

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|--|-----------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres |
| Farms | 354 | 117 400 | 374 | 120 721 | 305 | 115 710 | 334 | 119 314 |
| Average size of farm | (X) | 332 | (X) | 323 | (X) | 379 | (X) | 357 |
| Approximate land area | (X) | 167 040 | (X) | 167 040 | (X) | 167 040 | (X) | 167 040 |
| Proportion in farms | (X) | 70.3 | (X) | 72.3 | (X) | 69.3 | (X) | 71.4 |
| Value of land and buildings: ¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Average per farm | 636 001 | (X) | 315 652 | (X) | 699 624 | (X) | 344 841 | (X) |
| Average per acre | (X) | 1 854 | (X) | 978 | (X) | 1 844 | (X) | 965 |
| Land in farms according to use: | | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland | 327 | 95 179 | 343 | 92 741 | 284 | 94 541 | 317 | 92 330 |
| Harvested cropland | 317 | 87 345 | 335 | 87 462 | 278 | 86 914 | 312 | 87 190 |
| By acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 25 | 139 | 23 | (NA) | 7 | 39 | 12 | (NA) |
| 10 to 19 acres | 27 | 362 | 28 | (NA) | 13 | 189 | 19 | (NA) |
| 20 to 29 acres | 22 | 529 | 17 | (NA) | 16 | (D) | 16 | (NA) |
| 30 to 49 acres | 20 | 795 | 24 | (NA) | 19 | (D) | 22 | (NA) |
| 50 to 99 acres | 44 | 3 317 | 37 | (NA) | 44 | 3 317 | 37 | (NA) |
| 100 to 199 acres | 56 | 8 037 | 84 | (NA) | 56 | 8 037 | 84 | (NA) |
| 200 to 499 acres | 71 | 21 531 | 72 | (NA) | 71 | 21 531 | 72 | (NA) |
| 500 to 999 acres | 29 | 19 410 | 29 | (NA) | 29 | 19 410 | 29 | (NA) |
| 1,000 acres or more | 23 | 33 225 | 21 | (NA) | 23 | 33 225 | 21 | (NA) |
| Cropland used only for pasture | 87 | 2 787 | 93 | 3 297 | 75 | 2 646 | 88 | 3 180 |
| Other cropland | 98 | 5 047 | 39 | 1 982 | 91 | 4 981 | 36 | 1 960 |
| Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested or pastured | 17 | 642 | (NA) | (NA) | 14 | 620 | 10 | 263 |
| Cropland on which all crops failed | 9 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 8 | (D) | 8 | 166 |
| Cropland in cultivated summer fallow | 2 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | - | - |
| Cropland idle | 78 | 4 210 | (NA) | (NA) | 75 | 4 175 | 23 | 1 531 |
| Total woodland | 192 | 17 217 | 220 | 18 763 | 172 | 16 452 | 206 | 18 457 |
| Woodland pastured | 24 | 1 322 | (NA) | (NA) | 22 | (D) | 23 | 1 655 |
| Woodland not pastured | 175 | 15 895 | (NA) | (NA) | 157 | (D) | 193 | 16 802 |
| Other land | 229 | 5 004 | 256 | 9 217 | 196 | 4 717 | 222 | 8 527 |
| Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured | 20 | 722 | (NA) | (NA) | 17 | 704 | 36 | 2 891 |
| Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc | 226 | 4 282 | (NA) | (NA) | 193 | 4 013 | 216 | 5 636 |
| Pastureland, all types | 114 | 4 831 | (NA) | (NA) | 99 | 4 427 | (NA) | 7 726 |
| Irrigated land | 7 | 649 | 5 | 169 | 7 | 649 | 5 | 169 |
| Harvested cropland irrigated | 7 | 649 | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | 649 | 5 | 169 |
| Pastureland irrigated | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) | - |
| Other land irrigated | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978 | 110 | 3 631 | (X) | (X) | 108 | (D) | (X) | (X) |

¹1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.

Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|--|-----------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) | Farms | Value (\$1,000) |
| Market value of agricultural products sold ¹ | 354 | 27 466 | 374 | 30 597 | 305 | 27 407 | 334 | 30 541 |
| Average per farm | (X) | 77 588 | (X) | 81 810 | (X) | 89 858 | (X) | 91 440 |
| Farms by value of agricultural products sold: ¹ | | | | | | | | |
| \$100,000 or more | 82 | 20 296 | 83 | (NA) | 82 | 20 296 | 83 | (NA) |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999 | 75 | 4 784 | 94 | (NA) | 75 | 4 784 | 94 | (NA) |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 44 | 1 277 | 62 | (NA) | 44 | 1 277 | 62 | (NA) |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 55 | 780 | 42 | (NA) | 55 | 780 | 42 | (NA) |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 29 | 196 | 16 | (NA) | 29 | 196 | 16 | (NA) |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 20 | 74 | 34 | (NA) | 20 | 74 | 34 | (NA) |
| Less than \$2,500 (see text) | 49 | 59 | 43 | (NA) | (X) | (X) | 3 | (NA) |
| \$2,000 to \$2,499 | 8 | 17 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 8 | 14 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 17 | 21 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Less than \$1,000 | 16 | 7 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Abnormal farms (see text) | - | - | - | (NA) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) |
| Crops | 300 | 16 007 | 341 | 18 633 | 269 | 15 969 | (NA) | 18 581 |
| Grains | 284 | 14 618 | (NA) | (NA) | 258 | 14 586 | 294 | 17 453 |
| Commodity Credit Corporation loans | 44 | 289 | (NA) | (NA) | 43 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Commodity Credit Corporation loans | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| Tobacco | - | - | (NA) | (NA) | - | - | - | - |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage | 20 | 37 | (NA) | (NA) | 18 | (D) | 47 | 106 |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons | 33 | 667 | (NA) | (NA) | 31 | (D) | 35 | 465 |
| Fruits, nuts, and berries | 3 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | 2 | (D) |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 7 | 613 | 14 | 516 | 6 | (D) | 12 | (D) |
| Other crops | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | 157 | 11 459 | 168 | 11 949 | 140 | 11 438 | 161 | 11 945 |
| Poultry and poultry products | 50 | 7 405 | 44 | 8 687 | 48 | (D) | 43 | (D) |
| Dairy products | 27 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 27 | (D) | 38 | (D) |
| Cattle and calves | 78 | 565 | (NA) | (NA) | 75 | 560 | 92 | 535 |
| Hogs and pigs | 58 | 893 | (NA) | (NA) | 51 | 886 | 70 | 694 |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | 10 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | 9 | 13 | 15 |
| Other livestock and livestock products (see text) | 13 | 77 | (NA) | (NA) | 8 | 71 | 8 | 191 |

¹1974 data include sales of forest products.

Table 3. Farms, Land in Farms, Land Use, and Irrigation, by Size of Farm: 1978 and 1974

| | Farms | | 1978 | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------|------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| | 1978 | 1974 | Acres in farms | Farms with harvested cropland | | | Farms with irrigated land | | | |
| | | | | Farms | Acres in farms | Harvested cropland | Farms | Acres in farms | Harvested cropland | Irrigated land |
| All farms | 354 | 374 | 117 400 | 317 | 115 487 | 87 345 | 7 | 3 198 | 2 744 | 649 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 26 | 23 | 128 | 12 | 77 | 68 | — | — | — | — |
| 10 to 49 acres | 68 | 53 | 1 845 | 54 | 1 492 | 906 | — | — | — | — |
| 50 to 69 acres | 17 | 21 | 965 | 16 | 899 | 607 | — | — | — | — |
| 70 to 99 acres | 30 | 36 | 2 537 | 27 | 2 303 | 1 612 | 2 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 100 to 139 acres | 25 | 30 | 2 965 | 24 | 2 837 | 1 990 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 140 to 179 acres | 19 | 22 | 3 058 | 18 | 2 883 | 2 086 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 180 to 219 acres | 18 | 35 | 3 558 | 18 | 3 558 | 2 578 | — | — | — | — |
| 220 to 259 acres | 19 | 25 | 4 500 | 19 | 4 500 | 2 971 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 260 to 499 acres | 57 | 59 | 20 000 | 54 | 19 094 | 14 198 | — | — | — | — |
| 500 to 999 acres | 46 | 40 | 31 563 | 46 | 31 563 | 22 335 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 24 | 26 | 33 132 | 24 | 33 132 | 27 283 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| 2,000 acres or more | 5 | 4 | 13 149 | 5 | 13 149 | 10 711 | — | — | — | — |

Table 4. Operators—Tenure, Type of Organization, and Characteristics: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|-------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|-------|---------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres |
| Land in farms | 354 | 117 400 | 374 | 120 721 | 305 | 115 710 | 334 | 119 314 |
| Harvested cropland | 317 | 87 345 | 335 | 87 462 | 278 | 86 914 | 312 | 87 190 |
| Tenure of operator: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners | 187 | 31 947 | 197 | 35 677 | 149 | 30 749 | 163 | 34 518 |
| Harvested cropland | 151 | 19 570 | (NA) | 21 074 | 122 | 19 279 | (NA) | 20 915 |
| Part owners | 114 | 71 721 | 106 | 64 847 | 111 | 71 622 | 104 | (D) |
| Harvested cropland | 114 | 56 205 | (NA) | 48 992 | 111 | 56 155 | (NA) | 48 967 |
| Tenants | 53 | 13 732 | 71 | 20 197 | 45 | 13 339 | 67 | (D) |
| Harvested cropland | 52 | 11 570 | (NA) | 17 396 | 45 | 11 480 | (NA) | 17 308 |
| Type of organization: | | | | | | | | |
| Individual or family | 276 | 81 191 | (NA) | (NA) | 231 | 79 602 | 289 | 97 966 |
| Partnership | 46 | 16 909 | (NA) | (NA) | 43 | (D) | 32 | 16 579 |
| Corporation | 26 | 18 238 | (NA) | (NA) | 25 | (D) | 12 | (D) |
| Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. | 6 | 1 062 | (NA) | (NA) | 6 | 1 062 | 1 | (D) |
| Operators by principal occupation: | | | | | | | | |
| Farming | 236 | 255 | 225 | 241 | 241 | 224 | 204 | 209 |
| Other | 118 | 106 | 80 | 80 | 65 | 56 | 58 | 54 |
| Operators by age group: | | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 12 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 177 | 157 | 162 | 147 |
| 25 to 34 years | 26 | 47 | 21 | 41 | 33 | 23 | 31 | 21 |
| 35 to 44 years | 75 | 55 | 69 | 54 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 7 |
| 45 to 54 years | 80 | 93 | 72 | 78 | 12 | 14 | 8 | 9 |
| 55 to 64 years | 103 | 95 | 92 | 84 | 13 | 8 | 10 | 7 |
| 65 years and over | 58 | 68 | 42 | 63 | 91 | 83 | 68 | 65 |
| Average age | 51.5 | 51.9 | 51.1 | 52.0 | | | | |
| Operators by place of residence: | | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated | | | | | 241 | 224 | 204 | 209 |
| Not on farm operated | | | | | 65 | 56 | 58 | 54 |
| Not reported | | | | | 48 | 81 | 43 | 58 |
| Operators reporting days of work off farm: | | | | | | | | |
| None | | | | | 177 | 157 | 162 | 147 |
| 1 to 49 days | | | | | 33 | 23 | 31 | 21 |
| 50 to 99 days | | | | | 10 | 8 | 9 | 7 |
| 100 to 149 days | | | | | 12 | 14 | 8 | 9 |
| 150 to 199 days | | | | | 13 | 8 | 10 | 7 |
| 200 days or more | | | | | 91 | 83 | 68 | 65 |

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Selected Farm Production Expenses: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) | Farms | Expenses (\$1,000) |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | 122 | 1 233 | 113 | 3 949 | 122 | 1 233 | 103 | 3 949 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry | 180 | 6 343 | 177 | 4 154 | 174 | 6 342 | 146 | 4 148 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | 111 | 5 714 | 158 | 3 880 | 105 | 5 712 | 130 | 3 877 |
| Animal health costs | 168 | 143 | (NA) | (NA) | 162 | 143 | 131 | 67 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees | 278 | 845 | 303 | 585 | 266 | 844 | 286 | 584 |
| Commercial fertilizer | 307 | 2 630 | 310 | 2 880 | 283 | 2 620 | 276 | 2 875 |
| Other agricultural chemicals including lime | 304 | 912 | 230 | 712 | 280 | 910 | 222 | 712 |
| Hired farm labor | 147 | 1 437 | 148 | 1 417 | 147 | 1 437 | 142 | 1 413 |
| Contract labor | 16 | 9 | 10 | 50 | 10 | 7 | 10 | 50 |
| Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment | 217 | 383 | 183 | 324 | 199 | 379 | 176 | 323 |
| Energy and petroleum products | 354 | 1 318 | (NA) | (NA) | 318 | 1 310 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Petroleum products | 354 | 1 089 | 368 | 768 | 318 | 1 081 | 329 | 761 |
| Gasoline | 319 | 466 | (NA) | (NA) | 283 | 460 | 326 | 403 |
| Diesel fuel | 217 | 450 | (NA) | (NA) | 211 | 449 | 213 | 228 |
| LP gas, butane, and propane | 33 | 66 | (NA) | (NA) | 33 | 66 | 50 | 60 |
| Fuel oil | 29 | 24 | (NA) | (NA) | 23 | 24 | | |
| Natural gas | 17 | 6 | (NA) | (NA) | 17 | 6 | 324 | 70 |
| Kerosene, motor oil, and grease | 354 | 76 | (NA) | (NA) | 318 | 76 | | |
| Electricity | 229 | 228 | (NA) | (NA) | 229 | 228 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Other—coal, wood, coke, etc. | 6 | 1 | (NA) | (NA) | 6 | 1 | (NA) | (NA) |

Table 6. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer and Lime: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

| | All farms | | Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|---------------------|
| | 1978 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Acres on which used | Farms | Acres on which used | Farms | Acres on which used |
| Commercial fertilizer | 307 | 78 076 | 283 | (D) | 276 | 81 528 |
| Cropland fertilized, except pasture | 305 | 76 959 | 281 | (D) | (NA) | 80 483 |
| Pasture and rangeland fertilized | 31 | 1 117 | 31 | 1 117 | (NA) | 1 045 |
| Lime | 147 | 14 538 | 135 | (D) | 112 | 11 145 |
| Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— | | | | | | |
| Insects on hay and other crops | 164 | 32 350 | 158 | 32 344 | (NA) | 21 568 |
| Nematodes in crops | 22 | 2 987 | 22 | 2 987 | 4 | 454 |
| Diseases in crops and orchards | 15 | (D) | 15 | (D) | 4 | 227 |
| Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture | 223 | 59 173 | 199 | 58 915 | (NA) | 53 153 |
| Chemicals for— | | | | | | |
| Defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit | 19 | 296 | 19 | 296 | 2 | (D) |
| Insect control on livestock and poultry | 86 | (X) | 74 | (X) | 13 | (X) |
| Sanitation and rodent and bird control | 99 | (X) | 87 | (X) | (NA) | (X) |

Table 7. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

| | All farms | | Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | All farms | | Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | |
|---|-----------|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|---|-----------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | | Farms | Number | Farms | Number |
| ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT | | | | | ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT — Con. | | | | |
| Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms | 354 | 362 | 318 | 325 | Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment— Con. | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 16 183 | 11 378 | 16 036 | 11 093 | \$20,000 to \$29,999 | 80 | 54 | 80 | 53 |
| Average per farm | 45 713 | 31 431 | 50 428 | 34 132 | \$30,000 to \$49,999 | 31 | 98 | 31 | 98 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | \$50,000 to \$69,999 | 9 | 23 | 9 | 23 |
| \$1 to \$4,999 | 35 | 33 | 23 | 28 | \$70,000 to \$99,999 | 9 | | 9 | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 85 | 57 | 61 | 30 | \$100,000 to \$199,999 | 45 | 34 | 45 | 34 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 46 | 63 | 46 | 59 | \$200,000 or more | 14 | | 14 | |
| | | | | | 1974 | | | | |
| | All farms | | Manufactured 1974 to 1978 | | Manufactured prior to 1974 | | Farms | | Manufactured 1970 to 1974 |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | |
| SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT | | | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles | 250 | 379 | 145 | 185 | 134 | 194 | 305 | 439 | 299 |
| Motortrucks including pickups | 340 | 774 | 198 | 256 | 247 | 518 | 324 | 788 | 334 |
| Wheel tractors | 333 | 991 | 111 | 200 | 297 | 791 | 333 | 994 | 276 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only | 121 | 149 | 55 | 62 | 75 | 87 | 157 | 185 | 71 |
| Corn heads for combines | 114 | 132 | 53 | 61 | 66 | 71 | 130 | 146 | 62 |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shellers | 48 | 56 | — | — | 48 | 56 | 63 | 65 | 9 |
| Cottonpickers | — | — | — | — | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Mower conditioners | 64 | 81 | 15 | 16 | 50 | 65 | 70 | 74 | 17 |
| Pickup balers | 70 | 79 | 10 | 12 | 61 | 67 | 83 | 86 | 14 |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type | 36 | 53 | 17 | 27 | 20 | 26 | 35 | 39 | 6 |

Table 8. Hired Farm Workers: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

| | Hired workers—All farms, 1978 | | | | | Any hired workers—Forms with sales of \$2,500 or more | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|----------------------------|---------|---|------|
| | Any | Working 150 days or more | | Working less than 150 days | | 1978 | 1974 |
| | | Farms | Workers | Farms | Workers | | |
| | Workers | 147 | 100 (X) | 239 | 98 (X) | 303 | 147 |
| Farms | 542 | 100 (X) | 239 | 98 (X) | 303 | 542 | 620 |
| Workers | 542 | 100 (X) | 239 | 98 (X) | 303 | 542 | 620 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | |
| 1 worker | 45 | 45 | 45 | — | 37 | 45 | 38 |
| 2 workers | 15 | 18 | 36 | 14 | 28 | 15 | 31 |
| 3 or 4 workers | 56 | 31 | 101 | 31 | 101 | 56 | 33 |
| 5 to 9 workers | 17 | 3 | (D) | 10 | 65 | 17 | 27 |
| 10 workers or more | 14 | 3 | (D) | 6 | 72 | 14 | 13 |

Table 9. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978 and 1974

| | All farms | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| | 1978 | | 1974 | | 1978 | | 1974 | |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | Farms | Number |
| LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock or poultry | 164 | (X) | 176 | (X) | 142 | (X) | 167 | (X) |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep | 116 | (X) | 134 | (X) | 103 | (X) | 129 | (X) |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock or poultry and their products \$1,000 | 157 | 11 459 | 168 | 11 949 | 140 | 11 438 | 161 | 11 945 |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep \$1,000 | 114 | 1 469 | 129 | (NA) | 102 | 1 456 | 126 | 1 244 |
| CATTLE AND CALVES | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 89 | 5 037 | 103 | 5 453 | 82 | 4 979 | 99 | 5 434 |
| Cows and heifers that had calved | 69 | 2 792 | 78 | 2 821 | 64 | 2 768 | 75 | 2 807 |
| Beef cows | 38 | 804 | 42 | 867 | 33 | 780 | 39 | 853 |
| Milk cows | 34 | 1 988 | 41 | 1 954 | 34 | 1 988 | 41 | 1 954 |
| Heifers and heifer calves | 57 | 1 522 | (NA) | (NA) | 54 | 1 514 | 67 | 1 455 |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls and bull calves | 69 | 723 | (NA) | (NA) | 63 | 697 | 78 | 1 172 |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 78 | 2 040 | 93 | 2 479 | 75 | 2 026 | 92 | (D) |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 565 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 560 | (X) | 535 |
| Calves | 48 | 901 | (NA) | (NA) | 46 | (D) | 46 | (D) |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 70 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 58 |
| Cattle | 68 | 1 139 | (NA) | (NA) | 65 | 1 130 | 83 | 1 417 |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 495 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 492 | (X) | 477 |
| Fattened cattle | 17 | 417 | (NA) | (NA) | 16 | (D) | 18 | 355 |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 179 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 139 |
| Dairy products | 27 | 2 508 | (NA) | (NA) | 27 | 2 508 | 38 | 1 823 |
| HOGS, SHEEP, GOATS, AND HORSES | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 56 | 7 519 | 66 | 6 253 | 49 | 7 453 | 65 | (D) |
| Used or to be used for breeding | 49 | 1 191 | (NA) | (NA) | 44 | 1 169 | 49 | (D) |
| Other hogs and pigs | 51 | 6 328 | (NA) | (NA) | 45 | 6 284 | 56 | (D) |
| Litters of pigs farrowed between — | | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 | 49 | 1 528 | 57 | 1 529 | 44 | 1 500 | 55 | (D) |
| Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 | 43 | 696 | 52 | 762 | 38 | 676 | 50 | (D) |
| June 1 and Nov. 30 | 41 | 832 | 46 | 767 | 38 | 824 | 45 | (D) |
| Sheep and lambs | 10 | 259 | 12 | 421 | 8 | (D) | 12 | 421 |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | 10 | 228 | (NA) | (NA) | 8 | (D) | 10 | 279 |
| Goats | 3 | 11 | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | — | — |
| Horses and ponies | 51 | 261 | 36 | 194 | 39 | 169 | 30 | 154 |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 58 | 10 981 | 72 | 12 746 | 51 | 10 822 | 70 | (D) |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 893 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 886 | (X) | 694 |
| Feeder pigs | 24 | 4 197 | 36 | 6 076 | 22 | (D) | 36 | 6 076 |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 212 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 154 |
| Sheep and lambs | 10 | 218 | 13 | 535 | 7 | 161 | 13 | 535 |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | 9 | 255 | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | (D) | 10 | 393 |
| Pounds of wool | 10 | 1 607 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 2 590 |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | (X) | 11 | (NA) | (NA) | 7 | 9 | 13 | 15 |
| Goats | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — |
| \$1,000 | (X) | — | (X) | (NA) | (X) | — | (X) | — |
| Horses and ponies | 11 | 31 | 9 | 35 | 6 | 14 | 7 | (D) |
| \$1,000 | (X) | 77 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | (D) | (X) | 191 |
| POULTRY | | | | | | | | |
| Inventory: | | | | | | | | |
| Any poultry | 63 | (X) | 61 | (X) | 56 | (X) | 59 | (X) |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 25 | 1 235 | 30 | 2 437 | 19 | 1 060 | 28 | (D) |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 25 | 1 235 | 29 | 1 972 | 19 | 1 060 | 27 | (D) |
| Pullets 3 months old or older | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 1 | (D) |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | — | — |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 31 | 1 095 000 | 29 | 1 133 842 | 31 | 1 095 000 | 29 | 1 133 842 |
| Turkeys | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 1 | (D) |
| Turkeys for slaughter | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 1 | (D) |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | 1 | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — |
| Other poultry | 11 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 7 | (X) | 10 | (X) |
| Sales: | | | | | | | | |
| Any poultry | 48 | (X) | 41 | (X) | 46 | (X) | 41 | (X) |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 4 | (D) | 8 | 35 367 | 3 | (D) | 8 | 35 367 |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 4 | (D) | 7 | 15 813 | 3 | (D) | 7 | (D) |
| Pullets 3 months old or older | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 1 | (D) |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | 2 | (D) |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 40 | 6 917 063 | 33 | 5 097 781 | 40 | 6 917 063 | 33 | 5 097 781 |
| Turkeys | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — |
| Turkeys for slaughter | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — |
| Turkey hens kept for breeding | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — | — |
| Other poultry | 4 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 3 | (X) | 2 | (X) |
| Poultry and poultry products | 50 | 7 405 | 44 | 8 687 | 48 | (D) | 43 | (D) |

Table 10. Crops: 1978 and 1974

| | All forms | | | | | | Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more | | | | | |
|--|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|------|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|-----------|-------|------|
| | Harvested | | | Irrigated | | | Harvested | | | Irrigated | | |
| | Farms | Acres | Quantity | Farms | Acres | | Farms | Acres | Quantity | Farms | Acres | |
| Corn for all purposes | 1978 | 233 | 37 268 | (X) | -- | -- | 222 | 37 211 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 255 | 35 610 | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 252 | 35 586 | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| For grain or seed (bushels) | 1978 | 232 | 36 391 | 3 869 917 | -- | -- | 221 | 36 334 | 3 865 888 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 252 | 34 462 | 3 410 966 | (NA) | (NA) | 249 | 34 438 | 3 409 042 | 1 | -- | (D) |
| For silage or green chop (tons, green) | 1978 | 26 | 877 | 14 771 | -- | -- | 26 | 877 | 14 771 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 29 | 1 126 | 19 027 | -- | -- | -- |
| For fodder, hogged or grazed | 1978 | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Sorghums for all purposes | 1978 | 5 | 81 | (X) | -- | -- | 5 | 81 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 4 | 280 | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 4 | 280 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| For grain or seed (bushels) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| For silage or green chop (tons, green) | 1978 | 5 | 81 | 782 | -- | -- | 5 | 81 | 782 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 3 | 235 | 2 554 | -- | -- | -- |
| Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Hogged or grazed | 1978 | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Wheat for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 117 | 5 460 | 191 073 | -- | -- | 113 | 5 382 | 189 864 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 187 | 10 806 | 390 406 | (NA) | (NA) | 182 | 10 724 | 389 206 | -- | -- | -- |
| Oats for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 6 | 30 | 1 221 | -- | -- | 4 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Barley for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 102 | 6 154 | 258 017 | -- | -- | 102 | 6 154 | 258 017 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 72 | 2 894 | 150 012 | -- | -- | -- |
| Rye for grain (bushels) | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | 1 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 9 | 168 | 3 556 | -- | -- | -- |
| Other small grains for grain | 1978 | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels) | 1978 | 249 | 40 497 | 1 310 627 | -- | -- | 232 | 40 341 | 1 307 300 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 275 | 39 526 | 1 195 105 | (NA) | (NA) | 267 | 39 441 | 1 193 079 | 1 | -- | (D) |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Cotton (bales) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Tobacco (pounds) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 3 | 8 | 853 | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| Sweetpotatoes (bushels) | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | 1 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Hay crops (tons, dry) (see text) | 1978 | 89 | 3 232 | 7 528 | -- | -- | 79 | 3 092 | 7 348 | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | 107 | 2 582 | 6 483 | (NA) | (NA) | 101 | 2 501 | 6 302 | -- | -- | -- |
| Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) | 1978 | 40 | 686 | 2 485 | -- | -- | 39 | (D) | (D) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 33 | 536 | 1 885 | -- | -- | -- |
| Other tame dry hay (tons, dry) (see text) | 1978 | 55 | 1 611 | 3 132 | -- | -- | 48 | 1 492 | 3 007 | -- | -- | -- |
| Field seed crops | 1978 | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 6 | 78 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Alfalfa seed (pounds) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Red clover seed (pounds) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 6 | 78 | 4 338 | -- | -- | -- |
| All vegetables harvested for sale (see text) | 1978 | 33 | 2 743 | (X) | 2 | (D) | 31 | (D) | (X) | 2 | -- | (D) |
| | 1974 | 38 | 1 538 | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 36 | (D) | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| Sweet corn | 1978 | 21 | 979 | (X) | 1 | (D) | 20 | (D) | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 24 | 688 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Tomatoes | 1978 | 11 | 307 | (X) | -- | -- | 10 | (D) | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 4 | 175 | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| Green peas excluding cowpeas | 1978 | 9 | 863 | (X) | 2 | (D) | 9 | 863 | (X) | 2 | -- | (D) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 12 | 673 | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Land in orchards | 1978 | 6 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) | 3 | (D) | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| | 1974 | 2 | (D) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (D) | (X) | 1 | -- | (D) |
| Apples (pounds) | 1978 | 4 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 3 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Peaches (pounds) | 1978 | 5 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | 3 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Grapes (pounds) (see text) | 1978 | 3 | 6 | 12 248 | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Berries | 1978 | 1 | (D) | (X) | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | (X) | -- | -- | -- |
| Strawberries (pounds) | 1978 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| | 1974 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 1978 | 7 | 86 | (X) | 4 | 46 | 6 | (D) | (X) | 4 | -- | 46 |
| | 1974 | -- | -- | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | -- | -- | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |