

**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.....	459	500	290	269					
Land in farms ..... acres.....	77 993	80 628	57 446	55 029	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Average size of farm ..... acres.....	170	161	198	205	Total cropland ..... farms.....	422	448	257	243
Approximate land area ..... acres.....	640 768	640 768	640 768	640 768	..... acres.....	30 566	29 478	23 511	22 938
Proportion in farms ..... percent.....	12.2	12.6	9.0	8.6	Harvested cropland ..... farms.....	405	399	246	228
Value of land and buildings ... \$1,000.....	41 830	20 330	29 595	13 769	..... acres.....	21 919	20 131	17 550	16 615
Average per farm ..... dollars.....	91 133	40 660	102 050	51 185	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per acre ..... dollars.....	536	252	515	250	1 to 9 acres .....	64	94	31	
Farms by size:					10 to 19 acres .....	55	55	21	
1 to 9 acres .....	29	30	25	22	20 to 29 acres .....	41	37	13	99
10 to 49 acres .....	64	87	25	35	30 to 49 acres .....	82	69	45	
50 to 69 acres .....	30	40	16	16	50 to 99 acres .....	97	76	70	62
70 to 99 acres .....	54	70	24	22	100 to 199 acres .....	50	56	50	55
100 to 139 acres .....	73	68	35	31	200 to 499 acres .....	16	10	16	10
140 to 179 acres .....	55	45	38	29	500 to 999 acres .....	-	2	-	2
180 to 219 acres .....	35	36	28	25	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
220 to 259 acres .....	20	33	18	19	Cropland used only for pasture				
260 to 499 acres .....	73	65	59	47	or grazing ..... farms.....	208	270	132	136
500 to 999 acres .....	24	22	20	19	..... acres.....	6 577	7 624	5 129	4 973
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	2	4	2	4	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	64	69	26	(NA)
2,000 acres and over .....	-	-	-	-	..... acres.....	2 070	1 723	832	1 350
					Total woodland..... farms.....	331	385	204	207
					..... acres.....	39 734	41 396	27 958	27 004
					Other land (see text) ..... farms.....	302	278	207	(NA)
					..... acres.....	7 693	9 754	5 977	5 087
					Irrigated land ..... farms.....	43	12	30	12
					..... acres.....	597	84	405	84

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland ..... farms.....	26	(NA)		
..... acres.....	832	1 350		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	8	6		
..... acres.....	33	80		
Cropland on which all crops failed ..... farms.....	4	-		
..... acres.....	275	-		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ..... farms.....	3	11		
..... acres.....	8	157		
Cropland idle ..... farms.....	20	38		
..... acres.....	516	1 113		
Total woodland ..... farms.....	204	207		
..... acres.....	27 958	27 004		
Woodland pastured ..... farms.....	65	77		
..... acres.....	5 312	4 968		

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland—Continued				
Woodland not pastured ..... farms.....	176	170		
..... acres.....	22 646	22 036		
Other land..... farms.....	207	(NA)		
..... acres.....	5 977	5 087		
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ..... farms.....	68	37		
..... acres.....	3 301	1 949		
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	31	25		
..... acres.....	1 432	1 088		
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	41	22		
..... acres.....	1 869	861		
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.....	192	149		
..... acres.....	2 676	3 138		

**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.....	459	500	290	269	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	77 993	80 628	57 446	55 029	Partnership ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	10	27
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	21 919	20 131	17 550	16 615	Land in farms ..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 019	5 889
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	10
Full owners ..... number.....	292	364	177	170	Land in farms ..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	4 378	4 446
Land in farms ..... acres.....	44 032	50 371	30 064	30 321	Other ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	9 189	9 164	6 623	6 671	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	473	440
Part owners ..... number.....	157	123	105	91	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	33 050	28 930	26 557	23 563	Under 25 years .....	3	2	2	2
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	12 219	10 376	10 462	9 462	25 to 34 years .....	40	43	21	27
Tenants ..... number.....	10	13	8	8	35 to 44 years .....	92	85	59	44
Land in farms ..... acres.....	911	1 327	825	1 145	45 to 54 years .....	117	138	74	86
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	511	591	465	482	55 to 64 years .....	110	113	79	56
Percent of tenancy.....	2.2	2.6	2.8	2.9	65 years and over .....	81	119	41	54
					Average age .....	51.9	53.3	51.8	51.8
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated.....	367	431	224	229
All farm operators ..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	On another farm.....	2	-	6	-
Land in farms ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	10	25	7	18
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	8	-	7	-
Full owners ..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	None.....	172	(NA)	134	(NA)
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days .....	16	41	13	20
Part owners ..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days .....	12	17	7	10
Land in farms ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days .....	15	-	7	-
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days .....	33	-	17	-
Tenants ..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	130	166	48	50
Land in farms ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland ..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	255	(NA)	202	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	188	(NA)	74	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Individual or family ..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	266	231	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	50	(NA)
Land in farms ..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	50 576	44 254					

<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		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Forms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	37	68	37	68	Crops	123	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	73		72		Crops	2 140	1 542
\$20,000 to \$39,999	53	60	53	60	Grains	4	1
					Tobacco	45	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999	41	45	40	45	Cotton and cottonseed		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	54	46	54	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	77	65
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	29	34	27	Other field crops	370	187
Under \$2,500 (see text)	175	244	8	15	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	4	12
\$2,000 to \$2,499	34	12	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	272	103
\$1,500 to \$1,999	29	27	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	27	42
\$1,000 to \$1,499	30	25	(X)	(X)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	1 400	1 206
Under \$1,000 (see text)	82	180	(X)	(X)	Poultry and poultry products	218	209
Market value of agricultural products sold					Dairy products	16 864	7 010
\$1,000	19 915	8 927	19 656	8 726	Cattle and calves	54	67
Average per farm	43 388	17 853	67 779	32 437	Hogs and pigs	11 622	3 978
Crops, including hay	224	237	123	(NA)	Cattle and calves	106	115
\$1,000	2 301	1 773	2 140	1 542	Hogs and pigs	4 429	2 645
Nursery and greenhouse products	35		26	18	Sheep, lambs, and wool	171	(NA)
\$1,000	461		455	154	Sheep, lambs, and wool	736	357
Forest products	64	41	45	21	Other livestock and livestock products	20	(NA)
\$1,000	204	22	198	19	Sheep, lambs, and wool	9	31
Livestock, poultry, and their products	323	315	218	209		10	
\$1,000	16 950	7 131	16 864	7 010		11	
Poultry and poultry products	68	(NA)	54	67		15	
\$1,000	11 629	(NA)	11 622	3 978		56	

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Forms 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>	192	(NA)	59	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	165
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	122	(NA)	72	(NA)	\$1,000	1 312
Customwork and other agricultural services	194	(NA)	137	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	28
\$1,000	54	48	22	28	\$1,000	259
\$1,000	38	39	18	33	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	92
Recreational services	1	6		3	\$1,000	810
\$1,000	6	15		14	Interest, dividends, or royalties	80
Government farm programs	52	87	42	53	\$1,000	136
\$1,000	51	19	46	17	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	29
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	24	(NA)	12	(NA)	\$1,000	80
\$1,000	34	(NA)	8	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	11
Other farm-related sources	23	(NA)	16	(NA)	\$1,000	28
\$1,000	65	(NA)	65	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	41	(NA)	19	(NA)		
\$1,000	72	(NA)	55	(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		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses	459	500	290	269	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	217	195	154	118
\$1,000	17 331	7 650	17 032	7 317	\$1,000	126	43	121	38
Farms with \$1 to \$999	81	130	6	25	Commercial fertilizer purchased	235	271	159	160
\$1,000 to \$1,999	60	82	10		\$1,000	321	153	307	139
\$2,000 to \$2,999	33	29	12	10	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	172	(NA)	120	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	37	46	22	29	Lime	153	108	141	99
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	51	44	44	\$1,000	(NA)	132	30	91
\$10,000 to \$19,999	58		56	55	\$1,000	(NA)	26	15	22
\$20,000 to \$39,999	48		48	56	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	458	490	290	267
\$40,000 to \$59,999	39		39		\$1,000	458	254	424	215
\$60,000 and over	53	162	53	50	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	276	267
Livestock and poultry purchased	197	212	120	125	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	260	148
\$1,000	1 549	899	1 519	868	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	85	46
\$1,000					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	44	10
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	340	357	213	214	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	26	30
\$1,000	9 179	3 310	9 105	3 226	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	3	8
Commercially mixed formula feeds	264	281	199	202	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	290	267
\$1,000	8 835	3 188	8 796	3 133	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	117	50
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45	5	Hired farm labor	192	235	162	196
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	11	\$1,000	1 299	839	1 270	810
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	64	17	Contract labor	18	135	13	19
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	217	55	\$1,000	23	100	22	62
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	28	Machine hire and customwork	89		56	72
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	57	27	\$1,000	47		43	28
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			All other production expenses	422	415	289	262
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	146	(NA)	\$1,000	4 177	1 945	4 001	1 831
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	(NA)					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		Forms 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	459	493	290	265					
\$1,000	7 822	3 702	6 089	2 824					
Average per farm	17 041	7 508	20 996	10 655					
<b>Forms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999	6	41	1	69					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	82	201	32						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	87	113	41	68					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	137	87	87	82					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	73		63	35					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	49	51	45	9					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	21		17						
\$70,000 and over	4		4	2					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles	355	383	230	200					
Motor trucks, including pickups	397	393	267	230					
Wheel tractors	390	420	247	224					
Crawler tractors	49	233	148	153					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	1	5	1	4					
Corn heads for combines	11	10	11	5					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	6	6	6	3					
Mower conditioners	101	(NA)	71	(NA)					
Pickup balers	201	203	136	131					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	58	(NA)	33	34					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	78	(NA)	67	43					

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

	Inventory				Sales			
	All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any livestock or poultry	359	(X)	233	(X)	323	(X)	218	(X)
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	299	(X)	186	(X)	258	(X)	174	(X)
Cattle and calves	281	10 819	180	9 409	244	4 480	171	4 149
Forms with—								
1 to 4	34	83	11	25	79	223	28	82
5 to 9	41	283	17	123	41	260	27	176
10 to 19	59	815	26	384	56	713	48	607
20 to 49	71	2 295	54	1 834	54	1 589	54	1 589
50 to 99	49	3 475	45	3 175	9	604	9	604
100 to 199	24	3 153	24	3 153	2	(D)	2	(D)
200 to 499	3	715	3	715	3	(D)	3	(D)
500 and over								
Cows and heifers that had calved	242	5 715	157	5 129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	135	1 080	64	622	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	161	4 635	123	4 507	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	106	(X)
	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	115	(X)
Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All forms		Forms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Beef cows	135	1 080	64	622	150	2 054	636	
Forms with—								
1 to 4	53	121	22	44	61	166	54	
5 to 9	45	290	19	119	35	224	72	
10 to 19	24	327	13	181	39	485	147	
20 to 49	13	342	10	278	12	343	98	
50 to 99								
100 to 199								
200 to 499					3	836	264	
500 and over								
Milk cows	161	4 635	123	4 507	128	2 095	100	
Forms with—								
1 or 2	35	51	15	20	17	20	2	
3 or 4	14	49	6	22	7	26	3	
5 to 9	12	80	2	10	20	130	10	
10 to 19	16	236	16	236	48	636	31	
20 to 49	47	1 617	47	1 617	30	820	34	
50 to 99	33	2 091	33	2 091	5	338	14	
100 to 199	4	511	4	511	1	125	6	
200 to 499								
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	137	3 477	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	20	116	42
1969	141	3 381		1969	8	46
Beef heifers	53	504	Farms with—	16	68	26
Milk heifers	108	2 973	1 to 9	4	48	17
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	100	803	10 to 19	—	—	—
1969	108	558	20 to 49	—	—	—
			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	69	532	40	391	26	497	20	295	9
1969	48	393	24	285	19	467	7	286	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	41	88	19	41	6	11	4	7	(2)
5 to 9	15	105	11	72	8	47	7	40	2
10 to 24	11	177	9	154	9	135	8	121	3
25 to 49	1	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	1	74	—	—	—
100 to 199	1	124	1	124	2	230	1	127	3
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	262	7	134	3
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	130	3	130	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	36	656	18	328	20	515	9	290	(NA)
1969	34	457	12	234	14	295	7	190	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	188	1 470
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	(X)	11
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	3	5	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	107	452	49	230	17	40	9	24	14
1969	122	454	(NA)	(NA)	17	64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

  

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			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	17	74	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	25	85	18	60	
1969	9	145		December 1 of preceding year and November 30	18	130	9	105
Other hogs and pigs	39	317		December 1 of preceding year and May 31	15	48	10	34
1969	21	140		June 1 and November 30	11	106	6	85
Lambs under 1 year old	15	118	1969	19	37	15	26	
Ewes 1 year old or older	16	199	1974	11	24	7	20	
Rams and wethers	11	11	1969					

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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	93	(X)	65	(X)	57	(X)	50	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	76	(X)	(NA)	(X)	64	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	70	801 992	42	800 048	37	1 008 123	31	1 002 983
1969	96	376 946	56	370 782	57	476 547	46	472 995
Hens and pullets of laying age	62	629 149	35	627 573	26	585 027	20	580 133
1969	81	264 889	45	258 859	44	214 186	33	210 674
Farms with—								
1 to 99	41	900	17	324	—	—	—	—
100 to 399	3	800	1	200	8	1 626	3	432
400 to 1,599	3	2 200	2	1 800	2	2 050	2	2 050
1,600 to 3,199	4	10 470	4	10 470	5	12 092	5	12 092
3,200 to 9,999	4	20 890	4	20 890	4	18 110	3	14 410
10,000 to 19,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	4	132 500	4	132 500	3	86 000	3	86 000
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	25	534 400	23	534 350	22	2 364 250	21	2 364 200
1969	20	600 540	20	600 540	21	2 730 020	21	2 730 020
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	68	11 629	54	11 622
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	67	3 978

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	35	627 573	20	580 133	Turkeys .....	1974	2	8	-	-
	1969	45	258 859	33	210 674		1969	1	3	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production .....	1974	31	539 884	16	498 974	Turkeys for slaughter .....	1974	2	4	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production .....	1974	5	87 689	5	81 159	Heavy breed .....	1974	2	-	-	-
						Light breed .....	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older .....	1974	9	163 500	11	414 700	Turkey hens for breeding .....	1974	2	4	-	-
	1969	14	111 424	12	(D)		1969	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding .....	1974	12	8 975	6	8 150	Other poultry .....	1974	4	(X)	2	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	1974	11	345 020	-	-		1969	3	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes .....	88	53	3 269	1 548	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes .....	3	-	18	-	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels) .....	1	1	130	5	3 900	150
Other small grains for grain .....	5	1	20	30	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	12	(NA)	61	(NA)	10 061	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels) .....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	336	318	17 162	16 755	27 889	27 342
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	60	68	542	276	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards .....	35	57	992	1 377	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale .....	22	28	470	104	(X)	(X)
Other crops .....	39	(NA)	171	173	(X)	(X)

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels) .....	3	2	62	8	2 130	360	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	75	45	3 163	1 476	38 220	26 707	2	-	10	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed .....	-	4	-	38	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. ....	2	(NA)	8	-	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	38	66	1 238	1 744	3 073	3 962	2	-	14	-

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Cropland used only for pasture .....	1974	132	5 129	(X)	-	-	20	316	20	58	-	-
	1969	136	4 973	(X)	-	-	52	1 287	52	299	-	-
Improved pasture .....	1974	31	1 432	(X)	-	-	10	243	10	39	-	-
	1969	25	1 088	(X)	-	-	9	165	9	53	-	-
Corn for all purposes .....	1974	75	3 225	(X)	2	10	64	2 837	64	1 065	-	-
	1969	48	1 522	(X)	-	-	36	1 288	36	610	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes .....	1974	2	8	(X)	-	-	2	8	2	2	-	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels) .....	1974	1	130	3 900	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	1	5	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats (bushels) .....	1974	1	16	960	-	-	1	16	1	(Z)	-	-
	1969	1	30	1 000	-	-	1	30	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain .....	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	1974	198	12 939	22 708	3	29	46	2 128	46	314	-	-
	1969	179	13 470	23 740	-	-	64	3 457	64	556	-	-
Field seed crops .....	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	2	107	(X)	-	-	1	9	1	2	-	-
Cotton (bales) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds) .....	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	1974	7	59	9 862	4	50	6	59	6	51	-	-
	1969	14	64	13 558	2	44	12	62	(NA)	60	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	1974	36	503	(X)	14	168	27	446	27	193	-	-
	1969	31	247	(X)	5	19	28	237	28	96	-	-
Land in orchards .....	1974	21	924	(X)	4	110	18	904	18	124	-	-
	1969	30	1 254	(X)	1	7	27	1 230	27	174	-	-

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	9	464	(X)	3	4	1	3	1	1	-	-
	1969	12	98	(X)	3	11	3	14	3	3	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	26	49	(X)	9	31	15	29	15	10	2	2
	1969	18	34	(X)	3	-	10	5	9	5	-	-
Other crops	1974	4	116	(X)	-	-	2	15	2	1	-	-

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974	1969		1974	1969
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	171	176	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	
	\$1,000	449	238	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms
Commercial fertilizer	farms	161	144	acres on which used	20
	acres on which used	7 009	7 809	\$1,000	921
	tons	1 859	1 868	Weeds or grass in crops	farms
	\$1,000	307	139	acres on which used	29
Lime	farms	30	91	\$1,000	63
	acres on which used	563	1 861	acres on which used	2 528
	tons	827	2 554	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms
	\$1,000	15	22	acres on which used	25
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				\$1,000	3
Insects on hay crops	farms	2	-	acres on which used	6
	acres on which used	113	-	\$1,000	1
	\$1,000	1	-	Weeds on all other land	farms
Insects on other crops	farms	54	41	acres on which used	3
	acres on which used	1 738	1 166	\$1,000	2
	\$1,000	45	36	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms
Nematodes in crops	farms	3	-	of crops or thinning of fruit	5
	acres on which used	64	-	acres on which used	306
	\$1,000	1	-	\$1,000	4
				acres on which used	23
				\$1,000	20
				Other chemicals (see text)	farms
				\$1,000	19
					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 irrigated in census year	farms	30	12	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms	percent	10.3	4.4	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms
Total land irrigated	acres	405	84	acres	6
Average per farm	acres	13.5	7.0	Other sprinkler systems	farms
Cropland irrigated	farms	30	12	acres	85
	acres	405	84	acres	24
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	30	12	Land in irrigated farms	farms
	acres	403	84	Cropland	4 440
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	-	-	Harvested cropland	1 545
	acres	-	-	acres	1 320
Other cropland irrigated	farms	1	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	
	acres	2	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	farms
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	-	-	acres irrigated in most recent year	1
	acres	-	-		1
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	285	30	Farms with artificial drainage	farms
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.7	0.4	Proportion of farms	percent
Land irrigated by—				Land in farms with drainage	acres
Furrows or ditches	farms	-	(NA)	Land drained	acres
	acres	-	(NA)	Average per farm	acres
				Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms
				number	63
				acres	126
					114

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	124	104	82
	\$1,000	5 384	4 235	1 148
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000	25	33	16	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	16	31	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	49	27	26	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	16	9	7	
\$50,000 and over	23	19	2	

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	71	77	186	175	898	810	162	71	78	91
150 days or more	78	172	341	947	277	810	1 270	898	277	96
25 to 149 days	91	-	955	-	96	-	1 482	186	341	955
Less than 25 days	13	-	(NA)	(NA)	22	62				
Total contract labor										
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	61	(NA)	13	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							35	37	25	19
2 workers							17	17	13	9
3 or 4 workers							34	8	24	11
5 to 9 workers							39	7	10	25
10 workers and over							37	2	6	27