

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	304	379	269	261				
Land in farms..... acres	63 021	67 513	62 232	62 381				
Average size of farm..... acres	207	178	231	239				
Approximate land area..... acres	145 984	145 984	145 984	145 984				
Proportion in farms..... percent	43.2	46.2	42.6	42.7				
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000	46 575	29 420	46 129	27 000				
Average per farm..... dollars	153 208	77 625	171 484	103 446				
Average per acre..... dollars	739	436	741	433				
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	17	24	4	4				
10 to 49 acres.....	76	88	59	26				
50 to 69 acres.....	30	31	26	17				
70 to 99 acres.....	20	41	20	27				
100 to 139 acres.....	34	54	34	48				
140 to 179 acres.....	21	32	20	32				
180 to 219 acres.....	20	21	20	20				
220 to 259 acres.....	16	15	16	15				
260 to 499 acres.....	40	47	40	46				
500 to 999 acres.....	17	23	17	23				
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	11	1	11	1				
2,000 acres and over.....	2	2	2	2				
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969			1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms			10	(NA)	Total woodland..... farms		80	94
..... acres			264	5 634	Woodland not pastured..... acres		7 281	6 987
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms			-	16	..... acres		147	(NA)
..... acres			-	393	Other land..... farms		2 913	1 593
..... acres			-	6	..... acres		915	581
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms			3	6	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms		31	26
..... acres			51	86	..... acres		915	581
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms			2	7	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms		18	19
..... acres			91	376	..... acres		227	307
Cropland idle..... farms			5	108	..... acres		688	274
..... acres			122	4 779	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms		13	9
Total woodland..... farms			94	122	..... acres		136	130
..... acres			8 394	9 912	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms		1 998	1 012
Woodland pastured..... farms			24	43	..... acres			
..... acres			1 113	2 925				

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	304	379	269	261	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres	63 021	67 513	62 232	62 381	Partnership..... number	(NA)	(NA)	26	34
Harvested cropland..... acres	49 693	44 523	49 485	43 314	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	8 550	13 417
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number	(NA)	(NA)	4	5
Full owners..... number	123	182	97	74	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	4 304	4 308
Land in farms..... acres	16 407	19 767	15 699	14 963	Other..... number	(NA)	(NA)	1	-
Harvested cropland..... acres	8 686	7 626	8 548	6 578	..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	191	-
Part owners..... number	129	136	126	132	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres	37 001	38 547	36 962	38 332	Under 25 years.....	8	5	8	5
Harvested cropland..... acres	33 001	29 542	32 971	29 451	25 to 34 years.....	38	20	33	20
Tenants..... number	52	61	46	55	35 to 44 years.....	30	73	29	56
Land in farms..... acres	9 613	9 199	9 571	9 086	45 to 54 years.....	80	117	72	88
Harvested cropland..... acres	8 006	7 355	7 966	7 285	55 to 64 years.....	77	101	68	67
Percent of tenancy.....	17.1	16.0	17.1	21.0	65 years and over.....	66	63	54	25
Black and other races, see text—					Average age.....	52.5	52.2	52.0	49.8
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators..... number	43	49	29	21	On farm operated.....	181	269	162	194
Land in farms..... acres	2 637	4 445	2 202	3 302	On another farm.....	20		18	
Harvested cropland..... acres	1 586	2 594	1 468	2 267	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	21	73	19	45
Full owners..... number	29	27	17	4	In a city, town, or urban area.....	16		12	
Land in farms..... acres	1 607	1 253	1 202	249	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres	771	395	683	121	None.....	130	(NA)	124	(NA)
Part owners..... number	13	18	11	15	1 to 49 days.....	14	45	14	28
Land in farms..... acres	830	2 613	800	2 498	50 to 99 days.....	9	17	6	11
Harvested cropland..... acres	715	1 895	685	1 854	100 to 149 days.....	11		9	
Tenants..... number	1	4	1	2	150 to 199 days.....	5	31	3	19
Land in farms..... acres	200	579	200	555	200 days and over.....	49	86	39	38
Harvested cropland..... acres	100	304	100	292	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy.....	2.3	8.1	3.4	9.5	Farming.....	237	(NA)	216	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other.....	62	(NA)	48	(NA)
Individual or family..... number	(NA)	(NA)	238	222	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	49 187	44 656	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	35	(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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	50	53	50	53	Crops	251	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	60	47	60	47	Crops	14 395	5 394
\$20,000 to \$39,999	45	47	45	47	Grains	249	242
					Tobacco	11 086	3 182
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	54	37	54	Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	56	41	56	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	51	32	51	Other field crops	43	83
Under \$2,500 (see text)	39	118	4	-	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 767	992
\$2,000 to \$2,499	17	16	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	51	75
\$1,500 to \$1,999	6	15	(X)	(X)	Farms	1 540	1 212
\$1,000 to \$1,499	11	20	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	1	1
Under \$1,000 (see text)	5	67	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	1	(Z)
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	120	159
Market value of agricultural products sold					Poultry and poultry products	1 730	1 358
\$1,000	16 260	6 989	16 204	6 871	Dairy products	9	22
Average per farm	53 486	18 439	60 245	26 324	Cattle and calves	3	39
					Dairy products	1	3
Crops, including hay	273	332	251	(NA)	\$1,000	(Z)	10
\$1,000	14 430	5 466	14 395	5 394	\$1,000	55	(NA)
Nursery and greenhouse products	3	-	1	-	\$1,000	486	457
\$1,000	(D)	-	(D)	-	Hogs and pigs	80	(NA)
Forest products	10	19	10	16	\$1,000	1 160	853
\$1,000	(D)	121	(D)	119	Sheep, lambs, and wool	6	4
Livestock, poultry, and their products	135	217	120	159	Other livestock and livestock products	5	-
\$1,000	1 747	1 402	1 730	1 358	\$1,000	77	-
Poultry and poultry products	11	(NA)	9	22			
\$1,000	4	(NA)	3	39			

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	52	(NA)	33	(NA)	142
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	86	(NA)	81	(NA)	913
Customwork and other agricultural services	42	56	40	55	18
\$1,000	157	148	151	147	127
Recreational services	-	2	-	2	87
\$1,000	-	1	-	1	541
Government farm programs	20	172	20	135	64
\$1,000	2	399	2	375	112
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	28	(NA)	25	(NA)	40
\$1,000	192	(NA)	181	(NA)	103
Other farm-related sources	10	(NA)	8	(NA)	19
\$1,000	20	(NA)	11	(NA)	31
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	35	(NA)	35	(NA)	
\$1,000	158	(NA)	158	(NA)	
Total family income from off-farm sources ²					
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related					18
\$1,000					127
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					87
\$1,000					541
Interest, dividends, or royalties					64
\$1,000					112
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					40
\$1,000					103
Rent income of nonfarm property					19
\$1,000					31

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	304	379	269	261	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	254	310	236	244
\$1,000	9 935	5 647	9 901	5 534	\$1,000	793	497	791	492
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased	246	311	224	240
\$1 to \$999	31	77	25	5	\$1,000	2 140	971	2 136	958
\$1,000 to \$1,999	30	32	22	23	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	184	(NA)	177	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	27	33	15	38	\$1,000	636	236	636	232
\$3,000 to \$4,999	15	42	30	64	Lime	(NA)	143	80	128
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	64	60	53	\$1,000	(NA)	53	187	51
\$10,000 to \$19,999	60	-	46	47	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	292	372	261	258
\$20,000 to \$39,999	46	-	17	31	\$1,000	570	396	567	380
\$40,000 to \$59,999	17	131	48	-	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	258	254
\$60,000 and over	48	-	48	-	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	276	268
Livestock and poultry purchased	71	130	58	85	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	129	101
\$1,000	300	366	295	357	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	189	60
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	127	201	111	139	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	28
\$1,000	656	449	648	424	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	36	12
Commercially mixed formula feeds	97	164	88	124	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	261	258
\$1,000	209	313	204	298	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	40
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	32	25	Hired farm labor	94	183	83	150
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	201	18	\$1,000	493	394	489	388
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	51	49	Contract labor	38	236	36	68
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	241	103	\$1,000	356	473	356	289
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	15	21	Machine hire and customwork	162	344	147	166
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2	5	\$1,000	344	324	342	176
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	55	(NA)	\$1,000	283	265	261	261
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)	All other production expenses	3 647	1 864	3 622	1 838

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.....	287	363	252	254	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	98	91	98	90
.....\$1,000.....	7 701	3 567	7 445	3 254	.....number.....	111	97	111	96
.....dollars.....	26 834	9 825	29 543	12 810	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	60	62	60	62
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	90	99	90	85
\$1 to \$999.....	2	39	2	98	.....number.....	101	109	101	91
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	46	145	38	40	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	53	68	53	64
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	50	56	33	51	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	18	14	14	14
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	49	58	39	22	.....number.....	20	14	14	14
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	46	65	46	11	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	6	6	2
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	50		50		Mower conditioners.....farms.....	26	(NA)	22	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	16		16		.....number.....	31	(NA)	27	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	28		28		.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	238	282	211	206	Pickup balers.....farms.....	7	9	7	9
.....number.....	336	361	303	264	.....number.....	7	9	7	9
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	201	224	191	159	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	3	1	3
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	254	274	221	211	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	1	(NA)	1	5
.....number.....	476	429	443	361	.....number.....	1	(NA)	1	5
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	235	227	228	189	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	(NA)	-	1
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	256	302	229	230	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	3	(NA)	3	7
.....number.....	690	733	656	621	.....number.....	3	(NA)	3	7
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	221	277	213	255	.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	(NA)	2	1
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	4		4						
.....number.....	4		4	12					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	3					

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.....	143	(X)	124	(X)	135	(X)	120	(X)	1 730
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	129	(X)	113	(X)	127	(X)	113	(X)	1 650
.....1969.....	211	(X)	151	(X)	200	(X)	148	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	79	2 486	70	2 435	63	1 594	55	1 571	486
.....1969.....	135	3 532	100	3 231	113	2 349	87	2 221	457
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	19	54	16	43	25	69	17	46	9
5 to 9.....1974.....	16	104	10	64	8	56	8	56	11
10 to 19.....1974.....	12	152	12	152	13	163	13	163	35
20 to 49.....1974.....	22	768	22	768	12	353	12	353	76
50 to 99.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....1974.....	6	751	6	751	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	69	1 250	65	1 241	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	120	1 272	89	1 094	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	57	1 214	55	1 209	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	1 179	78	1 020	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	19	36	17	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	31	93	21	74	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(Z)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	10
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	57	1 214	55	1 209	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	16	35	14	30	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	7	45	7	45	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	15	187	15	187	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	13	389	13	389	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	3	159	3	159	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	3	399	3	399	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	19	36	17	32	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	17	27	15	23	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	1	3	1	3	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	1	6	1	6	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	-	-	-	-	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....				

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves.....	39	462	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	18	730	285
.....1974.....	75	650	.....1974.....	10	1 029	(NA)
.....1969.....			.....1969.....			
Beef heifers.....	35	456	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	4	6	1 to 9.....	8	25	7
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	52	732	10 to 19.....	2	22	7
.....1974.....	83	1 487	20 to 49.....	5	158	36
.....1969.....			50 to 99.....	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199.....	—	—	—
			200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)
			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.....	80	7 676	71	7 564	89	17 512	80	17 198	1 160
.....1974.....	146	13 060	113	12 563	147	18 519	116	17 601	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	9	27	7	21	2	3	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9.....	7	58	6	50	8	57	5	36	3
10 to 24.....	19	283	14	220	18	315	18	315	17
25 to 49.....	20	665	19	630	13	445	10	316	20
50 to 99.....	15	1 163	15	1 163	16	1 222	15	1 159	71
100 to 199.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	17	2 302	16	2 202	138
200 to 499.....	5	1 575	5	1 575	7	1 907	7	1 907	118
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	8	11 261	8	11 261	793
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	2 277	19	2 021	46
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	41	3 043	32	2 770	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Sheep and lambs.....	9	224	6	193	7	143	6	127	(NA)
.....1974.....	26	454	14	252	21	251	12	151	(NA)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	124	1 748
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	4
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1	9	(NA)
Goats.....	1	1	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(Z)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	24	(NA)	(NA)	1	9	(NA)
.....1969.....	13	115	12	105	4	66	3	62	61
Horses and ponies.....	42	251	(NA)	(NA)	11	97	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....									
.....1969.....									

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	61	1 006	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		
.....1974.....	104	1 725	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	73	1 694
.....1969.....	65	6 558	.....1974.....	135	2 167
Other hogs and pigs.....	104	10 838	.....1969.....	67	884
.....1974.....	4	56	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	127	1 106
.....1969.....	6	117	.....1974.....	62	810
Lambs under 1 year old.....	6	20	.....1969.....	118	1 061
Ewes 1 year old or older.....			.....1969.....		
Rams and wethers.....					

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.....	30	(X)	26	(X)	4	(X)	4	(X)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(X)	40	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)
.....1969.....	30	1 675	26	1 595	3	365	3	365
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	66	5 607	39	3 974	18	10 369	11	9 881
.....1974.....	30	1 639	26	1 559	3	365	3	365
.....1969.....	63	5 349	38	3 801	17	1 369	10	(D)
Hens and pullets of laying age.....								
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	28	959	24	879	2	135	2	135
100 to 399.....	1	105	1	105	1	230	1	230
400 to 1,599.....	1	575	1	575	—	—	—	—
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.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	1	30	—	—	1	30	—	—
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	4	9	3
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	22	39
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....								
.....1974.....								
.....1969.....								

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	26	1 559	3	365	Turkeys	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	38	3 801	10	(D)		1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	25	1 524	3	365	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	35	-	-	Heavy breed	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	2	70	1	(D)		1969	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	9	36	-	-	Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	-	-	-	-		1969	4	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1974	211	233	18 675	13 320	(X)	(X)
	1969	34	7	1 698	1 52	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	250	285	25 373	23 782	773 486	757 990
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	5	7	82	88	210 558	127 741
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	116	142	6 664	4 814	281 700	246 953
Wheat (bushels)	1974	28	65	878	2 463	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain	1974	-	2	-	4	-	2
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	41	(NA)	2 030	(NA)	336 860	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1974	8	21	163	223	280	304
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	51	78	2 190	2 763	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	3	1	9	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1974	1	2	3	3	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1974	4	(NA)	4	44	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-

		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)	1974	204	191	18 553	12 756	2 042 753	1 130 014	5	-
	1969	6	7	95	207	1 665	4 030	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1974	-	2	-	26	(X)	(X)	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1974	30	7	1 690	152	104 824	6 700	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1974	4	(NA)	8	-	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
							Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	58	1 176	(X)	1	37	18	530	14	147	4	35
	1969	91	1 928	(X)	-	-	36	751	34	280	2	25
Improved pasture	1974	18	227	(X)	-	-	9	120	9	25	1	1
	1969	19	307	(X)	-	-	11	261	9	108	3	9
Corn for all purposes	1974	204	18 648	(X)	5	722	171	16 807	101	2 904	135	4 732
	1969	192	12 989	(X)	-	-	159	11 193	111	2 082	117	2 344
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	34	1 698	(X)	-	-	9	457	4	58	5	52
	1969	7	152	(X)	-	-	1	25	-	-	1	5
Wheat (bushels)	1974	113	6 634	280 915	-	-	106	6 174	59	728	55	769
	1969	131	4 749	244 274	-	-	120	4 313	(NA)	911	(NA)	395
Oats (bushels)	1974	16	379	22 938	-	-	16	379	9	68	10	35
	1969	47	1 432	135 150	-	-	39	1 344	(NA)	286	(NA)	98
Barley (bushels)	1974	15	491	27 882	-	-	13	445	8	66	9	64
	1969	21	973	60 713	-	-	19	810	(NA)	206	(NA)	42
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	8	175	-	-	1	8	-	-	1	3
	1969	3	45	2 236	-	-	3	45	(NA)	15	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	230	25 205	769 996	5	724	108	13 267	66	1 101	48	1 513
	1969	220	22 990	738 361	-	-	108	10 984	(NA)	1 547	(NA)	497
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	4	81	208 800	-	-	4	81	3	17	1	1
	1969	6	87	124 765	-	-	4	46	(NA)	13	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	8	163	280	1	100	2	25	1	5	1	3
	1969	17	205	279	-	-	3	44	3	10	1	1
Field seed crops	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	4	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	39	2 028	336 560	-	-	39	2 028	34	2 408	7	83
	1969	74	2 996	457 603	-	-	72	2 990	(NA)	4 349	(NA)	13
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	51	2 190	(X)	-	-	42	1 842	35	1 257	19	461
	1969	75	2 757	(X)	-	-	65	2 485	50	1 506	26	593
Land in orchards	1974	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	1	(X)	-	-	1	1	1	(Z)	-	-

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	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	1	(X)	1	1	-	-	-	1	(Z)	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
farms	228		245		Diseases in crops and orchards	10		4	
\$1,000	2 772		1 190		acres on which used	711		253	
Commercial fertilizer	224		230		\$1,000	10		(Z)	
farms	42 166		36 305		Weeds or grass in crops	113		119	
acres on which used	16 534		15 359		acres on which used	26 951		16 863	
tons	2 136		958		\$1,000	187		71	
Lime	80		128		Weeds or brush in pasture	-		-	
farms	8 191		5 589		acres on which used	-		-	
acres on which used	16 109		5 399		\$1,000	-		-	
tons	187		51		Weeds on all other land	2		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	(D)		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	-		-		\$1,000	(D)		(NA)	
acres on which used	-		-		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	-		-		of crops or thinning of fruit	1		4	
Insects on other crops	92		129		acres on which used	(D)		595	
acres on which used	21 037		15 418		\$1,000	(D)		2	
\$1,000	182		105		Insect control on livestock and poultry	7		18	
farms	15		5		\$1,000	1		1	
acres on which used	2 629		432		Other chemicals (see text)	43		(NA)	
\$1,000	18		2		\$1,000	42		(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		-		Land irrigated by—				
Proportion of farms	2.2		-		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	1 484		-		Other sprinkler systems	1		(NA)	
Average per farm	247.3		-		acres	116		(NA)	
farms	6		-		Land in irrigated farms	4 074		-	
acres	1 484		-		Cropland	1 607		-	
Harvested cropland irrigated	6		-		acres	1 447		-	
farms	1 447		-		Harvested cropland	-		-	
acres	37		(NA)		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	-		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	-		-		between 1970 and 1973	-		(X)	
farms	-		-		acres irrigated in most recent year	-		-	
acres	-		-		Farms with artificial drainage	75		84	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		-		Proportion of farms	27.9		32.1	
farms	-		-		Land in farms with drainage	22 282		20 430	
acres	-		-		Land drained	20 123		17 923	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	783		-		Average per farm	268.3		213.3	
acre-feet	0.5		-		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks				
acre-feet	5		(NA)		farms	13		(NA)	
Land irrigated by—	1 368		(NA)		number	28		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	-		-		acres	9		(NA)	

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		79	54	37			
Farms by size of debt owed:		2 801	2 272	529			
Under \$5,000		19	14	7			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		13	6	11			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		27	17	13			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		6	5	4			
\$50,000 and over		14	12	2			

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—							83	34	32	45
150 days or more	34	51	75	118	379		489	379	88	23
25 to 149 days	32	121	107	577	88		488	75	107	306
Less than 25 days	45		306		23					
Total contract labor	36	68	(NA)	(NA)	356	289				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	26	(NA)	632	(NA)	292	(NA)				
Farms with—							28	15	19	12
1 worker							16	11	-	13
2 workers							8	5	5	5
3 or 4 workers							14	2	5	5
5 to 9 workers							17	1	3	10
10 workers and over										