

**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	344	333	299	286	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms ----- acres	1 614 502	1 525 087	830 793	783 644	Total cropland ----- farms	306	294	273	263
Average size of farm ----- acres	4 693	4 580	2 779	2 740	----- acres	384 468	360 709	378 994	351 420
Approximate land area ----- acres	1 897 024	1 897 024	1 897 024	1 897 024	Harvested cropland ----- farms	285	277	269	254
Proportion in farms ----- percent	85.1	80.4	43.8	41.3	----- acres	206 430	179 043	205 902	174 761
Value of land and buildings ----- \$1,000	172 124	107 861	104 817	49 759	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm ----- dollars	500 361	323 907	350 560	173 984	1 to 9 acres -----	2	2		
Average per acre ----- dollars	107	71	126	63	10 to 19 acres -----	1	1		
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres -----	10	13		
1 to 9 acres -----	20	8	11	5	30 to 49 acres -----	14	13		
10 to 49 acres -----	12	14	7	3	50 to 99 acres -----	20	20	17	15
50 to 69 acres -----	4	4	2	3	100 to 199 acres -----	45	28	45	28
70 to 99 acres -----	7	7	5	3	200 to 499 acres -----	70	83	70	83
100 to 139 acres -----	8	7	5	5	500 to 999 acres -----	53	60	53	60
140 to 179 acres -----	4	2	2	4	1,000 acres and over -----	71	57	71	56
180 to 219 acres -----		3			Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ----- farms	94	69	72	57
220 to 259 acres -----	4	11	1	3	----- acres	16 838	13 266	12 288	10 113
260 to 499 acres -----	47	28	35	23	Other cropland (see text) ----- farms	184	209	179	(NA)
500 to 999 acres -----	42	43	41	40	----- acres	161 200	168 400	160 804	166 546
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	62	58	59	57	Total woodland ----- farms	7	13	6	5
2,000 acres and over -----	134	148	131	147	----- acres	26 025	28 454	3 925	5 207
					Other land (see text) ----- farms	258	282	236	(NA)
					----- acres	1 204 009	1 135 924	447 874	427 017
					Irrigated land ----- farms	62	56	57	54
					----- acres	17 109	12 402	16 992	12 344
					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
					1974				
					1969				
Other cropland ----- farms			179	(NA)	Total woodland - Continued				
----- acres			160 804	166 546	Woodland not pastured ----- farms			4	1
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ----- farms			6	12	----- acres			2 944	2 029
----- acres			526	826	Other land ----- farms			236	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- farms			14	3	----- acres			447 874	427 017
----- acres			2 129	1 243	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ----- farms			168	203
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms			168	190	----- acres			438 801	417 402
----- acres			152 137	154 967	Improved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms			12	23
Cropland idle ----- farms			17	27	----- acres			2 649	9 560
----- acres			6 012	9 510	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms			162	195
Total woodland ----- farms			6	5	----- acres			436 152	407 842
----- acres			3 925	5 207	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms			163	141
Woodland pastured ----- farms			2	5	----- acres			9 073	9 615
----- acres			981	3 178					

**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	344	333	299	286	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ----- acres	1 614 502	1 525 087	830 793	783 644	Partnership ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	19	36
Harvested cropland ----- acres	206 430	179 043	205 902	174 761	Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	57 271	112 310
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	19	9
Full owners ----- number	109	79	75	59	Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	123 049	77 898
Land in farms ----- acres	868 691	797 611	94 442	64 046	Other ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	3	4
Harvested cropland ----- acres	29 609	18 584	29 310	14 742	----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 536	10 033
Part owners ----- number	178	201	174	195	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ----- acres	669 365	673 242	665 520	669 103	Under 25 years -----	13	14	13	4
Harvested cropland ----- acres	159 376	150 444	159 267	150 334	25 to 34 years -----	43	39	32	32
Tenants ----- number	57	53	50	32	35 to 44 years -----	52	68	46	58
Land in farms ----- acres	76 446	54 234	70 831	50 495	45 to 54 years -----	97	92	83	85
Harvested cropland ----- acres	17 445	10 015	17 325	9 685	55 to 64 years -----	84	66	76	61
Percent of tenancy -----	16.6	15.9	16.7	11.1	65 years and over -----	30	54	27	46
					Average age -----	48.5	49.0	48.7	50.2
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 -----	190	243	166	213
All farm operators ----- number	44	(NA)	28		On another farm -----	24		22	
Land in farms ----- acres	87 397	(NA)	82 329		In a rural area, not on a farm -----	16	66	14	
Harvested cropland ----- acres	8 935	(NA)	8 875		In a city, town, or urban area -----	47		37	55
Full owners ----- number	20	(NA)	6		Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms ----- acres	11 703	(NA)	7 945		None -----	120	(NA)	114	(NA)
Harvested cropland ----- acres	581	(NA)	580		1 to 49 days -----	17	31	17	24
Part owners ----- number	21	(NA)	19		50 to 99 days -----	25	15	21	14
Land in farms ----- acres	64 299	(NA)	62 989		100 to 149 days -----	7		6	
Harvested cropland ----- acres	8 354	(NA)	8 295		150 to 199 days -----	23	16	9	14
Tenants ----- number	3	(NA)	3		200 days and over -----	54	65	38	38
Land in farms ----- acres	11 395	(NA)	11 395		Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland ----- acres		(NA)			Farming -----	236	(NA)	229	(NA)
Percent of tenancy -----	6.8	(NA)	10.7		Other -----	83	(NA)	48	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market -----	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Individual or family ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	258	237	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts -----	(NA)	(NA)	26	(NA)
Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	641 937	583 403					

<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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>							
\$100,000 and over.....	48	62	48	62	Crops..... farms.....	222	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	83		83		\$1,000.....	12 153	4 633
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	51	81	51	81	Grains..... farms.....	3	203
					\$1,000.....	11 440	4 519
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	57	72	56	72	Tobacco..... farms.....	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	25	50	25	50	\$1,000.....	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	31	22	30	21	Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....	-	-
					\$1,000.....	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	49	46	6	-	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....	48	52
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	19	5	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	713	113
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	10	-	(X)	(X)	Other field crops..... farms.....	-	1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	6	4	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	-	1
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	14	37	(X)	(X)	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....	-	-
					\$1,000.....	-	1
					Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....	-	(Z)
					\$1,000.....	-	-
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b> ..... \$1,000.....	16 989	9 200	16 902	8 714	Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	185	198
Average per farm..... dollars.....	49 388	27 627	56 528	30 469	\$1,000.....	4 749	4 081
					Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	7	12
Crops, including hay..... farms.....	230	230	222	(NA)	\$1,000.....	215	105
\$1,000.....	12 164	4 649	12 153	4 633	Dairy products..... farms.....	3	5
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	1	-	-	-	\$1,000.....	92	11
\$1,000.....	2	-	-	-	Cattle and calves..... farms.....	172	(NA)
					\$1,000.....	3 584	3 574
Forest products..... farms.....	-	1	-	-	Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	18	(NA)
\$1,000.....	-	93	-	-	\$1,000.....	748	390
					Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms.....	8	-
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	220	228	185	198	\$1,000.....	29	-
\$1,000.....	4 824	4 458	4 749	4 081	Other livestock and livestock products..... farms.....	22	-
					\$1,000.....	81	-
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	8	(NA)	7	12			
\$1,000.....	215	(NA)	215	105			

**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 <sup>1</sup> .....	80	(NA)	43	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup> ..... farms.....	157
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... farms.....	122	(NA)	119	(NA)	\$1,000.....	1 065
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms.....	761	(NA)	695	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms.....	28
\$1,000.....	38	35	37	33	\$1,000.....	212
Recreational services..... farms.....	2	4	1	2	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	86
\$1,000.....	(D)	39	2	(D)	\$1,000.....	628
Government farm programs..... farms.....	73	164	72	159	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	81
\$1,000.....	249	844	249	839	\$1,000.....	164
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms.....	34	(NA)	34	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms.....	20
\$1,000.....	194	(NA)	194	(NA)	\$1,000.....	41
Other farm-related sources..... farms.....	21	(NA)	21	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms.....	11
\$1,000.....	(D)	(NA)	68	(NA)	\$1,000.....	20
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup> ..... farms.....	34	(NA)	33	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	161	(NA)	109	(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
<b>Total farm production expenses</b> ..... farms.....	344	333	299	286	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms.....	107	112	103	107
\$1,000.....	11 963	7 548	11 847	7 159	\$1,000.....	323	122	322	121
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms.....	138	145	129	142
\$1 to \$999.....	14	22	3	4	\$1,000.....	685	232	683	232
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	15	18	13		Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms.....	144	(NA)	140	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	24	18	2	14	\$1,000.....	365	88	365	88
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	12	26	5	20	Lime..... farms.....	(NA)	4	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	60	62	58	62	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(Z)	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	64		63	80	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	339	327	296	284
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	63		63	63	\$1,000.....	1 045	601	1 029	583
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	41	187	41		Gasoline..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	296	280
\$60,000 and over.....	51		51	43	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	529	334
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	95	133	85	117	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	242	195
\$1,000.....	710	1 108	697	1 020	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	378	173
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	193	215	161	186	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	76	62
\$1,000.....	1 238	502	1 191	435	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	31	23
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	112	156	93	141	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	296	284
\$1,000.....	564	246	538	227	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	91	54
Feed ingredients..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	27	28	Hired farm labor..... farms.....	151	218	143	212
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	98	23	\$1,000.....	908	734	905	653
Whole grains..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	95	44	Contract labor..... farms.....	31	193	28	33
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	346	64	\$1,000.....	84	361	81	24
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	65	75	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	118		114	170
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	209	121	\$1,000.....	460		460	333
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	139	(NA)	All other production expenses..... farms.....	340	317	298	286
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	102	(NA)	\$1,000.....	6 144	3 799	6 011	3 669

**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.....	316	321	285	281	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	142	145	139	144
farms.....	11 973	7 310	11 586	7 177	number.....	206	218	198	217
\$1,000.....	37 888	22 771	40 654	25 539	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	56	79	56	79
Average per farm.....					Corn heads for combines.....	—	6	—	—
Farms by value group:					number.....	—	6	—	—
\$1 to \$999.....	1	10	—	43	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	5	—	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	40	62	31	49	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	11	—	11	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	35	59	26	41	number.....	11	—	11	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	46	61	41	39	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	5
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	47	—	42	41	Mower conditioners.....	24	(NA)	22	(NA)
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	64	129	63	39	number.....	31	(NA)	29	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	33	—	33	49	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	13	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	50	—	49	—	Pickup balers.....	129	132	122	127
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>				
Automobiles.....	254	270	237	244	number.....	136	138	129	133
number.....	358	365	332	332	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54	67	54	66
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	230	261	216	236	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	169	(NA)	161	165
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	300	308	273	273	number.....	244	(NA)	236	292
number.....	978	901	936	851	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	99	(NA)	99	193
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	363	334	353	315	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	2	(NA)	2	8
Wheel tractors.....	256	286	241	250	number.....	2	(NA)	2	11
number.....	622	674	596	565	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	(NA)	—	3
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	165	198	160	177					
Crawler tractors.....	45	—	44	61					
number.....	50	—	49	76					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	—	3	13					

**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.....	236	(X)	195	(X)	220	(X)	185	(X)	4 749
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	211	(X)	177	(X)	212	(X)	179	(X)	4 361
1969.....	214	(X)	189	(X)	218	(X)	194	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	206	48 621	172	46 919	205	20 329	172	19 725	3 584
1969.....	204	34 876	181	30 627	207	26 276	186	24 194	3 574
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	3	11	2	8	13	25	6	14	2
5 to 9.....	5	33	5	33	13	104	8	63	10
10 to 19.....	16	229	7	75	18	249	12	168	37
20 to 49.....	29	957	21	730	63	1 914	49	1 623	298
50 to 99.....	47	3 448	33	2 416	32	2 253	32	2 253	410
100 to 199.....	49	6 779	48	6 673	42	6 410	41	6 230	1 141
200 to 499.....	35	11 490	34	11 290	19	4 924	19	4 924	923
500 and over.....	22	25 674	22	25 674	5	4 450	5	4 450	762
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	200	27 897	168	26 840	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	181	22 801	165	19 689	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	200	27 741	168	26 687	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	22 718	163	19 606	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	29	156	26	153	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	29	83	29	83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	92
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	11
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>				<b>Sales, 1974—</b>					
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	200	27 741	168	26 687	Cattle sold.....	146	10 240	2 344	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	6	17	5	15	1 to 4.....	11	24	5	
5 to 9.....	13	98	10	74	5 to 9.....	13	93	19	
10 to 19.....	20	286	9	113	10 to 19.....	33	455	101	
20 to 49.....	45	1 603	31	1 078	20 to 49.....	37	1 168	269	
50 to 99.....	44	2 997	42	2 867	50 to 99.....	28	2 143	535	
100 to 199.....	30	4 082	30	4 082	100 to 199.....	11	1 386	303	
200 to 499.....	30	8 408	29	8 208	200 to 499.....	10	2 731	634	
500 and over.....	12	10 250	12	10 250	500 and over.....	3	2 240	479	
Milk cows.....	29	156	26	153	Calves sold.....	114	9 485	1 239	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	24	32	21	29	1 or 2.....	1	1	(Z)	
3 or 4.....	1	3	1	3	3 or 4.....	5	18	3	
5 to 9.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	5 to 9.....	13	96	12	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	5	75	10	
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	35	1 160	151	
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	25	1 920	277	
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	25	3 483	449	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	3	(D)	(D)	

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 .....	140	9 594	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	18	1 196	419
1969 .....	157	6 440	1969 .....	4	141	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	138	9 531	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	7	63	1 to 9 .....	2	8	2
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	153	10 485	10 to 19 .....	6	68	15
1969 .....	167	4 498	20 to 49 .....	2	(D)	(D)
			50 to 99 .....	7	660	247
			100 to 199 .....	—	—	—
			200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	(D)
			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 .....	15	7 308	14	7 306	18	10 059	18	10 059	748
1969 .....	21	3 288	19	3 272	19	3 872	19	3 872	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	2	4	1	2	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 24 .....	1	22	1	22	1	20	1	20	2
25 to 49 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	2	142	2	142	2	112	2	112	8
100 to 199 .....	3	(D)	3	(D)	5	675	5	675	50
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	1 473	4	1 473	115
500 and over .....	5	5 990	5	5 990	6	7 779	6	7 779	573
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	110	3	110	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	11	1 118	8	945	10	854	8	734	(NA)
1969 .....	23	8 259	18	6 097	25	8 188	20	6 101	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	953	<sup>1</sup> 8 257
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	(X)	29
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	2	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	131	828	98	673	17	93	16	89	68
1969 .....	138	1 209	(NA)	(NA)	34	138	(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	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	13	925	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969 .....	17	562	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....		16	1 594
Other hogs and pigs .....	14	6 381	1969 .....		19	626
1969 .....	19	2 710	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....		14	809
Lambs under 1 year old .....	4	74	1969 .....		16	336
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	8	837	June 1 and November 30 .....		13	785
Rams and wethers .....	7	34	1969 .....		17	290

<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 .....	28	(X)	25	(X)	7	(X)	7	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	36	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	27	29 009	24	28 904	5	4 394	5	4 394
1969 .....	38	17 408	36	17 378	6	5 546	6	5 546
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	27	25 851	24	25 751	5	4 390	5	4 390
1969 .....	33	17 050	31	17 020	5	5 531	5	5 531
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	23	581	20	481	2	40	2	40
100 to 399 .....	1	270	1	270	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599 .....	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	1	150	1	150	1	20	1	20
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	3	875	3	875
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	215	7	215
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)

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	24	25 751	5	4 390	Turkeys	1	7	1	3
1974	24	25 751	5	4 390	1969	—	—	—	—
1969	31	17 020	5	5 531	Turkeys for slaughter	1	5	1	3
Hens for table or market egg production	21	25 551	3	4 350	1974	1	5	1	3
Hens for hatching egg production	4	200	2	40	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	(D)	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1974	2	(D)	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1969	7	285	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1	2	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	12	(D)	2	4	1974	—	—	—	—
1974	12	(D)	2	4	1969	—	(X)	—	(X)
1969	—	—	—	—	Other poultry	5	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	—	2	—	10	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	199	191	80 241	54 402	1 394 277	1 547 907
Other small grains for grain	190	205	98 625	97 805	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	151	159	27 706	26 825	41 550	37 209
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	1	—	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	4	(NA)	165	(D)	(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)	—	2	—	10	—	584	—	2	10
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	102	90	17 374	10 060	29 258	18 132	43	39	7 344 4 560

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	72	12 288	(X)	8	1 354	5	593	5	57	—	—
1974	72	12 288	(X)	8	1 354	5	593	5	57	—	—
1969	57	10 113	(X)	10	1 064	7	861	7	116	—	—
Improved pasture	12	2 649	(X)	2	430	1	16	1	3	—	—
1974	12	2 649	(X)	2	430	1	16	1	3	—	—
1969	23	9 560	(X)	7	1 008	5	742	5	40	—	—
Corn for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	10	(X)	2	10	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	193	80 027	1 392 111	7	1 006	70	34 622	70	1 527	—	—
1974	193	80 027	1 392 111	7	1 006	70	34 622	70	1 527	—	—
1969	184	54 265	1 544 190	3	255	83	23 615	(NA)	791	(NA)	178
Oats (bushels)	13	2 086	55 311	—	—	5	1 230	5	54	—	—
1974	13	2 086	55 311	—	—	5	1 230	5	54	—	—
1969	45	3 843	197 018	3	145	10	915	(NA)	57	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	183	91 268	2 444 225	24	5 669	68	34 168	68	1 572	1	6
1974	183	91 268	2 444 225	24	5 669	68	34 168	68	1 572	1	6
1969	188	92 846	3 961 857	14	2 324	86	36 471	(NA)	1 028	(NA)	281
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	19	5 271	(X)	—	—	4	587	4	27	—	—
1974	19	5 271	(X)	—	—	4	587	4	27	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	143	27 387	41 045	47	8 439	41	9 371	41	926	—	—
1974	143	27 387	41 045	47	8 439	41	9 371	41	926	—	—
1969	150	23 098	33 523	46	7 450	36	5 941	36	324	—	—
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	(D)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(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**

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
						Total		Dry		Liquid		
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Berries for sale .....	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	1974	2	160	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(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	
	farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000		farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	186	1 048	186	320	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	129	129	125	125	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	2	(D)	5 637	4
acres on which used .....	80 617	80 617	68 550	68 550	acres on which used .....	3	3	7	7
tons .....	4 174	4 174	2 818	2 818	Weeds or grass in crops .....	94	94	115	115
\$1,000 .....	683	683	232	232	acres on which used .....	85 850	85 850	83 525	83 525
Lime .....	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	209	209	69	69
acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	2	2	—	—
tons .....	—	—	—	—	acres on which used .....	450	450	—	—
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	1	1	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land .....	5	5	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	5	5	—	—	acres on which used .....	550	550	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used .....	450	450	—	—	\$1,000 .....	2	2	(NA)	(NA)
\$1,000 .....	2	2	—	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops .....	26	26	7	7	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	1	1	—	—
acres on which used .....	22 225	22 225	4 379	4 379	acres on which used .....	690	690	—	—
\$1,000 .....	135	135	8	8	\$1,000 .....	4	4	—	—
Nematodes in crops .....	—	—	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	15	15	49	49
acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	2	2	4	4
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text) .....	25	25	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	5	5	(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 .....	57	16 992	54	12 344	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms .....	19.1	19.1	18.8	18.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	2	2	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	16 992	16 992	12 344	12 344	acres .....	409	409	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm .....	298.1	298.1	228.5	228.5	Other sprinkler systems .....	2	2	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	56	16 562	54	11 336	acres .....	152	152	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	54	15 562	53	10 187	Land in irrigated farms .....	228 836	228 836	185 610	185 610
acres .....	15 114	15 114	10 187	10 187	Cropland .....	57 967	57 967	56 580	56 580
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	8	8	10	10	Harvested cropland .....	38 892	38 892	33 282	33 282
Other cropland irrigated .....	1 354	1 354	1 064	1 064	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
acres .....	2	2	(NA)	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973 .....	4	4	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	94	94	85	85	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	348	348	(X)	(X)
acres .....	2	2	7	7	Farms with artificial drainage .....	2	2	4	4
acres .....	430	430	1 008	1 008	Proportion of farms .....	0.7	0.7	1.3	1.3
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	19 353	19 353	13 216	13 216	Land in farms with drainage .....	2 746	2 746	4 600	4 600
Average per acre irrigated .....	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	Land drained .....	205	205	197	197
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm .....	102.5	102.5	49.2	49.2
Furrows or ditches .....	23	23	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
acres .....	5 053	5 053	(NA)	(NA)	tanks .....	59	59	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	number .....	196	196	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	acres .....	309	309	(NA)	(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) .....	154	13 342	112	8 891	109	4 451	18	16
Farms by size of debt owed:	19	7	8	7	16	35	16	24
Under \$5,000 .....	7	36	26	19	16	16	16	24
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	25	67	52	52	16	16	16	24
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

**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—	74	72	139	116	659	653	143	74	74	65
150 days or more .....	74	187	180	640	192	54	905	659	192	54
25 to 149 days .....	65	33	388	(NA)	81	24	707	139	180	388
Less than 25 days .....	28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	44	36	33	21
Total contract labor .....	22	(NA)	73	(NA)	75	(NA)	32	22	20	15
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	22	(NA)	73	(NA)	75	(NA)	32	14	12	12
	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	2	7	9
	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	2	8