

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	688	877	288	344	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms ----- acres	187 547	246 552	140 024	177 082	Total cropland ----- farms	587	689	252	275
Average size of farm ----- acres	273	281	486	515	----- acres	71 664	76 076	47 916	48 798
Approximate land area ----- acres	572 160	572 160	572 160	572 160	----- farms	351	356	192	196
Proportion in farms ----- percent	32.8	43.1	24.5	30.9	----- acres	12 786	13 544	10 860	11 538
Value of land and buildings ----- \$1,000	63 324	42 818	44 753	28 630	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm ----- dollars	92 040	48 823	155 393	83 227	1 to 9 acres -----	88	90	15	
Average per acre ----- dollars	338	174	320	162	10 to 19 acres -----	83	93	31	129
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres -----	43	47	26	
1 to 9 acres -----	16	30	2	7	30 to 49 acres -----	65	52	50	
10 to 49 acres -----	129	198	13	24	50 to 99 acres -----	41	40	39	33
50 to 69 acres -----	71	73	9	13	100 to 199 acres -----	22	22	22	22
70 to 99 acres -----	82	94	28	14	200 to 499 acres -----	7	11	7	11
100 to 139 acres -----	61	81	20	23	500 to 999 acres -----	2	1	2	1
140 to 179 acres -----	62	63	24	22	1,000 acres and over -----	--	--	--	--
180 to 219 acres -----	39	58	23	32	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres -----	32	30	12	14	or grazing ----- farms	477	500	189	186
260 to 499 acres -----	104	120	78	86	----- acres	57 015	57 796	35 893	35 321
500 to 999 acres -----	58	70	45	57	----- farms	60	124	27	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	20	45	20	39	----- acres	1 863	4 736	1 163	1 939
2,000 acres and over -----	14	15	14	13	Total woodland ----- farms	408	565	176	236
					----- acres	65 115	100 641	48 272	72 784
					Other land (see text) ----- farms	408	574	196	(NA)
					----- acres	50 768	69 835	43 836	55 500
					Irrigated land ----- farms	3	10	--	6
					----- acres	17	658	--	628

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	688	877	288	344	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ----- acres	187 547	246 552	140 024	177 082	Partnership ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	11	31
Harvested cropland ----- acres	12 786	13 544	10 860	11 538	Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 336	14 333
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	1	2
Full owners ----- number	477	608	171	202	Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 820	(D)
Land in farms ----- acres	108 823	142 363	75 381	95 141	Other ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Harvested cropland ----- acres	7 030	6 565	5 570	5 257	----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 060	(D)
Part owners ----- number	146	178	84	106	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms ----- acres	61 046	79 023	50 324	66 296	Under 25 years -----	10	18	1	9
Harvested cropland ----- acres	4 756	5 669	4 504	5 220	25 to 34 years -----	78	82	35	28
Tenants ----- number	65	91	33	36	35 to 44 years -----	58	122	24	47
Land in farms ----- acres	17 678	25 166	14 319	15 645	45 to 54 years -----	172	226	77	99
Harvested cropland ----- acres	1 000	1 310	786	1 061	55 to 64 years -----	184	237	81	96
Percent of tenancy -----	9.4	10.3	11.5	10.4	65 years and over -----	183	192	67	65
					Average age -----	54.4	53.1	54.1	52.5
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated -----	363	533	154	220
All farm operators ----- number	101	206	30	25	On another farm -----	16	--	9	--
Land in farms ----- acres	10 078	21 320	3 916	8 847	In a rural area, not on a farm -----	29	215	10	79
Harvested cropland ----- acres	838	1 504	648	613	In a city, town, or urban area -----	135	--	56	--
Full owners ----- number	84	159	25	20	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms ----- acres	7 115	16 920	3 077	8 096	None -----	189	(NA)	90	(NA)
Harvested cropland ----- acres	761	1 041	621	475	1 to 49 days -----	38	41	15	9
Part owners ----- number	11	23	3	3	50 to 99 days -----	28	34	14	16
Land in farms ----- acres	2 103	2 645	519	628	100 to 149 days -----	24	--	13	--
Harvested cropland ----- acres	71	206	27	72	150 to 199 days -----	30	76	14	21
Tenants ----- number	6	24	2	2	200 days and over -----	281	409	85	123
Land in farms ----- acres	860	1 755	320	2	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland ----- acres	6	257	--	66	Farming -----	257	(NA)	170	(NA)
Percent of tenancy -----	5.9	11.6	6.7	8.0	Other -----	428	(NA)	115	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market -----	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Individual or family ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	274	309	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts -----	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	128 808	151 618					

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	38	68	38	68		
\$40,000 to \$99,999	29		29			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	19	59	19	59		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29	36	29	36		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	59	64	59	64		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	93	97	93	97		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	421	553	21	20		
\$2,000 to \$2,499	48	45	(X)	(X)		
\$1,500 to \$1,999	82	53	(X)	(X)		
\$1,000 to \$1,499	86	87	(X)	(X)		
Under \$1,000 (see text)	205	368	(X)	(X)		
Market value of agricultural products sold						
\$1,000	11 828	9 087	11 407	8 694		
Average per farm	17 192	10 361	39 609	25 273		
Specified products sold:						
Crops						
Grains					58	(NA)
Tobacco					310	251
Cotton and cottonseed					2	5
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					7	4
Other field crops					—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					7	26
Fruits, nuts, and berries					121	118
Livestock, poultry, and their products					49	56
Poultry and poultry products					161	107
Dairy products					2	4
Cattle and calves					4	3
Hogs and pigs					4	7
Sheep, lambs, and wool					1	15
Other livestock and livestock products					4	8
Forest products					16	5
Nursery and greenhouse products					279	331
Forest products					10 741	8 242
Livestock, poultry, and their products					17	36
Poultry and poultry products					1 676	1 615
Dairy products					71	87
Cattle and calves					6 985	4 352
Hogs and pigs					274	(NA)
Sheep, lambs, and wool					2 061	2 164
Other livestock and livestock products					4	(NA)
Forest products					3	111
Nursery and greenhouse products					2	
Forest products					3	
Livestock, poultry, and their products					630	747
Poultry and poultry products					11 124	8 593
Dairy products					279	331
Cattle and calves					10 741	8 242
Hogs and pigs					17	36
Sheep, lambs, and wool					1 677	1 615
Other livestock and livestock products					(NA)	(NA)

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	403	(NA)	112	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹					
Customwork and other agricultural services	94	(NA)	55	(NA)	
Recreational services	244	(NA)	202	(NA)	
Government farm programs	27	27	19	21	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	120	57	108	56	
Other farm-related sources	7	6	7	2	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	7	2	7	1	
Total family income from off-farm sources ²	49	137	24	72	
Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related	81	131	61	116	
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	22	(NA)	12	(NA)	
Interest, dividends, or royalties	26	(NA)	17	(NA)	
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	10	(NA)	9	(NA)	
Rent income of nonfarm property	11	(NA)	10	(NA)	
	24	(NA)	17	(NA)	
	73	(NA)	63	(NA)	
Total family income from off-farm sources ²					193
Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related					2 757
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					47
Interest, dividends, or royalties					709
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					124
Rent income of nonfarm property					1 463
					89
					380
					43
					124
					16
					82

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	686	877	288	344	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	197	197	91	86
Farms with—	11 222	8 394	10 419	7 747	Commercial fertilizer purchased	64	35	54	28
\$1 to \$999	144	323	3	43	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	412	497	174	230
\$1,000 to \$1,999	119	164	8	32	Lime	727	443	623	397
\$2,000 to \$2,999	87	62	27	32	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	157	(NA)	83	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	101	91	49	46	Gasoline	101	106	93	94
\$5,000 to \$9,999	107	76	73	62	Diesel oil	111	31	72	72
\$10,000 to \$19,999	44	44	44	45	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	57	21	51
\$20,000 to \$39,999	20	20	20	60	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	653	801	285	343
\$40,000 to \$59,999	16	16	16	56	Gasoline	453	335	362	266
\$60,000 and over	48	48	48	56	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	235	321
Livestock and poultry purchased	239	365	129	190	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	223	163
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	1 339	1 435	1 245	1 312	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	194	103
Commercially mixed formula feeds	633	776	277	325	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	74	32
Feed ingredients	5 247	3 377	4 957	3 162	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	34	117
Whole grains	469	547	238	300	Hired farm labor	253	374	152	224
Hay, green chop, and silage	4 714	2 968	4 590	2 877	Contract labor	738	697	711	663
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	99	51	Machine hire and customwork	50	245	28	46
	(NA)	(NA)	82	118	Machine hire and customwork	61	180	57	54
	(NA)	(NA)	90	14	All other production expenses	170	106	150	108
	(NA)	(NA)	87	22		164	574	282	341
	(NA)	(NA)	59	89		2 329	1 785	2 099	1 663
	(NA)	(NA)	199	145					
	(NA)	(NA)	153	(NA)					
	(NA)	(NA)	68	(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.....	626	788	269	332					
farms.....	6 880	4 127	4 521	2 901					
\$1,000.....	10 990	5 237	16 805	8 739					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	22	109	4	160					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	185	432	56						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	219	141	64						
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	103	63	59	52					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	52		42	24					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	31		30	13					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	11	43	11						
\$70,000 and over.....	3		3	6					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	386	402	170	186	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	4	2	4	2
farms.....	482	481	229	213	number.....	7	2	7	2
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	253	355	145	174	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	2	-	2
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	537	586	238	272	Corn heads for combines.....	-	7	-	2
farms.....	691	711	372	377	number.....	-	8	-	2
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	307	447	186	257	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	4	-	1
Wheel tractors.....	492	528	232	272	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	1		1	6
farms.....	706	844	396	508	number.....	1		1	6
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	145	383	107	256	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	3
Crawler tractors.....	19		17	25	Mower conditioners.....	72	(NA)	51	(NA)
farms.....	21		19	30	number.....	76	(NA)	51	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	17	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	30	(NA)	21	(NA)
					Pickup balers.....	90	90	66	76
					farms.....	97	97	73	83
					number.....	35	59	31	51
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
					Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	44	(NA)	31	47
					farms.....	45	(NA)	32	56
					number.....	15	(NA)	13	32
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
					Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	13	(NA)	7	17
					farms.....	22	(NA)	10	19
					number.....	16	(NA)	6	9
					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.....1974..	644	(X)	278	(X)	630	(X)	279	(X)	10 741
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..	622	(X)	269	(X)	421	(X)	274	(X)	2 066
1969.....	778	(X)	311	(X)	720	(X)	322	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974..	618	52 654	267	42 518	618	18 379	274	15 377	2 061
1969.....	764	46 411	307	38 317	706	22 704	320	19 409	2 164
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974..	15	32	-	-	115	306	11	30	4
5 to 9.....1974..	27	189	2	11	146	991	14	93	15
10 to 19.....1974..	111	1 523	11	165	136	1 912	60	906	139
20 to 49.....1974..	204	6 483	49	1 611	130	3 776	98	2 954	388
50 to 99.....1974..	124	8 642	68	4 946	55	3 545	55	3 545	461
100 to 199.....1974..	84	11 924	84	11 924	21	2 896	21	2 896	335
200 to 499.....1974..	38	10 991	38	10 991	13	(D)	13	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974..	15	12 870	15	12 870	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..	507	32 741	246	27 168	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	615	28 862	285	24 976	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974..	464	22 762	215	17 320	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	19 803	227	16 094	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974..	115	9 979	76	9 848	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	187	9 059	102	8 882	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	71	(X)	6 985
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	87	(X)	4 352
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.....	464	22 762	215	17 320	Cattle sold.....	191	6 176		1 338
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	27	70	9	26	1 to 4.....	29	66		13
5 to 9.....	46	313	3	19	5 to 9.....	34	237		54
10 to 19.....	78	1 061	16	228	10 to 19.....	63	831		176
20 to 49.....	179	5 551	69	2 143	20 to 49.....	33	953		204
50 to 99.....	79	5 222	63	4 359	50 to 99.....	17	1 095		255
100 to 199.....	36	4 556	36	4 556	100 to 199.....	9	1 171		257
200 to 499.....	16	4 038	16	4 038	200 to 499.....	6	1 823		380
500 and over.....	3	1 951	3	1 951	500 and over.....	-	-		-
Milk cows.....	115	9 979	76	9 848	Calves sold.....	231	9 201		723
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	21	30	2	3	1 or 2.....	17	28		2
3 or 4.....	9	31	1	3	3 or 4.....	5	19		2
5 to 9.....	12	76	-	3	5 to 9.....	25	168		15
10 to 19.....	13	164	13	164	10 to 19.....	50	703		58
20 to 49.....	5	173	5	173	20 to 49.....	79	2 387		225
50 to 99.....	21	1 468	21	1 468	50 to 99.....	37	2 450		189
100 to 199.....	23	3 122	23	3 122	100 to 199.....	10	1 319		78
200 to 499.....	9	(D)	9	(D)	200 to 499.....	7	(D)		149
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over.....	1	(D)		4

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Year	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Year	Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974	203	8 733	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	19	329	85
	1969	259	9 115		1969	3	109	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	177	5 600	Farms with—	1 to 9	8	57	14
Milk heifers	1974	52	3 133		10 to 19	8	96	21
					20 to 49	—	—	—
					50 to 99	3	176	50
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	205	6 617		100 to 199	—	—	—
	1969	270	4 226		200 to 499	—	—	—
					500 and over	—	—	—

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Year	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	53	252	17	91	16	178	4	42	3
	1969	115	2 143	26	1 612	39	2 772	17	2 377	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	36	74	10	17	6	19	—	—	—
5 to 9	1974	9	55	3	20	4	28	2	14	1
10 to 24	1974	7	91	4	54	3	43	2	28	2
25 to 49	1974	1	32	—	—	3	88	—	—	—
50 to 99	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	21	—	—	—
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	187	3	22	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	6	92	2	70	5	66	2	57	(NA)
	1969	22	424	11	302	17	301	12	276	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	59	334
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	3
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	51	(NA)	(NA)	2	37	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	197	535	79	271	14	33	7	22	12
	1969	287	981	(NA)	(NA)	36	98	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Year	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	Inventory					
		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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	5	5	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	19	39	9	11	
	1969	18	218		1969	62	333	19	228	
Other hogs and pigs	1974	17	86		1974	12	15	4	4	
	1969	21	1 394	1969	44	126	12	66		
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	13	June 1 and November 30	1974	12	24	7	7	
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	49		1969	29	207	12	162	
Rams and wethers	1974	2	8							

¹Pounds of wool.

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Year	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	118	(X)	40	(X)	16	(X)	14	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	58	(X)	(NA)	(X)	32	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	108	125 536	34	124 119	6	226 520	4	226 500
	1969	164	66 860	36	63 958	14	17 551	6	17 485
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	103	85 294	30	83 973	6	86 520	4	(D)
	1969	154	64 407	34	62 111	14	16 301	6	16 235
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	99	1 994	26	673	2	20	—	—
100 to 399	1974	1	100	1	100	1	300	1	300
400 to 1,599	1974	1	1 200	1	1 200	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1974	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	1974	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	29	137 470	11	137 224	12	420 187	10	420 127
	1969	42	505 640	24	505 398	26	2 277 650	26	2 277 650
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	1 677	17	1 676
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	1 615

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...	30	83 973	4	(D)	Turkeys.....1974...	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	34	62 111	6	16 235	.....1969...	3	25	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974...	29	83 908	4	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974...	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974...	3	65	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974...	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....1974...	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974...	5	40 054	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974...	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	6	500	-	-	.....1969...	3	25	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974...	15	92	-	-	.....1974...	1	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974...	2	(D)	-	-	.....1969...	10	(X)	1	(X)
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....1974...	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	.....1969...	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....1974...	33	78	231	848	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	8	8	436	252	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974...	1	5	25	51	515	1 256
.....1969...	5	5	5	5	9 100	2 100
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	120
.....1969...	1	3	100	58	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels).....1974...	7	51	1 129	1 640	589	1 212
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974...	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	28	(NA)
.....1969...	21	(NA)	15	(NA)	1 721	(NA)
Cotton (bales).....1974...	299	236	10 812	10 236	21 742	17 219
.....1969...	8	24	13	136	(X)	(X)
Tobacco (pounds).....1974...	24	19	147	233	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974...	7	(NA)	37	62	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....1974...	5	(NA)	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	21	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974...	299	236	10 812	10 236	21 742	17 219
.....1969...	8	24	13	136	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974...	24	19	147	233	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....1974...	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	7	(NA)	37	62	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops.....1974...	7	(NA)	37	62	(X)	(X)
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-

	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).....1974...	11	11	52	279	1 018	30 895	-	1	30
.....1969...	2	4	100	49	1 100	736	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....1974...	-	1	-	34	(X)	(X)	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....1974...	-	-	-	125	-	1 429	-	1	12
.....1969...	8	(NA)	436	103	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....1974...	6	8	375	277	649	489	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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		Quantity	Farms		Total		Dry		Liquid	
	1974	1969		1974	1969	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974...	189	35 893	(X)	-	-	65	7 557	65	1 502	2	36
.....1969...	186	35 321	(X)	2	140	88	10 066	85	1 738	3	22
Improved pasture.....1974...	93	19 085	(X)	-	-	39	7 627	39	1 358	-	-
.....1969...	129	42 628	(X)	2	120	84	16 724	83	2 710	2	65
Corn for all purposes.....1974...	13	152	(X)	-	-	6	56	6	7	1	2
.....1969...	14	362	(X)	1	42	12	354	12	47	2	21
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974...	8	436	(X)	-	-	7	391	5	38	3	48
.....1969...	4	228	(X)	-	-	3	103	2	1	1	5
Wheat (bushels).....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974...	1	50	2 000	-	-	1	50	1	3	-	-
.....1969...	1	38	1 500	-	-	1	38	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974...	1	50	1 000	-	-	1	50	1	18	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974...	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	1	25	515	-	-	1	25	1	2	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974...	4	50	1 220	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969...	2	2	4 000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974...	1	1	600	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974...	178	8 965	18 182	-	-	73	3 949	72	1 016	7	87
.....1969...	163	9 106	15 886	5	314	71	4 007	70	941	2	5
Field seed crops.....1974...	1	30	(X)	-	-	1	30	1	6	1	5
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974...	7	1 129	589	-	-	7	1 129	6	153	1	5
.....1969...	25	1 408	1 088	1	12	22	1 298	(NA)	168	(NA)	44
Tobacco (pounds).....1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974...	2	(Z)	6	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969...	3	2	114	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974...	4	8	(X)	-	-	4	9	4	2	-	-
.....1969...	8	107	(X)	-	-	5	98	5	20	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974...	12	125	(X)	-	-	1	12	1	3	-	-
.....1969...	14	211	(X)	-	-	5	57	5	8	-	-

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	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	2	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	7	13	(X)	—	—	2	1	2	(Z)	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	(Z)

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	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000		farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	183		254		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
	\$1,000	716		491		Diseases in crops and orchards				
Commercial fertilizer	farms	174		205		acres on which used				
	\$1,000	20 928		32 781		Weeds or grass in crops				
	acres on which used	4 296		5 806		acres on which used				
Lime	farms	623		397		Weeds or brush in pasture				
	\$1,000	31		72		acres on which used				
	acres on which used	2 271		7 627		Weeds on all other land				
	farms	2 036		8 194		acres on which used				
	\$1,000	21		51		acres on which used				
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	6		9		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	165		627		of crops or thinning of fruit				
	\$1,000	1		2		acres on which used				
Insects on other crops	farms	4		15		Insect control on livestock and poultry				
	\$1,000	1 111		1 291		Other chemicals (see text)				
	acres on which used	41		13						
Nematodes in crops	farms	—		1						
	\$1,000	—		67						
	acres on which used	—		1						
	\$1,000	—		1						

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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	farms	—		6		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	percent	—		1.7		Self-propelled sprinkler systems				(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres	—		628		Other sprinkler systems				(NA)
Average per farm	acres	—		104.6		Land in irrigated farms				(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	—		6		Cropland				3 737
	acres	—		508		Harvested cropland				805
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	—		5		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973				559
	acres	—		368		acres irrigated in most recent year				
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	—		2		Farms with artificial drainage				
	acres	—		140		Proportion of farms				
Other cropland irrigated	farms	—		(NA)		Land in farms with drainage				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	—		2		Land drained				
	acres	—		120		Average per farm				
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	—		511		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks				
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	—		0.8		farms				
Land irrigated by—	farms	—		(NA)		number				
Furrows or ditches	acres	—		(NA)		acres				

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	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		120	84	61		
	\$1,000	6 545	3 818	2 727		
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000		23	22	9		
\$5,000 to \$9,999		15	8	12		
\$10,000 to \$29,999		43	32	19		
\$30,000 to \$49,999		14	6	10		
\$50,000 and over		25	16	11		

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—											
150 days or more	65	104	168	199	573	663	Farms	152	65	34	101
25 to 149 days	34	171	117	476	79		Cash wages paid \$1,000	711	573	79	59
Less than 25 days	101	46	423	(NA)	59		Number of workers	708	168	117	423
Total contract labor	28		(NA)		57		Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	50	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 worker	63	32	12	52
							2 workers	20	11	9	7
							3 or 4 workers	25	16	5	14
							5 to 9 workers	26	4	6	17
							10 workers and over	18	2	2	11