

**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.....	1 053	1 130	507	537	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b> Total cropland.....farms..... 944 997 472 501 .....acres..... 131 935 129 404 111 983 112 538 Harvested cropland.....farms..... 681 759 416 453 .....acres..... 82 335 75 886 78 789 70 722 Farms by acres harvested: 1 to 9 acres..... 176 179 38 10 to 19 acres..... 134 114 49 20 to 29 acres..... 68 92 41 30 to 49 acres..... 61 93 53 } 184 50 to 99 acres..... 59 90 54 81 100 to 199 acres..... 70 75 69 75 200 to 499 acres..... 69 83 69 80 500 to 999 acres..... 29 28 28 28 1,000 acres and over..... 15 5 15 5 Cropland used only for pasture or grazing.....farms..... 608 609 256 277 .....acres..... 45 433 44 431 29 879 34 011 Other cropland (see text).....farms..... 93 191 50 (NA) .....acres..... 4 167 9 087 3 315 7 805 Total woodland.....farms..... 376 456 182 210 .....acres..... 39 835 38 053 27 941 25 428 Other land (see text).....farms..... 648 700 337 (NA) .....acres..... 41 858 30 382 35 016 19 662 Irrigated land.....farms..... 36 29 23 22 .....acres..... 2 822 1 375 2 762 1 276				
Land in farms..... acres.....	213 628	197 839	174 940	157 628					
Average size of farm..... acres.....	203	175	345	294					
Approximate land area..... acres.....	843 776	843 776	843 776	843 776					
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	25.3	23.4	20.7	18.7					
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	127 001	82 962	101 999	66 909					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	120 609	73 417	201 181	124 597					
Average per acre..... dollars.....	594	419	583	424					
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres.....	69	77	13	16					
10 to 49 acres.....	331	366	81	75					
50 to 69 acres.....	119	142	46	51					
70 to 99 acres.....	117	119	39	54					
100 to 139 acres.....	92	97	62	64					
140 to 179 acres.....	53	58	29	38					
180 to 219 acres.....	60	35	44	24					
220 to 259 acres.....	23	28	17	22					
260 to 499 acres.....	86	107	78	100					
500 to 999 acres.....	55	70	52	66					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	34	24	34	21					
2,000 acres and over.....	14	7	12	6					
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
			1974	1969			1974	1969	
Other cropland.....farms.....			50	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
.....acres.....			3 315	7 805	Woodland not pastured.....farms.....			99 107	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured.....farms.....			4	21	.....acres.....			12 806 10 776	
.....acres.....			89	795	Other land.....farms.....			337 (NA)	
Cropland on which all crops failed.....farms.....			8	27	.....acres.....			35 016 19 662	
.....acres.....			330	3 971	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture.....farms.....			125 117	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow.....farms.....			17	25	.....acres.....			26 061 15 485	
.....acres.....			1 836	1 523	Improved pastureland and rangeland.....farms.....			90 76	
Cropland idle.....farms.....			26	54	.....acres.....			14 242 10 288	
.....acres.....			1 060	1 516	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland.....farms.....			53 64	
Total woodland.....farms.....			182	210	.....acres.....			11 819 5 197	
.....acres.....			27 941	25 428	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....farms.....			301 274	
Woodland pastured.....farms.....			103	129	.....acres.....			8 955 4 177	
.....acres.....			15 135	14 652					

**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.....	1 053	1 130	507	537	<b>Farms by type of organization—Con.</b> Partnership.....number..... (NA) (NA) 32 66 Land in farms.....acres..... (NA) (NA) 25 536 25 662 Corporation.....number..... (NA) (NA) 9 4 Land in farms.....acres..... (NA) (NA) 11 301 5 722 Other.....number..... (NA) (NA) — 5 .....acres..... (NA) (NA) — 1 146 Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup> Under 25 years..... 16 15 14 4 25 to 34 years..... 118 107 50 55 35 to 44 years..... 171 221 93 117 45 to 54 years..... 278 300 128 150 55 to 64 years..... 295 352 145 172 65 years and over..... 163 135 68 39 Average age..... 51.4 50.9 50.8 49.9 Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup> On farm operated..... 650 781 311 393 On another farm..... 39 25 } In a rural area, not on a farm..... 37 23 } 97 In a city, town, or urban area..... 86 41 } Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup> None..... 316 (NA) 192 (NA) 1 to 49 days..... 57 65 28 36 50 to 99 days..... 21 45 8 25 100 to 149 days..... 43 21 } 27 } 49 150 to 199 days..... 86 146 } 200 days and over..... 350 429 100 120 Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup> Farming..... 508 (NA) 341 (NA) Other..... 533 (NA) 157 (NA) Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market..... (NA) (NA) 37 (NA) Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts..... (NA) (NA) 70 (NA)				
Land in farms..... acres.....	213 628	197 839	174 940	157 628					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	82 335	75 886	78 789	70 722					
Farms by tenure of farm operator:									
Full owners..... number.....	704	704	268	244					
Land in farms..... acres.....	87 470	82 040	59 692	49 205					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	18 124	16 194	15 498	12 371					
Part owners..... number.....	240	265	168	190					
Land in farms..... acres.....	95 224	85 204	88 388	79 862					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	46 723	38 891	46 059	38 092					
Tenants..... number.....	109	161	71	103					
Land in farms..... acres.....	30 934	30 595	26 860	28 561					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	17 488	20 801	17 232	20 259					
Percent of tenancy.....	10.4	14.2	14.0	19.1					
Black and other races, see text— Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>									
All farm operators..... number.....	35	67	8	9					
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 082	2 357	873	982					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	287	1 146	131	644					
Full owners..... number.....	17	37	2	2					
Land in farms..... acres.....	712	695	50	54					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	117	222	44	30					
Part owners..... number.....	6	5	4	2					
Land in farms..... acres.....	625	347	441	202					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	53	81	53	39					
Tenants..... number.....	12	25	2	5					
Land in farms..... acres.....	745	1 315	382	726					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	117	843	34	575					
Percent of tenancy.....	34.3	37.3	25.0	55.5					
Farms by type of organization:									
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	466	462					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	138 103	125 098					

<sup>1</sup>1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. <sup>2</sup>1974 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	59	90	58	90			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	83		82				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	79	77	78	77			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	68	97	68	97			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	107	112	107	112			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	91	151	91	148			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	566	603	23	13			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	68	54	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	89	80	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	117	113	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	292	356	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	25 536	13 514	24 646	12 615			
Average per farm	24 250	11 958	48 611	23 491			
Crops, including hay							
farms	432	602	326	(NA)			
\$1,000	17 847	7 565	17 708	6 735			
Nursery and greenhouse products	53		32	26			
\$1,000	583		562	641			
Forest products							
farms	52	71	41	34			
\$1,000	435	51	431	42			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	783	844	347	393			
\$1,000	6 670	5 898	5 944	5 196			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	34	(NA)	21	33			
\$1,000	2 250	(NA)	2 212	1 575			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms			326	(NA)			
\$1,000			17 708	6 735			
Grains							
farms			239	242			
\$1,000			9 330	2 199			
Tobacco							
farms			1	-			
\$1,000			2	-			
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms			149	242			
\$1,000			4 018	3 649			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms			64	85			
\$1,000			185	193			
Other field crops							
farms			22	23			
\$1,000			4 042	579			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms			25	22			
\$1,000			96	49			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms			4	82			
\$1,000			35	66			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms			347	393			
\$1,000			5 944	5 196			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms			21	33			
\$1,000			2 212	1 575			
Dairy products							
farms			19	23			
\$1,000			1 216	1 075			
Cattle and calves							
farms			328	(NA)			
\$1,000			2 117	2 051			
Hogs and pigs							
farms			36	(NA)			
\$1,000			320	496			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms			3	(NA)			
\$1,000			2	(NA)			
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms			21	(NA)			
\$1,000			77	(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 <sup>1</sup>							
	539	(NA)	133	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	farms	276
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	206	(NA)	130	(NA)	\$1,000		3 343
Customwork and other agricultural services	470	(NA)	411	(NA)	related	farms	57
\$1,000	63	107	51	85	\$1,000		830
\$1,000	191	270	188	258	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	167
Recreational services	3	6	-	3	\$1,000		1 911
\$1,000	1	3	-	2	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	123
Government farm programs	110	326	59	226	\$1,000		351
\$1,000	116	1 403	99	1 348	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	62
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	60	(NA)	40	(NA)	\$1,000		187
\$1,000	141	(NA)	104	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	24
Other farm-related sources	12	(NA)	10	(NA)	\$1,000		65
\$1,000	20	(NA)	20	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	49	(NA)	37	(NA)			
\$1,000	109	(NA)	102	(NA)			

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 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	1 047	1 130	507	537	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms	479	545	300	349				
\$1,000	18 007	12 042	16 765	10 952	purchased	\$1,000	725	325	699	308				
Farms with														
\$1 to \$999	239	355	17	25	Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms	706	790	372	444				
\$1,000 to \$1,999	190	152	32	60	\$1,000	1 286	686	1 181	624					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	136	130	36	86	Other agricultural chemicals									
\$3,000 to \$4,999	121	109	77	86	purchased	farms	383	(NA)	273	(NA)				
\$5,000 to \$9,999	102	149	89	134	\$1,000	1 526	719	1 509	696					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	71		71	87	Lime	farms	(NA)	88	18	34				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	79		79	69	\$1,000	(NA)	12	6	8					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	39		38	76	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
\$60,000 and over	70		68		farms	1 017	1 085	500	533					
Livestock and poultry														
purchased	farms	331	399	138	191	\$1,000	1 126	752	1 019	659				
\$1,000	1 242	1 163	1 082	1 032	Gasoline	farms	(NA)	(NA)	403	496				
Feed for livestock and poultry														
purchased	farms	768	806	337	360	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	396	325				
\$1,000	3 361	2 062	2 900	1 743	Diesel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	358	273				
Commercially mixed formula feeds														
farms	540	480	277	286	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	464	199					
\$1,000	2 718	1 508	2 434	1 383	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms	(NA)	(NA)	107	181				
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	125	111	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	69					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	151	82	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	500	532				
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	97	98	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	103	65					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	151	Hired farm labor									
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	80	112	farms	349	543	241	374					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	155	127	\$1,000	2 045	1 688	1 904	1 522					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry														
farms	(NA)	(NA)	174	(NA)	farms	40	446	30	52					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	(NA)	\$1,000	65	574	62	117					
Machine hire and customwork														
farms					farms	336		210	278					
\$1,000					\$1,000	445		410	423					
All other production expenses														
farms	862	873			\$1,000	6 189	4 072	5 917	3 826					
\$1,000														

**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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	952	1 064	463	522					
.....\$1,000.....	19 769	11 342	16 072	9 022					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	20 766	10 660	34 713	17 282					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	11	62	4	155					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	210	498	44						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	307	210	83	116					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	189	121	111	95					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	79		70	50					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	68		64	59					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	31	173	31						
\$70,000 and over.....	57		56	47					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....farms.....	636	682	332	376					
.....number.....	812	879	453	477					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	429	646	277	365					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	831	904	424	466					
.....number.....	1 229	1 290	781	778					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	494	794	350	475					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	836	896	436	468					
.....number.....	1 639	1 776	1 164	1 208					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	411	877	352	642					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	41		25	20					
.....number.....	49		33	27					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14		11	14					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	115	97	113	92					
.....number.....	159	117	157	111					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	39	96	39	92					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	23	86	23	23					
.....number.....	26	103	26	28					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	61	4	23					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	42		36	54					
.....number.....	45		39	63					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9		7	32					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	143	(NA)	96	(NA)					
.....number.....	152	(NA)	104	(NA)					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	55	(NA)	44	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	145	143	99	104					
.....number.....	147	151	101	111					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	43	95	29	66					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	75	(NA)	56	63					
.....number.....	77	(NA)	58	71					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	26	(NA)	22	45					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	20	(NA)	9	17					
.....number.....	22	(NA)	11	19					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	3	11					

**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.....	805	(X)	356	(X)	783	(X)	347	(X) 5 944
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	771	(X)	333	(X)	758	(X)	338	(X) 2 438
.....1969.....	856	(X)	381	(X)	820	(X)	378	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	756	50 266	325	37 656	738	18 311	328	14 813 2 117
.....1969.....	827	42 681	369	31 790	773	20 065	365	16 564 2 051
<b>Farms with—</b>								
1 to 4.....1974.....	26	76	11	33	178	468	34	87 15
5 to 9.....1974.....	43	311	7	52	168	1 076	29	193 29
10 to 19.....1974.....	157	2 209	24	346	159	2 174	61	871 121
20 to 49.....1974.....	260	7 901	72	2 386	152	4 470	125	3 802 518
50 to 99.....1974.....	151	10 429	94	6 594	49	3 231	48	3 137 407
100 to 199.....1974.....	70	9 245	70	9 245	19	2 511	18	2 342 381
200 to 499.....1974.....	37	10 725	36	10 430	10	2 659	10	2 659 360
500 and over.....1974.....	12	9 370	11	8 570	3	1 722	3	1 722 286
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	642	28 652	302	21 831	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	716	24 073	355	19 579	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	605	26 847	279	20 319	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	21 655	333	17 632	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	137	1 805	68	1 512	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	215	2 418	86	1 947	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X) 1 216
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X) 1 075
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>								
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.....	605	26 847	279	20 319	Cattle sold.....	219	4 808	964
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	45	111	10	20	1 to 4.....	60	159	32
5 to 9.....	89	626	29	204	5 to 9.....	44	304	63
10 to 19.....	136	1 831	35	517	10 to 19.....	52	679	126
20 to 49.....	196	6 021	84	2 743	20 to 49.....	47	1 341	251
50 to 99.....	76	5 056	59	4 007	50 to 99.....	7	456	94
100 to 199.....	40	5 288	40	5 288	100 to 199.....	6	849	189
200 to 499.....	19	5 356	18	4 982	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	4	2 558	4	2 558	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)
Milk cows.....	137	1 805	68	1 512	Calves sold.....	291	10 005	1 153
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	97	144	42	65	1 or 2.....	17	25	4
3 or 4.....	14	43	6	18	3 or 4.....	23	81	12
5 to 9.....	7	41	2	11	5 to 9.....	38	258	29
10 to 19.....	1	13	1	13	10 to 19.....	66	886	91
20 to 49.....	3	110	3	110	20 to 49.....	101	3 043	339
50 to 99.....	8	510	8	510	50 to 99.....	29	1 896	207
100 to 199.....	6	(D)	5	(D)	100 to 199.....	8	1 037	111
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)

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 .....	242	7 469	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	24	387	87
1969 .....	310	6 934		1969 .....	6	(D)
Beef heifers .....	230	6 952	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	23	517	1 to 9 .....	14	57	12
			10 to 19 .....	3	(D)	(D)
			20 to 49 .....	5	143	25
			50 to 99 .....	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199 .....	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	274	8 356	200 to 499 .....	—	—	—
1969 .....	339	5 277	500 and over .....	—	—	—

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 .....	108	4 570	49	3 521	65	6 553	36	5 579	320
1969 .....	230	7 484	78	4 180	161	7 809	65	4 258	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	38	70	16	35	10	28	4	12	1
5 to 9 .....	29	201	10	62	11	76	3	22	(Z)
10 to 24 .....	19	265	7	92	14	226	9	134	6
25 to 49 .....	5	157	2	55	8	244	3	84	4
50 to 99 .....	7	472	5	322	11	696	7	476	23
100 to 199 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	7	2 166	6	1 716	6	2 108	5	1 676	135
500 and over .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	575	14	386	11
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	2 305	25	1 449	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	7	162	4	48	6	37	3	28	(NA)
1969 .....	10	346	8	186	8	173	6	103	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	8	140
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	2
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	6	48	(NA)	(NA)	1	10	(Z)
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	14	245	(NA)	(NA)	4	130	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	269	888	111	525	35	118	15	79	68
1969 .....	385	1 808	(NA)	(NA)	56	235	(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	
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	29	521	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		59	812	32	657	
1969 .....	58	957	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....		164	1 203	65	624	
Other hogs and pigs .....	43	3 000	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....		49	423	28	340	
1969 .....	73	3 223	June 1 and November 30 .....		135	568	47	239	
Lambs under 1 year old .....	4	36			40	389	20	317	
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	2	7			117	635	59	385	
Rams and wethers .....	2	5							

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 .....	175	(X)	56	(X)	23	(X)	16	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	76	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	167	263 355	52	256 468	19	266 750	12	264 430
1969 .....	236	337 167	69	323 952	33	424 327	28	416 815
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	164	168 934	51	162 334	15	121 512	9	119 230
1969 .....	227	174 211	64	161 571	29	161 315	26	153 815
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	154	3 227	43	1 034	8	151	3	30
100 to 399 .....	3	400	2	300	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199 .....	4	20 307	3	16 000	3	5 361	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	26	105 731	6	105 270	4	628 242	4	628 242
1969 .....	17	75 263	7	75 072	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	2 250	21	2 212
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	33	1 575

**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.....	51	162 334	9	119 230	Turkeys.....1974.....	2	8	-	-
.....1969.....	64	161 571	26	153 815	.....1969.....	4	19	1	3
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	50	97 284	8	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	2	8	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	3	65 050	2	(D)	.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	6	87 560	3	(D)	Heavy breed.....1974.....	2	8	-	-
.....1969.....	10	162 208	3	263 000	Light breed.....1974.....	2	8	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	26	6 574	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	3	11	1	3
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	2	10	-	-	.....1969.....	2	(X)	-	(X)
					Other poultry.....1974.....	11	(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.....	109	227	3 449	7 153	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	27	31	1 152	2 670	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	231	237	39 959	29 431	1 259 349	761 512
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	2	6	2	6	3 000	2 300
Wheat (bushels).....	4	4	187	125	6 324	3 715
Other small grains for grain.....	11	12	2 781	1 061	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	164	311	20 947	20 402	20 897	33 802
Tobacco (pounds).....	1	-	3	-	1 665	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	22	(NA)	18	(NA)	1 011	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels).....	13	(NA)	46	(NA)	5 567	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	326	319	10 014	11 619	18 797	23 439
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	54	52	242	290	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	56	116	860	1 236	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	2	-	8	-	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	66	(NA)	4 068	2 892	(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).....	56	104	2 748	5 527	230 691	321 371	-	3	-	139
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	5	9	257	489	3 942	7 400	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	-	4	-	95	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	9	16	821	2 291	28 558	49 988	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	13	(NA)	273	96	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	7	9	208	622	834	1 219	-	-	-	-

**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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	256	29 879	(X)	-	-	86	7 871	86	949	-	-
.....1969.....	277	34 011	(X)	-	-	113	8 891	113	1 013	2	15
Improved pasture.....1974.....	90	14 242	(X)	-	-	30	6 992	29	693	1	20
.....1969.....	76	10 288	(X)	-	-	42	4 477	42	516	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	60	3 005	(X)	-	-	48	2 419	41	332	24	175
.....1969.....	113	6 111	(X)	3	139	92	4 911	74	642	53	393
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	20	1 094	(X)	-	-	15	811	14	62	7	29
.....1969.....	21	2 387	(X)	-	-	11	1 191	11	110	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	3	170	5 610	-	-	3	170	3	12	-	-
.....1969.....	2	100	2 899	-	-	1	65	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	1	20	1 700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	4	60	1 850	-	-	4	60	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	8	2 693	(X)	8	2 693	8	2 693	8	332	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	217	39 707	1 249 554	-	-	37	5 241	35	897	2	6
.....1969.....	206	28 748	744 601	-	-	41	6 546	(NA)	638	(NA)	81
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	2	2	3 000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	163	7 578	14 338	-	-	72	2 417	72	448	1	1
.....1969.....	177	9 424	19 431	1	80	82	4 056	80	562	2	18
Field seed crops.....1974.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	4	236	(X)	-	-	4	236	3	22	3	26
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	149	20 783	20 758	-	-	144	20 206	76	1 435	105	1 697
.....1969.....	233	19 833	33 188	1	35	225	19 207	(NA)	1 358	(NA)	1 639
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	1	3	1 665	-	-	1	3	1	(Z)	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	13	16	907	2	2	12	15	(NA)	7	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	9	2	130	1	(Z)	3	2	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	27	191	(X)	3	33	12	66	12	15	-	-
.....1969.....	23	187	(X)	2	4	18	165	18	45	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974.....	24	771	(X)	-	-	5	83	5	15	-	-
.....1969.....	71	1 025	(X)	2	16	26	500	25	74	1	17

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

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Berries for sale	2	8	(X)	2	8	2	8	2	3	--	--
Nursery and greenhouse products	32	360	(X)	12	35	23	325	23	85	2	1
Other crops	26	582	(X)	9	32	20	407	20	85	1	1
	20	3 723	(X)	--	--	18	3 720	15	369	7	330

**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	397	469	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
Commercial fertilizer	2 690	1 321	Diseases in crops and orchards	4	9
Lime	372	403	acres on which used	185	551
acres on which used	53 042	53 684	Weeds or grass in crops	148	202
tons	7 918	7 726	acres on which used	48 189	35 178
\$1,000	1 181	624	Weeds or brush in pasture	568	224
acres on which used	18	34	acres on which used	14	44
tons	517	876	Weeds on all other land	1 975	6 722
\$1,000	642	1 138	acres on which used	15	8
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	6	8	acres on which used	30	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	5	3	acres on which used	674	(NA)
acres on which used	149	145	\$1,000	4	(NA)
\$1,000	1	1	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on other crops	170	242	of crops or thinning of fruit	69	122
acres on which used	44 334	35 576	acres on which used	10 432	9 588
\$1,000	793	384	\$1,000	54	26
Nematodes in crops	16	37	Insect control on livestock and poultry	33	111
acres on which used	1 322	2 795	acres on which used	11	10
\$1,000	11	28	Other chemicals (see text)	47	(NA)
			acres on which used	41	(NA)
			\$1,000		

**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	23	22	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	4.5	4.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	5	(NA)
Total land irrigated	2 762	1 276	acres	11	(NA)
Average per farm	120.1	58.0	Other sprinkler systems	10	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	23	22	acres	57	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	23	22	Land in irrigated farms	11 106	10 383
acres	2 762	1 272	Cropland	7 452	6 876
Other cropland irrigated	--	(NA)	Harvested cropland	6 297	4 978
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	--	4	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
acres	--	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	1	(X)
acres irrigated in most recent year	--	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	12	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	4 984	5 424	Farms with artificial drainage	79	138
Average per acre irrigated	1.8	4.3	Proportion of farms	15.6	25.6
Land irrigated by—			Land in farms with drainage	43 390	58 550
Furrows or ditches	--	(NA)	Land drained	35 807	50 980
acres	--	(NA)	Average per farm	453.3	369.4
			Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	55	(NA)
			number	277	(NA)
			acres	192	(NA)

**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)	197	151	111
\$1,000	13 290	9 336	3 955
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	33	22	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	15	18
\$10,000 to \$29,999	48	38	29
\$30,000 to \$49,999	33	27	17
\$50,000 and over	63	49	19

**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—							241	115	87	123
150 days or more	115	156	344	413	1 428	1 522	1 904	1 428	350	125
25 to 149 days	87	310	423	1 194	350	125	1 880	344	423	1 113
Less than 25 days	123	52	1 113	(NA)	125	117				
Total contract labor	30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	79	(NA)	23	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							65	40	29	39
2 workers							38	28	18	11
3 or 4 workers							41	24	17	31
5 to 9 workers							50	19	12	12
10 workers and over							47	4	11	30