

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	273	300	201	190	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms	32 311	32 677	30 035	28 103	Total cropland	257	279	189	177
Average size of farm	118	109	149	148	..... farms	25 949	26 301	24 855	23 414
					..... acres	250	267	185	171
Approximate land area	199 936	199 936	199 936	199 936	Harvested cropland	23 764	21 742	23 014	20 067
Proportion in farms	16.2	16.3	15.0	14.1	..... farms				
					..... acres				
Value of land and buildings	103 031	74 881	90 830	62 863	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm	377 405	249 604	451 889	330 857	1 to 9 acres	90	93	48	} 84
Average per acre	3 189	2 292	3 024	2 237	10 to 19 acres	26	28	14	
					20 to 29 acres	22	30	16	
					30 to 49 acres	32	26	30	
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres	22	27	20	25
1 to 9 acres	56	53	38	31	100 to 199 acres	24	34	23	34
10 to 49 acres	111	104	62	44	200 to 499 acres	23	20	23	19
50 to 69 acres	16	32	14	15	500 to 999 acres	8	7	8	7
70 to 99 acres	12	23	12	17	1,000 acres and over	3	2	3	2
100 to 139 acres	14	22	13	19	Cropland used only for pasture				
140 to 179 acres	19	15	19	14	..... farms	32	40	18	25
					..... acres	666	802	536	643
180 to 219 acres	7	11	6	11	Other cropland (see text)	62	142	45	(NA)
220 to 259 acres	3	7	3	7	..... farms	1 519	3 757	1 305	2 704
260 to 499 acres	20	21	20	21	Total woodland	115	125	84	82
500 to 999 acres	12	10	11	9	..... farms	3 415	2 793	3 127	2 411
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3	2	3	2	..... acres	194	218	138	(NA)
2,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-	Other land (see text)	2 947	3 583	2 053	2 278
					..... farms	69	80	60	89
					..... acres	2 828	3 878	2 787	3 768
					Irrigated land	69	80	60	89
					..... farms	2 828	3 878	2 787	3 768
					..... acres				
					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
					..... farms	45	(NA)	72	63
					..... acres	1 305	2 704	2 857	1 879
Other cropland	..... farms		45	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
	..... acres		1 305	2 704	Woodland not pastured	..... farms		72	63
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	..... farms		15	32	..... acres			2 857	1 879
	..... acres		439	1 100	Other land	..... farms		138	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed	..... farms		7	7	..... acres			2 053	2 278
	..... acres		245	135	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture	..... farms		11	22
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	..... farms		5	7	..... acres			484	559
	..... acres		118	122	Improved pastureland and rangeland	..... farms		5	10
Cropland idle	..... farms		28	47	..... acres			234	310
	..... acres		503	1 347	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland	..... farms		8	12
Total woodland	..... farms		84	82	..... acres			250	249
..... acres			3 127	2 411	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	..... farms		137	129
Woodland pastured	..... farms		15	21	..... acres			1 569	1 719
	..... acres		270	532					

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	273	300	201	190	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	32 311	32 677	30 035	28 103	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	16	23
Harvested cropland	23 764	21 742	23 014	20 067	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	2 939	5 775
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	25	17
Full owners	187	191	122	93	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	7 793	3 500
Land in farms	9 360	8 765	7 523	5 541	Other	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Harvested cropland	4 747	3 959	4 250	2 809	..... farms			10	294
Part owners	49	60	47	51	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms	14 482	15 890	14 254	14 696	Under 25 years	4	4	4	1
Harvested cropland	11 360	11 370	11 207	10 905	25 to 34 years	14	20	10	18
Tenants	37	49	32	46	35 to 44 years	33	49	29	30
Land in farms	8 469	8 022	8 258	7 866	45 to 54 years	65	85	47	62
Harvested cropland	7 657	6 413	7 557	6 353	55 to 64 years	72	86	50	48
Percent of tenancy	13.6	16.3	15.9	24.2	65 years and over	56	56	34	31
					Average age	54.8	53.4	53.5	52.0
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	177	242	123	152
All farm operators	2	(NA)	2	-	On another farm	4		4	
Land in farms	121	(NA)	121	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	13	37	12	26
Harvested cropland	48	(NA)	48	-	In a city, town, or urban area	16		14	
Full owners	1	(NA)	1	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms	107	(NA)	107	-	None	107	(NA)	85	(NA)
Harvested cropland	37	(NA)	37	-	1 to 49 days	8	22	8	14
Part owners	1	(NA)	1	-	50 to 99 days	2	11	-	7
Land in farms	14	(NA)	14	-	100 to 149 days	4		2	
Harvested cropland	11	(NA)	11	-	150 to 199 days	19	16	2	7
Tenants	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over	65	84	28	34
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming	155	(NA)	132	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	-	(NA)	-	-	Other	89	(NA)	42	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of				
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	158	148	futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	19 293	18 534	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)

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			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	30	50	30	50			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	38		37				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	33	35	33	35			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	35	30	34	30			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	33	40	33			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	36	19	35			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	78	116	8	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	11	7	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	14	12	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	22	29	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	31	68	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold					Specified products sold:		
\$1,000	15 655	12 146	15 476	11 997	Crops	136	(NA)
Average per farm	57 343	40 486	76 996	63 139	\$1,000	6 186	4 087
Crops, including hay	186	253	136	(NA)	farms	84	83
\$1,000	6 240	8 551	6 186	4 087	farms	2 403	729
Nursery and greenhouse products	79		61	56	\$1,000		
\$1,000	7 516		7 499	4 380	farms		
Forest products	20	10	9	8	Tobacco		
\$1,000	29	5	27	5	farms		
Livestock, poultry, and their products	57	73	42	48	\$1,000		
\$1,000	1 870	3 590	1 764	3 525	farms		
Poultry and poultry products	21	(NA)	12	18	Cotton and cottonseed		
\$1,000	310	(NA)	304	599	farms		
					\$1,000		
					farms		
					Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	17	25
					\$1,000	143	196
					farms	25	29
					Other field crops		
					\$1,000	1 599	1 526
					farms	46	59
					\$1,000	1 111	1 105
					farms	17	22
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons		
					\$1,000	929	531
					farms		
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	42	48
					\$1,000	1 764	3 525
					farms	12	18
					Poultry and poultry products		
					\$1,000	304	599
					farms	7	8
					\$1,000	300	2 560
					farms	22	(NA)
					Cattle and calves		
					\$1,000	1 004	252
					farms	11	(NA)
					Hogs and pigs		
					\$1,000	77	114
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					farms		
					Sheep, lambs, and wool		
					\$1,000		
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					farms		
					Other livestock and livestock products	5	
					\$1,000	78	
					farms		

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	101	(NA)	44	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	105
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	44	(NA)	33	(NA)	\$1,000	1 157
Customwork and other agricultural services	391	(NA)	375	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	18
farms	19	23	16	21	\$1,000	322
\$1,000	77	48	70	39	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	56
Recreational services	4	3	2	2	\$1,000	510
\$1,000	9	8	3	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties	62
Government farm programs	8	89	8	61	farms	215
\$1,000	8	130	8	112	\$1,000	65
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	12	(NA)	8	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	20
farms	30	(NA)	28	(NA)	\$1,000	65
\$1,000	7	(NA)	5	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	15
Other farm-related sources	268	(NA)	266	(NA)	farms	45
\$1,000	17	(NA)	12	(NA)	\$1,000	
farms	75	(NA)	72	(NA)		
\$1,000						

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	273	300	201	190	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	197	214	146	146
\$1,000	13 309	11 767	13 061	11 477	\$1,000	1 103	879	1 093	872
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	208	228	158	154
\$1 to \$999	44	43	4	16	\$1,000	845	506	834	489
\$1,000 to \$1,999	25	54	8	7	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	156	(NA)	128	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	22	29	15	13	\$1,000	443	325	440	316
\$3,000 to \$4,999	21	30	19	21	farms	(NA)	110	54	91
\$5,000 to \$9,999	49	37	45	34	Lime	(NA)	61	70	58
\$10,000 to \$19,999	40		39	31	\$1,000				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	20		20	31	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	269	299	198	190
\$40,000 to \$59,999	16		15		farms	690	487	673	456
\$60,000 and over	36		35		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	196	187
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	297	271
Livestock and poultry purchased	56	54	35	35	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	68	40
\$1,000	762	418	748	408	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	121	20
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	71	74	47	46	farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	27
\$1,000	753	1 011	698	944	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	15
Commercially mixed formula feeds	56	56	42	38	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	198	189
\$1,000	352	668	315	606	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	217	150
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	8	7	Hired farm labor	98	156	88	120
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	48	21	\$1,000	2 894	3 127	2 805	3 090
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	10	7	farms	23	93	22	18
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	174	3	\$1,000	187	273	187	203
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	9	11	farms	67		56	55
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	315	\$1,000	84		81	63
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	29	(NA)	farms	247	260	196	187
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)	\$1,000	5 548	4 743	5 479	4 636

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.....	257	297	190	188					
..... \$1,000.....	6 843	4 629	6 241	4 159					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	26 627	15 585	32 849	22 120					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	-	20	-	51					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	47	108	25	-					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	59	71	32	50					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	53	36	40	27					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	39	-	36	22					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	27	62	26	13					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	11	-	11	-					
\$70,000 and over.....	21	-	20	25					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	186	211	143	138					
..... number.....	266	316	204	223					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	149	203	124	154					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	214	222	170	165					
..... number.....	581	613	523	532					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	172	211	161	173					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	232	260	171	161					
..... number.....	685	772	568	571					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	132	191	118	137					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	19	-	17	18					
..... number.....	31	-	28	47					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	-	5	17					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	40	46	38	39					
..... number.....	46	53	44	46					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	21	20	19					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	8	34	8	9					
..... number.....	9	38	9	9					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	11	5	3					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	23	-	21	17					
..... number.....	25	-	23	17					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	-	1	5					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	23	(NA)	17	(NA)					
..... number.....	23	(NA)	17	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	3	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	30	36	23	29					
..... number.....	31	40	24	33					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	14	3	12					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	12	(NA)	12	12					
..... number.....	12	(NA)	12	13					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	4					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	14	(NA)	12	11					
..... number.....	18	(NA)	16	20					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	3	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		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Any livestock or poultry..... 1974.....	66	(X)	45	(X)	57	(X)	42	(X)	1 764
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	43	(X)	30	(X)	37	(X)	29	(X)	1 081
..... 1969.....	41	(X)	29	(X)	39	(X)	28	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	33	2 751	25	2 561	26	2 374	22	2 275	1 004
..... 1969.....	30	2 753	23	2 533	28	2 851	21	2 772	252
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	11	27	7	19	8	12	6	10	4
..... 1974.....	3	20	1	9	2	16	2	16	3
5 to 9..... 1974.....	8	105	7	89	2	29	1	13	5
..... 1974.....	1	24	1	24	10	280	10	280	65
10 to 19..... 1974.....	5	346	5	346	1	81	-	-	-
..... 1974.....	4	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
20 to 49..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
50 to 99..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 199..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	23	628	18	533	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	22	2 339	17	2 259	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	11	114	8	64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	48	6	41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	13	514	10	469	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	20	2 291	16	2 218	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	300
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	2 560
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle sold.....		Sales, 1974—		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	11	114	8	64	20	1 990	975		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	4	9	3	7	6	13	5		
5 to 9.....	2	10	2	10	4	28	7		
10 to 19.....	3	41	2	25	4	50	23		
20 to 49.....	2	54	1	22	3	62	19		
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-	2	(D)	(D)		
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows.....	13	514	10	469	15	285	29		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	3	3	1	1	3	5	1		
3 or 4.....	2	8	2	8	-	-	-		
5 to 9.....	-	-	-	-	2	10	1		
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-	4	57	5		
20 to 49.....	3	113	2	70	4	94	16		
50 to 99.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	119	6		
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-		
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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	12	145	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	8	1 768	904
1969	13	163	1969	7	49	(NA)
Beef heifers	10	81	Farms with—			
1974	10	81	1 to 9	4	7	4
Milk heifers	3	64	10 to 19	2	(D)	(D)
1974	3	64	20 to 49	1	20	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	17	1 883	50 to 99	—	—	—
1974	17	1 883	100 to 199	—	—	—
1969	17	1 11	200 to 499	—	—	—
			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	20	1 347	12	888	15	1 422	11	947	77
1969	14	632	9	575	13	1 566	10	1 231	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	5	15	1	4	3	8	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	4	30	2	15	1	6	1	6	1
10 to 24	2	40	2	40	2	40	2	40	4
25 to 49	2	66	2	66	2	33	1	33	2
50 to 99	1	63	1	63	2	109	2	109	7
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	556	3	556	49
200 to 499	4	(D)	2	(D)	3	670	1	200	15
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4	568	2	178	3
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	321	2	13	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	5	137	—	—	5	34	—	—	(NA)
1969	11	192	3	20	9	105	2	17	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Goats	22	179	2	3	6	29	3	17	10
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	28	131	(NA)	(NA)	10	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	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	3	64	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	5	157	3	72
1969	5	33	1969	6	53	5	23
Other hogs and pigs	12	824	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	5	75	3	14
1974	9	542	1969	5	29	4	14
1969	—	—	June 1 and November 30	5	82	3	38
Lambs under 1 year old	—	—	1974	4	24	3	9
Ewes 1 year old or older	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
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	21	(X)	12	(X)	17	(X)	11	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	17	19 569	8	18 124	11	8 348	5	7 948
1969	27	66 597	15	61 839	22	48 251	10	36 750
Hens and pullets of laying age	17	17 686	8	16 524	10	8 018	5	7 708
1969	25	63 945	15	61 814	20	46 105	10	36 750
Farms with—								
1 to 99	7	332	2	100	4	110	—	—
100 to 399	5	800	2	300	3	550	2	350
400 to 1,599	2	930	1	500	1	958	1	958
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(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	5	15 530	2	15 000	6	97 647	3	97 500
1974	3	21 000	3	21 000	3	110 000	3	110 000
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	310	12	304
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	18	599
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	8	16 524	5	7 708	Turkeys	1	150	1	(D)
1969	15	61 814	10	36 750	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	7	(D)	4	(D)	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1	(D)	1	(D)	Light breed	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	1 000	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1	150	1	150
1969	—	—	—	—	Other poultry	4	(X)	4	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	2	600	1	240	1969	3	(X)	2	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	200	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	45	35	3 283	2 988	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	5	95	86	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	66	82	8 090	5 923	218 621	163 239
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	61	102	5 437	4 091	217 934	154 908
Other small grains for grain	10	29	357	769	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	24	(NA)	1 767	(NA)	479 855	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	3	(NA)	7	(NA)	1 085	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	45	38	1 192	1 602	2 062	3 805
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	81	95	1 427	1 718	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	24	30	754	831	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	15	30	10	20	(X)	(X)
Other crops	82	(NA)	1 974	1 819	(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)	30	20	2 173	1 727	183 043	161 098	1	1	5	6
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	8	7	962	1 061	17 776	22 502	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grozed	1	2	15	46	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	2	—	17	—	680	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	69	51	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	11	10	265	472	551	895	1	—	5	—

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	18	536	(X)	—	—	2	100	2	10	—	—
1969	25	643	(X)	1	4	7	72	7	19	—	—
Improved pasture	5	234	(X)	—	—	3	74	2	6	1	5
1969	10	310	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for all purposes	33	3 150	(X)	1	5	25	2 814	24	404	7	161
1969	24	2 834	(X)	1	6	23	2 743	20	1 021	5	224
Sorghums for all purposes	2	69	(X)	—	—	1	45	1	4	1	1
1969	3	68	(X)	—	—	2	58	2	15	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	54	5 338	215 870	—	—	45	5 163	34	713	11	227
1969	69	3 590	137 882	3	52	62	3 159	(NA)	418	(NA)	70
Oats (bushels)	2	45	3 800	—	—	2	45	2	5	—	—
1969	1	17	728	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	8	252	18 480	—	—	7	250	4	17	3	33
1969	17	578	36 480	—	—	16	565	(NA)	63	(NA)	31
Rye (bushels)	1	60	1 000	—	—	1	60	1	4	—	—
1969	9	87	2 179	—	—	5	52	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	61	8 063	218 056	—	—	35	5 376	32	823	4	33
1969	53	5 483	154 673	—	—	38	4 143	(NA)	524	(NA)	58
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	32	877	1 537	1	5	7	200	7	23	—	—
1969	27	1 371	3 392	—	—	16	680	14	160	2	14
Field seed crops	1	8	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	21	1 766	479 700	17	1 611	21	1 766	19	1 551	3	114
1969	26	2 429	630 288	23	2 323	26	2 429	(NA)	2 847	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	46	1 277	(X)	19	910	46	1 277	45	770	2	187
1969	59	1 615	(X)	29	1 218	56	1 558	56	1 297	1	1
Land in orchards	16	744	(X)	—	—	14	729	14	160	—	—
1969	15	691	(X)	—	—	15	651	15	181	—	—

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	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	6	5	(X)	2	4	3	3	3	2	-	-
	1969	13	10	(X)	9	9	11	10	11	6	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	61	1 936	(X)	27	247	26	1 030	23	483	9	7
	1969	56	1 761	(X)	24	179	36	1 205	34	375	7	4
Other crops	1974	4	9	(X)	2	6	4	8	2	3	-	-

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—				
farms.....	164	160			Diseases in crops and orchards				
\$1,000.....	1 273	805			farms.....	17		28	
Commercial fertilizer					acres on which used.....	1 088		2 222	
farms.....	158	148			\$1,000.....	59		36	
acres on which used.....	18 949	17 369			Weeds or grass in crops				
tons.....	5 745	7 357			farms.....	62		60	
\$1,000.....	834	489			acres on which used.....	8 697		7 727	
Lime					\$1,000.....	91		59	
farms.....	54	91			Weeds or brush in pasture				
acres on which used.....	4 699	5 631			farms.....	-		-	
tons.....	5 258	5 256			acres on which used.....	-		-	
\$1,000.....	70	58			\$1,000.....	7		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land				
farms.....	-	1			farms.....	73		(NA)	
insects on hay crops.....	-	25			acres on which used.....	2		(NA)	
acres on which used.....	-	(Z)			\$1,000.....	7		8	
\$1,000.....	-				of crops or thinning of fruit				
insects on other crops					farms.....	447		331	
farms.....	59	80			acres on which used.....	6		2	
acres on which used.....	6 638	6 049			\$1,000.....	6		2	
\$1,000.....	180	156			Insect control on livestock and poultry				
tons.....	4	3			farms.....	3		14	
\$1,000.....	29	233			\$1,000.....	1		2	
Nematodes in crops					Other chemicals (see text)				
farms.....	4	3			farms.....	28		(NA)	
acres on which used.....	29	233			\$1,000.....	30		(NA)	
\$1,000.....	1	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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	60	69			Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	29.9	36.3			Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....	17		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	2 787	3 768			acres.....	813		(NA)	
Average per farm	46.5	54.6			Other sprinkler systems	46		(NA)	
acres.....	60	69			farms.....	1 974		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	2 787	3 762			acres.....	9 617		9 468	
Harvested cropland irrigated	60	69			Land in irrigated farms.....	8 540		7 807	
acres.....	2 787	3 758			Cropland.....	8 124		6 890	
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	4			Harvested cropland				
acres.....	-	(NA)			farms.....				
Other cropland irrigated	-	-			acres.....				
acres.....	-	-			Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-			between 1970 and 1973	4		(X)	
acres.....	-	-			acres irrigated in most recent year	50		(X)	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1 474	1 488			Farms with artificial drainage	23		51	
Average per acre irrigated	0.5	0.4			Proportion of farms	11.4		26.8	
acre-feet.....	-	-			percent.....	6 461		12 816	
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	1 591		3 219	
Furrows or ditches	-	(NA)			acres.....	69.2		63.1	
acres.....	-	(NA)			Average per farm				
					acres.....				
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	35		(NA)	
					farms.....	68		(NA)	
					number.....	72		(NA)	
					acres.....				

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)			45	37	19			
			3 047	2 631	416			
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			5	3	6			
\$5,000 to \$9,999			1	3	2			
\$10,000 to \$29,999			18	12	7			
\$30,000 to \$49,999			4	4	2			
\$50,000 and over			17	15	2			

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—							88	57	30	35
150 days or more	57	59	404	691	2 492		2 805	2 492	252	62
25 to 149 days	30	103	361	1 118	62		987	404	222	361
Less than 25 days	35		(NA)	(NA)	187					
Total contract labor	22	18	(NA)	(NA)						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	125	(NA)	137	(NA)				
Farms with—							27	20	2	14
1 worker							13	8	5	3
2 workers							10	14	7	5
3 or 4 workers							16	9	7	3
5 to 9 workers							22	6	9	10
10 workers and over										