

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms number.....	287	305	263	263	Total cropland farms.....	271	289	255	254
Land in farms acres.....	509 213	521 624	504 630	511 108	..... acres.....	228 284	240 124	225 420	235 145
Average size of farm acres.....	1 774	1 710	1 919	1 943	Harvested cropland farms.....	263	279	249	251
Approximate land area acres.....	648 960	648 960	648 960	648 960	..... acres.....	121 032	106 828	120 136	104 927
Proportion in farms percent.....	78.5	80.4	77.8	78.8	Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings ... \$1,000.....	66 185	35 169	65 454	34 174	1 to 9 acres farms.....	3	2	-	-
Average per farm dollars.....	230 610	115 307	248 874	129 940	10 to 19 acres farms.....	3	1	1	9
Average per acre dollars.....	130	67	130	67	20 to 29 acres farms.....	1	7	-	-
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres farms.....	11	11	6	6
1 to 9 acres farms.....	10	17	3	6	50 to 99 acres farms.....	11	27	9	16
10 to 49 acres farms.....	5	5	1	1	100 to 199 acres farms.....	32	41	32	37
50 to 69 acres farms.....	1	1	1	1	200 to 499 acres farms.....	111	113	110	112
70 to 99 acres farms.....	3	1	2	1	500 to 999 acres farms.....	71	67	71	67
100 to 139 acres farms.....	5	5	-	2	1,000 acres and over..... farms.....	20	10	20	10
140 to 179 acres farms.....	13	9	11	2	Cropland used only for pasture				
180 to 219 acres farms.....	1	1	1	1	or grazing farms.....	93	97	88	90
220 to 259 acres farms.....	1	2	1	1	..... acres.....	19 076	18 251	18 225	17 572
260 to 499 acres farms.....	36	43	33	32	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	233	260	221	(NA)
500 to 999 acres farms.....	50	63	50	62	..... acres.....	88 176	115 045	87 059	112 646
1,000 to 1,999 acres farms.....	93	92	91	89	Total woodland..... farms.....				
2,000 acres and over farms.....	69	66	69	66	..... acres.....	10	7	10	3
					Other land (see text) farms.....	4 391	326	4 391	246
					..... acres.....	276 538	281 174	274 819	275 717
					Irrigated land farms.....	6	4	5	4
					..... acres.....	1 093	330	1 082	330
					Total woodland - Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			10	1
Other cropland farms.....			221	(NA)	..... acres.....			4 341	160
..... acres.....			87 059	112 646	Other land..... farms.....			242	(NA)
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			19	43	..... acres.....			274 819	275 717
..... acres.....			1 849	4 865	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			176	194
Cropland on which all crops failed farms.....			9	25	..... acres.....			259 275	264 707
..... acres.....			1 749	3 775	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			35	37
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms.....			217	223	..... acres.....			12 726	29 864
..... acres.....			81 864	97 720	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			148	170
Cropland idle farms.....			27	41	..... acres.....			246 549	234 843
..... acres.....			1 597	6 286	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			209	191
Total woodland farms.....			10	3	..... acres.....			15 544	11 010
..... acres.....			4 391	246					
Woodland pastured farms.....			1	2					
..... acres.....			50	86					

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms by type of organization— Con.	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators number.....	287	305	263	263	Partnership number.....	(NA)	(NA)	32	37
Land in farms acres.....	509 213	521 624	504 630	511 108	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	106 260	147 539
Harvested cropland acres.....	121 032	106 828	120 136	104 927	Corporation number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	780
Full owners number.....	100	97	79	67	Other number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	-
Land in farms acres.....	81 867	79 232	78 662	71 254	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	4 460	-
Harvested cropland acres.....	22 116	14 039	21 248	12 526	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners number.....	159	162	157	159	Under 25 years farms.....	13	5	10	2
Land in farms acres.....	375 181	384 041	375 003	382 570	25 to 34 years farms.....	33	35	29	27
Harvested cropland acres.....	92 920	82 899	92 893	82 731	35 to 44 years farms.....	44	60	35	57
Tenants number.....	28	46	27	37	45 to 54 years farms.....	68	75	65	66
Land in farms acres.....	52 165	58 351	50 965	57 284	55 to 64 years farms.....	106	98	103	85
Harvested cropland acres.....	5 996	9 890	5 995	9 670	65 years and over farms.....	19	32	18	26
Percent of tenancy percent.....	9.8	15.0	10.3	14.0	Average age farms.....	49.5	50.1	50.4	50.3
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated..... farms.....	164	209	158	199
All farm operators number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	..... acres.....	25	75	14	52
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm..... farms.....	3	-	3	-
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area..... farms.....	49	-	48	-
Full owners number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	None farms.....	144	(NA)	130	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days farms.....	25	53	25	49
Part owners number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days farms.....	8	21	8	18
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days farms.....	4	21	4	15
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days farms.....	6	40	5	21
Tenants number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over farms.....	24	-	19	-
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming farms.....	250	(NA)	233	(NA)
Percent of tenancy percent.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other farms.....	33	(NA)	27	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
Individual or family number.....	(NA)	(NA)	228	225	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	393 910	362 789					

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	30	25	30	25	Crops	232	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	89		88		\$1,000	8 873	2 238
\$20,000 to \$39,999	74	56	74	56	farms	231	235
\$10,000 to \$19,999	42	90	42	90	\$1,000	8 470	2 062
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	58	23	58	farms	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5	33	5	32	\$1,000	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	24	43	1	2	farms	61	55
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3	4	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	250	79
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5	14	(X)	(X)	farms	6	6
\$1,000 to \$1,499	11	8	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	152	97
Under \$1,000 (see text)	5	17	(X)	(X)	farms	-	-
					\$1,000	-	-
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms	-	-
\$1,000	13 304	4 932	13 187	4 838	\$1,000	-	-
Average per farm	46 354	16 171	50 140	18 393	Livestock, poultry, and their products	203	209
					\$1,000	4 314	2 599
Crops, including hay	243	267	232	(NA)	farms	17	21
\$1,000	8 890	2 260	8 873	2 238	\$1,000	4	4
Nursery and greenhouse products	-	-	-	-	farms	29	53
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	\$1,000	363	197
Forest products	-	-	-	-	farms	191	(NA)
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	\$1,000	3 244	2 095
Livestock, poultry, and their products	215	235	203	209	farms	44	(NA)
\$1,000	4 414	2 672	4 314	2 599	\$1,000	619	303
					farms	17	(NA)
Poultry and poultry products	18	(NA)	17	21	\$1,000	73	(NA)
\$1,000	5	(NA)	4	4	farms	17	(NA)
					\$1,000	10	(NA)

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 sold¹	21	(NA)	11	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹	86	(NA)	79	(NA)	
\$1,000	263	(NA)	256	(NA)	
Customwork and other agricultural services	35	60	33	59	
\$1,000	102	74	102	73	
Recreational services	1	3	1	3	
\$1,000	(D)	6	(D)	6	
Government farm programs	40	240	40	217	
\$1,000	51	1 218	51	1 200	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	26	(NA)	21	(NA)	
\$1,000	60	(NA)	54	(NA)	
Other farm-related sources	11	(NA)	11	(NA)	
\$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	41	(NA)	39	(NA)	
\$1,000	55	(NA)	55	(NA)	
Total family income from off-farm sources²					148
\$1,000					821
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related					28
\$1,000					238
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					64
\$1,000					362
Interest, dividends, or royalties					93
\$1,000					138
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					20
\$1,000					49
Rent income of nonfarm property					19
\$1,000					34

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	287	305	263	263	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	129	126	122	117
\$1,000	7 828	3 915	7 744	3 820	\$1,000	208	98	203	95
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	190	219	187	209
\$1 to \$999	15	24	2	14	\$1,000	489	178	487	176
\$1,000 to \$1,999	9	23	4	12	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	172	(NA)	169	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	11	15	10	34	\$1,000	157	50	157	49
\$3,000 to \$4,999	10	39	44	72	farms	(NA)	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	72	69	70	Lime	(NA)	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	69	132	63	45	\$1,000	(NA)	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	63		29	16	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	284	299	262	261
\$40,000 to \$59,999	30		36		\$1,000	732	438	726	427
\$60,000 and over	36				farms	(NA)	(NA)	261	259
Livestock and poultry purchased	136	152	131	134	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	393	249
\$1,000	949	564	943	544	farms	(NA)	(NA)	208	176
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	176	212	167	192	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	227	109
\$1,000	940	368	914	346	farms	(NA)	(NA)	102	106
Commercially mixed formula feeds	123	137	119	124	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	31
\$1,000	390	140	374	124	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	262	261
farms	(NA)	(NA)	59	63	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	38
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	104	37	Hired farm labor	88	155	87	150
farms	(NA)	(NA)	94	81	\$1,000	292	235	280	231
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	394	160	farms	15	189	15	18
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	20	45	\$1,000	23	166	23	14
farms	(NA)	(NA)	42	25	farms	178	166	166	167
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	386	373	373	149
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)			farms	280	299	263	263
farms	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	3 652	1 819	3 568	1 789
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			farms				
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	168	(NA)	All other production expenses				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)	\$1,000				

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					Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	277	296	253	259	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	143	157	143	155
..... farms.....	10 747	5 313	10 439	5 104	..... number.....	164	175	164	173
Average per farm.....	38 797	17 950	41 262	19 707	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	42	70	42	70
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....	1	7	1	1
\$1 to \$999.....	—	5	—	36	..... number.....	1	7	1	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	17	47	10	46	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	37	59	32	80	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	5	5	5	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	47	87	37	39	..... number.....	5	5	5	6
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	28	98	27	36	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	70	—	70	22	Mower conditioners.....	40	(NA)	38	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	28	—	28	—	..... number.....	45	(NA)	42	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	50	—	49	—	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	7	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers.....	111	114	110	112
Automobiles.....	234	266	217	235	..... number.....	133	116	132	114
..... number.....	341	371	320	336	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	37	49	37	48
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	208	221	194	204	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	146	(NA)	146	123
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	269	282	247	253	..... number.....	168	(NA)	168	133
..... number.....	791	719	764	680	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	68	(NA)	68	57
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	302	276	292	256	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	39	(NA)	38	52
Wheel tractors.....	249	272	231	248	..... number.....	40	(NA)	39	52
..... number.....	741	745	716	686	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	11	17
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	184	199	169	193					
Crawler tractors.....	21	—	21	16					
..... number.....	31	—	31	19					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	1					

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..	217	(X)	205	(X)	215	(X)	203	(X)	4 314
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..	209	(X)	197	(X)	214	(X)	202	(X)	3 937
.....1969..	230	(X)	204	(X)	230	(X)	205	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974..	200	32 654	188	32 174	203	16 181	191	15 987	3 244
.....1969..	224	24 537	198	24 047	222	14 357	199	14 156	2 095
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974..	3	8	3	8	16	36	11	25	6
5 to 9.....1974..	8	46	6	36	14	91	10	66	12
10 to 19.....1974..	10	143	6	85	28	376	26	356	61
20 to 49.....1974..	37	1 159	32	1 045	60	1 890	60	1 890	348
50 to 99.....1974..	47	3 211	47	3 211	37	2 635	37	2 635	470
100 to 199.....1974..	50	7 252	50	7 252	27	3 923	26	3 785	908
200 to 499.....1974..	32	11 053	31	10 755	18	5 541	18	5 541	1 076
500 and over.....1974..	13	9 782	13	9 782	3	1 689	3	1 689	362
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..	192	16 732	181	16 410	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	202	13 764	182	13 484	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974..	184	15 658	173	15 534	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	(NA)	12 959	166	12 712	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974..	67	1 074	64	876	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	96	805	94	772	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	363
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	53	(X)	197
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.....	184	15 658	173	15 534	Cattle sold.....	159	9 022	2 266	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	11	26	10	22	1 to 4.....	26	61	15	
5 to 9.....	10	68	6	43	5 to 9.....	14	88	17	
10 to 19.....	19	262	14	200	10 to 19.....	34	450	91	
20 to 49.....	52	1 619	51	1 586	20 to 49.....	37	1 101	265	
50 to 99.....	40	2 878	40	2 878	50 to 99.....	17	1 064	241	
100 to 199.....	26	3 560	26	3 560	100 to 199.....	20	2 795	761	
200 to 499.....	25	(D)	25	(D)	200 to 499.....	10	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	67	1 074	64	876	Calves sold.....	124	6 965	978	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	29	38	28	36	1 or 2.....	5	6	1	
3 or 4.....	11	37	10	33	3 or 4.....	2	8	1	
5 to 9.....	8	50	8	50	5 to 9.....	14	94	14	
10 to 19.....	2	23	2	23	10 to 19.....	28	379	57	
20 to 49.....	10	296	10	296	20 to 49.....	34	1 124	135	
50 to 99.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	50 to 99.....	22	1 406	227	
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	9	1 264	177	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	9	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)	

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	155	8 125	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	22	838	284
1969	169	5 847	1969	11	658	(NA)
Beef heifers	144	7 664	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	32	461	1 to 9	6	16	5
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	172	7 639	10 to 19	4	58	17
1969	180	4 716	20 to 49	8	239	65
			50 to 99	1	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)
			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	41	3 899	40	3 884	45	8 921	44	8 906	619
1969	60	3 261	56	3 224	62	5 115	59	5 030	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	13	39	13	39	3	6	3	6	(2)
5 to 9	—	—	—	—	3	22	3	22	—
10 to 24	7	120	6	105	7	118	6	103	9
25 to 49	8	293	8	293	5	175	5	175	9
50 to 99	2	114	2	114	12	838	12	838	55
100 to 199	4	(D)	4	(D)	3	470	3	470	25
200 to 499	6	2 287	6	2 287	5	1 487	5	1 487	101
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	7	5 805	7	5 805	418
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	668	8	668	15
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	526	8	465	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	15	2 205	15	2 205	17	2 099	17	2 099	(NA)
1969	31	3 026	27	2 886	28	2 299	26	2 231	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	1 949	'21 384
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	17	(X)	73
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	64	447	61	422	20	61	17	49	10
1969	122	713	(NA)	(NA)	20	105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			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	18	422	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	26	823	26	823
1969	35	378	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	43	421	40	408
Other hogs and pigs	38	3 462	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	24	468	24	468
1969	55	2 846	1969	39	250	38	239
Lambs under 1 year old	9	544	1974	15	355	15	355
Ewes 1 year old or older	15	1 608	1969	27	171	25	169
Rams and wethers	14	53					

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	50	(X)	48	(X)	4	(X)	3	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	54	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	47	2 483	45	2 187	3	452	2	195
1969	58	7 403	53	2 891	6	4 941	5	641
Hens and pullets of laying age	47	2 410	45	2 116	3	452	2	195
1969	52	7 236	49	2 730	6	4 941	5	641
Farms with—								
1 to 99	41	1 528	40	1 491	1	70	1	70
100 to 399	6	882	5	625	2	382	1	125
400 to 1,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	7	1 035	6	785	1	50	1	50
1969	1	150	1	150	1	150	1	150
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	5	17	4
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	4

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	45	2 116	2	195	Turkeys	1	12	—	—
1969	49	2 730	5	641	1969	1	1	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	45	2 071	2	195	Turkeys for slaughter	1	12	—	—
1974	2	45	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	2	—	—	—	Light breed	1	12	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	45	—	—	1969	1	1	—	—
1969	3	116	—	—	1974	5	(X)	—	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	12	26	—	—	1969	2	(X)	—	(X)
1974	2	104	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	2	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	43	55	3 386	3 823	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes	3	7	47	243	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Wheat (bushels)	232	258	78 458	64 372	2 118	858	1 412	884		
Other small grains for grain	165	210	18 661	19 395	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	296	(NA)	24	515	(NA)	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	(NA)		
Hay crops (tons, dry)	200	177	21 633	18 717	27	864	19	393		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards	—	2	—	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops	3	(NA)	50	1	(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)	4	1	314	114	9 825	1 953	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	20	32	1 831	2 046	10 673	7 613	1	—	140	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	20	31	1 180	1 563	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	47	243	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	120	77	8 299	4 442	12 680	5 739	4	3	322	290

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	88	18 225	(X)	—	—	8	943	8	97	—	—
1969	90	17 572	(X)	—	—	6	406	6	29	1	4
Improved pasture	35	12 726	(X)	—	—	4	740	4	43	—	—
1969	37	29 864	(X)	—	—	3	152	3	8	—	—
Corn for all purposes	41	3 325	(X)	1	140	9	1 038	9	84	—	—
1969	52	3 723	(X)	—	—	3	113	3	4	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	3	47	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	7	243	(X)	—	—	1	65	1	2	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	228	78 398	2 117 250	2	(D)	165	61 003	164	1 755	4	19
1969	234	63 375	1 397 634	—	—	174	52 067	(NA)	1 280	(NA)	18
Oats (bushels)	139	12 083	500 199	—	—	61	6 309	59	180	2	3
1969	176	11 856	521 197	—	—	106	7 475	(NA)	202	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels)	82	6 080	176 568	—	—	42	3 149	41	73	3	6
1969	109	6 800	228 919	—	—	77	5 067	(NA)	125	(NA)	3
Rye (bushels)	3	51	1 515	—	—	2	50	2	1	—	—
1969	2	42	512	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	4	247	(X)	—	—	1	75	1	2	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	196	21 058	26 496	4	322	27	2 741	27	165	1	1
1969	164	18 281	18 802	4	330	20	1 827	20	63	—	—
Field seed crops	3	49	(X)	—	—	1	25	1	1	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	296	24 515	—	—	6	295	6	55	—	—
1969	21	372	38 179	1	(Z)	6	367	(NA)	61	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	2	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	1	1	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	215	215	228	228	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	3	3	5	5
Commercial fertilizer	644	644	225	225	Diseases in crops and orchards	(D)	(D)	2 048	1
Lime	187	187	188	188	acres on which used	(D)	(D)	1	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	76 368	67 595	55 933	54 493	Weeds or grass in crops	129	129	153	153
Insects on hay crops	2 485	1 803	26	26	acres on which used	90	90	34	34
Insects on other crops	487	176	7	7	Weeds or brush in pasture	766	766	378	378
Nematodes in crops	—	—	15	7	acres on which used	15	15	(Z)	(Z)
	—	—	645	533	Weeds on all other land	1 497	1 497	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	2	(Z)	acres on which used	3	3	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	45	26	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	2	2	4	4
	—	—	13 186	6 132	of crops or thinning of fruit	67	67	273	273
	—	—	35	7	acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
	—	—	(D)	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	34	34	81	81
	—	—	(D)	—	acres on which used	6	6	4	4
	—	—	(D)	—	Other chemicals (see text)	25	25	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(D)	—	acres on which used	11	11	(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	5	5	4	4	Land irrigated by—Continued	1	1	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	820	820	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1 082	1 082	330	330	Other sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	216.4	216.4	82.5	82.5	Land in irrigated farms	23 460	23 460	16 440	16 440
Cropland irrigated	5	5	4	4	Cropland	6 151	6 151	2 932	2 932
Harvested cropland irrigated	1 082	1 082	330	330	Harvested cropland	3 170	3 170	1 175	1 175
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	00	00
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	—	—	00	00
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	—	00	00
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	934	934	220	220	Farms with artificial drainage	4	4	9	9
Average per acre irrigated	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	Proportion of farms	1.5	1.5	3.4	3.4
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	9 680	9 680	24 616	24 616
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	372	372	2 053	2 053
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	93.0	93.0	228.1	228.1
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	96	96	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	number	388	388	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres	655	655	(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)	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
	—	—	131	131	101	101	85	85
	—	—	7 541	7 541	4 810	4 810	2 731	2 731
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	—	—	10	10	5	5	12	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	13	13	6	6	13	13
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	47	47	43	43	39	39
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	16	16	14	14	8	8
\$50,000 and over	—	—	45	45	33	33	13	13

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—											
150 days or more	29	31	43	42	185	185	87	29	40	40	
25 to 149 days	40	134	103	457	75	75	280	185	75	20	
Less than 25 days	40	—	147	—	20	20	293	43	103	147	
Total contract labor	15	—	(NA)	(NA)	23	14					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	28	(NA)	11	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker	42	—	24	—	23	16	42	24	23	16	
2 workers	17	—	4	—	8	9	17	4	8	9	
3 or 4 workers	16	—	—	—	8	8	16	—	—	8	
5 to 9 workers	5	—	—	—	2	2	5	—	—	2	
10 workers and over	7	—	1	—	1	5	7	1	1	5	