

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms number	404	550	283	334
Land in farms acres	72 909	92 285	62 024	72 072
Average size of farm acres	180	168	219	216
Approximate land area acres	453 312	453 312	453 312	453 312
Proportion in farms percent	16.1	20.4	13.7	15.9
Value of land and buildings \$,000	48 177	28 947	41 574	23 582
Average per farm dollars	119 250	52 630	146 905	70 605
Average per acre dollars	1 661	314	670	327
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres	33	31	13	9
10 to 49 acres	63	105	36	37
50 to 69 acres	22	31	9	19
70 to 99 acres	27	30	11	15
100 to 139 acres	47	95	36	38
140 to 179 acres	56	70	38	55
180 to 219 acres	38	39	28	29
220 to 259 acres	28	38	27	31
260 to 499 acres	65	84	61	76
500 to 999 acres	24	26	23	24
1,000 to 1,999 acres	-	1	-	1
2,000 acres and over	1	-	1	-
Other cropland farms			52	(NA)
acres			1 234	1 816
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured farms			20	16
acres			362	267
Cropland on which all crops failed farms			4	8
acres			29	70
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms			13	10
acres			352	503
Cropland idle farms			22	37
acres			491	976
Total woodland farms			213	260
acres			28 482	34 696
Woodland pastured farms			97	142
acres			7 105	11 631
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
1974 1969				
Total woodland farms			288	403
acres			34 166	47 783
Other land (see text) farms			292	354
acres			8 823	8 976
Irrigated land farms			23	16
acres			596	481
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland farms	395	527	278	326
acres	29 920	35 526	25 997	30 095
Harvested cropland farms	388	489	275	315
acres	20 937	22 483	19 144	20 007
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres	73	102	30	23
10 to 19 acres	56	74	22	160
20 to 29 acres	44	71	22	71
30 to 49 acres	63	83	53	53
50 to 99 acres	85	105	80	101
100 to 199 acres	58	41	58	41
200 to 499 acres	7	12	7	12
500 to 999 acres	2	1	2	1
1,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	191	286	131	186
acres	6 771	10 230	5 619	8 272
Other cropland (see text) farms	79	100	52	(NA)
acres	2 212	2 813	1 234	1 816
Total woodland farms	288	403	213	260
acres	34 166	47 783	28 482	34 696
Other land (see text) farms	292	354	206	(NA)
acres	8 823	8 976	7 545	7 281
Irrigated land farms	23	16	19	14
acres	596	481	565	473
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
1974 1969				
Total woodland farms			175	199
Woodland not pastured farms			21 377	23 065
Other land farms			206	(NA)
acres			7 545	7 281
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture farms			83	105
acres			5 100	5 042
Improved pastureland and rangeland farms			53	69
acres			2 325	2 498
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland farms			41	59
acres			2 775	2 544
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms			190	200
acres			2 445	2 239

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators number	404	550	283	334
Land in farms acres	72 909	92 285	62 024	72 072
Harvested cropland acres	20 937	22 483	19 144	20 007
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners number	198	312	109	133
Land in farms acres	27 191	40 427	18 431	21 948
Harvested cropland acres	5 248	6 979	4 070	4 845
Part owners number	178	213	150	187
Land in farms acres	41 066	49 925	39 002	48 396
Harvested cropland acres	13 854	14 855	13 298	14 559
Tenants number	28	25	24	14
Land in farms acres	4 652	1 933	4 591	1 728
Harvested cropland acres	1 835	649	1 776	603
Percent of tenancy	6.9	4.5	8.5	4.1
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure:				
All farm operators number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Full owners number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Tenants number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Percent of tenancy	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family number	(NA)	(NA)	239	293
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	48 553	60 487
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership number	(NA)	(NA)	24	36
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	7 425	9 602
Corporation number	(NA)	(NA)	19	5
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 460	1 983
Other number	(NA)	(NA)	1	-
acres	(NA)	(NA)	586	-
Farm operators by age group:				
Under 25 years	2	6	2	2
25 to 34 years	38	46	22	33
35 to 44 years	68	105	51	63
45 to 54 years	85	178	67	104
55 to 64 years	108	122	71	84
65 years and over	83	93	50	48
Average age	53.4	51.8	53.0	51.1
Farm operators by place of residence:				
On farm operated	314	479	213	302
On another farm	3	2	2	2
In a rural area, not on a farm	13	43	9	17
In a city, town, or urban area	13	-	11	-
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:				
None	158	(NA)	135	(NA)
1 to 49 days	26	42	17	31
50 to 99 days	14	18	11	14
100 to 149 days	4	2	2	2
150 to 199 days	20	55	12	35
200 days and over	109	185	40	50
Farm operators by principal occupation:				
Farming	252	(NA)	210	(NA)
Other	132	(NA)	53	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)

<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	
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>					<b>Specified products sold:</b>			
\$100,000 and over	27	55	27	55	Crops	150	(NA)	
\$40,000 to \$99,999	74		74		\$1,000	6 201	6 439	
\$20,000 to \$39,999	60	100	60	100	farms	7	6	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	52	88	52	88	\$1,000	23	5	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	35	36	35	farms	13	21	
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	50	32	49	\$1,000	3 441	4 604	
Under \$2,500 (see text)	123	222	2	7	farms	-	-	
\$2,000 to \$2,499	16	20	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-	
\$1,500 to \$1,999	14	26	(X)	(X)	farms	78	86	
\$1,000 to \$1,499	30	29	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	630	244	
Under \$1,000 (see text)	63	147	(X)	(X)	farms	22	36	
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold:</b>					<b>Other field crops</b>			
\$1,000	15 125	13 521	15 007	13 348	\$1,000	517	505	
Average per farm	37 438	24 583	53 030	39 964	farms	44	59	
<b>Crops, including hay</b>					<b>Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons</b>			
\$1,000	6 264	6 775	6 201	6 439	\$1,000	524	428	
farms	21		19	12	farms	23	29	
\$1,000	322		319	239	\$1,000	1 066	654	
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b>					<b>Fruits, nuts, and berries</b>			
farms	73	88	56	66	farms	201	253	
\$1,000	168	140	163	133	\$1,000	8 325	6 538	
<b>Forest products</b>					<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>			
farms	261	348	201	253	\$1,000	17	30	
\$1,000	8 372	6 606	8 325	6 538	farms	410	640	
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>					<b>Dairy products</b>			
farms	21	(NA)	17	30	\$1,000	140	197	
\$1,000	410	(NA)	410	640	farms	6 836	4 998	
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>					<b>Cattle and calves</b>			
farms	21	(NA)	17	30	\$1,000	189	(NA)	
\$1,000	410	(NA)	410	640	farms	1 052	847	
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b>					<b>Hogs and pigs</b>			
farms	15		15		\$1,000	5	(NA)	
\$1,000	20		20		farms	6	(NA)	
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b>					<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b>			
farms	1		1		\$1,000	3	52	
\$1,000	20		20		farms	1		

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		
<b>Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold<sup>1</sup></b>						
	144	(NA)	43	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	162
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	124	(NA)	84	(NA)	\$1,000	1 264
\$1,000	244	(NA)	194	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	22
farms	41	60	27	38	\$1,000	219
\$1,000	152	53	136	39	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	88
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b>						
farms	1	9	1	7	\$1,000	626
\$1,000	(Z)	27	(Z)	25	Interest, dividends, or royalties	120
<b>Recreational services</b>						
farms	53	144	44	115	\$1,000	298
\$1,000	27	56	25	46	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	26
<b>Government farm programs</b>						
farms	37	(NA)	19	(NA)	\$1,000	79
\$1,000	24	(NA)	11	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	19
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b>						
farms	23	(NA)	16	(NA)	farms	19
\$1,000	40	(NA)	22	(NA)	\$1,000	41
<b>Other farm-related sources</b>						
farms	29	(NA)	20	(NA)		
\$1,000	72	(NA)	49	(NA)		
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b>						

<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
<b>Total farm production expenses</b>									
farms	404	550	283	334	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	252	303	191	243
\$1,000	12 822	10 092	12 599	9 766	\$1,000	214	144	208	142
<b>Farms with -</b>									
\$1 to \$999	47	106	3	5	Commercial fertilizer purchased	296	428	227	292
\$1,000 to \$1,999	52	71	13	9	\$1,000	820	598	802	576
\$2,000 to \$2,999	27	31	9	11	<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b>				
\$3,000 to \$4,999	30	46	21	24	farms	206	(NA)	178	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	76	34	75	\$1,000	293	212	290	205
\$10,000 to \$19,999	67		67	109	farms	(NA)	174	75	127
\$20,000 to \$39,999	52		52	70	\$1,000	(NA)	55	76	51
\$40,000 to \$59,999	38		38	40	<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b>				
\$60,000 and over	46		46		farms	389	545	281	333
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	151	233	108	160	\$1,000	627	395	607	372
\$1,000	547	452	522	427	farms	(NA)	(NA)	279	333
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	287	378	211	262	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	315	221
\$1,000	3 107	1 962	3 059	1 927	farms	(NA)	(NA)	118	69
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b>									
farms	241	313	197	254	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	73	19
\$1,000	2 753	1 879	2 729	1 857	farms	(NA)	(NA)	22	36
<b>Feed ingredients</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	11	22	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	166	86
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	42	6	<b>LP gas, butane, and propane</b>				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	221	3	farms	219	359	191	277
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	62	\$1,000	3 241	2 685	3 330	2 608
farms	(NA)	(NA)	99	45	farms	15	220	11	17
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	33	107	32	42
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	(NA)	farms	122		93	149
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	91	(NA)	\$1,000	72		65	57
<b>All other production expenses</b>									
farms	381	483	283	333	\$1,000	381	483	283	333
\$1,000	3 768	3 537	3 591	3 411	farms	3 768	3 537	3 591	3 411

**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.....	394	542	281	332					
..... \$1,000.....	8 496	4 499	7 337	3 909					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	21 562	8 301	26 111	11 774					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	3	27	1	88					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	52	240	25						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	76	124	42	99					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	124	96	87	92					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	68		58	28					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	42	55	39	15					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	11		11						
\$70,000 and over.....	18		18	10					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	313	451	224	285					
..... number.....	422	617	305	395					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	230	343	171	226					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	347	437	262	298					
..... number.....	779	873	657	685					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	179	217	160	180					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	374	487	270	306					
..... number.....	896	1 146	739	789					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	155	243	151	181					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	65		54	66					
..... number.....	67		56	70					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	5					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	2		1						
..... number.....	2		1						
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	7	15	7	1					
..... number.....	7	16	7	1					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	6	1	1					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	10		3	10					
..... number.....	10		3	10					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	5					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	131	(NA)	114	(NA)					
..... number.....	136	(NA)	118	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	70	(NA)	65	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	209	252	165	187					
..... number.....	213	259	169	192					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	78	55	65					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	50	(NA)	36	52					
..... number.....	56	(NA)	42	57					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	(NA)	18	17					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	116	(NA)	104	103					
..... number.....	132	(NA)	120	110					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	53	(NA)	49	39					

**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.....	295	(X)	208	(X)	261	(X)	201	(X)	8 325
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	266	(X)	198	(X)	240	(X)	189	(X)	1 059
..... 1969.....	346	(X)	244	(X)	321	(X)	239	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	262	14 923	198	14 197	231	6 757	189	6 542	1 052
..... 1969.....	332	14 258	238	13 620	306	8 039	236	7 727	847
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	28	82	15	39	35	73	15	33	9
5 to 9..... 1974.....	17	103	3	19	33	214	16	106	28
10 to 19..... 1974.....	38	503	12	161	52	737	48	690	119
20 to 49..... 1974.....	70	2 378	59	2 121	79	2 372	78	2 352	328
50 to 99..... 1974.....	76	5 407	76	5 407	19	1 182	19	1 182	168
100 to 199..... 1974.....	21	2 929	21	2 929	10	1 391	10	1 391	204
200 to 499..... 1974.....	11	(D)	11	(D)	3	788	3	788	196
500 and over..... 1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	226	8 087	175	7 855	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	285	8 275	220	8 070	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	84	691	47	524	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	582	47	445	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	177	7 396	151	7 331	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	232	7 693	200	7 625	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	140	(X)	6 836
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	197	(X)	4 998
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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.....	84	691	47	524	Cattle sold.....	179	2 537	803	
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 to 4.....	53	107	29	64	1 to 4.....	48	138	42	
5 to 9.....	14	85	7	44	5 to 9.....	51	332	106	
10 to 19.....	8	95	3	33	10 to 19.....	45	593	186	
20 to 49.....	6	153	5	132	20 to 49.....	26	747	228	
50 to 99.....	3	251	3	251	50 to 99.....	7	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....					100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....					200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....					500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	177	7 396	151	7 331	Calves sold.....	149	4 005	249	
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 or 2.....	26	39	8	11	1 or 2.....	9	12	1	
3 or 4.....	7	23	1	3	3 or 4.....	6	22	2	
5 to 9.....	5	29	4	22	5 to 9.....	20	143	5	
10 to 19.....	19	285	18	275	10 to 19.....	50	677	26	
20 to 49.....	74	2 498	74	2 498	20 to 49.....	48	1 357	47	
50 to 99.....	33	2 094	33	2 094	50 to 99.....	10	743	18	
100 to 199.....	10	1 478	10	1 478	100 to 199.....	4	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	3	950	3	950	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....					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 .....	165	4 921	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	20	259	86
1969 .....	219	5 004	1969 .....	3	12	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	54	680	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	145	4 241	1 to 9 .....	11	44	18
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	138	1 421	10 to 19 .....	5	71	23
1969 .....	146	546	20 to 49 .....	4	144	46
			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 .....	29	246	13	86	14	153	5	58	6
1969 .....	28	628	21	586	12	962	6	954	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	19	42	9	20	5	9	2	3	(2)
5 to 9 .....	1	8	1	8	4	27	2	15	1
10 to 24 .....	6	98	2	31	3	47	—	—	—
25 to 49 .....	3	98	1	27	2	70	1	40	5
50 to 99 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	58	—	—	—
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	19	294	8	68	9	91	3	37	(NA)
1969 .....	25	628	12	230	27	635	8	153	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	48	342
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	(X)	1
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	67	345	37	236	15	24	10	17	19
1969 .....	117	538	(NA)	(NA)	22	70	(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 .....	2	6	11	40	3	7	
1969 .....	3	4	3	5	3	5	
Other hogs and pigs .....	12	80	8	16	1	1	
1969 .....	20	582	1	2	1	2	
Lambs under 1 year old .....	5	16	8	24	2	6	
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	6	47	2	3	2	3	
Rams and wethers .....	5	5	2	3	2	3	

<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 .....	41	(X)	24	(X)	15	(X)	13	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	44	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	36	37 255	21	36 903	11	25 768	10	25 723
1969 .....	66	60 111	42	59 375	32	116 669	27	115 227
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	36	34 316	21	33 991	11	25 483	10	25 438
1969 .....	58	45 994	38	45 396	25	46 714	21	46 403
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	26	655	11	330	4	133	3	88
100 to 399 .....	5	911	5	911	2	350	2	350
400 to 1,599 .....	1	500	1	500	1	600	1	600
1,600 to 3,199 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
10,000 to 19,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	4	122	1	50	3	2 211	2	2 176
1969 .....	1	150	1	150	2	200	2	200
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	410	17	410
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	30	640

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	21	33 991	10	25 438	Turkeys .....	2	518	3	6 118
1974.....	21	33 991	10	25 438	1969.....	1	1 400	2	(D)
1969.....	38	45 396	21	46 403	Turkeys for slaughter .....	2	518	3	6 118
Hens for table or market egg production .....	20	32 841	9	24 438	Heavy breed.....	2	518	3	6 118
Hens for hatching egg production .....	2	1 150	2	1 000	Light breed.....	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older .....	2	2 806	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding .....	-	-	-	-
1974.....	2	2 806	-	-	1974.....	-	-	-	-
1969.....	3	10 944	3	49 000	1969.....	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding .....	3	106	2	285	Other poultry .....	4	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	1	2 800	1	1 000	1974.....	4	(X)	1	(X)
1974.....	1	2 800	1	1 000	1969.....	5	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes .....	174	186	5 310	4 596	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes .....	5	4	39	31	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels) .....	-	4	-	89	-	2 027
Other small grains for grain .....	8	10	58	82	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds) .....	14	21	634	950	1 008 771	1 092 641
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	31	(NA)	694	(NA)	173 840	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels) .....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	297	379	13 238	13 610	29 667	31 410
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	69	85	765	850	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards .....	29	34	850	1 045	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale .....	19	17	272	82	(X)	(X)
Other crops .....	25	(NA)	141	166	(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) .....	11	10	331	161	34 620	11 186	-	1
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	136	151	4 793	4 141	85 452	81 395	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed .....	4	4	34	129	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. ....	3	(NA)	12	11	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	82	130	2 467	3 675	7 087	11 224	-	-

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 .....	131	5 619	(X)	-	-	51	1 105	51	242	-	-
1974.....	131	5 619	(X)	-	-	51	1 105	51	242	-	-
1969.....	186	8 272	(X)	-	-	97	2 284	95	599	2	13
Improved pasture .....	53	2 325	(X)	-	-	27	694	27	136	-	-
1974.....	53	2 325	(X)	-	-	27	694	27	136	-	-
1969.....	69	2 498	(X)	-	-	44	1 051	44	172	-	-
Corn for all purposes .....	148	5 158	(X)	-	-	136	4 916	130	1 684	16	192
1974.....	148	5 158	(X)	-	-	136	4 916	130	1 684	16	192
1969.....	159	4 431	(X)	1	1	141	3 961	135	1 276	11	175
Sorghums for all purposes .....	3	12	(X)	-	-	2	7	2	3	-	-
1974.....	3	12	(X)	-	-	2	7	2	3	-	-
1969.....	2	11	(X)	-	-	1	6	1	2	-	-
Wheat (bushels) .....	4	89	2 027	-	-	3	68	(NA)	18	(NA)	-
1974.....	4	89	2 027	-	-	3	68	(NA)	18	(NA)	-
1969.....	2	24	1 200	-	-	2	24	2	3	-	-
Oats (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels) .....	4	24	625	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974.....	4	24	625	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	5	61	986	-	-	3	41	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels) .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	212	11 712	27 340	-	-	93	3 887	92	777	4	34
1974.....	212	11 712	27 340	-	-	93	3 887	92	777	4	34
1969.....	238	11 475	28 050	-	-	134	6 041	133	1 260	4	31
Field seed crops .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds) .....	13	632	1 005 756	9	432	13	632	13	1 459	-	-
1974.....	13	632	1 005 756	9	432	13	632	13	1 459	-	-
1969.....	21	950	1 092 641	3	67	21	950	(NA)	1 851	(NA)	10
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	27	691	173 232	-	-	22	682	22	687	2	7
1974.....	27	691	173 232	-	-	22	682	22	687	2	7
1969.....	36	1 238	224 965	2	183	33	1 236	(NA)	1 307	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	46	714	(X)	7	117	43	705	43	466	3	24
1974.....	46	714	(X)	7	117	43	705	43	466	3	24
1969.....	57	778	(X)	7	149	56	772	56	458	2	(Z)
Land in orchards .....	19	822	(X)	1	2	12	754	12	137	1	1
1974.....	19	822	(X)	1	2	12	754	12	137	1	1
1969.....	24	999	(X)	-	-	22	957	22	137	-	-

**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 .....	11	265	(X)	1	1	5	106	5	3	-	-
1969 .....	11	78	(X)	1	4	9	47	9	7	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	19	134	(X)	4	13	14	104	14	33	4	12
1969 .....	12	140	(X)	4	66	10	120	10	36	2	(2)
Other crops .....	1	1	(X)	-	-	1	1	1	(2)	-	-

**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 231	farms 298	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms 29	farms 34
\$1,000 .....	1 093	781	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	1 625	1 158
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms 227	farms 275	acres on which used .....	41	26
acres on which used .....	13 624	17 545	Weeds or grass in crops .....	farms 112	farms 132
tons .....	5 900	7 342	acres on which used .....	5 493	4 278
\$1,000 .....	802	576	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	farms 46	farms 32
Lime .....	farms 75	farms 127	acres on which used .....	-	4
acres on which used .....	3 204	3 256	acres on which used .....	-	71
tons .....	4 466	4 856	Weeds on all other land .....	farms 3	(NA)
\$1,000 .....	76	51	acres on which used .....	6	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms 6	farms 7	\$1,000 .....	(2)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	acres on which used 198	249	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms 7	farms 9
\$1,000 .....	1	2	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	322	425
Insects on other crops .....	farms 52	farms 79	acres on which used .....	\$1,000 2	\$1,000 1
acres on which used .....	1 977	3 544	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	farms 35	farms 77
\$1,000 .....	63	84	\$1,000 .....	3	3
Nematodes in crops .....	farms 9	farms 4	Other chemicals (see text) .....	farms 24	(NA)
acres on which used .....	655	88	\$1,000 .....	4	(NA)
\$1,000 .....	55	4			

**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 19	farms 14	Land irrigated by— Continued		
Proportion of farms .....	percent 6.7	percent 4.1	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	farms 10	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	acres 565	acres 473	acres 435	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm .....	acres 29.7	acres 33.7	Other sprinkler systems .....	farms 7	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	farms 19	farms 14	acres 118	(NA)	(NA)
acres 565	acres 473	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres 2 590	1 832	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms 19	farms 14	Cropland .....	acres 1 453	1 209
acres 565	acres 470	Harvested cropland .....	acres 1 137	1 118	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	farms -	farms -	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
acres -	acres -	between 1970 and 1973 .....	farms -	(X)	
Other cropland irrigated .....	farms -	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms -	acres 3	Farms with artificial drainage .....	farms 47	farms 85
acres -	acres -	Proportion of farms .....	percent 16.6	percent 25.4	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	acre-feet 145	acre-feet 275	Land in farms with drainage .....	acres 12 956	20 926
Average per acre irrigated .....	acre-feet 0.3	acre-feet 0.6	Land drained .....	acres 742	1 855
Land irrigated by—			Average per farm .....	acres 15.8	21.8
Furrows or ditches .....	farms 1	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
acres 9	(NA)	tanks .....	farms 62	(NA)	
			number 137	(NA)	
			acres 61	(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) .....	farms 108	farms 85	farms 67
\$1,000 .....	4 081	2 598	1 484
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000 .....	22	23	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	23	13	10
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	25	23	22
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	15	7
\$50,000 and over .....	21	11	8

**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—										
150 days or more .....	91	89	394	1 379	1 657	2 608	191	91	93	114
25 to 149 days .....	93	243	1 147	2 163	1 200		3 330	1 657	1 200	473
Less than 25 days .....	114	17	3 439	(NA)	473		4 980	394	1 147	4 339
Total contract labor .....	11				32					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	3	(NA)	21	(NA)	18	(NA)				
Farms .....										
Cash wages paid — \$1,000 .....										
Number of workers .....										
Farms with—										
1 worker .....										
2 workers .....										
3 or 4 workers .....										
5 to 9 workers .....										
10 workers and over .....										