

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.....	387	445	351	344	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..... farms..... acres..... Other cropland (see text)..... farms..... acres..... Total woodland..... farms..... acres..... Other land (see text)..... farms..... acres..... Irrigated land..... farms..... acres.....	377	434	348	340
Land in farms..... acres.....	228 719	211 010	225 723	206 230		193 207	175 471	190 944	172 090
Average size of farm..... acres.....	591	474	643	600		369	408	348	333
Approximate land area..... acres.....	278 720	278 720	278 720	278 720		171 168	157 193	169 965	154 771
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	82.1	75.7	81.0	74.0					
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	118 119	76 545	116 347	74 262					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	305 218	172 010	331 474	215 877					
Average per acre..... dollars.....	516	363	515	360					
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres.....	3	6	1	-				3	
10 to 49 acres.....	67	99	47	28				18	45
50 to 69 acres.....	29	35	25	20				36	
70 to 99 acres.....	35	48	31	44					
100 to 139 acres.....	25	29	24	29					
140 to 179 acres.....	23	24	22	21					
180 to 219 acres.....	15	19	13	18					
220 to 259 acres.....	13	18	12	18					
260 to 499 acres.....	62	59	62	59					
500 to 999 acres.....	55	47	55	47					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	44	43	43	42					
2,000 acres and over.....	16	18	16	18					
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969				1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms..... acres.....			110	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued			23	41
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..... acres.....			8	5	Woodland not pastured..... farms..... acres.....			16 442	11 709
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..... acres.....			988	557	Other land..... farms..... acres.....			212	(NA)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..... acres.....			46	21	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..... acres.....			18 096	21 577
Cropland idle..... farms..... acres.....			5 678	2 727	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... acres.....			42	31
Total woodland..... farms..... acres.....			12	52	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... acres.....			11 880	9 574
Woodland pastured..... farms..... acres.....			918	4 993	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms..... acres.....			16	13
			56	60				1 895	8 379
			9 310	3 297				26	19
			34	59				9 985	1 195
			16 683	12 563				206	222
			12	20				6 216	12 003
			241	854					

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.....	387	445	351	344	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	228 719	211 010	225 723	206 230	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	16	52
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	171 168	157 193	169 965	154 771	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	8 137	49 537
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	22	14
Full owners..... number.....	154	191	121	116	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	74 029	30 683
Land in farms..... acres.....	49 010	48 060	46 069	44 415	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	35 993	32 642	34 830	30 793	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number.....	147	173	147	164	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	138 719	128 879	138 719	128 374	Under 25 years.....	11	15	11	13
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	100 461	96 204	100 461	95 987	25 to 34 years.....	61	51	56	46
Tenants..... number.....	86	81	83	64	35 to 44 years.....	73	96	70	76
Land in farms..... acres.....	40 990	34 071	40 935	33 441	45 to 54 years.....	64	128	64	96
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	34 714	28 347	34 674	27 991	55 to 64 years.....	111	98	96	76
Percent of tenancy.....	22.2	18.2	23.6	18.6	65 years and over.....	44	57	32	37
					Average age.....	48.8	48.9	47.9	47.6
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	209	306	194	244
All farm operators..... number.....	64	94	51	42	On another farm.....	4		4	
Land in farms..... acres.....	15 687	10 359	15 307	8 452	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	17	87	13	65
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	10 475	7 661	10 377	6 789	In a city, town, or urban area.....	28		22	
Full owners..... number.....	37	53	24	14	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 437	3 645	1 057	2 303	None.....	212	(NA)	198	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	829	2 460	731	1 927	1 to 49 days.....	19	49	16	39
Part owners..... number.....	19	26	19	21	50 to 99 days.....	9	17	9	11
Land in farms..... acres.....	13 920	5 608	13 920	5 329	100 to 149 days.....	11	35	11	13
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	9 362	4 352	9 362	4 196	150 to 199 days.....	10	8	8	
Tenants..... number.....	8	15	8	7	200 days and over.....	42	70	33	38
Land in farms..... acres.....	330	1 106	330	820	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	284	849	284	666	Farming.....	323	(NA)	301	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	12.5	15.9	15.7	16.6	Other.....	41	(NA)	28	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	313	278	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	81	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	143 557	126 010					

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 -----	86]	94	85]	94			
\$40,000 to \$99,999 -----	80]		80]				
\$20,000 to \$39,999 -----	54]	41	54]	41			
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	47	80	47	80			
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	39	60	39	60			
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----	46	60	46	59			
Under \$2,500 (see text) -----	35	110	—	10			
\$2,000 to \$2,499 -----	7	21	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999 -----	8	19	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499 -----	5	18	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text) -----	15	52	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold					Specified products sold:		
\$1,000 -----	33 060	13 297	32 753	13 103	Crops ----- farms	345	(NA)
Average per farm ----- dollars	85 427	29 880	93 314	38 091	\$1,000	32 333	12 115
Crops, including hay ----- farms	365	408	345	(NA)	farms	317	319
\$1,000 -----	32 608	12 283	32 333	12 115	\$1,000	22 702	7 283
Nursery and greenhouse products ----- farms	1		1		farms	—	—
\$1,000 -----	3		3		\$1,000	—	—
Forest products ----- farms	6	7	6	5	Cotton and cottonseed ----- farms	228	278
\$1,000 -----	1	42	1	42	\$1,000	9 486	4 719
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- farms	77	104	60	72	farms	7	18
\$1,000 -----	448	972	416	947	\$1,000	(D)	56
Poultry and poultry products ----- farms	4	(NA)	2	5	farms	2	2
\$1,000 -----	1	(NA)	1	46	\$1,000	(D)	(D)
					farms	—	(D)
					\$1,000	—	(D)
					farms	9	28
					\$1,000	45	43
					Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- farms	60	72
					\$1,000	416	947
					farms	2	5
					\$1,000	1	46
					farms	—	(D)
					\$1,000	—	(D)
					farms	40	(NA)
					\$1,000	360	(D)
					farms	18	(NA)
					\$1,000	28	47
					farms	—	—
					\$1,000	—	—
					farms	7	
					\$1,000	27	

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold¹	50	(NA)	37	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources² ----- farms	138	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹ ----- farms	83	(NA)	77	(NA)	\$1,000	840	
\$1,000	724	(NA)	699	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related ----- farms	21	
Customwork and other agricultural services ----- farms	42	55	39	50	\$1,000	88	
\$1,000	251	205	246	197	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips ----- farms	92	
Recreational services ----- farms	10	8	7	6	\$1,000	531	
\$1,000	18	7	16	7	Interest, dividends, or royalties ----- farms	36	
Government farm programs ----- farms	28	278	28	233	\$1,000	134	
\$1,000	73	2 372	73	2 329	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. ----- farms	12	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments ----- farms	29	(NA)	24	(NA)	\$1,000	70	
\$1,000	339	(NA)	321	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property ----- farms	6	
Other farm-related sources ----- farms	10	(NA)	10	(NA)	\$1,000	18	
\$1,000	43	(NA)	43	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ ----- farms	33	(NA)	33	(NA)			
\$1,000	212	(NA)	212	(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	387	445	351	344	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased ----- farms	312	368	289	307
\$1,000	21 303	11 998	21 069	11 847	\$1,000	1 496	628	1 490	616
Farms with -----	23	51	4	14	farms	274	366	256	308
\$1 to \$999 -----	30	42	24		\$1,000	1 163	421	1 134	413
\$1,000 to \$1,999 -----	26	39	23	29	Other agricultural chemicals purchased ----- farms	257	(NA)	249	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999 -----	36	56	31	46	\$1,000	3 244	1 460	3 230	1 450
\$3,000 to \$4,999 -----	42	59	40	58	farms	(NA)	17	2	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	59	59	59	69	Lime ----- farms	(NA)	16	6	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	45	48	45	48	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ----- farms	384	441	349	343
\$20,000 to \$39,999 -----	31		31		\$1,000	1 765	1 062	1 752	1 029
\$40,000 to \$59,999 -----	95	198	94	80	farms	(NA)	(NA)	272	307
\$60,000 and over -----					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	469	297
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms	49	64	42	41	farms	(NA)	(NA)	252	248
\$1,000	378	420	363	417	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	767	453
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms	77	120	55	81	farms	(NA)	(NA)	191	220
\$1,000	123	147	99	139	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	340	184
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----- farms	52	65	41	45	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ----- farms	(NA)	(NA)	349	343
\$1,000	64	81	48	77	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	176	95
Feed ingredients ----- farms	(NA)	(NA)	10	22	Hired farm labor ----- farms	207	307	197	274
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	7	14	\$1,000	2 490	2 012	2 488	1 997
Whole grains ----- farms	(NA)	(NA)	23	24	farms	57	263	54	46
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	41	23	\$1,000	170	714	169	126
Hay, green chop, and silage ----- farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	28	farms	153		142	201
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	25	\$1,000	828		825	572
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry ----- farms	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)	farms	382	396	351	340
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)	\$1,000	9 646	5 134	9 508	5 087

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	387	435	351	338					
farms	22 921	13 454	22 633	12 676					
\$1,000	59 229	30 927	64 481	37 503					
dollars									
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	1	13	-	54					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	39	110	28	42					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	54	43	42					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45	72	41	63					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	39		39	52					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	89		87	43					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	34	186	34						
\$70,000 and over	79		79	84					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	320	331	293	267					
farms	445	410	408	339					
number	342	323	322	276					
mfd in last 5 years, number	348	375	327	310					
Motor trucks, including pickups	873	806	844	727					
farms	479	500	466	463					
number	348	403	324	317					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 188	1 332	1 158	1 156					
Crawler tractors	542	778	532	714					
farms	19		18	30					
number	26		23	35					
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	7					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	191	199	190	189					
farms	332	313	331	299					
number	143	220	143	209					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Corn heads for combines	1	17	1	9					
farms	1	20	1	10					
number	1	8	1	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	34		34	9					
farms	38		38	10					
number	3		3	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Mower conditioners	13	(NA)	13	(NA)					
farms	15	(NA)	15	(NA)					
number	5	(NA)	5	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Pickup balers	41	26	39	24					
farms	41	30	39	27					
number	7	16	7	16					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	34	(NA)	34	13					
farms	34	(NA)	34	13					
number	5	(NA)	5	10					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	4	(NA)	4	5					
farms	4	(NA)	4	5					
number	3	(NA)	3	4					
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	105	(X)	83	(X)	77	(X)	60	(X) 416
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	97	(X)	75	(X)	72	(X)	55	(X) 388
1969	137	(X)	92	(X)	97	(X)	67	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves	76	7 773	59	7 338	55	2 576	40	2 453 360
1969	114	8 341	81	8 135	76	5 181	56	5 062 (D)
Farms with—								
1 to 4	18	44	14	33	14	26	9	17 2
5 to 9	10	70	9	65	13	89	7	47 11
10 to 19	7	98	6	82	9	121	8	111 30
20 to 49	21	676	12	411	7	169	4	107 34
50 to 99	8	499	6	361	3	186	3	186 27
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	771	5	771 108
200 to 499	9	2 675	9	2 675	4	1 214	4	1 214 148
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	- -
Cows and heifers that had calved	65	2 221	49	1 951	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	97	3 337	69	3 234	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1974	51	2 180	39	1 920	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	(NA)	3 164	49	3 105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1974	20	41	14	31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	50	173	34	129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	-	(X) -
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X) (D)
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	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	51	2 180	39	1 920	Cattle sold	23	543	134
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	12	21	11	17	1 to 4	5	10	5
5 to 9	4	30	4	30	5 to 9	6	33	24
10 to 19	3	36	3	36	10 to 19	2	36	5
20 to 49	22	552	11	296	20 to 49	6	131	46
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	4	490	4	490	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	4	(D)	4	(D)	200 to 499	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-
Milk cows	20	41	14	31	Calves sold	35	1 910	225
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	18	29	13	24	1 or 2	7	9	1
3 or 4	-	-	-	-	3 or 4	5	17	2
5 to 9	2	12	1	7	5 to 9	8	55	4
10 to 19	-	-	-	-	10 to 19	3	35	3
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	20 to 49	3	85	11
50 to 99	-	-	-	-	50 to 99	3	267	36
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	3	438	63
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	3	1 004	106
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-

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	37	3 647	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	1	(D)	(D)
	1969	59	1 202		1969	—	—	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	32	3 636	Farms with—	1974	—	—	—
Milk heifers	1974	5	11	1 to 9	1974	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	46	1 740	10 to 19	1974	—	—	—
	1969	66	3 699	20 to 49	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				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

	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	36	451	28	227	21	676	18	467	28
	1969	54	1 015	30	739	27	1 261	15	1 001	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	18	35	17	31	6	11	5	7	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	9	54	4	21	3	22	3	22	1
10 to 24	1974	5	71	4	61	1	10	1	10	(Z)
25 to 49	1974	3	114	3	114	8	256	7	228	13
50 to 99	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	1974	1	177	—	—	3	377	2	200	13
200 to 499	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	5	1	5	(Z)
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	235	3	207	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	3	8	2	4	1	4	—	—	(NA)
	1969	5	39	1	11	3	8	1	2	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(NA)	(NA)	2	88	1
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	26	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	25	134	20	128	3	12	3	12	26
	1969	52	332	(NA)	(NA)	8	28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Year	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	11	28	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	25	61	19	51	
	1969	12	47	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	26	105	13	60
Other hogs and pigs	1974	28	199	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1969	23	39	17	31
	1969	28	692	June 1 and November 30	1969	24	71	12	40
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	—	—		1974	10	22	9	20
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	2	4		1969	14	34	7	20
Rams and wethers	1974	—	—						

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	29	(X)	21	(X)	4	(X)	2	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	29	1 092	21	794	3	57	1	17
	1969	57	3 248	30	2 463	3	(D)	3	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	25	727	21	669	3	57	1	17
	1969	53	3 033	29	2 413	2	856	2	856
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	25	727	21	669	3	57	1	17
100 to 399	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	1	41	1	41	—	—	—	—
	1969	3	70	3	70	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	1	2	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	46

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	21	669	1	17	Turkeys	—	—	—	—
1969	29	2 413	2	856	1969	6	58	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	20	561	1	17	1974	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	7	108	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	4	72	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	2	38	1	(D)	1969	4	51	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	10	53	—	—	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	3	56	—	—	1969	5	(X)	—	(X)
					Other poultry	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	9	26	148	473	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	2	2	140	130	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	325	341	113 947	112 927	3 153 925	2 831 863
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	1	—	—	—	200
Wheat (bushels)	36	56	6 430	5 122	185 294	139 439
Other small grains for grain	13	24	4 380	5 421	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	238	331	47 027	32 662	46 805	42 679
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	85	(NA)	7 580	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	31	(NA)	5 530	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	20	36	2 322	2 072	2 814	3 925
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	4	3	17	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	23	29	1 690	820	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1	(NA)	2	68	(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)	4	11	94	65	3 019	3 720	—	1	3
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	4	50	300	1 000	3 950	1	—	50
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	2	2	140	130	(D)	5 536	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	—	5	—	112	—	229	—	—	—

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	29	4 085	(X)	—	—	8	1 880	7	124	1	5
1969	70	5 745	(X)	1	4	16	2 492	16	247	—	—
Improved pasture	16	1 895	(X)	—	—	3	620	3	144	1	19
1969	13	8 379	(X)	—	—	4	3 340	4	156	—	—
Corn for all purposes	5	144	(X)	1	50	4	135	3	17	1	7
1969	15	365	(X)	1	3	13	356	7	5	7	35
Sorghums for all purposes	2	140	(X)	—	—	2	140	—	—	2	44
1969	2	130	(X)	—	—	1	35	—	—	1	5
Wheat (bushels)	36	6 430	185 294	1	20	28	6 130	23	382	8	284
1969	52	5 048	137 249	2	51	48	4 733	(NA)	238	(NA)	104
Oats (bushels)	6	849	53 272	—	—	2	817	—	—	2	77
1969	15	1 267	72 226	—	—	13	1 250	(NA)	52	(NA)	51
Barley (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	8	3 531	(X)	8	3 531	8	3 531	7	411	1	45
1974	316	113 334	3 139 856	2	200	7	2 826	7	283	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	295	111 420	2 793 503	10	676	10	7 551	(NA)	926	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	18	2 302	2 768	—	—	8	1 542	7	99	2	35
1969	31	2 051	3 895	—	—	4	373	3	32	1	4
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	20	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	228	46 485	45 816	—	—	219	45 698	54	1 395	173	3 662
1969	275	32 003	41 955	19	1 734	259	31 487	(NA)	1 226	(NA)	1 902
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	85	7 580	2	1	3	85	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	3	(X)	—	—	2	2	2	(Z)	—	—
1974	3	16	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	—	—	—
1969	20	1 666	(X)	—	—	4	256	4	27	—	—
Land in orchards	24	784	(X)	1	10	10	242	9	36	1	6
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	3	33	(X)	—	—	2	31	1	(Z)	1
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	3

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	287	329	1 864	2 443	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	14	7	—	—
.....	\$1,000	4 364	1 864	2 443	.....	14	7	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	256	287	287	5	Diseases in crops and orchards	7 330	2 443	—	—
.....	\$1,000	64 509	56 092	5	.....	123	5	—	—
.....	7 145	5 470	5 470	224	Weeds or grass in crops	142	224	—	—
.....	\$1,000	1 134	413	95 278	.....	95 278	102 969	—	—
Lime	2	16	16	721	Weeds or brush in pasture	1 284	721	—	—
.....	\$1,000	719	1 197	3	.....	3	33	—	—
.....	719	1 998	1 998	615	Weeds or brush in pasture	490	615	—	—
.....	\$1,000	6	16	1	.....	1	1	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	2	1	40	(NA)	Weeds on all other land	18	(NA)	—	—
Insects on hay crops	6	40	40	(NA)	.....	1 771	(NA)	—	—
.....	\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(NA)	.....	10	(NA)	—	—
Insects on other crops	185	262	262	165	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	108	165	—	—
.....	\$1,000	76 065	51 682	27 265	.....	27 850	27 265	—	—
.....	1 473	615	615	71	of crops or thinning of fruit	192	71	—	—
Nematodes in crops	6	4	4	17	.....	5	17	—	—
.....	\$1,000	3 928	553	1	Insect control on livestock and poultry	7	1	—	—
.....	77	18	18	29	.....	29	(NA)	—	—
				56	Other chemicals (see text)	56	(NA)	—	—
							—	—

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	11	32	32	9.3	Land irrigated by— Continued	—	(NA)	—	—
Proportion of farms	3.1	9.3	9.3	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated	3 801	6 634	6 634	—	.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm	345.5	207.3	207.3	—	Other sprinkler systems	—	(NA)	—	—
Cropland irrigated	11	32	32	—	.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	3 801	6 634	6 634	—	Land in irrigated farms	32 045	49 125	—	—
.....	11	32	32	—	.....	28 792	39 702	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	6 630	6 630	—	Harvested cropland	27 388	35 472	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	(X)	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	4	4	—	between 1970 and 1973	4	(X)	—	—
.....	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	.....	610	(X)	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	5 076	11 796	11 796	—	Farms with artificial drainage	79	144	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	1.3	1.8	1.8	—	.....	22.5	41.8	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	22.5	41.8	—	—
Furrows or ditches	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	Land in farms with drainage	63 850	122 315	—	—
.....	270	(NA)	(NA)	—	.....	56 738	108 377	—	—
					Land drained	56 738	108 377	—	—
					Average per farm	718.2	752.6	—	—
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
					tanks	14	(NA)	—	—
					.....	43	(NA)	—	—
					.....	200	(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)	—	174	133	107	—	—
.....	—	16 030	12 065	3 965	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000	—	27	22	37	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	16	16	8	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	36	28	24	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	21	17	14	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	74	50	24	—	—

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—							197	115	73	109
150 days or more	115	129	444	474	1 956	1 997	2 488	1 956	283	250
25 to 149 days	73	219	329	567	283	567	2 260	444	329	1 487
Less than 25 days	109	46	1 487	(NA)	250	(NA)				
Total contract labor	54	46	(NA)	(NA)	169	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	33	(NA)	1 330	(NA)	142	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							41	32	20	29
2 workers							23	25	16	9
3 or 4 workers							37	26	21	15
5 to 9 workers							41	21	9	18
10 workers and over							55	11	7	38