

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 .....	507	601	389	411	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms .....	83 358	89 124	74 697	73 168	Total cropland .....	492	568	383	397
Average size of farm .....	164	148	192	178	..... farms .....	56 890	60 961	52 715	54 400
Approximate land area .....	231 360	231 360	231 360	231 360	..... acres .....	471	492	378	384
Proportion in farms .....	36.0	38.5	32.3	31.6	..... farms .....	44 369	38 883	42 864	36 663
Value of land and buildings .....	139 698	79 481	122 951	64 547	<b>Farms by acres harvested:</b>				
Average per farm .....	275 539	132 247	316 070	157 049	1 to 9 acres .....	59	57	25	
Average per acre .....	1 676	892	1 646	882	10 to 19 acres .....	52	39	23	
<b>Farms by size:</b>					20 to 29 acres .....	33	45	19	123
1 to 9 acres .....	27	38	16	17	30 to 49 acres .....	52	84	41	
10 to 49 acres .....	77	70	31	27	50 to 99 acres .....	119	132	114	126
50 to 69 acres .....	42	45	24	21	100 to 199 acres .....	97	98	97	98
70 to 99 acres .....	46	71	30	34	200 to 499 acres .....	54	35	54	35
100 to 139 acres .....	97	109	82	75	500 to 999 acres .....	5	1	5	1
140 to 179 acres .....	55	91	49	72	1,000 acres and over .....	-	1	-	1
180 to 219 acres .....	47	66	45	61	<b>Cropland used only for pasture</b>				
220 to 259 acres .....	29	32	28	30	or grazing .....	287	377	216	257
260 to 499 acres .....	71	71	69	67	..... farms .....	10 160	13 445	8 227	11 339
500 to 999 acres .....	14	6	14	5	..... acres .....	110	244	74	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1	2	-	2	Other cropland (see text) .....	2 361	8 633	1 624	6 398
2,000 acres and over .....	1	-	1	-	<b>Total woodland .....</b>	303	400	223	269
					..... farms .....	15 776	16 453	12 350	10 953
					..... acres .....	422	469	326	(NA)
					Other land (see text) .....	10 692	11 710	9 632	7 815
					..... farms .....	36	39	33	34
					..... acres .....	1 594	995	1 586	975
					<b>Total woodland—Continued</b>				
					Woodland not pastured .....			172	210
					..... farms .....			10 343	8 143
					..... acres .....			326	(NA)
Other cropland .....			74	(NA)	Other land .....			9 632	7 815
..... farms .....			1 624	6 398	..... farms .....			135	135
..... acres .....					..... acres .....			5 465	4 966
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....			29	61	<b>Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture .....</b>			46	67
..... farms .....			602	2 060	..... farms .....			1 387	2 160
..... acres .....			11	20	..... acres .....			102	85
Cropland on which all crops failed .....			236	415	..... farms .....			4 078	2 806
..... farms .....			4	16	<b>Improved pastureland and rangeland .....</b>			295	284
..... acres .....			74	565	..... farms .....			4 167	2 849
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....			41	110	..... acres .....				
..... farms .....			712	3 358	<b>Unimproved pastureland and rangeland .....</b>				
..... acres .....					..... farms .....				
Cropland idle .....					..... acres .....				
..... farms .....			223	269	<b>Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....</b>				
..... acres .....			12 350	10 953	..... farms .....				
Woodland pastured .....			74	101	..... acres .....				
..... farms .....			2 007	2 810					
..... acres .....									

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 .....	507	601	389	411	<b>Farms by type of organization—Con.</b>				
Land in farms .....	83 358	89 124	74 697	73 168	Partnership .....	(NA)	(NA)	46	56
Harvested cropland .....	44 369	38 883	42 864	36 663	..... number .....	(NA)	(NA)	12 810	14 572
<b>Farms by tenure of farm operator:</b>					Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	11	8
Full owners .....	264	354	167	179	..... number .....	(NA)	(NA)	2 674	1 708
Land in farms .....	28 934	40 123	21 663	25 171	Other .....	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Harvested cropland .....	9 689	12 674	8 530	10 657	..... number .....	(NA)	(NA)	3 432	844
Part owners .....	175	149	157	141	<b>Farm operators by age group:<sup>1</sup></b>				
Land in farms .....	41 373	33 638	40 172	32 953	Under 25 years .....	6	10	6	8
Harvested cropland .....	27 053	18 771	26 729	18 667	25 to 34 years .....	38	52	33	40
Tenants .....	68	98	65	91	35 to 44 years .....	97	115	72	86
Land in farms .....	13 051	15 363	12 862	15 044	45 to 54 years .....	121	184	94	122
Harvested cropland .....	7 627	7 438	7 605	7 339	55 to 64 years .....	128	153	102	112
Percent of tenancy .....	13.4	16.3	16.7	22.1	65 years and over .....	104	87	69	43
					Average age .....	53.2	50.9	52.6	49.7
<b>Black and other races, see text—</b>					<b>Farm operators by place of residence:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated .....	407	478	312	340
All farm operators .....	1	(NA)	1	3	On another farm .....	9		7	
Land in farms .....	120	(NA)	120	550	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	23	66	16	42
Harvested cropland .....	60	(NA)	60	76	In a city, town, or urban area .....	14		11	
Full owners .....	1	(NA)	1	3	<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Land in farms .....	120	(NA)	120	550	None .....	213	(NA)	188	(NA)
Harvested cropland .....	60	(NA)	60	76	1 to 49 days .....	23		17	
Part owners .....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days .....	6		5	
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days .....	15		9	
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days .....	27		14	
Tenants .....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	110	158	51	54
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	<b>Farm operators by principal occupation:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming .....	326	(NA)	293	(NA)
Percent of tenancy .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other .....	168	(NA)	83	(NA)
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>					<b>Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....</b>	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Individual or family .....	(NA)	(NA)	330	343	<b>Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....</b>	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)
Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	55 781	56 044					

<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>						
\$100,000 and over .....	36	98	36	98		
\$40,000 to \$99,999 .....	128		128			
\$20,000 to \$39,999 .....	80	132	80	132		
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	51	65	51	65		
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	54	47	54	47		
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	37	59	37	59		
Under \$2,500 (see text) .....	121	200	3	10		
\$2,000 to \$2,499 .....	17	20	(X)	(X)		
\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	21	24	(X)	(X)		
\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	37	19	(X)	(X)		
Under \$1,000 (see text) .....	46	137	(X)	(X)		
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold:</b>						
..... \$1,000 .....	17 269	12 787	17 135	12 638		
Average per farm ..... dollars .....	34 060	21 276	44 048	30 749		
<b>Crops, including hay:</b> farms .....	297	314	242	(NA)		
..... \$1,000 .....	4 995	2 564	4 935	1 956		
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products:</b> farms .....	37		32	15		
..... \$1,000 .....	885		881	534		
<b>Forest products:</b> farms .....	34	20	21	13		
..... \$1,000 .....	22	10	18	9		
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products:</b> farms .....	350	442	281	345		
..... \$1,000 .....	11 366	10 213	11 300	10 139		
<b>Poultry and poultry products:</b> farms .....	48	(NA)	35	31		
..... \$1,000 .....	152	(NA)	147	138		
<b>Specified products sold:</b>						
<b>Crops:</b> farms .....					242	(NA)
..... \$1,000 .....					4 935	1 956
<b>Grains:</b> farms .....					172	152
..... \$1,000 .....					2 004	595
<b>Tobacco:</b> farms .....					-	-
..... \$1,000 .....					-	-
<b>Cotton and cottonseed:</b> farms .....					-	-
..... \$1,000 .....					-	-
<b>Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage:</b> farms .....					95	85
..... \$1,000 .....					437	212
<b>Other field crops:</b> farms .....					4	4
..... \$1,000 .....					12	5
<b>Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons:</b> farms .....					43	37
..... \$1,000 .....					2 120	887
<b>Fruits, nuts, and berries:</b> farms .....					18	18
..... \$1,000 .....					362	256
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products:</b> farms .....					281	345
..... \$1,000 .....					11 300	10 139
<b>Poultry and poultry products:</b> farms .....					35	31
..... \$1,000 .....					147	138
<b>Dairy products:</b> farms .....					182	267
..... \$1,000 .....					9 678	8 430
<b>Cattle and calves:</b> farms .....					252	(NA)
..... \$1,000 .....					1 330	1 458
<b>Hogs and pigs:</b> farms .....					28	(NA)
..... \$1,000 .....					59	(NA)
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool:</b> farms .....					13	113
..... \$1,000 .....					5	
<b>Other livestock and livestock products:</b> farms .....					23	
..... \$1,000 .....					82	

**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	
<b>Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold<sup>1</sup> .....</b>	154	(NA)	65	(NA)	
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup> .....</b>	146	(NA)	123	(NA)	
..... farms .....	377	(NA)	346	(NA)	
..... \$1,000 .....	38	31	32	25	
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services:</b> farms .....	122	50	105	38	
..... \$1,000 .....	13	20	12	7	
<b>Recreational services:</b> farms .....	104	68	104	38	
..... \$1,000 .....	76	225	69	155	
<b>Government farm programs:</b> farms .....	53	236	48	192	
..... \$1,000 .....	45	(NA)	31	(NA)	
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments:</b> farms .....	53	(NA)	44	(NA)	
..... \$1,000 .....	19	(NA)	15	(NA)	
<b>Other farm-related sources:</b> farms .....	45	(NA)	45	(NA)	
..... \$1,000 .....	51	(NA)	43	(NA)	
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup> .....</b>	171	(NA)	162	(NA)	
..... \$1,000 .....					
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup> .....</b>					187
..... farms .....					1 937
..... \$1,000 .....					34
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related:</b> farms .....					312
..... \$1,000 .....					113
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips:</b> farms .....					1 314
..... \$1,000 .....					109
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties:</b> farms .....					171
..... \$1,000 .....					31
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.:</b> farms .....					61
..... \$1,000 .....					35
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property:</b> farms .....					79
..... \$1,000 .....					

<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 .....	507	601	389	411	<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased:</b> farms .....	405	398	343	346
..... \$1,000 .....	12 778	10 289	12 543	10 007	..... \$1,000 .....	364	261	357	256
<b>Farms with:</b>					<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased:</b> farms .....	392	409	331	339
\$1 to \$999 .....	46	80	3	9	..... \$1,000 .....	1 135	524	1 119	510
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	35	69			<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased:</b> farms .....	303	(NA)	269	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999 .....	35	44	14	11	..... \$1,000 .....	387	181	383	175
\$3,000 to \$4,999 .....	64	37	42	23	<b>Lime:</b> farms .....	(NA)	147	73	121
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	42	96	36	93	..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	43	52	40
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	72		72		<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business:</b> farms .....	494	590	383	411
\$20,000 to \$39,999 .....	101	275	101	126	..... \$1,000 .....	882	476	863	449
\$40,000 to \$59,999 .....	66		66		<b>Gasoline:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	377	407
\$60,000 and over .....	46		46	56	..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	503	332
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased:</b> farms .....	231	309	171	249	<b>Diesel oil:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	147	126
..... \$1,000 .....	953	1 236	912	1 215	..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	129	47
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased:</b> farms .....	346	448	264	329	<b>LP gas, butane, and propane:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	66	47
..... \$1,000 .....	2 456	2 198	2 409	2 144	..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	48	20
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds:</b> farms .....	270	322	224	262	<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	381	411
..... \$1,000 .....	1 803	1 516	1 785	1 493	..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	183	49
<b>Feed ingredients:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	98	129	<b>Hired farm labor:</b> farms .....	198	334	180	294
..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	365	429	..... \$1,000 .....	1 244	1 233	1 240	1 218
<b>Whole grains:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	75	89	<b>Contract labor:</b> farms .....	18	194	17	14
..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	202	139	..... \$1,000 .....	22	117	22	40
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	28	70	<b>Machine hire and customwork:</b> farms .....	175		150	153
..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	57	83	..... \$1,000 .....	116		113	71
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry:</b> farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	210	(NA)	<b>All other production expenses:</b> farms .....	481	536	389	411
..... \$1,000 .....	(NA)	(NA)	129	(NA)	..... \$1,000 .....	5 220	4 064	4 999	3 930

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>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	486	585	374	405					
\$1,000.....	12 446	7 404	11 235	6 517					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	25 608	12 656	30 040	16 091					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	24	-	76					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	54	171	33	79					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	80	110	35	79					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	102	148	73	125					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	89	-	78	66					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	99	-	94	43					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	34	132	34	16					
\$70,000 and over.....	27	-	27	-					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....farms.....	406	461	323	358					
.....number.....	635	738	507	582					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	332	459	261	357					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	423	488	329	365					
.....number.....	782	826	664	687					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	249	300	210	235					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	442	538	347	381					
.....number.....	1 328	1 522	1 179	1 188					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	224	357	215	295					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	80	-	59	71					
.....number.....	121	-	96	95					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	-	3	16					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	62	41	62	37					
.....number.....	68	46	68	42					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	18	19	17					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	48	217	47	39					
.....number.....	54	255	53	43					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	26	73	26	19					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	170	-	157	184					
.....number.....	185	-	171	197					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	-	31	53					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	210	(NA)	191	(NA)					
.....number.....	224	(NA)	200	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	74	(NA)	70	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	278	332	244	294					
.....number.....	286	348	252	309					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	52	127	48	114					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	71	(NA)	62	64					
.....number.....	73	(NA)	63	73					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	(NA)	16	39					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	167	(NA)	158	175					
.....number.....	207	(NA)	198	202					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	51	(NA)	51	75					

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.....	375	(X)	289	(X)	350	(X)	281	(X)	11 300
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	343	(X)	266	(X)	320	(X)	260	(X)	1 394
.....1969.....	406	(X)	318	(X)	401	(X)	324	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	321	18 579	255	17 943	301	9 890	252	9 584	1 330
.....1969.....	364	20 298	314	19 727	369	13 885	322	13 641	1 458
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	24	62	7	14	46	119	22	64	15
5 to 9.....1974.....	29	194	8	54	32	217	18	128	37
10 to 19.....1974.....	39	516	18	256	55	774	46	674	129
20 to 49.....1974.....	63	1 991	56	1 803	117	3 811	115	3 749	551
50 to 99.....1974.....	113	7 831	113	7 831	40	2 544	40	2 544	339
100 to 199.....1974.....	43	5 339	43	5 339	7	857	7	857	116
200 to 499.....1974.....	10	2 646	10	2 646	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	280	11 882	237	11 558	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	313	13 564	287	13 444	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	115	1 383	77	1 110	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	862	54	776	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	213	10 499	190	10 448	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	273	12 702	256	12 668	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	182	(X)	9 678
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	267	(X)	8 430
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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.....	115	1 383	77	1 110	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 to 4.....	47	104	28	56	1 to 4.....	44	120	40	
5 to 9.....	20	132	9	49	5 to 9.....	83	558	192	
10 to 19.....	18	248	12	166	10 to 19.....	55	716	255	
20 to 49.....	28	799	26	739	20 to 49.....	31	959	380	
50 to 99.....	2	100	2	100	50 to 99.....	5	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	-	-	-	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	213	10 499	190	10 448	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 or 2.....	22	30	7	10	1 or 2.....	9	12	1	
3 or 4.....	7	25	1	4	3 or 4.....	14	50	3	
5 to 9.....	6	37	4	27	5 to 9.....	13	99	7	
10 to 19.....	2	26	2	26	10 to 19.....	40	555	30	
20 to 49.....	73	2 636	73	2 636	20 to 49.....	104	3 171	144	
50 to 99.....	90	5 746	90	5 746	50 to 99.....	22	1 323	56	
100 to 199.....	8	917	8	917	100 to 199.....	3	346	12	
200 to 499.....	5	1 082	5	1 082	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	1	(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.....	195	4 900	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	40	386	149
1974.....	257	4 765	1969.....	18	364	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	60	484	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	168	4 416	1 to 9.....	20	62	25
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	154	1 485	10 to 19.....	16	221	98
1974.....	200	1 518	20 to 49.....	4	103	27
1969.....			50 to 99.....	—	—	—
			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 .....	41	793	32	769	33	813	28	760	59
1974.....	32	663	24	570	30	1 184	23	1 088	(NA)
1969.....									
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	18	39	10	25	10	30	7	18	2
5 to 9.....	5	30	5	30	7	49	6	43	3
10 to 24.....	8	95	7	85	5	77	5	77	7
25 to 49.....	5	204	5	204	2	65	1	30	1
50 to 99.....	4	275	4	275	7	392	7	392	31
100 to 199.....	1	150	1	150	2	200	2	200	16
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	124	7	96	2
1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	207	9	207	(NA)
1969.....									
Sheep and lambs .....	38	531	20	203	25	409	12	141	(NA)
1974.....	55	1 114	17	446	41	691	11	278	(NA)
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	13	175	11 178
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	13	(X)	5
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(NA)	(NA)	5	57	(NA)	(NA)	3	33	2
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	5	7	(NA)	(NA)	3	15	(NA)
1974.....	82	346	47	238	17	46	14	41	73
1969.....	98	391	(NA)	(NA)	17	69	(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 .....	15	104	24	127	17	118
1974.....	16	117	22	161	16	149
1969.....	30	665	17	58	12	51
Other hogs and pigs .....	23	453	13	71	13	71
1974.....	9	22	16	69	14	67
1969.....	18	169	21	90	15	78
Lambs under 1 year old .....	18	169				
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	12	12				
Rams and wethers .....						

  

	Inventory				Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....		December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	15	104	63	(X)	27	(X)	24	(X)
1974.....	16	117	51	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)
1969.....	30	665	58	11 802	20	6 802	17	6 713
Other hogs and pigs .....	23	453	49	15 530	30	22 538	25	22 248
1974.....	9	22	58	11 571	20	6 727	17	6 656
1969.....	18	169	44	15 308	28	6 288	23	5 998
Lambs under 1 year old .....	18	169						
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	12	12						
Rams and wethers .....								

<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 .....	87	(X)	63	(X)	27	(X)	24	(X)
1974.....	(NA)	(X)	51	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)
1969.....	82	12 961	58	11 802	20	6 802	17	6 713
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	77	17 972	49	15 530	30	22 538	25	22 248
1974.....	80	12 607	58	11 571	20	6 727	17	6 656
1969.....	72	17 405	44	15 308	28	6 288	23	5 998
Hens and pullets of laying age .....								
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	58	1 942	39	1 306	10	369	7	298
100 to 399.....	16	2 415	13	2 015	5	788	5	788
400 to 1,599.....	3	2 250	3	2 250	3	(D)	3	(D)
1,600 to 3,199.....	3	6 000	3	6 000	2	(D)	2	(D)
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 .....	12	890	11	864	9	3 249	8	3 199
1974.....	4	100	—	—	4	600	4	600
1969.....								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	48	152	35	147
1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	31	138
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 .....	58	11 571	17	6 656	Turkeys .....	1	2	1	200
Hens for table or market egg production .....	44	15 308	23	5 998	Turkeys for slaughter .....	1	2	1	200
Hens for hatching egg production .....	57	11 371	16	6 583	Heavy breed .....	1	2	1	200
Pullets 3 months old or older .....	2	10	—	—	Light breed .....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding .....	13	221	2	57	Turkey hens for breeding .....	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	3	60	—	—	Other poultry .....	7	(X)	6	(X)
						12	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes .....	318	310	20 130	15 657	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes .....	23	28	167	245	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	47	13	1 929	239	49 567	8 081	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels) .....	87	87	1 724	1 105	69 255	45 239	—	—
Other small grains for grain .....	112	150	2 071	3 167	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	6	(NA)	16	(NA)	3 065	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels) .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	347	388	17 072	17 169	44 507	48 596	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	56	53	1 775	1 096	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards .....	27	16	375	441	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale .....	10	11	11	28	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops .....	44	(NA)	404	147	(X)	(X)	(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) .....	250	240	13 810	9 644	1 210 422	897 003	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	174	212	5 942	5 441	73 273	76 425	1	25
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed .....	6	18	93	181	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels) .....	1	4	4	32	160	1 536	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. ....	16	(NA)	149	213	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	219	259	9 168	10 790	28 087	34 787	1	20

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 .....	216	8 227	(X)	—	—	35	1 051	32	153	5	10
Improved pasture .....	257	11 339	(X)	1	105	83	2 301	69	469	14	40
Corn for all purposes .....	46	1 387	(X)	—	—	12	429	12	82	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes .....	67	2 160	(X)	—	—	27	867	25	152	2	6
Wheat (bushels) .....	290	19 845	(X)	—	—	250	17 972	237	3 878	46	370
Oats (bushels) .....	286	15 266	(X)	1	25	237	13 218	229	2 929	36	272
Barley (bushels) .....	17	153	(X)	—	—	12	117	11	35	1	1
Rye (bushels) .....	28	245	(X)	—	—	24	190	22	42	2	3
Other small grains for grain .....	81	1 680	67 975	—	—	68	1 431	62	202	12	27
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	81	1 049	43 590	—	—	74	975	(NA)	168	(NA)	14
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	97	1 602	80 901	—	—	70	1 101	66	159	4	8
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	127	2 327	106 191	1	30	103	1 957	(NA)	292	(NA)	26
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	22	330	17 773	—	—	17	302	15	41	3	6
Land in orchards .....	41	652	30 045	—	—	33	523	(NA)	79	(NA)	2
Other crops .....	6	36	1 322	—	—	3	24	2	3	1	1
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	3	10	275	—	—	3	10	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels) .....	1	38	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. ....	46	1 928	49 546	—	—	36	1 560	28	174	8	10
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	12	227	7 661	—	—	10	192	(NA)	22	(NA)	—
Field seed crops .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	5	16	2 965	—	—	4	16	4	9	—	—
Land in orchards .....	4	12	1 325	4	12	4	12	(NA)	12	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	287	16 038	42 902	—	—	76	3 670	69	663	11	64
Field seed crops .....	306	15 630	46 136	1	20	112	5 267	102	976	13	60
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight) .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry) .....	43	1 745	(X)	22	1 410	43	1 681	43	1 043	2	3
Field seed crops .....	38	1 065	(X)	20	704	35	995	34	647	3	19
Cotton (bales) .....	17	358	(X)	1	18	10	335	9	30	1	13
Other crops .....	11	428	(X)	2	60	8	380	8	39	—	—

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
Berries for sale .....	7	10	(X)	3	4	2	5	2	1	-	-
1974 .....	6	25	(X)	5	22	5	22	5	11	-	-
1969 .....	32	378	(X)	13	132	16	286	17	155	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	15	126	(X)	2	24	9	118	6	56	4	1
1974 .....	6	15	(X)	-	-	3	8	-	-	-	-
1969 .....											
Other crops .....											
1974 .....											
1969 .....											

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 .....	337	501	353	684	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	17	20		
Commercial fertilizer .....	331	318	318	318	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	574	683		
acres on which used .....	30 002	27 042	27 042	27 042	acres on which used .....	22	15		
tons .....	7 144	6 342	6 342	6 342	Weeds or grass in crops .....	178	206		
Lime .....	1 119	510	510	510	acres on which used .....	16 183	12 803		
acres on which used .....	73	121	121	121	tons .....	8	60		
tons .....	3 279	3 349	3 349	3 349	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	8	19		
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control .....	4 551	4 778	4 778	4 778	acres on which used .....	136	213		
Insects on hay crops .....	24	28	28	28	tons .....	1	1		
acres on which used .....	902	957	957	957	Weeds on all other land .....	27	(NA)		
Insects on other crops .....	106	54	54	54	acres on which used .....	215	(NA)		
acres on which used .....	7 842	2 247	2 247	2 247	tons .....	2	(NA)		
Nematodes in crops .....	3	38	38	38	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	6	9		
acres on which used .....	34	146	146	146	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	159	190		
of crops or thinning of fruit .....	4	6	6	6	acres on which used .....	1	1		
acres on which used .....					Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	41	123		
					tons .....	6	10		
					Other chemicals (see text) .....	41	(NA)		
					acres on which used .....	14	(NA)		
					tons .....				

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 .....	33	586	34	975	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	8.5	48.1	8.2	28.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	6	(NA)		
Total land irrigated .....	33	33	32	32	Other sprinkler systems .....	281	(NA)		
Cropland irrigated .....	1 586	963	963	963	acres .....	25	(NA)		
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	33	31	31	31	Land in irrigated farms .....	1 165	(NA)		
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	1 546	858	858	858	acres .....	2 882	3 392		
Other cropland irrigated .....	40	105	105	105	Cropland .....	2 294	2 559		
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Harvested cropland .....	1 915	1 582		
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	911	658	658	658	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	1	(X)		
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	between 1970 and 1973 .....	40	(X)		
Land irrigated by—					acres irrigated in most recent year .....	31	42		
Furrows or ditches .....	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage .....	8.0	10.2		
acres .....	80	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms .....	7 886	8 782		
					Land in farms with drainage .....	1 397	2 314		
					acres .....	45.1	55.0		
					Average per farm .....				
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks .....	78	(NA)		
					number .....	166	(NA)		
					acres .....	203	(NA)		

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) ..... <th rowspan="2">Farms</th> <th colspan="2">Total operator debt</th> <th colspan="2">Secured by real estate</th> <th colspan="2">Not secured by real estate</th>	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000					
		161	103	101	101		
		6 648	4 876	1 772	1 772		
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000 .....		29	11	38	38		
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		21	14	11	11		
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		37	19	29	29		
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		24	20	13	13		
\$50,000 and over .....		50	39	10	10		

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—						
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days			
Hired farm workers working—														
150 days or more .....	94	139	229	289	916	1 218	Farms	180	94	61	75			
25 to 149 days .....	61	215	285	635	266		Cash wages paid — \$1,000 .....	1 240	916	266	57			
Less than 25 days .....	75		449		57		Number of workers .....	963	229	285	449			
Total contract labor .....	17	14	(NA)	(NA)	22	40	Farms with—							
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	6	(NA)	28	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 worker .....	72	47	23	27			
							2 workers .....	32	24	12	12			
							3 or 4 workers .....	32	12	13	21			
							5 to 9 workers .....	29	9	8	8			
							10 workers and over .....	15	2	5	7			