

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.....	806	911	708	696	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	222 992	230 302	219 891	218 856	Total cropland..... farms.....	766	862	692	680
Average size of farm..... acres.....	277	253	311	314	acres.....	184 236	190 227	182 616	182 517
Approximate land area..... acres.....	263 616	263 616	263 616	263 616	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	735	798	681	669
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	84.6	87.4	83.4	83.0	acres.....	159 201	139 783	158 558	136 936
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	127 436	87 154	125 014	81 850	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	158 109	95 668	176 574	117 600	1 to 9 acres.....	39	56	14	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	571	378	569	374	10 to 19 acres.....	40	42	21	
					20 to 29 acres.....	37	41	30	97
					30 to 49 acres.....	63	75	60	
					50 to 99 acres.....	146	149	146	137
					100 to 199 acres.....	141	178	141	178
					200 to 499 acres.....	182	205	182	205
					500 to 999 acres.....	72	50	72	50
					1,000 acres and over.....	15	2	15	2
Farms by size:					Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	271	389	231	295
1 to 9 acres.....	46	43	17	18	acres.....	12 785	16 430	12 032	14 501
10 to 49 acres.....	123	154	76	42	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	164	521	154	(NA)
50 to 69 acres.....	38	53	32	25	acres.....	12 250	34 014	12 026	31 080
70 to 99 acres.....	84	84	73	61	Total woodland..... farms.....	371	484	344	385
100 to 139 acres.....	103	97	98	80	acres.....	22 579	24 027	22 101	22 039
140 to 179 acres.....	62	56	62	52	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	630	699	550	(NA)
					acres.....	16 177	16 048	15 174	14 300
180 to 219 acres.....	41	59	41	57	Irrigated land..... farms.....	-	2	-	-
220 to 259 acres.....	32	51	32	50	acres.....	-	56	-	-
260 to 499 acres.....	145	191	145	189					
500 to 999 acres.....	97	101	97	100					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	26	19	26	19					
2,000 acres and over.....	9	3	9	3					

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.....	806	911	708	696	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	222 992	230 302	219 891	218 856	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	90	118
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	159 201	139 783	158 558	136 936	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	46 980	55 037
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Full owners..... number.....	347	369	259	211	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 501	2 884
Land in farms..... acres.....	41 451	38 957	38 663	31 896	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	24 713	18 964	24 222	17 659	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number.....	324	342	318	315	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	139 282	129 865	139 033	127 804	Under 25 years.....	29	21	28	14
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	103 870	82 857	103 778	82 150	25 to 34 years.....	77	141	66	101
Tenants..... number.....	135	200	131	170	35 to 44 years.....	146	198	131	151
Land in farms..... acres.....	42 259	61 480	42 195	59 156	45 to 54 years.....	231	253	202	198
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	30 618	37 962	30 558	37 127	55 to 64 years.....	220	197	196	169
Percent of tenancy.....	16.7	21.9	18.5	24.4	65 years and over.....	96	101	78	63
					Average age.....	50.6	48.2	50.3	48.3
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	550	667	499	543
All farm operators..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	1	On another farm.....	42		31	
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	315	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	25	159	24	96
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	190	In a city, town, or urban area.....	38		34	
Full owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	None.....	323	(NA)	304	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days.....	37	93	34	84
Part owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	1	50 to 99 days.....	17	33	17	25
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	315	100 to 149 days.....	14		14	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	190	150 to 199 days.....	28	76	23	46
Tenants..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	212	299	159	164
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	543	(NA)	509	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	256	(NA)	192	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	32	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	611	572	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	51	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	167 410	160 935					

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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	79	101	79	101	Crops	662	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	182		182		farms	25 137	9 718
\$20,000 to \$39,999	146	153	146	153	\$1,000	657	638
\$10,000 to \$19,999	134	179	134	179	farms	24 751	9 513
\$5,000 to \$9,999	86	133	86	133	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	73	120	73	120	farms	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	106	225	8	10	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	20	48	(X)	(X)	farms	88	83
\$1,500 to \$1,999	20	33	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	123	52
\$1,000 to \$1,499	33	39	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	17	23
Under \$1,000 (see text)	33	105	(X)	(X)	farms	171	95
					\$1,000	8	13
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms	(D)	53
\$1,000	31 047	15 291	30 923	15 053	\$1,000	1	6
Average per farm	38 520	16 785	43 676	21 627	farms	(D)	5
Crops, including hay	707	775	662	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	390	437
farms	25 190	9 861	25 137	9 718	farms	5 724	5 274
\$1,000	3		2	3	\$1,000	26	63
farms	(D)		(D)	25	farms	341	342
\$1,000					\$1,000	21	26
Nursery and greenhouse products					farms	620	396
farms	18	37	18	30	\$1,000	263	(NA)
\$1,000	(D)	39	(D)	36	farms	1 892	2 084
Forest products					\$1,000	219	(NA)
farms	452	544	390	437	farms	2 868	2 453
\$1,000	5 794	5 391	5 724	5 274	\$1,000	8	
Livestock, poultry, and their products					farms	3	
farms	32	(NA)	26	63	Other livestock and livestock products	1	
\$1,000	342	(NA)	341	342	farms	(Z)	
\$1,000					\$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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	168	(NA)	105	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	381	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	146	(NA)	129	(NA)	farms	3 174	
farms	496	(NA)	464	(NA)	\$1,000	68	
\$1,000	71	118	65	107	farms	577	
\$1,000	236	134	232	122	\$1,000	231	
Customwork and other agricultural services	2	5	2	4	farms	2 070	
farms	2	2	2	2	\$1,000	183	
\$1,000	49	386	48	326	farms	393	
\$1,000	156	1 152	156	1 100	\$1,000	35	
Recreational services					farms	97	
farms	24	(NA)	14	(NA)	\$1,000	27	
\$1,000	84	(NA)	56	(NA)	farms	37	
\$1,000	17	(NA)	17	(NA)	\$1,000	37	
Government farm programs	49	386	48	326	farms	27	
farms	156	1 152	156	1 100	\$1,000	37	
\$1,000					\$1,000	37	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	24	(NA)	14	(NA)			
farms	84	(NA)	56	(NA)			
\$1,000	17	(NA)	17	(NA)			
\$1,000	17	(NA)	17	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	17	(NA)	17	(NA)			
farms	41	(NA)	36	(NA)			
\$1,000	136	(NA)	132	(NA)			
\$1,000							
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹							
farms							
\$1,000							

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	806	911	708	696	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	661	778	627	649
farms	18 001	10 712	17 848	10 370	farms	1 129	443	1 125	431
\$1,000					\$1,000	644	753	598	621
Farms with -					farms	4 520	1 721	4 509	1 690
\$1 to \$999	54	103	7	34	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	500	(NA)	484	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,999	51	92	26	40	farms	1 123	(NA)	1 121	476
\$2,000 to \$2,999	47	61	35	113	\$1,000	(NA)	159	97	134
\$3,000 to \$4,999	95	131	85	180	farms	(NA)	51	83	48
\$5,000 to \$9,999	151	195	146	182	\$1,000				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	146		132	98	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	791	903	699	695
\$20,000 to \$39,999	132	329	53	49	farms	1 396	836	1 378	785
\$40,000 to \$59,999	53		77		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	657	680
\$60,000 and over	77				farms	(NA)	(NA)	668	492
Livestock and poultry purchased	227	353	197	275	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	380	298
farms	1 037	1 362	1 015	1 334	farms	(NA)	(NA)	412	174
\$1,000					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	240	162
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	379	524	322	399	farms	(NA)	(NA)	197	53
farms	1 565	1 179	1 521	1 142	\$1,000				
\$1,000					Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	699	693
Commercially mixed formula feeds	301	409	279	351	farms	(NA)	(NA)	100	65
farms	1 027	857	1 013	840	\$1,000				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	91	70	Hired farm labor	247	458	239	390
farms	(NA)	(NA)	218	110	farms	625	505	624	494
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	87	\$1,000	13	515	10	19
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	241	161	farms	17	257	17	23
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	38	38	Contract labor	342		324	414
farms	(NA)	(NA)	49	30	farms	299		294	217
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	767	855	707	692
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	220	(NA)	farms	6 290	3 926	6 186	3 778
farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	(NA)	\$1,000				
\$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.....	796	884	698	680					
farms.....	25 322	13 652	24 658	12 763					
\$1,000.....	31 811	15 443	35 327	18 768					
dollars.....									
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	2	35	1	137					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	92	267	52						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	104	146	65	123					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	134	162	118	154					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	142		141	113					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	171	274	170	94					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	67		67						
\$70,000 and over.....	84		84	59					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	694	764	613	604					
number.....	907	959	821	767					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	548	646	498	546					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	729	790	639	631					
number.....	1 360	1 290	1 259	1 113					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	462	639	419	545					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	734	804	652	633					
number.....	1 870	1 877	1 778	1 623					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	416	649	410	606					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	19		19	19					
number.....	19		19	22					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	3					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	416	405	413	393					
number.....	447	428	444	416					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	179	272	179	267					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	387	511	384	349					
number.....	408	627	405	365					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	162	329	162	258					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	150		145	215					
number.....	165		160	225					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22		22	66					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	110	(NA)	109	(NA)					
number.....	121	(NA)	120	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	41	(NA)	41	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	204	134	198	128					
number.....	204	135	198	129					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	30	42	29	42					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	76	(NA)	76	44					
number.....	77	(NA)	77	44					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	7	17					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	94	(NA)	91	32					
number.....	97	(NA)	94	32					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	(NA)	16	18					

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.....	463	(X)	396	(X)	452	(X)	390	(X)	5 724
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	443	(X)	380	(X)	441	(X)	384	(X)	4 763
1969.....	521	(X)	409	(X)	513	(X)	417	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	338	13 751	286	12 881	305	7 133	263	6 890	1 892
1969.....	362	14 790	275	13 785	345	10 412	279	9 969	2 084
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	31	89	24	67	71	178	51	118	29
1974.....	44	310	32	220	67	456	49	338	82
1974.....	71	1 024	53	761	71	926	68	891	190
20 to 49..... 1974.....	115	3 413	102	3 090	65	1 996	64	1 966	484
1974.....	48	3 189	46	3 017	17	1 094	17	1 094	252
1974.....	16	2 219	16	2 219	11	1 468	11	1 468	442
1974.....	13	3 507	13	3 507	3	1 015	3	1 015	412
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	271	6 310	234	5 866	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	261	5 697	209	5 298	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	240	5 442	205	5 001	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	4 821	186	4 463	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	44	868	42	865	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	54	876	39	835	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	620
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	396
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.....	240	5 442	205	5 001	Cattle sold.....	203	4 779		1 620
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	38	80	32	71	1 to 4.....	50	136		39
5 to 9.....	55	370	45	295	5 to 9.....	36	241		73
10 to 19.....	69	954	53	738	10 to 19.....	52	668		205
20 to 49.....	53	1 543	52	1 518	20 to 49.....	47	1 359		384
50 to 99.....	14	963	12	847	50 to 99.....	9	523		217
100 to 199.....	9	(D)	9	(D)	100 to 199.....	6	837		289
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....	3	1 015		412
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-		-
Milk cows.....	44	868	42	865	Calves sold.....	126	2 111		272
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	17	20	15	17	1 or 2.....	24	36		4
3 or 4.....	6	19	6	19	3 or 4.....	18	66		9
5 to 9.....	-	-	-	-	5 to 9.....	22	150		16
10 to 19.....	2	33	2	33	10 to 19.....	34	454		42
20 to 49.....	13	327	13	327	20 to 49.....	18	549		61
50 to 99.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	50 to 99.....	7	485		80
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199.....	3	371		60
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	157	2 432	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	93	3 363	1 229
1969	202	3 779	1969	75	3 815	(NA)
Beef heifers	141	2 058	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	18	374	1 to 9	31	152	49
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	229	4 583	10 to 19	22	286	81
1969	244	4 708	20 to 49	25	760	266
			50 to 99	6	363	142
			100 to 199	6	837	289
			200 to 499	3	965	402
			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	217	21 158	199	20 841	239	37 854	219	37 206	2 868
1969	315	31 607	270	30 556	336	52 003	286	50 444	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	11	34	5	16	5	10	5	10	1
5 to 9	15	107	12	85	10	74	8	61	3
10 to 24	37	581	33	531	28	437	22	336	27
25 to 49	48	1 651	45	1 552	38	1 321	32	1 139	84
50 to 99	32	2 172	30	2 044	44	2 912	38	2 560	203
100 to 199	43	5 410	43	5 410	60	7 988	60	7 988	635
200 to 499	24	6 126	24	6 126	37	10 751	37	10 751	842
500 and over	7	5 077	7	5 077	17	14 361	17	14 361	1 073
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	3 405	21	3 041	103
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	49	4 872	31	4 250	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	11	173	9	153	11	147	8	108	(NA)
1969	32	630	27	544	30	420	27	386	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	117	827
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	(X)	3
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	9	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	57	165	42	118	1	1	—	—	—
1969	87	282	(NA)	(NA)	10	30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	All farms			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	148	2 340	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	210	3 424	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	179	3 884	163	3 817
Other hogs and pigs	186	18 501	1969	258	5 437	220	5 231
1969	260	27 132	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	165	2 035	151	1 993
Lambs under 1 year old	7	27	1969	240	2 751	209	2 648
Ewes 1 year old or older	9	113	June 1 and November 30	151	1 849	140	1 824
Rams and wethers	8	13	1969	221	2 686	189	2 583

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	72	(X)	58	(X)	15	(X)	15	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	86	(X)	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	70	27 102	56	26 499	14	20 927	14	20 927
1969	117	54 548	86	52 922	43	69 441	42	69 416
Hens and pullets of laying age	70	26 985	56	26 394	14	20 893	14	20 893
1969	113	40 091	82	38 500	39	38 281	38	38 256
Farms with—								
1 to 99	49	1 546	37	1 255	1	12	1	12
100 to 399	15	2 475	13	2 175	8	1 557	8	1 557
400 to 1,599	4	(D)	4	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	7	361	5	249	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	342	26	341
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	63	342

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..	56	26 394	14	20 893	Turkeys.....1974..	--	--	1	(D)
.....1969..	82	38 500	38	38 2561969..	--	--	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	54	25 983	12	20 541	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	--	--	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	3	411	2	352	Heavy breed.....1974..	--	--	1	(D)
.....1969..	1	50	--	--	Light breed.....1974..	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	4	9 205	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	9	55	2	341969..	--	--	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	--	--	--	--	Other poultry.....1974..	1	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	--	--	--	--1969..	5	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes.....	624	715	76 932	82 923	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	15	1	560	30	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	517	455	49 643	32 248	1 350	030	994	763
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....	543	540	32 306	19 199	1 053	685	739	759
Other small grains for grain.....	8	30	102	343	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tobacco (pounds).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	138	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	56	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	240	254	5 369	4 947	12 024	10 540	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	9	13	126	222	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	3	6	64	55	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	--	7	--	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	36	(NA)	1 020	1 650	(X)	(X)	(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).....	603	622	75 437	80 577	6 324 958	7 488 721	--	--
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	44	42	1 224	947	17 896	14 998	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	3	--	87	--	(X)	(X)	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	9	--	458	--	15 140	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	4	(NA)	95	30	(X)	(X)	(NA)	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	72	80	887	1 154	2 671	3 575	--	--

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.....1974..	231	12 032	(X)	--	42	2 462	40	222	2	163
.....1969..	295	14 501	(X)	--	57	2 115	53	259	6	13
Improved pasture.....1974..	42	2 117	(X)	--	16	982	16	84	--	--
.....1969..	50	3 023	(X)	--	15	817	15	120	1	3
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	604	76 748	(X)	--	502	69 170	477	11 284	346	5 717
.....1969..	626	81 524	(X)	--	511	66 964	491	10 975	362	5 005
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	13	553	(X)	--	7	310	2	5	6	19
.....1969..	1	30	(X)	--	1	30	1	6	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	524	32 126	1 048 351	--	423	28 925	390	3 783	75	557
.....1969..	494	18 657	720 419	--	429	16 379	(NA)	2 180	(NA)	103
Oats (bushels).....1974..	5	27	1 085	--	3	19	3	6	--	--
.....1969..	17	134	5 755	--	11	102	(NA)	12	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels).....1974..	3	40	1 660	--	3	40	3	4	--	--
.....1969..	3	120	8 800	--	3	120	(NA)	21	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels).....1974..	2	35	815	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	9	74	2 395	--	4	32	(NA)	4	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	504	49 548	1 347 867	--	192	16 700	169	1 341	36	277
.....1969..	415	31 654	978 843	--	150	9 851	(NA)	816	(NA)	118
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	229	5 191	11 654	--	28	635	28	97	3	4
.....1969..	217	4 656	10 099	--	35	655	35	114	--	--
Field seed crops.....1974..	17	215	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	32	405	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton (bales).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	2	1	138	--	1	(Z)	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
.....1969..	16	19	5 595	1	(Z)	18	(NA)	7	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	8	125	(X)	--	7	125	7	40	--	--
.....1969..	12	221	(X)	--	9	220	9	47	--	--
Land in orchards.....1974..	2	63	(X)	--	1	57	1	5	1	6
.....1969..	2	38	(X)	--	1	38	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—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	3	3	(X)	—	—	—	1	2	—	—
Other crops	1974	16	804	(X)	—	—	15	744	13	81	13
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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	622	5 630	643	2 166	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
Commercial fertilizer	598	120 647	605	98 455	Diseases in crops and orchards	12	953	7	242
Lime	97	23 933	134	20 021	acres on which used	15	338	3	3
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	4 509	\$1,000	1 690	\$1,000	Weeds or grass in crops	84 712	733	81 577	337
Insects on hay crops	34	496	19	214	acres on which used	7	484	24	370
Insects on other crops	159	35 893	175	30 311	Weeds or brush in pasture	7	4	1	1
Nematodes in crops	6	1 149	8	383	acres on which used	81	459	(NA)	(NA)
Other chemicals (see text)	7	3	3	3	Weeds on all other land	5	4	(NA)	(NA)
					of crops or thinning of fruit	648	3	17	779
					acres on which used	3	3	3	3
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	34	4	109	6
					acres on which used	76	63	(NA)	(NA)
					Other chemicals (see text)	63		(NA)	(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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	—	—	—	—	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	—	—	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	—	—	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	—	—	—	—	Land in irrigated farms	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	—	—	—	—	Harvested cropland	—	—	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	—	—	(X)	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	189	247	189	247
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	26.7	35.4	26.7	35.4
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	79 858	88 780	79 858	88 780
Average per acre irrigated	—	—	—	—	Land drained	42 349	44 515	42 349	44 515
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	224.1	180.2	224.1	180.2
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	143	265	143	265
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	number	282	282	282	282
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres	—	—	—	—

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		\$1,000		\$1,000	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	241	173	128	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:		8 075	5 794	2 281			
Under \$5,000	—	35	22	41			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	34	21	24			
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	83	62	38			
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	41	34	12			
\$50,000 and over	—	48	34	13			

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—											
150 days or more	66	69	113	95	446	494	Farms	239	66	65	145
25 to 149 days	65	349	141	984	117	61	Cash wages paid — \$1,000	624	446	117	61
Less than 25 days	145	19	665	(NA)	61	23	Number of workers	919	113	141	665
Total contract labor	10	19	(NA)	(NA)	17		Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	15	(NA)	13	(NA)	1 worker	91	35	35	48
							2 workers	42	21	10	18
							3 or 4 workers	46	8	13	32
							5 to 9 workers	42	2	6	29
							10 workers and over	18	—	1	18