

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use				
	1974	1969	1974	1969	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
All farms..... number.....	1 327	1 483	1 071	1 089	Total cropland.....farms.....	1 251	1 396	1 034	1 055
Land in farms.....acres.....	288 816	309 608	275 956	288 981	.....acres.....	235 776	241 273	229 355	230 841
Average size of farm.....acres.....	218	209	258	265	Harvested cropland.....farms.....	1 194	1 328	1 025	1 038
Approximate land area.....acres.....	398 976	398 976	398 976	398 976	.....acres.....	205 241	194 086	202 886	188 236
Proportion in farms.....percent.....	72.4	77.6	69.2	72.4	Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	280 944	157 796	268 206	145 910	1 to 9 acres.....	75	92	19	
Average per farm.....dollars.....	211 714	106 403	250 426	133 985	10 to 19 acres.....	103	121	28	169
Average per acre.....dollars.....	973	510	972	505	20 to 29 acres.....	72	92	45	
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres.....	119	137	113	
1 to 9 acres.....	50	68	26	26	50 to 99 acres.....	210	262	205	245
10 to 49 acres.....	205	215	80	38	100 to 199 acres.....	267	266	267	266
50 to 69 acres.....	73	81	39	34	200 to 499 acres.....	271	310	271	310
70 to 99 acres.....	183	200	135	115	500 to 999 acres.....	67	44	67	44
100 to 139 acres.....	141	133	125	109	1,000 acres and over.....	10	4	10	4
140 to 179 acres.....	141	173	134	157	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing.....farms.....	516	596	395	470
180 to 219 acres.....	66	92	66	90	.....acres.....	19 681	22 975	15 976	20 998
220 to 259 acres.....	78	94	76	94	Other cropland (see text).....farms.....	253	595	220	(NA)
260 to 499 acres.....	256	300	256	299	.....acres.....	10 854	24 212	10 493	21 607
500 to 999 acres.....	115	111	115	111	Total woodland.....farms.....	491	607	371	435
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	17	15	17	15	.....acres.....	28 344	35 870	24 243	30 744
2,000 acres and over.....	2	1	2	1	Other land (see text).....farms.....	901	1 171	739	(NA)
					.....acres.....	24 696	32 465	22 358	27 396
					Irrigated land.....farms.....	5	12	5	8
					.....acres.....	445	664	445	652

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland.....farms.....	220	(NA)	220	(NA)
.....acres.....	10 493	21 607	10 493	21 607
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured.....farms.....	68	296	68	296
.....acres.....	3 475	12 456	3 475	12 456
Cropland on which all crops failed.....farms.....	88	18	88	18
.....acres.....	3 383	221	3 383	221
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow.....farms.....	10	20	10	20
.....acres.....	404	1 209	404	1 209
Cropland idle.....farms.....	70	165	70	165
.....acres.....	3 231	7 721	3 231	7 721
Total woodland.....farms.....	371	435	371	435
.....acres.....	24 243	30 744	24 243	30 744
Woodland pastured.....farms.....	243	315	243	315
.....acres.....	13 781	19 822	13 781	19 822

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland—Continued						
Woodland not pastured.....farms.....					194	211
.....acres.....					10 462	10 922
Other land.....farms.....					739	(NA)
.....acres.....					22 358	27 396
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture.....farms.....					197	275
.....acres.....					9 193	14 140
Improved pastureland and rangeland.....farms.....					84	119
.....acres.....					4 007	5 473
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland.....farms.....					124	183
.....acres.....					5 186	8 667
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....farms.....					708	807
.....acres.....					13 165	13 256

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.....	1 327	1 483	1 071	1 089	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms.....acres.....	288 816	309 608	275 956	288 981	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	115	167
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	205 241	194 086	202 886	188 236	.....acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	36 995	50 532
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	7
Full owners..... number.....	732	781	516	453	.....acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	7 198	4 678
Land in farms.....acres.....	88 879	90 674	77 747	73 825	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	19
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	51 313	45 095	49 380	40 835	.....acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	677	3 806
Part owners..... number.....	360	363	335	337	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms.....acres.....	132 936	130 524	131 635	128 755	Under 25 years.....	41	38	25	32
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	104 463	85 788	104 174	85 256	25 to 34 years.....	143	204	120	145
Tenants..... number.....	235	339	220	299	35 to 44 years.....	254	295	204	203
Land in farms.....acres.....	67 001	88 410	66 574	86 401	45 to 54 years.....	300	389	240	297
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	49 465	63 203	49 332	62 145	55 to 64 years.....	373	371	298	289
Percent of tenancy.....	17.7	22.8	20.5	27.4	65 years and over.....	206	186	175	123
					Average age.....	50.6	49.3	51.0	49.4
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	862	1 061	711	823
All farm operators..... number.....	11	(NA)	10	2	On another farm.....	80		67	
Land in farms.....acres.....	815	(NA)	742	232	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	53	276	39	178
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	432	(NA)	432	158	In a city, town, or urban area.....	86		69	
Full owners..... number.....	9	(NA)	8	2	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms.....acres.....	615	(NA)	542	232	None.....	421	(NA)	394	(NA)
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	272	(NA)	272	158	1 to 49 days.....	74	161	60	144
Part owners..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	—	50 to 99 days.....	27	53	27	46
Land in farms.....acres.....	200	(NA)	200	—	100 to 149 days.....	41	100	38	52
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	160	(NA)	160	—	150 to 199 days.....	62		34	
Tenants..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	—	200 days and over.....	453	563	291	299
Land in farms.....acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farming.....	790	(NA)	731	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Other.....	527	(NA)	331	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	61	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	947	896	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	66	(NA)
Land in farms.....acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	231 086	229 965					

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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	101	162	101	162	Crops	965	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	214		214		farms	31 424	13 820
\$20,000 to \$39,999	224	236	223	236	\$1,000	954	990
					\$1,000	29 689	12 845
\$10,000 to \$19,999	219	254	219	254	Tobacco		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	156	259	156	259	farms		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	141	167	141	166	\$1,000		
					Cotton and cottonseed		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	272	405	17	12	farms		
\$2,000 to \$2,499	55	57	(X)	(X)	\$1,000		
\$1,500 to \$1,999	50	77	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	171	193
\$1,000 to \$1,499	54	82	(X)	(X)	farms	268	169
Under \$1,000 (see text)	113	189	(X)	(X)	\$1,000		
					Other field crops		3
					farms		6
					\$1,000		53
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	40	796
					farms	1 467	
					\$1,000	1	4
					Fruits, nuts, and berries	1	5
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	667	806
					farms	10 450	10 493
					\$1,000	57	108
					Poultry and poultry products	567	611
					farms	41	84
					\$1,000	746	793
					Dairy products	555	(NA)
					farms	4 015	4 602
					\$1,000	307	(NA)
					Cattle and calves	4 950	4 487
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					Hogs and pigs	139	
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					Sheep, lambs, and wool	18	
					farms		
					\$1,000	33	
					Other livestock and livestock products		
					farms		
					\$1,000		

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	451	(NA)	238	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	669
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	265	(NA)	231	(NA)	farms	7 098
\$1,000	725	(NA)	701	(NA)	\$1,000	
farms	140	251	131	235	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	117
\$1,000	319	333	314	321	farms	1 248
\$1,000	2	9	2	2	\$1,000	451
Recreational services	2	13	2	8	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	4 941
\$1,000	72	542	68	429	farms	
Government farm programs	108	956	107	874	\$1,000	351
\$1,000	55	(NA)	33	(NA)	Interest, dividends, or royalties	515
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	225	(NA)	207	(NA)	farms	
\$1,000	41	(NA)	37	(NA)	\$1,000	101
Other farm-related sources	71	(NA)	70	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	251
\$1,000	86	(NA)	64	(NA)	farms	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	182	(NA)	167	(NA)	\$1,000	76
\$1,000					Rent income of nonfarm property	141

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	1 327	1 483	1 071	1 089	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	1 103	1 242	981	1 000
\$1,000	26 285	17 221	25 856	16 606	farms	1 628	723	1 612	702
Farms with —					\$1,000	945	1 032	862	884
\$1 to \$999	122	159	10	58	farms	4 259	1 683	4 226	1 659
\$1,000 to \$1,999	122	188	47		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	735	(NA)	685	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	76	139	42	69	farms	1 355	741	1 349	727
\$3,000 to \$4,999	128	195	99	169	\$1,000	(NA)	264	143	236
\$5,000 to \$9,999	272	306	267	298	farms	(NA)	119	131	115
\$10,000 to \$19,999	246		246	271	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	1 287	1 452	1 049	1 080
\$20,000 to \$39,999	200	496	199	148	farms	2 223	1 355	2 165	1 280
\$40,000 to \$59,999	68		68		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 004	1 052
\$60,000 and over	93		93	76	farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 185	882
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	546	348
Livestock and poultry purchased	397	633	334	503	farms	(NA)	(NA)	524	184
farms	2 014	2 371	1 981	2 315	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	381	348
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	303	113
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	712	918	537	695	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	1 044	1 079
farms	2 689	1 967	2 582	1 894	farms	(NA)	(NA)	153	100
\$1,000					\$1,000				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	540	693	459	582	Hired farm labor	377	701	331	630
farms	1 756	1 235	1 731	1 211	farms	910	1 031	893	1 017
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	99	159	\$1,000	30	900	19	12
farms	(NA)	(NA)	271	236	Contract labor	262	475	260	13
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	145	201	farms	579		523	699
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	475	366	\$1,000	543		530	431
farms	(NA)	(NA)	102	131	Machine hire and customwork	1 266	1 371	1 065	1 087
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	105	82	farms	10 403	6 874	10 125	6 568
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000				
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	436	(NA)	All other production expenses				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	134	(NA)	farms				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000				

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.....	1 261	1 418	1 034	1 052	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	534	449	520	439
.....\$1,000.....	35 733	16 823	33 246	15 358	.....number.....	560	459	546	449
Average per farm.....dollars.....	28 337	11 863	32 153	14 599	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	215	282	215	276
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	52	5	230	Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	498	763	487	383
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	115	447	63	240	.....number.....	516	939	505	391
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	215	315	123	240	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	216	403	216	257
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	275	298	219	282	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	351		319	476
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	191		180	157	.....number.....	358		326	487
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	240		226	116	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	58		56	142
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	120	306	119		Mower conditioners.....farms.....	226	(NA)	186	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	99		99	27	.....number.....	233	(NA)	193	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	1 103	1 263	924	977	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	(NA)	54	(NA)
.....number.....	1 426	1 646	1 198	1 269	Pickup balers.....farms.....	374	430	325	386
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	908	1 142	759	887	.....number.....	381	435	330	389
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	1 094	1 091	905	867	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	39	129	39	117
.....number.....	1 481	1 364	1 277	1 122	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	69	(NA)	56	61
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	629	692	518	561	.....number.....	70	(NA)	56	62
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	1 166	1 286	962	993	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	18	(NA)	18	20
.....number.....	3 020	3 055	2 702	2 584	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	68	(NA)	63	58
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	599	914	580	806	.....number.....	72	(NA)	66	59
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	80		64	51	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	18	(NA)	18	34
.....number.....	92		72	54					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	12					

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.....1974.....	874	(X)	676	(X)	849	(X)	667	(X)	10 450
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	832	(X)	648	(X)	814	(X)	646	(X)	9 104
.....1969.....	975	(X)	776	(X)	973	(X)	781	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	735	28 438	563	25 485	701	14 403	555	13 549	4 015
.....1969.....	806	33 604	629	31 465	792	22 085	634	21 193	4 602
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	54	132	31	91	146	365	63	170	38
5 to 9.....1974.....	67	462	30	200	170	1 161	135	911	239
10 to 19.....1974.....	163	2 230	106	1 478	201	2 688	177	2 426	603
20 to 49.....1974.....	289	9 047	241	7 611	134	3 771	131	3 702	896
50 to 99.....1974.....	109	7 195	102	6 733	27	1 749	26	1 671	481
100 to 199.....1974.....	39	4 985	39	4 985	14	1 978	14	1 978	748
200 to 499.....1974.....	13	(D)	13	(D)	9	2 691	9	2 691	1 009
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	591	12 047	470	10 875	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	630	12 740	519	11 946	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	556	10 812	441	9 654	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	10 956	454	10 201	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	69	1 235	60	1 221	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	125	1 784	110	1 745	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41	(X)	746
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	84	(X)	793
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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.....	556	10 812	441	9 654	Cattle sold.....	432	10 244	3 499	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	75	193	42	104	1 to 4.....	64	166	46	
5 to 9.....	107	709	49	447	5 to 9.....	124	835	237	
10 to 19.....	174	2 335	149	2 003	10 to 19.....	144	1 928	567	
20 to 49.....	171	4 852	152	4 377	20 to 49.....	62	1 746	536	
50 to 99.....	20	1 350	20	1 350	50 to 99.....	16	1 036	369	
100 to 199.....	8	(D)	8	(D)	100 to 199.....	14	2 042	797	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	8	2 491	948	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—	—	
Milk cows.....	69	1 235	60	1 221	Calves sold.....	234	3 305	516	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	24	29	17	22	1 or 2.....	36	54	7	
3 or 4.....	5	17	3	10	3 or 4.....	17	61	9	
5 to 9.....	7	48	7	48	5 to 9.....	51	321	52	
10 to 19.....	10	139	10	139	10 to 19.....	74	1 017	150	
20 to 49.....	17	547	17	547	20 to 49.....	51	1 487	253	
50 to 99.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	50 to 99.....	4	(D)	37	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	10	
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... 350	4 963	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974... 200	6 870	2 517
.....	1969... 497	8 494	.....	1969... 135	8 146	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974... 326	4 226	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	1974... 38	737	1 to 9	1974... 92	520	169
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974... 501	9 647	10 to 19	1974... 47	631	215
.....	1969... 561	11 025	20 to 49	1974... 31	880	298
			50 to 99	1974... 9	589	233
			100 to 199	1974... 14	2 024	790
			200 to 499	1974... 7	2 226	811
			500 and over	1974... -	-	-

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... 302	42 782	276	42 455	329	64 896	307	64 413	4 950	
.....	1969... 475	64 134	439	63 586	496	90 117	456	89 516	(NA)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974... 20	45	12	31	14	38	10	26	2	
5 to 9	1974... 25	190	17	130	15	104	12	85	5	
10 to 24	1974... 41	671	35	566	40	675	32	539	39	
25 to 49	1974... 46	1 619	42	1 471	45	1 675	40	1 503	114	
50 to 99	1974... 49	3 398	49	3 398	46	3 167	44	3 023	223	
100 to 199	1974... 50	6 767	50	6 767	57	8 413	57	8 413	642	
200 to 499	1974... 54	16 082	54	16 082	81	22 564	81	22 564	1 715	
500 and over	1974... 17	14 010	17	14 010	31	28 260	31	28 260	2 210	
Feeder pigs sold	1974... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	44	3 205	34	2 912	96	
.....	1969... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	74	8 305	64	8 098	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs	1974... 145	2 832	112	2 423	127	4 119	105	3 833	(NA)	
.....	1969... 218	4 025	185	3 313	195	3 156	166	2 630	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	98	3 482	125 295	
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	111	(X)	139	
Goats	1974... (NA)	(NA)	7	57	(NA)	(NA)	4	43	1	
.....	1969... (NA)	(NA)	9	40	(NA)	(NA)	2	15	(NA)	
Horses and ponies	1974... 142	654	86	465	17	53	12	43	27	
.....	1969... 264	1 260	(NA)	(NA)	44	187	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	Inventory			
	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974... 218	5 581	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974... 267	8 268	247	8 183
.....	1969... 377	11 250	.....	1969... 425	13 001	395	12 878
Other hogs and pigs	1974... 254	36 874	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974... 237	4 360	224	4 309
.....	1969... 402	52 336	.....	1969... 391	7 151	362	7 077
Lambs under 1 year old	1974... 65	790	June 1 and November 30	1974... 203	3 908	190	3 874
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974... 109	1 536	.....	1969... 323	5 850	308	5 801
Rams and wethers	1974... 74	97					

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... 179	(X)	134	(X)	46	(X)	40	(X)
.....	1969... (NA)	(X)	168	(X)	(NA)	(X)	68	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974... 172	59 642	128	57 477	39	49 028	34	48 283
.....	1969... 235	77 081	166	73 535	71	64 644	64	64 177
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974... 169	52 111	126	50 769	37	42 171	33	41 881
.....	1969... 227	45 634	160	42 376	63	28 442	58	28 027
Farms with—								
1 to 99	1974... 138	3 834	99	2 992	21	762	19	702
100 to 399	1974... 22	3 677	18	3 177	9	1 719	7	1 489
400 to 1,599	1974... 5	3 000	5	3 000	3	1 390	3	1 390
1,600 to 3,199	1974... -	-	-	-	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974... 2	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	1974... 1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974... 1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over	1974... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974... 11	1 650	9	1 540	10	1 340	7	1 190
.....	1969... 1	100	1	100	1	100	1	100
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	74	572	57	567
.....	1969... (X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	108	611

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.....	126	50 769	33	41 881	Turkeys.....	2	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....	160	42 376	58	28 027	1969.....	2	(D)	3	50 600
Hens for hatching egg production.....	126	50 140	33	41 481	Turkeys for slaughter.....	2	(D)	2	(D)
1974.....	5	629	2	400	Heavy breed.....	2	(D)	2	(D)
1969.....					Light breed.....				
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	4	6 516	2	(D)	1974.....				
1969.....	9	30 888	5	35 250	Turkey hens for breeding.....				
1974.....	31	192	2	(D)	1969.....	14	(X)	3	(X)
1969.....	2	(D)	1	(D)	1974.....	15	(X)	2	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....					1969.....				
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....					Other poultry.....				

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	1 016	1 091	110 120	111 446	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	5	5	69	22	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	855	868	67 072	48 909	1 411 551	1 756 414
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	315	398	8 712	8 013	254 111	342 861
Other small grains for grain.....	299	495	4 630	9 526	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	252	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	1	(NA)	(2)	(NA)	20	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	565	676	10 210	13 226	24 279	37 496
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	40	55	5 690	4 224	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	6	7	1	11	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	1	1	1	(2)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	52	(NA)	1 615	864	(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).....	907	956	106 638	108 220	8 243 562	11 116 165	3	—	41	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	82	64	2 222	835	17 701	12 948	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	28	8	476	457	(X)	(X)	—	2	—	330
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	1	—	50	—	2 350	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	2	(NA)	11	22	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	284	385	4 998	7 235	12 622	24 017	1	—	4	—

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	Total		Dry		Liquid			
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons		
Cropland used only for pasture.....	395	15 976	(X)	—	—	27	1 175	27	180	1	20
1969.....	470	20 998	(X)	—	—	42	869	37	270	5	30
Improved pasture.....	84	4 007	(X)	—	—	10	615	9	94	1	1
1969.....	119	5 473	(X)	—	—	26	829	19	54	7	46
Corn for all purposes.....	934	109 334	(X)	3	41	766	98 383	697	14 376	541	6 805
1969.....	957	109 512	(X)	2	330	749	92 788	628	11 849	561	8 350
Sorghums for all purposes.....	3	61	(X)	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	5	22	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	292	8 504	249 629	—	—	149	4 988	132	476	19	66
1969.....	352	7 665	331 883	—	—	222	5 252	(NA)	523	(NA)	149
Oats (bushels).....	285	4 551	214 610	—	—	51	897	48	96	5	14
1969.....	459	9 121	598 294	—	—	71	1 614	(NA)	141	(NA)	62
Barley (bushels).....	1	10	500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	1	1	40	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....	1	10	149	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	4	39	1 001	—	—	1	10	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....	1	3	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	805	66 532	1 404 427	—	—	139	11 299	126	961	21	214
1969.....	739	47 106	1 705 284	—	—	91	4 290	(NA)	366	(NA)	177
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	475	9 372	22 653	1	4	27	545	25	72	3	5
1969.....	544	11 862	34 074	1	30	28	489	26	66	4	8
Field seed crops.....	19	315	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	27	480	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	3	1	234	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	7	1	52	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	40	5 690	(X)	—	—	22	2 013	22	356	4	33
1969.....	51	4 207	(X)	2	71	35	3 631	32	330	11	58
Land in orchards.....	1	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	3	4	(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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Barries for sale	1	1	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	10	467	(X)	4	401	4	461	4	135	—	—
1969	8	245	(X)	4	220	4	218	4	83	1	25
Other crops	21	830	(X)	—	—	7	337	6	32	1	2
1974											

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	909	5 575	942	2 386	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	6	612	6	289
Commercial fertilizer	862	5 575	819	2 386	Diseases in crops and orchards	4	4	1	1
acres on which used	121 192	5 575	110 157	2 386	acres on which used	493	493	635	635
Lime	143	4 226	236	1 659	Weeds or grass in crops	851	106 541	405	93 823
acres on which used	8 680	4 226	12 495	1 659	acres on which used	18	851	28	405
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	22 842	4 226	35 206	1 659	Weeds or brush in pasture	205	18	297	28
Insects on hay crops	48	131	4	115	acres on which used	2	205	1	297
acres on which used	710	131	66	115	Weeds on all other land	56	2	(NA)	1
Insects on other crops	283	5	(2)	—	acres on which used	512	56	(NA)	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	5	5	5	5	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	2	2	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	1 014	5	631	5	of crops or thinning of fruit	8	8	11	11
Other chemicals (see text)	7	7	5	5	acres on which used	1 127	8	1 448	1 448

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	5	445	8	652	Land irrigated by—Continued	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	0.5	445	0.7	652	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	89.0	445	81.5	652	Other sprinkler systems	3	401	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	5	445	8	652	Land in irrigated farms	1 229	878	1 896	1 444
Cropland irrigated	5	445	8	652	Cropland	229	878	1 444	1 444
Harvested cropland irrigated	5	445	8	652	Harvested cropland	546	546	1 278	1 278
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	1	1	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	1	1	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	211	19.7	235	21.5
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	523	523	298	298	Proportion of farms	19.7	19.7	21.5	21.5
Average per acre irrigated	1.2	523	0.5	298	Land in farms with drainage	79 736	44 982	76 767	41 921
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	213.2	213.2	178.3	178.3
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	213.2	213.2	178.3	178.3
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	214	375	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	214	375	(NA)	(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)	—	—	390	16 181	293	11 553	220	4 628
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	—	—	32	39	18	20	42	65
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	125	99	114	67	67	67
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	94	100	71	22	22	22
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	100	100	70	24	24	24
\$50,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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—	71	97	128	159	656	1 017	331	71	89	234
150 days or more	89	593	206	2 724	138	1 017	893	656	138	99
25 to 149 days	234	12	1 657	(NA)	99	(NA)	1 991	128	206	1 657
Less than 25 days	19	12	(NA)	(NA)	260	13				
Total contract labor	7	(NA)	387	(NA)	210	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	387	(NA)	210	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	91	49	48	14	50	43				
2 workers	49	69	14	5	19	33				
3 or 4 workers	69	75	5	2	10	52				
5 to 9 workers	75	47	2	2	7	67				
10 workers and over	47	2	3	3	39	39				