

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres |
| Farms | 760 | 490 801 | 820 | 542 543 | 687 | 478 357 | 748 | 531 520 |
| Average size of farm | (X) | 646 | (X) | 662 | (X) | 696 | (X) | 711 |
| Approximate land area | (X) | 576 000 | (X) | 576 000 | (X) | 576 000 | (X) | 576 000 |
| Proportion in farms | (X) | 85.2 | (X) | 94.2 | (X) | 83.0 | (X) | 92.3 |
| Value of land and buildings: ¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Average per farm | 239 983 | (X) | 142 987 | (X) | 253 735 | (X) | 151 993 | (X) |
| Average per acre | (X) | 366 | (X) | 216 | (X) | 363 | (X) | 214 |
| Land in farms according to use: | | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland | 716 | 297 101 | 786 | 313 801 | 655 | 288 816 | 734 | 307 287 |
| Harvested cropland | 693 | 152 027 | 756 | 174 401 | 643 | 149 282 | 717 | 172 768 |
| By acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 14 | 57 | 15 | (NA) | 10 | 37 | 4 | (NA) |
| 10 to 19 acres | 13 | 169 | 17 | (NA) | 8 | 103 | 8 | (NA) |
| 20 to 29 acres | 25 | 600 | 13 | (NA) | 18 | 434 | 5 | (NA) |
| 30 to 49 acres | 52 | 2 112 | 33 | (NA) | 30 | 1 251 | 25 | (NA) |
| 50 to 99 acres | 136 | 9 864 | 127 | (NA) | 126 | 9 227 | 125 | (NA) |
| 100 to 199 acres | 204 | 29 136 | 221 | (NA) | 203 | 221 | 221 | (NA) |
| 200 to 499 acres | 179 | 54 465 | 270 | (NA) | 179 | 54 465 | 270 | (NA) |
| 500 to 999 acres | 55 | 36 897 | 47 | (NA) | 54 | (D) | 46 | (NA) |
| 1,000 acres or more | 15 | 18 727 | 13 | (NA) | 15 | 18 727 | 13 | (NA) |
| Cropland used only for pasture | 214 | 33 103 | 266 | 40 501 | 186 | 30 374 | 238 | 38 206 |
| Other cropland | 612 | 111 971 | 620 | 98 899 | 570 | 109 160 | 594 | 96 313 |
| Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested or pastured | 72 | 2 897 | (NA) | (NA) | 65 | 2 661 | 74 | 3 843 |
| Cropland on which all crops failed | 49 | 2 764 | (NA) | (NA) | 46 | 2 699 | 68 | 5 030 |
| Cropland in cultivated summer fallow | 511 | 81 260 | (NA) | (NA) | 481 | 79 396 | 523 | 71 909 |
| Cropland idle | 244 | 25 050 | (NA) | (NA) | 226 | 24 404 | 151 | 15 531 |
| Total woodland | 23 | 683 | 34 | 2 700 | 21 | 2 688 | 31 | 2 688 |
| Woodland pastured | 11 | 412 | (NA) | (NA) | 11 | 412 | 9 | 1 292 |
| Woodland not pastured | 14 | 271 | (NA) | (NA) | 12 | (D) | 27 | 1 396 |
| Other land | 618 | 193 017 | 667 | 226 042 | 572 | (D) | 611 | 221 545 |
| Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured | 439 | 181 567 | (NA) | (NA) | 419 | 177 828 | 428 | 207 346 |
| Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc | 458 | 11 450 | (NA) | (NA) | 420 | (D) | 520 | 14 199 |
| Pastureland, all types | 606 | 215 082 | (NA) | (NA) | 561 | 208 614 | (NA) | 246 844 |
| Irrigated land | 79 | 10 027 | 88 | 7 557 | 77 | (D) | 85 | 7 535 |
| Harvested cropland irrigated | 79 | 9 744 | (NA) | (NA) | 77 | (D) | 84 | 7 495 |
| Pastureland irrigated | 2 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (NA) | 40 |
| Other land irrigated | 5 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | (D) | - | - |
| Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978 | 426 | 28 897 | (X) | (X) | 399 | 28 100 | (X) | (X) |

¹1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.

Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|--|-----------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) |
| Market value of agricultural products sold ¹ | 760 | 56 551 | 820 | 27 252 | 687 | 56 085 | 748 | 27 019 |
| Average per farm | (X) | 74 409 | (X) | 33 234 | (X) | 81 637 | (X) | 36 122 |
| Farms by value of agricultural products sold: ¹ | | | | | | | | |
| \$100,000 or more | 37 | 42 638 | 21 | (NA) | 37 | 42 638 | 21 | (NA) |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999 | 96 | 5 807 | 86 | (NA) | 96 | 5 807 | 86 | (NA) |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 138 | 3 778 | 128 | (NA) | 138 | 3 778 | 128 | (NA) |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 177 | 2 452 | 237 | (NA) | 177 | 2 452 | 237 | (NA) |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 141 | 1 040 | 178 | (NA) | 141 | 1 040 | 178 | (NA) |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 98 | 370 | 83 | (NA) | 98 | 370 | 83 | (NA) |
| Less than \$2,500 (see text) | 72 | (D) | 86 | (NA) | (X) | (X) | 15 | (NA) |
| \$2,000 to \$2,499 | 17 | 37 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 22 | 37 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 19 | 22 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Less than \$1,000 | 14 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Abnormal farms (see text) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Crops | 659 | 8 632 | 725 | 10 486 | 615 | 8 547 | (NA) | 10 428 |
| Grains | 639 | 8 146 | (NA) | (NA) | 598 | 8 060 | 696 | 9 986 |
| Commodity Credit Corporation loans | 261 | 1 308 | (NA) | (NA) | 248 | 1 300 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| Commodity Credit Corporation loans | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| Tobacco | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage | 106 | 309 | (NA) | (NA) | 102 | (D) | 111 | (D) |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | 1 | (D) |
| Fruits, nuts, and berries | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | - | - |
| Other crops | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | 569 | 47 919 | 625 | 16 766 | 541 | 47 543 | 575 | 16 590 |
| Poultry and poultry products | 24 | 6 | 35 | 13 | 21 | (D) | 35 | 13 |
| Dairy products | 40 | 1 276 | (NA) | (NA) | 40 | 1 276 | 45 | 978 |
| Cattle and calves | 538 | 45 634 | (NA) | (NA) | 520 | 45 270 | 567 | 15 157 |
| Hogs and pigs | 86 | 970 | (NA) | (NA) | 78 | 965 | 72 | 416 |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | 6 | 12 | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | (D) | 6 | 2 |
| Other livestock and livestock products (see text) | 14 | 21 | (NA) | (NA) | 11 | 17 | 10 | 1 |

¹1974 data include sales of forest products.

Table 3. Farms, Land in Farms, Land Use, and Irrigation, by Size of Farm: 1978 and 1974

| | Farms | | 1978 | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------|------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| | 1978 | 1974 | Acres in farms | Farms with harvested cropland | | | Farms with irrigated land | | | |
| | | | | Farms | Acres in farms | Harvested cropland | Farms | Acres in farms | Harvested cropland | Irrigated land |
| All farms | 760 | 820 | 490 801 | 693 | 479 267 | 152 027 | 79 | 91 148 | 30 185 | 10 027 |
| Farms with - | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 38 | 31 | 70 | 4 | 20 | 9 | 2 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 10 to 49 acres | 20 | 19 | 483 | 11 | 261 | 198 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 50 to 69 acres | 7 | 17 | 406 | 5 | 302 | 165 | - | - | - | - |
| 70 to 99 acres | 40 | 30 | 3 200 | 35 | 2 790 | 1 449 | 2 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 100 to 139 acres | 21 | 22 | 2 473 | 20 | 2 373 | 1 067 | 2 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 140 to 179 acres | 76 | 77 | 12 016 | 72 | 11 398 | 4 601 | - | - | - | - |
| 180 to 219 acres | 31 | 19 | 6 199 | 30 | 5 989 | 2 367 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 220 to 259 acres | 25 | 35 | 5 960 | 23 | 5 500 | 2 035 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 260 to 499 acres | 193 | 237 | 72 402 | 189 | 70 802 | 24 731 | 16 | 5 711 | 2 191 | 1 586 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 177 | 196 | 127 397 | 173 | 124 837 | 41 576 | 23 | 16 719 | 5 781 | 2 565 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 89 | 84 | 120 306 | 89 | 120 306 | 40 237 | 18 | 24 439 | 10 375 | 3 119 |
| 2,000 acres or more | 43 | 53 | 139 889 | 42 | 134 689 | 33 592 | 13 | 43 360 | 11 536 | 2 523 |

Table 4. Operators—Tenure, Type of Organization, and Characteristics: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|-------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|-------|---------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres |
| Land in farms | 760 | 490 801 | 820 | 542 543 | 687 | 478 357 | 748 | 531 520 |
| Harvested cropland | 693 | 152 027 | 756 | 174 401 | 643 | 149 282 | 717 | 172 768 |
| Tenure of operator: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners | 278 | 93 727 | 291 | 108 102 | 238 | 89 618 | 245 | 103 897 |
| Harvested cropland | 229 | 28 871 | (NA) | 33 899 | 202 | 28 006 | (NA) | 33 395 |
| Part owners | 341 | 324 783 | 385 | 346 354 | 330 | 318 981 | 374 | 341 582 |
| Harvested cropland | 335 | 99 025 | (NA) | 114 474 | 327 | 97 839 | (NA) | 113 513 |
| Tenants | 141 | 72 291 | 144 | 88 087 | 119 | 69 758 | 129 | 86 041 |
| Harvested cropland | 129 | 24 131 | (NA) | 26 028 | 114 | 23 437 | (NA) | 25 860 |
| Type of organization: | | | | | | | | |
| Individual or family | 673 | 418 045 | (NA) | (NA) | 604 | 409 826 | 697 | 466 998 |
| Partnership | 72 | 51 937 | (NA) | (NA) | 69 | 51 427 | 42 | 50 067 |
| Corporation | 14 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 14 | 17 104 | 8 | (D) |
| Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | 1 | (D) |

| | All farms | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | All farms | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------|-------------------------------------|------|--|-----------|------|-------------------------------------|------|
| | 1978 | 1974 | 1978 | 1974 | | 1978 | 1974 | 1978 | 1974 |
| Operators by principal occupation: | | | | | Operators by place of residence: | | | | |
| Farming | 494 | 584 | 473 | 554 | On farm operated | 393 | 447 | 364 | 419 |
| Other | 266 | 226 | 214 | 185 | Not on farm operated | 231 | 185 | 201 | 161 |
| | | | | | Not reported | 136 | 178 | 122 | 159 |
| Operators by age group: | | | | | Operators reporting days of work off farm: | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 24 | 15 | 22 | 11 | None | 326 | 302 | 303 | 285 |
| 25 to 34 years | 102 | 101 | 84 | 91 | 1 to 49 days | 60 | 39 | 59 | 35 |
| 35 to 44 years | 103 | 141 | 99 | 133 | 50 to 99 days | 33 | 23 | 32 | 21 |
| 45 to 54 years | 199 | 186 | 185 | 168 | 100 to 149 days | 36 | 36 | 36 | 31 |
| 55 to 64 years | 230 | 238 | 213 | 220 | 150 to 199 days | 46 | 20 | 42 | 17 |
| 65 years and over | 102 | 129 | 84 | 116 | 200 days or more | 221 | 197 | 179 | 168 |
| Average age | 50.5 | 51.1 | 50.6 | 51.2 | | | | | |

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Selected Farm Production Expenses: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | 282 | 24 840 | 317 | 7 448 | 275 | 24 701 | 297 | 7 414 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry | 536 | 12 045 | 555 | 5 853 | 525 | 11 998 | 502 | 5 799 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | 163 | 2 037 | 403 | 1 260 | 163 | 2 037 | 376 | 1 244 |
| Animal health costs | 518 | 368 | (NA) | (NA) | 496 | 363 | 440 | 125 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees | 419 | 478 | 547 | 385 | 406 | 474 | 519 | 378 |
| Commercial fertilizer | 445 | 1 225 | 395 | 657 | 418 | 1 209 | 387 | 650 |
| Other agricultural chemicals including lime | 333 | 322 | 266 | 152 | 316 | 305 | 262 | 147 |
| Hired farm labor | 315 | 1 576 | 249 | 763 | 308 | 1 495 | 238 | 737 |
| Contract labor | 44 | 44 | 17 | 22 | 44 | 44 | 15 | (D) |
| Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment | 395 | 575 | 414 | 460 | 388 | 571 | 397 | 454 |
| Energy and petroleum products | 750 | 2 047 | (NA) | (NA) | 685 | 1 999 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Petroleum products | 750 | 1 703 | 815 | 1 247 | 685 | 1 662 | 744 | 1 216 |
| Gasoline | 718 | 892 | (NA) | (NA) | 663 | 868 | 697 | 715 |
| Diesel fuel | 490 | 530 | (NA) | (NA) | 451 | 522 | 435 | 282 |
| LP gas, butane, and propane | 311 | 126 | (NA) | (NA) | 305 | 124 | 237 | 125 |
| Fuel oil | 45 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 45 | (D) | | |
| Natural gas | 89 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 88 | (D) | 744 | 93 |
| Kerosene, motor oil, and grease | 750 | 115 | (NA) | (NA) | 685 | 111 | | |
| Electricity | 521 | 344 | (NA) | (NA) | 497 | 337 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Other—coal, wood, coke, etc. | 5 | (Z) | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | (Z) | (NA) | (NA) |

Table 6. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer and Lime: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms, see text]

| | All farms | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|---------------------|
| | 1978 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres on which used | Farms | Acres on which used | Farms | Acres on which used |
| Commercial fertilizer | 419 | 88 793 | 392 | 87 179 | 387 | 68 873 |
| Cropland fertilized, except pasture | 419 | 88 397 | 392 | (D) | (NA) | 67 647 |
| Pasture and rangeland fertilized | 4 | 396 | 3 | (D) | (NA) | 1 226 |
| Lime | 10 | 400 | - | - | - | - |
| Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— | | | | | | |
| Insects on hay and other crops | 84 | 10 267 | 68 | 9 887 | (NA) | 6 579 |
| Nematodes in crops | 20 | 1 626 | 20 | 1 626 | 1 | (D) |
| Diseases in crops and orchards | 10 | 1 140 | 10 | 1 140 | 1 | (D) |
| Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture | 253 | 38 641 | 246 | 37 075 | (NA) | 21 262 |
| Chemicals for— | | | | | | |
| Defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit | 12 | 1 148 | 12 | 1 148 | 1 | (D) |
| Insect control on livestock and poultry | 183 | (X) | 182 | (X) | 50 | (X) |
| Sanitation and rodent and bird control | 51 | (X) | 50 | (X) | (NA) | (X) |

Table 7. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms, see text]

| | All farms | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | All farms | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | |
|---|-----------|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|---|-----------|-------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | 1978 | 1974 | 1978 | 1974 | | 1978 | 1974 | 1978 | 1974 |
| ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT | | | | | ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT—Con. | | | | |
| Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms | 760 | 770 | 695 | 698 | Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—Con | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 29 369 | 19 329 | 28 463 | 18 550 | \$20,000 to \$29,999 | 134 | 166 | 124 | 165 |
| Average per farm | 38 643 | 25 103 | 40 954 | 26 576 | \$30,000 to \$49,999 | 99 | 161 | 94 | 159 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | \$50,000 to \$69,999 | 80 | 47 | 80 | 47 |
| \$1 to \$4,999 | 61 | 72 | 46 | 55 | \$70,000 to \$99,999 | 56 | 34 | 56 | 33 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 122 | 107 | 94 | 89 | \$100,000 to \$199,999 | 43 | 12 | 43 | 12 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 152 | 183 | 146 | 150 | \$200,000 or more | 13 | | 12 | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1978 | | | | | 1974 | | | |
| | All farms | | Manufactured 1974 to 1978 | | Manufactured prior to 1974 | | Farms | | Manufactured 1970 to 1974 |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | 1970 to 1974 |
| SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT | | | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles | 619 | 947 | 249 | 299 | 458 | 648 | 682 | 977 | 482 |
| Motortrucks including pickups | 719 | 1 657 | 364 | 508 | 583 | 1 149 | 699 | 1 460 | 461 |
| Wheel tractors | 640 | 1 382 | 169 | 234 | 576 | 1 148 | 708 | 1 406 | 306 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only | 504 | 668 | 68 | 95 | 449 | 573 | 460 | 524 | 86 |
| Corn heads for combines | 32 | 44 | 15 | 27 | 17 | 17 | 21 | 24 | 14 |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shellers | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21 | 22 | 1 |
| Cottonpickers | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Mower conditioners | 147 | 174 | 96 | 97 | 71 | 77 | 86 | 89 | 23 |
| Pickup balers | 255 | 263 | 79 | 80 | 183 | 183 | 262 | 267 | 80 |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type | 65 | 68 | 18 | 18 | 48 | 50 | 103 | 106 | 18 |

Table 8. Hired Farm Workers: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms, see text]

| | Hired workers—All farms, 1978 | | | | | Any hired workers—Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|----------------------------|---------|---|------|
| | Any | Working 150 days or more | | Working less than 150 days | | 1978 | 1974 |
| | | Farms | Workers | Farms | Workers | | |
| Farms | 315 | 48 | (X) | 291 | (X) | 308 | 238 |
| Workers | 1 059 | (X) | 192 | (X) | 867 | 1 033 | 726 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | |
| 1 worker | 139 | 19 | 19 | 129 | 129 | 133 | 114 |
| 2 workers | 89 | 12 | 24 | 85 | 170 | 89 | 42 |
| 3 or 4 workers | 39 | 12 | (D) | 38 | 137 | 39 | 38 |
| 5 to 9 workers | 33 | 2 | (D) | 25 | 168 | 33 | 34 |
| 10 workers or more | 15 | 3 | 97 | 14 | 263 | 14 | 10 |

Table 9. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | | |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | |
| LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY | | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock or poultry | 575 | (X) | 624 | (X) | 537 | (X) | 571 | (X) | |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... | 549 | (X) | 613 | (X) | 522 | (X) | 563 | (X) | |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock or poultry and their products | \$1,000.. | 569 | 47 919 | 625 | 16 766 | 541 | 47 543 | 575 | 16 590 |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... | \$1,000.. | 563 | 46 616 | 623 | (NA) | 537 | (D) | 573 | 15 595 |
| CATTLE AND CALVES | | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 525 | 59 752 | 608 | 52 101 | 503 | 58 421 | 558 | 50 290 | |
| Cows and heifers that had calved | 480 | 22 115 | 553 | 24 538 | 462 | 21 682 | 518 | (D) | |
| Beef cows | 456 | 20 862 | 527 | 23 016 | 438 | 20 429 | 492 | (D) | |
| Milk cows | 52 | 1 253 | 100 | 1 522 | 52 | 1 253 | 99 | (D) | |
| Heifers and heifer calves | 405 | 11 876 | (NA) | (NA) | 391 | 11 612 | 376 | 11 272 | |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls and bull calves | 467 | 25 761 | (NA) | (NA) | 451 | 25 127 | 427 | 15 138 | |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 538 | 92 654 | 615 | 50 626 | 520 | 91 924 | 567 | 49 791 | |
| | (X) | 45 634 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 45 270 | (X) | 15 157 | |
| Calves | 387 | 9 774 | (NA) | (NA) | 373 | 9 685 | 421 | 11 851 | |
| | (X) | 2 464 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 2 448 | (X) | 1 446 | |
| Cattle | 376 | 82 880 | (NA) | (NA) | 367 | 82 239 | 403 | 37 940 | |
| | (X) | 43 171 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 42 822 | (X) | 13 711 | |
| Fattened cattle | 20 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 19 | (D) | 29 | 27 585 | |
| | (X) | (D) | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 11 242 | |
| Dairy products | 40 | 1 276 | (NA) | (NA) | 40 | 1 276 | 45 | 978 | |
| HOGS, SHEEP, GOATS, AND HORSES | | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 81 | 7 681 | 86 | 5 261 | 74 | 7 624 | 82 | 5 192 | |
| Used or to be used for breeding | 56 | 1 237 | (NA) | (NA) | 53 | 1 230 | 40 | 656 | |
| Other hogs and pigs | 68 | 6 444 | (NA) | (NA) | 62 | 6 394 | 76 | 4 536 | |
| Litters of pigs farrowed between | | | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 | 60 | 2 023 | 46 | 991 | 57 | 2 020 | 45 | (D) | |
| Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 | 51 | 1 061 | 42 | 502 | 50 | (D) | 41 | (D) | |
| June 1 and Nov. 30 | 48 | 962 | 35 | 489 | 46 | (D) | 34 | (D) | |
| Sheep and lambs | 10 | 1 012 | 9 | 113 | 7 | 951 | 9 | 113 | |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | 10 | 572 | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | 531 | 7 | 86 | |
| Goats | 2 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| Horses and ponies | 100 | 345 | 68 | 249 | 87 | 276 | 62 | 222 | |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 86 | 14 624 | 75 | 7 095 | 78 | 14 566 | 72 | 7 020 | |
| | (X) | 970 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 965 | (X) | 436 | |
| Feeder pigs | 37 | 7 119 | 21 | 1 138 | 35 | (D) | 20 | (D) | |
| | (X) | 281 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 26 | |
| Sheep and lambs | 6 | 264 | 6 | 50 | 5 | (D) | 6 | 50 | |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | 5 | 200 | (NA) | (NA) | 4 | (D) | 3 | 81 | |
| Pounds of wool | (X) | 1 453 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 789 | |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | 6 | 12 | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | (D) | 6 | 2 | |
| Goats | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| | (X) | — | (X) | (NA) | (X) | — | (X) | — | |
| Horses and ponies | 14 | 61 | 10 | 17 | 11 | 51 | 10 | 17 | |
| | (X) | 21 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 17 | (X) | 4 | |
| POULTRY | | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | | |
| Any poultry | 123 | (X) | 173 | (X) | 110 | (X) | 160 | (X) | |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 121 | 4 472 | 171 | 7 940 | 108 | 3 902 | 158 | 7 401 | |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 121 | 4 191 | 167 | 7 363 | 108 | (D) | 154 | 6 894 | |
| Pullets 3 months old or older | 9 | 281 | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | (D) | 5 | 386 | |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 6 | 302 | |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 17 | 464 | 5 | 164 | 14 | 315 | 5 | 164 | |
| Turkeys | 3 | 17 | (NA) | (NA) | 3 | 17 | 2 | (D) | |
| Turkeys for slaughter | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | — | — | |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | 2 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | |
| Other poultry | 12 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 10 | (X) | 5 | (X) | |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | | |
| Any poultry | 8 | (X) | 12 | (X) | 8 | (X) | 12 | (X) | |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 6 | 225 | 10 | 1 102 | 6 | 225 | 10 | 1 102 | |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 6 | 225 | 9 | (D) | 6 | 225 | 9 | (D) | |
| Pullets 3 months old or older | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 1 | (D) | |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Turkeys | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| Turkeys for slaughter | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — | |
| Other poultry | 2 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 2 | (X) | 2 | (X) | |
| Poultry and poultry products | \$1,000.. | 24 | 6 | 35 | 13 | 21 | 35 | 13 | |

Table 10. Crops: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | | |
|--|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | Harvested | | | Irrigated | | | Harvested | | | Irrigated | |
| | Farms | Acres | Quantity | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Quantity | Farms | Acres | |
| Corn for all purposes | 1978 | 37 | 4 896 | (X) | 33 | 4 645 | 36 | (D) | (X) | 33 | 4 645 |
| | 1974 | 63 | 5 435 | (X) | (NA) | 63 | 5 435 | (X) | (X) | 48 | 4 792 |
| For grain or seed (bushels) | 1978 | 30 | 4 377 | 380 420 | 27 | 4 266 | 29 | (D) | (D) | 27 | 4 266 |
| | 1974 | 46 | 4 714 | 364 321 | (NA) | 46 | 4 714 | 364 321 | (D) | 36 | 4 147 |
| For silage or green chop (tons, green) | 1978 | 11 | 519 | 8 298 | 10 | 379 | 11 | 519 | 8 298 | 10 | 379 |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 25 | (D) | 7 796 | (D) | 20 | (D) |
| For fodder, hogged or grazed | 1978 | - | - | (X) | - | - | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) |
| Sorghums for all purposes | 1978 | 296 | 21 521 | (X) | 41 | 2 572 | 287 | 20 864 | (X) | 40 | (D) |
| | 1974 | 458 | 30 156 | (X) | (NA) | 444 | 29 514 | (X) | (X) | 36 | 1 796 |
| For grain or seed (bushels) | 1978 | 230 | 15 948 | 510 908 | 36 | 2 343 | 223 | 15 531 | 494 254 | 35 | (D) |
| | 1974 | 310 | 17 495 | 540 697 | (NA) | (NA) | 303 | 17 145 | 524 341 | 28 | 1 349 |
| For silage or green chop (tons, green) | 1978 | 97 | 4 458 | 39 334 | 8 | 229 | 94 | 4 218 | 37 699 | 8 | 229 |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 66 | 3 366 | 22 190 | 7 | 128 |
| Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry) | 1978 | 21 | (D) | 1 891 | - | - | 21 | (D) | 1 891 | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 236 | 8 343 | 17 554 | 7 | 319 |
| Hogged or grazed | 1978 | 2 | (D) | (X) | - | - | 2 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 20 | 660 | (X) | - | - |
| Wheat for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 619 | 111 016 | 2 665 169 | 10 | 1 606 | 579 | 109 208 | 2 626 937 | 10 | 1 606 |
| | 1974 | 693 | 123 867 | 2 310 806 | (NA) | (NA) | 677 | 123 279 | 2 297 295 | 2 | (D) |
| Oats for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 5 | 61 | 1 209 | - | - | 5 | 61 | 1 209 | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | 816 | 15 500 | - | - |
| Barley for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 5 | 167 | 4 108 | 1 | (D) | 5 | 167 | 4 108 | 1 | (D) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 3 | 40 | 1 450 | 2 | (D) |
| Rye for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (D) | - | - | 1 | (D) | (D) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 4 | 71 | 1 095 | - | - |
| Other small grains for grain | 1978 | - | - | (X) | - | - | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels) | 1978 | 2 | (D) | (D) | - | - | 2 | (D) | (D) | - | - |
| | 1974 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cotton (bales) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tobacco (pounds) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sweetpotatoes (bushels) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hay crops (tons, dry) (see text) | 1978 | 357 | 16 765 | 27 328 | 32 | 942 | 346 | 16 495 | 26 859 | 32 | 942 |
| | 1974 | 387 | 15 298 | 29 394 | (NA) | (NA) | 367 | 14 892 | 28 589 | 35 | 844 |
| Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) | 1978 | 204 | 5 178 | 11 399 | 24 | 596 | 195 | 4 999 | 11 105 | 24 | 596 |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 235 | 5 457 | 12 759 | 33 | 778 |
| Other tame dry hay (tons, dry) (see text) | 1978 | 173 | 6 361 | 10 247 | 11 | 218 | 169 | 6 280 | 10 076 | 11 | 218 |
| Field seed crops | 1978 | 3 | 47 | (X) | - | - | 2 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 6 | 172 | (X) | - | - |
| Alfalfa seed (pounds) | 1978 | 3 | 47 | 3 140 | - | - | 2 | (D) | (D) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | 92 | 11 816 | - | - |
| Red clover seed (pounds) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | - | - | - |
| All vegetables harvested for sale (see text) | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | 4 | 4 | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| Sweet corn | 1978 | - | - | (X) | - | - | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| Tomatoes | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| Green peas excluding cowpeas | 1978 | - | - | (X) | - | - | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| Land in orchards | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (X) | - | - | 1 | (D) | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | 1 | (Z) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| Apples (pounds) | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Peaches (pounds) | 1978 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Grapes (pounds) (see text) | 1978 | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| Berries | 1978 | - | - | (X) | - | - | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| | 1974 | - | - | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (X) | - | - |
| Strawberries (pounds) | 1978 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 1978 | 2 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) | 2 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) |
| Other crops | 1978 | - | - | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (X) | (NA) | (NA) |