

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..	470	466	454	435	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms..... acres..	881 201	840 419	856 949	834 196	Total cropland..... farms..	442	447	437	428
Average size of farm..... acres..	1 875	1 803	1 888	1 918	..... acres..	556 182	555 865	555 668	551 757
Approximate land area..... acres..	923 456	923 456	923 456	923 456	Harvested cropland..... farms..	440	439	435	425
Proportion in farms..... percent..	95.4	91.0	92.8	90.3	..... acres..	289 646	264 955	289 546	264 181
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	125 782	62 808	124 429	62 150	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars..	267 621	134 781	274 072	142 874	1 to 9 acres.....	2	4	—	—
Average per acre..... dollars..	143	75	145	75	10 to 19 acres.....	1	1	—	—
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	—	1	—	—
1 to 9 acres.....	21	16	12	7	30 to 49 acres.....	3	2	1	1
10 to 49 acres.....	2	5	—	—	50 to 99 acres.....	12	14	12	10
50 to 69 acres.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199 acres.....	42	44	42	41
70 to 99 acres.....	—	1	—	—	200 to 499 acres.....	143	152	143	152
100 to 139 acres.....	1	—	1	—	500 to 999 acres.....	152	152	152	152
140 to 179 acres.....	8	8	7	6	1,000 acres and over.....	85	69	85	69
180 to 219 acres.....	4	6	3	5	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..	80	100	79	99
220 to 259 acres.....	4	3	4	3	..... acres..	26 706	25 889	26 702	25 789
260 to 499 acres.....	48	37	46	28	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	401	427	399	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	89	82	89	78	..... acres..	239 830	265 021	239 420	261 787
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	136	160	136	160	Total woodland..... farms..	4	6	4	6
2,000 acres and over.....	157	148	156	148	..... acres..	511	528	511	528
					Other land (see text)..... farms..	411	395	396	(NA)
					..... acres..	324 508	284 026	300 770	281 911
					Irrigated land..... farms..	14	17	14	17
					..... acres..	2 016	1 269	2 016	1 269

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms..	399	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued		
..... acres..	239 420	261 787	Woodland not pastured..... farms..	2	5
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	22	31	..... acres..	349	378
..... acres..	3 136	5 929	Other land..... farms..	396	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..	11	6	..... acres..	300 770	281 911
..... acres..	4 214	231	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..	282	280
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	382	387	..... acres..	277 078	262 747
..... acres..	224 545	243 711	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	39	29
Cropland idle..... farms..	29	51	..... acres..	12 920	12 030
..... acres..	7 525	11 916	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	254	265
Total woodland..... farms..	4	6	..... acres..	264 158	250 717
..... acres..	511	528	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	304	265
Woodland pastured..... farms..	2	1	..... acres..	23 692	19 164
..... acres..	162	150			

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..	470	466	454	435	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	881 201	840 419	856 949	834 196	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	37	47
Harvested cropland..... acres..	289 646	264 955	289 546	264 181	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	84 467	116 116
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	11	2
Full owners..... number..	129	110	119	89	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	65 045	(D)
Land in farms..... acres..	129 583	85 048	106 621	81 227	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	3	6
Harvested cropland..... acres..	43 177	31 023	43 177	30 708	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	3 037	(D)
Part owners..... number..	270	280	269	279	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms..... acres..	666 666	668 268	666 186	667 588	Under 25 years.....	11	12	8	8
Harvested cropland..... acres..	214 336	197 962	214 293	197 897	25 to 34 years.....	49	49	47	47
Tenants..... number..	71	76	66	67	35 to 44 years.....	82	105	78	90
Land in farms..... acres..	84 952	87 103	84 142	85 381	45 to 54 years.....	105	149	104	145
Harvested cropland..... acres..	32 133	35 970	32 076	35 576	55 to 64 years.....	144	102	143	99
Percent of tenancy.....	15.1	16.3	14.5	15.4	65 years and over.....	64	49	60	46
					Average age.....	51.3	49.0	51.4	49.4
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated.....	246	306	241	291
All farm operators..... number..	3	(NA)	3	—	On another farm.....	18	—	16	—
Land in farms..... acres..	1 920	(NA)	1 920	—	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	12	121	10	—
Harvested cropland..... acres..	350	(NA)	350	—	In a city, town, or urban area.....	99	—	96	113
Full owners..... number..	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms..... acres..	—	(NA)	—	—	None.....	232	(NA)	225	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	(NA)	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	26	62	26	58
Part owners..... number..	3	(NA)	3	—	50 to 99 days.....	13	28	13	28
Land in farms..... acres..	1 920	(NA)	1 920	—	100 to 149 days.....	15	31	15	26
Harvested cropland..... acres..	350	(NA)	350	—	150 to 199 days.....	12	11	11	—
Tenants..... number..	—	(NA)	—	—	200 days and over.....	35	57	30	40
Land in farms..... acres..	—	(NA)	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	—	(NA)	—	—	Farming.....	420	(NA)	412	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	—	Other.....	35	(NA)	28	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	23	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	403	380	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	46	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	704 400	706 076					

<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	33	37	33	37	Crops	430	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	167	123	167	123	\$1,000	17 167	6 146
\$20,000 to \$39,999	128	123	128	123	farms	430	421
					\$1,000	16 900	6 039
\$10,000 to \$19,999	82	140	82	140	Tobacco	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	86	24	86	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	49	19	49	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	17	31	1	-	Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	4	3	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5	5	(X)	(X)	farms	-	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499	6	3	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-
Under \$1,000 (see text)	2	20	(X)	(X)	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Market value of agricultural products sold					Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	59	78
\$1,000	20 312	8 512	20 285	8 487	\$1,000	267	(D)
Average per farm	43 216	18 265	44 680	19 509	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Crops, including hay	433	435	430	(NA)	Other field crops	-	-
\$1,000	17 172	6 160	17 167	6 146	farms	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	-	-	(D)	\$1,000	-	-
\$1,000	2	-	-	(D)	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Forest products	-	1	-	1	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	-	-
\$1,000	-	(Z)	-	(Z)	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Livestock, poultry, and their products	245	237	232	224	Fruits, nuts, and berries	-	-
\$1,000	3 138	2 352	3 118	2 340	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Poultry and poultry products	23	(NA)	23	24	Livestock, poultry, and their products	232	224
\$1,000	3	(NA)	3	8	\$1,000	3 118	2 340
					farms	23	24
					\$1,000	3	8
					farms	7	15
					\$1,000	2	6
					farms	213	(NA)
					\$1,000	2 301	1 859
					farms	55	(NA)
					\$1,000	731	467
					farms	11	
					\$1,000	68	
					farms	11	
					\$1,000	12	

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold <sup>1</sup>	33	(NA)	25	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	219	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	131	(NA)	128	(NA)	farms	1 354	
\$1,000	514	(NA)	503	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	35	
Customwork and other agricultural services	64	94	64	90	\$1,000	232	
\$1,000	295	134	295	126	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	107	
					\$1,000	609	
Recreational services	1	6	1	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties	140	
\$1,000	(Z)	5	(Z)	5	\$1,000	414	
Government farm programs	48	371	47	361	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	31	
\$1,000	79	2 079	79	2 071	\$1,000	93	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	29	(NA)	27	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	10	
\$1,000	94	(NA)	83	(NA)	farms	6	
Other farm-related sources	19	(NA)	19	(NA)	\$1,000		
\$1,000	46	(NA)	46	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	51	(NA)	49	(NA)			
\$1,000	188	(NA)	183	(NA)			

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		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	470	466	454	435	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	156	166	155	157
\$1,000	10 706	6 060	10 678	6 028	\$1,000	173	91	173	90
Farms with -					farms	148	176	148	175
\$1 to \$999	6	24	5	20	\$1,000	508	137	508	137
\$1,000 to \$1,999	13	21	5	15	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	290	(NA)	288	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	34	20	34	15	farms	454	43	454	43
\$3,000 to \$4,999	32	55	32	54	\$1,000	(NA)	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	76	126	74	126	farms	(NA)	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	131	220	131	133	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	106		106	69	farms	-	-	-	-
\$40,000 to \$59,999	42		42	18	\$1,000	-	-	-	-
\$60,000 and over	30		30		farms	459	460	449	429
					\$1,000	1 180	695	1 179	689
Livestock and poultry purchased	121	131	116	124	farms	(NA)	(NA)	439	416
\$1,000	577	632	575	630	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	572	359
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	424
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	183	211	177	200	farms	(NA)	(NA)	450	246
\$1,000	794	297	790	295	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	89	97
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	45	24
Commercially mixed formula feeds	116	125	115	119	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	445	429
\$1,000	169	125	169	125	farms	(NA)	(NA)	111	60
farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	33	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)		
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	85	19	farms	159	290	156	286
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	93	\$1,000	460	438	455	438
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	285	97	farms	18	282	17	33
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	50	52	\$1,000	45	344	45	34
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	252	54	farms	235	229	229	257
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	489	485	485	307
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	178	(NA)	farms	468	463	454	435
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	(NA)	\$1,000	6 025	3 385	5 935	3 366

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>					<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	441	458	430	428	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	324	322	324	320
..... \$1,000.....	18 211	10 248	18 104	10 022	..... number.....	412	402	412	400
Average per farm..... dollars.....	41 296	22 376	42 103	23 416	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	93	138	93	136
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	1	6	1	2
\$1 to \$999.....	—	3	—	43	..... number.....	1	7	1	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	25	61	22	31	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	3	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	37	71	31	67	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	30	—	30	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	51	129	50	127	..... number.....	30	—	30	4
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	72	—	72	67	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	1
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	124	—	123	74	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	19	(NA)	19	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	58	—	58	—	..... number.....	20	(NA)	20	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	74	—	74	50	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					Pickup balers..... farms.....	124	136	124	135
Automobiles..... farms.....	396	415	387	400	..... number.....	129	139	129	138
..... number.....	577	592	566	573	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	43	66	43	65
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	367	360	359	350	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	161	(NA)	161	214
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	429	432	418	408	..... number.....	195	(NA)	195	257
..... number.....	1 494	1 300	1 476	1 265	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54	(NA)	54	119
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	504	404	494	389	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	17	(NA)	17	17
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	412	419	403	402	..... number.....	21	(NA)	21	17
..... number.....	1 014	960	998	907	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	7	1
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	249	263	241	252					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	27	—	27	33					
..... number.....	30	—	30	34					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	—	3	4					

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.....	249	(X)	236	(X)	245	(X)	232	(X)	3 118
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	237	(X)	225	(X)	237	(X)	225	(X)	3 101
.....1969.....	226	(X)	215	(X)	230	(X)	220	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	227	26 184	215	25 884	225	15 552	213	15 439	2 301
.....1969.....	207	18 965	197	18 881	208	11 628	203	11 578	1 859
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....1974.....	7	15	6	13	9	23	8	22	6
5 to 9.....1974.....	9	62	8	57	18	124	12	82	16
10 to 19.....1974.....	12	184	10	153	43	616	39	566	93
20 to 49.....1974.....	65	2 377	57	2 113	71	2 351	70	2 331	340
50 to 99.....1974.....	57	3 915	57	3 915	38	2 596	38	2 596	402
100 to 199.....1974.....	47	6 564	47	6 564	30	4 024	30	4 024	642
200 to 499.....1974.....	21	5 990	21	5 990	12	3 640	12	3 640	564
500 and over.....1974.....	9	7 079	9	7 079	4	2 178	4	2 178	237
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	212	15 532	201	15 335	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	184	10 780	177	10 724	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	210	15 472	199	15 281	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	10 660	171	10 604	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	30	60	28	54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	55	120	55	120	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	2
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	6
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.....	210	15 472	199	15 281	Cattle sold.....	164	5 949	1 132	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	8	18	7	16	1 to 4.....	18	41	10	
5 to 9.....	7	42	6	37	5 to 9.....	21	147	33	
10 to 19.....	25	376	22	337	10 to 19.....	50	739	133	
20 to 49.....	79	2 518	73	2 373	20 to 49.....	44	1 379	258	
50 to 99.....	48	3 411	48	3 411	50 to 99.....	18	1 182	247	
100 to 199.....	26	3 536	26	3 536	100 to 199.....	9	1 079	217	
200 to 499.....	16	(D)	16	(D)	200 to 499.....	3	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	30	60	28	54	Calves sold.....	149	9 490	1 169	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	21	27	21	27	1 or 2.....	2	4	(Z)	
3 or 4.....	7	23	5	17	3 or 4.....	—	—	—	
5 to 9.....	2	10	2	10	5 to 9.....	10	66	7	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	28	382	45	
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	56	1 844	220	
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	30	2 191	294	
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	12	1 520	212	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	11	3 483	390	
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 .....	180	5 552	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	9	267	53
1969 .....	156	4 588	1969 .....	11	771	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	179	5 536	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	8	16	1 to 9 .....	2	7	1
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	195	4 997	10 to 19 .....	1	19	5
1969 .....	179	3 569	20 to 49 .....	3	71	11
			50 to 99 .....	3	170	35
			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 .....	50	6 394	48	6 383	56	12 906	55	12 896	731
1969 .....	67	7 022	64	6 991	76	10 250	71	10 155	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	7	19	6	18	4	14	4	14	1
5 to 9 .....	6	41	6	41	5	34	5	34	3
10 to 24 .....	5	85	4	75	11	186	10	176	9
25 to 49 .....	11	379	11	379	11	381	11	381	27
50 to 99 .....	7	388	7	388	9	618	9	618	47
100 to 199 .....	8	913	8	913	4	433	4	433	24
200 to 499 .....	3	920	3	920	7	1 807	7	1 807	126
500 and over .....	3	3 649	3	3 649	5	9 433	5	9 433	494
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	4 468	9	4 468	88
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	3 907	12	3 886	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	11	2 947	11	2 947	11	2 356	11	2 356	(NA)
1969 .....	21	6 099	21	6 099	21	3 949	21	3 949	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	3 075	29 716
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	(X)	68
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	78	400	71	382	12	39	11	38	12
1969 .....	104	488	(NA)	(NA)	26	51	(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 ..	35	812	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969 .....	47	1 228	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	41	1 207	41	1 207
Other hogs and pigs .....	46	5 571	1969 .....	59	1 261	54	1 246
1969 .....	57	5 763	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	32	652	32	652
Lambs under 1 year old .....	9	298	1969 .....	52	665	47	650
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	11	2 584	1974 .....	22	555	22	555
Rams and wethers .....	10	65	1969 .....	35	596	35	596

<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 .....	57	(X)	57	(X)	8	(X)	7	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	81	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	56	2 327	56	2 327	5	216	5	216
1969 .....	83	4 099	80	4 029	9	1 259	8	1 229
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	56	2 297	56	2 297	5	216	5	216
1969 .....	81	3 986	78	3 916	9	1 259	8	1 229
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	53	1 932	53	1 932	5	216	5	216
100 to 399 .....	3	365	3	365	—	—	—	—
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 .....	2	90	2	90	1	50	1	100
1969 .....	1	35	1	35	1	100	1	100
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	3	23	3
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	24	8

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	56	2 297	5	216	Turkeys	3	29	2	10
1969	78	3 916	8	1 229	1969	4	14	1	18
Hens for table or market egg production	56	2 182	5	216	Turkeys for slaughter	3	29	2	10
1969	56	2 182	5	216	Heavy breed	2	20	2	10
Hens for hatching egg production	2	115	—	—	1969	1	9	—	—
1969	2	115	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	—	—	—	—	1969	4	14	—	—
1969	1	30	—	—	1974	—	(X)	—	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	15	30	—	—	1969	—	(X)	—	(X)
1969	15	30	—	—	1974	—	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1969	12	(X)	1	(X)
1969	—	—	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	—	1	—	(D)	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	430	430	241 677	184 984	4 257 377	4 733 142	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	197	354	26 371	58 401	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	197	201	22 000	20 953	24 443	23 324	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Berries for sale	1	—	(Z)	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Other crops	5	(NA)	208	200	(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)	—	1	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grozed	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	99	97	7 929	5 341	9 340	6 138	8	13	931	601

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	79	26 702	(X)	—	—	4	840	3	38	1	60
1969	99	25 789	(X)	—	—	1	100	1	2	—	—
Improved pasture	39	12 920	(X)	1	200	1	150	1	10	—	—
1969	29	12 030	(X)	1	100	2	80	2	5	—	—
Corn for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	(D)	(X)	—	—	1	(D)	1	2	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	428	241 594	4 256 397	2	135	114	58 088	111	1 764	4	170
1969	416	184 413	4 721 779	—	—	143	52 607	(NA)	1 041	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	66	3 736	119 919	—	—	13	1 140	13	63	—	—
1969	197	15 458	706 901	1	23	37	3 555	(NA)	95	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	169	20 887	530 086	1	17	45	6 219	45	237	7	62
1969	282	38 690	1 445 300	1	27	53	6 449	(NA)	133	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels)	6	477	9 440	—	—	2	252	2	14	—	—
1969	7	448	8 169	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	19	1 271	(X)	—	—	7	799	7	27	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	195	21 984	24 414	13	1 665	12	1 291	12	93	—	—
1969	200	20 889	23 283	14	1 114	11	934	11	27	—	—
Field seed crops	4	208	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	200	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	5	(Z)	56	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons
Berries for sale .....	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops .....	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	329		274		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
Commercial fertilizer .....	148		154		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	12		6	
Lime .....	508		137		acres on which used .....	8 633		2 750	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds or grass in crops .....	18		1	
Insects on hay crops .....	7		1		acres on which used .....	224		168	
Insects on other crops .....	207		140		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	145 049		63 988	
Nematodes in crops .....	217		1		acres on which used .....	201		36	
	1		-		Weeds on all other land .....	6		1	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	1 414		779	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	4		(Z)	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	8		(NA)	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	850		(NA)	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	2		(NA)	
	1		-		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
	1		-		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	1		5	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	81		1 491	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	(Z)		1	
	1		-		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	32		45	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	3		2	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	23		(NA)	
	1		-		acres on which used .....	6		(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year .....	14		17		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	3.1		3.9		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	2 016		1 269		Other sprinkler systems .....	1		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	144.0		74.6		Land in irrigated farms .....	61 002		67 361	
Cropland irrigated .....	1 816		1 169		Cropland .....	26 683		29 220	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	1 816		1 164		Harvested cropland .....	13 013		14 683	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	-		-		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated .....	-		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973 .....	4		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	1		5		acres irrigated in most recent year .....	167		(X)	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	3 618		1 210		Farms with artificial drainage .....	6		12	
Average per acre irrigated .....	1.8		1.0		Proportion of farms .....	1.3		2.7	
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage .....	10 403		25 337	
Furrows or ditches .....	3		(NA)		Land drained .....	215		833	
	470		(NA)		Average per farm .....	35.8		69.4	
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks .....	79		(NA)	
					number .....	252		(NA)	
					acres .....	369		(NA)	

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

	Forms	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....		188	136	125
Farms by size of debt owed:		11 931	8 613	3 318
Under \$5,000 .....		23	11	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		13	7	23
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		52	40	37
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		29	19	16
\$50,000 and over .....		71	59	20

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
150 days or more .....	62	77	103	115	301		62	78	61	
25 to 149 days .....	78	249	135	649	130	438	301	130	23	
Less than 25 days .....	61		136		23		103	135	136	
Total contract labor .....	17	33	(NA)	(NA)	45	34				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	7	(NA)	24	(NA)	32	(NA)				
Farms .....							156			
Cash wages paid—\$1,000 .....							455			
Number of workers .....							374			
Farms with—										
1 worker .....							67	39	43	
2 workers .....							37	11	20	
3 or 4 workers .....							34	11	14	
5 to 9 workers .....							17	1	1	
10 workers and over .....							1	-	1	