

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.....	746	963	470	471	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	71 631	86 968	59 922	62 390	Total cropland..... farms.....	733	909	466	465
Average size of farm..... acres.....	96	90	127	132	..... acres.....	29 417	28 236	25 467	21 734
Approximate land area..... acres.....	547 520	547 520	547 520	547 520	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	709	852	463	456
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	13.1	15.9	10.9	11.4	..... acres.....	21 319	16 271	19 478	13 280
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	42 355	24 851	35 302	17 156	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	56 776	25 805	75 110	36 423	1 to 9 acres.....	261	420	88	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	591	286	589	275	10 to 19 acres.....	182	218	120	389
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	71	69	62	
1 to 9 acres.....	64	89	18	18	30 to 49 acres.....	78	78	76	
10 to 49 acres.....	317	423	157	159	50 to 99 acres.....	67	43	67	43
50 to 69 acres.....	82	116	64	57	100 to 199 acres.....	38	16	38	16
70 to 99 acres.....	83	107	55	62	200 to 499 acres.....	11	8	11	8
100 to 139 acres.....	59	79	52	57	500 to 999 acres.....	1		1	
140 to 179 acres.....	47	43	37	34	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....	28	15	25	12	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	223	288	144	172
220 to 259 acres.....	24	28	21	19	..... acres.....	3 711	2 797	2 426	2 099
260 to 499 acres.....	24	39	23	32	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	283	483	212	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	13	20	13	18	..... acres.....	4 387	9 168	3 563	6 355
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4	3	4	2	Total woodland..... farms.....	470	686	311	337
2,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1	..... acres.....	36 007	48 581	29 882	33 750
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	494	598	324	(NA)
					..... acres.....	6 207	10 151	4 573	6 906
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	8	10	6	8
					..... acres.....	31	57	15	55
					Total woodland—Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			260	260
					..... acres.....			25 345	26 298
					Other land..... farms.....			324	(NA)
					..... acres.....			4 573	6 906
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			27	39
					..... acres.....			324	3 064
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			18	22
					..... acres.....			280	1 260
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			11	20
					..... acres.....			44	1 804
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			312	255
					..... acres.....			4 249	3 842

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.....	746	963	470	471	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	71 631	86 968	59 922	62 390	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	51
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	21 319	16 271	19 478	13 280	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	3 392	6 478
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	2
Full owners..... number.....	503	722	279	289	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	195	82
Land in farms..... acres.....	31 008	57 472	20 891	35 612	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	4
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	7 388	7 810	5 887	5 358	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	200	534
Part owners..... number.....	214	202	172	159	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	35 679	28 468	34 257	26 005	Under 25 years.....	13	13	10	8
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	12 514	7 806	12 222	7 302	25 to 34 years.....	86	66	48	42
Tenants..... number.....	29	39	19	23	35 to 44 years.....	115	193	91	123
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 944	1 028	4 774	773	45 to 54 years.....	171	264	122	135
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	1 417	655	1 369	620	55 to 64 years.....	198	258	127	120
Percent of tenancy.....	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.8	65 years and over.....	159	169	68	43
Black and other races, see text—					Average age.....	52.2	52.3	50.5	49.2
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators..... number.....	130	211	63	65	On farm operated.....	457	685	299	343
Land in farms..... acres.....	6 268	10 397	3 343	4 841	On another farm.....	50	33	14	62
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	1 664	1 628	1 241	959	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	26	139	16	
Full owners..... number.....	90	187	47	49	In a city, town, or urban area.....	20			
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 295	8 737	2 308	3 464	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	938	1 145	663	564	None.....	282	(NA)	188	(NA)
Part owners..... number.....	37	22	14	15	1 to 49 days.....	51	90	33	37
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 927	1 649	995	1 367	50 to 99 days.....	28	61	15	28
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	696	475	554	387	100 to 149 days.....	35	109	25	58
Tenants..... number.....	3	2	2	1	150 to 199 days.....	32		15	
Land in farms..... acres.....	46	11	40	10	200 days and over.....	188	311	104	108
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	30	8	24	8	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy.....	2.3	0.9	3.2	1.5	Farming.....	468	(NA)	314	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other.....	274	(NA)	152	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	449	414	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	56 135	55 296	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	(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	7	12	7	12			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	41		41				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	61	29	61	29			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	110	80	110	80			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	104	152	104	152			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	145	195	145	195			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	278	495	2	3			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	58	83	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	43	73	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	61	63	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	116	276	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	8 487	4 939	8 150	4 447			
Average per farm dollars	11 376	5 128	17 340	9 440			
Crops, including hay							
farms	651	804	442	(NA)			
\$1,000	6 690	3 437	6 454	3 079			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	10		9	2			
\$1,000	132		130	(D)			
Forest products							
farms	41	70	30	45			
\$1,000	209	55	207	48			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	356	488	232	290			
\$1,000	1 455	1 446	1 359	1 320			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	30	(NA)	11	22			
\$1,000	176	(NA)	175	181			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms					442		(NA)
\$1,000					6 454		3 079
Grains							
farms					353		247
\$1,000					2 225		428
Tobacco							
farms					302		398
\$1,000					4 017		2 510
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms					11		17
\$1,000					19		14
Other field crops							
farms					24		31
\$1,000					81		26
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms					17		18
\$1,000					30		26
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms					10		9
\$1,000					82		(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms					232		290
\$1,000					1 359		1 320
Poultry and poultry products							
farms					11		22
\$1,000					175		181
Dairy products							
farms					3		6
\$1,000					189		224
Cattle and calves							
farms					51		(NA)
\$1,000					104		156
Hogs and pigs							
farms					212		(NA)
\$1,000					890		760
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms					5		
\$1,000					1		

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	246	(NA)	98	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	271
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹					\$1,000	1 745
farms	169	(NA)	94	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	46
\$1,000	142	(NA)	88	(NA)	farms	273
Customwork and other agricultural services					\$1,000	
farms	28	49	19	34	Cash wages, salaries, commissions and tips	197
\$1,000	31	51	19	47	\$1,000	1 305
Recreational services					Interest, dividends, or royalties	75
farms	7	5	2	4	farms	72
\$1,000	1	3	(Z)	1	\$1,000	
Government farm programs					Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	42
farms	44	285	33	176	farms	85
\$1,000	9	178	8	130	\$1,000	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments					Rent income of nonfarm property	10
farms	116	(NA)	52	(NA)	farms	10
\$1,000	93	(NA)	54	(NA)	\$1,000	10
Other farm-related sources						
farms	5	(NA)	5	(NA)		
\$1,000	7	(NA)	7	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹						
farms	38	(NA)	24	(NA)		
\$1,000	32	(NA)	20	(NA)		

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									
farms	744	963	470	471	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased				
\$1,000	5 203	3 660	4 926	3 208	farms	496	626	332	372
Farms with—					\$1,000	142	78	133	67
\$1 to \$999	164	332	17	85	farms	644	858	434	462
\$1,000 to \$1,999	157	203	55		\$1,000	1 050	477	995	411
\$2,000 to \$2,999	108	99	84	75	Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$3,000 to \$4,999	67	123	67	110	farms	327	(NA)	260	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	106	125	105	120	\$1,000	177	122	169	111
\$10,000 to \$19,999	85		85	60	Lime				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	36		36	10	farms	(NA)	(NA)	165	27
\$40,000 to \$59,999	12		12		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	28	10
\$60,000 and over	9		9	11	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
Livestock and poultry purchased					farms	728	944	470	469
farms	176	297	101	176	\$1,000	659	469	606	387
\$1,000	122	180	112	162	farms	(NA)	(NA)	377	458
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	245	173
farms	422	520	235	283	farms	(NA)	(NA)	286	125
\$1,000	512	483	458	434	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	87	22
Commercially mixed formula feeds					farms	(NA)	(NA)	173	174
farms	349	384	213	262	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	153	71
\$1,000	400	362	364	332	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	42	farms	(NA)	(NA)	469	469
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	31	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	121	121
Feed ingredients					Hired farm labor				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	45	59	farms	271	615	218	383
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	70	\$1,000	550	535	532	467
Whole grains					farms	20	379	19	16
farms	(NA)	(NA)	5	12	\$1,000	40	104	40	17
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	1	farms	295		225	232
Hay, green chop, and silage					\$1,000	204		192	72
farms	(NA)	(NA)			farms	676	769	469	470
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	1 746	1 211	1 671	1 079
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry					Machine hire and customwork				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	70	(NA)	farms	295		225	232
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)	\$1,000	204		192	72

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	728	924	468	458					
farms	8 621	3 930	6 899	2 720					
\$1,000..									
dollars..	11 842	4 252	14 741	5 938					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	6	190	2	297					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	188	519	87	92					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	221	132	103	39					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	175	46	141	17					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	95		95	12					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	34	37	31	7					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	7		7	1					
\$70,000 and over	2		2						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	553	620	355	308					
farms	691	771	458	361					
number	339	471	281	226					
mfd in last 5 years, number	606	689	407	362					
Motor trucks, including pickups	759	782	554	442					
farms	330	459	288	284					
number	656	794	439	420					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 015	1 100	775	658					
Wheel tractors	323	398	296	271					
farms	11		6	6					
number	14		9	7					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1		-	2					
Crawler tractors									
farms									
number									
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	70	43	66	34					
farms	70	54	66	45					
number	18	45	18	37					
mfd in last 5 years, number	62	67	60	32					
Corn heads for combines	62	71	60	33					
farms	16	41	16	26					
number	53		40	21					
mfd in last 5 years, number	53		40	21					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	10		10	9					
farms	23	(NA)	19	(NA)					
number	25	(NA)	20	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	(NA)					
Mower conditioners	75	26	74	24					
farms	75	26	74	24					
number	7	18	6	17					
mfd in last 5 years, number	59	(NA)	59	7					
Pickup balers	59	(NA)	59	7					
farms	2	(NA)	2	4					
number	53	(NA)	53	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number	54	(NA)	54	6					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	1	(NA)	1	3					
farms	53	(NA)	53	4					
number	54	(NA)	54	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	3					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type									
farms									
number									
mfd in last 5 years, number									

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	426	(X)	264	(X)	356	(X)	232	(X)	1 359
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	375	(X)	248	(X)	346	(X)	231	(X)	995
1969	528	(X)	297	(X)	475	(X)	283	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	113	1 812	85	1 585	62	603	51	558	104
1969	164	2 486	105	2 148	106	1 545	76	1 416	156
Farms with—									
1 to 4	38	100	29	79	20	57	11	28	6
5 to 9	24	166	13	92	21	132	20	127	24
10 to 19	19	253	14	195	13	153	12	142	26
20 to 49	22	595	19	521	7	208	7	208	40
50 to 99	9	(D)	9	(D)	1	53	1	53	9
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved									
1974	85	879	67	797	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	136	1 234	90	1 105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	72	636	59	560	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	871	72	754	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	20	243	15	237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	42	363	31	351	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	189
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	224
Inventory, 1974									
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	72	636	59	560	Cattle sold	42	352	82	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	25	61	19	54	1 to 4	16	39	8	
5 to 9	20	128	17	108	5 to 9	13	79	22	
10 to 19	21	278	17	229	10 to 19	9	104	23	
20 to 49	6	169	6	169	20 to 49	3	77	21	
50 to 99	-	-	-	-	50 to 99	1	53	9	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	-	-	-	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	-	-	-	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-	
Milk cows	20	243	15	237	Calves sold	21	206	23	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	9	10	4	4	1 or 2	3	3	(2)	
3 or 4	4	14	4	14	3 or 4	1	4	1	
5 to 9	1	9	1	9	5 to 9	8	48	5	
10 to 19	3	30	3	30	10 to 19	5	62	6	
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	20 to 49	4	89	11	
50 to 99	3	180	3	180	50 to 99	-	-	-	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	-	-	-	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	-	-	-	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-	

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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	96	23 180	5	11 014	Turkeys	1974	—	—	—	—
	1969	78	13 850	11	2 616		1969	1	2	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	92	22 915	5	11 014	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	9	265	—	—	Heavy breed	1974	—	—	—	—
	1974	—	—	—	—	Light breed	1974	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	7	130	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	—	—	—	—
	1969	11	10 300	2	(0)		1969	1	1	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	43	129	—	—	Other poultry	1974	2	(0)	1	(0)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	3 038	—	—		1969	6	(0)	1	(0)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		515	548	9 741	7 059	(0)	(0)
Sorghums for all purposes		7	9	277	40	(0)	(0)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		369	286	8 484	5 233	190 225	117 311
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		14	14	43	12	103 265	13 174
Wheat (bushels)		16	16	306	191	9 364	7 815
Other small grains for grain		18	28	254	215	(0)	(0)
Cotton (bales)		—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)		348	610	2 210	2 349	4 086 813	4 149 720
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		30	(NA)	19	—	821	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		61	(NA)	147	(NA)	30 446	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		45	114	429	742	708	1 362
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		36	36	80	90	(0)	(0)
Land in orchards		7	19	57	79	(0)	(0)
Berries for sale		8	9	102	135	(0)	(0)
Other crops		18	(NA)	86	275	(0)	(0)

		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)		336	297	8 380	5 115	571 889	323 449	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		7	11	76	308	1 050	4 536	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		35	33	314	261	(0)	(0)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		3	3	239	27	3 050	719	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		1	(NA)	30	3	(0)	(0)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

		Irrigated land			Commercial fertilizer used							
		Farms		Quantity	Farms		Total		Dry		Liquid	
		1974	1969		1974	1969	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	144	2 426	(0)	—	—	21	353	20	70	2	21
	1969	172	2 099	(0)	—	—	64	946	64	283	9	29
Improved pasture	1974	18	280	(0)	—	—	8	78	8	63	—	—
	1969	22	1 260	(0)	—	—	5	128	5	52	—	—
Corn for all purposes	1974	355	8 770	(0)	—	—	285	7 585	284	2 174	90	714
	1969	311	5 684	(0)	—	—	234	4 517	227	1 428	72	588
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	269	(0)	—	—	4	79	4	9	1	6
	1969	3	30	(0)	—	—	3	30	3	7	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	1974	15	305	9 330	—	—	9	263	9	58	2	8
	1969	14	176	7 020	—	—	10	137	(NA)	34	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	1974	9	185	9 921	—	—	8	175	7	38	2	7
	1969	17	150	5 688	—	—	10	120	(NA)	31	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	2	22	630	—	—	2	22	1	5	1	(Z)
	1969	5	28	990	—	—	3	20	(NA)	7	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	4	72	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	1974	—	—	(0)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	273	7 819	177 527	—	—	115	3 650	113	622	2	10
	1969	169	4 166	94 332	1	3	90	2 760	(NA)	457	(NA)	12
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	11	40	100 165	—	—	1	2	1	1	—	—
	1969	1	1	1 000	—	—	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	38	380	624	—	—	19	245	16	58	6	13
	1969	59	583	1 081	—	—	20	224	19	65	6	38
Field seed crops	1974	—	—	(0)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	1	10	(0)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974	—	—	(0)	—	—	1	10	1	3	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	302	2 153	4 022 193	—	—	302	2 154	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969	399	2 076	3 772 911	5	28	399	2 073	302	2 345	6	18
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	20	16	693	—	—	13	14	(NA)	2 100	(NA)	10
	1969	10	24	1 249	1	(Z)	7	24	13	24	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	21	64	(0)	—	—	16	51	(NA)	10	(NA)	—
	1969	19	65	(0)	—	—	14	43	15	16	1	2
Land in orchards	1974	5	57	(0)	—	—	3	53	14	20	—	—
	1969	7	58	(0)	—	—	4	54	3	36	—	—

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	5	85	(X)	—	—	2	40	2	14	—	—
1969	7	133	(X)	—	—	6	128	6	37	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	9	51	(X)	6	14	7	31	8	14	1	(Z)
1969	2	25	(X)	2	25	2	25	2	13	—	—
Other crops	30	148	(X)	—	—	21	133	27	129	—	—

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	439	464	434	453	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	4	9	—	—
\$1,000	1 165	522	1 404	453	Diseases in crops and orchards	174	124	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	434	453	11 404	453	acres on which used	4	1	—	—
acres on which used	14 993	11 404	5 306	411	\$1,000	95	94	—	—
tons	6 487	5 306	27	106	acres on which used	5 815	3 430	—	—
\$1,000	995	411	552	2 001	\$1,000	2	5	—	—
Lime	27	106	543	2 608	acres on which used	36	30	—	—
acres on which used	552	2 001	10	25	\$1,000	1	(Z)	—	—
\$1,000	10	25	3	2	acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	8	30	Weeds or brush in pasture	6	(NA)	—	—
Insects on hay crops	3	2	(Z)	(Z)	acres on which used	26	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used	8	30	160	291	\$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	3 310	3 235	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops	160	291	61	48	of crops or thinning of fruit	18	42	—	—
acres on which used	3 310	3 235	45	53	acres on which used	284	275	—	—
\$1,000	61	48	687	385	acres on which used	3	5	—	—
Nematodes in crops	45	53	17	7	\$1,000	17	58	—	—
acres on which used	687	385	—	—	acres on which used	3	2	—	—
\$1,000	17	7	—	—	\$1,000	70	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	10	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	10	(NA)	—	—

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	6	8	8	8	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	1.3	1.6	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	4	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated	15	55	—	—	acres	11	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm	2.5	6.8	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	2	(NA)	—	—
Cropland irrigated	6	8	—	—	acres	2	(NA)	—	—
acres	15	55	—	—	Land in irrigated farms	236	5 603	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	6	8	—	—	Cropland	211	258	—	—
acres	15	55	—	—	Harvested cropland	31	102	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	(X)	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	95	172	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	20.2	36.5	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	16 026	27 242	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Land drained	5 285	10 286	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	17	42	—	—	Average per farm	55.6	59.8	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	1.1	0.8	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	tanks	55	(NA)	—	—
Furrows or ditches	3	(NA)	—	—	number	99	(NA)	—	—
acres	7	(NA)	—	—	acres	68	(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	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
	—	136	123	48	—	—	—
	—	2 698	2 331	367	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	—	33	34	36	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	43	30	2	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	33	36	8	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	12	8	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	15	15	2	—	—	—

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—	—	—	—	—	—	—	218	18	66	165
150 days or more	18	35	44	50	139	467	532	139	178	215
25 to 149 days	66	379	463	3 232	178	—	Number of workers	44	463	2 033
Less than 25 days	165	—	(NA)	(NA)	215	—	Farms with—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	19	16	(NA)	(NA)	40	17	1 worker	8	5	11
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	12	(NA)	4	(NA)	2 workers	13	5	8
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	33	6	10
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	62	2	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	102	—	21
	—	—	—	—	—	—				