

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.....	753	947	418	374	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	73 067	87 479	55 944	53 945	Total cropland..... farms.....	738	914	410	361
Average size of farm..... acres.....	97	92	134	144	acres.....	35 099	37 311	27 359	25 593
Approximate land area..... acres.....	241 664	241 664	241 664	241 664	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	695	801	399	352
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	30.2	36.2	23.1	22.3	acres.....	23 009	23 760	20 707	19 927
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	62 610	43 375	47 347	27 898	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	83 147	45 802	113 270	74 594	1 to 9 acres.....	289	346	74	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	857	496	846	517	10 to 19 acres.....	151	156	91	240
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	73	101	63	
1 to 9 acres.....	76	80	21	17	30 to 49 acres.....	72	83	62	
10 to 49 acres.....	376	513	189	144	50 to 99 acres.....	57	64	56	61
50 to 99 acres.....	77	78	42	39	100 to 199 acres.....	31	31	31	31
100 to 139 acres.....	76	85	45	41	200 to 499 acres.....	18	17	18	17
140 to 179 acres.....	15	32	15	24	500 to 999 acres.....	4	3	4	3
180 to 219 acres.....	14	16	11	12	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
220 to 259 acres.....	17	11	13	8	Cropland used only for pasture				
260 to 499 acres.....	21	32	17	21	or grazing..... farms.....	313	404	127	112
500 to 999 acres.....	16	15	14	12	acres.....	10 243	8 597	5 288	4 256
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	7	8	5	6	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	120	229	70	(NA)
2,000 acres and over.....	3	4	3	2	acres.....	1 847	4 954	1 364	1 410
					Total woodland..... farms.....	379	548	213	216
					acres.....	25 918	36 575	19 734	21 090
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	544	671	292	(NA)
					acres.....	12 050	13 593	8 851	7 262
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	18	12	14	7
					acres.....	87	206	68	193

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	70	(NA)	Total woodland - Continued		
acres.....	1 364	1 410	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	165	161
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	24	40	acres.....	17 194	17 213
acres.....	314	563	Other land..... farms.....	292	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	10	16	acres.....	8 851	7 262
acres.....	579	252	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....	48	84
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	6	5	acres.....	5 962	4 489
acres.....	47	57	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	34	60
Cropland idle..... farms.....	34	45	acres.....	4 096	3 552
acres.....	424	538	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	17	39
Total woodland..... farms.....	213	216	acres.....	1 866	937
acres.....	19 734	21 090	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....	279	252
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	71	83	acres.....	2 889	2 773
acres.....	2 540	3 877			

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.....	753	947	418	374	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	73 067	87 479	55 944	53 945	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	47	61
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	23 009	23 760	20 707	19 927	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	13 361	15 246
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	12	9
Full owners..... number.....	503	686	243	213	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 090	3 420
Land in farms..... acres.....	48 087	56 902	33 316	29 553	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	8 597	9 164	6 924	6 255	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	83
Part owners..... number.....	200	213	141	130	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	22 090	27 116	20 067	21 315	Under 25 years.....	13	9	10	7
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	12 250	12 382	11 733	11 648	25 to 34 years.....	100	99	79	49
Tenants..... number.....	50	48	34	31	35 to 44 years.....	119	163	78	87
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 890	3 461	2 561	3 077	45 to 54 years.....	164	233	75	112
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	2 162	2 214	2 050	2 024	55 to 64 years.....	209	277	124	91
Percent of tenancy.....	6.6	5.0	8.1	8.2	65 years and over.....	133	166	40	28
Black and other races, see text—					Average age.....	51.5	52.5	48.2	47.8
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators..... number.....	4	2	3	1	On farm operated.....	523	674	288	299
Land in farms..... acres.....	237	65	37	48	On another farm.....	19	12	12	12
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	28	23	18	21	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	44	138	31	47
Full owners..... number.....	4	1	3	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	21	12	12	-
Land in farms..... acres.....	237	17	37	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	28	2	18	-	None.....	264	(NA)	172	(NA)
Part owners..... number.....	-	1	-	1	1 to 49 days.....	55	50	22	19
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	48	-	48	50 to 99 days.....	27	56	6	18
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	21	-	21	100 to 149 days.....	17	69	8	17
Tenants..... number.....	-	-	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	36	19	8	17
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	-	-	-	200 days and over.....	225	304	83	69
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	-	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy.....	-	-	-	-	Farming.....	411	(NA)	285	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other.....	327	(NA)	121	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	359	302	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	37 493	35 196	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	27	(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	31	53	31	53			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	46		46				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	64	45	63	45			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	84	69	83	69			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	107	103	107	103			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	69	76	69	73			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	352	601	19	31			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	36	52	00	00			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	48	45	00	00			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	61	76	00	00			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	207	428	00	00			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	13 087	8 519	12 751	8 047			
Average per farm	17 380	8 996	30 504	21 514			
Crops, including hay							
farms	532	601	352	(NA)			
\$1,000	8 298	4 619	8 101	3 935			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	34		27	19			
\$1,000	617		611	418			
Forest products							
farms	29	29	14	16			
\$1,000	17	37	13	16			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	270	352	127	149			
\$1,000	4 155	3 864	4 026	3 678			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	17	(NA)	4	23			
\$1,000	27	(NA)	23	596			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms	352	(NA)				
\$1,000	8 101	3 935					
Grains	farms	62	55				
\$1,000	629	267					
Tobacco	farms	9	6				
\$1,000	15	17					
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	-	-				
\$1,000	-	-					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	40	37				
\$1,000	114	121					
Other field crops	farms	23	8				
\$1,000	19	9					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	73	78				
\$1,000	749	956					
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	258	211				
\$1,000	6 574	2 565					
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	127	149					
\$1,000	4 026	3 678					
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	4	23					
\$1,000	27	596					
Dairy products							
farms	27	45					
\$1,000	3 308	2 321					
Cattle and calves							
farms	111	(NA)					
\$1,000	643	649					
Hogs and pigs							
farms	20	(NA)					
\$1,000	40	112					
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms	2						
\$1,000	(Z)						
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms	11						
\$1,000	13						

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	343	(NA)	101	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	238
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms	189	(NA)	87	\$1,000	3 121
\$1,000	313	(NA)	248	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	37
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms	48	42	20	\$1,000	1 202
\$1,000	176	72	152	61	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	161
Recreational services	farms	7	8	5	\$1,000	1 449
\$1,000	15	12	12	11	Interest, dividends, or royalties	86
Government farm programs	farms	121	195	56	\$1,000	342
\$1,000	53	45	48	26	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	33
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms	42	(NA)	11	(NA)	103
\$1,000	48	(NA)	15	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	19
Other farm-related sources	farms	14	(NA)	12	(NA)	26
\$1,000	21	(NA)	21	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms	66	(NA)	30	(NA)	
\$1,000	103	(NA)	78	(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	753	947	418	374	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms	366	448	211	223
\$1,000	10 057	6 576	9 575	5 863	\$1,000	246	165	233	145		
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms	681	797	378	349	
\$1 to \$999	165	350	2	27	\$1,000	1 008	673	922	590		
\$1,000 to \$1,999	146	159	45		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms	423	(NA)	294	(NA)	
\$2,000 to \$2,999	85	100	40	46	\$1,000	928	681	903	626		
\$3,000 to \$4,999	80	92	65	68	Lime	farms	(NA)	270	51	138	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	83	99	74	89	\$1,000	(NA)	53	30	40		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	80		79	66	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms	730	894	414	370	
\$20,000 to \$39,999	66		65	43	\$1,000	557	377	509	304		
\$40,000 to \$59,999	15		15		(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	405	364		
\$60,000 and over	33		33	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	302	209		
Livestock and poultry purchased					(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	152	135		
farms	159	251	62	83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	107	38		
\$1,000	337	356	290	300	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	11	24		
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4	8		
farms	317	406	124	148	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	414	370	
\$1,000	1 195	894	1 117	827	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	96	48		
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms	194	219	87	115	Hired farm labor	farms	295	492	237	268
\$1,000	907	716	876	688	\$1,000	1 675	1 081	1 645	952		
Feed ingredients	farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	41	farms	79	302	68	94	
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	137	100	\$1,000	462	382	459	284		
Whole grains	farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	19	Machine hire and customwork	farms	201		115	113
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	9	\$1,000	175		156	73		
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms	(NA)	(NA)	14	29	\$1,000	658	758	413	365	
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	39	31	\$1,000	3 473	1 968	3 280	1 762		
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms	(NA)	(NA)	68	(NA)	All other production expenses	farms				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	60	(NA)							

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		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.....	737	897	406	367					
..... \$1,000.....	10 756	5 914	8 280	4 198					
Average per form..... dollars.....	14 594	6 592	20 394	11 439					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	8	122	—	—					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	198	433	64	121					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	194	144	79	85					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	176	126	117	97					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	85	—	73	39					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	43	—	43	15					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	11	72	9	—					
\$70,000 and over.....	22	—	21	10					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	552	561	306	245					
..... number.....	718	731	426	338					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	328	381	247	191					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	658	744	378	341					
..... number.....	1 035	1 130	713	644					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	322	439	243	258					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	634	687	383	332					
..... number.....	1 219	1 247	911	775					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	282	379	253	268					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	39	—	25	29					
..... number.....	44	—	30	34					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	—	5	6					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	19	14	17	11					
..... number.....	21	16	19	13					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	8	8	8					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	22	46	20	12					
..... number.....	24	54	22	14					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	20	8	10					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	32	—	26	33					
..... number.....	36	—	30	34					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	—	7	9					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	109	(NA)	82	(NA)					
..... number.....	143	(NA)	114	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	51	(NA)	45	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	108	94	64	57					
..... number.....	111	95	67	57					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	39	12	25					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	46	(NA)	25	25					
..... number.....	47	(NA)	25	27					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	4	6					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	48	(NA)	32	43					
..... number.....	56	(NA)	39	46					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	(NA)	12	23					

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.....	403	(X)	167	(X)	270	(X)	127	(X) 4 026	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	348	(X)	147	(X)	251	(X)	120	(X) 682	
..... 1969.....	456	(X)	153	(X)	319	(X)	129	(X) (NA)	
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	340	11 901	141	9 541	233	4 059	111	3 413 643	
..... 1969.....	436	11 563	146	9 035	300	5 339	123	4 168 649	
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	75	191	25	53	81	199	20	40 7	
5 to 9..... 1974.....	79	524	17	115	64	412	19	123 28	
10 to 19..... 1974.....	71	900	19	251	40	509	24	311 64	
20 to 49..... 1974.....	65	1 991	37	1 248	29	873	29	873 210	
50 to 99..... 1974.....	24	1 521	17	1 100	13	902	13	902 182	
100 to 199..... 1974.....	12	1 620	12	1 620	5	(D)	5	(D) (D)	
200 to 499..... 1974.....	10	2 534	10	2 534	—	—	—	— (D)	
500 and over..... 1974.....	4	2 620	4	2 620	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)	
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....									
..... 1969.....	282	5 757	120	4 697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)	
Beef cows..... 1974.....	336	6 214	137	5 329	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)	
..... 1969.....	223	2 705	89	1 757	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)	
Milk cows..... 1974.....	(NA)	2 444	83	1 726	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)	
..... 1969.....	102	3 052	51	2 940	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)	
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	27	(X) 3 308	
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	45	(X) 2 321	
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.....	223	2 705	89	1 757	Cattle sold.....	92	1 737	551	
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	85	196	22	41	1 to 4.....	20	48	12	
5 to 9.....	68	452	21	154	5 to 9.....	16	106	38	
10 to 19.....	28	352	16	202	10 to 19.....	29	370	113	
20 to 49.....	34	973	22	628	20 to 49.....	19	570	203	
50 to 99.....	7	(D)	7	(D)	50 to 99.....	7	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	—	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—	—	
Milk cows.....	102	3 052	51	2 940	Calves sold.....	64	1 676	91	
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	56	76	22	34	1 or 2.....	13	20	2	
3 or 4.....	17	56	2	7	3 or 4.....	5	17	2	
5 to 9.....	2	13	1	6	5 to 9.....	6	36	5	
10 to 19.....	3	34	2	20	10 to 19.....	6	154	12	
20 to 49.....	6	222	6	222	20 to 49.....	13	615	45	
50 to 99.....	5	327	5	327	50 to 99.....	21	283	5	
100 to 199.....	8	1 035	8	1 035	100 to 199.....	4	(D)	11	
200 to 499.....	5	1 289	5	1 289	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	9	
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.....	83	3 127	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	7	57	13
1969.....	118	2 847	1969.....	6	128	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	63	1 287	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	25	1 840	1 to 9.....	6	17	4
1974.....			10 to 19.....	—	—	—
1969.....			20 to 49.....	1	40	9
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	103	1 717	50 to 99.....	—	—	—
1974.....	101	859	100 to 199.....	—	—	—
1969.....			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.....	73	921	33	716	39	843	20	645 40
1969.....	118	2 161	40	1 647	48	2 710	25	2 254 (NA)
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	51	93	19	33	19	51	8	22 2
5 to 9.....	2	11	1	6	3	17	2	12 1
10 to 24.....	12	148	8	102	7	98	3	36 2
25 to 49.....	4	119	1	25	5	170	2	68 4
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	2	157	2	157 5
100 to 199.....	4	550	4	550	3	350	3	350 26
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	194	3	158 4
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	167	2	49 (NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	8	112	2	32	4	34	2	14 (NA)
1969.....	4	68	2	54	3	40	2	32 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	19 203
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X) (Z)
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	111	566	40	380	9	42	5	38 5
1969.....	149	597	(NA)	(NA)	14	208	(NA)	(NA) (NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	Farms	Number		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....	15	94	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	14	171	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	24	158	16	129
Other hogs and pigs.....	28	622	1969.....	40	386	17	309
1974.....	37	1 476	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	21	90	13	66
1969.....	1	8	1969.....	35	203	16	155
Lambs under 1 year old.....	1	8	1974.....	17	68	14	63
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	2	22	June 1 and November 30.....	28	183	15	154
1974.....	2	2	1969.....				
Rams and wethers.....	2	2					

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.....	89	(X)	26	(X)	6	(X)	2	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	32	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	89	2 659	26	740	6	10 494	2	(D)
1974.....	138	42 737	23	38 698	13	47 782	6	46 492
1969.....	84	2 028	26	715	5	93	1	18
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	124	42 062	21	38 610	12	23 782	5	(D)
1969.....								
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	83	1 840	26	715	5	93	1	18
100 to 399.....	1	188	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	4	47	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	11	98 210	8	98 100	12	558 250	11	558 000
1969.....								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	27	4	23
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	23	596

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.....	26	715	1	18	Turkeys.....	1	4	-	-
1974.....	21	38 610	5	(D)	1969.....	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....	25	670	-	-	Turkeys for slaughter.....	-	-	-	-
1969.....	2	45	1	18	Heavy breed.....	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....	-	-	-	-
1974.....	1	3	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....	1	4	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	1	12	1	(D)	1969.....	-	-	-	-
1969.....	9	22	1	1	Other poultry.....	3	00	-	00
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	-	-	-	-	1974.....	5	00	1	00
1974.....	-	-	-	-	1969.....	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes.....	270	285	8 290	7 769	00	00	00	00		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	3	11	10	21	00	00	00	00		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	2	6	108	106	780	2 570				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Wheat (bushels).....	2	7	2	37	100	1 138				
Other small grains for grain.....	11	22	97	204	00	00				
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Tobacco (pounds).....	24	23	15	18	24 599	38 564				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	73	(NA)	54	(NA)	5 166	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	234	302	3 434	3 692	5 358	5 026				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	123	140	1 578	2 926	00	00				
Land in orchards.....	352	357	9 531	9 069	00	00				
Berries for sale.....	7	5	5	4	00	00				
Other crops.....	37	(NA)	188	161	00	00				

	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).....	94	97	4 343	4 269	400 038	413 121	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	60	54	3 323	2 616	53 427	46 639	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	3	8	111	(X)	00	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	1	(NA)	8	3	(X)	00	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	14	12	360	148	564	236	-	-	-	-

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	Acres	Quantity	Farms		Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....	127	5 288	00	1	5	61	2 386	60	542	2	8
Improved pasture.....	112	4 256	00	-	-	81	2 763	80	644	4	34
1974.....	34	4 096	00	-	-	17	929	17	132	1	15
1969.....	60	3 552	00	-	-	38	1 839	38	1 431	1	2
Corn for all purposes.....	117	7 674	00	-	-	97	7 239	97	1 648	49	745
1969.....	118	6 996	00	-	-	88	5 774	86	1 706	39	625
Sorghums for all purposes.....	1	8	00	-	-	1	8	1	2	-	-
1969.....	1	3	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	2	2	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	5	27	742	-	-	2	11	(NA)	1	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	2	52	1 040	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....	7	85	920	-	-	1	5	1	2	-	-
1969.....	12	120	2 495	-	-	5	54	(NA)	10	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1	106	700	-	-	1	84	1	11	-	-
1969.....	2	94	2 300	-	-	1	40	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	95	2 396	3 685	-	-	44	1 498	43	313	6	27
1969.....	90	1 895	2 805	-	-	48	1 032	48	316	6	26
Field seed crops.....	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	10	9	15 101	-	-	10	9	10	8	-	-
1969.....	6	12	26 470	-	-	6	12	(NA)	13	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	24	29	3 053	3	1	10	15	10	13	-	-
1969.....	19	18	2 143	-	-	11	17	(NA)	12	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	74	1 476	00	3	37	60	1 306	60	638	-	-
1969.....	78	2 755	00	4	189	71	2 286	71	1 665	1	1
Land in orchards.....	272	9 034	00	2	1	205	6 959	204	2 055	4	8
1969.....	213	8 080	00	-	-	208	7 908	208	2 529	-	-

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	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nursery and greenhouse products	27	175	(X)	12	24	17	108	16	54	7	
1969	19	106	(X)	3	5	9	99	7	48	2	
Other crops	1	1	(X)	-	-	1	1	1	(Z)	1	
1974										(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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime			Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.		
.....farms	389	358	Diseases in crops and orchards	148	155
\$1,000	1 826	1 216	.....farms	5 883	5 831
Commercial fertilizer	378	336	acres on which used	436	279
.....farms	20 553	21 851	Weeds or grass in crops	98	87
acres on which used	6 229	8 107	.....farms	6 928	6 284
\$1,000	922	590	acres on which used	85	45
Lime	51	138	Weeds or brush in pasture	7	4
.....farms	2 604	4 101	acres on which used	253	31
acres on which used	3 201	5 574	.....farms	1	(Z)
\$1,000	30	40	Weeds on all other land	11	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			acres on which used	124	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	2	3	.....farms	1	(NA)
acres on which used	160	45	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
\$1,000	2	(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit	40	27
Insects on other crops	107	153	acres on which used	1 105	1 212
.....farms	5 752	6 386	.....farms	18	19
acres on which used	254	232	Insect control on livestock and poultry	14	46
\$1,000	21	3	.....farms	2	5
Nematodes in crops	851	85	Other chemicals (see text)	64	(NA)
acres on which used	29	4	.....farms	46	(NA)
\$1,000 .....			.....farms		

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	14	7	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	3.3	1.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	3	(NA)
Total land irrigated	68	193	.....farms	3	(NA)
Average per farm	4.9	27.5	acres	11	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	14	7	Other sprinkler systems	65	(NA)
.....farms	68	193	.....farms	294	2 063
acres	14	7	Land in irrigated farms	143	829
Harvested cropland irrigated	57	193	Cropland	117	828
.....farms	1	-	Harvested cropland		
acres	5	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
Cropland pasture irrigated	1	-	between 1970 and 1973	-	(X)
.....farms	1	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	(X)
acres	6	-	Farms with artificial drainage	52	84
Other cropland irrigated	1	-	Proportion of farms	12.4	22.4
.....farms	6	-	.....farms	13 225	17 501
acres	-	-	Land in farms with drainage	2 851	2 764
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-	-	.....farms	54.8	32.9
.....farms	-	-	Average per farm		
acres .....	-	-	.....farms		
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	31	64	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Average per acre irrigated	0.5	0.3	tanks	96	(NA)
Land irrigated by—			.....farms	146	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	-	(NA)	.....farms	79	(NA)
.....farms	-	(NA)	acres		
acres	-	(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)	150	122	71
.....farms	6 224	4 446	1 778
\$1,000			
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	22	10	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	15	14
\$10,000 to \$29,999	68	59	17
\$30,000 to \$49,999	17	14	5
\$50,000 and over	27	24	9

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—							237	75	109	141
150 days or more	75	84	265	202	942		1 645	942	464	239
25 to 149 days	109	228	739	1 533	464		2 695	265	739	1 691
Less than 25 days	141		1 691		239					
Total contract labor	68	94	(NA)	(NA)	459	284				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	46	(NA)	627	(NA)	348	(NA)				
Farms with—							18	24	14	15
1 worker							34	20	21	15
2 workers							39	12	27	26
3 or 4 workers							68	15	27	27
5 to 9 workers							78	4	20	58
10 workers and over										