

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..	2 523	3 175	1 984	2 072	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres..	207 744	241 382	189 858	194 204	Total cropland..... farms..	2 480	3 063	1 970	2 061
Average size of farm..... acres..	82	76	96	94	..... acres..	109 980	114 155	104 013	97 336
Approximate land area..... acres..	604 480	604 480	604 480	604 480	Harvested cropland..... farms..	2 422	2 904	1 961	2 051
Proportion in farms..... percent..	34.4	39.9	31.4	32.1	..... acres..	86 960	66 468	83 337	60 163
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	135 989	91 809	125 078	73 725	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars..	53 900	28 916	63 044	35 581	1 to 9 acres.....	642	1 192	333	
Average per acre..... dollars..	655	380	659	380	10 to 19 acres.....	599	717	471	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	365	354	346	
1 to 9 acres.....	231	324	90	106	30 to 49 acres.....	342	337	339	1 751
10 to 49 acres.....	1 077	1 367	765	761	50 to 99 acres.....	281	214	280	210
50 to 69 acres.....	305	435	268	314	100 to 199 acres.....	146	70	145	70
70 to 99 acres.....	297	386	278	323	200 to 499 acres.....	44	17	44	17
100 to 139 acres.....	215	265	206	223	500 to 999 acres.....	2	3	2	3
140 to 179 acres.....	138	143	128	130	1,000 acres and over.....	1	-	1	-
180 to 219 acres.....	68	68	66	57	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres.....	72	57	68	49	or grazing..... farms..	679	1 091	537	763
260 to 499 acres.....	93	94	88	77	..... acres..	10 865	10 734	9 487	8 571
500 to 999 acres.....	16	26	16	22	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	837	1 788	722	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	10	9	10	9	..... acres..	12 155	36 953	11 189	28 602
2,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1	Total woodland..... farms..	1 451	2 092	1 167	1 379
					..... acres..	72 097	101 817	63 445	78 323
					Other land (see text)..... farms..	1 758	2 046	1 379	(NA)
				 acres..	25 667	25 410	22 400	18 545
					Irrigated land..... farms..	38	90	31	89
				 acres..	285	693	258	690

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	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms..	722	(NA)	722	(NA)
..... acres..	11 189	28 602	11 189	28 602
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	180	263	180	263
..... acres..	2 084	3 582	2 084	3 582
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..	143	132	143	132
..... acres..	1 362	1 355	1 362	1 355
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	78	158	78	158
..... acres..	1 716	3 822	1 716	3 822
Cropland idle..... farms..	465	1 017	465	1 017
..... acres..	6 027	19 843	6 027	19 843
Total woodland..... farms..	1 167	1 379	1 167	1 379
..... acres..	63 445	78 323	63 445	78 323
Woodland pastured..... farms..	311	485	311	485
..... acres..	9 838	15 980	9 838	15 980

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland - Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	978	1 092	978	1 092
..... acres..	53 607	62 343	53 607	62 343
Other land..... farms..	1 379	(NA)	1 379	(NA)
..... acres..	22 400	18 545	22 400	18 545
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..	228	189	228	189
..... acres..	9 880	3 081	9 880	3 081
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	140	96	140	96
..... acres..	7 204	1 463	7 204	1 463
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	89	101	89	101
..... acres..	2 676	1 618	2 676	1 618
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	1 322	1 299	1 322	1 299
..... acres..	12 520	15 464	12 520	15 464

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..	2 523	3 175	1 984	2 072	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	207 744	241 382	189 858	194 204	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	150	238
Harvested cropland..... acres..	86 960	66 468	83 337	60 163	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	20 560	29 078
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	10	23
Full owners..... number..	1 621	1 922	1 155	996	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	2 636	2 227
Land in farms..... acres..	112 559	141 507	96 277	98 909	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	-	15
Harvested cropland..... acres..	35 997	27 168	33 011	22 306	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	-	548
Part owners..... number..	657	888	617	777	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	81 149	84 564	79 885	80 875	Under 25 years.....	60	52	38	36
Harvested cropland..... acres..	40 807	30 670	40 461	29 691	25 to 34 years.....	271	343	211	237
Tenants..... number..	245	365	212	299	35 to 44 years.....	462	686	390	500
Land in farms..... acres..	14 036	15 311	13 696	14 420	45 to 54 years.....	668	875	527	585
Harvested cropland..... acres..	10 156	8 630	9 865	8 166	55 to 64 years.....	660	831	560	546
Percent of tenancy.....	9.7	11.4	10.7	14.4	65 years and over.....	390	388	248	168
					Average age.....	50.7	49.9	50.4	48.7
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	1 459	2 316	1 184	1 589
All farm operators..... number..	367	498	227	207	On another farm.....	200	159	159	77
Land in farms..... acres..	15 855	18 384	12 965	9 992	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	107	499	77	267
Harvested cropland..... acres..	5 807	4 534	5 128	3 144	In a city, town, or urban area.....	92	60	60	
Full owners..... number..	276	322	153	88	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	9 881	11 448	7 412	4 451	None.....	1 070	(NA)	867	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	2 654	2 104	2 093	1 121	1 to 49 days.....	127	275	83	168
Part owners..... number..	76	140	61	92	50 to 99 days.....	68	193	55	127
Land in farms..... acres..	5 629	6 142	5 226	4 887	100 to 149 days.....	43	296	39	161
Harvested cropland..... acres..	2 893	1 898	2 777	1 562	150 to 199 days.....	93	65	65	335
Tenants..... number..	15	36	13	27	200 days and over.....	530	711	352	335
Land in farms..... acres..	345	794	327	654	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	260	532	258	461	Farming.....	1 738	(NA)	1 509	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	4.1	7.2	5.7	13.0	Other.....	773	(NA)	465	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	1 824	1 796	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	50	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	166 662	162 351					

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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	51	70	51	70	Crops	farms	1 939 (NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	227		227		\$1,000	\$1,000	38 960 20 487
\$20,000 to \$39,999	366	239	364	239	Grains	farms	1 603 1 344
\$10,000 to \$19,999	550	469	550	469	\$1,000	\$1,000	10 406 2 206
\$5,000 to \$9,999	462	679	462	679	Tobacco	farms	1 553 1 933
\$2,500 to \$4,999	324	596	324	595	\$1,000	\$1,000	26 450 17 394
Under \$2,500 (see text)	543	1 122	6	20	Cotton and cottonseed	farms	2 4
\$2,000 to \$2,499	104	173	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	\$1,000	10 9
\$1,500 to \$1,999	127	207	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	59 49
\$1,000 to \$1,499	97	178	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	\$1,000	85 29
Under \$1,000 (see text)	215	564	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	farms	275 284
Market value of agricultural products sold					\$1,000	\$1,000	1 794 431
\$1,000	44 919	26 366	44 193	25 171	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	42 62
Average per farm	dollars 17 804	8 304	22 275	12 148	\$1,000	\$1,000	122 64
Crops, including hay	farms 2 339	2 838	1 939	(NA)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	34 134
\$1,000	39 521	21 450	38 960	20 487	\$1,000	\$1,000	93 354
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 22		10	5	Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	719 979
\$1,000	223		210	20	\$1,000	\$1,000	4 735 4 470
Forest products	farms 68	149	66	123	Poultry and poultry products	farms	49 87
\$1,000	290	208	288	193	\$1,000	\$1,000	1 253 1 455
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 898	1 381	719	979	Dairy products	farms	10 14
\$1,000	4 886	4 708	4 735	4 470	\$1,000	\$1,000	586 560
Poultry and poultry products	farms 69	(NA)	49	87	Cattle and calves	farms	226 (NA)
\$1,000	1 255	(NA)	1 253	1 455	\$1,000	\$1,000	497 378
					Hogs and pigs	farms	571 (NA)
					\$1,000	\$1,000	2 397 2 078
					farms	farms	4 1
					\$1,000	\$1,000	(2)
					Other livestock and livestock products	farms	6 1
					\$1,000	\$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	611	(NA)	297	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms 928
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms 559	(NA)	390	(NA)	\$1,000	7 226
\$1,000	1 115	(NA)	913	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms 171
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 126	195	115	142	\$1,000	1 397
\$1,000	339	249	323	227	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms 618
Recreational services	farms 11	12	3	7	\$1,000	4 914
\$1,000	3	3	1	1	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms 166
Government farm programs	farms 100	1 097	88	789	\$1,000	248
\$1,000	22	813	19	665	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms 179
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 396	(NA)	239	(NA)	\$1,000	354
\$1,000	728	(NA)	549	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms 58
Other farm-related sources	farms 26	(NA)	21	(NA)	\$1,000	313
\$1,000	22	(NA)	21	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 220	(NA)	159	(NA)		
\$1,000	384	(NA)	336	(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 2 522	3 175	1 984	2 072	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 1 645	2 313	1 318	1 724
\$1,000	26 360	18 805	25 640	17 429	\$1,000	698	306	663	275
Farms with--					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms 2 311	2 934	1 876	2 042
\$1 to \$999	330	647	76	263	\$1,000	4 846	2 367	4 724	2 193
\$1,000 to \$1,999	398	525	177		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 1 336	(NA)	1 206	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	217	402	188	293	\$1,000	1 115	771	1 095	728
\$3,000 to \$4,999	409	518	384	454	Lime	farms (NA)	556	186	459
\$5,000 to \$9,999	491	623	484	603	\$1,000	(NA)	105	82	96
\$10,000 to \$19,999	344		344	308	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 2 439	3 126	1 955	2 071
\$20,000 to \$39,999	217		216	110	\$1,000	2 845	2 414	2 702	2 201
\$40,000 to \$59,999	52		51		farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 602	2 013
\$60,000 and over	64		64	41	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	856	867
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 506	771	316	542	farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 221	489
\$1,000	635	700	599	650	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	542	116
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 1 022	1 314	707	877	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms (NA)	(NA)	619	865
\$1,000	2 443	2 033	2 353	1 924	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	457	382
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 844	1 042	615	766	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	1 950	2 071
\$1,000	2 032	1 692	1 985	1 622	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	847	834
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	152	134	Hired farm labor	farms 1 131	2 462	1 031	1 830
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	120	97	\$1,000	3 137	3 421	3 070	3 168
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	172	192	farms	85	1 809	70	152
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	228	199	\$1,000	100	682	96	181
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	45	44	Machine hire and customwork	farms 1 272		1 133	1 313
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	6	\$1,000	959		931	434
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	271	(NA)	farms	2 365	2 879	1 983	2 071
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	(NA)	\$1,000	9 583	6 110	9 350	5 675

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	2 352	3 033	1 853	2 006		150	132	148	128
\$1,000	34 088	14 948	30 791	12 164		171	138	169	133
Average per farm	14 493	4 928	16 617	6 063		65	81	65	78
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	36	394	17	1 235		131	189	127	95
\$1,000 to \$4,999	537	1 730	380	428		154	213	150	98
\$5,000 to \$9,999	661	527	403	232		57	115	57	69
\$10,000 to \$19,999	500	253	442	398		85		82	99
\$20,000 to \$29,999	403		398	67		88		85	102
\$30,000 to \$49,999	147		145	31		16		16	42
\$50,000 to \$69,999	36	129	36						
\$70,000 and over	32		32	13					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	1 967	2 236	1 552	1 522	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	71	(NA)	69	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years	2 616	2 755	2 139	1 894	Corn heads for combines	79	(NA)	77	(NA)
Motor trucks, including pickups	1 386	1 722	1 260	1 245	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	21	(NA)	21	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years	1 891	2 104	1 549	1 560	Mower conditioners	216	91	211	81
Wheel tractors	2 521	2 420	2 164	1 843	Pickup balers	217	94	212	84
mfd in last 5 years	1 042	1 369	993	1 107	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	17	55	17	49
Crawler tractors	2 025	2 457	1 645	1 744	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	172	(NA)	172	29
mfd in last 5 years	3 480	3 655	3 059	2 768		172	(NA)	172	30
	1 141	1 323	1 101	1 086		6	(NA)	6	19
	42		35	28		175	(NA)	174	23
	52		41	35		180	(NA)	179	26
	9		8	9		8	(NA)	8	13

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

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry	1 103	(X)	846	(X)	898	(X)	719	(X) 4 735
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1 005	(X)	776	(X)	863	(X)	701	(X) 2 895
Cattle and calves	1 522	(X)	1 022	(X)	1 323	(X)	938	(X) (NA)
1969	487	8 187	380	7 270	282	2 746	226	2 454 497
1969	559	7 496	378	6 371	346	3 069	261	2 702 378
Farms with—								
1 to 4	180	438	130	321	119	285	89	204 47
5 to 9	72	508	59	417	69	440	49	322 65
10 to 19	116	1 491	79	1 036	69	950	64	887 187
20 to 49	90	2 629	84	2 484	21	576	20	546 103
50 to 99	19	1 249	19	1 249	3	(D)	3	(D) (D)
100 to 199	6	770	5	661	—	—	—	— (D)
200 to 499	4	1 102	4	1 102	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	— (D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	391	4 456	309	3 948	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	450	3 812	316	3 308	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows	323	3 764	264	3 293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	(NA)	2 828	260	2 366	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows	94	692	68	655	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
1969	112	984	79	942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X) 586
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X) 560
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	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	323	3 764	264	3 293	Cattle sold	171	1 456	375
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	121	303	97	242	1 to 4	80	177	54
5 to 9	65	434	56	364	5 to 9	33	204	55
10 to 19	82	1 055	57	760	10 to 19	43	579	145
20 to 49	49	1 432	48	1 387	20 to 49	13	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	4	(D)	4	(D)	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—	—
Milk cows	94	692	68	655	Calves sold	105	998	122
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	78	100	52	63	1 or 2	20	29	3
3 or 4	5	15	5	15	3 or 4	20	66	7
5 to 9	1	6	1	6	5 to 9	39	252	29
10 to 19	—	—	—	—	10 to 19	19	244	27
20 to 49	5	126	5	126	20 to 49	5	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	4	(D)	4	(D)	50 to 99	1	60	1
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
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	200	1 793	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	75	776	211
1969	228	1 589		1969	45	371	(NA)
Beef heifers	191	1 519	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	18	274	1 to 9	47	167	51
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	230	1 529	10 to 19	17	234	69
1969	285	1 474	20 to 49	9	(D)	(D)
			50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
			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	758	28 639	597	26 468	681	54 857	571	52 960	2 397	
1969	1 303	46 914	899	41 349	1 159	66 679	831	60 406	(NA)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4	127	337	76	223	54	148	31	88	5	
5 to 9	139	927	99	673	72	483	51	329	18	
10 to 24	245	3 932	196	3 211	213	3 442	176	2 833	154	
25 to 49	129	4 221	115	3 793	158	5 403	130	4 529	258	
50 to 99	59	3 757	53	3 353	82	5 503	82	5 503	300	
100 to 199	40	5 048	40	5 048	65	8 776	65	8 776	468	
200 to 499	10	2 759	9	2 509	21	6 541	20	6 341	297	
500 and over	9	7 658	9	7 658	16	24 561	16	24 561	897	
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	213	26 059	172	25 404	583	
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	329	26 258	219	23 863	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs	4	36	4	36	4	25	4	25	(NA)	
1969	7	60	3	27	7	80	3	33	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	23	154	
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	(X)	(Z)	
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(Z)	
1969	(NA)	(NA)	14	86	(NA)	(NA)	4	36	(NA)	
Horses and ponies	95	206	75	151	4	38	3	10	1	
1969	214	544	(NA)	(NA)	21	69	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between— December 1 of preceding year and November 30 <th colspan="4">Inventory</th>	Inventory			
	All farms			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	464	4 337	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	600	6 888	501	6 567
1969	706	7 260	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1 057	9 283	743	8 244
Other hogs and pigs	572	22 131	1969	524	3 697	447	3 513
1969	817	34 089	1969	938	4 820	670	4 228
Lambs under 1 year old	4	14	1974	457	3 191	390	3 054
Ewes 1 year old or older	4	18	1969	794	4 463	604	4 016
Rams and wethers	4	4					

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	415	(X)	282	(X)	29	(X)	21	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	374	(X)	(NA)	(X)	50	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	398	172 029	275	169 029	27	225 355	21	225 170
1969	606	191 219	370	185 516	46	159 552	42	159 437
Hens and pullets of laying age	379	171 050	271	168 338	26	225 334	20	225 149
1969	574	173 973	361	169 053	41	101 021	38	100 916
Farms with—								
1 to 99	354	8 385	247	5 773	10	284	4	99
100 to 399	14	1 765	13	1 665	3	600	3	600
400 to 1,599	2	900	2	900	2	900	2	900
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	19 750	3	19 750
10,000 to 19,999	4	60 500	4	60 500	5	72 800	5	72 800
20,000 to 49,999	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	50	936	29	638	2	50	—	—
1969	16	52 449	12	52 327	6	377 000	6	377 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	69	1 255	49	1 253
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	87	1 455

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..	271	168 338	20	225 149	Turkeys.....1974..	4	48	--	--
.....1969..	361	169 053	38	100 916	.....1969..	2	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	269	168 150	20	225 049	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	40	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	12	188	1	100	Heavy breed.....1974..	2	40	--	--
.....1969..	18	354	--	--	Light breed.....1974..	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	21	15 944	3	58 500	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	2	8	--	--
.....1969..	78	337	3	21	.....1969..	1	9	--	--
Roasters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	11	195	--	--	Other poultry.....1974..	6	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	--	--	--	--	.....1969..	9	(X)	--	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes.....	1 761	2 032	33 307	30 214	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	30	25	428	249	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1 471	1 003	34 317	15 820	838 245	382 182	1 324 677	33 155
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	49	105	834	828	2 321 091	1 324 677	33 155	(X)
Wheat (bushels).....	38	70	474	839	12 802	(X)	9	(X)
Other small grains for grain.....	97	145	1 284	1 551	(X)	49	27 437 292	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	4	6	65	11	28 131 819	27 437 292	(X)	(X)
Tobacco (pounds).....	1 650	2 397	13 253	13 505	9 484	(NA)	439 050	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	84	(NA)	125	(NA)	2 850	2 736	(X)	(X)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	267	(NA)	2 228	(NA)	259	(X)	269	(X)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	211	275	1 515	1 501	200	(X)	269	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	76	92	221	259	78	(X)	544	(X)
Land in orchards.....	18	42	465	200	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	31	150	78	269	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	26	(NA)	56	544	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	1 433	1 448	30 767	25 989	2 497 205	1 872 156	6	3	50	52
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	34	22	662	605	9 054	6 456	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	39	75	253	485	(X)	(X)	1	--	1	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	6	7	39	53	1 600	2 354	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	16	(NA)	375	166	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	3	12	15	46	29	64	--	--	--	--

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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	537	9 487	(X)	--	--	119	2 431	109	562	21	64
.....1969..	763	8 571	(X)	5	10	240	3 343	223	957	27	89
Improved pasture.....1974..	140	7 204	(X)	--	--	27	584	27	135	2	10
.....1969..	96	1 463	(X)	--	--	35	631	34	135	6	43
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	1 465	31 682	(X)	7	51	1 096	25 617	1 076	6 783	439	2 410
.....1969..	1 467	27 079	(X)	3	52	1 091	21 242	1 075	6 635	375	2 038
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	22	414	(X)	--	--	16	377	16	73	4	28
.....1969..	19	219	(X)	--	--	15	188	15	48	6	8
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	33	424	11 660	--	--	19	304	18	49	3	17
.....1969..	64	800	31 670	--	--	46	654	(NA)	151	(NA)	57
Oats (bushels).....1974..	83	1 127	58 990	--	--	60	935	44	160	20	47
.....1969..	118	1 428	77 446	--	--	84	1 200	(NA)	189	(NA)	51
Barley (bushels).....1974..	3	28	1 560	--	--	3	28	1	4	2	2
.....1969..	5	23	1 295	--	--	4	17	(NA)	4	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels).....1974..	5	51	1 360	--	--	4	48	4	8	2	2
.....1969..	2	21	425	--	--	1	1	(NA)	(2)	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	5	70	(X)	--	--	3	60	3	18	1	8
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	1 263	32 775	803 629	--	--	692	20 307	679	3 239	22	164
.....1969..	777	13 862	337 361	3	10	388	8 434	(NA)	1 610	(NA)	20
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	47	832	2 319 091	--	--	21	470	21	77	--	--
.....1969..	74	756	1 259 260	--	--	41	508	(NA)	235	(NA)	3
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	179	1 414	2 706	3	12	56	642	46	149	20	73
.....1969..	185	1 258	2 363	2	10	56	452	50	99	17	67
Field seed crops.....1974..	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	1	30	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton (bales).....1974..	4	65	49	--	--	3	59	3	10	--	--
.....1969..	5	10	8	--	--	3	8	(NA)	3	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	1 553	13 141	27 963 620	12	161	1 553	13 055	1 543	13 106	39	124
.....1969..	1 932	12 885	26 427 887	47	398	1 932	12 805	(NA)	14 188	(NA)	77
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	66	104	8 577	1	1	46	97	45	74	4	5
.....1969..	38	75	6 792	1	1	15	69	(NA)	46	(NA)	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	51	192	(X)	2	9	17	58	16	31	2	3
.....1969..	70	242	(X)	3	12	54	162	54	78	1	(Z)
Land in orchards.....1974..	15	362	(X)	--	--	5	25	5	3	--	--
.....1969..	26	176	(X)	--	--	11	58	11	16	--	--

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	27	74	(X)	5	9	12	35	12	19	1	2
1969	129	255	(X)	33	111	68	135	68	146	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	10	31	(X)	4	12	4	17	4	9	2	1
1969	5	5	(X)	2	2	2	3	2	1	-	-
Other crops	241	2 228	(X)	2	9	220	2 183	224	1 660	5	36

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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	1 892	2 048	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
\$1,000	5 819	2 922	Diseases in crops and orchards	30	33
Commercial fertilizer	1 876	2 028	acres on which used	1 071	442
acres on which used	67 487	51 452	Weeds or grass in crops	30	6
tons	29 176	27 904	acres on which used	494	490
\$1,000	4 724	2 193	Weeds or brush in pasture	25 142	13 363
Lime	186	459	acres on which used	296	96
acres on which used	5 426	9 810	acres on which used	15	23
tons	5 611	9 021	Weeds on all other land	215	345
\$1,000	82	96	acres on which used	1	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			acres on which used	34	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	5	9	acres on which used	276	(NA)
acres on which used	40	65	acres on which used	2	(NA)
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on other crops	826	1 486	of crops or thinning of fruit	67	353
acres on which used	23 380	19 471	acres on which used	924	3 308
\$1,000	421	331	acres on which used	16	63
Nematodes in crops	401	610	Insect control on livestock and poultry	64	198
acres on which used	6 637	5 688	acres on which used	8	12
\$1,000	140	109	acres on which used	319	(NA)
			acres on which used	99	(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 irrigated in census year	31	89	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	1.6	4.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	10	(NA)
Total land irrigated	258	690	acres	41	(NA)
Average per farm	8.3	7.7	Other sprinkler systems	19	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	31	89	acres	207	(NA)
acres	258	690	Land in irrigated farms	2 588	11 258
Harvested cropland irrigated	29	81	Cropland	1 588	6 212
acres	253	646	Harvested cropland	1 366	4 025
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	10	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
acres	-	10	between 1970 and 1973	15	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	2	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	133	(X)
acres	5	34	Farms with artificial drainage	411	797
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture			Proportion of farms	20.7	38.4
acres	-	-	Land in farms with drainage	60 068	101 233
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	169	578	Land drained	28 159	50 889
Average per acre irrigated	0.7	0.8	Average per farm	68.5	63.8
Land irrigated by—			Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Furrows or ditches	2	(NA)	tanks	275	(NA)
acres	10	(NA)	number	549	(NA)
			acres	608	(NA)

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	529	407	254
\$1,000	10 384	7 922	2 461
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	165	127	130
\$5,000 to \$9,999	97	81	39
\$10,000 to \$29,999	172	125	70
\$30,000 to \$49,999	49	36	9
\$50,000 and over	46	38	6

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—							1 031	105	326	810
150 days or more	105	181	316	320	722	3 168	3 070	722	1 025	1 322
25 to 149 days	326	1 796	2 415	18 409	1 025		12 717	316	2 415	9 986
Less than 25 days	810		9 986		1 322					
Total contract labor	70	152	(NA)	(NA)	96	181				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	113	(NA)	32	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							107	45	51	72
2 workers							55	21	40	42
3 or 4 workers							88	21	63	81
5 to 9 workers							249	15	67	205
10 workers and over							532	3	105	410