

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	592	734	406	449	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms ..... acres	132 607	159 559	111 461	121 773	Total cropland ..... farms	570	702	397	434
Average size of farm ..... acres	224	217	275	271	Total cropland ..... acres	71 944	86 259	62 471	68 919
Approximate land area ..... acres	335 360	335 360	335 360	335 360	Harvested cropland ..... farms	551	643	396	420
Proportion in farms ..... percent	39.5	47.6	33.2	36.3	Harvested cropland ..... acres	49 164	47 903	44 997	42 588
Value of land and buildings ..... \$1,000	55 682	26 925	47 874	21 158	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm ..... dollars	94 057	36 682	117 917	47 122	1 to 9 acres .....	36	51	14	112
Average per acre ..... dollars	420	169	430	174	10 to 19 acres .....	53	76	19	
					20 to 29 acres .....	53	65	12	
					30 to 49 acres .....	100	121	54	
					50 to 99 acres .....	126	152	114	
Farms by size:					100 to 199 acres .....	117	136	117	135
1 to 9 acres .....	24	17	8	10	200 to 499 acres .....	65	41	65	41
10 to 49 acres .....	32	71	11	24	500 to 999 acres .....	1	1	1	1
50 to 69 acres .....	31	46	8	9	1,000 acres and over .....	-	-	-	-
70 to 99 acres .....	68	44	37	11	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	379	470	251	309
100 to 139 acres .....	72	82	31	45	Other cropland (see text) ..... farms	18 487	27 534	14 395	20 357
140 to 179 acres .....	70	110	51	52	Other cropland (see text) ..... acres	165	282	120	257
180 to 219 acres .....	48	61	34	39	Total woodland ..... farms	4 293	10 822	3 079	5 974
220 to 259 acres .....	55	80	44	65	Total woodland ..... acres	488	624	348	383
260 to 499 acres .....	143	179	134	150	Other land (see text) ..... farms	37 909	43 566	30 624	31 433
500 to 999 acres .....	45	38	44	38	Other land (see text) ..... acres	493	593	340	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	4	6	4	6	Irrigated land ..... farms	22 754	29 734	18 366	21 421
2,000 acres and over .....	-	-	-	-	Irrigated land ..... acres	10	4	9	4
						216	65	211	65
					<b>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over</b>				
					<b>1974</b>				
					<b>1969</b>				
Other cropland ..... farms			120	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... acres			3 079	5 974	Woodland not pastured ..... farms				
Cropland on which all crops failed ..... acres			47	52	Woodland not pastured ..... acres				
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ..... farms			1 151	2 031	Other land ..... farms				
Cropland idle ..... acres			18	14	Other land ..... acres				
			261	110	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ..... farms				
			5	23	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ..... acres				
			73	1 219	Improved pastureland and rangeland ..... farms				
			66	103	Improved pastureland and rangeland ..... acres				
			1 594	2 614	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ..... farms				
Total woodland ..... farms			348	383	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ..... acres				
Woodland pastured ..... farms			30 624	31 433	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms				
Woodland pastured ..... acres			154	174	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... acres				
			7 546	8 198					

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	592	734	406	449	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ..... acres	132 607	159 559	111 461	121 773	Partnership ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	49	58
Harvested cropland ..... acres	49 164	47 903	44 997	42 588	Land in farms ..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	19 975	22 060
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	7	6
Full owners ..... number	367	508	197	249	Land in farms ..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 683	2 846
Land in farms ..... acres	62 947	89 216	43 573	54 966	Other ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	-	4
Harvested cropland ..... acres	18 563	22 070	14 989	17 335	Land in farms ..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	587
Part owners ..... number	207	209	191	187	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms ..... acres	65 190	67 533	63 418	64 737	Under 25 years .....	9	10	8	6
Harvested cropland ..... acres	28 512	24 979	27 919	24 469	25 to 34 years .....	54	59	44	33
Tenants ..... number	18	17	18	13	35 to 44 years .....	134	180	95	118
Land in farms ..... acres	4 470	2 810	4 470	2 070	45 to 54 years .....	164	225	110	143
Harvested cropland ..... acres	2 089	854	2 089	784	55 to 64 years .....	139	158	96	96
Percent of tenancy .....	3.0	2.3	4.4	2.8	65 years and over .....	85	102	46	53
					Average age .....	50.5	50.3	49.0	49.7
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated .....	498	660	351	411
All farm operators ..... number	1	(NA)	1	-	On another farm .....	12	-	4	-
Land in farms ..... acres	608	(NA)	608	-	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	-	38	3	14
Harvested cropland ..... acres	330	(NA)	330	-	In a city, town, or urban area .....	18	-	6	-
Full owners ..... number	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms ..... acres	-	(NA)	-	-	None .....	255	(NA)	209	(NA)
Harvested cropland ..... acres	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days .....	31	33	22	26
Part owners ..... number	1	(NA)	1	-	50 to 99 days .....	14	17	9	10
Land in farms ..... acres	608	(NA)	608	-	100 to 149 days .....	7	7	4	-
Harvested cropland ..... acres	330	(NA)	330	-	150 to 199 days .....	29	48	19	28
Tenants ..... number	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	165	270	63	77
Land in farms ..... acres	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland ..... acres	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming .....	376	(NA)	321	(NA)
Percent of tenancy .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other .....	209	(NA)	78	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Individual or family ..... number	(NA)	(NA)	350	381	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	44	(NA)
Land in farms ..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	89 803	96 280					

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.....	27	76	27	76	Crops.....farms.....	184	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	124		124		\$1,000.....	886	465
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	94	142	94	142	farms.....	101	83
					\$1,000.....	307	134
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	70	108	70	108	farms.....	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	27	60	27	60	\$1,000.....	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	56	57	56	57	farms.....	-	-
					\$1,000.....	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	194	291	8	6	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms.....	105	92
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	33	18	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	367	203
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	36	41	(X)	(X)	farms.....	24	16
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	32	50	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	44	48
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	93	182	(X)	(X)	farms.....	14	15
					\$1,000.....	102	56
					farms.....	10	9
					\$1,000.....	65	24
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	17 243	12 455	17 030	12 222	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms.....	345	427
Average per farm.....dollars.....	29 127	16 968	41 947	27 220	\$1,000.....	15 626	11 351
					farms.....	30	36
Crops, including hay.....farms.....	282	334	184	(NA)	\$1,000.....	2 388	1 545
\$1,000.....	968	925	886	465	farms.....	269	350
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms.....	13		12	9	\$1,000.....	11 747	8 481
\$1,000.....	476		475	369	farms.....	333	(NA)
					\$1,000.....	1 374	1 216
Forest products.....farms.....	31	45	23	30	farms.....	27	(NA)
\$1,000.....	45	42	43	36	\$1,000.....	57	109
					farms.....	2	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms.....	492	615	345	427	\$1,000.....	1	(NA)
\$1,000.....	15 753	11 488	15 626	11 351	farms.....		
					\$1,000.....		
Poultry and poultry products.....farms.....	50	(NA)	30	36	Other livestock and livestock products.....farms.....	20	
\$1,000.....	2 393	(NA)	2 388	1 545	\$1,000.....	61	

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> .....	228	(NA)	71	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup> .....farms.....	231
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms.....	157	(NA)	106	(NA)	\$1,000.....	1 678
\$1,000.....	389	(NA)	359	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....farms.....	44
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms.....	43	38	29	31	\$1,000.....	327
\$1,000.....	300	39	286	35	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms.....	122
					\$1,000.....	1 051
Recreational services.....farms.....	1	5	1	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms.....	115
\$1,000.....	(2)	40	(2)	38	\$1,000.....	143
Government farm programs.....farms.....	81	213	65	113	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....farms.....	40
\$1,000.....	35	116	31	63	\$1,000.....	123
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms.....	44	(NA)	21	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property.....farms.....	21
\$1,000.....	30	(NA)	21	(NA)	\$1,000.....	33
Other farm-related sources.....farms.....	29	(NA)	25	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	23	(NA)	21	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup> .....farms.....	49	(NA)	33	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	216	(NA)	210	(NA)		

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

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses.....farms.....	592	734	406	449	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms.....	420	451	340	341
\$1,000.....	14 224	9 969	13 823	9 572	\$1,000.....	307	209	297	200
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased.....farms.....	424	470	347	365
\$1 to \$999.....	53	130	22	13	\$1,000.....	659	361	641	346
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	77	109			Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....farms.....	316	(NA)	277	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	42	50	17	21	\$1,000.....	204	142	197	137
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	58	74	17	49	farms.....	(NA)	193	129	168
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	80	88	68	83	\$1,000.....	(NA)	80	95	75
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	71		71	122	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms.....	589	730	406	449
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	103		103	118	\$1,000.....	606	424	559	378
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	56		56		farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	398	442
\$60,000 and over.....	52	283	52	43	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	373	284
					farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	173	123
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms.....	270	345	169	209	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	92	26
\$1,000.....	943	1 018	890	964	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	71	112
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....farms.....	508	616	344	415	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	30	23
\$1,000.....	5 784	3 493	5 680	3 427	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	406	449
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms.....	425	475	320	352	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	65	46
\$1,000.....	4 938	2 851	4 877	2 814	Hired farm labor.....farms.....	225	382	190	299
Feed ingredients.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	87	64	\$1,000.....	788	684	776	668
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	427	354	farms.....	17	281	15	14
Whole grains.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	74	59	\$1,000.....	25	79	25	12
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	273	186	farms.....	109		185	193
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	58	77	\$1,000.....	245		101	59
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	101	73	farms.....	562	662	404	449
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	271	(NA)	\$1,000.....	4 800	3 559	4 516	3 380
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	141	(NA)					

**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	591	728	406	448				
	\$1,000	13 964	7 625	12 228	6 533				
	dollars	23 627	10 474	30 119	14 581				
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999		3	11						
\$1,000 to \$4,999		78	285	19	86				
\$5,000 to \$9,999		97	149	35	93				
\$10,000 to \$19,999		123	155	84	145				
\$20,000 to \$29,999		103		106	60				
\$30,000 to \$49,999		103	128	98	55				
\$50,000 to \$69,999		43		42					
\$70,000 and over		22		22	9				
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles	farms	492	603	357	383				
	number	649	770	479	505				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	342	463	264	291				
Motor trucks, including pickups	farms	506	501	365	345				
	number	723	723	547	520				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	287	324	207	226				
Wheel tractors	farms	572	654	402	426				
	number	1 488	1 605	1 199	1 147				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	264	398	254	316				
Crawler tractors	farms	75		60	53				
	number	79		61	108				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	10		8	13				
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms	45	47	40	42				
	number	45	50	40	45				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	3	19	3	18				
Corn heads for combines	farms	20	98	18	16				
	number	22	106	20	16				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	7	38	7	11				
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms	92		81	69				
	number	95		84	71				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	16		16	27				
Mower conditioners	farms	259	(NA)	218	(NA)				
	number	272	(NA)	231	(NA)				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	127	(NA)	125	(NA)				
Pickup balers	farms	423	465	326	362				
	number	438	486	339	379				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	109	179	106	158				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	farms	106	(NA)	90	76				
	number	112	(NA)	96	80				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	40	(NA)	38	43				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms	265	(NA)	247	222				
	number	313	(NA)	295	240				
	mfd in last 5 years, number	117	(NA)	116	127				

**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	524	(X)	354	(X)	492	(X)	345	(X)	15 626
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1974	488	(X)	334	(X)	473	(X)	334	(X)	1 431
	1969	577	(X)	394	(X)	574	(X)	405	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	1974	481	26 553	330	24 229	462	10 535	333	9 853	1 374
	1969	566	26 927	393	24 441	553	12 696	403	11 842	1 216
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	34	100	10	32	88	217	20	51	8
	1974	23	165	2	15	85	547	43	298	80
5 to 9	1974	70	985	14	199	86	1 227	69	1 001	119
	1974	145	4 559	95	3 239	156	4 874	154	4 833	626
10 to 19	1974	126	8 856	126	8 856	37	2 490	37	2 490	335
	1974	71	9 187	71	9 187	10	1 180	10	1 180	206
20 to 49	1974	12	2 701	12	2 701	—	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974	437	14 723	314	13 758	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	491	15 326	380	14 585	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974	172	1 493	66	639	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	(NA)	1 773	78	1 104	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974	320	13 230	281	13 119	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	385	13 553	348	13 481	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	269	(X)	11 747
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	350	(X)	8 481
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>										
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	172	1 493	66	639	Cattle sold	290	3 317		1 132	
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 to 4	66	161	25	56	1 to 4	64	171		49	
	51	339	19	127	5 to 9	106	706		221	
5 to 9	40	551	12	170	10 to 19	82	1 085		352	
10 to 19	15	442	10	286	20 to 49	33	948		300	
20 to 49	—	—	—	—	50 to 99	3	(D)		(D)	
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	100 to 199	2	(D)		(D)	
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—		—	
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—		—	
500 and over	—	—	—	—						
Milk cows	320	13 230	281	13 119	Calves sold	290	6 536		242	
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 or 2	39	50	13	17	1 or 2	20	33		3	
	5	16	1	4	3 or 4	8	28		1	
3 or 4	14	101	5	35	5 to 9	32	226		13	
5 to 9	10	147	10	147	10 to 19	96	1 339		57	
10 to 19	144	4 813	144	4 813	20 to 49	110	3 141		122	
20 to 49	91	6 008	91	6 008	50 to 99	20	1 276		35	
50 to 99	17	2 095	17	2 095	100 to 199	4	493		12	
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—		—	
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—		—	
500 and over	—	—	—	—						

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Heifers and heifer calves .....	1974..	294	9 112	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	1974..	35	324	102
	1969..	363	8 748		1969..	14	166	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	1974..	58	625	Farms with—	1974..	24	110	38
Milk heifers .....	1974..	265	8 487	1 to 9 .....	1974..	6	72	27
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	1974..	214	1 359	10 to 19 .....	1974..	5	142	37
	1969..	248	1 108	20 to 49 .....	1974..	—	—	—
				50 to 99 .....	1974..	—	—	—
				100 to 199 .....	1974..	—	—	—
				200 to 499 .....	1974..	—	—	—
				500 and over .....	1974..	—	—	—

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 .....	1974..	88	1 122	51	906	57	1 772	27	1 578	57
	1969..	63	661	33	510	46	931	22	738	(NA)
Farms with—	1974..	56	142	34	81	20	33	5	9	1
1 to 4 .....	1974..	13	77	4	22	15	100	11	72	6
5 to 9 .....	1974..	10	152	4	52	13	174	2	32	2
10 to 24 .....	1974..	5	171	5	171	3	90	3	90	6
25 to 49 .....	1974..	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	187	2	187	6
50 to 99 .....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	1974..	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	1 188	4	1 188	37
200 to 499 .....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over .....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	1 120	9	1 056	24
Feeder pigs sold .....	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	429	5	331	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	1974..	20	302	5	39	11	162	2	23	(NA)
	1969..	22	440	4	63	20	351	6	30	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	24	159
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	1
Goats .....	1974..	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
	1969..	(NA)	(NA)	4	8	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	1974..	141	628	78	431	19	44	12	30	9
	1969..	163	652	(NA)	(NA)	12	76	(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 .....	1974..	13	113	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	1974..	34	185	14	151
	1969..	13	120	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....	1969..	25	122	13	89
Other hogs and pigs .....	1974..	50	793	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	1974..	19	96	11	81
	1969..	29	390	June 1 and November 30 .....	1974..	18	56	12	42
Lambs under 1 year old .....	1974..	4	15		1969..	29	89	14	70
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	1974..	4	22		1969..	20	66	12	47
Rams and wethers .....	1974..	1	2						

<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 .....	1974..	86	(X)	51	(X)	27	(X)	20	(X)
	1969..	(NA)	(X)	51	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	1974..	82	237 344	47	235 594	19	171 252	14	167 781
	1969..	114	217 894	46	215 319	37	262 981	22	261 986
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	1974..	80	237 033	46	235 501	18	143 845	13	140 375
	1969..	99	177 568	42	175 715	29	131 474	15	130 589
Farms with—	1974..	60	1 413	31	701	6	165	3	95
1 to 99 .....	1974..	11	1 620	6	800	4	1 080	4	(D)
100 to 399 .....	1974..	3	1 500	3	1 500	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599 .....	1974..	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	—	—
1,600 to 3,199 .....	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 .....	1974..	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999 .....	1974..	3	102 000	3	102 000	4	122 200	4	122 200
20,000 to 49,999 .....	1974..	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	1974..	9	25 255	3	25 135	4	100 070	2	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	1969..	6	16 100	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	50	2 393	30	2 388
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	36	1 545

**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.....1974.....	46	235 501	13	140 375	Turkeys.....1974.....	2	19	2	58
.....1969.....	42	175 715	15	130 589	.....1969.....	1	7	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	45	235 472	13	140 375	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	2	17	2	58
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	2	29	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974.....	2	17	2	58
.....1969.....	1	5	2	(D)	Light breed.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	4	39 560	5	92 500	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	1	2	-	-
.....1969.....	12	88	1	6	.....1969.....	1	1	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	5	16 410	2	200	Other poultry.....1974.....	7	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	.....1969.....	14	(X)	4	(X)

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	369	326	13 610	9 720	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	11	33	183	253	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	2	2	16	60	480	2 000
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	43	39	409	506	13 640	16 478
Other small grains for grain.....	240	274	4 737	4 665	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	36	(NA)	75	(NA)	11 168	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	478	572	31 002	32 514	59 733	60 454
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	23	29	319	286	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	8	3	20	11	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	12	12	62	31	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	22	(NA)	215	238	(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).....	153	106	3 892	2 154	284 007	208 425	1	1
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	261	264	9 339	7 156	111 927	106 671	2	1
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	5	20	37	136	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	-	2	-	12	-	480	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	9	(NA)	156	201	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	208	152	8 252	5 738	18 794	13 299	1	1

**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.....1974.....	251	14 395	(X)	-	-	35	923	34	102	1	(Z)
.....1969.....	309	20 357	(X)	-	-	53	1 670	53	208	-	-
Improved pasture.....1974.....	76	2 893	(X)	-	-	12	500	12	46	-	-
.....1969.....	93	4 713	(X)	-	-	31	781	31	136	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	315	13 268	(X)	3	60	277	11 717	270	2 268	18	63
.....1969.....	284	9 446	(X)	1	40	246	8 348	246	1 966	6	7
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	9	156	(X)	-	-	5	97	5	20	-	-
.....1969.....	31	213	(X)	-	-	30	201	30	50	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	32	345	11 833	-	-	24	275	24	42	-	-
.....1969.....	37	485	15 478	-	-	22	263	(NA)	46	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	191	4 103	213 451	-	-	133	3 084	133	437	-	-
.....1969.....	227	4 195	231 037	-	-	177	3 345	(NA)	483	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	5	32	1 180	-	-	1	7	1	2	-	-
.....1969.....	3	28	1 100	-	-	2	20	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	7	65	1 952	-	-	3	43	3	7	-	-
.....1969.....	4	16	295	-	-	2	10	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	15	230	(X)	-	-	9	134	9	12	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	2	16	480	-	-	2	16	2	2	-	-
.....1969.....	2	60	2 000	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	349	27 572	54 611	1	50	99	5 237	92	600	13	18
.....1969.....	375	27 863	54 290	1	15	106	4 513	106	586	-	-
Field seed crops.....1974.....	8	175	(X)	-	-	1	10	1	7	-	-
.....1969.....	8	52	(X)	-	-	2	6	2	(Z)	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	28	68	10 062	2	6	16	47	16	25	1	3
.....1969.....	14	71	10 547	-	-	12	70	(NA)	42	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	15	300	(X)	3	50	13	297	13	67	2	3
.....1969.....	17	279	(X)	-	-	14	277	14	71	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974.....	1	4	(X)	-	-	1	4	1	1	1	1
.....1969.....	1	1	(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					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale .....	10	61	(X)	3	25	3	34	3	10	1	1
1969 .....	8	27	(X)	—	—	2	6	2	2	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	12	35	(X)	3	18	2	13	2	4	—	—
1969 .....	9	20	(X)	2	10	7	20	5	8	4	1
Other crops .....	—	—	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	360	380	483	380	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	5	2	—	—
Lime .....	838	483	332	332	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	19	148	1	1
Commercial fertilizer .....	347	332	332	332	acres on which used .....	1	1	—	—
acres on which used .....	22 514	19 717	3 636	3 636	Weeds or grass in crops .....	164	174	8 994	7 380
\$1,000 .....	3 742	3 636	346	346	acres on which used .....	60	34	—	—
Lime .....	641	346	168	168	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	—	2	—	—
acres on which used .....	3 956	4 253	8 337	8 337	acres on which used .....	—	22	—	—
\$1,000 .....	6 816	8 337	75	75	\$1,000 .....	—	(Z)	—	—
\$1,000 .....	95	75	—	—	Weeds on all other land .....	2	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	acres on which used .....	5	(NA)	—	—
Insects on hay crops .....	43	29	9	3	\$1,000 .....	(2)	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used .....	1 740	798	66	47	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 .....	9	3	2 878	1 502	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	4	—	—	—
Insects on other crops .....	66	47	21	8	acres on which used .....	72	—	—	—
acres on which used .....	2 878	1 502	—	—	\$1,000 .....	1	—	—	—
\$1,000 .....	21	8	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	46	127	—	—
Nematodes in crops .....	—	—	—	—	acres on which used .....	3	14	—	—
acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	45	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text) .....	7	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—

**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 .....	9	4	4	4	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Proportion of farms .....	2.2	0.8	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	211	65	—	—	Other sprinkler systems .....	9	(NA)	—	(NA)
Average per farm .....	23.4	16.2	—	—	acres .....	211	(NA)	—	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	9	4	—	—	Land in irrigated farms .....	1 146	1 254	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	211	65	—	—	Cropland .....	679	754	—	—
acres .....	9	4	—	—	Harvested cropland .....	341	286	—	—
acres .....	211	65	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973 .....	2	(X)	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	33	(X)	—	—
Other cropland irrigated .....	—	(NA)	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage .....	54	65	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms .....	13.3	14.4	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage .....	21 613	20 782	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Land drained .....	3 211	3 256	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	98	48	—	—	Average per farm .....	59.5	50.0	—	—
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.5	0.7	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	tanks .....	175	(NA)	—	(NA)
Furrows or ditches .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	number .....	422	(NA)	—	(NA)
acres .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	acres .....	287	(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) .....	—	—	209	7 922	150	4 828	160	3 094
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	40	19	25	15	60	15
Under \$5,000 .....	—	—	61	28	47	25	45	24
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	61	28	25	38	16	16
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	—	—	61	28	25	38	16	16
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	61	28	25	38	16	16
\$50,000 and over .....	—	—	61	28	25	38	16	16

**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—	90	90	161	140	616	668	Farms .....	190	90	70	110
150 days or more .....	70	257	158	737	102	—	Cash wages paid .....	776	616	102	58
25 to 149 days .....	110	—	320	—	58	—	Number of workers .....	639	161	158	320
Less than 25 days .....	15	—	(NA)	—	25	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor .....	15	14	(NA)	(NA)	25	12	1 worker .....	59	58	33	44
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	4	(NA)	30	(NA)	15	(NA)	2 workers .....	38	18	15	20
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers .....	46	11	15	21
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers .....	41	2	6	23
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over .....	6	1	1	2