

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number.....	1 209	1 540	662	608					
Land in farms..... acres.....	101 213	116 978	75 206	77 596	Total cropland..... farms.....	1 175	1 464	650	607
Average size of farm..... acres.....	84	76	114	128	acres.....	58 033	63 825	45 396	44 839
Approximate land area..... acres.....	152 512	152 512	152 512	152 512	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	1 101	1 320	637	599
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	66.4	76.7	49.3	50.9	acres.....	20 253	20 182	17 548	15 949
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	43 411	31 951	31 807	19 143	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	35 906	20 747	48 048	31 485	1 to 9 acres.....	547	752	184	129
Average per acre..... dollars.....	429	273	423	247	10 to 19 acres.....	193	202	129	129
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	137	157	110	110
1 to 9 acres.....	156	233	51	19	30 to 49 acres.....	138	125	130	130
10 to 49 acres.....	430	525	150	100	50 to 99 acres.....	63	64	61	64
50 to 69 acres.....	150	197	76	76	100 to 199 acres.....	18	18	18	18
70 to 99 acres.....	156	210	111	127	200 to 499 acres.....	5	2	5	2
100 to 139 acres.....	131	140	105	98	500 to 999 acres.....	-	-	-	-
140 to 179 acres.....	71	99	65	71	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....	38	42	33	32	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres.....	24	35	22	30	or grazing..... farms.....	840	1 049	505	501
260 to 499 acres.....	33	42	31	39	acres.....	33 312	35 638	25 126	25 104
500 to 999 acres.....	16	17	16	16	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	299	552	170	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	3	-	2	-	acres.....	4 468	8 005	2 722	3 786
2,000 acres and over.....	1	-	-	-	Total woodland..... farms.....	771	980	467	471
					acres.....	29 097	37 008	21 852	23 444
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	908	1 098	499	(NA)
					acres.....	14 083	16 145	7 958	9 313
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	16	2	5	2
					acres.....	106	4	64	4

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969			1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....				Total woodland - Continued		
acres.....	170	(NA)		Woodland not pastured..... farms.....		
	2 722	3 786		acres.....	329	298
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	119	144		Other land..... farms.....	499	9 313
acres.....	1 420	1 911		acres.....	7 958	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	9	7		Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	149	118
acres.....	185	42		acres.....	4 317	3 402
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	19	58		Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	95	78
acres.....	261	693		acres.....	2 496	2 129
Cropland idle..... farms.....	47	107		Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	68	57
acres.....	856	1 140		acres.....	1 821	1 273
Total woodland..... farms.....	467	471		Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....	454	419
acres.....	21 852	23 444		acres.....	3 641	5 911
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	257	272				
acres.....	7 131	6 830				

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms by type of organization - Con.	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number.....	1 209	1 540	662	608	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	49	89
Land in farms..... acres.....	101 213	116 978	75 206	77 596	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	7 222	13 940
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	20 253	20 182	17 548	15 949	Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	633
Full owners..... number.....	937	1 255	449	432	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
Land in farms..... acres.....	72 500	92 865	48 336	56 879	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	307
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	12 038	14 541	9 653	10 871	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners..... number.....	212	214	177	147	Under 25 years.....	13	37	10	8
Land in farms..... acres.....	24 681	20 923	23 416	18 176	25 to 34 years.....	120	132	74	48
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	7 291	4 706	7 113	4 413	35 to 44 years.....	236	250	142	131
Tenants..... number.....	60	71	36	29	45 to 54 years.....	288	432	162	177
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 032	3 190	3 454	2 541	55 to 64 years.....	259	375	134	166
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	924	935	782	665	65 years and over.....	293	314	140	78
Percent of tenancy.....	5.0	4.6	5.4	4.7	Average age.....	53.0	52.4	51.6	50.7
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	784	1 011	454	486
All farm operators..... number.....	10	3	8	3	On another farm.....	51		26	
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 806	235	1 806	235	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	31	286	10	55
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	484	85	465	85	In a city, town, or urban area.....	65		19	
Full owners..... number.....	3	-	1	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	107	-	47	-	None.....	399	(NA)	218	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	34	-	15	-	1 to 49 days.....	73	181	48	82
Part owners..... number.....	7	3	7	3	50 to 99 days.....	60	78	27	43
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 759	235	1 759	235	100 to 149 days.....	36		17	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	450	85	450	85	150 to 199 days.....	55	148	27	55
Tenants..... number.....	-	-	-	-	200 days and over.....	326	470	136	106
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	-	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	-	-	-	Farming.....	693	(NA)	467	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	-	-	-	Other.....	516	(NA)	195	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	613	516	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	67 984	62 716					

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	1	7	1	7			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	20		20				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	49	26	49	26			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	120	81	120	81			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	206	204	206	204			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	264	278	264	278			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	549	944	2	12			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	114	101	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	130	132	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	181	186	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	124	525	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	7 590	5 556	6 827	4 587			
Average per farm	6 278	3 607	10 312	7 545			
Crops, including hay	1 031	1 402	610	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products	3 707	2 344	3 148	1 655			
Forest products	45	69	39	50			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	821	950	563	571			
Poultry and poultry products	30	(NA)	19	29			
Specified products sold:							
Crops						610	(NA)
Grains						3 148	1 655
Tobacco						195	120
Cotton and cottonseed						701	124
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage						575	556
Other field crops						2 198	1 224
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
Fruits, nuts, and berries						128	172
Livestock, poultry, and their products						142	211
Poultry and poultry products						13	26
Dairy products						17	24
Cattle and calves						10	15
Hogs and pigs						11	17
Sheep, lambs, and wool						80	57
Other livestock and livestock products						563	571

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	475	(NA)	151	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	239	(NA)	133	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services	258	(NA)	179	(NA)		
Recreational services	101	132	71	80		
Government farm programs	138	94	109	60		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	2	8	2	5		
Other farm-related sources	71	457	53	248		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	16	207	13	138		
Total family income from off-farm sources ²	92	(NA)	32	(NA)		349
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	96	(NA)	49	(NA)		2 564
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	8	(NA)	8	(NA)		85
Interest, dividends, or royalties	7	(NA)	7	(NA)		903
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	7	(NA)	7	(NA)		218
Retirement income of nonfarm property	85	(NA)	49	(NA)		1 333

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	1 208	1 540	662	608					
Farms with \$1 to \$999	4 614	3 747	4 072	3 124					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	435	783	62	177					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	260	277	141						
\$3,000 to \$4,999	127	154	102	122					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	142	155	119	139					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	134	109	128	108					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	72		72	37					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	29		29	19					
\$60,000 and over	2		2	6					
Livestock and poultry purchased	356	483	205	276					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	464	614	382	526					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	751	820	441	455					
Feed ingredients	1 055	766	966	688					
Whole grains	484	517	311	361					
Hay, green chop, and silage	621	537	591	509					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	146	88					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	(NA)	(NA)	133	52					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	(NA)	(NA)	146	88					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	(NA)	(NA)	133	52					
Lime	(NA)	(NA)	200	116					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	(NA)	(NA)	196	108					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	58	60					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	46	19					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	306	(NA)					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)					
Hired farm labor	648	783	428	408					
Contract labor	106	78	94	60					
Machine hire and customwork	1 110	1 427	637	598					
All other production expenses	726	464	642	372					

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.....	1 145	1 327	622	573					
..... farms.....									
..... \$1,000.....	10 056	4 478	6 766	2 969					
..... dollars.....	8 783	3 374	10 877	5 181					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	25	260	7	353					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	372	783	183	141					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	427	189	181	65					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	220	79	156	9					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	71		66	5					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	25		24						
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	4	16	4						
\$70,000 and over.....	1		1						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	892	973	471	405					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	1 152	1 173	643	485					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	520	513	265	240					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	930	830	544	468					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	1 095	948	681	553					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	234	362	188	204					
Wheel tractors.....	923	945	540	493					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	1 232	1 177	818	673					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	227	369	177	227					
Crawler tractors.....	25		22	12					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	25		22	12					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	9					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines,									
self-propelled.....	15	11	15	11					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	17	11	17	11					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	5	2	5					
Corn heads for combines.....	12	92	10	7					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	12	95	10	7					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	38	3	3					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	95		88	82					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	95		88	82					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16		16	32					
Mower conditioners.....	82	(NA)	72	(NA)					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	84	(NA)	73	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	(NA)	14	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....	182	203	161	177					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	184	205	163	179					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	30	101	26	88					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	62	(NA)	54	74					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	62	(NA)	54	75					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	11	30					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	55	(NA)	44	39					
..... farms.....									
..... number.....	55	(NA)	44	39					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	19					

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.....	924	(X)	574	(X)	821	(X)	563	(X)	3 635
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	899	(X)	566	(X)	792	(X)	558	(X)	2 075
.....1969.....	992	(X)	558	(X)	912	(X)	564	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	864	28 333	550	23 954	745	11 067	533	9 855	1 623
.....1969.....	940	22 072	545	18 602	857	12 347	548	10 568	1 362
Farms with --									
1 to 4.....1974.....	105	283	34	83	206	483	92	220	32
5 to 9.....1974.....	116	771	38	266	170	1 161	113	771	115
10 to 19.....1974.....	191	2 660	102	1 467	194	2 572	158	2 128	323
20 to 49.....1974.....	281	8 815	216	6 935	150	4 315	145	4 200	685
50 to 99.....1974.....	128	8 414	117	7 813	20	1 258	20	1 258	221
100 to 199.....1974.....	38	5 025	38	5 025	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....1974.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	743	15 377	505	13 177	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	768	11 429	492	9 854	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	542	12 057	373	10 139	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	8 235	361	7 159	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	327	3 320	231	3 038	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	441	3 194	277	2 695	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	135	(X)	1 472
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	228	(X)	660
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.....	542	12 057	373	10 139	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with --					Farms with --				
1 to 4.....	73	182	36	96	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	88	609	41	294	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	161	2 161	105	1 414	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	161	4 557	134	3 909	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	51	3 342	49	3 220	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	7	(D)	7	(D)	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	327	3 320	231	3 038	Calves sold.....				
Farms with --					Farms with --				
1 or 2.....	133	202	72	105	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	42	154	23	84	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	56	377	43	292	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	41	559	38	529	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	45	1 401	45	1 401	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	10	627	10	627	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	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	Number					
					Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Heifers and heifer calves.....	1974.....	1974.....	326	5 096	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	1974.....	40	350	105
	1969.....	1969.....	391	4 512		1969.....	9	169	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974.....	1974.....	264	4 041	Farms with—	1974.....	30	87	23
Milk heifers	1974.....	1974.....	93	1 055	1 to 9.....	1974.....	5	62	29
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974.....	1974.....	385	5 681	10 to 19.....	1974.....	4	140	43
	1969.....	1969.....	438	4 236	20 to 49.....	1974.....	1	61	10
					50 to 99.....	1974.....	—	—	—
					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.....	1974.....	236	5 283	172	4 657	190	13 594	151	12 548	450		
	1969.....	1969.....	350	8 292	215	6 842	301	17 476	198	15 371	(NA)		
Farms with—	1974.....	1974.....	92	220	54	131	22	55	17	46	3		
1 to 4.....	1974.....	1974.....	43	292	34	240	15	112	12	91	4		
5 to 9.....	1974.....	1974.....	42	660	34	543	43	734	28	484	24		
10 to 24.....	1974.....	1974.....	30	1 009	22	721	42	1 513	31	1 093	44		
25 to 49.....	1974.....	1974.....	21	1 416	20	1 336	36	2 480	31	2 134	83		
50 to 99.....	1974.....	1974.....	4	542	4	542	19	2 361	19	2 361	78		
100 to 199.....	1974.....	1974.....	4	1 144	4	1 144	8	2 212	8	2 212	87		
200 to 499.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	5	4 127	5	4 127	125		
500 and over.....	1974.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	118	8 895	90	8 009	183		
Feeder pigs sold.....	1974.....	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	141	9 603	98	8 630	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs	1974.....	1969.....	9	143	9	143	7	95	7	95	(NA)		
	1974.....	1969.....	8	291	7	257	10	198	7	170	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	1974.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	102	639		
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(X)	3		
Goats	1974.....	1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—		
	1974.....	1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)		
Horses and ponies.....	1974.....	1969.....	152	329	85	214	21	46	14	32	8		
	1974.....	1969.....	249	592	(NA)	(NA)	28	45	(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.....	1969.....	126	1 342	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	1974.....	177	1 772	140	1 612		
	1969.....	1969.....	155	1 627								1969.....	263	2 086	174	1 777
Other hogs and pigs	1974.....	1969.....	141	3 315	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....		1974.....	222	1 087	150	912		
	1974.....	1969.....	186	5 215	June 1 and November 30.....		1974.....	123	820	101	749		
Lambs under 1 year old	1974.....	1974.....	4	35			1969.....	201	999	144	865		
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974.....	1974.....	9	100									
Rams and wethers	1974.....	1974.....	7	8									

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.....	1969.....	205	(X)	116	(X)	6	(X)	5	(X)	(X)	
	1969.....	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	96	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	(X)	
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974.....	1974.....	205	14 082	116	11 901	6	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	
	1969.....	1969.....	211	106 867	93	104 230	25	83 838	19	83 754	83 754	
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974.....	1974.....	191	13 318	108	11 473	4	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	
	1969.....	1969.....	196	67 308	86	64 881	20	42 057	16	42 003	42 003	
Farms with—	1974.....	1974.....	188	4 068	105	2 223	3	12	2	10	10	
1 to 99.....	1974.....	1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	
100 to 399.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
400 to 1,599.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1,600 to 3,199.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3,200 to 9,999.....	1974.....	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	
10,000 to 19,999.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
20,000 to 49,999.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 to 99,999.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 and over.....	1974.....	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974.....	1969.....	4	106	2	29	1	5 500	1	5 500	5 500	
	1974.....	1969.....	1	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	80	19	80	80	
	1969.....	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	29	425	425	

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.....	108	11 473	3	(D)	Turkeys.....1974.....	1	6	—	—
.....1969.....	86	64 881	16	42 003	.....1969.....	3	18	2	62
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	107	11 380	3	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	1	5	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	4	93	—	—	.....1974.....	1	5	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	5	66	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	7	39 210	3	41 751	Light breed.....1974.....	1	1	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	54	362	2	40	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	2	16	1	60
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	1	1	—	—	.....1969.....	4	(X)	—	(X)
					Other poultry.....1974.....	8	(X)	—	(X)
					.....1969.....				

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	542	458	7 474	5 102	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	4	12	27	80	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	21	3	918	110	19 345	2 250
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	1	—	(Z)	—	60
Wheat (bushels).....	28	30	714	334	18 905	9 805
Other small grains for grain.....	43	44	370	492	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	948	1 291	1 241	1 262	2 511 173	2 776 469
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	108	(NA)	53	(NA)	6 011	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels).....	25	(NA)	7	(NA)	538	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	599	621	10 137	12 045	18 185	21 279
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	25	35	19	62	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	25	42	255	410	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	14	25	5	10	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	18	(NA)	149	534	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	355	237	4 758	2 604	337 353	183 190	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	147	155	1 891	1 494	25 682	24 127	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	7	3	215	26	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	2	—	14	—	600	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	(NA)	—	52	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	37	15	453	199	912	453	—	—	—	—

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.....	505	25 126	(X)	1	25	139	4 961	139	922	3	21
.....1969.....	501	25 104	(X)	—	—	261	8 511	261	1 810	1	25
Improved pasture.....1974.....	95	2 496	(X)	—	—	26	572	26	88	—	—
.....1969.....	78	2 129	(X)	—	—	22	549	22	167	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	409	6 864	(X)	—	—	329	5 765	329	1 947	34	97
.....1969.....	308	4 124	(X)	—	—	233	2 912	231	1 059	4	13
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	6	66	(X)	—	—	4	36	4	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	28	714	18 905	—	—	21	459	21	8	—	—
.....1969.....	27	303	9 175	—	—	15	198	(NA)	41	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	9	49	1 980	—	—	3	18	3	2	—	—
.....1969.....	30	343	13 504	—	—	19	186	(NA)	36	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	34	312	9 375	—	—	25	279	25	54	2	4
.....1969.....	11	111	3 999	—	—	3	30	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	1	4	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	3	40	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	20	915	19 315	—	—	11	232	11	36	—	—
.....1969.....	3	110	2 250	—	—	3	110	(NA)	9	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	(Z)	60	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	431	8 358	15 295	3	32	154	2 564	154	525	—	—
.....1969.....	381	9 435	17 752	—	—	151	3 080	151	537	—	—
Field seed crops.....1974.....	14	142	(X)	—	—	5	54	5	7	—	—
.....1969.....	25	426	(X)	—	—	10	138	10	29	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	577	1 001	2 031 849	8	10	577	991	577	1 135	(NA)	10
.....1969.....	560	841	1 889 200	4	6	560	837	(NA)	1 068	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	66	44	5 408	1	(Z)	26	30	26	15	—	—
.....1969.....	118	39	3 419	2	(Z)	47	55	(NA)	16	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	19	17	(X)	—	—	14	14	14	9	—	—
.....1969.....	21	54	(X)	—	—	16	53	16	21	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	9	246	(X)	—	—	4	47	4	6	—	—
.....1969.....	15	365	(X)	—	—	13	289	13	37	—	—

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Berries for sale	1974..	5	2	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
.....	1969..	14	6	(X)	—	—	6	3	6	3	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974..	5	6	(X)	—	—	3	3	6	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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms..	640	599	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	
.....	\$1,000..	737	438	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms..
Commercial fertilizer	farms..	637	586	.....	6
.....	acres on which used..	16 072	17 189	.....	152
.....	tons..	4 931	4 994	.....	11
Lime	farms..	642	372	Weeds or grass in crops	farms..
.....	acres on which used..	2 297	2 646	.....	118
.....	tons..	4 670	7 627	.....	3 244
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	\$1,000..	21	30	.....	25
Insects on hay crops	farms..	9	8	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms..
.....	acres on which used..	105	35	.....	10
.....	\$1,000..	1	(2)	.....	62
Insects on other crops	farms..	121	202	.....	(2)
.....	acres on which used..	1 116	736	Weeds on all other land	farms..
.....	\$1,000..	16	10	.....	12
Nematodes in crops	farms..	4	4	.....	56
.....	acres on which used..	—	46	.....	(2)
.....	\$1,000..	—	(2)	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	
				of crops or thinning of fruit	farms..
				.....	18
				.....	131
				.....	1
				Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms..
				.....	67
				.....	4
				Other chemicals (see text)	farms..
				.....	88
				.....	16

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 irrigated in census year	farms..	5	2	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms	percent..	0.8	0.3	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms..
Total land irrigated	acres..	64	4	.....	2
Average per farm	acres..	12.8	2.0	Other sprinkler systems	farms..
Cropland irrigated	farms..	5	2	.....	4
.....	acres..	64	4	Land in irrigated farms	acres..
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms..	5	2	.....	364
.....	acres..	39	4	Cropland	acres..
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms..	1	—	.....	186
.....	acres..	25	—	Harvested cropland	acres..
Other cropland irrigated	farms..	—	(NA)	.....	43
.....	acres..	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms..	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	farms..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	—
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	—
.....	acres..	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	farms..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	10
.....	acres..	—	—	Proportion of farms	percent..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	1.5
.....	acres..	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	acres..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	3 310
.....	acres..	—	—	Land drained	acres..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	142
.....	acres..	—	—	Average per farm	acres..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	14.2
.....	acres..	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	
.....	acres..	—	—	tanks	farms..
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	181
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	447
.....	acres..	—	—	.....	176

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms..	228	195	92
.....	\$1,000..	4 536	3 436	1 100
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000	68	54	46	46
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	44	28	28
\$10,000 to \$29,999	76	63	10	10
\$30,000 to \$49,999	29	24	3	3
\$50,000 and over	11	10	5	5

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	23	34	31	44	68	237	343	23	59	295
25 to 149 days	59	442	137	2 021	59	129	257	68	59	129
Less than 25 days	295	—	2 005	—	129	—	2 173	31	137	2 005
Total contract labor	37	35	(NA)	(NA)	27	11				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	78	(NA)	14	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	65	—	18	—	28	—	66	—	3	62
2 workers	43	—	2	—	15	—				
3 or 4 workers	84	—	3	—	13	—				
5 to 9 workers	85	—	—	—	—	—				
10 workers and over	66	—	—	—	—	—				