

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.....	328	347	290	277	Land in Farms According to Use Total cropland..... farms..... 300 317 acres..... 418 084 409 194 Harvested cropland..... farms..... 278 277 acres..... 226 909 182 470 Farms by acres harvested: 1 to 9 acres..... 14 13 } 10 to 19 acres..... 7 10 } 20 to 29 acres..... 10 11 } 21 30 to 49 acres..... 18 10 } 50 to 99 acres..... 20 17 } 100 to 199 acres..... 26 25 } 200 to 499 acres..... 40 55 } 500 to 999 acres..... 74 76 } 1,000 acres and over..... 69 60 } Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..... 98 147 } acres..... 13 534 21 460 } Other cropland (see text)..... farms..... 184 221 } acres..... 177 641 205 264 } Total woodland..... farms..... 14 31 } acres..... 26 255 57 910 } Other land (see text)..... farms..... 269 } acres..... 663 141 533 404 } Irrigated land..... farms..... 143 } acres..... 59 238 20 759 }				
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 107 480	1 000 508	1 102 691	992 792					
Average size of farm..... acres.....	3 376	2 883	3 802	3 584					
Approximate land area..... acres.....	1 318 592	1 318 592	1 318 592	1 318 592					
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	84.0	75.9	83.6	75.3					
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	187 672	66 747	185 740	65 048					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	572 169	192 353	640 481	234 831					
Average per acre..... dollars.....	169	67	168	66					
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres.....	21	26	12	6					
10 to 49 acres.....	26	31	13	7					
50 to 69 acres.....	7	8	6	3					
70 to 99 acres.....	8	9	4	4					
100 to 139 acres.....	5	4	5	2					
140 to 179 acres.....	9	9	5	7					
180 to 219 acres.....	2	3	2	2					
220 to 259 acres.....	6	7	4	4					
260 to 499 acres.....	19	22	19	17					
500 to 999 acres.....	43	27	38	26					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	56	59	56	57					
2,000 acres and over.....	126	142	126	142					
Other cropland..... farms.....			179	(NA)					
..... acres.....			177 112	204 167					
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			21	32					
..... acres.....			6 233	5 912					
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			7	14					
..... acres.....			611	4 112					
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			162	175					
..... acres.....			166 275	179 374					
Cropland idle..... farms.....			31	75					
..... acres.....			3 993	14 769					
Total woodland..... farms.....			13	27					
..... acres.....			26 061	57 901					
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			11	25					
..... acres.....			25 025	57 796					
Total woodland—Continued									
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....				2					
..... acres.....				1 036					
Other land..... farms.....				244					
..... acres.....				661 606					
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....				191					
..... acres.....				611 741					
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....				41					
..... acres.....				94 370					
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....				169					
..... acres.....				517 371					
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....				163					
..... acres.....				49 865					

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.....	328	347	290	277	Farms by type of organization—Con. Partnership..... number..... (NA) (NA) } Land in farms..... acres..... (NA) (NA) } 31 40 } Corporation..... number..... (NA) (NA) } 21 8 } Land in farms..... acres..... (NA) (NA) } 278 028 59 428 } Other..... number..... (NA) (NA) } 1 4 } acres..... (NA) (NA) } (D) 5 905 }				
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 107 480	1 000 508	1 102 691	992 792					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	226 909	182 470	226 754	181 974					
Farms by tenure of farm operator:									
Full owners..... number.....	175	174	144	120					
Land in farms..... acres.....	303 374	253 716	299 976	248 235					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	90 570	55 177	90 455	54 753					
Part owners..... number.....	109	123	105	115					
Land in farms..... acres.....	582 952	655 786	582 240	654 958					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	107 379	100 005	107 339	99 933					
Tenants..... number.....	44	50	41	42					
Land in farms..... acres.....	221 154	91 006	220 475	89 599					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	28 960	27 288	28 960	27 288					
Percent of tenancy.....	13.4	14.4	14.1	15.1					
Black and other races, see text—									
Farm operators by tenure: ¹									
All farm operators..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Full owners..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Part owners..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Tenants..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Percent of tenancy.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
Farms by type of organization:									
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	237	225					
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	656 996	731 067					
Farm operators by age group: ²									
Under 25 years.....	2	4		2					
25 to 34 years.....	31	29		23					
35 to 44 years.....	66	71		57					
45 to 54 years.....	84	102		80					
55 to 64 years.....	80	92		83					
65 years and over.....	43	49		32					
Average age.....	50.7	51.7		51.4					
Farm operators by place of residence: ²									
On farm operated.....	206	268		180					
On another farm.....	15			12					
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	3	49		3					
In a city, town, or urban area.....	30			30					
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²									
None.....	148	(NA)		138					
1 to 49 days.....	18	38		16					
50 to 99 days.....	3	5		3					
100 to 149 days.....	8			7					
150 to 199 days.....	10	17		8					
200 days and over.....	62	65		41					
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²									
Farming.....	243	(NA)		229					
Other.....	63	(NA)		39					
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)		17					
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)		38					

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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	83	71	83	71	Crops	237	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	86		86		\$1,000	36 764	5 724
\$20,000 to \$39,999	45	84	45	84	farms	207	203
\$10,000 to \$19,999	28	62	28	62	\$1,000	19 201	4 875
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	40	21	40	farms	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	18	22	18	Tobacco	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	43	72	5	2	farms	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	9	6	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	59	67
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5	14	(X)	(X)	farms	2 994	576
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5	19	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	8	2
Under \$1,000 (see text)	24	33	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	14 376	(D)
Market value of agricultural products sold					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	8	5
\$1,000	42 344	9 496	42 303	9 420	farms	185	25
Average per farm	129 098	27 366	145 874	34 008	\$1,000	3	2
dollars					farms	7	(D)
Crops, including hay	241	250	237	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	203	189
\$1,000	36 766	5 738	36 764	5 724	\$1,000	5 533	3 630
farms	-	-	-	-	farms	5	10
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	\$1,000	(2)	3
Forest products	4	6	4	6	Dairy products	8	7
\$1,000	7	67	7	67	\$1,000	579	251
Livestock, poultry, and their products	234	241	203	189	Cattle and calves	194	(NA)
\$1,000	5 572	3 691	5 533	3 630	\$1,000	4 181	3 076
Poultry and poultry products	8	(NA)	5	10	Hogs and pigs	12	(NA)
\$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	3	\$1,000	48	300
					Sheep, lambs, and wool	35	
					\$1,000	710	
					Other livestock and livestock products	12	
					\$1,000	14	

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	62	(NA)	32	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	151	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	66	(NA)	61	(NA)	\$1,000	1 337	
Customwork and other agricultural services	25	57	24	50	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	19	
\$1,000	201	144	200	132	\$1,000	308	
Recreational services	4	2	4	2	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	82	
\$1,000	5	(Z)	5	(Z)	\$1,000	711	
Government farm programs	20	196	18	183	Interest, dividends, or royalties	78	
\$1,000	53	1 510	53	1 504	\$1,000	220	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	22	(NA)	20	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	25	
\$1,000	201	(NA)	200	(NA)	\$1,000	64	
Other farm-related sources	10	(NA)	10	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	21	
\$1,000	22	(NA)	22	(NA)	farms	21	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	20	(NA)	18	(NA)	\$1,000	34	
\$1,000	72	(NA)	69	(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	327	347	290	277	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	129	110	118	103
\$1,000	29 518	8 489	29 464	8 365	\$1,000	1 346	133	1 345	132
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	186	166	176	152
\$1 to \$999	21	31	2	4	\$1,000	3 285	404	3 284	400
\$1,000 to \$1,999	7	18	-	-	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	172	(NA)	171	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	23	25	17	13	\$1,000	1 186	191	1 186	191
\$3,000 to \$4,999	19	33	14	23	farms	(NA)	4	2	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	58	30	55	\$1,000	(NA)	37	1	37
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45		45	67	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	310	341	284	274
\$20,000 to \$39,999	54	182	54	57	\$1,000	1 615	598	1 612	580
\$40,000 to \$59,999	53		53	58	farms	(NA)	(NA)	277	268
\$60,000 and over	75		75		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	912	329
Livestock and poultry purchased	107	138	90	109	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	239	224
\$1,000	1 394	940	1 382	922	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	556	193
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	210	225	183	177	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	56	51
\$1,000	1 686	706	1 670	692	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	28	8
Commercially mixed formula feeds	143	153	127	125	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	284	273
\$1,000	684	285	676	280	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	116	50
farms	(NA)	(NA)	37	22	Hired farm labor	169	227	161	216
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	84	44	\$1,000	3 636	830	3 633	829
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	69	39	farms	29	168	27	31
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	393	72	\$1,000	240	315	240	123
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	73	87	Machine hire and customwork	129		126	131
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	517	296	\$1,000	673		673	185
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	151	(NA)	farms	318	322	290	277
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	74	(NA)	\$1,000	14 458	4 372	14 366	4 312
					All other production expenses				

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.....	310	337	277	272					
\$1,000.....	16 660	8 710	16 407	8 481					
Average per farm ----- dollars.....	53 742	25 846	59 230	31 178					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	—	14	—	38					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	25	78	11	24					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	37	29	23	61					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	41	66	39	40					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	54	—	51	55					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	60	150	60	—					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	30	—	30	—					
\$70,000 and over.....	63	—	63	54					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	254	299	227	247					
number.....	374	423	340	365					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	240	272	224	242					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	284	315	255	260					
number.....	1 201	996	1 153	917					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	421	318	403	293					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	245	285	224	220					
number.....	561	724	530	365					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	163	157	156	78					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	170	—	170	196					
number.....	278	—	278	314					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	—	29	73					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	137	135	137	135					
number.....	215	200	215	200					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	52	80	52	80					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	3	2	3	1					
number.....	8	3	8	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	1	1	1					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	22	—	22	—					
number.....	24	—	24	—					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	—	3	—					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	39	(NA)	34	(NA)					
number.....	39	(NA)	34	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	(NA)	14	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	100	123	97	114					
number.....	110	130	107	121					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	23	49	23	47					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	76	(NA)	74	79					
number.....	86	(NA)	84	82					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	(NA)	29	40					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	20	(NA)	16	25					
number.....	27	(NA)	23	26					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	10	(NA)	10	3					

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.....	235	(X)	205	(X)	234	(X)	203	(X) 5 533
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	219	(X)	190	(X)	232	(X)	201	(X) 4 939
1969.....	231	(X)	185	(X)	234	(X)	185	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	216	38 258	187	37 676	223	17 898	194	17 669 4 181
1969.....	226	27 473	183	26 788	225	18 900	183	18 533 3 076
Farms with—								
1 to 4..... 1974.....	5	15	4	11	18	52	10	31 7
5 to 9..... 1974.....	7	41	4	25	28	191	15	108 23
10 to 19..... 1974.....	22	318	8	118	32	419	26	334 64
20 to 49..... 1974.....	50	1 678	40	1 392	60	1 832	58	1 792 323
50 to 99..... 1974.....	43	3 251	42	3 175	41	2 767	41	2 767 537
100 to 199..... 1974.....	36	5 426	36	5 426	22	2 880	22	2 880 698
200 to 499..... 1974.....	34	10 663	34	10 663	17	5 435	17	5 435 1 052
500 and over..... 1974.....	19	16 866	19	16 866	5	4 322	5	4 322 1 476
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	189	19 039	161	18 674	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
1969.....	193	14 473	163	14 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	177	18 360	150	18 008	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
1969.....	(NA)	13 989	155	13 673	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	46	679	35	666	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
1969.....	48	484	42	476	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X) 579
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X) 251
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	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	177	18 360	150	18 008	Cattle sold.....	159	11 735	3 304
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	6	19	2	8	1 to 4.....	16	46	12
5 to 9.....	11	80	6	45	5 to 9.....	23	150	34
10 to 19.....	27	355	13	166	10 to 19.....	25	336	82
20 to 49.....	45	1 461	41	1 344	20 to 49.....	48	1 387	310
50 to 99.....	36	2 514	36	2 514	50 to 99.....	20	1 339	345
100 to 199.....	22	2 971	22	2 971	100 to 199.....	14	1 830	495
200 to 499.....	26	8 063	26	8 063	200 to 499.....	8	2 450	582
500 and over.....	4	2 897	4	2 897	500 and over.....	5	4 197	1 444
Milk cows.....	46	679	35	666	Calves sold.....	105	5 934	877
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	33	43	22	30	1 or 2.....	10	14	2
3 or 4.....	6	21	6	21	3 or 4.....	9	32	4
5 to 9.....	1	5	1	5	5 to 9.....	7	54	7
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	15	196	24
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	27	906	107
50 to 99.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	19	1 281	186
100 to 199.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	100 to 199.....	11	1 400	253
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	7	2 051	295
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)
Heifers and heifer calves.....	150	10 364	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	20	666	234
1974.....	150	6 990	1969.....	5	455	(NA)
Beef heifers	145	8 837	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	16	1 527	1 to 9	10	38	10
			10 to 19	4	56	10
			20 to 49	3	77	29
			50 to 99	1	(D)	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	174	8 638	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
1974.....	171	5 649	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)
1969.....			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	526	20	472	13	792	12	748	48
1969.....	13	173	8	111	10	529	8	447	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	6	14	6	14	1	2	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	9	60	7	50	-	-	-	-	-
10 to 24	2	33	2	33	3	65	3	65	4
25 to 49	2	89	1	45	3	137	2	93	7
50 to 99	4	330	4	330	3	210	3	210	8
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	3	378	3	378	29
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	185	6	145	3
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	105	4	35	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	44	13 539	36	13 350	39	14 869	34	14 562	(NA)
1969.....	41	10 420	34	10 147	43	8 910	35	8 537	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	31	13 957	1 162 480
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	35	(X)	710
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	88	519	77	468	12	37	9	29	14
1969.....	135	659	(NA)	(NA)	21	73	(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	13	89				
1969.....	6	22				
Other hogs and pigs	16	383				
1969.....	7	89				
Lambs under 1 year old	25	564				
Ewes 1 year old or older	33	12 508				
Rams and wethers	30	278				

	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
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	14	126	13	121				
1969.....	9	29	8	20				
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	13	65	12	60				
1969.....	6	19	5	10				
June 1 and November 30	11	61	11	61				
1969.....	6	10	6	10				

*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	40	(X)	32	(X)	3	(X)	3	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	43	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	37	1 284	29	1 109	-	-	-	-
1969.....	49	1 445	43	1 331	1	14	1	14
Hens and pullets of laying age	36	775	28	600	-	-	-	-
1969.....	46	1 289	41	1 204	-	-	-	-
Farms with—								
1 to 99	36	775	28	600	-	-	-	-
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	1	74	1	74	1	20	1	20
1969.....	2	8	2	8	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	(Z)	5	(Z)
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	3

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

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1974..	28	600	-	-	Turkeys.....1974..	2	2	2	8
.....1969..	41	1 204	-	-	.....1969..	2	6	1	8
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	28	597	-	-	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	2	2	8
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	1	3	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	2	2	2	8
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	1	6	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	4	45	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	9	503	-	-	.....1969..	1	2	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	3	(X)	-	(X)
					.....1969..	3	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	7	2	2 764	75	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	3	-	231	-	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	205	204	181 829	122 912	4 723 525	3 129 953
Other small grains for grain.....	60	136	11 982	44 407	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	8	(NA)	10 138	(NA)	3 391 076	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	134	157	16 192	14 045	63 502	43 673
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	10	5	235	79	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	5	6	46	22	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	1	-	(Z)	-	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	7	(NA)	3 557	644	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	1	-	130	-	(D)	-	1	-	(D)	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	4	2	2 372	75	33 286	700	4	2	2 372	75
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	-	260	-	(X)	(X)	1	-	260	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	1	-	130	-	(D)	-	1	-	130	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	2	(NA)	101	-	(X)	(X)	2	(NA)	101	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	106	105	11 096	9 687	53 985	38 824	92	86	10 081	8 517

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	75	11 158	(X)	29	2 755	11	1 311	11	163	1	50
.....1969..	109	20 342	(X)	42	2 073	17	811	17	166	-	-
Improved pasture.....1974..	41	94 370	(X)	15	8 067	5	92	5	20	-	-
.....1969..	29	18 310	(X)	4	342	2	67	2	6	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	5	2 762	(X)	5	2 762	5	2 762	4	391	3	651
.....1969..	2	75	(X)	2	75	2	75	2	17	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	3	231	(X)	3	231	2	145	2	46	1	13
.....1969..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	205	181 829	4 723 525	24	16 040	118	122 973	30	2 328	91	2 643
.....1969..	199	122 738	3 126 808	11	4 816	105	68 203	(NA)	351	(NA)	1 788
Oats (bushels).....1974..	1	2	114	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	3	47	2 900	1	22	1	15	(NA)	-	(NA)	(Z)
Barley (bushels).....1974..	57	11 828	398 644	7	833	26	6 323	10	321	16	85
.....1969..	133	44 355	1 245 744	3	740	36	16 345	(NA)	49	(NA)	549
Rye (bushels).....1974..	1	37	880	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	1	5	40	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	1	115	(X)	1	115	1	115	-	-	1	6
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	122	16 015	63 161	105	12 600	36	6 246	35	823	2	19
.....1969..	137	13 730	43 035	91	8 804	29	3 207	23	353	6	6
Field seed crops.....1974..	4	1 610	(X)	4	1 550	3	1 580	2	123	1	236
.....1969..	4	415	(X)	2	355	2	355	2	94	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	8	10 138	3 391 076	8	10 046	8	10 138	8	6 166	3	2 073
.....1969..	3	380	155 105	2	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	60	(NA)	93
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	8	227	(X)	8	227	8	227	8	55	-	-
.....1969..	4	73	(X)	4	73	4	70	4	7	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	5	46	(X)	5	46	3	23	3	13	-	-
.....1969..	2	15	(X)	-	-	2	15	2	2	2	(Z)

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons	
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	4	1 947	(X)	4	1 937	4	1 937	1	18	—	—

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	221	4 470	224	591	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	5	—	5	—
Commercial fertilizer	176	154 133	141	89 754	Diseases in crops and orchards	1 833	7	5 725	2
acres on which used	16 245	3 284	3 574	400	acres on which used	—	148	149	—
Lime	2	322	4	2 666	Weeds or grass in crops	149 201	391	115 297	120
acres on which used	322	1	37	—	acres on which used	—	3	13	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	—	580	487	—
Insects on hay crops	1	500	6	841	acres on which used	—	10	3	—
acres on which used	4	29 303	3	3 047	Weeds on all other land	—	15	(NA)	—
Insects on other crops	23	683	8	11	acres on which used	2 244	13	(NA)	—
Nematodes in crops	—	—	2	1 067	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	6	—	1	—
acres on which used	—	—	4	—	of crops or thinning of fruit	7 832	70	150	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	37	71	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	—	4	11	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	17	(NA)	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	—	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	125	58 783	119	20 177	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	43.1	470.3	42.9	169.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	22	29 047	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	121	50 716	117	19 835	Other sprinkler systems	77	20 288	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	114	46 370	98	15 433	Land in irrigated farms	589 728	140 471	423 065	127 407
Harvested cropland	29	2 755	42	2 073	Cropland	89 871	—	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	5	1 591	(NA)	(NA)	Harvested cropland	—	—	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	15	8 067	4	342	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	2	—	(X)	(X)
acres	8 067	123 713	42 079	42 079	between 1970 and 1973	35	—	(X)	(X)
acres	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	acres irrigated in most recent year	8	—	7	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	2.8	—	2.5	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	49 481	—	70 282	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Land drained	796	—	75	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	99.5	—	10.7	—
acres	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	tanks	61	461	(NA)	(NA)
acres	—	—	—	—	number	120	—	(NA)	(NA)
acres	—	—	—	—	acres	—	—	(NA)	(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	48 398	148	37 929	109	10 468
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	11	9	8	7	12	20
Under \$5,000	—	—	43	23	38	22	26	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	92	—	73	—	40	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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—	95	75	647	105	3 034	829	161	95	93	71	
150 days or more	93	—	487	—	486	—	3 633	3 034	486	112	
25 to 149 days	71	201	434	676	112	—	Number of workers	647	487	434	
Less than 25 days	27	31	(NA)	(NA)	240	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	
Total contract labor	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 worker	34	45	39	
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	138	(NA)	152	(NA)	2 workers	34	26	23	
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	38	12	14	
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	26	5	8	
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	29	7	9	
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—					