

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	566	774	262	329	Total cropland farms	514	723	241	320
Land in farms acres	91 458	99 532	74 179	81 631	Harvested cropland farms	64 338	75 921	52 722	63 220
Average size of farm acres	162	129	283	248	Other cropland farms	435	627	238	314
Approximate land area acres	471 040	471 040	471 040	471 040	Farms by acres harvested:	39 944	41 585	37 089	36 896
Proportion in farms percent	19.4	21.1	15.7	17.3	1 to 9 acres	106	109	16	119
Value of land and buildings \$1,000	51 466	38 451	40 049	29 123	10 to 19 acres	94	133	34	28
Average per farm dollars	90 930	49 678	152 858	88 519	20 to 29 acres	49	100	28	28
Average per acre dollars	563	386	540	357	30 to 49 acres	43	86	29	41
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres	53	98	41	94
1 to 9 acres	64	37	12	2	100 to 199 acres	42	54	42	54
10 to 49 acres	225	368	48	44	200 to 499 acres	27	34	27	34
50 to 69 acres	44	73	29	38	500 to 999 acres	17	11	17	11
70 to 99 acres	54	73	33	52	1,000 acres and over	4	2	4	2
100 to 139 acres	37	68	26	48	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	259	346	95	122
140 to 179 acres	25	29	17	28	Other cropland (see text) farms	15 534	14 194	8 482	9 400
180 to 219 acres	14	22	14	20	Total woodland farms	96	277	70	(NA)
220 to 259 acres	22	16	14	16	Other land (see text) farms	8 860	20 142	7 151	16 924
260 to 499 acres	31	43	25	38	Irrigated land acres	73	99	37	50
500 to 999 acres	29	28	23	26	Woodland not pastured acres	12 145	11 007	9 748	9 322
1,000 to 1,999 acres	19	16	19	16	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms	328	457	164	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1	Other land (see text) acres	14 975	12 604	11 709	9 089
					Irrigated land acres	31	18	28	18
						5 083	3 521	5 023	3 521
Other cropland farms					Total woodland—Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured farms					Woodland not pastured acres			24	33
Cropland on which all crops failed farms					Other land farms			164	(NA)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture farms			40	88
Cropland idle farms					Improved pastureland and rangeland acres			5 723	6 074
Total woodland farms					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland farms			28	52
Woodland pastured farms					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms			2 669	4 011
								13	48
								3 054	2 063
								152	172
								5 986	3 015

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	566	774	262	329	Partnership number	(NA)	(NA)	37	50
Land in farms acres	91 458	99 532	74 179	81 631	Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	16 101	18 572
Harvested cropland acres	39 944	41 585	37 089	36 896	Corporation number	(NA)	(NA)	6	14
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	10 753	12 493
Full owners number	266	297	86	53	Other number	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
Land in farms acres	27 403	23 026	21 129	14 649	Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 781	397
Harvested cropland acres	8 446	6 041	7 160	4 100	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners number	177	240	101	145	Under 25 years	6	5	6	3
Land in farms acres	43 268	51 392	36 986	46 401	25 to 34 years	61	68	23	40
Harvested cropland acres	21 532	22 900	20 600	21 629	35 to 44 years	97	160	58	83
Tenants number	123	237	75	131	45 to 54 years	75	230	39	99
Land in farms acres	20 787	25 114	16 064	20 581	55 to 64 years	204	212	92	83
Harvested cropland acres	9 966	12 644	9 329	11 167	65 years and over	115	99	36	21
Percent of tenancy	21.7	30.6	28.6	39.8	Average age	53.3	51.0	51.5	48.2
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	298	483	138	219
All farm operators number	92	198	35	79	On another farm	23		12	
Land in farms acres	5 332	11 696	3 264	8 123	In a rural area, not on a farm	45	202	21	81
Harvested cropland acres	2 847	6 904	2 409	5 304	In a city, town, or urban area	62		26	
Full owners number	36	40	14	9	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms acres	1 197	1 695	956	595	None	196	(NA)	121	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres	609	502	497	249	1 to 49 days	58	84	19	29
Part owners number	23	47	6	20	50 to 99 days	47	50	12	9
Land in farms acres	951	3 388	556	2 636	100 to 149 days	26		3	
Harvested cropland acres	579	1 919	419	1 528	150 to 199 days	25	57	8	10
Tenants number	33	111	15	50	200 days and over	127	220	42	68
Land in farms acres	3 184	6 613	1 752	4 892	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland acres	1 659	4 483	1 493	3 527	Farming	325	(NA)	212	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	35.9	56.0	42.9	63.2	Other	233	(NA)	42	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Individual or family number	(NA)	(NA)	217	260	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	28	(NA)
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	45 544	50 169					

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	57	29	57	29			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	38		38				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	24	48	24	48			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	40	72	40	72			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	43	77	43	77			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	91	55	91			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	309	457	5	12			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	37	32	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	40	53	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	61	55	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	171	317	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	20 691	5 739	20 405	5 400			
Average per farm dollars	36 557	7 415	77 880	16 413			
Crops, including hay							
\$1,000	316	502	208	(NA)			
\$1,000	19 633	4 351	19 526	4 179			
\$1,000	4		3				
\$1,000	18		16	(D)			
Forest products							
\$1,000	1	3	1	3			
\$1,000	(Z)	1	(Z)	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	336	426	135	182			
\$1,000	1 040	1 387	862	1 220			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	22	(NA)	8	21			
\$1,000	4	(NA)	3	45			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000					208	(NA)	
\$1,000					19 526	4 179	
\$1,000					66	94	
\$1,000					2 317	701	
\$1,000							
\$1,000					9	60	
\$1,000					67	246	
\$1,000					26	39	
\$1,000					97	72	
\$1,000					136	199	
\$1,000					16 663	3 007	
\$1,000					47	44	
\$1,000					376	92	
\$1,000					2	23	
\$1,000					6	(D)	
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000					135	182	
\$1,000					862	1 220	
\$1,000					8	21	
\$1,000					3	45	
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000					8	21	
\$1,000					3	45	

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 sold ¹	243	(NA)	52	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²		117
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	152	(NA)	91	(NA)	\$1,000		1 496
\$1,000	1 193	(NA)	1 080	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		25
\$1,000	40	32	31	19	\$1,000		760
\$1,000	311	26	259	22	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		75
Recreational services					\$1,000		547
\$1,000	1	10	1	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties		41
\$1,000	(Z)	3	(Z)	3	\$1,000		139
Government farm programs					Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		16
\$1,000	80	247	50	151	\$1,000		39
\$1,000	234	483	224	444	Rent income of nonfarm property		2
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments					\$1,000		11
\$1,000	57	(NA)	26	(NA)			
\$1,000	583	(NA)	534	(NA)			
\$1,000	10	(NA)	8	(NA)			
\$1,000	66	(NA)	63	(NA)			
\$1,000	58	(NA)	40	(NA)			
\$1,000	242	(NA)	213	(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	566	774	262	329	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	207	495	118	246
\$1,000	9 272	4 444	8 911	4 014	\$1,000	231	145	221	128
Farms with --					\$1,000	414	609	220	292
\$1 to \$999	196	308	11	46	\$1,000	993	462	930	406
\$1,000 to \$1,999	104	135	29	41	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	185	(NA)	152	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	40	70	20	41	\$1,000	421	230	419	214
\$3,000 to \$4,999	62	76	45	66	\$1,000	(NA)	65	8	41
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	73	39	64	\$1,000	(NA)	25	3	23
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27		27	57	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	537	731	252	329
\$20,000 to \$39,999	30	112	30	41	\$1,000	674	525	635	447
\$40,000 to \$59,999	18		18	14	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	214	296
\$60,000 and over	43		43		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	175	187
Livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	154	135
\$1,000	111	236	45	77	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	248	114
\$1,000	65	138	39	107	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	136	142
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	126	91
\$1,000	371	501	130	174	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	252	329
\$1,000	388	462	273	379	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	54
Commercially mixed formula feeds					Hired farm labor	213	410	147	247
\$1,000	270	264	111	138	\$1,000	1 794	843	1 769	803
\$1,000	251	319	194	298	\$1,000			10	21
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	24	\$1,000			59	29
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	9	11	\$1,000			74	122
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	43	\$1,000			151	100
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	20	\$1,000			444	327
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	40	\$1,000			4 484	1 486
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	39	49	\$1,000			4 397	1 401
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	(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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	534	728	244	327	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	16	25	16	25
farms	9 506	6 541	7 425	5 163	number	24	39	24	39
Average per farm	17 801	8 985	30 431	15 788	mfd in last 5 years, number	13	20	13	20
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	3	43	3	2
\$1 to \$999	17	126	—	107	number	3	47	3	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999	128	307	50	71	mfd in last 5 years, number	2	26	2	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	195	123	56	59	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	32	—	25	37
\$10,000 to \$19,999	86	69	39	34	number	33	—	26	39
\$20,000 to \$29,999	34	—	27	35	mfd in last 5 years, number	2	—	2	19
\$30,000 to \$49,999	32	103	32	—	Mower conditioners	64	(NA)	39	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	18	—	16	21	number	68	(NA)	43	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	24	—	24	—	mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	23	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers	57	75	25	56
Automobiles	311	449	156	193	number	58	76	25	57
farms	374	551	199	253	mfd in last 5 years, number	14	47	9	34
number	178	288	127	156	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	15	(NA)	11	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	398	490	209	255	number	15	(NA)	11	23
Motor trucks, including pickups	565	679	360	422	mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	16
farms	212	340	164	225	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	22	(NA)	19	21
number	460	589	220	308	farms	23	(NA)	20	21
mfd in last 5 years, number	905	1 119	625	749	number	23	(NA)	20	21
Wheel tractors	254	431	210	313	mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	10
farms	16	—	7	18					
number	26	—	9	27					
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	—	2	10					
Crawler tractors	16	—	7	18					
farms	26	—	9	27					
number	8	—	2	10					
mfd in last 5 years, number	8	—	2	10					

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	421	(X)	163	(X)	336	(X)	135	(X)	862
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	397	(X)	146	(X)	307	(X)	118	(X)	248
1969	589	(X)	231	(X)	402	(X)	170	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	370	10 671	136	6 375	292	2 812	111	1 675	232
1969	568	12 845	224	8 801	375	5 489	158	4 184	454
Farms with—									
1 to 4	54	163	17	55	111	292	30	84	12
5 to 9	58	403	22	144	98	658	32	234	41
10 to 19	108	1 520	21	307	52	731	22	310	41
20 to 49	99	2 829	40	1 176	26	819	22	735	94
50 to 99	30	2 042	15	979	5	312	5	312	44
100 to 199	16	2 053	16	2 053	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	4	(D)	4	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	313	6 600	130	4 277	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	516	7 729	216	5 697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	276	5 670	111	3 539	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 738	150	4 030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	110	930	47	738	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	279	1 991	124	1 667	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	408
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	661
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows	276	5 670	111	3 539	Cattle sold	62	547	117	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	63	164	25	65	1 to 4	23	48	13	
5 to 9	73	510	22	164	5 to 9	21	167	37	
10 to 19	59	830	19	264	10 to 19	12	140	31	
20 to 49	56	1 634	24	814	20 to 49	6	192	36	
50 to 99	18	1 276	14	976	50 to 99	—	—	—	
100 to 199	6	(D)	6	(D)	100 to 199	—	—	—	
200 to 499	—	(D)	—	(D)	200 to 499	—	—	—	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	—	—	—	
Milk cows	110	930	47	738	Calves sold	85	1 128	114	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	52	83	16	25	1 or 2	15	23	3	
3 or 4	23	75	8	28	3 or 4	9	31	3	
5 to 9	14	99	4	32	5 to 9	19	121	12	
10 to 19	12	148	10	128	10 to 19	25	327	35	
20 to 49	6	190	6	190	20 to 49	14	456	47	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	3	170	15	
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	—	—	—	
200 to 499	—	(D)	—	(D)	200 to 499	—	—	—	
500 and over	—	(D)	—	(D)	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.....	78	1 295	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	8	106	24
1969.....	164	2 114		1969.....	2	29	(NA)
Beef heifers	71	1 153	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	13	142	1 to 9	5	38	8
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	82	803	10 to 19	2	28	6
1969.....	168	990	20 to 49	1	40	9
			50 to 99	—	—	—
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	—	—	—
			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	74	584	25	293	22	449	10	225	16
1969.....	179	1 026	71	484	56	1 032	27	606	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	34	70	11	32	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9	22	123	6	34	1	8	1	8	1
10 to 24	17	287	7	123	17	239	7	99	6
25 to 49	—	—	—	—	3	119	1	35	2
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	1	83	1	83	7
100 to 199	1	104	1	104	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	4	—	—	(NA)
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep and lambs	10	88	6	44	5	30	3	12	(NA)
1969.....	29	344	12	129	15	117	7	87	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	20	188
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(X)	(Z)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	91	321	37	185	6	14	4	12	9
1969.....	187	676	(NA)	(NA)	15	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	Inventory			
	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			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 ..	9	27	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	24	65	9	31
1969.....	37	91	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	88	204	40	94
Other hogs and pigs	25	266	1969.....	20	32	7	14
1969.....	64	393	1974.....	69	118	30	52
Lambs under 1 year old	5	14	1969.....	16	33	6	17
Ewes 1 year old or older	6	25	1974.....	60	86	29	42
Rams and wethers	5	5	1969.....				

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	144	(X)	51	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	117	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	144	5 595	51	1 836	1	50	1	50
1969.....	352	21 681	117	12 243	16	6 419	5	5 786
Hens and pullets of laying age	142	5 011	50	1 663	1	50	1	50
1969.....	325	17 803	107	10 927	14	6 083	5	5 786
Farms with—								
1 to 99	132	3 921	47	1 363	1	50	1	50
100 to 399	10	1 090	3	300	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	17	332	10	172	—	—	—	—
1969.....	28	1 712	11	853	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	4	8	3
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	45

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	50	1 663	1	50	Turkeys ----- 1974	1	3	--	--
----- 1969	107	10 927	5	5 786	----- 1969	9	68	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production ----- 1974	48	1 591	1	50	Turkeys for slaughter ----- 1974	--	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production ----- 1974	4	72	--	--	Heavy breed ----- 1974	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older ----- 1974	2	16	--	--	Light breed ----- 1974	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	24	850	--	--	Turkey hens for breeding ----- 1974	1	3	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding ----- 1974	28	157	--	--	----- 1969	8	56	--	--
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ----- 1974	1	60	--	--	Other poultry ----- 1974	2	(X)	2	(X)
					----- 1969	21	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes -----	182	372	2 952	6 233	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes -----	8	12	221	211	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels) -----	26	34	6 612	6 605	178 594	130 283
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) -----	--	4	--	10	--	1 800
Wheat (bushels) -----	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other small grains for grain -----	12	16	4 202	3 148	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales) -----	9	133	661	2 701	398	2 948
Tobacco (pounds) -----	--	--	--	--	--	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) -----	22	(NA)	44	(NA)	2 536	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels) -----	49	(NA)	1 020	(NA)	167 772	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry) -----	162	231	4 753	5 454	5 935	7 340
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale -----	81	96	695	518	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards -----	15	27	253	393	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale -----	--	1	--	10	(X)	(X)
Other crops -----	147	(NA)	18 865	15 245	(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) -----	73	149	1 523	3 226	57 234	99 083	2	1	40	12
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) -----	7	12	403	687	4 330	6 225	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed -----	10	11	248	207	(X)	(X)	2	--	40	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels) -----	1	4	27	151	1 485	7 252	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. -----	7	(NA)	194	42	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) -----	9	1	281	10	654	20	1	--	5	--

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	95	8 482	(X)	--	--	28	1 987	26	154	2	45
----- 1969	122	9 400	(X)	2	102	44	2 822	44	270	2	8
Improved pasture ----- 1974	28	2 649	(X)	4	196	4	90	4	47	--	--
----- 1969	52	4 011	(X)	--	--	20	1 332	20	356	--	--
Corn for all purposes ----- 1974	83	2 174	(X)	2	80	70	1 744	51	149	33	117
----- 1969	168	4 120	(X)	1	12	125	2 774	71	212	75	141
Sorghums for all purposes ----- 1974	8	221	(X)	--	--	7	216	5	28	2	2
----- 1969	8	193	(X)	--	--	7	185	7	17	1	1
Wheat (bushels) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
----- 1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Oats (bushels) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	2	225	6 425	--	--	2	225	(NA)	17	(NA)	--
Barley (bushels) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Rye (bushels) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	1	18	72	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain ----- 1974	12	4 202	(X)	12	4 202	12	4 036	12	542	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels) ----- 1974	25	6 609	178 499	--	--	7	2 050	5	203	2	10
----- 1969	24	6 477	128 107	--	--	2	575	(NA)	120	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry) ----- 1974	72	3 079	4 327	1	5	14	478	12	31	2	20
----- 1969	111	4 231	5 817	2	480	35	1 111	35	143	--	--
Field seed crops ----- 1974	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	2	12	(X)	--	--	1	2	1	--	--	--
Cotton (bales) ----- 1974	9	661	398	--	--	9	661	9	(2)	--	--
----- 1969	62	2 206	2 626	--	--	59	2 157	(NA)	399	(NA)	26
Tobacco (pounds) ----- 1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
----- 1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) ----- 1974	10	37	2 190	1	6	3	32	(NA)	3	(NA)	--
----- 1969	17	7	327	--	--	5	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale ----- 1974	47	551	(X)	7	134	38	440	37	103	1	5
----- 1969	38	309	(X)	2	3	29	249	24	49	6	15
Land in orchards ----- 1974	13	247	(X)	2	100	3	120	3	105	--	--
----- 1969	19	362	(X)	1	40	9	154	9	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

	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	1	10	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	3	4	(X)	2	4	2	6	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	1	4	(X)	1	4	1	3	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	136	19 586	(X)	3	102	131	19 442	57	703	94	2 215

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	223	1 349	304	620	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	10	612	11	618
.....	1	220	280	280	Diseases in crops and orchards	11	11	6	6
Commercial fertilizer	31 302	30 663	4 945	4 945	Weeds or grass in crops	80	19 185	130	130
.....	4 636	4 945	406	406	.....	231	19 185	16 580	16 580
Lime	8	930	41	406	Weeds or brush in pasture	2	231	8	104
.....	184	8	1 686	41	.....	125	2	469	8
acres on which used	254	184	3 853	1 686	.....	(Z)	125	1	469
.....	3	254	3 853	3 853	Weeds on all other land	11	(Z)	(NA)	1
.....	23	3	23	23	.....	853	11	(NA)	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1	3	6	23	.....	3	853	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	4	1	388	1	.....	9	3	22	3
.....	(Z)	4	90	4	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	1 108	9	22	4
.....	16 295	(Z)	7 856	(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit	9	1 108	1 352	4
.....	149	16 295	7 856	16 295	.....	3	9	4	4
Nematodes in crops	1	149	71	149	Insect control on livestock and poultry	(Z)	3	24	24
.....	61	1	2	61	.....	25	(Z)	3	3
.....	2	61	2	2	Other chemicals (see text)	11	25	(NA)	(NA)
.....	(Z)	2	(Z)	(Z)	.....	11	11	(NA)	(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	28	5 023	18	3 521	Land irrigated by—Continued	3	11 088	(NA)	9 161
.....	10.7	179.4	5.4	195.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	6	10 405	(NA)	8 167
Proportion of farms	24	4 827	18	3 521	Other sprinkler systems	—	8 252	(NA)	5 105
Total land irrigated	4 827	4 827	3 521	3 521	Land in irrigated farms	—	8 252	(NA)	5 105
Average per farm	24	4 827	17	3 521	Cropland	11 088	10 405	9 161	8 167
Cropland irrigated	24	4 827	17	3 521	Harvested cropland	8 252	8 252	5 105	5 105
Harvested cropland irrigated	—	—	2	2	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	2	2	(X)	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	102	102	.....	440	440	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	200	200	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	25	25	80	80
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	4	4	—	—	Proportion of farms	9.5	9.5	24.3	24.3
.....	196	196	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	8 522	8 522	25 516	25 516
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied — acre-feet	5 677	5 677	5 208	5 208	Land drained	6 039	6 039	20 621	20 621
Average per acre irrigated	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.5	Average per farm	241.6	241.6	257.7	257.7
Land irrigated by —	9	9	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	10	10	(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	250	250	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	17	17	(NA)	(NA)
.....	250	250	(NA)	(NA)	.....	1 142	1 142	(NA)	(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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	1 278	59	24	45	741	45	741
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	16	16	4	18	7	7	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	14	6	7	12	12	7
\$10,000 to \$29,999	8	8	9	12	4	4	12
\$30,000 to \$49,999	7	7	3	4	4	4	4
\$50,000 and over	7	7	2	4	4	4	4

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 —	64	84	279	263	1 061	803	147	64	57	83
150 days or more	57	227	550	1 263	558	1 140	1 769	1 061	558	150
25 to 149 days	83	21	1 140	(NA)	150	59	1 969	279	550	1 140
Less than 25 days	10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)				
Total contract labor	5	(NA)	27	(NA)	14	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	27	(NA)	14	(NA)				
Farms	147	64	57	83	Cash wages paid — \$1,000	1 769	1 061	558	150	1 140
.....	1 769	1 061	558	150	Number of workers	1 969	279	550	1 140	1 140
.....	1 969	279	550	1 140	Farms with —					
.....	20	13	10	11	1 worker	20	13	10	11	11
.....	16	22	4	5	2 workers	16	22	4	5	5
.....	25	12	15	16	3 or 4 workers	25	12	15	16	16
.....	36	11	9	20	5 to 9 workers	36	11	9	20	20
.....	50	6	19	31	10 workers and over	50	6	19	31	31