

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number.....	1 389	1 424	1 219	1 217
Land in farms..... acres.....	561 863	569 132	548 954	550 460
Average size of farm..... acres.....	405	400	450	452
Approximate land area..... acres.....	565 312	565 312	565 312	565 312
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	99.4	100.7	97.1	97.4
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000... ..	181 239	101 070	176 818	97 164
Average per farm..... dollars.....	130 482	70 976	145 052	79 839
Average per acre..... dollars.....	323	178	322	177
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	68	61	42	19
10 to 49 acres.....	83	50	28	15
50 to 69 acres.....	13	24	8	9
70 to 99 acres.....	92	73	44	26
100 to 139 acres.....	45	40	30	25
140 to 179 acres.....	162	173	155	141
180 to 219 acres.....	43	56	40	51
220 to 259 acres.....	94	113	92	106
260 to 499 acres.....	356	435	347	428
500 to 999 acres.....	341	324	341	322
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	84	71	84	71
2,000 acres and over.....	8	4	8	4
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland..... farms.....	1 317	1 346	1 171	1 181
acres.....	382 265	393 219	373 471	381 803
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	1 266	1 297	1 158	1 167
acres.....	272 735	226 032	270 685	221 541
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres.....	22	14	8	5
10 to 19 acres.....	48	42	5	2
20 to 29 acres.....	78	45	4	1
30 to 49 acres.....	65	82	5	1
50 to 99 acres.....	171	272	170	252
100 to 199 acres.....	328	405	328	400
200 to 499 acres.....	456	392	456	392
500 to 999 acres.....	92	43	92	43
1,000 acres and over.....	6	2	6	2
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	648	629	565	569
acres.....	75 446	64 499	69 354	61 980
Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	530	1 132	489	(NA)
acres.....	34 084	102 688	33 432	98 282
Total woodland..... farms.....	346	439	297	389
acres.....	17 767	16 497	17 414	15 677
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	1 173	1 262	1 058	(NA)
acres.....	161 831	159 416	158 069	152 980
Irrigated land..... farms.....	21	13	21	13
acres.....	1 112	659	1 112	659
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Other cropland..... farms.....			489	(NA)
acres.....			33 432	98 282
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			162	588
acres.....			5 137	35 141
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			202	28
acres.....			17 957	1 200
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			190	474
acres.....			6 618	26 701
Cropland idle..... farms.....			113	489
acres.....			3 720	35 240
Total woodland..... farms.....			297	389
acres.....			17 414	15 677
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			137	213
acres.....			7 507	7 252
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Total woodland—Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			220	260
acres.....			9 907	8 425
Other land..... farms.....			1 058	(NA)
acres.....			158 069	152 980
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			675	724
acres.....			125 695	121 581
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			328	347
acres.....			52 669	45 869
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			415	503
acres.....			73 026	75 712
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			952	999
acres.....			32 374	31 399

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number.....	1 389	1 424	1 219	1 217
Land in farms..... acres.....	561 863	569 132	548 954	550 460
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	272 735	226 032	270 685	221 541
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners..... number.....	687	604	542	446
Land in farms..... acres.....	178 491	149 241	167 133	136 190
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	79 357	52 411	77 810	49 737
Part owners..... number.....	452	515	444	501
Land in farms..... acres.....	303 031	317 186	302 578	315 448
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	150 738	128 863	150 570	128 438
Tenants..... number.....	250	305	233	270
Land in farms..... acres.....	80 341	102 705	79 243	98 822
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	42 640	44 758	42 305	43 366
Percent of tenancy.....	18.0	21.4	19.1	22.1
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	2
Land in farms..... acres.....	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(D)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	480	(NA)	480	800
Full owners..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Part owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	(D)	(NA)	(D)	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	480	(NA)	480	—
Tenants..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	2
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	(D)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	800
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	100.0
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 129	1 058
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	501 798	459 595
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	85	148
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	44 311	88 302
Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 355	1 125
Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	490	1 438
Farm operators by age group:²				
Under 25 years.....	62	53	56	39
25 to 34 years.....	148	177	107	148
35 to 44 years.....	222	282	213	254
45 to 54 years.....	331	361	312	321
55 to 64 years.....	367	362	319	314
65 years and over.....	254	189	207	141
Average age.....	51.1	49.4	51.0	49.1
Farm operators by place of residence:³				
On farm operated.....	821	1 071	764	982
On another farm.....	166	—	125	—
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	24	244	8	—
In a city, town, or urban area.....	123	—	97	161
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
None.....	587	(NA)	558	(NA)
1 to 49 days.....	108	225	103	204
50 to 99 days.....	45	70	44	58
100 to 149 days.....	38	—	33	—
150 to 199 days.....	10	81	7	60
200 days and over.....	192	225	110	135
Farm operators by principal occupation:³				
Farming.....	1 176	(NA)	1 083	(NA)
Other.....	208	(NA)	131	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market				
.....	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts				
.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	(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 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.....	1 257	1 377	1 112	1 194	Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	726	697	717	676	
\$1,000..... \$1,000.....	32 562	16 203	31 490	15 688			number.....	759	716	750	695
Average per farm..... dollars.....	25 904	11 767	28 318	13 138			mfd in last 5 years, number.....	186	262	186	260
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	108	298	107	82		
\$1 to \$999.....	15	43	8	311	number.....	108	340	107	85		
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	124	426	80		mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	66	29	31		
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	179	290	121	270	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	158		158	234		
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	260	323	227	319	number.....	161		161	251		
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	214		213	162	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6		6	35		
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	308		307	111	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	138	(NA)	132	(NA)		
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	98	295	97		number.....	143	(NA)	137	(NA)		
\$70,000 and over.....	59		59	21	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	(NA)	25	(NA)		
Selected Machinery and Equipment											
Automobiles..... farms.....	1 106	1 251	986	1 106	Pickup bolers..... farms.....	543	623	535	603		
number.....	1 470	1 664	1 322	1 477	number.....	553	631	545	611		
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	666	883	603	786	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	83	164	83	160		
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	1 081	1 159	977	1 052	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	115	(NA)	113	77		
number.....	2 063	1 796	1 949	1 659	number.....	118	(NA)	116	78		
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	604	620	591	582	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	51	(NA)	51	39		
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	1 127	1 251	1 021	1 116	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	204	(NA)	204	182		
number.....	2 834	2 910	2 664	2 683	number.....	209	(NA)	209	186		
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	474	745	439	714	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54	(NA)	54	89		
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	27		27	35							
number.....	28		28	48							
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	8							

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.....	1 096	(X)	974	(X)	1 079	(X)	985	(X)	17 456
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	1 062	(X)	957	(X)	1 065	(X)	974	(X)	14 904
..... 1969.....	1 180	(X)	1 055	(X)	1 204	(X)	1 082	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	1 014	64 370	920	62 625	1 006	44 204	938	43 648	9 548
..... 1969.....	1 131	70 367	1 020	68 743	1 156	39 454	1 052	38 620	7 188
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	23	51	11	29	59	148	50	120	27
5 to 9..... 1974.....	41	265	14	105	152	1 047	114	780	173
10 to 19..... 1974.....	123	1 773	99	1 448	253	3 417	232	3 156	626
20 to 49..... 1974.....	360	11 714	337	11 090	357	10 979	357	10 979	2 145
50 to 99..... 1974.....	303	21 400	295	20 786	135	8 978	135	8 978	1 967
100 to 199..... 1974.....	128	17 130	128	17 130	33	4 488	33	4 488	1 098
200 to 499..... 1974.....	32	8 212	32	8 212	12	3 597	12	3 597	810
500 and over..... 1974.....	4	3 825	4	3 825	5	11 550	5	11 550	2 703
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	921	28 150	839	27 197	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	986	27 785	908	27 010	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	851	24 549	770	23 603	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	24 215	828	23 474	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	167	3 601	165	3 594	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	255	3 570	244	3 536	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	121	(X)	2 302
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	213	(X)	1 377
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.....	851	24 549	770	23 603	Cattle sold.....		760	27 637	7 667
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	44	124	30	82	1 to 4.....		105	270	66
5 to 9.....	100	693	67	492	5 to 9.....		118	770	180
10 to 19.....	233	3 281	210	2 996	10 to 19.....		191	2 532	606
20 to 49.....	352	11 086	341	10 668	20 to 49.....		235	7 011	1 703
50 to 99.....	102	6 770	102	6 770	50 to 99.....		75	5 171	1 332
100 to 199.....	19	(D)	19	(D)	100 to 199.....		22	2 856	856
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....		9	2 477	751
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....		5	6 550	2 173
Milk cows.....	167	3 601	165	3 594	Calves sold.....		474	16 011	1 881
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	44	61	43	60	1 or 2.....		37	57	7
3 or 4.....	10	31	10	31	3 or 4.....		19	68	9
5 to 9.....	11	82	10	76	5 to 9.....		76	527	86
10 to 19.....	29	419	29	419	10 to 19.....		154	2 107	289
20 to 49.....	56	1 722	56	1 722	20 to 49.....		150	4 327	593
50 to 99.....	13	871	13	871	50 to 99.....		28	1 972	213
100 to 199.....	4	415	4	415	100 to 199.....		6	833	95
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....		3	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....		1	(D)	(D)

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.....	665	14 760	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	133	8 017	2 833
.....1974.....	890	22 005	.....1969.....	99	6 326	(NA)
Beef heifers	610	12 438	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	101	2 322	1 to 9	32	149	50
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	779	20 668	10 to 19	37	489	154
.....1974.....	923	19 728	20 to 49	33	974	263
.....1969.....			50 to 99	19	1 289	456
			100 to 199	5	632	261
			200 to 499	5	(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	394	45 953	370	45 524	423	85 139	396	84 524	5 324
.....1974.....	519	46 814	487	46 245	536	75 239	503	74 520	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Farms with—									
1 to 4	11	35	6	20	12	24	3	6	(Z)
5 to 9	38	253	37	247	7	42	6	36	3
10 to 24	63	976	54	865	55	802	50	736	52
25 to 49	72	2 655	63	2 358	62	2 166	54	1 921	128
50 to 99	62	4 204	62	4 204	75	5 515	71	5 235	315
100 to 199	80	10 781	80	10 781	74	9 753	74	9 753	657
200 to 499	55	15 499	55	15 499	106	32 812	106	32 812	2 208
500 and over	13	11 550	13	11 550	32	34 025	32	34 025	1 961
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	117	22 420	103	21 982	528
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	136	13 451	124	13 058	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Sheep and lambs	23	1 597	21	1 564	23	901	21	835	(NA)
.....1974.....	41	2 437	34	2 158	38	2 096	31	2 018	(NA)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	13	774	'6 086
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	(X)	32
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	16	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	152	417	129	296	13	29	13	29	5
Horses and ponies	259	623	(NA)	(NA)	25	41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....									

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	Farms	Number		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	264	5 464	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
.....1974.....	382	7 192	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	318	8 483	294	8 396
.....1969.....	339	40 060	.....1974.....	420	8 516	401	8 429
Other hogs and pigs	454	39 053	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	302	4 573	280	4 497
.....1974.....	16	629	.....1969.....	384	4 406	367	4 363
.....1969.....	21	899	June 1 and November 30	229	3 910	224	3 899
Lambs under 1 year old	20	36	.....1974.....	364	4 110	349	4 066
Ewes 1 year old or older .....			.....1969.....				
Rams and wethers							

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	211	(X)	184	(X)	44	(X)	40	(X)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(X)	306	(X)	(NA)	(X)	103	(X)
.....1969.....	189	39 829	178	38 638	40	49 540	36	49 274
Chickens 3 months old or older	326	84 816	303	81 651	107	85 108	98	83 366
.....1974.....	187	38 737	176	37 546	39	(D)	35	(D)
.....1969.....	323	63 526	300	60 566	105	33 929	96	32 259
Hens and pullets of laying age								
Farms with—								
1 to 99	122	4 064	116	3 780	20	1 127	17	977
100 to 399	55	9 293	50	8 386	13	2 293	12	2 177
400 to 1,599	7	5 080	7	5 080	4	3 000	4	3 000
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	47	4 143	31	3 193	3	350	3	350
.....1974.....	5	800	5	800	5	680	5	680
.....1969.....								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	120	246	113	243
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	227	371
.....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			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974..	176	37 546	35	(D)	Turkeys	1974..	-	-	-	-
	1969..	300	60 566	96	32 259		1969..	1	4	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	172	35 588	33	19 454	Turkeys for slaughter	1974..	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	10	1 958	2	(D)	Heavy breed	1974..	-	-	-	-
						Light breed	1974..	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	4	703	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	1974..	-	-	-	-
	1969..	9	20 331	4	51 004		1969..	1	4	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	25	389	2	120	Other poultry	1974..	11	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	1	125	1	75		1969..	12	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	401	330	19 815	14 088	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1 024	1 126	126 785	104 586	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	304	354	12 063	10 008	203 550	291 128
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1 092	1 130	82 956	65 855	2 704 233	2 189 557
Other small grains for grain	236	142	4 061	2 155	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	18	(NA)	6	(NA)	501	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	890	983	29 958	33 446	44 202	70 528
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	1	1	1	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1	11	2	19	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	3	(Z)	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	54	(NA)	661	1 127	(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)	265	292	11 608	13 024	495 159	935 892	13	11	743	618
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	193	54	7 373	733	39 662	10 889	5	1	130	8
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	22	5	542	156	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	961	1 033	117 419	96 105	4 024 400	7 407 460	1	2	30	32
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	281	(NA)	8 777	6 901	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	90	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	751	850	17 879	21 874	30 866	54 745	1	-	13	-

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..	565	69 354	(X)	-	-	77	3 207	61	232	19	142
	1969..	569	61 980	(X)	-	-	135	4 595	114	527	23	52
Improved pasture	1974..	328	52 669	(X)	-	-	63	3 378	53	267	11	43
	1969..	347	45 869	(X)	-	-	91	3 715	78	366	14	33
Corn for all purposes	1974..	383	19 523	(X)	14	873	287	15 599	186	1 035	183	976
	1969..	316	13 913	(X)	11	626	238	10 051	190	798	104	600
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	977	126 196	(X)	2	120	687	96 329	491	4 981	427	4 337
	1969..	1 057	103 006	(X)	2	32	940	92 026	749	6 198	474	4 113
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	1 046	82 417	2 689 562	1	7	813	67 216	738	4 701	279	1 369
	1969..	1 058	64 302	2 142 500	-	-	852	54 449	(NA)	3 858	(NA)	916
Oats (bushels)	1974..	226	3 860	151 525	-	-	151	2 779	134	185	25	43
	1969..	134	1 966	84 676	-	-	91	1 319	(NA)	127	(NA)	14
Barley (bushels)	1974..	4	104	5 200	1	6	3	96	3	8	-	-
	1969..	1	10	300	-	-	1	10	(NA)	-	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels)	1974..	1	14	280	-	-	1	14	1	1	-	-
	1969..	5	98	2 460	-	-	4	82	(NA)	7	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974..	4	57	(X)	-	-	3	42	3	2	1	1
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	302	12 045	203 310	1	40	47	1 840	38	106	12	28
	1969..	337	9 825	287 244	-	-	113	3 363	(NA)	187	(NA)	41
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	837	29 369	43 759	2	35	80	2 291	65	174	23	61
	1969..	912	32 456	68 885	-	-	63	1 449	60	150	4	6
Field seed crops	1974..	52	659	(X)	-	-	9	173	9	23	-	-
	1969..	83	1 116	(X)	-	-	10	179	10	42	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	17	5	485	1	(Z)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	(Z)	-
	1969..	53	10	702	-	-	6	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	3	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards	1974..	1	2	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	10	18	(X)	-	-	1	1	1	(Z)	-	-

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	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969	3	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	1	(X)	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969	1	1	(X)	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	1 079	1 122	1 079	1 122	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
..... \$1,000	4 702	1 804	4 702	1 804	Diseases in crops and orchards	10	12	1 123	358
Commercial fertilizer	1 035	1 049	1 035	1 049	..... acres on which used	4	1	4	1
..... acres on which used	196 209	171 256	196 209	171 256	Weeds or grass in crops	564	670	88 760	74 817
..... tons	18 992	18 050	18 992	18 050	..... acres on which used	454	232	454	232
Lime	3 858	1 457	3 858	1 457	Weeds or brush in pasture	276	339	27 195	23 980
..... farms	41	66	41	66	..... acres on which used	70	34	111	(NA)
..... acres on which used	1 475	2 627	1 475	2 627	Weeds on all other land	1 533	(NA)	6	(NA)
..... tons	3 975	6 717	3 975	6 717	..... acres on which used	18	13	669	410
..... \$1,000	21	31	21	31	..... farms	4	1	149	315
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					..... acres on which used	12	18	168	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	397	25	397	25	..... farms	54	(NA)	54	(NA)
..... acres on which used	9 038	477	9 038	477	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
..... \$1,000	43	1	43	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	18	13	669	410
Insects on other crops	282	147	282	147	..... acres on which used	4	1	4	1
..... acres on which used	40 144	8 837	40 144	8 837	Insect control on livestock and poultry	149	315	12	18
..... \$1,000	173	20	173	20	..... farms	168	(NA)	168	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	5	-	5	-	..... \$1,000	54	(NA)	54	(NA)
..... acres on which used	914	-	914	-	Other chemicals (see text)				
..... \$1,000	4	-	4	-	..... farms				

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	21	13	21	13	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	1.7	1.0	1.7	1.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1 112	659	1 112	659	Other sprinkler systems	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Average per farm	53.0	50.6	53.0	50.6	..... farms	144	(NA)	144	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	21	13	21	13	Land in irrigated farms	16 703	9 000	16 703	9 000
Harvested cropland irrigated	1 112	659	1 112	659	Cropland	8 702	5 911	8 702	5 911
..... acres	19	13	19	13	Harvested cropland	6 793	3 445	6 793	3 445
Cropland pasture irrigated	1 082	659	1 082	659	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	3	(X)	3	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	30	-	30	-	..... farms	226	(X)	226	(X)
..... acres	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	24	26	24	26
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	977	357	977	357	Proportion of farms	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1
Average per acre irrigated	0.9	0.5	0.9	0.5	Land in farms with drainage	15 858	14 076	15 858	14 076
Land irrigated by—					Land drained	3 845	3 970	3 845	3 970
Furrows or ditches	12	(NA)	12	(NA)	Average per farm	160.2	152.6	160.2	152.6
..... farms	818	(NA)	818	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
..... acres	818	(NA)	818	(NA)	tanks	480	(NA)	480	(NA)

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		453	351	288			
Farms by size of debt owed:		19 444	12 497	6 947			
Under \$5,000		53	32	60			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		75	71	45			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		126	102	108			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		72	55	45			
\$50,000 and over		127	91	30			

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—							358	39	71	283
150 days or more	39	45	53	52	184		391	184	84	124
25 to 149 days	71	715	113	2 168	84		1 095	53	113	929
Less than 25 days	283		929		124					
Total contract labor	46	48	(NA)	(NA)	56					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	28	(NA)	24	(NA)				
Farms with—							165	29	43	127
1 worker							56	7	18	34
2 workers							67	3	8	62
3 or 4 workers							54	-	2	44
5 to 9 workers							16	-	-	16
10 workers and over										