

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use				
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	
All farms..... number	302	389	151	163	Total cropland..... farms.....	238	328	129	145
Land in farms..... acres	135 984	190 326	114 962	164 059	..... acres.....	54 676	67 081	48 389	58 961
Average size of farm..... acres	450	489	761	1 006	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	164	214	117	119
					..... acres.....	31 857	31 726	31 276	30 725
Approximate land area..... acres	371 840	371 840	371 840	371 840	Farms by acres harvested:				
Proportion in farms..... percent	36.6	51.2	30.9	44.1	1 to 9 acres.....	35	62	7	
					10 to 19 acres.....	28	41	17	} 47
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000...	42 816	34 130	34 911	27 885	20 to 29 acres.....	11	18	8	
Average per farm..... dollars	141 775	87 738	231 200	171 072	30 to 49 acres.....	25	18	22	
Average per acre..... dollars	315	179	304	170	50 to 99 acres.....	20	34	18		31
Farms by size:					100 to 199 acres.....	16	13	16	13
1 to 9 acres.....	31	19	3	1	200 to 499 acres.....	15	13	15	13
10 to 49 acres.....	35	74	13	5	500 to 999 acres.....	3	9	3	9
50 to 69 acres.....	13	36	5	7	1,000 acres and over.....	11	6	11	6
70 to 99 acres.....	30	27	3	7	Cropland used only for pasture				
100 to 139 acres.....	32	45	10	15	or grazing..... farms.....	158	230	68	91
140 to 179 acres.....	35	31	26	9	..... acres.....	17 838	26 607	12 277	20 473
					Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	42	81	29	(NA)
180 to 219 acres.....	14	22	8	14	..... acres.....	4 981	8 748	4 836	7 763
220 to 259 acres.....	14	18	7	9	Total woodland..... farms.....	188	260	103	121
260 to 499 acres.....	41	40	29	26	..... acres.....	59 770	86 578	51 024	72 629
500 to 999 acres.....	19	35	11	29	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	213	244	108	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	18	25	16	24	..... acres.....	21 538	36 667	15 549	32 469
2,000 acres and over.....	20	17	20	17	Irrigated land..... farms.....	-	4	-	-
					..... acres.....	-	4	-	-
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
			1974	1969					
Other cropland..... farms.....			29	(NA)	Total woodland - Continued				
..... acres.....			4 836	7 763	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			49	63
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			11	19	..... acres.....			33 369	39 355
..... acres.....			1 623	832	Other land..... farms.....			108	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			10	10	..... acres.....			15 549	32 469
..... acres.....			960	870	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			62	56
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			7	22	..... acres.....			13 367	27 024
..... acres.....			880	2 499	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			41	40
Cropland idle..... farms.....			7	28	..... acres.....			5 725	14 934
..... acres.....			1 373	3 562	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			28	31
Total woodland..... farms.....			103	121	..... acres.....			7 642	12 090
..... acres.....			51 024	72 629	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			96	91
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			69	97	..... acres.....			2 182	5 445
..... acres.....			17 655	33 274					

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	302	389	151	163	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres	135 984	190 326	114 962	164 059	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	19	24
Harvested cropland..... acres	31 857	31 726	31 276	30 725	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	30 263
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Full owners..... number.....	199	242	87	70	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	13 986
Land in farms..... acres.....	66 727	75 587	53 387	56 828	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	9 407	8 397	9 102	7 764	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number.....	66	87	39	63	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	53 353	88 397	46 914	83 466	Under 25 years.....	2	2	2	2
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	17 141	16 700	17 039	16 580	25 to 34 years.....	32	27	22	8
Tenants..... number.....	37	60	25	30	35 to 44 years.....	34	54	18	25
Land in farms..... acres.....	15 904	26 342	14 661	23 765	45 to 54 years.....	48	98	15	48
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	5 309	6 629	5 135	6 381	55 to 64 years.....	107	95	65	40
Percent of tenancy.....	12.3	15.4	16.6	18.4	65 years and over.....	77	113	27	40
					Average age.....	55.5	55.7	53.9	54.6
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	164	248	80	110
All farm operators..... number.....	81	96	32	16	On another farm.....	5	3	3	3
Land in farms..... acres.....	17 443	6 684	14 842	2 123	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	26	88	15	37
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	3 085	726	2 978	418	In a city, town, or urban area.....	40	20	20	20
Full owners..... number.....	67	67	26	9	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	15 910	4 827	13 788	886	None.....	84	(NA)	47	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	2 742	322	2 649	170	1 to 49 days.....	15	35	9	13
Part owners..... number.....	9	9	5	4	50 to 99 days.....	6	16	5	4
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 197	812	844	638	100 to 149 days.....	5	1	1	1
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	301	176	295	130	150 to 199 days.....	17	20	4	9
Tenants..... number.....	5	20	1	3	200 days and over.....	114	171	49	45
Land in farms..... acres.....	336	1 045	210	599	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	42	228	34	118	Farming.....	134	(NA)	81	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	6.2	20.8	3.1	18.7	Other.....	166	(NA)	68	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	130	135	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	86 197	119 810					

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	14	25	14	25	Crops	92	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	13		13		\$1,000	5 296	2 145
\$20,000 to \$39,999	24	16	24	16	farms	74	61
					\$1,000	2 851	1 060
\$10,000 to \$19,999	28	16	28	16	Tobacco	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	45	34	45	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	54	33	54	farms	24	36
					\$1,000	2 332	920
Under \$2,500 (see text)	156	233	5	7	Cotton and cottonseed	23	36
\$2,000 to \$2,499	14	13	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	82	133
\$1,500 to \$1,999	18	13	(X)	(X)	farms	5	2
\$1,000 to \$1,499	21	36	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	4	1
Under \$1,000 (see text)	103	171	(X)	(X)	farms	4	6
					\$1,000	25	25
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms	2	10
\$1,000	6 883	4 857	6 746	4 704	\$1,000	1	6
dollars	22 791	12 485	44 678	28 859	Livestock, poultry, and their products	112	141
					\$1,000	1 152	2 303
Crops, including hay	111	150	92	(NA)	farms	3	9
\$1,000	5 318	2 178	5 296	2 145	Poultry and poultry products	1	297
farms	5		2		\$1,000	-	5
Nursery and greenhouse products	12		7	(2)	farms	-	92
\$1,000					\$1,000	102	(NA)
Forest products	25	46	23	31	farms	848	1 620
\$1,000	291	260	291	255	\$1,000	31	(NA)
					farms	282	294
Livestock, poultry, and their products	249	312	112	141	\$1,000	2	
farms	1 262	2 419	1 152	2 303	farms	1	
\$1,000					\$1,000	6	
					farms	21	
Poultry and poultry products	15	(NA)	3	9	Other livestock and livestock products		
\$1,000	2	(NA)	1	297	farms		
					\$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	141	(NA)	42	(NA)	92
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	58	(NA)	34	(NA)	1 161
\$1,000	95	(NA)	83	(NA)	
Customwork and other agricultural services	9	31	6	17	19
\$1,000	11	65	7	58	229
Recreational services	-	12	-	6	61
\$1,000	-	11	-	10	720
Government farm programs	27	138	17	73	31
\$1,000	11	528	9	505	118
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	25	(NA)	14	(NA)	16
\$1,000	37	(NA)	30	(NA)	45
Other farm-related sources	3	(NA)	3	(NA)	12
\$1,000	36	(NA)	36	(NA)	49
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	14	(NA)	13	(NA)	
\$1,000	5	(NA)	5	(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	299	389	151	163	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	112	170	78	88
\$1,000	4 656	5 984	4 468	5 714	\$1,000	215	132	213	126
Farms with -					farms	129	234	91	117
\$1 to \$999	82	152	5	10	\$1,000	248	236	240	225
\$1,000 to \$1,999	50	41	6	18	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	68	(NA)	51	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	31	40	15	32	farms	614	251	612	247
\$3,000 to \$4,999	34	48	36	38	\$1,000	(NA)	34	3	21
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	43	31	32	farms	(NA)	17	16	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999	31		10	11	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	280	358	147	163
\$20,000 to \$39,999	10		6		\$1,000	388	322	364	286
\$40,000 to \$59,999	6	65	6	22	farms	(NA)	(NA)	138	155
\$60,000 and over	17		17		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	144	114
Livestock and poultry purchased	86	133	45	70	farms	(NA)	(NA)	75	64
\$1,000	202	1 471	175	1 437	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	154	109
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	237	310	104	131	farms	(NA)	(NA)	38	60
\$1,000	444	549	372	499	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	30	38
Commercially mixed formula feeds	171	183	84	110	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	147	163
\$1,000	251	386	220	371	farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	25
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	33	39	Hired farm labor	102	213	69	115
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	39	\$1,000	551	848	541	821
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	38	27	farms	6	140	6	13
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	86	64	\$1,000	5	220	5	34
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	21	38	farms	63	50	67	67
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	20	25	\$1,000	151	149	175	175
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	50	(NA)	farms	269	303	150	161
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)	\$1,000	1 838	1 954	1 779	1 865

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									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....									
farms.....	279	365	136	161					
\$1,000.....	5 376	3 446	4 421	2 765					
Average per farm.....	19 268	9 440	32 510	17 175					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	5	40	-	68					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	70	195	19	48					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	99	69	32	39					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	46	27	28	24					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	21		19	8					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	11		11	12					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	13	34	13						
\$70,000 and over.....	14		14	10					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	174	251	93	107					
number.....	238	351	143	157					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	129	212	84	99					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	227	272	115	140					
number.....	326	424	210	272					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	125	236	97	161					
Wheel tractors.....	235	294	118	151					
number.....	428	632	298	426					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	122	262	100	197					
Crawler tractors.....	26		22	23					
number.....	26		22	29					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	12					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	31	21	31	21					
farms.....	43	35	43	35					
number.....	21	26	21	26					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Corn heads for combines.....	1	22	1	6					
farms.....	1	24	1	7					
number.....		11		2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	21		21	11					
farms.....	23		23	12					
number.....	5		5	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Mower conditioners.....	49	(NA)	36	(NA)					
farms.....	53	(NA)	39	(NA)					
number.....	13	(NA)	8	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Pickup balers.....	48	51	39	38					
farms.....	51	51	42	38					
number.....	17	24	16	19					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	30	(NA)	23	29					
farms.....	30	(NA)	23	29					
number.....	10	(NA)	9	12					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	10	(NA)	9	11					
farms.....	10	(NA)	9	15					
number.....		(NA)		9					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		(NA)		9					

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.....	259	00	118	00	249	00	112	00 1 152
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	250	00	109	00	244	00	110	00 1 131
1969.....	327	00	137	00	303	00	138	00 (NA)
Cattle and calves.....	238	15 670	105	12 342	223	5 958	102	5 207 848
1969.....	297	22 293	126	19 257	272	11 431	128	10 594 1 620
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	12	40	9	30	70	186	10	22 5
5 to 9.....	25	185	1	8	38	251	5	41 5
10 to 19.....	43	611	14	194	46	617	22	326 55
20 to 49.....	77	2 388	14	471	42	1 301	38	1 215 207
50 to 99.....	48	3 330	34	2 523	14	1 014	14	1 014 127
100 to 199.....	14	1 786	14	1 786	10	1 511	10	1 511 272
200 to 499.....	13	3 750	13	3 750	3	1 078	3	1 078 177
500 and over.....	6	3 580	6	3 580	-	-	-	- -
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	177	8 512	89	6 878	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969.....	239	11 098	122	9 712	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....	172	8 458	88	6 849	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969.....	(NA)	10 759	117	9 445	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....	20	54	9	29	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969.....	46	339	22	267	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....	00	00	00	00	(NA)	00	-	00 -
1969.....	00	00	00	00	(NA)	00	5	00 92
Inventory, 1974								
	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.....	172	8 458	88	6 849	Cattle sold.....			
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	7	20	3	12	17	34	17	34 9
5 to 9.....	18	143	5	39	13	91	13	91 19
10 to 19.....	41	569	12	162	15	173	15	173 42
20 to 49.....	63	1 987	26	966	31	899	31	899 185
50 to 99.....	23	1 429	22	1 360	3	185	3	185 35
100 to 199.....	8	1 050	8	1 050	5	590	5	590 (D)
200 to 499.....	11	(D)	11	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	- -
Milk cows.....	20	54	9	29	Calves sold.....			
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	9	9	4	4	7	13	7	13 2
3 or 4.....	8	26	3	11	1	3	1	3 (Z)
5 to 9.....	3	19	2	14	6	46	6	46 4
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-	17	244	17	244 26
20 to 49.....	-	-	-	-	25	714	25	714 78
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-	11	807	11	807 87
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	5	(D)	5	(D) (D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- -

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves.....	72	2 561	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	6	124	24
.....1969.....	110	5 228	.....1974.....	—	—	(NA)
			.....1969.....			
Beef heifers.....	71	2 512	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	5	49	1 to 9.....	1	3	(Z)
			10 to 19.....	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	88	2 903	20 to 49.....	5	121	24
.....1974.....			50 to 99.....	—	—	—
.....1969.....	120	4 317	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.....	75	3 737	34	3 280	56	5 520	31	5 174	282
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	109	5 324	37	4 530	94	7 438	37	6 569	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	11	27	1	4	4	9	—	—	—
5 to 9.....	22	143	7	36	7	58	3	26	1
10 to 24.....	16	218	6	86	21	338	6	102	6
25 to 49.....	14	449	9	309	6	228	4	159	7
50 to 99.....	6	448	5	393	12	927	12	927	53
100 to 199.....	1	115	1	115	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	3 385	3	3 385	187
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	20	994	11	849	23
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	1 764	9	1 391	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	2	139	2	139	2	66	2	66	(NA)
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	3	153	3	153	3	107	3	107	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	80	1374
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	1
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	87	(NA)	(NA)	1	25	(NA)
Goats.....	74	216	33	150	4	8	2	6	1
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....	128	667	(NA)	(NA)	20	56	(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.....	27	575	43	717	30	625
.....1974.....						
.....1969.....	27	682	71	1 122	27	970
Other hogs and pigs.....	34	2 705	32	470	23	396
.....1974.....						
.....1969.....	35	3 848	68	546	24	445
Lambs under 1 year old.....	2	63	28	247	21	229
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	2	63	43	576	21	525
.....1974.....						
.....1974.....	2	13				

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.....	72	(X)	28	(X)	6	(X)	1	(X)
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	33	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	69	2 217	28	704	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....	95	3 645	31	1 670	4	(D)	2	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	68	2 124	27	654	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....	92	3 330	31	1 560	4	(D)	2	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	64	1 724	27	654	—	—	—	—
100 to 399.....	4	400	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	6	75	3	19	5	52	2	(D)
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	2	3	1
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	297

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	27	654	—	—	Turkeys	3	12	—	—
1969	31	1 560	2	(D)	1969	4	30	2	8
Hens for table or market egg production	27	574	—	—	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	3	80	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	10	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1969	3	28	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	9	40	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	3	12	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1969	4	30	2	8
					Other poultry	2	(X)	1	(X)
					1969	2	(X)	—	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	46	61	413	1 716	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	7	184	327	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	78	62	20 258	20 786	473 545	467 480
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	10	1	10	1	3 440	600
Wheat (bushels)	2	1	(D)	25	(X)	833
Other small grains for grain	—	3	—	250	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	24	72	7 609	5 529	10 696	8 214
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	3	(NA)	175	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	12	(NA)	18	(NA)	1 110	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	67	91	2 536	3 258	5 668	6 508
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	16	13	85	60	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	12	18	186	147	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	7	(NA)	2	97	(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)	19	13	180	668	7 665	24 590	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	3	1	108	(D)	1 156	(D)	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	1	18	20	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	3	50	210	3 500	8 027	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	4	(NA)	134	115	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	68	12 277	(X)	—	—	13	843	13	91	—	—
1969	91	20 473	(X)	—	—	33	3 909	33	715	—	—
Improved pasture	41	5 725	(X)	—	—	16	1 985	16	108	—	—
1969	40	14 934	(X)	—	—	22	6 734	22	601	—	—
Corn for all purposes	22	306	(X)	—	—	13	267	12	88	1	10
1969	14	1 438	(X)	—	—	9	1 363	8	143	2	64
Sorghums for all purposes	4	184	(X)	—	—	2	150	2	42	—	—
1969	5	325	(X)	—	—	3	241	3	20	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	2	(D)	(D)	—	—	2	550	2	(D)	—	—
1969	1	25	833	—	—	1	22	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	250	6 000	—	—	2	115	(NA)	21	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	73	20 200	472 378	—	—	6	1 545	6	166	—	—
1969	56	20 697	465 922	—	—	10	1 861	(NA)	188	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	5	5	1 720	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	49	2 174	5 259	—	—	18	577	18	117	—	—
1969	61	2 815	5 750	—	—	22	906	22	106	—	—
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	24	7 609	10 696	—	—	24	7 609	18	806	14	282
1969	42	5 343	8 056	—	—	31	5 263	(NA)	327	(NA)	303
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	3	175	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	1	(Z)	5	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	56	(X)	—	—	4	37	4	9	—	—
1969	5	49	(X)	—	—	5	46	5	12	—	—
Land in orchards	6	183	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	15	138	(X)	—	—	6	67	6	8	—	—

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	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969	2	(Z)	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	6	14	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
.....	105	852	131	471	Diseases in crops and orchards	-	-	-	8
Commercial fertilizer	91	97	97	471	.....	-	-	-	1 414
acres on which used	13 563	20 551	20 551	97	.....	-	-	-	6
.....	1 744	2 517	2 517	39	Weeds or grass in crops	32	20 997	32	15 962
.....	240	225	225	14	.....	276	4	276	124
Lime	3	21	21	14	.....	4	431	4	1 990
acres on which used	1 237	1 486	1 486	6	.....	1	230	1	(NA)
.....	1 786	2 473	2 473	6	Weeds on all other land	2	2	2	(NA)
.....	16	16	16	2	.....	2	2	2	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on hay crops	-	-	2	26	of crops or thinning of fruit	12	4 763	12	3 998
.....	-	-	26	(Z)	.....	56	56	56	14
.....	-	-	(Z)	73	Insect control on livestock and poultry	7	7	7	37
Insects on other crops	24	32	32	73	.....	1	1	1	5
.....	9 860	7 750	7 750	2	Other chemicals (see text)	8	8	8	(NA)
.....	256	73	73	2	.....	2	2	2	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	-	-	500	2					
acres on which used	-	-	2						
.....	-	-	2						

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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	-	-	-	-	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	-	-	-	-	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-	-	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)
Average per farm	-	-	-	-	Other sprinkler systems	-	-	-	(NA)
.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	-	-	-	-	Land in irrigated farms	-	-	-	-
Harvested cropland irrigated	-	-	-	-	Cropland	-	-	-	-
.....	-	-	-	-	Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	-	-	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
.....	-	-	-	-	between 1970 and 1973	-	-	-	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	(NA)	-	.....	-	-	-	(X)
.....	-	-	(NA)	-	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	-	-	-
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	8	8	8	27
.....	-	-	-	-	Proportion of farms	5.3	5.3	5.3	16.5
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	-	-	-	-	Land in farms with drainage	13 531	13 531	13 531	56 723
Average per acre irrigated	-	-	-	-	Land drained	7 610	7 610	7 610	20 573
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	951.3	951.3	951.3	761.9
Furrows or ditches	-	-	(NA)	-	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
.....	-	-	(NA)	-	tanks	40	40	40	(NA)
					207	207	207	(NA)
					410	410	410	(NA)

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			50	3 500	28	2 258	34	1 242
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	14	6	10	6	10	6	10	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	4	7	4	7	4	7	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	10	7	6	7	6	7	6	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	5	2	4	2	4	2	4	
\$50,000 and over	12	9	7	9	7	9	7	

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—							69	26	14	45
150 days or more	26	62	96	224	450	821	541	450	60	31
25 to 149 days	14	96	68	356	60	31	438	96	68	274
Less than 25 days	45	13	274	(NA)	31	5				
Total contract labor	6	13	(NA)	(NA)	5	34				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	38	(NA)	4	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	15	8	5	10						
2 workers	9	6	3	7						
3 or 4 workers	13	5	1	8						
5 to 9 workers	20	4	3	12						
10 workers and over	12	3	2	8						