

**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 .....	896	1 160	810	830	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>				
Land in farms .....	223 348	240 379	219 263	224 960		Total cropland .....	872	1 079	799
Average size of farm .....	249	207	271	271	Harvested cropland .....	195 168	205 302	192 680	194 090
Approximate land area .....	259 072	259 072	259 072	259 072	Farms by acres harvested:	181 438	157 827	180 028	151 658
Proportion in farms .....	86.2	92.8	84.6	86.8	1 to 9 acres .....	37	54	9	
Value of land and buildings .....	164 934	93 942	161 120	86 040	10 to 19 acres .....	36	77	14	
Average per farm .....	184 078	80 984	198 913	103 662	20 to 29 acres .....	53	72	46	97
Average per acre .....	738	391	735	382	30 to 49 acres .....	74	102	71	
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres .....	180	239	180	213
1 to 9 acres .....	36	90	13	22	100 to 199 acres .....	189	227	189	227
10 to 49 acres .....	134	160	87	26	200 to 499 acres .....	196	211	196	211
50 to 69 acres .....	43	67	41	21	500 to 999 acres .....	63	36	62	35
70 to 99 acres .....	115	154	107	97	1,000 acres and over .....	25	9	25	9
100 to 139 acres .....	95	130	92	113	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	339	495	306	382
140 to 179 acres .....	86	107	86	103	Other cropland (see text) .....	4 179	32 954	4 059	30 053
180 to 219 acres .....	58	82	56	80	Total woodland .....	402	626	376	507
220 to 259 acres .....	50	71	50	71	Other land (see text) .....	12 202	15 811	11 669	14 022
260 to 499 acres .....	162	203	162	202	Irrigated land .....	718	947	653	(NA)
500 to 999 acres .....	80	74	80	74		15 978	19 266	14 914	16 848
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	34	18	33	17		1	-	1	-
2,000 acres and over .....	3	4	3	4					
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969				1974	1969
Other cropland .....			140	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....			4 059	30 053	Woodland not pastured .....			310	386
Cropland on which all crops failed .....			50	278	Other land .....			653	(NA)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....			998	14 057	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture .....			14 914	16 848
Cropland idle .....			22	66	Improved pastureland and rangeland .....			121	169
Total woodland .....			621	2 486	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland .....			3 700	5 433
Woodland pastured .....			13	86	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....			44	68
			434	2 587				1 077	2 098
			68	268				78	113
			2 006	10 923				2 623	3 335

**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 .....	896	1 160	810	830	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms .....	223 348	240 379	219 263	224 960	Partnership .....	(NA)	(NA)	116	163
Harvested cropland .....	181 438	157 827	180 028	151 658	Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	43 602	56 274
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation .....	(NA)	(NA)	8	9
Full owners .....	482	645	407	363	Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	6 697	11 956
Land in farms .....	70 455	78 045	66 756	64 713	Other .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	6
Harvested cropland .....	53 050	43 828	51 802	38 739	Farm operators by age group: <sup>2</sup>				
Part owners .....	309	364	305	335	Under 25 years .....	21	29	15	10
Land in farms .....	128 910	124 627	128 722	123 277	25 to 34 years .....	85	128	72	104
Harvested cropland .....	108 577	86 933	108 510	86 322	35 to 44 years .....	121	228	117	156
Tenants .....	105	151	98	132	45 to 54 years .....	228	333	197	245
Land in farms .....	23 983	37 707	23 785	36 970	55 to 64 years .....	270	276	258	216
Harvested cropland .....	19 811	27 066	19 716	26 597	65 years and over .....	161	166	142	99
Percent of tenancy .....	11.7	13.0	12.1	15.9	Average age .....	52.8	50.1	53.0	50.0
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: <sup>2</sup>				
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					On farm operated .....	634	834	580	647
All farm operators .....	2	(NA)	2	-	On another farm .....	54	-	47	-
Land in farms .....	415	(NA)	415	-	In a rural area, not on a farm .....	31	196	27	112
Harvested cropland .....	327	(NA)	327	-	In a city, town, or urban area .....	26	-	23	-
Full owners .....	2	(NA)	2	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup>				
Land in farms .....	415	(NA)	415	-	None .....	305	(NA)	289	(NA)
Harvested cropland .....	327	(NA)	327	-	1 to 49 days .....	32	124	30	93
Part owners .....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days .....	21	40	20	36
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days .....	29	83	26	40
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days .....	42	-	39	-
Tenants .....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over .....	275	420	226	234
Land in farms .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>				
Harvested cropland .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming .....	570	(NA)	548	(NA)
Percent of tenancy .....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other .....	316	(NA)	253	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market .....	(NA)	(NA)	31	(NA)
Individual or family .....	(NA)	(NA)	685	652	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts .....	(NA)	(NA)	95	(NA)
Land in farms .....	(NA)	(NA)	168 829	155 278					

<sup>1</sup>1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. <sup>2</sup>1974 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
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>					<b>Specified products sold:</b>		
\$100,000 and over	79	93	78	93	Crops	farms	783 (NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	172	142	172	142	\$1,000	26 755	8 286
\$20,000 to \$39,999	180		180		farms	781	778
					\$1,000	26 413	7 946
\$10,000 to \$19,999	160	207	160	207	farms		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	128	193	128	193	\$1,000		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	79	179	79	178	farms		
					\$1,000		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	98	346	13	17	farms	92	100
\$2,000 to \$2,499	18	49	(0)	(0)	\$1,000	146	84
\$1,500 to \$1,999	15	45	(0)	(0)	farms	16	27
\$1,000 to \$1,499	24	59	(0)	(0)	\$1,000	114	105
Under \$1,000 (see text)	41	193	(0)	(0)	farms	5	7
					\$1,000	(D)	19
					farms	2	2
					\$1,000	(D)	(D)
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>					Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	457 584
\$1,000	36 268	18 155	35 778	17 566	\$1,000	8 908	9 258
Average per farm	40 478	15 651	44 170	21 163	farms	45	88
					\$1,000	1 591	1 905
Crops, including hay	farms 829	1 008	783	(NA)	farms	39	82
\$1,000	26 842	8 554	26 755	8 286	\$1,000	900	874
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 14	3	3	2	farms	234	(NA)
\$1,000	96	90	90	(D)	\$1,000	2 747	2 941
					farms	241	(NA)
Forest products	farms 17	36	17	32	\$1,000	3 405	3 538
\$1,000	24	23	24	22	farms	175	(NA)
					\$1,000	254	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 503	738	457	584	farms	10	
\$1,000	9 307	9 579	8 908	9 258	\$1,000	11	
					farms		
Poultry and poultry products	farms 49	(NA)	45	88	\$1,000		
\$1,000	1 592	(NA)	1 591	1 905			

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 <sup>1</sup>	221	(NA)	155	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	526
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	farms 162	(NA)	151	(NA)	\$1,000	4 988
\$1,000	391	(NA)	367	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related	101
farms 111	192	107	172		farms	865
\$1,000	147	157	141	150	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms 332
					\$1,000	3 524
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 2	6	2	4	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms 238
\$1,000	4	12	4	11	farms	351
Recreational services	farms 18	612	18	509	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms 71
\$1,000	21	1 155	21	1 096	\$1,000	167
Government farm programs	farms 27	(NA)	22	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms 51
\$1,000	158	(NA)	142	(NA)	\$1,000	80
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 27	(NA)	25	(NA)		
\$1,000	61	(NA)	59	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources	farms 45	(NA)	43	(NA)		
\$1,000	157	(NA)	156	(NA)		

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 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
<b>Total farm production expenses</b>	farms 896	1 160	810	830	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 763	924	720	742
\$1,000	20 963	14 035	20 684	13 520	\$1,000	1 287	579	1 276	556
					farms	778	927	733	746
Farms with—					\$1,000	4 574	1 453	4 544	1 417
\$1 to \$999	55	171	14	54	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 610	(NA)	586	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,999	56	164	25	73	\$1,000	1 303	410	1 298	398
\$2,000 to \$2,999	56	107	48	73	farms	(NA)	167	110	154
\$3,000 to \$4,999	91	171	87	159	\$1,000	(NA)	52	68	51
\$5,000 to \$9,999	181	209	180	207	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 878	1 103	799	821
\$10,000 to \$19,999	180		180	202	\$1,000	1 357	877	1 339	828
\$20,000 to \$39,999	150		150	82	farms	(NA)	(NA)	777	798
\$40,000 to \$59,999	49		49	53	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	700	500
\$60,000 and over	78	338	77		farms	(NA)	(NA)	489	424
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	409	196
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 290	452	267	369	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	139	147
\$1,000	1 998	1 982	1 977	1 955	farms	(NA)	(NA)	135	56
					\$1,000				
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 441	685	392	529	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	795	821
\$1,000	2 049	2 366	2 003	2 313	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	95	76
					farms				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 343	483	320	414	Hired farm labor	farms 238	495	224	426
\$1,000	1 504	1 587	1 476	1 564	\$1,000	707	889	611	814
farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	155	farms	10	602	9	22
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	267	329	\$1,000	4	262	4	20
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	113	165	farms	358		330	463
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	245	321	\$1,000	320		316	224
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	43	71	farms	867	1 065	801	826
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	99	\$1,000	7 365	5 216	7 208	4 995
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)							
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)							
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	306	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	109	(NA)					

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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	881	1 077	798	805					
farms.....	26 580	14 005	25 808	12 953					
\$1,000.....	30 170	13 004	32 341	16 091					
dollars.....									
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	46	1	178					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	89	334	67						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	140	242	106	187					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	173	215	149	203					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	118		117	120					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	214	240	213	79					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	78		78	38					
\$70,000 and over.....	68		67						
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	801	990	731	754					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 130	1 448	1 037	1 100					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	702	857	641	658					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	768	801	704	662					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	1 322	1 217	1 253	1 061					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	519	472	493	404					
farms.....	812	960	735	741					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 979	2 224	1 876	1 851					
farms.....	516	655	498	592					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14		13	32					
farms.....	15		14	47					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	11					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. - Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	481	428	478	400					
number.....	507	448	504	420					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	197	231	196	226					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	394	579	392	315					
number.....	408	710	406	323					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	195	294	194	200					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	234		225	315					
number.....	241		232	326					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32		32	83					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	180	(NA)	176	(NA)					
number.....	185	(NA)	181	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	31	(NA)	31	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	260	367	246	339					
number.....	271	372	256	341					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	38	96	37	88					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	69	(NA)	69	42					
number.....	70	(NA)	70	45					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	4	17					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	45	(NA)	43	60					
number.....	45	(NA)	43	61					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11	(NA)	10	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.....	534	(X)	476	(X)	503	(X)	457	(X)	8 908		
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	504	(X)	460	(X)	485	(X)	444	(X)	6 406		
1969.....	703	(X)	551	(X)	699	(X)	554	(X)	(NA)		
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	310	11 660	284	11 130	255	7 982	234	7 782	2 747		
1969.....	405	15 345	338	14 616	381	11 600	331	11 344	2 941		
Farms with—											
1 to 4..... 1974.....	60	163	52	141	62	152	49	124	39		
5 to 9..... 1974.....	56	386	48	334	58	394	53	358	112		
10 to 19..... 1974.....	55	723	48	638	56	751	54	729	224		
20 to 49..... 1974.....	86	2 710	84	2 667	55	1 650	55	1 650	494		
50 to 99..... 1974.....	35	2 399	35	2 399	13	852	13	852	253		
100 to 199..... 1974.....	8	1 062	8	1 062	2	(D)	1	(D)	8		
200 to 499..... 1974.....	7	2 140	6	1 812	6	(D)	6	(D)	563		
500 and over..... 1974.....	3	2 077	3	2 077	3	2 234	3	2 234	1 054		
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	187	3 361	173	3 225	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
1969.....	263	4 031	234	3 795	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Beef cows..... 1974.....	134	2 095	126	2 059	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
1969.....	(NA)	2 234	154	2 120	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Milk cows..... 1974.....	61	1 266	54	1 166	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
1969.....	110	1 797	102	1 675	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	39	(X)	900		
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	82	(X)	874		
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>											
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974—							
Farms		Number		Farms		Number		Dollars (1,000)			
134		2 095		126		2 059		216		7 085	2 681
<b>Beef cows</b>											
Farms with—											
1 to 4.....											
44		100		42		97		48		126	43
5 to 9.....											
30		200		24		167		55		368	124
10 to 19.....											
26		356		26		356		50		668	222
20 to 49.....											
31		891		31		891		44		1 310	457
50 to 99.....											
1		(D)		1		(D)		10		661	218
100 to 199.....											
1		(D)		1		(D)		-		-	-
200 to 499.....											
1		(D)		1		(D)		6		1 727	563
500 and over.....											
-		-		-		-		3		2 225	1 053
<b>Milk cows</b>											
Farms with—											
1 or 2.....											
19		31		14		23		17		22	3
3 or 4.....											
6		21		5		18		7		24	3
5 to 9.....											
7		53		7		53		12		87	9
10 to 19.....											
5		66		5		66		16		226	30
20 to 49.....											
15		449		15		449		7		(D)	17
50 to 99.....											
8		546		7		457		2		(D)	5
100 to 199.....											
1		100		1		100		-		-	-
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	147	1 771	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	139	5 194	2 187
1969	217	3 562	1969	126	7 153	(NA)
Beef heifers	115	1 241	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	36	530	1 to 9	74	337	116
1974			10 to 19	29	394	135
1974			20 to 49	24	739	272
1974			50 to 99	5	362	153
1974			100 to 199	—	—	—
1974			200 to 499	4	1 137	458
1974			500 and over	3	2 225	1 053
1969	238	6 134				
1969	285	7 259				

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	222	29 339	214	28 301	249	49 454	241	47 618 3 405
1969	350	42 722	313	41 188	363	69 952	327	68 157 (NA)
Farms with—								
1 to 4	8	23	7	21	6	16	5	13 1
5 to 9	14	97	11	78	4	21	2	11 1
10 to 24	43	681	41	651	27	428	26	404 27
25 to 49	35	1 195	34	1 170	51	1 793	48	1 714 108
50 to 99	44	3 421	44	3 421	23	1 702	23	1 702 122
100 to 199	38	5 060	38	5 060	62	8 727	62	8 727 643
200 to 499	26	7 363	26	7 363	55	15 965	55	15 965 1 148
500 and over	14	11 499	13	10 537	21	20 802	20	19 082 1 357
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	3 474	25	2 889 74
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	59	6 770	52	6 695 (NA)
Feeder pigs sold								
1974								
1969								
Sheep and lambs	198	12 765	177	11 804	197	8 689	175	7 860 (NA)
1969	343	17 369	261	15 104	332	11 998	254	10 344 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	171	9 075 167 292
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	175	(X) 254
1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)	(NA)	—	— (NA)
1974	(NA)	(NA)	48	148	8	11	5	6 9
1969	64	204	(NA)	(NA)	13	44	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Goats								
1974								
1969								
Horses and ponies								
1974								
1969								

  

	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	161	3 411	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		
1969	255	5 719	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	186	5 521
1974	204	24 890	1969	291	8 844
1969	292	35 469	1974	171	2 962
1974	124	3 779	1969	274	4 506
1974	75	7 717	1974	155	2 559
1974	148	308	1969	253	4 338
1974					
1974					
Other hogs and pigs					
1974					
1969					
Lambs under 1 year old					
1974					
1974					
Ewes 1 year old or older					
1974					
1974					
Rams and wethers					
1974					
1974					

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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	82	(X)	62	(X)	35	(X)	32	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	109	(X)	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	77	128 376	57	127 558	32	99 797	29	99 457
1969	134	424 696	104	421 682	71	596 630	57	594 553
Hens and pullets of laying age	75	126 237	57	125 490	30	83 307	27	83 017
1969	119	203 231	93	200 893	64	125 255	52	123 574
Farms with—								
1 to 99	49	1 347	33	1 100	8	325	6	260
100 to 399	13	2 540	12	2 440	13	2 652	12	2 427
400 to 1,599	4	1 850	3	1 450	1	1 500	1	1 500
1,600 to 3,199	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	25 080	4	25 080
10,000 to 19,999	4	51 500	4	51 500	2	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974								
1974								
1969								
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1	75	1	75	3	280	2	230
1974								
1969								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	49	1 592	45	1 591
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	88	1 905
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..	57	125 490	27	83 017	Turkeys.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	93	200 893	52	123 574	.....1969..	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	54	90 280	25	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	3	35 210	2	(D)	Heavy breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	-	-	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	10	212 695	4	466 533	.....1969..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	8	2 068	2	(D)	Other poultry.....1974..	5	(X)	3	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	1	(D)	-	-	.....1969..	12	(X)	6	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	699	781	70 509	57 750	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	3	8	332	158	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	761	838	75 920	64 918	1 997 953	1 943 335
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	606	698	24 429	16 876	1 091 213	612 413
Other small grains for grain.....	277	480	4 620	9 193	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	296	403	5 892	8 228	12 216	16 816
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	7	21	45	115	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	15	15	71	134	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	2	10	4	4	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	58	(NA)	1 181	2 048	(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).....	678	673	68 285	54 314	4 875 278	4 872 973	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	47	69	1 639	1 948	27 208	35 848	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	3	4	128	85	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	3	2	332	92	11 310	3 500	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	-	(NA)	-	34	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	89	103	1 473	2 195	4 044	5 787	-	-

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	306	8 593	(X)	-	-	9	234	8	63	1	8
.....1969..	382	12 379	(X)	-	-	23	347	20	43	3	8
Improved pasture.....1974..	44	1 077	(X)	-	-	3	62	3	6	-	-
.....1969..	68	2 098	(X)	-	-	5	241	3	35	2	(Z)
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	679	70 052	(X)	-	-	596	63 734	533	9 378	414	6 849
.....1969..	673	56 347	(X)	-	-	553	48 079	481	7 232	297	4 744
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	3	332	(X)	-	-	2	112	1	1	1	14
.....1969..	4	126	(X)	-	-	3	90	1	6	2	12
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	596	24 273	1 082 438	-	-	479	20 987	445	3 015	88	640
.....1969..	617	16 229	591 369	-	-	524	13 973	(NA)	1 823	(NA)	504
Oats (bushels).....1974..	265	4 451	287 624	-	-	202	3 387	194	432	10	12
.....1969..	421	8 381	466 390	-	-	348	6 885	(NA)	785	(NA)	94
Barley (bushels).....1974..	1	4	76	-	-	1	4	1	1	-	-
.....1969..	5	57	3 200	-	-	5	57	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	2	14	135	-	-	1	6	1	1	-	-
.....1969..	18	228	3 962	-	-	8	73	(NA)	10	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	732	75 668	1 993 796	-	-	264	24 177	210	1 860	64	577
.....1969..	694	62 243	1 876 296	-	-	210	12 517	(NA)	999	(NA)	241
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	279	5 539	11 530	-	-	18	565	18	95	-	-
.....1969..	338	7 373	15 110	-	-	15	532	14	77	1	3
Field seed crops.....1974..	25	392	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	30	495	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	1	10	1 100	-	-	1	10	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	5	23	(X)	-	-	2	16	2	6	-	-
.....1969..	8	52	(X)	-	-	4	43	4	7	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	5	57	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	4	101	(X)	-	-	1	90	1	8	-	-

**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.....	1	3	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969.....	1	(Z)	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974.....	3	7	00	1	1	2	1	2	1	—	—	—
	1969.....	2	20	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	1974.....	18	770	00	—	—	15	574	12	118	10	28	—

**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 .....	755	766	815	766	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	6	6	6	6
Commercial fertilizer .....	733	703	431	703	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	872	363	9	4
acres on which used .....	113 911	84 431	703	431	acres on which used .....	9	4	9	4
tons .....	23 111	16 945	16 945	16 945	Weeds or grass in crops .....	418	479	418	479
\$1,000 .....	4 544	1 417	1 417	1 417	acres on which used .....	97 644	58 875	97 644	58 875
Lime .....	110	154	154	154	\$1,000 .....	2	13	2	13
acres on which used .....	7 656	6 926	6 926	6 926	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	48	191	48	191
tons .....	18 034	16 398	16 398	16 398	acres on which used .....	(Z)	1	(Z)	1
\$1,000 .....	68	51	51	51	Weeds on all other land .....	21	(NA)	21	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used .....	177	(NA)	177	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	15	24	24	24	\$1,000 .....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
acres on which used .....	368	790	790	790	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000 .....	3	2	2	2	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	3	3	3	3
Insects on other crops .....	146	160	160	160	acres on which used .....	312	367	312	367
acres on which used .....	29 711	21 352	21 352	21 352	\$1,000 .....	4	2	4	2
\$1,000 .....	211	61	61	61	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	25	143	25	143
Nematodes in crops .....	3	5	5	5	\$1,000 .....	1	12	1	12
acres on which used .....	570	643	643	643	Other chemicals (see text) .....	95	(NA)	95	(NA)
\$1,000 .....	5	3	3	3	\$1,000 .....	54	(NA)	54	(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 .....	1	—	—	—	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	0.1	—	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	1	—	—	—	Other sprinkler systems .....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Average per farm .....	1.0	—	—	—	Land in irrigated farms .....	13	—	13	—
Cropland irrigated .....	1	—	—	—	Cropland .....	8	—	8	—
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	1	—	—	—	Harvested cropland .....	1	—	1	—
acres .....	1	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973 .....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated .....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture					Farms with artificial drainage .....	327	510	327	510
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms .....	40.4	61.4	40.4	61.4
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage .....	102 561	147 484	102 561	147 484
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	1	—	—	—	Land drained .....	82 420	119 119	82 420	119 119
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.5	—	—	—	Average per farm .....	252.0	233.5	252.0	233.5
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches .....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks .....	46	(NA)	46	(NA)
acres .....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	number .....	61	(NA)	61	(NA)
					acres .....	56	(NA)	56	(NA)

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	322	237	212	212	611	12 810	4 613	4 613
Under \$5,000 .....	39	13	63	63	99	78	63	63
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	46	29	44	44	45	44	20	20
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	99	78	63	63	93	73	22	22
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	45	44	20	20				
\$50,000 and over .....	93	73	22	22				

**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—							224	47	72	149	
150 days or more .....	47	52	95	120	457	814	611	457	93	60	
25 to 149 days .....	72	402	120	1 109	93	20	589	95	120	374	
Less than 25 days .....	149	22	374	(NA)	60	(NA)					
Total contract labor .....	9	22	(NA)	(NA)	4	(NA)					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	2	(NA)	3	(NA)	1	(NA)					
							Farms with—				
							1 worker .....	108	31	43	76
							2 workers .....	43	6	17	27
							3 or 4 workers .....	42	7	10	27
							5 to 9 workers .....	25	2	2	14
							10 workers and over .....	6	1	—	5