

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969	
All farms number	480	538	353	380	Land in Farms According to Use					
Land in farms acres	25 204	29 673	22 732	24 847		Total cropland farms	473	525	352	379
Average size of farm acres	53	55	64	65			17 839	19 663	16 400	17 549
Approximate land area acres	334 976	334 976	334 976	334 976		Harvested cropland farms	451	480	346	372
Proportion in farms percent	7.5	8.9	6.8	7.4			15 842	16 743	15 009	15 712
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000	48 811	36 479	43 348	32 692		Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm dollars	101 690	67 805	122 798	86 032		1 to 9 acres	120	118	45	} 263
Average per acre dollars	1 937	1 229	1 907	1 316		10 to 19 acres	80	98	59	
Farms by size:						20 to 29 acres	56	57	49	
1 to 9 acres	65	63	24	17		30 to 49 acres	79	97	77	
10 to 49 acres	237	281	157	187		50 to 99 acres	90	81	90	80
50 to 69 acres	61	72	59	65		100 to 199 acres	22	23	22	23
70 to 99 acres	56	53	55	50		200 to 499 acres	4	6	4	6
100 to 139 acres	23	31	22	27		500 to 999 acres	-	-	-	-
140 to 179 acres	17	11	16	11		1,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres	5	1	5	1		Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres	7	5	6	5		or grazing farms	128	157	64	80
260 to 499 acres	9	20	9	16			1 674	2 232	1 133	1 290
500 to 999 acres	-	1	-	1	Other cropland (see text) farms	38	68	30	(NA)	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	-	-	-	-		323	688	258	547	
2,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-	acres					
					Total woodland farms	139	195	110	142	
						4 599	6 388	4 042	4 482	
					acres					
					Other land (see text) farms	320	359	242	(NA)	
						2 766	3 622	2 290	2 816	
					acres					
					Irrigated land farms	432	477	332	354	
						16 279	17 430	15 226	16 073	
					acres					

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969		1974	1969	
Other cropland farms	30	(NA)	Land in Farms According to Use - Continued			
	258	547		Total woodland - Continued		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms	7	10		Woodland not pastured farms	87	109
	63	75			3 400	3 838
Cropland on which all crops failed farms	-	4		Other land farms	242	(NA)
	-	49			2 290	2 816
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms	-	3		Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture farms	36	40
	-	19			355	384
Cropland idle farms	24	41		Improved pastureland and rangeland farms	21	19
	195	404			157	222
Total woodland farms	110	142		Unimproved pastureland and rangeland farms	17	23
	4 042	4 482			198	162
Woodland pastured farms	28	42		Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms	230	235
	642	644			1 935	2 432
				acres		

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators number	480	538	353	380	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms acres	25 204	29 673	22 732	24 847	Partnership number	(NA)	(NA)	27	42
Harvested cropland acres	15 842	16 743	15 009	15 712		(NA)	(NA)	2 591	3 518
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Land in farms acres			12	8
Full owners number	410	458	298	314	Corporation number	(NA)	(NA)	1 751	1 550
Land in farms acres	20 047	23 539	18 137	19 405		(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland acres	12 490	13 168	11 849	12 278	Other number	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners number	61	66	50	58		(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Land in farms acres	4 651	5 220	4 377	4 928	Farm operators by age group:²				
Harvested cropland acres	3 121	3 305	2 971	3 234	Under 25 years farms	2	8	-	3
Tenants number	9	14	5	8	25 to 34 years farms	44	33	32	20
Land in farms acres	506	914	218	514	35 to 44 years farms	82	102	56	67
Harvested cropland acres	231	270	189	200	45 to 54 years farms	124	165	94	124
Percent of tenancy percent	1.9	2.6	1.4	2.1	55 to 64 years farms	150	162	116	118
					65 years and over farms	65	68	43	48
					Average age farms	52.2	51.6	52.6	52.3
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated farms	376	450	279	333
All farm operators number	62	(NA)	60	-	On another farm farms	11	4	4	-
Land in farms acres	3 541	(NA)	3 534	-		11	45	8	21
Harvested cropland acres	2 639	(NA)	2 632	-	In a rural area, not on a farm farms	19	-	12	-
Full owners number	56	(NA)	54	-	In a city, town, or urban area farms				
Land in farms acres	3 169	(NA)	3 162	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Harvested cropland acres	2 339	(NA)	2 332	-	None farms	142	(NA)	128	(NA)
Part owners number	5	(NA)	5	-	1 to 49 days farms	27	33	21	25
Land in farms acres	348	(NA)	348	-	50 to 99 days farms	19	21	8	18
Harvested cropland acres	282	(NA)	282	-	100 to 149 days farms	16	47	14	31
Tenants number	1	(NA)	1	-	150 to 199 days farms	21	216	14	99
Land in farms acres	24	(NA)	24	-	200 days and over farms	168	-	90	-
Harvested cropland acres	18	(NA)	18	-	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Percent of tenancy percent	1.6	(NA)	1.7	-	Farming farms	276	(NA)	252	(NA)
					Other farms	191	(NA)	89	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market farms			1	(NA)
Individual or family number	(NA)	(NA)	314	330	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts farms			163	(NA)
Land in farms acres	(NA)	(NA)	18 390	19 779					

¹1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	61	103	61	103			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	114		113				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	62	90	62	90			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36	59	36	59			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	73	45	73			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	48	33	47			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	129	165	3	8			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	22	13	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	23	16	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	26	43	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	58	93	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold					Specified products sold:		
\$1,000	20 418	12 851	20 213	12 699	Crops	326	(NA)
Average per farm	42 537	23 886	57 259	33 418	\$1,000	18 968	11 797
Crops, including hay	395	431	326	(NA)	Grains	1	2
\$1,000	19 099	11 872	18 968	11 797	\$1,000	2	6
Nursery and greenhouse products	4		2	2	Tobacco		
\$1,000	14		(D)	(D)	\$1,000		
Forest products	12	16	6	11	Cotton and cottonseed		
\$1,000	9	9	(D)	6	\$1,000		
Livestock, poultry, and their products	151	162	76	86	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	23	31
\$1,000	1 295	969	1 224	895	\$1,000	65	34
Poultry and poultry products	21	(NA)	4	3	Other field crops	1	1
\$1,000	305	(NA)	303	339	\$1,000	(D)	8
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	2	2
					\$1,000	(D)	(D)
					Fruits, nuts, and berries	320	334
					\$1,000	18 867	11 722
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	76	86
					\$1,000	1 224	895
					Poultry and poultry products	4	3
					\$1,000	303	339
					Dairy products	10	8
					\$1,000	664	266
					Cattle and calves	63	(NA)
					\$1,000	231	245
					Hogs and pigs	10	(NA)
					\$1,000	11	45
					Sheep, lambs, and wool	7	7
					\$1,000	7	
					Other livestock and livestock products	9	
					\$1,000	8	

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	177	(NA)	66	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	251	2 514
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	66	(NA)	42	(NA)	\$1,000	130	(NA)
\$1,000	161	(NA)	130	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	38	318
Customwork and other agricultural services	32	46	21	37	\$1,000	10	8
\$1,000	93	209	83	194	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	152	1 446
Recreational services	—	4	—	2	\$1,000	—	—
\$1,000	—	(Z)	—	(Z)	Interest, dividends, or royalties	127	494
Government farm programs	17	27	13	18	\$1,000	—	—
\$1,000	15	9	14	5	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	37	180
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	21	(NA)	7	(NA)	\$1,000	—	—
\$1,000	39	(NA)	19	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	43	76
Other farm-related sources	11	(NA)	9	(NA)	\$1,000	—	—
\$1,000	15	(NA)	15	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	22	(NA)	16	(NA)			
\$1,000	43	(NA)	40	(NA)			

¹See text. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses	480	538	353	380	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	181	182	145	162
\$1,000	14 400	11 279	14 114	11 003	\$1,000	72	71	69	68
Farms with —					Commercial fertilizer purchased	413	464	328	360
\$1 to \$999	37	57	1	10	\$1,000	584	279	565	270
\$1,000 to \$1,999	41	73	3	14	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	349	(NA)	292	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	40	29	15	14	\$1,000	1 401	1 321	1 389	1 305
\$3,000 to \$4,999	53	62	32	44	Lime	(NA)	39	26	34
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	77	45	73	\$1,000	(NA)	13	12	12
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61		61	77	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	462	524	353	378
\$20,000 to \$39,999	77		76	87	\$1,000	489	381	469	361
\$40,000 to \$59,999	52	240	52	75	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	353	375
\$60,000 and over	68		68		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	339	272
Livestock and poultry purchased	109	105	41	46	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	147	114
\$1,000	177	162	129	130	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	27
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	147	164	66	84	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	28	32
\$1,000	675	349	630	324	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	8
Commercially mixed formula feeds	78	111	46	68	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	353	378
\$1,000	482	293	169	283	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	55	54
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	16	4	Hired farm labor	359	417	310	357
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	52	5	\$1,000	4 631	3 899	4 591	3 873
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	26	9	Contract labor	19	241	13	41
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	86	14	\$1,000	36	396	25	303
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	20	34	Machine hire and customwork	187		126	151
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	24	22	\$1,000	151		140	80
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	36	(NA)	All other production expenses	453	508	353	380
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)	\$1,000	6 184	4 421	6 099	4 289

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment					Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ----- farms.....	471	519	351	378	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ----- farms.....	1	1	1	--
..... \$1,000.....	8 747	6 065	7 861	5 536	..... number.....	1	1	1	--
Average per farm ----- dollars.....	18 571	11 685	22 397	14 645	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	--	--	--	--
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines ----- farms.....	2	1	2	1
\$1 to \$999 -----	5	15	29	73	..... number.....	2	1	2	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	66	177	63	99	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	--	1	--
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	113	113	110	124	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers ----- farms.....	--	--	--	--
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	135	129	75	43	..... number.....	--	--	--	--
\$20,000 to \$29,999 -----	77	85	50	22	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	--	--	--	--
\$30,000 to \$49,999 -----	51	--	15	17	Mower conditioners ----- farms.....	61	(NA)	51	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999 -----	15	--	9	--	..... number.....	65	(NA)	55	(NA)
\$70,000 and over -----	9	--	--	--	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers ----- farms.....	34	36	23	19
Automobiles ----- farms.....	396	423	302	322	..... number.....	35	36	24	19
..... number.....	602	618	474	496	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	4	2	3
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	329	400	270	329	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled ----- farms.....	8	(NA)	5	15
Motor trucks, including pickups ----- farms.....	413	467	316	346	..... number.....	8	(NA)	5	15
..... number.....	727	758	597	609	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	1	6
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	237	320	195	260	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type ----- farms.....	7	(NA)	7	7
Wheel tractors ----- farms.....	432	478	337	363	..... number.....	8	(NA)	8	7
..... number.....	899	1 090	783	800	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	--
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	153	346	137	309					
Crawler tractors ----- farms.....	136	--	128	146					
..... number.....	147	--	138	156					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	--	2	14					

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		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Any livestock or poultry ----- 1974.....	185	(X)	99	(X)	151	(X)	76	(X)	1 224
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep ----- 1974.....	156	(X)	83	(X)	133	(X)	70	(X)	249
..... 1969.....	148	(X)	75	346	144	(X)	72	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves ----- 1974.....	148	3 451	75	2 547	124	1 420	63	1 078	231
..... 1969.....	140	2 251	70	1 644	137	1 692	70	1 301	245
Farms with -----									
1 to 4 ----- 1974.....	27	80	15	46	39	92	9	22	5
..... 1974.....	34	235	11	74	34	237	14	97	27
5 to 9 ----- 1974.....	40	559	12	173	30	391	19	259	61
..... 1974.....	33	939	25	736	18	450	18	450	115
10 to 19 ----- 1974.....	8	594	6	474	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
..... 1974.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
20 to 49 ----- 1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	--	--	--	--	--
..... 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
50 to 99 ----- 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
..... 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
100 to 199 ----- 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
..... 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
200 to 499 ----- 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
..... 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
500 and over ----- 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
..... 1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cows and heifers that had calved ----- 1974.....	122	1 658	69	1 372	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	102	848	52	682	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows ----- 1974.....	108	924	60	652	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	509	43	368	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows ----- 1974.....	33	734	21	720	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	38	339	17	314	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold ----- 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	664
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	266
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 - Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms		Number		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Beef cows -----	108	924	60	652	Cattle sold -----	59	749	196	
Farms with -----					Farms with -----				
1 to 4 -----	50	139	25	69	1 to 4 -----	10	24	6	
.....	33	222	14	101	5 to 9 -----	19	139	39	
5 to 9 -----	13	164	11	136	10 to 19 -----	15	197	49	
.....	11	325	9	272	20 to 49 -----	15	389	103	
10 to 19 -----	1	74	1	74	50 to 99 -----	--	--	--	
.....	--	--	--	--	100 to 199 -----	--	--	--	
20 to 49 -----	--	--	--	--	200 to 499 -----	--	--	--	
.....	--	--	--	--	500 and over -----	--	--	--	
50 to 99 -----	2	(D)	2	(D)					
.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	Calves sold -----	25	329	35	
100 to 199 -----	2	(D)	2	(D)	Farms with -----				
.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1 or 2 -----	5	9	2	
200 to 499 -----	--	--	--	--	3 or 4 -----	1	4	1	
.....	--	--	--	--	5 to 9 -----	9	56	10	
500 and over -----	--	--	--	--	10 to 19 -----	7	90	10	
					20 to 49 -----	2	(D)	11	
					50 to 99 -----	--	--	--	
					100 to 199 -----	1	(D)	3	
					200 to 499 -----	--	--	--	
					500 and over -----	--	--	--	

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	47	611	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	23	304	93
1969	54	561	1969	11	135	(NA)
Beef heifers	38	290	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	12	321	1 to 9	9	41	11
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	61	564	10 to 19	8	103	32
1969	61	401	20 to 49	6	160	50
			50 to 99	—	—	—
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	—	—	—
			500 and over	—	—	—

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	23	144	13	104	18	281	10	215	11
1969	18	78	8	50	18	212	8	126	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	19	55	11	37	6	17	3	10	1
5 to 9	2	14	1	6	3	17	—	—	—
10 to 24	1	14	—	—	5	89	4	79	2
25 to 49	—	—	—	—	3	104	2	72	3
50 to 99	1	61	1	61	1	54	1	54	4
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	121	4	83	1
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	50	1	50	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	8	319	6	310	7	213	7	213	(NA)
1969	11	273	4	101	10	109	3	69	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	139	1 536
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(X)	7
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	66	172	35	105	8	14	5	11	6
1969	93	301	(NA)	(NA)	22	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Inventory			
	Farms	Number	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding ..	5	17	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	1	2	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..			
Other hogs and pigs	10	87	13	37	8	25
1969	8	48	5	23	2	8
Lambs under 1 year old	5	148	9	16	6	13
Ewes 1 year old or older	6	153	5	13	2	4
Rams and wethers	6	9	12	21	7	12
1969			5	10	2	4

¹Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	52	(X)	20	(X)	12	(X)	4	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	21	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	51	1 216	19	278	9	145	1	41
1969	39	6 906	21	6 381	4	2 600	2	2 520
Hens and pullets of laying age	50	1 137	19	262	9	139	1	35
1969	39	6 823	21	6 333	4	2 600	2	2 520
Farms with—								
1 to 99	50	1 137	19	262	9	139	1	35
100 to 399	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2	38	2	38	4	280 129	4	280 129
1969	2	31	1	11	1	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	305	4	303
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	339

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	19	262	1	35	Turkeys	3	8	1	2
..... 1969...	21	6 333	2	2 520	..... 1969...	1	2	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	18	242	1	35	Turkeys for slaughter	3	7	1	2
..... 1974...	1	20	-	-	..... 1974...	3	7	1	2
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	2	-	-	..... 1974...	-	-	-	-
..... 1969...	2	36	-	-	Light breed	1	1	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	6	14	1	6	..... 1969...	1	1	-	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1	1	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	-	-	-	-	..... 1969...	7	(X)	1	(X)
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	..... 1974...	8	(X)	-	(X)
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	..... 1969...	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	6	3	124	92	(X)	(X)
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	1 950
Wheat (bushels)	-	1	-	39	-	(X)
Other small grains for grain	2	1	17	29	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	628	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	122	134	2 118	1 956	5 376	4 945
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	4	3	61	27	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	368	388	13 790	14 567	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	6	11	16	100	(X)	(X)
Other crops	3	(NA)	1	23	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1	-	20	-	1 070	-	-	-
..... 1969...	1	3	80	92	(D)	1 175	1	3
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	31	(NA)	-	-	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	31	41	473	512	1 682	1 814	29	36

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	64	1 133	(X)	44	546	30	455	30	64	-	-
..... 1969...	80	1 290	(X)	56	815	48	696	48	109	-	-
Improved pasture	21	157	(X)	18	116	8	27	8	4	-	-
..... 1969...	19	222	(X)	10	76	7	68	7	4	-	-
Corn for all purposes	2	100	(X)	1	80	2	100	2	24	1	21
..... 1969...	3	92	(X)	3	92	3	94	3	21	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1969...	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1	39	1 950	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	1	29	464	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	1	15	648	1	15	1	15	1	2	-	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	64	1 526	4 031	60	1 430	26	584	26	92	-	-
..... 1969...	71	1 240	3 553	61	988	23	484	23	63	-	-
Field seed crops	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1974...	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... 1969...	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	2	618	1	2	1	2	1	1	-	-
..... 1974...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
..... 1969...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	53	(X)	2	53	2	53	2	7	-	-
..... 1974...	2	26	(X)	2	26	2	26	2	5	-	-
..... 1969...	319	13 559	(X)	304	13 203	284	12 413	275	2 543	13	121
Land in orchards	334	14 261	(X)	320	13 977	321	13 994	318	2 956	5	10

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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	3	10	(X)	3	10	3	10	3	5	-	-
1969	9	96	(X)	6	83	6	83	6	27	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	2	(Z)	(X)	-	-	1	(Z)	-	-	1	(Z)
1969	2	3	(X)	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	337	367	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control - Con.		
\$1,000	1 954	1 575	Diseases in crops and orchards	167	225
Commercial fertilizer	328	344	acres on which used	6 810	10 241
acres on which used	13 670	15 472	Weeds or grass in crops	445	441
tons	2 883	3 198	acres on which used	65	101
\$1,000	565	270	acres on which used	2 113	3 786
Lime	26	34	Weeds or brush in pasture	34	39
acres on which used	941	647	acres on which used	-	4
tons	1 192	945	Weeds on all other land	-	45
\$1,000	12	12	acres on which used	-	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control			acres on which used	14	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	2	1	\$1,000	137	(NA)
acres on which used	14	7	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	(NA)
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on other crops	170	237	of crops or thinning of fruit	70	119
acres on which used	9 127	10 875	acres on which used	1 372	2 257
\$1,000	849	779	\$1,000	15	24
Nematodes in crops	2	3	Insect control on livestock and poultry	3	15
acres on which used	70	106	\$1,000	(Z)	1
\$1,000	2	5	Other chemicals (see text)	48	(NA)
			\$1,000	31	(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 irrigated in census year	332	354	Land irrigated by - Continued		
Proportion of farms	94.1	93.1	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	18	(NA)
Total land irrigated	15 226	16 073	acres	587	(NA)
Average per farm	45.9	45.4	Other sprinkler systems	309	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	332	354	acres	14 044	(NA)
acres	15 110	15 997	Land in irrigated farms	21 679	23 579
Harvested cropland irrigated	328	349	Cropland	15 754	16 928
acres	14 538	15 066	Harvested cropland	14 620	15 251
Cropland pasture irrigated	44	56	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	1	(X)
acres	546	815	acres irrigated in most recent year	83	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	4	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	98	124
acres	26	116	Proportion of farms	27.8	32.6
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	18	10	Land in farms with drainage	8 355	9 735
acres	116	76	Land drained	1 402	1 652
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	27 323	31 133	Average per farm	14.3	13.3
Average per acre irrigated	1.8	1.9	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	21	(NA)
Land irrigated by			number	33	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	21	(NA)	acres	9	(NA)
acres	536	(NA)			

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	154	141	76
\$1,000	6 893	4 998	1 895
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	7	6	22
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	15	7
\$10,000 to \$29,999	59	59	28
\$30,000 to \$49,999	32	31	10
\$50,000 and over	42	30	9

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

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		Total	1974 hired farm workers working -		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working -							310	120	193	225
150 days or more	120	136	312	466	1 358		4 591	1 358	2 079	1 154
25 to 149 days	193	351	2 389	11 881	2 079		9 733	312	2 389	7 032
Less than 25 days	225		7 032		1 154					
Total contract labor	13	41	(NA)	(NA)	25					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	132	(NA)	23					
Farms with -										
1 worker							11	59	27	1
2 workers							8	30	15	4
3 or 4 workers							15	17	23	15
5 to 9 workers							43	8	52	33
10 workers and over							233	6	76	172