

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number.....	1 592	1 840	782	770	Total cropland..... farms.....	1 471	1 635	731	705
Land in farms..... acres.....	264 123	270 587	213 730	200 831	..... acres.....	128 694	136 462	106 635	107 931
Average size of farm..... acres.....	166	147	273	261	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	1 208	1 300	649	641
Approximate land area..... acres.....	2 913 280	2 913 280	2 913 280	2 913 280	..... acres.....	85 060	79 403	77 509	70 704
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	9.1	9.3	7.3	6.9	Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	204 389	148 717	152 949	106 415	1 to 9 acres.....	369	394	87	
Average per farm..... dollars.....	128 385	80 824	195 586	138 201	10 to 19 acres.....	221	286	76	333
Average per acre..... dollars.....	774	550	716	530	20 to 29 acres.....	132	128	69	
					30 to 49 acres.....	168	164	117	
					50 to 99 acres.....	137	150	119	130
Farms by size:					100 to 199 acres.....	91	93	91	93
1 to 9 acres.....	212	267	66	56	200 to 499 acres.....	61	56	61	56
10 to 49 acres.....	546	611	161	139	500 to 999 acres.....	16	21	16	21
50 to 69 acres.....	127	151	65	57	1,000 acres and over.....	13	8	13	8
70 to 99 acres.....	145	164	79	64	Cropland used only for pasture				
100 to 139 acres.....	112	147	60	76	or grazing..... farms.....	834	915	370	366
140 to 179 acres.....	110	115	60	59	..... acres.....	38 589	43 046	24 786	28 506
180 to 219 acres.....	60	66	47	50	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	188	321	128	(NA)
220 to 259 acres.....	41	43	35	30	..... acres.....	5 045	14 013	4 340	8 721
260 to 499 acres.....	136	164	115	135	Total woodland..... farms.....	664	779	336	373
500 to 999 acres.....	66	71	59	68	..... acres.....	67 609	81 465	46 791	56 497
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	24	31	22	27	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	1 130	1 317	571	(NA)
2,000 acres and over.....	13	10	13	9	..... acres.....	67 820	52 660	60 304	36 403
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	576	580	336	330
					..... acres.....	27 026	28 809	24 895	26 316

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms by type of organization—Con.	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....			128	(NA)	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	72	99
..... acres.....			4 340	8 721	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	49 893	46 565
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			15	27	Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	14	7
..... acres.....			247	1 305	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	11 709	4 569
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			18	11	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
..... acres.....			241	383	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	440
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			51	104	Farm operators by age group: ²				
..... acres.....			1 876	4 445	Under 25 years.....	12	17	8	14
Cropland idle..... farms.....			58	88	25 to 34 years.....	132	141	57	53
..... acres.....			1 976	2 588	35 to 44 years.....	333	374	121	148
Total woodland..... farms.....			336	373	45 to 54 years.....	435	526	221	239
..... acres.....			46 791	56 497	55 to 64 years.....	403	457	213	189
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			202	245	65 years and over.....	263	325	148	127
..... acres.....			23 967	34 363	Average age.....	51.8	52.2	53.4	51.9

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farm operators by place of residence: ²	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....					On farm operated.....	1 258	1 526	586	641
..... acres.....					On another farm.....	21		10	
Other land..... farms.....					In a rural area, not on a farm.....	37	176	23	65
..... acres.....					In a city, town, or urban area.....	108		61	
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....					Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
..... acres.....					None.....	403	(NA)	273	(NA)
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....					1 to 49 days.....	103	132	52	74
..... acres.....					50 to 99 days.....	47	55	26	29
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....					100 to 149 days.....	34	152	17	51
..... acres.....					150 to 199 days.....	83	914	34	230
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....					200 days and over.....	755		255	
..... acres.....					Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
					Farming.....	593	(NA)	458	(NA)
					Other.....	985	(NA)	310	(NA)
					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
					Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	160	(NA)

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

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over.....	83	146	83	146	Crops..... farms.....	424	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	88		88		\$1,000.....	20 862	9 487
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	91	96	91	96	farms.....	154	116
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	121	141	121	141	\$1,000.....	2 238	364
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	165	152	165	152	farms.....	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	204	212	204	211	\$1,000.....	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	840	1 093	30	24	farms.....	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	102	116	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	205	242
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	122	118	(X)	(X)	farms.....	8 855	2 230
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	178	181	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	40	54
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	438	678	(X)	(X)	farms.....	3 064	1 345
Market value of agricultural products sold.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	5 197	3 762
Average per farm.....	38 250	21 653	37 428	20 777	farms.....	133	210
Crops, including hay.....	24 026	11 768	47 862	26 982	\$1,000.....	1 508	1 786
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	523	525
Forest products.....	719	900	424	(NA)	\$1,000.....	13 107	8 721
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	21 107	11 781	20 862	9 487	farms.....	50	64
Poultry and poultry products.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	\$1,000.....	5 320	2 814
	91		64	49	farms.....	48	78
	2 483		2 444	2 030	\$1,000.....	3 654	2 141
	136	158	112	118	farms.....	462	(NA)
	1 027	553	1 015	539	\$1,000.....	3 437	3 081
	1 101	1 152	523	525	farms.....	39	(NA)
	13 633	9 319	13 107	8 721	\$1,000.....	126	684
	103	(NA)	50	64	farms.....	96	
	5 328	(NA)	5 320	2 814	\$1,000.....	492	
					farms.....	42	
					\$1,000.....	78	

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 ¹	1 011	(NA)	312	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms.....
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....
Recreational services.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
Government farm programs.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
Other farm-related sources.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....

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.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
Farms with.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....
\$1 to \$999.....	263	478	14	45	Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	318	381	47	65	\$1,000.....	1 048	1 150	580	601
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	192	227	62	65	\$1,000.....	2 862	1 325	2 757	1 258
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	232	199	110	131	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	204	222	169	197	farms.....	567	(NA)	369	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	156		156	125	\$1,000.....	733	445	712	420
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	79		79	91	farms.....	(NA)	91	52	56
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	37	333	37	116	\$1,000.....	(NA)	33	125	29
\$60,000 and over.....	108		108		Lime.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	\$1,000.....	1 507	1 780	770	764
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	\$1,000.....	1 216	812	1 087	677
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	734	744
Feed ingredients.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	654	441
Whole grains.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	365	326
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	243	103
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	68	103
	(NA)	(NA)	334	(NA)	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	91	70
	(NA)	(NA)	138	(NA)	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
					\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	769	762
					farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	98	63
					Hired farm labor.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....	farms.....
					\$1,000.....	608	952	409	554
					farms.....	3 350	3 288	3 283	3 186
					\$1,000.....	92	693	54	75
					farms.....	103	763	80	275
					\$1,000.....	541		286	306
					farms.....	549		484	430
					\$1,000.....	1 399	1 540	777	764
					farms.....	11 216	6 910	10 540	6 180
					\$1,000.....				

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment									
farms	1 502	1 758	740	746					
\$1,000	23 954	14 366	18 122	10 634					
Average per farm	15 948	8 171	24 490	14 254					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	31	151	8	227					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	404	860	113						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	389	371	142	199					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	340	201	181	161					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	132		107	58					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	124		109	61					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	35	175	33						
\$70,000 and over	47		47	40					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	986	1 241	533	570					
mfd in last 5 years	1 328	1 661	755	791					
Motor trucks, including pickups	607	859	355	437					
mfd in last 5 years	1 260	1 408	651	652					
Wheel tractors	2 365	2 322	1 538	1 385					
mfd in last 5 years	690	807	437	492					
Crawler tractors	1 274	1 443	665	675					
mfd in last 5 years	2 214	2 659	1 436	1 412					
Automobiles	380	611	249	388					
Motor trucks, including pickups	290		189	228					
Wheel tractors	346		233	259					
Crawler tractors	20		17	35					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	107	97	103	83					
mfd in last 5 years	145	117	141	103					
Corn heads for combines	35	37	35	34					
mfd in last 5 years	4	36	3	7					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	4	43	3	7					
mfd in last 5 years	2	19	2	4					
Mower conditioners	27		23	26					
mfd in last 5 years	31		27	32					
Pickup balers	4		4	13					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	165	(NA)	120	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	174	(NA)	128	(NA)					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	49	(NA)	44	(NA)					
Pickup balers	332	342	250	230					
mfd in last 5 years	349	361	265	240					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	98	124	87	88					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	154	(NA)	133	123					
mfd in last 5 years	215	(NA)	192	154					
Pickup balers	74	(NA)	73	71					
mfd in last 5 years	67	(NA)	58	78					
mfd in last 5 years	81	(NA)	72	93					
mfd in last 5 years	21	(NA)	19	31					

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	1 164	(X)	524	(X)	1 101	(X)	523	(X)	13 107
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1 070	(X)	477	(X)	1 029	(X)	494	(X)	4 055
Cattle and calves	1 150	(X)	475	(X)	1 045	(X)	472	(X)	(NA)
1969	996	35 381	446	27 721	926	19 185	462	16 728	3 437
1969	1 036	31 790	433	24 411	921	21 415	432	18 335	3 081
Farms with—									
1 to 4	115	302	31	87	304	719	55	128	31
5 to 9	175	1 223	25	165	218	1 440	68	465	117
10 to 19	267	3 599	76	1 037	167	2 327	108	1 603	348
20 to 49	275	8 363	158	5 007	155	4 743	149	4 576	810
50 to 99	85	5 727	77	5 258	44	2 951	44	2 951	505
100 to 199	52	7 019	52	7 019	29	3 857	29	3 857	818
200 to 499	24	7 284	24	7 284	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over	3	1 864	3	1 864	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	854	18 456	396	14 566	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	788	16 011	384	13 164	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	796	14 643	356	10 897	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	12 430	314	9 721	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	190	3 813	96	3 669	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	200	3 581	118	3 443	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	48	(X)	3 654
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	78	(X)	2 141
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Sales, 1974—		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	796	14 643	356	10 897	Cattle sold	417	10 962	2 912	
Farms with—									
1 to 4	201	519	51	131	1 to 4	71	178	46	
5 to 9	183	1 225	41	276	5 to 9	84	576	156	
10 to 19	207	2 756	99	1 367	10 to 19	119	1 680	400	
20 to 49	148	4 401	108	3 381	20 to 49	100	3 136	687	
50 to 99	42	3 086	42	3 086	50 to 99	22	1 558	359	
100 to 199	11	1 656	11	1 656	100 to 199	16	2 131	589	
200 to 499	4	1 000	4	1 000	200 to 499	4	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	190	3 813	96	3 669	Calves sold	240	5 766	525	
Farms with—									
1 or 2	138	178	52	69	1 or 2	28	38	5	
3 or 4	10	34	5	17	3 or 4	25	89	11	
5 to 9	8	53	5	35	5 to 9	50	345	41	
10 to 19	2	23	2	23	10 to 19	56	809	87	
20 to 49	4	103	4	103	20 to 49	57	1 793	178	
50 to 99	12	846	12	846	50 to 99	15	1 014	95	
100 to 199	12	1 556	12	1 556	100 to 199	6	742	62	
200 to 499	4	1 020	4	1 020	200 to 499	3	936	46	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	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)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974.....	328	6 629	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974.....	108	1 755	486		
.....	1969.....	361	6 235	.....	1969.....	40	2 729	(NA)	
Beef heifers	1974.....	289	4 806	Farms with—						
Milk heifers	1974.....	56	1 823	1 to 9	1974.....	72	287	79		
				10 to 19	1974.....	17	220	70		
				20 to 49	1974.....	10	333	73		
				50 to 99	1974.....	5	295	77		
				100 to 199	1974.....	4	620	187		
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974.....	372	6 526	200 to 499	1974.....	—	—	—		
.....	1969.....	387	5 012	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.....	93	2 245	44	1 912	75	2 864	39	2 496	126
.....	1969.....	91	1 186	44	875	71	2 520	41	2 238	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974.....	57	142	22	48	24	44	8	15	1
5 to 9	1974.....	5	34	2	13	8	44	2	10	1
10 to 24	1974.....	16	252	8	144	19	276	10	145	9
25 to 49	1974.....	6	199	4	139	12	431	7	257	20
50 to 99	1974.....	6	360	5	310	7	505	7	505	32
100 to 199	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	120	1	120	10
200 to 499	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	1 304	14	1 157	28
.....	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	736	15	646	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974.....	220	26 812	95	23 462	198	20 428	94	17 840	(NA)
.....	1969.....	238	26 447	111	21 413	226	20 705	112	17 133	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	84	20 008	1122 468
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	96	(X)	492
Goats	1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	69	(NA)	(NA)	4	40	3
.....	1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	19	269	(NA)	(NA)	4	91	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974.....	380	1 336	138	619	64	170	27	71	44
.....	1969.....	490	1 748	(NA)	(NA)	82	440	(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	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding ..	1974.....	19	178	Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
.....	1969.....	25	142	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..				1974.....	37	323
Other hogs and pigs	1974.....	43	1 734	.....				1969.....	41	213
.....	1969.....	39	733	December 1 of preceding year and May 31				1974.....	26	135
Lambs under 1 year old	1974.....	67	8 470	.....				1969.....	33	109
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974.....	84	14 296	June 1 and November 30				1974.....	34	188
Rams and wethers	1974.....	75	696	.....				1969.....	34	104

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	1974.....	240	(X)	86	(X)	79	(X)	46	(X)
.....	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	79	(X)	(NA)	(X)	57	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974.....	220	229 133	68	225 621	47	198 402	20	197 629
.....	1969.....	171	117 352	56	114 568	30	83 416	24	82 276
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974.....	207	171 455	63	168 367	39	99 490	16	98 909
.....	1969.....	143	94 044	50	91 695	27	59 886	21	58 746
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974.....	196	3 895	53	1 057	28	598	6	227
100 to 399	1974.....	2	600	1	350	5	964	4	754
400 to 1,599	1974.....	3	2 200	3	2 200	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1974.....	—	—	—	—	1	1 800	1	1 800
3,200 to 9,999	1974.....	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974.....	3	44 760	3	44 760	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974.....	23	370 565	11	370 265	33	2 524 362	22	2 523 849
.....	1969.....	28	364 359	17	363 544	34	2 820 023	29	2 819 323
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	103	5 328	50	5 320
.....	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	64	2 814

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	63	168 367	16	98 909	Turkeys	1	(D)	1	(D)
1969	50	91 695	21	58 746	1969	1	(D)	3	12 100
Hens for table or market egg production	60	137 326	14	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	-	-	-	-
1974	5	31 041	2	(D)	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	Light breed	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	10	54 022	5	98 000	Turkey hens for breeding	1	(D)	1	(D)
1969	5	13 512	3	15 950	1969	1	(D)	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	33	3 232	4	720	1974	16	(X)	5	(X)
1974	2	(D)	-	-	1969	12	(X)	2	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	2	(D)	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	32	41	1 307	1 468	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	6	79	72	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	-	1	-	20	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	156	76	8 286	2 203	498 751	103 194
Other small grains for grain	77	155	2 022	6 805	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	13	(NA)	38	(NA)	5 828	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	785	786	31 575	26 324	53 949	54 766
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	114	123	8 924	8 583	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	306	430	4 591	5 972	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	53	82	298	877	(X)	(X)
Other crops	176	(NA)	28 789	27 211	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	5	7	135	224	4 705	24 976	1	6	50	223
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	24	27	1 147	1 109	23 290	21 980	24	24	1 147	1 009
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	-	1	-	10	(X)	(X)	-	1	-	10
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	56	72	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	24
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	53	58	1 884	2 614	5 104	10 555	28	33	993	1 794

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	370	24 786	(X)	81	2 102	148	6 319	146	814	4	6
1969	366	28 506	(X)	112	3 285	172	7 504	169	965	6	60
Improved pasture	99	7 591	(X)	14	511	41	1 836	41	216	1	2
1969	105	5 322	(X)	15	255	51	1 702	51	206	-	-
Corn for all purposes	29	1 282	(X)	25	1 197	27	1 242	27	276	10	87
1969	34	1 343	(X)	30	1 242	33	1 298	30	263	5	58
Sorghums for all purposes	1	56	(X)	2	72	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	6	72	(X)	2	24	2	24	2	4	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	140	8 160	494 754	18	1 016	118	7 248	114	1 440	14	115
1969	57	1 974	97 702	4	85	50	1 742	(NA)	310	(NA)	22
Oats (bushels)	40	1 040	58 268	1	16	25	689	24	106	1	4
1969	69	2 936	167 202	6	95	53	2 309	(NA)	271	(NA)	35
Barley (bushels)	32	753	35 965	5	94	23	597	22	99	4	19
1969	42	2 570	148 861	5	119	36	2 260	(NA)	252	(NA)	92
Rye (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1	4	(X)	-	-	1	4	1	1	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	406	25 105	44 661	130	4 885	164	11 021	162	1 483	3	23
1969	365	20 075	45 311	114	4 761	143	7 774	142	779	5	33
Field seed crops	54	24 479	(X)	6	1 335	42	21 870	42	4 664	6	116
1969	85	22 249	(X)	14	1 289	78	21 286	78	4 988	16	244
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	29	5 626	5	29	5	29	5	10	-	-
1969	6	269	44 528	2	258	3	268	(NA)	57	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	98	8 909	(X)	95	8 843	96	8 898	96	2 844	22	355
1969	104	8 558	(X)	103	8 486	103	8 295	102	2 376	18	278
Land in orchards	128	3 934	(X)	30	844	66	2 496	66	458	3	1
1969	191	4 817	(X)	63	1 147	134	3 704	131	545	6	21

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	30	278	(X)	29	274	29	271	29	73	-	-
1969	49	830	(X)	43	744	47	821	45	328	2	4
Nursery and greenhouse products	64	283	(X)	40	168	43	239	41	75	9	14
1969	49	320	(X)	22	172	27	165	25	47	1	1
Other crops	35	3 980	(X)	35	3 980	35	3 980	33	997	23	480

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			Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
.....farms.....	622	628	Diseases in crops and orchards	78	96
.....\$1,000.....	3 468	1 678	.....farms.....	3 927	4 171
Commercial fertilizer	580	527	.....acres on which used.....	87	54
.....farms.....	66 759	64 167	Weeds or grass in crops	163	196
.....acres on which used.....	14 785	13 956	.....farms.....	35 613	30 497
Lime	2 757	1 258	.....acres on which used.....	327	217
.....farms.....	52	56	Weeds or brush in pasture	26	55
.....acres on which used.....	3 127	1 085	.....farms.....	927	1 062
.....\$1,000.....	6 674	2 459	.....acres on which used.....	4	3
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			Weeds on all other land	31	(NA)
Insects on hcy crops	7	6	.....farms.....	239	(NA)
.....acres on which used.....	169	76	.....acres on which used.....	2	(NA)
.....\$1,000.....	2	1	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on other crops	107	168	of crops or thinning of fruit	14	14
.....farms.....	8 482	8 341	.....farms.....	353	619
.....acres on which used.....	134	100	.....acres on which used.....	6	3
Nematodes in crops	13	11	Insect control on livestock and poultry	60	136
.....farms.....	300	257	.....farms.....	5	7
.....acres on which used.....	5	2	Other chemicals (see text)	67	(NA)
.....\$1,000.....			.....farms.....	16	(NA)
			.....\$1,000.....		

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	336	330	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	43.0	42.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	13	(NA)
Total land irrigated	24 895	26 316	.....farms.....	1 822	(NA)
Average per farm	74.1	79.7	Other sprinkler systems	304	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	330	328	.....farms.....	21 328	(NA)
.....acres.....	24 384	26 092	Land in irrigated farms	94 274	106 945
Harvested cropland irrigated	295	282	Cropland	57 020	63 001
.....farms.....	22 207	22 561	Harvested cropland	45 931	43 808
.....acres.....	81	112	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
Cropland pasture irrigated	2 102	3 285	between 1970 and 1973	20	(X)
.....farms.....	10	(NA)	.....farms.....	698	(X)
.....acres.....	75	246	acres irrigated in most recent year	98	154
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	14	15	Farms with artificial drainage	12.5	20.0
.....farms.....	511	255	Proportion of farms	50 022	53 974
.....acres.....	33 731	36 557	Land in farms with drainage	17 495	16 155
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1.4	1.4	Land drained	178.5	104.9
Average per acre irrigated			Average per farm		
Land irrigated by—			Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Furrows or ditches	16	(NA)	tanks	80	(NA)
.....farms.....	973	(NA)	.....farms.....	205	(NA)
.....acres.....			.....number.....	177	(NA)
			.....acres.....		

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)	375	318	169
.....farms.....	19 753	15 289	4 463
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	32	16	48
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	28	28
\$10,000 to \$29,999	122	124	51
\$30,000 to \$49,999	87	82	8
\$50,000 and over	100	68	34

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	121	107	383	368	1 800		409	121	181	287	
25 to 149 days	181	536	1 671	22 525	1 000	3 186	3 283	1 800	1 000	482	
Less than 25 days	287		7 570	(NA)	482		9 624	383	1 671	7 570	
Total contract labor	54	75	(NA)	(NA)	80	275					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	342	(NA)	40	(NA)					
							Farms with—				
							1 worker	85	62	41	
							2 workers	48	32	26	
							3 or 4 workers	71	17	48	
							5 to 9 workers	84	7	68	
							10 workers and over	121	3	88	