

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	796	1 007	429	380
Land in farms acres	157 803	174 578	111 038	102 889
Average size of farm acres	198	173	259	271
Approximate land area acres	283 392	283 392	283 392	283 392
Proportion in farms percent	55.7	61.6	39.2	36.3
Value of land and buildings ... \$1,000	39 273	22 284	29 345	13 640
Average per farm dollars	49 337	22 129	68 404	35 896
Average per acre dollars	249	128	264	133
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	32	41	9	6
10 to 49 acres	91	117	23	4
50 to 69 acres	63	80	15	12
70 to 99 acres	74	120	28	19
100 to 139 acres	126	174	63	57
140 to 179 acres	100	136	67	61
180 to 219 acres	85	110	54	59
220 to 259 acres	60	56	42	35
260 to 499 acres	123	126	92	82
500 to 999 acres	28	40	23	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres	12	5	11	5
2,000 acres and over	2	2	2	2
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969
Other cropland farms			117	(NA)
..... acres			6 068	13 301
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured farms			48	118
..... acres			1 336	4 916
Cropland on which all crops failed farms			27	68
..... acres			1 038	3 142
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms			17	24
..... acres			969	905
Cropland idle farms			58	102
..... acres			2 725	4 338
Total woodland farms			350	332
..... acres			33 735	34 163
Woodland pastured farms			239	223
..... acres			13 365	12 174

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland farms	769	966	421	373
..... acres	81 503	90 583	61 399	55 905
Harvested cropland farms	692	800	405	355
..... acres	33 437	26 121	29 286	20 969
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	153	271	29	24
10 to 19 acres	128	162	56	57
20 to 29 acres	111	132	57	97
30 to 49 acres	126	95	97	224
50 to 99 acres	98	82	90	73
100 to 199 acres	49	42	49	42
200 to 499 acres	24	14	24	14
500 to 999 acres	1	2	1	2
1,000 acres and over	2	-	2	-
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	586	715	320	298
..... acres	39 121	39 044	26 045	21 635
Other cropland (see text) farms	200	537	117	(NA)
..... acres	8 945	25 418	6 068	13 301
Total woodland farms	606	801	350	332
..... acres	51 564	55 854	33 735	34 163
Other land (see text) farms	615	815	344	(NA)
..... acres	24 736	28 141	15 904	12 821
Irrigated land farms	1	1	1	1
..... acres	1	1	1	1

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland - Continued				
Woodland not pastured farms			251	234
..... acres			20 370	21 989
Other land farms			344	(NA)
..... acres			15 904	12 821
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture farms			131	112
..... acres			9 433	6 768
Improved pastureland and rangeland farms			88	63
..... acres			5 383	2 747
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland farms			57	71
..... acres			4 050	4 021
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms			304	282
..... acres			6 471	6 053

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	796	1 007	429	380
Land in farms acres	157 803	174 578	111 038	102 889
Harvested cropland acres	33 437	26 121	29 286	20 969
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners number	617	842	289	271
Land in farms acres	110 029	129 075	67 100	64 815
Harvested cropland acres	17 151	15 394	13 656	10 873
Part owners number	144	127	113	80
Land in farms acres	41 163	34 865	37 734	27 865
Harvested cropland acres	14 506	7 960	13 915	7 416
Tenants number	35	38	27	29
Land in farms acres	6 611	10 638	6 204	10 209
Harvested cropland acres	1 780	2 767	1 715	2 680
Percent of tenancy	4.4	3.7	6.3	7.6
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators number	1	3	1	1
Land in farms acres	92	115	92	113
Harvested cropland acres	11	12	11	12
Full owners number	1	3	1	1
Land in farms acres	92	115	92	113
Harvested cropland acres	11	12	11	12
Part owners number	-	-	-	-
Land in farms acres	-	-	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	-	-	-	-
Tenants number	-	-	-	-
Land in farms acres	-	-	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	-	-	-	-
Percent of tenancy	-	-	-	-
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family number	(NA)	(NA)	384	325
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	95 692	86 955
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership number	(NA)	(NA)	45	52
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	15 346	14 966
Corporation number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Other number	(NA)	(NA)	-	3
..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	968
Farm operators by age group:²				
Under 25 years	18	10	11	6
25 to 34 years	118	87	65	38
35 to 44 years	110	168	57	66
45 to 54 years	192	283	107	120
55 to 64 years	218	290	118	111
65 years and over	140	169	71	39
Average age	50.8	52.4	50.7	50.8
Farm operators by place of residence:²				
On farm operated	480	644	262	285
On another farm	53	29	29	29
In a rural area, not on a farm	23	195	10	59
In a city, town, or urban area	68	-	35	-
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
None	242	(NA)	152	(NA)
1 to 49 days	34	91	17	34
50 to 99 days	32	44	12	18
100 to 149 days	32	120	18	38
150 to 199 days	47	22	22	22
200 days and over	247	349	88	92
Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Farming	426	(NA)	282	(NA)
Other	370	(NA)	147	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)

¹1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over.....	5	6	5	6			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	21	12	21	12			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	40	12	40	12			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	86	55	86	55			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	133	135	133	135			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	140	163	140	163			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	371	636	4	9			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	60	69	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	79	85	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	88	122	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	144	360	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm..... dollars.....	6 364	3 607	5 922	3 031			
Crops, including hay..... farms.....	552	665	361	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	3 291	1 259	3 100	1 019			
Forest products..... farms.....	50	50	39	34			
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	643	717	371	361			
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	27	(NA)	20	25			
Specified products sold:							
Crops..... farms.....	361	(NA)					
Grains..... farms.....	3 100	1 019					
Tobacco..... farms.....	263	182					
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....	2 382	522					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....	232	195					
Other field crops..... farms.....	566	352					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....	98	125					
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....	129	132					
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	4	10					
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	5	3					
Dairy products..... farms.....	10	8					
Cattle and calves..... farms.....	10	4					
Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	4	9					
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms.....	8	6					
Other livestock and livestock products..... farms.....	371	361					
	2 736	1 949					

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	370	(NA)	122	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms.....	252
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ farms.....	124	(NA)	61	(NA)	\$1,000.....	1 932
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms.....	267	(NA)	196	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms.....	53
Recreational services..... farms.....	39	71	22	43	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	400
Government farm programs..... farms.....	123	58	109	46	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	1 233
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms.....	4	1	2	1	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms.....	77
Other farm-related sources..... farms.....	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms.....	20
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms.....	48	430	23	201		47
	26	398	15	233		
	46	(NA)	21	(NA)		
	70	(NA)	31	(NA)		
	7	(NA)	3	(NA)		
	47	(NA)	39	(NA)		
	41	(NA)	16	(NA)		
	91	(NA)	74	(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..... farms.....	796	1 007	429	380	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms.....	474	495	299	264
Farms with..... farms.....	4 157	2 526	3 691	1 937	Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms.....	176	81	161	63
\$1 to \$999.....	242	443	34	100	Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms.....	634	753	364	331
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	158	220	64		Lime..... farms.....	585	262	519	211
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	106	116	73	75	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	315	(NA)	206	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	90	98	69	84	Gasoline..... farms.....	108	75	99	60
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	128	86	117	77	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	180	41	109
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	36		36	34	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms.....	(NA)	35	18	25
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	25		25	9	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	748	952	414	380
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	4	44	4		Gasoline..... farms.....	301	212	250	154
\$60,000 and over.....	7		7	1	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	379	361
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	230	369	130	166	Gasoline..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	140	110
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	538	641	293	313	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	194	81
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	799	557	694	458	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	67	16
Feed ingredients..... farms.....	346	390	230	227	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	8	19
Whole grains..... farms.....	467	267	428	227	Hired farm labor..... farms.....	229	407	136	207
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	72	74	Contract labor..... farms.....	178	120	158	88
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	95	82	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	22	447	16	36
	(NA)	(NA)	133	151	All other production expenses..... farms.....	8	132	7	10
	(NA)	(NA)	146	127		243	168	222	222
	(NA)	(NA)	28	49		123	112	87	87
	(NA)	(NA)	24	22		678	778	427	377
	(NA)	(NA)	157	(NA)		1 338	801	1 181	603
	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)					

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.....	723	937	380	378					
.....\$1,000.....	7 584	4 400	5 150	3 009					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	10 489	4 695	13 553	7 960					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	12	160	5	194					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	235	528	94						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	248	146	111	91					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	135	61	89	54					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	44		38	18					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	38	42	32	16					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	6		6						
\$70,000 and over.....	5		5	5					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	457	625	228	256	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	72	61	67	55
.....number.....	560	777	289	314	.....number.....	80	64	74	58
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	289	348	148	165	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	36	20	35
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	581	633	322	297	Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	48	150	46	30
.....number.....	743	752	458	389	.....number.....	52	170	50	32
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	232	358	165	189	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	68	14	21
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	624	762	338	347	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	134		116	97
.....number.....	954	1 089	612	581	.....number.....	135		117	103
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	180	343	144	209	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12		10	39
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	28		9	12	Mower conditioners.....farms.....	108	(NA)	71	(NA)
.....number.....	37		14	15	.....number.....	117	(NA)	80	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14		2	5	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	34	(NA)	27	(NA)
					Pickup balers.....farms.....	158	160	105	122
					.....number.....	158	171	105	124
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	37	82	30	58
					Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	53	(NA)	30	51
					.....number.....	55	(NA)	32	52
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	(NA)	8	30
					Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	19	(NA)	17	11
					.....number.....	19	(NA)	17	12
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	(NA)	8	6

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.....	664	(X)	362	(X)	643	(X)	371	(X)	2 736
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	651	(X)	357	(X)	641	(X)	371	(X)	2 333
.....1969.....	754	(X)	354	(X)	709	(X)	361	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	625	22 024	341	16 087	594	8 011	348	6 466	1 260
.....1969.....	697	17 566	327	12 574	647	8 941	333	6 752	837
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	34	97	6	21	158	404	54	137	26
5 to 9.....1974.....	62	431	16	115	171	1 159	86	585	85
10 to 19.....1974.....	129	1 791	47	655	157	2 085	102	1 426	233
20 to 49.....1974.....	272	8 384	165	5 226	83	2 347	81	2 302	377
50 to 99.....1974.....	96	6 288	75	5 037	18	1 102	18	1 102	208
100 to 199.....1974.....	27	3 618	27	3 618	7	914	7	914	331
200 to 499.....1974.....	5	1 415	5	1 415	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	528	11 648	307	8 701	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	603	9 292	305	6 901	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	482	10 677	287	7 906	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	8 021	268	5 862	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	138	971	71	795	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	188	1 271	96	1 039	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	394
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	57	(X)	300
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.....	482	10 677	287	7 906	Cattle sold.....	232	3 131		860
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	44	130	12	42	1 to 4.....	70	167		34
5 to 9.....	61	407	28	192	5 to 9.....	59	387		75
10 to 19.....	169	2 352	84	1 212	10 to 19.....	59	800		172
20 to 49.....	166	4 900	122	3 624	20 to 49.....	34	1 046		235
50 to 99.....	34	2 015	33	1 963	50 to 99.....	8	(D)		(D)
100 to 199.....	8	873	8	873	100 to 199.....	2	(D)		(D)
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	—	—		—
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—		—
Milk cows.....	138	971	71	795	Calves sold.....	256	3 335		400
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	85	119	36	50	1 or 2.....	45	65		8
3 or 4.....	15	50	9	30	3 or 4.....	24	83		9
5 to 9.....	18	125	8	58	5 to 9.....	81	550		62
10 to 19.....	10	138	8	118	10 to 19.....	50	656		77
20 to 49.....	7	257	7	257	20 to 49.....	48	1 305		163
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	5	282		38
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	3	394		43
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 ----- 1974..	210	3 275	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates ----- 1974..	51	634	175
1969..	258	3 309	1969..	8	146	(NA)
Beef heifers ----- 1974..	197	2 974	Farms with—			
Milk heifers ----- 1974..	18	301	1 to 9 ----- 1974..	27	109	26
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ----- 1974..	288	4 111	10 to 19 ----- 1974..	12	164	50
1969..	282	2 364	20 to 49 ----- 1974..	11	311	(D)
			50 to 99 ----- 1974..	1	50	(D)
			100 to 199 ----- 1974..	-	-	-
			200 to 499 ----- 1974..	-	-	-
			500 and over ----- 1974..	-	-	-

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 ----- 1974..	258	10 286	187	9 632	250	18 440	195	17 193	1 073
1969..	356	13 689	220	12 275	351	20 953	228	18 438	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 ----- 1974..	47	97	21	46	9	16	3	5	(2)
5 to 9 ----- 1974..	38	260	18	123	28	201	18	126	9
10 to 24 ----- 1974..	63	1 085	42	761	62	1 092	46	833	52
25 to 49 ----- 1974..	42	1 474	38	1 332	57	2 071	38	1 436	101
50 to 99 ----- 1974..	41	2 561	41	2 561	42	2 721	38	2 454	161
100 to 199 ----- 1974..	19	2 538	19	2 538	36	4 547	36	4 547	298
200 to 499 ----- 1974..	8	2 271	8	2 271	11	3 121	11	3 121	208
500 and over ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	5	4 671	5	4 671	243
Feeder pigs sold ----- 1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	80	4 265	51	3 518	69
1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	134	5 611	86	4 251	(NA)
Sheep and lambs ----- 1974..	1	30	1	30	5	167	1	23	(NA)
1969..	3	85	3	85	5	94	3	70	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn ----- 1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	30	1225
Sheep, lambs, and wool ----- 1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	1
Goats ----- 1974..	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-
1969..	(NA)	(NA)	12	72	(NA)	(NA)	7	69	(NA)
Horses and ponies ----- 1974..	114	267	44	99	8	16	6	14	3
1969..	174	431	(NA)	(NA)	13	41	(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	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .. 1974..	151	1 273	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969..	195	2 196	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .. 1974..			
Other hogs and pigs ----- 1974..	175	8 359	1969..			
1969..	200	10 079	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .. 1974..			
Lambs under 1 year old ----- 1974..	1	7	1969..			
Ewes 1 year old or older ----- 1974..	1	22	June 1 and November 30 .. 1974..			
1969..	1	1	1969..			
Rams and wethers ----- 1974..	1	1	218	1 971	169	1 799
			308	2 634	206	2 265
			167	973	135	869
			281	1 416	190	1 185
			159	998	128	930
			230	1 218	174	1 080

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 ----- 1974..	174	(X)	94	(X)	14	(X)	11	(X)
1969..	(NA)	(X)	95	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older ----- 1974..	171	5 713	93	3 544	12	620	11	602
1969..	247	8 252	95	4 053	12	6 186	8	5 976
Hens and pullets of laying age ----- 1974..	169	5 151	92	3 178	12	620	11	602
1969..	236	7 385	94	3 668	11	426	7	216
Farms with—								
1 to 99 ----- 1974..	166	4 451	90	2 578	10	254	9	236
100 to 399 ----- 1974..	3	700	2	600	2	366	2	366
400 to 1,599 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999 ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over ----- 1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens ----- 1974..	11	105	1	3	2	2	-	-
1969..	4	303	1	3	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .. 1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	6	20	5
1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	25	14

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.....	92	3 178	11	602	Turkeys.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	94	3 668	7	216	.....1969.....	3	4	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	92	2 968	11	602	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	9	210	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	7	289	1	5 760	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	2	36	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	7	289	1	5 760	.....1969.....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	54	330	—	—	Other poultry.....1974.....	7	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	1	20	—	—	.....1969.....	6	(X)	—	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	359	321	10 713	8 442	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	71	34	1 550	400	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	182	134	9 989	6 077	212 559	125 260
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	(Z)	—	17
Wheat (bushels).....	36	25	1 299	402	35 546	11 584
Other small grains for grain.....	17	11	394	244	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	353	445	373	460	669 065	790 211
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	42	(NA)	21	(NA)	1 560	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	4	(NA)	2	(NA)	165	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	465	484	10 474	9 926	16 517	17 241
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	22	26	26	17	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	12	24	26	29	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	6	8	2	4	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	10	(NA)	69	367	(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).....	250	205	9 022	6 928	545 177	416 474	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	19	7	626	261	9 118	3 357	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	11	4	170	58	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	58	11	1 473	208	77 700	6 760	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	3	(NA)	4	78	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	15	20	298	557	394	1 549	—	—

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.....	320	26 045	(X)	—	—	51	1 417	51	221	—	—
.....1969.....	298	21 635	(X)	—	—	75	2 273	74	413	1	5
Improved pasture.....1974.....	88	5 383	(X)	—	—	12	839	12	123	—	—
.....1969.....	63	2 747	(X)	—	—	14	501	14	111	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	256	9 818	(X)	—	—	206	8 385	203	2 040	18	198
.....1969.....	208	7 247	(X)	—	—	150	5 289	150	1 146	24	106
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	59	1 477	(X)	—	—	36	928	36	172	1	1
.....1969.....	23	286	(X)	—	—	17	154	17	39	1	2
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	34	1 274	35 186	—	—	22	1 042	21	121	1	1
.....1969.....	20	374	10 666	—	—	12	206	(NA)	38	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	3	32	760	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	3	50	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	6	267	5 970	—	—	5	262	5	22	—	—
.....1969.....	9	215	6 500	—	—	8	210	(NA)	30	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	2	22	(X)	—	—	2	22	2	3	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	165	9 820	210 202	—	—	63	4 869	63	451	—	—
.....1969.....	97	5 553	114 983	—	—	34	2 903	(NA)	340	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	295	7 605	12 758	—	—	57	1 439	56	210	1	1
.....1969.....	234	6 839	12 656	—	—	47	921	47	176	—	—
Field seed crops.....1974.....	3	54	(X)	—	—	1	20	—	—	1	1
.....1969.....	16	295	(X)	—	—	1	22	1	2	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	237	291	554 816	1	1	237	290	237	288	2	(Z)
.....1969.....	204	326	565 952	2	1	204	326	(NA)	306	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	20	12	817	2	1	9	7	9	7	—	—
.....1969.....	30	5	921	—	—	7	4	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	15	18	(X)	—	—	11	15	11	7	—	—
.....1969.....	7	8	(X)	—	—	5	7	5	2	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	3	7	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	6	15	(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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	4	2	00	—	—	2	2	2	1	—	—
1969	6	2	00	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	3	6	00	—	—	2	5	2	1	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	375		339		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime	\$1,000	617	271		Diseases in crops and orchards	2		—	—
Commercial fertilizer	364	299	299		acres on which used	276		—	—
acres on which used	19 875	12 859	12 859		Weeds or grass in crops	3		—	—
tons	3 887	2 725	2 725		acres on which used	87		74	74
\$1,000	519	211	211		Weeds or brush in pasture	54		20	20
Lime	41	109	109		acres on which used	6		11	11
acres on which used	2 477	3 202	3 202		acres on which used	132		125	125
tons	5 075	7 843	7 843		Weeds on all other land	2		(2)	(2)
\$1,000	18	25	25		acres on which used	9		(NA)	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	25		(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	2	3	3		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
acres on which used	4	67	67		of crops or thinning of fruit	2		6	6
\$1,000	(2)	(2)	(2)		acres on which used	45		53	53
Insects on other crops	104	93	93		\$1,000	(2)		1	1
acres on which used	1 396	1 752	1 752		Insect control on livestock and poultry	28		73	73
\$1,000	16	10	10		\$1,000	1		4	4
Nematodes in crops	—	1	1		Other chemicals (see text)	39		(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	—	2	2		\$1,000	4		(NA)	(NA)
\$1,000	—	(2)	(2)						

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	1		1		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	0.2		0.2		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—		(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1		1		acres	—		(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	1.0		1.0		Other sprinkler systems	1		(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1		1		acres	1		(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	1		1		Land in irrigated farms	152		344	344
acres	1		1		Cropland	1		240	240
acres	1		1		Harvested cropland	1		23	23
Cropland pasture irrigated	—		—		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	—		—		between 1970 and 1973	1		00	00
Other cropland irrigated	—		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	1		00	00
acres	—		—		Farms with artificial drainage	43		61	61
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—		—		Proportion of farms	10.0		16.0	16.0
acres	—		—		Land in farms with drainage	19 151		20 024	20 024
acres	—		—		Land drained	5 329		7 920	7 920
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1		1		Average per farm	123.9		129.8	129.8
Average per acre irrigated	0.5		1.0		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Land irrigated by—					tanks	163		(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	—		(NA)		number	540		(NA)	(NA)
acres	—		(NA)		acres	257		(NA)	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	126	92	67	57	523
\$1,000	—	3 348	2 825	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000	—	29	15	36	36	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	32	22	17	17	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	43	40	11	11	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	9	4	3	3	—
\$50,000 and over	—	13	11	—	—	—

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—									
150 days or more	13	16	22	17	89	88	136	13	18	117
25 to 149 days	18	199	41	524	32	—	158	89	32	37
Less than 25 days	117	—	636	(NA)	37	—	699	22	41	636
Total contract labor	16	36	(NA)	(NA)	7	—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	3	(NA)	1	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	42	8	8	30
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	3	3	16
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	2	5	19
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	—	2	35
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—	17