

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

|  | All farms |         | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |         |   |         |                                      |         |         |
|--|-----------|---------|--------------------------------------|---------|---|---------|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|
|  | 1974      | 1969    | 1974                                 | 1969    | All farms   | 1969    | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over | 1969    |         |
| All farms..... number...   | 1 000     | 1 203   | 477                                  | 593     | <b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>   |         |                                      |         |         |
| Land in farms..... acres...  | 284 894   | 320 294 | 239 792                              | 265 128 | Total cropland..... farms...  | 802     | 949                                  | 399     | 493     |
| Average size of farm..... acres...   | 285       | 266     | 503                                  | 447     | ..... acres...  | 94 381  | 130 255                              | 70 754  | 101 977 |
| Approximate land area..... acres...  | 438 400   | 438 400 | 438 400                              | 438 400 | Harvested cropland..... farms...  | 542     | 593                                  | 342     | 396     |
| Proportion in farms..... percent...  | 65.0      | 73.1    | 54.7                                 | 60.5    | ..... acres...  | 41 479  | 49 978                               | 37 383  | 45 379  |
| Value of land and buildings... \$1,000...  | 138 660   | 89 213  | 105 401                              | 68 803  | Farms by acres harvested:   |         |                                      |         |         |
| Average per farm..... dollars...   | 138 660   | 74 159  | 220 966                              | 116 025 | 1 to 9 acres.....   | 49      | 65                                   | 7       |         |
| Average per acre..... dollars...   | 487       | 279     | 440                                  | 260     | 10 to 19 acres.....   | 113     | 90                                   | 39      | 151     |
| Farms by size:   |           |         |                                      |         | 20 to 29 acres.....   | 80      | 65                                   | 40      |         |
| 1 to 9 acres.....  | 22        | 33      | 10                                   | 11      | 30 to 49 acres.....   | 87      | 108                                  | 59      |         |
| 10 to 49 acres.....  | 207       | 238     | 25                                   | 22      | 50 to 99 acres.....   | 95      | 114                                  | 79      | 97      |
| 50 to 69 acres.....  | 72        | 77      | 14                                   | 20      | 100 to 199 acres.....   | 59      | 91                                   | 59      | 88      |
| 70 to 99 acres.....  | 142       | 181     | 43                                   | 51      | 200 to 499 acres.....   | 54      | 48                                   | 54      | 48      |
| 100 to 139 acres.....  | 114       | 114     | 31                                   | 50      | 500 to 999 acres.....   | 4       | 11                                   | 4       | 11      |
| 140 to 179 acres.....  | 91        | 119     | 47                                   | 68      | 1,000 acres and over.....   | 1       | 1                                    | 1       | 1       |
| 180 to 219 acres.....  | 83        | 79      | 66                                   | 57      | Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms...                           | 492     | 669                                  | 192     | 307     |
| 220 to 259 acres.....  | 45        | 67      | 32                                   | 51      | ..... acres...  | 49 117  | 68 901                               | 30 043  | 47 242  |
| 260 to 499 acres.....  | 102       | 164     | 88                                   | 135     | Other cropland (see text)..... farms...   | 66      | 186                                  | 48      | (NA)    |
| 500 to 999 acres.....  | 74        | 80      | 73                                   | 77      | ..... acres...  | 3 785   | 11 376                               | 3 328   | 9 356   |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres.....  | 30        | 35      | 30                                   | 35      | Total woodland..... farms...  | 222     | 368                                  | 121     | 160     |
| 2,000 acres and over.....  | 18        | 16      | 18                                   | 16      | ..... acres...  | 18 114  | 27 120                               | 14 008  | 17 847  |
|  |           |         |                                      |         | Other land (see text)..... farms...   | 712     | 810                                  | 387     | (NA)    |
|  |           |         |                                      |         | ..... acres...  | 172 399 | 162 919                              | 155 030 | 145 304 |
|  |           |         |                                      |         | Irrigated land..... farms...  | 5       | 6                                    | 3       | 4       |
|  |           |         |                                      |         | ..... acres...  | 195     | 411                                  | 184     | 325     |
| Other cropland..... farms...   |           |         |                                      |         | Total woodland—Continued  |         |                                      |         |         |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 48                                   | (NA)    | Woodland not pastured..... farms...   |         |                                      | 29      | 49      |
| Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms... |           |         | 15                                   | 26      | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 3 809   | 4 048   |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 505                                  | 934     | Other land..... farms...  |         |                                      | 387     | (NA)    |
| Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms...   |           |         | 18                                   | 28      | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 155 030 | 145 304 |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 992                                  | 2 407   | Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms... |         |                                      | 302     | 326     |
| Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms...   |           |         | 9                                    | 26      | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 148 951 | 140 561 |
| Cropland idle..... farms...  |           |         | 821                                  | 1 431   | Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...                                  |         |                                      | 145     | 188     |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 15                                   | 73      | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 28 400  | 45 632  |
| Total woodland..... farms...   |           |         | 121                                  | 160     | Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...                                |         |                                      | 203     | 202     |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 14 008                               | 17 847  | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 120 551 | 94 929  |
| Woodland pastured..... farms...  |           |         | 105                                  | 134     | Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms...          |         |                                      | 297     | 302     |
| ..... acres...   |           |         | 10 199                               | 13 799  | ..... acres...  |         |                                      | 6 079   | 4 743   |

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

|  | All farms |         | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |         |  |      |                                      |        |        |
|--|-----------|---------|--------------------------------------|---------|--|------|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|
|  | 1974      | 1969    | 1974                                 | 1969    | All farms  | 1969 | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over | 1969   |        |
| All farm operators..... number...      | 1 000     | 1 203   | 477                                  | 593     | <b>Farms by type of organization—Con.</b>                    |      |                                      |        |        |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 284 894   | 320 294 | 239 792                              | 265 128 | Partnership..... number...                                   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 19     | 50     |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 41 479    | 49 978  | 37 383                               | 45 379  | ..... acres...   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 21 012 | 29 115 |
| Farms by tenure of farm operator:      |           |         |                                      |         | Corporation..... number...                                   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 10     | 1      |
| Full owners..... number...             | 678       | 857     | 252                                  | 365     | ..... acres...   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 18 034 | 190    |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 129 658   | 161 087 | 94 690                               | 121 953 | Other..... number...   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 3      | 3      |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 16 072    | 21 322  | 12 528                               | 18 161  | ..... acres...   | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 3 153  | 2 440  |
| Part owners..... number...             | 245       | 259     | 173                                  | 185     | Farm operators by age group: <sup>1</sup>                    |      |                                      |        |        |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 130 521   | 131 921 | 123 384                              | 121 917 | Under 25 years.....  | 11   | 12                                   | 7      | 6      |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 21 317    | 24 198  | 20 828                               | 23 363  | 25 to 34 years.....  | 97   | 107                                  | 51     | 48     |
| Tenants..... number...                 | 77        | 87      | 52                                   | 43      | 35 to 44 years.....  | 183  | 265                                  | 59     | 127    |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 24 715    | 27 286  | 21 718                               | 21 258  | 45 to 54 years.....  | 264  | 321                                  | 114    | 153    |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 4 090     | 4 458   | 4 027                                | 3 855   | 55 to 64 years.....  | 237  | 316                                  | 128    | 184    |
| Percent of tenancy.....                | 7.7       | 7.2     | 10.9                                 | 7.2     | 65 years and over.....                                       | 195  | 182                                  | 105    | 75     |
|  |           |         |                                      |         | Average age.....   | 52.2 | 51.0                                 | 53.5   | 51.2   |
| 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.....  | 647  | 914                                  | 312    | 454    |
| All farm operators..... number...      | 25        | —       | 6                                    | —       | On another farm.....   | 16   | —                                    | 8      | —      |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 2 543     | —       | 760                                  | —       | In a rural area, not on a farm.....                          | 17   | 159                                  | 10     | 81     |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 433       | —       | 111                                  | —       | In a city, town, or urban area.....                          | 87   | —                                    | 41     | —      |
| Full owners..... number...             | 19        | —       | 3                                    | —       | Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: <sup>2</sup> |      |                                      |        |        |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 1 876     | —       | 310                                  | —       | None.....  | 219  | (NA)                                 | 134    | (NA)   |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 368       | —       | 46                                   | —       | 1 to 49 days.....  | 47   | 80                                   | 35     | 46     |
| Part owners..... number...             | 5         | —       | 2                                    | —       | 50 to 99 days.....   | 28   | 36                                   | 12     | 24     |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 297       | —       | 80                                   | —       | 100 to 149 days.....   | 9    | 9                                    | 9      | —      |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | —         | —       | —                                    | —       | 150 to 199 days.....   | 33   | 83                                   | 15     | 51     |
| Tenants..... number...                 | 1         | —       | 1                                    | —       | 200 days and over.....                                       | 505  | 674                                  | 165    | 248    |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | 370       | —       | 370                                  | —       | Farm operators by principal occupation: <sup>2</sup>         |      |                                      |        |        |
| Harvested cropland..... acres...       | 65        | —       | 65                                   | —       | Farming.....   | 326  | (NA)                                 | 226    | (NA)   |
| Percent of tenancy.....                | 4.0       | —       | 16.7                                 | —       | Other.....   | 661  | (NA)                                 | 238    | (NA)   |
| Farms by type of organization:         |           |         |                                      |         | Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....  | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 6      | (NA)   |
| Individual or family..... number...    | (NA)      | (NA)    | 445                                  | 539     | Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....         | (NA) | (NA)                                 | 6      | (NA)   |
| Land in farms..... acres...            | (NA)      | (NA)    | 197 593                              | 233 383 |  |      |                                      |        |        |

<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 |        | 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                         | 15        | 38    | 15                                   | 38     | Crops                                  |                                      | (NA)        |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999                       | 30        |       | 30                                   |        | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 1 492 945   |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999                       | 51        | 46    | 51                                   | 46     | Grains                                 | \$1,000                              | 128 168     |
|  |           |       |                                      |        | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 1 245 522   |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999                       | 76        | 93    | 76                                   | 93     | Tobacco                                | farms                                |             |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999                         | 120       | 163   | 120                                  | 163    | \$1,000                                | farms                                |             |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999                         | 158       | 230   | 158                                  | 230    | Cotton and cottonseed                  | farms                                |             |
|  |           |       |                                      |        | \$1,000                                | farms                                |             |
| Under \$2,500 (see text)                   | 550       | 633   | 27                                   | 23     | Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage   | farms                                | 74 145      |
| \$2,000 to \$2,499                         | 80        | 91    | (X)                                  | (X)    | \$1,000                                | farms                                | 234 272     |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999                         | 112       | 87    | (X)                                  | (X)    | Other field crops                      | farms                                |             |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499                         | 127       | 139   | (X)                                  | (X)    | \$1,000                                | farms                                |             |
| Under \$1,000 (see text)                   | 231       | 316   | (X)                                  | (X)    | Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons     | farms                                |             |
|  |           |       |                                      |        | \$1,000                                | farms                                |             |
| Market value of agricultural products sold |           |       |                                      |        | Fruits, nuts, and berries              | farms                                | 3 20        |
| \$1,000                                    | 8 740     | 9 332 | 8 134                                | 8 703  | \$1,000                                | farms                                | 12 22       |
| Average per farm                           | 8 740     | 7 757 | 17 053                               | 14 676 | Livestock, poultry, and their products | farms                                | 457 564     |
|  |           |       |                                      |        | \$1,000                                | farms                                | 6 241 7 755 |
| Crops, including hay                       | 246       | 367   | 172                                  | (NA)   | Poultry and poultry products           | \$1,000                              | 13 28       |
| \$1,000                                    | 1 545     | 1 004 | 1 492                                | 945    | Dairy products                         | \$1,000                              | 8 131       |
| Nursery and greenhouse products            | 7         |       | 5                                    | 1      | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 33 50       |
| \$1,000                                    | 390       |       | (D)                                  | (D)    | Cattle and calves                      | \$1,000                              | 1 350 906   |
| Forest products                            | 7         | 19    | 2                                    | 11     | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 445 (NA)    |
| \$1,000                                    | 12        | 5     | (D)                                  | 3      | Hogs and pigs                          | \$1,000                              | 4 571 6 474 |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products     | 919       | 1 074 | 457                                  | 564    | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 34 (NA)     |
| \$1,000                                    | 6 793     | 8 324 | 6 241                                | 7 755  | Sheep, lambs, and wool                 | \$1,000                              | 208 245     |
| Poultry and poultry products               | 37        | (NA)  | 13                                   | 28     | farms                                  | \$1,000                              | 6 (NA)      |
| \$1,000                                    | 12        | (NA)  | 8                                    | 131    | Other livestock and livestock products | farms                                | 31          |
|  |           |       |                                      |        | \$1,000                                | farms                                | 103         |

**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> | 606       | (NA) | 192                                  | (NA) | Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>  |           |           |
| Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>  | 132       | (NA) | 86                                   | (NA) | \$1,000   | 313 4 147 |           |
| \$1,000  | 201       | (NA) | 161                                  | (NA) | Nonfarm business, excluding farm related                | \$1,000   | 52 651    |
| Customwork and other agricultural services   | 58        | 91   | 42                                   | 63   | Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips             | \$1,000   | 215 2 814 |
| \$1,000  | 92        | 136  | 83                                   | 128  | Interest, dividends, or royalties                       | farms     | 101 412   |
| Recreational services  | 2         | 14   | 2                                    | 10   | Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. | \$1,000   | 59 240    |
| \$1,000  | (Z)       | 49   | (Z)                                  | 49   | Rent income of nonfarm property                         | farms     | 22 29     |
| Government farm programs   | 34        | 170  | 26                                   | 118  | \$1,000   |           |           |
| \$1,000  | 20        | 113  | 18                                   | 100  |   |           |           |
| Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments   | 50        | (NA) | 30                                   | (NA) |   |           |           |
| \$1,000  | 60        | (NA) | 41                                   | (NA) |   |           |           |
| Other farm-related sources   | 11        | (NA) | 7                                    | (NA) |   |           |           |
| \$1,000  | 28        | (NA) | 19                                   | (NA) |   |           |           |
| Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>  | 41        | (NA) | 30                                   | (NA) |   |           |           |
| \$1,000  | 56        | (NA) | 50                                   | (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  |
| Total farm production expenses                | 992       | 1 203 | 477                                  | 593   | Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased                   | 285       | 292     | 136                                  | 176   |
| \$1,000                                       | 8 590     | 8 705 | 7 587                                | 7 876 | farms   | \$1,000   | farms   | 201 106                              |       |
| Farms with—                                   |           |       |                                      |       | Commercial fertilizer purchased                             | 326       | 470     | 198                                  | 306   |
| \$1 to \$999                                  | 166       | 312   | 12                                   | 80    | \$1,000   | farms     | 319 295 | 255                                  |       |
| \$1,000 to \$1,999                            | 180       | 259   | 31                                   |       | Other agricultural chemicals purchased                      | 163       | (NA)    | 109                                  | (NA)  |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999                            | 157       | 141   | 49                                   | 83    | farms   | \$1,000   | farms   | 48 38                                | 40    |
| \$3,000 to \$4,999                            | 174       | 160   | 92                                   | 114   | Lime  | (NA)      | farms   | 86 4                                 | 61    |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999                            | 147       | 176   | 125                                  | 161   | \$1,000   | (NA)      | farms   | 21 2                                 | 17    |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999                          | 88        |       | 88                                   | 80    | Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business | 954       | 1 160   | 469                                  | 588   |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999                          | 42        |       | 42                                   | 41    | farms   | \$1,000   | farms   | 480 383                              | 318   |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999                          | 17        | 155   | 17                                   | 34    | Gasoline  | (NA)      | (NA)    | 425 564                              | 617   |
| \$60,000 and over                             | 21        |       | 21                                   |       | \$1,000   | (NA)      | (NA)    | 243 217                              |       |
| Livestock and poultry purchased               | 403       | 605   | 197                                  | 336   | Diesel oil  | (NA)      | (NA)    | 152 143                              | 31    |
| \$1,000                                       | 1 645     | 2 886 | 1 482                                | 2 695 | LP gas, butane, and propane                                 | (NA)      | (NA)    | 104 161                              | 40    |
| Feed for livestock and poultry purchased      | 895       | 1 064 | 438                                  | 533   | \$1,000   | (NA)      | (NA)    | 39 40                                |       |
| \$1,000                                       | 2 619     | 1 742 | 2 207                                | 1 504 | Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil        | (NA)      | (NA)    | 469 587                              | 45 31 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds              | 627       | 705   | 343                                  | 431   | Hired farm labor  | 235       | 387     | 149 257                              | 531   |
| \$1,000                                       | 1 309     | 1 123 | 1 128                                | 1 029 | \$1,000   | 615       | 555     | 590 531                              | 67 67 |
| Feed ingredients                              | (NA)      | (NA)  | 164                                  | 135   | Contract labor  | 67        | 424     | 41 67                                | 81    |
| \$1,000                                       | (NA)      | (NA)  | 322                                  | 134   | \$1,000   | 40        | 243     | 32 81                                | 246   |
| Whole grains                                  | (NA)      | (NA)  | 144                                  | 112   | Machine hire and customwork                                 | 279       | 177     | 177 246                              | 137   |
| \$1,000                                       | (NA)      | (NA)  | 555                                  | 197   | \$1,000   | 192       | 175     | 175 137                              | 590   |
| Hay, green chop, and silage                   | (NA)      | (NA)  | 122                                  | 194   | All other production expenses                               | 850       | 938     | 470 590                              | 2 208 |
| \$1,000                                       | (NA)      | (NA)  | 202                                  | 143   | \$1,000   | 2 427     | 2 438   | 2 078 2 208                          |       |
| Animal health costs for livestock and poultry | (NA)      | (NA)  | 300                                  | (NA)  |   |           |         |                                      |       |
| \$1,000                                       | (NA)      | (NA)  | 107                                  | (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.....farms..... | 920       | 1 132 | 444                                  | 571   |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| .....\$1,000.....  | 10 057    | 5 827 | 6 746                                | 4 101 |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| Average per farm.....dollars.....                                    | 10 931    | 5 147 | 15 194                               | 7 182 |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| Farms by value group:  |           |       |                                      |       |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$1 to \$999.....  | 13        | 131   | 4                                    | 318   |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$1,000 to \$4,999.....  | 321       | 668   | 110                                  | 120   |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999.....  | 252       | 178   | 94                                   | 87    |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999.....  | 199       | 105   | 120                                  | 31    |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999.....  | 70        |       | 54                                   | 11    |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999.....  | 48        |       | 45                                   |       |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$50,000 to \$69,999.....  | 13        | 50    | 13                                   |       |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| \$70,000 and over.....   | 4         |       | 4                                    | 4     |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| <b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>                              |           |       |                                      |       |  |           |      |                                      |      |
| Automobiles.....farms.....   | 635       | 776   | 324                                  | 403   | Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....             | 88        | 91   | 81                                   | 82   |
| .....number.....   | 845       | 999   | 427                                  | 516   | .....number.....   | 93        | 99   | 86                                   | 89   |
| .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                                | 378       | 639   | 231                                  | 341   | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | 15        | 25   | 15                                   | 24   |
| Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....                       | 785       | 942   | 400                                  | 500   | Corn heads for combines.....farms.....                             | 8         | 26   | 4                                    | 6    |
| .....number.....   | 1 163     | 1 315 | 671                                  | 822   | .....number.....   | 8         | 28   | 4                                    | 6    |
| .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                                | 464       | 653   | 278                                  | 402   | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | -         | 5    | -                                    | 3    |
| Wheel tractors.....farms.....  | 750       | 866   | 379                                  | 484   | Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....               | 17        |      | 16                                   | 17   |
| .....number.....   | 1 063     | 1 241 | 635                                  | 775   | .....number.....   | 17        |      | 16                                   | 18   |
| .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                                | 171       | 359   | 134                                  | 242   | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | -         |      | -                                    | 2    |
| Crawler tractors.....farms.....                                      | 24        |       | 13                                   | 22    | Mower conditioners.....farms.....                                  | 130       | (NA) | 88                                   | (NA) |
| .....number.....   | 25        |       | 14                                   | 23    | .....number.....   | 138       | (NA) | 95                                   | (NA) |
| .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                                | 6         |       | 2                                    | 6     | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | 42        | (NA) | 31                                   | (NA) |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | Pickup balers.....farms.....                                       | 204       | 198  | 154                                  | 160  |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....number.....   | 214       | 206  | 164                                  | 168  |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | 59        | 89   | 57                                   | 78   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....                 | 80        | (NA) | 70                                   | 62   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....number.....   | 82        | (NA) | 72                                   | 66   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | 33        | (NA) | 32                                   | 34   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms..... | 20        | (NA) | 14                                   | 18   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....number.....   | 30        | (NA) | 16                                   | 22   |
|  |           |       |                                      |       | .....mfd in last 5 years, number.....                              | 11        | (NA) | 1                                    | 9    |

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.....         | 924       | (X)    | 449                                  | (X)    | 919  | (X)    | 457                                  | (X)    | 6 241           |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....       | 893       | (X)    | 436                                  | (X)    | 898  | (X)    | 448                                  | (X)    | 4 781           |
| .....1969.....                                 | 1 052     | (X)    | 538                                  | (X)    | 1 033  | (X)    | 552                                  | (X)    | (NA)            |
| Cattle and calves.....1974.....                | 888       | 62 905 | 434                                  | 51 890 | 888  | 28 401 | 445                                  | 24 785 | 4 571           |
| .....1969.....                                 | 1 040     | 60 141 | 536                                  | 51 166 | 1 021  | 41 233 | 548                                  | 37 012 | 6 474           |
| Farms with—                                    |           |        |                                      |        |  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 1 to 4.....1974.....                           | 17        | 53     | 8                                    | 22     | 141  | 367    | 13                                   | 38     | 7               |
| 5 to 9.....1974.....                           | 58        | 429    | 9                                    | 62     | 178  | 1 212  | 21                                   | 145    | 26              |
| 10 to 19.....1974.....                         | 176       | 2 501  | 23                                   | 347    | 235  | 3 188  | 95                                   | 1 394  | 257             |
| 20 to 49.....1974.....                         | 316       | 9 859  | 108                                  | 3 691  | 223  | 6 678  | 205                                  | 6 252  | 1 028           |
| 50 to 99.....1974.....                         | 193       | 13 382 | 158                                  | 11 087 | 64   | 4 223  | 64                                   | 4 223  | 734             |
| 100 to 199.....1974.....                       | 75        | 9 815  | 75                                   | 9 815  | 23   | 3 054  | 23                                   | 3 054  | 605             |
| 200 to 499.....1974.....                       | 39        | 11 906 | 39                                   | 11 906 | 20   | 6 279  | 20                                   | 6 279  | 1 337           |
| 500 and over.....1974.....                     | 14        | 14 960 | 14                                   | 14 960 | 4  | 3 400  | 4                                    | 3 400  | 577             |
| Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..... | 761       | 33 137 | 400                                  | 27 736 | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| .....1969.....                                 | 889       | 28 747 | 484                                  | 24 459 | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| Beef cows.....1974.....                        | 725       | 31 368 | 376                                  | 26 069 | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| .....1969.....                                 | (NA)      | 26 722 | 459                                  | 22 488 | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| Milk cows.....1974.....                        | 109       | 1 769  | 61                                   | 1 667  | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| .....1969.....                                 | 144       | 2 025  | 105                                  | 1 971  | (NA)   | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | (NA)   | (NA)            |
| Dairy products sold.....1974.....              | (X)       | (X)    | (X)                                  | (X)    | (NA)   | (X)    | 33                                   | (X)    | 1 350           |
| .....1969.....                                 | (X)       | (X)    | (X)                                  | (X)    | (NA)   | (X)    | 50                                   | (X)    | 906             |
| Inventory, 1974                                |           |        |                                      |        |  |        |                                      |        |                 |
|  | All farms |        | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |        | Sales, 1974—<br>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |        |                                      |        |                 |
|  | Farms     | Number | Farms                                | Number | Farms  | Number | Farms                                | Number | Dollars (1,000) |
| Beef cows.....                                 | 725       | 31 368 | 376                                  | 26 069 | Cattle sold.....                                     |        |                                      |        |                 |
| Farms with—                                    |           |        |                                      |        | Farms with—  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 1 to 4.....                                    | 50        | 138    | 11                                   | 36     | 1 to 4.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 5 to 9.....                                    | 106       | 746    | 18                                   | 132    | 5 to 9.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 10 to 19.....                                  | 171       | 2 422  | 46                                   | 715    | 10 to 19.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 20 to 49.....                                  | 254       | 7 773  | 165                                  | 5 349  | 20 to 49.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 50 to 99.....                                  | 84        | 5 522  | 76                                   | 5 070  | 50 to 99.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 100 to 199.....                                | 36        | 4 386  | 36                                   | 4 386  | 100 to 199.....                                      |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 200 to 499.....                                | 20        | 5 686  | 20                                   | 5 686  | 200 to 499.....                                      |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 500 and over.....                              | 4         | 4 695  | 4                                    | 4 695  | 500 and over.....                                    |        |                                      |        |                 |
| Milk cows.....                                 | 109       | 1 769  | 61                                   | 1 667  | Calves sold.....                                     |        |                                      |        |                 |
| Farms with—                                    |           |        |                                      |        | Farms with—  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 1 or 2.....                                    | 62        | 78     | 22                                   | 30     | 1 or 2.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 3 or 4.....                                    | 4         | 12     | 2                                    | 6      | 3 or 4.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 5 to 9.....                                    | 10        | 58     | 6                                    | 34     | 5 to 9.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 10 to 19.....                                  | 5         | 67     | 3                                    | 43     | 10 to 19.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 20 to 49.....                                  | 17        | 552    | 17                                   | 552    | 20 to 49.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 50 to 99.....                                  | 8         | 512    | 8                                    | 512    | 50 to 99.....  |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 100 to 199.....                                | 2         | (D)    | 2                                    | (D)    | 100 to 199.....                                      |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 200 to 499.....                                | 1         | (D)    | 1                                    | (D)    | 200 to 499.....                                      |        |                                      |        |                 |
| 500 and over.....                              | -         | -      | -                                    | -      | 500 and over.....                                    |        |                                      |        |                 |

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

| Inventory—<br>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |      |       | Sales—<br>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |  |        |                 |       |      |
|--|------|-------|--|--|--------|-----------------|-------|------|
|  |      |       |  |  |        |                 |       |      |
|  |      | Farms | Number   | Farms                                      | Number | Dollars (1,000) |       |      |
| Heifers and heifer calves                          | 1974 | 339   | 11 029   | Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates | 1974   | 53              | 1 506 | 379  |
|  | 1969 | 458   | 11 913   |  | 1969   | 25              | 3 216 | (NA) |
| Beef heifers                                       | 1974 | 314   | 10 221   | Farms with—                                |        |                 |       |      |
| Milk heifers                                       | 1974 | 42    | 808  | 1 to 9                                     | 1974   | 15              | 45    | 11   |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls,<br>and bull calves    | 1974 | 359   | 13 125   | 10 to 19                                   | 1974   | 16              | 208   | 50   |
|  | 1969 | 503   | 14 794   | 20 to 49                                   | 1974   | 16              | 474   | 97   |
|  |      |       |  | 50 to 99                                   | 1974   | 4               | 249   | 58   |
|  |      |       |  | 100 to 199                                 | 1974   | 1               | (D)   | (D)  |
|  |      |       |  | 200 to 499                                 | 1974   | 1               | (D)   | (D)  |
|  |      |       |  | 500 and over                               | 1974   | —               | —     | —    |

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                                      | 1974... 60   | 2 591                                | 31   | 2 272       | 53     | 3 756                                | 34         | 3 356           | 208   |      |
|  | 1969... 96   | 2 395                                | 57   | 2 112       | 86     | 4 681                                | 61         | 4 222           | (NA)  |      |
| Farms with—  |              |                                      |  | Farms with— |        |                                      |            |                 |       |      |
|  | 1 to 4       | 1974... 25                           | 61   | 9           | 27     | 5                                    | 13         | 3               | 8     | (Z)  |
|  | 5 to 9       | 1974... 6                            | 44   | 2           | 15     | 1                                    | 6          | —               | —     | —    |
|  | 10 to 24     | 1974... 10                           | 167  | 5           | 82     | 21                                   | 334        | 10              | 150   | 9    |
|  | 25 to 49     | 1974... 11                           | 344  | 8           | 269    | 11                                   | 373        | 7               | 258   | 12   |
|  | 50 to 99     | 1974... 2                            | 176  | 1           | 80     | 7                                    | 472        | 6               | 382   | 29   |
|  | 100 to 199   | 1974... 3                            | 385  | 3           | 385    | 2                                    | (D)        | 2               | (D)   | (D)  |
|  | 200 to 499   | 1974... 2                            | (D)  | 2           | (D)    | 5                                    | 1 472      | 5               | 1 472 | 82   |
|  | 500 and over | 1974... 1                            | (D)  | 1           | (D)    | 1                                    | (D)        | 1               | (D)   | (D)  |
| Feeder pigs sold                                   | 1974... (X)  | (X)                                  | (X)  | (X)         | (X)    | 23                                   | 1 132      | 14              | 941   | 18   |
|  | 1969... (X)  | (X)                                  | (X)  | (X)         | (X)    | 22                                   | 1 031      | 12              | 793   | (NA) |
| Sheep and lambs                                    | 1974... 14   | 151                                  | 7  | 103         | 9      | 102                                  | 6          | 55              | (NA)  |      |
|  | 1969... 18   | 417                                  | 8  | 263         | 13     | 306                                  | 7          | 212             | (NA)  |      |
| Sheep and lambs shorn                              | 1974... (X)  | (X)                                  | (X)  | (X)         | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | 2          | 56              | 341   |      |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool                             | 1974... (X)  | (X)                                  | (X)  | (X)         | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | 6          | (X)             | 2     |      |
| Goats  | 1974... (NA) | (NA)                                 | 1  | 12          | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | —          | —               | —     |      |
|  | 1969... (NA) | (NA)                                 | 6  | 37          | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | 1          | 1               | (NA)  |      |
| Horses and ponies                                  | 1974... 255  | 1 100                                | 111  | 680         | 46     | 133                                  | 26         | 94              | 89    |      |
|  | 1969... 464  | 1 938                                | (NA)   | (NA)        | 78     | 224                                  | (NA)       | (NA)            | (NA)  |      |
| Inventory—<br>Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |              |                                      |  | Inventory   |        |                                      |            |                 |       |      |
|  |              |                                      |  | All farms   |        | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over |            |                 |       |      |
| Farms  |              | Number                               |  | Farms       |        | Number                               |            |                 |       |      |
| Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding      | 1974... 19   | 274                                  | Litters of pigs farrowed between—            |             |        |                                      |            |                 |       |      |
|  | 1969... 39   | 436                                  | December 1 of preceding year and November 30 |             |        |                                      | 1974... 47 | 592             | 28    | 535  |
| Other hogs and pigs                                | 1974... 30   | 1 998                                | December 1 of preceding year and May 31      |             |        |                                      | 1969... 66 | 550             | 45    | 490  |
|  | 1969... 53   | 1 676                                | June 1 and November 30                       |             |        |                                      | 1974... 40 | 307             | 24    | 277  |
| Lambs under 1 year old                             | 1974... 6    | 39                                   |  |             |        |                                      | 1969... 55 | 309             | 39    | 276  |
| Ewes 1 year old or older                           | 1974... 4    | 52                                   |  |             |        |                                      | 1974... 38 | 285             | 24    | 258  |
| Rams and wethers                                   | 1974... 4    | 12                                   |  |             |        |                                      | 1969... 48 | 241             | 33    | 214  |

<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                                  | 1974... 160      | (X)                                  | 54     | (X)         | 11     | (X)                                  | 4      | (X)    |
|  | 1969... (NA)     | (X)                                  | 90     | (X)         | (NA)   | (X)                                  | 12     | (X)    |
| Chickens 3 months old or older               | 1974... 153      | 4 851                                | 48     | 2 251       | 7      | 438                                  | 1      | 165    |
|  | 1969... 193      | 27 592                               | 90     | (D)         | 10     | (D)                                  | 9      | 24 903 |
| Hens and pullets of laying age               | 1974... 151      | 4 631                                | 47     | 2 146       | 7      | 437                                  | 1      | 165    |
|  | 1969... 190      | 9 382                                | 89     | 6 681       | 9      | 2 553                                | 8      | 2 403  |
| Farms with—                                  |                  |                                      |        | Farms with— |        |                                      |        |        |
|  | 1 to 99          | 1974... 147                          | 3 621  | 44          | 1 336  | 6                                    | 272    | —      |
|  | 100 to 399       | 1974... 3                            | 510    | 2           | 310    | 1                                    | 165    | 1      |
|  | 400 to 1,599     | 1974... 1                            | 500    | 1           | 500    | —                                    | —      | 165    |
|  | 1,600 to 3,199   | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
|  | 3,200 to 9,999   | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
|  | 10,000 to 19,999 | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
|  | 20,000 to 49,999 | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
|  | 50,000 to 99,999 | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
|  | 100,000 and over | 1974... —                            | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens        | 1974... 18       | 782                                  | 9      | 401         | 2      | 24                                   | 1      | 4      |
|  | 1969... —        | —                                    | —      | —           | —      | —                                    | —      | —      |
| Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) | 1974... (X)      | (X)                                  | (X)    | (X)         | 37     | 12                                   | 13     | 8      |
|  | 1969... (X)      | (X)                                  | (X)    | (X)         | (NA)   | (NA)                                 | 28     | 131    |

**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               | 47                                   | 2 146  | 1     | 165    | Turkeys | —                                    | —      | 1     | 32     |
| 1974   | 47                                   | 2 146  | 1     | 165    | 1974    | —                                    | —      | 1     | 32     |
| 1969   | 89                                   | 6 681  | 8     | 2 403  | 1969    | 3                                    | 23     | 3     | 14 930 |
| Hens for table or market egg production      | 47                                   | 2 130  | 1     | 165    | 1974    | —                                    | —      | 1     | 32     |
| Hens for hatching egg production             | 1                                    | 16     | —     | —      | 1969    | —                                    | —      | —     | —      |
| Pullets 3 months old or older                | 4                                    | 62     | —     | —      | 1974    | —                                    | —      | 1     | 32     |
| 1974   | 4                                    | 62     | —     | —      | 1969    | 3                                    | 18     | 1     | (D)    |
| 1969   | 2                                    | (D)    | 1     | (D)    | 1974    | 6                                    | (X)    | 2     | (X)    |
| Roosters and male chickens for breeding      | 15                                   | 43     | —     | —      | 1969    | 9                                    | (X)    | 1     | (X)    |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | —                                    | —      | —     | —      | 1974    | —                                    | —      | —     | —      |
| 1974   | —                                    | —      | —     | —      | 1969    | —                                    | —      | —     | —      |

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

|  | All farms |      |        |        |                    |         |                |      |      |      |
|--|-----------|------|--------|--------|--------------------|---------|----------------|------|------|------|
|  | Farms     |      | Acres  |        | Quantity harvested |         | Irrigated land |      |      |      |
|  | 1974      | 1969 | 1974   | 1969   | 1974               | 1969    | 1974           | 1969 | 1974 | 1969 |
| Corn for all purposes                      | 22        | 26   | 363    | 551    | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Sorghums for all purposes                  | 49        | 60   | 1 804  | 2 730  | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels)               | 72        | 61   | 4 595  | 4 330  | 87 433             | 74 516  | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds)                  | —         | —    | —      | —      | —                  | —       | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Wheat (bushels)                            | 106       | 182  | 9 337  | 11 282 | 215 196            | 314 328 | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Other small grains for grain               | 70        | 110  | 1 790  | 4 780  | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Cotton (bales)                             | —         | —    | —      | —      | —                  | —       | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Tobacco (pounds)                           | —         | —    | —      | —      | —                  | —       | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight)             | 1         | (NA) | (Z)    | (NA)   | 10                 | (NA)    | —              | —    | —    | (NA) |
| Sweetpotatoes (bushels)                    | —         | (NA) | —      | (NA)   | —                  | (NA)    | —              | —    | —    | (NA) |
| Hay crops (tons, dry)                      | 462       | 491  | 23 576 | 25 919 | 34 446             | 43 715  | —              | —    | —    | —    |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale | 2         | 3    | 1      | 2      | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Land in orchards                           | 28        | 42   | 941    | 971    | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Berries for sale                           | 5         | 5    | —      | 14     | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |
| Other crops                                | 10        | (NA) | 286    | 369    | (X)                | (X)     | —              | —    | —    | (X)  |

**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             | 192   | 30 043 | (X)      | —              | —     | 29                         | 1 695 | 29    | 100  | 2      | 17   |
| 1974                                       | 192   | 30 043 | (X)      | —              | —     | 29                         | 1 695 | 29    | 100  | 2      | 17   |
| 1969                                       | 307   | 47 242 | (X)      | 1              | 12    | 66                         | 4 020 | 66    | 494  | —      | —    |
| Improved pasture                           | 145   | 28 400 | (X)      | —              | —     | 42                         | 4 853 | 42    | 416  | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 145   | 28 400 | (X)      | —              | —     | 42                         | 4 853 | 42    | 416  | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 188   | 45 632 | (X)      | —              | —     | 72                         | 6 056 | 70    | 708  | 3      | 15   |
| Corn for all purposes                      | 13    | 319    | (X)      | —              | —     | 9                          | 263   | 9     | 42   | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 13    | 319    | (X)      | —              | —     | 9                          | 263   | 9     | 42   | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 19    | 493    | (X)      | —              | —     | 10                         | 246   | 10    | 26   | —      | —    |
| Sorghums for all purposes                  | 43    | 1 680  | (X)      | —              | —     | 26                         | 1 273 | 26    | 139  | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 43    | 1 680  | (X)      | —              | —     | 26                         | 1 273 | 26    | 139  | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 55    | 2 686  | (X)      | —              | —     | 42                         | 2 314 | 42    | 236  | 1      | 1    |
| Wheat (bushels)                            | 100   | 9 258  | 213 856  | —              | —     | 70                         | 7 064 | 70    | 851  | 1      | 4    |
| 1974                                       | 100   | 9 258  | 213 856  | —              | —     | 70                         | 7 064 | 70    | 851  | 1      | 4    |
| 1969                                       | 149   | 10 531 | 301 612  | —              | —     | 106                        | 8 673 | (NA)  | 769  | (NA)   | 102  |
| Oats (bushels)                             | 57    | 1 314  | 36 049   | —              | —     | 33                         | 797   | 33    | 69   | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 57    | 1 314  | 36 049   | —              | —     | 33                         | 797   | 33    | 69   | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 73    | 2 476  | 90 596   | —              | —     | 53                         | 1 942 | (NA)  | 150  | (NA)   | 12   |
| Barley (bushels)                           | 11    | 315    | 8 375    | —              | —     | 11                         | 315   | 11    | 25   | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 11    | 315    | 8 375    | —              | —     | 11                         | 315   | 11    | 25   | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 34    | 1 450  | 49 135   | —              | —     | 26                         | 1 213 | (NA)  | 104  | (NA)   | 8    |
| Rye (bushels)                              | 3     | 240    | 4 375    | —              | —     | 2                          | 235   | (NA)  | 24   | (NA)   | —    |
| 1974                                       | 3     | 240    | 4 375    | —              | —     | 2                          | 235   | (NA)  | 24   | (NA)   | —    |
| 1969                                       | —     | —      | (X)      | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| Other small grains for grain               | 70    | 4 572  | 86 935   | —              | —     | 14                         | 1 125 | 14    | 74   | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 70    | 4 572  | 86 935   | —              | —     | 14                         | 1 125 | 14    | 74   | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 54    | 4 195  | 72 645   | —              | —     | 12                         | 725   | (NA)  | 69   | (NA)   | —    |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds)                  | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | (NA)  | —    | (NA)   | —    |
| 1974                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | (NA)  | —    | (NA)   | —    |
| 1969                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| Hay crops (tons, dry)                      | 285   | 19 845 | 29 283   | 2              | 44    | 65                         | 3 132 | 65    | 325  | 1      | 7    |
| 1974                                       | 285   | 19 845 | 29 283   | 2              | 44    | 65                         | 3 132 | 65    | 325  | 1      | 7    |
| 1969                                       | 330   | 22 615 | 38 909   | 4              | 293   | 57                         | 2 304 | 57    | 453  | 2      | 2    |
| Field seed crops                           | 3     | 95     | (X)      | —              | —     | 3                          | 95    | 3     | 15   | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 3     | 95     | (X)      | —              | —     | 3                          | 95    | 3     | 15   | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 10    | 280    | (X)      | —              | —     | 4                          | 55    | 4     | 4    | 1      | 1    |
| Cotton (bales)                             | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | (NA)  | —    | (NA)   | —    |
| Tobacco (pounds)                           | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | (NA)  | —    | (NA)   | —    |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight)             | 9     | 2      | 359      | —              | —     | 1                          | 1     | (NA)  | (Z)  | (NA)   | —    |
| 1974                                       | 9     | 2      | 359      | —              | —     | 1                          | 1     | (NA)  | (Z)  | (NA)   | —    |
| 1969                                       | —     | —      | —        | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale | 1     | 1      | (X)      | —              | —     | 1                          | 1     | 1     | (Z)  | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 1     | 1      | (X)      | —              | —     | 1                          | 1     | 1     | (Z)  | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 1     | 1      | (X)      | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| Land in orchards                           | 13    | 900    | (X)      | —              | —     | 1                          | 85    | 1     | 9    | —      | —    |
| 1974                                       | 13    | 900    | (X)      | —              | —     | 1                          | 85    | 1     | 9    | —      | —    |
| 1969                                       | 31    | 939    | (X)      | —              | —     | 6                          | 362   | 6     | 53   | —      | —    |

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                      | Acres | Farms | Tons | Farms  | Tons |
| Berries for sale .....                | 1     | 1     | (X)      | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 1969 .....                            | 1     | 1     | (X)      | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| Nursery and greenhouse products ..... | 5     | 191   | (X)      | 1              | (D)   | 2                          | (D)   | 1     | (Z)  | 1      | 15   |
| 1969 .....                            | 1     | 50    | (X)      | —              | —     | 2                          | 50    | 1     | 5    | —      | —    |
| Other crops .....                     | —     | —     | (X)      | —              | —     | —                          | —     | —     | —    | —      | —    |
| 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 ..... | 241     | 372    | 372    | 372    | Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— | 3     | 4     | 3     | 4     |
| lime .....  | \$1,000 | 332    | 295    | 295    | Diseases in crops and orchards .....                 | 104   | 118   | 104   | 118   |
| Commercial fertilizer .....                               | 198     | 241    | 241    | 241    | acres on which used .....                            | 1     | (Z)   | 1     | (Z)   |
| acres on which used .....                                 | 20 863  | 28 207 | 28 207 | 28 207 | Weeds or grass in crops .....                        | 9     | 27    | 9     | 27    |
| tons .....  | 2 109   | 3 240  | 3 240  | 3 240  | acres on which used .....                            | 861   | 2 130 | 861   | 2 130 |
| \$1,000 .....   | 295     | 255    | 255    | 255    | Weeds or brush in pasture .....                      | 9     | 8     | 9     | 8     |
| Lime .....  | farms 4 | 61     | 61     | 61     | acres on which used .....                            | 27    | 33    | 27    | 33    |
| acres on which used .....                                 | 206     | 2 246  | 2 246  | 2 246  | acres on which used .....                            | 6 249 | 3 860 | 6 249 | 3 860 |
| tons .....  | 304     | 4 677  | 4 677  | 4 677  | \$1,000 .....  | 9     | 4     | 9     | 4     |
| \$1,000 .....   | 2       | 17     | 17     | 17     | Weeds on all other land .....                        | 6     | (NA)  | 6     | (NA)  |
| Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—      |         |        |        |        | acres on which used .....                            | 74    | (NA)  | 74    | (NA)  |
| Insects on hay crops .....                                | 21      | 1      | 1      | 1      | \$1,000 .....  | (Z)   | (NA)  | (Z)   | (NA)  |
| acres on which used .....                                 | 758     | 25     | 25     | 25     | Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control      |       |       |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 4       | (Z)    | (Z)    | (Z)    | of crops or thinning of fruit .....                  | —     | 1     | —     | 1     |
| Insects on other crops .....                              | 10      | 12     | 12     | 12     | acres on which used .....                            | —     | 100   | —     | 100   |
| acres on which used .....                                 | 727     | 1 095  | 1 095  | 1 095  | \$1,000 .....  | —     | (Z)   | —     | (Z)   |
| \$1,000 .....   | 4       | 3      | 3      | 3      | Insect control on livestock and poultry .....        | 52    | 156   | 52    | 156   |
| Nematodes in crops .....                                  | —       | —      | —      | —      | \$1,000 .....  | 6     | 7     | 6     | 7     |
| acres on which used .....                                 | —       | —      | —      | —      | \$1,000 .....  | 19    | (NA)  | 19    | (NA)  |
| \$1,000 .....   | —       | —      | —      | —      | \$1,000 .....  | 2     | (NA)  | 2     | (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 .....                 | 3     | 4     | 4     | 4     | Land irrigated by—Continued                     |       |        |       |        |
| Proportion of farms .....                            | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....          | 1     | (NA)   | 1     | (NA)   |
| Total land irrigated .....                           | 184   | 325   | 325   | 325   | acres .....                                     | 140   | (NA)   | 140   | (NA)   |
| Average per farm .....                               | 61.3  | 81.2  | 81.2  | 81.2  | Other sprinkler systems .....                   | 2     | (NA)   | 2     | (NA)   |
| Cropland irrigated .....                             | 3     | 4     | 4     | 4     | acres .....                                     | 44    | (NA)   | 44    | (NA)   |
| Harvested cropland irrigated .....                   | 184   | 325   | 325   | 325   | Land in irrigated farms .....                   | 2 363 | 7 275  | 2 363 | 7 275  |
| acres .....  | 3     | 4     | 4     | 4     | Cropland .....                                  | 1 014 | 3 013  | 1 014 | 3 013  |
| Cropland pasture irrigated .....                     | —     | 1     | 1     | 1     | Harvested cropland .....                        | 421   | 1 600  | 421   | 1 600  |
| Other cropland irrigated .....                       | —     | (NA)  | (NA)  | (NA)  | Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated       |       |        |       |        |
| Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture ..... | —     | 12    | 12    | 12    | between 1970 and 1973 .....                     | —     | (X)    | —     | (X)    |
| acres .....  | —     | 20    | 20    | 20    | acres irrigated in most recent year .....       | —     | (X)    | —     | (X)    |
| Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied ..... | 306   | 155   | 155   | 155   | Farms with artificial drainage .....            | 6     | 27     | 6     | 27     |
| Average per acre irrigated .....                     | 1.7   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | Proportion of farms .....                       | 1.3   | 4.5    | 1.3   | 4.5    |
| Land irrigated by—                                   |       |       |       |       | Land in farms with drainage .....               | 4 303 | 19 674 | 4 303 | 19 674 |
| Furrows or ditches .....                             | —     | (NA)  | (NA)  | (NA)  | Land drained .....                              | 1 196 | 5 547  | 1 196 | 5 547  |
| acres .....  | —     | (NA)  | (NA)  | (NA)  | Average per farm .....                          | 199.3 | 205.4  | 199.3 | 205.4  |
|  |       |       |       |       | Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen |       |        |       |        |
|  |       |       |       |       | tanks .....                                     | 277   | (NA)   | 277   | (NA)   |
|  |       |       |       |       | number .....                                    | 1 464 | (NA)   | 1 464 | (NA)   |
|  |       |       |       |       | acres .....                                     | 1 582 | (NA)   | 1 582 | (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) ..... | 178   | 6 150   | 137                 | 4 027   | 117                    | 2 123   | 117                        | 2 123   |
| Farms by size of debt owed:                            |       |         |                     |         |                        |         |                            |         |
| Under \$5,000 .....                                    | 23    | 30      | 28                  | 35      | 26                     | 35      | 26                         | 35      |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 .....                               | 30    | 68      | 26                  | 49      | 38                     | 38      | 38                         | 38      |
| \$10,000 to \$29,999 .....                             | 68    | 31      | 15                  | 10      | 10                     | 10      | 10                         | 10      |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999 .....                             | 31    | 26      | 19                  | 8       | 8                      | 8       | 8                          | 8       |
| \$50,000 and over .....                                | 26    |         |                     |         |                        |         |                            |         |

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 .....   | 43    | 66   | 87      | 138  | 426             | 531  | 149                              | 43               | 41             | 105               |
| 25 to 149 days .....   | 41    | 222  | 126     | 697  | 115             | 50   | 590                              | 426              | 115            | 50                |
| Less than 25 days .....  | 105   | 67   | 317     | (NA) | 50              | 81   | 530                              | 87               | 126            | 317               |
| Total contract labor .....   | 41    | 67   | (NA)    | (NA) | 32              | 81   |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor ..... | 16    | (NA) | 50      | (NA) | 14              | (NA) |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| Farms with—  |       |      |         |      |                 |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| 1 worker .....   | 68    |      | 24      | 18   | 52              |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| 2 workers .....  | 20    |      | 10      | 6    | 16              |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| 3 or 4 workers .....   | 20    |      | 4       | 7    | 18              |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| 5 to 9 workers .....   | 27    |      | 4       | 7    | 12              |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |
| 10 workers and over .....  | 14    |      | 1       | 3    | 7               |      |                                  |                  |                |                   |