

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	787	905	556	508	Land in Farms According to Use	Total cropland..... farms..... acres..... Harvested cropland..... farms..... acres..... Farms by acres harvested: 1 to 9 acres..... 10 to 19 acres..... 20 to 29 acres..... 30 to 49 acres..... 50 to 99 acres..... 100 to 199 acres..... 200 to 499 acres..... 500 to 999 acres..... 1,000 acres and over..... Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... Other cropland (see text)..... Total woodland..... farms..... acres..... Other land (see text)..... farms..... acres..... Irrigated land..... farms..... acres.....	768	849	553	497				
Land in farms..... acres	99 641	110 302	83 743	86 331							57 395	62 101	48 448	50 622
Average size of farm..... acres	127	122	151	170							714	782	544	493
Approximate land area..... acres	135 040	135 040	135 040	135 040							14 765	14 382	13 414	12 775
Proportion in farms..... percent	73.8	81.7	62.0	63.9										
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000	51 797	40 036	42 706	28 130										
Average per farm..... dollars	65 816	44 238	76 809	55 374										
Average per acre..... dollars	520	363	510	326										
Farms by size:														
1 to 9 acres.....	100	162	64	61									234	}
10 to 49 acres.....	136	172	66	57									109	
50 to 69 acres.....	74	73	45	25									54	
70 to 99 acres.....	105	115	69	50									58	
100 to 139 acres.....	136	111	100	82									70	
140 to 179 acres.....	76	77	62	59									14	
180 to 219 acres.....	39	49	33	40									5	54
220 to 259 acres.....	29	47	28	44									11	11
260 to 499 acres.....	74	77	72	69									7	7
500 to 999 acres.....	14	14	13	13										
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4	8	4	8										
2,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-										
Other cropland..... farms.....			135	(NA)									353	336
acres.....			4 311	6 929									30 723	30 918
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			64	115									135	(NA)
acres.....			1 255	3 430									4 311	6 929
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			9	6										
acres.....			63	102										
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			31	34										
acres.....			554	274										
Cropland idle..... farms.....			75	85										
acres.....			2 439	3 123										
Total woodland..... farms.....			263	243			263	243						
acres.....			17 592	12 976			17 592	12 976						
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			182	150			392	(NA)						
acres.....			12 069	6 504			17 703	22 733						
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....							24	85						
acres.....							159	599						
Total woodland - Continued														
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....							128	133						
acres.....							5 523	6 472						
Other land..... farms.....							392	(NA)						
acres.....							17 703	22 733						
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....							122	124						
acres.....							12 304	14 229						
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....							59	80						
acres.....							5 304	4 879						
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....							72	68						
acres.....							7 000	9 350						
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....							354	364						
acres.....							5 399	8 504						

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number	787	905	556	508	Farms by type of organization—Con. Partnership..... number..... Land in farms..... acres..... Corporation..... number..... Land in farms..... acres..... Other..... number..... acres..... Farm operators by age group:² Under 25 years..... 25 to 34 years..... 35 to 44 years..... 45 to 54 years..... 55 to 64 years..... 65 years and over..... Average age..... Farm operators by place of residence:² On farm operated..... On another farm..... In a rural area, not on a farm..... In a city, town, or urban area..... Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:² None..... 1 to 49 days..... 50 to 99 days..... 100 to 149 days..... 150 to 199 days..... 200 days and over..... Farm operators by principal occupation:² Farming..... Other..... Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	65	80
Land in farms..... acres	99 641	110 302	83 743	86 331				15 185	21 784
Harvested cropland..... acres	14 765	14 382	13 414	12 775				-	3
Farms by tenure of farm operator:									968
Full owners..... number	581	633	376	299				(NA)	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres	68 972	70 028	54 261	48 414				4	4
Harvested cropland..... acres	8 551	7 897	7 348	6 529				1 073	1 095
Part owners..... number	111	154	93	122				15	12
Land in farms..... acres	20 978	32 184	19 873	30 243				78	105
Harvested cropland..... acres	3 727	4 561	3 597	4 390				139	195
Tenants..... number	95	118	87	87				206	187
Land in farms..... acres	9 691	8 090	9 609	7 674				158	215
Harvested cropland..... acres	2 487	1 924	2 469	1 856				186	178
Percent of tenancy.....	12.1	13.0	15.6	17.1				52.8	51.0
Black and other races, see text—								416	553
Farm operators by tenure: ¹								26	22
All farm operators..... number	4	8	3	5				32	241
Land in farms..... acres	303	345	241	17				114	73
Harvested cropland..... acres	41	25	35	15					
Full owners..... number	2	3	1	-					
Land in farms..... acres	63	328	1	-				239	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres	7	10	1	-				31	98
Part owners..... number	2	-	2	-				24	50
Land in farms..... acres	240	-	240	-				13	8
Harvested cropland..... acres	34	-	34	-				33	2
Tenants..... number	-	5	-	5				313	380
Land in farms..... acres	-	17	-	17					
Harvested cropland..... acres	-	15	-	15					
Percent of tenancy.....	-	62.5	-	100.0					
Farms by type of organization:									
Individual or family..... number	(NA)	(NA)	487	421			362	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	67 485	62 484			420	(NA)	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²									
None.....									
1 to 49 days.....									
50 to 99 days.....									
100 to 149 days.....									
150 to 199 days.....									
200 days and over.....									
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²									
Farming.....									
Other.....									
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market									
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts									

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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	2	14	2	14	Crops	535	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	25		25		Grains	\$1,000 5 811	\$1,000 3 070
\$20,000 to \$39,999	73	37	72	37	Tobacco	152	105
\$10,000 to \$19,999	124	102	124	102	Cotton and cottonseed	520	452
\$5,000 to \$9,999	188	150	188	150	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	\$1,000 5 472	\$1,000 2 849
\$2,500 to \$4,999	139	191	139	190	Other field crops	1	2
Under \$2,500 (see text)	236	411	6	15	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	2	2
\$2,000 to \$2,499	59	68	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	5	4
\$1,500 to \$1,999	46	98	(X)	(X)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	385	394
\$1,000 to \$1,499	49	93	(X)	(X)	Poultry and poultry products	\$1,000 1 674	\$1,000 1 913
Under \$1,000 (see text)	82	152	(X)	(X)	Dairy products	12	11
Market value of agricultural products sold					Cattle and calves	3	26
\$1,000	7 852	5 533	7 518	4 992	Hogs and pigs	9	40
Average per farm	9 977	6 114	13 522	9 827	Sheep, lambs, and wool	\$1,000 190	\$1,000 236
Crops, including hay	677	762	535	(NA)	Cattle and calves	\$1,000 377	\$1,000 (NA)
Nursery and greenhouse products	6 008	3 422	5 811	3 070	Hogs and pigs	\$1,000 1 293	\$1,000 1 306
Forest products	2	(D)	2	2	Sheep, lambs, and wool	51	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	521	573	385	394	Other livestock and livestock products	\$1,000 92	\$1,000 345
Poultry and poultry products	1 807	2 103	1 674	1 913		3	
	21	(NA)	12	11		5	
	6	(NA)	3	26		8	
						\$1,000 91	

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	367	(NA)	198	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	111	(NA)	71	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	
\$1,000	306	(NA)	227	(NA)	farms	349
Customwork and other agricultural services	36	57	32	47	\$1,000	4 437
Recreational services	2	2	2	2	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	59
Government farm programs	14	201	14	158	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	827
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	62	(NA)	28	(NA)	Interest, dividends, or royalties	267
Other farm-related sources	147	(NA)	82	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	3 172
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	13	(NA)	10	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	106
\$1,000	8	(NA)	5	(NA)	\$1,000	217
\$1,000	46	(NA)	34	(NA)		65
\$1,000	138	(NA)	107	(NA)		164
						36
						\$1,000 57

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	787	905	556	508	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	382	395	283	287
\$1,000	4 223	3 183	3 848	2 769	Commercial fertilizer purchased	62	49	56	44
Farms with—					Other agricultural chemicals purchased	697	822	531	486
\$1 to \$999	139	313	38	151	Lime	472	265	442	229
\$1,000 to \$1,999	176	176	98	101	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	314	(NA)	259	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	111	139	87	89	Gasoline	71	70	68	61
\$3,000 to \$4,999	130	129	110	110	Diesel oil	(NA)	192	55	140
\$5,000 to \$9,999	135	90	128	89	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	21	9	18
\$10,000 to \$19,999	55		55	35	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	523	504
\$20,000 to \$39,999	35		34	14	Hired farm labor	736	857	296	215
\$40,000 to \$59,999	3		3		Contract labor	332	260	455	499
\$60,000 and over	3		3	8	Machine hire and customwork	(NA)	(NA)	164	153
Livestock and poultry purchased	254	305	161	200	All other production expenses	(NA)	(NA)	188	128
\$1,000	477	439	418	384	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	64	15
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	454	453	307	280	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	78
Commercially mixed formula feeds	396	212	327	183	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6	8
Feed ingredients	294	262	208	194	Hired farm labor	380	628	304	422
Whole grains	210	114	179	100	Contract labor	581	548	546	480
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	63	44	Machine hire and customwork	45	372	38	40
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	20	11	\$1,000	75	120	74	28
	(NA)	(NA)	136	111	\$1,000	257	73	198	260
	(NA)	(NA)	102	59	\$1,000	736	771	65	76
	(NA)	(NA)	35	43	\$1,000	1 684	1 219	556	506
	(NA)	(NA)	25	12	\$1,000			1 517	1 069

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.....	671	818	461	483					
farms.....	7 078	4 550	5 640	3 548					
\$1,000.....	10 549	5 561	12 235	7 345					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	87	4	235					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	206	429	130						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	213	177	118	139					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	158	85	125	70					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	48		45	22					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	29		28	13					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	10	40	10						
\$70,000 and over.....	1		1	4					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	478	606	327	373					
number.....	628	846	446	534					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	298	406	209	277					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	522	615	351	377					
number.....	708	849	510	567					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	213	331	180	230					
Wheel tractors.....	578	722	398	454					
number.....	993	1 189	761	811					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	177	373	159	271					
Crawler tractors.....	31		22	19					
number.....	36		27	25					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5		5	7					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	13	9	13	9					
farms.....	13	11	13	11					
number.....	3	2	3	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	82	4	2					
Corn heads for combines.....	4	72	4	2					
farms.....	4	82	4	2					
number.....	3	26	3	1					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	48	48	48	64					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	49	49	49	70					
farms.....	9	9	9	24					
number.....	96	(NA)	82	(NA)					
Mower conditioners.....	112	(NA)	92	(NA)					
farms.....	35	(NA)	29	(NA)					
number.....	192	224	165	189					
Pickup balers.....	194	225	165	190					
farms.....	54	109	50	91					
number.....	71	(NA)	65	79					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	71	(NA)	65	81					
farms.....	19	(NA)	19	37					
number.....	25	(NA)	23	22					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	27	(NA)	25	23					
farms.....	6	(NA)	6	11					
number.....									
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									

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.....	557	(X)	401	(X)	521	(X)	385	(X)	1 674
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	540	(X)	390	(X)	509	(X)	382	(X)	1 389
1969.....	590	(X)	391	(X)	557	(X)	387	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	535	21 118	387	18 401	502	7 151	377	6 454	1 293
1969.....	576	18 464	383	15 753	543	9 537	382	8 432	1 306
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	33	76	21	47	142	352	82	205	34
5 to 9.....	49	329	13	87	141	961	93	643	125
10 to 19.....	133	1 869	80	1 153	116	1 564	102	1 396	254
20 to 49.....	188	5 664	152	4 583	76	2 233	73	2 169	366
50 to 99.....	92	6 134	82	5 586	23	1 557	23	1 557	305
100 to 199.....	28	3 617	27	3 516	4	484	4	484	208
200 to 499.....	12	3 429	12	3 429	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	444	10 787	331	9 464	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	452	8 632	325	7 567	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	425	10 314	320	9 090	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	7 800	294	6 859	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	82	473	59	374	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	114	832	80	708	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)	190
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	40	(X)	236
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.....	425	10 314	320	9 090	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	60	154	32	71	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	72	510	43	316	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	115	1 586	89	1 255	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	123	3 498	103	2 991	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	42	2 746	40	2 637	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	11	(D)	11	(D)	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	82	473	59	374	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	52	74	41	56	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	7	26	3	10	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	13	82	6	36	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	5	77	4	58	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....				
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		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Heifers and heifer calves.....1974.....	262	4 646	34	452	99
.....1969.....	283	3 673	6	63	(NA)
Beef heifers.....1974.....	257	4 498	20	66	14
Milk heifers.....1974.....	11	148	5	61	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....1974.....	288	4 291	8	260	57
.....1969.....	345	4 513	1	65	(D)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....1974.....					
.....1969.....					
Farms with—					
1 to 9.....1974.....			1	6	
10 to 19.....1974.....			1	6	
20 to 49.....1974.....			1	6	
50 to 99.....1974.....			1	6	
100 to 199.....1974.....			1	6	
200 to 499.....1974.....			1	6	
500 and over.....1974.....			1	6	

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		
							Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Hogs and pigs.....1974.....	79	1 516	56	1 371	57	2 684	51	2 610	92	
.....1969.....	118	2 426	92	2 138	105	5 026	80	4 581	(NA)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4.....1974.....	32	64	14	34	6	14	2	5	(Z)	
5 to 9.....1974.....	14	93	11	70	10	70	10	70	4	
10 to 24.....1974.....	13	190	12	178	13	218	13	218	8	
25 to 49.....1974.....	12	401	12	401	9	307	7	242	15	
50 to 99.....1974.....	6	(D)	5	(D)	11	760	11	760	26	
100 to 199.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	6	(D)	6	(D)	27	
200 to 499.....1974.....					2	(D)	2	(D)	12	
500 and over.....1974.....										
Feeder pigs sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	1 892	28	1 862	46	
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	49	2 602	43	2 442	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs.....1974.....	6	265	4	187	5	210	3	171	(NA)	
.....1969.....	16	976	12	844	15	913	11	860	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	155	11 127	
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	5	
Goats.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)			(NA)	(NA)				
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	40	(NA)	(NA)			(NA)	
Horses and ponies.....1974.....	132	479	86	329	12	40	6	24	91	
.....1969.....	245	804	(NA)	(NA)	40	190	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....1974.....	42	377	Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
.....1969.....	66	530	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....1974.....				52	441	46	419
Other hogs and pigs.....1974.....	47	9941969.....				90	661	71	599
.....1969.....	73	1 608	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....1974.....				45	238	41	220
Lambs under 1 year old.....1974.....	3	591969.....				85	350	66	307
Ewes 1 year old or older.....1974.....	4	121	June 1 and November 30.....1974.....				28	203	25	199
Rams and wethers.....1974.....	3	71969.....				64	311	53	292

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.....	88	(X)	45	(X)	5	(X)	2	(X)
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....1974.....	87	2 908	44	1 703	5	375	5	160
.....1969.....	112	5 438	62	4 303	8	1 102	5	1 027
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1974.....	84	2 708	44	1 629	5	375	2	160
.....1969.....	106	5 237	59	4 187	8	1 096	5	1 027
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....1974.....	78	1 755	39	926	3	60	1	20
100 to 399.....1974.....	6	953	5	703	2	315	1	140
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.....	5	74	3	66				
.....1969.....	1	100	1	100				
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	6	12	3
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	26

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..	44	1 629	2	160	Turkeys.....1974..	1	2	--	--
.....1969..	59	4 187	5	1 027	.....1969..	6	19	1	3
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	44	1 463	2	160	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	--	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	8	166	--	--	Heavy breed.....1974..	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	1	30	--	--	Light breed.....1974..	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	1	2	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	11	44	--	--	.....1969..	6	13	1	3
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	1	1	--	--	Other poultry.....1974..	4	(X)	--	(X)
					.....1969..	12	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		1969	
Corn for all purposes.....	192	182	2 636	2 537	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	6	11	64	23	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	4	--	53	--	1 564	--	--	--	--	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....	22	23	194	235	5 031	7 106	--	--	--	--
Other small grains for grain.....	1	5	1	51	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tobacco (pounds).....	626	710	2 419	2 041	5 439 768	5 119 394	--	--	--	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	17	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 449	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	2	(NA)	(2)	(NA)	30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	413	385	9 797	9 405	17 608	16 328	--	--	--	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	7	2	19	17	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	5	11	4	9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	8	6	6	5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	4	(NA)	28	266	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	146	132	1 803	1 915	122 882	126 789	--	6	--	116
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	41	37	681	441	10 491	6 420	--	1	--	2
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	1	15	14	(X)	(X)	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	--	1	--	--	--	200	--	1	--	5
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	5	(NA)	63	6	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	82	58	1 169	964	2 707	2 387	--	--	--	--

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..	353	30 723	(X)	--	--	20	574	20	63	--	--
.....1969..	336	30 918	(X)	--	--	35	2 288	35	459	--	--
Improved pasture.....1974..	59	5 304	(X)	--	--	10	203	10	22	--	--
.....1969..	80	4 879	(X)	--	--	17	289	17	61	--	--
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	167	2 499	(X)	--	--	119	1 901	118	491	2	10
.....1969..	153	2 370	(X)	6	118	98	1 855	96	671	2	6
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	5	63	(X)	--	--	3	23	3	6	--	--
.....1969..	7	11	(X)	1	5	2	2	2	(2)	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	21	191	4 956	--	--	4	85	4	5	--	--
.....1969..	22	230	6 956	--	--	5	21	(NA)	3	(NA)	--
Oats (bushels).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	3	46	2 150	--	--	1	6	(NA)	2	(NA)	--
Barley (bushels).....1974..	1	1	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	2	5	215	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Rye (bushels).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	4	53	1 564	--	--	1	29	1	2	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	331	8 742	15 903	--	--	27	742	26	104	1	1
.....1969..	280	8 274	14 596	2	3	25	843	25	77	--	--
Field seed crops.....1974..	2	12	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	8	248	(X)	--	--	1	200	1	15	--	--
Cotton (bales).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	520	2 304	5 278 767	24	152	520	2 301	520	2 406	(NA)	--
.....1969..	454	1 802	4 626 704	82	478	454	1 798	(NA)	1 842	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	10	5	311	--	--	2	(2)	2	(2)	(NA)	--
.....1969..	19	6	665	--	--	5	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	2	3	(X)	--	--	2	3	2	1	--	--
.....1969..	2	17	(X)	--	--	1	2	1	(2)	--	--
Land in orchards.....1974..	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	5	6	(X)	--	--	2	2	2	1	--	--

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	6	5	(X)	—	—	3	3	3	1	—	—
1974	4	5	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
1969	2	8	(X)	1	8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	2	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	2	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	8	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1	8	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	531		492		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime	\$1,000	510	291		Diseases in crops and orchards	—	—	—	3
Commercial fertilizer	531	510	467		acres on which used	—	—	—	23
acres on which used	5 988	7 348	3 155		\$1,000	—	—	—	(Z)
tons	3 124	3 155	229		Weeds or grass in crops	52	32	1 314	720
\$1,000	442	229	140		acres on which used	12	3	1 000	3
Lime	55	140	882		Weeds or brush in pasture	4	20	140	635
acres on which used	882	2 868	5 693		acres on which used	(Z)	2	(Z)	2
tons	1 821	5 693	18		\$1,000	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
\$1,000	9	18			Weeds on all other land	46	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	(Z)	(NA)	1 000	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	22	14			Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
acres on which used	208	156			of crops or thinning of fruit	25	67	182	386
\$1,000	2	1			acres on which used	3	8	1 000	8
Insects on other crops	163	245			\$1,000	40	118	1 000	5
acres on which used	1 520	1 547			acres on which used	2	5	1 000	(NA)
\$1,000	34	21			Other chemicals (see text)	76	(NA)	1 000	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	1	5				6	(NA)	1 000	(NA)
acres on which used	4	24							
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)							

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	24		85		Land irrigated by—				
Proportion of farms	4.3		16.7		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	8	(NA)	60	(NA)
Total land irrigated	159	599			acres	13	(NA)	76	(NA)
Average per farm	6.6	7.0			Other sprinkler systems	13	(NA)	76	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	24	85			Land in irrigated farms	5 684	21 574	3 290	13 609
Harvested cropland irrigated	159	599			Cropland	3 290	13 609	1 145	4 267
acres	24	84			Harvested cropland	1 145	4 267		
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	594			Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	—	(NA)			between 1970 and 1973	27	(X)	146	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	5			acres irrigated in most recent year	146	(X)		
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	81	288			Farms with artificial drainage	4	13		
Average per acre irrigated	0.5	0.5			Proportion of farms	0.7	2.5		
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	277	4 011		
Furrows or ditches	3	(NA)			Land drained	40	324		
acres	23	(NA)			Average per farm	10.0	24.9		
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	158	(NA)	635	(NA)
					number	635	(NA)	319	(NA)
					acres	319	(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 with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		174	117	112	112		
		2 761	2 051	709	709		
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000		58	20	83	83		
\$5,000 to \$9,999		24	21	12	12		
\$10,000 to \$29,999		69	62	10	10		
\$30,000 to \$49,999		15	8	5	5		
\$50,000 and over		8	6	2	2		

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	35	38	79	63	215	480	304	35	77	253
25 to 149 days	77	414	294	2 462	123		546	215	123	208
Less than 25 days	253		2 167	(NA)	208		2 540	79	294	2 167
Total contract labor	38	40	(NA)	(NA)	74	28				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	55	(NA)	22	(NA)				
Farms										
Cash wages paid										
Number of workers										
Farms with—										
1 worker										
2 workers										
3 or 4 workers										
5 to 9 workers										
10 workers and over										