

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	807	1 129	747	958	Land in Farms According to Use Total cropland ----- farms.. 792 1 101 acres.. 122 741 116 033 Harvested cropland ----- farms.. 773 1 049 acres.. 105 067 77 596 Farms by acres harvested: 1 to 9 acres ----- 79 151 10 to 19 acres ----- 97 173 20 to 29 acres ----- 76 159 30 to 49 acres ----- 114 179 50 to 99 acres ----- 147 184 100 to 199 acres ----- 119 109 200 to 499 acres ----- 92 78 500 to 999 acres ----- 42 15 1,000 acres and over ----- 7 1 Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ----- farms.. 232 381 acres.. 10 080 10 102 Other cropland (see text) ----- farms.. 274 584 acres.. 7 594 28 335 Total woodland ----- farms.. 441 628 acres.. 85 058 85 697 Other land (see text) ----- farms.. 506 664 acres.. 17 638 13 784 Irrigated land ----- farms.. 14 32 acres.. 275 491				
Land in farms ----- acres	225 437	215 514	222 641	207 668					
Average size of farm ----- acres	279	191	298	217					
Approximate land area ----- acres	326 400	326 400	326 400	326 400					
Proportion in farms ----- percent	69.1	66.0	68.2	63.6					
Value of land and buildings -- \$1,000	122 786	66 429	120 863	62 629					
Average per farm ----- dollars	152 152	58 838	161 798	65 375					
Average per acre ----- dollars	545	308	543	302					
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres -----	51	86	31	38					
10 to 49 acres -----	196	381	164	299					
50 to 69 acres -----	73	94	72	77					
70 to 99 acres -----	84	112	82	103					
100 to 139 acres -----	95	110	95	107					
140 to 179 acres -----	43	46	43	44					
180 to 219 acres -----	29	44	28	44					
220 to 259 acres -----	33	40	31	37					
260 to 499 acres -----	85	105	83	98					
500 to 999 acres -----	72	72	72	72					
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	35	30	35	30					
2,000 acres and over -----	11	9	11	9					
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
			1974	1969					
Other cropland ----- farms..			257	(NA)					
acres..			7 456	26 929					
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ----- farms..			61	145					
acres..			1 608	5 515					
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- farms..			19	64					
acres..			632	1 051					
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms..			26	55					
acres..			1 688	3 151					
Cropland idle ----- farms..			190	391					
acres..			3 528	17 212					
Total woodland ----- farms..			421	534					
acres..			83 906	81 899					
Woodland pastured ----- farms..			130	198					
acres..			12 902	15 826					
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
			1974	1969					
Total woodland -- Continued									
Woodland not pastured ----- farms..									
acres..			71 004	66 073					
Other land ----- farms..			477	(NA)					
acres..			17 231	12 888					
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ----- farms..			113	122					
acres..			8 968	3 989					
Improved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms..			63	72					
acres..			3 790	2 679					
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms..			68	58					
acres..			5 178	1 310					
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms..			455	533					
acres..			8 263	8 899					

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	807	1 129	747	958	Farms by type of organization -- Con. Partnership ----- number.. (NA) (NA) Land in farms ----- acres.. (NA) (NA) 104 154 38 920 41 841 Corporation ----- number.. (NA) (NA) 9 26 Land in farms ----- acres.. (NA) (NA) 6 182 13 869 Other ----- number.. (NA) (NA) 5 12 acres.. (NA) (NA) 8 321 635 Farm operators by age group: 2 Under 25 years ----- 13 14 12 12 25 to 34 years ----- 61 96 60 85 35 to 44 years ----- 147 223 131 203 45 to 54 years ----- 191 376 185 306 55 to 64 years ----- 248 316 225 278 65 years and over ----- 132 104 120 74 Average age ----- 52.5 50.5 52.4 49.9 Farm operators by place of residence: 2 On farm operated ----- 405 758 375 674 On another farm ----- 48 } In a rural area, not on a farm ----- 47 } 258 In a city, town, or urban area ----- 89 } 85 } 201 Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: 2 None ----- 388 (NA) 371 (NA) 1 to 49 days ----- 44 115 37 105 50 to 99 days ----- 27 68 27 55 100 to 149 days ----- 14 } 150 to 199 days ----- 18 } 76 } 200 days and over ----- 95 145 74 88 Farm operators by principal occupation: 2 Farming ----- 666 (NA) 638 (NA) Other ----- 126 (NA) 95 (NA) Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market ----- (NA) (NA) 27 (NA) Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts ----- (NA) (NA) 35 (NA)				
Land in farms ----- acres	225 437	215 514	222 641	207 668					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	105 067	77 596	104 508	76 323					
Farms by tenure of farm operator:									
Full owners ----- number	316	428	262	307					
Land in farms ----- acres	65 660	67 638	63 266	62 450					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	26 885	20 929	26 379	20 051					
Part owners ----- number	218	250	217	236					
Land in farms ----- acres	107 660	98 691	107 319	96 896					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	47 872	31 538	47 860	31 437					
Tenants ----- number	273	451	268	415					
Land in farms ----- acres	52 117	49 185	52 056	48 322					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	30 310	25 129	30 269	24 835					
Percent of tenancy -----	33.8	39.9	35.9	43.3					
Black and other races, see text --									
Farm operators by tenure: 1									
All farm operators ----- number	89	276	82	216					
Land in farms ----- acres	10 728	15 795	10 665	12 776					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	4 683	6 453	4 665	5 973					
Full owners ----- number	45	86	39	49					
Land in farms ----- acres	4 624	5 855	4 563	4 261					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	1 436	1 781	1 420	1 528					
Part owners ----- number	20	29	20	23					
Land in farms ----- acres	4 880	3 959	4 880	2 871					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	2 365	953	2 365	916					
Tenants ----- number	24	161	23	144					
Land in farms ----- acres	1 224	5 981	1 222	5 644					
Harvested cropland ----- acres	882	3 719	880	3 529					
Percent of tenancy -----	27.0	58.3	28.0	66.6					
Farms by type of organization:									
Individual or family ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	629	766					
Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	169 218	151 323					

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	121	125	120	125			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	188	196	188	196			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	165		165				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	129	257	129	257			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	88	210	88	210			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	56	160	56	159			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	60	181	1	11			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	16	34	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	14	25	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5	24	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	25	98	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	44 421	20 397	44 145	20 163			
Average per farm dollars	55 045	18 066	59 096	21 046			
Crops, including hay							
\$1,000	39 937	16 960	39 812	16 816			
Nursery and greenhouse products	9		3	1			
\$1,000	12		7	2			
Forest products							
\$1,000	182	231	182	230			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	4 290	3 206	4 144	3 116			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	634	(NA)	634	285			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000	39 812		39 812	16 816			
Grains							
\$1,000	12 730		12 730	2 695			
Tobacco							
\$1,000	19 784		19 784	10 602			
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000	120		120	273			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000	1 601		1 601	374			
Other field crops							
\$1,000	10		10	46			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000	14		14	93			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000	427		427	617			
\$1,000	5 545		5 545	2 988			
\$1,000	27		27	43			
\$1,000	138		138	55			
\$1,000	1		1	12			
\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)	8			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	312		312	434			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	4 144		4 144	3 116			
Dairy products							
\$1,000	20		20	34			
\$1,000	634		634	285			
Cattle and calves							
\$1,000	401		401	409			
Hogs and pigs							
\$1,000	135		135	(NA)			
\$1,000	611		611	594			
\$1,000	2 496		2 496	(NA)			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000	2		2	1 827			
\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)				
Other livestock and livestock products							
\$1,000	5		5	3			

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	80	(NA)	52	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²		301
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	218	(NA)	204	(NA)	\$1,000		2 100
\$1,000	1 230	(NA)	1 180	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		52
Customwork and other agricultural services	89	146	89	136	\$1,000		393
\$1,000	424	249	424	231	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		198
Recreational services	2	9	2	8	\$1,000		1 259
\$1,000	1	17	1	15	Interest, dividends, or royalties		95
Government farm programs	82	515	80	459	\$1,000		241
\$1,000	37	969	37	943	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		49
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	98	(NA)	84	(NA)	\$1,000		118
\$1,000	710	(NA)	661	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		29
Other farm-related sources	18	(NA)	17	(NA)	\$1,000		90
\$1,000	58	(NA)	57	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	66	(NA)	64	(NA)			
\$1,000	379	(NA)	376	(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	806	1 129	747	958	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	664	972	634	889
\$1,000	27 201	14 128	26 949	13 832	\$1,000	1 161	509	1 158	501
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	758	1 063	713	938
\$1 to \$999	59	113	18	91	\$1,000	4 265	1 952	4 246	1 924
\$1,000 to \$1,999	44	107	37		Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	48	122	44	106	\$1,000	543	(NA)	526	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	83	165	77	149	\$1,000	2 009	722	2 004	709
\$5,000 to \$9,999	134	244	134	235	\$1,000	(NA)	219	91	204
\$10,000 to \$19,999	125		125	188	\$1,000	(NA)	78	84	76
\$20,000 to \$39,999	135		135	114	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	60	378	60	75	\$1,000	779	1 109	720	954
\$60,000 and over	118		117		\$1,000	2 296	1 393	2 281	1 360
Livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	542	922
\$1,000	159	277	132	242	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	755	556
\$1,000	547	471	544	460	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	357	339
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	419	157
\$1,000	303	441	261	377	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	181	392
\$1,000	1 716	1 033	1 658	1 008	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	347	203
Commercially mixed formula feeds					Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil				
\$1,000	274	368	239	326	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	720	954
(NA)	1 443	661	1 432	650	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	761	443
Feed ingredients					Hired farm labor				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	64	82	\$1,000	496	907	486	828
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	85	\$1,000	4 067	2 533	3 967	2 493
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	88	66	Contract labor				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	161	259	\$1,000	30	813	26	73
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	23	\$1,000	68	549	67	65
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	11	15	Machine hire and customwork				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	465		453	701
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	885		882	470
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	791	1 070	747	958
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	10 187	4 966	10 119	4 843

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.....farms.....	694	1 066	646	917					
.....\$1,000.....	20 015	9 933	19 676	9 385					
.....dollars.....	28 840	9 318	30 459	10 234					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	8	90	4	439					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	121	473	103						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	113	203	90	192					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	129	144	129	136					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	91		89	79					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	114	156	114	47					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	55		54	24					
\$70,000 and over.....	63		63						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	556	837	526	728					
.....number.....	864	1 184	830	1 039					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	514	720	510	634					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	602	811	565	708					
.....number.....	1 165	1 164	1 124	1 048					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	560	641	548	584					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	617	903	580	790					
.....number.....	1 857	2 115	1 809	1 929					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	624	875	619	819					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	20		20	21					
.....number.....	24		24	28					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6		6	8					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	161	187	160	182					
.....number.....	191	209	190	204					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	96	118	95	115					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	154	197	152	151					
.....number.....	168	240	165	165					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	85	146	84	106					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	35		35	62					
.....number.....	40		40	68					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15		15	35					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	52	(NA)	52	(NA)					
.....number.....	56	(NA)	56	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	(NA)	14	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	73	92	71	88					
.....number.....	78	100	76	96					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	52	23	50					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	23	(NA)	23	37					
.....number.....	23	(NA)	23	38					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	7	16					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	20	(NA)	20	27					
.....number.....	20	(NA)	20	30					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	(NA)	5	15					

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.....	385	(X)	357	(X)	332	(X)	312	(X) 4 144
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	356	(X)	330	(X)	325	(X)	305	(X) 3 107
.....1969.....	544	(X)	477	(X)	491	(X)	425	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	163	7 816	152	7 531	141	3 464	135	3 402 611
.....1969.....	207	8 156	186	7 898	168	4 176	155	4 052 594
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....1974.....	26	62	21	46	34	71	32	66 14
5 to 9.....1974.....	14	90	14	90	29	208	26	187 36
10 to 19.....1974.....	18	260	17	243	20	281	20	281 48
20 to 49.....1974.....	52	1 573	49	1 486	34	1 048	33	1 012 153
50 to 99.....1974.....	31	2 208	29	2 043	21	1 510	21	1 510 314
100 to 199.....1974.....	14	1 946	14	1 946	3	346	3	346 46
200 to 499.....1974.....	8	1 677	8	1 677	-	-	-	- -
500 and over.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- -
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	146	4 818	137	4 681	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	176	4 645	162	4 557	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	131	4 362	126	4 237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	3 916	147	3 842	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	21	456	17	444	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	35	729	30	715	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X) 401
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X) 409
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.....	131	4 362	126	4 237	109	1 828	439	
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	12	19	12	19	39	78	17	
5 to 9.....	25	171	25	171	25	156	36	
10 to 19.....	25	359	23	335	14	196	46	
20 to 49.....	44	1 317	41	1 216	21	675	151	
50 to 99.....	14	926	14	926	9	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	10	(D)	10	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	21	456	17	444	76	1 574	172	
Farms with—								
1 or 2.....	8	9	8	9	6	7	1	
3 or 4.....	4	12	-	-	9	34	4	
5 to 9.....	2	12	2	12	21	152	19	
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-	15	204	22	
20 to 49.....	3	80	3	80	16	505	53	
50 to 99.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	7	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	95	1 546	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	16	260	72
1969	131	1 774	1969	6	156	(NA)
Beef heifers	87	1 364	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	8	182	1 to 9	12	40	10
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	111	1 304	10 to 19	—	—	—
1969	162	1 567	20 to 49	1	23	3
			50 to 99	3	197	59
			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	268	28 785	252	27 804	252	39 328	237	37 093	2 496
1969	461	26 373	407	24 940	419	49 187	362	47 298	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	26	67	25	65	9	23	9	23	1
5 to 9	29	209	26	188	16	121	14	107	7
10 to 24	68	1 046	62	971	63	937	54	823	50
25 to 49	59	2 078	55	1 937	49	1 660	47	1 596	96
50 to 99	34	2 133	33	2 053	40	2 651	39	2 581	164
100 to 199	28	3 704	28	3 704	36	4 771	36	4 771	305
200 to 499	15	4 496	15	4 496	25	7 070	25	7 070	442
500 and over	9	15 052	8	14 390	14	22 095	13	20 122	1 431
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	58	7 631	53	6 816	186
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	80	12 147	67	11 942	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	3	13	3	13	1	3	1	3	(NA)
1969	7	103	4	60	6	116	3	91	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	136
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	(Z)
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	6	37	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	44	115	39	109	4	4	4	4	3
1969	114	301	(NA)	(NA)	16	44	(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	202	3 465	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	323	4 523	December 1 of preceding year and November 30			
Other hogs and pigs	240	24 339	1969			
1969	381	20 417	December 1 of preceding year and May 31			
Lambs under 1 year old	1	3	1969			
Ewes 1 year old or older	2	8	June 1 and November 30			
Rams and wethers	2	2	1969			
			230	5 344	215	5 088
			395	6 028	343	5 739
			207	2 812	194	2 683
			352	3 177	306	2 995
			186	2 532	175	2 405
			310	2 851	278	2 744

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	99	(X)	91	(X)	7	(X)	7	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	175	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	98	35 065	90	34 568	6	17 182	6	17 182
1969	202	36 070	173	35 226	16	22 267	15	22 257
Hens and pullets of laying age	98	34 632	90	34 323	6	17 182	6	17 182
1969	183	35 082	159	34 394	15	22 159	14	22 149
Farms with—								
1 to 99	91	2 362	83	2 053	3	100	3	100
100 to 399	5	(D)	5	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	11	64 173	11	64 173	1	(D)	1	(D)
1969	4	77	4	77	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	634	20	634
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	34	285

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..	90	34 323	6	17 182	Turkeys.....1974..	5	19	-	-
.....1969..	159	34 394	14	22 149	.....1969..	6	23	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	85	34 047	6	17 182	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	13	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	14	276	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	1	2	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	9	114	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	1	11	-	-
.....1969..	18	386	1	100	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	4	6	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	36	131	-	-	.....1969..	6	21	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	3	20	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	5	(X)	-	(X)
					.....1969..	12	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	668	866	48 084	32 540	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	7	19	165	550	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	408	339	22 226	11 475	509 973	284 236
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	435	658	15 415	14 196	32 737 449	24 450 577
Wheat (bushels).....	94	150	3 376	2 505	130 534	111 054
Other small grains for grain.....	23	54	611	889	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	122	343	7 378	6 257	7 870	3 729
Tobacco (pounds).....	593	883	9 582	8 765	20 210 076	16 234 805
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	32	(NA)	16	(NA)	878	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	27	(NA)	75	(NA)	17 810	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	55	68	1 119	1 123	1 185	1 319
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	36	53	353	134	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	7	12	24	43	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	-	5	-	3	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	12	(NA)	96	221	(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).....	642	781	47 197	30 763	3 535 784	2 260 179	1	2	5	80
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	27	41	520	898	6 918	14 411	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	10	28	77	174	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	5	14	117	459	5 921	25 281	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	2	(NA)	48	90	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	-	1	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	209	9 540	(X)	-	-	50	2 091	40	274	10	111
.....1969..	335	9 629	(X)	2	14	105	4 200	94	1 238	23	225
Improved pasture.....1974..	63	3 790	(X)	-	-	23	1 609	20	129	3	231
.....1969..	72	2 679	(X)	-	-	26	1 045	21	143	6	146
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	643	47 794	(X)	1	5	518	43 644	446	6 836	329	6 039
.....1969..	795	31 835	(X)	2	80	604	26 028	518	5 490	346	3 451
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	7	165	(X)	-	-	3	92	3	16	2	9
.....1969..	18	549	(X)	-	-	12	395	8	73	10	64
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	93	3 364	130 054	-	-	81	2 984	61	471	39	230
.....1969..	146	2 460	108 779	-	-	123	1 985	(NA)	323	(NA)	187
Oats (bushels).....1974..	15	209	12 289	-	-	15	209	10	21	9	17
.....1969..	41	544	31 986	-	-	37	490	(NA)	57	(NA)	49
Barley (bushels).....1974..	5	264	13 158	-	-	4	234	3	14	3	15
.....1969..	5	116	6 910	-	-	5	116	(NA)	37	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels).....1974..	5	98	2 600	-	-	4	81	4	12	3	9
.....1969..	16	119	3 137	-	-	13	96	(NA)	24	(NA)	6
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	1	4	(X)	-	-	1	4	-	-	-	1
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	396	22 094	506 413	-	-	236	14 012	200	1 831	40	343
.....1969..	319	11 326	280 558	-	-	188	6 525	(NA)	869	(NA)	307
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	431	15 390	32 685 319	3	97	272	10 731	232	1 822	49	450
.....1969..	617	14 059	24 272 195	12	163	391	9 760	(NA)	2 127	(NA)	465
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	54	1 112	1 173	1	7	17	305	13	35	4	27
.....1969..	64	1 091	1 279	1	10	24	329	20	91	4	27
Field seed crops.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	1	41	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	121	7 354	7 846	-	-	112	7 219	90	1 268	37	535
.....1969..	321	6 165	3 654	1	2	286	6 141	(NA)	1 429	(NA)	313
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	591	9 565	20 161 956	6	111	591	9 538	579	7 615	33	397
.....1969..	844	8 692	16 119 123	17	205	844	8 682	(NA)	8 409	(NA)	31
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	29	14	808	-	-	22	13	22	14	-	-
.....1969..	52	27	1 499	1	(Z)	24	23	(NA)	7	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	33	332	(X)	-	-	13	128	13	47	-	-
.....1969..	49	132	(X)	2	14	29	87	27	34	4	2
Land in orchards.....1974..	6	23	(X)	-	-	2	11	2	2	-	-
.....1969..	10	42	(X)	-	-	6	37	6	4	-	-

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	5	3	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	3	2	(X)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	(Z)
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	14	162	(X)	—	—	10	153	18	48	1	(Z)

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	718	6 249	941	2 633	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	36	—	41	—
Commercial fertilizer	713	929	929	929	Diseases in crops and orchards	2 229	26	1 217	8
acres on which used	93 157	28 875	66 154	25 689	acres on which used	26	314	416	8
Lime	91	4 246	204	1 924	Weeds or grass in crops	61 872	835	31 876	248
acres on which used	8 179	6 773	10 374	8 513	acres on which used	7	194	15	257
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	84	—	76	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	1	1	1	—
Insects on hay crops	2	—	5	—	acres on which used	25	493	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	14	—	199	—	Weeds on all other land	2	2	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	391	—	691	—	acres on which used	84	4 044	111	2 419
acres on which used	48 825	823	26 113	—	of crops or thinning of fruit	50	50	35	82
Nematodes in crops	191	—	224	—	acres on which used	11	92	6	(NA)
acres on which used	7 017	111	3 818	54	Other chemicals (see text)	61	61	(NA)	(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	11	253	32	491	Land irrigated by—Continued	3	—	(NA)	—
Proportion of farms	1.5	23.0	3.3	15.3	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	32	8	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	11	253	32	491	Other sprinkler systems	8	221	8	689
Cropland irrigated	9	215	30	476	Land in irrigated farms	5 103	2 596	13 689	8 815
Harvested cropland irrigated	—	—	2	14	Cropland	2 427	2 427	5 303	5 303
Cropland pasture irrigated	2	38	(NA)	1	Harvested cropland	14	229	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	169	22.6	292	30.4
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	76 299	38 940	96 544	38 310
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	247	1.0	383	0.8	Land drained	230.4	230.4	131.1	131.1
Land irrigated by	—	—	(NA)	—	Average per farm	161	395	(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	541	541	(NA)	(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 colspan="2">Total operator debt</th> <th colspan="2">Secured by real estate</th> <th colspan="2">Not secured by real estate</th>	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Under \$5,000	28	28	13	13	26	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27	27	13	13	18	18
\$10,000 to \$29,999	58	58	34	34	38	38
\$30,000 to \$49,999	34	34	34	34	15	15
\$50,000 and over	57	57	37	37	14	14

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—	186	259	636	589	2 185	2 493	486	186	255	261
150 days or more	255	775	1 942	7 309	1 188	594	3 967	2 185	1 188	594
25 to 149 days	261	—	3 232	—	594	—	5 810	636	1 942	3 232
Less than 25 days	26	73	(NA)	(NA)	67	65	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	6	(NA)	39	(NA)	14	(NA)	—	—	—	—
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with—	46	60	21	20	20	20	—	—	—	—
1 worker	44	41	33	33	38	38	—	—	—	—
2 workers	56	43	51	38	68	68	—	—	—	—
3 or 4 workers	120	35	82	68	115	115	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 workers	220	7	68	115	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—