

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms	95 937	16 090 902	92 158	15 668 238	73 821	14 811 165	70 283	14 091 934
Average size of farm	(X)	168	(X)	170	(X)	201	(X)	201
Approximate land area	(X)	26 228 480	(X)	26 228 480	(X)	26 228 480	(X)	26 228 480
Proportion in farms	(X)	61.3	(X)	59.7	(X)	56.5	(X)	53.7
Value of land and buildings: ¹								
Average per farm	249 345	(X)	119 964	(X)	302 076	(X)	143 897	(X)
Average per acre	(X)	1 483	(X)	706	(X)	1 504	(X)	718
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland	91 969	12 226 271	89 231	11 766 094	71 390	11 612 174	68 676	10 954 331
Harvested cropland	87 099	10 289 516	85 790	9 680 470	69 399	10 006 585	67 704	9 360 973
By acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres	10 751	45 562	8 399	(NA)	4 019	16 041	2 599	(NA)
10 to 19 acres	9 919	135 387	8 937	(NA)	4 187	59 583	3 093	(NA)
20 to 29 acres	7 906	185 825	7 982	(NA)	5 068	120 990	4 449	(NA)
30 to 49 acres	12 322	468 135	13 034	(NA)	10 377	398 467	10 651	(NA)
50 to 99 acres	17 124	1 200 566	18 608	(NA)	16 733	1 176 924	18 131	(NA)
100 to 199 acres	13 755	1 928 153	14 721	(NA)	13 717	1 923 401	14 699	(NA)
200 to 499 acres	11 811	3 599 175	11 411	(NA)	11 801	3 596 219	11 395	(NA)
500 to 999 acres	2 953	1 953 019	2 320	(NA)	2 941	(D)	2 311	(NA)
1,000 acres or more	558	773 694	378	(NA)	556	(D)	376	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture	36 070	1 265 728	40 659	1 515 372	26 585	1 042 240	28 698	1 134 658
Other cropland	26 509	671 027	20 782	570 252	20 724	563 349	15 717	458 700
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested or pastured	8 828	187 607	(NA)	(NA)	7 099	163 310	5 752	143 139
Cropland on which all crops failed	3 255	53 738	(NA)	(NA)	2 272	41 410	3 402	72 440
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	2 968	64 998	(NA)	(NA)	2 527	60 267	1 677	42 501
Cropland idle	16 197	364 684	(NA)	(NA)	12 517	298 362	7 470	200 620
Total woodland	52 774	1 980 502	51 094	1 851 361	41 368	1 613 413	39 284	1 477 571
Woodland pastured	20 424	603 621	(NA)	(NA)	15 387	482 204	15 952	487 241
Woodland not pastured	40 690	1 376 881	(NA)	(NA)	32 272	1 131 209	29 874	990 330
Other land	75 786	1 884 129	74 559	2 050 783	58 133	1 585 578	57 185	1 660 032
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured	19 358	900 586	(NA)	(NA)	14 845	747 988	16 072	781 799
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc	72 937	983 543	(NA)	(NA)	55 964	837 590	55 096	878 233
Pastureland, all types	53 459	2 769 935	(NA)	(NA)	39 547	2 272 432	(NA)	2 403 698
Irrigated land	1 355	26 314	981	22 115	1 141	24 900	848	21 313
Harvested cropland irrigated	1 227	24 747	(NA)	(NA)	1 113	24 356	846	20 537
Pastureland irrigated	39	436	(NA)	(NA)	22	285	(NA)	80
Other land irrigated	120	1 131	(NA)	(NA)	28	259	10	696
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	10 551	152 739	(X)	(X)	9 877	148 960	(X)	(X)

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Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Market value of agricultural products sold ¹	95 937	2 876 936	92 158	2 262 527	73 821	2 842 446	70 283	2 224 516
Average per farm	(X)	29 988	(X)	24 551	(X)	38 505	(X)	31 651
Farms by value of agricultural products sold: ¹								
\$100,000 or more	6 453	1 314 482	4 071	(NA)	6 453	1 314 482	4 071	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	13 027	825 863	11 658	(NA)	13 027	825 863	11 658	(NA)
\$20,000 to \$39,999	12 371	352 144	12 679	(NA)	12 371	352 144	12 679	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13 711	195 953	14 851	(NA)	13 711	195 953	14 851	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14 644	104 793	14 805	(NA)	14 644	104 793	14 805	(NA)
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13 615	49 210	10 959	(NA)	13 615	49 210	10 959	(NA)
Less than \$2,500 (see text)	22 058	26 255	23 078	(NA)	(X)	(X)	1 260	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3 756	8 324	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4 560	7 849	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5 992	7 259	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Less than \$1,000	7 750	2 823	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Abnormal farms (see text)	58	8 235	57	(NA)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Crops	71 827	1 610 371	76 434	1 320 120	61 671	1 596 115	(NA)	1 304 946
Grains	60 406	1 317 569	(NA)	(NA)	54 675	1 309 468	58 155	1 058 368
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	3 061	25 468	(NA)	(NA)	2 995	25 427	(NA)	(NA)
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Tobacco	5 307	24 078	(NA)	(NA)	4 068	22 332	3 747	16 895
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	15 931	44 291	(NA)	(NA)	13 137	41 574	13 685	25 249
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	2 710	61 371	(NA)	(NA)	2 098	60 739	1 821	48 637
Fruits, nuts, and berries	2 152	21 084	(NA)	(NA)	1 481	20 492	1 219	18 143
Nursery and greenhouse products	1 656	125 524	1 728	102 315	1 437	125 184	1 426	101 790
Other crops	900	16 455	(NA)	(NA)	791	16 326	1 417	35 865
Livestock, poultry, and their products	58 158	1 266 565	59 252	938 108	45 349	1 246 331	45 482	915 440
Poultry and poultry products	5 837	147 656	6 437	127 215	4 183	147 138	5 085	126 691
Dairy products	10 112	394 227	(NA)	(NA)	9 969	391 603	11 447	296 046
Cattle and calves	43 176	385 966	(NA)	(NA)	34 387	374 523	35 277	260 105
Hogs and pigs	18 398	296 095	(NA)	(NA)	16 236	293 227	17 887	211 639
Sheep, lambs, and wool	7 471	15 817	(NA)	(NA)	5 928	14 637	7 494	11 725
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	5 510	26 804	(NA)	(NA)	3 460	25 202	2 068	9 235

¹1974 data include sales of forest products.

Table 3. Farms, Land in Farms, Land Use, and Irrigation, by Size of Farm: 1978 and 1974

	Farms		1978							
	1978	1974	Acres in farms	Farms with harvested cropland			Farms with irrigated land			
				Farms	Acres in farms	Harvested cropland	Farms	Acres in farms	Harvested cropland	Irrigated land
All farms	95 937	92 158	16 090 902	87 099	15 748 278	10 289 516	1 355	177 648	97 239	26 314
Farms with—										
1 to 9 acres	7 311	4 001	29 474	3 802	18 687	11 871	409	2 055	874	770
10 to 49 acres	19 050	16 163	535 545	15 897	463 765	276 944	392	8 780	3 192	2 574
50 to 69 acres	8 137	8 238	474 009	7 588	442 169	244 211	73	4 234	2 099	870
70 to 99 acres	12 806	13 377	1 064 666	12 138	1 010 344	556 543	77	6 503	3 097	1 184
100 to 139 acres	11 754	12 645	1 365 965	11 296	1 314 261	724 521	59	6 962	3 674	1 279
140 to 179 acres	8 440	9 429	1 331 400	8 239	1 299 810	740 826	46	7 159	3 746	984
180 to 219 acres	6 037	6 356	1 194 176	5 921	1 171 154	694 513	38	7 673	4 898	896
220 to 259 acres	4 477	4 713	1 067 734	4 415	1 052 986	661 169	23	5 374	2 878	1 181
260 to 499 acres	11 847	12 044	4 174 168	11 748	4 139 629	2 805 931	168	63 769	20 557	5 687
500 to 999 acres	4 960	4 346	3 284 793	4 942	3 273 943	2 414 625	48	32 667	26 414	6 527
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 008	770	1 279 572	1 004	1 275 330	950 948	18	23 327	18 727	2 880
2,000 acres or more	110	76	289 400	109	286 200	207 414	4	9 145	7 083	1 522

Table 4. Operators—Tenure, Type of Organization, and Characteristics: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Land in farms	95 937	16 090 902	92 158	15 668 238	73 821	14 811 165	70 283	14 091 934
Harvested cropland	87 099	10 289 516	85 790	9 680 470	69 399	10 006 585	67 704	9 360 973
Tenure of operator:								
Full owners	57 828	6 001 827	57 675	6 463 823	39 477	4 943 379	38 810	5 141 220
Harvested cropland	50 043	2 882 302	(NA)	3 085 688	35 649	2 662 145	(NA)	2 827 676
Part owners	26 116	8 041 382	24 119	7 129 995	24 147	7 899 477	22 226	6 947 283
Harvested cropland	25 807	5 886 592	(NA)	5 079 085	23 963	5 847 790	(NA)	5 035 562
Tenants	11 993	2 047 693	10 364	2 074 420	10 197	1 968 309	9 247	2 003 431
Harvested cropland	11 249	1 520 622	(NA)	1 515 697	9 787	1 496 650	(NA)	1 497 735
Type of organization:								
Individual or family	83 642	12 791 080	(NA)	(NA)	62 900	11 632 314	62 178	11 648 733
Partnership	10 752	2 693 067	(NA)	(NA)	9 520	2 618 832	7 241	2 119 486
Corporation	1 217	521 681	(NA)	(NA)	1 172	515 833	758	292 162
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	326	85 074	(NA)	(NA)	229	44 186	106	31 553

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more	
	1978		1974			1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Operators by principal occupation:					Operators by place of residence:				
Farming	45 671	50 104	41 292	44 720	On farm operated	73 572	66 476	56 347	51 317
Other	50 266	41 133	32 529	24 699	Not on farm operated	13 862	12 257	11 019	9 063
Operators by age group:					Not reported	8 503	12 504	6 455	9 039
Under 25 years	3 798	2 683	3 147	2 130	Operators reporting days of work off farm:				
25 to 34 years	13 228	11 190	10 371	8 461	None	33 519	27 685	28 965	23 917
35 to 44 years	20 041	17 201	14 867	12 694	1 to 49 days	6 479	4 959	5 723	3 990
45 to 54 years	22 577	22 731	17 209	17 467	50 to 99 days	2 611	2 363	2 109	1 900
55 to 64 years	21 943	22 152	17 711	17 529	100 to 149 days	2 611	2 388	2 187	1 865
65 years and over	14 350	15 280	10 516	11 138	150 to 199 days	4 806	4 124	3 670	2 811
Average age	49.1	50.5	49.0	50.5	200 days or more	42 441	35 261	28 157	22 141

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Selected Farm Production Expenses: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
Livestock and poultry purchased	32 207	232 226	32 958	164 274	25 504	227 917	24 676	159 103
Feed for livestock and poultry	54 989	283 695	54 835	267 119	42 081	275 354	40 253	259 249
Commercially mixed formula feeds	26 535	174 865	39 136	179 424	21 609	171 342	31 719	176 487
Animal health costs	44 151	17 479	(NA)	(NA)	35 753	16 575	29 119	9 795
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	68 655	113 689	68 672	75 546	59 725	112 254	57 966	74 292
Commercial fertilizer	74 731	267 139	74 299	211 059	63 401	263 262	60 784	207 130
Other agricultural chemicals including lime	69 364	90 431	49 747	50 650	59 835	89 005	43 936	49 957
Hired farm labor	31 453	140 163	28 295	95 877	27 922	136 427	23 594	92 774
Contract labor	3 449	11 247	2 626	5 868	3 051	11 032	2 069	5 710
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	40 465	35 452	38 446	25 082	34 629	34 005	32 170	24 046
Energy and petroleum products	95 323	177 560	(NA)	(NA)	73 667	170 938	(NA)	(NA)
Petroleum products	95 226	140 472	88 325	94 690	73 621	135 539	67 811	90 424
Gasoline	89 226	62 916	(NA)	(NA)	69 207	59 492	65 438	51 497
Diesel fuel	49 387	41 458	(NA)	(NA)	44 424	40 829	34 260	21 756
LP gas, butane, and propane	13 145	14 221	(NA)	(NA)	12 744	14 172	9 498	6 574
Fuel oil	7 933	5 082	(NA)	(NA)	7 209	4 946		
Natural gas	2 521	7 466	(NA)	(NA)	2 264	7 405		
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease	95 213	9 329	(NA)	(NA)	73 608	8 695	67 615	10 597
Electricity	65 427	35 214	(NA)	(NA)	54 600	33 654	(NA)	(NA)
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.	4 541	1 874	(NA)	(NA)	3 882	1 745	(NA)	(NA)

Table 6. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer and Lime: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1978		1974	
	Farms	Acres on which used	Farms	Acres on which used	Farms	Acres on which used
Commercial fertilizer.....	72 782	8 015 967	61 958	7 882 769	60 795	6 266 658
Cropland fertilized, except pasture.....	72 305	7 847 746	61 656	7 725 411	(NA)	6 178 515
Pasture and rangeland fertilized.....	6 882	168 221	5 975	157 358	(NA)	88 143
Lime.....	18 313	585 211	16 137	560 677	8 880	346 852
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops.....	20 773	1 811 999	18 356	1 787 314	(NA)	1 275 402
Nematodes in crops.....	3 118	253 267	2 805	249 737	243	14 688
Diseases in crops and orchards.....	4 672	231 659	3 661	224 173	1 159	73 333
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture.....	53 080	6 162 496	46 887	6 077 888	(NA)	4 018 908
Chemicals for—						
Defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit.....	2 293	97 652	1 916	95 655	578	26 203
Insect control on livestock and poultry.....	19 595	(X)	16 868	(X)	3 884	(X)
Sanitation and rodent and bird control.....	15 292	(X)	13 209	(X)	(NA)	(X)

Table 7. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more				Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—Con.
	1978		1974		1978		1974		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	95 708	87 609	73 929	66 638	\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	11 564	13 336	10 684	12 137
\$1,000.....	3 025 108	1 859 311	2 847 806	1 675 013	\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	11 097	12 973	10 834	12 621
Average per farm..... dollars.....	31 608	21 223	38 521	25 136	\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	7 039	4 370	6 919	4 329
Farms by value group:					\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	5 032	3 548	4 983	3 518
\$1 to \$4,999.....	10 627	15 091	5 686	8 210	\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	5 793		5 778	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	24 265	18 354	11 464	10 378	\$200,000 or more.....	1 467		1 461	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	18 824	19 937	16 120	15 445					
	1978				1974				
	All farms		Manufactured 1974 to 1978		Manufactured prior to 1974		Farms		Manufactured 1970 to 1974
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT									
Automobiles.....	68 307	100 008	41 786	50 442	37 865	49 566	72 855	101 299	54 610
Motortrucks including pickups.....	76 141	112 880	41 656	48 486	47 580	64 394	69 694	97 822	38 635
Wheel tractors.....	86 500	205 972	25 135	35 317	79 873	170 655	80 148	184 634	33 308
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only.....	31 828	33 996	9 318	9 621	23 050	24 375	24 810	26 009	8 170
Corn heads for combines.....	23 223	24 522	8 519	8 809	14 988	15 713	16 882	17 515	7 028
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	27 676	28 656	3 398	3 492	24 392	25 164	28 709	29 517	4 021
Cottonpickers.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Mower conditioners.....	26 373	28 007	9 111	9 365	17 784	18 642	19 457	20 268	6 288
Pickup balers.....	37 650	39 170	7 661	7 837	30 726	31 333	35 548	36 137	6 154
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	10 239	11 419	2 895	3 104	7 609	8 315	9 043	9 757	2 587

Table 8. Hired Farm Workers: 1978 and 1974

[1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text]

	Hired workers—All farms, 1978					Any hired workers—Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more	
	Any	Working 150 days or more		Working less than 150 days		1978	1974
		Farms	Workers	Farms	Workers		
Farms.....	31 453	8 412	(X)	27 431	(X)	27 922	23 594
Workers.....	135 146	(X)	20 102	(X)	115 044	125 084	113 736
Farms with—							
1 worker.....	11 177	4 681	4 681	9 734	9 734	9 504	9 483
2 workers.....	6 151	1 945	3 890	5 647	11 294	5 488	3 726
3 or 4 workers.....	6 612	1 185	3 994	5 522	18 885	6 044	4 320
5 to 9 workers.....	4 919	415	2 540	4 220	26 129	4 418	3 628
10 workers or more.....	2 594	186	4 997	2 308	49 002	2 468	2 437

Table 9. Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978 and 1974

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	1978		1974		1978		1974	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY								
Inventory:								
Any livestock or poultry	62 706	(X)	63 200	(X)	46 441	(X)	46 800	(X)
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	55 562	(X)	58 837	(X)	42 383	(X)	44 042	(X)
Sales:								
Any livestock or poultry and their products	58 158	\$1,000... 1 266 565	59 252	938 108	45 349	1 246 331	45 482	915 440
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	53 738	\$1,000... 697 878	56 153	(NA)	42 803	682 387	43 711	483 469
CATTLE AND CALVES								
Inventory:								
Cattle and calves	46 284	1 690 050	50 515	1 898 573	34 711	1 565 795	37 068	1 691 815
Cows and heifers that had calved	36 124	717 480	39 057	817 649	26 984	659 901	28 678	719 808
Beef cows	25 659	350 377	27 332	431 984	17 474	298 214	17 935	341 338
Milk cows	13 413	367 103	15 975	385 665	11 598	361 687	13 733	378 470
Heifers and heifer calves	33 542	459 398	(NA)	(NA)	25 894	427 174	24 004	404 688
Steers, steer calves, bulls and bull calves	37 545	513 172	(NA)	(NA)	28 863	478 720	29 499	567 319
Sales:								
Cattle and calves	43 176	1 040 370	45 681	958 310	34 387	997 721	35 277	899 969
..... \$1,000...	(X)	385 966	(X)	(NA)	(X)	374 523	(X)	260 105
Calves	22 686	283 153	(NA)	(NA)	18 056	265 223	16 826	224 733
..... \$1,000...	(X)	44 701	(X)	(NA)	(X)	41 974	(X)	19 654
Cattle	37 053	757 217	(NA)	(NA)	30 256	732 498	30 552	675 236
..... \$1,000...	(X)	341 264	(X)	(NA)	(X)	332 547	(X)	240 451
Fattened cattle	16 816	476 116	(NA)	(NA)	14 258	466 113	13 341	420 972
..... \$1,000...	(X)	229 634	(X)	(NA)	(X)	225 521	(X)	161 619
Dairy products	10 112	394 227	(NA)	(NA)	9 969	391 603	11 447	296 046
HOGS, SHEEP, GOATS, AND HORSES								
Inventory:								
Hogs and pigs	18 758	2 137 680	19 659	1 810 284	15 582	2 099 041	16 695	1 768 818
Used or to be used for breeding	13 407	296 455	(NA)	(NA)	11 704	288 092	12 222	236 373
Other hogs and pigs	16 921	1 841 225	(NA)	(NA)	14 282	1 810 949	15 593	1 532 445
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	14 127	385 908	15 042	354 555	12 277	378 301	13 464	347 062
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31	12 133	191 218	13 089	183 573	10 969	187 764	11 951	179 836
June 1 and Nov. 30	12 164	194 690	12 512	170 982	10 768	190 537	11 388	167 226
Sheep and lambs	7 434	327 684	9 835	456 684	5 850	293 523	7 594	396 514
Ewes 1 year old or older	6 870	207 615	(NA)	(NA)	5 419	184 350	7 219	235 070
Goats	1 144	5 651	(NA)	(NA)	450	3 095	167	931
Horses and ponies	16 066	79 342	13 870	59 318	9 701	52 204	8 212	40 930
Sales:								
Hogs and pigs	18 398	3 362 628	20 062	3 165 535	16 236	3 321 938	17 887	3 114 300
..... \$1,000...	(X)	296 095	(X)	(NA)	(X)	293 227	(X)	211 639
Feeder pigs	5 027	660 886	4 519	462 523	4 153	642 119	3 707	443 638
..... \$1,000...	(X)	27 901	(X)	(NA)	(X)	27 184	(X)	10 144
Sheep and lambs	7 111	268 798	9 210	368 289	5 792	246 778	7 304	328 446
Sheep and lambs shorn	6 949	302 873	(NA)	(NA)	5 531	274 691	6 813	337 436
Pounds of wool	(X)	2 314 769	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2 092 899	(X)	2 610 972
Sheep, lambs, and wool	7 471	15 817	(NA)	(NA)	5 928	14 637	7 494	11 725
..... \$1,000...	(X)	269	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 291	(X)	470
Goats	4 237	86	2 263	8 325	2 681	8 168	1 513	6 660
..... \$1,000...	(X)	14 707	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13 402	(X)	6 045
POULTRY								
Inventory:								
Any poultry	12 521	(X)	12 827	(X)	7 537	(X)	8 606	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	11 411	11 376 472	12 147	10 653 989	6 694	11 200 375	8 003	10 482 483
Hens and pullets of laying age	11 046	9 617 496	11 730	9 584 009	6 598	9 460 131	7 793	9 436 652
Pullets 3 months old or older	1 650	1 758 976	(NA)	(NA)	594	1 740 244	338	1 000 513
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	677	1 603 796	(NA)	(NA)	195	1 595 657	173	1 811 610
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2 359	3 375 440	1 063	1 963 159	1 014	3 342 429	732	1 949 539
Turkeys	434	827 692	(NA)	(NA)	289	824 808	150	665 736
Turkeys for slaughter	295	707 894	(NA)	(NA)	203	706 284	118	548 630
Turkey hens kept for breeding	208	119 798	(NA)	(NA)	129	118 524	47	117 106
Other poultry	2 399	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 148	(X)	606	(X)
Sales:								
Any poultry	3 907	(X)	4 030	(X)	2 949	(X)	3 506	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	2 366	13 922 440	3 310	13 774 803	2 012	13 883 933	2 851	13 719 325
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 240	7 370 049	3 071	7 512 425	1 892	7 332 162	2 650	7 459 373
Pullets 3 months old or older	161	6 552 391	(NA)	(NA)	146	6 551 771	186	6 228 678
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	49	687 437	(NA)	(NA)	42	687 154	26	1 006 627
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	755	14 728 156	582	8 155 314	556	14 712 361	490	8 146 730
Turkeys	213	2 370 163	(NA)	(NA)	183	2 362 791	184	2 762 618
Turkeys for slaughter	199	2 230 158	(NA)	(NA)	169	(D)	173	2 596 599
Turkey hens kept for breeding	28	140 005	(NA)	(NA)	26	(D)	25	166 019
Other poultry	419	(X)	(NA)	(X)	229	(X)	192	(X)
Poultry and poultry products	5 837	\$1,000... 147 656	6 437	127 215	4 183	147 138	5 085	126 691

Table 10. Crops: 1978 and 1974

	All farms						Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more					
	Harvested			Irrigated			Harvested			Irrigated		
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	
Corn for all purposes	57 537	3 693 988	(X)	43	2 361		51 184	3 642 080	(X)	37	2 342	
1974	61 846	3 421 942	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		53 712	3 353 945	(X)	29	1 081	
For grain or seed (bushels)	56 604	3 469 148	352 103 359	42	2 220	(NA)	50 359	3 420 180	348 593 766	36	(D)	
1974	60 635	3 150 529	235 280 119	(NA)	(NA)		52 707	3 086 463	231 745 222	26	939	(D)
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	9 970	223 830	3 438 477	5	141	(NA)	9 759	221 097	3 406 352	4	(D)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		10 478	258 672	3 247 921	4	142	(D)
For fodder, hogged or grazed	68	1 010	(X)				54	803	(X)			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		524	8 810	(X)			
Sorghums for all purposes	480	11 852	(X)	1	(D)		451	11 621	(X)	1	(D)	
1974	756	13 526	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		658	12 619	(X)			
For grain or seed (bushels)	109	4 805	285 018	1	(D)		99	4 693	281 665	1	(D)	
1974	205	6 864	427 502	(NA)	(NA)		195	6 775	425 327			
For silage or green chop (tons, green)	367	6 985	119 723				350	6 904	119 021			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		440	5 200	59 263			
Cut for dry forage or hay (tons, dry)	3	(D)	24									
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		25	231	723			
Hogged or grazed	6	(D)	(X)				6	24	(X)			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		47	413	(X)			
Wheat for grain (bushels)	31 663	943 133	36 576 855	3	37		30 523	933 282	36 286 093	3	37	
1974	45 861	1 384 591	56 715 928	(NA)	(NA)		42 768	1 359 415	55 944 488	18	426	
Oats for grain (bushels)	19 971	306 792	18 604 035	2	(D)		18 076	294 819	18 076 201	2	(D)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		24 243	410 865	25 425 717	2	(D)	
Barley for grain (bushels)	724	7 198	320 592				672	6 792	306 810			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		995	9 618	491 477	2	(D)	
Rye for grain (bushels)	146	1 590	49 419				135	1 534	48 088			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		500	5 085	158 599	2	(D)	
Other small grains for grain	455	4 661	(X)				414	4 372	(X)			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		950	11 298	(X)			
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	45 031	3 866 310	121 668 676	22	1 170		42 136	3 830 893	120 900 325	19	1 135	
1974	45 055	3 095 563	81 392 887	(NA)	(NA)		42 680	3 071 102	80 935 071	26	867	
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)												
1974				(NA)	(NA)							
Cotton (bales)												
1974				(NA)	(NA)							
Tobacco (pounds)	5 332	11 387	21 666 364	105	372		4 079	10 201	20 087 249	102	370	
1974	5 290	10 277	19 949 002	(NA)	(NA)		3 770	9 094	18 001 699	14	24	
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	727	11 291	2 381 669	37	1 817		508	11 083	2 344 651	33	1 814	
1974	1 084	14 634	3 078 651	(NA)	(NA)		693	14 343	3 050 629	55	2 737	
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	22	18	2 871	3	1		16	13	2 575	3	1	
1974	92	37	4 003	(NA)	(NA)		43	20	2 278	2		
Hay crops (tons, dry) (see text)	47 655	1 472 777	3 459 656	28	813		37 083	1 304 887	3 210 549	19	727	
1974	47 160	1 260 726	2 744 427	(NA)	(NA)		35 969	1 086 079	2 473 614	8	310	
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	25 767	673 725	1 944 460	19	308		21 751	621 574	1 851 197	15	267	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		14 557	351 895	966 371	3	147	
Other tame dry hay (tons, dry) (see text)	24 698	582 875	1 112 943	8	(D)		18 363	487 992	980 007	3	(D)	
Field seed crops	1 020	18 351	(X)	1	(D)		969	17 739	(X)	1	(D)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		3 001	45 495	(X)			
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	20	180	12 555				17	159	9 060			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		53	517	30 163			
Red clover seed (pounds)	722	11 804	1 180 359				690	11 493	1 154 371			
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		2 027	29 089	2 302 320			
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	2 711	55 668	(X)	396	12 023		2 098	54 465	(X)	361	11 966	
1974	2 623	57 196	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		1 886	55 706	(X)	266	9 864	
Sweet corn	1 626	13 432	(X)	136	3 734		1 129	12 705	(X)	120	3 718	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		948	12 830	(X)	87	2 706	
Tomatoes	1 326	21 127	(X)	228	1 373		1 140	21 017	(X)	206	1 364	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		1 135	23 724	(X)	154	1 784	
Green peas excluding cowpeas	83	51	(X)	15	10		59	48	(X)	13	(D)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		116	582	(X)	15	25	
Land in orchards	3 130	27 291	(X)	88	686		1 534	21 704	(X)	50	559	
1974	2 229	26 273	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		1 170	23 243	(X)	27	354	
Apples (pounds)	2 665	16 775	115 787 700	(NA)	(NA)		1 253	13 929	112 832 014	(NA)	(NA)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		878	14 627	114 905 703	(NA)	(NA)	
Peaches (pounds)	1 604	3 932	6 219 021	(NA)	(NA)		668	3 130	5 999 315	(NA)	(NA)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		499	3 667	17 620 573	(NA)	(NA)	
Grapes (pounds) (see text)	1 185	4 181	22 887 135	(NA)	(NA)		510	3 522	21 818 777	(NA)	(NA)	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		332	3 660	24 010 000	(NA)	(NA)	
Berries	1 174	2 336	(X)	280	1 320		706	2 148	(X)	260	1 307	
1974	753	1 588	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		502	1 443	(X)	106	677	
Strawberries (pounds)	1 046	1 920	8 003 484	268	1 174		640	1 798	7 573 604	251	1 165	
1974	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		443	1 130	5 217 448	102	619	
Nursery and greenhouse products	1 657	17 066	(X)	632	4 898		1 437	16 595	(X)	607	4 877	
1974	774	32 601	(X)	(NA)	(NA)		743	32 388	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	