

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.....	790	1 099	523	536	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	140 645	174 047	122 365	128 523	Total cropland..... farms.....	772	1 058	511	530
Average size of farm..... acres.....	178	158	234	240	..... acres.....	99 736	119 832	89 010	92 874
Approximate land area..... acres.....	366 080	366 080	366 080	366 080	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	746	951	500	517
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	38.4	47.5	33.4	35.1	..... acres.....	76 999	71 810	71 372	62 762
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000.....	123 718	82 696	102 318	58 017	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	156 605	75 246	195 637	108 240	1 to 9 acres.....	64	116	16	} 136
Average per acre..... dollars.....	880	475	836	451	10 to 19 acres.....	91	170	20	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	103	102	40	
1 to 9 acres.....	18	21	12	4	30 to 49 acres.....	122	153	77	
10 to 49 acres.....	158	229	52	21	50 to 99 acres.....	150	155	131	
50 to 69 acres.....	82	87	32	15	100 to 199 acres.....	97	165	97	163
70 to 99 acres.....	95	140	44	49	200 to 499 acres.....	99	84	99	84
100 to 139 acres.....	106	146	75	61	500 to 999 acres.....	18	6	18	6
140 to 179 acres.....	74	115	60	74	1,000 acres and over.....	2	-	2	-
180 to 219 acres.....	47	88	44	62	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	412	567	271	302
220 to 259 acres.....	42	83	39	72	..... acres.....	12 135	16 496	9 257	11 069
260 to 499 acres.....	111	157	108	145	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	347	718	246	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	51	28	51	28	..... acres.....	10 602	31 526	8 381	19 043
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	5	5	5	5	Total woodland..... farms.....	482	737	338	412
2,000 acres and over.....	1	-	1	-	..... acres.....	16 931	21 125	13 914	14 959
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	678	944	461	(NA)
					..... acres.....	23 978	33 090	19 441	20 690
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	27	22	20	18
					..... acres.....	893	702	855	684
					Total woodland — Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			286	352
					..... acres.....			10 782	11 674
					Other land..... farms.....			461	(NA)
					..... acres.....			19 441	20 690
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			134	145
					..... acres.....			6 286	6 069
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			25	38
					..... acres.....			910	1 293
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			113	117
					..... acres.....			5 376	4 776
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			443	454
					..... acres.....			13 155	14 621

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.....	790	1 099	523	536	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	140 645	174 047	122 365	128 523	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	48	74
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	76 999	71 810	71 372	62 762	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	18 619	23 359
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	10	4
Full owners..... number.....	500	845	281	336	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	6 220	2 872
Land in farms..... acres.....	57 149	108 480	42 765	67 131	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	23 620	36 239	19 775	28 274	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	150
Part owners..... number.....	255	210	216	170	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	73 762	57 644	70 208	54 252	Under 25 years.....	7	13	5	12
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	46 631	31 370	45 048	30 504	25 to 34 years.....	77	128	41	50
Tenants..... number.....	35	44	26	30	35 to 44 years.....	181	221	113	118
Land in farms..... acres.....	9 734	7 923	9 392	7 140	45 to 54 years.....	180	310	124	153
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	6 748	4 201	6 549	3 984	55 to 64 years.....	219	253	160	136
Percent of tenancy.....	4.4	4.0	5.0	5.5	65 years and over.....	115	174	70	67
					Average age.....	51.2	50.5	51.6	49.8
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	651	925	436	482
All farm operators..... number.....	3	(NA)	-	-	On another farm.....	16	-	6	-
Land in farms..... acres.....	61	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	18	99	12	27
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	22	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	22	-	11	-
Full owners..... number.....	3	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	61	(NA)	-	-	None.....	247	(NA)	189	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	22	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days.....	40	62	28	42
Part owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days.....	18	25	13	18
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days.....	35	87	29	41
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	41	-	22	-
Tenants..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	316	514	160	157
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	357	(NA)	311	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	422	(NA)	202	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	465	456	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	25	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	97 526	102 142					

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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	30	69	30	69	Crops	427	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	88		87	69	-- farms	3 949	1 698
\$20,000 to \$39,999	66	105	66	105	-- \$1,000	365	360
					-- farms	2 911	853
\$10,000 to \$19,999	91	94	91	94	Grains	--	--
\$5,000 to \$9,999	119	119	119	119	-- \$1,000	--	--
\$2,500 to \$4,999	114	124	114	124	-- farms	--	--
					Tobacco	--	--
Under \$2,500 (see text)	282	588	16	25	-- farms	--	--
\$2,000 to \$2,499	47	42	(X)	(X)	Cotton and cottonseed	--	--
\$1,500 to \$1,999	44	57	(X)	(X)	-- \$1,000	--	--
\$1,000 to \$1,499	78	91	(X)	(X)	-- farms	219	228
Under \$1,000 (see text)	113	398	(X)	(X)	-- \$1,000	648	470
					Other field crops	--	--
					-- \$1,000	1	7
					-- farms	2	19
Market value of agricultural products sold:					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	19	23
\$1,000	15 458	11 228	15 081	10 799	-- \$1,000	308	185
Average per farm	19 567	10 216	28 835	20 148	-- farms	11	17
					-- \$1,000	80	171
Crops, including hay	622	797	427	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	382	446
-- farms	4 135	2 855	3 949	1 698	-- \$1,000	9 809	8 127
-- \$1,000	33		25	20	-- farms	27	25
Nursery and greenhouse products	1 375		1 299	923	-- \$1,000	29	21
-- farms					-- farms	140	221
-- \$1,000					Dairy products	6 236	5 343
Forest products	14	26	9	19	-- \$1,000	334	(NA)
-- farms	26	57	24	51	-- farms	3 011	2 290
-- \$1,000					Hogs and pigs	61	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	520	710	382	446	-- \$1,000	296	473
-- farms	9 922	8 317	9 809	8 127	-- farms	36	
-- \$1,000					-- \$1,000	109	
Poultry and poultry products	50	(NA)	27	25	Other livestock and livestock products	40	
-- farms	34	(NA)	29	21	-- farms	128	
-- \$1,000					-- \$1,000		

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969			
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	423	(NA)	194	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	370
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	186	(NA)	138	(NA)	-- \$1,000	farms	4 209
-- farms	477	(NA)	438	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related	farms	64
-- \$1,000	83	80	70	69	-- \$1,000	farms	800
Customwork and other agricultural services	310	129	300	121	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	237
Recreational services	23	23	14	11	-- \$1,000	farms	2 827
-- farms	7	18	3	15	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	172
-- \$1,000	54	524	38	276	-- \$1,000	farms	332
Government farm programs	44	604	28	425	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	66
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	47	(NA)	34	(NA)	-- \$1,000	farms	210
-- farms	34	(NA)	27	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	33
-- \$1,000	15	(NA)	13	(NA)	-- \$1,000	farms	40
Other farm-related sources	81	(NA)	79	(NA)			
-- farms	68	(NA)	47	(NA)			
-- \$1,000	194	(NA)	166	(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	788	1 099	523	536	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	583	692	429	452
-- farms	12 921	9 466	12 452	8 714	-- \$1,000	560	254	540	233
Farms with --					-- farms	574	721	429	469
\$1 to \$999	117	267	12	22	-- \$1,000	1 395	571	1 359	530
\$1,000 to \$1,999	106	201	20		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	392	(NA)	322	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	71	95	27	25	-- farms	321	189	314	180
\$3,000 to \$4,999	111	124	89	91	-- \$1,000	(NA)	88	43	60
\$5,000 to \$9,999	149	176	142	162	-- farms	(NA)	28	27	26
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92		92	119	Lime				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	49		49	72	-- \$1,000				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	37	236	36		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	763	1 071	510	533
\$60,000 and over	56		56	45	-- farms	813	522	761	441
Livestock and poultry purchased	305	492	185	269	-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	484	524
-- farms	1 409	1 302	1 360	1 233	-- farms	(NA)	(NA)	460	325
-- \$1,000					-- farms	(NA)	(NA)	222	217
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	501	731	333	407	-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	200	61
-- farms	1 641	1 006	1 580	926	-- farms	(NA)	(NA)	39	74
-- \$1,000					-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	11
Commercially mixed formula feeds	350	403	253	270	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	510	533
-- \$1,000	973	454	948	428	-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	45
-- farms	(NA)	(NA)	116	152	Hired farm labor	245	394	195	306
-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	330	199	-- \$1,000	1 110	985	1 072	962
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	72	138	-- farms	26	435	24	18
-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	234	247	-- farms	30	229	23	11
-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	55	90	Machine hire and customwork	305		225	275
-- \$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	52	-- \$1,000	217		205	193
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	255	(NA)	-- farms	731	922	517	534
-- farms	(NA)	(NA)	176	(NA)	-- \$1,000	5 425	4 409	5 060	4 004

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					Grain and bean combines, self-propelled				
farms	759	1 065	502	531	farms	120	127	108	93
\$1,000	16 665	10 914	14 512	8 265	number	125	130	113	96
dollars	21 956	10 247	28 909	15 565	mfd in last 5 years, number	39	45	39	36
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines				
\$1 to \$999	5	23	2	111	farms	77	367	71	44
\$1,000 to \$4,999	121	439	42		number	84	393	78	46
\$5,000 to \$9,999	185	258	82	145	mfd in last 5 years, number	31	135	31	21
\$10,000 to \$19,999	173	175	122	124	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	108		91	61	farms	276		224	253
\$30,000 to \$49,999	83	170	80	62	number	289		233	263
\$50,000 to \$69,999	42		41	28	mfd in last 5 years, number	55		53	94
\$70,000 and over	42		42		Mower conditioners				
					farms	274	(NA)	220	(NA)
					number	281	(NA)	227	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number	88	(NA)	76	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers				
Automobiles	600	869	414	466	farms	381	457	303	342
number	836	1 173	585	660	number	387	465	307	350
mfd in last 5 years, number	566	891	406	490	mfd in last 5 years, number	99	192	90	155
Motor trucks, including pickups	597	767	422	457	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled				
number	863	978	654	643	farms	117	(NA)	104	115
mfd in last 5 years, number	421	563	332	347	number	123	(NA)	110	117
Wheel tractors	716	964	481	506	mfd in last 5 years, number	56	(NA)	50	85
number	1 756	2 173	1 370	1 436	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type				
mfd in last 5 years, number	297	633	277	411	farms	177	(NA)	163	161
Crawler tractors	49		37	42	number	198	(NA)	183	168
number	58		45	55	mfd in last 5 years, number	61	(NA)	57	87
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	16					

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	582	(X)	397	(X)	520	(X)	382	(X)	9 809
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	511	(X)	363	(X)	477	(X)	362	(X)	3 416
1969	701	(X)	431	(X)	639	(X)	433	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	466	25 370	342	23 842	425	10 495	334	9 971	3 011
1969	608	27 660	391	25 556	538	13 050	395	12 217	2 290
Farms with—									
1 to 4	53	148	22	55	90	213	51	133	39
5 to 9	51	360	18	117	102	697	64	455	128
10 to 19	88	1 256	52	726	102	1 333	89	1 167	283
20 to 49	127	3 959	103	3 297	90	2 777	89	2 741	605
50 to 99	72	5 087	72	5 087	25	1 531	25	1 531	452
100 to 199	55	7 786	55	7 786	11	1 791	11	1 791	568
200 to 499	17	4 670	17	4 670	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
500 and over	3	2 104	3	2 104	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved									
1974	367	10 812	278	10 147	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	434	12 456	317	11 884	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	219	3 404	146	2 853	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	2 948	122	2 508	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	189	7 408	165	7 294	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	282	9 508	238	9 376	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold									
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	140	(X)	6 236
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	221	(X)	5 343
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	219	3 404	146	2 853	Cattle sold	292	6 994	2 855	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	54	140	28	68	1 to 4	77	195	68	
5 to 9	72	472	43	269	5 to 9	77	537	184	
10 to 19	55	722	41	545	10 to 19	69	914	326	
20 to 49	29	883	25	784	20 to 49	43	1 351	512	
50 to 99	4	227	4	227	50 to 99	15	908	355	
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)	100 to 199	7	1 136	592	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	189	7 408	165	7 294	Calves sold	181	2 977	156	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	31	40	16	21	1 or 2	24	35	3	
3 or 4	5	17	3	11	3 or 4	20	70	6	
5 to 9	12	75	9	50	5 to 9	35	224	15	
10 to 19	26	376	22	312	10 to 19	46	602	38	
20 to 49	57	1 950	57	1 950	20 to 49	48	1 325	57	
50 to 99	47	3 259	47	3 259	50 to 99	5	315	26	
100 to 199	8	975	8	975	100 to 199	3	406	11	
200 to 499	3	716	3	716	200 to 499	—	—	—	
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	242	6 514	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	95	4 112	1 768
1969	324	8 040	1969	84	2 910	(NA)
Beef heifers	128	1 762	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	136	4 752	1 to 9	42	181	68
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	285	7 181	10 to 19	23	289	110
1969	329	5 632	20 to 49	13	436	181
			50 to 99	9	539	218
			100 to 199	4	714	373
			200 to 499	3	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

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	115	3 954	76	3 626	86	4 427	61	4 227	296
1969	160	5 812	88	5 085	135	8 240	89	7 593	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	47	119	26	65	21	41	12	21	2
5 to 9	17	113	11	73	15	97	8	50	3
10 to 24	22	324	14	199	23	336	14	203	14
25 to 49	12	362	8	253	12	403	12	403	27
50 to 99	9	686	9	686	7	557	7	557	36
100 to 199	5	676	5	676	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	671	22	612	13
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	2 105	23	1 914	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	63	3 906	36	3 268	56	3 593	36	2 790	(NA)
1969	129	7 497	61	5 584	112	4 972	56	4 119	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	33	3 011	123 486
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	(X)	109
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	2	11	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(Z)
1969	(NA)	(NA)	10	16	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
Horses and ponies	191	1 160	111	824	38	117	29	99	92
1969	302	1 426	(NA)	(NA)	57	192	(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	42	445	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	57	744	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	59	1 133	45	1 089
Other hogs and pigs	74	3 181	1969	86	975	62	896
1969	82	4 341	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	45	455	35	436
Lambs under 1 year old	30	1 393	1969	60	445	48	418
Ewes 1 year old or older	35	1 801	1974	38	678	30	653
Rams and wethers	31	74	June 1 and November 30	82	530	61	478
1974			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	126	(X)	64	(X)	29	(X)	15	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	60	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	123	7 205	61	4 506	24	2 027	12	1 547
1969	149	10 550	54	5 416	24	12 006	14	1 550
Hens and pullets of laying age	120	6 802	61	4 239	22	1 998	12	1 522
1969	140	8 721	51	4 253	21	11 256	13	1 200
Farms with—								
1 to 99	99	2 492	48	1 359	15	474	7	348
100 to 399	18	2 910	10	1 480	6	1 049	4	699
400 to 1,599	3	1 400	3	1 400	1	475	1	475
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	18	895	11	472	6	605	3	190
1969	7	131	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	50	34	27	29
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	25	21

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..	61	4 239	12	1 522	Turkeys.....	1974..	1	5	-	-
	1969..	51	4 253	13	1 200		1969..	3	30	1	12
Hens for table or market egg production.....	1974..	59	4 194	12	1 522	Turkeys for slaughter.....	1974..	1	5	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....	1974..	3	45	-	-	Heavy breed.....	1974..	-	-	-	-
						Light breed.....	1974..	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	1974..	2	210	1	25	Turkey hens for breeding.....	1974..	2	5	-	-
	1969..	6	516	1	50		1969..	7	(X)	-	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	1974..	17	57	-	-	Other poultry.....	1974..	20	(X)	6	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	1974..	1	25	1	25		1969..	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	513	538	36 420	27 479	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	18	6	297	139	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	24	23	509	723	8 558	16 108
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	336	365	9 460	6 418	349 894	233 206
Other small grains for grain.....	219	319	4 162	5 688	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	19	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	527	684	25 329	29 181	59 845	77 040
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	36	36	420	475	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	29	40	321	763	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	9	12	25	19	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	82	(NA)	1 764	2 324	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	375	380	25 440	17 892	1 363 553	1 387 438	2	1	115	60
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	199	241	9 382	7 579	84 064	91 269	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	11	16	224	290	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	2	-	6	-	240	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	15	(NA)	287	67	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	322	361	14 538	17 001	39 829	52 483	-	-	-	-

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Cropland used only for pasture.....	1974..	271	9 257	(X)	-	-	11	189	11	18	-	-
	1969..	302	11 069	(X)	-	-	28	809	28	124	-	-
Improved pasture.....	1974..	25	910	(X)	-	-	3	75	3	19	-	-
	1969..	38	1 293	(X)	-	-	4	43	4	17	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....	1974..	398	35 046	(X)	2	115	344	31 591	339	4 573	73	478
	1969..	396	25 761	(X)	1	60	336	22 386	334	3 352	91	516
Sorghums for all purposes.....	1974..	17	293	(X)	-	-	11	220	10	28	1	1
	1969..	4	67	(X)	-	-	3	62	3	11	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	1974..	290	8 887	332 967	-	-	218	7 307	216	949	5	17
	1969..	251	5 208	191 846	3	52	205	4 282	(NA)	583	(NA)	28
Oats (bushels).....	1974..	175	3 747	188 620	-	-	123	2 766	121	292	2	4
	1969..	227	4 333	215 656	-	-	186	3 480	(NA)	431	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels).....	1974..	2	22	650	-	-	1	17	1	2	-	-
	1969..	4	48	1 880	-	-	4	48	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....	1974..	9	80	2 255	-	-	4	28	4	2	-	-
	1969..	31	412	14 081	-	-	15	222	(NA)	23	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....	1974..	2	14	(X)	-	-	1	13	1	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1974..	15	389	7 179	-	-	13	337	13	43	1	4
	1969..	20	676	15 108	-	-	19	663	(NA)	47	(NA)	18
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	1974..	372	22 141	55 290	-	-	66	4 650	64	519	3	6
	1969..	405	24 097	66 530	-	-	81	4 002	80	543	2	9
Field seed crops.....	1974..	38	563	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	45	836	(X)	-	-	2	24	2	3	-	-
Cotton (bales).....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1974..	1	(Z)	19	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969..	3	23	4 031	-	-	2	23	(NA)	22	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	1974..	19	396	(X)	9	129	15	322	15	156	-	-
	1969..	23	443	(X)	7	63	18	428	18	112	1	2
Land in orchards.....	1974..	10	200	(X)	1	7	1	50	1	5	-	-
	1969..	17	671	(X)	2	30	15	475	14	30	1	4

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	5	21	(X)	2	7	2	11	2	2	-	-
1969	3	14	(X)	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	25	834	(X)	11	596	11	686	11	695	1	(Z)
1969	20	1 151	(X)	4	360	11	1 022	11	652	-	-
Other crops	10	319	(X)	-	-	7	214	7	23	2	20

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	443	1 674	482	710	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
Commercial fertilizer	429	48 488	440	6 574	Diseases in crops and orchards	10	605	20	734
Lime	1 359	7 857	530	6 574	acres on which used	16	232	10	285
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	43	1 729	60	4 656	Weeds or gross in crops	29 609	21 059	285	91
Insects on hay crops	54	2 607	65	2 617	acres on which used	187	91	10	10
Insects on other crops	87	7 588	98	3 974	Weeds or brush in pasture	1	10	318	1
Nematodes in crops	54	54	24	54	acres on which used	(Z)	1	(NA)	1
	-	-	6	-	Weeds on all other land	14	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	141	1	acres on which used	87	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	1	-	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	9	338	9
	-	-	-	-	acres on which used	274	3	132	9
	-	-	-	-	of crops or thinning of fruit	3	48	6	9
	-	-	-	-	acres on which used	48	57	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	of crops or thinning of fruit	6	8	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	acres on which used	57	8	(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	20	855	18	684	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	3.8	42.8	3.3	38.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	10	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	855	20	684	18	Other sprinkler systems	17	791	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	855	20	684	18	Land in irrigated farms	5 492	4 072	2 634	1 717
Harvested cropland irrigated	855	20	684	18	Cropland	3 550	2 634	2 406	1 717
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	-	-	-	Harvested cropland	2 406	1 717	-	-
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	(NA)	115	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	1	30	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	acres irrigated in most recent year	30	242	45.1	65 297
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	640	0.7	646	0.9	Farms with artificial drainage	131	25.0	39 175	25 443
Land irrigated by—					Proportion of farms	25.0	105.1	61	78
Furrows or ditches	2	54	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	15 945	121.7	78	99
	-	-	-	-	Land drained	121.7	61	78	99
	-	-	-	-	Average per farm	121.7	61	78	99
	-	-	-	-	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	61	78	99	(NA)

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)			217	8 701	167	6 174	121	2 527
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			38		22		39	
\$5,000 to \$9,999			28		17		30	
\$10,000 to \$29,999			61		55		31	
\$30,000 to \$49,999			25		30		8	
\$50,000 and over			65		43		13	

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—							195	77	68	114
150 days or more	77	72	181	154	827	962	1 072	827	185	60
25 to 149 days	68	280	191	1 051	185	60	868	181	191	496
Less than 25 days	114	18	496	(NA)	60	23				
Total contract labor	24		(NA)	(NA)	23	11				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	26	(NA)	14	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	77		33	34	48					
2 workers	34		24	11	18					
3 or 4 workers	35		12	15	28					
5 to 9 workers	35		6	6	11					
10 workers and over	14		2	2	9					