

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	1 627	1 814	1 423	1 512					
Land in farms	502 273	514 922	495 884	502 514	Land in Farms According to Use				
Average size of farm	309	284	348	332	Total cropland	1 559	1 717	1 392	1 476
Approximate land area	575 616	575 616	575 616	575 616	Harvested cropland	458 883	468 366	455 109	460 819
Proportion in farms	87.3	89.5	86.1	87.3	Farms by acres harvested:	1 502	1 628	1 375	1 449
Value of land and buildings	456 651	267 006	449 591	258 675	1 to 9 acres	437 073	383 469	435 605	380 477
Average per farm	280 671	147 191	315 946	171 081	10 to 19 acres			14	
Average per acre	909	519	907	515	20 to 29 acres			23	
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres			50	126
1 to 9 acres	86	103	34	33	50 to 99 acres			98	
10 to 49 acres	235	213	109	56	100 to 199 acres			151	203
50 to 69 acres	63	73	49	44	200 to 499 acres			247	337
70 to 99 acres	124	124	118	99	500 to 999 acres			611	611
100 to 139 acres	92	130	91	122	1,000 acres and over			239	159
140 to 179 acres	114	125	113	120	2,000 acres and over			39	13
180 to 219 acres	78	104	77	103	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres	90	131	89	128	or grazing	403	631	318	529
260 to 499 acres	415	504	414	501	Other cropland (see text)	14 533	20 281	12 373	18 426
500 to 999 acres	275	283	274	282	Irrigated land	221	1 117	206	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres	48	21	48	21	Total woodland	7 277	64 616	7 131	61 916
2,000 acres and over	7	3	7	3	Other land (see text)				
					Irrigated land	282	337	236	253
					Total woodland—Continued	14 431	15 375	13 662	13 958
					Woodland not pastured	1 140	1 417	1 003	(NA)
					Other land (see text)	28 959	31 181	27 113	27 737
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and				
					woodland pasture				
					Improved pastureland and rangeland				
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland				
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.				
					Total woodland				
					Woodland pastured				

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	1 627	1 814	1 423	1 512	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	502 273	514 922	495 884	502 514	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	139	185
Harvested cropland	437 073	383 469	435 605	380 477	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	65 865	72 832
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	12	14
Full owners	643	681	476	430	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	14 013	12 528
Land in farms	81 859	88 730	77 403	79 557	Other	(NA)	(NA)	8	12
Harvested cropland	61 061	53 425	60 051	51 289	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners	572	600	557	577	Under 25 years	44	58	44	54
Land in farms	274 462	250 951	273 672	249 272	25 to 34 years	153	200	142	164
Harvested cropland	242 621	190 729	242 441	190 216	35 to 44 years	309	362	264	308
Tenants	412	533	390	505	45 to 54 years	407	526	349	444
Land in farms	145 952	175 241	144 809	173 685	55 to 64 years	460	437	411	364
Harvested cropland	133 391	139 315	133 113	138 972	65 years and over	234	231	193	178
Percent of tenancy	25.3	29.3	27.4	33.3	Average age	51.0	49.5	50.8	49.2
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	1 013	1 314	899	1 137
All farm operators	3	(NA)	3	—	On another farm	156	—	127	—
Land in farms	865	(NA)	865	—	In a rural area, not on a farm	45	325	39	254
Harvested cropland	855	(NA)	855	—	In a city, town, or urban area	136	—	124	—
Full owners	1	(NA)	1	—	Farm operators reporting days of work				
Land in farms	10	(NA)	10	—	off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland	10	(NA)	10	—	None	673	(NA)	627	(NA)
Part owners	1	(NA)	1	—	1 to 49 days	146	341	123	311
Land in farms	775	(NA)	775	—	50 to 99 days	66	92	60	87
Harvested cropland	(D)	(NA)	(D)	—	100 to 149 days	39	—	38	—
Tenants	1	(NA)	1	—	150 to 199 days	45	—	30	—
Land in farms	80	(NA)	80	—	200 days and over	279	486	189	287
Harvested cropland	(D)	(NA)	(D)	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy	33.3	(NA)	33.3	—	Farming	1 217	(NA)	1 158	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other	390	(NA)	245	(NA)
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	1 264	1 301	Farm operators reporting utilization of				
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	414 200	414 670	futures market	(NA)	(NA)	118	(NA)
					Farm operators reporting agricultural				
					contracts	(NA)	(NA)	205	(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.....	266	290	266	290			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	449		449				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	279	431	279	431			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	195	369	195	369			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	132	235	132	235			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	89	170	89	170			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	217	319	13	17			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	31	55	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	39	41	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	47	65	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	100	158	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm..... dollars.....	54 852	22 983	62 560	27 363			
Crops, including hay farms.....	1 447	1 587	1 353	(NA)	Specified products sold:		
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	19		9	6	Crops..... farms.....	1 353	(NA)
Forest products..... farms.....	8	26	5	19	Grains..... farms.....	78 326	32 171
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	690	996	568	834	Tobacco..... farms.....	1 344	1 418
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	56	(NA)	48	87	Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....	75 494	30 522
	362	(NA)	361	395	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....	102	152
					Other field crops..... farms.....	132	134
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....	8	23
					Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....	44	35
					Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	127	180
					Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	2 507	1 468
					Dairy products..... farms.....	4	4
					Cattle and calves..... farms.....	150	12
					Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	568	834
					Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms.....	10 323	8 938
					Other livestock and livestock products..... farms.....	48	87
						14	43

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	277	(NA)	143	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms.....	808	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ farms.....	341	(NA)	310	(NA)	\$1,000.....	5 993	
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms.....	235	419	227	409	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms.....	166	
Recreational services..... farms.....	6	10	4	9	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	457	
Government farm programs..... farms.....	36	1 068	33	983	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	3 450	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms.....	39	3 114	37	3 048	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms.....	408	
Other farm-related sources..... farms.....	60	(NA)	40	(NA)	\$1,000.....	686	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms.....	44	(NA)	44	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms.....	151	
	93	(NA)	93	(NA)	\$1,000.....	425	
	154	(NA)	138	(NA)		67	
	497	(NA)	381	(NA)		\$1,000.....	115

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.....	1 626	1 814	1 423	1 512	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms.....	1 396	1 546	1 313	1 410
Farms with..... \$1,000.....	45 431	26 177	45 160	25 797	Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms.....	2 684	1 172	2 675	1 159
\$1 to \$999.....	127	170	11	46	Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms.....	1 280	1 454	1 204	1 338
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	102	119	56		Lime..... farms.....	8 560	3 241	8 534	3 214
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	74	133	53	94	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	1 056	(NA)	1 019	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	126	217	113	202	Gasoline..... farms.....	2 689	1 198	2 686	1 189
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	211	395	204	390	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	301	187	289
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	325		325	418	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms.....	(NA)	145	161	143
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	350		350	239	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	1 554	1 768	1 375	1 494
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	127	780	127		Gasoline..... farms.....	3 918	2 293	3 884	2 252
\$60,000 and over.....	184		184	123	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 352	1 467
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	407	630	340	524	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 848	1 484
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	603	892	492	731	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	872	658
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	3 427	1 925	3 377	1 863	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 303	426
Feed ingredients..... farms.....	487	690	421	605	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	461	436
Whole grains..... farms.....	2 484	1 107	2 458	1 084	(NA)..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	462	173
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	95	107	Hired farm labor..... farms.....	580	976	553	896
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	229	141	Contract labor..... farms.....	2 160	1 702	2 154	1 680
	(NA)	(NA)	128	294	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	57	1 177	51	63
	(NA)	(NA)	98	183	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	380	1 092	378	341
	(NA)	(NA)	78	79	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	759		707	1 043
	(NA)	(NA)	405	(NA)	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	1 031		1 022	730
	(NA)	(NA)	142	(NA)	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	1 552	1 704	1 420	1 510
					Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	18 027	10 707	17 809	10 557

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.....	1 517	1 746	1 330	1 480		914	905	905	891
..... \$1,000.....	59 428	27 652	57 864	26 414		1 047	966	1 037	952
Average per farm..... dollars.....	39 174	15 837	43 507	17 847		490	515	490	510
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	5	48	3	262		831	1 091	826	677
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	145	414	76	280		894	1 455	889	704
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	139	313	80	280		486	754	486	471
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	232	406	190	387					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	218		205	244					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	345		343	226					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	199	565	199	81					
\$70,000 and over.....	234		234						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	1 396	1 593	1 242	1 380	Selected Machinery & Equip.— Con.				
..... number.....	1 859	2 073	1 689	1 798	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....				
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 354	1 483	1 260	1 320	..... number.....	1 047	966	1 037	952
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	1 339	1 463	1 202	1 289	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	490	515	490	510
..... number.....	2 291	2 088	2 145	1 905	Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	831	1 091	826	677
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 062	968	988	875	..... number.....	894	1 455	889	704
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	1 413	1 581	1 261	1 391	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	486	754	486	471
..... number.....	4 033	4 151	3 822	3 784	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	340		326	661
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 225	1 542	1 194	1 472	..... number.....	363		349	713
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	57		54	57	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	79		77	274
..... number.....	58		55	65	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	167	(NA)	152	(NA)
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		3	16	..... number.....	236	(NA)	220	(NA)
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	48	(NA)	46	(NA)
					Pickup balers..... farms.....	157	210	146	197
					..... number.....	161	216	150	203
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	67	19	65
					Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	30	(NA)	29	46
					..... number.....	31	(NA)	30	47
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	(NA)	9	22
					Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	90	(NA)	90	105
					..... number.....	95	(NA)	95	106
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	28	(NA)	28	42

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.....	740	(X)	604	(X)	690	(X)	568	(X)	10 323
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	696	(X)	574	(X)	661	(X)	553	(X)	9 337
.....1969.....	953	(X)	792	(X)	944	(X)	798	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	539	21 782	456	20 871	477	18 068	416	17 788	5 388
.....1969.....	706	25 037	589	24 097	649	20 272	574	19 886	4 813
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	81	211	58	150	118	312	84	223	57
5 to 9.....1974.....	77	521	59	397	97	630	73	481	133
10 to 19.....1974.....	120	1 599	93	1 236	111	1 483	108	1 441	380
20 to 49.....1974.....	138	4 139	123	3 776	98	2 864	98	2 864	764
50 to 99.....1974.....	78	5 150	78	5 150	28	2 007	28	2 007	713
100 to 199.....1974.....	32	4 208	32	4 208	17	2 306	17	2 306	849
200 to 499.....1974.....	10	2 871	10	2 871	5	1 362	5	1 362	489
500 and over.....1974.....	3	3 083	3	3 083	3	7 104	3	7 104	2 004
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	413	6 969	351	6 587	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	524	7 588	456	7 282	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	376	5 884	318	5 524	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	6 537	398	6 258	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	64	1 085	56	1 063	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	118	1 051	103	1 024	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)	583
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	43	(X)	368
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.....	376	5 884	318	5 524	Cattle sold.....	357	15 750		5 016
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	90	237	66	177	1 to 4.....	85	225		66
5 to 9.....	84	543	65	422	5 to 9.....	62	414		131
10 to 19.....	103	1 341	88	1 162	10 to 19.....	96	1 254		359
20 to 49.....	81	2 275	81	2 275	20 to 49.....	71	2 079		650
50 to 99.....	14	969	14	969	50 to 99.....	20	1 474		573
100 to 199.....	4	519	4	519	100 to 199.....	16	2 180		818
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	4	1 020		415
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	3	7 104		2 004
Milk cows.....	64	1 085	56	1 063	Calves sold.....	140	2 038		372
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	26	32	23	29	1 or 2.....	24	37		4
3 or 4.....	11	36	8	27	3 or 4.....	19	67		8
5 to 9.....	5	27	3	17	5 to 9.....	25	161		29
10 to 19.....	2	20	2	20	10 to 19.....	37	516		80
20 to 49.....	17	620	17	620	20 to 49.....	30	780		143
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	3	(D)		(D)
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	2	(D)		(D)
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	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	299	4 507	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	203	12 835	4 207
.....1974..	445	6 256	.....1969..	159	12 255	(NA)
Beef heifers	276	3 999	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	36	508	1 to 9	78	351	117
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	377	9 777	10 to 19	51	651	209
.....1974..	497	10 559	20 to 49	39	1 079	386
.....1969..			50 to 99	15	1 115	440
			100 to 199	15	2 083	827
			200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	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	272	34 248	232	33 392	311	55 467	265	54 443	3 908
.....1974..	479	42 783	399	41 248	515	73 913	429	71 589	(NA)
.....1969..									
Farms with—									
1 to 4	15	45	10	30	8	19	5	10	1
5 to 9	19	123	17	110	10	72	9	65	5
10 to 24	58	1 001	38	633	64	1 108	34	566	36
25 to 49	49	1 736	38	1 376	49	1 711	40	1 448	92
50 to 99	45	2 925	43	2 825	48	3 494	45	3 291	251
100 to 199	40	5 381	40	5 381	57	7 662	57	7 662	557
200 to 499	30	8 955	30	8 955	50	14 784	50	14 784	1 006
500 and over	16	14 082	16	14 082	25	26 617	25	26 617	1 961
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	66	5 107	43	4 611	113
.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	108	8 944	78	7 820	(NA)
.....1969..									
Sheep and lambs	89	1 989	73	1 670	84	1 362	69	1 165	(NA)
.....1974..	193	5 335	152	4 811	173	3 874	138	3 518	(NA)
.....1969..									
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	61	1 351	110 774
.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	70	(X)	40
.....1969..							1	10	(2)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(NA)	(NA)	3	35	(NA)	(NA)	4	27	(NA)
.....1974..	(NA)	(NA)	16	50	(NA)	(NA)	10	62	35
.....1969..			68	339	19	174	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Goats	93	507			21				
.....1974..	225	812	(NA)	(NA)					
.....1969..									
Horses and ponies									
.....1974..									
.....1969..									

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	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 ..	163	4 643	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
.....1974..	294	5 681	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	217	6 422	183	6 261
.....1969..	223	28 749	.....1974..	389	7 262	315	6 901
Other hogs and pigs	361	35 567	.....1969..	185	3 288	165	3 214
.....1974..	52	423	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	345	3 884	277	3 680
.....1969..	73	1 158	.....1974..	179	3 134	151	3 047
Lambs under 1 year old	54	89	.....1969..	307	3 378	255	3 221
Ewes 1 year old or older			June 1 and November 30				
.....1974..			.....1974..				
.....1969..			.....1969..				

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	108	(X)	85	(X)	29	(X)	29	(X)
.....1974..	(NA)	(X)	169	(X)	(NA)	(X)	52	(X)
.....1969..								
Chickens 3 months old or older	103	34 377	80	33 713	23	26 194	23	26 194
.....1974..	203	77 359	163	76 045	51	67 201	46	66 345
.....1969..								
Hens and pullets of laying age	102	34 240	80	33 651	23	26 194	23	26 194
.....1974..	192	63 102	152	61 850	48	42 727	43	41 871
.....1969..								
Farms with—								
1 to 99	81	2 867	60	2 403	12	570	12	570
100 to 399	16	3 357	15	3 232	7	1 306	7	1 306
400 to 1,599	1	737	1	737	1	1 500	1	1 500
1,600 to 3,199	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	11	888	9	865	4	2 300	4	2 300
.....1974..	—	—	—	—	4	2 785	4	2 785
.....1969..								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	56	362	48	361
.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	87	395
.....1969..								

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	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974... 80	33 651	23	26 194	Turkeys	1974... --	--	--	--
	1969... 152	61 850	43	41 871	Turkeys for slaughter	1969... --	--	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production	1974... 80	33 499	23	26 194	Heavy breed	1974... --	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production	1974... 4	152	--	--	Light breed	1974... --	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974... 2	10	--	--	Turkey hens for breeding	1974... --	--	--	--
	1969... 7	11 662	1	(D)	Other poultry	1969... 2	(X)	--	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974... 15	52	--	--		1974... 16	(X)	4	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974... 2	(D)	2	(D)					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1 291	1 442	204 794	171 724	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	10	14	383	636	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1 304	1 355	188 094	162 164	4 827 619	5 807 557
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)						
Wheat (bushels)	605	854	23 524	25 585	819 569	1 175 258
Other small grains for grain	114	262	1 765	4 295	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tobacco (pounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	10	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	54	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	351	428	5 873	7 325	14 222	18 856
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	130	176	12 250	11 222	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	17	55	42	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	7	3	4	(X)	(X)
Other crops	66	(NA)	3 592	2 983	(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)	1 239	1 352	202 080	168 583	16 734 439	18 661 322	1	1
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	75	77	2 076	1 545	22 555	26 604	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	11	12	200	366	(X)	(X)	1	10
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	4	3	276	474	19 229	14 470	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	97	130	(X)	(X)	(NA)	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	140	201	2 173	3 089	6 551	9 802	1	2

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974... 318	12 373	(X)	--	--	23	555	23	67	--	--
	1969... 529	18 426	(X)	2	67	35	792	28	90	7	28
Improved pasture	1974... 58	3 126	(X)	--	--	15	698	15	116	--	--
	1969... 107	4 666	(X)	--	--	17	511	17	102	2	5
Corn for all purposes	1974... 1 244	204 356	(X)	1	19	1 087	189 451	993	28 402	881	14 316
	1969... 1 353	170 494	(X)	2	103	1 140	149 595	995	19 581	950	14 486
Sorghums for all purposes	1974... 9	373	(X)	--	--	7	182	7	39	3	15
	1969... 10	604	(X)	--	--	4	34	4	4	--	--
Wheat (bushels)	1974... 592	23 344	815 784	--	--	453	18 914	433	2 627	36	134
	1969... 832	25 392	1 168 038	2	29	687	21 312	(NA)	2 788	(NA)	415
Oats (bushels)	1974... 113	1 755	100 153	--	--	59	1 001	55	110	4	4
	1969... 252	4 153	269 469	--	--	108	2 171	(NA)	270	(NA)	18
Barley (bushels)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Rye (bushels)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... 7	70	2 180	--	--	1	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain	1974... --	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974... 1 267	187 780	4 821 119	1	9	158	18 401	150	1 786	13	123
	1969... 1 282	161 208	5 781 128	4	125	122	8 562	(NA)	680	(NA)	145
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974... 299	5 365	13 161	1	30	42	933	42	127	--	--
	1969... 378	6 845	17 886	2	14	32	660	30	90	2	10
Field seed crops	1974... 7	99	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969... 12	152	(X)	--	--	1	20	1	3	--	--
Cotton (bales)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
	1969... --	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974... 127	12 246	(X)	--	--	67	7 395	60	1 015	50	418
	1969... 175	11 221	(X)	1	27	144	7 660	122	919	107	463
Land in orchards	1974... 2	37	(X)	--	--	1	30	1	6	--	--
	1969... 6	18	(X)	--	--	2	8	2	2	--	--

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974.....	2	3	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	1969.....	1	2	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974.....	9	25	(X)	3	12	4	18	4	3	--
	1969.....	6	5	(X)	3	3	3	2	3	2	1 (Z)
Other crops	1974.....	39	3 467	(X)	--	--	20	1 850	19	534	3 3

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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms.....	1 245	1 378	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	
	\$1,000.....	11 220	4 403	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms.....
Commercial fertilizer	farms.....	1 204	1 276		14
	acres on which used.....	239 733	193 175	acres on which used	1 538
	tons.....	49 906	40 255	\$1,000.....	11
	\$1,000.....	8 534	3 214	Weeds or grass in crops	799
Lime	farms.....	187	289	acres on which used	267 037
	acres on which used.....	14 599	15 215	\$1,000.....	1 996
	tons.....	33 990	35 964	acres on which used	7
	\$1,000.....	161	143	Weeds or brush in pasture	72
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms.....	12	10	acres on which used	(Z)
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used.....	135	179	\$1,000.....	65
	\$1,000.....	1	1	acres on which used	478
Insects on other crops	farms.....	250	409	Weeds on all other land	4
	acres on which used.....	67 010	73 248	acres on which used	(NA)
	\$1,000.....	377	177	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	
Nematodes in crops	farms.....	1	7	of crops or thinning of fruit	10
	acres on which used.....	30	584	acres on which used	659
	\$1,000.....	(Z)	3	\$1,000.....	4
				Insect control on livestock and poultry	61
				\$1,000.....	6
				acres on which used	138
				Other chemicals (see text)	126
				\$1,000.....	(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 irrigated in census year	farms.....	6	14	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms	percent.....	0.4	0.9	Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....	farms.....
Total land irrigated	acres.....	114	374		3
Average per farm	acres.....	19.0	26.7	Other sprinkler systems	farms.....
Cropland irrigated	farms.....	6	14		4
	acres.....	114	374	Land in irrigated farms	acres.....
Harvested cropland	farms.....	6	12		1 077
	acres.....	71	303	Cropland	acres.....
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms.....	--	2	Harvested cropland	acres.....
	acres.....	--	67	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	
Other cropland irrigated	farms.....	1	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	farms.....
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms.....	--	--		--
	acres.....	43	4	acres irrigated in most recent year	acres.....
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet.....	59	283	Farms with artificial drainage	farms.....
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet.....	0.5	0.8	Proportion of farms	percent.....
Land irrigated by—				Land in farms with drainage	acres.....
Furrows or ditches	farms.....	--	(NA)	Land drained	acres.....
	acres.....	--	(NA)	Average per farm	acres.....
				Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	
				tanks	farms.....
					number.....
					acres.....

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)	farms.....	594	392	404
	\$1,000.....	28 485	16 425	12 060
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		55	22	73
\$5,000 to \$9,999		62	51	58
\$10,000 to \$29,999		215	152	153
\$30,000 to \$49,999		99	65	63
\$50,000 and over		163	102	57

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—							553	192	200	316
150 days or more	192	212	325	308	1 523	1 680	2 154	1 523	453	178
25 to 149 days	200	795	527	2 175	453	378	2 681	325	527	1 829
Less than 25 days	316		1 829	(NA)	178					
Total contract labor	51	63	(NA)	(NA)						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	27	(NA)	697	(NA)	351	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							191	145	101	87
2 workers							96	27	53	50
3 or 4 workers							121	15	35	68
5 to 9 workers							97	2	8	70
10 workers and over							48	3	3	41