	3 267	47	3 211	23	1 487	23	1 487	343
200 to 499	22	2 888	22	2 888	4	558	4	558	217
500 and over	7	(D)	7	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved	312	6 804	224	5 906	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	339	6 097	226	5 312	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	302	6 480	216	5 589	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	203
	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	197
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	302	6 480	216	5 589	Cattle sold	197	3 547	1 113	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	47	133	24	57	1 to 4	50	112	24	
5 to 9	69	493	47	327	5 to 9	41	272	90	
10 to 19	79	1 066	52	741	10 to 19	51	690	204	
20 to 49	81	2 342	67	2 018	20 to 49	39	1 158	357	
50 to 99	18	1 120	18	1 120	50 to 99	12	757	221	
100 to 199	7	(D)	7	(D)	100 to 199	4	558	217	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	-	-	-	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-	
Milk cows	34	324	28	317	Calves sold	103	1 665	250	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	29	40	23	33	1 or 2	20	26	3	
3 or 4	1	3	1	3	3 or 4	5	19	2	
5 to 9	-	-	-	-	5 to 9	19	127	20	
10 to 19	1	41	1	41	10 to 19	27	380	50	
20 to 49	2	(D)	2	(D)	20 to 49	25	656	112	
50 to 99	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99	7	457	62	
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	1974	178	2 911	95	1 711	511
	1969	205	3 194	39	1 671	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	172	2 758	41	191	61
Milk heifers	1974	8	153	27	358	117
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	222	3 824	19	557	155
	1969	240	4 058	7	(D)	(D)
				1	(D)	(D)
				—	—	—
				—	—	—

Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	
1974	41
1969	39
Farms with—	
1 to 9	191
10 to 19	358
20 to 49	557
50 to 99	(D)
100 to 199	(D)
200 to 499	—
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	1974	212	21 885	182	21 359	229	37 006	200	36 498 2 209
	1969	351	29 775	273	28 567	358	50 273	282	48 201 (NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	1974	15	44	12	36	5	13	—	—
5 to 9	1974	26	190	20	145	14	85	8	51 4
10 to 24	1974	41	607	27	417	23	416	11	205 15
25 to 49	1974	34	1 134	29	996	46	1 655	42	1 529 89
50 to 99	1974	29	2 124	27	1 979	39	2 544	37	2 420 138
100 to 199	1974	21	2 766	21	2 766	41	5 886	41	5 886 346
200 to 499	1974	37	9 136	37	9 136	42	12 295	42	12 295 806
500 and over	1974	9	5 884	9	5 884	19	14 112	19	14 112 812
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	80	6 330	60	5 910 111
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	144	15 419	100	14 054 (NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	17	461	14	339	12	893	9	847 (NA)
	1969	23	784	21	768	22	518	21	510 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	198 '1 662
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	(X) 29
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	98	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D) (D)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	13	(NA)	(NA)	—	— (NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	109	456	68	304	13	37	9	27 25
	1969	168	790	(NA)	(NA)	22	100	(NA)	(NA) (NA)

Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	200	4 344	173	4 248
	1969	319	6 729	252	6 409
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	180	2 320	162	2 269
	1969	276	3 332	231	3 197
June 1 and November 30	1974	161	2 024	141	1 979
	1969	280	3 397	225	3 212

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	83	(X)	57	(X)	21	(X)	19	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	61	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	79	37 108	55	36 159	19	16 279	17	16 201
	1969	97	71 322	60	68 384	31	88 398	20	81 481
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	78	27 626	54	26 800	19	16 279	17	16 201
	1969	94	50 749	59	47 993	28	38 311	20	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	64	2 126	41	1 400	9	305	7	227
100 to 399	1974	11	2 500	10	2 400	7	1 974	7	1 974
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	1974	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	4	230	2	150	1	1 000	1	1 000
	1969	1	75	1	75	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	37	225	27	223
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	33	328

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	1974... 54	26 800	17	16 201	Turkeys	1974... 3	27	1	100
	1969... 59	47 993	20	(D)		1969... 2	15	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	1974... 54	26 765	17	16 201	Turkeys for slaughter	1974... 2	26	1	100
Hens for hatching egg production	1974... 2	35	—	—	Heavy breed	1974... 2	26	1	100
	1974... 4	9 329	—	—	Light breed	1974... 1	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974... 3	20 340	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	1974... 1	1	—	—
	1969... 11	30	—	—		1969... 1	5	—	—
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974... 1	10	1	(D)	Other poultry	1974... 4	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974... 1	10	1	(D)		1969... 5	(X)	—	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

All farms									
Farms		Acres				Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	
Corn for all purposes	282	480	14 141	29 770	(X)	(X)			
Sorghums for all purposes	69	8	2 928	253	(X)	(X)			
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	540	474	65 666	35 609	1 211	592			732 745
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	370	343	26 207	12 894	645	163			373 576
Other small grains for grain	6	31	97	529	(X)	(X)			
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	36	(NA)			(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	25	(NA)			(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	318	291	9 382	6 670	18 434				12 716
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	8	—	10	(X)	(X)			
Land in orchards	10	32	153	247	(X)	(X)			
Berries for sale	—	1	—	(Z)	(X)	(X)			
Other crops	35	(NA)	636	1 023	(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)	248	370	13 100	27 054	789 962	1 435 505	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	31	40	658	1 064	7 807	9 781	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	11	123	255	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	57	1	2 426	40	80 020	2 727	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	10	(NA)	452	194	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	39	49	796	1 000	1 633	2 945	—	—	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974... 245	13 708	(X)	—	—	30	1 718	29	137	2	21
	1969... 297	13 770	(X)	2	64	48	1 902	44	205	7	60
Improved pasture	1974... 37	2 336	(X)	—	—	5	190	5	26	—	—
	1969... 47	3 826	(X)	—	—	14	1 343	12	97	5	54
Corn for all purposes	1974... 257	13 881	(X)	—	—	217	12 414	184	1 688	91	719
	1969... 378	28 373	(X)	—	—	296	23 950	271	3 657	123	1 474
Sorghums for all purposes	1974... 62	2 878	(X)	—	—	41	2 016	33	273	15	70
	1969... 5	234	(X)	—	—	3	190	3	29	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	1974... 342	25 759	637 222	—	—	249	21 431	226	3 186	39	379
	1969... 283	11 956	347 747	4	196	242	10 721	(NA)	1 421	(NA)	243
Oats (bushels)	1974... 3	63	2 550	—	—	3	63	3	9	—	—
	1969... 21	323	11 010	—	—	14	254	(NA)	38	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels)	1974... 1	20	500	—	—	1	20	1	5	—	—
	1969... 4	51	2 000	—	—	4	51	(NA)	4	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels)	1974... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969... 6	146	2 898	—	—	3	34	(NA)	5	(NA)	1
Other small grains for grain	1974... —	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974... 480	65 064	1 201 377	—	—	162	28 723	142	2 642	31	642
	1969... 351	33 051	684 114	1	28	97	8 808	(NA)	803	(NA)	86
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974... 236	7 990	16 224	—	—	33	1 578	32	130	1	6
	1969... 191	5 318	10 782	—	—	23	586	20	77	3	12
Field seed crops	1974... 31	626	(X)	—	—	1	20	1	2	—	—
	1969... 38	775	(X)	—	—	1	12	1	3	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1974... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
	1969... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974... 1	(Z)	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
	1969... 1	(Z)	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974... —	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
	1969... 1	1	(X)	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	1974... 8	145	(X)	—	—	1	10	1	1	1	(Z)
	1969... 14	191	(X)	—	—	9	166	9	15	—	—

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)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974..	4	10	(X)	-	1	1	1	1	-	-
1969..	2	3	(X)	-	-	1	(Z)	1	1	1	(Z)
Other crops	1974..	-	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	443		457		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
Commercial fertilizer	2 461		894		Diseases in crops and orchards	6		10	
Lime	105		157		acres on which used	152		208	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					\$1,000	4		6	
Insects on hay crops	5		11		Weeds or grass in crops	204		209	
Insects on other crops	96		304		acres on which used	53 047		24 775	
Nematodes in crops	1		2		\$1,000	422		103	
	30		55		Weeds or brush in pasture	2		4	
	29		14		acres on which used	4		50	
	-		1		\$1,000	(2)		(Z)	
	-		79		Weeds on all other land	13		(NA)	
	-		(Z)		acres on which used	88		(NA)	
					\$1,000	1		(NA)	
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
					of crops or thinning of fruit	2		1	
					acres on which used	97		325	
					\$1,000	(2)		1	
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	10		59	
					\$1,000	1		4	
					Other chemicals (see text)	32		(NA)	
					\$1,000	30		(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	-		7		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	-		1.3		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	-		288		Other sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Average per farm	-		41.1		Land in irrigated farms	-		3 236	
Cropland irrigated	-		7		Cropland	-		2 658	
Harvested cropland irrigated	-		5		Harvested cropland	-		2 215	
Cropland pasture irrigated	-		224		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	-		2		between 1970 and 1973	-		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		64		acres irrigated in most recent year	-		(X)	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	-		179		Farms with artificial drainage	7		18	
Average per acre irrigated	-		0.6		Proportion of farms	1.2		3.4	
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	3 229		12 892	
Furrows or ditches	-		(NA)		Land drained	587		3 740	
	-		(NA)		Average per farm	83.9		207.7	
	-		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
	-		(NA)		tanks	238		(NA)	
	-		(NA)		number	649		(NA)	
	-		(NA)		acres	501		(NA)	

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	203	151	123
\$1,000	7 277	4 915	2 362
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	31	17	40
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	18	21
\$10,000 to \$29,999	82	64	39
\$30,000 to \$49,999	26	22	13
\$50,000 and over	36	30	10

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—							177			
150 days or more	26	24	54	38	230		357	26	55	125
25 to 149 days	55	209	90	751	75		1 022	230	75	51
Less than 25 days	125		878		51			54	90	878
Total contract labor	20	26	(NA)	(NA)	25	9				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	56	(NA)	11	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							59	16	34	35
2 workers							32	4	12	22
3 or 4 workers							28	3	7	21
5 to 9 workers							32	3	2	23
10 workers and over							26	-	-	24