

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	641	699	619	610	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres	652 163	723 610	647 809	705 959	Total cropland..... farms	611	664	595	598
Average size of farm..... acres	1 017	1 035	1 047	1 157	acres	400 378	445 163	397 351	435 980
					Harvested cropland..... farms	595	649	588	592
					acres	190 939	192 939	190 721	189 599
Approximate land area..... acres	689 664	689 664	689 664	689 664	Farms by acres harvested:				
Proportion in farms..... percent	94.6	104.9	93.9	102.4	1 to 9 acres	3	5	2	} 19
					10 to 19 acres	3	6	3	
					20 to 29 acres	8	15	6	
					30 to 49 acres	22	21	18	
					50 to 99 acres	65	56	65		33
Value of land and buildings \$1,000	133 675	72 697	132 717	70 495	100 to 199 acres	119	163	119	157
Average per farm..... dollars	208 541	104 000	214 405	115 565	200 to 499 acres	262	283	262	283
Average per acre..... dollars	205	100	205	100	500 to 999 acres	97	88	97	88
					1,000 acres and over	16	12	16	12
Farms by size:					Cropland used only for pasture				
1 to 9 acres	22	29	17	10	or grazing..... farms	178	218	173	200
10 to 49 acres	10	8	7	2	acres	41 716	39 558	41 071	38 641
50 to 69 acres	1	2	1		Other cropland (see text)..... farms	551	614	541	(NA)
70 to 99 acres	7	7	6	1	acres	167 723	212 666	165 559	207 740
100 to 139 acres	6	8	5	5	Total woodland..... farms	27	35	27	30
140 to 179 acres	29	26	23	5	acres	4 065	2 753	4 065	2 413
					Other land (see text)..... farms	560	613	542	(NA)
180 to 219 acres	7	6	5	3	acres	247 720	275 694	246 393	267 566
220 to 259 acres	9	10	8	8	Irrigated land..... farms	81	87	81	83
260 to 499 acres	128	114	128	93	acres	12 466	10 435	12 466	10 407
500 to 999 acres	168	206	166	201					
1,000 to 1,999 acres	182	211	181	210					
2,000 acres and over	72	72	72	72					

	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
Other cropland..... farms			541	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
acres			165 559	207 740	Woodland not pastured..... farms			15	16
					acres			3 126	1 275
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms			17	52	Other land..... farms			542	(NA)
acres			578	4 164	acres			246 393	267 566
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms			31	36	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms			406	439
acres			5 510	2 252	acres			222 924	243 715
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			78	66
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms			517	547	acres			26 479	21 030
acres			151 570	186 854	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			338	390
Cropland idle..... farms			62	142	acres			196 445	222 685
acres			7 901	14 470	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms			446	464
Total woodland..... farms			27	30	acres			23 469	23 851
acres			4 065	2 413					
Woodland pastured..... farms			17	16					
acres			939	1 138					

	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	641	699	619	610	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres	652 163	723 610	647 809	705 959	Partnership..... number	(NA)	(NA)	51	91
Harvested cropland..... acres	190 939	192 939	190 721	189 599	Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	80 734	146 570
					Corporation..... number	(NA)	(NA)	6	8
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	11 795	16 090
Full owners..... number	243	190	229	135	Other..... number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Land in farms..... acres	157 627	107 449	155 435	97 021	acres	(NA)	(NA)	320	480
Harvested cropland..... acres	45 971	28 787	45 806	27 324					
Part owners..... number	288	331	285	323	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres	393 321	433 876	391 916	431 026	Under 25 years.....	24	31	21	21
Harvested cropland..... acres	118 005	123 519	117 985	122 690	25 to 34 years.....	58	68	55	58
Tenants..... number	110	178	105	152	35 to 44 years.....	103	153	101	135
Land in farms..... acres	101 215	182 285	100 458	177 912	45 to 54 years.....	149	178	146	164
Harvested cropland..... acres	26 963	40 633	26 930	39 585	55 to 64 years.....	178	163	173	143
Percent of tenancy.....	17.2	25.4	17.0	24.9	65 years and over.....	121	106	115	89
					Average age.....	51.8	49.3	51.9	49.4
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	375	475	369	445
All farm operators..... number	—	(NA)	—	—	On another farm.....	30	—	28	—
Land in farms..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	6	154	5	115
Harvested cropland..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	In a city, town, or urban area.....	100	—	97	—
Full owners..... number	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	None.....	312	(NA)	303	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	49	114	49	95
Part owners..... number	—	(NA)	—	—	50 to 99 days.....	16	23	16	23
Land in farms..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	100 to 149 days.....	13	—	13	—
Harvested cropland..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	150 to 199 days.....	15	—	14	—
Tenants..... number	—	(NA)	—	—	200 days and over.....	84	103	77	71
Land in farms..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres	—	(NA)	—	—	Farming.....	530	(NA)	516	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Other.....	103	(NA)	95	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	40	(NA)
Individual or family..... number	(NA)	(NA)	560	510	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	554 960	542 819					

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	50		50				
\$40,000 to \$99,999	175	55	175	55			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	175	106	175	106			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	108	205	108	205			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	72	161	72	161			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38	80	38	80			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	23	92	1	3			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	4	29	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	8	18	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5	15	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	6	30	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	25 643	11 113	25 616	10 990			
Average per farm dollars	40 005	15 897	41 382	18 016			
Crops, including hay	582	638	576	(NA)			
\$1,000	18 023	5 002	18 013	4 918			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
\$1,000							
Forest products	1	1	1	1			
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	470	543	459	501			
\$1,000	7 619	6 111	7 603	6 065			
Poultry and poultry products	42	(NA)	42	86			
\$1,000	167	(NA)	167	66			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000	576			(NA)			
18 013				4 918			
Grains							
\$1,000	569			579			
17 382				4 378			
Tobacco							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000	98			225			
630				532			
Other field crops							
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000							
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000	1			3			
(Z)				7			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	459			501			
7 603				6 065			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	42			86			
167				66			
Dairy products							
\$1,000	1 053			543			
432				78			
Cattle and calves							
\$1,000	5 014			4 264			
124				(NA)			
Hogs and pigs							
\$1,000	1 219			1 193			
12							
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000	136						
Other livestock and livestock products							
\$1,000	11						
13							

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	45	(NA)	35	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²		307
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	168	(NA)	165	(NA)	\$1,000		1 615
\$1,000	431	(NA)	427	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		347
Customwork and other agricultural services	69	120	69	111	\$1,000		41
\$1,000	203	138	203	126	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		168
Recreational services	2	2	2	1	\$1,000		779
\$1,000	4	1	4	(Z)	Interest, dividends, or royalties		133
Government farm programs	53	511	52	472	\$1,000		267
\$1,000	85	1 640	84	1 612	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		78
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	56	(NA)	54	(NA)	\$1,000		187
\$1,000	99	(NA)	95	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		24
Other farm-related sources	25	(NA)	25	(NA)	\$1,000		34
\$1,000	41	(NA)	41	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	64	(NA)	62	(NA)			
\$1,000	114	(NA)	113	(NA)			

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	641	699	619	610	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	399	525	394	480
\$1,000	15 352	8 647	15 322	8 496	\$1,000	422	261	421	254
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased	309	272	305	262
\$1 to \$999	15	30	6	30	\$1,000	742	179	740	178
\$1,000 to \$1,999	21	65	14		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	210	(NA)	209	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	36	52	32	44	\$1,000	176	64	176	63
\$3,000 to \$4,999	61	91	59	77	Lime	(NA)	1	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	110	188	110	186	\$1,000	(NA)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
\$10,000 to \$19,999	149		149	159	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	634	687	613	604
\$20,000 to \$39,999	158		158	81	\$1,000	1 466	780	1 457	750
\$40,000 to \$59,999	38	273	38		(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	606	590
\$60,000 and over	53		53	33	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	699	407
Livestock and poultry purchased	265	344	259	315	Diesel oil			345	319
\$1,000	1 808	1 624	1 807	1 608	\$1,000			382	152
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	413	487	402	447	LP gas, butane, and propane			305	323
\$1,000	2 048	1 147	2 044	1 127	\$1,000			257	122
Commercially mixed formula feeds	296	337	290	318	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil			613	604
\$1,000	1 083	514	1 083	506	(NA)			120	70
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	82	115	Hired farm labor	224	379	222	370
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	132	88	\$1,000	606	352	605	351
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	212	200	Contract labor	23	461	23	29
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	642	441	\$1,000	67	580	67	33
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	87	129	Machine hire and customwork	349		347	418
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	186	92	\$1,000	918		917	533
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	316	(NA)	All other production expenses	633	672	619	610
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	(NA)	\$1,000	7 100	3 660	6 993	3 599

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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	627	680	605	602	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	358	370	355	362
..... \$1,000.....	18 653	7 821	18 401	7 572	..... number.....	453	425	447	417
Average per farm..... dollars.....	29 750	11 501	30 414	12 577	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	61	55	60	53
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	40	55	40	22
\$1 to \$999.....	—	13	—	139	..... number.....	40	61	40	22
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	40	185	37	—	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	7	20	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	83	198	77	181	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	23	—	23	34
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	121	147	111	146	..... number.....	23	—	23	37
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	120	—	118	79	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	—	1	2
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	166	—	166	47	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	64	(NA)	62	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	57	137	56	—	..... number.....	67	(NA)	65	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	40	—	40	10	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	17	(NA)	17	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers..... farms.....	164	160	162	156
Automobiles..... farms.....	573	605	551	544	..... number.....	172	164	170	160
..... number.....	790	883	765	816	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	46	64	46	63
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	441	449	424	422	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	89	(NA)	88	68
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	602	643	583	579	..... number.....	90	(NA)	89	71
..... number.....	1 484	1 383	1 464	1 303	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	45	(NA)	45	37
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	498	332	498	309	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	100	(NA)	100	137
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	575	615	557	563	..... number.....	104	(NA)	104	143
..... number.....	1 497	1 521	1 469	1 436	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	(NA)	25	32
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	273	265	259	255					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	10	—	10	16					
..... number.....	15	—	15	16					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	2					

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.....	468	(X)	456	(X)	470	(X)	459	(X)	7 603
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	457	(X)	445	(X)	467	(X)	456	(X)	6 370
..... 1969.....	530	(X)	489	(X)	537	(X)	496	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	432	45 213	424	45 046	438	25 166	432	25 103	5 014
..... 1969.....	516	44 973	475	44 470	517	27 021	483	26 834	4 264
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	8	17	6	14	10	24	10	24	3
5 to 9..... 1974.....	3	16	3	16	22	166	20	149	25
10 to 19..... 1974.....	23	357	23	357	72	1 026	68	980	150
20 to 49..... 1974.....	106	3 579	100	3 415	161	5 400	161	5 400	878
50 to 99..... 1974.....	132	9 593	132	9 593	109	6 847	109	6 847	1 214
100 to 199..... 1974.....	103	13 859	103	13 859	49	6 057	49	6 057	1 177
200 to 499..... 1974.....	53	14 046	53	14 046	10	2 426	10	2 426	476
500 and over..... 1974.....	4	3 746	4	3 746	5	3 220	5	3 220	1 092
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	397	22 581	389	22 509	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	470	21 621	436	21 321	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	373	20 762	368	20 701	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	19 939	409	19 733	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	66	1 819	63	1 808	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	156	1 682	136	1 588	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	35	(X)	1 053
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	78	(X)	543
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.....	373	20 762	368	20 701	Cattle sold.....	317	13 984	3 616	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	5	11	4	10	1 to 4.....	45	115	23	
5 to 9.....	8	57	8	57	5 to 9.....	34	218	41	
10 to 19.....	35	466	32	430	10 to 19.....	64	817	163	
20 to 49.....	150	5 099	149	5 075	20 to 49.....	94	2 817	593	
50 to 99.....	123	8 025	123	8 025	50 to 99.....	47	2 834	691	
100 to 199.....	45	5 304	45	5 304	100 to 199.....	22	2 803	713	
200 to 499.....	7	1 800	7	1 800	200 to 499.....	7	1 760	425	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	4	2 620	967	
Milk cows.....	66	1 819	63	1 808	Calves sold.....	299	11 119	1 399	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	25	36	24	35	1 or 2.....	5	7	1	
3 or 4.....	5	16	5	16	3 or 4.....	8	29	3	
5 to 9.....	4	22	2	12	5 to 9.....	27	191	26	
10 to 19.....	3	41	3	41	10 to 19.....	64	898	110	
20 to 49.....	16	536	16	536	20 to 49.....	125	4 003	516	
50 to 99.....	9	614	9	614	50 to 99.....	53	3 384	440	
100 to 199.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	100 to 199.....	13	1 557	178	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	4	1 050	126	
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	300	8 568	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	21	1 852	679
1969	384	9 346	1969	22	2 660	(NA)
Beef heifers	282	7 738	Farms with —			
Milk heifers	27	830	1 to 9	3	10	2
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	375	13 969	10 to 19	7	101	28
1969	437	13 803	20 to 49	4	150	39
			50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499	1	(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	114	9 872	108	9 745	129	22 389	124	22 188 1 219
1969	198	14 769	191	14 486	209	29 242	197	28 882 (NA)
Farms with —								
1 to 4	9	20	7	15	1	2	1	2 (Z)
5 to 9	8	51	7	46	5	30	4	25 2
10 to 24	22	374	21	357	9	148	8	134 10
25 to 49	15	543	15	543	25	898	24	866 66
50 to 99	30	1 999	28	1 899	32	2 017	30	1 867 114
100 to 199	19	2 459	19	2 459	24	3 248	24	3 248 165
200 to 499	8	2 274	8	2 274	19	5 875	19	5 875 235
500 and over	3	2 152	3	2 152	14	10 171	14	10 171 627
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	35	6 287	35	6 287 136
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	69	7 476	62	7 165 (NA)
Sheep and lambs	15	4 897	15	4 897	13	3 671	12	3 650 (NA)
1969	14	4 636	14	4 636	13	1 879	13	1 879 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	3 128 129 704
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	(X) 136
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	14	(NA)	(NA)	2	7 (NA)
Horses and ponies	82	322	80	318	11	35	11	35 13
1969	174	581	(NA)	(NA)	20	74	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory			
	Farms		Number		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	82	1 569	Litters of pigs farrowed between —					
1969	118	2 130	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	93	2 459	92	2 455	
1974	98	8 176	1969	139	2 858	129	2 791	
1969	175	12 356	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	90	1 377	90	1 377	
1974	12	1 867	1969	124	1 515	118	1 490	
1969	14	2 877	1974	61	1 082	60	1 078	
Lambs under 1 year old	10	153	1969	121	1 343	111	1 301	
Ewes 1 year old or older								
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	116	(X)	116	(X)	15	(X)	15	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	178	(X)	(NA)	(X)	42	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	111	13 587	111	13 587	13	5 903	13	5 903
1969	200	20 543	174	19 395	35	8 049	34	7 899
Hens and pullets of laying age	110	11 954	110	11 954	13	5 652	13	5 652
1969	196	18 898	172	18 038	33	7 186	32	7 036
Farms with —								
1 to 99	93	3 284	93	3 284	5	301	5	301
100 to 399	13	2 120	13	2 120	6	1 375	6	1 375
400 to 1,599	2	950	2	950	1	(D)	1	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	19	2 409	19	2 409	2	325	2	325
1969	3	202	3	202	4	645	4	645
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	42	167	42	167
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	86	66

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.....	110	11 954	13	5 652	Turkeys.....1974.....	2	2	—	—
.....1969.....	172	18 038	32	7 036	.....1969.....	4	48	2	68
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	107	8 004	11	3 136	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	7	3 950	3	2 516	.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	1	750	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	9	561	—	—	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	29	883	3	251	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	2	2	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	4	26 900	1	(D)	.....1969.....	4	46	2	68
					Other poultry.....1974.....	5	(X)	2	(X)
					.....1969.....	20	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	88	95	8 940	6 915	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes.....	289	428	19 818	32 168	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	3	3	130	83			3 250		2 210	
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	566	613	150 684	137 251			4 320 954		3 839 188	
Other small grains for grain.....	17	196	555	8 130	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	3	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)			18		(NA)	
Sweet potatoes (bushels).....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)			—		(NA)	
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	247	248	12 057	11 020			34 192		35 666	
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	—	4	—	22	(X)	(X)			(X)	
Land in orchards.....	2	4	1	1	(X)	(X)			(X)	
Berries for sale.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)			(X)	
Other crops.....	4	(NA)	132	137	(X)	(X)			(X)	

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	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	173	41 071	(X)	2	35	1	50	1	5	—
.....1969.....	200	38 641	(X)	10	238	6	323	5	23	1
Improved pasture.....1974.....	78	26 479	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	66	21 030	(X)	1	100	2	100	2	4	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	88	8 940	(X)	56	7 273	70	8 008	16	95	60
.....1969.....	95	6 915	(X)	41	4 314	59	5 021	34	144	53
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	287	19 785	(X)	30	2 228	118	9 370	49	158	78
.....1969.....	403	31 621	(X)	45	3 092	163	12 269	71	271	121
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	561	150 499	4 318 355	5	870	181	41 458	75	651	143
.....1969.....	570	134 817	3 779 075	10	753	80	11 813	(NA)	215	(NA)
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	7	114	3 807	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	91	2 491	73 446	—	—	8	253	(NA)	4	(NA)
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	4	341	11 700	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
.....1969.....	40	2 063	57 983	—	—	3	125	(NA)	3	(NA)
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	4	75	1 600	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
.....1969.....	60	3 092	59 183	—	—	2	90	(NA)	2	(NA)
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	3	25	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	3	130	3 250	—	—	1	50	1	2	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	3	83	2 210	—	—	2	20	(NA)	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(Z)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	247	12 057	34 192	40	1 938	35	2 196	18	88	18
.....1969.....	237	10 854	35 368	43	1 927	20	712	18	29	37
Field seed crops.....1974.....	3	57	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
.....1969.....	8	129	(X)	1	15	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	3	(Z)	18	1	(Z)	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	13	4	174	—	—	1	(Z)	(NA)	—	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	4	22	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	(Z)	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	2	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(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

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons	
Berries for sale	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	5	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	1	75	(X)	-	1	75	1	2	-	-	-

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	
	Forms	\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000		Forms	\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	360	916	348	241	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con	4	447	1	1
Commercial fertilizer	305	305	225	225	Diseases in crops and orchards	3	3	(Z)	(Z)
Lime	1	1	1	1	Weeds or grass in crops	118	118	134	134
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds or brush in pasture	80	80	12	12
Insects on hay crops	69	15	7	1	Weeds on all other land	17	17	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	79	13	71	10	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	-	-	-	-
Nematodes in crops	4	58	21	21	of crops or thinning of fruit	-	-	-	-
	196	4	-	-	Insect control on livestock and poultry	68	68	162	162
	1	1	-	-	Other chemicals (see text)	11	11	(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	81	12 466	83	10 407	Land irrigated by—Continued	10	10	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	13.1	153.9	13.6	125.3	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1 503	1 503	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	81	12 466	83	10 307	Other sprinkler systems	2 371	2 371	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	81	12 466	83	10 307	Land in irrigated farms	138 129	138 129	134	631
Cropland irrigated	81	12 466	83	10 307	Cropland	79 639	79 639	80	860
Harvested cropland irrigated	12 311	9 913	9 913	9 913	Harvested cropland	42 359	42 359	37	357
Cropland pasture irrigated	2	35	10	238	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	3	3	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	1	120	(NA)	156	between 1970 and 1973	135	135	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	1	100	Farms with artificial drainage	3	3	7	7
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	20 781	15 074	15 074	15 074	Proportion of farms	0.5	0.5	1.1	1.1
Average per acre irrigated	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	Land in farms with drainage	1 761	1 761	12	191
Land irrigated by—					Land drained	116	116	1	925
Furrows or ditches	51	7 577	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	38.7	38.7	275.0	275.0
	7 577	7 577	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	82	82	(NA)	(NA)
						178	178	(NA)	(NA)
						358	358	(NA)	(NA)

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

	Forms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Forms	\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000	Forms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)			221	9 092	159	5 307	128	3 785
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			24	22	17	21	18	23
\$5,000 to \$9,999			70	40	50	39	40	25
\$10,000 to \$29,999			65	65	32	32	22	22
\$30,000 to \$49,999								
\$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—											
150 days or more	60	47	81	57	374	351	222	60	89	124	
25 to 149 days	89	348	158	808	166	64	605	374	166	64	
Less than 25 days	124	29	340	(NA)	67	33	579	81	158	340	
Total contract labor	23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	67	33					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	65	(NA)	33	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							100	44	50	57	
2 workers							45	11	24	23	
3 or 4 workers							41	5	11	22	
5 to 9 workers							29	-	3	17	
10 workers and over							7	-	1	5	